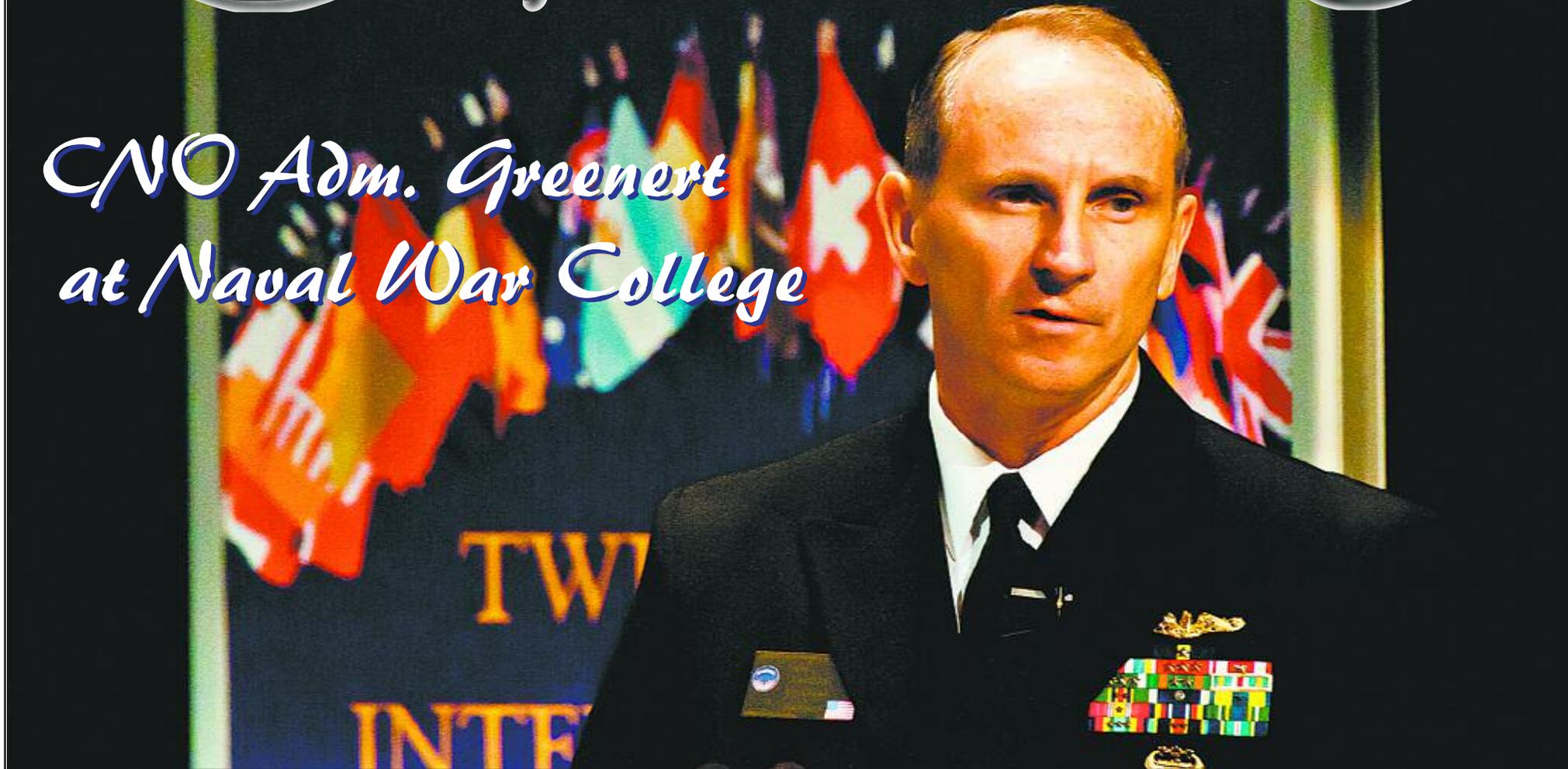


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CNO Adm. Greenert at Naval War College



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Adm. Jonathan Greenert, Chief of Naval Operations, last Tuesday addresses delegates at the 20th International Seapower Symposium held at the Naval War College. More than 170 senior officers from more than 100 countries around the globe attended the biennial event this week hosted by the CNO. This year's theme was 'Security and Prosperity through Maritime Partnerships.' Story, Page 2.



Tall Ships fleet arriving in 2012

Ocean State Tall Ships takes shape for next summer, bringing a fleet of barques, brigantines and schooners to the Newport waterfront.

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Afghanistan war called stalemate

Bing West, a former Assistant Secretary of Defense, speaks at Salve Regina University on his assessment of the war in Afghanistan.

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NAPS fires up for Army-Navy

Naval Academy Prep School psyches up for its highlight of the football season: the 'Little Army-Navy' game in November.

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Tall Ships Challenge Race to bring windjammers here

In observance of the bicentennial of the War of 1812, Newport will be among several ports along the Atlantic Coast to host the Tall Ships Challenge Race series next summer, it was announced recently at a press conference at the Newport Yachting Center.

Richard M. McAuliffe, Jr., chairman of the Ocean State Tall Ships board of directors, welcomed nearly 100 local business owners who attended the event.

A fleet of Class A and Class B sailing ships, such as full-rigged ships, barques, brigs and schooners, will berth along the waterfront and in the harbor next July 6 to 9. The Baltimore clipper schooner Lynx, a War of 1812 replica, was berthed at the yachting center and served as a backdrop for the press conference. She will return next summer.

As an official host port for the Tall Ships Challenge Race series up the Atlantic Coast, the festival at the City-by-the-Sea promises to bring hundreds of thousands of spectators and visitors to Rhode Island, with an economic impact of over \$20 million, organizers say.

