

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
DIVISION 39 9WR
4709 Golf Rd, Skokie, IL
07 March, 2018 Minutes

Uniform of the Day is Tropical Blue long / Winter Dress Blue or appropriate civilian attire.
Meeting 1st Wednesday of Month

1900 hrs. Fellowship
1930 hrs. CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Lead by Bob Auchinleck, Jr.

ATTENDEES: DCDR Tom Remec, VCDR Tim Darrey, IPDCDR/SO-IS Bob Reczek - From 39-02: FC/SO-PB Chas. Hague, VCF/ SO-SR Bridget Darrey, SO-HR Virginia Haase. SO-FN Ron Tragasz – From 39-04 FC Shawn Landa - From 39-06: FC/SO-VE John Lenhard, SO-MS Jay Katzman, SO-DV Stuart Galesburg, SO-VE Marc Pullman, SO-MA Carol Deleskiewicz, SO-PE Robert Auchinleck, Jr., AUC Jim Cohen, member Adam Klein - From 39-08: FC/SO-PA and NS Ron Dziagwa – From 39-10: FC Joe Conte

Guests: DCAPT SOUTH - David McArtin

SWEARING IN OF STAFF OFFICERS

Approval of the Previous Meeting MINUTES for: February 2018

1st motion – **Bob Reczek** 2nd motion – **Chas. Hague** Motion – **Passed with the following revision – there are still some facilities listed incorrectly in the auxiliary database showing up on the IS stat report.**

DIVISION COMMANDER REPORTS

First item: In several weeks, the Spring D-Train Conference will be held in Lisle, IL at the Hilton Hotel. Prices for registration and meals will increase as the calendar advances to the start of the conference on 23Mar. The schedule of events is quite heavily concentrated on the activities we will support over the next several months. All of the details for this conference, as well as the instructions to register, make hotel reservations, select courses, and look at the event schedules can be viewed by clicking on the event calendar on the District website. This is the link:

http://www.cgaux9wr.com/events/district_Spring2018/index.php .

We are one of the few Auxiliary districts to offer two conferences annually, each with its unique training character. If you haven't attended one recently, make this the conference to bringing you back into the fold to refresh old skills as well as learning the value of some new ones.

In preparation for this event, VCDR Darrey and I will be visiting the flotillas at their March meetings to promote the conference by generating some enthusiasm. As an example, we will be explaining how Flotilla 39-06 is supporting some of their members financially in an effort to defray some of the costs. This subsidy has been enthusiastically received, and no one offered it has declined to attend.

Second item: Last month's division meeting concentrated on awards, and this resulted in the discussion of the 2018 budget to be moved to this meeting. Attached to the cover email for this agenda will be a worksheet describing income and expenses for this year as well as 2017's performance to be used as a basis for comparison. We should be able to complete this budget to be able to use it as a guideline for the remainder of the season.

Third item: In an effort to understand the needs and capabilities of the Auxiliary and the Station, Chief Bure and Chief Lyle met with VCDR Darrey, AUC Cohen, and myself on 1Mar for an hour. The details of this meeting will be sent out as minutes to all flotilla commanders. In summary, we will be duplicating

2017 except moreso!

When asked about the need/desire for Station Wilmette Harbor to have more Auxiliary Watchstanders, Chief Bure stated that his opinion was "the more the better." Some details need to be worked out before it is rolled out to our deck. Stay tuned to your emails for the official opening. For those of you who have been waiting for this day, your time will be coming soon.

Chief Bure also agreed that his schedule could support the Operations Workshop being held on Saturday, 21Apr. As more information becomes available, we will pass along the details to those division members for whom this is an important event.

Finally, Chief Bure also agreed that Station Wilmette Harbor could support the Open House on Saturday, 19May. For the Open House, we hope to have Coastie in attendance (with a good chance that PFD Panda will also be present), sunny skies, and a greater turnout. For this to happen, we will have to create a committee to handle those many details which are necessary to make this a successful event. I propose that we take a list of volunteers right now and then spend 15 minutes after this meeting to finalize some of the details. Objections?

Other events to be held at the station will retain the BBQ cookout (though it will be earlier in the year) and we hope to add a Chili cookoff toward the end of the year.

