



John F. Kennedy Reaches 70 Percent Structural Completion

Shipbuilders have built 70 percent of the structures necessary to complete *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79).

Like its predecessor, the first-in-class USS *Gerald R. Ford* (CVN 78), *Kennedy* is being built with a modular construction technique where smaller sections of the ship are welded together to form larger structures called superlifts. The superlifts are pre-outfitted and hoisted into Dry Dock 12 – where the ship is being built – by "Big Blue," Newport News Shipbuilding's 1,050-metric ton gantry crane.

Shipbuilders have successfully erected 317 lifts since the ship's keel was laid in August 2015. *Kennedy* is on track to be completed with 447 total lifts. The recent 806-metric-ton superlift consisted of 17

individual units and was about 171 feet long and about 92 feet wide. The structure comprises berthing areas, electrical equipment rooms and workshops and took 18 months to build.

"This superlift is in the forward part of the ship, about halfway between the bow and midship," said CVN 79 Program Director **Mike Butler**. "It represents one of the key build strategy changes for *Kennedy*: building superlifts that are larger and more complete before they are erected on the ship. We are pleased with how construction on *Kennedy* is progressing, and we look forward to additional milestones as we inch closer to christening of the ship."

Kennedy is scheduled to launch in 2020. Watch a video of the most recent superlift on MyNNS or the NNS to Go app.



148 Graduate from The Apprentice School

Commencement exercises were held Saturday, Feb. 24, for 148 graduates of Newport News Shipbuilding's Apprentice School. The ceremony took place at Liberty Baptist Church Worship Center in Hampton.

In her first commencement as president of Newport News Shipbuilding, **Jennifer Boykin** discussed the role the company's newest shipbuilders will play in building its future. "It's such an exciting time to be a shipbuilder," she said. "We are transforming how we build ships, how we run our business and how we improve..."

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Members of The Apprentice School's Class of 2017 are shown during commencement exercises Saturday, Feb. 24. Photo by **John Whalen**



The Arts in Motion NNS Dancers perform during the African American Shipbuilders Association's annual Black History Month Celebration. Photo by **Matt Hildreth**

AASA President **Stephanie White** (K21) said having an annual event celebrating black history was one of the goals when the employee resource group was created. “This event is important, not only to our members, but to people across our shipyard,” she said. “I’m glad we’re able to keep it going. It means a lot, and hopefully it will continue to grow.”

Roslyn Long (E83/E30), who has curated the event’s art show for five years, said about 20 artists – the largest number to date – showed their work this year.

The event’s keynote speaker, Hampton Mayor Donnie Tuck, centered his remarks on this year’s theme, “the strength of unity.” “To me, the strength of unity is in community,” he said. “We need strong, vibrant, thriving communities. Our future and our way of life depend on it. Help us rebuild our communities.”

Tuck encouraged shipbuilders to reach out – especially to the youth – to promote strong communities.

Stephen P. Williams (X84), who participated in the art show, said he “thoroughly enjoyed” the program. “This was fantastic, and I believe they may have to get a bigger space moving forward,” he said.

AASA Hosts Annual Black History Month Celebration

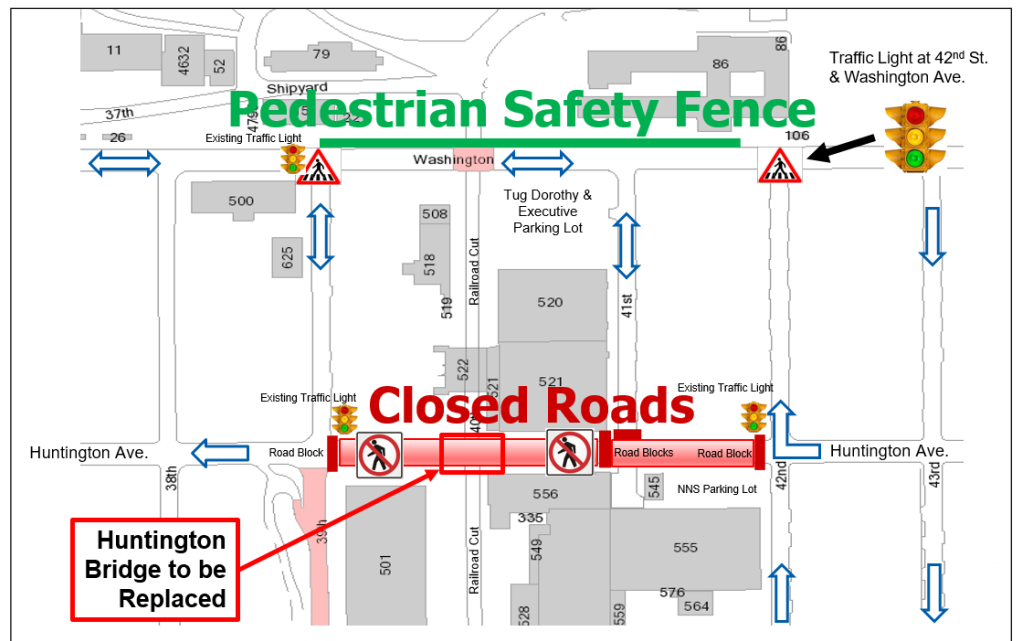
The African American Shipbuilders Association (AASA) hosted its annual Black History Month Celebration Thursday, Feb. 22. Shipbuilders from across Newport News Shipbuilding honored black history through dance, music and visual arts.

Huntington Avenue Bridge Replacement Project to Begin in March

The city of Newport News is preparing to begin the Huntington Avenue bridge replacement project in early March. The bridge, built in 1899, is structurally obsolete according to the Virginia Department of Transportation.

Throughout the project, Huntington Avenue will be closed from 39th to 42nd streets and traffic will be redirected to Washington Avenue. To assist with pedestrian safety and traffic flow, a temporary traffic light – including a crosswalk – will be installed at 42nd Street and Washington Avenue. In addition, a pedestrian fence will be installed on Washington Avenue between 39th and 42nd streets.

