



Marine Corps League Outer Banks Detachment #1264

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Detachment Officers for 2008:

Commandant:	Doug Wendling
Sr. Vice Commandant:	Kelly Chamberlain
Jr. Vice Commandant:	Tim Gregory
Judge Advocate:	Lee Baronet
Adjutant/Paymaster:	Bob Messinger
Chaplain:	John Strauss
Sergeant-At-Arms/Web Sergeant:	Robert Yanacek

**NEXT DETACHMENT MEETING: 14 October 08, 1900 - Thomas A Baum
Senior Center, 300 Mustian Street, Kill Devil Hills BE THERE!**

Martin Smith, volunteer docent at the National Museum of the Marine Corps, will be our guest speaker and we have several items of Detachment business that need member inputs. Please plan to attend.



VOTE 4 NOVEMBER 2008!

What's Been Going On?

Check your Detachment Website OFTEN: www.obxmarines.com

Detachment Meeting: 9 September
Fire Chaplain, Nags Head Fire Department, Rick Lawrenson was guest speaker

Department NC Quarterly Meeting, Rocky Mount, NC: 20 September
Detachment Commandant attended. Met Paul Peterson, Commandant, Albemarle Detachment #1258 [Edenton]. Discussed possible joint events.

Plans underway for celebration of 233rd Marine Corps Birthday at Duck Woods Country Club. Invitations will be sent within the next two weeks. Monday, 10 November 2008

Member, Dan Fillmore, listed as guest speaker for the Town of Nags Head Veterans Day ceremony. Let's have a big turnout of Detachment members!

Did You Know?

There are 2,180 MCL members in NC and 55 Detachments...

Message From The Commandant:

Fellow Marines,

Recruiting...

Recruiting literature is available for all members. Pick some up at the next meeting and make it your objective to recruit one new member this year. Current membership is 32.

Detachment Leadership...

Elections for Commandant, Sr. Vice Commandant, Jr. Vice Commandant and Judge Advocate will be held at the December meeting. Nominees are being sought for all positions. You will be contacted by the Nominating Committee in October/November regarding your willingness to serve as an officer of the Detachment. Nominees will be announced at the November Detachment meeting. Step up!



Check your Detachment website often: www.obxmarines.com

Also, North Carolina and other MCL information is available at the Department NC website:
www.ncmcleague.org

National Marine Corps League website: www.mcleague.com

Detachment Programs/Actions/Events - These items are either in discussion among our members, staged for implementation or underway:

Marines Helping Marines –

Volunteer Drivers: to provide transportation of fellow veterans to meetings, Detachment events, VA Hospital, airport, etc.

Notary Public Service: Provided at NO COST to members needing Notary services. Contact Robert Yanacek, Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms/Web Sergeant.

Toys For Tots – Detachment Participation 2008 Contact Detachment Adjutant/Paymaster, Bob Messinger, 441-6559, messenger.b@obxmarines.com

Museum of the Marine - Jacksonville, NC

A world class museum that will honor the contributions and sacrifices of Marines, their units, their families, and the Carolina communities that support them by making known the personal stories that reflect the courage and dedication that are the hallmarks of our Nation's history.

The Detachment is accepting donations for the Museum of the Marine.
Current total: \$450

Ask local community/business leaders to make a donation to MCL, Outer Banks Detachment #1264 for the Museum. It's tax deductible!

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