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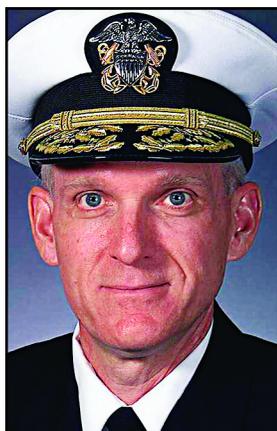
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Trash and carry

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MR. CLEAN AND COMPANY — Lt. Dave Haldane, left, Machinist's Mate First Class Timothy Pettonen, and Lt. Cmdr. Charlie Klein, right, from the Officer Indoctrination School, Officer Training Command-Newport, do their part in the Naval Station Newport annual Earth Day cleanup on April 22. They haul away a variety of debris from the shoreline behind Building 1112. Story, more pictures, Pages 8-9.



Region gets new skipper

Rear Adm. Cassias takes command of Navy Region Northeast and Submarine Group TWO in change of command ceremonies in Groton, Conn.

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MCPON hails top Sailors

The Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy congratulates the Surface Navy Association's 21 Sailors of the Year in formal ceremonies.

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Navy Prep adds to wins

The Naval Academy Prep School baseball squad adds arch-rival Military Academy Prep School to win column.

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Richard Alexander/U.S. Navy photo

PRECISION ON PARADE — The 24-member U.S. Marine Corps Silent Drill Team from Washington marches down West Main Road last Sunday during the Aquidneck Island National Police Parade from Middletown to Newport. The team also performed a precision rifle inspection drill for the public at Cardines Field, Newport, on Saturday night.

Seminar to detail retirement issues

A Pre-Retirement Seminar will be held at the Perry Hall Auditorium, Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport, from June 8 to 10 for civilian employees who are within 12 years of voluntary retirement.

On June 8 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. the seminar discussion will include topics in the Social Security Administration, Internal Revenue Service, Navy Federal Financial Group, and R.I. Department of Elderly Affairs.

A Civil Service Retirement System (CSRS) brief will take place on June 9 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A Federal Employees Retirement System (FERS) brief will take place on June 10 from 8:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Registration is required in order to attend the seminar and will be done on a first call, first serve basis, until May 28 at 4 p.m.

Anyone interested should register with Paul Dennis at 841-3715 or email DumaisP@nsnpt.navy.mil. Please provide your full name, retirement system (FERS, CSRS, or CSRS Off-Set), work telephone number, and name of activity or department.

Spouses are encouraged to attend. His or her name must also be included with the registration.

NMCRS honors its volunteers

The Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society Newport honored 32 of 50 volunteers who rendered service over the past year at its annual Volunteer Recognition Luncheon on April 23. The luncheon hosted by Dan Brenton, Director NMCRS Newport and Joanne O'Donnell, Chairperson of Volunteers, was held at the Officers' Club.

Collectively, volunteers logged more than 8,000 hours of service, completing such tasks as knitting items for baby layettes, NMCRS Thrift Shop operations and casework.

More than 90 percent of the work at the Society is carried out strictly by volunteers.

"The volunteers have stepped up to the plate and hit home runs again this year," Brenton said.

Time in Service awards were presented to the following volunteers:

Magdalena Nicolaescu, 100 hours
 Maria Nicolaescu, 300 hours
 Maria Zapata, 300 hours
 Joni Senteio, 500 hours
 Virginia Plunkett, 600 hours
 Joanne O'Donnell, 4,000 hours
 Marion Hartshorn, 5,000 hours
 James St. Angelo, 7,000 hours
 Muriel St. Angelo, 9,000 hours

Northeast Region changes command

GROTON, Conn. — Rear Adm. Joseph A. Walsh turned over command of Navy Region Northeast and Submarine Group Two to Rear Adm. Jeffrey B. Cassias during a scheduled change of command ceremony April 30 at Naval Submarine Base Groton, New London.

As the Northeast Region commander, he will be responsible for seven major shore commands, including five major naval bases, in a region covering eight states.

As Group Two commander, Cassias will oversee five Atlantic Fleet attack submarine squadrons; Naval Submarine Support Facility New London; two Naval Submarine Support Centers; new construction ships at General Dynamics Electric Boat Shipyard and Northrop Grumman/Newport News Shipyard; and ships undergoing overhaul at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, General Dynamics Electric Boat Shipyard and Norfolk Naval Shipyard.

Cassias was born in Yokohama, Japan, and is a resident of Texas. He graduated from the University of Texas at El Paso in 1974 with a Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry and was commissioned through Officer Candidate School in October 1974.

More recently in his career Cassias was on staff of Commander Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet where he served as Senior Member of the Tactical Readiness Evaluation Team



Rear Adm. Cassias

and as Prospective Commanding Officer Instructor from 1994 to 1997.

From June 1997 to July 1998, Rear Adm. Cassias served as Commander Submarine Squadron 11, Commander Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet Representative West Coast in San Diego, Calif., and Commander, Logistics Group, Western Pacific, based in Singapore.

Cassias will continue to serve as Commander, Submarine Group Ten in Kings Bay, Ga.

Rear Adm. Cassias is a distinguished graduate of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, where he received a master's degree in national resource strategy in 1999.

Walsh transferred to the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations to assume duties as the Director, Submarine Warfare Division.

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The Newport Chapter, Surface Navy Association's Sailors of the Year, Junior Sailors of the Year and Bluejackets of the Year pose with Rear Adm. (sel.) Mark Buzby, left, Newport Chapter president; and the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy Terry Scott, right. The Recognition Social was held at the Officers' Club last week.

MCPON advises top Sailors: contribute to Navy mission

By **RICHARD ALEXANDER**
Navalog editor

The two Sailors and Coast Guardsman killed in a waterborne attack in the northern Persian Gulf on April 24 demonstrates the cost and sacrifice of military service, the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy said at the Sailor of the Year Recognition Social last week.

Master Chief Terry Scott spoke at the Officers' Club at ceremonies to recognize the Newport Chapter, Surface Navy Association's top Sailors of the Year, Junior Sailors of

the Year, and Bluejackets of the Year at Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport and tenant commands.

