



SNL Scuttlebutt - February 2018

The Seattle Navy League thanks you for your role in a great start to 2018 and support of the upcoming year's excitement . This month's news brings the reminder for our second social of the year, summary of our SNL Annual Appreciation Reception, tough news about Tom Jaffa's health, and information on our other upcoming events...

Our monthly social is this Thursday, February 22 at Paddy Coyne's on Alaskan Way from 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM - Please join if you can!

This month we welcome
US Coast Guard Maritime Safety and Security Team (MSST) 91101
as our highlighted/hosted unit.

MSSTs are domestic, mobile units that possess specialized training and capabilities to perform a broad spectrum of port safety and security operations. Come meet these Sea Service Members that support the Puget Sound Region as an important force multiplier that enhances law enforcement and security posture during major marine events, contingencies, and other port level operations.

We would like to recognize and thank **Han Santos, PLLC** as the sponsor for the first \$100 of the beverage tab this month!



Han Santos, PLLC is a specialty law firm that serves clients in matters related to intellectual property, business transactions and technology law. Founded in April 2011, the firm has offices in the Greater Seattle area and in Southern California.

Come meet members of our adopted units, sea service supporters, Navy Leaguers, members of the business community, and retired service members! This is an open event for meet, greet, and conversation. We also invite the highlighted units to say a few words about their unit and mission. Paddy Coyne's will offer a special menu with food and drink discounts, as well as their entire menu and bar to place orders. Please join us as you can and come as you are, and come and go as your schedule permits.

Paddy Coyne's (PIER 70)

2801 Alaskan Way, Ste 103
Seattle, WA 98121

We welcome volunteer individuals or businesses to sponsor a first round (up to \$100) at future events and we can put your logo on our announcement and event slide show.

Our **Seattle Navy League Membership Appreciation and Sea Cadet Awards Reception** was held on **February 13th** at the Seattle Queen Anne Elks Lodge #92.

We would like to thank everyone who joined the evening, with congratulations to all recognized and our special appreciation for our two guest speakers, CAPT Romanowicz, Commanding Officer of US Coast Guard Base Seattle and CAPT Lockwood, Commanding Officer of the University of Washington Navy ROTC Unit.

This was a very enjoyable evening with social time for members and recognition of 2017 awards for council Navy Leaguers and the 2017 Sea Cadet awards for our Blue Angel Squadron. This reception also included the official installation of the 2018 Seattle Navy League Board and Officers, conducted by our Northwest Region President, Roger Olsen.

Please visit our Navy League Seattle Facebook page to see all the photos!

For those who have not already heard, this month we also need to share terrible news that **Tom Jaffa**, suffered a stroke on Saturday February 10th. He is still in the hospital, but it showing progress and was moved out of ICU last week. As most of you know, Tom is a backbone of our Council as a long term Board Member, a Past President, past National Vice President, and Fleet Week Co-Chair with Diane. The impact of the stroke and recovery time remains uncertain at this point, so please keep him and Diane in your thoughts for a strong return to health. Get well soon, Tom!

== Upcoming Events ==

The Seattle Navy League is proud to participate again in the **Mariners' Salute to Armed Forces** on **14 April**. Join us and the Mariners for a special pregame program honoring the United States Armed Forces, service veterans & support organizations. Festivities will begin at 5:30 pm and the game starts at 6:10 pm. *Information to follow on purchasing tickets.*

Mark your calendars for our special **US Coast Guard / Maritime Night** on **May 10th**. This will be a formal dinner event at the Seattle Women's University Club, the same venue where we recently held the USMC / Navy Night in November. The night's key note speakers will be **Rear Admiral David Throop**, USCG District 13 Commander, and **Rear Admiral Stephen Metruck (USCG, Ret.)**, the new Executive Director of the Port of Seattle.

Hope to see you soon!

The Seattle Navy League Board

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The Navy League was founded in 1902 with a clear three-pronged mission: to support the members of the sea services and their families; to educate the American people and their elected leaders about the critical importance of sea power for their economic prosperity and national security; and to help build America's future through successful youth programs like the Naval Sea Cadet Corps.

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