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### **Chapter Rifle-Pistol Shoot & Picnic**

by LTC Mike Wisniewski

Beautiful weather, ideal temperature, sunny skies, delicious pulled pork sandwiches with assorted salads and desserts — what more could you have expected for the Second Annual MSVC Military Rifle and Pistol Shoot and Picnic? The event was held at the Vienna Fish and Game Club on Youngstown Kingsville Road (Route 193) in Vienna across the street from the Youngstown Airport. This facility has approximately 138 acres of ground, a club house with bathrooms and a kitchen, indoor firing range, maintenance shed, pistol and rifle ranges, archery range, trap shooting ranges, and a small lake stocked with bass. Bruce Bille is a member of the Vienna Fish and Game Club resulting in a reduced rental for the MSVC. Bruce also acted as the Range Safety Offer and organized the weapons and ammunition sign-up. To help insure adequate types of ammunition was available, arrangements were made with Stocker's Gun Shop located on 5199 Mahoning Avenue in Champion to have representatives come to



*Jack Russell with the AR-15, Doc Swee-ney looking on.* 



Jim Swager firing his pistol, Joe Zentis, waiting his turn. Al Lind and Don Rasile observing.



Range Prep and Safety Instructions



Al Lind with his British SMLE (Short, Magazine, Lee Enfield) No. 1, Mk. III, dated 1917.



Mike Wisniewski top with Polish Radom 9mm. It was manufactured in Poland under Nazi occupation. Doc Sweeney with the AR-15.



Dennis Gartland and Jack Russell with the M1 rifle.

Coming to YARS in September

# Lt Gen Atkins, President of MOAA Keynote Speaker at Convention



Lt Gen Dana T. Atkins, USAF, Ret., President and CEO of MOAA will be the banquet speaker at the Ohio Council of Chapter Convention on September 23<sup>rd</sup> at Youngstown

Air Force Reserve Station. Atkins became MOAA's ninth president in 2016. He succeeds Vice Adm. Norbert R. Ryan who presented MSVC their charter in 2012. Atkins had been the president of Chronicle Media, a large communications company providing print and digital media products in the Augusta, Ga., metro area, since his 2012 retirement from the Air Force.

COL Terri Coles, USA, Ret., Senior Director, Council and Chapter Affairs will also be in attendance during the



Ohio Council of Chapter Convention at YARS. Coles became director in 2017. She was deputy director in MOAA's Transition Center upon her retirement in 2012 from the

Army. She will provide brief comments to the attendees on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>. On Sunday morning, she will be doing a presentation to the Ohio Council members.

The purpose of the State Convention is to provide valuable information and camaraderie opportunities for chapter members. This year's focus is on the contributions of the various uniformed services in Ohio. See pages four and five of this newsletter for detail information and registration form.

## President's Ponderings

by LTC Gary Williams



If you weren't able to attend the MOAA-MSVC shoot-out on July 27th, you missed a fabulous opportunity to enjoy an evening of excitement, fun, fellowship and food! On top of all of that was that it was just a truly beautiful summer evening! Lots of events ahead though, our next regular meeting is the steak fry/corn roast on August 24th, and; of course,

the Ohio Councils of Chapter State Convention to be held on September 22–23 at YARS which is hosted by <u>US</u>. **Please try to attend, we need a strong show of support from our local chapter for this event!** 

Lastly, I want to congratulate each and everyone of you for helping this chapter achieve a five-star rating in 2016! It's the highest MOAA award a chapter can receive, and it is the first five-star this chapter has received since being chartered! MOAA received 176 Level of Excellence submissions, (LOE) with 125 receiving five-star honors and 41 receiving four-star honors. When MSVC submitted the LOE in March, there were 25 different chapter individuals mentioned that are involved with military/veteran engagements in our communities. Without your support and help, it would not be possible! So, keep it up, and keep on keeping on!

### **Open House for USO Care Package Distribution Facility**

The USO of Northern Ohio is headquartered in Cleveland, and in order to better provide support to military members from eastern Ohio, established an office on-site at the Youngstown Air Reserve Station (YARS) along with a USO Activity Lounge also at YARS.

Our latest announcement: We just opened a Care Package Distribution Facility in Howland, from which we ship care packages weekly to overseas-deployed service members from the 31 northernmost counties of Ohio which we service. Northern Ohio is one of the few chapters which ships packages directly to our deployed service men and women.