Maritime festivals in each host port give visitors a chance to board the windjammers and meet the crew and trainees.

The Tall Ships Challenge Race is a series of sailing races, cruises, crew ral-



Tall Ships Challenge Race photo
The Baltimore clipper schooner Lynx, a War of 1812 replica, will be among Tall Ships here next summer for Ocean State Tall Ships regatta.

Cadets involved in sail training programs will race brigs, schooners and barques up the East Coast to Newport

lies and maritime festivals organized by Tall Ships America in conjunction with U.S. and Canadian ports on the Pacific and Atlantic Coasts, and in the Great Lakes.

Traditionally-rigged sailing vessels from Canada, the U.S. and other countries are crewed by youth (either civilians or cadets) ages 13 to 25 who are engaged in sail training programs under the supervision of captains and professional crewmembers.

The fleet will begin at Savannah, Ga., May 3 – 7; then on to Charleston, S.C., May 10 – 14; Greenport, N.Y., May 24–28; Newport, July 6 – 9; and finally Halifax, Nova Scotia, and Nova Scotia outports, July 18 – 23 and July 24 – 30.

For more information, contact Erin Donovan at (401)474-7009 EDonovan@OceanStateTallShips.com.

CNO Greenert and SECNAV lead Seapower Symposium

By NWC Public Affairs Staff

The new Chief of Naval Operations, Adm. Jonathan W. Greenert, was host of the 20th International Seapower Symposium (ISS-20) this week at the U.S. Naval War College.

More than 170 delegates from over 100 countries, including many of the senior-most officers from those countries' navies, attended this biennial event. Some countries also were represented by the head of their coast guard and the president of their military colleges.

This year's theme was "Security and Prosperity through Maritime Partnerships."

Greenert gave a keynote speech on Wednesday, and

Secretary of the Navy Ray Mabus addressed the delegates on Thursday.

As part of the symposium, three panel discussions focused on how maritime security prevents disruptions that adversely impact national, regional, and global prosperity.

They were: "Global Perspective: Challenges to Maritime Security," "Beyond MDA (maritime domain awareness): Building Responsive Partnerships," and "Maritime Security: Evolving Demands, Adaptive Partnerships."

The Navy's littoral combat ship USS Independence (LCS-2), arrived at Naval Station Newport's Pier 2 on Monday in conjunction with ISS. (Picture, Page 16.)

First held in 1969, ISS has become the largest gathering of maritime leaders in history. ISS provides a forum for the world's maritime leaders to discuss common maritime challenges and to promote international maritime security cooperation. The discussions offer opportunities for future regional and international collaboration in seeking solutions to global maritime challenges.

The Naval War College established programs in 1956 and 1972 for international officers. A number of delegates who will be attending the ISS are graduates of those programs.

The addresses were streamed online as live webcasts at <http://www.dvidshub.net>.

Earth's shape spurred debate

Eight Bells Lecture speaker details 18th century theories

By JOHN W. KENNEDY

Naval War College Museum Director of Outreach

Dr. Larrie Ferreiro was the guest lecturer at the Eight Bells Lecture given at the Naval War College Museum on Oct. 13. His latest book, *Measure of the Earth: The Enlightenment Expedition that Reshaped the World*, gives a detailed account of the 1735 expedition to Peru by the French and Spanish governments to determine the shape of the earth.

Scheduled to last three to four years, the Geodesic Mission to the Equator lasted nearly 10 and proved the earth was oblate, and that Isaac Newton was correct in his theory on the shape of the earth.

The scientific problem involving the actual shape of the earth centered on two viewpoints:

The first, espoused by the Frenchman Descartes, postulated that the earth was shaped like an egg.

Newton, supported by British scientists, determined that the earth was flattened at the poles

because of gravity. Although this seems intuitive to us today, in the early 18th century the correct understanding of the shape of the earth had great

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Quick take

Name: Legalman 2nd Class Susan M. Córdova
Job title: Naval Legal Service Office staff personnel.

Command/Department: Region Legal Service Office/Midlant BROFF Newport

Home town: San Lorenzo, Puerto Rico



Most memorable career event: Watching the operations of an aircraft carrier. It is amazing how the Naval forces could be simply described as a floating city!

Favorite duty station: La Maddalena, Italy

Role model(s): Jesus
Free time activities: Watching movies, practicing circuit training.

Favorite book: *Bible*

Favorite movie: *Life is Beautiful*, by Roberto Benigni

Favorite TV show: *NCIS*

Favorite sport: Baseball

Favorite team: Don't have one. I just like the technique; I'm not a fanatic.

Favorite local restaurant: My own kitchen.

Favorite quote, motto or phrase: If you strive for excellence you will always achieve (Emilio Breña grandfather).

Long-term goal in life: Become a lawyer

If you could, what one thing would you add to NAVSTA Newport: I would like to add Mommy and Me classes at the gym. Gym 109 does not have any fitness program for new mothers to get back into shape, along with their new babies.



R.K. Alexander/U.S. Navy photos

Bing West, former Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs in the Reagan administration, speaks at Salve Regina University about the war in Afghanistan. His book, *The Wrong War: Grit, Strategy and the Way Out of Afghanistan*, is displayed on the screen.

Afghan war called 10-year stalemate

By **RICHARD ALEXANDER**
 Navalog editor

Though it's been 10 years this month, the United States is no closer to resolving the situation militarily in Afghanistan than it was in 2001, says a former Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs in the Reagan administration.

Bing West, who lives in Newport, was the featured speaker last week at the Pell Center for International Relations and Public Policy at Salve Regina University.

