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FROM THE DESK OF THE REAR COMMANDER

As the old year rushes to an end, and the New Year fast approaches, the Auxiliary Advisory Committee members wish to thank all Auxiliary members throughout USPS for the efforts put forth which make this organization successful. This past year has been full of achievements at both local and district levels; members have submitted recipes which will ensure that BY LAND OR BY SEA, CUISINE OF THE UNITED STATES POWER SQUADRON future success. Thank you for all the great recipes. The goal has been met which the publisher set for a complete database. In the coming year, Auxiliary members will be called upon to put their cooking caps on and begin the testing process of those dishes which are being considered for the body of the book.

. The 2003-2004 directories have been distributed to all Auxiliary Presidents and Secretaries. All Auxiliaries are represented except for D/23, Daytona Beach PS Auxiliary, the Sea Sites. This Auxiliary was chartered in September 2003 at the D/23 Fall

Conference. They had disbanded ten years ago and their return is cause for celebration. If any other Auxiliary wishes to retrieve their charter, please contact this committee. It is a process which is easy. An Auxiliary brings many benefits to the Squadron.

The Annual Meeting will be held in Orlando, FL, 14 January-18 January 2004 at The Rosen Center. Expo will be held from 0830-1500 Friday, 16 January. There will be no open meeting of the committee at this session. Committee members will be at the booth with information pertaining to the Cookbook and available to help with questions or issues regarding individual Auxiliaries. Please stop by. We look forward to seeing each of you.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!!

R/C Carmen Adamé, AP
Chairman, Auxiliary Advisory Committee

Membership Enhancement Award 2003 presented to the Coco-Nauts, D/23



Left to Right: R/C Carmen Adamé, AP,
P/C Lester Tribout, AP, Penny File & Evelyn
Tribout accepting the award, Stf/C Lois Neef, S and
V/C Ernest G. Marshburn, SN

Auxiliary Booth from mini-EXPO Reno Governing Board



Left to Right: D/Lt Reyna Henry, SN, D/Lt/C Judy
Holmes, AP, Stf/C Lois Neef, S , and R/C Carmen
Adamé, AP,

Photos: courtesy of P/D/C Fred Adamé, SN

AUXILIARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE OPEN MEETING MINUTES 2003 FALL GOVERNING BOARD, RENO, NV

The 5 September, 2003, Saturday 0900-1100 closed meeting was called to order by R/C Carmen Adame. Carmen thanked all those in attendance for being there instead of on the trip to Lake Tahoe. We all agreed that next time we should hold the meeting on the bus during the trip, so we could all enjoy the Lake Tahoe tour.

Committee members were introduced and they in turn introduced those attending from their respective districts. Fourteen people were in attendance.

The Youth Poster Contest for 2004 was presented by Carmen. P/R/C Priscilla Clarke, AP was attending another meeting. We were urged to complete our voting of the 2003 posters prior to 5:00 p.m. Priscilla was praised for getting the directory printed and distributed.

The minutes of the New Orleans Spring Governing Board Meeting were approved as printed.

Stf/C Lois W. Neef presented the trophy and certificates for the winners of the Membership Enhancement Award. The winners were: 1st Place goes to Cape Coral with 33% increase; 2nd Place goes to Mobile with 21% increase; and, 3rd Place goes to Vero Beach with 10% increase. Congratulations!

BY LAND or By SEA Cuisine of the United States Power Squadrons was discussed at great length. Pre-production schedule is: Recipe collection completed—1/1/04; Testing completed—2/13/04; Recipes selected—3/5/04; Manuscript to editor—3/19/04; Start production—4/28/04; Shipment of First Edition—9/04. This schedule includes two laser and one final proof for the text. Additional proofing could cause delays in the schedule. Many more recipes are needed, keep making requests! A mock-up of the book was available for viewing. Pre-sale orders are now over 200 copies.

The program consisted of D/L/O Anita Fontes, S of D/23 talked about the successes of the PEELS Auxiliary; Stf/C Lois Neef, S talked about the successes of the SeaBelles in D/16; and, R/C Carmen Adame, AP of D/23 talked about the successes of The Coco Nauts. Some activities discussed were auctions; teaching Safe Boating for Kids 9-14 years of age; having a Chili Nite contest; attending Boating Classes and acting as greeters; and, having a Lunch Box Auction.

We were all urged to attend the open Membership meeting and mini-expo on Saturday afternoon.

Secretary Pro-Tem,

Stf/C Lois W. Neef, S