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70th Birthday!



Flotilla 81



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2010 DISTRICT FALL CONFERENCE SEAVIEW RESORT - ATLANTIC COUNTY



THE AUXILIARY'S
NATIONAL CHIEF OF
STAFF



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ASSEMBLYMAN ALBANO

In This Issue!

THIS YEAR'S FALL CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT THE FABULOUS SEAVIEW RESORT OUTSIDE OF ATLANTIC CITY, NJ WITH PLENTY OF ROOM FOR ATTENDEES.

READ ABOUT FLOTILLA 81'S 70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

ALSO, WHY YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THE VALUE OF THIS CONFERENCE BY DCAPT(E) BRUCE LONG.

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ENJOYING THE GALA**



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~ Flotilla 81's 70th Anniversary ~

What it All Means

Robert Babezki, FSO-PB

It is not often that we, as individuals, get the opportunity to participate in what could be considered an historic milestone. Normally, we do not even perceive the magnitude of an event that we may be witnessing. Such events tend to get lost in the hectic rush of our daily lives.

However, we were fortunate to be able to share and savor a unique experience with our fellow shipmates. I refer to the 70th anniversary of the founding of Flotilla 81, Ocean City New Jersey, of the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary. Our flotilla recently celebrated this event with a gala dinner at the Flanders Hotel on June 3, 2010.

But what was so special about this event and the circumstances it commemorates? In 1939, with war clouds gathering in Europe and the Far East, visionaries within the U.S. Coast Guard saw a need to mobilize resources from the public to begin providing safety and security to the growing fleet of recreational boaters along the coasts of the country. Seeing that the Coast Guard was the only member of the nation's armed forces without a reserve component, Congress enacted legislation in the summer of 1939 to organize a volunteer force of private boat owners into what was then known as the Coast Guard Reserve. This was the beginning of the Coast Guard Auxiliary. The first organized flotilla in the auxiliary was formed at the Downtown Athletic Club in New York City in November of that same year. Flotillas were later organized during the spring of 1940 in Atlantic City, two on the Delaware River in the Philadelphia area, and the fifth in Ocean City on June 1st, 1940.

The Ocean City Flotilla is now the oldest, continually active Coast Guard Auxiliary flotilla in the State of New Jersey. The service provided by our Flotilla during the early years of World War II stand as a bold testament as to what can be accomplished by a band of volunteers working towards a common goal. The Ocean City Flotilla provided more hours of patrols during 1942 than any other Auxiliary organization. Ocean City also had the only Flotilla operated and staffed hospital in the country.

When we gather as a group each month, and address our normal tasks that have been assigned to us, we tend to forget those that have gone before us and what they achieved. Our 70th anniversary party was a chance for us to glimpse what our organization means to others in our community, in local government and to the Coast Guard itself. Invited guests US Congressman Frank LoBiondo, NJ State Senator Jeff Van Drew and NJ State Assemblyman Nelson Albano all praised the outstanding work that Flotilla 81 has provided to the Ocean City community over its seven decades of service.

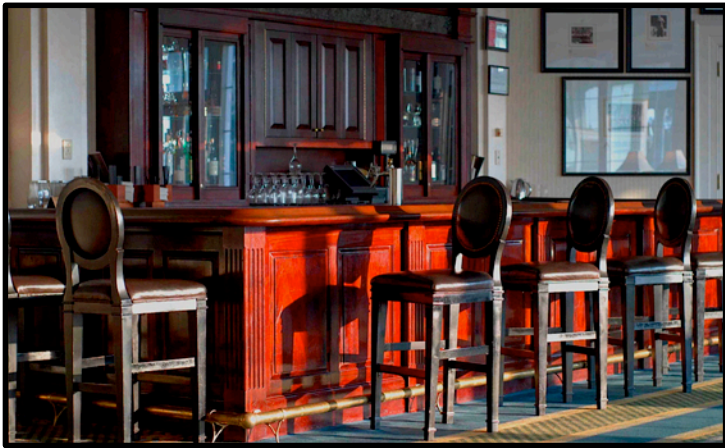
What we do in the Auxiliary is important. It is important to our community as a whole. It enriches our lives and positively impacts the lives of many other people. Our teamwork with the active duty Coast Guard further proves that we can and do make a difference to our country. So, take this opportunity to enjoy the thanks that we have earned from the people whom we serve. Semper Paratus!