Construction Engineer **Omayra Orama** (O41) is the liaison between Newport News Shipbuilding and the city. She is aware that the construction will be an inconvenience to drivers, but believes the engineered traffic plan is going to work. “We have a voice,” Orama said. “I go to meetings and am always



in communication with the city and give them our concerns about safety and security.”

By Orama’s side is Engineering Manager **Yesika Kain** (O41). “There will be signs on either side of the roads that will direct drivers and pedestrians,” she said. “Traffic is going to be different, but the city has worked with us to determine our concerns.”

As updates become available, information about the project will be communicated to employees via *Currents*, the NNS to Go app and MyNNS. For questions, contact Orama at 688-5032.

Watch a video about the bridge replacement project on MyNNS or the NNS to Go app.

148 Graduate from The Apprentice School

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...the work experience for all of our people.

“We are working smart every day to innovate, to rethink and reinvent the business of shipbuilding,” Boykin said. “Today, we are moving forward, committed to building a future focused on people and technology – not just for today’s workforce, but for our children and our children’s children.”

Gary Lee Smith II, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, received the Homer L. Ferguson Award, which recognizes the apprentice graduating with the highest honors. A maintenance electrician, Smith completed the Advanced Shipyard Operations Program and Frontline FAST, a leadership development training program for potential frontline supervisors.

“Whether you realized it or not, we were all being taught how to be future leaders of the company,” Smith said. “We need to take the reigns as we transition through this time in the company where so much knowledge is walking out the gate for the last time and so many fresh faces are coming through it for the first time. As we move everything from paper to digital, we must also grab that knowledge and store it for future.”

“In doing this we will keep building the legacy of Newport News Shipbuilding and The Apprentice School well into the future,” he said.



Apprentice School graduate **Gary Lee Smith II**, recipient of the Homer L. Ferguson Award, speaks during the commencement ceremony. Photo by **John Whalen**

Visit the Lead the Way webpage to read Boykin's full remarks from the ceremony. Learn more about the Class of 2017 on the Huntington Ingalls Industries website.

Graduate Reflects on Apprentice School Experience

Courtney White (X11) admits she wasn't initially sold on The Apprentice School when the former women's basketball coach began recruiting her as a high school player in Norfolk. She was focused on academics and hadn't planned to pursue basketball at a higher level.

However, White soon learned more about The Apprentice School and decided to seriously consider the recruitment efforts. “When I found out they offered a free education and a good-paying job, it was a no-brainer to come here,” she said. “It was a great opportunity.”

A shipfitter currently working on USS *Gerald R. Ford* (CVN 78) in Norfolk, White is among the 148 members of The Apprentice School's Class of 2017. “It's like working on a project for years, and then the outcome is a masterpiece,” she said of becoming an Apprentice School alumna.

The road to this point, however, wasn't easy. It was tough juggling work, academics and basketball – especially during her first year. “Since I was on the basketball team, I was



Apprentice School graduate **Courtney White** stands in front of USS *Gerald R. Ford* (CVN 78). Photo by **Matt Hildreth**

around people who had been here two, three or four years already,” she said. “You develop a sisterhood, and you have no option after that. Your teammates don't let you quit. I had to train myself mentally and tell myself that I could do it and I wasn't tired. I looked at the people around me as proof that it could be done.”

White said her best friend, **Bria Hill** (O22/X33), who graduated from The Apprentice School one year ago, and supervisors – especially X11 foremen **Randy Boone** and **John Thompson** – reminded her of “what was at the finish line.” “They made me a leader and a role model even when I didn't want to be,” she said. “They taught me the ropes and helped me realize my full potential.”

White now has her sights on a mechanical engineering degree. “I want to be that engineer with hands-on experience on the deckplate,” she said. “Being an Apprentice School graduate opens a lot of doors.”



Members of the 2018 LEAD Hampton Roads class visited NNS Feb. 15. Photo by **Matt Hildreth**

LEAD Hampton Roads Class Visits NNS

About 50 leaders from across the region gathered at Newport News Shipbuilding Feb. 15 as the shipyard welcomed the 2018 LEAD Hampton Roads class.

LEAD Hampton Roads is a leadership program that aims to connect, challenge and inspire leaders to drive the growth and prosperity of the region. Class participants represent a diverse array of backgrounds. The group's NNS visit focused on the importance of maritime leadership and influence within Hampton Roads' economy.

Participants took tours of the shipyard and The Apprentice School. They also saw integrated digital shipbuilding (iDS) demonstrations in the company's Mobile Experience (MX) trailer. NNS President **Jennifer Boykin** – a 2004 LEAD Hampton Roads graduate – spoke to the group about the importance of a strong workforce, innovative technology and community support.

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Black History Month: Yhem Niebuonrit

February is Black History Month. The theme for this year's Inclusion and Diversity (I&D) monthly recognition campaign is "Unite Our Voices by Speaking Together." As part of the campaign, four employees will be featured during each recognition month – two from within the featured demographic and two outside of it. Employees will share personal stories, insight and perspectives on what the month means to them. Features will be published in Currents, the NNS to Go app, MyNNS and HII social media channels.

Yhem Niebuonrit (X43), a former Vietnamese refugee, said the teachings of civil and human rights activist leaders like Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. have had a huge impact on his life since arriving in the United States and throughout the process of becoming a naturalized citizen.

"Black History Month is a time to educate ourselves on the struggles and hardships of African Americans – past and present," he said. "It's also a time to learn how challenges were overcome and celebrate success. These lessons and lessons from leaders like Dr. King are still relevant today and should be used to unite and inspire us all."

Raised in the mountains of the Central Highlands of Vietnam as a member of the Rhade tribe, Niebuonrit learned the importance of community early in his childhood. "I was raised in a village with no

electricity or running water," he said. "To survive, we had to respect and depend on every member of the community."

