



NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES

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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Dear Navy Leaguers,

PLEASE SAVE THESE DATES NOW – WE NEED <u>YOU</u> TO COME AND SUPPORT YOUR NEWPORT COUNTY COUNCIL EVENTS. YES, <u>YOU</u>.

MAY 10TH: an enjoyable fun-raiser at St. Lucy's Church, Middletown, Rhode Island 7:30PM.

In a Salute in Song to the Sea Services
Newport County Council of the Navy League presents:
The Newport Navy Choristers

"Proudly We Sing"



Contact the following for reservation/questions: Anne Huot: 401-487-9414 and/or Jay Corey: corejay@cox.net

<u>JUNE 5th:</u> Our signature Event of the Year – The Military Appreciation Night and Annual Dinner in the evening at Atlantic Beach Club Pavilion – Guest Speaker will be RADM MARY LANDRY – this event sells out –so make your reservations early. We want to see <u>YOU</u> there.



RADM Mary Landry

Anne Huot President Admiral Landry had a distinguished Coast Guard military career, retiring in 2011 with over thirty (30) years of experience in incident management and preparedness serving, most notably, as the Commander of the Eighth Coast Guard District and as the Director of Government and Public Affairs. She has master degrees in Management and Marine Affairs and participated in a National Security Fellowship at Harvard University. RADM will be the newest member of the Coast Guard Senior Executive team and will be the agency's Director, Incident Management and Preparedness Policy.

NAVY LEAGURER NAMED RHODE ISLAND VETERAN OF THE YEAR

George Wardwell, Navy League National Director and member of the National Executive Committee was named Rhode Island's Veteran of the Year 2013 and celebrated with friends, family and members of the Newport County Council Navy League at the VFW Post 4487 in Middletown, RI. RADM Barbara McGann, USN/Ret was the Guest Speaker. Captain Mikatarian, Commanding Officer of the Newport Naval Station Newport attended the ceremony.



George Wardwell and wife Edna



George(2nd from left above) with RADM McGann, and wife Edna. Second from far right Captain Mikatarian and Tony Cercena, NL Director Emeritus on end.

WELCOME LUNCH FOR NAVAL STAFF COLLEGE (NSC) CLASS 82

Forty-one (41)foreign students and three (3) U.S. students from thirty-seven countries including the United States attended a lunch hosted and sponsored by the Newport County Council Navy League 25 February 2013 at the Best Western Mainstay Inn, Newport, RI. Since its inception in 1972, over 2000 naval officers representing 126 countries have graduated from the NSC. The course is a graduate-level curricula for mid-grade officers and consist of three major areas of study: (1) Strategy and War, (2) Joint Military Operations and (3) National Security Decision Making. Remarks were presented by Jean Marie Napolitano (Newport City Council), Christopher Semonelli (President, Middletown Town Council), James Seveney (President, Portsmouth Town Council and Captain Mark Turner, USN, Director, Naval Staff College.



Above: Navy Leaguers with students from NSC Class 82.



Above (left to right): Newport Council Director George Wardwell, Captain Turner and Council President Anne Huot.





USCG SECTOR SOUTHEASTERN NEW ENGLAND -TOP PERFORMERS



Above(left to right): Council President Anne Huot, Joanne Hoops (President, Newport Rotary), LTJG Harwood, George Wardwell & Retired Ambassador William Middendorf.

Above(left to right): MST3 Adams, Councilman Camacho, LTJG Harwood & MK1 Lamb.

The Newport County Council Navy League and the Rotary Club of Newport hosted an Awards Lunch for the three top Coast Guard Service Members of the year 2012: LTJG Julia A. Harwood, Junior Officer of the Year from the USCGC JUNIPER, MK1 Nicholas A. Lamb, Senior Enlisted Petty Officer of the Year from USCG Station Castle Hill Newport, and MST3 Kira R. Adams, from USCG Sector Southeastern New England's Prevention Department. The event was held at the Atlantic Beach Club Pavilion 8 January 2013. Remarks were made by members of each honoree's command. Each honoree received gifts from local businesses and a memory book which included letters and certificates of congratulations from local and state officials from RI and the honorees home state. Distinguished guest included Captain Verne Gifford, Commander, Sector Southeastern New England, LCDR Brian Caudle, CO, USCGC JUNIPER, BOSN2 John Roberts, Officer In Charge, CG Station Castle Hill, Joanne Hoops, President, Newport Rotary Club and Former Secretary of the Navy/ U.S. Ambassador Middendorf.

SANTA ARRIVES AT CASTLE HILL COAST GUARD STATION BY HELICOPTER

Newport Council Navy Leaguers joined U.S. Coast Guard members and their families in greeting Santa Claus who flew in by helicopter to deliver Christmas gifts to eagerly waiting children at CG Station Castle Hill. Cookies and hot chocolate was provided by the Newport Council. Santa provided gifts for all the children present before taking off on his next trip.



Above: Council Director Tony Cercena poses with Santa and CG families.



