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PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Memorial Day, that special day when we honor our fallen, is upon us. For us who served with them and for their families, it is a time to remember their goodness, their commitment to us and to our country, and the unfulfilled promise in each one which was forfeited on the battlefield. It is our prayer that we live our lives is such a way as to bring honor to those who gave their all in our behalf.

This year several of us will be in Washington just prior to Memorial Day to watch the

screening of Norman Lloyd's film "M.I.A.'s on Tiger Mountain" at the GI Film Festival. For those of you who haven't seen it, it tells the story of the fierce D Company

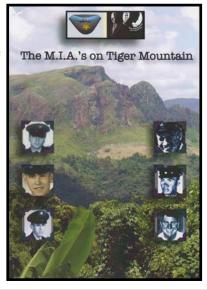
battle on Tiger Mountain in 1968 and the unwavering commitment to recover evidence of the 3 D Co men and 3 aviators who were lost and not recovered. You must see it.

You'll remember that "Shakey's Hill" received the prize as Best Documentary at this Festival several ago. We are confident that this marvelous film will also be recognized with the 1st Place Award. It will be shown at 3:30 Saturday afternoon, May 23. I'm sure you'll enjoy the screening if you're in the area that day.

The Memorial Day Wreath Laying at the Vietnam Memorial will begin at 1 PM, Monday, May 25. As usual, our wreath will be laid as part of the program. Those of us attending will gather in the vicinity of the Park Service gazebo between 11 & 12 o'clock. All are welcome and invited

All the very best wishes for you and your families. Have a great summer.

Garry Owen! Maury



"KRAZY" Karl's Report

Hooray, Hooray, it's the 1st of May and now a little later as you are reading this. It has stopped snowing here in New Hampshire. We had over a 100 days in a row that the temp never got above freezing. Yup, the oil companies got richer this winter. Carol & I broke out to California, Arizona & the Bahamas to break it up. Reunion XIII, reservations have just gone over 100 at this time which is wonderful. Make your reservations so you don't get left out. This hotel does have enough rooms for all of us, so there won't be an over flow hotel like Springfield, but there is always the big IF. There is a slight possibility that the hotel may book in another group also, do your reservations today. This is a challenge from me to you. If you guys fill all 500 rooms I'll sleep in rolled up in a poncho liner in the lobby.

Over my 15 years as your 1st VP, I have sent out 1000+ "Welcome Home Letters" telling about our great association. In these packets I include a Form 180, which can be sent to National Personnel Records to get copies of <u>your</u> orders. In the letter I ask that when you get copies of your orders you send me a copy so when can continue to do location searches for other 5/7 troopers. I have gotten very few copies and only about 1 in 10 of these troopers actually join our association. How well do I know that this unique period of time in our life will never be forgotten and through the association I have come to understand and live with it. Now is your time to join, come to Reunion XIII in

Colorado and be like so many other 5/7 troopers who say as they leave, "I'll never miss another reunion and will see you on Veteran's Day in, Washington, DC." This leads me to another interesting statistic, we have more troopers come from California on Veterans Day than we do from Virginia. Trust me it is easier to go to "The Wall," with friends than by yourself.

It's your 5/7 Cavalry Association – Please Join
Garryowen,

It's your 5/7 Cavalry Reunion – Please Attend
Garryowen,

"KRAZY"

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More From "KRAZY"

Jackets – The shipping of the jackets has gone up to the point where I am going to have to raise the price starting July 1, 2015. Actual shipping cost for me to get an XL jacket and shipped to you when it is done is \$28.40. I have been charging a flat fee of \$10.00 for shipping. I do have a few in stock which I will ship at the regular jacket price of \$140 for quilted and \$110 for the light weight nylon. I also have a couple of light weight jackets with the Survivor embroidery on the back.

