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ADVISORY BOARD MEETING OF 5 NOVEMBER 2003

Ref: (a) NAVPGSCOLINST 1700.2B

1. In accordance with reference (a), the MWR Advisory Board Meeting commenced at 10:04 a.m. on Wednesday, 5 November 2003, in the Del Monte Room, Herrmann Hall, Naval Postgraduate School (NPS).

MEMBERS & GUESTS PRESENT

James Thomas	Quality of Life Director, MWR
Darlene Raish	Leisure Services Manager, MWR
Megan Ryan	Child and Youth Services Director (Acting), MWR
Eric Thompson	Golf Course/RV Campground Manager (Acting), MWR
Amy Close	Community Activities/ITT Manager, MWR
Loy Vincent	Fitness Center Manager, MWR
Mike Cleary	Fleet and Family Support Center, NPS
Terry Seigrist	Outdoor Recreation, DCA-MWR, POM-DLI
Tom Rowley	TROA
GSCM Robert Murphy	Command Master Chief, NPS
Martin Fatchett	Fleet Reserve Association Monterey Branch #178
Mary Lou Pilnick	Director, Eagles Eye Gallery
Paddy McGrath	Monterey Navy Flying Club Manager, MWR
CDR Mark Smith	Protestant Chaplain, NPS
CDR James Stanley	Representative, Superintendent's Student Council, NPS
Art Deicke	Command Master Chief, Fleet Numerical Meteorology and Oceanography Center

2. Mr. Thomas asked the members to introduce themselves. He then asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting. Ms. Pilnick made a motion to approve the minutes as written, and Ms. Raish seconded.

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3. Old Business. None.

4. Activity Updates

a. Club Del Monte, Mr. Thomas

(1) November Dinner Specials

Monday. Fresh Seafood Cioppino with Shrimp, Calamari, Crab and Mussels, Fresh Caesar Salad and Garlic Bread; Adults \$7.50, Children ages 5 - 10 \$4.00, Under 5 \$2.00.

Tuesday. Slow Roasted Prime Rib with Aus Jus accompanied with Horse Radish, Baked Potato, Sour Cream and Chef's Choice Dessert; \$13.00.

Wednesday. BBQ Baby Back Ribs with Corn Bread, Fresh Corn on the Cob and Fried Potato Wedges; Adults \$8.50, Children ages 5 - 10 \$4.25.

Thursday. **Family Night:** Fresh Turkey Salisbury Steak with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy and Fresh Vegetables; Adults \$7.50, Children ages 5 - 10 half-price.

Friday. Lobster and Shrimp Thermidor—Fresh Lobster and Shrimp Sautéed with Sherry and Tarragon in Cream Sauce Topped with Parmesan Cheese and Baked, accompanied with Linguini and Fresh Vegetables. Adults \$13.00.

The above dinner specials are served in the El Prado Dining Room, Basement of Herrmann Hall, from 4 - 9 p.m. For more information, please call 656-2170.

(2) Thanksgiving Champagne Brunch

Thursday, 27 November, Barbara McNitt Ballroom, 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Variety of Salads, Entrees including Breakfast Meats, French Toast, Cheese Blintz, Roasted Young Tom Turkey Carving Station, Scalloped Potatoes, Fresh Vegetables, Carved Roast Beef, Roasted Pork Loin, Blackened Salmon, Fresh Seafood Bar: Mussels, Oysters, Marinated Octopus, Crab and Shrimp, and a variety of Desserts; Adults \$19.50, Children ages 5 - 10 \$9.50, under 5 free. For reservations, call 656-2170.

(3) New Year's Eve Party (*since the last Advisory Board meeting, this event has been cancelled*)

Wednesday, 31 December, Barbara McNitt Ballroom. Hors
D'Oeuvres, Variety of Salads, Choice of Entrée:
Roasted Sonoma Rack of Lamb or Stuffed Salmon Roulade
with Dungeness Crab and Grand Marnier Chocolate Mousse
Cake for Dessert; Party Favors and Champagne Toast;
\$60 per person; Attire: Semi-formal. Limited Seating.
To purchase tickets, call the ITT Office at 656-3223.

