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The Navy and Marine Corps were out in force during yesterday's annual Bristol 4th of July Parade (the oldest in the nation). Top photo shows the Marine Corps Detachment Newport Color Guard comprised of (left to right) PFC Louis Garret, Sgt. Jeremiah Hall, Sgt. Ken McCormack and LCPL Charles Cypher leading a marching unit of 26 Marines; below photo shows (left to right) Command Master Chief Michael Ashton, Officer Training Command Newport (OTCN) Senior Enlisted Leader; Cmdr. Frank Brown, OTCN Executive Officer; Cmdr. Clemia Anderson, Officer Development School Director, OTCN; Capt. Mark Nicholson, Commanding Officer, OTCN; Capt. Ian Johnson, Commanding Officer, NS Newport (and this year's Navy Division Marshall) and his daughter Annika leading the Navy team of 196 OTCN students who were followed closely by 30 Navy Supply Corps School representatives! (more photos pages 2/3)

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA...



Musician Senior Chief Ryan Hudson (top) leads Navy Band Northeast down Hope St. yesterday ahead of the sea service contingent that totaled over 250 personnel marching and additional representatives from the Surface Warfare Officer's School Command who were escorting their float which features the USS Wasp. Junior officers currently attending the Navy Supply Corps School grabbed the school banner and signed up with volunteer classmates to show their Navy pride. Ensign Jesse Routsong, Ensign Katherine Jablonski, Ensign Bryanna Gilbert and Ensign Patrick Walsh led the contingent (left to right).

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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA...



Officer Training Command Newport's Officer Development School (ODS) Class 18040 presented a sea of white with 196 members of the class, accompanied by cadre and staff, participating in the event yesterday. Above photo, Lt. Austin Stokes, ODS Class Sierra Company Drill Body, keeps the unit in step as they head down Hope St. Thousands of people turned out for the 233rd Fourth of July Parade, the oldest such event in the nation, but the heat and humidity presented some challenges. (all parade photos by NS Newport Public Affairs)





## Naval War College launches first International Wargaming Course

By MC2 Jess Lewis,  
NWC Public Affairs  
NEWPORT, R.I.  
(NNS) -- U.S. Naval  
War College's (NWC)  
International Programs  
and NWC's Wargaming  
Department have  
teamed up to launch the  
first international wargaming course.



The purpose of this course is to introduce international partners to the fundamental concepts of wargaming through the project management process, guided discussions, case study, group activities and practical application.

"The college's first international wargaming course marks a significant milestone for us," said Rear Adm. Jeffrey A. Harley, NWC's president. "With our international partners, we practice together so that during real-world operations, we can operate as one seamless team. We continue to support our international partners in many different ways and this is the latest initiative that continues to strengthen our global maritime partnerships while demonstrating the critical need of our college."

The two-week international course was delivered through lectures and presentations in a classroom environment which included guided discussions, practical applications, small-group activities and analysis of existing wargames. The different ways of delivery throughout the course allowed for context and reinforcement of classroom instruction.

"I found this course to be an eye opener," said Royal Malaysian navy Cmdr. Chinkeat Gan. "When I go back to my country, I am going to be one of the teaching staff at our staff college, and I plan to take what I learned here back with me to teach those in the Royal Malaysian navy how to be better wargamers."

Throughout the course, the students were able to understand, execute and analyze wargames. This allowed for students to gain insight on complex maritime problems utilizing simulated and plausible scenarios. Students were also able to build on international collaboration in the operational planning and execution of contingency operations in a fiscally constrained environment. They also learned how to build enduring both professional and personal relationships within the international community as well as build on emergent international wargaming capabilities.

"After spending a year in the international program



Military officers from various countries participate in the first international wargaming course held at U.S. Naval War College (NWC). The two-week course was developed by NWC's International Programs and Wargaming Department. The purpose of the course was to introduce international partners to the fundamental concepts of wargaming through the project management process, guided discussions, case study, group activities and practical application. (U.S. Navy photo by MC2 Jess Lewis/Released)

here at the Naval War College and learning how to be a war planner, taking this course is allowing all of us to learn how to be war fighters," said Gan. "Being in class with leaders from other nations also helps us to reach a common goal. We have learned how to work together here, and when we go back to our countries, we can continue to work together as allies to work toward the betterment of each of our countries."