The U.S. policy is to "win the hearts and minds" of the

Afghans, stand up their own military force against terrorism, and hopefully leave the country with a functional government in Kabul.

But West said, "It's not going well."

The U.S. has to stop believing it's going to turn around a tribal society. Afghan tribes in the mountainous regions present an "unbridged culture," he said.

"These people are hurtling themselves headlong into the 9th Century. Their values, tribalism, religion and frame of reference is so far apart from ours.

There is no way to bridge



West displays an inert Improvised Explosive Device (IED), typical of the bomb that causes 65 percent of the casualties in Afghanistan, he said.

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30 to graduate today from ASF

The Naval Station (NAVS-TA) Newport Auxiliary Security Force (ASF) class of 30 personnel will graduate in the Building 690 Atrium this morning.

During their training the Sailors are instructed on many topics, including anti-terrorism force protection, small arms, unarmed self defense, the rules of engagement, and the definition and legal responsibilities of deadly force.

The three-week ASF class began on Oct. 3 with non-lethal weapons training which included OC pepper spray training. The students had an orientation and qualification on the Beretta M9 9mm pistol, M-

500 shotgun and M-16 rifle. The pistol and rifle training was done at the Perry Hall armory range and the shotgun training was completed at the R.I. National Guard's Camp Fogarty outdoor range.

The graduates and their commands are:

HN Colton C. Allen, Naval Health Clinic New England (NHCNE)

HN Milraen I. Hodgegrande, NHCNE

HN Tyler J. Leblanc, NHCNE
HN Jeanette Rodriguez, NHCNE

HN Matthew Z. Gray, NHCNE
ET1 Nathan J. Malmisur, Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division Newport (NUWC)

FT1 Damon Trotter, NUWC

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Naval Command and Staff (Naval War College) students Lt. Cmdr. Guy Snodgrass, left, and Lt. Cmdr. T.J. Gendreau pose with their respective 'top aviator' awards. Snodgrass was honored with the 2011 Commander Michael G. Hoff Award as the U.S. Pacific Fleet Attack Aviator of the Year and the Navy-Marine Corps Leadership Award. Gendreau was honored with the Commander, Naval Air Force Atlantic Pilot of the Year and the Order of Daedalians Exceptional Pilot of the Year.

SEA Class 162 to graduate 76

The Senior Enlisted Academy (SEA) Resident Class 162 will graduate 76 students on Oct. 27 at 5 p.m. in a ceremony at the Officers' Club. The guest speaker will be retired Command Master Chief (SW/AW/SCW) Ralph Rao, the 12th Director of SEA.

The class includes service-members from the U.S. Navy, Air Force, Army, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, and the Federal Republic of Germany.

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ISCS Karl Barnes
1st Sgt. Benny Benton, USMC

ENCS Samuel Bernhardt
HMCS Robert Bicanovsky
AEC Evaristo Bonilla
CSCM Robert Brimley

AEC Robert Bronaugh
AWOCS William Brown
ADCS Geoffrey Brumage
1st Sgt. Rogelio Burboa, USMC

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The Naval War College celebrates the 236th birthday of the U.S. Navy on Oct. 13 during a short ceremony in the lobby of Spruance Auditorium on the campus. A traditional cake cutting ceremony in which the youngest and oldest Navy service member share the honors. Seaman Kevin Honaker, right, of Ocala, Fla. and retired Capt. William F. Bundy, center, were joined by Rear Adm. John Christenson, college president. Honaker joined the Navy in July 2010, and Bundy enlisted in the Navy in 1964 and was commissioned in 1975.

7 DoN commands lauded for energy management

From Department of Navy Energy

WASHINGTON (NNS) — Seven Department of the Navy commands were recognized for exemplary achievements at the Secretary of the Navy Energy and Water Management Awards ceremony Oct. 12, held at the U.S. Navy Memorial and Naval Heritage Center.

Under Secretary of the Navy Robert Work, who represented Secretary of the Navy Ray Mabus at the annual event, recognized select commands for leading the DoN in reducing energy and water consumption, increasing use of renewable energy sources and constructing sustain-

able facilities, all while maintaining mission readiness.

Seven Navy and Marine Corps commands were recognized for exemplary energy and water savings. This year's Navy Energy and Water Management Award winners were:

- Naval Air Station Jacksonville, Fla.: Navy Large Shore Category
- Naval Support Activity Souda Bay, Greece: Navy Small Shore Category
- Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Kittery, Maine: Industrial Category
- Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms, Calif.: Marine Corps Large Shore

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- Marine Corps Logistics Base Albany, Ga.: Marine Corps Small Shore Category
- USS Bataan (LHD 5): Large Ship Category
- USS Hopper (DDG 70): Small Ship Category

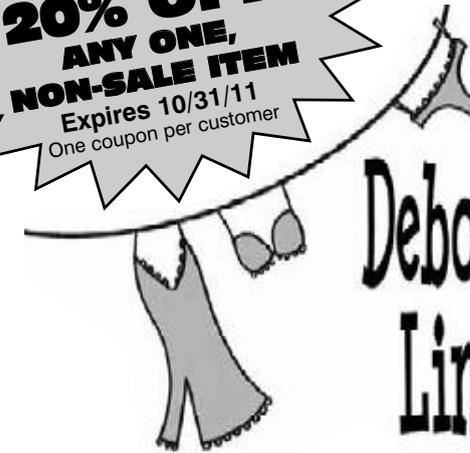
NAVY ENERGY EXPO

NUWC/NAVSTA will be holding a special Energy Expo in recognition of Energy Awareness Month on Oct 27 in the NUWC Bldg. 80 Gym front 11:30 a.m. to 1p.m. This event is open to anyone interested in learning about energy saving and innovations the Navy is using or researching to Save Energy.

