

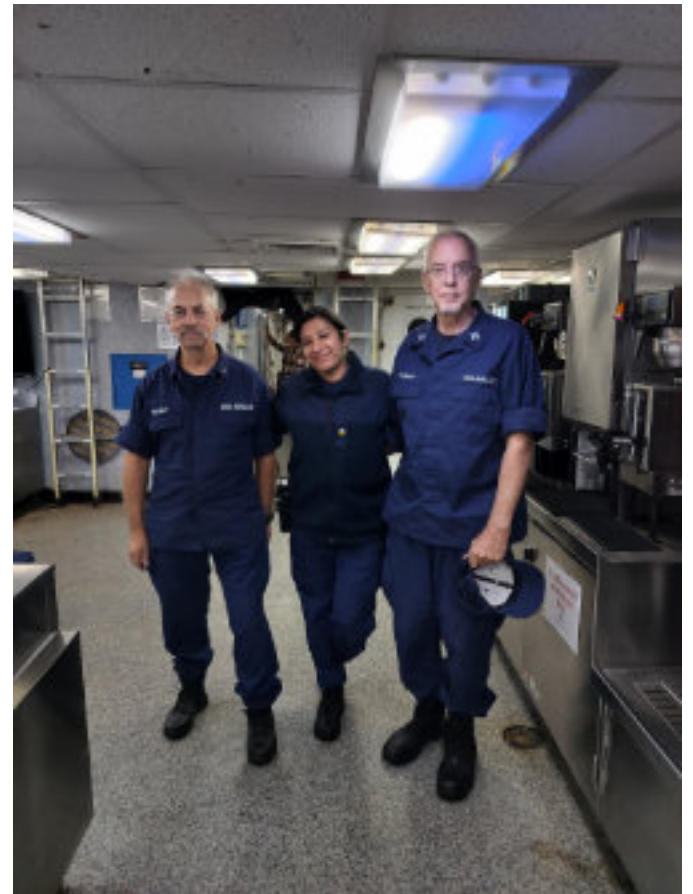
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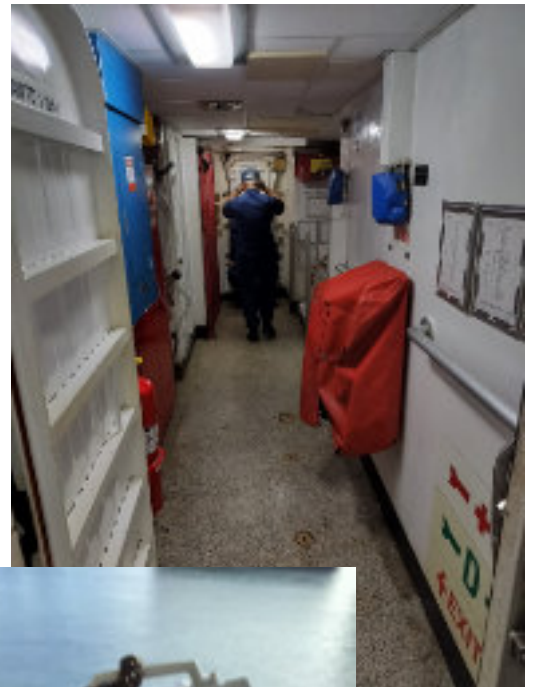
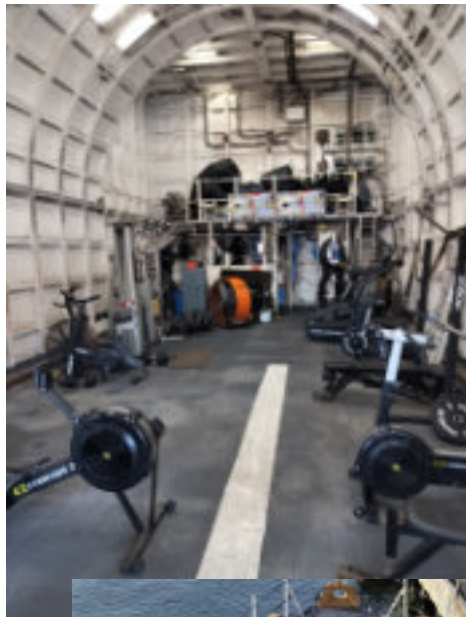
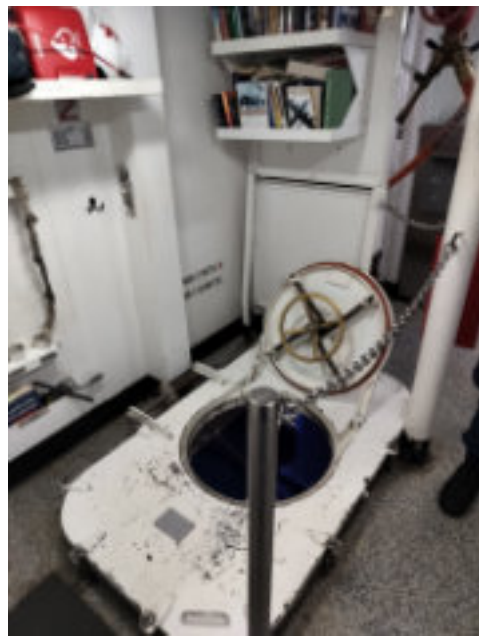
USCGC TAMPA is homeported in Portsmouth, VA. TAMPA regularly executes a variety of Coast Guard missions, to include Drug Interdiction, Search and Rescue, Living Marine Resources, and Migrant Interdiction. TAMPA normally deploys for two to three months, followed by similar in-port periods. TAMPA routinely patrols in many exciting locations, including the Caribbean, Eastern Pacific, and Eastern Seaboard.



On Jan. 5th, 2024, The C. G. invited the news media to come on board the C. G. Cutter 902 Tampa for a private tour. Gary (as FSO-PB) decided to ask if our flotilla news media could also attend. With that approval, we arrived early and they gave us our own private tour. The photos here show Gary Walkup FSO-PB and Gordon Thomas FC as we toured this cutter.







Photos by Gordon Thomas and random coasties