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Dear Fellow Alumni & Friends of USNA,

The Class of 2010 is underway to the Fleet, eager for new challenges and looking forward to seeing the world. As part of USNA 2010, eleven female midshipmen were selected for submarine duty and will begin the submarine training pipeline. These fine young officers will be assigned to our SSGN fleet. The Class of 2010 also scaled Herndon monument in record time, but is was done Fat Free - with no lard placed on the monument. The Supe requested this be done in order to prevent injuries????

On June 1st, the Chapter sponsored our annual Plebe Recognition dinner at Adm Baker Club. It was wonderful event! Special Kudo's to Myron Fleming '62 and all the Blue & Gold Officers for the great work they do in assisting midshipmen candidates obtain nominations and acceptance to USNA. This year, there were 22 midshipmen from the San Diego area accepted into the Class of 2014 at USNA. Additionally, 8 midshipmen candidates from San Diego are attending NAPS and Foundations. The Class of '64 did a bang up job as the sponsoring class for 2014, 50 years removed from their graduation and continuing USNA's "Link-in-the-Chain" tradition. Finally, we thank all sponsors who made dinner donations for our Class of 2014 and 2015 midshipmen.

Capt Ricky Williamson '85 was our June 17th Chapter luncheon speaker at the Navy Anchor's Club. He is the Commanding Officer of Naval Base San Diego and provided us a very insightful brief on what it takes to run a Naval Base in today's Navy. It's a huge undertaking that encompasses managing budgets, providing essential pier-side services to our ships, providing quality of life services for our sailors and their families and running a base that is environmentally safe. Thank you Capt Williamson for your outstanding brief.

USNA's Distinguished Graduate Award (DGA) for 2011 is kicking

off with nominations due to ADM Ed Giambastiani '70, the chairman of the DGA Committee, on Nov 5th, 2010. The DGA is a means to identify to the public and the Brigade of Midshipmen the broad national significance of the Naval Academy as one of the nation's premier academic and military institutions. We seek your nominations for our Chapter.

Our next Chapter luncheon will be at the Navy Anchors Club at 32nd St, July 15th, 2010. Our speaker will be RADM Michael C. Bachmann '74, Commander, Space and Naval Warfare Command. This will be a great opportunity to hear what's going on in Navy C4ISR. We request all members to please sign up in advance via our web site or email so we have enough food for all attendees.

Please mark your calendars for the following upcoming Chapter events. On Sunday, Aug 22nd at noon, we will hold our 2nd annual Link-in-the-Chain Chapter picnic. Details in the attached flyer and on our web site!

GO NAVY,
 Dan Archer '80

July Luncheon –

NEW LOCATION – Anchors Club at 32nd St. This months speaker is Adm Michael Bachmann the CO of SPAWAR. He will be speaking on what is next for SPAWAR.

Adm Bachmann's Bio is avail at:
<http://www.navy.mil/navydata/bios/navybio.asp?bioID=34>

July Happy Hour, Come Join Us!!

Come out to Rockbottom Brewery in La Jolla. It is free, so be ready to share business cards, resumes, stories, and potential job opportunities, oh yes and share some libations and pupus!! See you there 1730 Wed July 21.

Tour of Naval Beach Group One

Save the date!!!! August 18, 2010 we will conduct a tour of Naval Beach Group One. Exact time (driven by the tides) to be announced in the August Newsletter. We will also be sending out an email with directions to the location. There is limited room so be sure to sign up early.

We are on Facebook, are you?

The Chapter Facebook page is up and running. If you have a facebook account, go to www.facebook.com and search for "USNA Alumni Association San Diego Chapter". If

you do not have a facebook account a tutorial is on YouTube at:
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OdQhZy1xoul>.

Chapter Logo Gear Now On Line

Looking for the perfect shirt for the Army-Navy game or maybe some new glasses for the bar that show your San Diego support? Well now you can order them on line through the USNA.com Alumni Store. Our new chapter logo is now available and can be put on everything from glass ware to tote bags. Ordering is easy, just go to:
<http://www.navyaluminstore.com/16/Home.htm> directly or through the USNA.com website via the "Shop" button in the toolbar and you can order all kinds of merchandise with our chapter logo. We've just upgraded the embroidered logo so new orders will have the Coronado Bridge in Coronado blue. Show your chapter spirit and turn out for the tailgater or monthly lunch in your chapter colors! If you have any questions call Chapter Corresponding Secretary Mike Mowins at 760-602-0857 or corrsec@usnaasd.com.

Students Interested In USNA:

Show your interest in USNA. Visit www.USNA.edu/Admissions. In the "Steps to Admissions" pages click on "Contact Admissions" and fill in the information requested. This is a private data collection used to inform prospective applicants to USNA.

Help Wanted: Class Reps For 1950, 1954, 1992, 1993, 1996, 2004 & 2008

Not many would argue that our affinity to USNA is primarily channeled through the bonds we formed with our classmates at Annapolis. The San Diego Chapter has built many of its successes as a result of the Chapter's unique Class Rep program which relies on the strong classmate bond that exists among USNA alumni. The Class Rep program has been around for many years and Chapter President Dan Archer considers it a pivotal tool to getting the word to classmates on Chapter events, promoting class specific events, and supporting the Chapter's membership program. Equally important the Chapter Secretary relies on class rep feedback to

make sure the Chapter database is up-to-date. There are several gaps to fill in our Class Rep program for the six decades of alumni spanning 1950 to 2009. We need volunteers from the following year groups to maintain the continuity required for a vibrant Chapter: 1950, 1954, 1992, 1993, 1996, 2004 and 2008. Please contact Richard Carlquist USNA 80 by calling 619.917.6200 if you'd like more information on serving your Chapter and supporting your classmates.

