



Carolina Piedmont Base of the USSVI presents the

Piedmont Periscope

July 2017

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USSVI Creed

Nearly 4,000 submariners have sacrificed their lives on the altar of American freedoms. It is the primary mission of USSVI to perpetuate their memory through memorials and "tolling the boats" memorial services. Per the USSVI Constitution Article III the Purpose/Creed consists of three sections:

Sections of the USSVI Creed

Creed:

Section 1: To perpetuate the memory of our shipmates who gave their lives in the pursuit of their duties while serving their country. That their dedication, deeds and supreme sacrifice be a constant source of motivation toward greater accomplishments. Pledge loyalty and patriotism to the United States of America and its Constitution.

Camaraderie:

Section 2: In addition to perpetuating the memory of departed shipmates, USSVI provides a way for all Submariners to gather for mutual benefit and enjoyment. The common heritage as Submariners is strengthened by camaraderie. USSVI supports a strong United States Submarine Force.

Perpetual Remembrance:

Section 3: The organization engages in various projects and deeds that bring about the perpetual remembrance of those shipmates who have given the supreme sacrifice. USSVI also endeavors to educate all third parties it comes in contact with about the services United States submariners performed and how the sacrifices of lost shipmates made possible the freedom and lifestyle American.



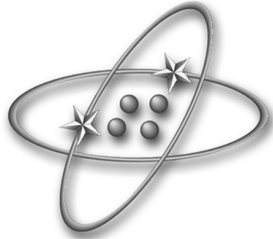
*Lost Boats for July
"Sailors, rest your oars"*

USS GRUNION
(SS 216) July 30, 1942

USS S 28
(SS 133) July 4, 1944

USS ROBALO
(SS 273) July 26, 1944

CO's Stateroom— Carolina Piedmont Base Commander Rick Petitt



Commander's Stateroom
July 2017

Here we are mid-way through another very hot July and I was reflecting on the article I wrote for the Piedmont Periscope last year. Relatively speaking, it has been a little quieter than last year.

Last year at this time we had a mass shooting at a nightclub in Orlando, a terrorist attack in Paris, a coup in Turkey and one of my favorite Subvettes was recovering from heart surgery. Lots of bad things are happening this year but not as dramatic as last year.

We had a vacation in Chicago this year and the highlight was touring the U505 U-boat in the Museum of Science and Industry. Our tour started before the museum opened and was presented by a large group of our USSVI shipmates out of the Chicago area. It is absolutely a great attraction. Cindy and I spent over 3 hours climbing in and out of this U-Boat. I really recommend anyone going to the mid-west to stop and check this out.

The trip made me think about all the German subma-

rine sailors that lost their lives on board these very small uncomfortable boats. I wonder if the Germans have any organization that memorializes their lost sailors. Many if not most the sailors on those boats were just blue collar men that did what they were told and believed what they were taught by an extremely divisive regime. They followed orders or paid the price. The number of U-boat sailors lost at sea are estimated to be 28,000 men. Amazing and unimaginable statistic.

I look forward to seeing all of you this month, since I have been out of town for the past 2 meetings. We have several things coming up this summer and fall so keep looking for upcoming events. I'll see you all Saturday.

Rick Petitt

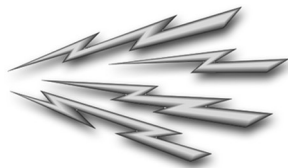
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Hope to see you all at the
meeting Saturday 22 July,
meal 1730 meeting 1830

jack



**XO's Stateroom
— Vice
Commander Jack
Jeffries**

Things have been quiet since our last meeting, not much to report on. We are happy to report that Jeff Mason, MM1(SS) has joined our base, Jeff qualified on the Francis Scott Key in 1982, he also served on the USS Constitution, the oldest ship in the Navy, as his last duty station. A reminder that it is not too early to renew National and Base dues. National dues is \$25.00 per year, 3 years \$70.00 and 5 years \$115.00 Base dues is \$10.00 per year 3 years \$27.00 and 5 years \$45.00, send check or money order to Raymond Zieverink 3003 Lakeland Dr.



Chief of the Base



From The COB—Joel Sparnon MM2(SS)



Hello Carolina Piedmont I hope that everyone’s summer is going well so far. I am back you know those pesky things like work and family get in the way of doing the fun stuff like Subvets some times.

I have a couple of house-keeping items, I want to encourage everyone to try and get involved in the base further than just attending the meetings. I know we all have busy

lives but a simple quick act can help us grow and accomplish our mission.

