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**U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary
District 11 Northern Region**

Serving Northern California, Nevada, Utah



Date: AUGUST 2012
To: COMO Angelo Perata, COS & District Board/Staff
From: D11N DSO-OP, Commodore Gail L. Ramsey
Subject: District OPS Report/ Respectfully Submitted

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NEW DIRAUX ADDITIONS:

Please welcome CWO2 Matthew D. James to D11N. He was born and raised in Centralia, Illinois. After Graduating from Centralia High School, he attended Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio prior to enlisting in the Coast Guard in 1995. His subsequent assignments include:

USCGC BAINBRIDGE ISLAND (WPB-1343): Seaman, 1995-1996
USCGC VIGOROUS (WMRC-627): Quartermaster, 1996-2000
USCGC ADAK (WPB-1333): Operations Petty Officer, 2000-2003
USCG Station Sandy Hook: 1LT/OPS Petty Officer, Coxswain, 2003-2005
USCG Maritime Security Response Team: Deployable Team Leader, 2005-2008
USCG Station Sandy Hook, Executive Petty Officer, 2008-2011
USCG Station Brant Point, Officer in Charge, 2011-2012

BOSN2 James is a graduate of Recruit Company India-147, Quartermaster "A" School Class 01-97, MSST Tactical Coxswain Course, Chief Petty Officer Academy Class CXXIV, and the Boat Forces Command Cadre School. Advancing to Senior Chief Boatswains Mate, he was subsequently appointed to Chief Warrant Officer in 2012. He is currently enrolled at the University of Maryland-University College, completing a Bachelor's Degree in History and Economics.

Chief Warrant Officer James is married to the former Nicole Cassidy of Manahawkin, New Jersey. The couple has two children; Cassidy and Lochlain. They reside in Brentwood, California.

We have two excellent Active Duty leaders in DIRAUX, CDR Sumrok and CWO2 James.

Also new to the office is YN2 Deborah M. Anderson who replaced Wanda Meyers and has come to us from Florida.

Give all a welcome when you see them.

FUEL DOCK HOURS IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY:

Thank you to Dave Naumann for compiling this information that will be useful to all who are on the water in San Francisco Bay.

LOCATION	NAME	DAYS	HOURS	PHONE NUMBER
ALAMEDA	BALLENA ISLE FUEL DOCK	7	0900-1615	510-523-5528
BERKELEY	BERKELEY MARINA FUEL DOCK	7	0900-1630	510-843-8195
OAKLAND ESTURARY	JACK LONDON SQUARE MARINA	7	0830-1630	510-834-4591
RICHMOND	CHANNEL MARINA		???	510-223-2246
SAUSALITO	CLIPPER YACHT HARBOR CHEVRON	7	0800-1630 CLOSED FOR LUNCH 1200-1300	415-332-3500
SO SAN FRANCISCO	DRAKE MARINE – OYSTER POINT	6	M-F 0800-1630 SAT 0800-1200 CLOSED SUNDAY	650-588-3015
SAN FRANCISCO	GASHOUSE COVE FULE DOCK	7	0900-1700	415-567-8880
SAN RAFAEL	LOCH LOMOND MARINA	7	0900-1700	415-454-7228
SAN LEANDRO	SAN LEANDRO MARINA	7	0900-1530	510-577-3488
SAN RAFAEL	WESTERN BOAT & TACKLE	7	0800-1700	415-454-4177

This is great information to have on our boats and if anyone can give me information for the Delta and Vallejo AORs I will be glad to add it to the list.

GUESTS ON BOARD AUX FACILITIES:

The policy, including guests, is that no more than double the minimum (required) number should be on board (and, of course, never more than the safe capacity of the boat). So if you have, for example, a 36' boat requiring a coxswain and 2 crew for a patrol, the maximum number on board would be 6.

Be sure to fill out a "Guest Clearance Letter", sample below, and send to SECTOR SFO or Group Humboldt.

USCG Auxiliary "113-division-flotilla"

GUEST CLEARANCE LETTER

From: _Name of Auxiliarist wishing to have guest

To: Coast Guard Station or Group

Subject: Request for non-Auxiliarist on board while on patrol (Date, event or what you will be doing)

I request permission to have the following guest on board while on patrol (insert date). Vessel will be operating under patrol order number 123456.

