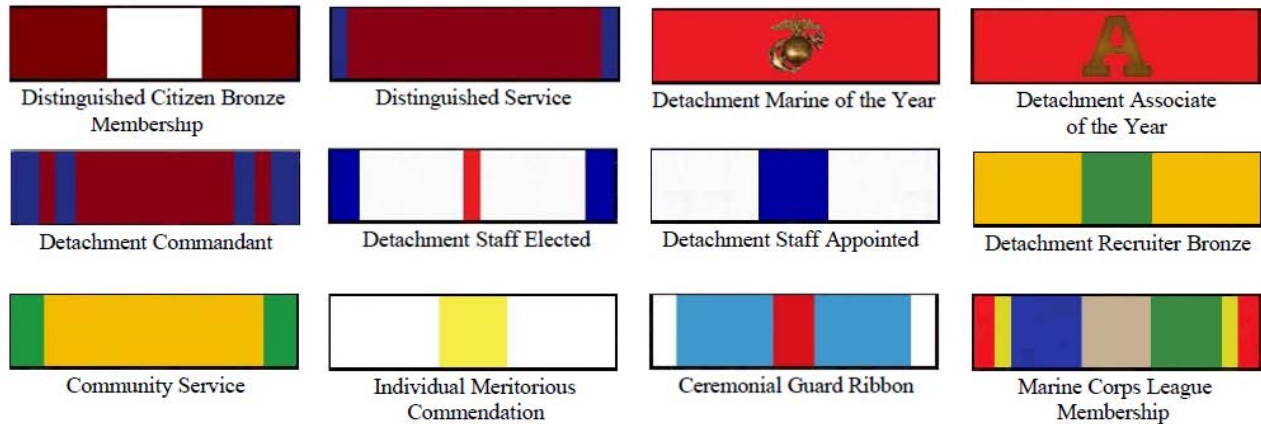


DETACHMENT LEVEL AUTHORIZED AWARDS

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE



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Distinguished Citizen Bronze: *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Criteria of Award: Awarded to the Detachment member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by **leadership** and **performance** an **outstanding contribution** to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the Community whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League and the United States Marine Corps.
2. Awarded: Marine Corps Birthday Ball.

Detachment Marine of the Year / Detachment Associate Member of the Year

1. Criteria of Award: Awarded to the Detachment Marine / Associate Member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by leadership and performance an **extraordinary contribution to the Detachment**, Marine Corps League, Community, and Nation. Whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.
2. Who has rendered service(s) and performed a deed (s) above and beyond the duties and obligations required of a member of the Marine Corps League.
3. Awarded: Marine Corps Birthday Ball.

Distinguished Service – Bronze: *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Criteria of Award: Awarded to the Detachment member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by **leadership and performance a distinguished contribution to the Detachment**, Marine Corps League or the Community whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League and the United States Marine Corps.
2. Awarded: Awards Meeting.

Detachment Commandant: *(Marine Member Only)*

1. Period of performance for consideration: Installation as an Elected Officer or having served as Detachment Commandant.
2. Criteria of Award: Authorized upon Installation as Detachment Commandant or upon having served as Detachment Commandant.
3. Awarded: Officer Installation.

Detachment Officer (Elected per national & Detachment Bylaws): *(Marine Member Only)*

1. Period of performance for consideration: Installation as an Elected Officer or having served as an elected officer.
2. Criteria of Award: Authorized upon Installation as an elected Officer or upon having served as an elected Officer.
3. Awarded: Officer Installation.

Detachment Officer (Appointed to a None Elected Position): *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Period of performance for consideration: Installation as an Appointed Officer or having served as an appointed officer.
2. Criteria of Award: Authorized upon Appointment as an appointed Officer or upon having served as an appointed Officer.
3. Awarded: Officer Installation.

Detachment Recruiter(s) of the Year: *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Period of performance for consideration: 1 July through 30 June of the Subsequent Year.
2. Criteria of Award:
 3. Any member(s) who during the period 1 July through 30 June has fulfilled the requirements for Department MCL Recruiter Recognition-or-
 4. Any Member(s) who during the period 1 July through 30 June has fulfilled the requirements for National MCL Recruiter Recognition. -or-
 5. The Member who recruits the most new members or reinstated members during the period 1 July through 30 June. This recipient(s) shall be designated as the Detachment Recruiter of the Year.
3. Awarded: Awards Meeting

Community Service: *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Criteria of Award: Awarded to the Detachment member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by **leadership and performance** a **significant contribution to the Community**. Whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.
2. Awarded: Awards Meeting.

Individual Meritorious Commendation: *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Criteria of Award: Awarded to the Detachment member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by **leadership and performance** a **esteemed contribution to the Detachment**, Marine Corps League, or the Community. Whose contributions have reflected favorably on and have brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.
2. Awarded: Awards Meeting.

Marine Corps League Medal (Membership): *(Marine or Associate Member)*

1. Awarded to all Detachment members in good standing in the Marine Corps League.
2. Subsequent Awards for every Five Years of continuous membership in the Marine Corps League.