Above(left to right): Ray Perry, BM1 Chandler, George Wardwell, Tom Feeney and Tony Cercena

NEXT WAR COLLEGE PRESIDENT A NATIVE RHODE ISLANDER

RADM Walter E. Carter Jr. has been selected the 54th President of the Naval War College. A native of Burrillville, RI RADM Carter is a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy and will be relieving current President RADM John N. Christensen this summer.



Rear. Adm. Carter

RHODE ISLAND NAVAL SEA CADET NEWS

8TH ANNUAL SEA CADET 2013 ANNUAL BALL

Sea Cadets across the southeast New England region gathered at the Atlantic Beach Club Pavilion to celebrate their 8th Annual Sea Cadet Ball. Over 150 cadets, family members, friends and supporters attended this first social gathering of the year. A major highlight of the event was the presentation of the United States Navy League Youth Medal – Cadets from the NETC and the Falcon Divisions were honored with this recognition.(WO David Kerwood)



RADM Barbara McGann, USN(Retired), a Newport Council Navy League Director, was the Keynote Speaker with RMC George Wardwell, USN (Retired), Navy League National Director and member of the National Navy League Executive Committee as Emcee. Newport Council Navy Leaguers present were Council President Anne Huot, Council Directors Tom Feeney, Bob Perfetto, Shirley Hill (also NSCC National Director and NLUS Director) and Edna Wardwell (also NLUS National Director). Other VIPs in attendance were LCDR Michael Campbell, NSCC, Director International Exchange Program, LCDR George Dimock, NSCC, Regional Director 1-4, CDR Andrew Wood, USN, CO, NOSC, Newport; LCDR Peter Zubof, USN, XO, NOSC Newport and LCDR Genevieve Gulmond, NSCC, Associate Region Director 1-4. Cake cutting and dancing followed the program.







Above (1)Keynote Speaker RADM McGann (2) Council President Anne Huot and Council Director Robert Perfetto presented checks to the three Rhode Island Sea Cadet Units(LCDR Perfetto represented the Reserve Officers Association & the Military Order of Foreign Wars RI Commandery presenting each RI Unit with a \$300 donation).





Admiral McGann started the dance off by dancing with two of the Cadets.

COMMUNITY AFFILIATES

Citizens in Support of the Sea Services



Community Affiliate Membership demonstrates a company's commitment to the local Navy League council and a desire to support and advance the objective and purpose of the Navy League and support young people through the council's special youth programs and scholarships.

Atlantic Beach Club & Pavilion

Bank Newport
Navy Federal Credit Union
Newport Grand
Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems
Newport Chamber of Commerce
Newport Harbor Hotel & Marina

Hyundai of Newport
NewportFed
Northrop Grumman
SEA CORP
Rite Solution
Webster Bank, NA

USS Massachusetts Memorial Committee

"THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT"

WELCOME TO TWO OF OUR NEWEST COMMUNITY AFFILIATES

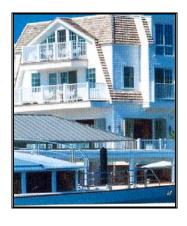
International Tennis Hall of Fame 194 Bellevue Avenue, Newport, RI

The hall of fame located in the Newport Casino honors players and contributors to the sport of tennis and includes a museum, grass tennis courts, an indoor tennis facility, and a court tennis facility. The Newport Casino was commissioned in 1880 as an exclusive resort for the wealthy. The first tennis championships was held at the Casino in 1881. The Tennis Hall of Fame and Museum was established in 1954 and was officially sanctioned by the U.S. Tennis Association. The first Hall of Fame members were inducted in 1955; as of 2010, there are 218 inductees from 19 countries. The Tennis Hall of Fame became our first 2013 Community Affiliate member 2/19/2013.



Forty 1⁰ North Marina Resort 351 Thames St., Newport, RI

Forty 1º North is Newport's newest waterfront destination State-of-the-art hotel and marina with exciting restaurants and chic lounges and sweeping views of Newport Harbor and Thames Street. Their spacious Guestrooms, Suites, Cottages, and lofts are outfitted with state-of-the-art technology and environmentally-friendly amenities which brings a modern elegance to historic Newport.



2013 MEMBERSHIP CONTEST Win an Apple® iPad™ 2!





The Fine Print

This contest features a monthly opportunity to win an Apple® iPad™ 2 and a quarterly winner of \$500!

The rules are simple:

- 1. You must be a Navv League member to enter the contest and win prizes.
- 2. You will be entered into the drawing once for each new member that you recruit and use the contest code PAD2013 on their application. You can use any Navy League membership application as long as you write the contest code on it, or download a contest application from our website.
- 3. After we have processed each month's applications, we will randomly draw a name from all contest entries to win the iPad™ 2. The winner will be contacted personally and announced on the Navy League website.
- 4. Each quarter, the member with the most recruits using the contest code PAD2013 will win \$500!



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TO BECOME A NEW MEMBER OF THE NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES.

SPONSOR A NEW MEMBER

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS APPLICATION FOR

FIRST / MIDDLE / LAST

TO BECOME A NEW MEMBER OF THE NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES.

