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ADVISORY BOARD MEETING OF 8 JANUARY 2003

Ref: (a) NAVPGSCOLINST 1700.2A

1. In accordance with reference (a), the MWR Advisory Board Meeting commenced at 10:05 a.m. on Wednesday, 8 January 2003, in the La Novia Room, Herrmann Hall, Naval Postgraduate School (NPS).

MEMBERS & GUESTS PRESENT

Mr. James Thomas	Quality of Life Director, MWR
Ms. Rosalyn Compagno	Child Development Program Administrator (Acting), MWR
Ms. Darlene Raish	Leisure Services Manager, MWR
LCDR Ronald Kawczynski	Catholic Chaplain
Ms. Marsha Abbott	Marketing Manager, Directorate of Community Activities (DCA), Presidio of Monterey
CAPT George Clifford	Command Chaplain
Ms. Mary Jo McDonough	Defense Resource Management Institute (DRMI)
Mr. Simon Lupton	Navy Exchange General Manager, Navy Exchange (NEX)
Ms. Tess Sagon	Navy Lodge Manager, NEX
Ms. Shannon Fuentes	Navy Lodge, NEX
Mr. Torsten Duffy	MWR Representative, Fleet Numerical Meteorology and Oceanography Center (FNMOC)
MS3 Sophal Sarn	Flag Admin
OS2 (SW) Daymon Mints	Flag Admin
Mr. Clay Murray	Golf Course/RV Campground Manager, MWR
Ms. Kim Hurst	NPS Ladies Tennis Team
Ms. Tricia Willis	NPS Ladies Tennis Team
Mr. Bill Mason	Athletic Director, MWR
Mr. Loy Vincent	Fitness Manager, MWR

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GSCM Robert Murphy	Command Master Chief
Mr. Roy Williams	Engineering Division, Public Works
CTACS Martin Fatchett (Ret)	Fleet Reserve Association (FRA)
Ms. Amy Close	Community Activities/ITT Manager, MWR
LCDR Tom Rowley (Ret)	TROA
Ms. Mary Lou Pilnick	Director, Eagles Eye Gallery

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

3. Old Business. None.

4. Activity Updates

a. Food & Beverage Division, Mr. Thomas.

(1) Movies in Ballroom. Movies going very well--movies for families start at 5:30 p.m. on Thursdays.

(2) Dinner Specials for December. Served in the El Prado Dining Room in the basement of Herrmann Hall; dinner is served from 4 to 9 p.m.:

- Monday Night Dinner Special: Fresh Seafood Cioppino with Shrimp, Calamari, Crab and Mussels.
- Tuesday Night Dinner Special: Roast Prime Rib
- Wednesday Night Dinner Special: Grilled Tri-Tip with Salsa
- Thursday Family Night Dinner: Spaghetti and Meatballs.
- Friday Night Dinner Special: Roast Leg of Lamb with Tarragon Sauce
- Clam Bake Night on Friday, 31 January: All you can eat! Fried fresh Red Snapper, steamed clams and mussels in garlic butter, baked potatoes, fresh corn, clam chowder, Ceasar salad, garlic bread, and cookies.

- Valentine's Dinner on Friday, 14 February: Salad, choice of entrée and dessert for \$19.50. Reservations are highly encouraged.

For more information or to make reservations for Club Del Monte events, please call 656-2170.

(3) Club Del Monte Wireless. Previously I announced that the Trident Bar is now wireless. Now the ballroom and the El Prado Dining Room are also wireless. This means that all of our customers are able to check email and access the web during lunch, dinner, etc.

(4) MWR Website. We are working with an NPS student to redesign our website. We want to redesign our site to focus on all of our patrons' needs, such as, students, retirees, etc.

(5) Successful New Year's Eve and Thanksgiving Events. We had about 300 people for Thanksgiving, and 224 people for our new year's eve celebration.

(6) Grant Money. In 2002, we received grant money for Navy headquarters to help provide some very successful MWR events. But there is not as much grant money available this year, so we probably won't be able to have as many events this year using grant money.

b. Leisure Services Division, Ms. Raish.

(1) FNMOC Fitness Equipment. We were able to support FNMOC with some of our excess gym equipment for their gym, such as treadmills, etc.

(2) New Community Activities Manager. Our new community activities manager is Amy Close. She came from Pensacola, Florida, where she was working in the Liberty Single Sailor Program. She will be overseeing the Information, Tickets and Tours Office, Liberty Single Sailor Program and Special Events.

(3) Information, Tickets and Tours, Ms. Close.

