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A shipbuilder undergoes COVID-19 testing at the old Apprentice School gym. Photo by Matt Hildreth

## On-site COVID-19 Testing Begins

Newport News Shipbuilding employees who may have been exposed to COVID-19 while at work or in the community, and/or who show symptoms of the virus can now access on-site testing. Leased and HII-Mechanical employees are also included in this program.

The testing program provides results in three to five days, giving employees peace of mind, protecting the health of the workforce and helping stabilize NNS' operations. Testing will take place at the Old Apprentice School gym (Bldg. 601), located at 4215 Marshall Ave., Monday through Friday from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Work-related exposures will be identified as part of a positive NNS contact tracing investigation and directed to the gym. Shipbuilders who believe they were exposed to the virus in the community – or who are showing symptoms of the virus – should call the COVID-19 hotline at 1-844-243-8749 and press Option 4 to register for testing at the gym.

Visit [nns.huntingtoningalls.com/411](https://nns.huntingtoningalls.com/411) for more information, including a list of frequently asked questions. Watch a video on MyNNS of Drs. **Steve Apostoles** and **Vijay Subramaniam** discussing the company's testing program and what employees should expect.

Shipbuilders are encouraged to remain vigilant during the upcoming holiday weekend and as cold and flu season approach this fall. Watch health experts from across Huntington Ingalls Industries provide advice on how to stay safe on the company's website.

## NNS Named a Top Employer for Veterans

Newport News Shipbuilding recently was named one of the best employers for veterans by *Military Times*. The company ranked 18th out of 164 organizations nationwide.

"We are incredibly proud to be included among some of the top employers for veterans," said **Susan Jacobs**, vice president of Human Resources and Administration. "This honor recognizes our commitment to hiring, training and retaining the men and women who served, and will continue to serve by building our nation's warships."

In 2019, NNS hired more than 530 veterans. In all, service veterans make up 18% of the workforce.

The Best for Vets: Employers' 2020 rankings were based on *Military Times*' research, interviews with veterans, input from veterans' advocates and human resources professionals. It also included survey data on the company's policies and practices related to veteran recruitment and retention, support for translation of military skills to civilian credentials, support for military spouse employment and accommodations for members of the National Guard and reserves.

## NNS to Hold Safety Stand-Down

Newport News Shipbuilding will hold a mandatory safety stand-down Sept. 1-2.

The stand-down will stop operations at designated times across the shipyard, on all three shifts, to discuss the importance of safety. Unlike prior safety stand-downs, this one will be held at various times over two days to ensure social distancing practices are maintained.

Some of the stand-down discussion will cover how employees can protect themselves going into Labor Day weekend. Shipbuilders are encouraged to watch a new COVID-19 survivor testimonial from **Sheila Outlaw (O53)**, who contracted the virus along with her husband Warren, a fellow shipbuilder. Watch the video on MyNNS or on the NNS to Go app.

## 18th Habitat for Humanity Home Built by Shipbuilders

Newport News Shipbuilding is celebrating the completion of the 18th home its volunteers built in collaboration with Habitat for Humanity Peninsula and Greater Williamsburg.

Due to COVID-19, elected officials and community leaders were not able to hold a ribbon-cutting event to formally dedicate the traditional ranch-style home in Southeast Newport News. Instead, Donnika Stewart and her two children met privately with a Habitat staff member to receive their keys.

“We are proud to have helped build this home for the Stewart family,” said **Chris Miner**, vice president of In-Service Aircraft Carrier Programs. “Building a Habitat home, much like building a ship, is no small task. Finishing a home during a pandemic was truly a labor of love and a memorable project for all of those involved.”

The three-bedroom home was built on 28th Street on land donated to Habitat for Humanity by the Newport News Redevelopment and Housing Authority.

“This has been such a rewarding experience for me and a wonderful example to set for my children,” Stewart said. “They have seen that with perseverance, hard work, and dedication, you can make anything happen. I am actually looking forward to paying a mortgage instead of paying rent. Thanks to Newport News Shipbuilding and all of the volunteers who helped make this possible.”



Donnika Stewart and her children, Destiny and Damir, recently moved into their new home. Photo courtesy Habitat for Humanity Peninsula and Greater Williamsburg

Habitat for Humanity partners with area families, local government, businesses, faith groups, schools, associations and individual volunteers and donors to build and renovate affordable homes for sale to qualifying families. Newport News Shipbuilding has worked with the organization to build homes for families in the community since 2002.