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Reservists rescue man in car wreck

By **LT. JOHN RIPLEY**
Naval War College

Seven U.S. Navy reservists on duty at the Naval War College in Newport, R.I., became instant heroes Oct. 13 when they rescued a driver who had flipped his car and landed upside down in a ditch.

The reservists, who were serving on the War College staff for the 2011 International Seapower Symposium this week, were driving on I-495 to Wrentham, Mass., shortly after 10 a.m. when they witnessed the driver attempt to merge onto the highway. The car went out of control on rain-soaked gravel, spun around, flipped, and careened off the road. The car landed upside down in a nearby ditch.

Ens. Chelsea Smit of Lowell, Mich., and a public affairs officer, called 9-1-1; while Hull Technician 1st Class Ernest Harlin of Nashville, Tenn., and Master-at-Arms 3rd Class Leonard Gallegos of Reno, Nev., pulled the man from the smoking car, turned off the ignition, and pulled him to safety.

Two registered nurses, Lt. Cmdrs. Andrea Franks of Groton, Conn.; and Lynn Davidson of Jacksonville, Fla., tended to the victim, who appeared to suffer minor injuries, as they awaited rescue personnel.

Others involved in the rescue included Lt. Cmdr. Laura Reeves of NAS Whidbey Island, Wash.; Ensign Yvonne Zirrith of Piscataway, N.J.; and Kelly Williamson, a retired enlisted Sailor, of Newport.



EDITOR'S NOTE: Some of the Fleet and Family Support Center workshops and meetings required registration, call 841-2283.

FFSC is closed for the Thanksgiving Day holiday, Thursday, Nov. 24.

Our Sponsor Training class offers valuable information

Sponsor Training will be held at the Fleet and Family Support Center on Tuesday, Nov. 1, from 9:30-10:30 a.m. This training is a valuable tool for individuals who will act as sponsors or department representatives selecting sponsors.

Because the military spouse also plays such a vital role in the Sponsor Program, all spouses are invited and encouraged to participate.



Here's a look ahead to upcoming meetings and workshops:

"Ombudsman Basic Training"

— Nov. 7-9, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ombudsman Assembly meeting

— Tuesday, Nov. 8, 6-8 p.m., at Navy Band Northeast, for local area command Ombudsmen and their Command Support Team (CST) members. For additional information or to register for this meeting, please call Paul J. Salesi, FFSC Ombudsman Coordinator, at 841-6923.

"Refinance Seminar"

— Wednesday, Nov. 9, 6-7 p.m.

"Homebuyers' Workshop"

— Wednesday, Nov. 16, 6-8 p.m.

"Federal Job Search"

— Thursday, Nov. 17, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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The dates are as follows:

- Shore APO/FPO/DPO AE zips 090-098 (except 093); AA zips 340; AP zips 962-966
- Express Mail: Dec. 17
- First-Class Mail (letters/cards and priority mail): Dec. 10
- Parcel Airlift Mail: Dec. 3
- Space Available Mail: Nov. 26
- Parcel Post: Nov. 12
- Shore APO/FPO/DPO AE ZIP 093
- Express mail Military Service: N/A
- First-Class Letters/Cards Priority Mail: Dec. 3
- Parcel Airlift Mail: Dec. 1
- Space Available Mail: Nov. 26
- Parcel Post: Nov. 12
- For mail addressed from all shore FPOs (except 093):
- Express Mail Military Service: Dec. 17
- First-Class Mail (Letters/cards, priority mail): Dec. 10
- Parcel Airlift Mail: Dec. 3
- Space Available Mail: Nov. 26

Express Mail Military Service (EMMS) is available from selected military post offices. If mailing to an

APO/FPO address, check with your local post office to determine if this service is available.

Parcel Airlift Mail (PAL) is a service that provides air transportation for parcels on a space-available basis. It is available for Parcel Post items not exceeding 30 pounds in weight or 60 inches in length and girth combined. The applicable PAL fee must be paid in addition to the regular surface rate of postage for each addressed piece sent by PAL service.

Space Available Mail (SAM) refers to parcels mailed to APO/FPO addresses at parcel post rates that are first transported domestically by surface and then to overseas destinations by air on a space available basis. The maximum weight and size limits are 15 pounds and 60 inches in length and girth combined. From overseas locations, items mailed at Parcel Post rates are sent to CONUS by air on a space available basis. The maximum weight and size limit are 70 pounds and 130 inches in length and girth combined.

It is also recommended that customers check with their local civilian or military post office for information on size restrictions and possible need for customs declaration forms.

Museums hold ancient map symposium

By **CMDR. C. McCARTHY**
NWC Public Affairs Officer

The Naval War College Museum and its director, Dr. John Hattendorf, took part in the Redwood Library and Athenaeum's day-long symposium "Collecting Maps: A Redwood Library and Naval War College Museum Cartographic Collaboration," last Saturday. Hattendorf is a professor of maritime history.

The symposium celebrated current exhibits at both institutions.

The Naval War College Museum's exhibit, *Envisioning the World: The First Printed Maps, 1472-1700*, features 30 maps of the world, including the first known world map ever printed: a "T and O" style map produced by Saint Isidore, Bishop of Seville in the seventh century and printed in 1472. Visitors

may also view a 1504 map of the world referencing the discoveries of Christopher Columbus and a map from the first modern atlas printed in 1570. The exhibit closes Nov. 30.

A Sense of Place: Exploring Newport and Narragansett Bay through Historic Maps and Envisioning the World: The First Printed Maps, 1472-1700, at the Redwood Library offers a selection of important

maps of Newport and Narragansett Bay which reflect the perceptions and uses of these spaces over time. This exhibit is on display through Dec. 29.

