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**In Memoriam
Past Flotilla 36 Commander
February 3, 2009
Please see Andrea Rutherford's article, page 13**

**March, 2009 Meeting
From VFC Tom Thayer
March Flotilla Meeting Program**

Flotilla 3-6's own Terry Day will be our speaker. Terry will explain his experiences working for **FEMA** during the two most recent hurricanes to hit the United States. Come and see what Terry has to say and learn about the role of **FEMA** during disasters.

Also, with the wonderful support and skills of VFC Marie, we continue to refine our agenda and clear up a backlog of awards and certificates. Please come to the meeting and bring a guest. **Thursday, March 5 at 1930. Uniform is Tropical Blue Long, ODU or civilian.**

MARCH CALENDAR

This section will highlight dates and events in the coming month. For a full listing, see the Calendar. Note: Calendars frequently change, check with event leader to verify

3/2	BS &S	1900
3/3	Boat Crew	1900
3/5	FLOTILLA MEETING	1930
2/7	FLOTILLA WOTKSHOP	0900
	VSC Lake Ida, Turtle day gumbo Limbo Waterway cleanup	
2/9	BS &S	1900
3/14	8 Hr TCT	0800
2/16	BS&S	1900
3/19	Staff Meeting	1900
2/21	Dania Flea Market HLH Tours VSC @ Silver Palm	0900
32/22	LOG Inputs Due	
32/23	BS&S	1900
3/25	Div Board Meeting FC & Div Reports Due DIV QE Day	
3/28	ABS	1500



Richie Dunne
4th Corner Stone

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Flotilla for all their well wishes and get well cards for my recent surgery. They were welcome and did brighten my day.

As you know, Saturday, March 14th, at 6:00 P.M. we are having a Saint Patrick's Day Party. Bring a dish to pass. My recovery has been going well but I still will need a lot of help. As I stated no charge to members and their spouses, but we do require a \$5.00 donation for guests. Yes, guests are welcome. I will bring the hope of corned beef and I need other dishes, including desserts. If you will dishes, including desserts. If you plan to bring something please give me a call and let me know. I will need help in setting up the food and also for clean up. This is your party. Let's get together and build the camaraderie that we should have this Flotilla. We work together in dangerous situations, lets party together in friendship. My phone number is 561-865-9761. Yours in camaraderie





February Meeting



Attendance was good, 8 received service awards, Ed Duda Vice Commander of Division 3 talked about AUX Data, Joann Bordelon FSO-FN gave financial report: precarious and dependant on PE income



AUX Vessle Padre undergo ing towing evolutions with USCG RIB from Station Fort Lauderdale.

