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Cruise to the Jewel of the Adriatic - Croatia?



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Our ship *The Naranca* moored.

Our friends were incredibly unbelieving. "What made you pick this for a cruise?" Tom and I have already been on probably ten or more cruises to the Mediterranean, South America and other wonderful ports and have tired of the 3000 passenger ships that are now touted as vacation paradises. We have also seen much of Europe.

The appeal of our own cruise ship the *Naranca*, approximately 100 ft. long with 20 passengers to cruise the "Jewel of the Adriatic" sounded very appealing to us. You may better remember Croatia as a part of Yugoslavia which the Communist Tito controlled for years and which most recently was under Serbian-Bosnian fire for control during the 1990's.

We arrived in Venice and after a trip through the Croatian mountains involving some 10 modern tunnels, many of which were 6000 meters (3.7 miles) long, we reached our destination of the town of Trogir about 11 PM at night.

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Commander's Message



Our trip to Taos, New Mexico on Historic Route 66 was similar to charting a course on a boat. You have the main route with waypoints like the Launching Pad café and the Ariston Restaurant in Illinois, or the US 66 Museum in Oklahoma and the Midpoint Café in Texas (1139 miles to Chicago or Santa Monica). There are also many alternate waypoints to choose like the recreated brick road from 1926 south of Springfield, Illinois, Devil's Elbow over the Big Piney River in Missouri, or the Cadillac Ranch just outside Amarillo, Texas. So plotting our course became a Series of Choices; what do we really want to see, and what can we skip. Sound familiar?

A Series of Choices is what we face each day as a member of the USPS. Do I want to take this course? Can we make it to the dinner on Saturday? What do we want to participate in, and what will we skip? The difference between two people on a cross country trip and members of the USPS is the number of people affected by that Series of Choices.

When we choose to skip a squadron dinner event or a committee meeting it is left to those who do participate, those who have made the commitment, to carry the load for those who do not. The members that commit time to plan, organize, and schedule our squadron activities and member courses make the effort to help the members expand their boating knowledge and grow their friendships.

At the next opportunity to join us for a squadron event, I would like you to consider the fact that the event was planned for you by one of your fellow members, whose pay is the number of members who attend. Help to pay them back by making the commitment to attend; you will always find something good in every event we plan (there is always beer!). So come out and participate, contribute, and enjoy the events that are planned for you.



Cdr Ron Herbig, AP

Quick Reference to Events: November and December

November

- 07 November 1930 – Bridge/ExCom Meeting at Shirley Wojcicki's home.
- 15 November 1900 – JN Classes start at the home of the Delahunty's.
- 18 November 1800 – Bowling and Pizza party at Antioch Bowling Lanes, Fred Bies, Chair.
- 22 November Thanksgiving Day.

December

- 05 December 1930 – Bridge/ExCom Meeting at the Claflins' home.
- 14 December 1900 – 2300 Christmas Party at the Delahunty's home.
- 20 December [January/February Issue] LINK Deadline.
- 25 December Christmas Day!

Mark Your Calendar!



Come bowl with the COL squadron!

Sunday 18 November 2007 - 1800 hours

Antioch Bowling Lanes - Antioch
(Route 173 ¼ mile west of Route 59)

Pizza will be provided.

If you would like to bring an appetizer or a snack there will be a table available to share. Fred promised he will order the pizza! Price will include pizza and bowling. Call Fred Bies for details.

Please let Fred know if you can make it.
847-838-9866 Home; 847-587-0211 Work.



Chain-O-Lakes Christmas Party

Friday 14 December 2007

1900 - 2300 hours

Join us at the home of Dave and Colleen Delahunty
6715 Colonel Holcomb Drive - Crystal Lake
for a Christmas Carol sing-a-long and camaraderie.

Dave and Colleen will have a spiral-cut ham, hors d'oeuvres, and beer. Everyone is asked to bring a plate of hors d'oeuvres and YOB (your own bottle). Mixers (sweet-sour mix, club soda, tonic water, Diet Coke, Pepsi and orange juice) will be provided.



