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October 2015

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| OCTOBER | 2-4 | D23 Conference - Jacksonville-Lexington Hotel/Conference Center |
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| | 21 | Lunch - Captain Daddy’s - Port Orange |

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Commander's Report - October 2015

For those of you that missed the Sept Party at the Port Orange VFW - well you missed a fun one. We really appreciate the auxiliary arranging a fun evening.

We completed a successful ABC course last month.

This month we have more activities; dinner meeting with speaker, Hontoon Island Outing 17 Oct., Halloween Party and an on-going Seamanship Class. Our squadron has good opportunity for participating and for doing.

New Members: We continue to need to work bringing new members aboard. Some of you may know of neighbors, or friends that could benefit from membership, or from the educational opportunities we offer. If you know of someone, please invite them to our activities. If you have any ideas as to how to reach out to potential new members, please let myself, or any squadron officer/executive committee know.

Communications Plan: We need to develop a more effective Communications Plan to reach new membership, as well as improving our communications with our squadron mates.

Activities: If you have some activities/outings that you think our members might enjoy, let our Administrative Officer, or any squadron officer, know.

Feedback: If you have any feedback or comments on any of our activities, please let me know. For instance, possible meeting places, any problems with meals at meetings, etc. Last meeting produced a couple of comments concerning food. We keep track of any comments and if changes need to be made, we'll make them. It's so important to let your squadron officers know what you think of the job that they are doing - for you. It's your squadron.

Burgee: Our new burgee was approved by District Council and was presented at District Conference in Jacksonville Saturday, 3 Oct. It received District approval and support for final submission to National at 1405 in the afternoon. Afterwards, there were a number of very complementary comments concerning how good the new burgee looks.

Future: Holidays are upcoming. We have the LPGA facility reserved for our annual Christmas Party, but are absolutely open to other suggestions. Some of us are preparing to rent a pontoon boat for the Hontoon Island outing so if you want a ride on the St John's, it's a good opportunity. Jeff Wise is once again organizing this outing.

Boating Education, Community Service, Fun.



YOU ARE INVITED

Halloween Party for October 29th

The Auxiliary is throwing a party at the VFW Post (John E. Mealy Memorial Post) 5810 South Williamson Blvd., Port Orange, from 5-9 pm. There will be a

COSTUME CONTEST

So get out your most creative or scary attire and lets scare up a good time.

There will be a \$5 charge at the door which includes dinner and a cash bar.

We will have music and dancing and even some karaoke if that's not to scary.

Each member should invite someone to join them. So bring a friend or two or three.

Come and have a great time.

Please RSVP contact Jeanette Bray 386-253-2620

This is a fifth Friday month and that means

THE BLACK SHEEP ARE PLAYING AT McK'S

On Friday the 30th. Time for some good corned beef and cabbage and a beer or two. Always a good time, see you there.

***DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE NOVEMBER 2015
BEACHCOMBER IS OCTOBER 20, 2015***

***VISIT OUR WEBSITES
DBS&PS WEBSITE: <http://www.DBSPS.org>
DISTRICT WEBSITE: www.uspsd23.org***



Secretary's Report - September 2015

The Executive Committee Meeting was held at the Halifax River Yacht Club Training Facility on 10 September 2015 at 1900 hours. The following Committee members were in attendance: Cdr. Donald Roman AP, Lt/C. Brian Crusan P., Lt/C. William Benny SN, Lt/C. Joan Burroughs P, Lt/C. Robert Spence S, D/Lt. Rita Wise P, P/C. Paul Martines JN, P/C. Cheryl Martines AP, P/C. Robert Bray AP, and Lt/C Alfred Fabbrini SN. The Meeting was called to order at 1910 hours.

Secretary Report: (Lt/C Alfred J. Fabbrini, JN.)

-Any printed material filed by the Secretary such as financial records, publications, and other documents will be made available to the membership within a reasonable amount of time upon request.

-P/C Paul Martines (Ship Store Committee): Due to the fact that a minimum number of orders is required to obtain a discount price from the manufacturer, members are encouraged to purchase the new shirts, hats and name tags. Please contact P/C Martines at your earliest convenience and specify the color and size of shirt, size of hat and type of name tag (pin or magnetic) you wish to purchase.

Executive Officer's Report: (Lt/C Brian Crusan, P.)

-Lt/C. Crusan had nothing to report at this time.

Education Officer Report: (Lt/C. William Benny SN)

-September 19 starting date for the Seamanship course.

-September 22 starting date for a two hour course focusing on heavy weather. Tuition will be \$20.00 – students who prefer to take the course without registration will not receive credit for the completion of the course.

For more detailed information contact Lt/C Benny.

Administrative Officer's Report: (Lt/C. Joan Burroughs, P.)

-A comparative exploration of local restaurants concerning prices, quality of food, service, ambiance and accommodations, was reported analyzed and discussed resulting in a unanimous consent to search for a place that will meet all our needs.

-The Christmas party will be held at the Holiday Inn LGPA Daytona.

-For additional information contact Lt/C. Burroughs.

