

WOLFGRAM

Seawolf (HAL-3) Assoc.



Spring 1992

From Tom Olby, President

Dan Smiley was authorized to spend the necessary funds to advertise for lost Seawolves. Hopefully, this will build our association now, rather than just giving a big push before the next reunion. I authorized Dan to spend funds to find lost Wolves. Con Jaburg is currently in Saudia Arabia, His address is: Booz-Allen, Hamilton Inc.

Con's on site reunion alternate is Matt Gache,
Telephone _____

Rich Lambert and Don Stedman are working hard on the Seawolf scholarship fund. The plan, which I endorse, is to award a scholarship at our next reunion (Pensacola in 94).

From Don Thomson, Historian

Peter Mersky has decided to rescind the contract that he signed, to write a book on the Seawolves. This is a project that Don Thomson has been working on for several years. Don assures me that this project will not be dropped.

The GAMEWARDEN Association is having a national reunion in St. Louis this coming July. Adm. Zumwalt will be attending. The GAMEWARDEN reunion hotline is _____.

Don Thomson also has beautiful six color plastic drink cups for sale, at \$1.00 each plus postage. Contact Don at _____, telephone _____

- Those of you who attended the San Diego reunion will recall that Charlie Borgstrom was seriously ill with cancer. The good news is that Charlie's cancer is in remission, he is feeling great. Charlie wants you to know that the VA did him right.
Seawolf Merchandise available through Dan Calvert,

Small Seawolf patch	\$ 4
Large Seawolf patch	12
T Shirts	15
Seawolf Hats	15

Bumper Stickers	1
Seawolf History	1
Seawolf Pins	5

Many members at the San Diego reunion expressed a interest in putting a history of the Seawolf home base and detachments on a video to be shown at the next reunion. If you are interested in being responsible for a history of out home base or a particular detachment make sure to let me (Tom Olby) know ASAP. I think the idea has merit and we have time to get this done before the next reunion.

Editor Notes:

Talked with Marty Twite about the status of the Seawolf helicopter for the Air and Space Museum. Marty has managed to finesse the weapon system mounts. Mini guns are still needed though. So far Marty has not spent dollar one of Seawolf Association money.... This is a big job that didn't just happen. It has taken a lot of time on Marty part nurse this project through. Speaking for all of us Marty, we appreciate your efforts.

OFFICERS

President Tom OLby,

Vice Prez Con Jaburg,

Treasurer Dan Calvert,
Secretary
Complaint
Dept. Quartermaster

Historian Don Thomson,

Member Don Stedman,
Assistance

Newsletter Tom Thalmann,

Scholar Rich Lambert,
ships

Member Dan Smiley,
ship

Membership Fee -- Life Membership

In case your wondering. At the reunion a life membership was established at \$300.00, regular yearly dues still remain at \$20.00. Due cycle will now follow a calander year. Therefore, with few exceptions it is time for 1992 dues. Make your check payable to Seawolf Association, and forward to Dan Calvert,

The names of associations and newsletters that the Seawolf Association has placed LOST WOLVES notices in along with reunion information appears below. Dan Smiley wants to know if there are other organizations we should place advertisements with. If you know of another Association or publication, please give Dan a call at

Vietnam War Newsletter,

Vetern Locator, C/O Gayle Garmise,

Assocoation of Aviation Ordanaceman, Gerry Gannon,

Editor-Tailhook Publication, Tailhook Association,

Nat Chestnut, C/O Naval Reservist News, Naval Support Activity,

Editor-Bullhorn Publication, Bluejackets Assoc.,

Naval Reserve Assoc. News,

Helicopter Crew Member Association, Mr. George H. Ecker

Editor-Changing Colors, Naval Support Activity,

Vietnam Helicopter Pilots Association (newsletter),

Roger Gould Editor,

Navy Times Reunion Editor,

Naval Enlisted Reserve Assoc., N.E.R.A. Magazine,

C. O. HAL-4, NAS, Norfolk, VA

Bravo,

Naval Retirement Home, Bulletin Board, Gulfport, MS

UASS Towers, Bulletin Board. San

USS Merrill DE-392, Armed Forces Bulletin Board,

Fleet Reserve Assoc.,

Purple Heart Magazine,

John Burlance SR., Adjutant, Bulletin Board 11, Dept. of

Veteran Affairs Il. Vet Home,
Assoc. of Naval Aviation Inc., Naval Aviation Museum,

Editor-Vietnam Veteran,
Editor-National Guard Magazine, One Massachusetts Ave NH,

Editor-Spindrift N.S.A.

Gamewardens of Vietnam Assoc.,

Gamewardens San Diego
Gamewardens North West Chapter
Officer Magazine, Reserve Officer Assoc.,

Service Reunions,

Naval Helicopter Assoc. Capt R. Catone, CNO OPS,

Sea Classics Magazine, Challenge Publications Inc.

Fraternal Order of U.D.T./SEALS,

Vetnet,

"I am interested in contacting the family of or anyone who knew LCDR Hal Guinn, a former AOCs classmate and squadron member. Hal graduated from AOCs in 1966 and served in HAL-3 in 1967-1968 and in HSL-34 in 1975 or 1976. Please contact M. G. Steen, Jr., Commanding Officer, Naval Air Station, , telephone ."

I just finished talking with Joe Mount of Dumfries VA. Jo as you will recall, along with a small group of Seawolves are placing two wreaths on the Vietnam Veterans Wall in commemoration of the 25 Anniversary of HAL-3 Commissioning and 20 Anniversary of HAL-3 Decommissioning. Both wreaths will look like the Seawolf emblem. One will be a flora while the other hand made by Marie Leduc will be of artificial flowers. We hope the Marie's wreath will be placed in the Wall vault. The wreath laying will have taken place on April 25, 1992. Wreaths along with 45 red and white carnations with names of Seawolf KIA and MIA were paid for by Seawolf Association. The initiative to make this happen was all Joe Mount and George Leduc,



Veterans of the Vietnam War, Inc.

Michael J. Balash

NATIONAL PGM. DIR. for POW/MIAs

WHEN FILLED,
RETURN FORM TO:

A full accounting of Americans listed as Missing-in-Action in Southeast Asia and the repatriation of any Americans still imprisoned or otherwise detained in that region as a consequence of our nation's war in Vietnam constitute an issue of grave concern to millions of Americans. To keep this issue alive in the hearts of all Americans, we, the undersigned, hereby request that the United States Postal Service, as soon as possible, issue a

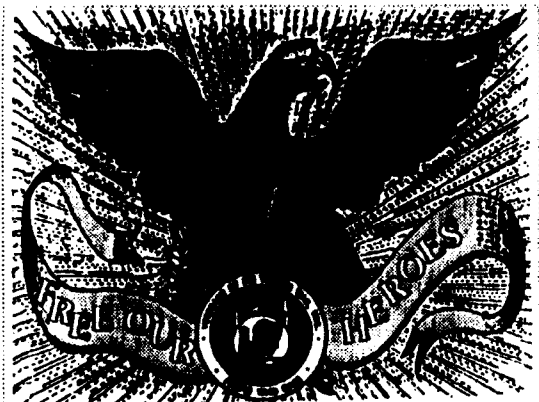
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VETERANS of the VIETNAM WAR, Inc.
SPECIAL PROJECTS DEPT.



Mr. President,

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Only those of voting age are eligible to sign.

Please feel free to copy and circulate this petition. The Veterans of the Vietnam War, Inc. is a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization. All contributions for continuing this effort are tax-deductible and they will be greatly appreciated.