Please RSVP by 7 December to 815-455-9551

Cruise to the Jewel of the Adriatic (continued)



Calm waters in the bay at Pusciska on the island of Broc.

There we stayed in a lovely bed and breakfast hotel and had midnight dinner across the cobblestone street, 75 degree weather, unhurried service and delightful menu. It seemed everyone in this village was still out at midnight on Saturday night including the children.

Following a much needed shower and night's sleep, in the morning we walked a beautiful promenade to where our ship the *Naranca* was moored.



Promenade in the city of Trogir.

With 10 staterooms each with its own bath and shower and twin beds we found it very comfortable. Our dining room was presided over by our very own chef who provided nutritious meals three times each day, and our bartender-waiter Armondo.

After setting sail around noon we soon anchored out for a quick swim in crystal blue waters clear enough to see your toes and the very bottom. Swimming became a daily ritual in various quiet coves.

Our first port was the town of "Split" which dates way back to the Roman emperor Diocletian (245-313A.D.) who liked the area so much he built a huge palace there. To this day 2000 people live or work inside these palace walls and it is home to fashionable boutiques and galleries.

We spent each night comfortably moored in port. Each day we traveled to another medieval-like city or island along the "Pearl of the Adriatic" coastline. The highlight of these cities was probably Dubrovnik where we crossed a moat to enter its ancient walls and enjoyed roaming through its cobblestoned streets.



The walled city of Dubrovnik.

The Croatian people are very proud of their recent independence. Many of them died in hand to hand combat to achieve their freedom from the Serbs so it is valued highly.

The Croatians proudly say that tourism is quickly over-taking their paradise so "come soon while it is still unspoiled beauty." Would we go again? You bet!

P/C Gloria A. Maguire, SN

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Vessel Safety

Once again I need to express my sincere appreciation to everyone who participated in the Chain-O-Lakes Vessel Safety events this year and continued to perform VSCs during the summer. We exceeded our original goal of 125 that I set in May. We really went over the top on this to reach 200 VSCs; 3 times our total for 2006.

That is FANTASTIC.

Safety

I want to announce that Dave Howard has agreed to accept the position of Safety Officer.

Mentoring Committee

It is also my please to inform you that Mark King will perform the duties as the Mentoring Chair with the assistance of his wife Nicole. The Mentoring Committee has developed a great program which needs to continue. Any assistance that you can provide will be welcome.

Our move to Kansas City has prevented Ann Marie from continuing her duties but I will continue to support the squadron throughout the remainder of my term to the best of my ability.

Keep it between the buoys,

Lt/C John S. Kida, AP
Executive Officer

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

JN class begins 15 November at my house at 1900. We will start with the basics and end up with the capability to do basic offshore navigation. This will be a fun hands-on course. We do need former JN and N students to return the squadron sextants to me for the use of students in this course. Also, former JN and N students who have not completed requirements for JN or N may still complete requirements at this time, however the clock is running and eventually it will expire for JN. All former JN and N members are welcome to attend these classes to brush up on techniques. This is the brand new JN course with fewer requirements.

Course Description

Junior Navigation is the first in a two-part program of study in offshore navigation, followed by the [Navigation](#) course. It is designed as a practical "how to" course. Subject matter includes:

- Precise time determination
- Use of the Nautical Almanac
- Taking sextant sights of the sun
- Reducing sights to establish lines of position
- Special charts and plotting sheets for offshore navigation
- Offshore navigational routines for recreational craft

Other Course Information

W102

The Weather 102 examinations are complete. We are awaiting the results, but I am sure that all of the students passed with flying colors.

S

The new Seamanship class did NOT take place this fall. If you want to start enhancing your boating skills, this is the course that begins it all. Gary Braker will be happy to have you in his class. If you have never taken a class taught by Gary, you are in for a treat with all the nautical equipment available to see first hand. Give him a call and he may be able to schedule a class soon.