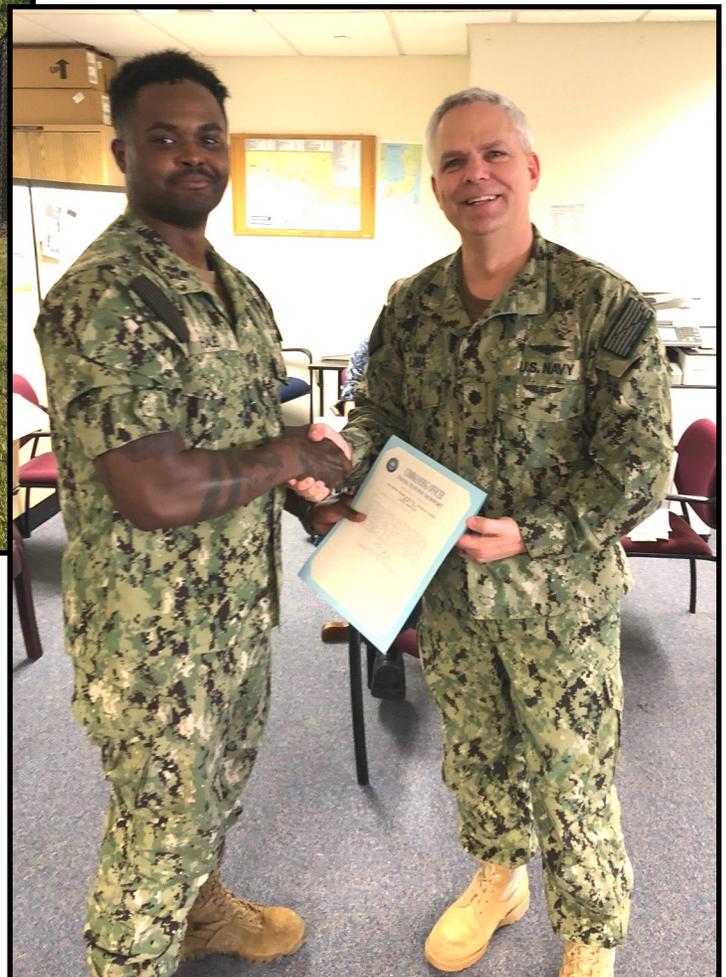
The course was designed to complement the International Maritime Staff Operators Course (I-MSOC) which was just launched last year. I-MSOC focuses on NATO, United Nations and interagency operations in addition to U.S. planning and procedures for high-level students of partner nations' navies. The development of I-MSOC was done because international students requested learning more at the operational level. After the success of I-MSOC, this course was developed to engage international partners in a wargaming environment. This course falls in line with NWC's strategic internationalization vision which is in alignment with the Chief of Naval Operations' purple line of effort. The purple line of effort prioritizes key international partnerships through information sharing, interoperability initiatives, and combined operations while exploring new opportunities for combined forward operations.

# BZ SHIPMATES...



Capt. Ian Johnson, Commanding Officer of NS Newport, conducted two meritorious promotions on Monday, July 1. Capt. Johnson swung by port operations to promote Petty Officer Second Class Jimonte Neclos from Interior Communications Electrician 2nd Class to 1st Class Petty Officer. Neclos, a native of Wendell, NC, is currently assigned to port operations. (right)

Capt. Johnson also caught up with Master at Arms Seaman Kirk Kouchenerk to promote him to third class petty officer while he was on duty at the gate. Kouchenerk is a native of Grand Rapids, MI (below)



Cmdr. Al Lima, Executive Officer, NS Newport, presented a Commanding Officer's Letter of Commendation—signed by Capt. Ian Johnson—to Gas Turbine Systems Technician Fireman Darren Hale to commemorate his work while stationed here in Newport. Fireman Hale is departing NS Newport to report to the USS Stethem, DDG-63) homeported in Yokosuka, Japan.





## Naval Health Clinic New England's Internal Behavioral Health Consultant, Dr. Shari Bronsky, Psy.D, offers a wide range of services

As an active duty service member or dependent (ages 18 and above), do you ever wonder where you can go to discuss issues such as stress/worry and emotional/physical concerns or other life problems that interfere with daily life, without an appointment? Look no further than your Clinic's Medical Home Port and the Embedded Internal Behavioral Health Consultant (IBHC).

NHCNE's IBHC, Dr. Shari Bronsky, is a licensed Clinical Psychologist with a wide range of training and over 20 years of experience helping individuals cope with physical, behavioral and emotional aspects of health. In particular, she is training to assist individuals who want to make healthy lifestyle changes to improve health, cope with pain, improve sleep issues, deal with chronic illnesses, as well as short-term assistance with stress, anxiety, adjustment/coping, post-partum depression and grief. She works directly with Primary Care Managers to help individuals address these types of issues and more.



