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Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR 1999

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(12) USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR DEC 99

(13) SHIP'S PICTURE

(14) 1998 CRUISE BOOK

(15) Biography and photo of Commanding Officer

(16) 3.5 Floppy Disk

Per reference (a), enclosures (1) through (16), are forwarded as requested.

JOHN M. CHANDLER

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR JAN 1999

- Encl: (1) Barry Organization Chart
 - (2) "The Barry Bugle" (Nov 98 Jan 99)
 - (3) Officers and Chief Petty Officers Social Roster(27 JAN
 - 99)
 - (4) MSG FM COMDESRON TWO SIX, 221235Z JAN 99
 - (5) MSG FM CNO WASHINGTON DC, 300009Z JAN 99
 - (6) MSG FM USS BARRY, 251530Z JAN 99
 - (7) Alpha Roster printout from Compass

1. Command Composition and Organization:

A. <u>Mission</u>: The USS Barry is equipped with the most advanced naval weapons system in the world. AEGIS, a computerized, quick reaction air defense system, provides extraordinary capabilities against attacking aircraft and missiles. The heart of the AEGIS system is the SPY radar which automatically detects and tracks virtually everything that is flying out to 200 miles.

Barry's Vertical Launching System (VLS) can launch both the land attack Tomahawk cruise missile and the Standard surface-to-air missile. One forward five-inch gun mount can be used against threatening ships or to bombard shore targets.

Barry also has the most advanced underwater surveillance system available today. Our suite of antisubmarine warfare (ASW) equipment consists of a hull mounted sonar, acoustic array sonar, and a helicopter data link which can receive information on the location of submarines and surface ships miles away.

Barry is propelled by powerful gas turbine engines allowing her to cruise at over 30 knots. Overall she is a diverse and extremely capable warship.

- B. <u>Organizational Structure</u>: Barry's organization consists of a commanding officer, executive officer, six departments and sixteen divisions. (see encl. 1)
 - C. Captain: Commander John M. Chandler, USN
 - D. Permanent Duty Station: Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA

2. Chronology:

- 01 JAN 99 Holiday Leave and upkeep continued.
- 11 JAN 99 Holiday Leave and upkeep ends.
- 15 JAN 99 DESRON 26, CAPT Cox, presents Barry with the Warrior Spirit Award for qualifying all SWOs on time.

- 19 JAN 99: Underway at 0730 from pier 10 NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
 - Riders: ATG, LCDR Mullen (PXO Arliegh Burke), LTjg (CNSL JAG).
- 20 JAN 99 Tow be towed exercise with the USS McFaul (DDG 74)
- 21 JAN 99 Underway replenishment with USNS Bighorn (130K DFM, empty pallets, personal highline transfer, and leapfrogs conducted)
- 22 JAN 99 Barry receives the 1998 TYCOM Ship Safety Award. (see encl. 4)
 - Integrated Training Team battle scenario led to general quarters.
 - Sea and anchor detail, low visibility transit of Thimble Shoals Channel.
 - Pier side, pier 25 berth 2 port side to, 1400.
- 30 JAN 99 LTjg is named Navy Male
 Athlete of the Year for 1998. (see encl. 5)
- 3. Narrative: The first part of January 1999 was spent on holiday leave and upkeep. Barry's new Captain, CDR John M. Chandler and new Executive Officer, LCDR Charles W. Wydler had their first operational underway on Barry from 19JAN99 to 22JAN99. Barry's current mission is to prepare for and conduct work ups as part of the Inter Deployment Training Cycle (IDTC). Barry's near term focus is on its Final Evaluation Period (FEP) and Cruise Missile Tactical Qualification (CMTQ).
- 4. Supporting Documents: See enclosures.

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- Encl: (1) MSG FM COMNAVSURFLANT NORFOLK, VA 292034Z JAN 99
 - (2) MSG FM COMNAVSURFLANT NORFOLK, VA 122352Z FEB 99
 - (3) Black History Month Ceremony Program
 - (4) USS Barry "Ship's Reef Points"
 - (5) USS Barry "Welcome Aboard!" Visitor Guide
 - (6) MSG FM BARRY, 182120Z FEB 99
 - (7) "1998 Navy Athletes of the Year" Article
 - (8) Alpha Roster printout from Compass

1. <u>Command Composition and Organization</u>:

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2. Chronology:

- 01 FEB 99 USCGC Point Vonipa visit
- 02 FEB 99 Distinguished Guest Visit, Major General

Piyasak Desaputera, Director of Joint Combined

Exercise

Office, Royal Thai Supreme Command

and Special Colonel Noggot, Deputy Director of Joint Combined Exercise Office, Royal Thai Supreme Command. (encl. 1)