Promotion -On Friday, May 1, Michael Konczey (Iraq 2007-2008) was promoted to Colonel in a ceremony at Carlisle Barracks, PA. LTG (Ret) William Webster, who commander the 3rd Infantry Division from 2004-2006 and activated the current 5-7 Cavalry, officiated. Many Konczey family members, friends, and Army War College classmates were there to congratulate Mike and his wife Tamra on this well-deserved recognition of Mike's past service and his enormous potential. Colonel Konczey served as the Operations Officer and later the Executive Officer for the Squadron during their 2007-2008 deployment to Irag.

Pat Smith – A company 1969 has been elected the Board of Directors of the United States Army Officer Candidate School Alumni Association. Their association is trying to find members also. Any of you OCS guys that were lucky enough to become 5/7 officers, can contact Pat for info. skytrooper16@gmail.com

MEMBERSHIP VP

As most of us are aware we can't avoid the process of getting older as time passes. Speaking of time, our 13th biennial reunion next year in Colorado Springs will mark the 50th anniversary of the formation of the 5th Battalion 7th Cavalry unit at Ft Carson.

The 7th Cavalry is one of the most celebrated units in the annals of the US Army's history. The history of the 7th Cavalry Regiment began on July 28, 1866. At this time the unit was integrated into the Regular Army as E Company, 7th Cavalry at Fort Riley, Kansas. On April 13, 1867, less than a year after its formation, the 7th Cavalry saw its first skirmishes in Colorado against the Cheyenne Indians. In April 1873, George A. Custer and his 7th Cavalry was recognized as a "model of soldierly discipline and efficiency," and sent to face the feared Sioux Indians in the Dakotas.

Since those early days in US history the 5/7 Cavalry has served with distinction through both World Wars, the Korean conflict, the Vietnam era and again during the campaigns in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Ît's hard to believe that 50 years will have passed when we next gather at the Hotel Elegante in Colorado Springs for the week of August 7 – 13, 2016. I still have vivid memories of the unit leaving Fort Carson for San Francisco and then boarding the USS Gaffey and sailing out under the Golden Gate Bridge heading for Vietnam.

At that time, I did not expect to be around this long but I'm really looking forward to our next gathering in Colorado Springs. Lord willing, I will be there. The Devil had his chance and blew it; his introduction to hell in South East Asia was a failure.

For my brothers that joined me on that sea cruise & the group that flew over to great us in An Khe, Vietnam get off your duffs and make plans to be at the reunion. We survived a lot more 49 years ago than anything the world can throw at us in the year coming.

As for those that followed us, be it Southeast Asia, Iraq, Afghanistan, or the next undisclosed hell hole, to today's men of the 5/7, it's going to be a party you don't want to miss. It's an ongoing tradition of Brotherhood like no other in the military.

As for you younger guys that went to Iraq, this is your 12th year reunion in a resort setting that many may have not had the pleasure to visit. Us old guys are falling apart at the seams and we need some new blood to continue this organization so come on out and join us. It's a great hotel with lots of amenities and very family friendly. You're going to love it and the price is right too!

Garryowen,
Don Shipley
Membership Vice President
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LETTERS

This past Wednesday, February 18th I had the distinct pleasure of conducting my final enlistment ceremony. SSG Andrew Lewis (1st Platoon, B Troop, 2006-2009) kindly asked me to conduct the oath of enlistment into the Pennsylvania Army National Guard, which I was extremely proud to do.

After 10 years on the active side. Andrew is joining the PAANG on an OCS enlistment where he hopes to become an Armor Officer. While it took some serious squeezing to get into the old uniform, we were very proud to represent the Cavalry and particularly the 5-7 CAV during his ceremony at the White House Communications Agency.

In addition to his Guard commitment, Andrew will be finishing up his MBA at Temple University and working with his brother's construction company. Very proud of SSG Lewis as he makes the transition to civilian life and the Guard. I've attached a couple of photos.



Garryowen, COL (Ret) Cliff Wheeler (703) 586-2369

To: All the members of the 5/7 CAV Association

This note is to say, Thank you! Firstly to all the members of the battalion I joined in Cambodia in 1970, from General Maury Edmond's to the last man, who allowed me to be with you during your time on a very dangerous mission in Cambodia in 1970. An experience where the men of Bravo Company taught me some of the ways to stay alive in the Jungle, these experiences also helped mold me to the person I am today, a person who will always have great reverence and respect for the Men and Women and their families of our United States Military.

