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T. S. KENNEDY

COMMAND HISTORY - USS CHANCELLORSVILLE (CG 62)

KEY CHRONOLOGICAL EVENTS FOR 2001

01 Jan CHANCELLORSVILLE celebrated the new millennium moored at Berth 6, Yokosuka, Japan.

09 Jan CHANCELLORSVILLE hosted Ambassador Thomas Foley, U.S. Ambassador to Japan, who toured the ship and provided brief remarks to the wardroom.

16 Jan Second holiday leave period ended.

17 Jan CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a "fast cruise," to shake down the ship's command watchbill and refresh the crew on basic underway procedures such as abandon ship and general quarters.

19 Jan CHANCELLORSVILLE celebrated Martin Luther King Jr. Day with a ceremony in the ship's helo hangar. Music was provided by children from Ikego elementary school.

25 Jan CHANCELLORSVILLE made a one-day trip out to anchorage A-12 to receive ammunition.

26 Jan ENS [REDACTED] earned his coveted Surface Warfare Officer pin.

02 Feb the DK1(SW/AW) [REDACTED] is named as the Commander, Carrier Group Five Sailor of the Year. He will go on to represent CCG5 at the COMNAVSURFPAC level.

08 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE was fully underway for the first time during 2001, heading to sea to operate with the USS KITTY HAWK. Much of the day was spent in Sagami Wan, conducting EW drills on the ULM-4 range.

09 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE held a Main Space Fire Drill.

11 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE continued operations in support of KITTY HAWK's flight schedule.

12 Feb The first PAC fire for 2001 was held in R116. CHANCELLORSVILLE fired 10 rounds from each of the two five-inch guns, as well as 300 rounds from MT22 and hundreds of rounds from the SCAT weapons.

CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a General Quarters training scenario.

13 Feb Conducted an underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK (T-AO 204) in R116. CHANCELLORSVILLE received over 140,000 gallons of DFM.

14 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE returned to Yokosuka.

- 15 Feb LTJG [REDACTED] earned his coveted Surface Warfare Supply Corps Officer (SWSCO) pin.
- 23 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE hosted Rear Admiral Linda J. Bird, SC, USN, Vice Commander, Naval Supply Systems Command, for a brief ship tour.
- Received USS VINCENNES (CG49) outboard.
- 26 Feb CHANCELLORSVILLE hosted the CTF70 Battle Group Air Warfare Symposium, outlining the details of the new battle group OPTASK Counter Air.
- 02 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE departed for the three month spring deployment. KITTY HAWK (CV63), JOHN S MCCAIN (DDG56), GARY (FFG51), VANDEGRIFT (FFG48) and VINCENNES (CG49) also departed for the cruise. The ships all rendezvoused in the R116 operating areas for carrier qualifications and other initial operations.
- CHANCELLORSVILLE and KITTY HAWK were scheduled for a late afternoon replenishment alongside USNS RAPPAHANNOCK (T-AO 204), though the event was postponed due to high winds and heavy seas.
- CHANCELLORSVILLE's single helicopter for the spring cruise arrived early in the afternoon. WARLORD 10 was flown by LCDR Jeff Barta, Detachment Four Officer in Charge.
- 03 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE, KITTY HAWK and the other battle group ships all replenished alongside USNS RAPPAHANNOCK in an early morning refueling at sea. CHANCELLORSVILLE took over 85,000 gallons of DFM.
- During the night, CHANCELLORSVILLE detached from the USS KITTY HAWK and headed for Sagami Wan, seeking shelter from 15+ foot seas and high winds in R116.
- 04 Mar After spending the morning in Sagami Wan, CHANCELLORSVILLE proceeded to Yokosuka to allow technicians from SRF Yokosuka to examine the ship's helo hangar door. The door was jammed open during heavy seas the previous day.
- 06 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE returned to sea to join the battle group.
- CHANCELLORSVILLE, along with JOHN S. MCCAIN, GARY and VANDEGRIFT participated in a simulated opposed transit exercise. The JDS NADUSHIO simulated a hostile submarine as the surface vessels protected the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK during her transit through a simulated chokepoint.
- 08 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a PACFIRE, firing both five-inch mounts as well as the 25-mm, the M60's and one CIWS mount.
- 09 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE took over 150,000 gallons of DFM from the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK during an afternoon RAS.

10 Mar The Battle Group Arrived in the operating areas off Okinawa.

12 Mar U.S. Air Force F-15's, along with aircraft from CVW5 participated in a Battle Group air defense exercise.

13 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an afternoon replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, taking over 100,000 gallons of DFM.

