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NEWS-01: 2011 USSVI Convention Sept 5-11, 2011
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Bases: Please give this wide distribution via email, base meetings and in your base newsletter.

The OZARK/RUNNER SS476 BASE (USSVI) and the City of Springfield, MO. invite you to join us in Springfield, MO. for the 2011 Joint National Convention of the USSVI and of the U.S. Submarine Veterans of WWII. The Convention will run from Mon. Sept 5 to Sun. Sept 11, 2011.

The host Base is the OZARK/RUNNER BASE. The Convention Chairman is Ron Athey TMC (SS) USN Ret (rondo_94590@yahoo.com or 1-417-763-0935).

The convention website is www.ussvispringfieldmo.com.

The host city is Springfield, Mo. The Springfield Convention and Visitors Bureau (CVB) can be reached at 1-800-678-8767 or www.Travel-Springfield.com. They are looking forward to helping you with information or answering any of your questions regarding this area.

Please feel free to contact them. Our "Home Port" will be the UNIVERSITY PLAZA HOTEL and Convention Center (1-417-864-7333 or www.upspringfield.com). Alternate "Berthing" is available at the CLARION HOTEL (1-800-756-7318; 1-714-883-6550; www.springfieldclarion.com) or at the DOUBLETREE HOTEL (A Hilton Hotel) (1-800-222-tree; 1-417-831-3131). Rooms are \$99 per night and parking is complimentary.

The USS LAPON (SSN661) Sail and Submarine Memorial and Nathanael Greene SSBN 636 Memorials are located in Springfield. The local Veterans of the American Legion, VFW and FRA are also looking forward to welcoming you. Green/Straight Board and Dry Bilges Ronald L. Athey TMC(SS) USN Ret Base Commander, Convention Chairman Ozark-Runner Base USSVI Host Base , 2011 USSVI National Convention www.ussvispringfieldmo.com

NEWS-02: 2011 Awards Nominations - 3rd Call
Submitted by: John Stanford on 4/12/2011

THE USSVI 2011 AWARDS GUIDELINES for members and bases to use to submit nominees for the 2011 USSVI Award Program is posted online under the (AWARDS) button, then (MANUALS) at www.ussvi.org and at the link below.

Award Nominations may be submitted through APRIL 30, 2011.

All Award nominations (with exception of Newsletter Award) must be received by John Stanford, National Awards Chairman, by that time. Email to JStan131@Comcast.net

May 15 2011 is the deadline for submission of Newsletters for Newsletter of the Year Award.

Here is a shortcut link to the Awards Manual

http://https://www.ussvi.org/Documents/Awards_Manuals_2011_Awards_Manual.pdf
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NEWS-03: 3rd Call for 2011 Joe Negri Award
Submitted by: John Stanford on 4/12/2011

The late Joe Negri is considered the Primary Founder of USSVI. The "Joe Negri" Award is awarded to the Member who, by his personal individual efforts and participation during the preceding years contributed the most to the advancement and embodiment of the USSVI Creed and Agenda, and by his dedicated service and support to our USSVI organization and his fellow Submarine Veteran Brothers exemplifies the meaning and spirit of the word, "Shipmate."

The Deadline for receiving your nomination for this award is April 30, 2011 and should be submitted to John Stanford, National Awards Chairman at Jstan131@comcast.net

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NEWS-04: 3rd Call for Silver Anchor Award nominations
Submitted by: John Stanford on 4/12/2011

The Silver Anchor Award is presented to a member in recognition of his efforts to support one of the primary objectives of our Creed...to provide a way for all submariners to gather for their mutual benefit and enjoyment.

This award recognizes the member's volunteer support for meetings, projects and events, including work to recruit new members and to retain the current membership of the base.

This Award will be presented to individual Members only.

Your nomination for this award should be submitted no later than April 30, 2011 to John Stanford, National Awards Chairman at Jstan131@comcast.net

This is an official email communication from the United States Submarine Veterans. If you don't want to receive these E-Grams, please contact James A Fox (poc@ussvi.org).



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