



**SERGEANT AUDIE MURPHY CLUB  
"ROCK OF THE MARNE" CHAPTER  
FORT STEWART, GEORGIA 31314**

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

November 19, 2014

SUBJECT: Sergeant Audie Murphy Club General Membership Meeting 19 November 2014

1. The meeting convened at 1209 on 19 November 2014 at the Vanguard DFAC, FT. Stewart, Georgia.
2. The following governing council and advisory board members were present:
  - a. President: SFC White PRESENT
  - b. Vice President: SFC Kirven PRESENT
  - c. Secretary: SFC Gold PRESENT
  - d. Treasurer: SFC Biglin PRESENT
  - e. PAO/ Historian: SSG Johnson PRESENT
  - f. Advisors: None present

Included were members as indicated on the Secretary's Register Log for record.

3. Chapter strength is currently 67 members, with 3 members deployed.
4. The minutes from the October 2014 general member meeting were addressed and affirmed.
5. Treasurer's Report as of: \$3,603.59 in the account.
  - b. Annual dues are \$50.00 and due to the Treasurer
6. Ongoing Projects:
  - a. SAMC Polo Shirts/T-shirts/Decals Project Manager: SFC Biglin

Details: SAMC Polo shirt is navy blue with custom embroidery of SAMC logo, ROTM Chapter, Rank and last name; price is \$20. Options and prices for PT shirts are currently being worked, shirt will be powder blue moisture wicking with a small SAMA graphic on the front left breast and a large SAMC Crest on the back, female sizes are also available; Price will be \$20. New shirts have been procured from an alternate vendor however, none on hand for presentation during the meeting. Plans are in place for presentation during the March meeting.

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b. SAMC PCS Plaque

Project Manager: SFC White

Details: The plaque will only be presented to members in good standing with the chapter (i.e.; dues are current, and has been a participating member in club activities).

Update: Bee's Creation is closing and only conducting business online. We need to forecast at least 60 days out for members who will be PCS'ing/departing FSGA and are deserving of a plaque.

7. Old Business:

a. 4th Quarter Division SAMA Board

POC: SFC White

Details: Board scheduled for 4 November 2014. The board was held at 1<sup>st</sup> ABCT conference room.

Update: Members discussed establishing a standard study guide which included updated ADP/ADPR's, past board AAR's, situation questions etc. Several members are running BDE/BN level study groups at their respective units, but this would streamline the materials being covered, and ensure that the same subject matter is being discussed across the board. Conflicting study group times and member/candidate participation still hinder the idea of reigniting the Division level study halls.

b. Second America Coastal Harvest

POC: SFC White

Details we assisted with bagging groceries for the elderly. We had a great turn out with 17 members volunteering.

c. Twilight Tattoo

Members assisted as ushers. The following members were present: SFC White, 1SG Matias, 1SG Miller, SFC Osby, SFC Williams, and SFC Taylor.

8. New Business:

Project Manager: SFC Gold

a. Dr. Mary E. Walker Award

Details: Members would like to start Nominations for Dr. Mary E. Walker Award members suggested we look into nominating spouses, who help the club/Association.

b. Division SAMC coin/poker chip

Project Manager: SFC Taylor, D.

SFC Taylor brought forth the idea of developing a Division SAMC coin/poker chip that the club can present to the Warrior Leaders Course's Leadership Award Recipient at each graduation. The club will possibly vote on the idea, and develop a design if approved.

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c. Tree Lighting Event

Project Manager: MSG Vernon

Details: The club started to look forward toward the holiday season, and discussed supporting the Marne Tree Lighting Event by providing hot chocolate and candy canes for the children. Last year's event was a success with the Marne Division, and local community. A project manager will need to be assigned to look into the cost of the needed items and get the information back to the club. The location is the Club Stewart 4 Dec 2014 1730-1830

d. Christmas Food Vouchers

Project Manager: SFC Biglin

Details: The club voted unanimously to spend a \$1000 donation given by the SAMC on \$25 food vouchers to the Commissary to be given to the Brigades to support Soldiers in need during the holiday season. There will be a total to 40 vouchers disseminated throughout the division.

e. Present Wrapping Fundraiser

Project Manager: SFC Gold

Details: The club will conduct a present wrapping fundraiser at PX before Christmas. Profits will be split between a donation to the Toys for Tots Foundation and club funds. SFC Kirven will coordinate with MWR to determine the date available for the club. The last 2 years have been a huge success for the Club.

9. Upcoming Events:

- a. Wreath for Warriors 12 Dec 2014 1200hrs @ Warrior Walk (ASU's with Medallion)
- b. Second America Coastal Harvest 15 Dec 2014 @ 0800
- c. WLC Graduation 16 December 2014 0930 Newman Gym

10. Next meeting will be held Wednesday 17 December 2014 at 1200, at the 3SB Conference Room FSGA Building.

11. Notes and Comments: As always, thank you to all the members for the hard work and dedication to our club and the communities we support.

12. With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at \_1250\_ with members returning to their places of duty.

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MONIQUE R. GOLD  
SFC, USA  
SECRETARY, ROTM SAMC

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**Members in attendance not listed above:**

MSG Crawford  
SFC Taylor, D.  
SFC Spencer  
MSG Hughes  
SFC Simmington  
MSG Crawford  
MSG Kieron  
SSG Boatwright  
1SG Weeks  
1SG Saimbert  
SFC Osby

**Guests in Attendance:**

SGT Reyes