



DELHIGHLIGHTS

A Newsletter of the Delhigh Power Squadron

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District 5

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Delhigh Power Squadron 2010 Land Navigation Contest

(As seen through the eyes of the Rally Master)

November 13th started out a little different than other Saturdays. It was finally here, the 15th Annual Land Navigation Contest hosted by Delhigh Power Squadron. Individuals traveled from Delaware Philadelphia, New Jersey, etc. to enter The Road Rally. They test their skills at following directions and navigating the roads of a predetermined land course.

This year it started with breakfast at the world famous Coopersburg Diner in, you guessed it, Coopersburg, PA. The Rally Master (we'll call him RM from now on) arrived at the diner at 8:45 am. Richard Fuse and Joe Siddon and their crews were already there having breakfast. By 9:05 am the RM was really nervous; the reserved seats were empty. He mentioned to his crew that he hoped he gave everyone the right diner address. Finally rally crews (a crew is the driver, a navigator, and observers looking for clues to answer questions and to find pictures) started coming in for breakfast; you could see the relief on RM's face. Breakfast was served and the instructions were gone over, such as – BR means bear right, SS = stop sign and so on.

It was 10:15 am and the time of departure had arrived. Nikki (the lady, not the puppy), gave out the packets and directed traffic out of the main parking lot. Uh oh, there's a little hold up, Cindy's car won't start. Kevin Minnich got his truck and cables -- a truly good deed -- blocking the exit of the parking lot. Regular patrons and rally crews were on a holding pattern. The lot almost looked like a congested Rt. 22 at rush hour. OK, now all vehicles are running ---- let's start the Rally. The cars left with time spacing between them. Good luck guys, you're on your own!!

The RM and Lady Nikki left for the half-way point to greet the cars as they came in so they could pick up their second half packets. Once again, no phone calls, no one entering the half-way parking lot -- either they're all lost, there is no cell coverage here, or this is going to be a good, really close rally. Finally the first car came in about 12:05 pm. Once again, relief on the RM's face; they made it. The crews did a short stop and then, off again to the final destination. Second half packets were given out and off they went. Oh, one little problem, Cindy knew where she was but her car was having trouble finding the half way point. Finally she pulled into the parking lot and got her packet.

The RM and Lady Nikki left for the final destination. When they arrived, a few of the crews had completed the course and were waiting to turn in their paperwork to get graded. They all went inside and once inside chose to have an adult beverage and discuss the day events. They had fun comparing notes. Finally, everyone completed the course and made it to the Terrace Restaurant in Walnutport, PA, for a sit down dinner with all the trimmings. Dinner was excellent and the staff deserves praise for a job well done.

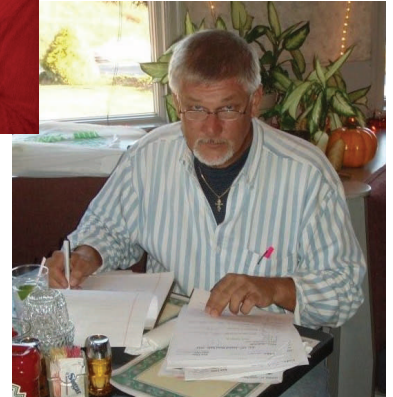
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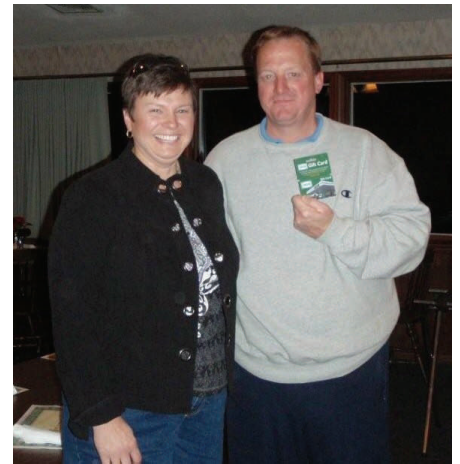
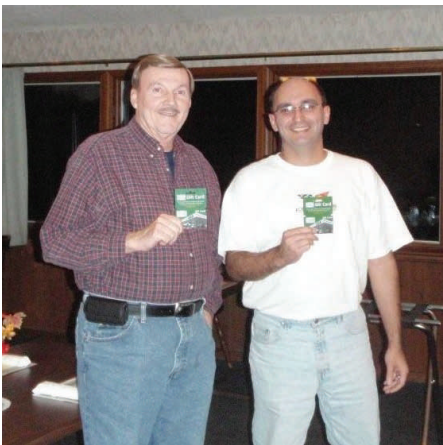
The papers were graded, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and last place prizes were awarded; a raffle was held and approximately 10 prizes were given out. The RM thanked everyone for making this another successful event and expressed hope that everyone will attend again next year - and tell their friends to join in the fun.

