



**WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA CHAPTER
MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF
AMERICA, INC.**

Summer/August 2017

**President's Remarks
by Spence Campbell**

By the time you read this the summer sun will have us ready for change in the weather. Change is the operative word, as our chapter is about to elect its board of directors for 2018-2019. In fact, the August meeting is designated by our by-laws as our Annual Meeting, the time we elect our new leadership. A nominating committee chaired by Immediate Past President John Knapp developed the slate of nominees. You can find the slate on page 3.

Despite its best efforts, the committee was unable to find a new treasurer. If you or someone you know feels called to serve as chapter treasurer, please contact me at your earliest convenience. Every chapter member has a vote. Please make every effort to attend our BBQ on August 18th and support our slate of volunteers for chapter offices.

August Program

Noel Wall, director of education, the Medal of Honor Foundation Character Development Program will be our speaker. The MOH program centers on the development within community youth of character traits similar to those of military service members who earned the Medal of Honor. The MOH program is not military focused, but rather concentrates on the values that create great leaders.

Previously, Noel served on the faculty of The Citadel, the Military College of South Carolina and as a faculty fellow in the Krause Center for Leadership and Ethics located on The Citadel's campus. She has a bachelor's degree from Presbyterian College and a master's from the University of Tennessee.

**Menu for General Meeting
of August 18, 2017**

*BBQ pork, burgers, hot dogs, chicken;
various salads, baked beans; and for
dessert cobbler and ice cream*

For gluten free or vegetarian options
contact Ms. Dayna Kelsey, Clubhouse
Manager, 828-692-2261 Ext 115

TAPS!!

Since January 1, 2017 our chapter has lost
several members:

BGen Frank Blazey, USA, June
CAPT D.R. Kulp, USN, February
Maj James Walton, USAF, March
CWO Howard Green, USA, February
CDR Clinton Smoke, USCG May
(Past Chapter President)

FROM THE TREASURER

2017 YTD Financial Summary

INCOME		EXPENSES	
FUND RAISING:	\$2,229	ADMIN:	\$833
MEAL INCOME	\$2,784	CHARITY	\$0
MEMBER DUES:	\$3,510	JROTC:	\$2,031
OTHER:	\$770	MEAL EXP:	\$2,776
		OTHER:	\$983
		SATELLITE:	\$34
	<u>\$9,293</u>		<u>\$6,657</u>
Gain/(Loss)			\$2,636
Cash Balance	6/30/17		\$13,774

Mail Delay

When mailing your meeting reservations, keep in mind that there is normally a four-day delay between mailing and delivery even when posted in Hendersonville. Local mail is processed in Greenville, SC and then returned to Hendersonville for delivery.

NEWSLETTER PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION

This is the second month of publishing and distributing the newsletter electronically – that is by e-mail. To those members for whom we have no e-mail address (about 25) we mailed a paper copy. In an effort to reduce further the cost to the membership of postal mailing, there is no printed version. The newsletter also was posted to the website (wnc-moaa.org). Send comments about the distribution process to the editor hardess@bellsouth.net.

Nominees for WNCMOAA Board of Directors **2018 and 2019**

Elected Officers:

President: Mike Covell
First VP: Rod Nunnelee
Second VP: Ty Keplinger
Secretary: Nancy McCarthy
Treasurer: (Vacant)

Elected Directors:

Navy Rep: Herb Mensch
Army Rep: Larry Wilson
USAF Rep: Will Jamison
USMC Rep: Bob Rebscher
At Large: Jeff Snyder
Smoky Mtn: Brent Ramsey
Black Mtn: Scott Reed

Notes:

- 1) Officers and directors will be elected by vote of the membership attending the August 2017 general meeting of the chapter.
- 2) Officers and directors will be installed at the November 2017 meeting of the chapter.
- 3) The November issue of the newsletter will list all elected officers, directors and appointed positions.

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General Chapter Meeting Registration and Renewal Form

Meeting/BBQ REGISTRATION: Friday, August 18, 2017 4 pm Check-in/Social; 5 pm BBQ/Program

DEADLINE: Payment must be received NLT: Tuesday, August 15, 2017.

Make Checks payable to: WNC MOAA; Enclosed is my check for ___ meal (s) At \$25 per person.

I/We plan on attending the WNC MOAA General Chapter Meeting on **Friday, August 18, 2017**

NAME: _____ **Guest:** _____

Phone #: _____ **E-mail:** _____

This is the 1st WNC MOAA event attended: Y/N

2017 Dues are Due and Payable Jan 1, 2017, past due March 1

Chapter Membership RENEWAL 2017: \$30 Regular member and spouse; \$10 Surviving Spouse

Name: _____ Rank: _____ Service: _____ Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

National MOAA Number _____

Donation: _____ (donations are to the chapter general fund)

Checks payable to WNC MOAA

OR PAY ONLINE WITH CREDIT CARD

1. Go to www.MOAA.org.
2. Select **Chapters & Councils** at the top of the page.
3. On the Chapters page, select **Chapter Dues**, fill out the form and your dues are paid.

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