Visit - Let’s get out there and visit our members that for whatever reason cannot make a meeting, if you can’t visit give them a call and check on them. If you don’t know who to visit ask Jack and I or check the roster for those you don’t normally see at the meetings. If you don’t normally attend a meeting because you need help with transportation let me know we can work on getting you a ride from someone near you. My cell (704)779-0730.

Get active – other members work hard to arrange events for us to get together other than meetings (example; Hockey Games, Baseball Games etc.) jump in participate. They are good times and good excuses to socialize with other members and their families.

Participate - attend a school visit, or a flag etiquette class, hospital visit or Eagle Scout presentation. We do some cool stuff and the feeling of being a part of it is great.

Recruit – attend veteran functions or any function with your Subvets gear on, Heck I regularly run in to Subvets at Walmart or Lowes with my ball cap on, get Subvet business cards made or ask me and I will

give you some of mine to hand out to perspective members. We are growing as a base I suspect more than a lot of bases because of our constant recruitment activities. The future of the Base relies on us recruiting new members.

Ok I am off my soap box now. Stay safe out there and I will see you all at the meeting, remember recruit, recruit, recruit new members

Joel Sparnon MM2/SS A-Gang Base COB

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Chaplain's Corner, Tom Hulme



One things for sure, we are in no danger of drought this summer, at least to this point in time.....and the combination of temperatures and humidity are making it “Cozy” to say the least! I keep reminding myself that we made the move here so that “I don’t have to shovel snow!”I keep that in the front of my mind when it gets “Cozy” like this!! Thank God for shade, breezes and AC!

I never had AC growing up in rural Ohio, the first real exposure I had to AC was when I went to Boot Camp, then on board ships and boats.....but we were reminded by the Salty Old Dogs, that the AC isn't for your comfort, it's for the benefit of the electronic equipment! Too bad they didn't install any electronics in the Engine Room where standing watch in 145-160 degree temps with South Pacific Main Condenser Induction Temps were at the 90-94 degree range was oh

so much fun!!

But then God was good and my Orders to Sub Duty came through and low and behold North Atlantic Ops you sometimes had to put a sweatshirt on under your Poopy suit!

The wide range of experiences we are exposed to in life are all Blessings from God, and as we continue going from place to place condition to condition, event to event meeting person after person, making new relationships and through all of this, we have to start connecting the dots and try to make sense of it all!

All of life is made up of choices, and consequences to those choices and the parallels between Gods intent through what happened between man and God 1400 BC and what is happening between man and God today are virtually the same, you can choose to follow God or you can choose to reject God, this was authored by Moses and resonates as much as it did to the Israelites entering Canaan as it does to us today in America;

11 Now what I am commanding you today is not too difficult for you or beyond your reach. 12 It is not up in heaven, so that you have to ask, “Who will ascend into heaven to get it and proclaim it to us so we may obey it?” 13 Nor is it beyond the sea, so that you have to ask, “Who will cross the sea to get it and proclaim it to us so we may obey it?” 14 No, the word is very near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart so you may obey it.

15 See, I set before you today life and prosperity, death and destruction. 16 For I command you today to love the Lord your God, to walk in obedience to him, and to keep

his commands, decrees and laws; then you will live and increase, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land you are entering to possess.

17 But if your heart turns away and you are not obedient, and if you are drawn away to bow down to other gods and worship them, 18 I declare to you this day that you will certainly be destroyed. You will not live long in the land you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess.

19 This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live 20 and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Deuteronomy 30:11-19 NIV

So, as we go through each day, count your Blessings, give thanks to The Lord and do unto others as you would have done to you!

Have a Safe, Happy and Enjoyable Summer, be well and prosper!

May God Bless you, your family, your home and “Our Country”

Hope to see you all at this month's meeting!

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Meeting Minutes

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Carolina Piedmont Base Vice Commander Jack Jeffries called the meeting to order at 1830 hrs. at the VFW Post located in Fort Mill, SC.

INVOCATION

Base Chaplain Tom Hulme gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

All joined together in saying our nation's Pledge of Allegiance.

USSVI CREED

The USSVI Creed was recited tonight by John Brough.

TOLLING OF THE BOATS

The Tolling of the boats for June was presented by Tom Hulme. Bell was rung by Jim Reeves.

MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS

There were 21 members present at this month's meeting which included one new member. Jeff Mason from Charlotte was welcomed by all those members present.