X33 leaders from *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79) met in small groups to discuss the importance of diversity.

## Leaders Discuss Diversity

**Tony Wilkerson**, X33 lead general foreman for *John F. Kennedy* (CVN 79), appreciates the diversity of his leadership team and believes it helps drive engagement among employees.

“I’m proud to have a team that’s multicultural, diverse, engaged and inclusive,” he said. Wilkerson recently met with leaders from his area to discuss how their different backgrounds can be an asset and help foster inclusion and innovation.

“If we get pegged into one way of doing something, you

miss out on a lot of opportunities. Being able to work with a very diverse group of people opens your eyes to new experiences, new ways of doing things, new ways of thinking about things, and I enjoy that here in our organization,” said Foreman **Josh Hall**.

Hall and fellow leaders **Juelle Jimenez**, **Josh Shazier**, **Adam Brubaker**, **Jesse Sica**, **Ebony Armstrong**, **Jon Monge**, **Kendell Grant**, **Nicola Magaletti** and **Angelo Nguyen** recently participated in discussions with Wilkerson. The group was divided into two for the socially distanced talks.

The leaders talked about how their experiences help them connect with other shipbuilders. For example, Armstrong – a general foreman – said women are more forthcoming about certain issues with her than they would be with a male leader.

“I can relate to a lot of the women,” she said. “They feel comfortable coming to me with some of the things they experience.”

They also discussed the importance of reviewing topics such as civility and unconscious bias with their teams as well as leading by example and building trust through honesty. “We have to make sure that everybody feels comfortable in the work environment,” Shazier said.

X33 shipbuilders on *Kennedy* are diverse and so is their work – from painting, to cleaning and insulating. There also is cross training among shipbuilders to help them develop new skills and understand each other’s jobs.

“Line up all of X33 on this program alone, and you’ll see a range of things that are different and unique that make us a melting pot,” Wilkerson said. “All of us have a place in the ‘puzzle.’ You need to know the value that you bring to the table.”

## AROUND THE YARD

### **NOTICE:** Payroll Office's New Hours

Newport News Shipbuilding's Payroll Office window hours are now 6:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Training for Navigators Available on LX

Training for navigators at Newport News Shipbuilding is now available online via the Learning Exchange (LX). A navigator is a mentor, teacher and an experienced colleague who takes the time to help new and transferring employees get settled into their new position.

Navigators need to understand their role and prepare for it like any new assignment. The role begins before the new employee arrives, and there is a pre-arrival checklist for the manager and the navigator.

Any shipbuilder who needs navigator training can sign up by searching "navigator training" on LX.

### On-the-Spot Ethics Awards Announced

The following shipbuilders were recently honored with Level Two On-the-Spot Ethics Awards: **Mark S. Gallenstein** (E18), **Janice S. Boone** (E16), **Gregory D. Joyner** (O26), **DeVon M. Artis** (O25), **Tarish A. Smith** (O34), **Carol H. Lowe** (O18), **David J. Vincent** (O85), **William D. Dunavant III** (E84), **Karen M. Butler** (E85), **Keith G. Joyner** (E81), **Ciara A. Rice** (E84), **Reginald E. Bagley Jr.** (X70), **William M. Ballard** (O53), **James A. Powers** (E70), **Marshal C. Holloway** (E89), **Luke S. Oh** (E56), **Anthony G. Norton Jr.** (E86), **Dale P. Hetherington** (E17), **Brett R. Copeland** (O48), **Dara L. O'Hanlon** (T51), **Douglas L. Lawrence III** (T54), **Adam M. Stump** (X51), **Gail P. Bondurant** (X70), **Blake G. Ream** (X22), **Virginia E. Hoss** (E89), **John L. Brophy** (E84), **Lewis "Dave" Maynard** (O53), **Zachary D. Griffey** (X36), **John M. Thompson** (K45), **Clinton L. Barnard Jr.** (X33) and **Nakima S. Boney** (X33).

To nominate a fellow employee, submit form C-941 to the Ethics Office, Dept. O18.

### Volunteer for the Great American Cleanup

Newport News Shipbuilding is teaming up with Hampton Roads communities for the Great American Cleanup this year.

