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SEA CADET NIGHT

Broward County and
Fort Lauderdale Councils
Invite you to join us at

SEA CADET NIGHT

Wednesday, September 26, 2016

6:00–7:00 PM Cash Bar
7:00 PM–Dinner and Meeting

Coral Ridge Yacht Club
2800 Yacht Club Blvd
Fort Lauderdale

\$40 per person

Checks should be made payable to
Fort Lauderdale Council NLUS

Please phone your RSVP to 954-522-8995
no later than 9AM on September 24

Admittance by reservation only



Photo from last year's event

JUNE DINNER SOCIAL

On June 14, Council members and guests enjoyed an educational event at the STAR Center in Dania Beach. Dinner was provided by Catering Affairs and guests enjoyed their choice of beef, salmon or chicken; all were delicious!



Bob Marks, Marianne Giambrone, Kathleen Sullivan,
Joe Giambrone and Erwin Sefton



Bruce Gottsch, Charles Murdock, Graeme Holman,
Adele Holman



STAR Center
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Soon we will be getting back to our regular schedules with schools starting and vacations over. It has been a hot summer, as usual, and we face a couple more months of this heat before temperatures begin to fall. While cooler temperatures would be welcome here, the Navy League and the Coast Guard are looking at much colder conditions-those in the Arctic. China and Russia are also focusing on the Arctic and both are adding to their fleets of ice breakers. The US has one ice breaker, the 42 year old Polar Star, which is well past retirement. Congress is being asked to approve \$750M for a new replacement. Additionally, a request for new ship procurement and readiness of \$26.6 billion needs approval. This will increase our fleet of ships to 355. Additional ships are much needed to maintain not only peace but to insure open and safe waters for commerce.

Happy Birthday to the US Coast Guard on August 4th and to the Marine Corps Reserve on August 19th.

It has been our pleasure to attend a number of Coast Guard events this summer from recognizing EPOQs to changes in commands and a retirement. Also, thanks to Glenn Wiltshire for collecting and delivering school supplies from Dollar Tree stores for distribution to the Coast Guard.

Our next dinner meeting will be in September. It will be a joint council meeting with the Fort Lauderdale Council. This event will focus on the Sea Cadets and the activities they participated in during the summer. This is always a favorite program and you won't want to miss it.

See you then .

Larry M. Ott
President



SEA CADETS



According to the U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps website, The Naval Sea Cadet Corps (NSCC) is the senior cadet program for young men and women ages 13-17 who are interested in developing their skills in leadership, basic seamanship, courage, self-reliance and discipline. Our cadets are also committed to being drug-, alcohol- and gang-free. The Navy League Cadet Corps (NLCC) is the junior program for the NSCC. The NLCC introduces boys and girls ages 10-13 to naval life through instruction in basic seamanship and leadership.

According to Wikipedia, the NSCC was founded in 1958 by the Navy League of the United States at the request of the Department of the Navy. In 1962, the USNSCC was chartered under Title 36 of the United States Code as a non-profit youth organization with an emphasis towards the sea-going services of the United States. The law was amended in 1974 to allow female participation in the USNSCC. In 2000, the U.S. Congress stated that the NSCC and related programs "provide significant benefits for the Armed Forces, including significant public relations benefits." Although under no service obligation, a sizeable percentage of cadets later enlist in the military. Former Sea Cadets also represent a percentage of students at the five federal service academies.

The US Naval Sea Cadet 'birthday' is celebrated on September 10 and each year, the Navy League proclaims the month of September as "Naval Sea Cadets Corps Month" in recognition of this youth program. And for the past several years, our Council has joined with Fort Lauderdale Council to honor cadets from the Spruance Division, under the leadership of Commander Alan Starr, a member of our Council's board of directors. Each summer, cadets attend a number of training programs which include subjects such as field medical school, cyber-defense and cyberwarfare, explosive ordnance disposal, search and rescue and many more. At our September dinner social, several cadets will share their stories of the summer training programs in which they have had the opportunity to participate. Please join us in supporting the future leaders of our country by attending the September 26th dinner at Coral Ridge Country Club. You will be amazed by the stories you hear.