The symposium included a tour at the NWC Museum in the morning followed by a guided tour of the Redwood's exhibition, then a luncheon, and a panel discussion on map collecting and how private and institutional collections are built.

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Cmdr. James Kraska, left, of the Naval War College, poses with Cmdr. Jason Darby, right, Africa Command Medical Operations Officer and NWC graduate; and Col. Charles Kahariri, fleet commander of the Kenyan navy, NWC alumni, and Kraska's former student, at the Chukwani Military Centre in Zanzibar off the coast of Tanzania.

NWC professor joins USAFRICOM exercise

LT. JOHN RIPLEY

NWC Public Affairs Staff

ARUSHA, Tanzania — Navy Cmdr. James Kraska recently participated in Natural Fire 11, a U.S. Africa Command (USAFRICOM) exercise designed to enhance regional partnerships.

Natural Fire 11, which was held Sept. 7-22 in Tanzania, involved military forces from Uganda, Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda and Tanzania. Kraska, who teaches International Law at NWC, was invited to participate to share expertise on Maritime Security law and policy, and to oversee the portions of the exercise that were related to counter-piracy and Maritime Security Operations (MSO).

Some of the major themes of the exercise were humanitarian aid and disaster relief for East Africa and how the five nations, along with the assistance of the United States, can pool their resources and truly make a difference.

"Individually, as nations, these nations don't have all the resources," said Lt. Col. Wayne Benjamin, logistics officer at AFRICOM J3/J4 (Operations and Logistics). "If they combine their resources, think and train collectively and have similar plans and ideas, they'll be better able to deal with the challenges that they face in the region as a community."



Special events

'I Want Candy!'

The Toe Jam Puppet Band tosses Halloween candy as they entertain dozens of kids at the Haunted Trail at the Carr Point Recreation Area last Saturday night. 585 people braved the blustery weather for the second weekend of the annual spooky trail manned by Morale, Welfare and Recreation. The Haunted Trail is open again Saturday, Oct. 22, plus next weekend, Oct. 28 and 29.

Kelly Conner/MWR photo



Birthday Ball Saturday

The 236th anniversary Navy Birthday Ball will be held in the Officers' Club Grand Ballroom on Saturday, Oct. 22, from 6 p.m. to midnight. The theme for this year's ball is "Building a Bridge to the Navy of Tomorrow..." and focuses on the role Naval Station Newport plays in training and educating Navy leaders throughout the world.

Rhode Island Gov. Lincoln D. Chafee will be the guest speaker.

Beirut Marines tribute

PORTSMOUTH — The Portsmouth Historical Society with the support of the Marine Corps Detachment Newport will hold the annual Portsmouth Beirut Marine Memorial ceremony at the Portsmouth Historical Society on Union Street and East Main Road on Sunday, Oct. 23, at 3 p.m.

This annual observance commemorates the anniversary of the truck bombing of the U.S. Marine Corps Barracks in Lebanon in 1983 and specifically the nine R.I. Marines who lost their lives that day. Naval Station Newport's participation includes Lt. Cdr. Sara DeGroot, who will sing the national anthem and U.S. Marine Corps hymn; Navy Band Northeast, which will provide a bugler to play "Taps," and Chaplain (Lt. j.g.) Jonathan Henderson, who will provide the blessing.

Tribute due two Marines

REHOBOTH, Mass. — The dedication of the Capt. Benjamin Sammis, USMC, Athletic Field and the Lt. Greg Waterman, USMC, Baseball Diamond will take place Sunday, Oct. 23, at 1 p.m. at 148 Peck St.

The Marine Corps Detachment Newport will provide a color guard and Navy Band Northeast will provide music as these two facilities are dedicated to two Marine Corps aviators who gave their lives in support of this nation.

Get a healthy heart

The Naval Health Clinic New England Health Promotions/Wellness Clinic will have a Healthy Heart class, Tuesday, Oct. 25, from 2-3 p.m.; and Eat Smart, Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2-3 p.m. All classes can be taught at any tenant command.

All civilians, active duty, retirees and dependents are welcome to attend any of these classes. Call 841-6777 for information.

Upcoming events:

Oct. 27 — Senior Enlisted Academy Resident Class 162 graduation ceremony will be held at the Officers' Club, at 5 p.m. For information call 841-4222.

Oct. 28 — Officer Candidate School Class 0212 graduation at Officer Training Command Newport will take

place at Kay Hall at 9 a.m. The Navy Band Northeast will provide appropriate music. Call 841-1171 for information.

Nov. 4 — Direct Commission Officer (DCO) Class 0212 graduation will be at 9 a.m. Call 841-1171 for information.

Nov. 5 — The 236th Marine Corps Ball will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel on Goat Island, Newport, from 5:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Lt. Gen. Frank A. Panter, Deputy Commandant, Installations and Logistics, is the guest speaker for the birthday observance. Call 841-4779 for ticket information.

Nov. 5 — Military Appreciation Day 2011 will be observed at the University of Rhode Island football game against William & Mary at Meade Stadium at 1 p.m. Military members will receive up to four free tickets with valid military ID. For more information and to reserve tickets, contact the Ryan Center Box Office at (401) 788-3200.

Nov. 6 — Daylight Savings Time ends. Turn clocks back 1 hour at bedtime Nov. 5.

Nov. 10 — 236th Marine Corps birthday.

Nov. 12 — Naval Academy Prep School football versus Military Academy Prep School at noon on Nimitz Field. Anyone with routine base access is welcome to cheer on the home team as they take on the Army cadets.

Announcements

NMCI, phone outage posted

Electrical work scheduled inside Perry Hall (Building 440) this afternoon at 2 p.m. through Sunday at 6 p.m. will create outages with Navy Marine Corps Internet service, NAVFAC Public Works Utilities Maintenance has announced.