MEANINGFUL AWARD PROGRAM UNIQUE TO THE MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

Though easy to disparage, awards are powerful motivators. U.S. Olympic sprinter Wilma Rudolph wrote "The feeling of accomplishment welled up inside of me, three Olympic gold medals. I knew that was something nobody could ever take away from me, ever."

James Humes was a speechwriter for Eisenhower, Nixon, Ford and Reagan, specializing in ceremonial rather than policy speeches. In his book *The Sir Winston Method; the Five Secrets of Speaking the Language of Leadership*, awards.

- They encourage members in their pursuit of higher involvement in the organization
- They foster respect and appreciation for Marine Corps League traditions.
- They confer appropriate weight on the accomplishment itself.
- They engender camaraderie and esprit de corps in units.
- They help with recruitment and retention.
- They provide a venue for unit command to show their appreciation for their members.
- They are a source of pride and encouragement members.
- They mark important transition points in the life of an individual and an organization.
- They recognize individual achievement.

Notice that on this list of 10 reasons why awards and recognition ceremonies are important, only the last has to do with the awardee. All the others have to do with others. Awards and recognition ceremonies ultimately benefit the unit and other members more than they do the one receiving the award.



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for five (5) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for ten (10) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for fifteenth (15) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for twenty (20) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for twenty five (25) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for thirty (30) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____



To be worn by any Marine Corps League member who has been a member of the Marine Corps League for thirty five (35) continuous years and only to be worn by members in good standing.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____

DETACHMENT COMMUNITY SERVICE MEDAL



Awarded to a Marine Corps League Member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by leadership and performance a significant contribution within the Community. Whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____

DETACHMENT DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL



Awarded to a Marine Corps League Member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by leadership and performance a distinguished contribution within the Detachment. Whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____

INDIVIDUAL MERITORIOUS COMMENDATION



In appreciation and gratitude for meritorious service, Marine Corps League member who has distinguished themselves by esteemed leadership and achievement or service in the interests of the United States of America, the United States Marine Corps, and the Marine Corps League.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____

DETACHMENT DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN BRONZE MEDAL



Awarded to a Marine Corps League Member who during the period of consideration has demonstrated by leadership and performance an outstanding contribution within the Community and the Detachment. Whose personal conduct has reflected favorably on and has brought credit to the Detachment, Marine Corps League, and the United States Marine Corps.

Detachment Commandant: _____ Date: _____

MARINE OF THE YEAR

The Marine of the Year Award is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon a Marine member of General Larry Oppenheimer Detachment. The candidates for this award are a Marine who stands out above all others, a Marine member who is always willing to roll up his or her sleeves to do that tough job; the Marines of the detachment use this award to recognize that special Marine Corps League Member.

Detachment MOY Chairman: _____

Detachment Commandant: _____

ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF THE YEAR

The Associate Member of the Year Award is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon an Associate Member of General Larry Oppenheimer Detachment. The candidates for this award are a Associate Member who stands out above all others, an Associate Member who is always willing to roll up his or her sleeves to do that tough job; the Marines of the detachment use this award to recognize that special Associate Member.

Detachment MOY Chairman: _____

Detachment Commandant: _____

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

*For Loyalty and Patriotism to Our Country as exemplified by Publicly
and Proudly Displaying the United States Flag.*



Detachment Commandant: _____

Date: _____

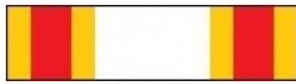
Detachment Commandant: _____

Date: _____



MARINE CORPS LEAGUE RIBBONS

SHOWN IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE



Heroism



Distinguished Citizen Gold



Distinguished Citizen Silver



Distinguished Citizen Bronze



Distinguished Service



National Marine of the Year



National Associate of the Year



Division Marine of the Year



Division Associate of the Year



Department Marine of the Year



Department Associate
of the Year



Detachment Marine of the Year



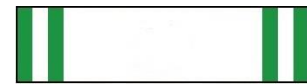
Detachment Associate
of the Year



National Recruiter Gold



National Recruiter Silver



National Recruiter Bronze



Past National Commandant



National Staff Elected



National Staff Appointed



Department Commandant



Department Staff Elected



Department Staff Appointed



Department Recruiter - Silver



Detachment Commandant



Detachment Staff Elected



Detachment Staff Appointed



Detachment Recruiter Bronze



Community Service



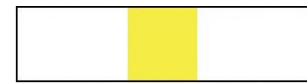
Board of Trustees Commendation
Victor T Fisher



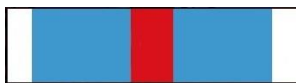
National Unit Commendation



Department Unit Commendation



Individual Meritorious
Commendation



Ceremonial Guard Ribbon



Marksmanship Rifle Ribbon



Marksmanship Pistol Ribbon



Kennel Dog of the Year



Chief Devil Dog Commendation
Individual



Pack Dog of the Year



Pack Leader Commendation
Individual



Pound Dog of the Year



Pound Keeper Commendation
Individual



Past Chief Devil Dog



Past Pack Leader



Past Pound Keeper



Marine Corps League
Membership