



U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
District Eleven North Region
DIVISION COMMANDERS REPORT



To: Mary Kirkwood, Commodore

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From: paul custance, Division Commander

Division: 113-07

HIGHLIGHTS

1. Flotilla socials
2. On the water fireworks
3. Optrex
4. Supporting the funeral of chief petty officer Jared Reaves
5. Article for the north wind
6. Division 7 elections
7. Division 7 change a watch

DETAILS:

1. **Flotilla socials** Flotilla 72 held their flotilla summer BBQ social one of their members beautiful homes Steve Weaver had a wonderful showing and lots of fun they had to prospective members attend applications are in process.

Flotilla 73 held a pancake breakfast on July 6th had over 15 members park staff attend

Flotilla 78 held their summer flotilla meeting and summer barbecue social at Morris's farmer's Home

it was a wonderful time lots of food.

2. **On the water fireworks event** On July 13th are division supported the on the water fireworks event at Jordanelle State Park we had a number of facilities assisting in on the water support from 8 in the morning until midnight this involved approximately 8 facilities, blessings Challenger ,Justice, Rover ,trophy one, z-boat ,PWC 1 ,PWC 2 and the radio facility on Shore as auxcom. This is a well-supported event with a large number of division 7 members assisting in all aspects of our mission Bravo Zulu to all members of division 7 and their team for supporting this event.
3. **Optrex** will be August 17th at Jordanelle Reservoir we have approximately 3 initial Crew 7 crew and coxswain requalification's in our division point of contact is Mike Williams
4. **Supporting the funeral** for Chief Petty Officer Jared M Reaves who passed away from leukemia and we'll be having services in North Ogden Matt James will be attending along with the number of their Shipmates from his station. division 7 will assist in any way possible.

5. **Article put together** to be placed in the north win for the June 9th parachute drop joint operations with Utah Special Forces Utah State Park and Wasatch search and rescue event
6. **Division 7 elections** will be in September 26 letters of intent will need to be sent in by July 26th. is election committee chairman will be Mike Thompson.
7. **Division 7 change** a watch will be at the Desert Star Playhouse theater same location as last year December 7th approximately 11 to 2 afterwards for those who've got discounted tickets, we will be attending a play after the dinner.

PROJECTS: CG Communication Trailer Division 7:

1. we need graphics for the Utah Comms trailer.
2. the trailer needs to have a spare tire along with a jack in the event of a flat tire
3. we believe the four tires on the trailer are well past their life expectancy. And will need to get some new tires for the trailer.

CHALLENGES/OBSTACLES

- 1 needing more new membership
1. need to keep our current membership active
2. need to activate the inactive members through fellowship actives
3. we need to get more boat crew members!

Upcoming dates:

1. ABS class at Cabela's on July 20th
2. august 1- 3 Bear Lake will be having a Razzberry Days festival
3. optrex will be August 17th at Jordanelle Reservoir
4. August 17th at Willard Bay in the evening will be a fireworks display is a large event and flotilla 7-6 will be covering this event.

Note: Please check out the flotillas photo galleries in our division they have a number of wonderful photos too many to put on my report