



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
USS CHEYENNE (SSN 773)  
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From: Commanding Officer, USS CHEYENNE (SSN 773)  
To: Director, Naval Historical Center, Washington Navy Yard,  
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Subj: COMMAND HISTORY FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2002

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5750.12G

Encl: (1) Welcome Aboard Packet

1. Command Composition and Organization: The mission of USS CHEYENNE (SSN-773) (UIC 21832), is to hunt and destroy enemy naval forces and shipping alone or in battle group operations, lay mines off enemy ports, provide covert intelligence, support Navy, Army, Marine Corps and Special Forces operations, and conduct cruise missile strikes against targets ashore. CHEYENNE's immediate senior in command during calendar year 2002 was Commander, Submarine Squadron 7 (Pearl Harbor, HI). CHEYENNE is commanded by Commander C. J. Doty, USN, and the permanent duty station is Pearl Harbor, HI.

2. Chronology:

1 January - 30 January	Moored Pearl Harbor
28 January	Fast Cruise
30 January - 4 February	Hawaiian OPAREAS for ORSE Workup
4 February - 7 February	Moored Pearl Harbor
7 February - 11 February	Hawaiian OPAREAS for ORSE
11 February - 22 February	Moored Pearl Harbor
20 February	CDR Doty Relieves as Commanding Officer of USS CHEYENNE
22 February - 28 February	Hawaiian OPAREAS
28 February - 5 March	Moored Pearl Harbor
5 March - 6 March	Hawaiian OPAREAS - transit to SEAFAC
6 March - 14 March	Transit to OPAREA BEHM
14 March - 16 March	Soundcuts in OPAREA BEHM at SEAFAC
16 March - 24 March	Transit to Hawaiian OPAREAS
24 March - 27 March	Hawaiian OPAREAS
27 March - 2 April	Moored Pearl Harbor
2 April - 5 April	Hawaiian OPAREAS - CODT
5 April - 16 May	Moored Pearl Harbor
14 May	Fast Cruise
16 May	Transit to and Moor at Pearl Harbor West Loch

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16 May - 24 May	Hawaiian OPAREAS - CODT
24 May - 28 May	Moored Pearl Harbor
28 May - 1 June	Hawaiian OPAREAS - Participated in TACDEVEX
1 June - 11 June	Moored Pearl Harbor
11 June - 14 June	Transit to and Moor at Pearl Harbor West Loch
14 June - 27 June	Hawaiian OPAREAS - POMCERT
27 June - 17 July	Moored Pearl Harbor
17 July - 29 July	Hawaiian OPAREAS - POMCERT II
29 July - 31 July	Moored Pearl Harbor
31 July - 9 August	Transit to Yokosuka, Japan
9 August - 16 August	Moored Yokosuka, Japan - Voyage repairs
16 August - 19 August	Transit to Okinawa, Japan
19 August	Moored Okinawa, Japan - Voyage repairs
19 August - 21 August	Transit to Mission
21 August - 17 September	Mission: Limited distribution IAW CNO
17 September - 20 September	Transit to Yokosuka, Japan
20 September - 28 September	Moored Yokosuka, Japan - Voyage repairs
28 September - 1 October	Transit to Saipan
1 October - 7 October	Moored Saipan CNMI - Liberty
7 October - 8 October	Transit to Guam
8 October - 11 October	Moored Apra Harbor, Guam - Voyage repairs
11 October - 15 October	Transit to Sasebo - Conduct BSP
15 October - 18 October	Transit to Mission
18 October - 11 November	Mission: Limited distribution IAW CNO
11 November - 18 November	Transit to Guam
18 November - 5 December	Moored Apra Harbor, Guam - Voyage repairs
5 December - 9 December	Transit to Okinawa, Japan
9 December - 11 December	Moored Okinawa, Japan - Liberty
11 December - 12 December	Participated in Marine Deployment Exercise
12 December - 23 December	Transit to Stirling, Australia
23 December - 31 December	Moored Stirling, Australia - Liberty

3. Narrative:

Over the past year, CDR Charles J. Doty relieved CDR William C. Stacia as Commanding Officer on 20 Feb 02. CHEYENNE conducted an Operational Reactor Safeguards Examination (ORSE) in February. CHEYENNE transited to Alaska to conduct acoustic trials at SEAFAC. Following this, CHEYENNE returned to Pearl Harbor to work up for her deployment in July. During this time, the Voyage Management System was installed onboard.

CHEYENNE deployed on 31 Jul 02 for a six-month deployment that was extended to nine months. This included port visits in Yokosuka, Japan; Apra Harbor, Guam; Saipan, CNMI; Okinawa, Japan; and Stirling, Australia. During the 2002 part of the deployment, the ship earned the Sea Service Ribbon and the Navy Expeditionary Medal.

4. Supporting Documents: See enclosure (1).

  
C. J. DOTY