



MINUTES FROM September 5, 2018 MCL METRO SOUTH DETACHMENT 1115

WHERE: VFW Easton Ma

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called meeting to order at 19:05 hrs calling upon Sergeant-at-Arms to secure the building for the start of the meeting.

Sergeant-at-Arms secured the quarters and announced he was satisfied all that were present were authorized to be there.

Pledge of Allegiance was then recited by the Detachment Marines.

There were 13 Marines Present for the meeting.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Chaplain Roger Hoffman to recite the opening prayer.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-Arms to declare the meeting open for conduct of official business.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called roll call of the detachment's officers:

Position	Name	Present	Excused
Commandant	JJ Mcgrath	X	
Sr Vice Commandant	Rik Coffman	X	
Jr Vice commandant	Patrick Ballinger	X	
Judge Advocate	Fred Williams	X	
Adjutant	Acting Rik Coffman	X	
Paymaster	Ron Hill	X	
Chaplain	Roger Hoffman	X	
Sergeant at Arms	Will Fishkins		X
Quartermaster	Fred Williams	X	
Webmaster			X
Honor Guard Captain	JJ McGrath	X	
Past Commandant	Rik Coffman	X	

New Members

- Jim Ingargiola installed as new member.

REPORTS:

- Correspondence to report:
 - Lauren Kuplast thank you General Holcomb picture returned to family
- Commandant JJ Mcgrath asked for any sickness or distressed members or family members.
Ron Hill, John Foster, Jack O'Connor and May Williams
- Motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting posted on the website. Seconded and carried.
- Paymaster report not available.

OLD BUSINESS: Standing committees:

HONOR GUARD

- Report made by Chaplain Roger Hoffman on wakes and activities.

QUARTERMASTER

- Need EGAs, rifles need cleaning

Birthday Ball

- Event to be at Sharon Community ballroom - count needed at October meeting

Golf

- Cancelled

Scholarship

- None

OCYM

- Nothing new to report

Fund Raiser

- November 3 9-2 Easton, November 4 Mansfield

Road Race

- Nothing new to report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Marine of the year

NEW BUSINESS:

- Facebook and web page discussed

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE

- Mike Clarke doing better

Next Meeting is Wednesday October 3, 2018.

- The start time for the meeting will be at 19:00.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for moment of silence for deceased members.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-arms to retire the colors.

Sergeant-at-Arms called for hand salute.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath call for Chaplain Roger Hoffman to lead the closing prayer, Chaplain Roger Hoffman read closing prayer.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-Arms to officially close the meeting

Sergeant-at-Arms declared the meeting officially over.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath ended meeting at 2028 hrs with 1 rap of the gavel.

Respectfully submitted
Rik Coffman
Acting Adjutant