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USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555)

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From: Commanding Officer, USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555)
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Subj: USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555) COMMAND HISTORY FOR CALENDER
YEAR 1995

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(2) Commanding Officer's Photograph
(3) Welcome Aboard Package
(4) Ship's Photograph
(5) Sailing List

1. USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555) is a deep diving research and development diesel-electric submarine. The ship is under the operational control of Commander Submarine Development Group ONE, home ported in San Diego, CA. Commander Joseph P. Peterson, USN, is currently serving as the Commanding Officer.

2. The following chronology of events reflect the ship's operations for calender year 1995.

a. 10-13 January 1995: Underway for independent steaming exercises (ISE).

b. 14-16 February 1995: Underway for ISE.

c. 27 February - 2 March 1995: Underway for periscope signature measurements and ISE.

d. 6-10 March 1995: Underway for Exercise KERNAL BLITZ and to perform radiated noise survey with RV Flip. Commander Submarine Force Pacific Fleet (RADM Jon M. Barr) toured ship.

e. 30-31 March 1995: Moored at Naval Submarine Base, San Diego, CA for Commander Submarine Group FIVE and Commander Submarine Squadron THREE deactivation ceremony.

f. 11-12 May 1995: Underway for ISE.

g. 22-26 May 1995: Underway for Deep Ocean Transponder deactivation and ISE.

h. 9-19 June 1995: Underway for Port to Port towing demonstration and ISE.

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i. 23-29 June 1995: Underway for Emergency Towing Exercise and for the following inspections: Operations Readiness Examination, Engineering Readiness Examination, Communications Readiness Evaluation and Navigation Evaluation.

j. 10 July - 21 August 1995: Deployed to the Pacific Northwest to support the MK-50 Torpedo Test Program. Port visits to Eureka, Ca., Bangor, Wa., Naniamo, and Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

k. 18-22 September 1995: Underway for WESMAR Sonar operational testing minefield surveys in support of AN/BQS-15 EC 17 testing.

l. 13-17 November 1995: Underway for Mobile Inland Undersea Warfare (MIUW) support, Beartrap Crew Certification, and High Resolution Electronic Imaging Undersea System (HELIUS) certification and testing.

m. 27 November - 1 December 1995: Underway for HELIUS testing and certification.

n. 8-15 December 1995: Underway for MK-50 Torpedo open-ocean testing.

3. USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555) performed various complex research and development projects throughout the year. All operations were evaluated as successful. One major ship's configuration change involved the installation of the High Resolution Electronic Imaging Undersea System. USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555) was awarded the Commander Submarine Force Pacific Fleet Communications Green "C" and the Engineering Red "E" for Special Category for 1995.


J. P. PETERSON

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DATE: 5 February 1996
SAILING LIST
USS DOLPHIN (AGSS 555)

OFFICER PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>
CASSONI, Richard	LT
HAWK, Douglas Wayne	LT
KUMMER, John Allen	LCDR
PETERSON, Joseph Preston	CDR
REHM, Eric Alan	LT

ENLISTED PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>
ALTMAN, John Charles	MM1(SS)
AMICO, Eric Ronald	ET1(SS)
BAIRD, Michael Scott	SK1(SS)
BARNES, Don NMN	STS1(SS)
BARRETT, Richard Ray	QMC(SS)
BECKER, James Ray	YN2(SS)
BURKE, John Eric	MM1(SS)
^{C.C.E.} CRAWFORD, Brian	MM3(SU)
FERGUSON, Brent Allen	MM1(SS)
FINEHOUT, Timothy Clark	IC1(SS)
FINK, Kevin Jay	IC2(SS)
FLORES, Stephen L.	STS1(SS)
FORCK, Daniel James	STS3(SS)
FOX, Darren James	IC1(SS)
GARDNER, James C.	RMC(SS)
GILL, Stephen Edward	RM1(SS)
GOLSON, Zachary NMN	IC1(SS)
GUETTLER, David Philip	SK3(SS)
HILL, Richard Patrick	EMC(SS)
HOWAT, Jeffrey Ryan	YNSR(SU)
JESSEN, Stephen Anthony	MM3(SS)
JONES, Lawrence N.	IC1(SS)
KAMMERDIENER, Cory L.	IC2(SS)
LABATTE, Randy R.	YNC(SS)
LEE, Marlin Ray	IC3(SS)
LOCK, John Jay	ET1(SS)
McBROOM, Joshua Dan	SR(SU)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>
MARSHALL, Mark Steven	ETCS(SS)
MILLER, James David	IC2(SS)
MILLER, Steven Thomas	MMCS(SS)
MORGAN, David Earl	MS3(SS)
RABIN, Joseph Scott	IC2(SS)
RATTI, Robert Edward	STSC(SS)
SHAW, Patrick Somone	MM1(SS)
SIMMONS, Eric Sterling	ET1(SS)
SWARTZ, Thomas J. Jr.	RM2(SS)
SWEENEY, Douglas E.	RM3(SS)
TEMPLE, Scott Adam	HM1(SS)
TENNISON, Eric F.	MM3(SS)
TUCKER, Ronald B. Jr.	SN(SU)
TYLER, Lawrence H.	MMC(SS)
VAN IRVIN, Kirkland J.	STS2(SS)
WELLS, Robert Charles	QM3(SS)
WILMOT, Frederick Dean	STS2(SS)
YOUNG, Ben Joseph	MM3(SS)
AND NO OTHER CREW MEMBERS*****	