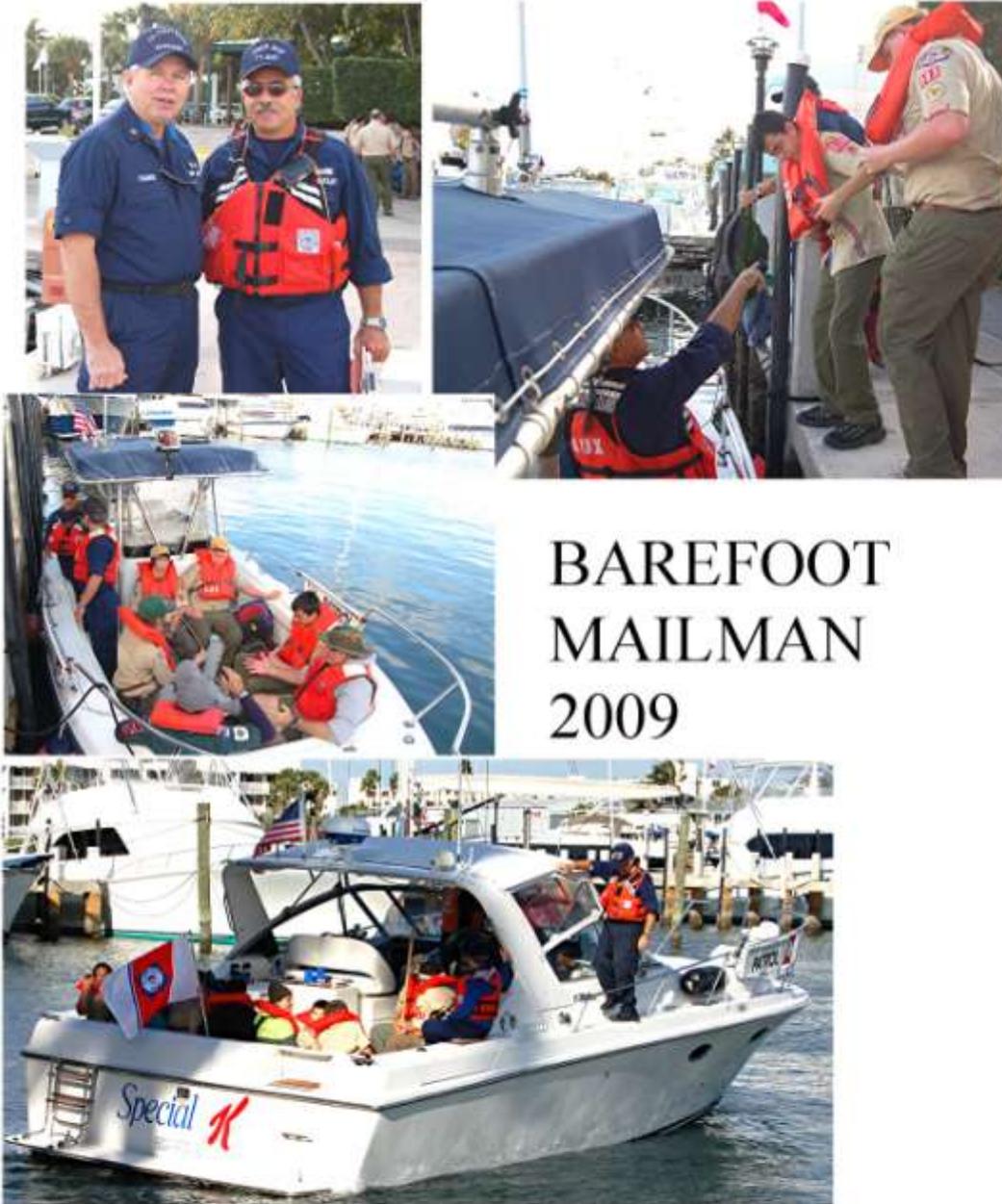


Padre is owned by Marc Brody who was assisted on this mission by Richard Oliner, Pat Feighery, and photographer Jerry Edelman (not Shown)



Both stern tow and side by side tows are shown here done right





Pat and Marc strategizing, Marc directing proper life jacket use, Marc's Padre fully loaded, Richard Tepper's Special K underway from Pier Sixty Six



Tom Thayer

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Flotilla Commander 36

From the Helm

UNIFORMS: Just a couple of comments on the uniform issue. First of all, most of us are in compliance and that is great. The few that are not in compliance have become more visible. I have asked our own Pat Feighery, Division 3 Commander, to be the bad cop on this issue. He will have articles in “THE LOG” as time permits. As you know Pat has a passion on this topic and represents a role model on uniform issues. As you may remember, we had VCDR Ed Duda as our guest at last month’s Flotilla Meeting. His report on uniform compliance was not very complimentary. As the best Flotilla in the world, we need to look like the best Flotilla in the world. Please take any comments in the spirit in which they are intended. Don Fisher has uncovered an interesting power point, that is in an email that we can send to you on the proper wearing of the ODU.

[See

http://www.uscg.mil/hq/cg1/udc/docs/ODU_Presentation.ppt]

TRAINING: Please keep your eye on the calendar for training opportunities. If you have any question as to what you need or may want to take, please continue to contact Don Fisher. Tom Kegan is getting back on his feet, which is great to see, but he still has a way to go physically to return to that human dynamo we all know. He would appreciate hearing from you via email which he can respond to at his own pace. My thanks go to Don Fisher and all of the other instructors that have stepped forward over the last couple of months to keep member training on pace.

OPERATIONS: While we have done some patrols and training this year, it seems to me that

we need to pick up the pace. FSO-OPS Bill Bartley is back to 100% and is ready to work to put facilities, coxswains and crews together. We have considerable new crew training and requalification training underway, as we prepare for a Division QE mission on March 28 at Station Ft. Lauderdale.