The District's 2010 Fall Conference will be held at the Seaview Resort just outside of Atlantic City. This beautiful resort offers what Auxiliarists deserve: Plenty of rooms for attendees, spacious areas for classes and events, wonderful amenities for fellowship and families, short distance to Atlantic City and other seashore resorts, and world-class professional golf courses. Imagine, Coast Guard Auxiliary District event that is actually near the ocean!

Some of the activities attendees can expect include Flotilla Leadership Course, Coastie training, ICS 210, AUXSEA Specialty Course, Paddle Craft, AuxChef, Publication Course, Strategic Plan Development, How to Recruit and New Member Processing & Development, Grant Writing, and Legal Policies.

Of course, plenty of fun and fellowship will be had at exhibits, dining events, banquets, and



ROBERT WITHAM & TOM KLEIN VFC FL84 LEARN MARLINSPIKE TIPS FROM THE ACTIVE DUTY

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USCG AUXILIARY FIFTH DISTRICT NORTHERN REGION 2010 FALL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION AND SCHEDULE

The fall conference is upon us and you do not want to miss this one! We are heading to the New Jersey coast in the charming seaside town of Galloway. Historic Dolce-Seaview is the only golf and spa resort on the New Jersey Shore. Just 8 miles from Atlantic City, Seaview offers guests an idyllic resort vacation, world class golf and a luxurious spa experience! Do whatever you can to attend.

We encourage you to come and stay at the hotel for this conference. Hotel guests have access to the indoor swimming pool, fitness room and a great hotel experience. Bring your family and come early or stay a day or more later, the special room rate will only increase to \$99 per night the extra nights, a huge savings and the beach is only minutes away. The hotel also has restaurants, golf, tennis, game room, lounge and much more.

The conference is loaded with classes and information every member will find useful. So plan to attend and make sure your entire Flotilla knows about the conference. Share rooms, carpool, take a bus but do not miss out on this District activity. Come for the conference, learning, fun and fellowship all in one. We hope to see you in Galloway!

*Kevin & Vickie Tyler
Conference Coordinators*

DETAILS OF THE TRAINING AND ACTIVITIES:

Golf Outing: See the enclosed flyer or email John Tredinnick for more information and to register. tredinnick3@verizon.net

ICS 210: Required for Coxswains, Pilots and Trident members and all leaders and crew should take it as well. Glenna Tredinnick will make it an educational good time.

TCT: This is the full 8-hour class for those needing the five year qualification or for first time takers.

Flotilla Leadership: The FLC provides an organizational framework and resources to successfully manage Flotillas. It orients participants by presenting leadership and management concepts and providing tools and other online resources that support the requirements of this position.

AUXSEA Specialty Course: Take the complete course for one of the requirements for AUXOP. This seamanship program will teach you thorough knowledge of vessels and proficiency in their operation.

Recreational Boating Safety: The DSO's of PA, PV, VE, and PE will present the latest information from their respective disciplines as it applies to one of the Auxiliary's most important missions. Great opportunity to get the "nitty gritty" from the experts.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, September 10, 2010

1130-1600 Golf Outing at The Bay Course
(Register w/ John Tredinnick; tredinnick3@verizon.net)

1200-1600 TCT (Session 1)

1200-2000 Registration Desk Open (Lobby)

1300-1730 Flotilla Leadership (Session 1)

1500-2100 AuxChef (Session 1)

1800-1930 Member's Dinner

1930-2030 District Board Meeting - Elections

2030-2130 District Staff Officers' Meeting

2030-2200 DCDR's Meeting (VCDR's Invited)

2130-2330 "Welcome Aboard" Party

Saturday, September 11, 2010

0630-0830 Members Buffet Breakfast

0700-1100 Registration Desk Open (Lobby)

0800-1000 Recreational Boating Safety (RBS)

0800-1200 District Board Meeting

0800-1200 TCT (Session 2 Cont.)

0800-1200 Coastie Training

0800-1200 AUXSEA Specialty Course

0800-1200 AuxChef (Session 2 - Cont.)

0800-1200 ICS 210

0800-1200 Flotilla Leadership (Session 2 Cont.)

0800-1200 Paddlesports

0800-1700 Trade Show (12+Vendors)

0930-0945 General Coffee Break

0930 Spouse/Guest Program (Meet in Lobby)

1000-1200 Publications Training

1000-1200 AuxChef Overview

1215-1330 Luncheon

1330-1700 AUXSEA Specialty Course (Cont.)

1330-1700 Coastie Training (Cont.)