COMMUNITY AFFILIATE

Community Affiliate members support our Council's grassroots efforts. Community Affiliate benefits include up to 4 individual Navy League memberships, a subscription to SEAPOWER magazine and SEAPOWER ALMANAC and recognition by our Council.

If your company would like to find out more about becoming a Community Affiliate, please contact us at browardnavyleague@gmail.com.

The Council appreciates the support of our community affiliate.

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BUSINESS CARD ADS

Do you own your own business or know someone that does? Please consider supporting the Council by placing a business card ad in the Council's newsletter, the Helmsman. For \$125, your ad will appear in the newsletter for an entire year (normally 10 issues). The Helmsman is sent out to more than 300 people including local politicians, military personnel and other military-related organizations.

For more information, please contact Marianne Giambrone at browardnavyleague@gmail.com.

VETERANS

On August 20, the Broward Veterans Coalition held its monthly meeting at the Tamarac Community Center. The guests for the meeting were US Congressman Ted Deutch (22nd District) and dignitaries of the Veterans Administration who honored Korean War and Vietnam War veterans. Broward County Commissioners Michael Udine and Nan Rich were also in attendance and assisted with the presentation of commemorative lapel pins to honor these special veterans.

Council Board member Joe Giambrone is also a Board member of the Broward Veterans Coalition and is shown in the photo with Congressman Deutch.



NOSC

On September 10, a change of command ceremony will be held at our adopted unit, Naval Operational Support Center (NOSC) Miami. At that time, CDR Tenisha Finley will transfer command of the unit to CDR Raul Rojas. Also new to the unit is Executive Officer LCDR Zachary Berglan.

The Council welcomes CDR Rojas and LCDR Berglan and looks forward to continuing our support of these outstanding Navy reservists.

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THE STAR CENTER



After the presentation at STAR Center, the group returned to the conference room where Council President Larry Ott recognized new members Lawrence Denmark and Charles Murdock (photo above). Larry also presented Mr. Murdock (National Secretary-Treasurer of American Maritime Officers) with a plaque for their continued support of the Council (photo right).



THE STAR CENTER

Council member and Head, Operations at STAR Center Graeme Holman gave an overview of the Center and the type of training available. We also heard from four students currently enrolled in their TECH Program (photo below) Training is given at the Center 49 weeks a year to an average of 2,500 students per year. There are currently 20 classrooms and 12 simulators at the Center.



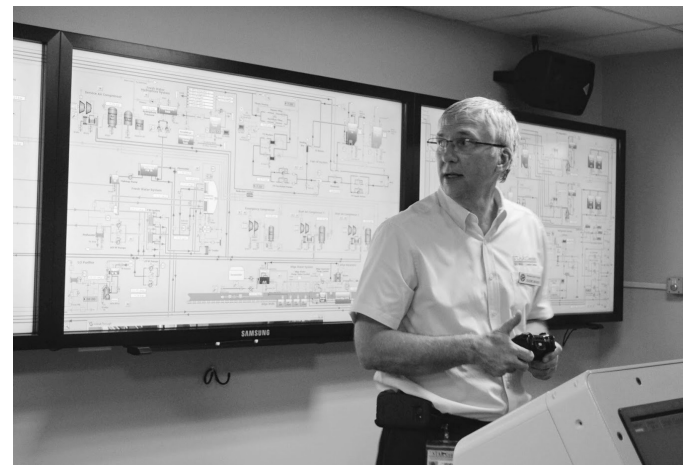
Graeme then proceeded to explain some of the computers used by the students (photo below) before bringing the group to the bridge simulator.



The group “sailed” into New York City after “experiencing” some high seas. We saw New York’s harbor during the day, at night and in the rain and snow; we saw a nearby ship caught on fire while our “ship” went to their aide.



