

Shipbuilders Participate in Heart Walk

Approximately 2,000 Newport News Shipbuilding employees, family and friends, the largest group of employees from one company, signed-up for the Hampton Roads Heart Walk. NNS-registered participants walked approximately two miles around the Peninsula Town Center this past Saturday.

"I love supporting this event in honor of my dad who had a heart attack," said **Carlos Bynum** (X73). "We had a wonderful turnout and it is always a lot of fun while supporting a good cause."

This year, NNS employees raised more than \$36,000 in donations to support the American Heart Association. Photo above by **Chris Oxley**



NNS Employees Recognized for STEM Achievements

Twenty Huntington Ingalls Industries employees were recognized for achievements in the fields of science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) during the 21st annual Women of Color STEM Conference in Detroit, Oct. 13 through Oct. 15. Of the 20 total award recipients, seven were Newport News Shipbuilding employees.

Vannia Willis (E30), an 18-year engineering veteran at Newport News Shipbuilding, was presented a Community Service Award, which recognizes women of color who use technology in novel ways to improve access to STEM jobs and educational opportunities. Among her many activities to encourage youth participation in STEM, Willis helped start the first Lego Mind Storm Robotics Program in southeast Washington and developed a tutoring program for middle and high school students at a local church. She also organized a program that challenged students' logic and strategic capabilities as part of Math, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA), and she serves as technology lead for First Robotics and NNS' Girls Engineer Minds in Shipbuilding (GEMS) Program. She has also been lead coordinator for the Women of Color and BEYA K-12 STEM workshops since 2009.

Paulette Harris (E79), designer, Samaria Hunter (T51), computer systems security manager, and Mary McDermott (E81), engineering manager, were recipients of the 2016 Technology Star Award, which...

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New Lost and Damaged Material Council at NNS

A new lost and damaged material council has been established at Newport News Shipbuilding. The council is chartered with identifying and developing strategies to communicate and standardize best practices for material management at NNS. The council is made up of NNS shipbuilders with diverse knowledge, technical skill and leadership experience.

"Material is a critical part of our business and each of us should take material management responsibility very seriously by being proactive," said Vice President of *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79)...



Lost and Damaged Material Council (L to R): Vice President In-Service Aircraft Carrier Program and Council Co-Sponsor Chris Miner, X71 Construction Supervisor and Council Lead Roger Williams, James Bochel (E41), Mary Via (O93), Bob Fry (K83), Marianner Tully (O53), Vice President CVN 79 Carrier Construction Mike Shawcross, Laurel Easterson (X27), Alan Bomar (X70), Kendra Claiborne (X70), Marc Young (X51) and Mike Butler (O81). Not Pictured: Victoria Bartley (E56), Ed Maroney (O57), Phil Miller (T50), Sharon Scott (T56) and Les Smith (O93). Photo by Chris Oxley

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...Carrier Construction **Mike Shawcross**. "Now is the time to evaluate our lost and damaged material efforts in a comprehensive way that includes, but is not limited to, improving communication, updating policies, procedures, and training."

In the coming months, the first initiative of the council will be to work with employees throughout the material value stream to solicit input for development of best practices that will be shared across all NNS programs.

"NNS' goal is to have "zero" lost and damaged material," said X71 Construction Supervisor and Council Lead **Roger Williams**. "Although this may appear to be a lofty goal, it is the attitude that each and every shipbuilder must have as trusted custodians of all the material we handle."

For more information, or to provide the council with input, contact Roger Williams (X71) at 688-2051.

Paulette Harris Newport News Shipbuilding Technology All-Star Samaria Hunter Newport News Shipbuilding Technology All-Star Davida Warren Newport News Shipbuilding Technology Rising Star Newport News Shipbuilding Technology Rising Star Davida Warren Newport News Shipbuilding Technology Rising Star Community Service

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...recognizes accomplished women of color from mid-level to advanced stages of their careers who have demonstrated excellence in the workplace and in their communities.

Marie Lawson (E05), electrical engineer, **Michelle Pope** (E63), electrical designer, and **Davida Warren** (T51), cyber security analyst, were recipients of the 2016 Technology Rising Star Award, which recognizes young women who are helping to shape future technology.

