

New Port Richey, Florida

The Eleven Sixer

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ATON Mission turns into a SAR

3 February, New Port Richey, Gulf Harbors, South Channel. On a recent Aids To Navigation (ATON) mission there became a necessity to do a Search and Rescue (SAR). The narrative follows; Shortly after commencing our ATON patrol, we came across a 14' vessel in the South Channel of Gulf Harbors, New Port Richey. The operator was struggling with his O/B motor, attempting to start it. Upon inquiring if he needed assistance, he indicated he was unable to restart his engine and would appreciate a tow to his dock about a mile away. Since he had no towing insurance or friend available to tow him home, we requested permission from [Station Sand Key] SSK to take him in tow. Upon receiving permission to take the D/V in tow, we proceeded to tow the D/V to his home dock, depositing him safely there.

Light on ATON #1 at the mouth of the Cottee River is damaged and not working.



Damaged Light 1 at the river entrance to the Pithlachascotee River.

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Special points of interest:

- Form 7029 or 7030 Activity reports should be in by now
- Unit Activities Report
- New Web Form 7029
- New links on Links Page
- [Coast Guard News Video](#)
- [Check your Status on the Web](#)
- [Previous Month's newsletter](#)

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Flotilla 11-6 Officers

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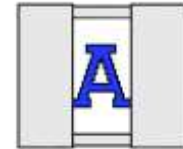
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Materials (FSO-MA)

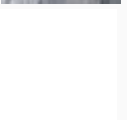


James Kreyer

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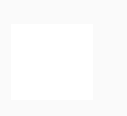


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Rosemary Zabinski

Human Resources (FSO-HR)

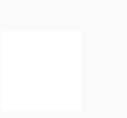


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RBS Visitation Program (FSO-PV)

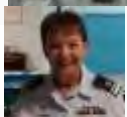


Navigation Systems (FSO-NS)



John Balazs

Secretary/Records (FSO-SR)



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Vessel Examination (FSO-VE)



James [Kreyer](#)

Staff Officer Reports

Communications

Flotilla 11-6 Radio Staff Officer's Report for January 2013. Nothing to report.

Respectfully submitted, Sam Walker FSO-CM 11-6



Communication Services

Lots of new features and uploads on the Flotilla 11-6 website, check them out. New files and links uploaded recently: Staff Officer Reporting webpage. Click here: a0701106.wow.uscgaux.info

Ron Dell SO-CS Div. 11, FSO-CS 11-6, FSO-PB 11-6

Information Services Norm Robertson FSO-IS 11-6

There have been some reports lately of difficulty submitting Auxiliary Forms from the Internet. I have experienced this also, so here is what I did to get it to work:

1. Just opening the form on the internet does not mean it will work and be able to submit the form, for example 7029, 7030, 7038 and etc. (Especially using Windows 8).
2. You must download the form and then SAVE it to your computer, then go back to where you saved the form and then OPEN the form, fill it it and submit it.
3. This has worked for me using Google Chrome browser, let me know if you still have difficulty.
4. Always verify that the submission did in fact go thru, by checking to see if you received a receipt in your email (some forms update overnight, so check the next day).

Fellowship

Planning a Sunset Picnic party soon. Your help is needed, please see Rosemary for more information.

Human Resources

Enrollment Application for one member is submitted and we are processing another candidate. Received a membership certificate and card for a member.

More Pictures on the Flotilla Website: a0701106.wow.uscgaux.info and [Facebook](#)

Communications Services

New Links

[AUXINFO](#)

[AUXDATA "How to" Library](#)

[Accident Report Form](#)

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[Military Rank Insignia](#)

[Trident Program District 7 DIRAUX](#)

[District 7 Materials Center](#)

[National Forms Site](#)

[New Member Website and Forms](#)

[Patrol Order Management System](#)

[Member Activity Log - 7029 Email Form](#)

[Mission Activity Report - 7030 Email Form](#)

[Vessel Examination Report - 7038 Form](#)

[Online Testing - Chief Director Auxiliary](#)

[AUXeTRAIN](#)

[National Testing Center](#)

[Coast Guard Institute Correspondence](#)

[Auxiliary C-School](#)

[Uniforms, Insignia, and Ribbons](#)

[Uniform Regulations](#)

[Ribbon Checker Tool](#)

[Uniform Distribution Center](#)

[International Rules of the Road \(COLREGS\)](#)