We then moved onto the engine room simulator which utilized touch screens. We experienced a power loss, checked the engine for the problem and got it going again.



VOICE TO CONGRESS

Its now easier than ever to write members of Congress about important sea services issues. The Navy League has switched platforms for its Voice to Congress site which is available at:

www.voterveice.net/NavyLeague/home

At the National Convention held in Portland Oregon in June, the following information was shared at a presentation made by National President Alan Kaplan using data provided by the National Vice President for Legislative Affairs & Sea Services' Report to the Board of Directors. It shows what can be accomplished through the action taken by Navy League members.

Almost 55,000 emails were sent to political leaders in 2017 through Voice to Congress which helped secure multiple victories for the sea services. The list below shows some of the Navy League's recommendations followed by the results. Thanks to all members who helped make these victories possible by contacting their political leaders.

Recommended: Repeal Budget Control Act
Result: Budget Control Act caps raised for FY18 and FY19 by almost \$300 billion

Recommended: Grow the US Navy fleet to 355 ships; US Marine Corps needs 38 amphibious ships
Result: A 355-ship Navy goal was codified in law in the FY18 NDAA, including a requirement for 38 amphibious ships; a shipbuilding & conversion budget over \$20B in FY17 and FY18, breaking historical norms and an additional amphibious ship for USMC

Recommended: Invest in Readiness
Result: Increased funding for Navy and USMC aircraft

Recommended: ACI budget of at least \$2B/year for Coast Guard
Result: \$2.7B in ACI funding in FY18

Recommended: Six Fast Response Cutters per year
Result: Six Fast Response Cutters in FY17, FY18

Recommended: Increased Hurricane Supplemental funds for the Coast Guard
Result: Hurricane response funded at \$411.1M over request; nearly double original

Recommended: Fund Maritime Security Program at \$300M/year
Result: \$300M fully funded for Maritime Security Program in FY17 and FY18

LT JESSICA SHAFER

As reported in the May edition of The Helmsman, Lt Jessica Shafer, Executive Officer at Coast Guard Station Fort Lauderdale, and a good friend of the Council departed for her new assignment. On June 18, she became the Commanding Officer of Coast Guard Station Cape Disappointment, the largest Coast Guard search and rescue station on the Northwest Coast. The following story and photo appeared in the Chinook Observer.

After 141 years, Coast Guard Station Cape Disappointment welcomed its first female commander during a time-honored ceremony on June 18. Lt. Jessica Shafer was formally put in charge of the station where she served between 2002 and 2006 with the neighboring National Motor Lifeboat School. During Monday's traditional ceremony, departing Lt. Cmdr. Thomas Condit transferred command to Shafer, with Capt. Bill Timmons, commander of Sector Columbia River, presiding. Shafer most recently served as executive officer at Station Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Shafer received her officer commissioning in 2013 after starting her Coast Guard career in 2002 as an enlisted member. Her first assignment out of Training Center Cape May, New Jersey, was at the National Motor Lifeboat School, which partners with Station Cape Disappointment. During her enlisted career, Shafer earned her coxswain, heavy weather coxswain, tactical coxswain and surfman qualifications, as well as multiple boarding officer certifications. "Surfman" is among the Coast Guard's highest-level qualifications. In 2006, Cape D's Beth Slade was the only woman in the entire active Coast Guard with the rank, which allows those who have it to drive boats on search-and-rescue missions in the most dangerous conditions. As of this March, there were only four active-duty female surfmen. All Shafer's experience will come in handy at Cape D, one of the nation's busiest maritime search-and-rescue facilities. Operations at the cape and adjacent waters are known as the "Graveyard of the Pacific."



Lt. Shafer, Capt Timmons and Lt. Cmdr. Condit

NAVY LEAGUE NATIONAL CONVENTION

The Navy League National Convention took place in Portland Oregon from June 6-9. Council Members Marianne Giambrone and Joe Giambrone attended.