MOMENT OF SILENCE

Sandra Myers requested a moment of silence for the crew members of the USS Fitzgerald and prayers for the family members of those crew members who passed away.

AWARDS

No awards were presented at this meeting.

READING/APPROVAL OF THE LAST MEETING MINUTES

Motion made and seconded to accept minutes as written. All in favor.

READING/APPROVAL OF THE TREASURER'S REPORT

Base Treasurer Raymond Zieverink presented the treasurer's report. The total current balance of all funds is \$6,200.56 as of today. Motion made and accepted to accept the June 2017 treasurer's report as presented. All in favor.

SK REPORT

Base Storekeeper Jeff Nieberding reported that anyone needing badges, coins, etc. please contact him. Jeff informed our new member to see him if he needed anything.

OLD BUSINESS

Nothing to report.

NEW BUSINESS

Steve Bell gave a report on our shipmates from Baton Rouge who needed our help. Eight members from there have lost just about everything. Steve requested a donation for the eight individuals. Discussion followed to ensure that the members themselves received the money. A motion was made by Raymond Zieverink, to donate \$800.00. The motion was seconded. All in favor.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bilge Rats Update

Moe reported that the Bilge Rats have begun practicing. Anyone interested in participating please contact Moe.

Color Guard Update

Moe thanked all those who participated in the presentation of the colors at the baseball game. Jack asked Moe if he thought we could do another baseball game. Moe will look into this.

Burnsville

Jack thanked Moe for a great show at Burnsville. All those in attendance had a great time. Jim Goins was voted as the Best in Show. Steve Bell updated everyone on the Moonshine Mountain project. The Civil Engineer will be looking into the project to get a firm price on the project.

National Convention

Jack reported that the National Convention will be held in Kissimmee, FL September 1 thru 6 2017.

Dues

Jack reminded everyone that dues are coming up.

New Ball Caps

Jack spoke of the new Ball Caps for Submariners. Jack sent everyone an email with the SSBN ball cap. He is going to check to see if they also have new ball caps for SSN's and diesel boats. To get the discount you need to use the promo code – sub when ordering. The price includes shipping.

News Articles

Moe ask that everyone try to submit a news article or funny story to him.

NEXT BASE MEETING

The next base meeting of the Carolina-Piedmont Base will be held on Saturday, July 22, 2017 at the VFW Post in Fort Mill, SC.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 1928 hrs. Motion passed.

BENEDICTION

Tonight's Benediction was given by Base Chaplain Tom Hulme.

RAFFLE RESULTS

Tonight's raffle was won by Jack Jeffries.

Minutes Respectfully Submitted by:

John Brough

Assistant Base Secretary

Regional Notes

Mark your calendars!!!

I received a message from our contact with the North Carolina State Fair. She said they will be getting applications out in the next week or two and we are invited again this year. The Fair is October 12-22 and the military day is typically Wednesday(10/18).

We will be bringing our tent and banner and hopefully will have some memorabilia to present. Participation is requested from all bases, not just Tarheel.

More details will follow as they become available!

Thank you,

Tom McFadden

USSVI Tarheel Base Treasurer

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The Supply Shack-

Jeff Nieberding - SK

Carolina Piedmont Jackets are still available to order, several members have ordered theirs already. Just let the SK know and he'll fix you up with an order form.

USSVI Calendars are also available with great Submarine pictures for each month.

USSVI vests can be ordered thru the SK as well. We can get Patches!

The SK is now able to order patches from BC Patch LLC at wholesale prices. This is usually \$2 - \$3 less per patch than we normally see. Let the SK know what you need.



New members

“Have you recruited any new members for the base yet?”

Jeff Mason, MM1(SS)

Qual Boat: Francis Scott Key, 1982

Binnacle List:

Judy Hickerson

Rudy Olgas

Tom Hulme

Jim Schenk

Robert Howell

Don Haseley

Gail Rybczyk

Monica Dachs

Dee Rutter

Happy Birthday to:

August

Steve Bell– 7 Aug

Andrew Brown– 8 Aug

Bob Bunney– 14 Aug

Dan Capron– 31 Aug

Gene Johnston-31 Aug

Terry Jones– 29 Aug

Tom Kelly– 23 Aug

Henry “Zeke” Rybczyk– 25 Aug

Stan Schulz– 11 Aug

Paul Trexler– 29 Aug



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to:

