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COMMANDANT'S COMMENTS

Marines,

I will be on vacation from October 8 through October 18 and will miss a number of League activities but I know I can count on all our great Marines to cover for me! As you can see from our calendar October is a busy month.

Thanks to the Devil Dogs for the delicious breakfast at the State Staff Meeting. We will need some volunteers for 2-3 hours on October 29 to help the VFW with bingo at the St. James Veteran's Home.

Be sure to join us and bring your friends and family to Trivia Night on October 24th.

Semper Fi
Greg Craig
Commandant



JUNIOR VICE REPORT

With the card I sent out we were able to get 17 members back in good standing. WELCOME BACK to all those members who have been AWOL. Let's continue to work on our membership. With the Marine Corps Birthday and Ball around the corner let's work on trying to have a good showing. If you know of any Marines in the area lets invite them and show them how good we are.

We will do Color Guard details on Oct 2,3,4,8,9,10 and 11 for the Capitol City Players Productions of a "Few Good Men". Tickets for the dinner theater are \$30.00 and it looks like it is going to be a great play at the Shikles Center. Contact Joe McGrail if you would like tickets or are able to help with the Color Guard.

The Freedom of Road Riders will be collecting toys and food on Oct 31. Please support them if you see them out. If you know of a business to place one of our boxes please let me know so we can add them to the list.



BIRTHDAY BALL REPORT

The Samuel F. Gearhart Detachment, Marine Corps League, will celebrate the 234th Anniversary of our Corps on 7 November 2009, at the Capital Plaza Hotel. The cost will again be \$40.00 per person.

Tun Tavern will begin at 1800

The Birthday Ceremony will be at 1900

Prime Rib Dinner at approximately 1945

If you plan on staying the night at Capital Plaza the room rate is still \$55.00. Be sure to tell the hotel that you are there for the Detachment Ball. Invitations will be mailed out by the first part of October. If you have a guest you wish to have an invitation for, please notify Marine Feind, Marine Hunter or Jackie Hunter by 1 October.

Practices for the ceremony will be:

25 October 2009 at 1700, Barracks

1 November 2009 at 1700, Barracks

7 November 2009 at 1700, Capital Plaza Hotel

To help defray the cost of the Ball we will recognize Marines or friends of Marines as sponsors who donate \$100.00 or more. Donations must be received by 30 October 2009



LADIES' AUXILIARY

These days and weeks are flying by too fast to get everything accomplished. Oh well, there's always tomorrow!

The Capital Dinner Theater will be performing **"A Few Good Men"** on October 2,3,4, 8,9,10,11. Some of us are going on Sunday, October 4th, so if you would like to join us, please get in touch with Donna Short at 893-1912 or me at 634-3848. The event begins at 12:30 p.m. with a dinner

furnished by Donita's. It will be at the Shikles Theatre on the old LaSalette Seminary grounds, near Villa Marie Nursing Home for those of us who are unfamiliar with the location.

The Midwest Fall Conference will be held in Sioux City, Iowa on the weekend of October 16,17,18. If you are planning to attend it's time to get your reservations in.

The last Big Bar-B-Q of the season will be on October 17 at Schulte's Parking Lot. Please mark it on your calendar so that you can help. Thanks.

The October Trivia Night will be held on October 24th. The Trivia Committee is in search of some good prizes. If you have a nice prize please bring it to the meeting or if you know of a business who would like to donate an item, please let Allen Sanning know. Prizes will also be awarded for the best costumes on the 24th in addition to the regular game prizes.

Ladies, please don't forget to bring your idea or ideas for the "**Birthday Ball Centerpiece**".

I hope that everyone is in good health and remains that way so we don't get the Flu. Please get your flu shot ASAP.

I will see many of you at our October meeting on Tuesday, the 6th. Remember, the Auxiliary is cooking and if you ladies volunteered to bring dessert, please don't forget. We will be serving a good, hot meal, guys.

Always Faithful,
Mary Frank, President



Last month's Mystery Marine was our very own






BOB CAVE

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SAMUEL F GEARHART DETACHMENT CALENDAR

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