At the convention:

The Council was recognized as a "Meritorious" Council for its activities during 2017. The rating is based on the Council's support of our Sea Service personnel and their families, support of our youth groups, interaction with our legislators, and education of the public on the mission of the Navy League. Marianne accepted the award plaque from National President Alan Kaplan on behalf of the Council.

The Council's newsletter, The Helmsman, was awarded a 3rd place Mackie award in the newsletter category. The Donald M. Mackie Awards were established in 1964 to encourage more effective communication between Navy Leaguers. The award honors excellence in both print and web-based communication. Marianne is the Editor of The Helmsman and accepted the award plaque from National President Alan Kaplan.

Council member Joe Giambrone was elected to serve as the Navy League National Treasurer. Joe previously served as the National Vice President, Finance and Investments. Joe is on the Council's Board of Directors and has previously served in several positions at both the Council and National level.

Council member Marianne Giambrone was elected to serve as a National Director. Marianne currently serves as the Council Second Vice President, its Membership & Retention Chairperson, Communications Chairperson and the Newsletter Editor.

Fort Lauderdale Council member Patricia "Pat" Dumont was elected to serve another term as a National Vice President. Pat has served in numerous positions at both the local and National level.

Fort Lauderdale Council member Lynn Drucker was elected to serve as the Florida Region President overseeing numerous Florida Councils. She previously served as the South Florida Area President as well as the President of the Fort Lauderdale Council. Lynn is also a National Director.

Fort Lauderdale Council member Elaine Hogg was elected to serve as the South Florida Area President and will oversee the South Florida Councils. Elaine is currently the First Vice President of the Fort Lauderdale Council and is also a National Director.

Attendees at the Convention were able to share ideas with other Navy Leaguers from around the world. Several days were spent attending seminars on topics including the Member Portal, membership, maritime policy, youth programs, communications and social media.



Marianne accepted the award plaques from National President Alan Kaplan (photo from NLUS website)

The Council

President Breakfast/Roundtable gave attendees a chance to share ideas (photo from NLUS website)



Elaine Hogg and



Joe Giambrone at one of the evening events



Florida Navy Leaguers enjoyed dinner at a local Portland restaurant. (seated) Sonia Foster, Marianne and Joe Giambrone, Gerry St Germaine (standing) Casey Colton, Lynn Drucker

JROTC RECOGNITION

Each year, the Council recognizes the achievements of graduating cadets from 5 local high school JROTC units. Each cadet is presented with a Navy League Youth Medal at the school's award night. The medal is more commonly referred to as a Teddy Roosevelt medal since the Navy League was founded in 1902 with the encouragement of President Theodore Roosevelt.

The list of cadets from 4 of our sponsored school were listed in the May Helmsman. Below is information that was not available at that time.

On May 17, Board Member Alan Starr attended Stranahan High School's Marine Corps JROTC award night. Alan presented the Navy League's Teddy Roosevelt medal to outstanding Cadet Anthony Alexander. Also shown in the photo is the Stranahan HS principal (photo provided by Joe Motes)



On May 23, Board Member George Reeves attended the Mast Academy Coast Guard JROTC Mako Battalion annual awards ceremony. George, on behalf of the Miami Council, presented the outstanding Coast Guard award along with a \$500 scholarship check to Cadet Caitlyn Meneses. George also presented the Navy League's Teddy Roosevelt medal to Cadet Austin Lacayo. Lt. Phillips, Senior Maritime Science instructor, is in both photos. (George Reeves provided story and photos)



Cadet Meneses



Cadet Lacayo

MEMBER PORTAL

All Navy League members are urged to register for the Navy League Portal and become familiar with the resources that are available. You can access the portal at portal.navyleague.org where you will need to create a user name and password. While you may not be interested in all of the resources available there, the Portal will make it convenient for you to renew your membership, update your personal information and view the list of member benefits (not available on the Navy League website). National has worked hard to team up with many companies to offer discounts to its members; register at the Member Portal and see the entire list.