Fellowship and laughter is the highlight of this event. Individuals from different areas and backgrounds; a common interest of sportsmanship and adventure; a day driving along back roads, following directions, answering questions, and looking for a few pictures is what the Delhigh Road Rally is all about.

Delhigh Road Rally participants get to relax, see some of the countryside they take for granted every day or explore an area new to them. They see and learn things they never imagined. Join us next year; you never know what you might see and learn.



2010 LAND NAVIGATION CONTEST



2010 District 5 Fall Conference Rockville, Maryland

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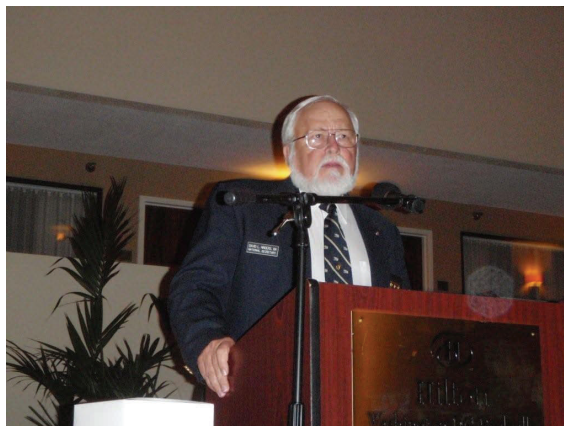
D/C Chris Brown, P/C Ginny Brown, Portuguese Defense Attaché Colonel Antonio Temporeo and his wife, Isabel.



D/5 Bridge Meeting



Colonel Temporeo presented the Prince Henry Trophy to Main Line Squadron and the Caravel Award to Cambridge Squadron



V/C Dave Hinders addresses District 5





Delhigh Holiday Giving Project

Last year, Delhigh initiated a “Family in Need” project to give some hope and joy to families in our community less fortunate than us. Thanks to the generosity of our squadron members, we were able to give toys, clothing, gift cards, and a special holiday dinner to an Allentown family that needed support and help. Our efforts and contributions were very much appreciated.

After the Holidays, we still had some funds left in the account, and turned to find a second family. In July, a local soldier was killed in action while operating with his unit in Afghanistan. SPC Jesse Reed left behind two children and his wife, who was 8 months pregnant with their third child. Jesse’s death touched thousands throughout the Lehigh Valley and many organizations have established programs to help. In September, Delhigh contributed the remaining money from our “Family in Need” account to a scholarship fund establish for his children.

This year, Delhigh is continuing our program to help families of local service people. As we all know, members of the armed service continue to be the true heroes among us and pay a tremendous price to protect the freedoms we enjoy. With your help, Delhigh can make a difference to some of these people.

If you would like to make a monetary contribution, please make your check payable to: Delhigh Power Squadron and note “Holiday Giving Program”

Mail to: L/Cdr Russell Fontana, P
672 Metz Street
Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

For your convenience, we will also have a gift box to receive contributions at the Holiday Party.

Thank you for your support and help in making a sincere difference in our Community.