ID

We have two brand new graduates to add to the growing cadre of certified instructors. David Howard and Jim Fuerholzer have successfully completed the Instructor Development course. Congratulations!

EM

The Engine Maintenance course taught by Jim Bowgren is complete. The students, Mark King, David Howard, Ross Gemmill, Gerry Bernat, and Jim Fuerholzer, are completing their examinations.

Thank you Jim, and best of luck to the students.

P/C David Delahunty, [SN](#)
Squadron Educational Officer

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT

Our event for October was a tasty and generous Fish Fry at Tommie's Pub followed by a Corn Maze walk at Richardson's Farm. Ann Marie & John Kida planned a great evening for all of us.

We had a good turnout and for all of us that took part, wandering around a corn field at night was an interesting experience! Our unflappable Commander, Ron, did a great job of leading us through the maze, assisted by Esther (I can't find Barrington) Ahern. (Who knew?) Many of us kept telling Ron and Esther where the tower was, to help keep our bearings, while Bill Struve made sure we knew where the North Star was at all times to keep us on track.

We did eventually emerge from the maze after a couple hours and after locating 15 of the 24 check-points. This is one of those events that if you have never gone through it, you should. The size of the field was amazing. Moreover, the weather was perfect and the number of people that were out there that night was unbelievable, the place was packed.

My thought was: *Build it and they shall come.....*

Membership Committee Notice: New Members

We welcome ALL our members of the Chain-O-Lakes Squadron at any of our meetings or dinner events! We have gained a total of 6 new members and 3 new family members. New members are what keep the USPS and COL healthy for the future. Keep encouraging your friends and neighbors who are interested in boating to join the COL so we have a strong future keeping boaters safe on the waters. We hope to see our new members at the next meeting or dinner gathering soon.

We need a host for ExCom for 2 January and 6 February. If you can help with either of these dates please let me know so I can get on the calendar.

Important News

I received an important letter for anyone interested in safe boating. There is a move to present to the state legislature a bill to require

mandatory boating education for all boaters. This has not been formally presented and is not on the docket. The position of USPS is that we support boating education and this follows the mission of the USPS. Our Commander sent a copy of the letter to all COL members to proceed according to their belief. I immediately personalized the letter and sent it by email to Sgt. Joe Morelock in Springfield. **Please...if you have not already done the same, do it now.** Boating education is supported by many organizations. We have the opportunity, through Sgt. Morelock, to show our support and get our message out across the state.

Stay dry,

Lt/C Howard Claflin,
Administrative Officer

SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT



Happy Birthday to:

David Hansen	1 November
Jaimie Migliore	5 November
Francis R. Ward	17 November
James B. Bowgren	28 November
Paul Wagner	6 December
Ross E. Gemmill	8 December
Tom A. Briden	21 December
Patricia K. Lulofs	27 December
Nancy Mueller	27 December

Don't forget send any news that you would like to share with fellow COL members to Link-Editor@sbcglobal.net and I'll put it in the following month's *LINK* (edited, of course!).

Lt Nancy Herbig
LINK Editor

Squadron News



P/R/C Wayne Spraggins, SN – P/C Robert H. Havens, JN – D/C Keith Baldwin, SN

It was an honor to witness the presentation of a 50 Year USPS Membership certificate to one of the members of the Chain-O-Lakes Sail & Power Squadron. On 27 October at the D20 Fall Conference, P/C Robert H. Havens, JN was presented his 50 Year certificate.

Many of you may not have met Bob, but he is still active performing a good share of Vessel Safety Checks each year. Over the years he has provided support for our squadron.

I congratulate Bob on this milestone in his life and for the Chain-O-Lakes.

Cdr Ron Herbig, AP

Squadron Bylaws

The Rules Committee has been reviewing the COL bylaws which have not been revised for many years. The committee has been commissioned to recommend revisions to keep the Chain-O-Lakes squadron in tune with the times. The first step is to secure approval for any amendments from the USPS Rules Committee according to Section 17.1. This has been done.

