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Hello fellow excited MCL members, we have been very busy since our last Department meeting. Our District happens to be located right next to all important events, sights, sounds, shopping, etc. Let's remember that as the fall weather arrives, so does Santa. Toys for Tots is PA is alive and well. Please purchase a toy and drop it in one of the boxes!

Our District team is again having to utilize our skills at charity events like golf outings, conducting pistol and rifle matches, involving our skills with other community based programs such as The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), and food share programs. Please let's remember we are all needed including your time, your funds, ticket sales, calendar sales, uniforms, etc. Please help out where you can; take a kid fishing, take your family outside, snow season is upon us. Be careful and wear extra clothing with layers that can slow response time.

Our District team also visited a number of Detachments in District 6 area. We visited First Capitol, Lancaster, Milano, and Gettysburg. Only a few more to go. Thanks for your helping attitudes.

Our District is helping out as we can but let's think things through before acting. Detachments have a team, Department has teams.

Our District was asked to assist District 8 (Pittsburgh area) in conducting a Cake Cutting Ceremony at the PA State Capitol on November 18, 2025. There were three Marines elected to serve PA at the State level. Please help out where you can using 4 or 5 Detachments from two different Districts to conduct a Marine Corps Cake Cutting Ceremony was a chance to show our fellow Marines that are sitting watching the news shows Marine Corps League members doing the ceremony as correctly as retired senior citizens can manage in a busy State Capitol Rotunda. I hope all that viewed the ceremony will please join us as the Commandant said we can use your help Marines and your families can also join as Associate members for shooting, scholarships, sales, and friendship - all are always present so come on out. Lewis B. Puller Jr. Detachment 524, First Capitol Detachment 521, South Hills Detachment 726 and PA Headquarters Detachment 998. Also Christmas is upon us - that means color guard details - Christmas community shows - Toys for Tots events. Thank you for all your help.