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Ahoy Navy Leaguers!!!

We have a new Tri-City Council President, Wally Schneider please turn the page to learn more about our new leader!

President's Message

A few Saturdays ago, I casually mentioned to a fellow Docent on the Museum ship USS Midway that a safe place to serve during the Iraq War was in the US Navy. Her response was that there are many more sailors "on the ground" in Iraq than the public knows about. The particular Docent to whom I was speaking is a 1991 graduate of Annapolis and a current active duty Lieutenant Commander, so her response resonated more than just an off hand comment. A few days later while reading the March issue of SEAPOWER, I learned a great deal more about the US Navy stationed in Iraq. I won't try to summarize the SEAPOWER article on pages 11-15. I will let you read this for yourself. Suffice it to say that the #1 killer of our service personnel in Iraq are IED's (Improvised Explosive Devices). Most IED's are activated electronically. The US Navy seems to have greater expertise with electronic warfare than that of the Army or Marine Corps. Read the SEAPOWER article. Then fulfill your role as a Navy Leaguer and talk to all the civilians your daily lives bring you in contact with and educate them about what the Navy is doing "on the ground" in Iraq!

Wally Schneider



From Left to right Wally Schneider, Tri- City Council President; George Baumbach, Vice President/ Secretary Tri-City Council and Congressman Brian Bilbray

Congratulation's George Baumbach for receiving the Pacific Southwest Navy Leaguer of the year 2006 Award! Your Support of the Council is greatly appreciated.

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Here is our newly elected board:
President, Wally Schneider
Past President, Chuck Baumbach
Vice President /Secretary, George Baumbach
Treasurer, Jeff Wilson
Director - Sea Cadet Liaison, Rosemary Dymek
Director, Victoria Black
Director, Rick Long
Director, Nancy Schneider

W.E. "Wally" Schneider is a native of Chicago, Illinois. After High School Wally joined the U.S. Navy (1959-63) and served as a Aviation Electrician Petty Officer on board the Aircraft Carrier USS Antietam CVS-36. The next 13 years were spent in corporate life as a Junior Executive in two Fortune 500 companies, American Airlines & Gillette. In 1972 he moved to Pasadena, CA as a Senior Executive with Wham-O Mfg. In 1977 Wally founded a Sporting Goods Corporation and spent the next 25 years developing three divisions; i.e., Manufacturer Representative, import/wholesale & retail. After retiring and moving to Encinitas in 2004, Wally became a Docent on the San Diego Aircraft Carrier Museum USS Midway CV-41. He is a lifetime member of the Navy League and has been on the Board of Directors of the Tri-City (North County) Council 2004-2005.

Wally has two daughters who reside in Solana Beach, CA and Portland, OR. Wally recently married Nancy Reuter, a retired Captain and 30 yr. Navy Veteran. Wally and Nancy play as much golf as they can squeeze into their hectic lives.

You can reach Wally at (858) 451-3524, or e-mail President@NavyLeague.net

Special Thanks to Chuck Baumbach, Past President of the Tri- City Council Navy League Board for his service, commitment and dedication to the Sea Service efforts. He will continue to be involved as a board member and did serve his full term limit as President of the Council! We as a council could not reach the great success the Council has without you.

On March 17,2007 Herchel W. Burson, a retired Navy Commander and Past President of the Tri-City Council Navy League passed away. Herchel will be sadly missed and we extend our sympathy to his family.

We Need YOU! If interested in being on the Tri-City Navy League Board of Directors or committees or want to volunteer, please call Wally at 858-451-3524.

We had over 40 people attend a great dinner meeting Friday Night February 23, 2007 at the Camp Pendleton Officer's Club. We had some excellent speakers Marine Corps Installations West NEW Sergeant Major, Barbara Titus and Congressman Brian Bilbray who spoke about the New Troop Buildup. We also gave out many awards to the Sea Cadets for their great accomplishments!

Below: Sergeant Major, Barbara Titus at dinner meeting



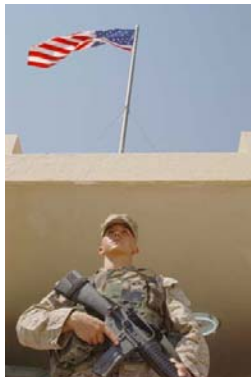
We will do it again! Several of us will help at the April 5th, 2007, 7th Annual Oceanside Chamber of Commerce (OCC) "Golf with a Hero" at the Marine Memorial Golf Course at Camp Pendleton. This is our 3rd Year to take part in the event. Thanks to all of the Tri-City Council volunteers, that will help make it an enjoyable day of golf for our hero's. Special Thanks to our Corporate Affiliate Member J.R. Filanc Construction Company, Inc. who sponsored the Tri- City Navy League for the event.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR EVENTS that are recently added

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Future Tri-City Council Events:

Navy League Tri-City Council
 Attn: Tri-City Council Secretary
 P.O. BOX 339
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 www.navyleague.net



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