- Tours in January:

11	San Francisco Get Acquainted	\$23
18	Sharks Vs Dallas Ice Hockey	\$45
25	Local Wine Tasting	\$39

- Deep Sea Fishing & Whale Watching. Sign up for local deep-sea fishing or whale watching excursions with Randy's Fishing Trips. Whale Watching is \$13 for adults and \$11 for children 2 - 11 years. Prices for fishing start at \$31 per person. Gear and license are extra.
- Ski Lift Tickets. ITT has ski lift tickets for the following locations: Alpine Meadows, Heavenly, Kirkwood, Northstar, Sierra Tahoe, Mt. Rose, Squaw Valley and Sugar Bowl. Check with ITT for current prices and save.
- Disney on Ice's Toy Story 2. It's thrills-and-chills time as Woody, Buzz, Jessie & all of Andy's toys take to the ice, coming face to face with rockets, airplanes and a show-stopping traffic jam. Set aside Saturday, 1 March, at the HP Pavilion in San Jose. Performance times are 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Cost of the tickets is \$18.25.
- Entertainment Books. Start the new year off right by purchasing an Entertainment Book from ITT for \$20. It's that New Year's resolution you need to keep!
- Universal Studios Special. January through April, active duty U.S. military gets in free and they can purchase up to six tickets at half off regular price, only at the gate.

(4) Community Activities/Single Sailors Program, Ms. Close

- Single Sailors

New incoming single sailors to NPS will now be checking in with me—I am now on their sign in sheet so they can meet me and find out about our program as soon as they arrive.

San Francisco Day Trip, 25 January, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Cost is \$3 for singles, \$5 for guests. Sign

up at the ITT Office. The deadline to sign up is 22 January.

Valentine's Day Lunch for Single Sailors 14 February from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is free to single sailors and \$20 for guests. It will be held in the La Novia Room.

(5) Athletics, Mr. Mason

- **Holiday Hours of Operation: Martin Luther King Day (20 January) and President's Day (17 February):**
Hours of Operation will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Sports

Fall Sports Champions. Basketball champions were T & T and the Volleyball champions were Six Feet Deep.

Winter Intramural Sports

Basketball season will begin 13 January. Games will be scheduled on Mondays and Wednesdays--10 teams in league.

Volleyball season will begin 14 January. Games will be scheduled on Tuesdays and Thursdays--six teams in league.

Soccer season will begin 11 January. Games will be scheduled on Saturdays and Sundays at the La Mesa field--eight teams in league.

Spring Softball Organizational Meeting. Rules, eligibility and league format will be discussed.

When: Tuesday, 4 March (season starts 7 April)

Time: 4 p.m.

Where: Fitness Center, Bldg. 208

Spring Volleyball Organizational Meeting. Rules, eligibility and league format will be discussed.

When: Wednesday, 5 March (season starts 10 April)
Time: 4 p.m.
Where: Fitness Center, Bldg. 208

- Fitness Center, Mr. Vincent

New Flooring. New flooring is currently being put in the men's and women's bathhouse.

Executive Bootcamp

When: Every Friday, 17 January - 31 March
Where: Fitness Center, Bldg. 208
Cost: \$20 Military/Reservists; \$30 DOD/Civilian
Description: Twelve week weight loss and conditioning program/lecture. Body fat measurements will be taken, at the beginning and the end of twelve weeks, if you lose an agreed amount of body fat participant get half your entry fee back. Class meets every week (Fridays at 12 noon or 4:00 p.m.) for the first month for instruction (cardiovascular & weight training, including nutritional education); thereafter, the class meets two times a month. Learn from the best: Loy Vincent, B.S. Physical Education/Fitness Specialist/Cooper Institute Certified Trainer

Mind Body Classes-YOGA. Mondays and Wednesdays, 12 noon - 1 p.m.; beginning 8 January.

TAI CHI Classes. Wednesdays starting at 9 a.m. on 15 January--free class demonstration 8 January.

Nutrition Workshop

When: Friday, 7 February
Where: Fitness Center, Bldg. 208
Time: 12 noon - 1:00 p.m. or 4 - 5:00 p.m.
Cost: Free to Military/Reservists
Description: Learn to recognize when carbohydrates, proteins & fats are out of balance in your

diet. Learn to plan ahead for the eating habit pitfalls, especially in relationship to exercise.

St. Patrick's Day 5k-run Run

When: Friday, 14 March
Where: Fitness Center Parking Lot
Time: Race starts promptly at 3 p.m.
Fee: \$12 Active Duty/Reservists; \$13
Retirees/Family Members; \$14 DoD
Civilians. Fee includes a commemorative
long sleeve T-shirt.