Cdr Jim Ziegenfuss



Delhigh Holiday Party

at the

Best Western Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center
Saturday December 18, 2010

Cocktail Hour begins at 1800
Cash bar with an international cheese display

Valley Salad

Mixed Greens, roasted red peppers, honey peppered walnuts, grated parmesan cheese, herb vinaigrette
Assorted Rolls and Butter

choice of

Chicken Tuscany with Artichokes

Grilled chicken, with artichoke, tomato and sweet peppers in a white wine garlic sauce \$43.00

or

Crab Stuffed Flounder

Moist crab & herbs wrapped with a tender flounder filet, served with a lemon tarragon
hollandaise sauce \$43.00

or

Roast Prime Rib of Beef

Roasted with crushed herbs, served with au jus \$48.00

Chef's Choice of Accompaniments w/ entrees

Chocolate Decadence

Freshly Ground Colombian Coffee & Assorted Hot Teas

Pollyanna Gift Exchange

Please bring a gift valued at \$10 if you would like to participate

Music, Dancing & Karaoke by "Tiki" George

In the Holiday spirit, Delhigh will once again be donating to a military family in need. Checks payable to "Delhigh", or cash, can be dropped into a special Gift Box at the Party.



Delhigh Holiday Party 2010

Reservation Form

Please respond by: December 4, 2010

We plan to attend the Holiday Party

Names: _____

Dinner Choices: _____ Steak @ \$48.00 _____
_____ Chicken @ \$43.00 _____
_____ Flounder @ \$43.00 _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

(Checks payable to: Delhigh Power Squadron)

Send to: P/C Robert Rendish, P H (610) 967-2210
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Emmaus, PA 18049 rrendish@cartridgeonwheels.com

Happy Birthday

DECEMBER

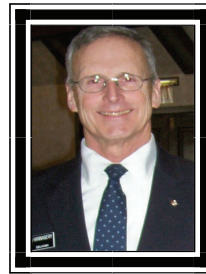
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Mary Jane Grande	9	David E. Evans	7
Joseph F. Arieta	13	Susan B. Wheeler	14
Patricia A. Arieta	13	Christopher C. Koep	17
Wm J. Buchanan	18	Robert T. Hannabery	21
Keith J. Knoblach	18	Joseph P. Stemrich Jr.	21
Joseph F. Marakovits	19	Doug McKenzie	24
Ronald S. Handwerk	20	James Davis	27
Marilyn Ludwig	25	Robert Rendish	29
		Gary Corcoran	30



**The Commander's
Deck**
Cdr Jim Ziegenfuss, JN



SEO
Lt/C Bob Hannabery, AP

On 4-7 November, District 5 held its annual Fall Conference. This education-dominated Conference offers ideas and information useful in performing squadron responsibilities, and as in the past, the agenda was full of information. Working the seminars and meeting new people made for a busy and fun filled schedule. In addition to Minna and I, Delhigh members present were District Commander Chris Brown and Ginny, Rich and Bea Norris, Mike Lebeduik and Nikki Miranda.

A District event gives everyone an opportunity to learn more about USPS® protocol and leadership, and also learn how District and National operate. Vice Commander Dave Hinders, SN, joined the Conference from USPS National, and spent many hours interacting with individuals and groups to learn what we needed and offer help for the squadrons. On Sunday morning, he presented the National message to the conference attendees, where he reinforced the commitment USPS has made to Member Growth, Education, and Safe Boating.

It's good to see that the goals we've set for Delhigh parallel those mentioned by the Vice Commander. And as a result of all of **your** involvement and support in achieving these goals, Delhigh has had a very good year.

Although we have struggled a little to get students for our ABC Safe Boating Classes, Delhigh has had a team of people helping to teach the Pennsylvania Boating Course at Peter's Marine, allowing us to meet and interact with not only new boaters, but also prospective members. But even with the low ABC turnout, our education efforts didn't slow down. Over the past year and a half, we've had a "class" of students progressing from Seamanship through Advanced Piloting, and we currently have 9 students taking Junior Navigation. Public Seminars were held throughout the spring and summer.

Between Squadron and District activities, our members have shown terrific involvement this year, resulting in over 40 Merit Mark recommendations for 2010. Chris, Ginny and Mike Lebeduik have traveled throughout the Country representing the District 5 Bridge. Many of us have traveled throughout the District this year to support events as both participants and workers. Orlando....Ocean City....Beltsville Lake....Skipjack Cove....Atlantic City....Coca Cola Park.....Solomon's Island....Bellevue.....Kent Narrows.....Rockville.....No matter what direction you wanted to drive, or what you like to do, there seems to have been an interesting function for most.