FACEBOOK

You are invited to visit the Council's new Facebook page at:

www.facebook.com/Browardcountynavyleague

This is also where you will be able to view current stories and photos from many of our adopted military units. It's also where Council news and events will be posted.

UPCOMING EVENTS

On Saturday, October 6, the 2018 Broward Veterans Expo, presented by the Broward Veterans Coalition and Mission United, will take place at the Omni Auditorium, Broward College North Campus, 1000 Coconut Creek Blvd, Coconut Creek. The event will take place from 10 AM to 2 PM and there is no charge for veterans to attend. Veterans will be able to talk to representatives from organizations such as the Department of Veterans Affairs, Career Source Broward, Legal Aid and Mission United. They will also be able to get assistance with filing disability claims as well as interact with fellow veterans from all branches of service.

On Saturday, October 13, the Fort Lauderdale Council will host their annual Pursuit of Honor, Courage & Commitment 5K run/walk. Visit runsignup.com and search for the race to get additional information and to register.

On Wednesday, October 17, Council members will once again join with Fort Lauderdale Council for an Oktoberfest celebration. The event will be held at Old Heidelberg Restaurant. Additional information will be sent out via email and will appear in next month's newsletter, on our website and Facebook page.

SHOEBOX CHRISTMAS

Each year, Seafarers' House delivers wrapped shoeboxes filled with personal care items and holiday cheer to seafarers who come from all over the world into Port Everglades. For those not familiar with Seafarers' House, it is located on Port Everglades across from terminal 18. It is open year-round and provides mariners whose ships are visiting Port Everglades a variety of services including pastoral care, money transfers and free Wi-Fi.

Board members Joe and Marianne Giambrone and Council President Larry Ott have been involved with the Seafarers' House's "Shoebbox Christmas" for several years and the planning has already begun for this year's event. There is always a need for additional volunteers and funds and there are several ways you can help:

Donate personal care items. The 10 items that go into each box are athletic white socks, combs, deodorant, disposable razors, shampoo, shaving cream, soap/shower gel, toothbrushes, toothpaste, pencils/pens/pencil sharpeners

Volunteer to wrap and/or fill shoeboxes (shoeboxes and wrapping paper can be made available to you). Students can get service hours - 15 minutes for wrapping a box or 1 hour for wrapping and filling a box with the 10 items listed above.

Volunteer to deliver filled shoeboxes to seafarers aboard their ships from late November to mid-January. Volunteers must be physically fit and over 18 years old.

Make a cash donation to help with the cost of the personal care items used to fill the shoeboxes

Please contact Joe at giambronejm@gmail.com if you are interested in delivering boxes to the visiting ships. Contact Marianne if you are interested in donating empty boxes, wrapping boxes or filling boxes or have a student who wants to participate. Marianne's email is giambrone11@gmail.com.



Larry Ott (far right) participating in a ship's visit during last year's event

PROJECT COMPLETED

As reported in the May edition of The Helmsman, the Council's Board of Directors voted unanimously to fund the project of 15-year old Collin Aleksak. Collin had made a presentation to the Board asking for financial support for his Eagle Scout Service Project, which was to provide a playground at Coast Guard Station Fort Lauderdale. We are pleased to report that Collin completed his project and this piece of playground equipment is now available to any Coast Guard children visiting the Station.



BACK TO SCHOOL

Each year, the Council participates in the Back-to-School Brigade sponsored by Operation Homefront. The following excerpt was taken from the Operation Homefront website and explains the program: Back-to-School Brigade® is Operation Homefront's annual nationwide school supply collection and distribution campaign. Last year, we distributed more than 41,000 backpacks filled with school supplies to military kids across the country. Once again, Operation Homefront and Dollar Tree Inc. have joined forces for the 10th consecutive year to collect and distribute school supplies for military children. Through August 9, supplies purchased by Dollar Tree customers nationwide may be donated to Operation Homefront at collection boxes at more than 6,000 participating stores.

Council volunteers picked up over 4,000 donated supplies from Dollar Tree stores and distributed them to the majority of the local military units that we support. These free supplies are much appreciated by our military families and assist with the costs of getting their children ready for school..