August

Steve & Ma Bell– 15 Aug

Tom & Cindy Coffman– 22 Aug

Howard & Ruth Murray– 17 Aug

Matt & Megan Reiland– 28 Aug

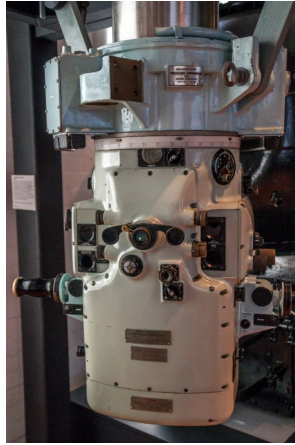
John & Rosanna Schons– 23 Aug

Vicky & Paul Simerly– 21 Aug

John & Jean Wallace– 18 Aug



Para-Vis - Base Activities page



Victory Junction With Richard Petty



Victory Junction Gang Camp. Back row: King
Richard Petty, Steve Bell. Front row: Carol Jef-
fries. Jack Jeffries and Ma Bell!

SubVettes Birthdays!



Sara Connelly- 4 Aug



Ladies,
SubVettes meet together at the same time as the guys at the VFW post. You have your own meeting room. So, please come and attend when your hubby/significant other is off meeting with the guys.



From the school visit coordinator:

See Jack for the schedule of School visits. We want you there with us!

If you have not yet visited a school for a session, now is your chance. Tell your sea stories and answer questions about your boat life.



Piedmont Funnies Page

Eleven people were dangling below a helicopter on a rope. There were ten Naval Officers and one Chief. Since the rope was not strong enough to hold all the eleven, they decided that one of them had to let go to save all the others. They could not decide who should be the volunteer. Finally the Chief said he would let go of the rope since Chiefs are used to doing everything for the Navy. They forsake their family, don't claim all of their expenses and do a lot of overtime without getting anything in return. When he finished his moving speech all the Naval Officers began to clap

Moral:

Never underestimate the powers of a Chief.

A group of Chiefs and a group of Naval Officers take a train to a conference. Each Naval Officer holds a ticket. But the entire group of Chiefs has bought only one ticket for a single passenger. The Naval Officers are just shaking their heads and are secretly pleased that the arrogant Chiefs will finally get what they deserve. Suddenly one of the Chiefs calls out: The conductor is coming. At once, all the Chiefs jump up and squeeze into one of the toilets. The conductor checks the tickets of the Naval Officers. When he notices that the toilet is occupied he knocks on the door and says: Ticket, please! One of the Chiefs slides the single ticket under the doors and the conductor continues merrily on his round. For the return trip the Naval Officers decide to use the same trick. They buy only one ticket for the entire group but they are baffled as they realize that the Chiefs didn't buy any tickets at all. After a while one of the Chiefs announces again: The conductor is coming! Immediately all the Naval Officers race to a toilet and lock themselves in. All the Chiefs leisurely walk to the other toilet. Before the last Chief enters the toilet, he knocks on the toilet occupied by the Naval Officers and says: Ticket, please!

And the moral of the story.

Naval Officers like to use the methods of the Chiefs, but they don't really understand them.

“Ye Ole Master Chief”

The rain had stopped and there was a big puddle in front of the bar just outside the American Legion Post. A rumpled old Navy Master Chief was standing near the edge with a fishing line in the puddle. A curious young Marine fighter pilot came over to him and asked what he was doing.

"Fishing," the old Master Chief simply said.

"Poor old chief," the Marine officer thought to himself and invited the old Navy Chief into the bar for a drink. As he felt he should start a conversation while they were sipping their spirits, the young jet pilot winked at another pilot and asked the Chief, "How many have you caught today?"

"You're number 14," the old Chief answered, taking another sip from his double shot of 12-year-old Scotch, "2 Air Force, 3 Navy and 9 Marines."

Moral: “ Never underestimate an Ole Navy Master Chief, It will cost you!”

Piedmont Funnies Page

Once upon a time three Naval Officers were walking through the woods and suddenly they were standing in front of a huge, wild river. But they desperately had to get to the other side. But how, with such a raging torrent. The first Naval Officer knelt down and prayed to the Lord: Lord, please give me the strength to cross this river!

The Lord gave him long arms and strong legs. Now he could swim across the river. It took him about two hours and he almost drowned several times. BUT: he was successful! The second Naval Officer, who observed this, prayed to the Lord and said: Lord, please give me the strength AND the necessary tools to cross this river!

The Lord gave him a tub and he managed to cross the river despite the fact that the tub almost capsized a couple of times. The third Naval Officer who observed all this knelt down and prayed: Lord, please give me the strength, the means and the intelligence to cross this river!