Treasurer's Report: (Lt/C. Bob Spence, S)

-The income-expenses' sheets were distributed, checked, and clarifications on questionable items made. The Squadron is financially solvent at the present time.

-Due to the fact that the current bank fees for services have increased to an unacceptable level, a motion to search for a new bank was put forth by Lt/C Spence, seconded by D/Lt. R. Wise, and unanimously approved by the Executive Committee members.

-Lt/C. Spence regrettably announced that he will leave his position as Squadron Treasurer as of March 2016 after 15 years of service.

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Secretary's Report - (continued)

Auxiliary Report: (D/Lt. Rita Wise, P.)

- A modest income was generated with the sale of cans
 - September 26 a fun party will be organized at the VFW in Port Orange, participants are encouraged to bring a friend.
 - October 06 Lunch bunch at Dustin's Barbeque in Ormond.
 - A request to recognize Judy Tulner (Auxiliary President) for her unmitigated work and dedication at the September 17 Dinner Meeting was unanimously approved.
- For more details contact D/Lt. Rita Wise.

Commander's Report: (CDR. Donald Roman, AP)

- The new Squadron burgee approval by National and District will be finally formalized as soon as a non-conflicting schedule will become available.
- The names of members who wish to attend the October D-23 Conference in Jacksonville and the workshops they plan to go to was collected.
- Bridge Officers were requested to remind members to submit their Merit Marks to P/C. Paul Martines no later than early November.

Unfinished business:

- Two Squadron members have reached the last horizon; the Squadron Commander will instruct the Squadron Chaplain to submit their names for publication on the Ensign.

New business

- No new business was reported.

The Meeting was adjourned at 2022 hrs.

Respectfully submitted,
Lt/C Alfred J. Fabbrini, SN

Lucky Star **Lucky Star**

*The drawing at the Sept Meeting with **\$150** up for grabs, went to Jeff Wise who was present and won! The next drawing will be at the October Meeting at **Crane's Roost** with **\$50** in the pot for a lucky attendee. **Do not forget that you must be present to win. See you there.***

Administration Officer's Report - September 2015

Hello, The Squadron recently enjoyed a "come as you always wanted to be" party sponsored by the Auxiliary. It was a lot of fun with good food and great music. There were many members dressed in costumes. The Monthly Dinner Meeting will be held at the Cranes Roost Restaurant with cocktails at 1800 and dinner at 1900 hrs.

Activities for October:

8th Thursday - Executive Committee Meeting at 346 S. Beach Street, DB, HYRC Family Activities Center starting at 1900hrs.

15th Thursday - Squadron Dinner Meeting at Crane Roost Restaurant at Crane Lakes, Port Orange. Please RSVP to Jeanette Bray @ 386-253-2620 or Joan Burroughs @ 386-453-4036 by Monday the 12th.

17th Saturday - Hontoon Island Picnic Lunch. Boats will be leaving from the Astor Bridge area at 0900 headed south to Hontoon. We will plan on lunch at 1200 on Hontoon Island with Executive Chef Paul Martines on the grill. Please bring a dish to share, the Squadron will be providing meat. We will have horse shoe and other games as well as some boating. Come for the fun. Please call Jeff Wise @ 386-299-4536 for details.

29th Thursday– Halloween Party at VFW in Port Orange

October 8 Dinner Meeting Meal Selections at Cranes Roost Restaurant

All meals include gratuity, bread service, one non-alcoholic beverage, and dessert (a brownie OR a scoop of vanilla ice cream with a caramel or raspberry topping). Meals 1-5 also include a house salad.

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| 1. | Ribeye steak or Filet served with wipped potatoes and fresh vegetable . | <u>\$24.00</u> |
| 2. | Cedar wood plank Salmon served with mashed potatoes and vegetable. | <u>\$22.00</u> |
| 3. | Chicken parmesan served with pasta. | <u>\$18.00</u> |
| 4. | Six jumbo beer battered fried Shrimp served with fries and coleslaw. | <u>\$15.00</u> |
| 5. | Fish & Chips -beer battered Haddock lightly fried served with coleslaw and French fries. | <u>\$14.00</u> |
| | Wedge Salad served with either chicken tenders or grilled chicken . | <u>\$14.00</u> |

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan Burroughs, P
Administrative Officer

Daytona Beach Sail and Power Squadron Auxiliary

We had our "Come As Someone or Something You'd Like To Be Party"

We were blessed with an illustrious guest list, Commander Don Roman, and wife Becky, Joan Burroughs, Administrative Officer, and her friend, Jeannie, Jeff, Wise, Audit Committee, Rita Wise, Executive Committee, Judy Tulner, President of the Auxiliary, Jennifer Kelly, Secretary of the Auxiliary, Ben and Marlene Malcolm, James and Karen Wise, etc.