You will have the opportunity to approve the revised bylaws at the Annual Meeting in January. Make sure you are in attendance.

P/C Ross E. Gemmill, AP

Squadron Question

I have the privilege of archiving (storing) the squadron history. One night I found this plaque that started in 1962 and continued on until 1998.

I see the names of some of our current members on the label. Does anyone have the background on this? Can you provide a story on it?

Let me know.

Cdr Ron Herbig, AP



National and District News

Report from the National Governing Board, Norfolk, VA
08 September 2007

Vessel Safety Check Committee: (R/C Ronald C. LaPlante, SN)

- 1.) (a) We are 22% ahead of last year at this time and (b.) the "Error Reports" are dwindling downward:
- 2.) A berth on the Coast Guard Cutter "EAGLE" has been reserved for you, **maybe**. How to become eligible? Just look on the VSC Web for more information.
- 3.) On the "Inflatable Life Jackets", there are a few problems still to be worked out. However, the Office of Boating Safety, USCG, is moving with the project, which all hope will materialize in the near future. The concept is simple:
 - a.) Inflatable Life Jackets will be loaned to each Squadron. They are to be worn by Public Boating Instructors and Vessel Examiners, as they come in contact with the Boating Public. Check the VSC web site for current information.

USPS Environmental Committee: (R/C Jean L. Hamilton, SN)

- 1.) Thanks to a grant from the USPS Educational Fund, 55,000 copies of the Environmental Best Practices for Boaters tri-fold brochure have been printed and 100 copies are being shipped to each squadron. Each includes 49 best practices, addressing trash, sewage, fueling and spills, vessel maintenance, aquatic environmental awareness, and marine environment stewardship and provides a space for individual squadron contact information. They are intended as hand outs at boat shows, boating classes, VSCs, or wherever members come in contact with the boating community.
 - a.) An additional 10,000 copies are in inventory at USPS headquarters. Squadrons may order copies free, plus shipping and handling charges (\$4 handling fee/order + actual shipping costs). Contact Customer Service at 888-367-8777, or fax your request to: 888-304-0813.
- 2.) USPS EnvCom will recognize squadrons at the 2008 and subsequent Annual Meetings for the following:
 - a.) Largest Piece of Debris Recovered, Most Unusual Debris Recovered, Most Disgusting Debris Recovered, Funniest Debris Recovered, and Most Participants.

Remember: Members, officers, family, friends, and pets connected to any USPS squadron are eligible to participate. To qualify for recognition, a form (see USPS EnvCom web page) with accompanying documentation must be submitted to the EnvCom Chair no later than 30 November, each year proceeding the annual meeting year. Submissions may be electronic (JLHamilton@MarathonOil.com, fax (713-296-4516), or by mail (661 Bering Drive, #201, Houston, TX 77057).

3.) EnvCom presented the Global Warming -Climate Change seminar (±45 minute PowerPoint presentation) discussing the scientific method, junk science and the media, modeling complexity, and four orders of climate drivers affecting the earth's weather) at the D/8 Spring 2007 Conference and the D/29 2007 Summer Rendezvous & Council and a presentation was made at the Thurmond Lake SPS (D/26) May meeting on the USPS Environmental Committee and local environmental issues.

Things You Should (already) Know!

- The USPS Environmental Poster is available for your use at boat shows, classes, and other events and can be customized for your District or Squadron. It can be downloaded (PDF file) from the EnvCom web page and printed in any size. Can't access a color printer? Contact the EnvCom chair via the link on the web page for copies or pick up some from the Expo Booth.
- The EnvCom web page is frequently updated with federal & state marine & aquatic laws and statutes information/links; grant information & links; environmental information & resources links.

