



Major B.F. Hickey Detachment 57

DATE: 08NOV18 MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 1900 HOURS

OPENING CEREMONY:

- Opening ceremony was conducted in accordance with the MCL Ritual.

OFFICERS PRESENT:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commandant//Webmaster	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sr.Vice-Commandant
<input type="checkbox"/> Jr.Vice-Commandant	<input type="checkbox"/> Sgt-At-Arms
<input type="checkbox"/> Judge Advocate	<input type="checkbox"/> Chaplain
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adjutant/Paymaster	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corpsman
<input type="checkbox"/> Jr. Past Commandant	

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS OR GUEST SPEAKER:

- Manny Violenus has joined us again this evening.

NEW MEMBER OATH OF MEMBERSHIP:

- None

AWARDS:

- None

APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED FOR NEW MEMBERSHIP:

- Manny Violenus – Detachment voted unanimously for Manny Violenus to be accepted as a member of Detachment 57, Marine Corps League.

ADJUTANT’S REPORT:

- Minutes of Previous Meeting
 - Posted Online at www.stpetemcl.org
 - **MOTION** to waive reading of and accept the Minutes of the January 2018 meeting as posted online made by Marine Tsai
 - **MOTION SECONDED** by Marine Fortier
 - Discussion - None
 - **MOTION PASSES**
- Correspondence Received –
 - Letter from Department of Florida thanking us for donation to Disaster Relief Fund.
 - Frankie’s Patriot BBQ Veterans Day Event Flier.

PAYMASTER’S REPORT:

- Report of the Paymaster:

Paymaster’s Report

Date: 08 NOV 18

Wells Fargo Detachment 57 Account Activity:

End of Day 10OCT18 Balance:	<u>\$8,175.96</u>
Total Deposits:	<u>\$5,799.50</u>

Expenditures:	<u>(\$3,370.25)</u>
End of Day 07NOV18 Balance:	<u>\$10,605.21</u>

Regions Bingo Account Activity:

End of Day 10OCT18 Balance:	<u>\$5,212.70</u>
Total Deposits:	<u>\$13,221.00</u>
Expenditures:	<u>(\$10,623.11)</u>
End of Day 07NOV18 Balance:	<u>\$7,810.59</u>
Profit of: \$2,597.89	

Total Available Funds as of End of Day 07NOV18:

\$18,415.80

- **MOTION** to accept the Report of the Paymaster made by Marine Lawson
 - **MOTION SECONDED** by Marine Bulu
 - Discussion – None
- **MOTION PASSES**

CHAPLAINS REPORT:

- Report of the Sick or Distressed:
- Marine Lawson – Ed Keller’s house has been fixed, and he sends his eternal gratitude to the Detachment. We made all the difference in the world for this Marine.

- Eric Hopkins medical issues have again reared their ugly head.
- Mike Cashman has lymphoma, and will be getting chemo therapy treatment through March.

REPORT OF OFFICERS AND STAFF:

Commandant:

- A few of us went to Bel Air Elementary for their Veterans Day Event, and had a really nice time with the Kids.
 - The Detachment really looked good out there in our Red on Red uniforms. Most of the other “groups” looked like a bag of @\$\$.
- TOMORROW is the Marine Corps Birthday Ball at the Clearwater Country Club.
 - Cocktail Hour starts at 1800 hours, Dinner at 1900 hours.
- This Saturday – Bay Pines VA Marine Corps Birthday Celebration at the long term care unit (next to building 2) beginning at 1200 hours.
- Monday – Frankie’s Patriot BBQ is offering a Free Meal to veterans from 1100 to 1200 hours.
- Car Show – We will hit our estimated target for sponsorships for the year, however, we STILL NEED DOOR PRIZES for the 50/50 raffle.
 - Email for Volunteer Sign Up to follow in the next few days.
 - Looks like approximately 150 cars registered for the Show.

Sr. Vice Commandant:

- There are Fee Chow Days coming up both Saturday and Monday in recognition of Veterans Day.
 - An Email was sent out with the Details on all of the establishments participating.

Jr. Vice Commandant:

- Not Present

Jr. Past Commandant:

- Not Present

Judge Advocate:

- Not Present

Sergeant-at-Arms:

- Not Present

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

Rose Sale Committee (Bob Decker):

- Upcoming Rose Sales: None.

VAVS (Veterans Affairs Voluntary Service) (Bob Cannon):

- No Report

Boy Scout Committee (Tim Bulu & Dave Speegle):

- Venture Crew – No updates or Changes
- Council – Three young men recently earned the rank of Eagle, and their Courts of Honor are currently being planned.

Pistol Shoot, Cup Sales and Flag Education Program (John Gluck):

- NO SHOOT this month, as our range day is the same day as the Car Show.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- Commandant Cooper - Marine in Need – Ernesto Gonzalez recently had shoulder surgery, as you can see, and has to move to Winter Haven later this month, and either needs money to hire a moving company, or we need to get off of our butts and help out.
 - **MOTION** by Sr. Vice Pate to provide Marine Gonzalez with \$900.00 for moving expenses
 - **MOTION SECONDED** by Marine Bulu

- **Discussion** – None

- **MOTION PASSES**

NEW BUSINESS:

- Paymaster Robinson – **MOTION** to Removal of Jr. Vice Commandant for excessive unexcused absences pursuant to Detachment Bylaws, and to appoint a replacement until elections can be held.
 - **MOTION SECONDED** by Marine Lawson
 - **Discussion** – Should we leave open until elections? No, we need a full house of leaders to accomplish our mission.
 - **MOTION PASSES.**
 - Marine Bulu is Appointed Interim Jr. Vice Commandant by Commandant Cooper.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE:

- Bay Pines VA Veterans Day Event is this Sunday the 11th at 1000 hours.
- Where is our embroidery done? - Paradise Embroidery, across from the Home Depot on Park Boulevard.
- WWAR is hosing their annual football event with Mike Alstott at the Ranch tomorrow from 0900-1200 hours.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **NEXT MEETING** - Thursday, 13DEC18 to be held at the VFW Post 4364.

CLOSING CEREMONY:

- Closing ceremony was conducted in accordance with the MCL Ritual.

CLOSING TIME: 1944 Hours

ATTENDANCE:

- 12 Members in good standing in attendance plus 1 Marines or FMF Corpsmen or Chaplains guests and 0 Non-Marine guests.