

**37th Annual
Aviation Boatswain's Mates Association
Symposium/ Professional Working Group**

**Hosted by:
AB's of the Northwest
Held at the
Silverdale Hotel
Silverdale, WA**

**PLAN OF THE WEEK
Uniform of the Day
Active Duty: Summer Whites
Retirees/Civilians: Appropriate Civilian Attire
Uniform of the Day required:
Opening and Closing Ceremonies
Guest Speakers
Flight Quarters
Workshops:
Proper civilian attire encouraged for all hands**

"The statements and views made by all guest speakers and attendees are the responsibility of the individual and are not to be construed as those of the ABMA nor endorsed by any of its officers."

Sat/Sun, 28/29 July

Vendor Staging, Silverdale Hotel

Monday, 30 July

Travel Day/Open

0700 AB's of the Northwest Meeting
0800-2200 Vendor Set-up Admiral Ballroom
1200-1700 Registration/Membership
1730-2300 No-Host Cocktails in Hotel Bar

Tuesday, 31 July

0700 AB's of the Northwest Meeting
0730 Registration/Membership/Event Sales
0730 Board of Directors Meeting
0800 FLIGHT QUARTERS, All hands to muster
- Welcome aboard, LCDR (Ret) "Harold Wiese"
- Introductions, Symposium Staff members
- Introductions, Hotel Staff
- Introduction of ABMA President, CDR R. D. Jones
- Introduction of Board of Directors
- Introduction of CNAF East/West AB's of the Year
- Oldest and Youngest AB's present
- Nominations and Election Procedures, Open for Nominations
- Vendor Recognition and Plaque Presentation
1030-1200 Lunch/Tour Vendor Exhibits
1200 FLIGHT QUARTERS - All hands
1200-1215 Admin/Opening remarks/Nominations
1200 Muster Side Boys and Honor Guard with Duty AB
1215-1230 Presidents Call to Order, Parade the Colors, Invocation (ABMA Chaplain)
1230-1300 Vice Commander Naval Air Warfare Center AD CAPT M. Scassero
1300-1430 General Atomics
1445-1500 PMA-251 Introductions/Workshop Procedures: CDR (Sel) S. Whalen/LT T. Edgeworth
1500-1600 Board of Directors Meeting
1600 Secure From Flight Quarters
1630-1800 Vendor/BOD Social in Hospitality Room
1800-2200 Hospitality Room Open - Last Call 2145 (Times should be per SOP)

Wednesday, 01 August

0700 AB's of the Northwest meeting
0730 Registration, Membership, Event Sales
0800 FLIGHT QUARTERS - All hands
0815-0830 Presidents Call to Order/Announcements/Nominations
0815 Side Boys and Honor Guard (muster with Duty AB)
0830-0930 Guest Speaker: Capt S. Rorke (NAVAIR PMA 251)
0930-0945 Tour Announcements/Break
0945-1030 CCD Speaker (CMDMCM Penton)
1000 Retirees muster in main lobby for workshop
1000 Ladies muster in main lobby for Seattle Tour/Shopping
1015 Transportation departs for ladies
1015 Transportation departs for retirees
1030-1100 Nominations Open
1100-1230 Lunch/Tour Vendor Exhibits
1230-1600 Convene Workshops
1230-1400 SABOAG Meeting
1400-1600 Board of Directors (BOD) meeting
1600 Secure from Flight Quarters
1800-2230 Muster/Depart for Blake Island Salmon Trip
1800-2300 Muster/Bus Departs for Casino Night (Clear Water)
1800-2200 Hospitality Room Open - Last Call 2145

Thursday, 02 August

0700 Golf Tournament musters in main lobby
0700 AB's of the Northwest meeting
0730 Membership, Event Sales
0800 FLIGHT QUARTERS, All hands to muster
0815-0845 Presidents call to order/Announcements/Nominations
0845-0915 AB Enlisted Detailer Briefs
0915-0945 Guest Speaker: Lockheed Martin (JSF) Mr. Tom Burbage
0945-1000 Break
1000-1100 Guest Speaker: NAVAIR ADMACS Mr. Mike Jones
1100-1115 Announcements/Nominations Open
1100 Ladies muster in main lobby for luncheon
1115 Transportation departs for ladies
1115-1245 Lunch/Tour Vendor Exhibits
1245-1600 Convene Workshops
1245-1600 AB Detailer Private Scheduled Sessions (TBD)
1245-1600 Board of Directors Meeting
1600 Secure from Flight Quarters
1800-2200 Hospitality Room Open - Last Call 2145
1830-2130 Muster/Depart for Harbor Cruise

Friday, 03 August

0700 ABs of the Northwest meeting
0730 Membership, Event Sales
0800 FLIGHT QUARTERS, All hands to muster
0800-0900 Presidents Call to Order/Announcements
0900-0930 Workshop Summaries: Workshop Coordinators
0930-1130 Nominations Closed/Elections of 2007-2008 Officers
- Recognition Awards
- Air Dept Battle "E"
- ABMA Recruiters of the year
0930-1130 New Presidents Acceptance Speech
2007 ABMA Symposium Out brief (NAVAIR PMA251F)
2007 ABMA Treasurer Report

1115 Honor Guard Muster with duty AB
 1130 Closing Ceremonies, Retire the Colors, Benediction,
 Secure from Flight Quarters
 1230-1600 AB Detailer Private Scheduled Sessions (TBD)
 1230-1430 Final Board of Directors Meeting
 1700-1800 Awards Banquet - No Host Cocktails, Cruise Book Photographs
 1830 Presidents Call to Order, Introductions Head table, Guest Speaker/2007 Officers
 Invocation - Chaplain
 1900-1945 Guest Speaker: VADM (Ret) Gerry Hoewing
 1945 Dinner
 2045 Introduction of Symposium Hosts AB's of the NW
 CVN72/CVN74
 NS Bremerton
 Silverdale Hotel
 Past AB's of the year
 2007 AB of the year (Pacific/Atlantic)
 Scholarship Award Recipient (Lanny Vines)
 Youngest/Oldest ABMA member present
 ABMA Living Legends
 2007 Living Legend
 Past Presidents
 2006/2007 Past President Reflections
 New President Remarks
 Eternal Flight Quarters and Final Flight Quarters (Stoney Burke)
 2100-2400 Entertainment/Dancing

Saturday, 04 August

0900 ABs of the Northwest meeting
 1100-1700 ABMA Picnic, Camp McKean, Bremerton MWR Area, Kitsap Lake
 BBQ, Swimming, water boating, Horse shoes, Games, Family and Friends Welcome