



# MOSS CREEK MARINES ADOPTED UNITS



Pictures Of This Unit Not Available

**ADOPTED UNIT NO. 2**  
**2nd LIGHT ARMORED BAT., 6th MARINES**  
**250 MARINES**

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**Subject:**

**FW: Second Xbox 360**

From: "Tooman 1stSgt Jason C (GCE 2LAR A Co 1stSgt)"  
To: "Roger Garreau"  
Sent: Sunday, January 21, 2007 4:48  
Subject: RE: Second Xbox 360

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You guys are awesome. The boys have the other one going non stop and I'm sure that they will get this one cranked up as well. I guess that is how this generation of warriors relaxes and even though I can think of more constructive ways this is what makes them happy. We all appreciate all that you have done for us.

I don't know what is going on with the letter I sent. There were actually a couple (40) that were sent out at the same time and my wife hasn't received any of hers either.

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From: Roger Garreau  
Sent: Sunday, January 21, 2007 3:56 AM  
To: Tooman 1stSgt Jason C (GCE 2LAR A Co 1stSgt)  
Cc: Wayne Buchholz; Terry Pulliam; Stan Potter; Roger Schearf; Rich Ulrich; Pete Tuning; Pete Adams; Pauletto Gosden; Paul Wood; Monroe Boaz; Mike Wartzberger; Marshall Wright; Malcolm Sherman; Lois Wilson; Lois Waldron; Ken Bills; Jim Foushee; Hank Parker; George McGovern; Gene Johnson; Fred Will; Don Ogden; Dick Eyer; Dick Berger; Chuck Najaka; Chuck McKenna; Buck Tauscher; Bob Morris; Bob Harding; Bill Mott; Alan Calderon; Hank Kovalanchik; Bob Simes  
Subject: Second Xbox 360

1st Sgt. Tooman,

I'm happy to report that a second Xbox 360 was mailed to you yesterday. We duplicated the same hardware that was in our first shipment but we sent a different game, Madden's Football. Please let me know when you receive the package and it's condition. We hope there is no damage but we insured the shipment so let me know.

Once again, we want you and the rest of the unit to know how much we appreciate the sacrifices you've made. Thank you!

Semper Fi, Roger Garreau  
Moss Creek Marines

PS: You mentioned a letter in one of your earlier emails but I have not received it to date.

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**Subject:** FW: New Unit "Adopted"

**From:** Roger Garreau  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 05, 2006 10:08 AM  
**To:** Dewig, Robert  
**Subject:** New Unit "Adopted"

Hi Rob,

The unit we adopted is the 2nd LAR (light armored recon) BN (battalion), A (Alpha) CO, Unit 73510. One of the unit's member is Cpl. Steven Oakes, who has been wounded twice but is back with the unit. His wife is Kristin Oakes, our receptionist at the Moss Creek Clubhouse. (It's nice to sort of keep it in the family!) In any event, through Kristin, we got to the unit's 1st Sgt. He wrote that they are in the process of setting up a "morale area" for the Marines to relax. Given their choice, they asked for the Xbox 360 video/entertainment system. Frankly, I didn't know an Xbox 360 from an F-18 (although my grand-son knew!). Yesterday Wayne Buchholz (he is the head of our Moss Creek Security and was our Narrator) and I went to the Parris Island Exchange and bought the system along with several accessories. After they receive the package in 7 to 10 days, we hope to find out what additional accessories are needed and we'll take it from there. We only sent one system (cost is about \$650 with accessories and shipping) at their request until they see how it stands up under the local conditions. For security reasons, we're not exactly sure where the unit is located.

Call me if you need any additional info. Thanks again, Roger

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**Subject:** FW: Unit Support

**From:** Tooman 1stSgt Jason C (GCE 2LAR A Co 1stSgt)  
**To:** Roger Garreau  
**Sent:** Friday, November 24, 2006 12:41  
**Subject:** RE: Unit Support

I am Cpl Oakes First Sergeant and have known him for three years. He is a good young Marine as I'm sure you already know. He was injured by an IED about two weeks ago and has come back to us ready to go. This kid can't or can catch a break depending on how you look at it. I have MEDIVACED him twice and he keeps coming back. I will be glad to assist you in any way possible. Could you give me an idea of some of the things that you have provided in the past? This will help in what area to request.

Thank You for supporting the Corps and the Oakes family.  
SEMPER FI and Happy Birthday

**1stSgt Jason C.Tooman**  
**A CO 2D LAR BN**  
**Combat Out Post Rawah Iraq.**

*FREEDOM ISNT FREE  
JUST ASK A MARINE*

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**From:** Roger Garreau [mailto:lorogar@hargray.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 23, 2006 4:04 PM  
**To:** Tooman 1stSgt Jason C (GCE 2LAR A Co 1stSgt)  
**Cc:** Malcolm Sherman; Bill Mott; Hank Parker; Wayne Buchholz  
**Subject:** Unit Support

To whom it may concern,

I received this email address from Kristen Oakes whose husband, Cpl. Steven Oakes, we are told is assigned to this unit. I represent a group of 30 former Marines who live in our community of Moss Creek, So. Carolina. In the past we have "adopted" Alpha Co., 2nd Recon. Bat. commanded by Capt. David Moreau and sent them supplies that they requested. That unit has returned to the States and we are looking to support another deployed unit. We are prepared to spend about \$1000 to \$1500 and ship needed supplies to about 60 to 100 members of a deployed unit. Ideally, if we could get the name and address of the CO for the unit of this size, we could proceed from there. The unit should include Cpl. Oakes since his wife is a member of the Moss Creek staff and we would like to select a unit that we can relate too. Lastly, if your CO could identify the goods that would best serve the unit, we can begin to assemble the materials.

In closing, let me add that our group spans several generations of former Marines from Guadalcanal to Iraq. We can appreciate your sacrifices and want to offer our continued support for your contributions.

Semper Fi, Roger Garreau  
Moss Creek Marines, Commanding