



Senior Vice Commandant



Responsibilities

- Presides in absence of Commandant**

- ~ Awards**

 - Marine of the Year**

 - Authorized Awards / Citations**

 - Order of Precedence**



MARINE CORPS LEAGUE RIBBONS

SHOW IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE



Distinguished Citizen Gold



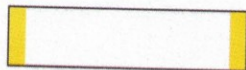
Distinguished Citizen Silver



Distinguished Citizen Bronze



Distinguished Service Bronze



National Marine of the Year



Division Marine of the Year



Department Marine of the Year



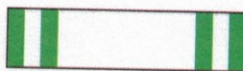
Detachment Marine of the Year



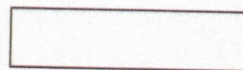
National Recruiter Gold



National Recruiter Silver



National Recruiter Bronze



Past National Commandant



National Staff Elected Silver



National Staff Appointed Bronze



Department Commandant



Department Staff Elected Silver



Department Staff
Appointed Bronze



Department Recruiter Silver



Detachment Commandant



Detachment Staff Elected Silver



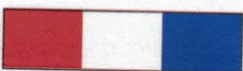
Detachment Staff
Appointed Bronze



Detachment Recruiter Bronze



Community Service



Board of Trustees
Commendation—V. Fisher



National Meritorious
Unit Commendation



Department Meritorious
Unit Commendation



Individual Meritorious
Commendation



Kennel Dog of the Year



Chief Devil Dog
Individual Commendation



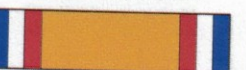
Pack Dog of the Year



Pack Leader
Commendation—Individual



Pound Dog of the Year



Pound Keeper
Commendation—Individual



Past Chief Devil Dog



Pack Leader



Pound Keeper



Marine Corps League Membership



Junior Vice Commandant



Duties, Responsibilities & Opportunities Marine Corps League

Junior Vice Commandant



Responsibilities

- **Retention**
- **Recruiting**
- **Chairs Membership Committee**
- **Initiate Pgms meeting Member needs**
- **Presides in absence of Commandant & SVC**





Retention



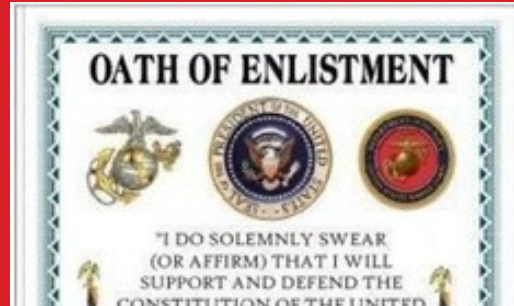
How???

- Promote Pride & Esprit de Corps
- Foster excellent leadership
- Work roster to retain / regain members
 - Delinquent
 - Upcoming expirations
 - Long absences
 - Family / Personal / Work issues
 - Neglect within Detachment
 - Interpersonal issues w/Members
- ~ Utilize New Member Handbook

Paymaster
Reports



Recruitment



***'If You Want To
Recruit Marines, You
Need To Go Where
Marines Are'***

How???

- **Become known in the Community**
- **Participate / Sponsor events**
- **Have / Distribute business cards**
- **Get membership involved**
- **Attend other Veteran Org meetings**
- **Aggressively solicit Assoc Members**
- **Submit press releases to newspapers**
- **Create a Facebook page**



Recuitment

**Press Release reference:
Google search.....**

“Write a press release”

<http://www.wikihow.com/Write-a-Press-Release>

Go to youtube.com

search for “create a press release

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P15we3mxdKg>

Facebook reference:

Go to youtube.com

search for “create facebook page for organization

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pcxu8yHdBUM>





Facebook





Why Facebook?

- **Easier to set up compared to Web Page**
 - But having both is better
- **More open than email**
 - **Closed distribution list vs.**
 - **Anyone can search / find your notices**
 - **Find your Location (include City in Title page)**
- **Can establish multiple administrators**
 - **Allow anybody to post – or control**
- **Reference: Google “Facebook pages vs Facebook groups”**



Historian



Duties, Responsibilities & Opportunities Marine Corps League Historian



Historian

- **Appointed by Commandant**
- **Performs duties prescribed by Commandant / Staff**
- **Duties**
 - **Record activities in chronological order**
 - **Solicit articles, photos, media**
 - **Prepare annual scrapbook**
 - **Communicate w/ Dept Historian**
 - **Prepare annual report for presentation at Dept Convention**
 - ~ **Surrender materials to successor**
 - ~ **Adjutant performs in absence of Historian**



Americanism



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- 4. Include only photos & activities from judged year.**
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- 6. Cite all photos with names and occasions as they relate to the sections.**
- 7. Use this to remember your League's year.**

Questions or Comments



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Questions or Comments

Department Quarterly / Training



Welcome

Interest in improving the Marine Corps League
In South Carolina

Improving from bottom to top of the
organization

Improve overall operation of our organization



Judge Advocate

Legal Council & Opinions

All MCL Bylaws & Robert's Rules
Revised

Advises on Bylaws and Rules
Gives Opinions

Before Accepting Position

**Willingness To Read and Become
Familiar**

**Willingness To Have Bylaws and
Rules Available**

Before Accepting Position

Attend All Detachment Meetings

**Attend Department Quarterlies,
Training Sessions, Annual
Convention**

Skills Needed

Must Be Regular Member

Reading Comprehension

Familiarize, Not Memorize

Meetings

Bring Detachment, Department,
National Bylaws, Robert's Rules, to
Every Meeting

Single Binder?

Meetings

A Judge Advocate At Every Meeting

Past Judge Advocate Used In
Absence of Current
(Or Past Commandant)

Meetings

The Judge Advocate Is A Member
Of The Detachment Board of
Trustees

Meetings

Give A Report To Commandant
Prior To Meeting

Advise Commandant On Any Legal
Matters Or Rules Questions

Duties

Report on Proposed Bylaws Changes
By Department or National

Give Opinions On Proposed Changes

Explain Effect of New Bylaws or
Changes

Duties

Impartially Attempt to Resolve Any
Grievance or Charges

(Prior to Filing)

Impartially Assist Member With
Filing Grievances or Charges

Professionalism

Avoid Confrontational Language or Voice

Discuss Any Disagreements Off
Mike and One-on-One

Professionalism

Be Prepared to Reference Specific
Bylaws or Robert's Rules, When
Giving An Opinion on Legal or
Procedural Matter.