NNS employee volunteers are needed to help clean up parts of the city of Newport News on Sept. 17. The rain date is Sept. 18. Locations are Christopher Newport Park in downtown Newport News (across from VASCIC), the Victory Arch area and Huntington Park beachfront.

Volunteers meet at Christopher Newport Park, next to the cul-de-sac on 26th Street (off West Avenue) at 3:30 p.m. Volunteers receive a 2020 Earth Day T-shirt, reusable bag and certificate of participation. Safety guidelines will be in place to prevent the spread of COVID-19, and the number of volunteers will be limited.

Volunteer forms are available on MyNNS. Send completed forms to **Ebony Webb** (O27) via email or via Yardmail to Department O27, Bldg. 79-1.

For questions, contact **Sarah Lambert** (O27) via email.

### This Week's COVID-19 Q&A

**I've read in the news that the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has changed its guidance regarding testing. Does this affect NNS' new employee testing program?**

No. Our new testing program is to ensure we return shipyard workers from quarantine in a safe and timely manner. The CDC has not changed its guidance on returning people from quarantine. NNS will continue to monitor CDC guidance and modify programs as necessary.

**If I'm tested for COVID-19 at NNS, do I have to come back to the shipyard for my second test, or can I go to a testing site near my house?**

You must come to NNS for the second test. The NNS employee testing program, administered by Mako Medical, aligns with CDC guidance and provides prompt test results.

**If I test positive at a community site, do I still need to be tested at the old Apprentice School gym before returning to work?**

No. If you test positive, stay home and self-quarantine. Call the COVID-19 hotline at 1-844-243-8749, option three, to report your

positive test. Do not return to work until you are medically cleared to do so.

**If I wake up in the morning with COVID-19 symptoms what do I do first? What number do I call to notify the shipyard?**

First, don't come to work. Then call the COVID-19 hotline at 1-844-243-8749, option four, and follow instructions.

### Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 at NNS

Cases reported Aug. 24-30: **33**

Total cases at NNS: **651**

Total number of NNS employees medically cleared to return to work: **408**

See case details at [nns.huntingtoningalls.com/411](https://nns.huntingtoningalls.com/411).

# DATEBOOK

## SEPTEMBER 2

Attend a virtual workshop with physical therapists from the Hill Family Health Center that can help you identify and avoid neck, shoulder and lower back pain. You'll learn simple stretches and exercises to help with daily aches and pains. The webinar will be available at noon and 4 p.m. For details and to register, visit [www.myquadmedical.com/hii](http://www.myquadmedical.com/hii).

## SEPTEMBER 2

Join **Michelle Pope** (E08) from 12-12:30 p.m. for a Virtual Learning Session on work-life balance. Maintaining a healthy work-life balance is vital for physical and mental health, and can help stress and burn out. Sign up on MyNNS. No charge is provided.

## SEPTEMBER 15

Kick off Hispanic Heritage Month with Hispanic food trucks and entertainment at "The Rock" from 11:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. The Hispanic Outreach and Leadership Alliance (HOLA) is hosting a series of events from Sept. 15 until Oct. 15 to celebrate the month.

## SEPTEMBER 15

The L.E.A.R.N. Program and the African American Shipbuilders Association (AASA) will host an after-work presentation with **Xavier Beale**, vice president of Trades, from 3:30 until 4:30 p.m. via WebEx. The event is open to all employees by reservation only. Sign up on the L.E.A.R.N. website on MyNNS. For questions, contact **Tanika Vasquez** (E08) at 688-7916, **Chris Porro** (E47) at 534-0332, or email [LEARN@hii-nns.com](mailto:LEARN@hii-nns.com). No charge is provided.

## SEPTEMBER 16

Take a look into your retirement plan to determine if you are saving enough for the future. Attend the Retirement Reading Part 2 webinar from SmartPath at noon. Register at [www.joinsmartpath.com/hii/classes](http://www.joinsmartpath.com/hii/classes).

## SEPTEMBER 18

Learn how to stay social and connected with friends and family during COVID-19. Attend a HERO webinar at 11:30 a.m. Visit [www.hiibenefits.com](http://www.hiibenefits.com) for details and to register.

## L.A.W. Program Offers Personal and Professional Development

Join Learning After the Whistle (L.A.W.) for opportunities to grow personally and professionally in September. L.A.W. is a program offered to all Newport News Shipbuilding employees through the Leadership, Professional and Organization Development Department (O44). L.A.W. classes are currently being offered virtually beginning at 4:30 p.m. at no cost to employees.

