

"ONCE A MARINE, ALWAYS A MARINE"

COMMANDANT - FRAN MEYERS

LISTEN UP!

Central Bucks Detachment
P.O. Box 1372
Doylestown, PA 18901

Meets 7:30 P.M. 2nd Wednesday of Month
American Legion Post 210
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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE NOVEMBER MEETING

- * All Officers were present. A total of 20 members were in attendance, along with two applicants for membership.
- * Robert J. (Bob) Cody and Jerry Swarm were accepted into the Detachment.
- * Minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted along with the Treasurer's report.
- * Bob Randle was presented with his Life Membership card and pin.
- * Herb Krout was injured in a fall recently. The Chaplain will send a card from the Detachment.
- * A check was received from Genuardi's Market in the amount of \$89.12 for register receipt redemption. Keep them coming in.
- * The Marine Corps Birthday Ball was a great success with a net profit of over \$500.00. The Commandant congratulated everyone for their efforts.
- * The Bux-Mont Young Marines held a coin toss in New Hope on November 2 and 3. A total of \$1346.00 was made for their treasury.
- * Newsletter ads will be sold at \$10.00/year. Advertisers will receive a copy of each Newsletter. Ads will be business-card size. Details will be worked out by Bill Plant, Budd Pearce and Bob Schaffer.
- * Bill Parks is in charge of a Valentine's Day raffle for the Detachment. First prize is \$1000, second \$500, third \$400, fourth \$300, fifth \$150, sixth to tenth \$50. Only 1000 tickets will be sold. Drawing is February 12, 1992. Tickets are \$5.00 each. This project could provide much-needed revenue for the Detachment. You can help support this effort by buying tickets and selling some to your friends. Contact Bill Parks at 249-1830 for tickets.
- * Thanksgiving turkeys will be provided to nine needy dependents at the Willow Grove Naval Air Station.
- * Bill Plant will check with the Legion Home to find out if the Detachment can rent storage space in the building to store flags and miscellaneous gear.
- * Discussion was held on the possibility of having an annual Sunday breakfast at Fran's Pub in the spring and fall. A full breakfast menu would be offered to the public for a reasonable price. More on this later.
- * Budd Pearce will head up an inquiry into the possibility of a Ladies Auxiliary in the Detachment. He will report on this at a later meeting. Please let us know what the general feeling is on this matter.

- * A motion was made and passed to place an ad in the 1992 State Convention Book.
- * All Central Bucks Devil Dogs are transferring to All Divisions Dog Pound.
- * Motion was made and passed to have the Detachment present a Certificate to all Young Marines at their graduation from training. Members should try to be present for the ceremony.
- * As of this date only 26 more applications are needed to release the Marine Corps license plates. The 500th request will receive a free Life Membership.

THE NEXT REGULAR DETACHMENT MEETING WILL BE 12 DECEMBER (19:30) AT THE AMERICAN LEGION HOME IN DOYLESTOWN, PA.

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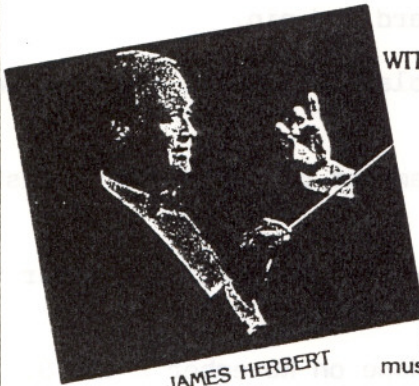
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- ★ Sousa: The Thunderer March
- ★ Raisins and Almonds
- ★ Solo for Vibes: Tico, Tico
- ★ Hits from Dixieland

SUNDAY MARCH 22, 1992, 3:00 P.M.
CENTRAL BUCKS DETACHMENT HAS RESERVED TICKETS FOR
FOR THIS PERFORMANCE \$ 20.00 EACH

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Making plans for Saturday's Pearl Harbor Day remembrance ceremony to be held 1 p.m. at War Memorial Field in Doylestown are (from left) American Legion Post 210 member Dale E. Webster of New Britain, Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 210 member Leo P. McHugh of Doylestown, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 175 Commander Lou Solemno of Warrington and Marine Corps League William J. Plant of Buckingham. (Staff photo by Cynthia Smith)

Resident receives honors

Don H. Gee of Brittany Farms, Chalfont, took top honors in the Department of Veterans Affairs' annual "Excellence in Public Affairs" competition for his work at the Philadelphia VA Medical Center.



DON H. GEE

Medical center director Robert F. Stott and Gee, the hospital's public affairs officer, were presented a first place award plaque for "Overall Public Affairs Programs" and a second place award plaque for "Newsletter."

Gee's one-man public affairs operation took the top award among 172 hospitals in the VA system. The medical center's Inter-Mission news magazine, which he writes and edits, was categorized as "a nice, clean publication; easy to read" by the Florida State Public Relations Society which judged the competition.



Participating in the Pearl Harbor remembrance ceremony at War Memorial Field in Doylestown Saturday are (from left) Raymond R. Krout of Chalfont, Frank F. Finney of Hatboro and John Czerniakowski of Doylestown. The ceremony was sponsored by the United Veterans of Doylestown which includes VFW Post 175, American Legion Post 210, Vietnam Vets of America Chapter 210 and Marine Corps League. (Staff photo by Gian C. Luiso)

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MARINE CORPS LEAGUE



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August 4, 1937

Temporary Membership Card and Receipt
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 Type of Application — New () Renewal () Phone (_____)
 () I hereby apply for membership in the Central Bucks Detachment, Marine Corps
 League and enclose \$ 30.00 for one year's membership.
 Includes subscription to MARINE CORPS LEAGUE MAGAZINE

I hereby certify that I have served as a U.S. Marine for more than 90 days, that the character of my service has been honorable, and if discharged, I am in receipt of an honorable discharge. By signature on this application, I hereby agree to provide proof of honorable discharge/service upon request.

(Sponsor—where applicable)

(Applicant's signature)

Upon completion, turn into your Detachment sponsor with required payment.