- 04 FEB 99 Captain's Mast held for SA SA and ET3
- 08 FEB 99 Underway at 0700 from pier 25 NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
 - Radar cross section (RSC) testing
- 09 FEB 99 General Quarters Drill
 - M-60 machine gun familiarization training
- 10 FEB 99 .50 Cal familiarization training
 - Helicopter operations with HC-8; practiced recovery, launch, and vertical replenishment with a CH-46. 94 total evolutions
- 11 FEB 99 Pier side, pier 25 berth 2, port side to, 1000
 - Barry decided to pull into port a day early due to predictions of severe weather
- 15 FEB 99 Holiday, Washington's Birthday Observed
- 16 FEB 99 Underway at 1400 from pier 25 NAVSTA Norfolk,
 - VA (FEP practice scenario)
 - Practice anchoring evolution on the way out to sea at G-4 anchorage.
 - Received message that Barry won the Battle "E"

(encl. 2)

- 17 FEB 99 Scored an 83% on our Yoke check
- 18 FEB 99 A mount casualty prevented completion of a 50 round rapid fire exercise with the five inch gun.
 - Scored an 89% on a Zebra check during GQ.
 - The seas picked up to ten to twelve feet today, we made our transit to Norfolk early to prepare for sea and anchor detail.
- 19 FEB 99 Set sea and anchor detail at 0430. Pier side, pier 25 berth 2, port side to, 0730.
- 23 FEB 99 Scored an 88% on the Fleet Training Group (FTG) graded yoke check.
- 24 FEB 99 Canadian Officer AAW visit
 - Refuel by barge
 - Officer Hail and Farewell, Hail: ENS (1ST LT), CWO2 (MPA); Farewell: LTjg (MPA), LTjg (DCA).
- 26 FEB 99 Black History Ceremony (encl. 3)
- 3. <u>Narrative</u>: This month Barry worked very hard to meet our goals. We received word that Barry won the DESRON 26 Battle "E". Barry worked hard to bring our graded yoke check score above an 85%; on 23FEB99 we scored an 88% on the FTG check. Topside preservation is another goal the ship had been working on. Clampdown started this month. This gives all hands time for deep cleaning on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.

The two one week underway periods were full of valuable training. We ran scenarios to prepare the ship for FEP, one of our big near term goals. Both underways were cut slightly short due to bad weather.

Barry celebrated Black History Month with several programs. We have had daily Plan of the Day (POD) notes, a Black history trivia week, and a ceremony on 26FEB99.

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- Encl: (1) MSG FM BARRY 121705Z MAR 99
 - (2) MSG FM BARRY 112320Z MAR 99
 - (3) MSG FM BARRY 112330Z MAR 99
 - (4) MSG FM BARRY 181848Z MAR 99
 - (5) MSG FM CNSL 231755Z MAR 99
 - (6) MSG FM BARRY 190155Z MAR 99
 - (7) MSG FM BARRY 261245Z MAR 99
 - (8) Alpha Roster printout from Compass

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2. Chronology:

- 01 MAR 99 Damage Control Indoctrination Division (DCI Div) conducted this week
- 02 MAR 99 Type Commander's Exercise (TYCOMEX) conducted.

The ship earned a 98.5% on the exercise.

- BM2 reenlisted
- 03 MAR 99 DC2 reenlisted
 - Forward kingpost fell into stowage trunk (encl. 1)
- 05 MAR 99 Safety stand down conducted. Topics included

line handling, car seat safety, HAZMAT, and man aloft zones.

- 09 MAR 99 E-6 Exam
- 11 MAR 99 Oil spill (encl. 2,3)
- 12 MAR 99 Fast cruise and Integrated Training Team (ITT) Battle scenario
 - 15 MAR 99 Small arms training
 - RM2 reenlisted
 - 16 MAR 99 Small arms training
 - 18 MAR 99 Team Barry kick off
 - Oil spill (encl. 4)
 - 22 MAR 99 TSTA3 ITT briefs held 23 MAR 99 - Underway 0700 for TSTA 3
 - Barry receives one of three nominations for the Ship's Store Best Sales and Service

for medium afloat. (encl. 5)

- 24 MAR 99 Moored 1030, pier 25 berth 2, port side to
- 26 MAR 99 FEP ITT briefs held
- 29 MAR 99 Underway 0700 for FEP, CDS 26 embarked