At the end of the Vietnam War in 1975, Niebuonrit's village was overtaken by the Vietnamese government and he was forced to leave everything behind. "The day I left for the United States was a day I'll never forget," he said. "I lost all contact with my family."

Fast-forward several years and Niebuonrit was forced to begin rebuilding his life in Ohio. "I lived with my sponsor family and spent a lot of time learning English, establishing relationships and getting accustomed to a new American culture," he said. "Learning was very important to me as education in my native country was not easily accessible – I read to help improve my English skills and for inspiration."

The more he read, the more interested Niebuonrit became in King's teachings. "I became very inspired by his messages about freedom and unity through nonviolence," he said. "Through my experiences in Vietnam, I could relate. His dreams of a world where people love one another for who they are as a person – not by their appearance – continue to resonate and inspire me today."

Niebuonrit is currently an outside machinist responsible for machinery work on sails for *Virginia*-class submarines.



"I've been at the shipyard for five years and I applaud the shipyard for its focus on inclusion and diversity," he said.

"Celebrating diversity and the differences among us is so important – it's how we will better ourselves and our future. By learning from history, we can ensure history won't repeat itself. We don't choose our background, appearance or family, but we can choose to respect and learn from each other. We're always stronger when we're together."

View Niebuonrit's poster on MyNNS. Employees interested in participating in this year's I&D campaign are encouraged to visit nns.huntingtoningalls.com/id-campaign-2018.



Pictured from left are NNS Facility Security Officer **John Forlow**, Security and Emergency Management Director **Derek Jenkins**, **Doris McNair** (O14) and **Eric Goolsby** (O14). Photo by **Matt Hildreth**



Pictured from left are NNS Facility Security Officer **John Forlow**, **Carl Laycock** (E44) and Security and Emergency Management Director **Derek Jenkins**. Photo by **John Whalen**

Fourth Quarter Security Star Awardees Announced

Newport News Shipbuilding's Security and Emergency Management team recently awarded **Doris McNair** (O14) and **Carl Laycock** (E44) with the fourth quarter 2017 Security Star Award. McNair took steps to ensure the safety and security of Mail Room employees. Laycock has been proactive in carrying out a number of security responsibilities in his department.

"The team takes great pride in recognizing McNair and Laycock – their actions reflect a strong commitment to helping to maintain the security of our company, fellow employees and our nation's warfighter," said **Derek Jenkins**, director of Security and Emergency Management.

Do you want to nominate an employee for a Security Star Award? The quarterly program recognizes employees for outstanding performance of security responsibilities at NNS. For more information, read the program guidelines. Use Form NN 9722, located in the forms viewer, to submit nominations by March 30.

Night School Registration Underway

Spring 2018 Night School registration is underway. All classes are scheduled to begin the week of April 2 and continue through June 2. The application deadline is March 9. For further information and to view a list of classes and registration information, visit the Night School website, the programs tab on The Apprentice School website or the NNS to Go app. For questions, contact **Shirley Smith-King** (O22) at 688-8608.

LEAD Hampton Roads Class Visits NNS

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Since 1999, NNS has sponsored 21 LEAD Hampton Roads graduates. This... ..year's class includes three shipbuilders – **Jim O'Brien**, **Grace Hayes** and **Mat Sullivan**.

"There was a lot of positive feedback from participants about shipyard capabilities. They were particularly impressed with The Apprentice School and iDS initiatives, along with the great networking session they received from the shipyard's LEAD Alumni, as part of their class visit to NNS." said **Daryl Cyrus** (X10).

One City Marathon is Saturday

Newport News Shipbuilding is a proud sponsor of the fourth annual One City Marathon on Saturday, March 4. Motorists should look out for road closures along the route, which stretches from Newport News Park to the Newport News Victory Arch near West Avenue. Watch a video about the marathon on MyNNS.

March is National Nutrition Month

Sign up to receive free weekly recipes during the month of March chosen by your BeWell for Life registered dietitian nutritionists. Each week features a new theme: breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks. Register online to be added to the distribution list.

Need one-on-one nutrition advice? Shipbuilders who schedule an appointment with a registered dietitian nutritionist in March will be entered to win a healthy food basket valued at \$25. Call the HII Family Health Center at 327-4200 or visit www.myquadmedical.com/hii to schedule an appointment. For questions regarding National Nutrition Month, email wellness@hii-nns.com or call 534-4568.

Celebrating Design and Engineering Appreciation Week

Newport News Shipbuilding's Design and Engineering Appreciation Week (DEAW) is Feb. 26 through March 2.

First celebrated in 2016, the week recognizes NNS' engineering and design workforce. "DEAW is a weeklong appreciation with intriguing team-building events that have captivated the minds and talents of many individuals," said Culture and Engagement Specialist **Shineka Dixon** (O44). "It is an opportunity to explore creativity and challenge yourself intellectually while working together as a team and having fun."

Teams of shipbuilders from across NNS were formed ahead of time and will compete for points in a variety of events held each day at noon. At the end of the week, the top 10 teams will advance to compete for the Divisional Cup Tuesday, March 6, in the gym at the new Apprentice School.

Visit the Engineering and Design website for more information about DEAW.

New L.A.W. Classes Added

Two classes, designed to help employees further their careers at Newport News Shipbuilding, are being added to the Learning After the Whistle (L.A.W.) schedule.

A resume writing course will be offered monthly in two parts on the first and second Monday of every month; the first class is scheduled for March 5. An interviewing skills course will be offered in one session, on the second and fourth Wednesday of every month, beginning March 14

Classes will be held from 4:30 to 7 p.m. in the Management Development Center in Bldg. 903. Registration is open in LX.

