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1. Command Data (Boxes will expand as information is typed)

Name of your Command or Organization: Littoral Combat Ship (LCS) Crew 106

Unit Identification Code (UIC), per the SNDL: 42693

Name and Rank of Commander/Commanding Officer/Officer in Charge:

Last: Farricker First: Christopher M.I.: M Rank: O-5/CDR

Date Assumed Command (date format YYYY-MM-DD): 2017-02-17

Mission/Command Employment/Area of Operations: LCS Crew 106 is a rotational crew for the FREEDOM variant of LCS ships.

Permanent Location (Home Port for deployable units): San Diego, CA

Immediate Superior In Command: Commander, Littoral Combat Ship Squadron ONE.

Operational: Commander, U.S. THIRD Fleet.

Administrative: Commander, Naval Surface Forces, U.S. Pacific Fleet.

Identify your assigned Task Force/Group/Unit name(s) and mission(s). Include OPLAN(s) and or named operations you participated in during Task Force assignment (if applicable):

Name(s) of Forces, Commands, Ships, Squadrons or Units assigned or under your operational control (if applicable):

Type and number of Aircraft Assigned and Tail Codes, if applicable:

Commands, Detachments or Units deployed on board or stationed aboard as tenant activities (as applicable):

09 May 2016 – 18 July 2016 MCM Detachment Four

09 May 2016 – 03 August 2016: Ex-MCM Detachment (EODMU 1, EODMU 3, EODMU 11, NOMWC)

04 August 2016 – Present: LCS SUW Detachment 1

Number of Personnel Assigned:

Officers: 11 Enlisted: 42 Civilian: 0

Command Point of Contact (required entry, complete in full):

Name (Rank, First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name): LCDR [REDACTED]

Job Title/Office Code: Operations Officer

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2. Commander's Assessment

Calendar Year (CY) 2016 was dedicated to LCS Crew 106's operation of USS FREEDOM (LCS 1). The Crew spent the first four months of the year training and successfully completing critical certifications in basic and advanced warfare areas. On 09 May 2016, the Crew exchanged command of USS FREEDOM (LCS 1) with LCS Crew 111 and took charge the ship. With an Expeditionary Mine Counter Measure Unit (Ex-MCM) embarked, the Crew successfully

participated in the 2016 Southern California Rim-of-the-Pacific (RIMPAC) exercise directly supporting proof of concept testing for future LCS MCM capability development. The results of Ex-MCM testing were positive and the Crew along with the Ex-MCM detachment were able to exceed the mine detection rates of our aging MCM Class ships. While underway on RIMPAC, FREEDOM suffered a casualty to one of its Main Propulsion Diesel Engines. The Crew kept the ship operational and met all RIMPAC objectives. However, the casualty caused FREEDOM to enter an emergent drydocking to support major propulsion and electrical plant repairs.

3. Chronology

11 January 2016 – 14 January 2016: ATFP 1.3 (LTT)
19 January 2016 – 22 January 2016: FSO-M 1.1/1.2
22 January 2016: MOB-A 1.0
25 January 2016 – 26 January 2016: MOB-D LTT
27 January 2016 – 29 January 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NASNI / NBSD Indoor Range)
01 February – 04 February 2016: U/W w/ USS HOWARD for ASTAC proficiency training (OSC █████, OS1 █████, OS2 █████)
02 February 2016: MOB-D LTT
04 February 2016: MOB-D LTT
11 February 2016 – 12 February 2016: U/W w/ USS WAYNE E. MEYER for flight deck qualifications (BM3 █████)
12 February 2016: Helo Familiarization w/ HSM-35 (NASNI)
16 February 2016 – 17 February 2016: MOB-E LTT
16 February 2016 – 18 February 2016: ATFP 1.4 (Night) (USS FREEDOM)
19 February 2016 – 22 February 2016: U/W w/ USS FREEDOM (LT █████, ENCS █████, QMC █████, EMC █████, ETC █████, FC1 █████, MM1 █████, GM1 █████, IT1 █████)
19 February 2016 – 22 February 2016: U/W w/ USS RUSHMORE for flight deck qualifications (LT █████, LT █████, GSEC █████, BMC █████, LSC █████, ENC █████, HT1 █████, FC1 █████, IT1 █████, EM2 █████, EN2 █████, LS2 █████, DC3 █████)
22 February 2016 – 23 February 2016: MOB-S 1.1/1.2
22 February 2016 – 23 February 2016: LRHS 1.1/1.2
23 February 2016 – 24 February 2016: MOB-D LTT (USS FREEDOM)
25 February 2016 – 26 February 2016: FSO-M 1.3 (USS FREEDOM)
29 February 2016 – 02 March 2016: 3M Training (LCSRON)
03 March 2016: MOB-A 1.1/1.2
04 March 2016: Command Hike (Cowles Mountain)
07 March 2016: SAR 1.1 (P)
14 March 2016 – 18 March 2016: MOB-D 1.3/4
21 March 2016 – 24 March 2016: MOB-E LTT
25 March 2015: Safety Standdown
31 March 2016: MOB-A LTT
04 March 2016 – 08 March 2016: Cycle 16-1 Official PFA
06 March 2016: 414 ACFF
08 March 2016: Command Picnic