This work will result in no NMCI connectivity in the following buildings: 197, 291, 292, 307, 344, 345, 347, 370, 403, 440, 447, 656, 690, 1112, 1172, 1255, 1260, 1312, 1357, 1900, 360/1288, 360N, 360S and W36.

Additionally, telephone service to the following commands/facilities will be out of service during this outage: Naval Health Clinic New England Dental; Tomich Hall, King Hall, Callahan Hall, Nimitz Hall and the MWR's Internet Café in Leisure Bay, Building 1255.

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Topside closed Saturday

The Officers' Club Topside will be closed on Saturday, Oct. 22, in support of the Navy Birthday Ball. Topside will reopen Sunday at noon for NFL Sunday Ticket. For more information, call 841-4821.

Volunteer coordinators meet

The Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport volunteer coordinators meeting will be held in the Building 690 command conference room, on Wednesday, Oct. 26, at 2 p.m. All tenant command volunteer coordinators are encouraged to attend. Call 841-2023 for information.

Scholarships for military

The Council of College and Military Educators (CCME) is offering \$1,000 scholarships each year to U.S. service members and spouses of service members who are working toward higher education degrees. All applicants must submit the CCME Military Personnel Scholarship application or the CCME Military Spouse Scholarship application by Tuesday, Nov. 1. Go to <http://www.ccmeonline.org/scholarships.aspx> for information.

NAVSTA indoctrination

The Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport indoctrination class will be Nov. 1 and 2 in Perry Hall Auditorium. These "indoc" classes are open to all commands and are an excellent opportunity to familiarize new personnel, both military and civilian, to the rules, regulations, facilities and programs available onboard Naval Station Newport. Call 841-6198 for information for more information.

NEX sweepstakes begin

The Navy Exchange is holding its 65th anniversary sweepstakes now through Nov. 7. The sweepstakes offer sixty-five \$1,000 shopping sprees that will be awarded in the form of NEX gift cards. Enter to win in the store or enter online at www.mynavyexchange.com. Winners will be selected in a random drawing on Nov. 17.

ID Section to serve ODS

Naval Station (NAVSTA) Newport ID Card Section in Building 690 will be closed to all walk-in customers, Oct. 24-28, at 3 p.m. in order to serve Officer Development School students. Please plan accordingly. For more information call 841-3021.

Transition guidance

The Fleet and Family Support Center, along with the Military Officers Association of America (MOAA), will present a once-a-year lecture on transition entitled, "Marketing Yourself for a Second Career," on Tuesday, Oct. 25, from noon to 2:30 p.m. in the Naval Justice School Auditorium, Building 360.

The lecture will be given by retired Air Force Col. Dan Koslov, deputy director of transition services on MOAA's national staff. Call 841-2283 for information.

DEERS/ID Card website

There is a new website for customers to make DEERS/ID Card appointments. Visit <https://rapids-appointments.dmdc.osd.mil> Call 841-3021 for information.

Caring and Sharing begins

The Chapel of Hope at Naval Station Newport kicked off the annual Caring and Sharing program last Monday. It will continue through Monday, Dec. 19, to help needy families of military and civilian personnel work onboard NAVSTA Newport with holiday meals.

The commands are assessing the number of families that need assistance, and the chapel is seeking volunteers to assist in spreading the word and filling gift baskets after the food is collected. The food will be split between Thanksgiving and Christmas. Nonperishable boxed food products and canned goods are recommended.

Collection boxes will be placed at the Newport Commissary, the Navy Exchange, the NEX Minimart, Combined Bachelor Housing and Gateway Inns & Suites, Center for Service Support, Building 690 Atrium, Newport Navy Lodge and the U.S. Army Reserve Center.

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Free WiFi sites at NAVSTA

Free WiFi spots at Naval Station Newport provided by MWR are located at the Officers' Club, Building 95; the Recreation Center, Building 656 and Leisure Bay, Building 1255.

Bowling

(Building 656, 841-4293)

Hours of operation are: Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Saturday, 1 to 11 p.m.; Sunday, 1 to 8 p.m.; and federal holidays noon to 6 p.m.

October events

Monday: Active duty military bowl for \$1• per game 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Tuesday: Bowl for \$1• per game 11a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wednesday: Bowl one game, get one game free 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Winter league starts at 6 p.m. every Wednesday!

Thursday: First game is \$3•, second game is \$2•, third game is \$1•. All three games must be bowled at one time for special pricing 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Friday: Bowl for \$2• 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Winter league starts at 6 p.m. every Friday!

Sunday: Wear your favorite team's football jersey and bowl for half price•.

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Special fitness activities

(Gym 109, 841-3154)

• **Le Tour de Aquidneck Island will be from Nov. 1 to Dec. 12.** This race is a 15-stop simulated "spinning tour" of Aquidneck Island. Take any cycling class at Gym 109 between Nov. 1

and Dec. 12 and you advance one stop along the map.

This is a great way to come in and try our new Livestrong spin bikes. Open to all levels. Group cycling class participants must call the front desk to reserve a bike up to 12 hours prior to class.

• **Weight Lifting Essentials on Wednesday, Nov. 9 at 5:30 p.m.** Learn safe lifting techniques, proper body alignment and more essentials. For more information, call Pat Mahoney at 841-3154.

