



The USNA Alumni Association San Diego Chapter Newsletter

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President's Letter

Greetings,

The fall season has officially begun and football is back! It's been a great start to the season for all of the service academies. It's going to be an exciting battle for the Commander-In-Chief's Trophy at close of the season! Unfortunately, the Mids suffered a tough blow from the Zoomies last weekend. Air Force's defense prevented a Navy score for the first three quarters of the

game. Certainly a difficult game to watch, I'm definitely looking forward to serving up some payback for the Houston game.

Your alumni board is in the process of creating the slate for expiring and open positions for next year's April elections. If you are interested in serving on our board, please contact me. I will be happy to provide you with more information.

BEAT ARMY!!!

Gilda

Upcoming Events

We are still on the lookout for luncheon speakers for CY2017. Please reach out to any of your board members with your amazing ideas!

Wed, October 19 @11:15 a.m. **CAPT Howard Warner- USNA '89 CO, Naval Base Point Loma**

Please join us as we welcome CAPT Warner. He will be sharing the current and future operations of the Naval Base.

Luncheon Location TBD

N*!!!! Navy Football !!!!! N*

Sat, October 8 @12:00 p.m. NAVY vs. Houston (CBS Sports Network)

Thurs, October 13 @4:30 p.m. NAVY at ECU (ESPN)

Sat, October 22 @ 12:30 p.m. **(Homecoming Game)** NAVY vs. Memphis (CBS Sports Network)

Sat, October 28 @ 4:00 p.m. NAVY at USF (CBS Sports Network)

Sat, December 10 @ 12:00 p.m. 117th Army-Navy Game (CBS)

Please stay tuned to this space to get info on special Navy football events in San Diego County

Class Rep News & Gouge

CALL TO ACTION!!! For all of our class reps, we are currently planning an upcoming meeting to promote camaraderie and discuss the next strategic direction for the chapter. Your input is always welcome as we search for new ways to support our existing constituency and continue to grow our alumni participation to serve and give back to the largest chapter of the best school in the finest city of the greatest country in the world!! The Ring Means Something, and the San Diego Chapter fully intends to prove it! Get involved and help us make this a reality.

Class Reps are still needed for the following year groups: 1930's, 1943, 1945, 1946, and 1954. Get the word out to your local Classmates who are not yet Chapter members and need to join, or renew their lapsed membership to stay connected with our awesome San Diego Chapter and receive excellent member benefits with discounted pricing to most of our events. Remember, Life Membership in the National Chapter does not sign alums up with our chapter. When you meet a Classmate or USNA Alum, give them the good gouge about our local Chapter and direct them to our website (www.usnaaasd.com) to sign-up.

The Class Rep remains the cornerstone for strengthening alumni camaraderie. Serving as a Class Rep is a great way to stay engaged with your Classmates in San Diego County by connecting their needs with the network of our Chapter and keeping everyone up to speed on all of our current upcoming Chapter events and current USNA news. Please contact our Vice President for Membership, Thomas Bethmann at vpmembership@usnaaasd.com to volunteer to fill a Class Rep vacancy or to discuss questions regarding application for local Chapter membership. Thank you very much for helping us all stay connected. "On the strength of one link in the cable, dependeth the might of the chain." Go Navy, Beat Army!

Membership

Current Members – 1000

Paid Members – 469

"SIR, I'll find out SIR!!" – Information Corner:

What is STEM?

With school back in session, we should take a look at a movement in public education that's gaining momentum. Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) initiatives continue to grow both in San Diego and across the nation. USNA has gotten involved by instituting a one-week summer program designed to introduce middle and high school students (grades 8 through 11) to the world of STEM at one of the country's premier institution to study such topics. Private gifts help fund travel and tuition related expenses for those qualified candidates who lack sufficient financial resources to participate in this program. The chapter had an opportunity to help send some fortunate kids to the program this past year, and with your help, can continue to contribute to this vital effort to raise the quality of education for everyone.

40 Years of women at USNA

USNA recently marked 40 years of women at the Naval Academy with an event entitled: Athena Conference: Heroines of the past, present, and future that kicked off Sept 8th. The event featured speeches, a tailgate, and the unveiling of the title for the future Cyber building. Hopper Hall will be named for Rear Admiral Grace Hopper, and is the first building at any of the service academies to be named for a woman. Hopper Hall is the first academic building constructed on the Yard since Rickover Hall over 40 years prior

and is scheduled to be completed in September 2019.

Homecoming Info

October is Homecoming month and USNA would like to welcome us all back to Annapolis to watch Navy beat Memphis for the Homecoming Game. The San Diego chapter would also like to recognize:

- Class of 1956- celebrating their 60th reunion Oct 6-9, 2016
- Class of 1966- celebrating their 50th reunion Oct 20-23, 2016
- Class of 1981- celebrating their 35th reunion Oct 20-23, 2016
- Class of 1991- celebrating their 25th reunion Oct 20-23, 2016

Congratulations to all, and best wishes for many more! "Whenever two or three shall meet..."

Why Join your San Diego Chapter?!

- **USNA Program Support:**
- **Chapter On-Line Directory Access.**
- **Preferred Pricing for Chapter Events:**
- **It's Economical & Easy to Join:**

Attention all San Diego Area Alums!!! Please update your profile by

logging onto www.usnaasd.com and clicking on the "My Account" tab in the upper right hand corner. Next, click on the "My Profile" tab in the middle of the page followed by the "Edit Profile" tab. You will be able to update your profile.