The Lord converted the Officer into a Chief. The Chief took a quick glance on the map, walked a few meters upstream and crossed the bridge.

Master Chief And 3 Lieutenants

One day, a Master Chief went to the Officers Club with his Captain to eat lunch. When they entered the main dining room, they found the place was quite crowded.

They did notice three Lieutenants sitting at a table with two empty chairs, so the Captain asked them if they could join them. They promptly invited them to join them. They ordered lunch and joined them in conversation as they ate. At one point, the Master Chief mentioned that he had observed characteristics about many officers from which he could determine the sources of their commissioning. The Lieutenants were eager to hear about this and asked if he could tell how each of them had been commissioned.

The Master Chief turned to the Lieutenant on his left and said he went through ROTC. The Lieutenant confirmed that was correct and asked how he had noted this. The Master Chief replied that the Lieutenant, through his conversation, seemed to have a strong academic background but limited military experience.

The Master Chief then told the Lieutenant on his right that he had gone through OCS with previous enlisted service. The Lieutenant confirmed that this was correct and also asked how he had determined this. The Master Chief said, again through his conversation, that the Lieutenant seemed to have a firm military background and a lot of common sense.

The Lieutenant across the table from the Master Chief asked if he had determined his source of commission. The Master Chief replied that the Lieutenant had graduated from the United States Naval Academy. The Lieutenant stated that was correct and asked if he had noticed his high level of intelligence, precise military bearing, or other superior qualities acquired at the United States Naval Academy. The Master Chief replied that it was none of these that led to his determination.

He had simply observed the Lieutenants class ring while he was picking his nose.

Carolina Piedmont Base Awards

- 2009 Silver Anchor,**
- 2009 Golden Anchor,**
- 2011 Golden Anchor,**
- 2011 Newsletter of the Year,**
- 2011 Robert E. Link Award,**
- 2012, Newsletter of the Year,**
- 2013 Newsletter of the year,**
- 2013 National Newsletter of the Year,**
- 2013 Golden Anchor,**
- 2014 Meritorious,**
- 2014 Newsletter of the year,**
- 2014 National Newsletter of the Year**
- 2015 Golden Anchor,**
- 2015 Meritorious,**
- 2015 1st Runner up Newsletter Group 3**



Meeting Dinners

Our dinners prior to our meetings are usually “pot-luck”. Our ladies, who take really good care of us and support our efforts as well as their own projects, put together a great meal.

It is pot luck, and everyone that attends the dinner should contribute something, whether home-made or store-bought.

The meal also is one of our main fund raisers. A seven dollar donation is suggested for each person eating. From that seven dollars, a dollar goes to the USSVI Scholarship Fund. The remainder is divided between the Base membership and the SubVettes membership.

All in all, the money is put to good use supporting the activities of both groups. The meals are always great, and there are usually plenty for those who wants seconds.

So please, if you are going to attend the meal, please bring something and please contribute to our causes. You’re not going to get that great of deal at any restaurant. And you’ll be supporting great causes.

Jack

The deadline for the Periscope will be the 15th of next month. Thanks!

RM2(SS)



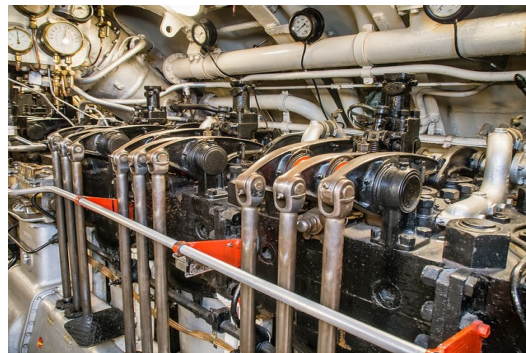
Base Commanders



Glenn Harris- 2007 to 2009




Steve Bell- 2009 to 2015

Rick Pettitt- 2015 to Present





Carolina Piedmont Base Calendar of Upcoming Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16 July	17	18	19	20	21	22 Dinner & Base meeting VFW post 
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1 August Victory Junction	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 VFW Breakfast 
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 Dinner & Base meeting VFW Post 
27	28	29	30	31	1 September	2

One way to support VFW Post 9138 is to attend their Saturday Morning Breakfast held on the second Saturday of each month from 8am to 11am— Come on out!