The servicemembers were aboard a rigid hull inflatable boat (RHIB) that approached a suspicious craft near an Iraqi oil terminal. The dhow exploded, overturning the RHIB.

"It reminds us that when we stood and raised our right hand, that we pledged to protect the Constitution against all enemies, both foreign and domestic."

Scott said 20 years ago he was Sailor of the Year, too. "My early

career was in the Cold War aboard submarines," he said. "Now we are in a hot war, a global war against terrorism."

He said there will always be changes in the Navy, with the configuration of submarines, ships and surface combatants, but each change offers opportunities for Sailors to excel.

"Sailors still need leaders," he said. "Those coming up through the fleet are going to emulate you."

He said the modern Sailor must understand his role and contribute
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MCPON MOMENT — The Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy Terry Scott speaks at the Sailor of the Year Recognition Social.

Newport Naval Cable TV

New devices tested for communications

Navy and Marine Corps News airs daily at 8:30 a.m., noon and 5:30 p.m. on channel 11. Look for the following stories and more on this week's show:

— Sailors in Pearl Harbor participate in an anti-terrorism course.

— The Marine war-fighting laboratory creates devices that give commanders better ability to communicate with each other.

— Rotor Operational Test Squadron (VMX) 22 dedicates its efforts to the MV-22 Osprey.

Health and Wellness Videos
The Naval Ambulatory Care

Center and the Health Promotion Action Council offer health education and wellness programs on channel 13, daily, following *Navy and Marine Corps News*.

During next week's featured segments, beginning May 10, learn more about *Cholesterol – It Doesn't Take a Genius to Know the Numbers* and *Heart – The 'Magnificent 7,' Risk Factors*.

If interested in classroom/video programs or in participating in the Health Promotion Action Council, call the Health Promotion Department at 841-6777.

OSHA to hear violation complaints

Under the direction of the Navy Inspector General, an Occupational Safety and Health oversight inspection of Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport will be conducted between May 17 and 27.

The inspection team, headed by George M. Dulka, will be located in the Navy Occupational Safety Office training classroom in Public Works Building 1CC.

The Inspector General provides an alternative to the chain of command for receipt

of complaints from Navy military personnel. Navy civilian employees may, without fear of reprisal, provide facts concerning alleged violations of civil services rules.

NAVSTA personnel wishing to speak to or meet with a member of the inspection team may call 841-2478 to make an appointment to present alleged violations of occupational safety and health program requirements. Personnel should bring copies of any supporting documentary

information.

The open door conference will be held May 24 from 2 to 3 p.m. in the NAVOSH training classroom.

A number of things...

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The amount in tons of litter and debris that was collected April 22 in Naval Station Newport's annual Earth Day Cleanup. About 75 saplings were also planted around the base in observance of Arbor Day.

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SWOSCOLCOM names its Sailors of Quarter

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SWOSCOLCOM Public Affairs Officer

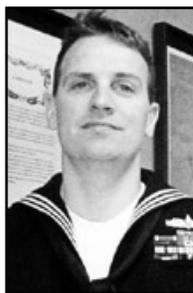
The Surface Warfare Officers School Command (SWOSCOLCOM) has chosen its Sailor of the Quarter and Junior Sailor of the Quarter.

Operations Specialist First Class (SW) Donald W. Loomis has been chosen as the Sailor of the Quarter for his leadership abilities.

He was hand-chosen as the Multi Mission Tactical Trainer leading petty officer (LPO) for his managerial abilities. Petty Officer Loomis scheduled and

supervised all aspects of the trainer. He supervised the personal and professional development of 10 personnel, encompassing four combat/operations rating.

His myriad of collateral duties include: Naval Station Newport A D A M S facilitator, SWOSCOLCOM voting assistance officer, SWOSCOLCOM financial specialist, SWOSCOLCOM Drug and Alcohol Program adviser, and SWOSCOLCOM command



OS1 Loomis



FC2 Rice

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Navalog photo, story receive Merit Awards

Richard Alexander, editor of *The Newport Navalog*, won First Place in photography and an Honorable Mention in feature writing in the 2003 Navy Chief of Information (CHINFO) Merit Awards competition.

Results were announced last week by Rear Adm. Thomas L. McCreary, U.S. Navy Chief of Information.

The photo, published on the front page last May, was of "Kids Boot Camp" at Fort Adams in Newport on opening day. The feature article last December was about three brothers, all Navy musicians, reunited at Navy Band Northeast at Naval Station Newport.

The entries were submitted in two categories for contributions by a Newspaper Contractor-Stringer.

"Congratulations to all commands and individuals for your outstanding efforts in covering the Navy story. Well done," McCreary said in an administrative message to all hands, fleet-wide.

The annual Navy awards program recognizes outstanding achievements in internal media products by commands

and individuals. Navy commands and individuals worldwide are eligible to compete.

A team of professional journalists served as judges for the program. Publications, hard news, feature stories, and photography were judged in separate categories.

The Newport Navalog is under the direction of the Naval Station Newport's Public Affairs Officer, David Sanders. It is published by The Edward A. Sherman Publishing Co., and Alexander has been the editor since 1989.

The newspaper, or its writers and photographers, have been recognized in the CHINFO Merit Awards competition most every year since 1989. Alexander received a Third Place for writing in 2001 and an Honorable Mention for writing in 2000.



R. Alexander



NEW FOR RESEARCH — The Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport's newest building, the 50,000 square foot Unmanned Undersea Combat Vehicle (UUCV) Lab takes shape along Burma Road at the edge of the Wanumetonomy Golf Course, Middletown. Begun last summer, the \$10 million lab will be used to develop new and advanced anti-submarine warfare sensor technology for the Navy, and is expected to be completed by August.

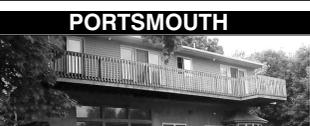
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You can learn how to deal with difficult people

Bring your lunch to the Fleet and Family Support Center on Friday, May 14, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., and watch the film, "How to Deal with Difficult People—Part II." Registration is not required for this Lunch and Learn Matinee.

Just bring your lunch and enjoy the show!

