

NY-PENN NEWS

NY - PENN MILITARY VEHICLE COLLECTOR'S CLUB INC .

Army Christmas Operations Order: 12-24-11 Subject: Christmas

1. An official visit by MG Santa (NMI) Claus is expected at this headquarters 25 December 2011. The following instructions will be in effect and govern the activities of all personnel during the visit.
 - a. Not a creature will stir without official permission. This will include indigenous mice. Special stirring permits for necessary administrative actions will be obtained through normal channels. Mice stirring permits will be obtained through the Office of the Surgeon General, Veterinary Services.
 - b. Personnel will settle their brains for a long winter nap prior to 2200 hours, 24 December 2011. Uniform for the nap will be: Pajamas, cotton, light, drowsing, with kerchief, general purpose, camouflage; and Cap, camouflage w/ear flaps. Equipment will be drawn from CIF prior to 1900 hours, 24 December 2011.
 - c. Personnel will utilize standard field ration sugar plums for visions to dance through their heads. Artificially sweetened plums are authorized for those in their unit weight control program. Specifications for this item will be provided by the servicing dining facility.
 - d. Stockings, wool, cushion sole, will be hung by the chimney with care. Necessary safety precautions will be taken to avoid fire hazards caused by carelessly hung stockings. Unit safety Officers will submit stocking hanging plans to this headquarters prior to 0800 hours, 24 December 2011, ATTN: DCSLOG, for approval.
 - e. At the first sign of clatter from the lawn, all troops will spring from their beds to evaluate noise and cause. Immediate action will be taken to tear open the shutters and throw open the window sashes. DCSOPS Plan (Saint Nick), Reference LO No. 3, paragraph 6c, this headquarters, 2 February 2011, will be in effect to facilitate shutter tearing and sash throwing. Division chiefs will familiarize all personnel with procedures and are responsible for ensuring that no shutters are torn open nor window sashes thrown open prior to start of official clatter.
 - f. Prior to 2400, 24 December 2011, all personnel will be assigned "Wondering Eye" stations. After shutters are thrown open and sashes are torn, these stations will be manned.
 - g. The ODCSLOG will assign one each Sleigh, miniature, M-66, and eight deer, rein, tiny, for use of MG Claus' driver who, IAW current directives and other applicable regulations, must have a valid SF 56 properly annotated by Driver Testing; be authorized rooftop parking and be able to shout "On Dasher, on Dancer, on Prancer and Vixen, up Comet, up Cupid, on Donner and Blitzen".
2. MG Claus will enter quarters through standard chimneys. All units without chimneys will draw Chimney Simulator, M-6, for use during ceremonies. Chimney simulator units will be requested on Engineer Job Order Request Form submitted to the Furniture Warehouse prior to 19 December 2011, and issued on DA Form 3161, Request for Issue or Turn-in.
3. Personnel will be rehearsed on shouting "Merry Christmas to all and to all a Good night." This shout will be given on termination of General Claus' visit. Uniformity of shouting is the responsibility of division chiefs.

/x// CHRISTOPHER K. RINGLE Colonel, USA OIC, Special Services
Distribution: Everybody Who Still Believes

Upcoming Events 2011

A-Co. Meeting January 8th Sun. 1pm Windsor community house.

Contact Becky for directions 607-334-8378 home 371-6400 cell nypennnews@frontier.com

**Hudson Mohawk Co. January 8th; 1 PM Ephratah Rod and Gun Club Rt 67 contact John Ten-
nis for directions 518-424-8455 or Jatonka@telenet.net**

Easy Co Will meet on January 8th, at Greg Natke's residence

Watervale Rd. Manlius, NY 13104 1PM All re welcome to attend.

EASY Co. Minutes

November 13th, 2011 at Brant Messer's

Meeting started: 1340 with Pledge of Alligence.

Twelve members present. Meeting ended 1510.

Old Business:

- A) Discussion of Camp Drum trip of June 2011. Consensus was that it was interesting but could be improved. Many suggestions made by Lance Robson and Ralph Richter. Suggestion to contact commander or museum director shelved. Information about Camp Drum had been received by Ralph from Jack Frost and it was recommended that further info from Jack should be attempted as his re-enactment group is recognised and represents the 10th Mountain Division.**
- B) Maintenance Day was not done this year but was recommended for next Spring 2012 in April.**

New Business:

- A) Election of officers for Easy Co.**
- B) Results of elections was Lance Robson new CO/1st vice president Greg Natke new XO/2nd vice president Lorne Coone recording secretary.**
- C) Easy Co. recognised the contributions of Brant Messer and Ralph Richter for there loooong service to Easy Co. Unfortunately no gold watches were forth coming lol.**
- D) Angie Gregory and Ralph Richter made suggestions that different projects be presented as part of the meeting, as has been done previously but to attempt to get each member to participate one at every meeting.**
- E) Lance Robson made a motion that the club attempt a meeting every month and the club approved. Volunteers for the following months are: Greg Natke-Jan, Feb open, Jack Downing-Mar., Brant Messer-Apr., May open, Lance Robson-Jun, Bob Hill-July, Angie Gregory-Aug.,Ralph Richter-Sept.,TomBryant-Oct., Nov open.**

Received from Ralph Richter

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2012 NYPENN OFFICERS

Here are the officers for the year 2011. Please remember that each Company officers have the NYPENN merchandise and you can get the Hats, T-Shirts and decals from them.

