

Good morning shipmates,

Our next meeting is Saturday, August 24, at Zacatecas Cafe in Riverside. The meeting will start at the regular time. Our speaker will be Carla Thornton, and I am sure you will find her interesting and exciting. There will be a special surprise for all who attend.

I have submitted our request to Riverside National Cemetery to conduct a Remembrance and Memorial Service at the Veterans Amphitheater on Saturday, December 7, 2019, for Pearl Harbor Day. We are now waiting for their approval and agreement to participate, and will move forward after they approve the request. We will be honoring Pearl Harbor survivors, World War II veterans, boats and crews lost, and submarine veterans, in addition to the families of all the above. We will also invite other veteran groups to participate and attend as they can. For a small base, I believe we are living up to the requirements of our Creed.

The Bonefish Base float refurbishment has been completed thanks to Dan Rowland, and she looks beautiful with minor modifications. She is temporarily stored at Dan's, but your help is urgently needed in finding a permanent storage location. Since we can no longer store it at Flabob, we need to find something fairly soon.

Our Holiday Party will be here before you know it. Please be thinking of items for the silent auction. This is our major fundraiser of the year.

If you have a lead or an idea for a speaker or program, please let me or any eBoard member know so that we can schedule it

I look forward to seeing you at the meeting on the 24th. Thanks for all your help and support.

Daryl Brock