We are inviting you to attend an **Open House at our facility located at 160 Clifton Dr NE, Warren (Howland), on Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, from noon–4:00 p.m. Please come out to learn more about the USO mission, the impact of our Care Package Distribution Facility, and show your support for our troops! USO Volunteers will be on hand to answer your questions and provide refreshments.** 

If you know anyone who is deployed, or will be deploying, overseas, please contact us so we can add them to our recipient list. We want to support as many of our dedicated military members as possible and keep them connected with home and family.

Thank you for your continued support. Hope to see you on August 26<sup>th!</sup>

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this event, including Ms. Stocker, the owner's daughter, who manages the shop. Greatly discounted ammunition of all calibers was available for purchase. Some members took advantage of the huge price reduction and stocked up ammo from Stocker's. In addition, some gift give-ways—pistol key chains, American flag patches, hats, and penlight flashlights, Stocker's provided two gift baskets for a raffle prize—one for a male winner and one for a female winner. Thank you, Stocker's, for supporting our event. Their gun shop really has one of the largest selections of firearms in the Tri-County area.



Who said women can't shoot? Florence Hosler and Janet Oglesby has similar results after a 5 minute lesson from Ms. Stocker and Pam Karousis. Next year Pam offered to give the ladies lessons at the pistol range, separate from the rifle range. She has the safety protection and pistols for our use.

Pam Karousis, a member of the Vienna Fish and Game Club and the trainer for the women's league known as "A Girl & a Gun Women Shooting League" gave the lady shooters some individualized instruction and allowed them some unfettered shooting time away from the "boisterous and intimidating" male figures. All told there were approximately 20 MOAA members on the range with a few more in the Clubhouse preparing for the picnic.

Although summer is a time for family vacations and understandably many of our members weren't able to come and do some "fun stuff" with either your own personal firearm or to borrow any of the variety of rifles and pistols that were provided. If you weren't able to come, you missed out on a great day and a fun activity, great food, and with minimal cost. Kuddos to the folks who planned and organized this event.

	MSVC-MOAA 2017 Calendar
Date	Location and Program
8/17-19	D-Day at Conneaut <u>www.ddayohio.us</u> see last page
8/19	Waterfire Sharon, Pa. <i>Celebrate America-United We Stand</i> <a href="https://www.waterfiresharonpa.org">www.waterfiresharonpa.org</a> Noon—11 p.m.
8/24	MSVC at YARS Steak Fry/Corn Roast—see last page
8/26	Open House for USO Care Package Distribution Facility Noon-4
9/22-23	<b>MSVC</b> hosting MOAA state convention. It will be the MSVC members assistance and attendance that will make it a success.
9/24	Ohio Council of Chapters Meeting, YARS
10/5	The President's Own, US Marine Band at Orr Auditorium, Westminister College, New Wilmington, Pa. 7:30 P.M. FREE tickets will be released one month prior to the performance. www. westminster.edu/celebrity or call 724-946-7354

# Ohio's Misleading Rx Ballot Issue is Serious Risk for Veterans

n November 2017, Ohioans will be asked to vote on a flawed, deceptive ballot issue that could raise prescription drug prices and limit access to needed medications for military veterans. It's bad for veterans and bad for taxpayers. Veterans' organizations should oppose it.

Under federal law, the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) receives discounted pricing on prescription medication from drug manufacturers. The ballot issue, put forth by a controversial California activist, proposes a new law that calls for the state of Ohio to pay no more for prescription medications than the lowest price paid by the VA. The proposed law would apply to programs that serve public retirees and state workers, Medicaid beneficiaries, injured workers, prisoners, patients in state university hospitals, and others. It does not apply to the majority of Ohioans with private health coverage.

Experts have concluded this proposal is unworkable and cannot be implemented. An almost identical version of the proposal appeared on the November 2016 California ballot as Proposition 61, and was defeated. More than 30 veterans groups in California were among 200 opposing organizations, including doctors, business, labor and patient groups. Every major newspaper opposed Prop. 61.

### Impossible to Implement

The VA is not required to disclose how much it pays for medications. That means state entities would not know what benchmark to meet. But if Ohio voters approve the ballot issue, state officials would be *legally required* to implement the new law, forcing them to challenge the VA for information and taking up resources both the state and the VA could put to better use.

How much the VA pays for any particular drug is a moving target. In addition to specified percentage discounts, the VA frequently gets additional rebates from drug manufacturers, credit for volume purchases and other deals. These change periodically and are not disclosed by either the VA or the manufacturers.

# The VA Says the Misleading Rx Proposal Will Raise Costs for Veterans

The VA itself said in a 2016 issue briefing that these additional discounts are likely to be eliminated by pharmaceutical manufacturers if VA pricing is extended to other entities like state governments. The briefing estimates an increase in VA prescription drug costs of \$3.8 billion a year, if the proposal is voted into state law.