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FEBRUARY 27

L.E.A.R.N. will host an after-work presentation with **Michael Lempke**, president of the Nuclear and Environmental Group at Huntington Ingalls Industries' Technical Solutions division, from 4:30 to 6 p.m. in the VASCIC auditorium. Lempke will discuss his group's work for the Department of Energy (DOE), along with exciting opportunities for engineers, program managers and business professionals at DOE sites across the country. The event is open to all employees by reservation only. Sign up on the L.E.A.R.N. website. For questions, contact **Tanika Vasquez** (O24) at 688-7916 or email LEARN@hii-nns.com.

MARCH 7

The Professional Enhancement and Enrichment Rotational (PEER) Program is sponsoring a Lunch and Learn from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Applebees to explain how the program works, answer questions and provide detailed information on how to sign up. Lunch will be provided. RSVP on the PEER website. For more information, contact **Tameka Langhorne** (O44) at 688-1053.

MARCH 8

The Society of Manufacturing Engineers will sponsor a tour of Amadas Industries Inc., located at 1100 Holland Rd. in Suffolk, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. *Amadas has two facilities about four miles apart. The tour will begin at the above address, and participants will then travel to the other location.* There is no cost for the tour. Dinner at George's Steakhouse will follow. Individuals are responsible for their meals. To RSVP or for more information, contact **John Edwards** (E84) at 876-8386.

MARCH 9

The Apprentice Alumni Association will host its annual banquet honoring the Class of 1968 at the Newport News Marriott at City Center. A social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m. with dinner and program commencing at 7 p.m. Anyone can purchase tickets for \$40 through **Sally Krystyn** (O22), Teagle Insurance or alumni officers and delegates. For more information, contact **Sarah Gentry** (K45) at 329-2449.

MARCH 15

The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers (SNAME) is hosting a tour of Colonna's Shipyard from 1 until 3 p.m. Participants will be briefed on the facilities and tour the waterfront, travel lift, drydock and Steel America Facility. No need to be a SNAME member. This is on your own time. Email sname.meetings@gmail.com to RSVP. For more information, contact **Kevin Bowe** (E42) at 688-7728.



Cover Photo: An 806-metric ton superlift for *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79) is hoisted into place. Photo by **John Whalen**

MARCH 17

The Apprentice School Student Association will host a trip to watch the NHL's Carolina Hurricanes take on the Philadelphia Flyers in Raleigh, North Carolina. The bus leaves the Apprentice School Athletic Field at noon. One ticket is \$25, and two are \$40 (limit two tickets per apprentice). To purchase tickets, visit apprenticesstudents.com, click on event, and click on Eventbrite link.

MARCH 17-18

Newport News Shipbuilding is a sponsor of the *FIRST* Robotics Chesapeake District Hampton Roads Competition for the third year in a row. The event will be held at Churchland High School March 17 and 18 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. Admission is free, and families are welcome. View the flier for more information. If you are interested in mentoring a team leading up to the event, contact **Chris Brown** (O35) at 688-7897 as soon as possible. If you would like to volunteer for the event, contact **Lewis Fisher** (E25) at 688-4761.

MARCH 23-24

NNS's IT Division and Asian Shipbuilders Including All Nationalities (ASIAN) are teaming up with Christopher Newport University to host a Disrupt-a-thon. This event will foster collaboration between NNS employees and CNU students with the goal of leveraging technology to transform the workplace. All shipbuilders are encouraged to participate. The event will kick off at 5 p.m. Friday, March 23 and continue through Saturday, March 24. For more information and to register for the event, visit disruptathon2018.eventbrite.com.

MARCH 24

The Apprentice School Student Association will host its annual Easter Egg Hunt from 10 a.m. until noon at First Presbyterian Church, 514 S. Armistead Ave. in Hampton. Tickets for children 12 and under are free. Tickets for adults (13 and up) are \$1. Limit six tickets per apprentice. Tickets are required for all attendees. Alumni and staff tickets are available March 5, and additional tickets are available March 12. To purchase tickets, visit apprenticesstudents.com, click on event, and click on Eventbrite link.

MARCH 28

Shipbuilders Together Realizing Inclusion, Diversity and Equality (STRIDE) is hosting Vee Lamneck, deputy director of Equality Virginia, for a talk at 4:30 p.m. in the VASCIC auditorium. All shipbuilders are welcome to attend.

MAY 19

The 2018 NNS Submarine Program Golf Classic will be held at 1 p.m. at Cypress Creek Golfer's Club. This is a four-person, Captain's Choice tournament. The cost is \$80 per person (\$320 per team). Tournament proceeds will benefit the nonprofit Stop Soldier Suicide and the Virginia Peninsula Foodbank. For more information, contact **Johnny Mintz** (X67) at 688-5031 or 880-8965.

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| Job Title | Req Number | Dept. | Location |
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| Foreman | 21518BR | O22 | Newport News |
| Employee Health Nurse 3 | 21057BR | O24 | Newport News |
| IDS IT Project Manager 4 | 22240BR | T56 | Newport News |
| Systems Application Analyst 4 (HBSS) | 17563BR | T54 | Newport News |
| Systems Engineer 3 | 20056BR | E30 | Newport News |
| Quality Assurance Policy Manager 3 | 22397BR | O03 | Newport News |
| Tool Die Making Supervisor 1 | 19615BR | M71 | Newport News |
| Test Engineering Manager 2 | 22095BR | E25 | Newport News |
| Construction Supervisor 2 (CVN73 RCOH) | 22190BR | X71 | Newport News |
| NNI - General Foreman (2nd Shift) | 22402BR | N960 | Newport News |
| General Manufacturing Director 2 | 22169BR | X70 | Newport News |
| Foreman - K48 Outside Machinist | 22405BR | O64 | Newport News |
| Corporate Citizenship & Government Relations Manager 2 | 22281BR | K18 | Newport News |
| General Foreman - K46/X42 | 22393BR | K46 | Newport News |

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EXCELLENCE IN ACTION

Congratulations to all first quarter Excellence in Action honorees. These individuals are leading the way in customer satisfaction, leadership, continuous improvement and operational excellence across all areas of the company.

