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July & August  
2014

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sep 01 Labor Day
- Sep 02 V-J Day (1945)
- Sep 04 **INGLESIDE AREA COUNCIL**  
Officer/Director's  
Lunch/Meeting, 1130, Allegro  
Bay Restaurant.
- Sep 11 Patriot Day
- Sep 18 USAF Birthday (1947)
- Sep 19 POW-MIA Day
- Sep 28 Gold Star Remembrance Day
- Oct 02 **INGLESIDE AREA COUNCIL**  
Office/Director's  
Lunch/Meeting, 1130, Allegro  
Bay Restaurant.
- Oct 13 Columbus Day  
US Navy Birthday (1775)
- Oct 31 Halloween

**NOTE:** Our next meeting will be September 4<sup>th</sup> at Allegro Bay Restaurant in Rockport, 11:30 AM.

**ALL Officer/Director Meetings are OPEN to Council members!** We appreciate your inputs on how to make our Council more efficient and fun. Our only request is to please tell Bull Walker [361-463-1201 or [dustybulltx@gmail.com](mailto:dustybulltx@gmail.com)] in advance that you will be attending. We want to ensure we have ample space.

**Renewed: Thomas DeCutler (8 years) and Migdalia & Dennis ROBERTS (32 years)**

**Thank you for your continued support!!**

President's Corner  
"Bull's Eye"



**2013**  
**Officers/Directors:**

**D.B. "Bull" Walker**  
(President)  
(National Director)

**Dusty Walker** (Vice  
President)

**Felix Keeley**  
(Treasurer)  
(National  
Director)

**Pete Perkins**  
(Secretary)

**Bill Janeczek**  
(Honorary Director)

**Steve Morehead**

We have a member who is going through chemo therapy, followed by radiation. Please keep those who you love in your prayers.

If you are a veteran or know a vet please look later in this newsletter. There is going to be an event in Houston Wednesday, 03 September, Military to Maritime Career Fair.

Summer has gone and the kiddos/grand kids have gone back to school. When will we get some rain?

Since school has not been in session there is little to report for our Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps units. Our next issue should have updates on the new cadets and what is planned for the 2014/15 school year.

Your **INGLESIDE AREA COULNCIL** will continue to support the JROTC units and our Coast Guard family. We hope to do a South Texas road trip in late September/early October to visit San Benito, Los Fresnos, and Coast Guard Station South Padre Island.

Our updated website is up and running ([www.navyleagueingleside.org](http://www.navyleagueingleside.org)), I hope you enjoy the new format! This site also contains many of our past newsletters. If you have any comments, please forward them to me, thank you.

*Bull*



We need **YOU** as a citizen in support of the Sea Services (United States Navy, United States Marine Corps, United States Coast Guard, and U.S. Flag Merchant Marine).

#### Who is the **Navy League**?

- It is a community service organization with over **45,000** members worldwide, and **250** councils (chapters) conducting activities in local communities.
- Theodore Roosevelt promoted the founding of the Navy League in 1902, which was supported by the civilian and business communities - the condition that continues today.
- **AND everyone** is eligible to be a member, we are all civilians.

#### Mission and Goals:

- To educate national leaders and the nation in the necessity of a strong Maritime Service.
- Support the men and women of the Sea Services.
- Provide assistance to Sea Service families.
- Support youth programs.

#### Did you know?

- The US Navy has approximately the same number of ships today as BEFORE World War I. A serious decline that began in the 1990s and continues today due to insufficient funding.
- **95%** of world-wide trade is now transported by sea.
- The deterrent value of a strong Navy and Coast Guard and the need to protect the commercial sea lanes and maritime borders are necessary for our nation's continued vitality and strength.

**America's security and economic interests extend to every region of the globe.**

If you would be interested in supporting the United States Sea Services please give us a call or drop us a note. A membership application is on the next page.

Please pass this newsletter to a friend and ask them to join us.

**Thank you!**

## **MEMBER ANNIVERSARIES:**

(Years as Member/Anniversary Date of Renewal)

These are the dates your membership will expire. We continue to support the Coastal Bend Military Service personnel (Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and U.S Flag Merchant Marine) and our South Texas JROTCs. We need your sustained support!

Harold W. **ASHLEY** (22 years, 09/30/14), Tom J. **CURLEE, Jr.** (6 years, 08/31/14), Peggy and Ronald M. **YEAGER** (23 years, 11/30/14), and Gary P. **YTREEIDE** (7 years, 10/31/14)..