Some of the guests were a Flapper, a cow girl, the Ice Princess, Cinderella, a nurse, one lady in a very long nightshirt with a picture of a skeleton sitting on a park bench with a sign saying, "I'm waiting for the perfect man." Her husband had a sign on him that said, "I'm the perfect man." We had a guy who was a retired millionaire, we had a bride and groom, a couple that came, he in a red shirt, she in a green shirt. They represented the starboard and port lights on a boat. She was in red because we all know" she is always right" We had a country singer who wouldn't sing. Prizes were given to the best dressed. The nurse took first place.

We had Karaoke time and there were some who sang as a duet, our Commander, Don Roman was a singer and everyone sang along. Some danced. The menu was salad, turkey, mashed potatoes, green beans, corn, ziti, chocolate cake vanilla cake, ice tea, not tea, coffee, water, and a cash bar. Everyone seemed to have a good time!

Please pray for all members who are ill or traveling. We're still collecting cans. Thanks for your

"Lunch Bunch" will meet October 6, 2015, at Dustin's Bar-B-Q, Clyde Morris Blvd., in Port Orange. On November 3, 2015, "Lunch Bunch" will meet at Pickles on Nova Rd, Ormond Beach.

Respectfully submitted,
Judy Tulner, President
Jennifer Kelly, Secretary



Coming Events

OCTOBER

15th Dinner Meeting at Crane's Roost, Port Orange.

17th Hontoon Island picnic lunch

NOVEMBER

19th Dinner Meeting at Crane's Roost, Port Orange.

21st Captain Daddy's lunch, Port Orange



MERIT MARKS

The following is an excerpt from the USPS Operations Manual.

A “merit mark” (MM) is awarded by the chief commander to a member for substantial personal effort in furthering the interest, programs and objectives of USPS, its districts and squadrons. It is a coveted award; it is by and large the only official recognition members receive for their efforts. Only one merit mark may be awarded in a year to a member, no matter how extensive the contribution. A certificate is issued, and a special insignia may be worn on USPS uniforms.

Recommendations for a merit mark are made by squadron, district, rear and vice commanders to the chief commander. Active, family and apprentice members may be recommended. Merit marks earned by family and apprentice members shall not count toward senior, life or emeritus status.

Five merit marks are required for Senior Member, 25 for Life Members are dues exempt for life. In a few short weeks our Commander will be forwarding his merit mark recommendations to National for the year 2015. As with all commanders, he will have that nagging fear that she might overlook a member’s worthy contribution. Since none of us are blessed with the “all seeing eye”, we ask that any member who has contributed time and effort to our squadron, please call, P/C PaulMartines,JN Ch/Merit Mark Comm. I have forms you can fill out to give me the information needed, this can be mailed, e-mail - paulmartinesd23@aol.com - or you can get it in person at the dinner meeting. These need to be to me by, Nov. 10, 2015, so I can get them to National.

THANKS

P/C Paul Martines, JN

Merit Mark Chair



Daytona Beach Sail and Power Squadron

Please provide the following information and return as soon as possible as there is a **deadline** of **November 10th 2015** for submissions.

Contact P/C Paul Martines, JN if you have any questions at 386-451-4575.

Members Name: _____ Certificate No: _____

Phone number: _____

1. Classes taught (course titles and many) _____

Sessions Taught _____

2. Classes proctored (course titles and how many) _____ **Hours** _____

3. Presentations or reports at Squadron or Executive Board Meetings and Conferences:

A. Time preparing the report _____ **Hours** _____

B. Time presenting the report _____ **Hours** _____

4. Booth watches _____ **Hours** _____

A. Number of watches _____ **Hours** _____

B. Total time for watch _____

5. Number of meetings attended for which you helped set up _____

A. Total time for above _____ **Hours** _____

6. Co-Op charting

A. Number of reports _____

B. Time gathering and preparing the reports _____ **Hours** _____

C. Number of phone calls and time _____ **Hours** _____

7. *Articles for the Beachcomber*

A. *Number of articles* _____

B. *Time preparing articles* _____ **Hours** _____

8. *Presentations at District and National Meetings*

A. *Number of presentations* _____

B. *Time preparing articles* _____ **Hours** _____

9. *Committee jobs*

A. *What committees* _____

B. *How many jobs* _____

C. *Total time spent on all jobs* _____

Hours _____

10. *Officer jobs (Commander NOT included)*

A. *Time spent* _____ **Hours** _____

B. *List of tasks* _____

11. *Any other job(s)*

A. *Name or type of job(s)* _____
_____ *time spent including preparation*

Hours _____

12. *Vessel Safety Checks*

A. *Number of vessel Safetchecks* _____ **Hours** _____

13. *River clean up* _____ **Hours** _____

14. *Boat Shows Manned booth or Set up/Break Down* _____ **Hours** _____

Please fill this out and return to P/C Paul Martines, JN either by email or fax by **November 10, 2015 to receive credit for merit mark.**

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

OCTOBER

*Jennifer Kelly
Nancy Paterson*

*Bruce Perri
William Schwartz*

**THE "LUNCH BUNCH" WILL MEET 12:30 P.M.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2015, AT**

**DUSTIN'S BAR-B-Q
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PORT ORANGE, FLORIDA**

TO: *Jeanette Bray
341 Aleatha Drive
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