

**Department of Florida
Marine Corps League & Auxiliary
2011 Department Convention
*Host Detachment
Tamarac Detachment 755***

P.O. Box 26023
Tamarac, Florida 33320-6023

Dates: 06-16-2011 to 06-19-2011

To: Department of Florida MCL & MCLA Officers and Staff, Detachment Commandants, MCLA Unit Presidents, Florida Pack Officers, Pound Keepers and MCL & MCLA Members.

The Officers, Staff and Membership of Tamarac Detachment 755 of District 10 are both proud and honored to be hosting the 2011 Department Convention. We extend our invitation to all to attend the convention from 06-16-2011 to 06-19-2011. The convention will be held at the Fort Lauderdale Marriott North Hotel and Resort.

In order to be fair in the seating arrangement during the dinner, Tamarac will arrange the seating by the way we receive the dinner orders. (First to order, First to seat!) Please keep in mind that the tables are 8 top seating arrangements.

The Hospitality Room will be in room 408; please check the enclosed schedule for hours of operation. Refreshments and snacks will be provided.

Information

Location Fort Lauderdale Marriott North Hotel and Resort
6650 North Andrews Ave
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309

Room Rates \$99.00 King or Double. Rates are locked in for 3 days prior and 3 days after. Transportation pickup can be arranged from the train station only from hotel services.

Breakfast and Lunch Buffet (Make your own sandwich) is included, free of charge with each night's stay, with a voucher, obtained at hotel reservation desk. The meals are only provided on the Convention dates. Sunday is breakfast only!

Reservations 800-319-5705 ask for **Marine Corps League** block of rooms. **Reservations must be made prior to June 02, 2011**

**Semper Fidelis,
PDD John Palermo
Host Commandant Tamarac Detachment 755**

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Convention Schedule**

TIMES

LOCATION

THURSDAY 06-16

1400-1700	Registration/Ships Store	Sawgrass Rm.
1400-2100	Hospitality Room	Room 408
1500-1630	MODD Staff Meeting	Everglades Rm.

FRIDAY 06-17

0900-1700	Registration/Ships Store	Sawgrass Rm.
0900-1700	MODD Registration/Ships Store	Everglades Rm.
0900-1000	Board of Trustees Meeting	Intercoastal Rm
1000-1100	Budget Committee Meeting	Intercoastal Rm
1200-1300	Buffet Lunch (Make your Own)	Royal Palm
1300-1400	District Vice Cmdt's Meeting	Intercoastal
1300-1400	MCLA Dept. Officers Meeting	Gold Coast
1300-1400	Department Staff Meeting	Broward Rm
1300-2300	Hospitality Room	Room 408
1400-1600	MCLA Forms Committees	Gold Coast
1600-1700	MCLA Dept. Budget Meet	Gold Coast
2000-2130	Devil Dog Growl	Royal Palm
2000-2130	Flea Scratch	Gold Coast

SATURDAY 06-18

0800-0900	Registration	Sawgrass Rm.
0800-0845	Hospitality Room	Room 408
0845-0900	Memorial Service	Poolside 4 th Floor
0900-1200	Joint Meeting MCL & MCLA	Ballroom A/B/C
0900-1600	Ships Store	Sawgrass Rm.
1000-1010	Break	
1010-1200	MCL Business Meeting	Ballroom A/B/C
1015-1200	MCLA Business Meeting	Gold Coast
1200-1300	Buffet Lunch (Make your own)	Royal Palm
1300	MCL & MCLA Business Meeting (if needed)	
1400-1500	Commandants' Meeting	Intercoastal Rm
1500-1600	Leadership School Staff Meeting	Intercoastal Rm
1800-1900	Cocktail Hour	Royal Palm
1900-Till?	Banquet & Program	Royal Palm

SUNDAY 06-19

0830-0930	Department Staff Meeting	Intercoastal Rm
0830-0930	MCLA Dept Staff Meeting	Intercoastal Rm

HOSPITALITY ROOM WILL OPEN AFTER BUSINESS MEETINGS ARE CONCLUDED AND 15 MINUTES AFTER THE BANQUET UNTIL 2400

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MCL AUXILIARY

DELEGATE / ALTERNATE/ ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION

NAME _____	TITLE _____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

MCLA UNIT NAME _____

CHECK #: _____ AMOUNT _____

PLEASE INDICATE (D) DELEGATE, (ALT) ALTERNATE OR (ATT) ATTENDANCE
MCLA DELEGATE / ALTERNATE/ ATTENDANCE FEE \$5.00 PER PERSON.
MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO MCLA DEPT OF FLORIDA AND FORWARD
NO LATER THAN MAY 28, 2011 TO:

ROSLYN SMITH, PDP
DEPT OF FL MCLA TREASURER
6724 GLENCOE ST.
INVERNESS, FL 34452-7128

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Program Journal Rates:

Standard 8 ½ x 11-program journal

Calling Card	\$15.00	Memorial Mention (1/4 page)	\$25.00
¼ page	\$25.00	Inside Back Cover	\$150.00
½ page	\$50.00	Inside Front Cover	\$200.00
Full page	\$100.00	Back Cover	\$250.00
Booster (1) Name	\$10.00	Warrior Table Sponsor	\$500.00
Booster (2) Names	\$20.00	Other _____	_____

Wounded Warrior Table Sponsorship includes refreshments for our warriors.

Detachment Name and # _____

Ad Size _____

Total Check Amount and Check # _____

Please call to confirm availability for inside covers and back page ads.

E-mail your ad no later than 06/06/2011; mail your check to the address below.

E-mail to: Pastcmdt755@aol.com

Or mail your camera-ready ad and check prior to 06/03/2011

To: PDD Jim Ruggiero
PO Box 26023
Tamarac, Florida 33320-6023

Make checks payable to Tamarac Detachment 755

Any question call Jim @ 561-908-1765

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BANQUET MEAL CHOICES \$42.00 BEEF \$38.00 CHICKEN

We are pleased to be offering three (3) dinner selections

- **Chicken Marsala-** Boneless Breast of Chicken sautéed in marsala wine and fresh mushroom.
- **Grilled Chicken-** Grilled to perfection boneless breast of chicken topped with fresh mango salsa.
- **London Broil-** tender thinly sliced juicy London broil steak topped with a peppercorn cabernet sauvignon sauce.
- **A Choice of vegetable meals are served with:**
 - Warm dinner rolls with margarine
 - Mixed green salad with choice of Ranch, Vinaigrette or Honey Mustard Dressing.
 - Chef's choice of starch
 - Chef's choice of vegetable

**** Note: This is not the order form****

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BANQUET MEAL ORDER FORM
\$42.00 BEEF \$38.00 CHICKEN

Detachment/Unit Name: _____

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Check # and amount _____

Make your check payable to Tamarac Detachment 755. Checks must be received prior to June 6th 2011

PDD Jim Ruggiero
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