

**UNITED STATES SUBMARINE VETERANS, INC.
GROTON BASE MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

Date (January 8, 2007)

- Call Meeting To Order at 1830 by the Base Commander NO SMOKING REMINDER, EXIT WARNING REMINDER, 50/50 Raffle
- Pledge of Allegiance lead by ET3(SS) James Convict ,USS Memphis (SSN-691)

Moment of Silence for the Boats on Eternal Patrol January: USS S-36 (SS-141), USS S-26 (SS-131), USS Argonaut (SS-166), USS Swordfish (SS-193) Also HOLLAND CLUB MEMBER George MacGregor, and ETCS(SS) Tom Higgins, and STS2(SS) Michael Holtz both lost onboard USS MINNEAPOLIS ST. PAUL

Binnacle List Charlie Johnson

Prayer Lead by

- Sound Off
- Introduction of VIPs and Guests
- NATIONAL OFFICERS:** John Wynn, Paul Orstad,

PAST BASE COMMANDERS: _____

OTHER VIPs & GUESTS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ralph Rosado SSSU CMC | <input type="checkbox"/> Bill Jahns Past NE Regional President of FRA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Al Atkinson COB USS Memphis | <input type="checkbox"/> Mike Munhall OIC SUBASE Brig |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eric Antoine CMC Basic Sub Sch | <input type="checkbox"/> XO USS Memphis LCDR Ray Gabriel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gaylord Humphries ComSubGru Two CMC | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Other Groups

- SUBVETS WWII** **HOLLAND CLUB** **NEW MEMBERS/FIRST MEETING**
- There are TWO Clipboards circulating with Muster Sheets - Please mark you name on one or the other – revised format for Ride sharing EXPLAIN SHEET.**
- USS MEMPHIS SUBMARINE QUALIFICATION AND RECOGNITION PROGRAM.**
- Meeting Attendance drawing.** Will be conducted By Stan Mathis; Winner is: Mike Hubbard
- Secretary’s Report** –Accepted as provided
- Treasurers Report** - Accepted as provided
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OLD BUSINESS

	Associate	Life/Holland	Regular	Total	Increase	Deceased	Non-Renew
2006	178	1242	914	2334	17	26	653
2007	130	1105	450	1685	242	0	

- 2007 Membership Drive FOCUS on 2007 RENEWALS.** And **RECRUITING NEW MEMBERS AND** New Members/Renewals taken after meeting. Brian Turley will take any new applications or renewals after the meeting. Advance Renewals, Multi Year Renewal Rates \$85 or \$140
- Correspondence** SUBASE SECURITY OFFICER Letter, CO Memphis Letter, ST. Davids letter, Troop E Letter, SUBVETTES Letter, Emery Young Letter,
- Sub School Graduations "Tolling Of The Boats" Jack Gallimore**
 - **Recent Graduations: 8 Dec** Basic/SOAC Jack Gallimore, **15 Dec** Tom Russell
 - **Upcoming Graduations 12 Jan** BESS Cal Colavechio, **19 Jan** BESS Jack Gallimore, **26 Jan** SOBIC Al Butters, **2 Feb** Tom Russell,
 - **TM A School 16 Feb** Wally K. Paul Orstad
- Boat Sponsorship** for *Boat Notes* Newsletter: Ralph Rosado, SSSC replacement for Ray Kreul
- Committee Chairs**

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- **ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION** First Planning Meeting Wed 10 Jan 6:30pm Scheduled for 3-5 May 2007
- **BOT** No report
- **Building Renovations/Maintenance** Working on little projects
- **Color Guard** On Target
- **Holland Club** Next Holland Club Luncheon 16 Jan, HOLLAND CLUB Planning Meeting 30 Jan 5:30 pm. 42 Names for induction
- **License Plates** No report
- **Membership Committee** Renewals are coming in
- **Memorial Committee** No Report
- **Newsletter Sponsorships** Renewals due
- **Satellite Base** Westport Next Meeting 15 Dec
- **CSG-2 Sailor of the Year Reception** 31 January, 6pm
- **CT VETERANS SERVICE MEDAL** Could submit as a group and receive at monthly meeting

NEW BUSINESS

- **Base Elections/Nominations PW Louthain Nominations Committee** Char Nominations Committee member Ed Childs opened nominations for 2007 election.
- **CT VETERANS HALL OF FAME Jim Tierney nominated – Ceremony to be held in Jan 2007**
- **Minneapolis St Paul Memorial Service** January 27 at 10am Sheppard of the Sea, Reception to follow at Subvets. Membership voted to fund the reception up to \$250.00
- **People to People Program** Voted to donate \$250 towards the expenses for Jack Gallimore's grandson to participate in the program

GOOD OF THE ORDER

- **Bar** Membership luncheon Mondays, Soups of the week, and weekly specials on web page, **Super Bowl Pools**
- **House Committee Report: Christmas Party Jan Dinner Steak Dinner** 12 Jan **HC Relief, Need two new Brunch crews. Need crew for 25 Feb,**
- **Financial Reports**
- **Clean Up Help Needed**
- **Small Stores** Out of calendars
- **THANKS AGAIN TO USS MEMPHIS**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday – 10 January – **Anniversary Planning Meeting**
- Monday – 15 January – **Westport Satellite Meeting**
- Tuesday – 16 January – **HOLLAND CLUB LUNCHEON**
- Thursday – 11 January – **Scholarship Planning Meeting**
- Tuesday – 30 January - **EBOARD Meeting Newsletter inputs due**
- Sunday – 4 February – **Superbowl**
- Monday – 5 February – **Next Meeting**
- **PLEASE CLEAN UP YOUR TABLES. BOTTLES IN THE BOXES ON THE LEFT PAPERS IN THE TRASH**
- 50/50 raffle Mary Burgess
- 50/50 Hat drawing Dennis Hamilton
- Closing Prayer proceeds Creed Base Chaplin
- **Creed Will be Read By:** Joe Damm
- **Motion To Adjourn:** 1945