Attendance is on employees' own time, and no time charge will be provided. To learn more, visit the L.A.W. website on MyNNS or email [LearningAftertheWhistle@hii-nns.com](mailto:LearningAftertheWhistle@hii-nns.com).

The following L.A.W. courses are being offered in September:

### StrengthsFinder

Sept. 8  
Class is full, but a waiting list is available.

### Interviewing Skills

Sept. 23  
4:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.

### Leadership Essentials

Sept. 15, 17, 22 and 24  
4:30 until 6:30 p.m.

### WebEx – Online Meeting and Facilitation Guide

Sept. 30  
4:30 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.

### Leading With Your Strengths

Sept. 16  
4:30 until 7 p.m.

## SEPTEMBER BLOOD DRIVES

Newport News Shipbuilding is hosting the following blood drives in support of the American Red Cross. A time charge will be provided for employees who donate.

### Thursday, Sept. 3

Bldg. 520-6 (James River Room)  
7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, Sept. 15

Bldg. 520-6 (James River Room)  
7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, contact **Judy Fundak** (K18) at 380-3011 or via email, **Natasha Eck** (E83) at 688-7196 or via email or **Christina Charnock** (E35) at 380-2863 via email.

## SEEKING SHIPBUILDERS

Visit [www.buildyourcareer.com](http://www.buildyourcareer.com) to search for the latest NNS job openings.

Job Title	Req Number	Dept.	Location
Coatings Inspector	1834	X67	Newport News
Engineer Electromechanical 4	813	E70	Newport News
Engineer Nuclear 3	2339	E86	Newport News
Entry-level Blaster	1630	X33	Newport News
Entry-level Pipefitter	1642	X42	Newport News
Experienced Blaster	1874	X33	Newport News
Experienced Pipefitter	1649	X42	Newport News
Experienced Insulator	1631	X33	Newport News
Operations Research Analyst 3	2321	X57	Newport News
Operations Research Analyst 3	2155	X57	Newport News

Employees are encouraged to use **MyHR** or the "Current Hill Employees Job Search" button at [www.buildyourcareer.com](http://www.buildyourcareer.com) to apply. The company continues to offer cash bonus awards for referrals to select positions, visit [www.huntingtoningalls.com/hii-careers/refer-a-friend](http://www.huntingtoningalls.com/hii-careers/refer-a-friend) for more information.

## SUPPORT RELAY FOR LIFE

Shipbuilders can support Relay For Life by purchasing luminaria bags to honor cancer survivors, those who lost their lives to the disease, and caregivers. NNS Relay For Life T-shirts also are on sale. Luminarias can be purchased for \$10 each or three for \$25. T-shirts can be purchased for \$10. To order luminarias or T-shirts, contact **Amy Prillaman** (O93) at 688-4453 or via email or **Jenn Cherry** (O22) at 688-2742 or via email by Sept. 12.

Shipbuilders also can make donations at [www.RelayForLife.org/NNS](http://www.RelayForLife.org/NNS).

The drive-thru luminaria event will be held from 7:30 until 9 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 19, at BayPort Credit Union, located at One Bayport Way in Newport News. Luminarias will be lit at 7:30 p.m. and will burn during the event to serve as a reminder of the purpose of Relay For Life.



# EXCELLENCE IN ACTION

## Congratulations to all third 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!

### ENABLE OUR WORKFORCE

#### CLB Planning Checkpoint Agenda

Team: Melissa Ipock, K07  
Nominator: Heather Ray

#### COVID-19 Remote Workforce Support

Team: Aaron Jessen, T54; Mark Fatico, T54; William Adams, T54; Douglas Lawrence III, T54; Kathleen Wilkins, T54; Cheryl Scull, T54; Merrill Noble, T54; Jason Larsen, T54; Beverley Prillaman, T54; Robert Mackie Jr., T54; Jill Sanders, T54; Larry Orie, T54; Susan Dewing, T54; Matthew Downing, T54; John Prejean, T54; Damon Holder, T54; Veronica Speller, T54; Andrew Key, T54; Kimberly Murphy, T54; Darren Murray, T54; Michael Lajoie, T54; Ryan Tiedemann, T54; Derrick Greene, T52; Henry Blumreich III, T54; Ryan Williams, T54  
Nominator: Thomas Jones

