



APRIL UPDATE FOR DIVISION MEETING FROM FLOTILLA COMMANDER 054-10-01
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- FLOTILLA FINANCIAL SITUATION REMAINS ROBUST WITH ALL SPENDING WITHIN APPROVED BUDGET. GRANTS RECEIVED HAVE BEEN REVIEWED FOR APPROPRIATE SPENDING PRIORITIES PER SPECIAL COMMITTEE LED BY SECRETARY BOB LICURSI. DEPLOYMENT OF \$3,000 IN GRANTS TO BE SET AGAINST RBS EFFORTS IN 2018 (PE, PA, OPS).
- RBS EFFORTS CONTINUE IN FULL SWING: AHEAD OF FULL YEAR PLANS IN: PE,PV,PA, VE'S, AND WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH OPS EFFORTS.
- PE CLASSES ARE IN FULL SWING WITH MULTIPLE INSTRUCTOR PARTICIPATION EACH WEEK. CLASS SCHEDULE COMING UP: MARCH 31 CREEKSIDE YACHT CLUB, APRIL 7 MARINE MAX, APRIL 14 MASONBORO YACHT CLUB, APRIL 28 CREEKSIDE YACHT CLUB, MAY 5 MARINE MAX. SO FAR EFFORTS ARE RIGHT ON PLAN FOR ANNUAL RESULTS.
- PV'S RUNNING RIGHT ON PLAN. SHOULD SURPASS 1,000 PV'S IN 2018.
- PA PLANS ON TARGET: KURE BEACH AND CAROLINA BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENTS JOINT SAFETY DAY CONDUCTED APRIL 7 AT FORT FISHER. EXCELLENT TURNOUT ESPECIALLY AMONGST YOUTH. MANY PARENTS WERE AVID BOATERS INTERESTED IN SAFETY CLASSES AND FUTURE VESSEL EXAMS. INTERACTED WITH OVER 150 PARTICIPANTS. COAST GUARD STATION WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH WAS ALSO IN ATTENDANCE WITH THE 29 FOOT VESSEL. GREAT DAY FOR ALL.
- FSO-VE LEADING THE VE EFFORT WITH WEEKLY ACTIVITY AT MAJOR MARINA PARTNERS AND RESPONSE TO WEBSITE SEEKERS.
- HR RAMPING UP RECRUITING EFFORTS BY ATTENDING ALL PE CLASSES AND DELIVERING CONSISTANT RECRUITMENT MESSAGE. RESULTS FORTH COMING.
- MT; EFFORTS CONTINUE WITH CREW CANDIDATES AS WELL AS CORE TRAINING NEEDS FOR FLOTILLA MEMBERS. CONDUCTED 1 HOUR TCT REFRESHER LEAD BY JIM ARLART FROM OPS.
- OTHER OPPORTUNITY; COMMANDER GIACHINO CHALLENGED WARREN DARRELL (PADDLE CRAFT QUALIFIED) AND PAUL BEST (VFC & FSO-PE) TO DEVELOP COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR 2018 THAT ENCOMPASSES: TRAINING, AND OVERALL SAFETY AMONGST THIS FAST GROWING GROUP OF WATER SPORT ENTHUSIASTS.