The Battalion has always been ready to give me support, from Vietnam to Iraq, as well as all stops in between, physically, mentally, and financially to help

me tell the story of our military, maybe a little.... lopsided.... toward my friends and heroes of the 5/7 CAV.

We are about to screen our latest film " The M.I.A's on Tiger Mountain " at the G.I.Film Festival, Saturday May 23 at 3:30 pm at the Angelika Film Center, 2911 District Ave, Fairfax, V.A. 22031.

This film would never have been made without the cooperation and help, and in particular financial Donations to the Commitment and Sacrifice Foundation by so many of you, this film is all of our film, I'm so proud we could do it together.

It changed my life being welcomed into the fold of Bravo Company, the men I was with in 1970, and then again in 2004 in Cincinnati by the battalion, it has been a true blessing, and Maury, you're the one who made it all happen, I am eternally grateful to you.

Garryowen, Norman Lloyd

FIDDLER'S GREEN

We have lost another great Trooper/Medic to Fiddler's

Marvin "Papa Doc" Maxwell, B&C Companies May 1967 to May 1968. Papa Doc died on May2,

2015. Memorial Mass at 10:00 AM Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 4503 Frederick Ave, Saint Joseph, MO 64506.

You can send condolences to: Kathy Maxwell & Family 3404 Duncan Street St. Joseph, MO 64507-1927

The Combat Medic Prayer

Oh Lord, I ask for the divine strength to meet the demands of my profession. Help me to be the finest medic, both technically and tactically. If I am called to the battlefield. give me the courage to conserve our fighting forces by providing medical care to all who are in need. If I am called to a mission of peace, give me the strength to lead by caring

for those who need my assistance. Finally, Lord help me take care of my own spiritual, physical and emotional needs. Teach me to trust in your presence and never-failing love. Amen

5th Squadron News

GARRYOWEN from Fort Stewart and thank you for your continued support over the years!

In January of this year, the unit assumed its alignment with the United States Army, Europe. Should the situation require heavy forces, the 1st Armored Brigade, 3rd infantry Division will deploy and execute its mission as assigned by our senior national leaders. What this means is while the Army is operating on a severely constricted budget, the brigade and 5-7 CAV is allocated a larger portion of that budget. A larger budget enables us to conduct some hard and realistic training at Fort Stewart and overseas

As I sit here today, Crazy Troop serves as the forward scouts in front of an international coalition brigade combat team. That training includes a gunnery exercise at Grafenwohr and Hohenfels Training Areas in Germany. Additionally, 17 of those troopers earned the coveted German Proficiency Badge while training with the German Army. That pace will increase in the fall, as we expect to be deployed in three countries across Europe executing training with our international partners. Until then the remainder of the Squadron is training hard in the field and I am writing this update from our fully digital tactical operations center, which will be sent via satellite to the

Looking specifically at this field exercise, the unit has dipped into its rich history and retrained on helicopter inserted scouts. While many of you are familiar with these operations, our younger team is just learning this for the first time. You can imagine the first few insertions were filled with stumbling door exits and lots of night land navigation errors, but as we continue, we are getting better every day and putting the forward scout in place with a radio; making him a truly lethal weapon.

The Squadron will begin its transformation process in June to become even more lethal and survivable. We will divest ourselves of the scout truck platforms and upgrade to the six Bradley scout platoon. The squadron will also receive its own permanent tank troop. Both of these changes will result in a greater ability to move faster and strike harder as we spear head efforts in front of the brigade.

All will be happy to know that the Squadron still dominates at gunnery. We earned the "high troop/company" in the brigade for both the scout trucks and the Bradley fighting vehicle. Sorry, but this means a bunch of scouts outshot the Infantry. 5-7CAV received the Division Retention Award for FY16 and Crazy Troop was awarded the Armor Draper award for leadership excellence.