COAST GUARD STATION Ft. Lauderdale: Under the Command of Lt. Douglas Watson, we have a tremendous relationship with Station Ft. Lauderdale. Station Ft. Lauderdale is our order issuing authority and is our radio guard when Auxiliary Boca Radio is not available or is out of range. To make the point on the spirit of cooperation, on January 31, Station Ft. Lauderdale hosted a Division 3 Day, which included training, meetings, and barbeque. The food and beverages were sponsored by Flotilla’s 31, 32 and 34. That means that the next one will be sponsored by Flotilla’s 36, 37 and 38. Please plan on attending, especially if you have not been to the Station. It gives you an opportunity to interact with some of the Active Duty (Gold) Coast Guard, as well as some outstanding Auxiliary Personnel (Silver) from other Flotillas.

Till next month.....

“There is no achievement without goals.”

Robert J. McKaine

Photo credits this month go to Jerry Edelman and Don Fisher



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Seize the day and every opportunity! There is a Coastie (male) in the process of transferring from Station Sand Key on the west coast of Florida to Air Station Miami. He would like to rent a room or apartment. If you can help him out, please contact Richard Lays. We may be a little far north for him but any port in a storm.

We had what I would consider a productive Staff Meeting this month. Discussion amongst the Staff generated some new ideas along with the sharing contacts or past experiences to some of our new officers. Keep in mind that many of our Flotilla Officers could still use an assistant and must have participation from the general membership to accomplish our various missions. The Flotilla will have many opportunities to participate in Public Affairs events which could lead to either new members or individuals interested in taking a Safe Boating course with us. The meeting is open to anyone in the Flotilla who would like to attend.

At the Staff Meeting, FSO –Ops/Cox Bill Bartley mentioned that he was going to have to cancel his patrol for Sunday due to lack of crew. With so many of us who need to get in our hours and some needing to prepare for recertification, this was a big surprise to me. I decided to forgo some home maintenance for a day on the water. Knowing we have a few in the Crew Training class, I contacted one of the Trainees who adjusted his schedule to join us. Our combination Safety Patrol – Crew Training mission went very smoothly. Rob Lambie, our Trainee, was able to complete many water tasks and is well on his way to being ready to meet with a QE later this year. It is just my opinion but mentoring a crew trainee is a great way to refresh our personal skills and prepare for the 3 year crew recertification.

We docked at Silver Palm Park for a short while. During our stop, we spoke with a few boaters at the dock. In speaking with one couple from Brazil, I talked them into taking one of our Safe Boating classes and they were so thankful that I took the time to talk with them. While I was talking at one end of the dock, Pete Stevenson

was in deep conversation with a couple who keep their vessel in the islands. We will probably see them visit us in an upcoming Flotilla meeting as they are interested in joining our Flotilla. Our Cox had handy on board a handout which both couples appreciated as it had both our phone number and web address. The weather could not have been nicer and we passed a very pleasant and productive day. Remember, it is not a good idea to delay until the end of the year to get in your hours and complete your recertification if this is your year.

I hope to see many of you at our St Patrick’s Day pot luck. Bring a dish to share and come enjoy the fellowship. Please call our forth cornerstone, Richie so he can coordinate the event.

Irish Blessing

May the road rise to meet you.

May the wind be always at your back.

May the sun shine warm upon your face.

And rains fall soft upon your fields.

And until we meet again,

May God hold you in the hollow of His hand.



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No Report



Ralph Krugler and Claude Jodoin received AUXCOM certificates



Thomas H. Kegan,
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March looks like a busy
month for MT

Workshops.