#### Deckplate COVID-19 Bathroom Paint Refresh

Team: Larry Everette, O43; Rudolph Taylor Jr., O43; Brettlan Stateman, O43; Preston Wilson, X36; Henry Moody, O43; Julie Conley, O43; Kyle Elmore, O45; James Joseph, O43  
Nominator: Amy O'Donnell

#### John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Deckplate EVMS Training

Team: Dillon Christopher, K47  
Nominator: Mike Butler

#### Redesign of Refueling Support System

Team: Kevin Kelly, E82; Matthew Butler, X73; Kevin Raha, E82; Rocco Mannino, E82; Mark Piskorski, E82; Elizabeth Ansel, E82; Brian Moffitt, E82; Christopher Garringer, E82; Matthew Jeffery, E82; Donald Miller, X73; Cheryl Hardcastle, X09; Jonathan Mathews, E82; Christopher Lambrecht, E82; Dhruv Sachani, E82; John Mulvaney, E85  
Nominator: Matthew Leherr

### EXECUTE EFFICIENTLY

#### USS Gerald R. Ford (CVN 78) Inclining Experiment at Naval Station Norfolk

Team: Mitchell McKenna, E42; Cameron Ghassemi, E42; Seth Jones, E42; Kristina Satullo, E42; Matthew Auth, E42; Adam Bierbauer, E02; Thomas Auth, E42; Andres Acosta, E42; Melissa Cooley, E42; David Cash, E41; John Gies Jr., X36; David Hansch, E42; Matthew Michael, E42; William Opdyke, E42; Clay Norris, E42; Nicholas Marickovich, E42; Kevin Bowe, E42; Alexander Sbrana, E42  
Nominator: Robert Staha

#### Enterprise (CVN 65) Dehumidification System Material Procurement and Manufacture

Team: Kristopher Manley, X32; Bryan Miyasato, E21; Juan Fungo, X32; Mitchell Garritt, X74; Anthony Kierner, X74; Carmen Guardia, M21; James Osborne, M21; James Calabrese, X72; Christian Moller, X74; Glen Dewey, E63; James Gollihugh, M40; Randall Snapp, M21; Ronald Thacker Jr., X32; Sumerleigh Hunt, X22; David Pierce, X31; Hayden Champigny, X22; Lauren Kraus, O59; Rodney Harris, X32; Joseph Vasold, E21; Chase Anderson, E63; Kenneth Judkins II, X46; Nathan Dolan Jr., M21; Ryan Alston, O59; Christopher Allor, X74  
Nominator: Karl Ruhin

#### Streamlining EDG Ventilation Shop Repair

Team: Lynn Parker, X32; Kimberly Deloatch, X33; Ellsworth Ballard, X32; Gabrielle Guillot, X33; Mitchell Garritt, X74; Douglas Rounly, X32; Sherelle Thomas, X32; Thomas Hardy, X32; Christopher Harris, X22; John Zawodny, X22; Brandon Hunt, M40; Ronald Shuler, X42; Robert Talton, X32; Linwood Faulk Jr., X32; Devon Butler, X22; Ray Boone, X32; Meredith Holland, X32; Scott Adams, X32; Hayden Champigny, X22; Hailey Kahlbaum, K45; James Garrow, X32; Christopher Allor, X74; Jason Faciszewski, X74; Thomas Steele Jr., X32; John Forrest Jr., X32  
Nominator: Edward Armstrong

#### Enterprise (CVN 80) JP-5 Piping System Changes and Pipe Shop Improvements

Team: Robert West, M30; Kent Paumier, E26; Robert Tristani, X51; Thomas Doberneck, E26; Darrell Cofsky, E20; Richard Ashworth, M30; Terence Fail, X44; Ronald Heath, E26; Robert Teel, M30; Kenneth Quinn Jr., M30; David Dea, M30; John Vandenberg, E26; Herman Gill III, E26  
Nominator: Robert Lane

#### CMAF-RC Bulkhead Stick-Built Grillage

Team: Clarence Gallashaw, O38; Ronald Hall, X36; Jared Koons, O63; Freddie White, O63; Richard Beverley, X18; Bryan Nester, O63; Kyle Mutter, X21; Timpestt Mallory, O52; Curtis Artis II, X18; Richard Snapp Jr., X11; Shawn Golden, O38; George Chappell, E37; John Hall, X11; Joshua Lyreman, X36; Stewart Little, O38; Scott Townley Jr., X11; Devan McClarin, X18; Christopher May, X11  
Nominator: James Leeds

