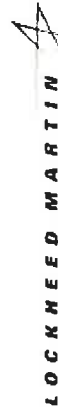


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Heritage Dinner

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Tuesday, 5 April 2011

MPRF Past, Present & Future



Consolidated PB4Y Catalina
1936-1957



Lockheed P-2 Neptune
1947-1984



Lockheed P-3 Orion & Aries
1962-Present



Schedule of Events



Parading of the Colors
VP-16 Color Guard

National Anthem
Navy Band Southeast

Opening Remarks
Rear Admiral Michael Hewitt
Commander Patrol & Reconnaissance Group

Invocation
Lieutenant Commander Alan Cameron

POW/MIA Tribute

Dinner

Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Rear Admiral Michael Hewitt
Commander, Patrol & Reconnaissance Group

Keynote Address
Vice Admiral Allen G. Myers
Commander, Naval Air Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet

Hall of Honor Recognition
Captain Perry Yaw
Commanding Officer, VP-30

Dancing



Boeing P-8 Poseidon
2013

Opening Remarks Presenter

Rear Admiral Michael W. Hewitt
Commander
Patrol and Reconnaissance Group

A native of Norfolk, Va., Rear Admiral Hewitt holds a Bachelor of Science degree from George Mason University and a Master's degree from the National Defense University.



Hewitt's operational Maritime Patrol and Reconnaissance Aircraft (MPRA) assignments include first and department head tours in Patrol Squadron 10, command of Patrol Squadron 8 and command of Patrol and Reconnaissance Wing 5 in Brunswick Maine. He has deployed to Keflavik, Iceland; Rota, Spain; Lajes, Azores; Sigonella, Sicily; Puerto Rico; and numerous detachment sites around the world.

Hewitt's other operational tours include Flag Secretary and Battle Group Tactical Watch Officer for Commander Carrier Group 4, Commander Carrier Striking Force Atlantic where he deployed in support of numerous battle group and NATO exercises.

Hewitt's shore assignments include Patrol Squadron 30, Jacksonville, Fla., as a flight instructor, two tours on the staff of the Chief of Naval Operations (N88) as P-3 Maritime Patrol and Multi-Mission Aircraft (P-8) requirements officer, Executive Assistant to the Chief of Legislative Affairs, and J-3 Operations Directorate as the Assistant Deputy Director for Information Operations.

In July 2010, he reported to his current assignment as Commander, Patrol and Reconnaissance Group.

MPRF Medal of Honor Recipients



Lieutenant Carlton B. Hutchins



**Chief Machinist's Mate
Francis E. Ormsbee, Jr.**



Lieutenant Commander Van Voorhis

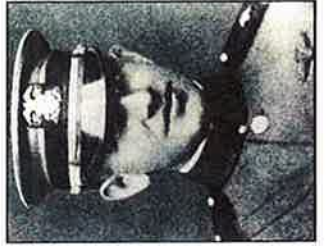
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Chief John William Finn



**Lieutenant Junior Grade
Nathan Gordon**



Ensign Charles H. Hammann

Keynote Speaker

Vice Admiral Allen G. Myers
Commander
Naval Air Forces



A 1978 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy and a northern Virginia native, Vice Admiral Myers recently completed two tours in Washington, as director, Warfare Integration/Senior National Representative (OPNAV N8F), and director, Air Warfare Division (OPNAV N88). Prior to that he served as Commander, Carrier Strike Group 8, where he commanded Expeditionary Strike Force 5th Fleet, Combined Task Force 50, Combined Task Force 152 and the Eisenhower Carrier Strike Group during an extended deployment in support of Operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom 2006/2007. Prior to that assignment, Myers served in flag tours as the Senior Military Assistant to the Secretary of the Navy and Deputy Director for Requirements, Assessments Division (OPNAV N81D).

In August 2001 he completed command of USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63), permanently forward deployed to Yokosuka, Japan, and deployed to the Western Pacific. Prior to that he commanded USS Sacramento (AOE 1). Sacramento deployed to the Western Pacific and Persian Gulf with the Constellation Battle Group, and was awarded the Battle "E" and CNO Safety "S" under his command. In December 1994, he completed command of Fighter Squadron 32, flying F-14 Tomcats aboard USS Dwight D. Eisenhower (CVN 69). VF-32 deployed to Bosnia and the Persian Gulf, and was awarded the Battle "E", the Clifton Award and the Fleet Fighter Adversary Readiness Program Trophy under his command.

Prior squadron and sea tours include: VF-143; VF-14; VF-101 and VF-103. Tours ashore have also included: Executive Assistant to Commander U.S. Fleet Forces; Organizational Policy Branch Chief in the Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate, J-5, Joint Staff; Deputy Executive Assistant to the Chief of Naval Operations; Chief Staff Officer, Fighter Wings Atlantic; and Deputy Special Assistant to the Chief of Naval Personnel for Flag Officer Matters. He is a 1988 graduate of the Naval Command and Staff College, and holds master's degrees in National Security Affairs from the Naval War College and Salve Regina University. VADM Myers has accumulated more than 3,600 flight hours and over 900 arrested landings. Decorations include: Defense Superior Service Medal; Legion of Merit (eight awards); Meritorious Service Medal (two awards); Air Medal; Joint Service Commendation Medal; Navy Commendation Medal (two awards) and Navy Achievement Medal (two awards), in addition to various campaign and unit awards.

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Captain Fernald Anderson



Captain Norman "Bus" Miller



Mr. Jay Beasley



Admiral Thomas Moorer



Chief Petty Officer Carl Creamer



Vice Admiral Edward Waller