Sat. March 07/09 Flotilla 36 workshops
Start 0900- 1600

1. 0900-1100 Ops Workshop Bill Bartley
Instructor (for all in Operation)
2. 1100- 1200 1 hour TCT Lenny Schwartz
Instructor
Members requiring 1 hr TCT are: I
Azzarito, R. Bordelon, Joe Bordelon,
M. Celestino, R. Celestino, Terry
Crawford. R. Dillon, G. Edelman, J.
Edelman, P Feighery, J. Glover, S.
Grevemeyer, M. Hanuschak, N.
Hennessey, B. Hersey, H. Houge, T.
Kegan, A. Makenian, L. Meghabghab, E,
Michitsch, R. Oliner, J. Poces, A.
Rutherford, T. Rutherford, R. Sando, K.
Stanley, S. Stephenson, D Sutherland, T.
Sutherland, R. Tepper, T. Thayer, M.
Thompson. M . Thompson,
M. Wasserman, K. Weisberg.
3. Lunch 1200-1230
- 4 1245-1430 Instructor Workshop Gail
Edelman Instructor
- 5 1445- 1545 VE workshop Mickey Jaffe
Instructor

All workshops will include Membership
qualifications, and how to overcome REYR
status

On Sat. March 14, 2009, 8 hr TCT class at
base at 0900-1400, Lenny Schwartz Instructor
Members who require it are: E. Colina, T.
Day, R. Dunne, D. Fisher, L. Friedkin,
F. Glass, M. Jaffe, Claude Jodoin, R. Krugler,
R. Lambie, J. Mauro, J. McCormick.
E. Oleksak, L. Treutel, G. Tumlin, D.
Wilwerding, C. Rodgers, J, Rodgers

Don Fisher will announce the next AUXOP
course. Also On the water Training For new Boat
crew.

We have 19 members, who require 3 yr
recertification this year,

They are: I Azzarito, Joe Bordelon, R.
Bordelon, T. Day, Don Fisher, J. Glover, J.
Godden, N. Hennessey, and L. Meghabghab.
A. Quesada, A. Rutherford, T. Rutherford,
P. Stevenson, T. Sutherland T. Thayer, M.
Thompson, M. Thompson, R. Tust. E.
Michitsch.



Pat Feighery
Division 3
Commander

As all of you know
from previous
postings in THE
LOG, the Division's

Newsletter THE VOICE and discussions at
Flotilla meetings, the Flotillas of Division 3 set a
target date of January 2009, as a goal, to have all
members of the Division in proper uniform.

While this goal has not been reached progress
is being made.

All of us need to heighten our awareness to
our own uniforms and the image that it projects to
the public, fellow Auxiliarists and to our Active
Duty Counterparts.

Most uniform violations are obvious, slacks,
belts and shoes. Other violations are subtle, poor
grooming, improper jewelry, improper ribbons
and devices or proper ribbons being worn in an
improper manner.

Let's focus on ribbons for a minute. Ribbons
are to be worn in the order of importance not in
the order in which they were received. If you
need to know how what ribbons and awards that
you are permitted to wear please refer to chapter
10 of the Auxiliary manual and to the ribbon
checker that can be found on the Chief Director
of the Auxiliary link that is on the national web
site, nwscgaux.org. By checking the ribbons and
awards that you have the ribbon checker will
display for you the correct order in which they
are to be worn.

The focus on uniforms will continue
throughout this year. If you are planning to work
public events please makes sure that your
uniform is squared away or you should not
participate.

Please feel free to contact the Flotilla or
Division Commander with any questions,

comments or recommendations as to how we can achieve our uniform goal.



Gail Edelman
Public Education

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Public Education –Our next class is About Boating Safely to be held on March 28th. I am looking for instructors and students. If anyone is interested in taking the class, they should just come to the class on March 28th and sign up. The BS & S class is going well and the last class will be on March 16th. I have class schedules available for anyone who wants to hand them out. Please let me know how many you want and I will leave them in the office for you. Please give me a week’s lead time if possible.

Schedule of Public Education Classes

About Boating Safety - March 28 9AM thru 5PM- Bring your own lunch

Weekend Navigator- Full class- April & May- dates to be determined

Boating Skills & Seamanship – Registration June 8- Classes June 15 thru July 27 Monday evenings from 7-9PM

About Boating Safety – July 25 9AM to 5PM – Bring your own lunch

About Boating Safety – Oct 3 9AM to 5PM – Bring your own lunch

About Boating Safety – Nov 14 9AM to 5PM – Bring your own lunch

GPS April 4 9AM to 3 PM

GPS December 5 9AM to 3 PM



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AUXOP Training
And Publications