Shopping for car? — You want to buy a new car. An

Fleet and Family Support Center

image of your dream car hovers in your mind—it is shiny, colorful, and purrs like a kitten. But, standing between you and your dream car is the car dealer.

How do you get the best car for a fair price? Come to the Fleet and Family Support Center on Tuesday, May 18, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., to find out how to gather your resources and be well informed.

Call 841-2283 to register.

Risky past time — The Fleet and Family Support Center is offering this workshop on Wednesday, May 19, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Participants will be provided information on "recreational" gambling versus "problem" gambling.

Learn about the impact of problem gambling on personality, behavior, finances, family and social relationships, and health, and where to obtain help for the problem gambler and his or her family members.

Registration is required and may be made by calling 841-2283.

Homebuyers' Workshop — Purchasing a home is a complex task. There are many questions that need to be answered before you take that big step. Come to the Fleet and Family Support Center on Thursday, May 20, from 7 to 9 p.m., and learn about your options and how to decipher real estate lingo.

You will meet with a representative from the Navy Federal Credit Union to hear first-hand about qualifications for mortgages and other financial options. Home-buying information for all areas of the United States is available at this workshop. Registration is required and may be made by calling 841-2283.

Men 2B— The Fleet and Family Support Center is hosting a program by Child and Family Services of Newport County, entitled "Men 2B—A Role Model Support Capacity Program." This program is for

any man who would like to serve as a role model for young boys.

The two-part training series is scheduled for May 22 and 23, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., at the Fleet and Family Support Cen-

ter. It is designed to give men who already impact the lives of boys an opportunity to develop even stronger skills to support these boys. The training is free, and food will be provided. A \$100 incentive reward will be

given to all men who complete the program.

For more information and to register, contact the Fleet and Family Support Center at 841-2283.

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MWR offers special day for spouses

In recognition of Military Spouse Appreciation Day (May 14), the Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) Department will honor active duty military spouses today with specials at its various facilities for their contributions, strength and sacrifices throughout the year.

Information, Tickets and Travel (ITT), Building 656 (841-3116) will sell movie tickets to the Opera House, Holiday or Jane Pickens theaters for \$5

What's going on

each today between 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Seaview Bowling Lanes, Building 656, will offer three free games of bowling, today through Sunday.

The Officers' Club will offer free lunch for active duty officer spouses.

The Recreation Center today will serve a fish and chips dinner, and provide a second one free for an active duty enlisted spouse.

A valid active duty spouse ID card must be shown to participate in the above specials.

FRIDAY, May 7

- Armed Services YMCA (846-9622):
 - Parents' Time Out, 9 a.m. to noon. \$12.50 for the first child, then \$7.50 for each additional child.
 - Scrapbooking, 6 p.m. to midnight. \$7 per person per session.
 - Free movies at the NAVSTA Newport Recreation Center available upon request: *Cheaper by the Dozen* (PG-13); *Mystic River*(R).
 - "The Mosquito Fleet; World War II PT Boat" exhibit on display through July 1, Naval War College Museum, Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 - Russian Submarine Museum open for tours, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Col-

lier Point Park, Providence. Adults, 8 p.m.; children 16 and under, \$5; seniors and military personnel in uniform, \$6. Also, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

SATURDAY, May 8

- Sheep Shearing Day at Watson Farm, 455 North Road, Jamestown, noon to 4 p.m. Spinners and weavers demonstrate their skills. Call 423-0005, or visit www.spnea.org
- Pawtucket Red Sox vs. Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Red Barons, 6:05 p.m., McCoy Stadium, Pawtucket. Discount ticket vouchers available at MWR Information, Tickets and Travel, Building 656, 841-3116. Games also, May 9, 1:05 p.m., May 10, 6:05 p.m. and May 11, 12:05 p.m.

SUNDAY, May 9

- Chapel of Hope Sunday worship services:
 - Protestant service, 8 and 10:30 a.m.
 - Catholic mass, 9 a.m. and noon.
 - Sunday Brunch, Officers' Club, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 - Sunday bowling, Seaview Bowling Lanes, Building 656, \$7 per person, two-person minimum per lane.

MONDAY, May 10

- Armed Services YMCA (846-9622):
 - Parents' Time Out, 9 a.m. to noon. \$12.50 for the first child, then \$7.50 for each additional child.
 - Military Youth Activities (MYA) Summer Camp registration continues (active duty only until May 17), 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Gym 109. Call 841-7196 for more information.
 - American Red Cross, R.I. East Bay Branch will Community First Aid and safety Course, 6 to 10:30 p.m., 1015 Aquidneck Avenue, Middletown. For more information, call 846-8100. Also, May 12.

TUESDAY, May 11

- Armed Services YMCA (846-9622):
 - Fitness Hour, 9 to 10:30 a.m. Childcare available for children over 10 months. \$4 for the first child, then \$1 each additional child.
 - Scrapbooking, 9 a.m. to noon. \$5 per person per session to crop.
 - Rubber Stamping, 6:30 p.m. \$10 per person per session to create up to three projects; \$5 to crop.
 - Fleet and Family Support Center (841-2283)
 - Relationship Enhancement Workshop begins, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. last of six-session workshop for individuals and couples who want to

NEX celebrates Mother's Day

The Navy Exchange is offering several specials this weekend in celebration of Mother's Day, May 9.

An essay contest for children age 13 or younger concluded May 4, and the winners will be announced today.

The topic was, "Why my mother deserves to get flowers for Mother's Day." The winner will get a bouquet of flowers for his or her mother.

In other specials:

• NEX also is giving free complimentary carnations for the first 50 mothers to enter the main store on Mother's Day.

• A bra-fitting clinic will be held today from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

• All women will receive 10 percent off all hair products at the Family Hair Care Center.

• A special chance drawing for a beauty basket for Mother's Day is also underway.

learn some proven ways to improve communication in personal relationships.

