



### **A GATHERING WITH FELLOWS, MARINES AND FRIENDS**

March 2018

A group of HBS Fellows, Marines and friends got together for a fun spring weekend in Phoenix on March 23-25, 2018. The weekend kicked off with a Friday dinner at a local favorite, L'Amore. On Saturday, the group gathered bright and early at Hava Java for coffee in preparation for a 4-hour hike in the McDowell Sonoran Preserve. After the hike, Luke Larson graciously hosted a lunch and a tour at the Axon facility. Sticking with tradition, a "Tribe" meeting was then held, which included everyone giving a 5-minute update on their current life activities. The focus of the meeting then shifted to the MBA Fellows who were soon to graduate from HBS, and we addressed any pressing questions or issues they had about the business world and their future professional aspirations. It was a valuable opportunity for them to get feedback from some very experienced people in the room. Following the meeting, some of the group members visited the Day Family Office for a brief tour. The festivities for Saturday evening involved cocktails and dinner in a private room at Donovan's Steak House, which was followed by drinks and cigars at the Day residence. Prior to departing for home on Sunday, the group enjoyed a Sunday brunch at the Arizona Biltmore. It was a memorable gathering and great fun for all.



## FELLOWSHIP MARINES ON THE MOVE



*Col Denise Mull*



*Col James Ryans*



*Col Jason Morris*



*Col James Wellons*

### **NEW HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL EXECUTIVE EDUCATION RECIPIENTS**

April - August 2018

We are pleased to announce that Colonel Denise Mulls and Colonel James Ryans were selected as the twenty-third and twenty-fourth recipients of the Timothy T. Day Marine Corps Executive Education Fellowship at Harvard Business School. Colonel Jason Morris and Colonel James Wellons were also recently selected as the twenty-fifth and twenty-sixth recipients.

Mull and Ryans completed the Advanced Management Program in late May, while Morris and Wellons will be starting the program in early September.



*Left to right; Colonel Adams, Colonel Mull, Ranjay Gulati, Chair of the Advanced Management Program at Harvard Business School and 37th Commandant of USMC, General Robert B. Neller.*

In April, Ranjay Gulati facilitated a visit at Harvard Business School with Commandant Neller. It was noted that the Commandant's visit was highly popular and served as a source of motivation that resonated throughout the AMP 194 class.





# FELLOWSHIP MARINES ON THE MOVE

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The Foundation is proud of its continued relationship with our Fellowship Marines, and enjoy sharing their promotions, life experiences, and adventures with you.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **BRIGADIER GENERAL JIM ADAMS** has been promoted to the rank of Brigadier General. Jim is currently serving as the Director, Capabilities Development Directorate; Combat Development & Integration, Headquarters Marine Corps, Quantico, VA.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL ERIC AUSTIN** has been promoted to the rank of Brigadier General. Eric assumed duties as the Deputy Director, Joint Training, Joint Staff J7 in Suffolk, VA.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL FRANK DONOVAN** recently finished a two-year tour in the Kingdom of Bahrain commanding Naval Amphibious Forces, Task Force 51/5th Marine Expeditionary. His next assignment is to the Joint Special Operations Command serving as an Assistant Commanding General in Fort Bragg, NC.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL JIM GLYNN** currently serves as the Commanding General of Marine Corps Recruit Depot Parris Island and Eastern Recruiting Region, SC.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL RYAN HERITAGE** is currently serving as Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Western Recruiting Region in San Diego, CA.
- **COLONEL JIM JENKINS** has retired from active duty and is currently serving as an Advisor to the UAE Army as they establish an AH-60 Armed Blackhawk battalion, and has established Integris Leadership, LLC to provide leadership and lifestyle coaching for business and community leaders.
- **COLONEL DENISE MULL** is now serving as the Commanding Officer of Combat Logistics Regiment 25, 2d Marine Logistics Group in Camp Lejeune, NC.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL (SEL) DAVE ODOM** has been nominated for appointment to the rank of Brigadier General. Dave is currently serving as Assistant Division Commander, 2d Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force in Camp Lejeune, NC.
- **COLONEL JIM RYANS** is now the Commanding Officer of Headquarters Battalion, 2d Marine Division in Camp Lejeune, NC.
- **COLONEL TODD SIMMONS** is currently serving as the Director MAGTF Staff Training Program in Quantico, VA.
- **MAJOR GENERAL GEORGE SMITH** is pending assignment as the Senior Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense in Washington, D.C.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL BOB SOFGE** is currently serving as the Deputy Commander for Marine Forces Pacific in Hawaii.
- **BRIGADIER GENERAL MATT TROLLINGER** is now the Commander Task Force 51/5th Marine Expeditionary Brigade in the Kingdom of Bahrain.