Member Training, AUXOP

This is primarily directed to those who have recently completed the AUXAPC Course but anyone who would like to take an online course or test may benefit. Getting set to take one of our

on line tests is complicated, but a little patience will get it done. First, direct your browser to the National Testing Center at <http://ntc.cgaux.org/> Go to the bottom of that page and click on **Frequently Asked Questions (.pdf)**. There you will learn that to get a testing password you will need your member number and your eDirectory password. Luckily, for most of us, there is a pointer there for the eDirectory <http://www.auxedirectory.org/index.php>

When that page opens, click on **activating your account** near the top of the page

Read the material under **New Users**, and then click **Next** at the bottom of the page. Ditto for the next five pages. AOL and EarthLink members: Read and follow those directions well. It may also help you if you are having trouble receiving mail from anyone else, but especially me.

Finally click on **click here** to begin activation. You will need your member number, your zip code, and you will need to make up a pass word.

When this process is complete and you have your eDirectory password, return to the NTC to get your password there. Click on **New User Get Password.** They will request your member number, the eDirectory password and your email address. You will receive your password and get email verification. After a while you will be able to use that new password to take a test, and by all means do so as soon as you have finished a course while the material is still fresh in your mind

The next AUXOP course will be up to you. I am offering a choice of three: AUXPAT (Patrols), AUXSEA (Seamanship), and AUXWEA (Weather). Please get back to me with your needs and wishes before March 15th. The course that gets the greatest response by that time will be the one given.

Important! Any new or not so new member who has not yet taken the 8 hour Team Coordination Training (TCT) course will be required to attend that upcoming class on March 14, 2009. This also applies to anyone who hasn’t taken this course in the last five years.





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Thanks to our bundled up Vessel Examiners who braved the cold and windy weather we were able to have a successful February month of VSC'S at Lake Ida, Silver Palm, Private Docks, etc.

We have received a large order of Handouts some of which are new and different, they should be ready (Stamped or Tagged with Flotilla Info) for the March Workshop.

The annual Workshop will be Saturday 7March 1500-1700 at Base.

Also Turtle Day at Gumbo Limbo is on 7March 1000-1600 we can use all the help we can get. Please sign up at the Flotilla Meeting or call me for further info.



Leonard Schwartz
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Information Systems

First, I would like to remind all the members who will be taking the 1 hour TCT class on March 7, which they should read and bring the Case Study that has been sent to them. If you are to take the 8 hour TCT class you do not have to attend the 1 hour class. The 8 hour class will be held on March 14. This class starts at 0800, and if we start on time we can finish on time.

Now, I will start my article in regards to IS business.

Everyone has been great in filing their forms to me on line. As you have noted, if done on line they are always correct and go right into Auxdata. Please keep up the good work.

The only problem I find that we can correct together is not accounting for your hours on a Mission Reports and then putting the same hours on your form #7029. It gets picked up in every case when entering into Auxdata that the hours were already entered. Your form will be returned to me with notations about double hours. So, everyone, be careful about your time and report it on your Mission report and not again on your 99. (Form #7030)

Again, thank you all for your help in correcting these problems. Your reports are done every week and I will always get a reply within a day or two that it is entered into Auxdata.



Richard Oliner is sworn in as FSO_MA by DVCDR Ed Duda



Mark Thompson
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Thanks to all the crew and coxswains for checking the ATONs out while on patrol. Remember, you do not have to be on an official "ATON" patrol in order to check the aids.

Please contact FSO-OP if you are interested in doing an ATON patrol.

The following is a list of currently qualified ATON verifiers:

- | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----|
| T. Rutherford
Sutherland | M.G. Thompson | T. |
| A. Rutherford | M. L. Thompson | |
| C. Hersey | M. Hanuschak | |
| G. Cousins | P. Stevenson | |
| G. Rappoport | R. Barrett | |
| I. Azzarito | T. Kegan | |



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The death of Mike Gardner on Feb. 3, 2009, ends his 32-year+ association with the CG Auxiliary and the countless ways he participated in the organization we all love.



In his memory and as a tribute to him, I am re-publishing part of an article I wrote

about Mike and Sandy just before they retired from the auxiliary in 2005. Since then, Mike and Sandy have continued to meet with Auxiliarist friends and attend functions. Godspeed, Mike. You are dearly missed. Our thoughts and prayers go to Sandy and the Gardner family.