#### Fixture Production Bay #4 Conversion to Columbia Stern Bay

Team: Andrew Meekins, X36; Aaron Johnson, O46; Robert Owen, X36; Larry Washington, O46; Reginald Moore, O46; Earl Herbin, X36; John Gray, O41; Jonathan Wallace, O43; Michael Kehoe, O41; Michael Wallace, O46; Randolph Billups Jr., X36; Kevin Clark, O46; Joshua Reopelle, O46; Jerel White, O46; Garland Wilson, K45; Malek Lyles, O43  
Nominator: Jonathan Hill

#### John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Proactive Approach to Planning

Team: Sylvester Baker III, K47; Tonia Bailey, K47; Tynel Moore, K47; As Saboor Hasan, O22; Joshua Hall, K47; Paul Callahan, X76  
Nominator: Jacob Johnston

#### John F. Kennedy (CVN 79) Staging Improvements in AWE

Team: Detron Powell, X36; Dameron White, X36; Dondre Smith, X36; Xavier Sierra, X36; Ronnie Burton Jr., X36; David Johnston, X36; Theodore Fields, X36; Ryan Everett, X36; Dwayne Harmon, X36; Marcus Campbell, X36; Reginald Sykes, X36  
Nominator: Joshua Frazier

## **Design and Fabrication of Temporary Nuclear Instrumentation and Engineered Safeguards Cables for John F. Kennedy (CVN 79)**

Team: Kaydianne McKenzie, X31; David Waterfield, X31; Marvin Hooker Jr., X31; Rose O'Neal, E86; Elwood Jackson Jr., M21; Brandon Booker, E86; Loveist Jacobs, M40; Jordan Summers, X31; Wayne Meadows, X31; Antoine Hardy, E86  
*Nominator: Douglas Murphy*

## **Panoramic Radiography of USS Arkansas (SSN 800) C-Seam**

Team: Justin Simons, O38; Timothy Depow, O38; David Day, O38; Kirby Johnson, O38; Elizabeth Bragg, O38; Jess Woods Jr., O38; Amber Matthews, O38; Anthony Tippins Jr., O38; Shari Broady, O38; Clarence Gallashaw, O38; Keon Smith, O38; Lamont Williams, O38; Crystal Vines, O38; Charlene Garrison, O38; Adriana Rivera, O38; Kevin Knight, O38; Sade Drew, O38; Alex Ranger, O38; Kevin Walker, O38; Kyle Harwood, O38; Kenny Fields, O38; Brandon Browning, O38  
*Nominator: Jeremy Shaarda*

## **Trough Cover Pallets for USS John C. Stennis (CVN 74)**

Team: Dale Fullwood, O53; Maurice Clark, O53; Ivan Cassell, O53; David Lucic, O53; Paul Mikszewski, O53  
*Nominator: Marcia Capelli*

## **COVID-19 Supply Chain Management Support**

Team: Tamarra Roberts-Greene, O51; Christa Balog, O51; Emily McGhee, O51; Benjamin Fulk, K22; Alicia Jones, O51; Amanda Wells, K17; Warren Doyle, X36; Leigh Powell, O55; Ami Parker, O51; Christopher Cheevers, O51; Nicole Ellis, O51; Cody Campo, X06  
*Nominator: Stephanie Conover*

## **Montana (SSN 794) Insulation Team Excellence**

Team: Courtney Kinloch, X33; Chirle Hall, X33; Curtis Benjamin, K46; Chantal Holloway, X33; Holly Shipley, X33; Courtland Sherrod, X33; Anthony Stewart Jr., X33; Helen Evans, X33; Jamie Brown, X33; Willie Powell Jr., X33; Michael Edmonds Jr., X33; Andre Harmon, X33; Michael Bynum, X33  
*Nominator: Jack Boles*