## FELLOWSHIP MARINES ON THE MOVE

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- **WARD AULT** is now an investment broker with Morgan Stanley and lives in New York, NY.
- **PATRICK CLEARY** and his wife, Ronica, welcomed their second child, Preston, on April 4, 2018.
- **BRAD HOLDEN** and his fiancée, Christina, were married on June 2, 2018. They moved to San Francisco, CA, and Brad started a new job as a product manager for Autodesk, Inc.
- **MICHAEL LEBLANC** and his wife, Chiryze, welcomed their second child, Claire, on July 26, 2018.
- **AHRON ODDMAN** is now Area Vice President of Sales at nCino, Inc.
- **DAN WEST** has moved to Houston, TX, where he works with SCF Partners, providing entrepreneurs with equity capital and strategic growth assistance.



*Preston Cleary.*



*Brad and Christina Holden.*



*The LeBlanc Family:  
Michael, Chiryze, little Mike and Claire.*





## OTHER NEWS

### A VISIT TO THE K-9 PROGRAMS AT CAMP PENDLETON

May 2018

On May 21, 2018, Tim and Sandy Day, and HBS Fellow, Mike LeBlanc, and his wife, Chirzye, visited the various K-9 programs at Camp Pendleton. The group learned a great deal about the various K-9 missions and more importantly, met first-hand the tremendous group of Marines and civilians responsible for executing the missions. A highlight of the day was learning that the Camp Pendleton Brig partners with Tender Loving Canines (TLC) Assistance Dogs to create the POOCH (Prisoners Overcoming Obstacles & Creating Hope) program.

POOCH was designed to provide inmates with vocational training, thus enabling employment opportunities upon release from confinement. Training dogs helps rehabilitate prisoners by teaching selflessness and responsibility through taking care of a living animal. They learn trust, unconditional love, and develop patience with new and untrained dogs. The POOCH program also meets an increasing demand for service dogs. Each trained dog is given at no cost to disabled veterans and veteran families with autistic children. A big

thank you to all who created such an interesting day - BGen Killea, Col Keane, Sgt Biggs, Warrant Officer Nolan, the TLC team, Theresa, and the War Dog team...especially Gary, and Vanessa.



### IN THE SPOTLIGHT



Meet two of the heros who lead the way to provide urgently needed resources and support for post 9/11 combat wounded, critically ill and catastrophically injured members of the U.S. Armed Forces and their families.

*Semper Fi Fund CEO and Founder, Karen Guenther (standing) and Vice President, Western Region – Case Management Western Region, Sondria Saylor, visited the Day Family Office in March 2018.*





## OTHER NEWS

### TIMOTHY T. DAY FOUNDATION PARTNERS WITH SWOSU TO ENHANCE BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CENTER

Since an important mission of the Foundation is to improve facilities and programs at educational institutions that strengthen free enterprise and economic development, we are delighted to announce an exciting new collaboration with Southwestern Oklahoma State University (SWOSU). The Foundation's \$300,000 investment will specifically benefit the SWOSU Business Enterprise Center (BEC), which links entrepreneurs and organizations to helpful tools and resources including financing, business planning, economic modelling, and much more.