WEDNESDAY, May 12

- Armed Services YMCA (846-9622):
 - Parents' Time Out, 9 a.m. to noon. \$12.50 for the first child, then \$7.50 for each additional child.
 - Kids' Sewing (session 2), 4 to 5:30 p.m. Also, May 13, 4 to 5:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, May 13

- Armed Services YMCA(846-9622)
 - Fitness Hour, 9 to 10:30 a.m.
 - Parents as Teachers (PAT) Playgroup, 10:45 a.m. to noon. A time for children to play and interact with their children with age-appropriate activities. Open to families with children prenatal through age 5.
 - Soup kitchen, 8:30 a.m., Martin Luther King Center, Dr. Marcus

Wheatland Boulevard, Newport. Military volunteers welcome. Also, 5 p.m., St. Georges' Episcopal Church.

Upcoming:

May 14 - Newport Navy Choristers "Proudly We Sing" Concert, 7 p.m., St. Lucy's Church, West Main Road, Middletown. Proceeds to benefit the Middletown Senior Center. Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$6 for seniors and children under 12.

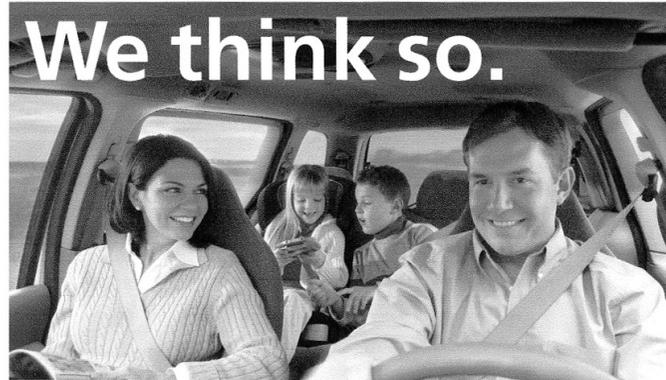
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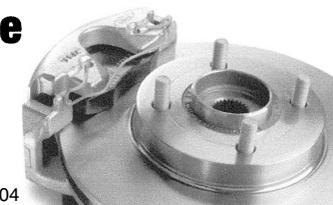
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MIDDLETOWN — The Newport Navy Choristers will present "Proudly We Sing" on Friday, May 14, at 7 p.m., at St.

Lucy's Church on West Main Road.

The benefit performance will include an array of musical selections under the direction of JoAnn Loewenthal.

Each year the Choristers offer their services to benefit community charitable and non-profit organizations. This performance will benefit the Middletown Senior Center

in their effort to raise money for required kitchen renovations.

Tickets may be purchased in advance by contacting the Middletown Senior Citizens

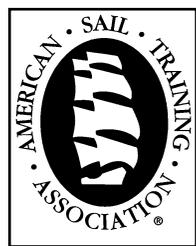
Center, 849-8823; from any Newport Navy Choristers member; or at the door.

Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$6 for senior citizens and children under 12.

Special events

Tall Ships fleet welcomes teens

Travel the high seas with the American Sail Training Association (ASTA), a youth education and leadership development non-profit organization.



Each year ASTA organizes a series of Tall

Ships® races, cruises and rallies called the Tall Ships Challenge® Series. Windjammers and sail training vessels from all over the world participate in the sailing challenge.

For more information call 841-4038.

Navy Band marks Armed Forces Day

The Northeast Navy Showband will celebrate Armed Forces Day with a concert May 16 at Spruance Hall, Naval War College. The concert will begin at 3 p.m.

Book Fair slated

The Armed Services YMCA will hold a book fair daily from May 10 to 14, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A variety of Usborne Books will be featured with a range of subjects covering hobbies, science, nature, languages, sports, parent's guides, puzzles, storybooks, all designed to challenge and stimulate you and your children.

Books start at \$3.95.

Announcements

Pool closed this weekend

Pool 307 will be secured through May 9 for work on the locker rooms. The pool is scheduled to re-open on Monday, May 10.

For more information, call Athletic Director's office in Gym 109 at 841-7196.

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NAVSTA gets clean sweep



Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department employees John Dillworth, left, and Greg O'Shea, plant an evergreen for Earth Day near the Helicopter Pad on Coasters' Harbor Island.

Lt. Brandon Dye, left, Lt. Anthony Cassino and Gas Turbine Systems Technician First Class Laurence Schmitz clear leaves out from around shrubs at the Surface Warfare Officers School Command.



By **CAROLYN BAKER**
NAVSTA Public Affairs Staff

In spite of the dreary weather April 22, approximately 200 volunteers participated in Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport's annual Earth Day cleanup. Coordinated by Deb Moore, the Environmental Department led an all-hands base-wide cleanup from 8 to 11 a.m.

With the main focus on the shoreline and state-owned railroad tracks, participants gathered at Building 47 where supplies such as gloves and bags were distributed. They were then briefed on safety measures, and divided into three groups.

Other NAVSTA employees and rep-

resentatives from tenant commands did their part by picking up litter in a 200-foot perimeter around their office buildings.

"This is the most trash that has ever been picked up on a cleanup day," Moore said. The total weight of waste was approximately 11.5 tons, including four in scrap wood, three in rubbish, two-and-a-half in metal, one in recyclables, and one in biodegradable leaves and yard waste.

Moore said in addition to litter pick-up, the cleanup included base beautification with tree and flower plantings.

The Earth Day celebration was inclusive of Arbor Day (April 30), as over 75 trees were distributed and

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REWARDS — Morale, Welfare and Recreation special events coordinator Amy Burnes passes out 40 t-shirts to clean-up volunteers.

JOPPA Maintenance Co. contract employees plant pansies in front of the granite sign outside Gate 1, Training Station Road.



Cleanup

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planted around the base. Greg Jackson from the Public Works Department customer liaison office, performed the “dig safes” to ensure a safe and easy planting.

Local businesses including Chaves Gardens, Inc., Island Garden Shop, Rhode Island Nurseries, Inc., and Boulevard Nurseries, Inc., contributed to NAVSTA's Earth Day by providing bedding plants, annuals and saplings, adding to the overall beautification of the base.

First Command Financial Planning also provided bottled water and clean-up support.

Participants were rewarded for their hard work with a picnic held at the Recreation Center, Building 656, where volunteers received Earth Day t-shirts, donated by ECOLAB, and chowed down hamburgers and hotdogs.

**Ron Fontaine
and Kelly Conner/
U.S. Navy photos**

Chief Yeoman Debbie Bell clears some scraps of lumber along the Coddington Cove shoreline west of Defense Highway.



