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Major General Thomas F. Barraga Honoree at the 240th Birthday of the United States Marine Corps



Shown in picture; Maj. Gen. Thomas F. Barraga N.Y.G. (Ret.) is pictured with fellow Marines from Headquarters and Service Company, 2nd Battalion, 25th Marines, 4th Marine Division in celebration of the 240th Birthday of the United States Marine Corps.

In celebration of the 240th Birthday of the United States Marine Corps, the Headquarters and Service Company, 2nd Battalion, 25th Marines, 4th Marine Division honored fellow Marine Maj. Gen. Thomas Barraga N.Y.G. (Ret) at their 240th Birthday Celebration at the Huntington Hilton in Melville, NY. Maj. Gen. Barraga was honored for his contributions while on active duty in establishing the first Wounded Warrior Unit, Maxwell Hall, for returning injured Marines at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. General Barraga told the 300 marines present that all Marines live by the code and values of Honor, Courage, and Commitment. As Marines we can be proud of our history, what the Corps has accomplished in Iraq and Afghanistan and that the future of the Marine Corps is secure and bright.