September 2005

Sandy and Mike Gardner joined the Coast Guard Auxiliary 32 years ago. Both Mike and Sandy have held several offices at the flotilla and division level almost continually through the years and are currently both holding staff positions. They are two of the most recognized faces in the flotilla.

Sandy was born and raised in Newark, NJ, and her family moved to Miami when she was 15. After graduation from Miami Beach High, Sandy completed her lab technician training and certification at Mount Sinai Hospital, working for several doctors in the area.

Mike was born and raised on the north side of Chicago, playing football and enjoying his schooling, dreaming of being a chemist for DuPont. However, his optometrist father and optician mother had other plans for their only child.

In 1948, they moved to Miami, where Mike graduated from Miami Beach High (never meeting Miss Sandy) and attended University of Miami, majoring in chemistry. As the war progressed, Mike's father (who was on the draft board) informed Mike that his number was coming up and it was time to join the war effort. So Mike enlisted in the Army and was stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, working in the infirmary and hospital and completing his paratrooper training. Mike was discharged in 1952 and returned to U of Miami to graduate. It was about that time that mutual friends fixed up Miss Sandy and Mr. Mike, and it was love at first sight – they were married four months later!

That September, the newly married couple moved to Chicago where Mike enrolled at the Illinois College of Optometry, graduating in 1957. With their first son, they moved back to Miami to join the family practice in the North side Shopping Center in Miami for the next 27 years. In 1984, they turned the office over to son Eddie, and Mike and Sandy worked for other doctors in Palm Beach County until 1988 when they retired for good.

Back in 1971, living in Miami, a buddy encouraged Mike to join the Power Squadron, and the Gardner's bought a boat the following year, the first (of four) named "My Three Sons." At that time, however, women weren't allowed as members of the Power Squadron, and Mike and his friend (plus their wives this time) made the switch and joined a new Coast Guard Auxiliary flotilla in Miami in March 1974. When they moved to Highland Beach in 1979, they transferred to Flotilla 3-6 – our good fortune. Today, the Gardner's also enjoy the company of their four grandchildren (ages 9 – 28 years).

I have gotten to know the Gardner's from their selfless work with the flotilla. In the years before Mike was flotilla commander, he was Information Services officer at the flotilla and division levels, mastering first AUXMIS (the first attempt to computerize auxiliary information at the national level) and then the painful, but successful transition to AUXDATA. He can teach any public education or member training class; even on one-hour's notice (I know this from first-hand experience). His self-effacing humor, wealth of experience, and down-to-earth style never fail to keep students interested and learning. From their years of volunteering at the DIRAUX office in Miami, the Gardeners have frequently hand-delivered paperwork, tracked down lost paperwork or made personal phone calls to tidy up frayed ends of our flotilla.

Thank you, Mike and Sandy, for your years of dedication, commitment, and above all, your friendship.



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Marine Safety

GREAT AMERICAN
CLEANUP April 18, 2009

Make plans now to join your fellow auxiliary members, friends and family to help clean up the beach and the surrounding area around the base. Several years ago Flotilla 3-6 participated in the Great American Cleanup and picked up 13 garbage bags of trash consisting of clothing, picnic remains, balloons, toothbrushes, plastic bags, old cargo ship lines plus many other miscellaneous items. A sign-up sheet for volunteers will be in the back of the room at March's General Meeting. If you are unable to attend the meeting and want to participate, please call me or e-mail me. I have contacted Susan Elliot of Gumbo Limbo and as further information becomes available, I will let you know.

Thousands of volunteers of all ages will be taking part in these efforts to clean up and improve local communities. This is in celebration of Earth Day and the Project is coordinated locally by Keep Palm Beach County Beautiful and the Palm Beach County Solid Waste Authority, in addition to Palm Beach County commissions. Long before being "green" was fashionable, Keep America Beautiful was formed in 1953 when a group of corporate and civic leaders met in New York City to discuss the revolutionary idea of bringing the public and private sectors together to develop and promote a national cleanliness ethic.



