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**MARINE CORPS LEAGUE  
OUTER BANKS DETACHMENT #1264  
THE KERN PITTS CENTER**

**Minutes of the detachment meeting on 13 December 2011 held at the Kern Pitts Center, Southern Shores, NC**

**In Attendance were:**

<b>Dean Tyler</b>	<b>Commandant</b>
<b>Pat Riley</b>	<b>Adjutant</b>
<b>Doug Wendling</b>	<b>PIO</b>
<b>Dan Hudson</b>	<b>Judge Advocate</b>
<b>Zene Fearing</b>	
<b>Rick Lawrenson</b>	<b>Chaplain</b>
<b>Craig Clark</b>	
<b>Robert Yanacek</b>	<b>Sr. Vice Commandant/Web Sergeant</b>
<b>Bob Messinger</b>	<b>Paymaster</b>
<b>Kevin Wescott</b>	<b>Eagle Scout Recognition Officer</b>
<b>Dennis Thompson</b>	

**The meeting was opened by Commandant Tyler requesting Sergeant-At-Arms to secure the quarters, post the colors, and lead us in Pledge of Allegiance and declare the meeting open for the transaction of official business.**

**At the direction of Commandant Tyler, the Chaplain opened the meeting with a prayer.**

**There were no new members to be sworn in.**

**Commandant Tyler introduced Zene Fearing who spoke about the upcoming activities of the First Flight Society for the 108th anniversary of aviation and the 100th anniversary of naval aviation. He encouraged everyone to participate as much as possible.**

**Old Business:**

**Adjutant Pat Riley reported that the minutes of the previous meeting were not available due to the fact that the November meeting was canceled because of a scheduling conflict with the meeting facility.**

**Paymaster Bob Messinger reported on Detachment financials. [Financials are not published. However, any member may request a review of the Detachment financials at any time by contacting Paymaster Messinger.]. A lengthy discussion followed regarding resolving discrepancies between Detachment and National membership rosters. The Detachment roster currently indicates 42 members with 5 of these delinquent.**

**Correspondence was received from the following recipients of donations by the Detachment:**

- Wreath**
- Wounded Warriors Project**
- Light Tree**
- Blue/Gold Star Mothers**

**The audit of Detachment accounts was successfully completed by Dan Hudson and Lee Baronet.**

**Robert Yanacek reported the following result of the Toys for Tots campaign:**

**23 volunteers worked a total of 130 man hours.  
599 toys were collected at donation points.  
96 toys were purchased with cash donations.  
811 toys were picked up at other collection locations.**

**This represents a total of 1,506 toys delivered.**

**There was a lively discussion of future plans and options for Toys for Tots.**

**The Commandant recognized Robert Yanacek for all his effort for Detachment by presenting him with the USMC silver dollar.**

**New Business:**

**There will be a Department of NC Winter Quarterly meeting at the VA Hospital, Salisbury NC on 20/21 January 2012. The Commandant will not be able to attend, but he invited any interested member to attend.**

**There was a discussion of the Eagle Scout program.**

**Bob Messinger mentioned procedures for reimbursement to the Detachment for Life Members.**

**There will be a Department of NC Spring Quarterly meeting at the Cherry Point on 20/21 April 2012. The Commandant will attend.**

**Commandant Tyler stated that if there is no further business, we will proceed to close.**

**The Detachment was requested to stand in silent respect for all Marines who have answered The Supreme Commandant's call to Detachment Everlasting.**

**Commandant Tyler requested the Chaplain lead the Detachment in closing prayer**

**Commandant Tyler requested the Sergeant-At-Arms to declare the meeting officially closed.**

**Sergeant-At-Arms by authority of the Commandant declared this meeting officially closed until 10 January 2012 when it will be reopened for the transaction of official business**