1330-1700 Flotilla Leadership (Cont.)

1330-1600 AuxChef (Cont.)

1330-1530 ICS 210 (Cont.)

1330-1630 Strategic Plan Development

1330-1530 Grant Writing Workshop

1330-1530 New Member Processing/Development

1330-1530 Legal Policies

1330-1530 How to Recruit

1530-1630 DCDR's (& VCDR's) meeting w/DIRAUX

1730-1830 Cocktail Hour

1830-2200 Banquet

2200-2330 Hospitality Suite

Sunday, September 12, 2010

0700-1400 AuxChef at USCG Station Atlantic City

0730-0900 Members' Breakfast

0830-1000 Past Captains' Breakfast

0900-1100 AUXSEA (Session 2 Cont.)

FALL CONFERENCE HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Getting to the Conference/Hotel:

Dolce-Seaview Resort & Spa

GPS ADDRESS: 401 S. New York Rd. Galloway, NJ

WEBSITE: www.dolce-seaview-hotel.com

Site has interactive maps, photos and more.

From North: Garden State Parkway, Exit 48, South on Route 9 (7.4 miles). Resort on Right.

From West or South: Take the Atlantic City Expressway to exit 5, Route 9. Take Route 9 North approximately 4.5 miles, Seaview will be on your left.

TRAINING DETAILS CONTINUED:

AuxChef: Do you like to cook or work in a kitchen? Would you like to work on a cutter or at a CG Station? Or just help out for special events and where you can? This program is for you. You do not need to be a chef or experienced cook, just willing to help out and become an AuxChef member. You will learn at the Coast Guard Station Atlantic City on Sunday, great opportunity!

Coastie: Become a certified handler so you can get and use Coastie for your local events and train others!

Paddlesports: The entire course will be taught so that instructors can teach the course confidently to the public.

AuxChef Overview: This two hour session is to give you an overview of the AuxChef program and the facts about it.

Publications: Learn from the editor of "Topside" and our DSO-PB Joe Giannattasio. If you are a PB, PA officer or just want to know more about making great publications, this is your program.

Strategic Plan Development: Division Commanders and Vice Commanders and others will learn how to put their Division's Strategic Plan together.

New Member Processing: You have a new member ready to join, now what? Learn the paperwork and what you need to do with them.

Grant Writing Workshop: Learn to write grants and all about what possibilities you have and some grants that are available.

Legal Policies: Learn the proper methods of keeping yourself, your Flotilla or Division legal by the DSO-Legal team.

How to Recruit: We all need new members, and they are the lifeblood of an active Flotilla, learn how to get new members.

Trade Show – Don't forget we have over a dozen vendors scheduled with all sorts of marine goodies.

UNIFORM OF THE DAY

Friday Afternoon/Evening: Casual



Saturday before 1800: Tropical Blue or Appropriate Civilian Attire

Saturday after 1800: Dinner Dress White Jacket OR Dinner Dress Blue (White Shirt, Bow Tie, Miniature Medals) OR Appropriate Civilian Attire



Sunday: Casual



ROOM RESERVATION INFORMATION

Reservation DEADLINE is 16 AUG 2010

ONLINE: www.dolce-seaview-hotel.com

Use Group code 0909COASTG

OR

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SPOUSE & GUEST PROGRAM



Join us for a fun filled time in Atlantic City and on the world famous Boardwalk. Spouses, guests and families are invited for a few hours of fun. We will carpool together and you are free to do as you please when there. We will meet as a group for lunch at 12:15pm.



Atlantic City is known for the large Casinos, but has so much more. First the Boardwalk, Ocean and beach. Then the ton's of shops including The Pier Shops at Caesar's and great food and fun.

We will meet in the lobby at 0930 Saturday.

Mark the registration block for attendance and if you can drive to the event and how many can ride with you. We will depart AC at 2:00pm to return to the hotel.

We suggest vehicles have GPS units for travel.



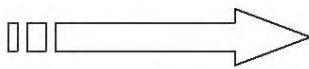
Trivia you may not know... The board game Monopoly is based on Atlantic City, the Boardwalk, Streets and City.

FALL 2010 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

10-12 September 2010

Seaview-Dolce Resort & Spa, 401 S. New York Rd. Galloway, NJ 08205

Funded and Non-Funded Members - Use this form to make your conference and meal selections



REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 16 AUGUST 2010

Note the name, meal and function selection for each attendee, total the cost, and submit a check for that amount.