- 30 MAR 99 Barry Day Off 31 MAR 99 - Barry Day Off, Barry Best Ball Golf Tournament
- Narrative: March was a big month for Barry. The entire month was geared toward Barry's Final Evaluation Period (FEP) and having CDS 26. Commodore Cox, on board. Tremendous strides were made on topside preservation and attention to detail while preparing for FEP. group PT program and clampdown were put on hold allow extra time to prepare. Barry got underway on 23MAR99 for TSTA 3 to practice our FEP scenario. Instead of pulling into port that night as planned, we stayed out one more night to specifically work on the GO portion of the scenario. The next week was spent doing last minute changes to the training team's scenario packages. Several times the ITT schedule was compressed to ensure FEP would be completed in one day. Friday afternoon, 26MAR99 Barry briefed the ITT packages to DESRON 26. Monday morning, 29MAR99 Barry went to sea with CDS 26 embarked to conduct FEP. (encl. 6) All drills and scenarios went very well. we pulled back in the Captain announced that the next day, Tuesday 30MAR99, would be a Barry Day Off. This in conjunction with the Barry Day Off and Golf Tournament the following day, was a nice breather for the crew. For April the crew is looking forward to the DESRON 26 group sail.
- 4. Supporting Documents: See enclosures.

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR APR 1999

- Encl: (1) Awards Ceremony List
 - (2) Group Sail Schedule of Events
 - (3) MSG FM USS BARRY, 222300 APR 99
 - (4) MSG FM COGARD AIRSTA ELIZABETH CITY NC, 230455 APR 99
 - (5) Alpha Roster printout from Compass

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2. Chronology:

- 02 APR 99 Awards Ceremony held
- 06 APR 99 Underway from pier 25, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA with the other DESRON 26 ships.
- 07 APR 99 Coast Guard Helicopter Transfer of Cruise
 Missile Tactical Qualification (CMTQ) Team
 - 70 round fire for effect Gun Exercise
- 08 APR 99 Cruise Missile Tactical Qualification
 - Boat Transfer of CMTQ Team
- 09 APR 99 Transit to Puerto Rican Operational Area
 - 52 round fire for effect Gun Exercise
- 10 APR 99 RAS with USNS John Lenthall (190,736 gal DFM; 3258 gal JP-5).
 - Barry Bingo Night
- 11 APR 99 Barry Sports Day, Operations Department takes first place
- 12 APR 99 DESRON 26 attempts a photo exercise (PHOTOEX) of the ships, the helicopter does not show up
 - BARRY pier side Naval Station Roosevelt Roads Puerto Rico (NAVSTA RRPR). Crew has on base liberty until 2400.
- 13 APR 99 Underway from NAVSTA RRPR.
 - Torpedo Exercise at Atlantic Fleet Weapons Training facility, BARRY scored a 99%
 - Night RAS with USS Seattle, offloaded 300 shells of 5 inch ammunition (95,891 gal DFM).
- 14 APR 99 CWIS and 5 inch gun exercise
- 15 APR 99 Anchor in Sint Maaretn, N.A.
 - Liberty
- 16 APR 99 Liberty
- 17 APR 99 Liberty
- 18 APR 99 Liberty
- 19 APR 99 Underway from Sint Maarten, N.A.

- UNREP with USNS John Lenthall (93,238 gal DFM)
- 20 APR 99 Engineering Quick Look
- 21 APR 99 5 inch gun exercise with the killer tomato
- 22 APR 99 RAS with USNS Patuxent (108,071 gal DFM; 2,655 gal JP-5)
 - Emergency Flight Quarters for a medical emergency
- 23 APR 99 Pier side, Pier 10, berth 5, port side to, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
- 26 APR 99 Indoctrination Division starts
- 27 APR 99 Fleet Maintenance Availability (FMAV) Arrival Conference
- 29 APR 99 454 pieces of ordnance for the five inch gun offloaded pier side.
- 3. <u>Narrative</u>: April was a great month for underway training on BARRY. The five ships of Destroyer Squadron 26 conducted an eighteen day group sail from Norfolk, VA to the Puerto Rican Operational Area. All five DESRON 26 ships, USS Mahan, USS Laboon, USS Kauffman, USS Samuel B. Roberts, and USS Barry, got underway for the group sail on April 6, 1999 (Encl. 1). The first few days of the underway were spent doing CMTQ for the squadron's ships. Afterwards, COMDESRON 26 stated that BARRY had the most successful CMTQ in the squadron.

Over the entire group sail BARRY did four underway replenishments. We received fuel on all four, and offloaded five inch ammunition on the one with the USS Seattle. We had flight quarters twice, once to transfer the CMTQ team aboard and once to conduct a medical evacuation to Portsmouth Naval Hospital (Encl. 2 and 3). BARRY also conducted small boat transfers to shift personnel from ship to ship. We did several small arms, five inch and CIWS (Close In Weapons System) exercises, including PAC (Pre-action calibration) fires, drogue shoots, fire for effect exercises, and the killer tomato exercise.

