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USS LA JOLLA (SSN 701) FPO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 96671-2381

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COMMAND HISTORY

USS LA JOLLA (SSN 701)

Command Composition and Organization

<u>Mission</u>: Nuclear powered attack submarine assigned antisubmarine warfare roles in either independent operations or direct support of a carrier battle group.

Immediate Senior Command: Commander, Submarine Squadron 11

Commanding Officer: CDR Jeffrey Allen Fischbeck, USN

Homeport: San Diego, California

CHRONOLOGY

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EVENT

1 JAN 1988 In port San Diego, California.

- 4 JAN 1988 Conducted transit to Alameda, California under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11, including KILOEX.
- 8 JAN 1988 Conducted port visit Alameda, California.
- 11 JAN 1988 Conducted transit to Nanoose, British Columbia, Canada under cognizance of Comander Submarine Squadron 11 and Commander, Submarine Group 9.
- 13 JAN 1988 Conducted port visit Nanoose, British, Columbia, Canada.
- 15 JAN 1988 Conducted TORPEX on Nanoose Range.
- 16 JAN 1988 Conducted transit to Seattle, Washington under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 9.
- 16 JAN 1988 Conducted port visit Seattle, Washington.
- 19 JAN 1988 Conducted transit to San Diego, California under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 9 and Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
- 22 JAN 1988 In port San Diego, California.
- 26 JAN 1988 Conducted local operations under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11 including KILOEX, TORPEX, CAST services and training mine field operations with USS PORTSMOUTH (SSN 707).
 - 2 FEB 1989 Conducted Operational Reactor Safeguards Examination.
 - 4 FEB 1988 In port San Diego, California.

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DATE			EVENT
24	FEB	1988	In port San Diego, California. Conducted IMA upkeep with USS MCKEE (AS 41).
4]	MAR	1988	CDR Jeffrey Allen Fischbeck, USN relieved CDR Kent Van Lewis MacNeill, USN as Commanding Officer.
25 I	MAR	1988	Conducted sea trials in local operating area under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
26 1	MAR	1988	In port San Diego, California.
28	MAR	1988	•
4	APR	1988	Conducted local operations under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11 including KILOEX with USS LOUISVILLE (SSN 724) and TORPEX with USS DRUM (SSN 677).
8	APR	1988	In port San Diego, California.
11	APR	1988	Conducted local operations under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11 including KILOEX with USS DRUM (SSN 677).
15	APR	1988	In port San Diego, California.
25	APR	1988	Conducted local opertions under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11 including TORPEX and KILOEX.
29	APR	1988	In port San Diego, California.
9	МАҮ	1988	Commenced operations in the U.S. Pacific Fleet under the cognizance of Commander, Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet and Commander, Submarine Group 5.
21	JUN	1988	In port Adak, Alaska.
5	JUL	1988	Commenced transit to San Diego, California under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Force, U. S. Pacific Fleet and Commander, Submarine Group 5.
13	JUL	1988	In port San Diego, California.

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25	JUL	1988	Commenced A-6 Depot Modernization Period (DMP) upkeep in preparation for 1989 DMP at Mare Island Naval Shipyard.
28	JUL	1988	Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) onboard for tour.
1	AUG	1988	Conducted A-6 DMP sea trials under the cogni- zance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
2	AUG	1988	In port San Diego, California. Continued A-6 DMP upkeep.
22	AUG	1988	Conducted transit to Quinalt Shallow Water Range for MK-50 Torpedo testing under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 5 and 9.
29	AUG	1988	In port Seattle, Washington for port visit.
5	SEP	1988	Conducted transit to Nanoose Bay, British Columbia, Canada under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 9.
6	SEP	1988	Conducted MK-50 Torpedo testing on Nanoose Bay Range under the cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 9 and Commander, Submarine Squadron 1.
13	SEP	1988	Provided services to JMSDF Submarine under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 1.
15	SEP	1988	In port Pearl Harbor, HI for port visit.
17	SEP	1988	Conducted transit to San Diego under cogni- zance of Commander, Submarine Group 5 and Commander, Submarine Squadron 1.
22	SEP	1988	Conducted Dependent's Cruise.
23	SEP	1988	Conducted Dependent's Cruise.
24	SEP	1988	In port San Diego, California.
30	SEP	1988	Ship awarded Commander, Submarine Squadron ll FY-88 Engineering "E" Award.
14	OCT	1988	Particpated in READIEX 89-1A in support of Battle Group D under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
26	OCT	1988	In port San Diego, California. Commenced A-3 DMP upkeep in preparation for 1989 DMP at Mare Island Naval Shipyard.

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7 DEC 1988	Conducted sea trials in local operating areas under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
7 DEC 1988	Conducted transit to Nanoose, British Columbia, Canada under the cognizance of Commander, Submarine Squadron 11 and Commander, Submarine Group 9.
10 DEC 1988	Conducted TORPEX on Nanoose Range.
12 DEC 1988	Conducted TORPEX and first submerged launch of MTV on Nanoose Range.
14 DEC 1988	Conducted transit to San Diego, California under cognizance of Commander, Submarine Group 9 and Commander, Submarine Squadron 11.
16 DEC 1988	In port San Diego, California. Commenced holiday leave period.