Please use additional forms for more than two (2) attendees.

Please Check One: CG FUNDED DIST FUNDED NON-FUNDED

Enclosed is my check * in the amount of \$ _____ made payable to **USCGAUX 5NR**.

Mail to: TYLERS, 3350 Grandview Dr., York Haven, PA 17370-9252

DIVISION NUMBER (REQUIRED)

Email questions to: kt Tyler@ptd.net

	#1	#2	Amount \$
Name			
Phone Number			
Email Address – <i>We will send you email conformation</i>			
Please Check One	AUX <input type="checkbox"/> CG <input type="checkbox"/> Guest <input type="checkbox"/>	AUX <input type="checkbox"/> CG <input type="checkbox"/> Guest <input type="checkbox"/>	
Registration fee for each person is \$7.50. <i>Fee applies to everyone 17 years of age and over!</i>	\$7.50	\$7.50	
Friday Night Dinner Buffet - \$30.00			
Saturday Breakfast Buffet - \$17.00			
Saturday Luncheon - \$22.00			
Saturday Commodore's Banquet: ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓			
MEAL CHOICE: Roast Turkey - \$35.00			
Prime Rib - \$35.00			
Sunday Breakfast Buffet - \$17.00			
Past Captain's Breakfast Buffet:			
Member of PCA - <i>No charge, write N/C in box</i>			
Guest of a PCA member - \$20.00 <i>(A PCA member must make a guest reservation)</i>			
(ALL MEMBERS) Check made out to USCG AUX 5NR for the TOTAL AMOUNT →			
<i>*Check must include cost of registration and meals</i>			

Workshop/Event Schedule – Please indicate by number, i.e. #1 or #2 or Both, which person will attend which programs.

How To Recruit (Sat. 1330-1530)		Recreational Boating Safety (Sat. 0800-1000)	
ICS 210 Full Course (Sat. 0800-1530)		Flotilla Leadership (Fri. 1300-1730 Sat. 0800-1700)	
TCT (Full 8 hr) (Fri. 1200-1600 & Sat. 0800-1200)		AuxChef Overview (Sat. 1000-1200)	
Coastie Operations Training (Sat. 0800-1700)		New Member Processing/Develop. (Sat. 1330-1530)	
AUXSEA (Sat. 0800-1700 & Sun. 0900-1100)		Paddlesports (Sat. 0800-1200)	
Strategic Plan Development (Sat. 1330-1630)		Grant Writing Workshop (Sat. 1330-1530)	
AuxChef (Fri. Sat. and Sun.) see schedule		Spouse/Guest Program:	
Publications (Sat. 1000-1200)		Use your car to drive to AC ____ How many riders ____	
Legal Policies (Sat. 1330-1530)		Golf (Fri. 1130-1600) To Register: tredinnick3@verizon.net	



CDR TERRANCE JOHNS-INCOMING DIRAUX AND CDR GLENA TREDINNICK OUTGOING DIRAUX



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2010 FALL CONFERENCE

A FANTASTIC EVENT - A FANTASTIC BARGAIN!

I suppose your financial coffers are bulging with income from all your Public Education Revenue. A good way to spend this money is to sponsor some of your loyal membership to attend our Fall District Conference coming up in September at the Seaview Country Club around the corner in Galloway Township.

District is offering a wide assortment of training to include a Golf Outing on Friday. Your District is also offering to underwrite \$27.00 of the tee fees to make it more inviting. I don't think you can play a PGA circuit golf course anywhere else at \$55. Your District is also underwriting \$10.00 toward your room fees.

The new Flotilla Leadership Course is being offered on both Friday and Saturday. This course is required for any member who desires to serve in any elected position.

The spouse program is directed towards the Casinos. Transportation will be provided and everyone will be taken to Ceasars Casino and you may disperse from there. If all you want to do is stroll on the Boardwalk, sun yourself on the beach or just plain old gamble, that too, will be available to you.

There will be 12+ Vendors displaying their wares, which should be interesting for everyone.

The AUXSEA specialty course will be provided over the weekend. This training will enable you to complete one of the six required courses for the AUXOP device. The test will be offered on Sunday, before you depart.

I could go on and on but for a complete picture, please review your Registration application and make your choice. We will have adequate rooms available for everyone. There will be no need for an overflow or satellite Hotel.

C'mon, jump on the bandwagon and see how much you will be entertained for very little cost.

R/ Bruce J. Long DCAPT (e) 5NR