The US General Accountability Office (GAO) has on several occasions examined the issue of extending VA discounts to

other programs and warned that a mandatory extension could undermine the VA's ability to obtain favorable pricing for drugs and the limit the availability of some medications to the VA. In 2000, the GAO advised against including Medicare in the VA's pricing structure for this reason.

#### Military Families are Already Paying More

Already, veterans in Ohio and across the country are seeing rising costs. As part of the 2016 National Defense Authorization Act, Congress voted to increase co-pays that military retirees and dependents of active duty military pay out of pocket by 25%. If the ballot measure passes and VA and DOD drug costs go up, we can expect added pressure to increase prescription drug co-pays that veterans, military retirees and dependents of active duty military have to pay out of pocket. That would affect more than 866,000 veterans, active duty military, and military retirees residing in Ohio, plus 21 million veterans nationwide who have served our country.

Alternatively, the VA and DOD could deal with higher drug costs by deciding to omit certain drugs from their formularies – limiting veterans, military personnel, and retiree access to needed medications.

### There's No Benefit for Ohio Taxpayers

Medicaid and other state entities already use percentage discounts and rebates when purchasing medication. Should voters approve the ballot proposal, these existing contracts would cease, with unknown costs and complications for Ohio taxpayers. The administrative costs of trying to implement an unworkable law would fall on Ohio programs that serve vulnerable populations such as people who are developmentally disabled, people with mental illness, newborn infants, injured workers, the elderly and other Ohioans.

### The VA's Program is Designed for Veterans

The Veterans Healthcare Act enables the VA to provide medical care including prescription medications to our nation's military veterans in recognition of their service. The discounts mandated in the Act were never intended to be extended to states. The program is also designed to meet the needs of the military population and the drugs included reflect that.

To learn more, and get involved in the campaign to fight this harmful ballot measure, please contact Mitch Given at 614-352-8333 or Mitch@MitchGiven.com.



# Join Us at the MOAA Ohio Council of Chapters Convention (Friday and Saturday, 22 – 23 September 2017)



The MOAA Ohio Council of Chapters State Convention will take place <u>22 – 24 September 2017</u> at the <u>Community Activity Center</u> (<u>CAC</u>) on the <u>Youngstown Air Reserve Station</u>. The Mahoning-Shenango Valleys Chapter (MSVC) is honored to host this year's convention. This will also serve as our September meeting.

The convention registration will begin on <u>Friday, 22 September</u>, at 1500 hours at the Eagle's Nest Lodge. You will receive a complimentary bag, courtesy of MOAA and USAA, which will include registration materials and gifts. There will be a Meet and Greet at 1800 hours the CAC with beverages (cash bar) and hors d'oeuvres. Dress is casual.

On <u>Saturday</u>, <u>23 September</u>, the convention, will start with a buffet breakfast at 0730 and a continuation of registration in the CAC. The opening ceremony will begin promptly at 0830. Convention speakers include: Col Daniel J. Sarachene, USAFR, Commander, 910th Airlift Wing; RADM Margaret M. Kitt, MD, USPHS, Deputy Director National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health and Assistant Surgeon General; CAPT Nicholas A. Bartolotta, Chief of Staff, 9th Coast Guard District; COL William E. Meade, Commander, Ohio's Camp Ravenna; Mr. Robert A. Edwards Director, Defense Finance and Accounting Service, Cleveland; COL Terri Coles, USA, Retired, Senior Director of MOAA Council and Chapter Affairs and others. Spouses are invited to attend the convention or participate in an on base activities are provided for them. There will be a buffet lunch at 1200. Dress is business casual.

Saturday afternoon is planned to allow you to participate in a C-130 orientation flight from the YARS. (For safety, no high heel shoes or dresses/skirts for ladies.)

The evening social begins at 1800 and banquet at 1830 in the CAC. We are fortunate to have Lt Gen Dana Atkins, USAF, Retired, President and CEO of MOAA as the keynote speaker. General Atkins will also present 2016 Level of Excellence Awards to four chapters at the dinner. The CAC lounge will be open before and after the banquet. It'll be a great time for all, and we hope you will come and enjoy the evening with us. Dress is coat and tie.