11 April 2016 – 12 April 2016: FSO-M LTT
11 April 2016 – 15 April 2016: LRHS Vendor Training
12 April 2016: Turnover Brief Crews 111/106
13 April 2016 – 15 April 2016: FSO-M 1.4
18 April 2016: SAR 1.1-1.3 (S)
18 April 2016 – 22 April 2016: MOB-CS 2.4B
20 April 2016: SAR 1.4 (P)
25 April 2016: SAR 1.4 (S)
25 April 2016 – 09 May 2016: Crew Turnover with LCS Crew 111
03 May 2016: MOB-N 1.1
09 May 2016: MOB-A 1.3
09 May 2016 – 13 May 2016: Ex-MCM Onload
09 May 2016 – 13 May 2016: EXPSAF 1.3
10 May 2016: Exchange of Command
10 May 2016 – 11 May 2016: MOB-S 1.1
11 May 2016: MOB-A 1.4A
12 May 2016: Abandon Ship LTT
13 May 2016: Fast Cruise
13 May 2016: MOB-S 1.4A
20 May 2016: NAV Checkride
20 May 2016: MOB-A 1.4B
20 May 2016 – 23 May 2016: U/W SOCAL OPAREA
21 May 2016: Ex-MCM CONOPS
24 May 2016 – 25 May 2016: MOB-E 1.3
24 May 2016 – 26 May 2016: EXPSAF 1.4 (SESI)
31 May 2016 – 03 June 2016: MOB-E 1.3
04 June 2016 – 19 June 2016: CMAV A6A1
06 June 2016 – 10 June 2016: MOB-E LTT
06 June 2016 – 17 June 2016: PMAV 6A2
13 June 2016 – 17 June 2016: MOB-E LTT
14 June 2016: LRHS 1.3/4
20 June 2016 – 24 June 2016: MOB-E 1.3
27 June 2016 – 01 July 2016: MOB-E 1.3
09 July 2016 – 13 July 2016: Underway ISO RIMPAC 2016 SOCAL OPAREA
18 July 2016 – 29 July 2016: Underway ISO RIMPAC 2016 SOCAL OPAREA
18 July 2016 – Disembarked MCM Detachment 4 personnel
03 August 2016: Ex-MCM Offload
04 August 2016 – 05 August 2016: SUW Detachment 1 Onload
03 August 2016 – 30 September 2016: CMAV A6A2
08 August 2016 – 26 August 2016: TSRA
29 August 2016 – 02 September 2016: PMAV 6P8
31 August 2016 – 01 September 2016: TMI Checks w/ IRAT
19 September 2016 – 07 October 2016: PMAV 6P9
28 September 2016: Berth Shift
01 October 2016 – 27 November 2016: CMAV A7A1 P-WOO

12 October 2016 – 20 October 2016: ASW Mission Package Shipboard Integration Test
13 October 2016: USS FREEDOM Change of Command
27 October 2016: Berth Shift
27 October 2016: Ammo Offload
31 October 2016 – 27 November 2016: CMAV A7A1 P-WOO
15 November 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NASNI)
15 November 2016 – 17 November 2016: SUW Mission Package Offload
15 November 2016 – 17 November 2016: Cycle 16-2 Official PFA
18 November 2016: Defueling
18 November 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NBSD Indoor Range)
21 November 2016: Safety Standdown
29 November 2016 – 30 November 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NASNI / NBSD Indoor Range)
01 December 2016: Dry Docking (NBSD Graving Dock)
02 December 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NBSD Indoor Range)
02 December 2016: Command Holiday Party
05 December 2016 – 06 December 2016: Small Arms Shoot (NASNI/NBSD Indoor Range)
06 December 2016 – 10 December 2016: PMAV 7P3
16 December 2016 – 31 December 2016: Holiday Standdown

Narrative

From January through April the Crew was off-hull conducting training and certifications with COMLCSRON ONE Training Teams in preparations for an on-hull period onboard USS FREEDOM (LCS 1). Crew members also spent time TAD supporting multiple (both with LCS and CRUDES) ship underways and working on qualifications. While on-hull the Crew completed multiple events including Ex-MCM embark, 2016 RIMPAC, several Continuous Maintenance Availabilities (CMAV), and Preventative Maintenance Availabilities (PMAV), a Total Ships Readiness Assessment (TSRA), and ASW Mission Package Testing. Additionally, the Crew planned and executed multiple events to maintain qualifications and certifications. After RIMPAC, attention turned to FREEDOM's material status. The Crew focused efforts on dedicating time for much needed repairs. FREEDOM was dry docked on 01 December 2016.

4. Supporting Reports (Refer to specific guide for Ship/Shore/Aviation or Fleet Command)

5. Published Documents

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1426077187673131/?fref=nf>
<http://www.public.navy.mil/surfor/lcs1/Pages/default.aspx>

6. Photographs

Commanding Officers, LCS Crew 106



CDR Michael Wohnhaas
01 January 2016 – 13 October 2016



CAPT Matthew McGonigle
13 October 2016 – Present

Executive Officers, LCS Crew 106



CDR Christopher Farricker
01 January 2016 – 07 December 2016



CDR Kevin O'Brien
07 December 2016 - Present

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