This service differs from traditional psychotherapy in that sessions are 30 minutes long, of short-term duration (4-6 sessions) and result in documentation in your outpatient medical record rather than in a separate behavioral health client chart. You do not need an appointment or referral for this service. Potential clients can either self-refer or walk-in. This service is available Monday-Friday between 8 am and 4 pm.

Remember: Your Primary Care Manager is in charge of your health care. The IBHC's main job is to help create the best integrated health care plan for YOU! Why not take advantage of this service, which is designed for you to be quick and easy to access? Contact the Call Center at 1-888-NAVY-MED to make your appointment today or just walk in.

## Be on the lookout for ticks , they may be packing a punch!

By Preventive Medicine Department, NHCNE

Source: Navy Entomology Center of Excellence and Center for Disease Control

*Below are some highlights from and article published earlier but worth reminding—there has been a massive increase in tick-borne diseases in our area so please take heed of the below.*

A tick can only transmit a disease pathogen after several hours of feeding so the sooner an attached tick is removed, the better!

### - Personal protective measures to prevent tick bites:

#### **Avoid Direct Contact with Ticks**

- Avoid wooded and brushy areas with high grass and leaf litter.
- Walk in the center of trails.

#### **Repel Ticks on Skin and Clothing**

- Use repellent that contains 20 percent or more DEET, picaridin, or IR3535 on exposed skin for protection that lasts several hours.
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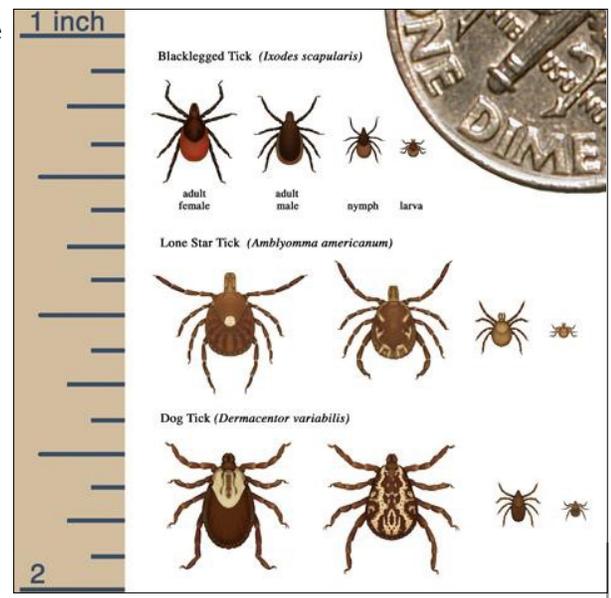
Agency (EPA) has an online tool to help you select the repellent that is best for you and your family (<https://www.epa.gov/insect-repellents/find-repellent-right-you>).

### **Find and Remove Ticks from Your Body as soon as possible—take a shower and conduct a full body tick search after spending time in areas where ticks are prevalent (hiking in the woods; gardening in the brush; etc)**

#### **If bitten:**

1. Grasp the tick's mouth-parts against the skin, using pointed tweezers.
2. Pull back slowly and steadily with firm force until tick is removed. DO NOT squeeze the body of the tick or apply any substance, including petroleum jelly, finger nail polish, or a lighted match to the tick, while it is attached. These methods are ineffective.

3. If possible, save the tick, by placing it in a clean, dry jar, vial, small Ziploc plastic bag, or other sealed container, for future identification (at Preventive Medicine Department, NHCNE) should you later develop disease symptoms.
4. Discard the tick after one month if no disease symptoms occur.





# FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER...

The Fleet & Family Support Center have the following classes scheduled. They do not represent all classes scheduled and available at FFSC. Please note that the August 8 Stress class is meant for parents AND children to attend. Due to limited space, you must sign up before hand to reserve a spot. Please call 401-841-2283 to register. If you want a class or have topic you wish to bring to your command at your schedule, please don't hesitate to call!

Class listing:

**July 10, 9 a.m.**— Stress Management

**July 11, 9:30 a.m.**— Communication for Life and at 1 p.m.— New Spouse Orientation

**July 16-18 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**— Ombudsman Training

**July 24, 1 p.m.**— Anger Management

**July 25, 5 p.m.**—00 Ombudsman Assembly

**August 8, 2 p.m.**— Parents/Kids Stress Management (focused on Back to School)

**Aug 15, 10 a.m.**—Communication for Life

**Aug 22, 10 a.m.**— Anger Management

**Sept 6, 9 a.m.**— Stress Management

**Sept 18, 2 p.m.**— Anger Management

**Sept 27, 11 a.m.**— Ombudsman Appreciation Lunch at the Officer's Club and at 1:30 p.m., Communication for Life

Cora Smayda, LCSW, Counseling, Advocacy and Prevention, Child Counselor (401) 841-4499, [cora.smayda@navy.mil](mailto:cora.smayda@navy.mil) and Anne Champney, Work, Family & Life Educator and Ombudsman Coordinator, 841-6923, [anne.champney@navy.mil](mailto:anne.champney@navy.mil) are standing by to assist.