(4) New Coffee Operation in El Prado Dining Room. We now
have fresh ground/brewed coffee from the Carmel Roasting Company.
Due to budget cuts, we re-examined and changed our coffee
drinking policy.

b. Leisure Services Division, Ms. Raish.

(1) Army/Navy Week. This year we received a grant from
the Navy Federal Credit Union for Army/Navy Week events. We will
have activities including a softball game, football game, and a
big bash in the Trident Room.

(2) Marina

(a) Cruising. You don't have to be a sailor to enjoy
the benefits of the sailing program. An experienced skipper will
give you a two-hour cruise on Monterey Bay. Sign up for one of
the Cruise Program's many dates or get your own group of up to 14
people together. Contact the cruising program coordinator at
sailing@monterey.army.mil. The cost of the cruise, \$40.00, will be
divided up between the total numbers of participants that are
signed up for the cruise. A minimum of four people is required
for the cruise to go. Cruises are currently on Saturday
afternoons from 1 - 3 p.m.

(b) The Blue Water Cove Marina became a Category C
marina effective 1 October 2003. The NPS Foundation, NPSSA and
MWR are currently working together to come up with a plan to keep
the sailing program running at NPS.

Mr. Thomas explained the plan for MWR to have a
concessionaire operating the marina. They will be able to
provide sailing opportunities and lessons to the military at a
discount. The general public will also have use. We're
currently discussing with the City of Monterey.

(3) Pool. The Roman Plunge Swimming Pool was filled up
with sand in October. Plans to renovate the pool are bleak. A
committee chaired by Chaplain Smith is investigating the

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feasibility of getting outside donations through the NPS
Foundation.

Chaplain Smith explained that the committee is
exploring all the issues related to the possible restoration of
the pool.

(4) Athletics, Mr. Loy Vincent

Monterey Bay Athletic Club Holiday Hours of Operation

27 Nov	Closed (Thanksgiving Day)
28 Nov	0700 - 1930
15 - 23 Dec	0700 - 1930
24 Dec	0700 - 1600
25 Dec	Closed (Christmas)
26 - 30 Dec	0700 - 1930
31 Dec	0700 - 1600
1 Jan	Closed
2 Jan	0700 - 1930
Saturdays	0800 - 1300 as scheduled

(a) Sports

Turkey Trot

Come out for a 5K Fun Run. First and second place
winners in each division will receive awards. All
participants will receive T-shirts will paid
reservations. Sign up by Friday, 14 November.

When: Friday, 21 November, 3 p.m.

Where: Fitness Center Parking Lot

Cost: Active Military \$12.00; Retired, Reserve &
Family members \$13; DOD/Civilian \$14.00

Winter Basketball

When: League begins 12 January 2004 (Captains'
Meeting 5 January 2004 at 4 p.m. MBAC)

Time: Mondays and Wednesday, 6 - 8 p.m.

Winter Volleyball

When: League begins 13 January 2004 (Captains'
Meeting 6 January 2004 at 4 p.m., MBAC)

Time: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 - 8 p.m.

(b) Fitness

Weight Lifting Contest

Power Lift (bench, dead-lift & squat) or Bench Press only. This event is for men and women; novice lifters are welcome. Awards: First, second & third place medals (ten different weight classes) and over-all champion trophies.

When: Friday, 12 December

Time: 1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$7.00 military; \$9.00 DOD/civilian

Executive Bootcamp

The Monterey Bay Athletic Club presents their semi-annual twelve-week weight loss, nutrition education, and strength/cardiovascular training class (lecture only). Participants get half the entry fee back if they lose the agreed amount of body fat. Class meets every Thursday, 11 - 12 p.m. Body fat measurements will be taken, at the beginning and at the end of twelve weeks. Call 656-1943 for details.

When: Starts 15 January 2004; ends 8 April

Cost: \$20 Military; \$30 DOD Civilian

Fitness Program Changes:

Yoga (Great instructor-great price!)