The complete agenda, times and other convention information can be found at these websites beginning in June; <a href="www.msvc-moaa.org">www.msvc-moaa.org</a> or <a href="www.msvc-moaa.org">www.ohiomoaa.org</a> and just click on the MSVC Chapter link. The downloadable information includes: Convention Information; Registration Form; and Agenda. The cost for four convention meals is \$55 and covers the Saturday buffet breakfast, buffet luncheon and formal dinner and a Sunday buffet breakfast or any combination you desire.

Registration form and remittance, payable to MOAA-MSVC needs to be received NLT <u>8</u> <u>September</u>. Mail to: Navy Operational Support Center Youngstown, ATTN: MSVC-MOAA, 3976 King Graves Road, Bldg. 540, Vienna, OH 44473-5980. Please make your lodging reservations directly with the Eagle's Nest Lodge at the YARS (Phone Number: 330-609-1268 and mention "MOAA Convention," NLT <u>8 September</u>. The room rate is \$60 per night per night. Total costs are much less that previous OCC conventions due to this special location.

Please mark your calendars, come out and support your chapter and MOAA. See you at the 2017 Ohio Council of Chapters Convention!!

# **Ohio Council of Chapters State Convention**

22 – 24 September 2017—Youngstown Air Reserve Station

#### **AGENDA**

### Friday, 22 September:

1500 – 2000 Registration, Eagles Nest Lodge 1800 – 2100 Meet and Greet, Cash Bar w/ hors d'oeuvres and oldies DJ

<u>Saturday, 23 September</u>: (sport shirt/slacks) 0730 – 0830 Buffet Breakfast in the CAC 0730 – 0830 Registration Continues in the CAC

0830 - 0900 Opening Ceremony

Welcoming

Council President: Col Dick Calta, USAF, Ret. Chapter President MSVC: LTC Gary Williams, USA, Ret. Commander, 910th AW: Col Daniel Sarachene, USAFR

0900 - 1030 MORNING SPEAKERS

RADM Margaret Kitt, USPHS, Administrator, USPHS Region CAPT Nick Bartolotta, USCG, Commander 9th USCG District

1030 - 1040 BREAK

COL William E. Meade, OHARNG, Cdr, Camp Ravenna Ashley Lester, National Veterans Memorial & Museum

1200 - 1320 Buffet Lunch

1330 - 1630 AFTERNOON SPEAKERS & PROGRAM

1330 - 1400-Mr. Robert Edwards, DFAS

1400 - 1430 Col Sarachene, USAFR, Cdr, 910th AW

1430 - 1630 C-130 Orientation Flight

Locker Rooms Available for Changing

1845 – 1930 Social-Cash Bar in the CAC (coat & tie)

1930 – 2130 Banquet in the CAC

2130 - 2300 Cash Bar in the CAC

Speaker: Lt Gen Dana Atkins, USAF, Ret., MOAA President & CEO

### Sunday, 24 September:

 $0730-0800\ \mbox{Non-denominational}$  Chapel Service in the CAC

Maj Phyllis Plear, Council Chaplain

0800 - 0900 Buffet Breakfast in the CAC

0900 - 1200 OCC Quarterly Meeting

Speaker: COL Terri Coles, USA, Ret., MOAA Director, Council and Chapter Affairs

Contact Person: LTC Rod Hosler; phone: 330-788-3270; email: hosler1@zoominternet.net.

Room reservations NLT 8 September should be made directly with the Eagle's Nest Lodge at the Youngstown Air Reserve Station. Phone Number: 330-609-1268 is preferred, cite "MOAA Convention" as a block of rooms have been reserved. You may also use the <a href="http://af.dodlodging.net/">http://af.dodlodging.net/</a> web site. Room Rate: (\$60 per night/VIP Suite \$69 per night.) For further information visit: <a href="http://ar.dodlodging.net/">www.msvc-moaa.org</a>. Other hotels 8-miles from the YARS in the Warren/Niles Eastwood Mall area: Fairfield Inn, Holiday Inn, Residence Inn, or Hampton Inn.

Registration Form						
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# MOAA Convention booklet will have advertising space for sell

If you have a business or know someone that would like to buy space and support the convention

Full Page Ad This Size \$100 black & white typeset Scanned
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Make Check Payable to MSVC-MOAA Send by mail to: Navy Operational Support Center Youngstown Attn: MSVC-MOAA

Janet L. Oglesby, Secretary 3976 King Graves Road Bldg 540

Vienna, OH 44473-5980

Information can be sent electronically to jlo52800@neo.rr.com deadline Sept 1.