## MILITARY CONSUMER PROTECTION MONTH



The Office of Financial Readiness (FINRED) is teaming up with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) to promote the topic of military consumer protection. Observed each July, Military Consumer Protection Month reminds military consumers to protect their financial future through awareness and education. FINRED along with Federal Trade Commission, the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, and the Better Business Bureau Military Line will promote consumer awareness with marketing and resources throughout the month.

Learn more about protecting consumer rights. Follow FINRED on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter @DODFINRED, or for more information about consumer awareness and protection, contact your local Fleet and Family Support Center Personal Financial Manager. For the location nearest you, go to [www.ffsp.navy.mil](http://www.ffsp.navy.mil).

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## Caught Speeding: Indigestion until proven guilty

The vacation was over. After a week of roasting in the Carolina sun and indulging shamelessly in happy hour beverages and nightly feasts, we packed our sand-sprinkled suitcases, a gluttonous stockpile of left-over food, and our elephant-skinned bodies into our minivan for the brutal twelve-hour drive back to Rhode Island. As I zoned out, munching cleansing carrots from a baggie and half-listening to the humorous prattle of my college-aged kids, I had no idea that I would soon become a common criminal.

Our minivan — a 2005 Toyota Sienna with 224,000 miles and a perpetual sour odor — had been our faithful family servant through six military moves. But she was on her last leg, or wheel as it were. Soon after her last inspection, her dashboard lights lit up like a Christmas tree, warning us to “check engine” and other various alerts that we summarily ignored. The rear passenger door handle was missing, there was a long crack in the sun-baked-baby-poop-brown-vinyl dashboard, the alloy wheels were corroded, the headlights were yellowed and hazy, and there were remnants of duct tape around the windshield from the time we tried to fix the leaky roof.

But despite it all, our old minivan was faithfully carrying us home as she always had.

Along a mind-numbing stretch of rural interstate 13 on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, our minivan was mingling in a small herd of post-vacation traffic making its way north, when suddenly, I saw a police car in a broken-down diner parking lot on the side of the road.

I inhaled a tiny gasp, tapped the break, and thought, “Uh oh, am I speeding?” Then my stomach did a sickening somersault when I saw red

flashing lights behind me. I stopped carefully on the side of the road. The kids were alarmed, but excited about the social media value that this unfortunate event presented. Just as Lilly snapped a selfie, a police officer and his uniformed trainee approached the driver’s side window.



“Ma’am, you’re being pulled over for going 70 in a 45 mile-per-hour zone,” the officer said in a southern drawl as I fumbled for my documentation.

After an initial feeling of pride that our old minivan could actually still reach 70 mph, I thought, “Forty-five zone? Wait, wasn’t it 55 or 65? I didn’t notice speed limit signs, but then again, I wasn’t looking. Surely this guy will let me off with a warning when he sees that I have a squeaky clean record.”

I handed over my license, registration, and military ID in hopes that he would appreciate my respect for service. While my innards cartwheeled over my spleen, the officer and trainee retreated to their vehicle, returning with a clipboard ten minutes later.

“Ma’am, you are summonsed to appear in district court on August 28 on the charge of Reckless Speed-

ing,” he said, leaning his bald head into my window to hand me a pen. “Sign here.”

My stomach dropped onto the floormat. “What?!” I screamed in my head. “I have to appear in court? But I’m a good citizen! I was eating a carrot, for criminy’s sake!”

The officer peered through his Oakleys into my panicked eyes. Speaking low, perhaps so his trainee would not think less of him, he admitted that the judge would reduce it to a lesser traffic ticket if I simply showed up for court. I scribbled my signature, and muttered a dopey, “Thank you, Officer,” and pulled back onto the road with my intestines twisted in a tangled knot.

For the remaining ten hours, I carefully drove under the posted speed limits, as other cars whizzed by me, obviously annoyed that I was holding up traffic. As I plodded along, I struggled with the nauseating fact that I, a 23-year military spouse with a spotless record, was accused of being reckless by the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Accepting my imperfect status, I discarded the bag of wholesome carrots and called out to the dozing kids, “Hey could one of you dig around and find that four-pound bag of leftover M&Ms?”

