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USS MIAMI (SSN 755) COMMAND HISTORY FOR 2002

1. Command Composition and Organization.

Mission: USS MIAMI (SSN 755) is the 44<sup>th</sup> ship of the Los Angeles class of nuclear attack submarines, but fitted with such advanced modifications that she and her sister ships, beginning with SSN 751, are specially designated as Improved 688 Class Submarines. These modifications include retractable bow planes, under ice operation capability, vertical launch Tomahawk Cruise Missile capability, significant ship quieting enhancements, integrated combat suite, and improved speed. MIAMI represents the Submarine Force's premier asset for accomplishing the variety of missions demanded in today's political environment. An independent and powerful anti-ship/ anti-submarine asset, she is the ultimate stealth platform, and the singular defense resource capable of covert mining operations, special forces delivery and retrieval, precision land attack strike warfare, sophisticated intelligence gathering, covert communications monitoring, deep arctic operations, visual and electronic surveillance, and regional control/denial. Her speed, endurance, versatility, and sustained readiness make MIAMI one of the most formidable, operationally cost-effective, and flexible assets within the country's defense structure.

ISIC: COMMANDER, SUBMARINE GROUP TWO  
Commanding Officer: Commander Randall G. Richards, USN  
Homeport: Naval Submarine Base New London, Groton CT

2. Awards: COMLANTFLT Retention Honor roll, Silver Dolphins, COMSUBRON FOUR Deck Seamanship "D" award.

3. Media articles

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1 JAN- 27 JAN	DMP	DEPOT MODERNIZATION PERIOD	KITTERY ME
28 JAN- 30 JAN	DMP	PHASE 1 CREW CERT	KITTERY ME
31 JAN- 1 FEB	DMP	PHASE 2 CREW CERT	KITTERY ME
2 FEB- 6 FEB	DMP	SEA TRIALS	KITTERY ME
7 FEB- 13 FEB	DMP	SEA TRIALS	
14 FEB- 04 MAR	PORT CALL	DMP ENDS (15 FEB 02)	GROTON CT
05 MAR- 15 MAR	SEA	POST DMP SHAKEDOWN	
16 MAR- 25 MAR	PORT CALL	UP KEEP	GROTON CT
26 MAR- 12 APR	SEA	INSURV WORK UP	
13 APR- 14 APR	PORT CALL		GROTON CT
15 APR- 16 APR	SEA	INSURV (SEA PORTION)	
17 APR- 19 APR	PORT CALL	INSURV (IN PORT PORTION)	GROTON CT
20 APR- 25 APR	PORT CALL	INPORT PERIOD	GROTON CT
26 APR- 10 MAY	SEA	WEAPONS TESTING (PHASE 3 CREW CERT)	
11 MAY-31 JUL	PORT CALL	AVAILABILITY PERIOD	GROTON CT
1 AUG- 3 AUG	PORT CALL	FAST CRUISE	GROTON CT
4 AUG- 5 AUG	PORT CALL	POST FAST CRUISE	GROTON CT
5 AUG- 15 AUG	SEA		
23 AUG- 26 AUG	PORT CALL	PORT CANAVERAL	PORT CANAVERAL FL
27 AUG- 04 SEP	SEA	DEPENDENT CRUISE/ TIGER CRUISE	
5 SEP-6 SEP	SEA	MINE AVOIDANCE TRAINING	AUTEC RANGE
7SEP- 10 SEP	PORT CALL	PORT CANAVERAL	PORT CANAVERAL FL
11 SEP- 13 SEP	SEA		
13-SEP-16 SEP	PORT CALL	MAYPORT	MAYPORT FL
16 SEP-18 SEP	SEA	OPERATIONAL TOMAHAWK LAUNCH	
19 SEP- 23 SEP	SEA	RETURNED FROM PORT CANAVERAL	
23 SEP- 17 OCT	PORT CALL	UPKEEP PERIOD	GROTON CT
18 OCT- 19 NOV	SEA	ORSE	
20 NOV-17 DEC	PORT CALL	UPKEEP PERIOD	GROTON CT
18 DEC-30 DEC	STAND DOWN		GROTON CT
31 DEC-1 JAN 03	PORT CALL	END SHIPS HISTORY FOR 2002	GROTON CT

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