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Nov 2004

Calendar of Events

November 2004

- 9 Piloting Class continues
- 10 GPS Seminar Galpin Ford 1730
- 17 D13 Council Meeting {Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club} 1830
- 18 Sea Gals Meeting

December 2004

- 2 Squadron Members Meeting
- 4 Holiday Party {Robertson's} (see flyer)
- 16 Sea Gals Annual Meeting & COW
- 18-19 Holiday Lights Cruise {Huntington Harbor} (Mike Kabo)

January 2005

- 6 Squadron Members Meeting (Calendar and budget planning?)
- 15 Squadron Annual Dinner Meeting & Election of Officers
- 16 D13 Cruise Planning Meeting {Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club 1200} Nat Goldberg
- 20 Sea Gals Meeting {Barbara Chase}
- 27 D13 Council Meeting {Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club 1830}

February 2005

- 3 Squadron Members Meeting
- 11 Commanders Annual Dinner Meeting and Elections
- 15 Basic Boating starts {United Methodist Church} (J Robertson)
- 17 Sea Gals Meeting
- 19 Whale Watch and Picnic
- 24 D13 Council Meeting {Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club 1830}

March 2005

- 3 Squadron Members Meeting
- 17 Sea Gals Meeting
- 18-19 D13 Spring Conference {San Pedro} (see flyer)

April 2005

- 7 Squadron Members Meeting
- 18-19 D13 Spring Conference {San Pedro} (see flyer)
- 23 Annual Squadron Awards & Recognition Dinner Meeting
- 21 Sea Gals Meeting



Commander's Corner

Commander's message – 11/2004

The nominating committee has been their work to assemble a slate of candidates for the next Watch. To support the next bridge we will need to count on the support of each and every one of you. We encourage you to do your own part to enhance our mission of education, community service and fraternity. We trust that each of you will respond generously with your time and contributions to help make Valley Ho stronger than ever. This will be your opportunity to exercise your role as true active members! I trust that each of you that is called upon will support the squadron with your enthusiastic contributions of service.

It is that time of year when merit marks are submitted. This is the reward for contribution to USPS for service above and beyond the call of duty. As of this writing we have 26 candidates that I believe are to be commended for their service and each of their service records will be submitted to the national USPS organization. A list of those submitted will be available at the next monthly meeting that will be held on Thursday, November 4. If you believe that you have contributed significantly to the activities of the squadron and your name does not appear on the list we will rectify it on the spot. We don't want anyone to be left out!

Please join us for the Holiday Party.

Cdr J. Michael Kabo, JN

Congratulations

Valley Ho grew more than 5% this past year.



GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEM (GPS)

Come and learn how it works and how to navigate using the 24 satellites that orbit the earth 7000 miles above us every 12 hours .

Wed 10th of Nov Galpin Ford @ 1930 hours

Contact Jay Robertson for further information

General Meeting - Nov 2, 2004



COMMANDER DEPARTMENT P/C Bob Bruns, SN reported the Nominating committee is making progress and will submit names at the December 2 meeting. Lt Don Dellepiane, S submitted a rough draft for the merit mark report due to District the 15th of Nov. Great progress has been accomplished in updating our By-laws. Kudos to those on the Merit Mark, Nominating and Rules committee.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT Lt/C Betty Allen reported on the Sea Gals.

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT—P/C Marv Nelson, AP reported on the host room at the Fall D13 conference, Halloween Party (see photos) and the up coming Holiday party (see flyer).

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT— see texts below.

SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT—
Plan to attend the next Valley Ho Squadron Meeting, scheduled for Thursday, 2 December at 1900 for social times and 1930 for the meeting at Galpin Ford, 15555 Roscoe Blvd in North Hills. All are welcome to attend the meeting.

TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT
Treasurer's Report for Nov 4, 2004 shows a combined balance of \$9,550.09.

Education Department:

Congratulations to both Don and Cheryl Dellepiane for passing the Seamanship course. Credit goes to Max Yost for running a virtual Seamanship class. Max will be glad to explain the process.

We are planning to have an AP class in the spring. Currently looking for an instructor.

Attended the Fall conference and one session showed off the new boating class material.

Piloting class is being taught by Lt John Mayhue, P. Currently two students from the Ventura Power Squadron are taking the class.

A seminar on Power Point and GPS will be held on Nov 15th at 1930 hours at Galpin Ford.

Basic Boating is ready for the Feb 15 start date.

P/C Jay Robertson, SN



New Member

John has recently moved from Northern California where he was with the Redwood Power Squadron. He is a past commander with 23 merit marks. He is currently serving on the E-board and has volunteered to teach Piloting. Please welcome John Mayhue.

Calendar Planning and Budgeting for the up coming year is fast approaching. All suggestions are welcome.

