



Westchester County Detachment

Marine Corps League

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**Next Meeting: 3 February 2010 – First Wednesday
Nominations & Elections**

Muster 7:30 PM, Meeting 8 PM

Legion Hall • 57 Mitchell Place, White Plains, NY

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MEMBERSHIP FY 2010 401

Ask that Marine to associate with our detachment.

Welcome Aboard!

New members: Welcome aboard: **CPT Sophia Havraniak** of Yonkers and **Ivanna Ianelli** of Verbank sponsored by Taras Sczur.

Renewal = \$26 New = \$31

We are now at **316** Life Members.

Think LIFE!

Life Member Dues:

**To age 35=\$500; 36-50=\$400;
51-60=\$300; 61+=\$150**

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/

**Sick & Distress? Contact:
Chaplain Kurt Michaelson**

914-438-6926

ktmichaelson@yahoo.com

Condolences to life members Kelly and Steve Topilnycky. Kelly has lost her father MSgt William Hutchison Jr. USAF ret.

Sick Call

Donald Shelton is still in the hospital in the Bronx (VAMC Bronx). He has continued his recovery. He will be getting into a Nursing / Rehab facility.

Calendar

Feb 11-13: Nat Midwinter Meeting. Falls Church, VA.

Mar 26,27: NE Div Meeting. Scranton, PA.

Member News

2dLt Dan Burns USMC graduated from the Scout Sniper Platoon Commander's Course (SSPCC), MCCDC, Quantico. **SSgt Ed**

Boeringer USMC has landed in Germany with his new assignment with Intel. Ed is a GySgt "selectee." **LtCol Pat Ford USMCR** is doing his 2 weeks AT at Quantico.

Detachment Activities

Toys for Tots wrapped up another great year. Even with the economy, we received many new donors. We met all our requirements to assist those in need. Our "Team", both members and volunteers were undaunted and deserve all our thanks and recognition. **Donations** of food to the Food Pantry and clothing to the Clothing Store was made to the VA FDR Montrose for its "Veterans' Support" programs of local needy vets.

Nominations and Elections 2010

Will take place at the February meeting. All members are eligible to take an office and / or participate in the many committees. We look forward to your participation.

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

As of 11/20/2009=\$5,773.67

Donation: \$54.54 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

2009 Awardee Elizabeth McMahon

Cpl James J. Jackowski USMC John Jay HS

2009 Awardee David Schwartz

University of Pennsylvania
Engineering

As of 11/24/2009=\$18,562.46

USMCR Family Assistance Fund

Donation of \$80 from **Jacqueline Callari** of Fairport.

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 White Plains

Dec 27 - YM's did the opening ceremonies for the Westchester County "Slam Dunk" High School Basketball Competition at the County Center.

A most generous donation was received from the Marine Corps Law Enforcement Foundation.

LPD 21 USS New York Shipboard Marines Project

Sr. Vice Cmdt **Drew McFadden** and Adjutant **LtCol Glenn Sadowski USMCR** are spearheading this project to supply needs of the shipboard Marines needs. **Donations** to our PO Box with **"USS NY"** in Memo section.

\$3,386 received

Still accepting support / donations for needs of shipboard Marines projects.

**USMC
Uniform Support Center
800-368-4088**

**Got an Email?
Receiving the hard copy
newsletter?
Save the detachment a few
bucks and processing by
sending your email
address to:
LLC1@mclwestchester.org**

**USMC Recruiting Service
Westchester
682-4785 - White Plains
969-0550 – Yonkers
213-3951 - Ossining
737-7887 – Peekskill**

Uniform shirts are available at:
New England Sportswear
**66 Fulton St
White Plains, NY 10606
914-358-1505**

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: \$ 36.95

Long Sleeve: \$ 38.95

<http://members.aol.com/forvets/dd214.htm>
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914-995-2145,6**
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Member Al Ramsey, Director
Member Geno Egiziaco, Counselor
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