BARRY scheduled several social events for fun during the group sail. We had a bingo night and an ice cream social. We also had a BARRY sports day. Events included a homemade kite flying contest, a fender toss, a tug of war, skeet shooting, damage control events, and naval trivia. The operations department won for the day and earned a departmental day off.

BARRY conducted a port visit to Sint Maarten, N.A. from April 15th to the 19th. This liberty port provided a great break for the crew. The captain made an official visit to the Lt. Governor of Sint Maarten, N.A. The local Navy League hosted a reception for the wardroom and chief petty officer's mess for BARRY and the USS Ramage on April 16th.

BARRY returned to home port on April 23, 1999, and began a six week availability (FMAV).

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR MAY 1999

- Encl: (1) MSG FM NETPDTC, 270418 MAY 99
 - (2) Barry Bugle (February May 99)
 - (3) The Flagship, "Briefly" 03 JUN 99, Page A-1
 - (4) BARRY Article on Golden Anchor Ceremony
 - (5) MSG FM COMNAVSURFLANT NORFOLK VA, 021802 JUL 99

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2. Chronology:

- 03 MAY 99 Warfare Commander's Conference (3-8 MAY)
- 10 MAY 99 HURREX 99 (10-21 MAY)
- 11 MAY 99 FMAV Mid-availability Conference
- 15 MAY 99 TEAM BARRY volunteers potato bagging project
- 21 MAY 99 Helo Fire Fighting Team Trainer
- 25 MAY 99 FMAV Departure Conference
- 26 MAY 99 Golden Anchor Award Presentation
 - Best Ship's Store Association (BSSA) Inspection
- 28 MAY 99 Operations Department day off from the BARRY Sport's Day.
 - MAR 99 Advancement Exam Results
 - Announced, (Encl.1)
 - Ammunition on load
- 31 MAY 99 Memorial Day Holiday

3. Narrative:

The majority of May was spent on BARRY's Fleet Maintenance Availability (FMAV) which included several major projects and installations. Topside BARRY completed a very intensive topside preservation effort. In addition a ship's force rehab of all berthing heads was conducted.

BARRY received several new upgrades for the Anti-Submarine Warfare Officer's Division. A new Sonar Insituational Mode Assessment System (SIMAS), also known as the 25B-V1 or UYQ-65, was installed. This system provides range predictions and optimal sonar modes and settings to the sonar technicians (STG's). A System Level Recorder (SLR) was installed which provides the ability to record what the

sonar hears. An audio system was also installed to the SQR-19 TACtical Towed Array Sonar (TACTAS).

The Wireless Internal Communication System (WICS) has taken the place of the HT 1000 walkie-talkies on board. This Commercial Off The Shelf (COTS) system was meant to replace the Navy's DC-WIFCOM radios, a system BARRY never had. Through the use of different talk groups, everyone from the Captain and Department Heads to damage control parties to the different training teams can communicate on a mobile network.

The notable event of the month was the presentation of BARRY's FY '98 Golden Anchor by ADM Reason, CINCLANTFLT. (Encl. 1, 2, & 3)

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR JUN 1999

- Encl: (1) Dependent's Cruise Welcome Aboard Pamphlet
 - (2) Midshipmen Cortramid Roster
 - (3) MSG FM CDS26, 271315 MAY 99
 - (4) MSG FM CDS26, 181750 JUN 99
 - (5) MSG FM CDS26, 251600 JUN 99
 - (6) Alpha Roster printout from Compass

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2. Chronology:

- 01 JUN 99 Link Long Look (1-3 JUN)
- 04 JUN 99 Dependent's Cruise
- 07 JUN 99 Indoctrination Division (7-11 JUN)
 - Embark Midshipmen
- 08 JUN 99 Underway from pier 10, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA with the other DESON 26 ships.
 - Anchored during Sea Detail
 - DESRON 26 PHOTO EX
 - BARRY boards KAUFFMAN for a MIO Exercise
 - Midshipmen boat operations
- 09 JUN 99 CIWS/TDU Shoot
 - UNREP with USNS Kanawha (76,933 gal DFM, Empty Pallets)
 - Officer/CPO Pizza Delivery Night
 - ACTS/WAR GAME (Windward Pass)
- 10 JUN 99 Pier side, Pier 25, berth 6, starboard side to, with the USS Samuel B. Roberts out board, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA.
- 11 JUN 99 Midshipmen Cortramid Social
 - Flag Day
- 14 JUN 99 Embark Midshipmen
 - Logistics End to End Meeting
 - DC I- Division (14-18 JUN)
 - Link 11 Long Look
- 15 JUN 99 Underway from pier 10, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA with the other DESON 26 ships.
 - Leap Frogs
- 16 JUN 99 BARRY boards SAMUEL B. ROBETRS for a MIO Exercise