Fourth item: In January, we asked all flotillas to generate a list of goals for 2018. Response has been a little spotty, and this is a little surprising, because you can write your own programs. Let's try it again. You can adjust the number of goals based on your flotilla size and activity. Let's consider breaking out the goals into a number of categories: surface operations, VE-related activities, instruction-related activities, PA activities, and any other you might wish to include. If you run a large ABS class, then make this one of them. If you are heavy into Boat Shows, then include this.

I ask each flotilla commander to propose a program unique to their flotilla in which they try to increase the number of members who have achieved a qualification or certification. At the next meeting, we will listen to each plan. It will be valuable to try to incorporate the D-Train training opportunities into each plan. Another possible approach is for the flotilla commander to ask division to provide instruction to help train members for this purpose. And a third thought is that if the FC doesn't have enough time to pursue this task, then maybe he can assign the VFC to accomplish it.

Fifth item: This is a reminder that several days ago I forwarded to the FC's an email from D-CAPT-S McArtin, in which he identified a number of division members who have fewer than five years service but who have completed MANTRA, paid 2018 dues, and were ARCHERS in 2017. Please contact these individuals to encourage them to re-engage in the flotilla RBS or any other activity. Please report the results of your efforts up the COL.

Last item: Flotilla 39-10 was able to hold their January flotilla meeting at Von Steuben High School with a quorum. The February meeting, however, could not be held due to a failure to achieve a quorum. The flotilla did have a good turnout for the fellowship gathering held in place of the COW.

FSO-MT Report to SO-MT

In late January, Flotilla 39-06 began teaching Boat Crew in the Skokie offices. The class is composed of 10 members, some of which are returning for refresher work in order to finish dockside signoffs before they can receive their PPE gear needed to work one of the facilities. The attendees covered three of the flotillas in our division.

Recently, the number of qualified instructors has diminished in Flotilla 39-06. In response to a call for volunteers, Bob Bush stepped up and has begun his training to be so qualified. Expectations are that he will complete the training before the end of the month so that he can participate in several areas (Boat Crew training as well as Public Education) to extend the flotilla's capabilities.

SO-OP

No reports received.

MEETING GIVEN TO VCDR Timothy Darrey

Division 39 --- 39% of membership have no quals/certs
 Flotilla 39-02 --- 40% of membership have no quals/certs
 Flotilla 39-04 --- 55% of membership have no quals/certs
 Flotilla 39-06 --- 34% of membership have no quals/certs
 Flotilla 39-08 --- 24% of membership have no quals/certs
 Flotilla 39-10 --- 50% of membership have no quals/certs

SCORECARD FOR MANDATED TRAINING				
ORGANIZATION	MEMBERS	% COMPLETED	MONTHLY CHANGE	Need 100, 700*
Division 39	134	72%	+5%	12
Flotilla 39-02	20	83%	+12%	2
Flotilla 39-04	22	30%	+11%	1
Flotilla 39-06	61	78%	+6%	4
Flotilla 39-08	17	60%	-1%	1
Flotilla 39-10	14	47%	+10%	4
Note: These are raw numbers based on the AUXDATA report run 30DEC2017 at 1300.				
* Members who only need ICS 100 and ICS 700 to complete the training.				

STAFF OFFICER REPORT - Reports due to VCDR the Saturday prior to Division Meeting

SO – Name	Office	Report Status	Additions
CM – Greg Kmiec	Communications	Y	A
CS – Jeff Gilmore	Communication Systems	Y	A
DV – Stuart Galesburg	Diversity	Y	NN – Gave short presentation after meeting.
FN – Ron Tragasz	Finance	Y	All 7025s and District dues have been turned in. One flotilla still owes dues.
HR – Virginia Haase	Human Resources	Y	If members receive their ID card please let Virginia know.
IS – Robert Reczek	Information Systems	Y	NN
MA – Carol Deleskiewicz	Materials	Y	Received 39-4 report: Nothing to Report
MS – Jay Katzman	Marine Safety	Y	NN
MT –	Member Training	X	
NS - Ronald Dziagwa	Navigation Systems	Y	Will resend report
OP –	Operations	X	Chas. Hague was recommended for this position.
PA – Ron Dziagwa	Public Affairs	Y	March 17th is West Marine's open house
PB – Charles Hague	Publications	Y	39r goes out March 8 th . Jeff Gilmore has posted the 39r on the division website.
PE – Bob Auchinleck	Public Education	Y	Call out to Virginia Haase.
PV – Edward Siegel	Program Visitor	Y	A
SR – Bridget Darrey	Secretary/Records	Y	NN
VE – Marc Pullman	Vessel Examination	Y	April 14 th is Chicago Yacht Works open house.

