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From: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: 2015 NAVY SHORE SAILOR OF THE YEAR SELECTION WEEK

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 1700.10N

Encl: (1) Navy Shore SOY Schedule of Events

1. Purpose. To provide a general schedule of events and assign responsibilities for the Navy Shore Sailor of the Year (SOY) selection week.

2. Background. Each year, every command Navywide convenes a selection board to select and recognize the best enlisted Sailor. The goal of the Navy Shore SOY Selection Week is to recognize all nominees and select the very best all-around Sailor assigned to a shore activity for meritorious promotion to chief petty officer. Sustained superior performance, leadership, self-improvement, command and community involvement, and military appearance are the keys to selection. SOY candidates who excel in all these areas while assigned to a very demanding and challenging billet will be given special consideration.

3. Discussion. This year, per reference (a), five Sailors will compete in Washington, DC, the week of 28 through 30 March 2016 for the honor of representing each of their fleet and shore activities at the 2015 Navy Shore SOY competition. Due to the level of recognition, spouses of the SOY nominees are authorized invitational travel orders in support of this event.

4. Uniforms. SOY Nominees must wear Service dress blues for board interviews, office calls and announcement ceremony; board members must wear Service dress blues for the board, and Service khaki at all other times; administrative support staff must wear Service khaki or Service uniform (as appropriate); and all personnel will wear civilian business casual for icebreaker, dinner, and tours.

5. Action. The timeline in enclosure (1) will be adhered to throughout the Navy Shore SOY week. Any changes to this notice must be coordinated through the Chief of Naval Operations Command Master Chief (CMDCCM) Christopher Welch.

6. Responsibilities

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| a. Board President | CMDCCM Christopher Welch |
| b. Board Members | CMDCCM Dee Allen
CMDCCM Charles Collins
CMDCCM Bryan Exum
CMDCCM Richard Putnam
CMDCCM Baron Randle
CMDCCM Hosea Smith
NCCM Paul Tyquiengco |
| c. Administrative Assistants | ITCS Naragon
YNC Wood
YN2 Duarteruiz |
| d. Transportation and Driver | ITCS Naragon |
| e. Icebreaker and Social | YNC Wood |
| f. Refreshments | YN1 Ulyatt |
| g. Dinner | ITCS Naragon |
| h. Tours | YNC Demson |
| i. Announcement Ceremony | |
| (1) Program | ITCS Naragon |
| (2) Awards | YNC Golphin |
| (3) Photographer | ITC Brown |
| (4) Script | ITCS Naragon |

7. Records Management. Records as a result of this notice, regardless of media and format, must be managed per Secretary of the Navy Manual 5210.1 of January 2012.

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8. Cancellation Contingency. This notice is in effect for 1 year or until superseded by a notice of the same subject, whichever occurs first.



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NAVY SHORE SOY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, 27 March 2016

(Board member, SOY and spouse arrivals: casual attire)

- 1300-1800 Check in to Crystal Gateway Marriott
1700 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202
- 1800-1900 Meet and Greet in Hotel Lobby
(with CMDCM Welch, ITCS Naragon, YNC Wood, and
YNC Demson)

Monday, 28 March 2016

(Military Personnel: Service dress blues; family and civilian:
business casual)

- 0730-0800 Depart Crystal Gateway Marriott (with YNC Demson)
- 0800-1000 Arlington Cemetery tour (with HMCM (Ret)
Mark Hacala)
- 1000-1030 Return to Crystal Gateway
Marriott (with YNC Demson)
- 1030-1100 Uniform Change to Navy Service uniform/Service khaki

SOY, Command Rep, Family and Civilian Schedule:

- 1100-1130 Depart Crystal Gateway Marriott (with YNC Demson)
- 1130-1300 Naval History and Heritage Command Museum
Tour - Washington Navy Yard (with YNC Demson)
- 1300-1345 No Host Lunch Naval District Washington
Food Court (with YNC Demson)
- 1345-1400 Depart Washington Navy Yard (with YNC Demson)
- 1400-1630 National Mall Walking Tour (with YNC Demson)
- 1630-1645 Depart National Mall (with YNC Demson)
- 1645-1800 Ford's Theater tour (with YNC Demson)

1800-1830 Return to Crystal Gateway Marriott -
Metro (w/YNC Demson)

Board Member Schedule:

1100-1130 Board Members: Depart Crystal Gateway
Marriott (with CMDCM Welch)

1100-1700 Board Members: No host lunch and selection board
discussions at Office of the Chief of Naval
Operations (OPNAV)

1700-1730 Return to Crystal Gateway Marriott - Metro

All Personnel, Families, and Civilians:

1830-1900 Change into business casual

1900-2000 Hosted Icebreaker at hotel

Tuesday, 29 March 2016

(Military personnel: Service dress blues; family and civilian:
business casual)

0730-0745 Depart Crystal Gateway
Marriott - Metro (with ITCS Naragon)

0745-0820 Check in to Pentagon Visitor Center
** Two forms of identification (ID) required.
Please ensure IDs comply with REAL ID Act **

0820-0830 Escort to Chief of Naval Operations (CNO)
Dining Room (4D724)

0830-0930 Continental Breakfast in CNO Dining Room

0930-0945 Transit to Visitor Center (SOYs, command reps family
member(s))

0930-1100 Board Members Meeting with OPNAV CMC

1000-1100 Pentagon Tour (SOYs, command reps, family member(s))

1100-1300 SOY Interviews with Board Members

1100-1200 Spouse Meeting with Navy Morale, Welfare, Recreation
Lead

1200-1330 Lunch at Concourse Food Court

1330-1430 Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy Office Tour

1430-1500 Fort America (shopping opportunity)

1500-1600 Walking Tour of 9/11 Memorial

1600-1630 Depart Pentagon for Crystal Gateway Marriott - Metro

1630-1830 All change into business casual

1830-1900 En route to Portofino's (walk)

1900-2100 USAA Hosted Dinner at Portofino's Restaurant

2100-2130 En route to Crystal Gateway Marriott (walk)

Wednesday, 30 March 2016

(Military Personnel: Service dress blues; family and civilian:
business casual)

0630-0700 Breakfast (on your own)

0700-0715 Depart Crystal Gateway Marriott via Metro

0715-0745 Check in to Pentagon Visitor Center
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comply with REAL ID Act **

0800-0900 Ceremony - Practice Run

0900-1000 Shore SOY Announcement Ceremony

1000-1100 Reception

1115-1130 Depart Pentagon to Hotel - Metro

1130-2200 Open schedule

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Wednesday, 30 March 2016
(All: civilian casual)

1130-1200 Checkout of Crystal Gateway Marriott

(If staying additional night(s) - do not check out)