

— Become a Member —

Join the Outer Banks Detachment and help support Marines in need and the community at large. Established in 2006, we have been active in Dare and Currituck counties, supporting charities such as Toys for Tots®.



To apply for membership, complete an application, then mail it with a copy of your DD-214 to the mailing address provided below, or bring it to our next meeting. We welcome you to visit our detachment of Marines. Veterans from other branches of the armed forces and those with no military service are also welcome to apply for associate membership in our detachment.

— Donate —

Individuals may donate online at our website, or by check, payable to the Marine Corps League Outer Banks Detachment, mailed to our address provided below. Donations are tax-deductible as we are a 501(c)(4) non-profit charitable veteran's organization.

Businesses may give a tax-deductible donation online at our website or by check, payable to the Marine Corps League Outer Banks Detachment, mailed to our address provided below. Your business information, with your website address, will be included on the "Detachment Friends" section of our website.

— Contact Information —

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— Meetings —

Second Tuesday of Each Month
From 1900 to 2000
Southern Shores Town Hall
Kern P. Pitts Center
5375 North Virginia Dare Trail
Southern Shores, NC 27949-5935



— Free Breakfast Social —

First Tuesday of Each Month
From 0900 to 1030
Jolly Roger Restaurant
1836 North Virginia Dare Trail
Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948-9227



— Together as One —



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Attention Marines FMF Corpsmen and Chaplains



— On Duty Since 2006 —

Do you miss the camaraderie of your fellow Marines? If so, we would like to hear from you today! We are looking for Marines as well as corpsmen and chaplains who served with the FMF for membership in our detachment. We invite you to take action today and learn how you can become a member and positively impact on our community here on the Outer Banks.

— Our Mission —

Our members join together in camaraderie and fellowship for the purpose of preserving the traditions and promoting the interests of the Marine Corps by aiding and rendering assistance to all Marines and former Marines, to their widows and orphans, and by perpetuating the history of the Marine Corps through fitting acts to observe the anniversaries of historical occasions of particular interest to Marines.



— Community Service —

Toys for Tots® Program

Each year our detachment members collect and distribute new toys as Christmas gifts to needy children in Dare and Currituck counties. This is a very popular service event for our members and has a proven record of being a worthwhile program to the children within our local community.



Marine In Need Program

Since our establishment we, as Marines, have remained true to our motto of *Semper Fidelis* and of our commitment to "take care of our own" by offering assistance to local Marines. Our efforts are also provided to local veteran from any of the other branches of the armed-forces of the United States.



Marine Corps Rose Program

Our detachment members hand out small crepe roses at local events in honor of our Marine brothers who have given their lives in the service of our country. Donations made by the public in honor of these men is collected and used by our detachment to assist veterans and youth, and to provide other charitable services within our community on the Outer Banks.



Adopt-A-Beach Program

In partnership with the Outer Banks Chapter of the Surfrider Foundation, our members are now providing volunteer cleanup service on a regular basis at the West Third Street Public Estuarine Access in Kill Devil Hills as an ongoing commitment to supporting our community and making it a better place for everyone to live.



— Community Service —

Eagle Scout Recognition Program

We support the Boy Scouts of America in their their promotion of traditional family values to America's youth. Every scout who reaches the rank of Eagle Scout is presented a citizenship award by our detachment on behalf of the Marine Corps League, usually in conjunction with the local troop's Court of Honor ceremony.



Citizenship Scholarship Program

Our detachment awards a citizenship scholarship of \$500 annually to graduating students from each of Dare County's three high schools. Recipients are selected based on their record of service to the community.



Citizen Recognition Program

We present a variety of certificates to local area citizens in recognition of acts demonstrating loyalty and patriotism to our nation, or to recognize volunteer service within our community with the President's Volunteer Service Award.



— Corporate Giving —

In addition to our community service programs, we have contributed to various organizations over the years including:

- Blue Star Mothers, Outer Banks Branch
- Sergeant Earl Murray Heroes Foundation
- Sergeant Mac National Wreath Project
- Special Olympics of Dare County
- Toys for Tots® of Dare County
- U.S Marines Youth Foundation Tree of Lights

— Detachment in Action —



*We few, we precious few,
We who have shed our blood together,
shall forever be...
...A BAND OF BROTHERS*
W^m Shakespeare