SWOSU President Randy Beutler, Leslie Pellillo, Tim Day, Sandy Day, SWOSU BEC Analyst Max Pyron.

The Foundation's contribution will provide much-needed capital improvements to the BEC, and allow for expansion of the BEC's workforce training programming and activities. The Foundation gift will also provide endowed funding to support ongoing needs of the BEC into the future. To recognize the significance of the Foundation's support, the BEC will be re-named "The Timothy T. Day Business Enterprise Center."

*"I will always be grateful to the people of Oklahoma for the vital role they played in making Bar-S Foods a successful company and an industry leader – so I'm excited about this partnership and look forward to helping the SWOSU community,"* commented Tim. Bar-S Foods currently has four close operations in Oklahoma (Clinton, Elk City, Altus, and Lawton), and employs over 1,500 people including 50 SWOSU graduates.

*"The generous investment of the Timothy T. Day Foundation in the SWOSU BEC will allow our institution to more effectively equip local businesses to assess new technologies, to analyze markets, and to deliver needed internships and external experiences for our students. We are truly honored to join the family of causes that have benefitted from the philanthropic and visionary spirit of Tim and Sandy Day,"* said SWOSU President Dr. Randy L. Beutler.



Architectural renderings of the Timothy T. Day Business Enterprise Center post-refurbishment.





## OTHER NEWS



### “HOW DO WE MAKE IT BETTER” PODCAST SERIES

By Doug Abdiel

“A Podcast where we explore how thoughtful people from Government, the Private Sector, Social Enterprise, and nonprofits are trying to make the world a better place. Listen to their case, and see if you want to help, if not, then just enjoy listening to someone with a very different perspective.”

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**Tim Day: A Retrospective on the Marine Corps, Business, and Philanthropy.**

**Introduction by Sarah Ford, CEO of Ranch Road Boots and the first Marine Fellow at HBS.**

*“Tim Day moved from humble beginnings in Brooklyn to the Marine Corps to HBS to business leadership, and ultimately to philanthropy focused on education, animal welfare, and the Marine Corps. Listening to him challenges the notion that we are in any way living in a unique moment of history. There is something that nearly everyone can take from his story.” – Sarah Ford*



LISTEN HERE



*Brigadier General Bob Sofge and his wife, Adrienne, visited with Tim and Sandy in Jackson Hole, WY, for a little R&R in July. Also pictured is family friend, Carl King.*





## OTHER NEWS



### DAY FAMILY OFFICE ENJOYS A RETREAT IN JACKSON, WYOMING

August 2018

The Family Office team enjoyed its annual retreat in Jackson, WY, August 6 – 10, 2018. It was a fun, busy week filled with meetings, visits to some of the organizations the Foundation supports, scenic hikes and drives, and some memorable dining experiences. One of the highlights of the week was going on a private hike of the trail improvements underway at Jenny Lake. The Grand Teton National Park Foundation (GTNPF) campaign called “Inspiring Journeys” is funding the project, and the Foundation is proud to support the campaign by specifically funding the reconstruction of the South Cascade Creek Trail. We’ve been monitoring the progress over the last three years, and it’s exciting to see that the project is near completion. During our hike, we stopped to taste some ripe huckleberries on the trail, and a big black bear decided to join us! While the encounter was scary at first, the bear paid no attention to us and wandered on, and we all marveled at what we had just seen. Seeing beautiful wildlife up close is a spectacular sight and what makes Jackson so special.





# Lulu's CORNER



Featuring Stories Of The Heart From Rescue Organizations Supported By Lulu's Fund



Lulu is surrounded by her many fans at PACC911's "Glimmer of Hope" fundraising event held on February 11, 2018, at the Arizona Biltmore Hotel. Lifesaving dollars were raised to help animals in need including funding for [Lulu's Angel Fund](#).