Y= Reported N= Nothing to Report X= No report submitted A = Absent NN = Nothing new to report

Auxiliary Unit Coordinator (AUC) Report – Minutes from Recent Meeting

USCG Auxiliary

2018 Season Planning Meeting

Agenda

1. Operations Workshop

a. Awards

Recognition will be made to all AUX D39 Crew and Coxswains. AUX D39 Leadership will decide thresholds and create certificates to be signed by Chief Bure. Tim Darrey will contact IPDCDR Robert Reczek to confirm hours.

b. Additional Information we would like to have:

i. Who is your R&SS officer BM2 Ortega. BMC Lyle is AUXLO, may be gone by end of May. Incoming XPO is Jeff Cantanzarite.

ii. What special navigation requirements exist for your AOR Glencoe Rocks, Highland Park Rock, Belmont Shoals, Sailing Buoys near Montrose. AUX and CG vessels are to remain at least 350 yards off these areas.

iii. Do you have a special mishap reporting procedures No

iv. How is the paperwork for the SAR Incident Report handled No change from existing policy

2. Crew Training Handheld Flare Shoot and Fire Extinguisher training OK to do. May not use gasoline. BBQ starter is OK. Provide STA 24 hour advance notice.

3. ABS Class Schedule for Boarding Team distribution Accepted. Thank you!

4. Evanston Swims; YMCA 07 MAR 2018 & 02 MAY 2018 Jim emailed final schedule to BMC Lyle. SN Ludens and FN Mederos are scheduled to participate. They will be working with Tom.

5. Open House (Safe Boating Week) Date is 19 MAY. Tim is working on obtaining Coastie. Robert Reczek and/or Jay Katzman will work on obtaining PFD Panda.

6. Summer or Fall Cookout To be scheduled for mid-summer. CHILI-COOK OFF TO BE SCHEDULED FOR LATE SUMMER/EARLY FALL. Inviting local agencies, i.e. police, fire, etc. is favored by all

7. ~~Division 39 SO-OP Tom is acting SO-OP and Tim is acting SO-MT until positions can be filled~~

8. TCT STA is working on an 8 hour class. BMC Lyle will reach out to Chief Fowler.

9. Need/Desire for additional Watchstanders Chief Bure said the more the merrier. Jim and Tom are working on a notice to be sent down to the D39 deck plate.

10. Extra Nautical Charts the AUX can use for training BM3 Krall is our contact for these

11. AUX assistance in active duty crew training

a. i.e. AOR familiarization No change to current process

12. STAWILHBRINST

a. Update Currently under review. No updates planned. Coxswains should review and suggest changes, if any

b. Scope of distribution Should be sent to all D39 Crew and Coxswains

c. Meeting Not needed

13. WWSPA Update Provided

a. New Board

b. Not a part of the Auxiliary

14. Miscellaneous Topics Mooring: Chief Bure has no problem with both AUXFACs (067 and 090) being moored at STA. However, piers are damaged; both 29s will need to use the west dock. Completion date of repairs is unknown

MEETING RETURNS to Tom Remec, DCDR

OLD BUSINESS

CGAux Email Addresses, SO-OP and SO-MT Vacancies

NEW BUSINESS

WWSPA Changes (9 Board members), EAA Update, Security Concerns at Sector / CGSTA Milwaukee / CGX Milwaukee and how it affects Auxiliarists, Boarding Team Handouts
Motion to accept the budget as the same as last year with the following changes: Add \$100 for Chili Cookoff and \$53.00 for the cook off winner traveling trophy. Motion made by Shawn Landa, 2nd by John Lenhard. Motion pass unanimously.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Digital Communications Committee: Domain has been renewed for one year (T Darrey) and Email host is renewed for two years (M West)
New Open House Committee – Robert Reczek – Chair, Chas. Hague, Tim Darrey, Jim Cohen, Adam Klein, Marc Pullman and Jay Katzman.

NEWS / EVENTS -- Mark your Calendar

Operations Workshop 21 April, OK for PPE Inspections
CGSTA Wilmette Harbor Open House Date and Committee, 19 May - Confirmed
CGSTA Wilmette Harbor Chili Cookoff – to take place in fall, fall cookout to take place mid-season during summer.

