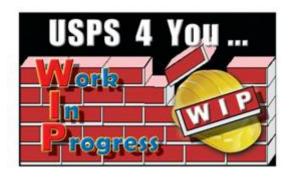
News worthy items from the Detroit G/B: Theme: Work in Progress



For those of you who attended the National Membership Committee meetings you learned about wearing your hardhat to promote increased effort to further our growth goals.

<u>Congratulations to the top twelve 2008 Growth Award winners:</u>

Names		Percentage + or -	Nbr + or -	May '08	May '07
Laka Charles	24				
Lake Charles	21	72.34%	68	162	94
Tokyo	13	50.70%	36	107	71
Harris Chain	23	48.78%	40	122	82
Fostoria	29	43.06%	31	103	72
San Luis Rey	28	38.81%	26	93	67
Kent Narrows	5	37.10%	23	85	62
Kanawha River	7	30.43%	14	60	46
Friday Harbor	16	28.43%	2 9	131	102
Boulder Valley	30	25.00%	24	120	96
Golden Isles	26	23.33%	7	37	30
Lakeland Sail	22	21.05%	8	46	38
Moriches Bay	3	20.00%	8	48	40

Eighty-five (85) of 442 squadrons will be awarded the USPS Membership Committee Growth Award at their upcoming district Fall Conferences. Put your hard hat on and get working. Congratulations to all winners. To view the complete list, go to

http://www.usps.org/x/x.pl/x/x.cgi?/membership/2007-2008 Success Recognition Growth.html .

New Tools for Squadron Membership

To assist all squadrons in growing their membership the National Membership Committee has prepared a variety of new tools for squadrons that are posted at www.usps.org/national/membership/tools.html. Check them out!

- <u>1</u>) New Recruiting at Seminars PowerPoint called "Have Fun!" Download at http://www.usps.org/national/membership/tools.html
- 2) Online Resource Directory for Squadrons http://www.usps.org/national/membership/Resources for Squadron Commanders.pdf. Easily downloaded for ready reference to the correct webpage.
- 3) Online New Member Processing Website *Need squadron account number and password* Access at: http://www.usps.org/php/membership/login.php
- 4) Generic Brochure for Squadrons Access at: http://www.usps.org/national/membership/tools.html . Can be "squadronized" and reproduced for local distribution
- 5) 10-Year Membership Graphs Great visual resource for every squadron and district to use to analyze membership

http://www.usps.org/x/x.pl/x/x.cgi?/membership/Member/members_only_page.htm and then click on the first item *Graphical History District/Squadron Membership* – 2007-2008

6) A PowerPoint about all of these new tools is posted at http://www.usps.org/national/membership/presentations.html. It is easy to download and share with fellow members at district and squadron meetings.

Check out your squadron/district membership report as of 31 Aug. Go to http://www.usps.org/x/x.pl/x/x.cgi?/membership/Member/MonthlyRpts/memcom_reports.htm

Any questions on membership please email membership@usps.org and I will find the answers!

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