16 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE replenished with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 100,000 gallons of DFM. Upon completion of the replenishment, CHANCELLORSVILLE went directly into a vertical replenishment (VERTREP) with the USNS SPICA (T-AFS 9), receiving over 25 pallets of stores on the flight deck.

18 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE encountered two Russian Udaloy-class destroyers while transiting south to Singapore. The two ships paralleled the KITTY HAWK and CHANCELLORSVILLE for a number of minutes, then continued on in their journey to Petropavlosk.

19 Mar Conducted a morning replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK.

20 Mar Participated in a PASSEX with the Royal Singapore Navy (RSN). The exercise squared off the Kitty Hawk Battle Group – who was simulating a convoy ferrying supplies into a military installation near Singapore – and eleven RSN patrol craft and airplanes.

21 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE took the afternoon off to paint the ship prior to entry into Singapore. The ship hove to allowing crewmembers to circle the ship in the RHIB, touching up the hull's paint job.

22 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE arrived in Singapore, tying up at the new Changi Naval Base Pier. The pier was specifically designed for deep draft US combatants. CHANCELLORSVILLE was preceded into port by KITTY HAWK and followed in by VINCENNES.

23 Mar The Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Vern Clark, attended the official opening ceremonies for the Changi Naval Base Pier. Ceremonies were held onboard USS KITTY HAWK, across the pier from CHANCELLORSVILLE.

26 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE departed Singapore, heading into the Gulf of Thailand towards Thailand.

27 Mar CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an early morning replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 200,000 gallons of DFM.

Later in the morning, CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a PAC fire with both CIWS mounts. Each mount fired approximately 300 rounds.

28 Mar The KITTY HAWK Battle Group began Exercise Merlion with the Royal Sing Air Forces.

01 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE refueled with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 150,000 gallons of DFM.

The Battle Group arrived in the Gulf Of Thailand in preparation for a Thai Passex. During the next four days, the Battle Group would simulate a war at sea and conduct a number of air defense exercises with the Thai Navy and Air Force.

03 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an afternoon replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 90,000 gallons of DFM.

05 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE anchored in Pattaya, Thailand for a four day port visit.

09 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE departed Pattaya, heading south for the Gulf Of Thailand. Along the way, the ship conducted an evening replenishment and VERTREP with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK.

A small class "C" fire broke out in CHANCELLORSVILLE's aft 400Hz space. There were no injuries and damage was minimal.

10 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE frocked two of its Chief Petty Officers to Senior Chief Petty Officer; DCCS(SW) [REDACTED] and SKCS(SW/AW) [REDACTED]

CHANCELLORSVILLE was awarded the "Green H" for outstanding medical readiness and performance.

13 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted another underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 200,000 gallons of DFM.

14-16 Apr The KITTY HAWK Battle Group transited the Suragao Straits, the Sulu Sea, the Balabac Straits and Leyte Gulf while traveling eastward towards Guam.

17 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted another underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 200,000 gallons of DFM.

19 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted another underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 80,000 gallons of DFM.

20 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE, along with USS GARY, arrived in Saipan, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands (CNMI) for a ten-day port visit.

23 Apr A number of officers and sailors attended a reception at the residence of the CNMI Governor.

27 Apr Residents of the Saipan Youth Center visited CHANCELLORSVILLE and attended the ship's picnic. The Center hosted sailors in the morning to talk with detainees

about opportunities and life in the Navy.

- 28 Apr 21 CHANCELLORSVILLE sailors participated in the American Red Cross 10K Walk-a-Thon. Nearly \$400 was given in support of fundraising efforts.
- 30 Apr CHANCELLORSVILLE was underway from Saipan. After securing the sea and anchor detail, the ship began a vertical replenishment with the USNS KISKA (T-AE 35). Seven pallets of ammunition were lifted to CHANCELLORSVILLE's forward VERTREP station.
- Later in the afternoon, CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a five-inch and CIWS PAC fire.
- 02 May CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a night underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK.
- 04 May The KITTY HAWK Battle Group "crossed the line," moving south of the equator for the first time since late 1999.
- 05 May CHANCELLORSVILLE held a "Crossing the Line Graduation Ceremony" where the ship's wogs were converted to shellbacks.
- The afternoon was followed by a General Quarters Main Space Fire Drill (MSFD).
- 06 May CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a night underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 150,000 gallons of DFM.
- 07 May ENS [REDACTED] completed his coveted Surface Warfare Officer qualification, earning the right to wear the gold SWO pin.
- CHANCELLORSVILLE deployed its towed "spar" to allow aircraft from CVW5 to practice bombing missions. For three hours, the aircraft simulated attacks on the towed sled.
- 08 May CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an early morning replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK.
- 09 May ENS [REDACTED] completed her coveted Surface Warfare Officer qualification, earning the right to wear the gold SWO pin.
- 10 May The ship went to GQ as part of a CBR drill. CHANCELLORSVILLE set MOPP level 4 to ensure all crewmembers were trained in defense against a chemical, biologic or radiological attack.
- For the first time of the exercise, CHANCELLORSVILLE entered within Australia's Great Barrier Reef Marine Park as part of exercise TANDEM THRUST. For the next two weeks, the ship would enter the park during the day to support flight operations onboard the KITTY HAWK, then move outside the park at night to