Through efforts of employees like those listed below, Newport News Shipbuilding will achieve its goal of transforming the business for the next decade and beyond to be the safest, most efficient and innovative workplace possible. Well done honorees!

CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT SUCCESS PROJECTS

Bulkhead Assembly Inspection Team

Kenyada Curry, O38; Petar Dimic, O38;
Dante Ellenwood, O38; Shaqueta Winslow, O38

Nominator: Ralph Motley Jr.

Ahead Throttle Valve Shear Pin Redesign

Brian Greene, E71

Nominator: William Connolly

USS John C. Stennis (CVN 74)

Scanning Team

Heath Ambrose, E63; Cassidy Bishop, E27;
Avery Goodwin, E63; Paul Hamor, E63;
Priya Mohammed Jones, E86; John Robey, E27;
Shane Stewart, E63; William Woods, E63;
Jack Yarnall, E56

Nominator: Susanne Leonard

San Diego Aircraft Carrier Maintenance Contract Proposal Team

William Boze, K62; Terrence Brown, O87;
Shameta Clemmons, O51; Emily Collins, E47;
Ricardo Copeland, O51; Marie Crosby, E60;
Kevin Hewitt, O19; John Lemmon, O51;
Bradford Miller, O19; William Rigsby, O19;
Susan Sampson, K73; Michael Wilson Jr., E06;
Jon Winebarger, O19; James Woodfin, O87

Nominator: William Smith

Build Siemens Team Center & NX Application Upgrade Team Environment

Travis Blohm, O56; Sterling Brown, O56;
Anicia Freeman, T55;
Atiya Jordan-Stellmacher, T54; Khoa Le, T54;
Jamil Malone, T54; Gregory Pothast, T54;
Robert Swain Jr., T56; Steven Turner Jr., T54;
Melinda Washington, T54; Joseph Whitfield, T54;
Nathaniel Workman, O56

Nominator: John Sowden

Mandatory Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement Logging and Monitoring

Steven Cherry, T51; Brandon Curry, T54;
Al How, T56; John Koenig, T54;
Jessie Manning-Raschke, T54; Kasey Nichols, T51;
Darrell Nusz, T54

Nominator: Carl Bunch

USS George Washington (CVN 73) Special Tank Interference Removal Team

Christopher Beaton, X32; Howard Ewing, X71;
Mitchell Grawey, X32; Daniel Harriman Jr., X32;
Berry Holmes, X32; Ryan Racz, X32;
Robert Sielen, X32; Wyatt Sweeney, X79;
Pollard Waller, X71; Connor Waters, X32;
Raymond Williams Jr., X32

Nominator: Robert Matschke

Improved Receiving Process at Bldg. 872

George Boone, O53; Bruce Craig, O53;
Kenneth Devin Jr., O53; Kevin Hinton, O53;
Joseph Poplin, O53; Ray Shazier, O53

Nominator: Glenn Gaskins

Kesseling EH&S Program Assessment

Hugh Byrd Jr., O27; William Lee, O27;
Ebony Webb, O27

Nominator: George Riefler

Emergent Rod Control Repairs to Delaware (SSN 791) in Support of Testing

Christopher Breitenbucher, E84;
Anthony Dianna, O39; James Gaskins III, E84;
Andrew Goff, E86; Sean James, E84;
Errico Joyner, E84; Thomas Kacensky, X31;
Christopher Kennedy, E06; Zach Quidley, E84;
Hector Ramos Torres, E86; Cameron Reed, E84

Nominator: Edward Williams

HR Attrition Tool and Dashboard

Blake Rougeux, O13; Dinh Vo, O13

Nominator: Stephen Smith

Safety Risk Retirements

Robert Conway Jr., O63; Danny Narron, X10;
Jeremy Nichols, X10; Charles Wilson, X10

Nominator: Michael Simmons

DECKPLATE SUCCESS

USS George Washington (CVN 73) Shaft Removal Team (X36)

Rafael Fontanez, X36; Steven Francisco, X36;
Zachary Greene, X36; Ricky Morris, X36;
Russell Phaup, X36; Joshua Pryor, X36;
Sherrod Robinson, X36; Anfernee White, X36;
Tyler Wikle, X36; Robert Wilkerson III, X36;
Robert Wood, X36

Nominator: Louis Rajnys

2017 Dry Dock Block Building with Zero Deficiencies

Randy Addison, X36; Kevin Averette, X36; Kevin Epps, X36; Brian Frankenfield, X36; Steven Greenhow, X36; James Harris, X36; Eric Harris Jr., X36; Barry Jones, X36; Ronald Keen Jr., X36; Alphonso Lovelace, X36; Joshua Maglicco, X36; Eugene Moss, X36; Ernest Peele, X36; John Potts, X36; Roger Smith, X36; David Woods Jr., X36

Nominator: John Anderson

Kesseling Heavy Lift Crane Certification

Michael Alvord, X09; Brian Biche, X09; Ricardo Gonzalez Negron, X09; Bryan Herrin, X09; Todd Kelafant, X09; Jacob Mabb, X09; Raymond May, X09; Mary Perkinson, O48; Amanda Ricci, X09; Timothy Robinson, O48; Michael Rose, X09; Robert Scully, X09; James Shepard III, X09; Maria Stewart, O48; Kevin Tambasco, X09; John Watso Jr., O48

Nominator: James Kelly

BAE Systems Outsourcing Units

William Christian, O54; William Crockett, X36; Bobbie Gwaltney, X15; Ronald Hall, X36; Claudia Hughes, X15; Leonard Jackson Jr., X21; Michael Jordan, X36; James Leeds Jr., X21; Daniel Mcguire, X36; Travis Mulkey, X21; Damian Thomas, O53; Aubrey Warrick Jr., X21; Travis Whitehead, X21; Roger Woods, X21; Logan Wright, O53; Kimberly Young, X15

Nominator: Russell Fleeger

USS George Washington (CVN 73) Shaft Removal Team (X43)