[America's Waterway Watch](#)

[Coast Guard Navigation Center](#)

[Safety Seal - Vessel Safety Checks](#)

[National Safe Boating Council](#)

[You're in Command Program](#)

[Coast Guard Boating Safety](#)

[Marine Weather Forecast](#)

[National Weather Service - NOAA](#)

[Tide Predictions - NOAA](#)

[Intellicast](#)

[The Weather Channel](#)

[QE Request Form](#)

[Class Schedule on MYFWC.com](#)

[Class Schedule on Notice to Mariners](#)

[Class Schedule on the Flotilla Website](#)

[Class Schedule on the Division Website](#)

[State of Florida Boating Law](#)

[National Forms Website](#)

[Download Form 7029](#)

[Free Vessel Safety Check](#)

[VSC National "Link to us" website](#)

[Continuous Chest Compression Video](#)

[Video Link of Football Players Rescue](#)

[Boating Cartoons Link](#)

[ICS 210 Program Information](#)

[Online Member Training Courses](#)

[Directory of Job Descriptions](#)

[Google Earth Distance Calculator](#)

[Government Info Mailing Services](#)

[New eDirectory \(AUXDirectory\) Link](#)

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[Gulf Oil Spill Information](#)

[Navigation Charts](#)

[Free Boating eBooks to Download](#)

[ODU Uniform Sleeve Rolling Video](#)

[Ribbon Arranging Information](#)

["Guide to Protocol and Courtesy"](#)

[Value Added Training](#)

[VSC "For Safety's Sake" Newsletter](#)

[Online 7029 Webform](#)

[YouTube Video of PWC Parade Patrol](#)

[USCGA 7029 Webform Walkthrough Guide](#)

[Mobile Apps/America Red Cross/First Aid](#)

[Help Desk "How To" get an ID Card download](#)

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Public Education

Our February 2nd About Boating Safety class had 14 students...all passed. Six had signed up using the new Paypal payment processing feature on the flotilla website programmed by Ron Dell.

Rosemary Zabinski VFC FSO-PE

Public Education ABS Scheduled Dates for: **2013**

Jan 5, Feb 2, March 2, April 6, May 4, June 1, July 6, Aug 3, Sept 7, Oct 5, Nov 2, Dec 7

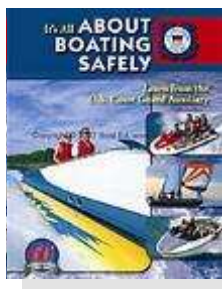
Saturdays 9am to 4 pm (First Saturday of the Month)

8:30 Registration

About Boating Safely Summer class will be conducted at the **Radio Building** on 3920 Marine Parkway, New Port Richey, Florida [Map](#)

About Boating Safely Class (Saturday Only) First Saturday of the month, 9am to 4pm

Registration 8:30 A.M. Class starts 9 A.M. goes until 4 P.M. with a Lunch break.



[Get the Safety ID Card!](#) →

Time 9am to 4pm **Saturdays Only** Class—Lunch Provided

For Details, Contact Rosemary Zabinski (727) 692-1281

email: frogs3240@msn.com or cgaux.npr@gmail.com

Register online at: a0701106.wow.uscgaux.info

Search for classes at: <http://wow.uscgaux.info/peclass.php?unit=070-11-06>



Member Training

ICS-210 Course will soon be available on-line. This is a required course for those with a desire to be a Coxswain. All students must have taken the ICS 100-200-700-800 FEMA ICS on line course. Division 11 will continue to offer the course, here locally, as student demand requires.

AUXCHEF Program will be offered on **Mar. 1-3 - Air Station Clearwater** and **Apr. 19-21 - Air Station Clearwater**. Those members interested in taking this course need to notify the Flotilla Commander as soon as possible. He will submit your Form 7059 – to insure your billet in the class.

HAZWOPER Training - March 20 HAZWOPER is an acronym for **Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response**. It refers to many types of hazardous waste operations and emergency response conducted in the United States under Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Standard 1910.120 "Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response." Anyone interested in the Marine Safety Program involvement is strongly encouraged to take this course.

Operations

There were no Safety Patrols conducted during January.

John Balazs FSO-OP 11-6

Program Visitor

No one assigned to this position.