If there is an error above, please contact **Bull Walker** [790-7337 (H), 463-1201 (C), or [dustybulltx@gmail.com](mailto:dustybulltx@gmail.com)] as soon as possible—THANK YOU.

## **LIFE MEMBERS**

(Year became LIFE members)

Nancy **ALLEN** (1988), Nancy & Ken **BLEWETT** (2000), Karen **CERVENKA** (2009), John F. **CHAPMAN** (2003), Dr. Cecil A. **CHILDERS** (1985), Cecil A. **CHILDERS III** (1993), Gloria & Bob **CLINE** (2003), "Babe" **CROUCH** (1973), Alan **DEARDORFF** (2001), Bonnie **DEMMITT** (1997), Wilson C. **EDWARDS** (1988), Norman R. **FLEEMAN, Jr.** (1998), Reneatha D. **GOLMAN** (1989), Jeff **GORDON** (1995), Alan **GRELLING** (1975), Ernest L. **HAGNESS** (1999), Genie & Frank **HAMETNER** (1988), Judy & David **HAWLEY** (2002), Martha & Jim **ISBELL** (2000), Bill W. **JANECEK** (1997), Pamela H. & Ronald E. **JORGENSEN** (1996), Barbara & George **KAIN** (1992), Upinder **KAMAL** (2001), Felix P. **KEELEY** (1992), Cassy B. **KEY** (2001), Larry C. **KEY** (2001), Vickie L. & Paul W. **LOEFFLER** (1999), Josephine **MILLER** (1989), John **MILLER** (1989), William M. **MILLER** (2007), Steve **MOREHEAD** (2008), Peter B. **MORGAN** (1988), Bob **O'DONNELL** (1993), Christine M. **PENNING** (2003), Ron **PIFER** (2001), Billie N. & Clayton E. **POENISCH** (2000), Oralia & Felix C. **RAMIREZ** (1992), Jim A. **ROBINSON** (1986), Steve A. **STEPHENSON** (1999), Chela **STORM** (2000), Tina **TREADWAY** (1989), Diane & W. Aaron **TUCKER** (2002), Donna & William R. **VADEN** (1998), Marcia W. & Donald B. **WALKER** (1994), Elaine **WILLEFORD-KEMP** (1992), Suzy **WILLIAMS** (1973), Ronald R. **WOODRUFF** (2001), and Carl D. **WORKMAN** (2002).

**Total of 61!**



We have jobs. We want **YOU** to fill them.

## **Houston Military to Maritime Career Fair**

**Wednesday, 3 Sep 14 from 1300-1700**

**Port of Houston Bayport Cruise Terminal  
4700 Cruise Road, Pasadena, TX 77586**

**For more information or to register to attend, visit**

**[www.americanmaritimepartnership.com/military2maritime](http://www.americanmaritimepartnership.com/military2maritime)**

Current and former military personnel from *all services* are invited to join representatives from some of the region's premier maritime companies, training schools, unions and others to learn about career opportunities in the maritime industry and how military members, *even those with no prior seagoing experience*, can transition into them. Activities include:

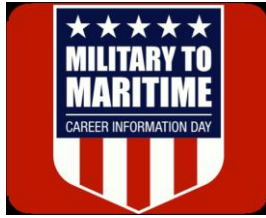
- A job fair with recruiters and HR staff from companies large and small, as well as maritime unions and schools
- Seminars on marine licensing and transition
- Vessel tours, plus chances to visit with crew members and industry personnel who are veterans too.



*#military2maritime*

Houston military2maritime Career Fair Info Line: (713) 435-1599  
• [info@americanmaritimepartnership.com](mailto:info@americanmaritimepartnership.com)





## **Military to Maritime (#Military2Maritime) Social Media Strategy Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX**

On **Wednesday, September 3, 2014**, the Port of Houston Authority and industry partners will host a “Military to Maritime” career fair sponsored by the American Maritime Partnership, the voice of the domestic maritime industry. The U.S. maritime industry’s goal is to connect veterans with jobs that support families and help build communities. We want to work with our partners to encourage veterans and current service members nearing separation to participate in Houston’s Military to Maritime event, while also highlighting the robust and vibrant nature of American maritime. Military to Maritime (**#Military2Maritime**) social media goals

1. Encourage veterans to register for the Military to Maritime Event in Houston on Sept. 3, 2014.
2. Employ Twitter and Facebook to connect with veterans or members of their family and encourage them to spread the word about the Military to Maritime career fair using the recommended hashtags.

