



Westchester County Detachment Marine Corps League

PO Box 505 • White Plains • NY • 10602-0505

Next Meeting: 6 June 2007 – First Wednesday
Muster 7:30 PM (food served), Meeting 8 PM

Legion Hall • 57 Mitchell Place, White Plains, NY

Commandant: Mickey Winston

WWW.MCLWESTCHESTER.ORG

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MEMBERSHIP

FY07 = 482. Goal = 520
38 to go
July 1, 2006 - June 30, 2007

Ask that Marine to associate with our detachment.

Welcome Aboard!

We are now at **310** Life Members.
Renewal = \$26 New = \$31.

Think LIFE!

Life Member Dues:.

To age 35=\$400; 36-50=\$350;
51-60=\$250; 61+=\$125

Online dues payment

Visit our website and save a stamp, envelope and that check writing time. Try it, you'll like it!

www.mclwestchester.org/

Calendar

May 11: 2/25 Alumni Assn. Golf Outing. Interested? Play/Support -

Contact John Farley, 870 Bellmore Rd, North Bellmore, NY 11710

May 13: "Grease" Sold Out!

Westchester

"Armed Forces Day"

May 19: Saturday – Valhalla. Armed Forces Day parade, ceremony and exhibitions at the Kensico Dam Plaza. Parade begins on Legion Drive @ noon. Form up 11am.

May 28: Memorial Day White Plains. Monday 9:30am forming. 10am start.

May 30: Memorial Day Mamaroneck. Wednesday 6:30 forming. 7pm start.

July 4: Independence Day Port Chester HS 7pm. Ceremonies and fireworks.

July 11-16: NYS Convention.

Syracuse. Quality Inn 315-451-1212. Rooms \$75.

Nov 5: Marine Band Concert. County Center, White Plains. Monday. "The President's Own" will be performing.

Nov 11: Veterans Day White Plains.

Member News

Members **LtCol Glenn Sadowski USMCR** and **Lu Caldara** attended the Naval Reserve Association's Mess Night at the US MMA, Kings Point on 13 April. **Fred Hillmann** attended the reactivation of 1/9 at Camp Lejeune, NC. Fred was a member of 1/9 in Viet Nam. 1/9 was know as the "Walking Dead." Home on Leave, **Cpl Mike Bizzoco USMC** dropped in at the Young Marines meeting. April 21 **Sgt Elizabeth Quinones USMCR** was recognized and performed at the awards ceremony for Hispanic Artists in NYC. She also performed at the NWRC National Awards Night in NYC.

Detachment Activities

April 13: MCL Eagle Scout Award was presented by the Peekskill Recruiter to Jasn D. Long in Yorktown Heights. Jason will be leaving for Parris Island this Summer. His older brother is currently in the Corps.

April 21: MCL NY State meeting at Kingston. Paymaster Lu Caldara represented the detachment.

April 24: Westchester County's Vets "Town Hall Meeting" at the County Center. Detachment Table was manned by Lu Caldara; DAV table by John Preiss and the WC College table by Rick Hyland.

April 28: Cmdt Mickey Winston represented the detachment at the "Meet the Service Academy Selectees" presented by Congresswoman Nita Lowey.

Marine Memorial Scholarship Fund "Lest We Forget"

In memory of former Marine and fellow Detachment member

SGT Anthony Kalladeen
NYARNG

KIA Iraq 8 Aug 2005

Andrus Childrens Home, Yonkers
as of 1/22/2007=\$3,938.13
Monthly \$18.18 by Al Jacobs

In memory of Westchester County Marines who were killed in the bombing of the Marine Barracks in Beirut, Lebanon in 1983.

LCpl Craig Wyche USMC
Ossining HS

Cpl James J. Jackowski USMC
John Jay HS

2006 Awardee – Ted Sinsheimer
of Katonah (Dartmouth –
Mechanical Engineering)

As of 12/21/2006=\$17,498.06
Donations are always welcome.

Project We Care

Our troops are still serving in many far of lands and are looking for gifts and letters from the folks at home. Show **"We Care."** With continual rotations, please get us **the names and addresses** of those military personnel, serving in the conflicts who would like to receive mail.

Young Marines of Westchester

Sergeant Jason Dubois and **Corporal Adalheid Seda** received their Adult CPR certification from the YM Junior Leadership School.

April 14: 1stSgt Rayo, LCpl Pareja and **PFC Hanaburgh** attended the Hudson Valley Orienteering Meet and training at Blue Mountain, Peekskill.

April 22: a group of our YM's and adult leaders volunteered as support personnel for NYU Medical Center's annual **"Mend a Heart"** childrens' fair in NYC. What a terrific impression they

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A Marine*

*Honor • Courage • Commitment •
Tradition • History*

Semper Fidelis

made on the organizers and hospital staff. **1stSgt Jonathan Rayo** has been selected as a "Student Ambassador" and will be going to Ghana on 25 June for five weeks. A well done for Rayo.

April 26: The Color Guard performed for the "NWRC Awards Dinner" in NYC for Congressman Peter King (NY) and Senator Thune (ND).

May 4: 1stSgt Rayo was presented the MCL "Distinguished Citizen Award."

LHD USS New York Gym Equipment Project

Sr. Vice Cmdt **Drew McFadden** and LtCol **Glenn Sadowski USMCR** are spearheading this project to supply a "Bowflex" and gym equipment for the ship's workout area. **Donations** to our PO Box with "**USS NY**" in Memo section.

Minimum Goal \$2,500

Donations:

\$965 received

<http://members.aol.com/forvets/dd214.htm>

www.VeteransAlert.com

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TAPS

PELLINO, JOHN DANIEL

John D. Pellino of Rye Brook, Owner Operator of JP's Standby, died 29th of April 2007 at his home. He was to be 62 on the 5th of May. Mr. Pellino /JP worked as the Owner Operator of JP's Standby in Port Chester for 31 years. Mr Pellino was born May 5, 1945 in Port Chester, NY and graduated from Port Chester High School in 1963.

Mr. Pellino served in the USMC in Viet Nam, decorated with multiple medals including a Purple Heart.

Mr. Pellino lived in Rye Brook for the past 25 years. Before that he lived in Harrison, NY from 1976 to 1982.

He is survived by his wife Paula of 29 years, his son Joseph, also a Marine.

In lieu of flowers friends may send memorial donations to Marine Corps League, P.O. Box 505, White Plains, NY 10602 or Corpus Chrsi Church, 136 So. Regent St., Port Chester, NY.

**Westchester County
Veterans Service Agency**
Member **Jerry Krawczyk, Counselor**
914-995-2145,6

Yonkers Veterans Agency

Member Geno Egiziaco, Counselor
914-377-6700

USMC Recruiting Service Westchester

682-4785 - White Plains

969-0550 – Yonkers

737-7887 – Peekskill

Uniform shirts are available at:

New England Sportswear

495 Main Street

Armonk, NY 10504

914-273-2515

White w/epaulets and permanent creases. Patches sewn on free. MCL Patches are at the store and are at no charge. They have been provided by the detachment.

By mail: shipping & handling extra.

Credit Card orders accepted.

Short Sleeve: \$29.92.

Long Sleeve: \$32.95