Visit http://newsroom.huntingtoningalls.com/ to read the entire release and for additional information about each award recipient.

NNS' United Way Campaign Underway

Newport News Shipbuilding's 2016 United Way campaign kicked off on Thursday, October 20 and will run through November 4.

Prior to the kickoff, a training session was held for division and department coordinators who learned about the difference United Way makes in our community and for our shipbuilders. Representatives from the Boys and Girls Clubs and the Virginia Peninsula Foodbank spoke about how their services are possible because of United Way. Following their remarks, United Way campaign Co-Chair **Yasmine Robinson** (O29) shared a personal story about how the United Way helped her family when they lost their home and were evacuated during Hurricane Katrina.

"For years, I contributed to the United Way and served as a department coordinator without ever realizing that I would one day need their services," Robinson said. "As you ask your colleagues to contribute, let them know that the United Way could one day be there for them."

Employees will be receiving their United Way enrollment guide from their department coordinators with details of how to donate and



2016 Newport News Shipbuilding United Way department coordinators attended a training session in Bldg. 520 prior to the campaign kicking off. Photo by **John Whalen**

how to designate contributions to specific nonprofits. To donate, employees will need their enrollment guide and their PIN number located on their paycheck stub. Employees who donate over \$150 per year will receive a "SmartCard" that offers discounts at businesses and restaurants throughout the region.

"I challenge you to be leaders," said United Way campaign Co-Chair **Cassie Burks** (O26). "Leaders take action for the good and United Way gives us that opportunity. If all employees contribute even \$1 per week, we will be well on the way to improving the lives of countless citizens in our community."



Newport News Shipbuilding's 2016 United Way Co-Chairs (L to R): Yasmine Robinson (O29), Rob Spitzer (K70) and Cassie Burks (O26). Photo by John Whalen

For more information, visit the United Way website on MyNNS or e-mail UnitedWay@hii-nns.com.

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AROUND THE YARD



AMSEC LLC Navigators completed the first mandatory training held on Sept. 15

AMSEC LLC Improves Onboarding Process for Employees

Newport News Shipbuilding's subsidiary AMSEC, LLC recently introduced a new onboarding system called Logistics, Engineering, Technology, and Training Solutions (LETTS) Navigators. The program supports the onboarding process by pairing new employees with experienced peers, known as Navigators. Navigators work with new employees to ensure they are adapting to their new jobs and work environment. The program provides Navigators and new employees with checklists and resources from the time the new employee accepts the position through their first 30 days of employment.



October is National Cyber Security Awareness Month

October is National Cyber Security Awareness Month, and this year's theme at NNS is Ransomware.

Learn more at the Cybersecurity Awareness Month website on MyNNS, and read a letter from HII's Chief Information Security Officer **Kevin Bowden** on Huntington Ingalls Industries homepage.



Watch Heartfelt Video Testimony from NNI Welder Kevin Sedgwick

Watch a heartfelt video testimony from Newport News Industrial (NNI) Welder **Kevin Sedgwick** (N960) to find out why it's so important to focus on heart health. View the video on MyNNS or visit the Huntington Ingalls Industries Facebook page from a home computer. The second Hampton Roads Heart Walk will be held on Oct. 29 at Mount Trashmore in Virginia Beach. Visit www.hamptonroadsheartwalk.org to learn more.



Cullen to Lead Newport News Shipbuilding's Nuclear Propulsion Division

On Oct. 17, Newport News Shipbuilding President **Matt Mulherin** announced that **Mary Cullen** has been appointed vice president of the Nuclear Propulsion Division.

She will succeed **Barry Fletcher**, who will retire at the end of the year after 37 years of service. Cullen will assume leadership of the organization on Nov. 14, after a transition period, and will be responsible for overhaul engineering, reactor services, test engineering, radiological controls, construction and process engineering along with refueling production and nuclear support.

Read Mulherin's letter to shipbuilders regarding the organizational change on MyNNS.



Jacobs to Lead Newport News Shipbuilding's Human Resources Division

On Oct. 21, Newport News Shipbuilding President **Matt Mulherin** announced that **Susan Jacobs** has been appointed vice president of the Human Resources and Administration Division.

