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USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI (SSN 705)

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1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1) through (5) are submitted.


B. E. MILLER

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COMSUBLANT (CODE 009)
NAVAL SUBMARINE MUSEUM
COMSUBRON TWO

COMMAND COMPOSITION AND ORGANIZATION

1. MISSION:

In accordance with COMSUBLANT OPORD 2000 the ship's mission is to carry out tasks assigned by higher authority, fulfill assigned commitments, maintain high standards of personnel and material readiness for naval action, and strive continuously to improve submarine tactics in the accomplishment of the mission.

2. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE:

a. Immediate Senior in Chain of Command (ISIC): Commander Submarine Squadron TWO

b. Units under operational/administrative control: None.

3. COMMANDER AND BIOGRAPHY:

a. Commander: CDR Bruce E. Miller, USN

CHRONOLOGY

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
JANUARY 1-31	Moored Portsmouth Naval Ship Yard (PNSY) for Depot Modernization Period (DMP)
FEBRUARY 1-19 20	Moored PNSY for DMP Underway from PNSY to conduct Sea Trials
MARCH 1 8 15	Moored PNSY Underway from PNSY to conduct Sea Trials Moored New London, CT
APRIL 12 28	Underway from New London, CT to conduct acoustic trials Moored New London, CT. I)
MAY 7 9 24 28	Underway from New London, CT for Underway Material Inspection Moored New London, CT Change of Command Underway from New London, CT enroute to Port Everglades, FL
JUNE 1 10 25	Moored Port Everglades, Fl Underway from Port Everglades, Fl to conduct Weapons Systems Acceptance Trials, and Midshipmen Operations Moored New London, CT
July 22	Underway from New London, CT to participate in Fleetex 4-91
August 8 12 16 19	Moored New London, CT Underway from New London, CT to conduct Phase III Sonar Certification Moored New London, CT Underway New London, CT to avoid Hurricane Bob

August

20
23

Moored New London, CT
Underway New London, CT to conduct Tactical
Weapon Certification and participate in Phantom
Shadow exercise

SEPTEMBER

2
4
10
11
15

Moored Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico
Underway Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico
Moored Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico
Underway Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico for
transit to New London
Moored New London, CT

OCTOBER

21

Underway New London, CT to conduct engineering
training.

NOVEMBER

4
5
7

Moored Naval Underwater System Center (NUSC)
Complex, New London CT
Underway NUSC Complex, New London CT to conduct
an engineering evaluation.
Moored New London, CT

DECEMBER

2
16

Underway New London, CT to participate in
USS SARATOGA Advanced Phase Training
Moored New London, CT

NARRATIVE

JANUARY

The USS City of Corpus Christi started the new year in Portsmouth Naval Shipyard (PNSY) conducting a Depot Modernization Period (DMP). The ship remained pierside at PNSY conducting the DMP. During this time Phase 2 Crew Certification was completed successfully.

FEBRUARY

The ship remained pierside at PNSY conducting a DMP until 20 February. The beginning of this month was filled with preparations for getting the ship underway following 11 months in the shipyard. On 20 February the ship got underway to perform post DMP Sea Trials.

MARCH

On 1 March USS City Of Corpus Christi returned to PNSY for material repairs. Following a brief maintenance period, the ship got underway from PNSY on 8 March. Sea Trials were completed and the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI returned to New London, Ct on 15 March.

APRIL

The ship remained in New London until 12 April. On 12 April the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway from New London, CT for additional sea trials and CNO project 225. the ship returned to New London, CT on 28 April.

MAY

The advent of May was dominated by preparations for an upcoming Underway Material Inspection (UMI). On 7 May the ship got underway from New London, CT and commenced the UMI. On 9 May the ship returned to New London, CT and commenced the inport portion of the inspection. The inspection was completed on 10 May. CDR Bruce E. Miller relieved CDR Charles Skolds as Commanding Officer of the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI on 24 May. On 28 May the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway enroute to Port Everglades, FL.

JUNE

On 1 June the ship arrived in Port Everglades, FL. While in port the ship conducted Weapons System Accuracy Trials (WSAT) and enjoyed some liberty. On 10 June the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway from Port Everglades, Fl. Following the completion of WSAT and Midshipmen Operations the ship returned to New London CT. on 25 June and commenced a 1 month upkeep period.

JULY

Following the completion of the upkeep the ship got underway from New London, Ct on 22 July to participate in Fleetex 4-91.

AUGUST

On 8 August the ship returned to New London, CT following its very successful participation in Fleetex 4-91. After 4 days in port, on 12 August the CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway from New London, CT to complete Phase III Sonar Certification. Following the completion of Phase III Sonar Certification the ship returned to New London on 16 August. On 19 August the ship got underway to avoid Hurricane Bob and returned safely on 20 August. Three days later the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI again got underway from New London, CT to perform Tactical Weapons Certification and participate in Exercise Phantom Shadow.

SEPTEMBER

The USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI arrived in Roosevelt Roads, PR on 2 September to conduct preparations for Exercise Phantom Shadow the ship got underway from Roosevelt Roads, PR on 4 September. After completing Exercise Phantom Shadow the ship returned to Puerto Rico on 10 September. On 11 September the ship got underway from Roosevelt Roads, PR and transited back to New London. On 15 September the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI arrived in New London, CT and commenced an upkeep period.

OCTOBER

Following the completion of the upkeep period the USS CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway from New London, CT on 21 October to conduct engineering training.

NOVEMBER

On 4 November the CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI moored at the NUSC Complex in New London, CT. On 5 November the ship got underway from the NUSC complex to conduct an engineering evaluation. On 7 November the ship returned to New London, CT following the successful completion of the engineering evaluation and commenced an upkeep period.

DECEMBER

On 2 December the CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI got underway from New London, CT to participate in the Advanced Phase Training for USS SARATOGA. After completion of this exercise the ship returned to New London on 16 December. The end of December was spent in a well deserved standdown period following a very busy year.