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**Tuesday ~ Rhode Island Style Chicken** - Half roast chicken, pasta with marinara, French fries & salad bar ~ 13.00

**Cajun Shrimp & Lobster Cavatappi** - with baby spinach, Cajun peppers, tomato basil cream ~ 22.00

**Cavatappi Primavera** - with tomatoes, artichokes, olives, goat cheese in a roasted garlic butter ~ 14.00

**Wednesday ~ Fried Fisherman's Platter** - Fried clams, scallops & fish served with French fries and coleslaw ~ Market Price

**Baked Seafood Casserole** - Scallops, fish, shrimp, topped with a buttery cracker crumb, served with baked potato and seasonal vegetable ~ 22.00

**Thursday ~ Boiled Lobster** - New England favorite! Steamed and served with potato, corn on the cob, sausage & onions ~ Market Price

**Lobster Mac & Cheese** - A creamy blend of pasta & cheese and loaded with buttery lobster ~ 18.00

**Friday ~ Prime Rib** - 12 oz. thick cut, served with baked potato & seasonal vegetable ~ 24.00

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**WEDNESDAY** - All-you-can-eat Pizza & Salad Buffet \$7.25, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

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**FRIDAY** - All-you-can-eat Mongolian Barbecue with free fountain soda \$9, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

**MOVIE ON THE DECK** - Top Gun on Saturday, July 7, 8:30-11 p.m.

**HOST YOUR NEXT CLASS SOCIAL OR GROUP GET TOGETHER** - At the club or one of our two decks.

For more information, call (401) 841-3054.

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## **FIRE SAFETY MESSAGE:**

Did You Know? Approval for construction, alterations, and renovations performed as a Self-Help Project must be obtained from the Fire Department prior to the start of any Self-Help Project. This approval shall be in the form of a permit/request for authorization and issued by the FD subject to project plans review and completed materials list.

## **ONBASE FUND DRIVES!!!**

July 13 and 20: Stop by the NEX Gas Station between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and get help pumping gas and cleaning your windows (**donations happily accepted**) - all proceeds will go to the 2018 Navy Ball Committee.

## **CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT FOR 2017**

The 2017 Calendar Year Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) contains important information about your drinking water. The Safe Drinking Water Act requires this information be distributed to all customers of the Naval Station Newport and Fort Adams Water Distribution Systems and electronic copies of this document have been forwarded via electronic notification. The document is posted on the installation website at: [https://www.cnic.navy.mil/regions/cnrma/installations/ns\\_newport/om/environmental\\_support/drinking\\_water.html](https://www.cnic.navy.mil/regions/cnrma/installations/ns_newport/om/environmental_support/drinking_water.html) (click on the link for "Consumer Confidence Report for CY 2017). For further information, please contact Pamela Crump at 841-6376 or [pamela.crump@navy.mil](mailto:pamela.crump@navy.mil).

## **SUMMER CONCERT SERIES AT THE O'CLUB:**

### **Fridays from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.**

- July 6: Lounge Duo/Trio—Pop & Jazz
- July 13: The Vegas Lords—Rock
- July 20: Blackstone River Boys- Country, Bluegrass, Folk & Celtic
- July 27: The Natick's—Rock
- August 3: The Big Payback—Classic Hits
- August 10: Greg Hodde's Blue Reign—Blues, Rock & Metal
- August 17: Sure Thing - 6 piece Swing, Motown, R&B
- August 24: The Teledyne's—Blues, Country & Swing
- August 31: Blackstone River Boys- Country, Bluegrass, Folk & Celtic

### **Saturdays from 6 to 9 p.m.:**

- July 7: Outcry—Classic Rock
- July 14: Two Across—Acoustical
- July 21: Liz Boudreau Trio—Country, Rock, Top 40
- July 28: Chet Matteson Duo- Rock, Blues
- August 4: Acoustical Groove—Rock
- August 11: Acoustical Groove—Rock
- August 18: Lounge Dou/Trio—Pop & Jazz

September 1: Changes In Latitude—Jimmy Buffet Tribute Band  
- Officer's Club events are open to active duty personnel, retirees, reservists, eligible family members, DoD civilians and contractors with base access. The Officer's Club is open to ALL Hands—stop in for some great food and great live entertainment with a million\$\$\$\$ view!

## **UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS:**

- JULY 12: BZ TO SWOS DEPARTMENT HEAD CLASS 247 ON THEIR GRADUATION!**
- July 18:** Military Appreciation Night at the Gulls, Cardine Field, Newport
- July 20:** Officer Candidate School Graduation
- July 23 & 24:** Naval Academy Prep School Class of 2019 Open House and Induction Day
- August 4:** Save the Bay Swim
- August 25:** **NS Newport Salute to Summer Concert & Fireworks onboard NS Newport's Dewey Field**

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## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### SALUTE TO SUMMER CONCERT AND FIREWORKS

Naval Station Newport, RI. – The Naval Station Newport Commanding Officer is pleased to announce that Naval Station Newport’s annual “Salute to Summer” concert and fireworks show will be held on the base, Saturday, August 25.