It's now time to take a break and enjoy the Holidays. There will be no membership meeting in December, but we hope to see as many of you as possible at the Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center (Rt 512 and 22) for the Delhigh Holiday Party on 18 December. Enjoy your families.....commute to each and every destination safely.....and stay healthy. See you in 2011.

JN class is progressing. Most of the students have taken their sun sights and are about to begin learning to reduce sights and plot an estimated position.

The next ABC class will be held at Peters Marine on Saturday January 29 and February 5, 2011.

The Engine Maintenance class will begin on Tuesday January 4, 2011. Contact George Kelchner for more information.

The Marine Electrical Systems class will begin on Thursday March 31, 2011. Contact Bob Hannabery for more information.

Anyone completing a grade level of at least Advanced Piloting (AP) and three Elective Courses receives the Educational Proficiency Award. Mike Lebeduik and Doug McKenzie received this award at Fall Conference.



Fifty Year Celebration Committee

Ideas to celebrate Delhigh's 50th year anniversary in 2011 are being suggested now. Members who would like to join or chair a committee to lead and organize the activities for this event, please contact any Bridge Officer.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

P/C ROBERT RENDISH, P

It was a bittersweet moment, I guess, when I completed the winterization of the engine of my boat. I have an 18' Sting-ray bowrider I/O with a Mercruiser 3.0 liter engine. I don't have a generator system, or an onboard "head", or a fancy galley, or a sophisticated water cooled exhaust system. It takes several hours for me to make sure I follow the procedures in the correct order to complete the process to where I'm comfortable with it.

Yet, the task of winterizing my simple boat on such a beautiful Saturday in November was a little difficult. On such a day, my brother Mark and I would have been driving up the PA Turnpike heading to Beltzville Lake to have some fun and tear up some water on a gorgeous fall afternoon. I am blessed to have the opportunity not only to boat in New Jersey on occasion, the Chesapeake Bay several times a year, but to boat in the beautiful lakes of the Pocono mountains and beyond. To have the opportunity to cruise around Lake Wallenpaupack in the fall when the crowds have gone, or Beltzville Lake after they have removed the warning buoys and courtesy docks, and take in all the brilliant colors of the leaves of fall on a warm afternoon is a fantastic experience.

I hope you had the opportunity to get in some fall boating and enjoy the colors of autumn before you had to winterize your boat and put it to bed for the winter. It's always worth it.



2011 Atlantic City Power Boat Show



Dates and Locations

February 2 through February 6, 2011
Atlantic City Convention Center
Atlantic City, NJ

Show Hours

Wednesday, February 2, 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Thursday, February 3, 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Friday, February 4, 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, February 5, 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Sunday, February 6, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Admission

- Adults: \$12
- Children (15 and younger): FREE when accompanied by an adult

US Power Squadron / SCGAUX Day



United States Power Squadrons

The AC Boat Show will recognize the United States Power Squadron on Wednesday, February 2 with FREE show admittance. Present your USPS identification card at the ticket counter for access. And, visit the United States Power Squadron booth for FREE seminars on everything from GPS, rules of the road and navigating through weather.

www.usps.org



VSC Corner

P/C Michael Lebeduik III, AP

An important message from R/C Bob Miller, Safety Committee, for members as well as Vessel Safety Examiners:

New Inflatable Life Jackets Impact the VSC

Inflatable life jackets (PFDs) have gone through an evolution, since the production of the VSC manual, which affects the VSC process.

At the time the VSC manual was produced essentially all inflatable life jackets were "type V" and required that they be worn to count as a viable life jacket. There are now many USCG certified inflatable jackets available that are type II and type III when used on recreational vessels in addition to the type Vs. Further the need for the jacket to be worn to count is dependent on the specific USCG certification of each individual jacket model. Whether the jacket must be worn is printed on the label affixed to the inside of the jacket itself. Therefore, ***Vessel Examiners now must check the label on inflatable life jackets to determine whether or not it must be worn to count.***

This has been coordinated with the USCG Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety.



Swinging the Lamp

Ahoy there once again!!!