Andrew Armstrong, X43; Eddie Brown, X43; Bobby Coggin II, X79; Dalton Dunn, X43; Jeffery Foster, X43; Austin Goforth, X43; Rusty Harrington, X43; Justin Lassiter, X43; Emanuel Rogers, X43; Stephen Simpson, X43; Gary Ticknor, X43

Nominator: Jeffrey Scheiman

John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Early Outfitting Final Assembly Platen Team

Christopher Babson, X31; Jason Bailey, X31; Joseph Brown, X31; James Conti, X91; Eric Duvall Sr., X31; Linda Ferbee, X33; Charles Glee, X31; Daphne Grant, X33; Joshua Hall, X91; Justin Helbig, X91; George Landis, X31; Kelly Martin, X33; Steven McDonald, X91; Sherry Wilson, X33

Nominator: Peter Gravely

Exemplary Mentoring Team

Tony Bagley, X33; Ann Beale, X33; Roy Bond, X33; Bernell Brown, X33; Sheila Harrison, X33; Caffee Matthews, X33; Brenda Smith, X33

Nominator: Heinz Trulley

Piping Completion in Preparation for Robotic Inspection

Shaina Baker, X42; Dennis Byrum, X42; Jesse Dawson, X42; James Henderson, X42; Charles Holley, X42; Gary Powell, X42; Michael Pyrtle, X91; Ramses Quiroz, X42; Jason Ray, X42; Curtis Schaffer, X42; Termaine Totten, X42; Steven Wells, X91; Richard West, X91; Cordaro Williams, X42

Nominator: Richard Dietz

Vermont (SSN 792) Emergent Fiber Optic Cable Installation Team

Reginald Banks Jr., X31; Matthew Bracy, X31; Carlos Brown, X31; Quantas Gaines, X31; Benjamin Harris, X31; Tony Johnson, X31; Aaron Jones, X31; Leonard Jones, X31; Jacob Pope, X82; Darin Ransaw, X31; Dion Southern, X31; Jourdan Vanderpool, X31

Nominator: Scott Whitmore

Montana (SSN 794) Highly Engaged Welding Team

Stanley Akers, O68; Samuel Antezana, O68; Lawrence Britt, X82; Jeffrey Cantrell, X18; Moses Cherry Jr., X18; Jarrod Davis, O22; Devante Gibson, X11; Codey Long, X18; Jonathan Morris, X11; James Parham, X18; Gregory Vincent Powell, X82; Purcell Saylor, X18; Matthew Shilling, X18; Zackery Waltrip, O68; Tristan Welch, X11; Rinehart Wilke V., X11

Nominator: Jajuan Mathews

Nucleonics Lab Deck Construction Cost Reduction Team

Joshua Batterby, X18; Darryl Boykins, X11; Lorenza Doles, X18; Collin Estes, X18; Steven Griffey, X10; Jonathan Peters, X18; Brian Phillips, X18; Michael Roberts, X11; Mark Tice, X11; Robert Vierrether, X18; Wayne Walker, X10

Nominator: Michael Simmons

EIA LEADERSHIP

John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Safety Lead Team

Rodney Blount, X18; Russell Bradshaw, X42; Woodrow Brooks, X91; Willie Clark Jr., X11; Michael Davis, X11; Marc Dunseath, X42; Eric Duvall Sr., X31; David Hamm, X91; Andre Hayes, X31; Craig Stokes Jr., X11; Leonard Morris, X91; Kelly Rider, X31; Jason Roach, O85

Nominator: Kenton Meland

Crane Relocation Team (Dry Dock 1 and Pier 6)

David Cardwell, O48; Brett Copeland, O48; Scott Miller, O48; Aaron Moore, O48; Mary Perkinson, O48

Nominator: James Kelly

John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Lost and Damage Management

Cynthia Klumb, O88

Nominator: Robert Fry

Visual Build Management Memorandum of Agreement

Joshua Whitehead, X51

Nominator: Ian Slagle

Nuclear Temporary System Installation Team

O'Bryant Beaufort, X79; Erick Bowden, X71; Michael Cline, X79; Stanton Craven, X79; Robert Daughtrey, X79; Tyler Evans, X79; Stephen Mallis, X71; Samuel Mardis Jr., X79; Sean Quirk, E84; David Seely, X79; Brian Shell, E84; Scot Tanner, X79; Callon Thompkins, X79; Bryan Wrenn, E84

Nominator: Rex Spakes

Delaware (SSN 791) Power Unit Load Advanced Planning Team

Thomas Cragg, O45; Jonathan Fuller, E82; James Johnson, X73; Wayne Laustsen, E82; Thomas Manley, X73; David Messina, E82; Dale Perry, E82; William Stout, X73

Nominator: William Darden

Submarine Fleet Support Arrival Work Team

Steven Clark Jr., X73; Cassandra Frisby, X79; Darryl Jones, E85; Stephen Ovide, E85; Alvin Powell, X73; Kimberly Ravenell, X33; Eric Renfro, E81; Rudie Riddick, X73; James Schade, E81; Temeka Shelton, X33; Christopher Vest, E85; Patrick Walton, X73

Nominator: Irin Hall

NAVSEA O4 Calibration Audit

Kenny Morgan, O31

Nominator: Dave Conley

Welding Awareness Training

Greg Pike, O37

Nominator: Leroy Price

USS Gerald R. Ford (CVN 78) Advanced Weapons Elevator Inertia Switch Debugging

Mathew Funk, E25; Andrew Hibbs, E25; Harold Mabry II, E44; William Marshall II, E56; Jason McKimmey, E25; Richard Neville, E25

Nominator: Joseph Santillo



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AUTO

2005 Classic Yamaha 1100 - Mint condition. 23,444 miles. Garage kept with lots of chrome. \$3,200. (757) 810-2413

2016 Suzuki GSXR-750 Black&White. 5700 miles. Runs excellent, Adult owned. Kept under cover. \$9,000. (757) 876-5987

2001 Dodge Ram 1500 Extended Cab - 232K miles, 5.9L, auto, power windows and locks, fair condition. \$2,500 OBO. (757) 375-8694