pump-and-dump trash and waste.

11 May CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an early morning replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 90,000 gallons of DFM. The RAS was followed by a 70-pallet vertical replenishment from the USNS NIAGRA FALLS.

Two Royal Australian Navy Midshipmen embarked CHANCELLORSVILLE as part of the FOREXTRAMID training exchange program. LTJG [REDACTED], CHANCELLORSVILLE's new Fire Control Officer, left CHANCELLORSVILLE to embark the HMAS BRISBANE (DDG 41) as part of the exchange.

12 May CHANCELLORSVILLE faced the first maritime strike vulnerability of Tandem Thrust as three Australian F-111 fighters flew on the KITTY HAWK. The event was a success for CHANCELLORSVILLE, as all aircraft were engaged outside the battle group vital area.

Commodore Moffat, Royal Australian Navy, the Sea Combat Commander for Tandem Thrust, visited CHANCELLORSVILLE to view the first maritime strike of Tandem Thrust.

13 May CHANCELLORSVILLE faced a second maritime strike from RAN/RAAF aircraft, as ten F/A-18's and three F-111's flew on the KITTY HAWK.

14 May CHANCELLORSVILLE again took fuel from the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK during a night underway replenishment.

The KITTY HAWK battle group faced a third maritime strike from RAN/RAAF aircraft, as eight different aircraft flew on the KITTY HAWK. These multi-aircraft strikes would continue once or twice daily through the completion of the Fleet Training Exercise (FTX) portion of Tandem Thrust 01 on 20 May.

Throughout the FTX portion of Tandem Thrust, the KITTY HAWK battle group also faced surface and sub-surface threats. CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a number of anti-surface engagements between 14 and 20 May, as well as an anti-submarine engagement against the USS LOUISVILLE (SSN-724) on 16 May.

18 May CHANCELLORSVILLE again took fuel from the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK during a night underway replenishment.

20 May Exercise TANDEM THRUST came to a close as over 10 ships – U.S., Australian, and Canadian – as well as one U.S. submarine assembled for a morning photo exercise. Upon completion of the photo-ex, CHANCELLORSVILLE and the HMAS BRISBANE (DDG-41) rendezvoused to transfer LTJG [REDACTED] back to CHANCELLORSVILLE.

CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a night underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 90,000 gallons of DFM.

Late in the night, CHANCELLORSVILLE began a southward transit to rendezvous with the ex-USS REEVES. The ship was under tow, heading to an operating area where she was to be sunk as part of a HULK-EX.