The concert is free and open to the public, and will feature performances by Middletown’s own Ben O’Connor, The Driftwoods, and Navy Band Northeast. Fireworks are scheduled to begin around 9:15 p.m.

Access and parking information will be announced at a later date. Guests will be encouraged to bring lawn chairs and blankets. Food and drink concessions will be available for refreshment purchases, and a children’s play area will be available until dusk. Guests must be prepared to present a picture I.D. upon entry to the base.

Coolers, outside food or drink, pets, glass bottles, banners or signs of any type, firearms and other weapons, defensive sprays (pepper spray) or chemicals, illegal drugs or paraphernalia, and drones will not be allowed on base. Strollers and small bags such as diaper bags, small backpacks or handbags will be permitted; however, they will be subject to search.

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## ON BASE UPDATES:

**Gate Hours:** Following are **routine** gate hours:

**Gate 1:** Open 7 days a week/24 hours a day for routine traffic.

**Gate 2:** Open for a.m. commute Mon-Fri from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m. to alleviate Gate 1 back-ups.

**Gate 17:** Open Mon-Fri from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.—commercial vehicles should use Gate 17.

**Gate 7:** NHCNE Gate, open Mon-Fri 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**Gate 23:** NUWC Gate open 24/7 for commuters.

**Gate 32:** Open Mon-Fri 6:30 to 9 a.m. and 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. for commuters.



## CONSTRUCTION UPDATE:

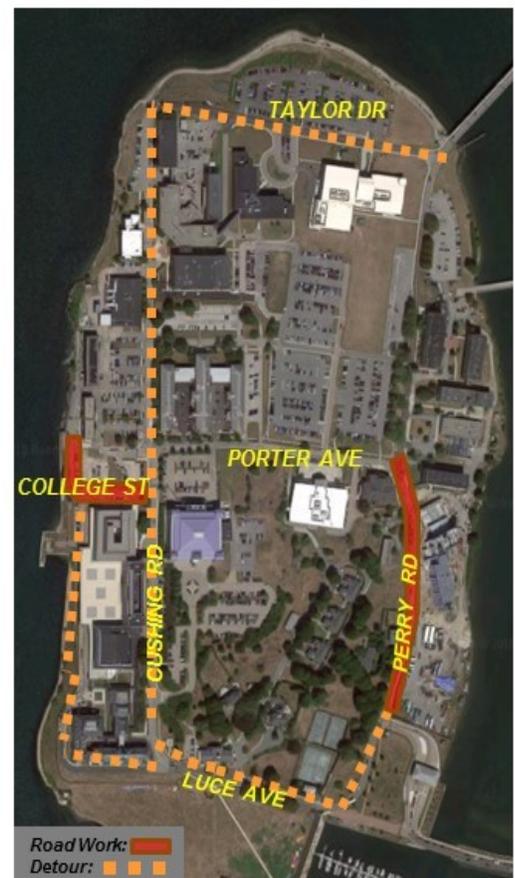
1. *Coasters Harbor Island—see below—work will continue through July 31*



## Coasters Harbor Island



- Scope:
  - Repave Perry Rd (Gate 1 to Crosswalk North of Porter Ave)
  - Repave College St near NWC (North of Hewitt Hall, B991)
- Timeline: 18 Jun – 31 Jul
- Impacts:
  - Perry Rd Detour as depicted to the right
  - Perry Rd Sidewalk closed – use alternative sidewalk
  - Gate 1 closed for ~5 days to repave Perry Rd & Gate 1 intersection – Dates TBD
    - ❖ Gate 2 will be Primary 24/7 Gate while Gate 1 is closed.
  - College St Detour
    - Adjusted traffic flow to two-way traffic on Luce Ave.
- POC: ENS Binal Rana, Construction Manager, 841-1762



Road Work:   
 Detour:



# HOT JOBS!



**HOT JOBS AS OF TODAY THERE ARE 157 RHODE ISLAND BASED FEDERAL JOBS LISTED ON USAJOBS.GOV—MANY OF THEM ARE POSITIONS LISTED RIGHT HERE ON THE INSTALLATION—SEE BELOW OVERVIEW AND GO TO: [WWW.USAJOBS.GOV](http://WWW.USAJOBS.GOV)**

*There are so many benefits to working on the base: Free parking; access to the Officer's Club and Recreation Center; access to the outdoor facilities; Naval War College Museum access; access to events with free entertainment; family events; joining a team focused on the security and defense of America. Veterans have hiring preference but all qualified applicants are encouraged to apply.*

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Physicians  
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Thursday, July 12th 11am—7pm

  
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**Resident Specialist** Will provide customer service to prospective residents, handle all paperwork involved and consistently inspect grounds. Conduct move in and move out inspections. Req's: Excellent customer service & strong communication skills, ability to plan & organize. Property mgmt and/or hospitality industry experience highly preferable. Reliability, capable of building relationships with others. Knowl. of Yardi, MS Word & Excel, valid driver's license.