Over the last couple of years, local squadrons have sponsored programs to reach out to neighboring families in need; low income families, families affected by the Iraqi and Afghanistan wars, and families of military personnel serving elsewhere on behalf of this fine country. Squadron members have extended financial help, provided food and basic necessities, and taken wounded soldiers or urban children on their boats for fun days on the water. They are, with all sincerity, reaching out and touching those whose hearts are in need.

Delhigh started its own "Family In Need Program" last year and is continuing again this year. I can say with certainty, a new tradition has been established.

Delhigh and other D/5 squadrons, D/5 and National are all on board!!! This makes me proud to be a part of Delhigh; proud to be associated with D/5; proud to be USPS®!

The Lampmaster wishes everyone a Safe and Happy Holiday Season



Notice:

February Meeting Change

Please note that the **February Membership Meeting** will be held on February 9, 2011, the **SECOND** Wednesday in February. This change was necessary to schedule around the USPS® Winter meeting in Florida. At the February meeting, we will be celebrating Founder's Day, with our traditional Spaghetti / Pasta Covered dish dinner. Mark your calendars.

Disney

USPS Annual Meeting 2-5 Feb. 2011

ACTIVITIES REGISTRATION (Please use your certificate number, as reservations are keyed to that number.)

>> Reserve online at www.usps.org/php/reservations

Rank	First	MI	Last	Grade	Cert. No.
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Address	City	State	ZIP	Squadron/District	
Home phone	Cell/Office			Dietary restrictions?	
E-mail address				First time attending a national meeting?	

A Shopper's Dream

A shopping adventure to the Prime Outlets in Orlando can be arranged through the concierge. You'll find Victoria's Secret, Chico's, Kate Spade, Bass, Coach, Baccarat/Lalique and many more. Download coupons at www.PrimeOutlets.com.

Wednesday, 2 Feb.

1300-1600 Inspiration: Through Walt's Eyes

Visit Disney's Hollywood Studios and Magic Kingdom. See 3-D stories inspired by Walt Disney's childhood and journey backstage. Discover the importance of the Sorcerer's Hat and Hollywood's prominence in all areas of Disney. To order, visit www.disneyurl.com/USPowerSquadrons or call 407-566-1738, M-F, 0900-1200 and 1300-1700 EST. \$99 per ticket

Thursday, 3 Feb.

0900-1200 Disney by Design

Learn the techniques used by designers and landscapers to turn Disney into a masterpiece of illusion. Besides visiting Walt Disney World Casting and Disney's Wilderness Lodge, you'll see how international landmarks are recreated at Epcot World Showcase and discover the builders of Disney magic at Central Shops. Closed-toe, closed-heel shoes required. To order, visit www.disneyurl.com/USPowerSquadrons or call 407-566-1738, M-F, 0900-1200 and 1300-1700 EST. \$99 per ticket

1830-2230 House of Blues & Cirque du Soleil

Have dinner at the House of Blues on your own followed by a show at Cirque du Soleil. Tickets must be ordered by 26 Dec. 2010.

Quantity @ \$66.65 Total \$

Friday, 4 Feb.

0900-1200 Gardens of the World

An expert explains how Disney's landscaping provides color and enjoyment all year long. Visit Epcot Future World to learn the horticulture program's five principles and how to use these techniques at home. You'll also examine the importance of landscaping and how it helps develop a theme, plant materials, and gardening techniques. To order, visit www.disneyurl.com/USPowerSquadrons or call 407-566-1738, M-F, 0900-1200 and 1300-1700 EST. \$69 per ticket

Activity reservations must be secured or postmarked by 22 Jan. 2011. After 22 Jan., call or e-mail for instructions. Refund requests made after 28 Jan. will be honored only if the tickets are resold. All tickets must be picked up at the member activities registration area no later than one hour before the event, except for social luncheon, members luncheon and banquet tickets, which must be picked up by 1000, Saturday, 5 Feb. Agendas and additional details may be found at www.usps.org/national/natmeetings.

Our meeting hotel is Disney's Coronado Springs Resort at 1000 West Buena Vista Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830. Reserve online at www.disneyurl.com/USPSAnlMtg or by calling 407-939-1020. Request the USPS rate of \$150 plus tax per night.

Saturday, 5 Feb.