Valentines celebration February 2009



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On Saturday February 7th the U.S. Coast Guard Sector Fort Lauderdale and surrounding USCG Auxiliary Flotillas participated in the annual Barefoot Mailman reenactment. It was a day long patrol mission ferrying both Boy and Girl Scouts along with their leaders from Pier 66 to Coast Guard Station Fort Lauderdale and eventually winding up at John U Lloyd Beach State Park for their encampment. The U.S. Coast Guard provided one of their 41 boats along with 6 facilities vessels from the USCG Auxiliaries.

There was a constant flow of vessels back and forth transporting approximately 350 Scouts, along with their backpacks weighing up to 75 lbs. The tide and current was quite swift and maneuverability was touchy but everything went off without incident. The cooperation between Coast Guard and Auxiliarist was outstanding, which is expected at all times.

For those of you who are not familiar with this annual event first started in 1964, prior to The Barefoot Mailmen it took six to eight weeks for mail to travel the 68 miles from Palm Beach to Miami Florida. The mail passed through cities like New York and Havana along the way to its destination. This meant the recipients' mail traveled an astonishing distance of 3000 miles from Palm Beach to Miami.

The Barefoot Mailmen were independent letter carriers who received \$600 a year for their efforts. They devised a route which took them 40 miles by foot along the hard packed sandy

beaches of South Florida, and another 28 miles by boat over the lakes and rivers as they traveled along their journey. This route took them south from Palm Beach traveling by boat to the southernmost end of Lake Worth Lagoon, than by land to the Orange Grove House of Refuge in what is currently known as Delray Beach. There the Mailman would spend the first night. In the morning he would continue the overland journey to the Fort Lauderdale House of Refuge, where he would there spend this second night. On the third morning he would boat down to the New River inlet where he would disembark and walk south to Baker's Haulover at the north end of Biscayne Bay. From there he would boat Biscayne Bay to Miami his final destination before he got a new batch of mail and turned around and started his route back to Palm Beach.



This yearly reenactment acknowledges the devotion to community and hardships endured by the Barefoot Mailmen. Participating Scouts must be at least 12 and successfully completed necessary training for this adventure. The USCG Auxiliary, once again, was happy to assist the U.S. Coast Guard in such an auspicious event and we both commend and congratulate the Scouts for their dedication to this

undertaking. The USCG Auxiliary join in with the Scouts by also subscribing to the Scouts motto ***"Be Prepared"***



Irene Azzarito
Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY U.S. COAST GUARD CG-3615 (Rev. 3-02)		AUXILIARY - RECORD OF UNIT MEETING	
UNIT NUMBER		UNIT NAME (as recorded in AUXDATA)	MEMBERS PRESENT
0700306000		FLOTILLA 36	IQ or BQ 48 AX –
DATE	MEETING TIME	MEETING LOCATION	TYPE OF MEETING
02/05/2009	1930	Boca Raton Base	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Bus <input type="checkbox"/> Special Bus
UNIT OFFICERS PRESENT		GUESTS PRESENT	
PE -G. Edelman, PB -D. Fisher, MA -R. Oliner, VE- M. Jaffe, CM- J. Derr, IS-L. Schwartz, PS-A. Rutherford, SR-Azzarito, VFC M. Thompson, FC. T. Thayer CS- S. Grevemeyer, FN-J. Bordelon, OP- B. Bartley, MS- C. Sprake, MV- J. Edelman, NS- Mark Thompson, PA- R. Tepper		Vice Division Commander Ed Duda, George and Lois Weiss, Meryl and Barry Novek, Tim Allen	
CONDENSED VERSION OF REPORTS AND MOTIONS VOTED ON			
<p>Meeting called to order 1930 Pledge of Allegiance Invocation by VFC Marie Thompson <u>Announcement</u> Death of retired member Mike Gardner and Surgery for Richard Dunne Guest Speaker to be Ed Duda from Flotilla 3-4, Vice Division Commander <u>VFC M Thompson Presented</u> power point of coming events. 2/7 Barefoot Mailman, 2/14 Founder's Day parade, 2/12-16 Miami Boat Show, 2/21 Division 3 1 hour TCT, 2/28 ICS 210 Class @ McVey House, 3/14 Pot Luck @ Boca Base, 3/14 Div.3 8hour TCT Evening Agenda Standing Rules, New Members and Awards, Staff Reports <u>FN- J. Bordelon</u> Presented 2009 Budget Try to increase income <u>FC-T. Thayer</u> Put vote to members on Standing Rules: 1.Need 30% of members for quorum. 2. Dues are due in by August 31. 3. Okay \$100 for emergency contingency fund to be used by Flotilla Commander without other approval. Received approval on each item <u>VE M. Jaffe</u> Decals are available after meeting <u>PB-D. Fisher</u> Member training APC course need instructors <u>IS- L. Schwartz</u> No report <u>CS- S. Grevemeyer</u> No report <u>NS- Mark Thompson</u> 3/7 Ft. Lauderdale Aton Verifier Class. Trying to resurrect ATON repair program <u>PE- G. Edelman</u> No report See log <u>MA- R. Oliner</u> Thanks for your support on my new position. Have t-shirts \$5. Displayed <u>CM-J. Derr</u> No report <u>OP-B. Bartley</u> Marc Brody will handle Barefoot Mailman. Should have my boat out for patrol in middle of February <u>SR- I. Azzarito</u> No report <u>PA- R. Tepper</u> Governor approved putting 500 signs out in Florida with our logo on them. Trying to get grant money. Suggest try to get donations of any amount to help flotilla. <u>M. Brody</u>- 6 people involved in barefoot mailman project. Need to be at Station Lauderdale 0630. For boat owners get boats reinspected for this year, <u>PS-A. Rutherford</u> No report Called for motion to accept minutes from last month. Motion and seconded. Accepted.</p>			
<p>Guest Speaker Ed Duda gave a presentation on how to Check your information and that of other members by going into AUX INFO on line go to CGAUX7. ORG. member section. AuxInfo Report. AUX Data with hours goes to Coast Guard for funding. Do</p>			