**Maintenance Tech** Responsible for performing general maintenance and repair of buildings and equipment. Will complete maintenance tasks for all assigned work requests efficiently and in a quality manner. Candidates will perform plumbing, electrical, roofing repair, ceramic tile, sheet vinyl and locksmith work. Req's: HS dip, a valid driver's license & safe driving record is a must along with excellent customer service & strong communication skills.

**Facilities Manager** Responsible for providing management oversight for several functions including daily operations, financial reporting, training and development of employees, and customer service to an assigned team comprised of maintenance personnel. Builds and develops a team of highly motivated, skilled and productive professionals to drive company operational goals. Monitors all operational policies and recommends changes to improve overall functionality of business. Responsible for overseeing the company safety, Hazmat and environmental plans, and Zero Harm initiatives at assigned installation.

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Communities



## Public Programs by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

*These programs are offered FREE to the public by a dedicated and skilled group of volunteers, U.S. Fish & Wildlife staff and local community resources in an effort to increase your enjoyment of the conservation, protection and enhancement of your National Wildlife Refuges in Rhode Island.*

### July 2018 Free Public Programs

#### Nature Inspired Artwork – The Community Artists Program

In a continuing effort to connect visitors to nature, the Community Artists Program displays nature inspired artwork at the Kettle Pond Visitor Center in Charlestown. Join us at the Kettle Pond Visitor Center all month to celebrate July's showcased community artist, whose work will be displayed for the entire month and is viewable by the public 7-days a week. **This month's display will be nature inspired artwork by Aileen Quinn.** For more information on how you might participate in the Community Artists Program, please contact Wendy Rappaport at the Kettle Pond Visitor Center at 401-364-9124.

**July 1 10 am – July 31, 4 pm**

#### Miss Art's Picasso's Kids—Learn how to paint at Kettle Pond Visitor Center!

With her many years of experience teaching children and adults how to paint, Elizabeth "Miss Art" Nordstrom will teach you how to paint from sketches or life in this fun, beginners art class. If you have never picked up a brush before but have always wanted to take a painting class, this is the class for you. Create pictures working with watercolors, oils and acrylic paints. You will be guided every step along the way as "Miss Art" teaches you how to paint using her very special "Nordstrom Technique."

**This class is free and all the materials are provided.** All you have to do is call the center to reserve a spot for your child at 401.364.9124 and provide them with a smock to protect their clothing.

**July 12, July 26, August 2 and August 9 from 10:30 – Noon, Children ages 6 and up! Kettle Pond Visitor Center, Charlestown, Rhode Island**

#### Archery at the Kettle Pond Range

The U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service with support from the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management is now offering a FREE Archery day this month. We will be supplying all of the equipment (please do not bring your own). To be able to shoot at the range you must participate in a half hour range safety session prior to the event. Keep in mind Archery is a sport for everyone, so but younger children (10 and under) may not be able to safely shoot a bow and arrow yet. For these children we will have nature crafts, puzzles, games and scavenger hunts inside in the visitor center. Range openings are weather-dependent so please call ahead at 401.364.9124



**Mondays, July 9 and 23: 10 am – 1pm (9:30 am safety talk) Kettle Pond Visitor Center Archery Range, Charlestown**

#### Picasso's Circle for Adults - Learn how to paint at Kettle Pond Visitor Center!



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#### Bass Popper Fly Workshop – Coming Next Month!!!

Join RI DEM's Aquatic Resource Education Program, United Fly Tyers of Rhode Island, and Trout Unlimited to create your own freshwater bass popper fly. All equipment and materials are included. These workshops are FREE and open to the public but registration is required. Program participants will be invited to a free fishing day in Carolina RI to try out their new bass popper fly on August 11, 2018.