Divisions:	Men's 17 - 29	Women's 17 - 29
	Men's 30 - 39	Women's 30 - 39
	Men's 40 - 49	Women's 40 - 49
	Men's 50 +	Women's 50 +

Awards will be given to the top two finishers in each division. Please register at the Fitness Center front desk by 7 March. For more information, contact the Fitness Center customer service desk at 656-3118.

(6) MWR Funded Swimming at Monterey Sports Center, Mr. Thomas. The Sports Center has raised their prices for swimming effective 1 January to \$4.00 for non-prime-time, and \$5 for prime-time swimming. We are still funding at the same level, which is \$3.00, and the member pays the difference. Considering our funding level, I'm not sure how much longer we will be able to partially subsidize the swimming. This is only for active duty members.

(7) Pool Repair Project, Mr. Thomas. We are still working on getting the pool fixed, which is a million dollar project. We're funding \$85K from our MWR fund for the design. I'm cautiously optimistic that they are going to fund the repair.

(8) Marina. MWR is working on maintenance and clean up of the marina this winter. The Boston Whaler was pulled for repair and maintenance in December. NPSSA and MWR are always looking for volunteers to help maintain the fleet.

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

(1) Winter Week Day Special has been well received. Rates are for Twilight and include a golf car with green fee. Rates

are \$10 for Military; \$12 for DOD; \$15 for Civilian starting at 12 p.m.

(2) Our website www.MontereyPinesGolf.com is under construction. All golf, snack, and RV information will be on the web. The site should be completed by 1 March.

(3) Test well project is moving along and the contract should be awarded within the next two to three months. If sufficient water is found, BUPERS will fund a new \$2M irrigation project.

Mr. Thomas commented. This is a high priority project. The golf course is brings in needed revenue for our MWR program. We are cautiously optimistic about finding water.

Mr. Rowley responded. Toxics were found in some of the private wells in the nearby neighborhood. Have you looked at that at the location where you are going to drill.

Mr. Williams responded. We'll take care of that.

(4) The golf course is holding up with all the rain we have had in the month of December.

d. Child Development and Youth Division, Ms. Compagno

(1) Management Notice. Ms. Compagno has been temporarily promoted to replace Ms. Schmidt in the management of MWR Children and Youth Programs Division. Ms. Schmidt has transferred with her husband to the Defense Supply Center in Columbus, Ohio.

(2) Youth Sports. Basketball season has just begun.

(3) Teen & Youth Recreation. Lots of fun winter activities planned.

(4) Child Development Homes. Still looking for interested dependents to care for children in their La Mesa quarters.

(5) Child Development Center. We have openings in our Life Skills Program for new arrivals.

5. Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC) Update, Mr. Thomas.

a. The second annual Joint Spouses Leadership Conference will be 21 and 22 February at NPS.

6. Navy Exchange Update, Mr. Lupton.

a. Distributed upcoming sales flyer.

7. Presidio of Monterey Directorate of Community Activities, Ms. Abbott.

a. Information on promotion running from January through 31 March 2003--Operation Leisure: Capture the Fun!

8. Facilities Update, Mr. Thomas.

a. El Prado Dining Room Renovation. We will be working with PW on the Statement of Work. We are planning to remove the bar at the end of the room and uncover and restore the historic mural behind the wall. We also would like to restore the beams that were covered up by the drop ceiling put in by the Navy. And we plan to expand the area near the hot buffet line by removing the wall behind it to make room for a coffee service area with seating. We'll move the buffet line to where the cash registers are now located. This will actually increase the existing seating in the room. We plan to keep the room open all day for our patrons. There will be all new tables and chairs, artwork, and carpeting.

b. Ballroom Floor. The floor is being refinished in February.

9. New Business.

a. Ms. Willis. We are here to represent the NPS Ladies Tennis Team. We use the Monterey Sports Center for our tournaments and pay a fee for use. We are working on getting more information out about our team. We play at the courts next to the NPS fitness center and the admiral's house. Can MWR publish flyers for us?

Ms. Raish. We don't normally publish flyers for the private clubs, but we can put some information in the Peacock Press and our website.

b. Ms. Willis. Who maintains the NPS tennis courts? We're concerned about the nets.

Mr. Mason replied. We have some new nets that we will be putting up very soon.

Mr. Thomas explained that Ms. Raish is the point of contact for assistance for the Peacock Press and posting to the MWR website and intranet.

c. Ms. Willis. Can we accept sponsorship, such as First Command?

Ms. Raish responded. You can have a corporate sponsor, but it has to go through the MWR Corporate Sponsorship Program.

10. With no other items from the members, Mr. Thomas thanked everyone for attending and adjourned the meeting at 11:02 a.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 19 March 2003, at 10 a.m. in the Del Monte Room, Herrmann Hall, NPS. NPS and tenant commands are invited to send a representative.


JAMES R. THOMAS

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