- Midshipmen boat operations
- ACTS/WAR GAME (Desert Breeze)
- 17 JUN 99 UNREP with USNS Kanawha (75,370 gal DFM, 1,896 gal JP-5, Empty Pallets)
 - Pier side, Pier 25, berth 1, starboard side to, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA.
- 18 JUN 99 Midshipmen Cortramid Social
- 21 JUN 99 Embark three DDG P-COs
 - Embark Midshipmen
 - Petty Officer Indoctrination (21-22 JUN)
- 22 JUN 99 Underway from pier 25, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA with the other DESON 26 ships.
 - Submarine operations with the USS City of Corpus Christi
 - BARRY boards SAMUEL B. ROBERTS for a drug search
- 23 JUN 99 War at Sea Exercise
 - UNREP with USNS Kanawha (67,237 gal DFM, Empty Pallets)
- 24 JUN 99 Pier side, Pier 24, berth 6, starboard side to, with the USS Kauffman out board, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA.
- 25 JUN 99 Safety Standown
 - Midshipmen Cortramid Social/CNSL Join-up
- 28 JUN 99 Embark Midshipmen
- 29 JUN 99 Underway from pier 24, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA with the other DESON 26 ships.
 - KAUFFMAN boards BARRY for a MIO Exercise
 - Helicopter operations with Rotary Wing Test Squadron; practiced recovery, launch, and night vision goggle operations with an SH-60F. 64 total evolutions.
- 30 JUN 99 War at Sea Exercise
 - UNREP with USNS Big Horn (65,100 gal DFM, 1,662 gal JP-5)

3. Narrative:

TEAM BAARY started off the month with a one day Dependents Cruise on 04 JUN. A large portion of the crew had friends and family, totaling 227, visit for the short underway making it a great time for the crew and visitors. Some of the events held that day included: USS Typhoon fly by, F/A-18 fly by, SH-3 fly by and photo shoot, 5-inch and CIWS gun shoot, and a steel beach picnic.

The rest of the month was dedicated to training on our Group Sail. For each of the four Tuesday morning to Thursday afternoon underways, BARRY embarked midshipmen for their Cortramid Cruises.

Training and exposing midshipmen to the surface navy was one of the goals during the four weeks. An important part of this group sail was also training watch standers for our upcoming deployment.

Some of the many evolutions conducted this month were: four underway replenishments, one flight quarters totaling 64 evolutions (including night vision goggle launches and recoveries). Maritime Interdiction Operations (MIO) was another focus of training. BARRY conducted three boardings during the group sail, two simulated UN sanctions violators and one simulated drug runner. Combat conducted several War at Sea Exercises and ACTS War Games. The Engineering Department was able to include several BECCES into their watch standing.

Another big push made during this underway was for petty officers to earning their Enlisted Surface Warfare Specialist (ESWS) pin. It is now mandatory to have an ESWS pin in order to take the petty officer first class exam.

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- Encl: (1) Frocking/Awards Ceremony List
 - (2) MSG FM CNO WASHINGTON DC, 192022Z JUL 99
 - (3) MSG FM COMDESRON 26, 201630Z JUL 99
 - (4) MSG FM CNSL, 221100Z JUL 99
 - (5) MSG FM COMIKEBATGRU, 221705Z JUL 99
 - (6) MSG FM CINLANTFLT NORFOLK, VA, 261700Z JUL 99
 - (7) MSG FM COMIKEBATGRU, 281527Z JUL 99
 - (8) MSG FM CNSL, 301430Z JUL 99
 - (9) MSG FM CNSL, 301510Z JUL 99
 - (10) MSG FM COMDESRON 26, 301705Z JUL 99
 - (11) BARRY PAO Article on Battenberg Cup
 - (12) MSG FM CNSL, 171445Z AUG 99
 - (13) MSG FM USS BARRY, 151410Z JUL 99
 - (14) BARRY Safety Net, JUL-AUG 99
 - (15) Alpha Roster Printout from Compass (28 JUL 99)

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2. Chronology:

- 01 JUL 99 BM2 re-enlisted
 - Pier side, Pier 20, berth 1, starboard side to, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA.
 - Career Advancement Program (CAP) board held and results announced: BM1 QM2 and GSE2
- 02 JUL 99 BARRY Day Off
- 05 JUL 99 Independence Day Observed
- 09 JUL 99 Officer Hail and Farewell, (LT Navigator and LTjg Auxiliaries Officer farewelled)
- 16 JUL 99 Frocking and Awards ceremony held (Encl. 1)
- 19 JUL 99 BARRY announced winner of the Rear Admiral William Thompson Excellence in Public Affairs Award, "Best in Show" and "Internal Communications, Afloat, Small" (Encl. 2, 3, 4, 5 & 9)
 - Naval Surface Fire Support Team Trainer (JUL 19-23)
- 21 JUL 99 Command PRT (JUL 21-23)

24 JUL 99 - CDR Chandler marries 26 JUL 99 - BARRY announced as winner of the Batter

26 JUL 99 - BARRY announced as winner of the Battenberg Cup Award. (Encl. 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, & 12)

27 JUL 99 - BARRY Day at Harbor Park

- BARRY CPO Selectees announced: EM1 GSM1 and PN1

3. <u>Narrative</u>: July provided BARRY with a solid month inport to work on training and ship upkeep.

The month was also busy with BARRY receiving a lot of good news. The results of the Command Advancement Program were announced, three excellent sailors were promoted by the Captain. A Frocking and Awards Ceremony was held. BARRY received word that we earned two prestigious awards, the Rear Admiral William Thompson Excellence in Public Affairs Award (Encl. 2, 3 & 4), and the Battenberg Cup (Encl. 5, 6 & 7). The Battenberg Cup is a tremendous accomplishment by the crew; it is awarded to the best all around ship in the Atlantic Fleet. BARRY also had three crewmembers selected for chief this year: PN1 GSM1 and EM1

Preparations were made this month for getting underway in the beginning of August with the Eisenhower Battle Group (IKEBATGRU).

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- Encl: (1) MSG FM COMIKEBATGRU, 221405Z JUL 99
 - (2) MSG FM NAVSURFWARCENDIV CRANE IN, 301804Z AUG 99
 - (3) Memorial Program
 - (4) MSG FM COMNAVSUPSYSCOM, 090700Z AUG 99
 - (5) MSG FM NEXCOM, 162105Z AUG 99
 - (6) MSG FM COMNAVSURFLANT, 181320Z AUG 99
 - (7) MSG FM CINCLANTFLT, 201104Z AUG 99
 - (8) MSG FM CNO WASHINGTON DC, 231217Z OCT 99
 - (9) BSSA WRITE UP

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2. <u>Chronology</u>:

- 02 AUG 99 Underway NAVSTA Norfolk, Pier 20
 - Anchor
 - Dry hook up with the EISENHOWER
- 03 AUG 99 Conduct Burials at Sea
- 04 AUG 99 Chaff Launching Film
- 05 AUG 99 UNREP with the USNS KANAWHA (Empty Pallets and 120k of DFM)
 - Flight Operations with SBR's SH-60 (32 Evolutions)
- 06 AUG 99 Moored Pier 21
- 07 AUG 99 EMFA Willie J. Johnson died, OSSA wounded when attacked by a gunman.
- 09 AUG 99 Memorial service for EMFA Johnson
 - BARRY announced as winner of BSSA
 - Naval Surface Fire Support (NSFS) Team Evaluation (AUG 9-13)
 - Sonar Dome Dive (AUG 9-11)
- 16 AUG 99 Combat Systems Readiness Review Phase One (AUG 16-27)
 - TARGET (AUG 16-27)
- 23 AUG 99 Blood Drive
- 3. <u>Narrative</u>: The highlight for BARRY this month was the first Group Sail with the battle group (Encl. 1). The USS DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER conducted their Final Evaluation Period during this under way. During the Group Sail, BARRY conducted several chaff launches. The firings were filmed to produce a video on how to load the

launchers (Encl. 2). Two photographers from Combat Camera were aboard for the week to film and take still pictures.

Sadly, TEAM BARRY lost a sailor to street violence this month. A memorial service for EMFN Willie Johnson was held on the flight deck August 9^{th} (Encl. 3).

Again BARRY was in the spotlight this month. The results of the Ships Store Best Sales and Service Award (BSSA) were announced and BARRY won in the Atlantic Medium Category (Encl. 4,5,6,7,8 & 9).

CSRR Phase One and TARGET were both successful. CSRR helps the Combat Systems department identify problems with their systems and then helps fix them. TARGET helps the entire ship identify and correct discrepancies with doors and hatches.