PREFERRED COUNCIL_

THE NEW MEMBER'S CONTACT INFORMATION IS:

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CITY / STATE / ZIP

E-MAIL ADDRESS

TELEPHONE NUMBER

BILLING INFO:

CHECK ENCLOSED

PLEASE BILL MY:

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CARD NUMBER

NAME ON CARD

EXP. DATE / BILLING ZIP

PHONE NUMBER

MEMBERSHIP TYPE:

1 \$30 ACTIVE DUTY SPOUSE

□\$50 1-YEAR

3\$90 2-YEAR SAVE \$10!

Q\$125 3-YEAR SAVE \$25!

1\$85 1-YEAR HUSBAND/WIFE

SPOUSE'S NAME (FIRST / MIDDLE / LAST)

DI AM A CURRENT NAVY LEAGUE MEMBER AND THEREFORE ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY INTO THE MEMBER GET A MEMBER CONTEST.

SPONSOR'S MEMBER #

SPONSOR'S NAME (FIRST / MIDDLE / LAST)

MEMBERS CAN ALSO SIGN UP A MEMBER ONLINE BY GOING TO WWW.NAVYLEAGUE.ORG/JOIN_RENEW. YOU MUST ENTER PRIORITY CODE PAD2013 AND ENTER YOUR SPONSOR INFORMATION TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE CONTEST.

EMAIL: SERVICE@NAVYLEAGUE.ORG

MAIL: NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTN: MEMBERSHIP 2300 WILSON BOULEVARD, STE 200 ARLINGTON, VA 22201

FAX: 703.528.2333

www.NavyLeague.org

The Finer Print: To be eligible, applications must be received by the last business day of each month, electronic applications must be submitted by the last calendar day of the month, and all must contain the Contest Code PAD2013. If you feel you may be cutting it close by mail, especially with U.S. Postal Service backlogs, you should submit the application(s) electronically.

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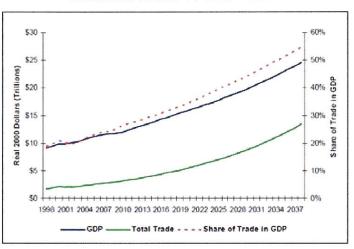
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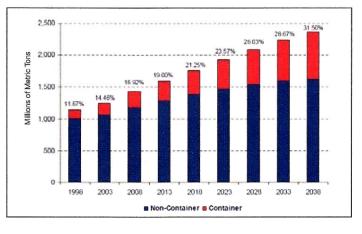
With 95% of our foreign trade moving by ship, the role of maritime transportation will continue to increase. In 2009, for example, 6,996 oceangoing vessels made 55,560 calls at U.S. ports transporting 1.2 billion metric tons of U.S. imports and exports with a combined value in excess of 1 trillion U.S. dollars. On average, that equates to over 180 oceangoing vessels calling at U.S. ports every day. ⁴

It is projected that the maritime share of U.S. trade as measured by TEU's (20-foot Container Equivalent Units) will double by 2023 to about 45 million TEU's and increase to 75 million TEU's (about 2.4 billion tons) by 2038. Trade by sea will grow even faster by value, rising from about \$1.8 trillion in 2008 and to about \$10.5 trillion in 2038. Thus, over the next 30 years, trade will increase by an average annual growth rate of 1.9% by volume and 6.4% by nominal value. These growth rates reveal that the U.S. will be trading in goods of higher value per ton and highlight yet again the increasing importance of maritime trade to the U.S. economy and national wealth creation.5

Overall, when trade-dependent jobs are included in the analysis, it is estimated that maritime industry related employment represents approximately 13 million U.S. jobs.⁶

Maritime Share of U.S. Trade







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COUNCIL OFFICERS 2012-2013

President: Anne Huot Secretary: Shirley Hill Vice President: Mike Slein Treasurer: Pat Burke

"ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS AT 4:00PM THE 1st MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE BEST WESTERN MAINSTAY INN"



Proudly Presents
Sea Services Salute in Song

Featuring

Newport Navy Choristers

As They Celebrate Their 60th Anniversary In Their

"Proudly We Sing"

Concert Series

Under the Direction of

JoAnn Loewenthal

With

John Allen, Accompanist



Friday, May 10th 2013
At St. Lucy's Church
909 West Main Road * Middletown, Rhode Island

For More Information, call Anne Huot at (401) 487-9414

\$12.00 Adults - at the door \$8.00 Seniors and Children (60+ and under 17) PRESALE SPECIAL! \$10.00 for 4 or more tickets Make your check out to NCCNLUS and mail in with this completed form to: NCCNLUS, PO Box 4213, Middletown, RI 02842 or FAX to 401-847-0506

Order Form	Cost Ea.	# tickets	Total	Will Call (pick up at door)
Adult Tickets	\$ 12.00			Mail To Me: Name and Address:Below
Pre-sale Only Special! 4 or more Adult tix	\$ 10.00			
Senior / Child (under 16)	\$ 8.00		-	
Total enclosed				



St. Lucy's Church 909 West Main Rd. Middletown, RI

Navy League of the US Newport County Chapter PO Box 4213 Middletown RI 02842

Congratulations to Newport Navy Choristers on their 60th Anniversary