Electronics Technician Second Class Jeff Eriks, Unit 202, Mobile Inshore Undersea Warfare, finds some litter along the seawall behind Building 18 Flag Cabins.



Seaman Yamani Khan, left, and Chief Culinary Specialist Jesse Lee Algarin of the Combined Bachelor Housing, plant sapplings in front of the Harbor Island Conference Center.

Naval Station Newport Dining

Officers' Club

(Building 95, Phone 841-4821, 846-7987 or 849-3693)

Today: Lunch, 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., first deck, sit-down service.

Tonight: Kick-off the week-end at Topside Pub, the place to be on Friday nights 4 to 6 p.m. enjoy complimentary hors d'oeuvres. Our "happy hour" domestic beverage special (excluding imports) is only \$1.50!

For you designated drivers, there's free coffee or fountain drinks all night long!

Crab-is-King is 6 to 9 p.m. Tickets must be purchased in advance and cost \$31.95 each, including gratuity. Order by phone (Visa/MC only) at 846-7987 or visit the O' Club gift shop.

The Country Mile Band will give a free concert in the Topside Pub tonight from 7 to 11. Complimentary country-style hors d'oeuvres will be served from 4 to 6 p.m. Order from the special southern menu featuring BBQ Baby Back Ribs, Southwest Sampler Platter & more. For more information, call 846-7987.

Saturday: Topside Pub opens at 4 p.m. Full pub menu available until one hour before closing.

Monday-Friday: Lunch, 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., first deck, sit-down service. Dinner, 4 to one-hour before closing, Pub Menu is available at Topside Pub.

Monday: Dinner, 4 to 7 p.m., Topside Pub.

Pasta Night – Choose your favorite pasta, toppings and sauce and we'll prepare your customized pasta bowl. Included in this all-you-can-eat meal is an Italian beggar's salad and warm garlic bread for \$6 per person.

Tuesday: Dinner, 4 to 6 p.m., Topside Pub.

BBQ Special – A choice of barbecued pork ribs or barbecued chicken breast, a side of baked beans, coleslaw and a square of homemade corn bread for \$6 per person.

Wednesday: Dinner, 4 to 6 p.m., Topside Pub.

Beef 'n' Burgundy – A carved-to-order roast beef sandwich with the fixings and a glass of Burgundy (domestic draft or non-alcoholic beverages may be substituted) for \$6 per person.

Thursday: Lunch, 11 a.m. to

1:15 p.m., first deck, sit-down service. Dinner, 5 to 7 p.m.

Topside Pub, Lobsters for Happy Hour. One-plus pound boiled lobsters, giant baked potatoes, hot and spicy wings, fresh garden salads, and creamy clam chowder.

Upcoming Events:

Advance tickets may be required for the following events: Gratuity is included in all tickets prices and there is no charge for children age 3 and under at special events.

To purchase tickets or for more information, call 846-7987 or 841-4821.

Mother's Day Sunday Buffet at the Officers' Club Sunday, May 9, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tickets must be purchased in advance and cost \$24.95 each, including gratuity. Order by phone (Visa/MC only) at 846-7987 or visit the O' Club gift shop.

Enlisted Lounges

(Recreation Center, Building 656, phone 841-3054)

Hours of operation: The Enlisted Club is open 4 p.m. to 11 p.m., Wednesday to Saturday. The CPO Lounge is open Wednesday and Thursday, 4 to 9 p.m. and Friday, 4 to 11 p.m. Pub menu is available Wednesday through Saturday, 4 to 8 p.m. Lunch service is no longer available.

Tonight: Kick off the week-end with a rockin' good time! Head over to the Recreation Center, Building 656, every Friday and kick off the weekend with a fabulous TGIF party!

From 4 to 6 p.m., enjoy complimentary hors d'oeuvres, sip refreshing beverages, and listen to the coolest tunes, spun by a rocking DJ from "Get With it Productions."

This is the perfect way to unwind after a long week, so mark your calendar, tell your friends and get ready to kick off the weekend at the Recreation Center. For more information, call 841-3054.

Saturday: 4 p.m. to 11 p.m., Pub menu available from 4 to 8 p.m.

Wednesday is "Wild Wings" Night, 4 to 8 p.m. Basket of chicken wings (available three ways), fresh celery and blue cheese dipping sauce costs just \$2.50!

Thursday, you are invited to enjoy the "Chef's Choice," a delicious, freshly prepared

meal from our kitchen at a price guaranteed to please. The kitchen is open 4 to 8 p.m.

Ney Hall Galley

(Building 292, phone 841-4450)

All hands welcome

Weekdays: breakfast, 6 to 7:15 a.m.; lunch, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; and dinner, 5:15 to 6:30 p.m.

Saturday: breakfast, 6:30 to 8 a.m.; lunch 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; and dinner, 5 to 6:15 p.m.

Sunday: breakfast 8:30 to 10 a.m.; lunch, 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and dinner, 5 to 6:15 p.m.

Call for daily menus and meal charges.

Information, Tickets and Travel

Bear, Big Blue House in Providence

The lovable cha-cha-cha dancing star of Jim Henson's, Bear and The Big Blue House is singing and dancing his way into cities across the nation.

Information, Tickets & Travel Office has tickets to Bear and The Big Blue House *Surprise Party* a national touring production starring Bear and his puppet friends from the Disney Channel television show on Saturday, May 15 at 2 p.m.

Tickets to see Bear at the Providence Performing Arts Center are \$22 each. For more information, call ITT at 841-3116.

The circus is coming to town

The Ringling Bros., Barnum and Bailey Circus is coming and the Information, Tickets & Travel Office, Building 656, has preferred seating for the 11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m. shows on Saturday, May 8, and the 1 p.m. performance on Sunday, May 9. Tickets are \$17 each.

For more information, call the Information, Tickets & Travel Office at 841-3116.

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Bowling

(Building 656, 841-4293)

Spring Bowling Hours: The Seaview Bowling Center, Building 656, is operating on the following spring operating schedule: Monday, 5 to 9 p.m.; Tuesday through Friday, 5 to 10 p.m.; and Saturday and Sunday, 1 to 7 p.m.