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR SEP 1999

- Encl: (1) Media Advisory, 07 SEP 99
 - (2) BARRYNOTE 5050, 09 SEP 99
 - (3) Virginia-Pilot Article, 14 SEP 99
 - (4) MSG FM COMNAVSURFLANT NORFOLK VA, 171445Z AUG 99
 - (5) MSG FM CTF TWO NINE, 202150Z AUG 99
 - (6) MSG FM CTU TWO NINE PT SIX PT ONE, 072000Z SEP 99
 - (7) MSG FM CTU TWO NINE PT SIX PT ONE, 201900Z SEP 99
 - (8) MSG FM CTU TWO NINE PT SIX PT ONE, 211830Z SEP 99
 - (9) Alpha Roster Printout

1. Command Composition and Organization:

- A. Mission: No change.
- B. Organizational Structure: No change.
- C. Captain: Commander John M. Chandler, USN
- D. Permanent Duty Station: Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA

2. <u>Chronology</u>:

- 03 SEP 99 Safety Stand down
- 06 SEP 99 Labor Day
- 07 SEP 99 Underway VCOA
 - Anchor Test
 - ACTS Scenario Training
 - Repair Locker Training
 - Flight Quarters
- 08 SEP 99 ACTS Scenario Training
 - Repair Locker Training
- 10 SEP 99 Moored NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
 - Battenberg Cup Preparations
- 13 SEP 99 Battenberg Cup Presentation by VADM Giffin
- 15 SEP 99 Underway to avoid Hurricane Floyd
- 16 SEP 99 LTJG and LTJG earn their SWO pins
- 17 SEP 99 Moored NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
- 27 SEP 99 Underway for IKEBATGRU COMPTUEX
 - ASW Proficiency Training (SEP 27 OCT 3)
- 3. <u>Narrative</u>: BARRY was underway for a week this month to conduct some training on her own. From September 7th to the 10th we conducted several Anti-Air Warfare ACTS Scenarios for training with ATRC. We also conducted damage control training for the repair lockers.

Once back from our short underway period, the focus was on preparations for VADM Giffin's presentation of the Battenberg Cup on September 13^{th} (Encl. 1, 2, 3, & 4).

BARRY set sail from September $15^{\rm th}$ to $17^{\rm th}$ with most of the fleet in Norfolk to avoid Hurricane Floyd.

BARRY left the Naval Station again on September 27th with the Eisenhower Battle Group to conduct its Comprehensive Training Unit Exercise (COMPTUEX) (Encl. 5). On the transit down the Puerto Rican Operating Area we conducted our Anti-Submarine Warfare Proficiency Training (ASWPT) (Encl. 6, 7, & 8).

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR OCT 1999

- Encl: (1) MSG FM HELANTISUBRON FIVE, 150200Z OCT 99
 - (2) MSG FM CTF TWO NINE, 232108Z SEP 99
 - (3) MSG FM CTF TWO NINE, 232109Z SEP 99
 - (4) MSG FM CTF TWO NINE, 232110Z SEP 99
 - (5) MSG FM CTG TWO NINE TP SIX, 221915Z OCT 99
 - (6) MSG FM COMDESRON TWO SIX, 181801Z OCT 99

1. Command Composition and Organization:

- A. Mission: No change.
- B. Organizational Structure: No change.
- C. Captain: Commander John M. Chandler, USN
- D. Permanent Duty Station: Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA

2. Chronology:

- 03 OCT 99 Last day ASWPT
- 05 OCT 99 Missile Firing
- 06 OCT 99 Torpedo Firing
- 08 OCT 99 Moored St. Croix, Liberty Port Visit
 - Navy League Social
- 12 OCT 99 Underway from St. Croix
- 13 OCT 99 Helicopter Mishap (Encl. 1)
- 14 OCT 99 MIO Exercise
- 15 OCT 99 MIO Exercise
- 19 OCT 99 Intermediate Training Assessment (ITA)
 - Commences
- 22 OCT 99 ITA Finishes
- 23 OCT 99 Field Day
 - ESWS Standown
- 26 OCT 99 Sinking Exercise (SINKEX)
- 28 OCT 99 Moored Pier 2 berth 5, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
- 29 OCT 99 BARRY Day Off

3. <u>Narrative</u>:

Nearly the entire month was spent conducting COMPTUEX 00-1 (Encl. 2, 3, & 4). The month provided BARRY excellent training in all warfare areas. The highlights of the month included a torpedo and missile shoot. BARRY conducted four simulated torpedo attacks on an ASW target. Three over the side torpedoes and one helicopter dropped torpedo were fired, all were evaluated as successful. BARRY fired three SM-2 Standard Missiles on the range in Puerto Rico at a variety of air targets. Throughout the month we participated in several underway replenishments and flight operations. BARRY maintained her excellent reputation on the flight deck.