- 21 May CHANCELLORSVILLE arrived at the Ex-REEVES, though she was considerably south of the sink-ex location. One of two tugs towing the hunk had their tow line part due to heavy seas. The loss of the tow line slowed the hulk's progress, originally pushing the sink-ex back by 24 hours.
- 22 May CHANCELLORSVILLE remained with the Ex-USS REEVES, but a number of factors, including sea state and the distance required for the ship to make future commitments, forced a second postponement of the HULKEX. This time, the event would be postponed until after the upcoming port visit to Sydney.
- 23 May ENS [REDACTED], CHANCELLORSVILLE's OI division officer, qualified as a surface warfare officer. She received her gold SWO pin in an evening ceremony on the mess decks.
- 24 May The KITTY HAWK Battle Group arrived in Sydney, Australia for a five day port visit. The ships moored at Woolloomooloo Pier at the Royal Australian Navy's Fleet Pier East. USS GARY moored outboard of CHANCELLORSVILLE.
- 25 May Five of CHANCELLORSVILLE's Ensigns were promoted to Lieutenant Junior Grade: LTJG [REDACTED], LTJG [REDACTED], LTJG [REDACTED], LTJG [REDACTED] and LTJG [REDACTED].
- 26-27 May CHANCELLORSVILLE, along with the KITTY HAWK and GARY, opened her doors to the public. Over 14,000 people visited the ships during the two days of open ship visiting.
- 29 May CHANCELLORSVILLE, GARY and KITTY HAWK all departed Woolloomooloo to rendezvous with the Ex-USS REEVES.
- CHANCELLORSVILLE departed Woolloomooloo with twelve SEAL/EOD riders who were supporting elements in the HULKEX. EOD was to embark the Ex-USS REEVES to ensure material condition "XRAY" was properly set. The SEALs were aboard to support the Swimmer Delivery Vehicle deployed from the USS KAMAHAMAH (SSN-642).
- 30 May CHANCELLORSVILLE arrived in the vicinity of the HULK. For most of the morning, EOD team members embarked the HULK and ensured proper setting of material condition "XRAY." CHANCELLORSVILLE also conducted small boat operations to bring much needed food and cigarettes to the crew of the tug that stayed with the REEVES for the six days since the originally scheduled HULKEX date.
- RHIB operations were originally scheduled for the evening in support of SEAL SDV operations. The SDV operations were cancelled however, due to heavy seas.

- 31 May CHANCELLORSVILLE, GARY and JOHN S MCCAIN finally kicked off the HULKEX, conducting gunnery exercises against the Ex-REEVES. CHANCELLORSVILLE fired 113 five-inch rounds from each of its two five inch batteries.
- After bombing the HULK, CHANCELLORSVILLE moved to a position in which the ship could control aircraft coming in to attack the HULK. For the remainder of the day, aircraft – both from CVW5 and from the Royal Australian Air Force – bombed the HULK. The ship went down shortly after noon that day.
- With the HULK safely on the bottom, the ship turned its attentions to a nighttime underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK.
- 01 Jun Three of CHANCELLORSVILLE's Lieutenants Junior Grade were promoted to Lieutenant: Lieutenant [REDACTED] (Navigator), Lieutenant [REDACTED] (Food Service Officer), and Lieutenant [REDACTED] (First Lieutenant).
- 02 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted an underway replenishment with the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK, receiving over 200,000 gallons of DFM.
- 05 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted its final underway replenishment of the spring cruise, receiving over 150,000 gallons of DFM from the USNS RAPPAHANNOCK. The ship then moved alongside the USNS KISKA (AE-35) to conduct an ammunition VERTREP.
- 07 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE arrived in Guam for a one-day port visit. The ship stopped, along with the KITTY HAWK, JOHN S MCCAIN, GARY and RAPPAHANNOCK in order to pick up "tigers" for the upcoming Tiger Cruise to be held during the return to Yokosuka.
- 08 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE conducted a man overboard drill as part of a "tiger" demonstration.
- 09 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE, along with JOHN S MCCAIN, GARY and KITTY HAWK, conducted a nighttime Surface Power Demonstration, with each ship firing its main batteries.
- 11 Jun CHANCELLORSVILLE returned home to Yokosuka, moving into a two week standdown period.
- 29 Jun The post-deployment standdown came to a close as CHANCELLORSVILLE entered an inport maintenance availability.
- 20 Jul CHANCELLORSVILLE participated in the Chibikko Youth Festival at Pier "Y1" on the JMSDF side of Yokosuka Harbor. The ship left Harbormaster pier early in the morning, moored at Y1, opened for tours for most of the day, then returned to Harbormaster pier that evening. Over 4,000 people toured the ship during the open-house.

