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Seattle Council news

Annual Meeting 7pm February 10, 2022

Our **Annual Meeting** of the council membership, including council updates and elections for new officers, will take place at 7pm on February 10. The meeting will be held virtually, and will feature Rear Admiral Gaucher, Commander of Submarine Group 9 in Bangor as our guest speaker, with a question-and-answer period.

Invitations were sent out last week. If you did not receive yours, please contact

communications@navyleagueseattle.org.

NAVY LEAGUE SEATTLE'S
2022 ANNUAL MEETING
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH 19:00-20:15

GUEST SPEAKER:
REAR ADMIRAL ROBERT GAUCHER
COMMANDER, SUBMARINE GROUP 9



Nominations for council officers

Elections will be held as part of the Annual Meeting on February 10. The nomination committee has proposed and the board of directors has endorsed this slate for our 2022 council officers:

President: Steve Keith

President Elect: Sanu Chacko

Vice President, Military Affairs: Joe Kuzmick

Vice President, Legislative Affairs: Rich Berkowitz

Vice President, Communications: Whitney Moore

Vice President, Resource Development / Outreach: Mark Haller

Vice President, Finance and Budget: Jeff Davis

Judge Advocate: Hunter Abell

Treasurer: Sky Deming

Secretary (acting): Jeff Davis

Fleet Week 2022

Fleet Week is back!

We expect the public health situation to allow an in-person event by then and the planning has already begun in order to make it a reality. At a planning conference in San Diego last week, the Navy confirmed

that it is planning ship visits to support all four west coast fleet weeks: Los Angeles (May), Portland (June), Seattle (August), and San Francisco (October).



With our partners [Seafair](#) and the [Port of Seattle](#), we are planning for Fleet Week to return to the Seattle waterfront the first week of August. The Seafair Weekend Festival and the Blue Angels are already scheduled for August 5-7, 2022.

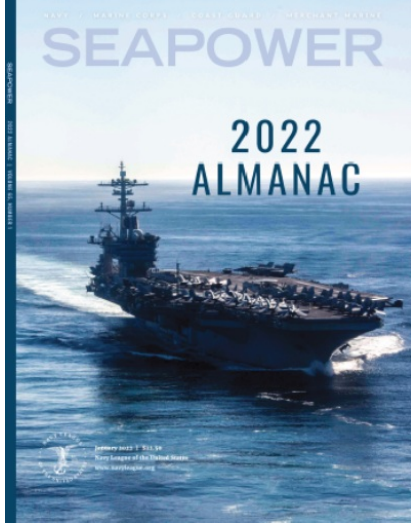
Fleet Week is one of our top priorities as we carry out our mission in 2022, and will include a number of events and opportunities for engagement. Schedules and calls for volunteers will be announced as details are developed. Stay tuned!



Information and Advocacy

Seapower 2022 Almanac

Keep informed on the US sea services with Seapower's 2022 Almanac. It is the essential reference tool, with



comprehensive data on the organization; missions; ships; aircraft; weapons; unmanned systems; and intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance assets of the Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and Maritime Administration.

Seapower 2022 Almanac

"From the Helm"

Greetings, members and friends of Navy League Seattle!

Fleet Week is returning to the waterfront in 2022! With our Seattle Fleet Week partners and the sea services, we are planning the traditional in-person event for the first week of August, with ships on the Elliott Bay waterfront and the Blue Angels in the sky over Lake Washington.

For more about Fleet Week plans, as well as updates on all our programs and elections for council officers, as well as guest speaker Rear Admiral Gaucher, join us the evening of Feb 10 for our Annual Meeting. Please contact us if you have not seen the email invitation for this online event.

In the meantime, please stay healthy and get vaccinated!

*regards, Steve Keith
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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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