COAST GUARD NEWS



With President Trump presiding, Adm. Paul F. Zukunft was relieved as commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard by Adm. Karl Schultz during

a military change-of-command ceremony held June 1 at U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters. Zukunft also retired from the Coast Guard after 41 years of service to the nation as part of the same ceremony and received the Homeland Security Distinguished Service Medal from President Donald J. Trump. Zukunft became the 25th commandant May 30, 2014. He led the largest component of the Department of Homeland Security, comprised of 56,000 active duty, Reserve and civilian Coast Guardsmen and more than 24,000 volunteer Coast Guard Auxiliarists. Zukunft's leadership and vision were instrumental in increasing the pace of the Coast Guard's recapitalization efforts. Zukunft worked with Congress and the administration to achieve funding for completion of the national security cutter program of record, the acquisition of new fast response cutters, funding for the waterways commerce cutter, and funding for the offshore patrol cutter. He also ensured the Coast Guard began receiving necessary funding to commence acquisition of the nation's first new polar icebreaker in more than 50 years. As commandant, Zukunft led the service's efforts to respond to the unprecedented 2017 hurricane season, where Coast Guard personnel saved or assisted nearly 12,000 victims from flooded communities in Texas, Florida, and Puerto Rico. It was also under his leadership that the Coast Guard received a clean financial audit for a fifth consecutive year.

Schultz, now the service's 26th commandant, reports to Coast Guard headquarters from Portsmouth, Virginia, where he served as the Coast Guard Atlantic Area commander since August 2016. In this capacity, he was the operational commander for all Coast Guard missions from the Rocky Mountains to the Arabian Gulf, spanning across five Coast Guard districts and 40 states. *(story and photo from Coast Guard News)*

You can read more about Admiral Schultz in the July/August issue of SeaPower.

A military band played, 24 members of the new ship's crew stood at attention and Coast Guard brass, including the commandant, filled an Alexandria dock Wednesday July 25 to commission a new ship named after the first Coast Guardsman killed in action since the Vietnam War. Nathan Bruckenthal, a 25-year-old petty officer third class, was killed in the Persian Gulf when he and six sailors from the USS Firebolt sought to board and investigate a "dhow," or small sailboat, that was drawing too close to an Iraqi oil terminal. As Bruckenthal's team pulled alongside, a suicide bomber aboard the dhow detonated, killing Bruckenthal and two Navy sailors. His Bronze Star citation said that because of Bruckenthal's and his team's actions, nearby security forces were alerted to a larger coordinated attack and were able to stop two similar explosive-laden vessels before they detonated. Bruckenthal is buried at Arlington National Cemetery.

The new 154-foot Fast Response Cutter is one of 28 ships that are being named after Coast Guard heroes, officials said. The USCG Nathan Bruckenthal was built in Louisiana and will be based in Atlantic Beach, North Carolina where its mission will include search and rescue, drug enforcement and homeland security. *(excerpt from story and photo from the Washington Post)*



LOCAL NEWS

The Council welcomes LTJG Brian Waters who is the new Executive Officer at Coast Guard Station Fort Lauderdale.

The Council also welcomes LCDR Kristopher Ensley, the new Commanding Officer of the USCGC Paul Clark. The Board of Directors has approved adoption of this cutter and is currently planning the formal adoption ceremony. The USCGC Paul Clark will be the fourth cutter formally adopted by the Council.

