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MEMORANDUM

From: Active Duty & Unit Recreation Dept Head, Semper Fit Division,
Marine Corps Community Services, Camp Pendleton
To: Sergeant Major, Marine Corps Air Station, Camp Pendleton,
California

Subj: MINUTES OF THE MARINE CORPS AIR STATION (MCAS) SINGLE MARINE
PROGRAM COUNCIL MEETING WEDNESDAY, 10 July 2024

Ref: (a) MCO 1700.36B
(b) MCIWEST-MCB CAMPENO 5420.10

1. As provided in reference (a), the Single Marine Program (SMP) Council meeting was called to order by the MCAS SMP Council President at 1200.

2. Attendance

a. Units with Junior Service Member Representative(s) Present

- (1) Headquarters & Headquarters Squadron Marine Corps Air Station Camp Pendleton (H & HS MCAS)
- (2) Marine Light Attack Helicopter Squadron 169 (HMLA-169)
- (3) Marine Light Attack Helicopter Training Squadron 303
- (4) Marine Medium Tiltrotor Squadron 364 (VMM-364)
- (5) Marine Air Support Squadron 3 (MASS-3)
- (6) Marine Aviation Logistics Squadron 39 (MALS-39)
- (7) Marine Aircraft Group 39 Headquarters (MAG-39 HQ)
- (8) 1st Supply Battalion (1st SUP BN)

b. Units with Senior Enlisted Adviser (SEA) Present

- (1) H & HS MCAS
- (2) HMLA-169
- (3) MAG-39 HQ

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c. Others Present

- (1) Active Duty Department Head
- (2) Recreation Center Supervisor
- (3) Single Marine Program Assistant Coordinator
- (4) Recreation Assistant
- (5) MCCS Coordinator
- (6) 22 Area Active-Duty Recreation Center (ADRC) Manager
- (7) 24 Area Active-Duty Recreation Center (ADRC) Manager
- (8) Personal Finance Specialist

3. Cpl Fenwick Started the meeting by introducing herself as the president and encouraging everyone to sign in and take notes.

4. SgtMaj Rice This is his last SMP meeting, as he is retiring soon. He encouraged Marines to keep spreading the word and attending SMP events. We need to retain more people in the Marine Corps, and programs like SMP help to do that. These programs are affective and needed.

5. Col Houser Introduced herself as the new Col. of the MCAS.

6. Quality of Life Issues

a. Old Issues

1. Barracks 24015, several rooms are condemned.
2. Barracks 3383 has electrical problems. Half of the lights are out on the third and fourth deck, and the common area. This issue has since been fixed.

b. New Issues

1. Barracks 24015 is mostly condemned due to plumbing and electrical problems. Room 208 has no power at all.

7. Guest Speakers

a. Ms. Beth Middleton. Introduced herself as one of the financial consultants on base. The finance office will help you with anything finance related. There are several finance classes available for individuals, couples, and units. Car rental agencies now put trackers on vehicles. If you speed in these vehicles and get in an accident, insurance will see that you were speeding and refuse to pay for it. Financial liability is an important topic. Car insurance alone in California is very expensive. Understanding the costs and

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risks can set you up for a better future.

b. Ms. Tonya Bryant. Discussed the upcoming events at 22 ADRC.

c. Mr. Chris Phillips. Discussed the upcoming events at 24 ADRC.

d. Ms. Carina Johnson. Outdoor Adventures (OA) offers events such as mountain bike rides, hikes, surf lessons, archery and more. Must reserve at least 2 weeks in advance. The more notice the better availability. All OA events are for active duty only. Gravel Ride Hustle is every Wednesday at 0600 behind the 22 Area Barracks. Starting 07 June, every Friday we have free surf lessons from 1100 to 1400. Please email Pen. oa@usmc-mccs.org to sign up. The Race office has a couple of races coming up this summer. The Oscar Mike Hill Challenge is 20 July at 0830. At 7th ESB Hill, main side 14 area.

e. Mr. Eddie Hadley. MCCS was asked to give money back, so we are experiencing budget cuts. This means we will have to cut back on programming this year. However, we still have some fun upcoming events. Deep Sea fishing is scheduled for 26 July, we still have availability. Cost is \$55 which includes 5 hours of deep sea fishing, price does not include rod rental or license. You can purchase everything day of on the boat. Everything is cash only. The 4th annual auto show is returning 9 August, with a new motorcycle category. Located at the 22 area parade deck. Call (760) 763-3214 to register. Day of registration also available. We are looking for volunteers for our Senior Pacific Living retiree visit. Service uniform is required, show up and have dinner with retired veterans. Please email Pensmp@usmc-mccs.org to sign up or learn more.

8. Closing Remarks. Cpl Fenwick thanked everyone for attending and reminded everyone to sign in on the sheets in the back of the room and to turn in appointment letters. She encouraged marines to spread the word so we can keep hosting trips and events.

9. The meeting adjourned at 1300. Questions can be emailed to PENSMP@usmc-mccs.org