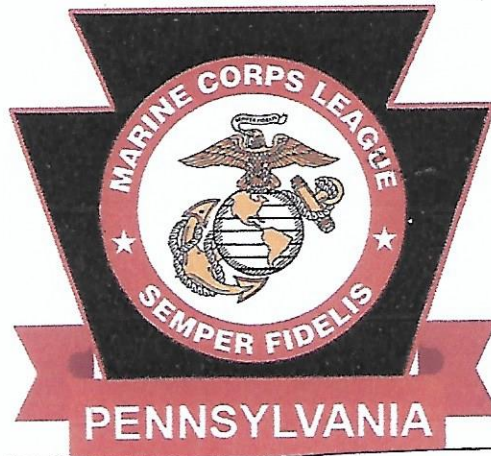


Marine Corps League

INCOMING NEWS



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April 2025 Edition
Tommy Hess
Commandant
Jim Mineo Editor

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY DETACHMENT

Our next monthly meeting is scheduled on Saturday April 5th 2025 starting at 1100. Please make every effort to attend, reports from the recent Dept. of PA MCL Spring meeting can be heard.

REMINDERS

Scholarship applications were emailed out to the membership for the Department, National & Detachment scholarship programs with instructions. When completed please reach out to the Commandant & Paymaster for signatures.

The membership has been responding with returning the Veterans & Youth raffle ticket stubs with donation - all can take advantage of the cash prizes (near \$8000.00 total) with a \$5000.00 first prize. Over the years our detachment had two first prize winners including many other smaller awards All donations received from the raffle program supports the Dept.

scholarship program and veterans needs. Drawing June 7th at Dept, headquarters Fort Indiantown Gap at 1300. All are invited to attend drawing. If you need more tickets please contact me via email Thank You for your participation.

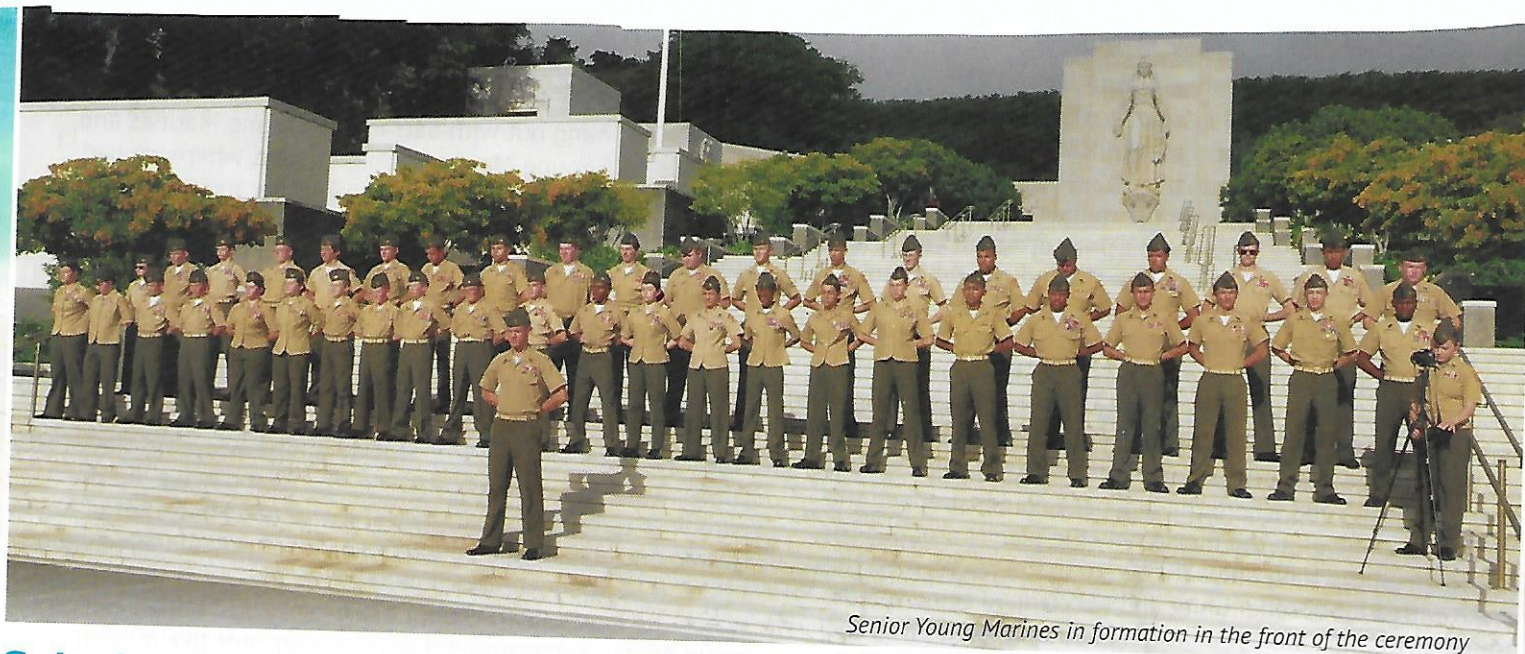
NEW BUSINESS

The Easton Memorial Day Parade, May 26th is in the planning stages We always are in need of participants. Please respond to this email if you feel you want to parade or help with putting the parade together. ALSO if you know of any group that wants to parade please respond to this email.