• **Refrain From The Holiday Gain** initial weigh-ins will be from Nov. 14 to 18, with final weigh-ins from Jan. 3 to 6 Final. The goal is to maintain your body weight within three pounds from November to January. Tips and encouragement are at your fingertips from **LEISURE, Page 11**

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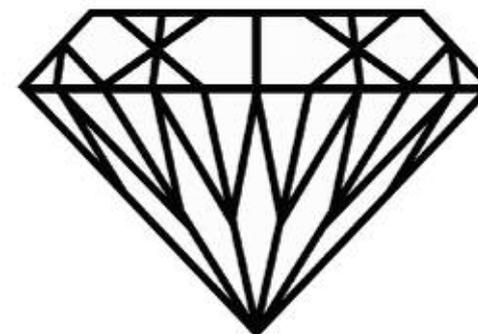
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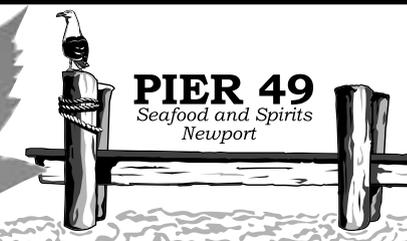
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Leisure

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- **The Last Plank Standing challenge** will be on Wednesday, Nov. 16, from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Can you hold the longest plank? If you can you will be crowned the winner of the last plank standing contest.

Protocol will be as follows: basic plank position with arms bent and legs fully extended, time begins when you say go and time ends as soon as a straight body line is not maintained. Sign up at the trainer's corner.

- **A Rhode Island Blood Center blood drive** will be held Monday, Nov. 21, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Donate the gift of life to someone. The blood drive technicians will be set up on basketball Court 3.

- **Fitness Center & Equipment Orientations** on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. or Wednesdays at 8 a.m. New to the base? Not sure how to get started with a fitness routine? Gym 109 has you covered! Stop in and sign up for a free fitness center and equipment orientation.

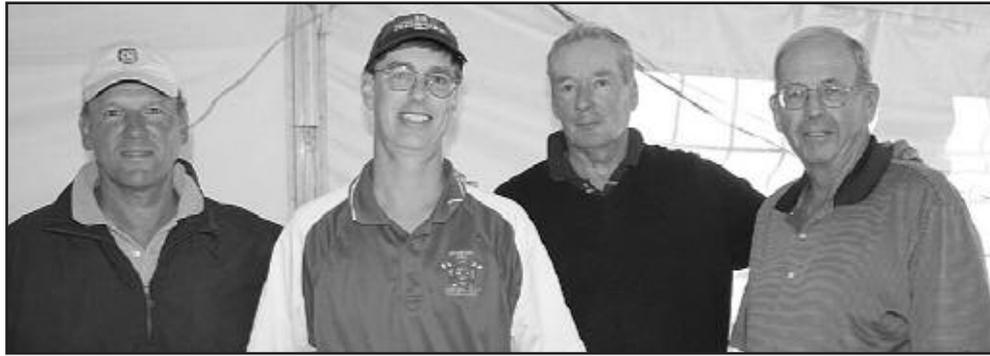
Orientations are offered three times a week for up to five people per time slot. A certified fitness instructor will give you a tour of the facility and briefing of the programs offered.

The tour will be followed by basic instruction and safety features on the cardiovascular equipment as well as the Nitro Nautilus circuit.

Liberty Center
(Recreation Center Building 656, 841-3054)

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The Liberty Center has eight computers and wire-



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TOP LINKSMEN — The winning foursome in the Morale, Welfare and Recreation annual Golf Tournament Oct. 13 at the Newport National Golf Club in Middletown includes, from left, Craig Gardner, Kenny Travis, Kenny Silveria and Harry Mrozowski. They shot a 58 (14 under par) and all four won a complete car detailing appointment from Barry's Automotive.

less Internet access, so bring your own laptop and log on anywhere in the building. Check out the billiards, foosball and ping-pong tables, three flat screen televisions for Xbox, Xbox 360,

PlayStation 2, PlayStation 3 and Wii video systems, a TV lounge and dining area. There is a movie room where free movies from the Navy Motion Picture Ser-

vice are shown - see movies six weeks before they're out on DVD!

This facility is alcohol-free and is only open to active duty military personnel and reservists who are single or unaccompanied.

October events
Tonight - Texas Hold'em

Tournament, prizes, 6 p.m.

Oct. 15 - Free Cookie Day, while supplies last!

Oct. 16 - MLB The Show Tournament, prizes, 6 p.m. NFL Sunday Ticket!

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Hewitt Hall Café, 841-4655 (NWC personnel only)
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Sports

'Little Army-Navy' game always NAPS highlight

By **BOB KREKORIAN**
NAVSTA Public Affairs Staff

A classic football rivalry will take place at noon on Nimitz Field, Nov. 12 when the Naval Academy Prep School (NAPS) Rams meet the Military Academy Prep School (MAPS) Golden Knights in what is considered to be the highlight of the 2011 season, the "Little Army-Navy" game.

An annual tradition since 1949, the game will be as competitive for NAPS midshipman candidates as it is for the Naval Academy midshipmen who will play the U.S. Military Academy (USMA) cadets in the Army-Navy game on Dec. 10 at FedEx Field, Landover, Md.

"This is just as big to us," said Bryan Brouse, NAPS athletic director. This game will be their first taste of competing with Army, he said.

"This is their first exposure to the Army Navy rivalry; it will set the tone for next year," he said. Brouse has been coaching NAPS midshipman candidates for 20 years, and was head football coach from 1991 to 2002.

The winner of the Little Army-Navy game is awarded the 1st Lt. Frank S. Reasoner, USMC, Trophy. Reasoner was a recipient of the



Navallog file photo

Naval Academy Prep School defense hauls down Hudson Valley Community College ball carrier in a game last year on Nimitz Field. Undefeated NAPS will take on the Military Academy Prep School next month.