Ten (10) visits reported to VFC. Respectfully submitted, Rosemary Zabinski VFC, FSO-OP 11-6

Staff Officer Reports

Public Affairs

Public Affairs events are being planned for 2013. Some of these will be the Chasco Fest Street and Boat Parade on April 6th and 7th also weekend of April 13th/14th. <http://www.chascofiesta.com/fiestas/boat-parade> Other events to look forward to are the Seafood & Boat Show and the National Safe Boating Week event. Volunteers are need to man the Information Booth and set-up displays. Please help with these fun activities and also get your time recorded in AUXDATA. Thanks,

Respectfully submitted,
Tia Magnus FSO-PA

Marine Safety

No one assigned to this position.
No activity to report.

Respectfully submitted,
Rosemary Zabinski VFC 11-6 NPR

Navigation Systems

Navigation Services had no activities for January.

John Balazs FSO-NS 11-6

Vessel Safety

There were 8 VEs done in January which 3 passed & was given a VSC Decal sticker.

On January 6th we did a VE Blitz at Sims Park Boat Ramp, Roger Anderson did 2 Vessel Examination, both passed & were given stickers. Jim Kreyer did 1 Vessel Examination, which passed & was given a sticker.

On January 26th we did a VE Blitz at Nicks Park Boat Ramp, Roger Anderson did 2 Vessel Examination, passed & was given a sticker. Jim Kreyer did 5 Vessel Examination, all failed, but one was missing his registration and returned later with it, so I was then able to pass & was give a sticker.

The next Vessel Safety Check (VSC) blitz will be Sunday. January 6th, Sims Park in New Port Richey and Saturday January 26th at Nicks Park, Bayview St. Port Richey from 0900-1200. All Qualified Vessel Examiners (VEs) and anyone wanting to learn about vessel exams are invited. It's a great way to educate the boating public on vessel safety equipment.

James Kreyer FSO-VE 11-6

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
FLOTILLA 070-11-06 NEW PORT RICHEY, FL
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

January 9, 2013

PEARL OF THE WEST MASONIC LODGE
LOUISIANA AVE. NEW PORT RICHEY, FL

FC called meeting to order at 1900

VFC R. Zabinski led Pledge of Allegiance and asked for a moment of silence for those who have passed before us and to honor our men and women in the armed forces.

FC R. Anderson established quorum and introduced three (3) guests.

VFC R. Zabinski received reports...commented all reports turned in on time.

FSO-SR R. Zabinski--motion is needed, seconded and passed to accept prior month's minutes.

FSO-FN B Smallwood absent- report presented by R. Anderson- Motion needed, seconded and passed to accept financial report.

FSO-OPS J. Balazs one safety patrol for Dec..

FSO-PA report- Tia Magnus working on several projects also to attend C school for PA

FSO-VE James Kreyer- no activity

FSO-Mat-James Kreyer-no items ordered or received.

FSO-CS Ron Dell- checked the WOW website for broken links or other problems.

FSO-PB Ron Dell- newsletter can always use member input.

FSO-CM S Walker-Two (21) radio watches Dec one for NPR and one for Tarpon Springs

FSO-MT—report presented by Roger Anderson-.Four (4) people to try and attend Dunedin's abbreviated boat crew classes.

FSO-HR report by Roger Anderson—working on new prospects.

FSO PE presented by R. Zabinski -Jan had 9 students in ABS ...all passed.

FSO-PV Ten visits reported to VFC....position open.

FC R. Anderson brought a cake to celebrate 2 birthdays. Stavros Arianos and Fred Kratochvil

Anthony Rucker FN for 2012 is moving to Michigan

FC handed out certificates and awards For R. Desmarais, Ron Dell, Norm Robertson, Jim Kreyer
2013 officers sworn in.

FC requested time for fellowship and kitchen help for cleanup after meeting.

Motion to adjourn, seconded and passed.

Meeting adjourned 2030

Respectfully submitted,

Rosemary Zabinski VFC Flotilla 11-6

Unit Activities Report as of 3 February 2013

Internet Explorer: AUXDATA Unit Activities

Cube questions should be directed to Harry Schoepe, BC-ISL@cgaux.org. Cube last refreshed on Sunday, February 03, 2013.