Meanwhile, we continue to support the families and build teams to assist during deployments. Our next major family event will occur on May 29th where children from across the unit will "earn their spurs". This event will include a simulated water crossing (rafts in the pool), obstacle course (real obstacle course), marksmanship training (water balloons/super soakers) and also camouflage techniques (face camo). We are excited about this and look forward to a great event!

As with any Army unit, leaders change. I will give up command on August 6th to LTC Chris Mahaffey. Currently serving with NORAD (Joint Task Force-North) at Fort Bliss, he and his family will arrive at Fort Stewart in late July and assume command ahead of the fall 2015 European missions. Command Sergeant Jeffrey Lujan will remain in place and is currently dual hatted as the Brigade (rear) and Squadron CSM. SGM Carlos Barnes remains strong as the Operations Sergeant Major. MAJ J.D. Evans will depart in June for the US Army Safety Center and MAJ Adam Cecil (Infantry) will move up to the executive officer position. I am headed back to Texas for retirement and I am sad but glad to be going out on top. It has been a great honor for me to lead and serve with the Squadron and wish all former and current members the best of luck in the future.

Thank you for your service and Garryowen! LTC Jack



Litvjak Letter

GARRYOWEN to all my brothers-in-arms. First, I would like to thank all those, who sent their best wishes and prayers, when I was hospitalized in January and February. My recovery is going well, and I am hoping all goes well in the future.

abounded, and they seem to get better with time. The reunions have also provided my wife, Patty with the opportunity to meet some of the men I had served with. It has also provided the both of us with the opportunity for new friendships with so many people. It has truly been a

great experience.

Patty and I have attended Reunions and the Wall Events in DC since the St. Louis Reunion in 2002. That one will always be remarkable, as I spent time with four men, who helped me understand the experience in Vietnam, and how I felt about myself. At each Reunion and DC event since then, I have met more and more men I

The Reunion in Springfield, MO was probably a collation of the many Reunions, as there were at least ten men from my company, who attended. They were in Nam just prior and just after I served in the 4th Platoon, C 5/7, and was medicaved home, in January of 1970. What occurred in Springfield, MO was our group was able to have a mini Reunion at the home of Marvin Deckard. I have included a photo of the group, many of whom attended with their wives, the cookout at Marvin's home. From the left to the right, it includes Marvin Deckard, Joe "LT" McVeigh, Ben "Top" Weedman, Joe Berry, George Hannaford, Tommy Clark, me, and Tom Coulson. Not included in the photo were Rich Offoiter, and Pat "CO" Dockery. To say the least, Springfield, MO was a great Reunion. Thanks to all. Garryowen, Bill



5/7Cay PX

POW/MIA 3X5 Flags	\$15
Baseball Cap 5/7 embroidered	10
Miniature Garry Owen Crest pin	3
1st CAV cloth shoulder patch	5
1st CAV window sticker (no Vietnam)	3
1st CAV Div. challenge Coin	10
Full size CIB	4
1st CAV Hat pin (1")	3
Combat Medic pin (new)	3
Air Medal Pin (new)	3
M16-A-1 Hat pin (new)	4
Combat Cavalry pin (gold wreath - new)	4
5/7 Guidon bumper sticker (new)	2
Reg. Garry Owen Crest Pin	3
Miniature CIB pin	3
AnKhe Hat pin	3
1st CAV Div. Flag 3x5'	15
Raised letter CAVALRY pin (new)	3
1st Cav Hat pin (5/8") (new)	3
UHI Huey pin (new)	3
Miniature Purple Heart pin	3
M60 Machinegun pin (new)	4
Huey Hat pin (black/gold)	4
5/7 Crossed Sabers lg. pin (new)	4
Claymore Mine Pin (new)	4
White Polo shirts button-up with collar Embroidered 5/7 Cav. and Garry Owen Crest all short sleeved, order by size	23
5/7 Cav Denim Shirts Embroidered with Garry Owen Crest. Order by size, colors are Blue, Khaki, Green; Men or Ladies; Short Sleeves or Long Sleeves	25
Irish Green Golf Shirt with Embroidered Garry Owen Crest. Black Cav 5/7 Lettering under Crest. Quality Jerzee Brand. M, L, XL, XXL	23
New Adult T-Shirt with large Carry Owen Crest screen print on front. M, L, XL, 2X, 3X; Colors: white & ash (light gray)	13.50
New Child's T-Shirt w/silk screen 1st Cav patch on left chest & "Cav Kid" lettering under patch. Sizes: 2-4, 4-6, 6-8, 10-12, 14-16.	10
NEW 2013 Forest Green Twill Shirts / Embroidered - Garry Owen crest - 5/7 Cavalry ——All sizes just in.	\$29

