



**MARINE CORPS LEAGUE**  
**Anderson-Jordan Detachment 1078**  
**General Membership Meeting**

**Date 1 October 2024**

Commandant Anick Wallace called the meeting to order at 1800 hours at Horn Lake High School, 3360 Church Rd, Horn Lake, MS.

**Roll Call of Officers:**

Commandant	Anick Wallace
Senior Vice Commandant	Tom Drumm
Junior Vice Commandant	Don Woodson (Excused)
Judge Advocate	Ed Stutler
Paymaster	Jim Simpson
Adjutant	Alexa Taylor (Excused)
Chaplain	Bob Shearin
Past Commandant	Ed Stutler
Sgt at Arms	Stinson Dandridge

All officers present except for 2 excused, a total of 10 members present. The Detachment had a quorum of at least seven (7) members to conduct business.

Opening ceremonies and rituals were conducted.

**Introduction and Acceptance of New Members:** None

**Adjutants Report:** The September minutes are now posted on our web page ( <http://mcldet1078.org/> ). Jim Gore made a motion to accept the minutes as posted on our website, Tom Drumm 2<sup>nd</sup>, no discussion, motion passed unanimously.

**Paymasters Report:** The Detachment has 38/35 in good standing. Current balance in the checking account \$1,570.90, Ed Stutler, made a motion to accept the financial report, Jim Gore, 2<sup>nd</sup>, no discussion, approved and passed.

**Reports of Officers:**

**Commandant:**

Coffee & Cookies at MFS VA on 3 Oct, volunteers are Stinson and Tom. Need more HIPAA trained volunteers. Passed out copies of MCL Awards Order of Precedence (medals and ribbons); Opening & Closing Ceremony, VA Holiday Food Box Request, current detachment members emails, Arkabutla Physically Challenged Hunting Assoc Request list, Honor Our Veterans Field of Flags Form and MCL Scuttlebutt (Sep/Oct/Nov) for education/training secessions . - go to [www.youtube.com/themarinecorpsleague](http://www.youtube.com/themarinecorpsleague) .

Tom Drumm and Don Woodson are the contacts for the 249<sup>th</sup> USMC Ball Celebration. Anick emailed out USMC Ball Flyer to members as a reminder for tickets due NLT 1 Nov.

**Chaplain's report:** Please remember, in your prayers: Jim and Courtney Simpson, George Arata and his wife, Ed Sanders, Arnold Wallace, Bill Shaw, Joey Webb and his wife, Tom Drumm, Gwenson Crutcher, Benny Watson, Virginia Ward, Yolly Woodson, Chris Woxen, Arthur Penticoff, Mary Ann Shearin, Chuck Junek, Jerry Daum, Randall Reed and Felicia Dandridge Family.

**Committee Reports:**

**Honor Guard:** Simon Dean (not present). Unknow to date if rifles have been assigned to Honor Guard members. Robert will contact Simon of status. The member with a rifle is responsible for cleaning and maintaining the weapon assigned.

**Golf Tournament:** Tom/Anick – Next meeting 2 Oct at 5:30 pm for the HOT golf classic. Golf Tournament was cancelled 27 Sep due to inclement weather and rescheduled to 1 Nov. Continue to find more sponsors and golf teams. Event will be held at Olive Branch Country Club.

**Fund Raising:** Per Tom Drumm, planning a fundraiser in October or November at Lowes. Tom to contact Alexa for assistance on computer scheduling with cooperate office.

**VA Hospital:**

- The MyHealthyVet acct will close Jan 2025, you need to have an IDme acct for use of VA systems.
- VA CDCE office need golf cart drivers in the east parking lot.
- 31 Oct in the entrance of Bedtower will be a candy giveaway by CDCE volunteers.
- Home of the Brave, 8 Nov, 10am in Bedtower. Free t-shirt or hat and pin.
- Need volunteers to pack food boxes on 15 Dec in the VA cafeteria, time TBD.
- At 8 am on 16 Dec in VA garage, need volunteers to help with distribution of food boxes.
- 19 Dec – Parade of rooms, pack 144 bags, volunteers?

**New Business:**

- Tom Drumm made a motion to donate \$300.00 to the VA Holiday Food Box Drive, Stinson Dandridge 2<sup>nd</sup> , no discussion, all approved and passed. Money to be forwarded to the Volunteer/CDCE office NLT 15 Nov.
- Starting in 2026, the old-style, blue ID cards will no longer be accepted, regardless of expiration date. Please visit your nearest DEERS/ID card office.
  - - The RAPIDS ID Card Office online for appointment: <https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/>
- Detachment Rep that goes to next Department meeting ask about if Det Qtrly reports are discussed between organizations of the MCL. Inquiry submitted by Robert to know how well we are doing compared to other detachments.

Next Detachment meeting will be **5 Nov 2024** at 1800 hours.

The meeting was adjourned at 1850 hours.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Anick Wallace*

Commandant