Forgot your password? Email the Chapter Webmaster to receive a temporary one.

Friend us on Facebook! Search for "USNA Alumni Association San Diego Chapter" or use the following link: <http://www.facebook.com/pages/USNA-Alumni-Association-San-Diego-Chapter/11729679215>.

Obituaries

- Anthony F. Lazzaretti, USNA '62 (Apr. 26, 1939 -Sep. 29, 2016)
- Mrs. Dorothy [John J. Reilly, USNA '60] (1939 - Oct 2, 2016)
- Lawrence Gregory O'Connell Jr. USNA '49 (Nov 28, 1924 - Jul 23, 2016)
- Thomas Emmett Dawson, USNA '48 (Dec 15, 1924 - Jul 26, 2016)
- Federic Ernest Beck Jr., USNA '50 (May 7, 1926 – Sep 28, 2016)
- Mrs. Mary [Roger A. Stiller, USNA '44] (Aug 18, 1923 – Aug 24, 2016)

Fair Winds and Following Seas to our Shipmates

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES are listed below. Please call the VP Membership or email vpmembership@usnaasd.com if you are interested in filling an opening. Class Reps will be invited to an annual training event in April. Classes that have graduated 60 or more years ago are provided a free Lifetime Membership. A "*" indicates the Decades Rep. Class Rep e-mail addresses are located on the USNAAA San Diego Chapter website.

* 1930's VACANT	1941 Rollo Rieve 760.704.1319	1942 Charlie Bishop 619.223.0492	1943 VACANT	1944 Jack Reynolds 858.673.8122	1945 VACANT
1946 VACANT	1947 Nick Nicholson 858.454.9624	* 1948 Chuck Gorder 619.546.4808	1949 Chuck Howe 619.437.4190	1950 Dean French 858.459.4360	1951 Paul Tuzo 858.695.3690
1952 Dick Dietz 619.435.4646	1953 James Rodgers 619.435.1021	1954 VACANT	1955 Ned Floyd 619.423.2870	* 1956 Carl Nelson 619.421.9094	1957 George Lanman 619.437.6095
* 1958 Chuck Smith 619.472.5858	1959 Jim Cartwright 619.435.9363	1960 John Schmidt 858.673.7169	1961 Jim Richardson, (619) 226-4978	* 1962 Greg Chauncey 858.551.7540	1963 Phillip Marsden 619.435.3318
1964 Bob Glennon 760.730.3608	1965 Dave Schlesinger 619.470.0542	1966 George Klein 619.221.0059	1967 Warren Millard 858.695.3342	1968 Randy Bogle 619.328.5728	1969 Mike McNeil 858.354.6565
1970 Tom Flaherty 858.740.5142	* 1971 Tom Hammons 858.538.9824	1972 Ed Nocon, (858) 484-7279	1973 Dave Kuhn 619.957.8371	1974 Bob Santos 619.476.7683	1975 Dave Frost 858.541.2604
1976 Phil Poirier 858.538.6708	1977 Mike Keeney 619.435.2642	1978 John Rogitz 619.561.5292	1979 Pat Garcia 619.307.9167	* 1980 Rich Carlquist 619.294.9727	1981 Tom Carlson 619.397.0909
1982 Craig Smith 619.623.5509	1983 Don Hinderliter 619.665.9078	1984 Bryan Caraveo 619.249.6043	1985 Kyle Freitas 760.522.7916	1986 Dan Gruta 619.806.1155	1987 Tad Northcott 703.819.2289
1988 John Ross 760.744.1762	1989 Paul Gallagher 760.492.4247	1990 Mike Bice (619) 947-3569	1991 Max Folkers 619.277.3688	1992 Brian Dozier 619.920.3178	1993 Arlen Aspenson 858.717.9998
1994 Jamieson Slough 760.716.1350	1995 Kevin Messer 858.663.1658	1996 Bob Willingham 619.889.9872	1997 Chris Benson 619.417.0620	* 1998 Gilda Reeves 858.220.1108	1999 Alan Baca 619.818.1024
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2012 Donald Bowers 713.876.0794	2013 Leslie Beatrice 571.212.1870	2014 David Matasic 484-356-5137			

DATE/TIME	EVENT/SPEAKER	LOCATION/TOPIC	EVENT INFORMATION*
19OCT2016; 1115	Monthly Luncheon	Admiral Baker - 2400 Admiral Baker Rd San Diego, CA 92120	Contact: Gilda Reeves '98, president@usnaaasd.com
21OCT2016; 0700	October NAVNET	<i>Admiral Baker</i> - 2400 Admiral Baker Rd San Diego, CA 92120	
11NOV2016; 0700	November NAVNET	Admiral Baker - 2400 Admiral Baker Rd <i>San Diego, CA 92120</i>	

Luncheon Reservation RSVP: reservations@usnaaasd.com or (626) 644-6452 NLT the Monday preceding the event.
\$20 Member with RSVP; \$25 Non-Member or Member at the door

New Member/Renewal: \$25 per year, \$15 Active/Reserve O-3 and below

Luncheon/New Member/Renewal Form: Please make checks payable to: USNAAA San Diego, 2682 W Victoria Dr
Alpine, CA 91901

Full Name _____	Class _____	Phone _____	Cell _____
NickName _____	Rank _____	Service _____	Spouse _____
Email: Primary _____			
Email: Alternate _____			
Home Address _____	City _____	State _____	Zip _____

*Please visit <http://www.usnaasd.com/events.html> for additional event information and RSVP.