Congressional Medal of Honor for his actions in combat in Vietnam in July 1965. He graduated from NAPS with the Class of 1957 in Bainbridge, Md., and was the leading scorer for the football team.

He was a prior enlisted Marine at the time. In Jan-

uary 1958, he received a Congressional appointment to attend USMA where he lettered in baseball and wrestling.

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Passes-in-review were often used to render honors to visiting dignitaries at the Newport Naval Station. In this photo taken in front of the present-day Founders Hall at the Naval War College, the Imperial Japanese Mission watches Sailors march on Dewey Field during a visit to Newport on Sept. 17, 1917. The visitors included Adm. Isamu Takeshita of the Imperial Japanese Navy, and Viscount Ishii Kikujiro, center, the special Japanese ambassador to the United States.

Afghan

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it," West said.

Though the U.S. has been involved with Afghanistan for a decade, it's like we've been there 5 minutes but these tribes have been there 500 years. They are not about to change. They see no need to, he said.

Speaking to about 200 people, West said the country has two basic geographic regions: The north is all rugged mountains and valleys and nearly impossible to patrol, and the south has a 4,000 to 5,000 square mile lush green valley of poppy fields and laden with mines. It looks just like Vietnam, he said.

Across the border, the Taliban and terrorists get re-supplied in fortresses within a 1,500 square mile sanctuary established by Pakistan. U.S. troops can fire into Pakistan only in self-defense.

West served in the U.S. Marines in the Vietnam War a member of the Force Reconnaissance Team that initiated attacks behind North Vietnam lines in the 1960s-70s. He discussed his current book, *The Wrong War: Grit, Strategy and the Way Out of Afghanistan*.

West said the north is dominated by the Pashtun tribe which is fractionalized and living in villages throughout the mountains. They are quick and agile through the rough terrain ... "four times faster" on foot than the U.S.

Marines who are bogged down with 80 pounds of body armor and packs.

"This is an enemy without uniforms," he said. "They're always looking for a fight. When they want to attack they go into the mountains to get their weapons, and shoot down into the valleys as the Americans pass through. When the battle is over, they hide their rifles again, return to their villages and become civilians."

Bing highlighted his presentation with two videos: One showing frontlines a firefight between the Taliban and U.S. Special Forces with a British advisory team; and the second of a suicide bomber in a roadside taxi that exploded as a military vehicle passes by. West also brought an inert Improvised Explosive Device (IED). IEDs are responsible for 65 percent of the U.S. and allied casualties in the war.

West estimates there's a 70 percent probability that the war will fade away after the U.S. withdraws and it's no longer reported.

"We have much more urgent situations in Yemen and Somalia," he said.

The U.S. may not neutralize the Taliban on the ground, but superior aerial reconnaissance by satellite will prevent any insurgent army from amassing and overthrowing Kabul. Stronger political and financial pressure must be placed on Pakistan to force it to reject the Taliban, he said.

Army-Navy

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secutive Brigade boxing championships in four separate weight classes. Upon graduation in 1962, Reasoner attended the Marine Corps officer basic school at Quantico, Va.

He was killed in action when he exposed himself to heavy enemy machinegun fire from an estimated 100 insurgents. Reasoner was tending to his wounded radioman and shouting words of encouragement to all his men when he was mortally wounded.

The Army-Navy Prep game trophy was renamed in 1965 to honor Reasoner after his death.

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NAPS is protecting a 5-0 record at mid-season with a game today against the George Mason junior varsity at Annapolis, Md.; Hamilton Valley Community College of Troy, N.Y., Oct. 29; and the Naval Academy junior varsity at Annapolis, Nov. 4. NAPS has outscored its opponents 203 points and has allowed only 87 points.

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SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME – The Navy’s littoral combat ship, USS Independence (LCS 2), showing its radical aluminum trimaran hull design, arrives at Pier 2 Naval Station Newport on Monday in conjunction with the International Seapower Symposium at the Naval War College. The ship also visited last October. ISS story, Page 2.

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Eight Bells

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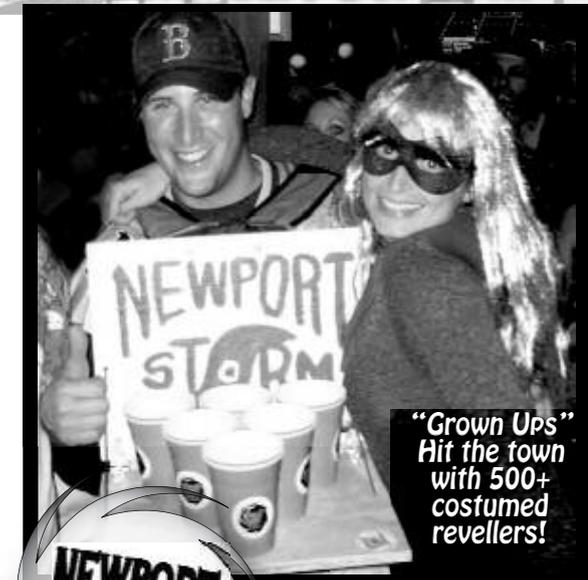
strategic significance since it formed the basis of navigational theory.

Measure of the Earth: The Enlightenment Expedition that Reshaped the World is an excellent story and takes the reader into another time. The Spanish had been in South America for 200 years by the time of the expedition. Yet, the continent was very primitive and unsettled according to European standards. The trek was an arduous one and political distrust was ever present.

Remnants of the Geodesic Mission’s expedition can be seen today in modern Quito, Ecuador.

The next Eight Bells Lecture will be Nov. 3 with Dr. William “Bill” Morgan presenting his book, *Pacific Gibraltar*. On Nov. 10 author Ian Toll will discuss his book, *Pacific Crucible*.

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