AWARDS AND CERTIFICATES - None



OPEN FORUM – David McArtin recommended the Flotilla Bridges urge their members that have no qualifications to obtain at least one. Every member should take the currently required new member course, BCQM2, as an informational refresher. The Coast Guard is now running annual background checks on Auxiliary members.

APRIL REFRESHMENTS TO BE PROVIDED BY 39-04.

ADJOURNMENT

1st motion – Ron Dziagwa 2nd motion – Shawn Landa Motion – Passed

FELLOWSHIP

Flotilla Commander Reports

Flotilla 39-2 Des Plaines Charles Hague, FC, Bridget Darrey, VFC
Meeting 1930 3rd Wednesday Prairie Lakes Community Ctr 515 E. Thacker Road, Des Plaines IL
Flotilla met on 21 February at Prairie Lakes. Member Training was review of Incident Command System. Awards were distributed to members, and streamers for Member Training, Public Affairs and Operations were attached to our Ensign. Towards the end of the year we will be re-running the 5 year Mandatory Member Training classes. Operations Workshop is tentatively scheduled for 21 April. Refresher Crew Classes will be held at Oakton Arms on Monday, 5 March.
Public affairs events were conducted this month at Our World Underwater and at the Rockford Boat Show. About Boating Safely classes are planned for Oakton Arms on March 10 and April 14, and GPS for Mariners class on May 5th. Paddling seminars are planned for two Wednesdays in Rosemont. We will try and have a display at the Des Plaines Earth Day on The ABS materials have been reviewed.
Longer term goals are Vessel Safety Check blitzes, with Ben Watts Marina, Chain of Lakes State Park, Diversity and Burnham Harbors and the Evanston launch ramp.

Also Safe Boating Week activities, getting our Facility repaired and on the Chain of Lakes for patrols, and continuing our series of Member Training classes. We will have to come up with a training program to qualify other Coxswains and Crew on our Facility.

FSO-PA Barry Jacobson has scheduled Public affairs tables at Bass Pro shop on 3-4 March. Our next meeting will be 21 March.

Flotilla 39-4 Four Chicago Shawn Landa, FC, William Weisfuse, VFC

Meeting 1930 2nd Thursday. Chicago Maritime School. 5744 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago IL

We had a wonderful fellowship with our combined meeting with 39-02. As a Flotilla we have agreed to focus on vessel exams and recruiting at a younger target age pushing for more operational members.

Flotilla 39-6 Wilmette Harbor John Lenhard, FC, Dan O'Connell, VFC

Meeting 1930 3rd Thursday 4709 Golf Road, Skokie IL

Eric Vosler and Chris Adams, both Active Duty Navy visited our Flotilla meeting in February. . Eric manages the ROTC program at Northwestern University and might be able to steer some students our way. Kicked off the three new Flotilla committees during February meeting. (1) Hospitality and Fellowship (FSO-MT Chair),(2) Flotilla Meeting Events (FSO-HR Chair) and (3) Mentoring Committees (FSO-MT & HR Co-chairs). Teams have been created and have begun working on their responsibilities. Good 39-06 D-Train turnout expected. Have offered up to a \$75 stipend for the 5 "newer" members who have joined 39-06 during last 18 months. Dan O'Connell has finalized schedule for 10 ABS classes to be offered this season. Qualified instructors are needed for these and other events. Boat Crew training began January 27 and continues with 6 student commitments. Evanston Swims prep in full swing for the March 7 and May 2nd events. Total 285 second graders on each date. Instructors and aides are in place for March 7 event and will need to confirm for May 2 event. FSO-PA position is currently open and Kim Saccaro has agreed to help with planning for now. Evanston Healthy Kids day will be from 0900-1200 on April 21st and volunteers will be needed.

Flotilla 39-8 Chicago Air Ronald Dziagwa, FC, Mark West, VFC

Meeting 1930 3rd Monday Schaumburg Regional Airport 905 W Irving Park, Meeting Room #113, Schaumburg IL

We did something different before our February's meeting by asking by email, who would be there. We did this last year also and it did work out. We would again not have a quorum by the responses received, so we officially did not have a February meeting. The agenda was sent out, yet three members still failed to respond at all.

You can see by our individual FSO reports what we have been doing since my last FC report. Our big 9WR event that we were at was Our World Underwater and this year it was at the Chicago O'Hare Marriott Resort and it all worked out every well.