1200-1400 Members Luncheon (cash bar 1200-1230)

Names and certificate numbers are required for each ticket.

Quantity @ \$35 before 1 Jan.—Early bird special!
@ \$40 after 1 Jan. Total \$

1100-1400 Social Reception & Luncheon

Our circle of USPS friendships widens as we enjoy a lovely lunch together. The men's quartet Pursuit will perform a wide range of recognizable favorites. Each guest will receive a beautiful gift to take home as a remembrance.

Quantity @ \$36 before 1 Jan.—Early bird special!
@ \$41 after 1 Jan. Total \$

1830-2200 Reception & Banquet

Come enjoy a wonderful meal and fellowship with USPS members and guests. Meet your 2011 national officers and listen to a well-known Florida DJ play dance music for your enjoyment, including rock, beach, soul, disco, funk and Motown hits from the '50s-'80s.

Quantity @ \$54 before 1 Jan.—Early bird special!
@ \$59 after 1 Jan. Total \$

Meeting CD

Contains presentations, handouts and PowerPoint slides from all committee meetings. Pick up CDs at activities registration along with your tickets.

Quantity @ \$5 Total \$

Total tickets & CDs:

Total due: \$

RV information is available at www.usps.org/lc/highwaymariners.

Reserve tickets online at www.usps.org/php/reservations using a credit card, or mail this form and a check made out to 2011 Annual Meeting to USPS HQ, P.O. Box 30423, Raleigh, NC 27622. For more information, call Arlene Anderson at 757-357-6319 or e-mail arlene.anderson47@yahoo.com.





PRINCESS ROYALE HOTEL

9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland

25 March – 27 March, 2011

ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY 8 MARCH 2011 TO ENSURE USPS RATES

This is a Totally Non-smoking Facility

Handicapped Rooms are available on a request basis

RATES: Ocean view/pool view Suite - \$99.00 per night Friday/Saturday

Oceanfront suite - \$129 per night

2 BR/2 BA Oceanfront Condo - \$219 per night

3 BR/3 BA - \$239 per night

(Rates are subject to tax)

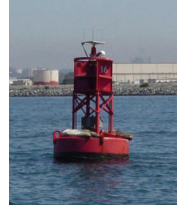
RESERVATION # 1-800-476-9253 Reservation ID Code: US Power Squadron, District 5

RESERVATION FORM

USPS D/5 OFFICER TRAINING & SPRING CONFERENCE

25 MARCH – 27 MARCH 2011 – Ocean City, Maryland

NAVIGATING THE FUTURE



MEMBER: Rank _____ Name: _____ Grade: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

SQUADRON: _____ POSITION: _____ FIRST TIMER? _____

E-MAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

SPOUSE/OTHER ATTENDEES:

Rank: _____ Name: _____ Grade: _____ First Timer? _____
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ACTIVITIES SELECTION

Saturday Membership Luncheon

Choice of: Chef's Featured Soup of Day
Chicken Salad Supreme on a Bed of
Mixed Greens and Egg Wedges, Tomatoes
And Choice of Dressing
Assorted Rolls and Butter
Raspberry sherbet with Wafer Cookie # _____ @ \$18.00 \$ _____
Or
Chef's Featured Soup of Day
Overstuffed Turkey & Swiss Cheese Sandwich
Served with Lettuce, Tomato and Pickle Spear
Homemade chips
Princess Cole Slaw
Raspberry sherbet with Wafer Cookie # _____ @ 18.00 \$ _____

Saturday Banquet

Choice of: Tossed Garden Greens with Fresh Vegetables
Roast Prime Rib of Beef 10 oz .with Horseradish Sauce
Assorted Rolls with Butter
Cherry Cheesecake # _____ @ 37.00 \$ _____
Or
Tossed Garden Greens with Fresh Vegetables
Boneless Breast of Chicken Cordon Bleu
Assorted Rolls with Butter
Cherry Cheesecake # _____ @ 37.00 \$ _____
TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Make Checks payable to: 2011 D/5 Spring Conference

Send to: Lt/C Jennie Jacobs
4353 1st Terrace, Bangor, PA 18013
610-250-1971

Meal Reservations must be received no later than
12 March 2011

Uniform – Thursday/Friday – USPS/Squadron shirts. Saturday – USPS Blazer w/gray slacks. Banquet – Uniform A with bowtie

Directions: From RT 90, turn left onto Coastal Hwy. Hotel will be on the right

Boating Safety

Boating Safety - Take Your Dog Boating

Nothing is more exhilarating than the smell of the sea and the wind in your hair as you sail carefree under a warm sun. If you enjoy boating, there's no reason not to take your best friend with you, after all, dogs love going places with their owners.