- 21 Jul Chaplain [REDACTED] conducted a community relations project with orphans from the Yurikagoen Orphanage. The children arrived onboard CFAY Yokosuka during "Friendship Day," then came to CHANCELLORSVILLE for a tour and afternoon of food and games.
- 23 Jul Four members of the Defense Advisory Committee On Women In The Services (DACOWITS) visited CHANCELLORSVILLE to gather information on women's issues as well as quality of life issues that affect the crew. The group visited with a number of small focus groups representing a broad cross section of the crew, Chief's mess and wardroom.
- 28 Jul Captain Tom Kennedy, CHANCELLORSVILLE's prospective Commanding Officer, arrived onboard the ship.
- 30 Jul CHANCELLORSVILLE was underway from Harbormaster pier for two days of operations in R-116. The ship departed Yokosuka, then engaged in a five-inch and CIWS PACFIRE, conducted flight operations, streamed the SQR-19 towed array and held a number of other smaller drills designed to show off the ship's capabilities for Captain Kennedy, the prospective Commanding Officer.
- 31 Jul The crew continued the PCO demonstration, conducting a man overboard drill and a main space fire drill in the morning hours. CHANCELLORSVILLE also attempted a precision anchoring while entering Yokosuka harbor. The ship returned to Harbormaster pier late in the afternoon.
- 02 Aug Four CHANCELLORSVILLE First Class Petty Officers were selected for Chief Petty Officer: SK1(SW) [REDACTED], IT1(SW) [REDACTED], MS1(SW/AW) [REDACTED] and GM1(SW) [REDACTED].
- 03 Aug Captain Gordon O. Dorsey was relieved by Captain Thomas S. Kennedy as Commanding Officer during a ceremony onboard CHANCELLORSVILLE's flight deck. Rear Admiral R.F. Willard was the guest speaker, with numerous other senior officers and local leaders in attendance.
- 13-14 Aug CHANCELLORSVILLE departed for Yokosuka's A-12 Anchorage in the early morning hours to conduct an ammunition off-load. CFAY Ordinance removed all ammunition in preparation for the ship's upcoming SRA maintenance period.
- While at anchor, the ship's boat crew conducted numerous hours of small boat training for new coxswains and boat officers.
- 20-24 Aug CHANCELLORSVILLE had its week-long Supply Management Assessment (SMA) by ATG West Pac. The assessment looked at all facets of the ship's supply department. CHANCELLORSVILLE's supply department performed well, achieving over 95% in all areas. ATG upgraded the assessment to a Supply Management Inspection (SMI).
- 31 Aug CHANCELLORSVILLE's sailors moved off the ship to the CFAY Bachelor's Enlisted

Quarters (BEQ) in preparation for the ship's upcoming maintenance availability.

11 Sep Terror day for United States. Two planes strike Twin Towers in New York City, one plane hits the Pentagon and one crashes into a field in Pennsylvania. CHANCELLORSVILLE responds by heightening Force Protection Conditions.

28 Sep New CHANCELLORSVILLE Chief Petty Officers were officially frocked. The frocking began at 0001 and concluded in a pinning ceremony at 1000.

03 Oct SRA maintenance period at halfway point.

05 Oct CHANCELLORSVILLE sailors, friends and family gathered on Berkey Field for an afternoon picnic. There was an intense baseball match between the Khakis and the Blue-Shirts. Final score was 9-8 blue-shirts. MWR also provided a dunk tank that was used to raise money for the September 11th Fund. Over \$400 was raised.

15-16 Oct Fall PRT on Berkey Field.

22 Oct ARQ/AAV. Aviation Certification. CHANCELLORSVILLE's deck and engineering departments rated as one of the top two teams for aviation operations.

24 Oct As SRA comes to an end, many inspections and certifications begin. NAVCERT and ATWCS Material Certification begin for CHANCELLORSVILLE.

31 Oct Halloween Day

02 Nov Underway for the first time since August. CHANCELLORSVILLE berth shift to berth 8 in order to complete weight test on the Starboard Padeye.

02 Nov ATWCS Material Certification complete.

05 Nov SRA complete. Underway to A-12 Ammo Anchorage.

05-06 Nov CHANCELLORSVILLE Ammo Onload

09 Nov CHANCELLORSVILLE underway, enroute Pusan, South Korea. Complete range checks at ULM-4 and being Post-SRA shakedown.

11-12 Nov Inport Pusan Korea for port visit with USS Juneau.

13 Nov Underway Yellow Sea. CHANCELLORSVILLE and JUNEAU depart for exercise Neptune Thunder. CHANCELLORSVILLE becomes MAG Commander. ATG and ATRDC onboard for LTTs.

13 Nov LTCOL [REDACTED], 6th Battalion 37th Field Artillery Regiment visit.

03 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE underway, enroute Pusan, South Korea CSOFX.

05 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE arrives in Pusan, South Korea.

06 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE underway, enroute for CSOFEX-01 with ROK Navy.

14 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE returns to Yokosuka.

Holiday stand down commences.

17 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE Christmas Party at the Officer's Club.

24 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE crewmembers and Chaplain [REDACTED] conducted a community relations project, visiting the Yurikagoen Orphanage for a Christmas dinner and to deliver presents.

25 Dec CHANCELLORSVILLE observes Christmas in Yokosuka, moored port side to USS COWPENS at Harbor Master Pier.