



# Westchester County Detachment Marine Corps League

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

**Next Meeting: 3 October 2007 – First Wednesday**  
**Muster 7:30 PM (food served), Meeting 8 PM**

**Legion Hall • 57 Mitchell Place, White Plains, NY**

**Anniversary  
Brunch  
Sunday Nov. 4  
Antun's  
11:30 - 3  
Only \$30**

Commandant: Mickey Winston

WWW.MCLWESTCHESTER.ORG

Editor: Lu Caldara 914-941-2118

## MEMBERSHIP

**FY08 = 374 Goal = 515**  
**July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008**

Ask that Marine to associate with our detachment.

## Welcome Aboard!

New members: Transferred in from Nat. Member at Large **Robert Camp** of White Plains. Associate member **Salvatore Monastra** of W. Harrison sponsored by Ray D'Alessandro; **David Meiselman** of Rye Brook sponsored by Lu Caldara.

Renewal = \$26 New = \$31

### New Life Members:

**Dennis Conroy** of Eastchester;  
**Salvatore Monastra** of West Harrison.

We are now at **314** Life Members.

### Think LIFE!

Life Member Dues:.

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

**Life Dues increase Jan 2008**

### 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/](http://www.mclwestchester.org/)

## Calendar

**Oct 7: Columbus Day Parade.** White Plains – Sunday, 2pm Intersection of Mamaroneck Ave & Old Mamaroneck Ave. All invited.

**Nov 4: Detachment Marine Corps Anniversary Brunch.** Antun's of Elmsford. 11:30am –3pm. \$30 per person. Checks to Marine Corps League, Lu Caldara, 5 Downey Rd, Ossining, NY 10562. Public invited.

**Nov 5: Marine Band Concert.** County Center, White Plains. Monday. "The President's Own" will be performing. Free tickets become available Oct. 8 at the Westchester County Center Box

Office. Four tickets per individual may be picked up there. Groups, contact Lu Caldara.

**Nov 12: Veterans Day** White Plains.

## Taps

Life Member **George A. Klein** of Rye passed away September 7, 2007.

George was a Korean War veteran.

Life Member **Jerry Bates** of White Plains passed away on September 14, 2007.

## Member News

Life Members **John Daly** and **Lu Caldara** attended the National Second Marine Division Reunion at Arlington, VA along with YM 1<sup>st</sup>Sgt Jonathan Rayo. Life Member **Vince McGowan** is an Executive Chairman of the SSMA Club Military Ball being held October 3 at the Pierre Hotel. Member **Bill Gallo** will be given the Distinguished Media Achievement Award, at this event. Life Member **Al Striffler** attended the 4<sup>th</sup> Mar Div Assn. National Reunion.

## Detachment Activities

**James Mazzone** represented the detachment at the Mount Vernon City Hall ceremonies/presentation of Cpl Bernard Gooden USMC KIA Iraq uniform by his mother, Carmen Palmer. The uniform will be on permanent display at City Hall to recognize Gooden's sacrifice.

## Marine Memorial Scholarship Funds "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**  
**2007 Awardee**

**Christopher Toussaint**

as of 6/22/2007=\$3,979.21  
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**

**2007 Awardee Robert Nichols**  
**Cpl James J. Jackowski USMC**

**John Jay HS**

**2007 Awardee Stephanie Masotti**

Bio Medical Engineering

As of 6/31/2007=\$17,498.06

## 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

**Aug 23-25:** 1stSgt Jonathan Rayo attended the 2d Marine Division Assn. Reunion at Arlington, VA and also visited the National Marine Corps Museum. Jonathan Rayo returned from his five weeks in Ghana, as a Student Ambassador, in early August.

**Sept 11:** Color Guard for Elmsford's 9/11 ceremonies.

**Sept. 14:** YM Fall Session began.

## LHD USS New York Gym Equipment Project

Sr. Vice Cmt **Drew McFadden** and Adjutant **LtCol Glenn Sadowski USMCR** are spearheading this project to supply a "Bowflex" and gym equipment for the ship's workout area.

*Once A Marine  
Always A Marine*

*Honor • Courage • Commitment • Tradition •  
History*

*Semper Fidelis*

**Donations** to our PO Box with  
"USS NY" in Memo section.

**Minimum Goal \$2,500**

Donations: \$20 Michael Murphy

**\$1,135 received**

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

[www.VeteransAlert.com](http://www.VeteransAlert.com)

Helping Veterans with the  
important things in life.

**Westchester County**

**Veterans Service Agency**

Member Jerry Krawczyk, Counselor

**914-995-2145,6**

**Yonkers Veterans Agency**

Member Geno Egiziaco, Counselor

**914-377-6700**

**Marines Helping Marines**

Fund Raising Tickets

for the

**Wounded Warrior Project**

Top Prize \$3,000

**Tickets \$5 each – 3 for \$10**

Send check "Marines Helping  
Marines" & SASE to

Lu Caldara

5 Downey Road

Ossining, NY 10562

Support the Wounded Warrior  
Barracks and Hospitals projects

**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

*Once A Marine  
Always A Marine*

*Honor • Courage • Commitment • Tradition •  
History*

*Semper Fidelis*