When: Mondays & Wednesdays; 12 - 1 p.m.

Cost: \$50 Month; \$15 Weekly; or \$9 Daily

Aerobic Classes

Additional classes added: Total Body Conditioning, Fridays at 7:45 - 8:45 a.m.

Personal Training

Added a new female personal trainer "Cheryl Thiry". Cheryl is certified by ACE (American Council on Exercise) and she is married with two children. She comes with a great deal of

experience including continuing education in Nutrition, Weight Management & Exercise & Pregnancy.

Cost: \$20.00 one half-hour session
\$40.00 one one-hour session
\$225.00 for 6 one-hour sessions

(5) Information, Tickets and Tours (ITT) and Liberty/Single Sailor Program, Ms. Amy Close

(a) ITT

Reduced hours as follows:

Fri, 28 Nov	0930-1330
Wed, 24 Dec	0930-1300
Fri, 26 Dec	0930-1530
Wed, 31 Dec	0930-1300

11 November 2003--Sea World Salute ends.

19 December 2003--Disney and Universal Salute end.

New Salute to Military at Knott's Berry Farm until 27 November. Active Duty and guest get in free, up to five guests get in for \$5 each.

Entertainment Books. The new 2004 Entertainment books are in and selling for \$20. Save hundreds of dollars on two for one meals and other discounts.

Harvest Festival Arts & Crafts Fair. The annual Harvest Festival is making its northern California stops in San Francisco on 14 - 16 November and San Jose on 28 - 30 November. Spend the day shopping for those special Christmas gifts. Tickets are discounted to \$6.

Stocking Stuffers. ITT has great inexpensive stocking stuffers for office Christmas parties and such. Here are a few suggestions: 911 Memorial Ornaments \$12; Entertainment Books \$20; Gift Check Books \$10; See's One Pound Gift Certificates \$10.50; United Artists Movies Passes \$6; and NPS license plate frames \$9.

First Night Monterey. Attending the First Night Monterey activities is a great way to spend New Year's Eve. Check with ITT for information on tickets.

(b) Community Activities

Halloween Party was a Success. We had about a total of 57 in attendance for the costume party and dance.

Turkey Bowling. Set aside Friday, 21 November, at 5 p.m. in the Trident Room where the fun will begin. Tom Turkey will be sliding down the hollowed halls of Herrmann Hall in this hilarious annual event. Ever try bowling with a turkey? Now's your chance. Groove to the live music, play some games and win some prizes!

(c) Liberty

Winchester Mystery House's. Fifteen single sailors braved the Winchester Mystery House's flashlight tour on 25 October. No one was lost, all escaped unscathed. It was spooktacular!

Thanksgiving Lunch. The next Liberty event is the Thanksgiving Lunch on 19 November in the Tower Room, Herrmann Hall from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Single sailors and geo-bachelors need to RSVP by 12 November. Email amclose@nps.navy.mil

c. Golf Course/RV Park Division, Mr. Thompson.

(1) Mr. Thomas announced that Mr. Clay Murray, Golf Course Manager, recently left NPS and is now the Navy Program Manager for golf. Mr. Thompson is now our acting Golf Course Manager.

(2) Combined effort between NPS and the Monterey County fairgrounds have accomplished the goal of providing water during a period of time when our well was down.

(3) FAA aeronautical study for the lake expansion came back as favorable.

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(4) Solid aerification to be completed on Monday, 3 November.

(5) Removal of hedges on #4 tee box.

(6) Removal of fencing on #1 tee box.

Golf Functions

(1) Junior camps will be starting during the Christmas break by David Harber

(2) Club Championship will be on 6 and 7 December.

(3) Golf course will be closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas

R.V. Campground

(1) Purchased new washer, will be installed on Wednesday, 29 October. Removed dangerous tree near bathhouse will be removing seven more hazardous trees.

(2) Begun bidding process for slurry coating of roads in RV campground and possibility of leveling sites, which will depend on the total cost. Priority is to fix potholes on road before the winter rains come.