The four day port visit to St. Croix was a well deserved break for the crew. Many enjoyed the beaches and shopping by day and the restaurants and pubs by night.

Due to a hurricane the ITA was shortened. At the end of the return transit we participated in the sinking exercise of the Ex-USS MOSOPELEA (Encl. $5\ \&\ 6$)

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR NOV 1999

- Encl: (1) RMC Adams Commissioning Ceremony Program
 - (2) NOTICE 5050, 04 OCT 99

1. Command Composition and Organization:

- A. Mission: No change.
- B. Organizational Structure: No change.
- C. Captain: Commander John M. Chandler, USN
- D. Permanent Duty Station: Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA

2. Chronology:

- 01 NOV 99 CSRR PH II (NOV 1-12)
- 05 NOV 99 RMC Adams Commissioning Ceremony (Encl. 1 & 2)
- 08 NOV 99 FMAV (NOV 8-24)
- 11 NOV 99 Veteran's Day
- 15 NOV 99 Dome Dive (NOV 15-16)
 - Aegis Training Readiness Center (ATRC) Trainers on board (NOV 15-22)
- 19 NOV 99 Navy Media Center Interviews
- 23 NOV 99 BSSA Breakfast
- 25 NOV 99 Thanksgiving
- 26 NOV 99 BARRY Day Off

3. Narrative:

Much of this month was spent conducting maintenance and preparations for the upcoming Joint Task Force Exercise (JTFEX). The highlights included CSRR Phase II and an FMAV. Both were very successful. ATRC came on board to conduct training in Combat for a week. All of the scenarios have helped train several of the new watch standers in Combat.

The Supply Department had their assessment for the NEY award this month. They were nominated in the Medium Afloat category for this year.

Subj: USS BARRY (DDG 52) COMMAND HISTORY FOR DEC 1999

- Encl: (1) AWARDS LIST
 - (2) MSG FM USS BARRY, 192245Z DEC 99
 - (3) Alpha Roster Printout from Compass

1. Command Composition and Organization:

- A. <u>Mission</u>: No change.
- B. Organizational Structure: No change.
- C. Captain: Commander John M. Chandler, USN
- D. Permanent Duty Station: Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA

2. Chronology:

- 03 DEC 99 Underway from Pier 2, berth 5 Naval Station Norfolk.
 - Commence Joint Task Force Exercise (JTFEX 00-1)
 - Five inch gun firing
- 05 DEC 99 Underway Replenishment with USNS LEROY GRUMMAN
 - DLQ's with HS-5
- 07 DEC 99 Pearl Harbor Day
- 10 DEC 99 Hostilities Commence (JTFEX)
 - BARRY hit by torpedo, sent to General Quarter's
 - BARRY towed by USS SAMUEL B. ROBERTS
- 11 DEC 99 BARRY back in the fight
- 13 DEC 99 Soundings Photographer arrives
 - VBSS Team 2 boarded M/V LEECH LAKE (USNS SUPPLY)
- 15 DEC 99 Finish JTFEX 00-1
 - Moored, Pier 20, Berth 1, Naval Station Norfolk
- 16 DEC 99 BARRY Day Off
- 17 DEC 99 Awards Ceremony (Encl. 1)
- 18 DEC 99 Holiday Leave Period One (18-28 DEC)
 - Sailor shot while on leave (Encl. 2)
- 25 DEC 99 Christmas Day
- 29 DEC 99 Holiday Turnover
- 30 DEC 99 Holiday Leave Period Two (28 DEC 09 JAN)
- 31 DEC 99 New Year's Eve

3. Narrative:

This month BARRY conducted JTFEX 00-1 as a part of the Eisenhower Battle Group (IKEBATGRU) along with the Wasp Amphibious Readiness Group (WASP ARG). This was the graduation exercise for the battle group prior to deployment. The goal of the entire Inter-Deployment Train Cycle (ITDC) is to be ready to stress and test all warfare areas during this two week underway period. BARRY did an outstanding job performing in all warfare areas including, surface,

subsurface, air, strike operations, and Maritime Interdiction Operations (MIO). Several other areas from deck operations to maintaining a coherent tactical picture (CTP) with the use of data links were also evaluated.

BARRY began her leave and stand down period on the 18th of December providing the crew with well-deserved time to relax. A sailor temporarily assigned to BARRY was shot while on leave. After surgery he was released from the hospital in good condition.