

**Sons of The American Legion
Detachment News**

As I write this week's installment, I have just returned from Grover-Hinckley Post 14 in Fairfield. The monthly Post meeting had quite a guest list: Squadron 14 and District 10 Commander Dale Gordon, Detachment vice Commander Brian Danforth, myself, Past Department Commander Herman Wright III and Department Commander John Doyle. The purpose of this visit was to present them their new Squadron Charter. Their original was lost over the years so they applied for a replacement. National came through with a reissue of their original charter even dated 1962! We applaud the great work being done at Post 14 and their whole Legion Family. Dale and the sons are building a squadron to be proud of and we expect great things from them in the future.

Special Olympics of Maine will hold its annual toll booth fund raiser at Old Orchard Beech this Saturday, August 16, from noon to 2 p.m. The Legion family of Maine has always been a strong supporter of this wonderful children & youth program. Treat yourselves to a Saturday at Old Orchard Beach and please swing by the toll booth and put some coin in the basketball so these special Olympians may compete.

Don't forget that we have a website www.mainesal.org so click it and see what's new.

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