- President** Frank Fairfield **Secretary:** Bill Harris **Treasurer:** Debbie Fairfield.
A-COMPANY **1st Vice Pres.** Matt Magda **2nd Vice Pres.** Bob Messersmith
EASY COMPANY **1st Vice Pres.** Lance Robson **2nd Vice Pres.** Greg Natke
HUDSON MOHAWK COMPANY **1st Vice Pres.** John Tennis **2nd Vice Pres.** Dave Nigriny

If you have not already, please submit your NY-PENN MVCC 2011 dues as soon as you can. We encourage all our members to join the MVPA which is the National organization we are affiliated with. This organization is our advocacy group for national and state issues and they also help promote our group and the hobby in general .

NY-PENN MILITARY VEHICLE COLLECTORS CLUB INC.

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Membership dues are \$20 per calendar year. .

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NY-PENN Military Vehicles Collectors Club Inc.

P.O. Box 402

Chenango Bridge, NY 13754-0402



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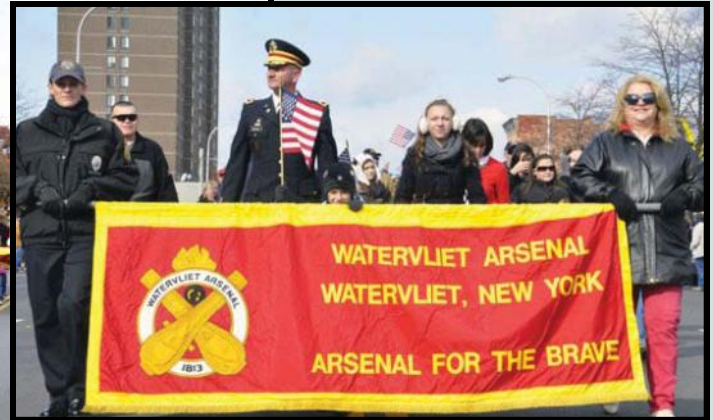
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 Phone (816) 833-MVPA (6872) ☎ Fax: (816) 833-5115 ☎ E-mail: hq@mvpa.org



Veteran's Day Parade ALBANY 2011



A-Co. Minutes

November 20th, 2011 at Windsor Community House

A-Co meeting 11-20-11

The meeting of A-Co. was called to order by 2nd VP Matt Magda at 13:23

In attendance were: Bill Harris, Bob Sokol, Grady Scott, Bob Messersmith, Karen Messersmith, Matt Magda, Katie Magda, Becky Whiting

First action was the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes from previous meeting were reviewed for acceptance as being accurate and complete. No changes were made and a motion by Bob Messersmith seconded by Bill Harris and voted and was passed. A comprehensive Treasurer's report was unavailable. The balance is approximately \$ 7,600 A request was made that your editor distributes the newsletters received from other clubs. These newsletters will be brought to the next meeting and anyone interested in having the electronic versions forwarded to them should contact your editor.

Activities: Bob Sokol attended the Armistice Ceremony Susquehanna, PA. Bob and Karen attended the Veteran's Appreciation Dinner held at the Fire Station in Newark Valley which was hosted by the Historical Society. This event honors the veterans of all of Tioga County and 120 people attended this event. Becky Whiting attended and participated in the Norwich Veteran's Day Parade and ceremony.

Matt Magda had intended to participate in the Endwell Veteran's Day parade but a blown hose on his truck prevented his attendance. Matt is also awaiting a EUC to clear so he can pick up his new M105 trailer from Fort Drum.

Ballots were collected. Mark Snyder has moved and has closed business. Nothing has been heard, from him lately. Bill Harris reported he attended the Easy Company meeting held the previous Sunday. He reported that Lance Robison was elected as 1st VP and Greg Natke 2nd VP as well as setting the meeting dates and locations for the coming year. Additionally Brant bought 3 vehicles from Mark. A GPW which he has running; an M151 cleaned up running as well as another M151. Brant also has a German Paratrooper issue flame thrower and is making replicas. This small unit has a 3 second burst.

Grady Scott made mention that he was disappointed that his brother's passing had not seen a condolence card from NYPENN. Karen Messersmith mentioned that the Historic Truck club has a Sunshine Committee that handles such matters. One woman handles this for that club whereas neither the NY-PENN Club as a whole nor the local Companies have established such a committee. The truck club also has a written policy covering disbursements for families when someone dies. Perhaps this should be considered by the Board of Directors at some time in the future. Bob Sokol suggested we consider conducting convoys or have a Military Vehicle available for the services and viewing if the family of the deceased would like that.

New Business: Becky Whiting suggested that the club and or companies consider forming "Activities" committee to organize and conduct trail rides and get together so members can have activities they can use their vehicles outside of 'official' events and activities. Bob Sokol mentioned that he talked to local VFW and offered his jeep for ceremonies. His area includes Honesdale, Forest City, Deposit, and Susquehanna. We could consider reaching out to the local service clubs in our own areas. The newsletter could be used to coordinate club activities in a centralized region for all of the companies.

Our next meeting is Jan 8th possibly Chenango; Bridge Bob Messersmith will check location. Feb 12 @ the Messersmith's in Newark Valley', March 11 ?????? Matt will check and let your editor know. Members present were advised that the next issue of the newsletter will be published mid December. With no further business before the group assembled a motion was made to adjourn by Bob Messersmith seconded by Matt Magda and passed by show of hands and the meeting ended at 14:39

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