2025 DETACHMENT OFFICERS

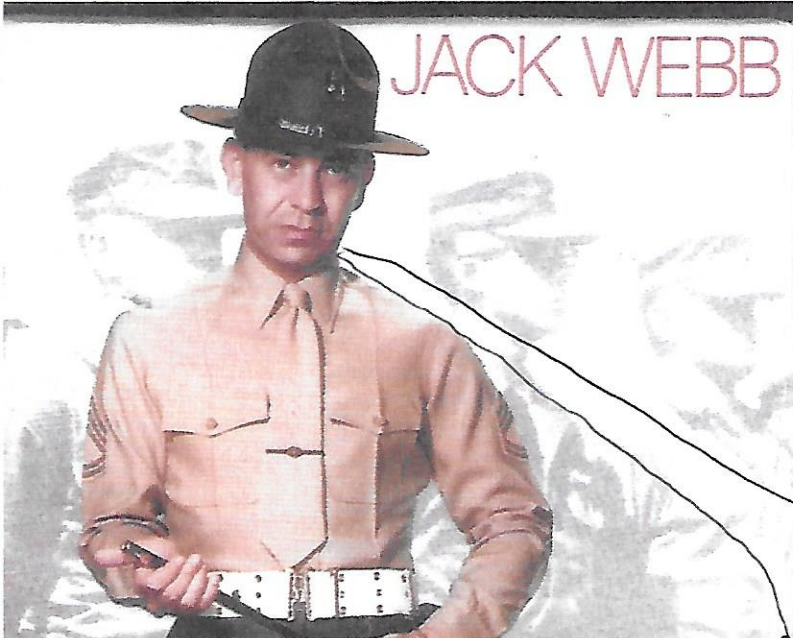
**Commandant Thomas Hess
Sr.Vice Commandant "Doc" Hockenbury
JrVice Commandant Bruce Brown
Judge Advocate Richard J. Kondash
Paymaster Jim Mineo
Adjutant Buddy Yeager
Chaplain Arlene Brown
Sgt-at-Arms Frank Scott**

On Friday April 18th & Saturday April 19th from 0800 to 1700 both days we will be doing our upcoming **ROSE Program fund raiser at the Redners market Palmer Twsp. If you feel you have time to participate please respond to this email for details.**



Senior Young Marines in formation in the front of the ceremony

Saluting Heroes: The Punchbowl Pearl Harbor Ceremony



A growl is scheduled immediately following the membership meeting. Please remember to carry you passport, wear your dog collar Devil Dog patch on cover, membership card, bring plenty of small & large bones.

THOSE DOGS THAT FAIL TO FOLLOW THE RULES WILL BE INVITED TO A TOUR OF THE SWAMP AT PARRIS ISLAND SC

POUND #67 MILITARY ORDER OF DEVIL DOGS 2025 OFFICERS

POUND KEEPER
SR.VICE POUND KEEPER
JR.VICE POUND KEEPER
DOG ROBBER
SMART DOG
DOG TRAINER
MAD DOG
POLICE DOG
WATCH DOG
BARKING DOG
FIRE PLUG INSPECTOR

PDD "DOC" HOCKENBURY
PDD DICK KONDASH
PUP THOMAS HESS
PDD JIM MINEO
PUP KIRK HARDING
PDD JOE POKOJNI
DD COLYER JAMES
DD BILL KROPA
PUP DAVE AYERS
DD BUDDY YEAGER
PUP VINNIE POANDL !V

Should you find yourself driving along R. Lee Ermey Avenue in Palm-dale, California, be sure to lower your windows and reduce your speed to 45 mph. That's because the road has an interesting way of honoring Ermey, a former Marine who starred in *Full Metal Jacket*: "intermittent grooves near the right shoulder,

similar to rumble strips," reports Atlas Obscura. "As you drive over these grooves, the road will produce about 30 seconds of the 'Marines' Hymn.'"



TAPS



LANCE CPL CAITLIN BEVEL/USMC

On March 20th 2025 Marine Timothy Fretz was called to serve the Supreme Commandant.

On March 28th 2025 Marine Joseph A. Cuvo was called to serve the Supreme Commandant – God Bless these two Marines taking turn on the gates of heaven scenes.



TO ALL A HAPPY PASSOVER

&
HAPPY
Easter

A decorative Easter-themed graphic with the text "HAPPY Easter" on a light green background. The word "HAPPY" is in blue block letters, and "Easter" is in large, stylized purple letters with a white outline. The graphic is surrounded by colorful flowers (pink, yellow, blue) and a striped Easter egg.