Mr. Thomas explained the process of drilling the well at the golf course and replacing existing irrigation system.

Mr. Rowley discussed the two different methods of drilling wells and offered to provide additional information at a later date. He also provided feedback from the Fairgrounds Manager on the relationship with NPS. He recommended solidifying relationships with the Fairground Board. He suggested a representative to attend 7th District Ag Board.

Mr. Rowley asked about the golf course being turned over to a private company for management.

Mr. Thomas discussed the work being done to evaluate how much the golf course is worth. Possibly if the Navy can lease the golf course to a private firm and preserve favorable rates for the military to play, then the profit could be used to maintain Hermmann Hall. There is an appraisal process being done on the golf course to find out what the fair market value is of

the course. He discussed the different concepts being considered.

Mr. Rowley asked if there could be a golf course subcommittee who are golf knowledgeable. If they wanted some input from this committee, then there could be somebody to respond short fuse since we don't meet until January. MWR has made great strides to create new program such as the RV Campground, ball fields, new gym, and the golf course in the last 10 - 12 years.

d. Child Development and Youth Division, Ms. Ryan.

(1) CDC Holiday Hours

(a) Child Development Center (CDC). The CDC will be closed at 4 p.m., Wednesday, 24 December 2003 and will remain closed until Friday, 2 January 2004.

(b) Life Skills Readiness Preschool Enrichment Program. The Life Skills Readiness Preschool Enrichment Program will be on winter break from Monday, 22 December 2003 to Friday, 2 January 2004.

(c) Jelly Fish Drop In Program. The Jelly Fish Drop In Program will be closed from Monday, 22 December 2003 to Friday, 2 January 2004. Reservations for Monday, 4 January can be made the week of 15 December.

(d) The Tech Connection Teen and Youth Center 2003/2004 Holiday Hours of Operation. Remain closed until Friday, 2 January 2004. Youth/Teen Open recreation hours on 22 and 23 December 2003 will be 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on 24 December, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. After School Age Care will be closed Monday, 22 December 2003 to Friday, 2 January 2004.

(e) Youth Sports

3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

Who: Ages 12 and up
When: Thursday, 13 November, 4 - 6 p.m.
Sign up: Wednesday, 12 November, 2:30 - 6 p.m.

Youth Basketball 2004

Registration: 3 November to 5 December
When: Skills Assessment on 6 December;

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Age Groups: practice begins on 8 December;
games 10 January - 6 March
6 - 7; 8 - 9; 10 - 11; 12 - 14 (as
of 1 December)
Cost: \$40 (Coaches get first child for
free)

5. Fleet and Family Support Center, Mr. Cleary.

a. Distributed upcoming class schedule.

b. Due to budget constraints, we are losing one of our counseling staff in two weeks.

6. Facilities Update, Mr. Thomas.

a. El Prado Dining Room Renovation Project. Navy Region South West has provided the funds for the new ceiling and lighting system. Our vision is to create the dining room into both a student center as well as a family dining area. The new lighting will help facilitate this goal. If there is enough money, we will also do some work on the hallways.

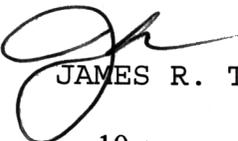
b. Marina. We're in the process of preparing the Statement of Work to rebuild the marina. The funds were allocated for the project to our restricted cash.

c. Ballroom. The ballroom will be painted, as well as the ceilings.

d. Club Del Monte Café. This will be a club annex located next to the library parking lot. As part of the superintendent's vision of making a pedestrian campus, a lot of the parking lot will be landscaped with shrubs, walking paths, etc. We estimated that the building should be completed by December 2003, and expect it to be fully operational by 15 January 2004.

7. New Business. None.

8. With no other items from the members, Mr. Thomas thanked everyone for attending and adjourned the meeting at 10:55 a.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 14 January 2003, at 10 a.m. in the La Novia Room, Herrmann Hall, NPS. NPS and tenant commands are invited to send a representative.


JAMES R. THOMAS

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