Congratulations to Arizona Pet Project as they celebrated their 15<sup>th</sup> Annual HERO Awards fundraising event. The event was held March 10, 2018, at the Omni Montelucia Resort in Paradise Valley, AZ. Lulu's Fund was once again a very proud sponsor!

[Check out their video here.](#)





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Lulu's Fund was once again excited to do the \$25,000 paddle raise match during the Animal Adoption Center's "New Leash on Life" fundraising event held at Snake River Ranch on July 14, 2018. With every dollar raised, the Animal Adoption Center is able to save the lives of more homeless animals.

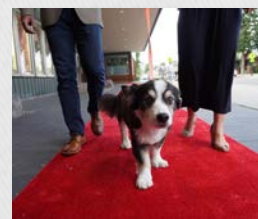
**PLEASE WATCH THIS POWERFUL VIDEO WHICH HIGHLIGHTS THE POSITIVE IMPACT AAC'S SPAY/NEUTER WYOMING PROGRAM IS MAKING ACROSS THEIR STATE. NOT TO BE MISSED!**



Lulu's Fund was a proud sponsor of the "Tuxes & Tails" fundraising event for PAWS of Jackson Hole on June 22, 2018. Dollars raised at this event help fund many of their programs including MEDFUND.

Click on the link below to read the heartwarming story of Bullet who was rescued from a life of cruelty, but with the help of MEDFUND and foster mom Aska Langman, now only knows a life of love. After this video was completed Aska, Will and the many animals living at their home adopted Bullet into their family. [This video is sure to make you smile!](#)

*Pictured to the right are Peggy, Will, Aska and Bullet. Below are guests from the Tuxes & Tails event.*





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Meet 12-year-old Belle who was forced to live crippled and in excruciating pain for 5-7 years. Then she was shoved into a trailer and left at a Texas kill pen on her way to slaughter. Her life was valued at \$180. Animal Guardian Network (AGN) changed that for Belle. She received medical care from an AGN



*Belle, before and after her treatment*

affiliated hospital in Texas before relocating to AGN's sanctuary in Arizona. She now receives plenty of love while she continues to heal.

**TO WATCH BELLE'S AMAZING STORY OF RESCUE, REHABILITATION AND HER SECOND CHANCE AT A NEW LIFE, [FOLLOW THIS LINK.](#)**



*Peter Rork and Hobbs*

Congratulations to Dog is My CoPilot (DIMC) who recently celebrated their **10,000th** rescue! Peter Rork, co-founder of DIMC, adopted Hobbs, the 10,000th dog flown to safety who is a Labrador Retriever from Hobbs, New Mexico.





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**FIGHTING FOR DAWN**  
fightingfordawn.com

Meet Suzie who is learning to drive Fighting for Dawn's (FFD) new rescue vehicle! Suzie was the first FFD rescue dog aided by Lulu's Fund. We were so happy to assist them with the purchase of their new transport SUV which will enable them to help so many more animals in need.



**National Mill Dog Rescue™**

Lulu's Fund helps fund medical care to dogs like 12 year old Violet who was recently rescued by National Mill Dog Rescue from a puppy mill.



Monsoon season has wreaked havoc this season on so many. Lulu's Fund was able to help 2nd "Chance" Dog Rescue with supplies for rebuilding.



FIND LULU'S FUND ON FACEBOOK, TOO!

**CHECK US OUT ON OUR WEBSITE**

<https://tdayfoundation.org/>





# Lulu's Corner



Congratulations to Rusty's Angels Sanctuary on the purchase of their new property. Lulu's Fund was able to contribute to their "Heaven on Earth" campaign which will provide many more senior dogs a loving place to call home.



Left to right: PAWS of Jackson Hole, Executive Director, Amy Romaine, Lily Pellillo, Tia Hendel, Sandy Day, Leslie Pellillo and TVCAS Board Member, Heather Letty, August 2018.