Rock and Bowl is every other Saturday, 8 to 11 p.m.

Seaview Lanes will close for June, July

and August.

Leisure

For more information, call the Bowling Center at 841-4293, during business hours.

Specials

- Rock and Bowl: Every other Saturday night beginning at 8 p.m. Cost is just \$7 per person. Bowl a strike when the head pin is red and you will win a prize! Rock and Bowl Night is next Saturday, May 15.

- Sunday special is \$7 an hour from 1 to 7 p.m. for two people.

- Bowling birthday parties available Saturdays and Sundays and include reserved lanes with or without bumpers. A party table with chairs is also included. Cost is just \$5 for each child, including shoe rental.

- Bumper bowling is always available.

Youth/special fitness activities

(Gym 109, 841-3154)

- Youth fitness program: Eligible youth wishing to utilize Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department fitness facilities (Gym 109 and FITNESS Plus) are required to take a mandatory resistance and aerobics training class prior to entering the facilities during the designated times.

This class is required for youth ages 10 to 15, and is also available for 16 and 17-year-olds that may also choose to participate in the fitness assessment program instead.

The Youth Fitness Class is available on an individual basis by pre-registering at Gym 109 or FITNESS Plus in Building 355. Parents are required to be in the building where the course is being held during all class sessions.

Complete details on this program and youth fitness policies are available at Gym 109. Call 841-7196 for information or to pre-register.

Summer scramble golf tournament

Gather your team and your golf clubs and join us for a "Super Summer Scramble" golf tournament, on Thursday, June 24, at Richmond Country Club, in Richmond, R.I.

The tournament is open to

active duty, military retirees and DoD civilians and costs just \$60 per person. Registrations for active duty teams (all four members must be active duty) will be accepted at Gym 109 beginning May 24 through 28.

Teams of military retirees (at least two members) may regis-

ter beginning on Tuesday, June 1 through June 4. Space available, all other authorized patrons may register beginning on Monday, June 7.

Remember—you must register in person and full team payment is due upon registration. Registrations will be accepted Monday through Fri-

day 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Gym 109 until Friday, June 11. Check-in will begin at 7:15 a.m. and tee-off will be at 8 a.m. For more information, call 841-7196.

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Sports

Rams split with Army

The Naval Academy Prep School (NAPS) baseball team will wind up its 2004 season with a game at Pomfret Academy in Connecticut today, after facing the Community College of Rhode Island in Warwick on Wednesday. The Rams' record is 6-11 as of last weekend.

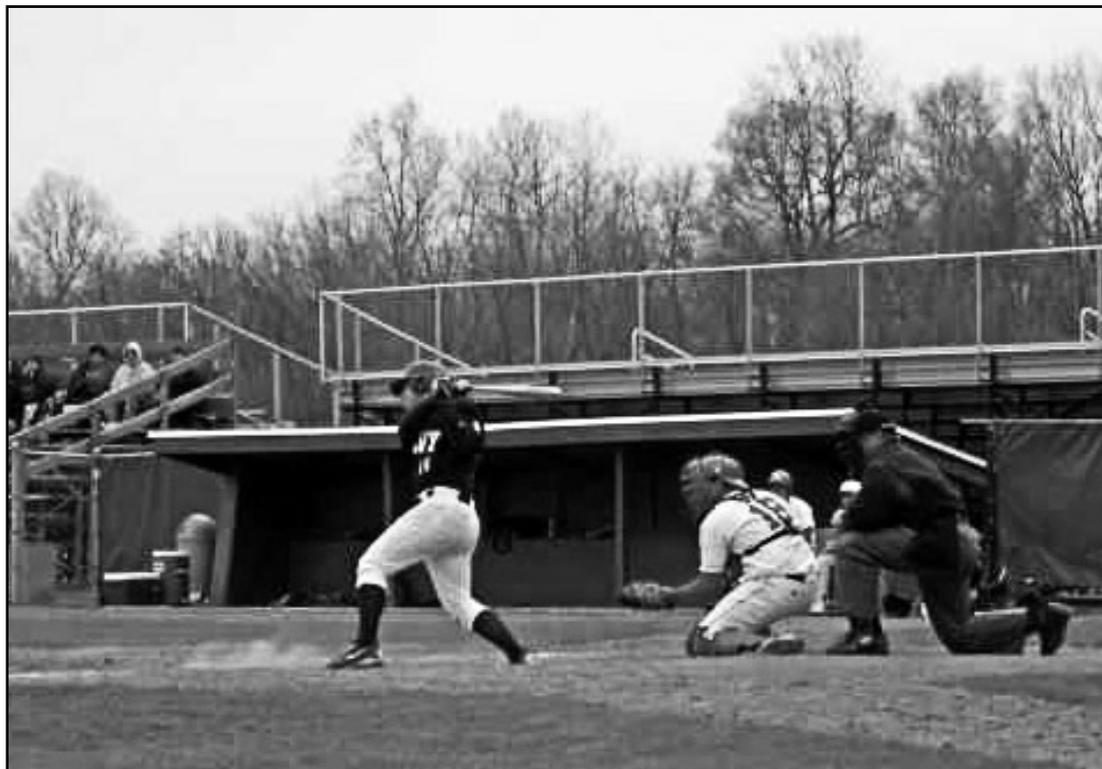


Navy third baseman Jason Haag makes a tag at third base against a Sacred Heart University runner on April 25.

Last Saturday, NAPS pitcher Mark McCoy pitched a masterful three-hitter to lead NAPS to a 7-1 victory over the Military Academy Prep School (MAPS) at Ft. Monmouth, N.J.

McCoy recorded 10 strikeouts, walked three, and did not allow an earned run in his seven-inning, 100-pitch performance. McCoy out-duelled Army pitcher Gabe Jimenez and the two have a history together.

"We pitched against each other many times in Florida over the past few years," McCoy said. "Every game was always close and we were pretty much even in wins and losses. I am happy we won today and I knew going in that it would be



FIRST OF TWO DOUBLES — Navy Prep's Kevin Gregory smashes a two-run double against the University of New Haven last weekend in Connecticut. Gregory drove in three runs in the Rams losing effort.