Donations of Gift Cards and Gift Baskets are needed to be part of our Chinese Auction at our Convention contact Florence Hosler if you wish donate 330-788-3270 hoslerfm@zoominternet.net Patron List \$5.00 per one line name

Half Page Ad This Size \$50 black & white typeset

### August 2017 – Mahoning and Shenango Valleys Chapter Newsletter – Page Seven

# Membership Renewal or Application for Mahoning and Shenango Valleys Chapter

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Son of Mark an	d Patty Andrews				LTC Wil Kline, USAR, No	rfolk, Virginia			
Maj Matt Andrew, USAF, Randolph AFB in San Antonio, Texas Air Education and Training Command (AETC)  Son of Jim & Carrie Hosack, LTJG Brennan Hosack, USN, Key West, Florida				LT BJ Sacramento, USN, Youngstown Navy Reserve Center					
				MAJ Lisa Stremel, USA,	SA, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii				
			-	1st Lt Kristina Valentic, MC—USAFR, Youngstown Air Force Reserve Station					
Son of Tom & Julia MacRae			-	YSU ROTC Graduates					
Maj John MacRae, USAF, Elgin AFB, Florida F35 instructor pilot.				}	2013—1LT Eric Hippley, USA, Elmendorf/Richardson Alaska  2013—1LT Jacob Rafidi, USA, Germany  2014—1LT Tyler Strohecker, USA Fort Rucker Alabama training for HH-60M Blackhawk helicopters				
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Active Duty Chapter Members					2016–2LT David Smith,	th, Infantry,			
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**August Birthdays:** 1–Eric Hippley, 4–US Coast Guard, 18–Joe Mersol, 18–Deanne Thomas, 19–Fr Dan Rohan, 20–Doc Sweeney, 21–Jim Borgen, 22–Jacob Rafidi, 23–Walt Duzzny, 23–Linda Calta, 27–David Kountz, 29–Marine Corps Reserve, 30–George Jarbeck

**September Birthdays**: 1–Nick Pacalo, 1–Bill Schoenfeld, 5–Bill Petro, 6–Dick Calta, 14–Matt Chikosky, 16–John Wingerter, 17–Peter Mihai, 18–US Air Force, 23–Jim Swager, 27–Sandy Leasure, 29–Lisa Stremel



Military Officers Association of America NOSC–Youngstown 3976 King Graves Road Bldg #540 Vienna, OH 44473-5980



# Free Bus Trip to D-Day on Friday, August 18th



The Mahoning County Veterans Service Commission is sponsoring a trip to the 2017 D-Day Renactment on Friday, August 18 in Conneaut Ohio.

There will be two 45 passenger buses departing the Mahoning County Veterans Service Commission at the Oak Hill Renaissance Center (old South Side Hospital), 345 Oak Hill Avenue, Youngstown on Friday, 18 August at 7:00 A.M. in the morning for D-Day Conneaut. People need to be there no later than 6:30 AM.

Reservations for the bus need to be made by calling: 330-740-2450. Snacks and a sack lunch will be provided along with bottle water. The bus will depart Conneaut about 3:00 P.M. to return to Youngstown. Dress for warm weather.

Received this note last Friday from Stubbs. The day draws near and seats are few, under 20 seats still remain for the D-day trip.

Delmas E. Stubbs, Veterans Outreach Coordinator Ph: 330.740.2450 Ext 8392 <u>dstubbs@mahoningcountyoh.gov</u>

# MSVC-MOAA Thursday, <u>Aug 24<sup>th</sup> at YARS</u> Steak Fry and Corn Roast, RSVP by <u>Aug 21<sup>st</sup></u>

Steak Fry is at Youngstown Air Force Reserve Station Picnic Pavilion. Pavilion is near the USO/chapel and the medical building. Minimal walking distance from parking lot and restrooms located inside the pavilion.

Who: MSVC members, their spouses and family, and friends. Surviving spouse members, family and friends.

Social: 1800 (6:00 P.M.) beverage provided

Dinner 1830 (6:30 P.M.) Attire: Summer Casual

*Menu*: 8 oz. filet, baked potato, tossed salad, corn-on-the-cob, rolls, dessert, bottled water and coffee.

Cost: \$22 per person

Program: Several of our area legislators have been invited.

Legislators policy is they will do not commit until 10–14 days before the event.

**RSVP:** You can pay at the door with cash, check, credit or debit card. *If you want a steak you need a reservation*.

- 1. Call Janet Oglesby, 330-568-4456 (leave a message if no answer, a text message will be sent to cell phone).
- 2. Or Email Janet at djo52800@neo.rr.com
- 3. Or use the web site <a href="https://www.msvc-moaa.org">www.msvc-moaa.org</a> and pay through PayPal with a credit card.