



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



To: Mary Kirkwood, Commodore

January -11-2020

From: Paul Custance, Division 7 Commander

Division: 113-07

HIGHLIGHTS:

1. Division 7 stats for all activities for 2019
2. Division 7 goals for 2020
3. RM 2.0 training class
4. Flotilla 72 election for vice flotilla commander
5. Division 7 Change of Watch
6. Wreaths Across America
7. Member passing the bar
8. ABS class taught to the Utah Highway Patrol
9. Division Fellowship activity night

DETAILS:

1. **Division 7 stats:** for all activities for 2019 are attached to my report.
2. **Division 7 goals for 2020:** will be worked on at are next division meeting. I will have them on my next report.
3. **RM 2.0:** February 08 at the Glendale library from 1100 hours to 1500 hours point of contact will be Ann Zocchi instructor will be Mike Williams.
4. **Flotilla 72 election:** Election for vice flotilla commander was held. they elected (Roy Vandermolen) as their vice flotilla commander for 2020. At their last December meeting / xmas party.
5. **Division 7 Change of Watch:** Our c.o.w was held on December 7th at 11 a.m. at the Desert Star Theater Murray, Utah. was a wonderful success. This event was are second time we had our change of watch there. We are looking forward to using this facility again next year. We were able to have the Navy Sea Cadets, Sea Scouts, Utah state park rangers form the DNR all in attendance along with a some of our retired members. this was a wonderful event we had over 65 people attend our event. We had 17 members attend a wonderful play afterwards.
6. **Wreaths across America:** On December 14th our division participated in 4 Cemeteries, Camp Williams in Lehi, Lehi City Cemetery, fort Douglas Cemetery in Salt Lake City Utah, Layton city Cemetery.
7. **Member passing the bar:** It is sad to report the passing of a fellow member from Flotilla 72

(Dave Nelson)

8. **ABS class taught:** The Utah Highway Patrol Department of Public Safety dive team. They are working on their FEMA dive team accreditation. They need a Coast Guard approved boating safety course too help complete one of the requirements. We had 9 students officers attend out of the 12 scheduled. Class taught by flotilla 73.
9. **Division Fellowship activity night:** The Utah grizzly hockey team is hosting a military appreciation game night on March 21st. we were given 40 tickets to use for are division.

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. Division 7 board meeting Jan 23
2. Bear lake monster winterfest Jan 24-26
3. Utah Boat Show & Watersports Expo Thu, Feb-6 -Sun, Feb 9th