



Major B.F. Hickey Detachment 57

Date: 12SEP19

Meeting called to order: 1900 HOURS

OPENING CEREMONY:

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

OFFICERS PRESENT:

Commandant	■	Sr Vice Commandant	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jr Vice Commandant	■
Judge Advocate	■	Adjutant/Paymaster	■	Chaplain	■
Corpsman	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jr. Past Commandant	■		

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS OR GUEST SPEAKER:

- Introduce those we know about – Welcome!!!-----

Pete Krystal from Detachment 54 and Honor Guard Commander

NEW MEMBER OATH OF MEMBERSHIP:

- The membership oath was administered to Matt Roberts.

AWARDS:

- Wayne Fortier was awarded the Honor Guard Service Ribbon by Honor Guard Commander Pete Krystal.
- Wayne Fortier received the Distinguished Citizen Award for Commandant Pate.

ADJUTANT'S REPORT:

- Minutes of Previous Meeting
 - Posted Online at www.stpetemcl.org
 - MOTION to waive reading of and accept the Minutes of the August 2018 meeting as posted online made by Marine Robinson
 - MOTION SECONDED by Marine Daly
 - Discussion - None
 - MOTION PASSES
- Correspondence Received
 - None

PAYMASTER'S REPORT:

Wells Fargo Detachment 57 Account Activity:

End of the Day	1-Aug-19	Balance	\$17,189.59
		Total Deposits:	\$3,945.00
		Expenditures:	(\$10,125.65)
End of the Day	1-Sep-19	Balance	\$11,008.94
		Pending Checks	(\$1,650.00)
		Available Balance	\$9,358.94

Regions Bingo Account Activity:	
Belcher Disbursement for August	\$708.00
Regions Bank Fees	(\$27.42)
Remaining After Fees	\$650.58
Amount to be Transferred to Wells Fargo	\$640.00

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

CHAPLAINS REPORT:

- Don Bostrom was released from Northside Hospital and is now in rehab from his stroke.
- Pam Bostrom’s recovery from surgery is progressing well.

REPORT OF OFFICERS AND STAFF:

Commandant:

- Evelyn Joppa of Detachment 54 was elected National President of the Marine Corps League Auxiliary

Sr. Vice Commandant:

- Reminded all of the quarterly birthday party coming on Sep. 26.
- Announced he is compiling a list of service providers that are recommended by detachment members.

Jr. Vice Commandant:

- None

Jr. Past Commandant:

- None

Judge Advocate:

- Notified the detachment that after a few minor adjustments our new bylaws have been approved by DoF.

Sergeant-at-Arms:

- PBA car show is still in the works

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

Rose Sale Committee (Bob Decker):

- There will be two Rose Sales in October, the 12th and the 26th.

Marine for Life (M4L) (Rick McCool):

- None

Car Show Committee (Bob Decker):

- None

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

- A free “stop smoking” program is available from the VA
- A Fisher House Open House will be held on Sep. 26.

Marine Corps Birthday Ball Committee (George Cooper):

- Tickets are available for sale at \$35 each.

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

The months shoot will take place on Sep. 21,

Venture Crew/Boy Scout Committee (Tim Bulu & Dave Speegle):

- None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- None

NEW BUSINESS:

- Volunteers re needed for the WWAR Alive Day Ride which was rescheduled from Sep 1 to Sep 14.
- Lauren Price from the Kiwanis Breakfast Club of Seminole dropped off the application flyers for the years Field of Honor. Since this is an approved budget item, no vote was needed. This year the detachment agreed to honor Don Gillis and although they are still with us Phil Calhoun and Top Flick.
- Marine Weston reported that at the National Convention a resolution was passed to push for the ability to simply dial 3 to get to a suicide prevention hot line.
- Ken Friend recommended the detachment donate another \$250 to VFW 4364. Commandant Pate said we should discuss this at the October meeting.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE:

- The DoF Fall Conference will be held Oct 3-5 in Melbourn
- The District 7 meeting will be held in Riverview on Oct 26.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **NEXT MEETING** - Thursday, 10 October 2019 to be held at the VFW Post 4364.

CLOSING CEREMONY:

Closing ceremony was conducted in accordance with the MCL Ritual.

CLOSING TIME: 20:00 Hours

- Commandant

ATTENDANCE:

15 Members in good standing in attendance.