All Missions: 070-11-06 NEW PORT RICHEY | All Facilities: | All Unit Locations: | All Activities: | CY 2013

All Operations: | All Claimants:

Mission Hours	070-11-06 NEW PORT RICHEY
as values	
ATON - Aids To Navigation (30,31,32)	0.00
AUXADMN - Aux Administrative Support (99)	0.00
AUXMP - Marine Patrols (01a,01b,02,03,22a,54a,55a)	0.00
CGADMN - Cg Administrative Support (08,92)	14.00
CGOPS - Cg Operational Support (07,20,22,26)	0.00
CVS - Commercial Vessel Safety	0.00
ELT - In Support Of Enforcement Of Laws And Treaties (27)	0.00
GOVSUP - Government Agency Support (41,42,43)	0.00
HS - Health Services	0.00
IA - International Affairs	0.00
ICE - Ice Operations Mission (53)	0.00
LO - Legislative Outreach	0.00
MEP - Marine Environmental Protection (28)	0.00
MS - Marine Safety	0.00
MT - (06) Member Training	0.00
No Mission Listed	0.00
OR - Operational Research	0.00
RBS - (99) Recreational Boating Safety	154.00
RN - Auxiliary Radio Net (29)	0.00
SAR - Search And Rescue (23,24)	0.00
UMDV - (11) Marine Dealer Visits	0.00
UPA - Public Affairs (10)	34.30
UPE - Public Education (04)	7.00
UREC - Recruiting Assistance (09,90)	0.00
VSC - (91) Vessel Safety Check	3.00
All Missions	212.30

Updated Information is available here by clicking on this link or copy then paste this link into your browser;

<http://www.uscga-district-7.org/auxinfo/Division11.html>

IMPORTANT: Form 7030 is used to collect and input data into the AUXDATA System. Without this information, funding for the Auxiliary is not allocated/given. Without funding there would be very little resources for things such as fuel and travel and other expenses. It is critical that you submit your time in hours spent and expenses. Form 7029 Activity Report is also important, even if you just read emails/write email/attend a meeting, you should be jotting the hours down on the 7029 worksheet. Remember for expenses on the 7029, please only record expenses for tolls, parking, meals and lodging that you were not reimbursed for. Read the instructions on the back of form to find the category or categories that you are in. [Click here for instructions on filling in the 7030 form.](#)

The ElevenSixer Newsletter is always looking for articles about Auxiliarists, stories of interest, and photographs. Your articles don't have to be long; just make sure you include all of the basics: Who are you writing about? What is the topic or event? Where does the story take place (location)? When did, or when will this event take place, and finally, Why is this of interest, or How was this accomplished? Provide as much information as possible.

Photographs should include the names and offices of the people in the photograph. The location, date and who took the photograph.


Calendar

Upcoming Events

ABS Class	2 February	0900	Communications Building, NPR
Staff Meeting	7 February	1900	USCG Auxiliary Building, Marine Parkway, NPR
Vessel Safety Check Blitz	9 February	0900	Sunset Landing, 5115 Sunset Blvd, Port Richey
Vessel Safety Check Blitz	10 February	0900	American Marina, 4800 Ebbtide Ln, Port Richey
Flotilla Meeting	13 February	1900	Pearl of the West, Masonic Lodge
CPR First Aid Class	16 March	0900	USCG Station Sand Key
Division Meeting	16 Feb	0900	Red Tail Lounge Coast Guard Air Station, St. Pete

February 2013



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Eight-Hour TCT 11-9 VSC Blitz 11-3 ABS 11-1 VSC Blitz 11-5 ABS
3 Operational Excellence Testing/Evaluation	4 11-3 Meeting	5	6	7  Staff Officer Meeting 7PM	8	9 Division Night Train 11-9 ABS 11-1 ABS 11-6 VSC Blitz
10 11-1 ABS 11-6 VSC Blitz	11 11-7 Meeting	12	13 11-6 Meeting	14 Valentine's Day 11-10 Meeting	15 Div 11 Repts Due	16 Division Meeting 1300 Ops Workshop
17	18 President's Day 11-9 Meeting	19	20 11-1 Meeting	21 Laser Midwinter	22 Laser Midwinter	23 Laser Midwinter 11-10 ABS 11-7 ABS?
24 Laser Midwinter 11-10 ABS	25 11-1 GPS	26	27	28		



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U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 11-6 *New Port Richey, Florida*

The Eleven Sixer Newsletter

The Next Flotilla Meeting is Wednesday,

(2nd Wednesday of every month)

February 13th at 7 pm

Pearl Of The West Masonic Lodge

6319 Louisiana Avenue

New Port Richey, Florida

[Map](#)

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