**Fly tying workshop dates: August 1 & 8 6pm-8pm, Kettle pond Visitor Center**

**Fishing Date August 11, 2018- Carolina, RI**

**To register please contact: Scott Travers at [Scott.travers@dem.ri.gov](mailto:Scott.travers@dem.ri.gov) or 401-539-0016**





## Upcoming Veteran Events:

**RIFC Honor Flight Hub Red, White & Blue Bowl, July 21** from noon to 3 p.m. at Lang's Bowlarama. Email: [bbenjamin@rihonorflight.com](mailto:bbenjamin@rihonorflight.com) or call (401) 345-7905 for more information.

**Run to Homebase: Saturday, July 28**, "9K/5K at Fenway Park, Boston". SEE FLYER AT RIGHT

**R.I. National Guard Summer Reunion: Friday, August 3**, NS Newport Officers' Club, Naval Station Newport; \$28.50 per person, spouses and guests welcome; cut-off date July 30, early responses greatly appreciated; make checks payable to Bob Antonelli and mail to him at 9 Hurlburt Avenue, Johnston, RI 02919. Questions/concerns please call Bob at 401.996.3764 (cell).

**American Legion Post 18 regular meeting, August 7**, 6:45 p.m., Atria Aquidneck Place (125 Quaker Hill Ln., Portsmouth, RI) - 6:15 socialize with resident veterans at Atria Place and the meeting begins at 6:45.

**Joint VA Town Hall Meeting, Wednesday, August 8**, 5:30 to 7 p.m., Providence VA Medical Center, 5th Floor Auditorium, 830 Chalkstone Avenue. This open house is hosted by both the Providence VA Medical Center and the Providence VA Regional Office. Veterans, patients, Families and community partners are invited to attend, ask questions, and tell the VA how there're doing. It's also a perfect time to learn about what's new in Veterans' health care and benefits.

Point of contact is Win Danielson at 401.457.3369, or via email at [Winfield.DanielsonIII@va.gov](mailto:Winfield.DanielsonIII@va.gov) <<mailto:Winfield.DanielsonIII@va.gov>> .

**Waves for the Brave 2018: August 19** – Adaptive Surf Clinic", Nantasket Beach, Hull, Massachusetts. To register and for questions/more information, contact Jenny McLaughlin at 774.826.1955, or via email at [jenny.mclaughlin@va.gov](mailto:jenny.mclaughlin@va.gov) <<mailto:jenny.mclaughlin@va.gov>> , or Randi Woodrow at 857.364.4863, or via email at [randi.woodrow@va.gov](mailto:randi.woodrow@va.gov) <<mailto:randi.woodrow@va.gov>> . This is a VA Boston Healthcare Systems event.

**Salute to Summer Concert & Fireworks—August 25, NS Newport—gates to the public open at 5 p.m.**

**RI National Guard Retirees' Assn. Fall Quarterly Meeting:** Saturday, September 15, 9 a.m. Refreshments, 10 a.m. Speaker,, Schofield Armory, 705 New London Avenue, Cranston. Point of contact is Bob Urquhart at [boburquhart@cox.net](mailto:boburquhart@cox.net) <<mailto:boburquhart@cox.net>> . Guest speaker: Cory Bilodeau, Esquire, Tax Attorney; Topic: Personal Income Tax Update.

Tuesday, September 18, 71st US Air Force Birthday (1947)

Friday, September 21st, National POW/MIA Recognition Day

Sunday, September 30th, Gold Star Mother's Day

Monday, October 1st, 2019 Federal Employees Dental & Vision Insurance Plan (FEDVIP) Rates Available

Saturday, October 13th, 243rd US Navy Birthday

**Vietnam Memorial Moving Wall Parade & Escort, Nov 1**, Ponaganset H.S., CONTACT Chris Stanley at : [cstanley@fgschools.com](mailto:cstanley@fgschools.com) or call (401) 338-6015 for more information.

**WaterFire Salute to Veterans, Saturday, Nov. 10**, Providence States House/Basin Area ([www.waterfiresalutetoveterans.org](http://www.waterfiresalutetoveterans.org))

Saturday, November 10th, 243rd US Marine Corps Birthday (1775)

Sunday, November 11th, Veterans Day

Monday, November 12th – Monday, December 10th, Federal Employees Dental & Vision Insurance Plan (FEDVIP) Open Season

Thursday, December 13th, 382nd Army National Guard Birthday



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**Friday, July 27 at 5:30 pm at McCoy Stadium**

**The outing will be held in the VIP White Babrecue Tent**

**Tickets are just \$25 per person and include a barbecue spread of hotdogs, hamburgers, pulled BBQ chicken, mac and cheese, lemonade, ice tea, water and chips.**

**The first 50 Korean War Veterans to pre-register are free, provided by the Rhode Island Hospice Veterans Partnership**

**To purchase tickets, please contact Christine Miller at 401-256-2741**