Not go to that website.
 Old business. Matt Wasserman asking about getting our new replacement ID cards. Speak to L. Meghabghab, who will help you to do it on line. See next month's log for more information.
 New business. Snacks for next meeting to be supplied by Jeff Rogers.
FC- T. Thayer Re: Marine Advisory Board. Boca Inlet dredging has been put off for one year. Be careful out there. Lagoon Keepers looking to take some people with disabilities on the boat and would need assistance from our members if possible. This is tentative as there might be some liability issues that need addressing.
 Motion to adjourn and seconded at 2045

UNIT TRAINING TOPICS PRESENTED

REMARKS (Include special Service Awards... events, future plans, awards presented, special guests present, etc.)

Installation new officer, R. Oliner FSO- MA, AUXCOM certificates to Claude Jodoin, and Ralph Krugler. Service Certificates Awarded. 5 Years Joe Bordelon, James Godden, Nancy Godden, John Moore, Robert Oppenheimer, Elizabeth Rogers, Steve Rogers, Arthur Tenney, Matt Wasserman. 10 Years Tim Connor, Deborah Dacus, Alick Elliot, Joe Poces, William Rickards, Len Schwartz 15 years Marc Brody, Rick Celestino, Ernie Le Duc, Deann Sutherland, Eric Wallace, Ken Weisberg, Mike Zampini, Tom Sutherland, 20 Years Charles Hersey, Helene Houge, Vincent Mancuso All 2008 Staff Officers received certificates. Not present for new member awards, Alessio Carulli, Robert Teck, and Gregory Tumlin. Not all members were present for their awards.

NEXT MEETING

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
03/05/09	1930	Base
DATE SUBMITTED		SIGNATURE OF PERSON SUBMITTING REPORT
02/09/09		I Azzarito FSO-SR



Flotilla officers for 2008 received unsigned certificates in appreciation of their work

Submitted by Ed Colina

Let it be known to all that Mark David's ashes were scattered on Monday February 16, 2009 at 3:07 PM on Molasses Reef located at 25.01 N 80.23 W off the coast of Key Largo, FL in the upper Florida Keys. Molasses is on a reef line about 4.5 miles off the coast. The waters where the ashes were scattered were about 15 feet deep.



Bagpiper Steve Rogers plays Marks favorites



Ed Colina scatters Marks Ashes-Shalom Mark



Marks closest friends, happy to fulfill his wish. Left to right, Beth Broar, Kristie Colina, Ed Colina, Roger Beckham, Maxine Beckham.



Bagpiper plays while ashes trail behind boat.

Rest in peace, Mark!

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