RECOGNITION

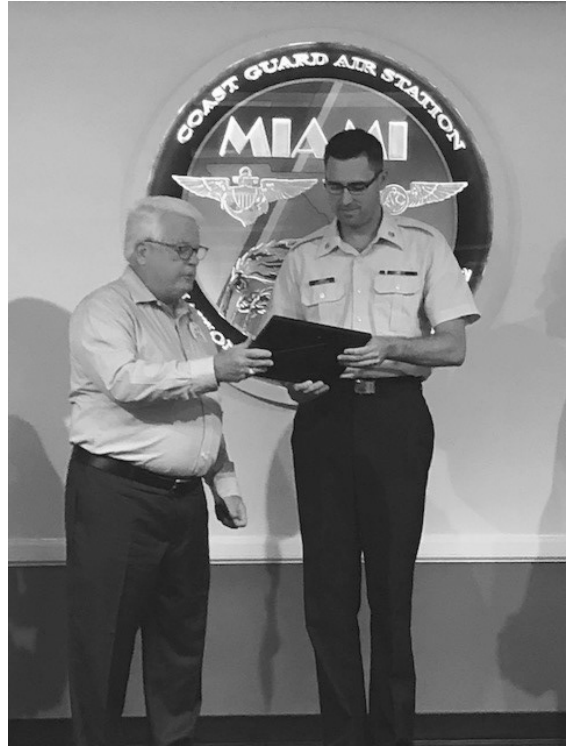
On July 9, Council President Larry Ott recognized the achievements of MK2 Ryan McDaniel aboard the USCGC Bernard C. Webber. MK2 McDaniel was selected as both the Enlisted Person of the Quarter and the Enlisted Person of the Year. Many of you may remember Ryan from past Council's dinner socials when he was a Sea Cadet in the Spruance Division. Congratulations Ryan! Glenn Wiltshire, MK2 McDaniel and Larry Ott in photo provided by Glenn.



On July 23, Council President Larry Ott recognized the achievements of Enlisted Person of the Quarter ET3 Kayli Paterson at the USCGC Margaret Norvell. Larry and Past President Glenn Wiltshire also were able to meet the cutter's new Commanding Officer LT Chris O'Meara (shown on right) with Glenn and ET3 Paterson. Photo provided by Glenn.



On August 2, Council President Larry Ott attended a gathering at Coast Guard Air Station Miami attended by all of the staff and crew. His presentation to Enlisted Person of the Quarter EM2 John A. James was just one of many recognitions presented that day. *(photo provided by Air Station Miami photographer)*



On August 10, Council President Larry Ott and Past President Glenn Wiltshire were on hand at Coast Guard Station Fort Lauderdale to recognize the achievements of Enlisted Person of the Quarter ME3 Derek Wheeler. Glenn, ME3 Wheeler and Larry in photo provided by Larry.



CHANGES OF COMMAND



Deputy Sector Miami Commander Captain Joe Solomon departed to become Commanding Officer of the Coast Guard Maritime Law Enforcement Academy in Charleston, SC, and was replaced by Captain Mark Vlaun, previously the 7th District Legal Officer. In photo, Captain Joseph Solomon at the Maritime Law Enforcement

Academy at his June 8th change of command *(photo by Mary Anne Gray)*.

Captain Dean, Commander of Sector Miami presided over USCGC Robert Yered's Change of Command ceremony on June 11. LT Soren Rose was relieved by LT Joshua Tucker as he assumed command of the Fast Response Cutter. The Council made a presentation to LT Rose (shown in photo with Erwin Sefton and Glenn Wiltshire).



Below, Erwin, Glenn along with Alan Starr with LT Tucker. *(photos provided by Erwin Sefton)*

On July 9, LT Brittany Panetta was relieved as Commanding Officer of the USCGC Margaret Norvell by LT Christopher M. O'Meara. The Council made a presentation to LT Panetta who is shown in photo with Council President Larry Ott, Erwin Sefton and crewmembers of the Margaret Norvell who are holding other gifts she received from the crew.



Below, Alan Starr, President Larry Ott, LT O'Meara, Glenn Wiltshire and Erwin Sefton *(photos provided by Glenn Wiltshire)*



Captain Austin Gould was relieved as District 7 Chief of Staff by Captain James A Passarelli.

Captain Gould retired from the Coast Guard. Past President Glenn Wiltshire attended the retirement ceremony held at Hillsboro Lighthouse on June 14 *(photo provided by Glenn Wiltshire)*