Class Reps Desired!

We are recruiting Class Reps to help with Communications in our large and growing Chapter. For more information about duties, outstanding perks, and vacancies: <http://www.usnaasd.com/class-reps/>. Without Reps - links in our Chapter communication chain are lacking. Please consider filling one of the vacant slots. Get the gouge on our chapter BLOG: <http://reefpoints.blogspot.com>.

Last Call:

Arthur F. Fischer '39

Capt Art Fischer's memorial service will be at Fort Rosecrans on Sun 18 July.

William G. Weber '42

Capt William George Weber, died on June 13th, surrounded by his loving family. Born on Nov 23, 1918 in Rochester, MN to George and Grace Weber.

He graduated from high school in Mason City, Iowa in 1935 and enlisted in the Navy. The highlight of his enlisted career was searching the Central Pacific Islands for Amelia Earhart. In 1938, he was selected to attend the NAPS and earned an appointment to USNA.

CAPT Weber's graduated in Dec 1941 due to WW II. He reported for duty to USS Balch (DD-363). Ensign Weber participated in multiple battles, including the pivotal Battle of

Midway. He was in charge of a boat sent to rescue over 500 seamen from the USS Yorktown (CV-5), the only U.S. carrier lost in that battle.

He was accepted for naval aviation and earned his wings in 1944. He flew antisubmarine patrol planes at the end of World War II in the Atlantic and the Caribbean. Later, he transitioned to the A-1 Skyraider and ultimately became the CO of VA-25. He was also the XO of USS Bennington (CVS-20). He finished his naval career as the Chief of Staff of COMNAVMARIANAS and retired to his farm outside his hometown in 1966.

CAPT Weber and his wife of 33 years, Phyllis Knight Weber, divided their time between Minnesota and their home in Coronado until her death in 1976. He was an avid tennis player and sailor. He was a member of the Coronado Yacht Club, Floral Association and President of the San Diego Camellia Society.

He is survived by daughters Victoria W. Duff, Garrie W. Gillaspie, and Tina G. Davis; four grandchildren; and five great-grand-children.

A memorial service will be held at Christ Church, 1114 9th St., Coronado, on Sat 19th of July at 3:00 p.m. Capt Weber will be inurned at Arlington National Cemetery with Full Military Honors at a later date. In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to a favorite charity.

Membership

When celebrating your June Week or Commissioning Week anniversary: please reach out to Classmates that are non-members. Share what they miss unless they become Chapter members.

Current Members – 956

New Members

Electronic Delivery

Email secretary@usnaasd.com
 Subject: **Electronic Delivery.**

Membership Renewal Reminder

You can renew for multiple years by increasing the amount you remit in \$20 increments.

DATE/TIME	EVENT/SPEAKER	LOCATION/TOPIC	CONTACT
15 July 1130	Monthly Luncheon Speaker: Adm Bachmann	Anchor Club – 32 nd St. Topic: Naval Base Operations	alarchbacker@aol.com
16 July 0700	NAVNET Breakfast (Job Networking)	Trellises Garden Grille, Town & Country Mission Valley	tjhammons@aol.com
21 July 1730	Happy Hour	Rockbottom Brewery, La Jolla	betsygarvin@yahoo.com
18 August TBD	Tour Naval Beach Group One	Naval Beach Group One	TBD
22 August 1200	Link in the Chain Picnic	Admiral Baker's Picnic Area	danielgruta@yahoo.com

Link in the Chain Picnic

USNA Alumni San Diego

Join us at Admiral Baker Picnic Area
For A Great Day Out!



We'll provide the burgers, dogs,
chicken, sodas, water, you bring a
dish to share!

Sunday, August 22nd, Noon

Featuring Cold Brews
From



Brewing

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Adults

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\$15 at the door
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reservations today
online:**

www.usnaasd.com

or

Snail Mail to
701 Kettner Blvd #28
San Diego, CA 92101



Luncheon Reservation Form RSVP: secretary@usnaaasd.com OR 619.384.1875. NLT Monday preceding the event

Location: Anchors @ 32nd Street

Make Checks Payable to:

USNAAA San Diego

Time: 1130 Social

\$20 with RSVP

701 KETTNER BLVD UNIT 28

1200 Buffet Luncheon

\$25 at the Door

San Diego, Ca 92101

New Member/Renewal Form (Not Required If No Changes) \$20 per year, \$10 Active Duty O-3 and below

Full Name _____ **Class** _____ **Phone** _____ **Cell** _____

NickName _____ **Rank** _____ **Service** _____ **Spouse** _____

Email: Primary _____ **Alt** _____

Home _____ **City** _____ **St** _____ **Zip** _____

CLASS REPS are Listed below. Please call Rich Carlquist or email vpmembership@usnaaasd.com if you are interested in filling an opening. The Chapter will support Class Reps in mailing expenses, etc. **1934-1950 are LIFETIME Members. * Decades Rep**

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1947 Nick Nicholson 858.454.9624	1948 VACANT	1949 Chuck Howe 619.437.4190	1951 Paul Tuzo 858.695.3690	1950 VACANT
1952 Dick Dietz 619.435.4646	1953 Jim 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 619.435.9353	1960 John Schmidt 858.673.7169	1961 Bill Kraus 858.485.8333
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 Roy Bell 858.459.0973
1967 Warren Millard 858.695.3342	1968 Randy Bogle 619.328.5728	1969 John O'brien 619.696.1400	1970 Tom Flaherty 858.538.3325	1971 Tom Hammons 858.538.9824 *
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