Truck for Sale - 100K+ miles. Needs fender repair. \$1,500. (757) 329-6761

1995 Pontiac Firebird V6 - T-Tops, 5 speed. New leather seats. 100K miles \$3,000. (757) 329-6761

2005 V6 Red Mustang Convertible - Great condition. 100K miles. Pics avail. \$6,000. (757) 326-761

2009 328-I BMW - Sport Coupe, heated leather seats, sun roof. 100K+ miles. \$9,500. (757) 329-6761

1986 Yamaha Virago 1100 - Custom paint, new battery. Freshly tuned. \$1,300 OBO. (757) 758-0871

2007 VW GTI - 2.0T, Red, 94K miles. Well maintained. New timing belt Text for pics. (757) 377-7926

2012 Toyota Corolla 16" OEM Hub Caps - Set of 4 for \$25. 757-650-4974. (757) 650-4974

Auto cont.

2008 328I BMW - Convertible, hardtop, heated leather seats, Nav, and Sport Pkg. 73,700 miles, Garage Kept. \$12,800. (757) 353-9825

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HOBBIES

Bicycle - 21-Speed Giant Cypress 05; Med; 26" Whls; No-rust frame; working gears. Pics available. (757) 647-8913

FURNISHINGS & APPLIANCES

Coffee Table - Honey oak, 38" square, 2 glass inserts. Lower shelf. Text for pic. \$30. (757) 288-9821

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Carpet Installation - Carpet Installation and Repair - Call for an appointment and quote. (757) 329-6761

Bedroom Dresser & Nightstands Solid light hardwood 11-drawer dresser with matching mirror and night stands (2), all in GC. \$500. (757) 672-8256

Hexagonal Side Table - 6-sided oak side table with storage. Top has minor discoloration. Text for pix. \$25. (757) 288-9821

Piano For Sale - Whitney by Kimball console piano for sale. Family owned and in good condition. \$250. (757) 817-5607

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Furnishings and Appliances cont.

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Norman Rockwell Print - Famous umpires picture, framed. Text for pic. \$20. (757) 288-9821

Loveseat - Denim blue canvas, 2 large pillows. Some stretching of fabric. Some minor fading. Text for pic. \$35. (757) 288-9821

Loveseat - Flower print, 2 accent pillows. Text for pic. \$35. (757) 288-9821

REAL ESTATE

Townhouse for Sale - Grafton -3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, walk-in closet, MB w/tub & shower, Fireplace, 1842 Sq. Ft, Corner Lot, Garage (757) 570-0570

Mobile Home for Rent - 3Br, 2Ba, 1,040 sq ft. Seaford waterfront. \$1,200/month. (757) 880-3636

House for Rent or Sale - Brick Rancher in York County. 3 bed, 1 bath, garage, 1,100 sq.ft. Rent for \$1,299 or buy for \$169K. (757) 869-3862

Lots For Sale - Two 1/2 acre lots for sale on tidal canal in Gloucester. Call for more details. (757) 641-4994.

Room for Rent - All utilities included. Close to shipyard. \$125 per week. (757) 298-1043

Beach House for Rent - 3 Bdrm, 1-1/2 Bth on Beach Rd. in Kitty Hawk, \$950/ \$100 deposit. Beautiful Ocean View. (757) 846-1036

OBX Rental - Nautical Bovine - 4bdrm/2.5bath-Ocean Side-Southern Shores Realty #1288 or google "The Nautical Bovine." (800) 334-1000

House for Rent 3 bedroom, 1 bath, new siding, carpet, windows, roof. 5 miles from yard \$1,099/month. (757) 869-3862

House for Sale - 4Bed 2.5Bath house in quiet cul-de-sac in NN w/some updates. \$192,900. (757) 952-6468

Real Estate cont.

Real Estate Wanted - We buy homes "as-is." Text (757) 656-6373

Home for Sale - Newly renovated 3bd/2ba home in Hampton. \$189K. (757) 803-4469

Townhouse for Sale - Meridian Parkside Newport News, 3 Story, 2BR, 3.5BA, 1,782 SQ FT, Rec Room, Garage, Open Plan. \$185K. (412) 600-5298

Townhouse for Rent - 1,300 SF, 2 Bed, 1.5 Bath, Lg den, covered patio, Knells Ridge near Ches Gen Hosp. \$975. (757) 407-2373

FREE ITEMS

Free Red Bricks - A half pallet of standard size bricks (757) 407-3310

MISCELLANEOUS

A/C Service - Tune up & cleaning on your A/C system/heat pump. 1 pound of refrigerant coolant until 4/30/2018. (757) 771-3441

Queen Bedspread - Quilted front w/ forest green, navy, brick. Solid blue back. Washable. Exc. cond. Text for pic. \$25. (757) 288-9821

American Writings/Documents - The Annals of America, Vol. 1-18, 1493-1968. Incl. Great Issues in Am. Life I & II. New cond. \$100. (757) 288-9821

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - 2-tier tid bit serving tray. Bottom plate 11", top 7.5", height 10". Text for pic. \$17. (757) 288-9821

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - 9" glass salad bowl. Perfect condition, original box. Text for pix. \$25. (757) 288-9821

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - Whistling tea kettle, 2.2 qt. Original box, never used. Compare to eBay. Text for pic. \$18. (757) 288-9821

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - Set of four 5" berry bowls. Made in England. Text for pic. \$40. (757) 288-9821

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MISCELLA-NEOUS

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - 12 oz. frosted goblets. Like new. 8 in original boxes, 4 loose. Text for pic. \$100. (757) 288-9821

Spode Christmas Tree Pattern - Hand-painted cookie jar, orig. box. Pretty 12" tree, gifts, Santa. Never used. \$65. (757) 288-9821