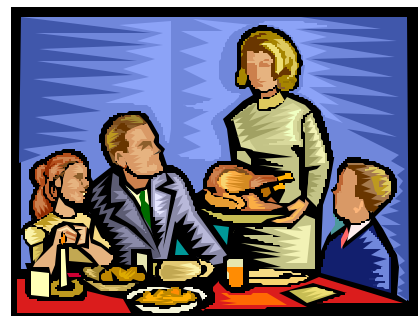
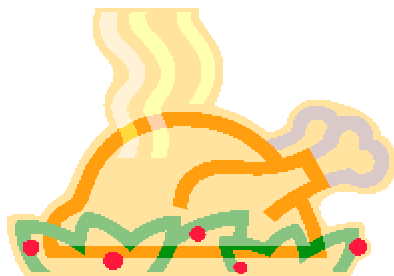
Swim Parties, Camping, Fishing, Kayaking, Picnics, Whale Watching, Museums, Air Shows, Plays, Cruise on Lake Mead, Poker Runs, sponsoring Sea Scouts???

The conferences for the year 2005 have been planned and sound quite interesting. It's a great way to meet other boaters and to have fun.

The Isthmus Cruise to Channel Island is going to occur on Aug 27th. It is a lot of fun and a great family outing. The Catalina Express makes for a very comfy quick ride to the Island.

This coming Wednesday will be Valley Ho's first attempt in using our new LCD projector to teach. The GPS course National put together is very informative and well put together. Everyone will get a chance to test out running the setup so when they get their chance to teach a class it will be a piece of cake.

HAVE A HAPPY THANKSGIVING



Holiday Celebration



THE SEA GALS and VALLEY HO POWER SQUADRON

RESERVATIONS BY NOV 29th
Barbara Nelson (818) 886-8725
Lola Robertson (818) 360-4349

You are invited to gather
On **Saturday, December 4th**
For cocktails at six
Followed by dinner at seven
Join the fun and festivities

ROAST BEEF



Robertson Home
10615 Atlanta Avenue
Northridge
Traditional Holiday Feast
**\$15.00 PER PERSON INCLUDING
BAR**



Halloween 2004
Photos by Ron Licari



Valley Ho would like to thank the Licari's for hosting the Halloween party at their home.

District 13 Spring Conference

March 18-19, 2005

*Hosted by
Redondo Beach Power Squadron*



Friday Night Fun Night



*Marina Hotel
2800 Via Cabrillo Marina
San Pedro (310) 514-3344*

Friday Night Casino Night

No host rooms on Friday, you are in for a fun night. There will be food, prizes and music.



Entry tickets are \$17.50 per person for 100 chips bought before March 1, with every ticket you receive 4 prize tickets and hors d'oeuvres, drinks can be bought at the bar. Entry tickets have a stub good for a special prize. 2 tickets for the San Diego Zoo and round trip on Amtrac.



After February 28, \$20 will buy you 100 chips and 2 prize tickets.

We will have 5 boxes each representing a great prize. At the end of the evening you will be able to change your chips in for more prize tickets. There will be a special box to place the coupon from your entry ticket

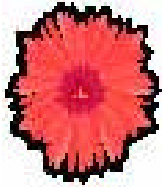


We will have Blackjack, Poker and Roulette

Ladies

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Morning fun for the ladies. Continental Breakfast in the Terrasini Room. After the general meeting at 9:30 there is a decoupage party, decorate glass plates with paper designs.

While waiting for the plate to dry, we have some fun games with prizes. So come join us .

Ladies luncheon : We have a wonderful entertainment surprise for you.



After lunch, you can take a Trolley Car to the Ports of Call Village, Maritime Museum and you can check out the Fire House with the new boat. Trolley cost is only about 20 cents. Attractions are all grouped within walking distance of one another. The Trolley comes to the Hotel every 15 min.



Bill of Faire for Saturday Luncheon and Dinner

Saturday Morning— Continental Breakfast, as-
sorted Danish Pastries and bagels w/ cream
cheese. Coffee and Tea.

Members and Ladies Luncheon \$25.00

Deli Bar Menu Includes:

Assorted Rolls and butter

Honey Cured Ham, Roasted Turkey and
Roast Beef

Assorted Cheeses

Tossed Green Salad, Bowtie Pasta Pesto
Salad

Vegetable Chips

Assorted Cookies

Dinner, Family Style \$40.00

Vegetarian Italian Antipasto

Madeo Salad

Penne Pomodoro

Tortellini Alfredo

Steak Castalano

Grilled Salmon w/ Olive Oil and Garlic

Luncheon and Dinner-Dance Reservation Form

**Make check payable to: District 13 Spring Conference 2005
Mail To: P/C Helen Darby, AP
852 Eighth Street
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266**

Member _____ Rank _____ Grade _____

Member _____ Rank _____ Grade _____

Spouse/Guest _____ Squadron _____

**Please reserve the following:
Total**

Prior to

After

4 Mar.

4 Mar.

Members & Social Luncheon

\$25.00

\$30.00

Dinner Dance

\$40.00

\$45.00

Total Amount Enclosed



HOTEL INFORMATION
MARINA HOTEL
2800 VIA CABRILLO MARINA
SAN PEDRO, 310-514-3344
\$87 Double or Single

Make reservations before March 4, 2005. Remember to tell them you are USPS members. For those of you who go to the District meetings it is just around the corner from the yacht club. Plenty of parking for RVs.

110 Freeway (south) towards San Pedro to Gaffey Street
Left on Gaffey (south) to 22nd Street
Left on 22nd Street to Via Cabrillo Marina
Turn right on Via Cabrillo Marina
Hotel on left side of road