World War II Veterans



This Place of Honor is dedicated to our Carolina Piedmont Base Brothers who have served in WWII

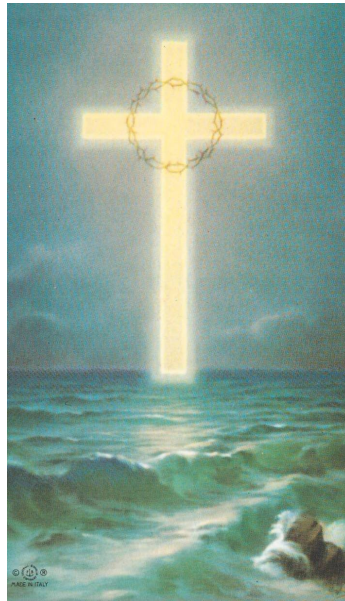
RM1(SS) Bill King - Qual Boat: SS-486 1959

RM3(SS) Hal Rutter - Qual Boat: U-2513 1946

TM3(SS) Don Haseley - Qual Boat: SS-244 1945



MEMORIAL



For our Carolina Piedmont Base Submariners who have left on their Eternal Patrol, taken gently into our Lords mighty everlasting embrace.



Heavenly Father: we pray to you for those on the perilous ocean that you will embrace them with your mighty protection and grant them success in all their rightful undertakings. Grant them in all hours of need to see that they have a God who remembers them, and grant them grace in the hour of danger to commit their souls into your hands. O Lord Jesus Christ, who can rebuke the storm and bring it to silence, and lay the roaring waves to rest, show them who call to you out of the deep that you hear their prayer and will save them. And finally bring us all home to your safe port where we can be with you to close of the age. Amen.

Rudolfo Hernandez— [MEDAL OF HONOR](#) CPL-MOH—Hope Mills, NC Passed away on 12/21/2013

Gary Lee Cruzan, LT—Hickory, NC, Passed away on 7/20/2010

Don Duncan, CDR - Charlotte, NC, Passed away 12/19/2016

Donald Morton, SN(SS) - Matthews, NC, Passed away on 9/22/2007

Everett Edward Erb Jr, TM2(SS) - Charlotte, NC, Passed away on 12/19/2013

Roger W. Fuller LCDR,- Tega Cay, SC, Passed away on 12/13/2007

Hal Rutter RM3(SS) - Fort Mill, SC, Passed away on 02/12/2017

Holland Club

Carolina Piedmont Base



New Holland Club Members this year:

Jay Andress CMDMC(SS) Qualified on USS Abraham Lincoln

Clarence Jordan EM1(SS) Qualified on USS Skipjack,

John Rupertus FTG2(SS) Qualified USS Atule,

Paul Simerly LCDR Qualified on USS Nathanael Greene,

Joel Tuchfeld IC2(SS) Qualified on USS George Washington



This Page is dedicated to our Submarine Brothers who have been qualified more than 50 years in the United States Submarine force.

Al Allen - MMCM(SS)

Jack Anulies FTB1(SS)

Steve Bell - RMCM(SS)

Perry Blake - IC3(SS)

Robert Boyd - RMCS(SS)

Ron Busila—MMC(SS)

Rudy Ogas - MM1(SS)

Charles E. Cross - ICC(SS)

Howard Dachs— IC2(SS)

John Dainotto - TM2(SS)

Donald W. Eggleston - ET3(SS)

Ray Fritz - EM1(SS)

James Hanks - MM1(SS)

Jim Harris - QM3(SS)

Ron Hatley - ET1(SS)

Don Hasley - QM3(SS)

William F. Holzendorf - CWO4(SS)

Robert Howell - EM1(SS)

Dan Jackson - MM1(SS)

Jack Jeffries - RM1(SS)

Gene Johnston - QMC(SS)



Terry Jones - CSC(SS)

Bill King - RM1(SS)

Arnold Kirk - YN3(SS)

Larry Lynch - MMCM(SS)

Bill Quailes MMC(SS)

David Peck Jr. - MTC(SS)

Otis W. Sealy - RMC(SS)

Stan Shultz— FTB2(SS)

Glen Synder - LCDR

Winborne Springs - SN(SS)

James Taylor - CWO4 (SS)

Tom Tidd - CDR(SS)

Michael J. Toomey, Jr. - CAPT(SS)

John Wallace - ETC(SS)

John Wardean - CWO4(SS)

Al Westberry - SO2(SS)

Steve White - MMC(SS)

Reb Wootten - LCDR

Herman Ziegler - EM3(SS)