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08 September 2007

2007 Planning Committee: (R/C William M. Bellinger, SN)

Leadership Development Workshop

This new professional style workshop has been developed by Stf/C Herb Shaw, JN and successfully used in D/32. The LDW has been condensed into a (14 hour) two-day program, reviewed by the Leadership Development Committee, and is scheduled this fall to begin training representatives from all district in five regions of the country. The presenters are P/R/C Glenn Daughtridge, AP (Atlanta), D/C Arthur Kimber, SN (Hartford and Baltimore), Stf/C Robert Landeros, SN (Chicago), and Stf/C Herb Shaw, JN (San Francisco). After training, the district representatives will then conduct the same LDW for the squadrons in their districts. For more information please check the *USPS News* on the USPS home page and on the link from *What's New?* and on the PlanCom homepage. Thanks are extended to the Leadership Development Committee.

Report from the District 20 Fall Conference, Bloomington, IL
27 October 2007

BOAT SHOW COMMITTEE: (D/Lt Louise Potter, SN, D/Lt Wayne Hanson, Co-Chairs)

The Boat Show Committee did a great job of providing volunteers for the State Fair booth. In addition, the Boat Show Committee provided the new, 3-panel boat show display for use at the Illinois State Fair in August in Springfield, IL. The interactive Safe Boating Equipment game from Waukegan Sail and Power Squadron was also provided. In addition to helping man the booth several days at the State Fair, the committee also coordinated the District 20 booth volunteer list and provided Land of Lincoln with a comprehensive schedule and contact list for booth volunteers from District 20, which included members from 13 different D20 squadrons. This list of booth volunteers was e-mailed to appropriate squadron commanders for merit mark purposes. The committee also arranged for bright yellow t-shirts with the USPS logo to be worn by parade participants and booth volunteers at the IL State Fair.

The new boat show display panels were also loaned to Kankakee Valley Provisional Squadron for use at two outdoor events this summer. The committee is planning to build a new framework for displaying the panels. This should be available for the two boat shows in Chicago this winter.

The *Chicago Boat, RV and Outdoor Show* for 2008 will be at McCormick Place-North from 16 to 20 January 2008. *Strictly Sail* for 2008 will be at Navy Pier from 31 January to 3 February 2008. Volunteers will be needed to man the booths. Sign up sheets will be sent to the Commanders later this fall.

State Fair Committee: (D/Lt Gregory C. Kelso, P)

Fair Parade Report

District Commander Keith Baldwin and his wife Helaine led our group down "parade alley" with the Tubby Tug following behind. The parade kicked off from Ninth and North Grand streets at 1800 on Thursday, August 9th and, as usual, it was HOT. Following behind was DuPage Power Squadron Commander Joyce Bousquet and Past District Commander Howie Moore dressed as Olive Oil and Popeye in a wonderfully decorated sailboat. They were the hit of the parade! Rich & Ruth Burd took up the rear position with a lavishly decorated "Big Burd", as we handed out "Lifesavers" candy to parade spectators. We finished about 2000 hours and stopped off at our tent to "review and debrief".

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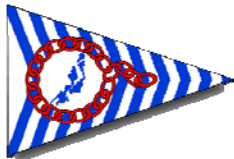
Chain-O-Lakes Calendar

Check out the USPS News at USPS.org for recent stories and webcasts about national USPS events.

November		December		January	
07 Nov	Bridge/ExCom Meeting At Shirley Wojcicki's home	05 Dec	Bridge/ExCom Meeting at the Clafllins' home	02 Jan	Bridge/ExCom Meeting TBA
15 Nov	JN classes start at the Delahunty's home	14 Dec	Christmas Party at the Delahunty's home	12 Jan	Founder's Day Dinner & Annual Meeting Details TBA
18 Nov	Bowling & Pizza Party Antioch Bowling Lanes	20 Dec	[Jan/Feb Issue] LINK Deadline	25 Jan	[Jan/Feb Issue] LINK Deadline
22 Nov	Thanksgiving Day - Enjoy some turkey and dressing!	25 Dec	Christmas Day - You can open your presents now!	26 Jan	District 20 Operations Workshop Hilton Hotel, Lisle, IL

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