Most dogs enjoy water, they are instinctive swimmers and very few dogs are afraid of the water (except during bath time!). Nothing beats a warm summer day out on a boat with the companionship of your dog. Dogs are an important part of most families and a holiday just isn't a holiday if you leave your first mate at home. Safety is important on a boat and it is especially important if you take your dog along with you. There are a few simple things you can do to make sure your day out on sea (or the lake) doesn't turn into a scene from Titanic.

The first thing you should do before **boating with your dog** is to get him a canine life jacket. You can find doggie life jackets at most boating stores and pet shops. When buying a life jacket for your dog make sure it's a good fit. Even though most dogs can swim, high seas or fatigue can cause drowning in even the most avid of swimmers, so don't risk it, get your dog a life jacket. Even if your dog doesn't drown if he goes overboard for any reason, excessive fatigue can cause numerous problems.

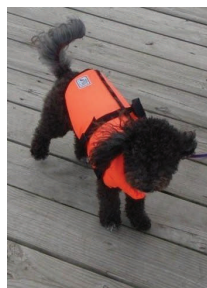
The second thing you should do is not to encourage your dog to drink water from the lake or sea. Freshwater lakes are often contaminated from factories and boats and contain harmful organisms so never allow your dog to drink water from a lake. Take fresh drinking water with you on your trip and give that to your dog. As the atmosphere out on sea can be hot and dry, your dog is at risk of getting dehydrated so make sure there is ample drinking water available to him at all times.

The third thing you should do that doesn't readily come to mind when you're thinking about dogs is sunscreen. Just as we need sunscreen to protect ourselves from harmful rays, so do some dogs. Short haired breeds of dogs can get easily sunburned and you should use a light SPF sunscreen such as SPF-15 on your dog. On unusually hot and sunny days a higher SPF factor may be warranted. Make sure you choose a neutrally scented sunscreen so it doesn't irritate your dog.

The fourth and final thing you should put into consideration is that your dog will need to relieve himself somewhere. Take plenty of doggie waste bags and paper towels with you on your trip as well as an odor neutralizer to clean up after your dog. If you can train your dog to use puppy pads this is ideal as it will make cleaning up after the dog much easier. Clean up after your dog immediately to reduce the risk of feces born diseases and odor.

Taking these four simple tips into consideration can help you make the most of your boating trip. Your dog will enjoy the fresh air and time spent with you and exercising basic safety precautions should ensure a safe and pleasant day out on the lake or at sea.

Content courtesy of [Pet-Super-Store](http://Pet-Super-Store.com).



NIKKI (THE PUP)





Membership Meeting & Activity Schedule

Please note the times and locations of the upcoming meetings and activities

Delhigh Holiday Party

Saturday, 18 December 2010
Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center
1800

January 2011 Membership Meeting

Wednesday, 5 January 2011
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
1900

Atlantic City Boat Show

2-6 February 2011
Atlantic City Convention Center

February Membership Meeting

Founders Day Dinner
Wednesday, 9 February 2011
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
1800

March Membership Meeting

Wednesday, 2 March 2011
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
1900

April Membership Meeting

Wednesday, 6 April 2011
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
1900

2011 Delhigh Change of Watch

Saturday, 9 April 2011
Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center
Time TBA



District-5 & USPS National Events

(Mark your Calendars Now)

USPS Annual Meeting

Disney's Coronado Spring Resort
Orlando, FL
31 Jan – 5 Feb 2011

District 5 Spring Conference

Princess Royale Hotel
Ocean City, MD
25 - 27 March 2011

NOAA CO-OP Charting Workshop

29 April - 1 May 2011
Norfolk, VA



DISTRICT 5