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VETERANS DAY 2015

VETERANS DAY GATHERING IN WASHINGTON D.C.

For our 2015 Veterans Day Gathering in Washington, DC the association has reserved a block of rooms at the Holiday Inn National Airport (www.hinationalairport.com) in Arlington, VA (Crystal City area). The hotel is located one mile from the Reagan National Airport and three blocks from the nearest Metro station.

The room rate is \$114 per night; parking is free; also there is a free shuttle to and from the airport. The hospitality room opens at 3 PM on Monday, November 9 and runs through Wednesday evening, November 11. The 5/7 Cav room rate is available starting Saturday, November 7 through Thursday, November 12.

Our banquet/dinner on Tuesday evening, November 10, will be held at the hotel. The cost per head is \$46 including tax. Please bring cash as we don't take credit cards. The hotel will provide a cash bar during the dinner. As we get closer to the November date we will provide a choice of entrees.

The block of rooms and room rates are effective from Monday, November 9, 2011 through Wednesday, November 11, 2011. Hotel bookings should be made with the hotel by Friday, October 9, 2014. Reservations made after that date will be accepted on a space available basis.

The toll free phone number for booking with the hotel is 888-294-5059 or you can call direct to the hotel at 703-684-7200.

When making reservations please identify yourself as part of the 5/7 Cavalry Association.

The hotel has provided the following web address so you can book directly from the Internet:

http://www.holidayinn.com/redirect?

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5&GPC=CBB

All family and guests are welcome at the November 10th banquet/dinner. You do not have to stay in the hotel to join in and dress is casual. Only thing we ask is that you let Karl Haartz know if you plan to attend the dinner.

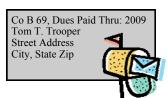
Please call Karl on 603-726-7080 or e-mail him at cav571vpkk@roadrunner.com.

We are looking forward to a great turnout. Last year we had over 150 people join in the dinner at the Holiday Inn.

Garry Owen, See you in DC!!!

5/7 Cavalry Association Facebook Page

Check out our 5/7 Cavalry Association web page on FACEBOOK. Photos of our Springfield Reunion and our 2014 Veterans Day Gathering are posted on the Facebook Page. If you have never used FACEBOOK type in "Facebook " in the Google search box and the Facebook web site will appear. Once you have done that type "5/7 Cavalry Association" in the search window and our Facebook page will appear. Once there you will be able to access all the photos from the Springfield Reunion and the 2014 Veterans Day gathering in DC.



Check Your Mail Label

The sample mail label on the left represents the label that appears on the front of your newsletter. It indicates the company/troop and year you initially served in the 57/ Cav. The label also gives you the status of your dues. If "3000" appears in your status it indicates we have your status as "Active Duty". Dues payments should be mailed to our treasurer at the following address:

Royce Vick 3724 Shelby Dr. Ft. Worth, TX 76109-2733

MIAs on Tiger Mountain

1. **Vote for the film**. The trailer (less than two minutes) is on the G.I. Film Festival web site: http://giff15.com/movies/the-mias-on-tiger-mountain/. After watching the trailer, you can vote to give the film one to five stars. No identification or login is required--just click the number of stars. One vote per computer.

2. If you live in the Washington DC area, attend the screening of the film. The screening will be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 23 at Angelika at Mosaic Film Center, 2911 District Ave, Fairfax, VA 22031. Individual tickets for the screening are just \$12 and can be purchased directly from the web page above by clicking the "Buy tickets" icon. We would love to pack the theater!

