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**General Order Number FIVE, series 2006-2007, FEBRUARY 3TH., 2007.
To all Grand Council members, Grand President, Past Grand
Commanders, Seam Squirrels and CCDB's.**

These orders are to be read at your next Scratch

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK EVERYONE WHO
ATTENDED WINTER COUNCIL MEETING.

Official visits have now been made to Pup Tents has been high on
the priority list and next stop hopefully will be to the Pup Tent
in Bristol.

The recruitment has been good for this year. Please continue to
sign-up new members to the VFW. Everyone that joins the VFW is a
potential Cootie to make our seams more healthier. Current
memberships for the Grand is not at 100%.but for those Pup Tents
that already achieved this goal. WELL DONE. To those Pup Tents
that have not sent in the reports or reach 100 0/0.
All of your efforts are appreciated & a Lousy Cootie is a Good
VFW Member. Thanks for all your help.

Once again: Remember the VFW Booster Program and sign up a
member for your Post. And PLEASE
FILL OUT THOSE BOOSTER REPORTS & SEND THEM IN.

To The Grand Quartermaster Gary Dressel at gray8953@comcast.net or
703-447-3607.

Pup Tent Notice:

All candidates for office in the Grand should ensure a copy of their DD-
214 is in file with the Grand Adjutant.

Grand Fun Day will be hosted by Pup Tent #5, Phoebus, Va. on
March 3, 2007.

More information contact Seam Squirrel Pete Fitzpatick at
Pijfitz1@cox.net.

S.S. Kevin Ehrhardt PT.#1 talk about the Kickball tournament
in Norfolk, April 14th., 2007. Sweetheart Dance Feb. 10th.
cost is \$10.00 per person. \$500.00 Saving Bond to be raffle
off at the Sweetheart. \$2.00 each raffle ticket.

For further information contact Kevin at zrocksman@juno.com

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Butch Schupska Pup Tent #1 talk about the joint installation on March 24th.,2007 at 3:00P.M. at Post 3160 Ocean View, Norfolk,Va. For further information contact Butch at hpschupska@verizon.net

Supreme General Order#2 Article 18 as Published in the COOTIE Courier: From the Supreme Commander - Cootie George Massarella Pup # 1 is hereby order to wear pink tassels for the remainder of the “ together We Can,2006-2007” year for disrespect to the Supreme Commander. The above mentioned tassels can be surrender to the Supreme Commander at the 88th. Supreme Scratch in Kansas City, at which time he may revert to his normal tassels. I believe the Grand should insure that this individual is not out of uniform.

The 4th. Supreme Council Member & Grand Commander Presented the tassels to Cootie Massarella.
The Grand commander ordered that Cootie Massarella will be known & called Cootie Pinky during the remainder of the current Grand Commander term.

The following read from an e -mail from the Tomb trek Treasurer.

“To All: Listen up Cooties:
The Cootie Courier just came out however nothing was MENTIONED ABOUT THE 73TH. Tomb Trek to be held this November 2nd. Through 4th. 2007.

The reason I am e-mailing you all in the 4th. Supreme District is because most of you all sent in early wreath and registrstions forms, so I would like to advise you all of the following changes just in case you want to do the same this year/New wreath price will be \$25.00 this is because we will have \$5.00 increase in our cost.

New Banguet price will be #45.00 this is because the hotel is raising their cost.

New Bus fee \$10.00

New Registration will be \$15.00

Total Early Full Registration will be \$ 70.00 only \$ 15.00 more than last years, five years (that I am aware of) not to bad.

You can send early wreath and registrations starting now just make sure to give me pup tent number and names along with your choice if chicken or beef dinner.

James Brady

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I would like to remind you all the Hotel Room will now be \$104.00 plus tax per night only a \$5.00 increase again not too bad considering the location.

Hope to see you all at 73th. Tom Trek.

James Brady

Tom Trek Treasurer

202-549-9533 Cell

jbrady@ushmm.org”

Do not forget to submit require data to Supreme.

Now is the time to start thinking about making plans to attend 4th. Supreme District Meeting in Maryland . Further information will be coming your way soon.

Reminder the elections for the Grand are near - start campaigning.

L.O.T.C.S.

Grand Commander

Grand Adjutant

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Request for e-mail addresses. There are still a few cooties that have not submitted and e-mail address. Please submit a current e-mail address so you won't be left out when information is sent throughout the Grand.

REMEMBER: To find out the latest on the happenings in the seams consult the SUPREME WEBSITE at: <http://www.lotcs.org>

Check the VFW Department of Virginia WEBSITE for the latest COOTIE “BULLETS” for any current new prior to being put in the General Orders.

Tomb Trek: The turn out was one of the largest in Tomb Trek history.

A special thanks to Moca and the ladies from Pup Tents 1,2,9, and 14. Without their assistance and help we would not have had the success we had at Tomb Trek. I would also like to thank the cooties from Pup Tents 1,2,4,5,9, and 14 who help the room in order and the drinks flowing. Thanks for all the food donations. Because of the turn out at Tomb Trek we had a hard time keeping food available for all the cooties at Tomb Trek. Without the support of the cooties and ladies auxiliary the Virginia hospitality room would not have been the best ever. Thank You.
Lets make next year even bigger.

Winter Council Meeting is January 19-21, 2007. It is time to make plans for your reservation now. It will be held at the Crown Plaza Williamsburg at Fort Magruder, Williamsburg, Va. (757)220-2250.

Reservations must be made before December 27th, 2006 to receive the room rate of \$60.00.

The MOC Council of Administration Meeting will be held on Saturday, January 20th, 2007 at 10:00 A.M. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND & ENCOURAGE OTHER COOTIES TO BE THERE. See you there. You can find the complete schedule of activities by going to the VFW Department of Virginia website.

In closing, I again thank all of you for your support AND wish you a HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON and a FRUITFULL NEW YEAR.

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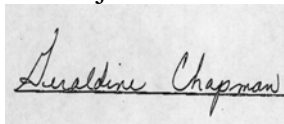


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