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Golden Isles Chapter MOAA Reporter

P.O. Box 21186, St. Simons Island, GA 31522

November 2013

November CHAPTER MEETING

PRESIDENT
Cpt Jerry Schueneman
634-8616

VICE PRESIDENT
LTC Steve Bullock
466-9652

2ND VICE PRESIDENT
Maj George Giannoumis
262-5640

SECRETARY
LTC James Vivencio
265-8672

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Maj Gus Hernandez
634-5219

TREASURER
COL Jerry Rhyne
261-0641

Chaplain
CAPT Steve Tucker
638-0324

PUBLIC AFFAIRS
1LT Robert Reid
638-0828

Scholarship Chairman
COL Daryl Rabert
638-6121

Corporate Projects
COL Vernon Martin
638-8764

DATE: November 10, 2013
TIME: 12:00 PM Social Hour
12:30 PM Brunch and Program

PLACE: King and Prince Golf Resort
St. Simons Island, GA

DRESS: Coat/Tie (Men), Appropriate Attire (Ladies)
Causal if you are going to Golf Tournament

COST: \$28.00/Person (Check)

MENU: King and Prince Private Buffet (Breakfast and lunch)

RSVP By Friday November 8, 2013:
to **Jerry Rhyne** 912-261-0641 , leave message
(no cell phone calls to Jerry)
rhynej@comcast.net

SPEAKER: Carlton DeVooght. Vice President, General Counsel/Government Relations for the SGHS

PROGRAM : Hospital update
Recognition of Nalley/MOAA CCGA Golf Scholarship winners

NOTE: We must bill "No Shows", so contact Jerry Rhyne NLT than Friday afternoon 09 November for any change of plans or cancellations A phone call anytime prior to Sunday Morning would be appreciated for any change of plans. Call Jerry Rhyne with any last minute changes or additions. Sometimes he can accommodate changes.



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

We are headed down the home stretch for 2013. We have a very important meeting for GIMOAA on November 10th (Happy Birthday USMC). Our speaker will Carlton DeVooght. Vice President, General Counsel/Government Relations for the SGHS. He will discuss ACA, other hospital issues and answer questions. We will

also vote on our new Board Officers and Directors for 2014. We will kick off our very important Christmas Raffle event, a big contributor to support our academic scholarship program. Please make plans to attend the meeting and get ready to make your contribution. The luncheon format will be the same as last month. We will have our private lunch buffet and will share the hotel's breakfast buffet, your choice or both. Come and have a great meal and hear Mr. DeVooght,

Sempi Fi
Jerry S.

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2013 ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND TICKET SALE

First, on behalf of the MOAA Board, thanks again to all you loyal members who made last year's raffle a success. As you are aware, this is our major fund raiser for our scholarship fund. Giving away these scholarships each year is the centerpiece of our organization's community outreach. Again this year, we're asking you to sell at least one book of tickets (hopefully more than one). If that's done we'll reach our goal of raising the needed money to pay for the scholarships.

Last year we raised thousands of dollars due to your generosity and superb effort in selling & buying raffle tickets. This year there will be 3 winners with the grand prize being \$500 in cash and 2 other winners (2 prize is \$250) for a total payout of \$1,000 in prize money. This should be an easy sell as there are 3 chances to win \$250 or more and everyone could use the money. Each book has 20 tickets at \$5.00 each so each book produces \$100 toward our goal. Also, there will be a \$100 cash prize to the member selling the most tickets. The drawing will be at our December 8 Meeting at the King & Prince. When you get your tickets, don't hesitate, begin to sell them For any questions about the raffle call James Vivenzio at 265-8672. James can deliver them to you. Again, thanks for your loyalty to our great organization.

James Vivenzio
Raffle Chairman

VETERANS DAY NOVEMBER 11, 2013

WELCOME HOME KOREAN VETERANS

The Veterans Council of the Golden Isles has selected the theme, "Welcome Home Korean Veterans" for our annual Veterans Day event this year, scheduled for Monday, November 11, on St. Simons Is., Ga. It has been 50 plus years since our Korean Veterans returned home, and though it seems late, it is not too late to welcome them home. We are appealing to and encouraging the entire southeast Georgia area to support this effort.

Parade - 10 am: the parade forms at Butler Ball Fields, St. Simons Island, and kicks off at 10:00am

Program - 11 am: the official program starts at the Casino Bandstand with guest speaker Patriotic music will be provided by Mickey Wendel and the Community Concert Association.

CHAPTER OFFICERS NOMINATED FOR 2014

The Nominating Committee hereby nominates the following officers to serve as chapter leaders in year 2013.

Chapter President,	LTC Steve Bullock (USA)
1st VP/Programs Chair,	Colonel Vernon Martin (ANG)
2nd VP/Membership /	
Secretary,	Major George Giannoumis (USA)
Treasurer,	Colonel Jerry Rhyne (USA)
Chaplain,	Captain Steve Tucker, (USN)
Public Affairs,	
Scholarship Chair,	Colonel Daryl Rabert, (USMC)
Corporate Projects	Colonel Vernon Martin (ANG)

The membership will vote on the nominations at the November meeting and the installation will take place at the December Christmas Gala Party.

NEW MEETING SCHEDULE 2013—2014

The new schedule looks like this:

08 December,	Christmas Gala Dinner
23 February	Luncheon
4 May	Luncheon

NEW MEMBERS

LtCol Michael A. Suthard
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SGHS Veterans Day Celebration

MOAA members are invited them to attend the Veterans Day Observance at Southeast Georgia Health System SGHS will recognize our veterans and active duty military during this program starting 300 pm November 11, 2013 at the hospital. SGHS goal for the Veterans Day Observance is to provide a meaningful time for their team members and community members to honor all U.S. veterans and recall their service to our country. They will incorporate some live or recorded music into the event playing songs like "The Star Spangled Banner, The Service Medley, and America The Beautiful " During the observance they will have tables set up where people attending can write holiday notes on greeting cards that will be delivered to military personnel during the holidays. This will be coordinated with American Red Cross - Holiday for Heroes program.

All those MOAA members wanting to volunteer at SGHS Veterans Day celebration, please contact Christy Parker at SGHS to sign up. She will tell you what help they will need