Sean Sullivan/U.S. Navy photos

tough." NAPS jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the first on a walk to Justin Carter and a double by Billy Maugeri. He scored on an infield error off the bat of

Kevin Gregory. In the fifth, NAPS broke the game open with five runs on a pair of two RBI doubles by Maugeri and Tom "Howdy" Hroskocy and a RBI single by Jason Haag.

In the second game, The Golden Knights rebounded with a superb pitching performance of their own. Cole White scattered five hits and **NAPS, Page 13**

Special Olympics seeks volunteers

KINGSTON — At least 120 Navy and Department of Defense (DoD) volunteers are needed to help run this year's 36th annual Special Olympics Rhode Island Summer Games, June 4-5, at the University of Rhode Island.

Chief Electrician's Mate (Surface Warfare/ Air Warfare) Jim Burke, coordinator of volunteers, said the Surface Warfare Officer School Command (SWOSCOLCOM) has sponsored the Special Olympics in Rhode Island for several years.

"Our participation has gone from small support roles in the past to main stream organization and operations in the present day," he said. "Our Sailors have always answered the call when it comes to this worthwhile cause, and I'm sure this year will be no different."

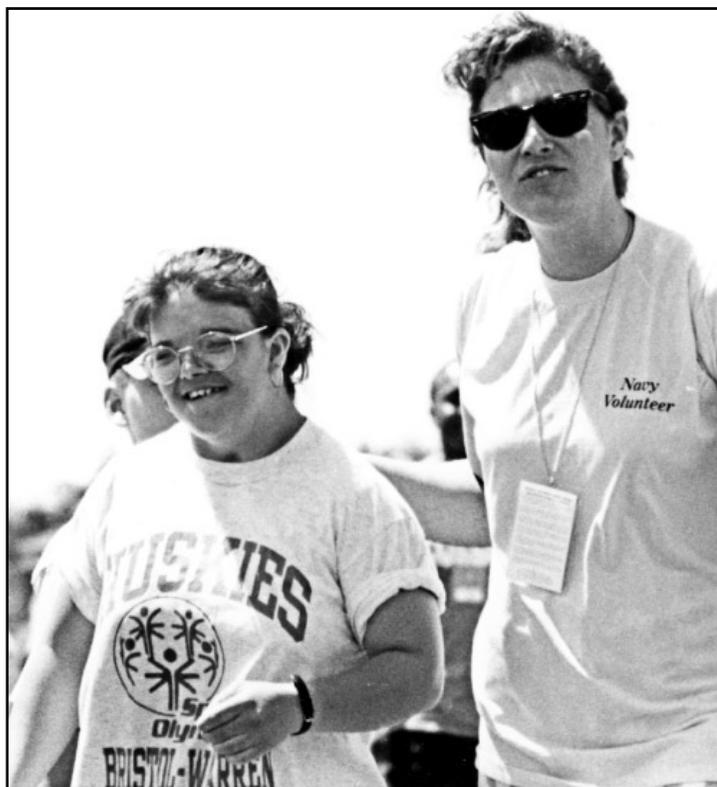
Burke said 30 to 40 volunteers are needed Friday June 4 from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. for

set-up and track finish line staging, scorekeeping, recording and escorting competitors; and 50 uniformed volunteers in summer whites are needed as team escorts during opening ceremonies from 6 to 9:30 p.m.

On Saturday June 5, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. 40 to 50 volunteers are needed for track finish line operations from

Volunteers that attend both the games and opening ceremonies on Friday are invited to dine at the University of Rhode Island President's Reception at 6 p.m. Lunch will be served on Saturday for all volunteers.

A short screening form must be filled out by May 12 to ensure credentials are ready for issue prior to the event. The forms can be obtained by contacting Chief Burke at 841-2662 (work), 835-2967 (cell), or by e-mail at: Jim.Burke@navy.mil



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SPECIAL ASSISTANT — Dental Technician First Class Julie March helps a Special Olympian off the track after her sprint event in the Special Olympics Rhode Island Summer Games at the University of Rhode Island several years ago.

Intramural volleyball

The Naval Station Newport Intramural Volleyball League playoffs began Monday at Gym 109. Only four out of the five teams participated.

NAPS Spikers played Code Blue at 5 p.m., and Deep Six took on Hodge Podge at 6 p.m.

The winners played Wednesday at 5 p.m.

The final results as of April 30 follow:

NAPS Spikers def. Deep Six, 15-13, 15-13

Hodge Podge def. Code Blue, 15-11, 14-15, 25-22

Standings

NAPS Spikers.....	6-1
NWC Seniors.....	5-1
Deep Six.....	7-4
Hodge Podge.....	4-6
Code Blue.....	2-9

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Sailor

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volunteer coordinator assistant.

He is actively involved in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints as he assists five families in physical and spiritual well-being. Additionally, he is responsible for the weekly accounting and transmission of reports regarding donations.

Fire Controlman Second Class (SW/AW) Joshua J. Rice has been chosen as the Junior Sailor of the Quarter for his outstanding

achievements as Maritime Warfare Department Lab Facilitator. He developed a new course curricula and developed extensive training to the fleet's Prospective Department Head officers.

Additionally, he is the automated data processing supervisor directing personnel in the daily operations and maintenance of more than 30 computers and Local Area Network for the trainer.

He assisted and mentored them

in their pursuits of Master Training Specialist qualifications. Working entirely outside his designated specialty, Rice qualified as a dead reckoning tracer plotter. His qualification filled a critical manning shortfall in the trainer which minimized any unplanned loss of training to the fleet.

He is currently pursuing a bachelor's degree in industrial technology at Roger Williams University.

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to the mission. "We all must pull on the rope; the mission will not allow failure."

"The Navy must demonstrate that someone cares; that Sailors have the right tools, training and equipment to do the job," he said.

A Sailor must have a gut level instinct that America cares about his service to country; and is confident that his family is secure and cared for back home.

He predicted long tough years ahead in the war on terrorism.

Rear Adm. Ronald Route, President of the Naval War College, said the Sailors of the Year represent our very best. "America demands the very best," he said.