REUNION XIII COLORADO SPRINGS, AUGUST 7-13, 2016

Room reservations for Reunion XIII at the Hotel Elegante in Colorado Springs, CO are already over the 100 mark. Make sure you get your reservation in early. It doesn't cost anything to reserve your room now. The following link allows you to go online and book directly with the hotel:

http://www.reseze.net/cassets/mkt/mcmelegante/landing_pages/MCM_Colorado_5th_Battalion_7th_Cavalry_Association2.html

For those of you that prefer to call the hotel directly you can use either of the two following phone numbers: 800-981-4012 or 719-576-5900.

When calling make sure you identify your self as a member of the 5/7 Cavalry Association. Our group

ID # is 1110189. The hotel Elegante has 500 rooms, two swimming pools, one inside and one outside, a fitness center, very spacious meeting space, two restaurants, an ice cream parlor and a spectacular hospitality room with a view of Pikes Peak and the majestic Colorado Rocky Mountains.

GOLFERS ATTENTION! We are also planning a golf outing on Wednesday, August 10. We have reserved the entire course at Ft. Carson in anticipation of having at least 30 golfers sign up. In addition to reserving the whole course Don Shipley and his company 24 Karat Travel is putting put up a hole-in-one prize valued at \$10,000. It's a <u>Seven Day All Inclusive Sandals Resort Package for two at a Greg Norman Golfers Paradise Resort.</u>

The prize will be awarded for the first **Hole-in-one** on the 160 yard, par 3, downhill hole #14 (must tee off from the from the white tees). To be eligible players must be participating in the 5/7 Cav Golf Tournament to be held at the Fort Carson, Cheyenne Shadows Golf Course on Wednesday, August 10. 2016. The course is open from AM until dusk.

For early signups and tee times send your reservation request to **Don Shipley 202 East Hall St. Calhoun, Ill 62419 or via e-mail to:** 57don@24kttravel.com. All reservations will be time and date stamped so formation of foursomes can be composed on a first come basis. If requesting reservations for a foursome, complete names of all foursome members must be provided. Individual reservations will be added to open foursome groups. I will confirm your reservation request once a complete foursome is formed.

More 5th Squadron Photos





5th Squadron 7th Cavalry Training in the Field in Germany

Financial Report

by Royce Vick

Dues Paid

New Mbr			
Accardi	Martin	\$10	0000-2015
Doctor	Robert L	\$20	0000-2014
Hoelzer	Edmund L	\$20	0000-2015
Schmidt	Ronald	\$10	0000-2015
Viator	Lester P	\$20	0000-2016
Mbr Update			
Abt	Charles	\$30	2009-2012
Affolter	Richard	\$50	2015-2020
Arnold	Rodney	\$20	2013-2015
Barrow	Royce P	\$30	2014-2017
Bernier	Charles	\$10	2014-2015
Bilyeu	Michael R	\$70	2008-2015
Bowman	Stephen R	\$50	2010-2015
Boyd	Don	\$20	2014-2016
Bridges	Larry	\$50	2014-2019
Brownfield	Orval	\$30	2014-2017
Cathcart	Sam C	\$50	2012-2017
Chaffin	David	\$40	2014-2018
Coit	Harry W	\$100	2014-2024
Cole Sr	Robert	\$30	2020-2023
Cook Jr	Harry A	\$50	2014-2019
Cooper	Harvey L	\$50	2014-2019
DeVos	William	\$50	2013-2018
Duttera Jr	John F	\$100	2014-2024
Elliott	Michael P	\$20	2014-2016
Endrizzi	Ralph M	\$50	2014-2019
Folden	Marc	\$20	2014-2016
Garrett	Lynn	\$50	2016-2021
Garrison	Howard W	\$20	2012-2014
Gibbs	Wayne R	\$20	2015-2017
Goemmer	James S	\$40	2014-2019
Gray	Jack	\$40	2013-2017
Hernandez	Andrew	\$40	2014-2018
Hoag	Donald	\$40	2014-2018
Hot	Clinton T	\$20	2014-2016
Johnson	Ronald C	\$60	2013-2019
Johnson	Leland	\$20	2014-2016
Julian	Claude	\$20	2014-2016
Kail	William	\$30	2014-2017
Kallal	Jacob	\$20	2014-2016
Kegeris	Michael	\$40	2012-2016
Kilber	Gary L	\$50	2014-2019
Kremer	Frederick B	\$100	2014-2024
Lary	John M	\$50	2014-2019
Lee	James	\$40	2014-2018
Lewis	James F	\$30	2011-2014
Lindller	John	\$100	2014-2024
Lotto	Robert	\$200	2010-2030
Lumbard	Gary	\$40	2014-2018
Lynn	Charles	\$20	2014-2016
McClung Jr	William	\$50	2014-2019
McDonald Jr	Phillip E	\$20	2018-2020
Meehan	John	\$60	2009-2015
Porod	Marilyn J	\$50	2015-2020
Powell	Harold P	\$40	2014-2018