She will succeed **Bill Bell**, who will retire after 34 collective years of service. Jacobs will assume leadership of the organization on Dec. 2, after a transition period, and will be responsible for human resources administration, employment, labor relations and recruitment. She will also have responsibility for the Security and Environmental Health and Safety organizations.

Read Mulherin's letter to shipbuilders regarding the organizational change on MyNNS.

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NOVEMBER 1-18

The Hispanic Outreach and Leadership Alliance (HOLA) Employee Resource Group (ERG) is looking for employees interested in joining HOLA's 2017 executive board and board of directors. All NNS employees are eligible to participate. Nominations will be accepted Nov. 1 through 18. Interested employees should contact Oliver Aguilar (E83) at 688-3104.

NOVEMBER 5

The 2016 FIRST Robotics Competition is scheduled for Nov. 5 at Menchville High School in Newport News from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information about the event, or to sign up as a Newport News Shipbuilding team mentor, contact **Chris Brown** (O35) at 688-7897. To learn about additional volunteer opportunities during the event, contact **Vannia Willis** (E30) at 534-4714.

NOVEMBER 13

The Apprentice School Student Association (ASSA) will be hosting its fifth annual Veteran's Day Golf Classic at Cypress Creek Golf Course in Smithfield. Start time is 7:30 a.m. and cost is \$60 per person. For more information, contact Amy Craven (X18) at (336) 324-4523 or Joseph Imperiale (X31) at 751-5731.

DECEMBER 7

The MODSIM team would like to remind employees that the call for paper and competition abstracts has begun for the 2017 MODSIM World Conference. MODSIM World is a unique multi-disciplinary conference that the MODSIM team participates in each year. Participants exchange modeling and simulation knowledge, research and technology. The event joins theory and practice across industry, government and academia--providing for an open interchange of information. The 2017 MODSIM World Conference is planned for April 25 through 27 at the Virginia Beach Convention Center in Virginia Beach. Employees interested in participating in the 2017 MODSIM World Conference are encouraged to visit www.modsimworld.org to learn more. The abstract submission deadline for the 2017 MODSIM World Conference is Dec. 7. For additional questions, contact Stefani Werner (E04) at 380-7805 or Nick Drucker (K76) at 688-5353.

CFA Completes Lube Oil Assemblies Using Visual Work Instructions

In September, the Machine Shop and Pipe Assembly Shop completed four lube oil complex assemblies for *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79) using Visual Work Instructions (VWI). This is the first time this specific assembly has been manufactured at Newport News Shipbuilding. The Integrated Digital Shipbuilding (iDS) team collaborated with shop planners, foremen, craftsmen, design and industrial engineering to create VWIs, a 3-D, fully digital product.



Pictured (L to R): Dave Klinetop (E71), Ranger Crew (M53), Charles Davenport (X42), Gary Sullivan (X42), Steve Shaw (M53), X42 Supervisor David Chavis and Ron Henderson (X89). Photo by John Whalen

"The team worked together to create digital design data and develop a clear build strategy," said iDS Manager **Sam Barnett**.

"Creating VWI's has aided the shops in resolving issues ahead of time which reduces delays that would not have surfaced until they hit the shop floor."

Machine Shop Planning Manager **Jimmy Bridges** added, "Collaborating with the team really helped us all provide a great product to the deckplate. I'm interested in helping find out how NNS can effectively collaborate more in the future."

The shops took on the challenge of executing the work using mobile devices while providing valuable feedback throughout the build process.

"I was surprised how quickly the mechanics gravitated to the VWI," said Pipe Shop Foreman **David Chavis**. "They really like it and are ready for more. I was glad to see we were part of the development process and that our feedback was sought out and valued. That really helped engage the mechanics."

The lube oil assemblies were delivered in time to support CVN 79 needs.

"We are excited to see what the iDS future holds for the CFA and NNS," said Pipe Shop Superintendent **Rob Lane**. "We can feel the momentum building and are ready to work with the iDS team to continue to develop and hone new iDS processes and products. While there is a lot still to work out, we are ready to see these digital products become part of normal NNS processes."

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