Guest: Name, DOB, age ?, address

Signed: By AUX wishing to have guest (Coxs)

Approval endorsement:

The above authorization request is approved/denied. Guest must be listed on completed patrol orders prior to returning to the order issuing authority

Signed Mark Leahey or Curtis Bartel

REPORTS REQUESTED, WITH PHOTOS:

Please do not forget to "brag" about your operations with the Active Duty Coast Guard and other agencies.

I attended a D11 RBS Conference this past week and after listening to many reports I realize D11N stands heads above other Districts, but, we still need to do some bragging. Please send reports of what, where, who took the photo and anything else of interest to Linda Vetter (silvercharm@pacbell.net) and copy me at

Gail.L.Ramsey@uscg.mil. Keep that camera handy, thank you.

SAFETY OFFICER SURFACE WEST JULY REPORT – FROM DEAN LACHAPELLE:

There are still incidents reported and observed of facilities getting underway without proper crew conditions, equipment and safety checks being conducted as part of the preunderway briefing. Some crew members are still wearing rings, watches and earrings that can be caught or hooked resulting in serious injury and/or falling overboard. Boat Crews should remember that TCT and GAR are the responsibility of everyone on board. Each

Coxswain is responsible for the facility and everyone on-board. Personal Safety Equipment and the proper uniform is part of the required equipment for getting underway.

QUALIFICATION EXAMINERS NOTES:

Members going before a Qualification Examiner (QE) for initial or recertification check rides please be sure you have had recent experience on the facility you will be using. For the QE to judge your capabilities fairly you do not need any surprises when on a facility that is new to you. Do not go to an event and expect a member to turn over their prized possession (boat) to you to go for a Coxswain check ride.

OPS HOUR SUMMARY FROM AUXINFO 2012 TO AUGUST 6TH, 2012

Mission Hours as values	11NR - Div 01	11NR - Div 03	11NR - Div 04	11NR - Div 05	11NR - Div 06	11NR - Div 07	11NR - Div 08	11NR - Div 10	11NR - Div 11	11NR - Div 12	Sector San Francisco
AUXMP - Marine Patrols (01a,01b,02,03,22a,54a,55a)	1,488.70	2,273.60	348.40	1,750.00	1,390.20	982.90	1,803.80	287.60	756.50	707.60	11,789.30
GOVSUP - Government Agency Support (41,42,43)	0.00	57.60	0.00	9.40	0.00	306.60	4.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	378.10
MS - Marine Safety	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.40
SAR - Search And Rescue (23,24)	7.40	51.80	0.00	37.60	86.70	31.50	38.90	17.10	8.40	4.20	283.60
All Missions	1,496.10	2,383.00	348.40	1,797.00	1,476.90	1,321.00	1,849.60	304.70	764.90	711.80	12,453.40

OPERATIONS EVENT CALENDAR
AS OF: 09 August 2012

LOCATION	SPONSOR	EVENT	DATE	QEs	POINT OF CONTACT
DON PEDRO	DIV 10	OPTREX	AUG 11/12 TH	YES	ROD ROLLINS SValleyRod@aol.com
JORDANELL RESERVOIR, UTAH	DIV-7	OPTREX	AUG 17 TH -19 TH	YES	COMO M. WILLIAMS mikewms05@comcast.net
LAKE TAHOE	DIV 11	OPTREX	SEPT 15 TH	YES	DEE DEE Kddkincade@charter.net KINCADE
SANTA CRUZ	DIV 6	OPTREX	SEPT 22 ND 23 RD	YES	MARYANNE COLLINS mcollins.aux@gmail.com
BODEGA BAY DORAN BEACH SONOMA CO. PARK	FLT 5-5	OPTREX	SEPT 28 TH – 30 TH	YES	WIL SUMNER wilsumner_cgau@yahoo.com
BRANNAN ISLAND	FLT 3-10	OPTREX	OCT 12 TH 14 TH	YES	DEAN LACHAPELLE deanvic@yahoo.com
LAKE MILLERTON	DIV 10	OPTREX	OCT 27 TH 28 TH	YES	ROD ROLLINS SValleyRod@aol.com

DEE BEE'S TAILORS UPDATED INFO:

There are many uniform items that we use that are not available in our District or National Store that are available at Dee Bee's (Franks) Tailor Shop. He has a new phone number and new hours, please see below:

Dee Bee's Tailors
2064 Lincoln Avenue
Alameda, California 94501
(510) 522-1531
dbtailors@att.net

Hours: 0830 to 1730, Monday through Friday, and Saturday 0930 to 1300