Flotilla 39-10 Ten Chicago Joe Conte, FC, Juanita Silva, VFC

Meeting 1900 2nd Thursday 5801 N. Pulaski Road, Chicago, IL

January meeting was held at new location; quorum was present;
One member continues to put in significant hours assisting at MSU;
Planning for Spring boat class is ongoing;

DCDR requested that each flotilla submit metrics for 2018. Flotilla 39-10 submits the following:

- Conduct at least one multi-lesson boating class (6 to 7 weeks);
- Conduct at least two VE events, most likely at Diversey Harbor;
- Complete at least 30 vessel exams;
- Recruit at least one new member this year;
- Assist members in obtaining at least two new qualifications.
- Encourage members to take advantage of Boat Crew training.

Division Staff Reports: SO Officer

SO-CM Greg Kmiec --- 39-02 Michael Valente, 39-06 Greg Kmiec, 39-08 Ronald Dziagwa

The VDCR has stated that changing the Division Inventory is a Coast Guard matter and that the VDCR will contact the CG about any changes that need to be made. I have asked the SO-IS to

bring to the attention of the VDCR the request to change the listing of 1 radio facility from 39-06 to 39-08

SO-CS Jeff Gilmore ---- 39-02 Andrew Weiler, 39-04 Carlos Gonzalez, 39-06 Jeff Gilmore, 39-08 Scott Migaldi, 39-10 Yvette Ocasio

The Division website has been updated (<http://wow.uscgaux.info/content.php?unit=095-39>) and tweaks/enhancements have been implemented. I encourage everybody to look over the website and provide me with feedback or recommendations. We have a couple of outstanding items which have been repaired and are being resolved:

- The map of the Division flotillas on the District website has been updated to reflect the correct locations of Division 39 flotillas. This issue was escalated to the DSO-CS for resolution last month and is now resolved.
- Flotilla 39-02 has a dated & broken URL on the Division website. This URL shows up in AUXDIRECTORY, AUXDATA, the National Unit Locator, and the Division 39 website. The District website properly points to the WOW II URL and it appears the WOW II version is working correctly at the local level. I've escalated the issue & resolution up to the DSO-CS and he's escalating it up to National to get the URLs pointing to the proper WOW II address (<http://wow.uscgaux.info/content.php?unit=095-39-02>). I've made the FSO-CS of 39-02 aware of the situation and plan to keep him in the loop as this gets resolved.

I've started my preliminary reviews/assessments of each Flotilla's website and plan to get input & recommendations out to the FSOs over the next month. If the FCs (or VFCs) would like to be copied on my recommendations to the FSOs, please drop me a note. I am more than happy to copy the bridge on my website recommendations upon request.

C-Directorate is seeking to fill two Branch Assistant positions on the National Staff. Both positions are webmaster roles and candidates should have a working knowledge of HTML, CSS, PHP, and either MySQL or Microsoft SQL. A full description of the role can be found at: http://blogs-it.cgaux.org/want_ads.php?title=branch-assistant-national-webmaster-assistant-ba-cnwa&more=1&c=1&tb=1&pb=1. If you are interested in the role, please contact me or apply directly with Carlos Arenas (BC-CNW).

Lastly, just a reminder to all bridge officers, please keep all computing assets updated with the latest software and security patches as well as firmware updates to wireless routers. Also, always keep an eye out for any suspicious hardware and software on our computers.

SO-DV Stuart Galesburg ---- 39-06 Stuart Galesburg, 39-08 John Kane

No report but Tom has requested a diversity session 15-20 minutes after the meeting.

SO-FN Ronald Tragasz ---- 39-02 Ron Tragasz, 39-06 Tom Remec, 39-08 Ron Dziagwa, 39-10

Division Dues remain uncollected as of today 2.28.18 for FL 39-4 and 39-6.

District Dues remain as an account payable because there are not sufficient funds in the bank account to honor a check of \$5427.00.

7025s are outstanding for Flotilla 39-4 and 39-6.

The 7025 for FI 39-2 is complete but awaits the FC's signature.

