



## December 2017 Flotilla 6-10 Public Affairs Report

### Flotilla Meeting

Monthly meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at the Santa Cruz Harbor Public Meeting room. Flotilla members meet at Johnny's Restaurant at 5:30pm prior to the meeting for dinner and fellowship. The fellowship and meeting are an opportunity to interact with members as well as catching up on what is actively happening with the flotilla. Anybody interested in attending is encouraged to come to these events.

### Lighted Boat Parade Santa Cruz harbor:

The Division is asked to assist the Santa Cruz Harbor in ensuring an incident free Lighted Boat Parade for the Christmas season. We enjoyed a great turnout of members to assist with the event. There were no major incidents this year and everyone was able to enjoy the event.



Many of the boat owners decorate their boats and join in the parade of lights. It is a great local holiday season event for the community.



There were also kayaks and other paddle craft involved in the parade. Interacting with the community, many people were surprised by the number of boats involved as well as the size of the observing crowd.



### The Division Holiday dinner.

Many Division members came together for a no stress dinner and fellowship event at Ella's at the Airport. Division Commander Jerry Edelen did hand out a couple of awards to members. Everyone had a great time and the food was great.



Members relaxing and enjoying Division fellowship.



Jerry awarding Alex Urciuoli.



Jerry awarding Peter Kyryl.



## Auxiliary Taskings.

There are many aspects to being in the Coast Guard Auxiliary including Fingerprint Technician. Not only do we obtain fingerprints for prospective members but we obtain fingerprints for current members looking to upgrade their security clearance.



Fingerprint technician Michael Badano working the trade.



T and I would like to wish you all a Happy New Year from out home to yours.

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