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Commander's Comments



In the blink of an eye another year will draw to a close and as it does, we all have a choice; we can run blindly toward the new year to see what awaits or and take a step back and reflect on all the good that came our way this year.

Of course it wasn't all good. We were most certainly challenged, but if we're to reflect, lets embrace the positive during this Holiday season of giving and thanks.

To do so, we need to recognize that what separates us from others is the acknowledgement that we are givers by nature and each of us has chosen to give something back. We chose to give our time, our talents, our dedication and our professionalism to help others. We chose to pay it forward. We serve others in need without expectation, compensation or reward. Why? Because this is our nature.

As we're reflecting and giving thanks, we must not overlook our families. After all, each of our families also made sacrifices to support our decision to serve; the weekends, the holidays, the parties, the

barbeques and the quiet evenings that each of us were conspicuously absent from.

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As I look back on 2012 I wish to first offer my gratitude to my wonderful family for always being by my side and supporting my endeavors. I then wish express my thanks to the Staff and members of Division 10, who through hard work, loyalty and dedications made each of our goals a reality.

So, it will be with most sincere thanks that I humbly greet the coming year.

Sector New York AUXCHEF Class

An Auxchef class was held in October at Station New York. It was briefly interrupted by Hurricane Sandy but was completed on December 1, 2012. Nine auxiliarists became the newest Auxchefs. They are Fabio Ciachetta, Andrew Ferguson, Vera Reed, Irene Porro, Dennis Leaver, Mark Felder all from Division 10 and Sal Governale, John Beatty and Caitlyn Sheridan from Division 5. The instructor was Zack Strauss, Area Auxchef. It was a 20 hour class which was comprised of classroom lessons and practical experience in the galley at Sector New York. They worked alongside the Gold Side and Reservists preparing meals. The Auxchef candidates had to complete a written test, complete an 8 hour TCT class, receive sign offs on the PQS and receive a hepatitis vaccine in order to pass the qualifications. They will now be able to receive assignments to work in a CG Station galley or on a vessel.

Submitted by Vera Reed FSO-PA

HOLIDAY CONCERT

Rio Clemente, The Bishop of Jazz, has decided to have a holiday concert, "The ImpresaRIO Series Holiday Concert" to benefit the families in Staten Island who were impacted by the recent storm. Rio is a master pianist who mixes a strong classical background with a rich knowledge of jazz history, then adds an amazing sense of creativity and interpretation. He has played at many venues including The Players Club, Carnegie Hall and Lincoln Center in NYC but his most memorable venue was in 2011 at the White House. "The ImpresaRIO Series Holiday Concert" will feature Vitali Imereli, Keatan Douglas and other notable performers playing holiday music.

Vitali Imereli is the best and most accomplished jazz violinist in the world, having studied violin in Georgia at the National Academy of Music. He has participated in a variety of festivals throughout Europe where he participated in TV and Radio programs. He was inspired by Stephane Grappelli to play Gipsy Jazz.

Keaton Douglas has wowed tens of thousands in various venues throughout her career, including Senators, Congressmen and President George W. Bush. As a soloist with the New Jersey Pops Symphony Orchestra, Keaton performed to numerous sold out crowds at the PNC Bank Arts Center and Atlantic City's Tropicana Hotel and Casino. She concertizes regularly with various orchestras, performing operatic works, as well as the classical Broadway repertoire. She has performed at the last two presidential inaugurations with Guy Lombardo and the Royal Canadians. She has appeared with Jerry Vale, Al Martino, Julius LaRosa, Buddy Greco, Rio Clemente and Bob Newhart. She has had the privilege of opening for the great Nancy Wilson. She currently appears regularly with the Somers Dream Orchestra, the most swinging 18 piece Big Band in the New York metro area and 40 Nights, a Christian Rock Band.

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"The ImpresRIO Series Holiday Concert" will be held at the **Randolph Performing Arts Center, 1030 Route 10 West, Randolph, NJ** (above the Music Den) on **Friday, December 21, 2012 at 8pm**. Tickets are \$40 each and all the proceeds will benefit the U.S. Coast Guard Spouses Association Hurricane Sandy Relief Fund. Tickets are limited and can be purchased by calling 570-909-6345.

Join in the holiday celebration and know that your money will be well spent helping others!

Submitted by Vera Reed

ICS Updates

As a reminder to new members, the following is an excerpt from an email sent on Nov. 26, through Kevin Fear (SO-MT). Some of the ICS courses are required courses. Refer questions to your flotilla's MT officer.

- 1. ICS 210: The ICS 210 course scheduled for Saturday 3 November was cancelled** due to the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy. It has been tentatively **rescheduled for Saturday 15 December at Ft. Totten**. POC for the course is David Porter CPUST1@aol.com.
- 2. ICS 300a/400: The ICS 300a/400 scheduled for SECNY for the week of 10 December has been cancelled and the proposed reschedule date is the week of 25 March.** The ICS 300a course scheduled for SECLIS the week of 15 April is still on the calendar.
- 3. Other courses on the training calendar** include ICS 346/7/8 the week of 25 February, 6 May and 26 Aug, ICS 430/440 the week of 1 April and 5 Aug. Those are all resident courses at TRACEN Yorktown, but are open to AUX members.

Members wishing to enroll in courses may request it by filling out a short-term training request so that an electronic training request may be entered for them.

Upcoming Events

- **T**he Division Change of Watch will take place on January 18, 2013 at [Michael's Riverside, 528 Riverside Avenue, Lyndhurst, NJ](#). Cost will be \$55 per person. Please send checks to your flotilla FSO-FN so that each flotilla can send in one check for all its members. This is a wonderful event and an opportunity to socialize with members from other parts of our division.
- **O**ur division holiday party will be held on Dec. 19, 2012, to replace the regular division meeting. All members of the division are welcome, and will be treated to a meal created by our own AuxChef! Cost is \$10 which will also be collected by each flotilla so let your FC know if you plan to attend.
- **T**he District Conference will be held at the Mystic Marriott the weekend of Mar 15 to 17, 2013 in Groton, CT. Check the district website for more details. Act soon as the hotel is filling up fast!
- **P**lease check with you individual flotilla for information regarding holiday parties and Change of Watch dates! The next month is full of activities so let's take this time after a very difficult month to relax with friends.

Flotilla Election Results

<u>FLOTILLA</u>	<u>COMMANDER</u>	<u>VICE COMMANDER</u>
10-1	Scott Bonarigo	Alfred Breen
10-2	Patricia Espejo	Robert Dahl
10-4	Sal Arico	Barbie Mason
10-8	Jeff Wiles	Mary Prusko
10-10	Chris Scarlata	Vera Reed
10-13	Michelle Rollino	Bruce Pugh
10-20	Bob Wolters	Crosby Kearsley

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

Flotilla 10-1: <http://a0141001.uscgaux.info/>

Flotilla 10-2: <http://secaucus102.homestead.com/uscg102.html>

Flotilla 10-4: <http://a0141004.uscgaux.info/>

Flotilla 10-8: <http://a0141008.uscgaux.info/>

Flotilla 10-10: <http://a0141010.wow.uscgaux.info>

Flotilla 10-13: <http://a0141013.uscgaux.info/>

Flotilla 10-20: <http://www.airstationcaldwell.org>

Division10: <http://wow.uscgaux.info/?unit=014-10>

First District Southern Region: <http://www.d1south.org/>

There is a wealth of information available to all members at these websites! Be sure to check them often!

Division meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Hall, 33 W. Passaic St., Rochelle Park, at 2000. All members are welcome.

The next Division meeting will be held on Wed., Dec. 19, 2012.

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