SO-HR Virginia Haase ---- 39-02 Virginia Haase, 39-06 Robert Mack, 39-08 John Cusack, 39-10 Joe Conte

THIS MONTH EVENTS/ ALERTS:

Flotilla 39-10 _0_ APPLICATION(S) COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED TO DSO

Flotilla 39-08 _1_ APPLICATION COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED

- **ALEC BARLOW - FC SIGNED, COMPLETED AND RESUBMITTED TO DSO**

Flotilla 39-06 _0_ APPLICATION(S) COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED TO DSO

Flotilla 39-02 _0_ APPLICATION(S) COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED TO DSO

1 PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS THIS MONTH

- **FLOTILLA 39-02 Patrick Hanes Source: Tim Darrey (Toast Masters)**

ID CARDS SUBMITTED:

- **39-02 ANDREW JOSEPH WEILER (NOVEMBER 2017)**

ID CARD RENEWALS:

- **39-06 DANIEL WALTER OCONNELL (SUBMITTED 2-3 YEARS AGO)**

39-02 ROBERT W RECZEK (SUBMITTED NOVEMBER 2017)

CHANGE OF STATUS PAPERWORK: NONE

COMPLETED ITEMS:

- **ID CARD RENEWALS:**
- **NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS:, IQ, ,BQ, , STATUS**
- **CHANGE OF STATUS PAPERWORK:**
- **OTHER**

SO-IS Robert Reczek ---- 39-02 Robert Reczek, 39-06 Robert Bush, 39-08 James Fellers, 39-10 Brent Barker

SEE ATTACHMENTS

SO-MA Carol Deleskewicz ---- 39-02 James Davy, 39-04 Carlos Gonzalez, 39-08 Richard Grinius, 39-10 Juanita Silva

1. Email sent to all Division 39 FSO-MAs, introducing myself and offering assistance with any questions/materials problems etc. Assistance provided to FSO-MA Silva (39-10), in securing a fingerprint kit for FSO-CS Ocasio
2. An electronic copy of the ANSC catalog was emailed to all Division 39 FSO-MAs.
3. FSO-MA reports are as follows:

DesPlaines (39-02)	JAMES T DAVY	At this time no one needs any materials. We have enough ABS books for a class.
Ten Chicago (39-10)	Juanita Mercedes Silva	Report for MA Flotilla 39-10 is as follows. A Fingerprint Kit was ordered and received by FSO-CS Ocasio who is at this time our only Fingerprint Tech in our Flotilla. She still needs to send in the practice fingerprinting cards to get fully certified. I will keep you posted on her endeavor.
Chicago Air (39-08)	Richard A Grinius	No Report Submitted
Four Chicago (39-04)	Carlos Alberto Gonzalez	No Report Submitted
Wilmette (39-06)	Carol M Deleskewicz	All 39-06 materials orders to date have been submitted to National Supply. Additionally, electronic versions of the ANSC Catalog have been emailed to Flotilla members who requested a copy.

SO-MS Jay Katzman ---- 39-06 Jay Katzman, 39-08 Ron Dziagwa

MSU Chicago had openings in the Marine Transportation System Recovery Unit Leader course (MTSL3 for short) with instructors from D9 HQs who conducted this course. There were 7 Auxiliarist from the area that took advantage of the offer. Two members were from Div 39. The training and PQS sign offs gave all the members who attended this class, an insight of what has to take place behind the scenes and what has to be considered after any major disaster occurs.

MS Report Flotilla 08:

Our Flotilla has again been doing MS events in conjunction with other PA events as we have always be doing. Also, one of our members in our Flotilla did successfully complete the two day MTSL3 PQS training pursuant to becoming a Marine Transportation System Unit Leader at Chicago MSU in Willowbrook on February 22nd and 23rd.

SO-MT POSITION PENDING ---- 39-02 Barry Jacobson, 39-06 Tom Remec, 39-08 Paul Bornstein,

See report toward the end of Division Commander notes

SO-NS Ronald Dziagwa ---- 39-06 Michael Raith, 39-08 Ronald Dziagwa, 39-10 John Rogers

Your FSO-NS reports are always due to me on or before the Thursday prior to the Division meeting and that will be on the 1st of March, today. Please let me of anything and everything that is going on with regards to NS in your Flotillas. If you have nothing to report, just reply back to me as "Nothing to report" now.

Please note that I remarked at our last Division meeting that a lot of SOs do not ask for reports. The answer given for the record was that we are all grown ups and should be responsible for turning in the required reports, that the office that you hold requires, on time and reminders are not necessary. Please mark your calendars for when future reports are due.

39-02 --- No one was put in that office and it does not have to be filled.

39-04 --- No one was put in that office and it does not have to be filled.

39-06 --- Nothing new to report.

39-08 --- ???

39-10 --- ???

