(Left) MM2 Ernesto Castaneda, MMFN Tyrone Bailey and MMFN Joshua Tuggle pose for a photograph inside the One Alpha boiler steam drum in the fire room aboard the 7th Fleet command flagship *USS Blue Ridge* (LCC 19) Oct. 31. The boiler is under going a 5-year inspection.

U.S. Navy photo by MC2 Fidel C. Hart

MAC Odis Bell, a Sailor attached to 7th Fleet staff, lays the ball up over a defender during the BLR/C7F Admirals basketball game Oct. 31. The Admirals defeated the Commander U.S. Naval Forces Japan team 57-45 to win the over 35 championship trophy.

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Konnichiwa

Japanese master labor contract employee SRF-JRMC Pipe Fitter Daichi Takahashi measures the required distance between a valve and elbow fitting to fix a fresh water pipe in a laundry room on *USS Shiloh* (CG 67) Oct. 31.

Photo by Yuji Kawabe

Where is your home town? Okinawa, Japan.

How long have you worked on base? Four years.

What is your favorite food? Ginger pork.

What is your life goal? To visit Las Vegas to watch popular magic shows.

Deanna Ostrowski accepts the Ikego Yard of the Year award for 2011 from Commander Fleet Activity Yokosuka Commanding Officer Capt. David Owen Oct. 28.

Photo by Yuji Kawabe

Members of Yokosuka Stars No. 180 donate 10 Japanese Kanji dictionaries to orphans at Kofu-en in Honmoku, Yokohama Oct. 18.

Photo by Kazuyuki Takagi

MA1 Jason Frey from Commander Fleet Activities Yokosuka Security Department, plays the role of Gulliver for Kenko Kindergartners in a parade during the 8th annual Kannonzaki festival Nov. 3. Approximately 37,000 visitors attended the event, which featured many kinds of contests, traditional Japanese Dances, Japanese and American food kiosks, as well as historical and cultural attractions about Kannonzaki Park.

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