## **Internal Excellence and Readiness During Refueling Operations**

Team: Sara Benson, E82; Christopher Houser, X43; John Lewis, X09; Christopher Harriman, X43; Davionugh Clinkscales, X73; Brian Butler, X43; Ian Gilpatrick, O39; Frank Thomas, O39; Raphael Hall, X73; Aaron Landry, X43; Kevin Tambasco, X09; Michael Alvord, X09; Amanda Ricci, X09; Todd Kelafant, X09; Ronald Herrick III, X42; Travis Messick, E82; Nicholas McFatter, X43; Brandon Hill, X43; Christopher Smith, X43; Brandon Edwards, X43; Michael Kniffen, X09; Lucas Pavone, X09; Joseph Johnson, X43; Antonio Turner, X43; William Fralich, X43  
*Nominator: Dennis Morgan*

## **Coolant Purification Valve 1-5 Stem Bushing Locking Device Improvement**

Team: Shane Feken, X43; James Wright, E85; Ronnie Sightler Jr., X43; William Mallory, E85; Robert Curry Jr., K48; Eric Malonson, K48; John Beacham, X18; Dylan Mitchell, X42; Joseph Grice, X18  
*Nominator: Alvin Powell*

## **USS George H.W. Bush (CVN 77) Pressurizer Heater Cable Replacement**

Team: Vernon Addison, X32; Delton Collett, X18; Anthony Bailey, X31; Samuel Knight, X18; Shonda Smith, K48; Marcus Green, X31; Patricia McCario, X31; Shanita Bacon, X32; Stanley Pearson Jr., K48; David Walton, X31; Zeth Thompson, X32; Lance Darden, X43; Donald Hardy, X31; Leon Walston Jr., X32; Marcus Dasher, O39; Aaron Anderson, X43; Carlos Contreras, K48; Joshua Crowe, X43; Leroy Allen Jr., X43; Dylan Bell, X43  
*Nominator: William Handy*

## **2 Coolant Turbine Generator and 2 Reactor Room Propulsion Plant Ventilation Install**

Team: Jozua Garcia, X32; Harry Dixon, X32; Linda Bush, X32; Sam Babawy, X32; Colton Messick, X32; Thomas Hutchins, X32; Essence Jones, X32; Steven Ward, X71  
*Nominator: William McKinley*

## **TRANSFORM BUSINESS OPERATIONS**

### **Electronic Process Implementation for Final Settlement Packages**

Team: Olivia Neville, O19; John Vobrak, O19; Tamiaka Williams, X47; Deborah Lassiter, O19  
*Nominator: Joshua Smith*

### **Training Analytics – Cost Template Extraction**

Team: Joseph Marr, T56; Anastasia Savina, T56; Arlene Avallone, O34; Mark Goodrich, O26; Amy Patterson, X64; Christopher Belter, O67; Eric Crandell, O34; Sarah Cherry, K23; Clarissa Riley, O34; Dinh Vo, T56; Dakota Cunningham, O97  
*Nominator: Keisha Pexton*

### **Blast & Coat – RIW Future State Implementation of SFA Material Standardization**

Team: Kelsey Simpson, X21; Darren Lassiter, O53; Jonathan Strozzyk, X21; Anthony Holmes, X10; Alexander Edmonds, X21; Kevin Swadick, X21; Justin Sposato, X21; Caleb Hicks, O53; Eric Bryant, X21; Timothy Wilkerson, X10; Melvin Turner, O53; James Lane, X10; Shawn Fonville, O53; Shenita McKeller, X10; James Gregory, O53; Tierra Peters, X10; Jeremaine Hayes, X10; Kyle Mutter, X21; Rollin Blakey, O53; Edward Brown Jr., X21; Laquasha Edwards, X21; Steven Knierim, X33; Rosa Perry, O53; Julian Lawson, X21  
*Nominator: Russell Fleegeer*

### **Doc Class Key Event – MS Updater Database**

Team: Ian Berezansky, X44; Andre Taylor, X44; Steven Chambers, X44; Constance Edwards, X44; Shaun Scarberry, X44; Stephanie Laverde, X44  
*Nominator: Brian Shell*

### **John F. Kennedy (CVN 79): The Magazine Experience**

Team: Antonio Walker Jr., X33; Shikita Baker, X33; Malise Stephenson, X33; Terrence Patrick, K47; Keandrea Worthington, X33  
*Nominator: Tony Wilkerson*