SO-OP POSITION PENDING ---- 39-02 Timothy Darrey, 39-06 Richard Conway, 39-08 Rhett Dennerline, 39-10 Joe Conte

SO-PA Ronald Dziagwa ---- 39-02 Barry Jacobson, 39-06 Adrienne Allen, 39-08 Richard Grinius, 39-02 FSO-PA:
Nothing new to report.

39-04 FSO-PA:

No one was put in that office and it does not have to be filled.

39-06 FSO-PA:

No one was put in that office and it does not have to be filled.

39-08 FSO-PA:

We again had events at this year at the Super Bowl Party in the Montrose Avenue church hall on the Northwest side of Chicago, at CiCi's Pizza in Niles, Old Country Buffet in the Bricktown Square in Chicago during one of their Family Nights and during two of their Military Days. Also, we were again at the Golden Corral in Gurnee and at a Burger King in Chicago since our last report. We will again be at Lansing Airport in March for the South Suburban Illinois Pilots Association's Safety Day. Also, we are still working on being back in June in Bolingbrook for the Cavalcade of Planes at Clow International Airport and at Romeoville's Lewis Airport for their annual EAA Pancake Breakfast and at the Schaumburg Regional Airport for their annual Father's Day EAA Breakfast. Hopefully we will also be back at Wings Over Waukegan to name just some of our Flotilla's future plans for this year.

39-10 FSO-PA:

No one was put in that office and it does not have to be filled.

I also want to try to have a Division 39 PA Booth at the Chicago Air and Water Show this summer, but need help and don't really want to ask other Divisions for their help, since we can do it ourselves. This will be brought up at the actual Division meeting, but I am hoping to see if there is any interest in doing this knowing that most of us would rather be patrolling on the water during the show instead of promoting Boating and Water Safety on land. I never brought this up last month as I said I would, but did discuss it at my U.S. Air Force / Civil Air Patrol's squadron during one of their meetings that actually meets in downtown Chicago, but they were not interested.

Some years ago, I was able to share a booth with tables at the Taste of Chicago with other CAP members and that did work out, but I also ran out of materials/brochures real fast.

SO-PB Chas Hague ---- 39-02 Chas Hague, 39-08 Ron Dziagwa, 39-10 Brent Barker

February (now March, ick) Thirty-Niner in progress, for distribution as soon as completed and approved by Division and District. No reports received from Flotilla Publications officers. (except 39-02, and that only because I talk to myself) Received report from SO-PB 39-08, will publish newsletter in near future.

SO-PE Robert Auchinleck ---- 39-02 Virginia Haase, 39-06 Dan O'Connell, 39-08 Ronald Dziagwa, 39-10 Juanita Silva

Both Flotilla's 02 and 06 have multiple classes scheduled beginning in March. Flotilla 02's offering will also include a GPS and Paddlesports class

- Flotilla 08 cancelled their first class due to low interest but is working to schedule another one in Chicago
- Flotillas 04 and 10 have not communicated any classes yet scheduled
- Flotilla 02 was not able to host classes at Cabella's this year. They are working with 06 to see if the Auxiliary can host classes at REI
- I forwarded the Auxiliary IT manual and link to the IT test to the FSO-PE for 39-10. My commitment is to work with Juanita to get her IT qualified this spring. Flotilla 06 has offered to provide Juanita with opportunities to help teach at some of their classes
- No other requests for support have been received. Not changes to the overall PE health of the Division from my February report

SO-PV Edward Siegel ---- 39-02 Edward Siegel, 39-06 Jay Katzman, 39-08 Ron Dziagwa, 39-10 Juanita Silva

PV Report for 39-08 Month of February:

Our Flotilla has again be doing at least one Program Visit everyday since my last report, except on the days we were on a Federal Government Shutdown.

PV Report for 39-10 Month of February:

At this time there is nothing to report for the month of February. However, since I am the only Program Visitor for Flotilla 39-10 I would like to start my visits early April. Ocasio will also like to get certified as a PV as well. She will follow me on my first visit of the year and then be able to continue on her own.

SO-SR Bridget Darrey ---- 39-02 Bridget Darrey, 39-04 Paula Wix, 39-08 Ronald Dziagwa, 39-10 Brent Barker

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SO-VE Marc Pullman ---- 39-02 James Davy, 39-06 John Lenhard, 39-08 John Cusack, 39-10 Joe Conte

Confirmed VE participation in April Chicago Yacht Works event. Researching educational materials re: vessel safety checks to present to Yacht Works members. Reached out to memberes for participation in June Chicago Yacht Club event.



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