Recommended Hashtags (HTs)

**#Military2Maritime**  
**#HireAVeteran**  
**#JobsForVeterans**

Connect with Military to Maritime (**#Military2Maritime**) on the web and social media:

Website: [www.AmericanMaritimePartnership.com/Military2Maritime](http://www.AmericanMaritimePartnership.com/Military2Maritime)

Twitter: [@AMPmaritime](https://twitter.com/AMPmaritime)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/AmericanMaritimePartnership](http://www.facebook.com/AmericanMaritimePartnership)

### **SAMPLE #Military2Maritime TWEETS IN 140 CHARACTERS**

RT to help our #Veterans transition from **#Military2Maritime** – Sept.3, 2014 Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/)

SAVE THE DATE - **#Military2Maritime** Job Fair Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/) **#JobsForVeterans**

Help **#HireAVeteran #Military2Maritime** Job Fair Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/)

**#JobsForVeterans #Military2Maritime** Job Fair Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/)

ALMOST HERE - **#Military2Maritime #Veterans** Job Fair Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/)

Almost 1M **#Veterans** are out of work – **#HireAVeteran #Military2Maritime** Job Fair Sept. 3, 2014 – Houston, TX

[americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/](http://americanmaritimepartnership.com/Military2Maritime/)

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If you have any questions or ideas for collaboration on social media, please contact Joe Brenckle at the American Maritime Partnership by email ([info@americanmaritimepartnership.com](mailto:info@americanmaritimepartnership.com)) or by phone (202-494-1467).

### **Partial List of Companies/Exhibitors Anticipated for the American Maritime Partnership Military to Maritime Career Forum Wednesday, Sep 3 1300-1700, Port of Houston, Bayport Cruise Terminal 4700 Cruise Road, Pasadena, Texas**

Workboat Academy

**G & H Towing Company**

Texas Veterans Commission

**National Oceanic & Atmospheric  
Administration**

**Genesis Marine**

**Martin Marine**

**McAllister Towing**

**Bouchard Transportation Co., Inc.**

**CROWLEY MARITIME**

Houston Marine/Falck Safety Services

**Kirby Inland Marine**

**Seafarers Int'l Union/Paul Hall Center**

Texas A&M University at Galveston

Maritime License Training Co

**Teichman Group, LLC.**

**Enterprise Marine Services LLC**

**Marquette Transportation Company,  
LLC**

Great Lakes Maritime Academy

ETC-Workforce Solutions

**SGS Petroleum Service Corporation**

**Settoon Towing, LLC**

**Florida Marine Transporters**

**Mike Hooks, Inc.**

**AccuTrans Inc.**

**Bludworth Marine, LLC**

**Marine Engineers Beneficial Assoc.  
(M.E.B.A.)**

**SCF Liquids**

**SCF Marine**

**The Carline Companies**

**Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Co.**

**Seabulk**

**ADM/ARTCO**

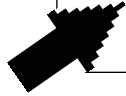
**Marathon Petroleum Company**

**NOTES:** Those highlighted in aqua are either company or union hiring hall exhibitors  
As of Aug 20th

**HELP US BUILD OUR NAVY LEAGUE COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP!** Use the form below or go to our website [www.navyleagueingleside.org](http://www.navyleagueingleside.org) and sign someone up. Either bring it and the person(s) to our next All-Hands function or **mail it to the address below**. This will ensure that the individual gets future newsletters as soon as possible.

**MAKE AS MANY COPIES AS NEEDED, PLEASE PRINT!**  
**THANKS YOU!!**

Membership is open to U. S. citizens who are not on active duty with any military service.



Name (Mr., Mrs., Dr., Etc) First Name Middle Init Last Name

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Address: Number, Street Name (Apt., Suite, P. O. Box, etc.) E-Mail Address

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Business Phone Home Phone Date of Birth

**INGLESIDE AREA**

Sponsor's Last Name Sponsors Member # New Member's Council

**Method of Payment:**

- Check enclosed (MAKE PAYABLE TO NLUS)
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MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS (please check one):

- Regular Individual (1 yr) ..... \$65.00
- Regular Individual (2 yr) ..... \$117.00
- Regular Individual (3 yr) ..... \$175.00
- Husband/Wife (1 yr) ..... \$117.00
- Life (to age 55) ..... \$1000.00
- Life (age 56-75) ..... \$750.00
- Life (age 76+) ..... \$500.00
- Active Duty Spouse ..... \$30.00
- Student ..... \$25.00
- Community Affiliate (Application) ..... \$460.00

Card Number Expiration Date

Signature

Mail this form and payment (payable to NLUS) to Bull Walker, 2515 Turkey Neck Circle, Rockport, Texas 78382-3530 to expedite your membership

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