Rear Adm. (sel.) Mark Buzby, Commanding Officer, Surface Warfare Officers School Command; and retired Adm. James Hogg, director of the Strategic Studies Group and Chairman of the Board of the National Surface

Navy Association, also spoke.

The top Sailors by command or activity are:

Navy Band Northeast: MU1 Scott F. Foote, Sailor of the Year; and MU2 Franklin F. Newton, Junior Sailor of the Year; MU3 Shane T. Harmon, Bluejacket of the Year

Naval Undersea Warfare Center: FT1 (SS) Robert D. Pisechko, Sailor of the Year; Personnel Support Detachment, Newport: PN2 (SW/AW) Jaime F. Rogers, Sailor of the Year; and DK3 Joseph Thompson, Bluejacket of the Year.

Senior Enlisted Academy: SK2 (SW) Shannon M. Daniels, Sailor of the Year.

Surface Warfare Officers School Command: Is1 (SW) John M. LaValley, Sailor of the Year; FC2 (SW) Anthony R. Gatehouse, Junior Sailor of the Year.

Naval War College: IT1 (SW) Zackery C. Moreland, Sailor of the

Year; ITSN Tiffany R. Shockley, Junior Sailor of the Year

Naval Ambulatory Care Center: HM1 Edith M. LaFrazier, Sailor of the Quarter; HM2 John T. Diem, Junior Sailor of the Year; HN Louisa Y. Lam, Bluejacket of the Year.

Naval Dental Center Northeast: DT3 Naren Halder, Junior Sailor of the Year.

Officer Training Command-Newport: GMC (SW) Adam G. Miller, Senior Sailor of the Year; RP1 (FMF) Randall W. Hoffman, Sailor of the Year.

Naval Station Newport: GM1 (SW) Bobby R. Johnson, Sailor of the Year; BM2 Winel K. Bray, Junior Sailor of the Year.

USS Constitution, Boston: SN Engy Habashy, Junior Sailor of the Year; BM2 (SW) Andrew Dingman, Sailor of the Year.

Employee approved for leave donation

Jackie Cayer of the Doctrine Department at Navy Warfare Development Command, former supervisor of the Naval War College Copyright Division, has been approved as a leave donation recipient due to a medical emergency.

Any employee who has been affected by a medical emergency may submit a written application to become a leave recipient under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program.

The emergency must be a duration that is likely to require an employee's absence from duty for a prolonged period of time and could result in substantial loss of income to the employee because of depletion of paid leave.

Employees who wish to assist Ms. Parson should complete OPM Form 630-A and forward it to Civilian Personnel Division, Conolly Hall, Room 141. For more information, call 841-6541 or 841-3650.

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allowed one earned run in a 5-1 Army Prep victory.

The Rams opened the scoring in the first with a single by Andy West. Calvin Pressley pinch ran and stole second base. Pressley scored on Donnie Horner's two out single to rightfield.

Army answered in the bottom of the first with a triple by White to deep center and a two-out single by William Simonds. In the third, Army Prep plated 4 runs. Simonds drove in two runs with a double and Andrew Best's single drove in a third run and he later scored on an out-field error.

New Haven def. NAPS, 9-8
Sacred Heart University def. NAPS, 6-3

Last Sunday, NAPS traveled to

New Haven, Conn., to play a doubleheader against the junior varsity teams from the University of New Haven and Sacred Heart University.

In the first game, NAPS battled New Haven to the last out of the last inning, falling 9-8 in the bottom of the seventh.

Kevin Gregory drove in three runs with two booming doubles, Renaldo Hollins had a two RBI double, Maugeri added two singles. NAPS came back from a four-run deficit to tie the score in the top of the seventh on a two RBI single by Hroskocy and a sacrifice fly by pitcher Mark Guadagnini.

In the second game, Sacred Heart used excellent pitching and tight defense to beat NAPS, 6-3.

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USS KITTY HAWK, At Sea (NNS) — Information technology (IT) training experts from Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command's (SPAWAR) fleet support team (FST) joined the USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63) Strike Group April 27, while under way.

The SPAWAR team will provide formal classroom, "over-the shoulder," and hands-on lab training to Sailors, said Lt. Rafael Perez Jr., Kitty Hawk Strike Group information systems officer.

The FST is comprised entirely of naval Reservists. Its mission is to deliver IT training to the fleet either in port or under way.

The SPAWAR team is equipped to train on dozens of topics, including Microsoft server administration, networking fundamentals, Cisco routers, Windows 2000, UNIX, Workstation administration and database management.

Champion boxer visits Enterprise

ABOARD USS ENTERPRISE, At Sea (NNS) — April 29, USS Enterprise (Big E) (CVN 65) Sailors visiting Fort Lauderdale, Fla., for Fleet Week USA enjoyed the opportunity to meet two-time heavyweight champion Michael Moorer, when the boxer visited the carrier.

Moorer has been a world champion in the light heavyweight and heavyweight divisions. Moorer had a fast but steady rise through the professional boxing ranks, and is best known for defeating Evander Holyfield, former world heavyweight champion, April 22, 1994.

"I'm really happy to be here," said Moorer. "I have always wanted to be on an aircraft carrier, and this is truly awesome."

Moorer toured Enterprise and then went to the mess decks, where he signed autographs and visited with the crew.

DoD identifies 3 killed in Gulf

WASHINGTON (NNS) — The Department of Defense announced April 26 the death of two Sailors and one Coast Guardsman who were supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom.

They died April 24 in the Northern Persian Gulf as a result of a waterborne attack. They were assigned to USS Firebolt (PC 10), forward-deployed to Manama, Bahrain.

Navy Petty Officer First Class Michael J. Pernaselli, 27, of Monroe, N.Y.

Navy Petty Officer Second Class Christopher E. Watts, 28, of Knoxville, Tenn.

Coast Guard Petty Officer Third Class Nathan B. Bruckenthal, 24, of Smithtown, N.Y.



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Valery Grigorniev, right, weapons officer on the former Russian cruise missile submarine Juliett 484, gets a top-side view from the boat's bridge in the Norwegian Sea in this 1989 photo. He is one of a dozen former Russian naval officers attending the Brown University/U.S. Naval War College conference, 'Cold War at Sea' this week. The submarine is now a museum in Collier Point Park in Providence.

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