Crystal Brandy Sniffers - 8 boxed, 8 oz. Bohemian crystal, Claudia, Czech Republic. Text for pics. \$40. (757) 288-9821

Crystal Champagne Flutes - 12 Bohemian flutes, Claudia, Czech Republic. Text for pics. \$60. (757) 288-9821

Mink Pillbox Hat - Winter white. Elegant Cecile New York original. Text for pics. \$35. (757) 288-9821

Cowgirl Boots Pink - Size 6. Pink with silver stars, tassels. Exc. cond., almost new. Text for pics. \$20. (757) 288-9821

Brass Candlestick - Hampton Brass #83592. Base 3", height 7 1/4". Pristine, never used. Boxed. Text for pic. \$20. (757) 288-9821

Vintage Glass Ornaments. - 34 Christmas ornaments circa 30s-50s. Variety of designs. Text for pic. \$150 for all or \$4.50 each. (757) 288-9821

Bios/Auto-Bios Collection - JFK, Iacoca, BTWash, HSTru., ALinc., Tubman, Schwartzkopf, Douglass. Text for list/pics. \$50 OBO. (757) 288-9821

Virginia Rose China - Add to your set with these 20 misc. pieces. Five have mild flaws. \$100 OBO. Pics. Text (757) 288-9821

Miscellaneous cont.

1950 Vintage 100% wool blanket Classic St. Mary's 100% wool blanket in rose. 70x82. Twin/Full. Ex cond. Text for pic. \$20. (757) 288-9821

Satin Wedding Dress, size ps Champagne, tucked bodice, lace neck, long sleeved. Tiny flowers on long veil. Sealed. Text for pics. \$150. (757) 288-9821

China Service For 12 - Parkleigh Sonata serv/12 w/serv pcs. 90 pcs. White, silver edge, blue/pink flowers. \$300 OBO. Text (757) 288-9821

Adult Snorkel Set Body Glove - Surge Fin model, Size 5-6 fins, snorkel & mask. Optic green. Used once, orig. pkg. \$20. Text (757) 288-9821

U.S. Divers Adult Snorkel Set - Aqua Lung Model Med-Lg (8-9.5) fins/snorkel/mask. Navy blue. Used once, orig. pkg. \$20. Text (757) 288-9821

Lefty Girls Softball Glove - Wilson A-440 Fast Pitch youth glove. New condition. Worn twice. Fits right hand. \$20. Text. (757) 288-9821

Weber Grill - 18" Smokey Mountain Cooker w/BBQ Guru Party-Q Temperature Control. \$300. (757) 812-2719

WEN Hair Care Products - All in sealed packaging & new. \$25. (757) 868-6900

2 Plots & 2 Crypts - Memorial Gardens in Hampton. Text if interested. \$1,800. (757) 817-6292

University of Michigan Snuggie - Big letters, yellow and blue, popular brand, warm fleece. \$15. (757) 288-9821

Weslo Cadence 5.9-Treadmill - 2-position incline, Comfort Cell Cushioning. Folds for storage. \$125. (757) 288-9821

Miscellaneous cont.

Firewood for Sale - Oak and Pecan split firewood. Half Cord, \$95. Full Cord, \$180. Delivery available. (757) 715-5460

Gift and Flower Shop - Nice gift baskets, flowers & balloons. We deliver or you pick up. (757) 599-0100

Lawn Care - Tree cutting, tree removal, stump grinding, lawn care and lot cleanup. Licensed and insured. Free estimates. (757) 933-3856

2 Bird Cages - 1 large bird cage, \$150. 1 medium cage, \$80 assembled. Call for pics and dimensions. (757) 409-8200

Man's Wedding Band - 14K; WGold; Size 9. Unique-no longer made. No engravings. Pics available. (757) 647-8913

ColorStreet Nail Polish Strips - 100% nail polish in an easy to apply strip. No heat or tools required. No dry time. No hassle. (757) 955-0166

Exercise Equipment - Treadmills, \$115 to \$399. Ellipticals, \$50 to \$225. Exercise Bikes, \$55 to \$220. Tread Climber TC-10, \$399. (757) 218-2946

Items - Vacuums, \$25 and up. Carpet cleaners, \$55 and up. Ionic air purifiers, \$45 and \$75. Steam cleaners, \$35 and \$75. (757) 218-2946

Items - 3 Spin bikes, \$135, \$199 and \$599. 3 Inversion tables, \$75, \$150 and \$249. iRobot vac, \$85. Bench grinder heaters, \$65. (757) 218-2946

Dominican Republic Vacation - 1 week all Inclusive at Bahia Principe "San Juan" in DR. Expires June 20. Fly into POP or AZS. \$750 (757) 739-8879

Miscellaneous cont.

Double Boiler Cookware - Like new specialty item for melting chocolate, making pudding, etc. Text for pic. (757) 288-9821

Kids Summer Toys - Wiffle ball/bat, water/beach toys, badminton equipment, baseballs, kites, other stuff. \$20. Text (757) 288-9821

Skincare/Makeup - Free makeovers, skin care class, and customized beauty looks from a Mary Kay beauty consultant. (315) 717-2641

Igloo Dog House - Large PetMate Igloo doghouse. Outside but not used. In great condition. \$75. (757) 593-0382

Pest Terminator - Free Inspections: Expert pest, termite, moisture control, under house repairs & poly installation. (757) 873-4999

**WANTED**

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Housemates wanted - Furnished 3 bdr, nice neighborhood, utilities incl., close to shipyard. \$175-\$225/wk. (757) 344-8255

Van Riders - Commuter van from Va Beach to NNS daily 1st shift leaves from Diamond Springs Rd. Text 'VANRIDE' (757) 450-6740

Second Shift Ride to NNS - Leave Ahoskie at 12:55 p.m. Pickup in Winton-Gates County. (252) 287-7395

Roomate Wanted - To share a 3-bedroom home in Carrolton. \$500/mo. includes utilities and internet. (757) 816-0266