MINUTES BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Navy League of the United States – Newport County Council Best Western Mainstay Inn Newport, RI 02840

> Chair: Anne Huot, President Monday, 4 October 2010

> > **Attendees**

Arnold, Vince

Carrillo, Dave

Hill, Shirley

Cercena, Tony

Webb, Ed

Johnson, Arne

DiLorenzo, Len

Nannini, Al

Hill, Shirley

Webb, Ed

Huot, Anne

Shaw, Eric

A. Call to Order: Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

SPECIAL GUEST – Council member Ginny Hanson introduced two members of the Newport School Committee who reviewed the proposed school bond proposal on this year's ballot in Newport.

B. President's Remarks:

1. NLUS was represented at these Change of Command, Events, Receptions and Graduations:

SWOS Class 208 Dept. Head Graduation 16 Sep
NCC Welcome Picnic 17 Sep
OCS Class 2110 Reception 29 Sep

C. Reports:

Secretary's Report – Ed Webb

Treasurer's Report - Acceptance tabled until next meeting - Eric Shaw

Membership Report - Richard Ryan

Sea Cadets Report – Extend invitation to Ens.Furtado to attend a future Council meeting

- George Wardwell

Legislative Report - No report - Mike Slein

D. New Business:

- 1. Request from Amber Mears, Officer Training Command, to support ODS graduations was agreed to by Council.
- 2. Council agreed to support the new Supply School Command in the coming year. Schedules will be requested when available.
- 3. SEA graduations were not included in the Calendar of Events. Secretary will include dates in the future when received. A council member will attend the 21 Oct graduation.

E. Old Business:

- 1. The 1st Annual Rhode Island Defense Expo (RIDE) on 18 Oct will be a participatory event open to members of the Council. at the NWC.
- 2. Committee to be formed to plan for a fundraising/membership drive Polo Match event at the end of September 2011. Al / Anne
- 3. Determine a date to invite CAPT Voboril for NAVSTA update. Anne

- 3. 2010 Junior/Senior Enlisted of the Year planning dates to be determined. Event will be supported by the Rotary also and will probably take place at the Main Stay Best Western. Dave
- 4. Tall ships donation will be clarified by next meeting by Walt Wasowski. Anne to set a date with Perry Lewis to make the donation. Walt
- 5. Annual Dinner 2011 requires a Chairman and Committee. Discussion began on finding a suitable Guest of Honor for the event. Ann
- 6. Events on USS Massachusetts. Suggestion made to consider a War College seminar meeting on the ship. Requires further discussion.
- F. Area/Regional Presidents/National Directors Remarks.
 - 1. Shirley, Mike, and Tony will attend the NLUS Annual Meeting in Jacksonville.
- **G. Other Business:**
- H. Meeting adjourned at 1720.

Our next meeting is scheduled at the Best Western Mainstay Inn on Monday, 1 Nov at 1600. Dave Carrillo, 1^{st} Vice President, presiding.