Dues Paid (Cont'd)

Putback	Walt R	\$20	2014-2016
Rebholz	Richard	\$20	2014-2016
Russell	Bruce	\$50	2014-2019
Sanchez	Jose M	\$20	2013-2015
Schultz	Joseph	\$50	2014-2019
Seaabolt	David R	\$20	2015-2017
Shanahan	Richard M	\$40	2013-2017
Sirovy	Farrell L	\$50	2014-2019
Triplett	Cliff	\$40	2014-2018
Walenticonis	Wayne J	\$20	2014-2016
Ward	David E	\$100	2017-2027
Welling	John R	\$40	2013-2017
West	Robert D	\$50	2013-2018
Wetzel	Norman	\$100	2012-2022
Whiteford	Robert M	\$50	2015-2020
Zepeda	John M	\$100	2013-2023
Zimmerman	Johnny	\$20	2014-2016
TOTAL		\$3,100	

Funds Balance

October 2014 Balance	\$60,158
INCOME	
Dues	\$3,100
Donations	\$565
PX	\$734
Interest	\$116
Larry Allen - reunion photos	\$1,112
Total Income	\$5,667
EXPENSES	
Uncommon USA - Battalion Flags	(\$1,750)
IAS Internet Service	(\$35)
Commitment and Sacrifice Fund	(\$10,000)
Heckley Printing - Dec Bugle	(\$1,035)
Postmaster	(\$179)
Gray Lines - Deposit	(\$500)
Heckley Printing - Feb Bugle	(\$1,519)
CD redemption Fee	(\$25)
Check Printing Charge	(\$25)
Total Expenses	(\$15,068)
Bal Check/Saving	\$5,757
CD	\$45,000
April 2015 Balance	\$50,757

Donations

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Arnold	Rodney	\$40		
Gibbs	Timothy	\$10		
Gray	Jack	\$10		
Johnson	LeLand	\$80		
Long	John	\$75		
McClung Jr	William	\$50		
Porod	Marilyn	\$50		
Schultz	Joseph	\$100		
Ward	David E	\$100		
Whiteford	Robert M	\$50		
Total		\$565		

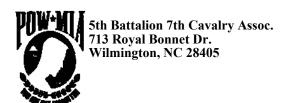
After unanimous approval by the Association's Officers, I signed the check for the \$10,000 donation to Norman Lloyid's Commitment and Sacrifice Fund Raising Drive. This was a highlight of my service as the Association Treasurer. This donation enabled Norman to complete work on his film "The M.I.A.'s On Tiger Mountain", Norman sent a nice "Thank You" to all of you for this donation.

I received an unusual number of calls, emails and notes since my last report. Marilyn Porod sent in a few pages from the book, THE BATTLE FOR BIRD, which featured her late husband, George. She hopes to see everyone again at the next reunion.

When the reunion reservation information is available, please take time to catch up your dues and make the reservations early. Those that work in the reservation office are glad to see you, but they normally work all day and have little time to participate in the reunion activities. Let's give them a break. Register early.

If you get the BUGLE by email, contact Karl or me for current dues status. Garry Owen, Royce





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