### **Process Improvement: Modernization of Photogrammetry Audit Tools**

Team: Joseph Whiteman, O03; Darrell Goodrich, K23  
*Nominator: Philip Ashe*

### **Fittings Value Stream Team**

Team: Hero Barker, O51; Heather Brockenbrough, O51; Leanne Nevil, O51; Donald Williams Jr., O51; Natalie Simpson, O51; Kelsey Livengood, O51; Victoria Fiorentino, O51; Susan Gray, O51; Anne Butcher, O59; Terrence McCabe, X46; Terri Mitchell, O51; Carrie Clark, O51; Dawanda Devalda, O51; Alexander Metcalfe, X46; Hollis Bridges, X76; Erica Howell, O51; Jennifer Watson, X46; Sarah Haynes, X06; Tanya Gilchrist, O51  
*Nominator: Lori Johnson*

### **Precision Caulking Strip Removal Effort at KSO**

Team: Arlanda Mitchell Jr., X43; Matthew Laport, X09; Dominique Sparrow, X43; John Vadala, X09; Connor Webb, X09; Michael Cole, X09; Thomas Nichol II, E64; Sandra Harper, X09; Michael Freeman, X43; Reilly Bowman V, X09; Daniel Deighan, X09; Ronald Wojtowiec, X09; Keith Czyzewski, X09; Robert Dominguez, X43; Shawn Beckhorn, X09; Terrence Sudberry, X43; Eric Dekalb, X09  
*Nominator: Timothy Alexander*

## **LEAD THE WAY**

### **High Pressure Air Compressor Repairs**

Team: Jeremy Jackson, X31; Mohammad Elwir, E56; Alan Worrell, O56; Lon McReynolds, X01; Clyde Barden IV, K47; Deborah Wallington, E26; David Ellis, E56; James Woods, X43; David Cesare, E56; David McDade Jr., E92; William Burton, O22; Jerome Hashagen, X01; Forest Foreman, X42; Gregory Watterson, E26; Curstin Zydron, O51; Edward Kladder, X42; Cameron Moore, K47; Randolph Wright Jr., X31; Charles Dalrymple, E25; Logan Miller, O51; Kelly Dunn, E44; Dylan Chabot, X43; Jennifer Ramirez Araguas, E44; Donald Harrell Jr., K47  
*Nominator: Darrell Cofsky*

### **COVID-19 Leadership Communication Series**

Team: Kimberly McCrum, O44; Katelyn Johnson, O44; Cameron Muro, O44  
*Nominator: Michelle Avery*

### **USS John C. Stennis (CVN 74) Major Nuclear Component Replacement**

Team: Robert Callis, X44; Steven Wells, X70; Christopher Metcalf, X70; Ronald Morris, X70  
*Nominator: Gene Jones*

### **2 Plant Feed Flush on**

#### **USS George Washington (CVN 73)**

Team: Richard Tetlak III, X43; Cody Monds, X43; Timothy Harrell Jr., X43; Ryan Lindsay, X43; Michael Jeannotte, X43; Raymond Barnes, X43; Shane Defonseca, X43; Corey Joyner, X43; Roger Ovitt Jr., X43; Gunther Perkins, X43; Alexander Sachs, X43; James Jones, X43; David Wilson, X43; Kenneth McConkey, X43; Joshua Baker, K45; Charles Gaus, K45; Burnell Ridley Jr., X43; Jordan Wallmeyer, K45; Evan Danz, K45; Willard Moger, X43  
*Nominator: William McKinley*

## **COURAGE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

### **CVN 80/81 PPMC Workstation Competition**

Team: Christopher Baker, E70  
*Nominator: Stephen Prescott*

## **GROW THE BUSINESS BASE**

### **Advanced Power Electronics Center of Excellence**

Team: Eddie Armstead, N359; Mohammad Elwir, E56; Rahul Uppal, E05; Rawle Stanislaus, E08; Jacob Verhulst, E11; Mohamed Belkhatay, E05; Glenn Fierek, E05; Christopher Joseph, E05; Thomas Baragona, E11; David Kalinowski, E05; Todd Sedler, E35; Douglas Mintz, E02; Brent Blaha, E32; Mark Hoffman, E70; William Marshall II, E56; Brian Zechmeister, E70; Timothy McHugh, E83; Thomas Ruzic, E05; Steven Plum, E24; James Turso, E05; Michael Mina, E25; Robert Becton Jr., E05; Emalie Feick, E83; Kyle Maynard, E05; Marie Lawson, E70  
*Nominator: Donald Hamadyk*



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