The Distinctive Communicator Award for Newsletters 2013



The Distinctive Communicator Award for 2013 has been presented to the following district/squadron publications. Only those publications listed are entitled to include the DCA logo on their newsletters for 2013. The logo can be downloaded from the CommCom website.

District Newsletters

D1 - Sounds of 1

D2 - District 2 News

D4 - Mark4

D8 - Pieces of Eight

D9 - Interlaker

D14 - The Ma-Ri-Ner

D15 - Can 15

D22 - Beacon 22

D26 - 026⁰ True

D27 - Carolina Bitts

D31 - The Daymark

Squadrons in District 1

Hartford - the Bilge Pump Manchester - Silk City Sailor Meriden - Masthead Middletown - The Jib Sheet Norwich - The Compass Rose Springfield - The Flying Bridge Waterbury - Pharos Beacon

Squadrons in District 2

Greenwich – Harbor Light Mohawk-Hudson - Scuttlebutt Sacandaga - Windjammer Saugatuck River - Dredgings Storm King - The Crown Westchester – Current Set & Drift

Squadrons in District 3

Bayside - Running Lights
Captree - Captree Log
Great South Bay - The Great South Spray
Jones Beach - Gudgeon & Pintle
Neptune - Neptune Log
Oyster Bay - Gull Chatter
Patchogue Bay - The Periscope
Peconic Bay-Tell-Tale
Sewanhanka - The Signal
Smithtown Bay - White Caps

Squadrons in District 4

Lackawanna - The Totem Raritan Bay - Relative Bearings Shrewsbury - Twin Lights Staten Island - SIPS Beacon

Squadrons in District 5

Absecon Island - Absecon Light **Annapolis - Anchor Watch Cambridge - Choptank Currents Colonial- The Manifest Delaware River - The Barometer Delhigh - Delhighlights Dundalk - On the Horizon Kent Narrows - Tides Lines** Mainline - The Pilot Miles River - Miles Lines **Nansemond River- Nansemond Light** Northern Virginia - Of Tars & Terns Ocean City - Sandbar Soundings Patapsco River - Bilgewater **Patuxent River - True Readings** Richmond - The Bullhorn Rockville - The Skipjack Virginia Beach - Cape Henry Flashes Wilmington - The Lubber's Line

Squadrons in District 6

Hamburg - Bulkhead Iroquois - Smoke Signals Ithaca - The GIG Red lacket - The Red Quill Rochester - The Chart Seneca - The Drum Susquenango - Sea Chest Swiftwater - Fore 'N' Aft Syracuse - The Erie Wanderer Utica - Bilgewater

Squadrons in District 7

Akron - Scuttlebutt
Berea - The Mooring Post
Mansfield - Yachtsman
Rocky River - Rocky River Currents
South Hills - Southwind
Stark County - Soundings
Vermillion - The Ball

Squadrons in District 8

Coral Ridge - Newsletter
Marathon - Sombrero Light
Palm Beach-Afterdeck News
Pompano Beach - Mariner
St Lucie River - Crossroads
Sebastian Inlet- The Sebastian Inlet
Vero Beach - Nautical News

Squadrons in District 9

Ann Arbor - The Porthole Birmingham - The Bilge Chatter **Dearborn - Anchor Lines Detroit - Dumping Grounds** Flint - Wheelhouse Log **Grand Rapids - Waterspout** Grand Traverse Bay - The 45th Parallel **Grosse Pointe - Tars and Tripe** Kalamazoo - The Pilot Lansing -Crow's Nest **Mount Clemens - Mooring Lines** Muskegon - Headliner Port Huron - Splash! **Sable Point - View Points** Saginaw Bay - Bay View South Bend - Spring Line St Clair Shores - Shore Lines Tip of the Mitt - The Barometer Wyandotte - Smoke Signal

Squadrons in District 10

Central Wisconsin - Between the Lines Door County -The Door Scuttlebutt Green Bay - The Ships Log Madison - Harbor Lights Milwaukee - Deck Watch Minnetonka - Tonkanauts St. Paul - The River Skipper

Squadrons in District 11

Erie - The Scupper Mosquito Lake - The Mosquito Bight New Castle - Castle Currents

Squadrons in District 12

Charles River - Ahoy
Great Blue Hill - View from the Blue
Minute Man - The Musket Fire
Old Colony - Crier
Worcester County - Orion

Squadrons in District 13

Alamitos - The A-Gull Arrowhead - The Log Las Vegas - Star N'Bars Santa Barbara - The Signal Hoist Tres Rios - Fore 'N' Aft Ventura - The Helm

Squadrons in District 14

Buzzards Bay - The Log Cape Cod - The Porthole Taunton River - Taunton River News

Squadrons in District 15

Baton Rouge - The Windscoop Mobile - Four Blasts New Orleans - Topside Talk Pensacola - Lazy Log Perdido Bay - Lost Bay Treasures

Squadrons in District 16

Agate Pass - The Halyard
Bellevue - Bellviews
Bellingham - Bell Signals
Bremerton - The Squawk Box
Deception Pass - The Spindrift
Everett - The Pike Pole
North Olympic - Straitlines
Olympia - The Seaman's Log
Point Wilson - The Point
Poverty Bay - The Pirates Log
Seattle - The Pilot
Skagit Bay - The Bitter End
Spokane - Lubber Line
Tacoma - The Wake Astern

Squadrons in District 17

Atlanta - Waterlog Chattanooga - The C-Way Huntsville - Scuttlebutt Johnson City - Dockside News Knoxville - Now Hear This! Oak Ridge - Agonic Line

Squadrons in District 19

Portland Head - Portland Head Lights Wawenock - Smoke Signals

Squadrons in District 20

Calumet - Smoke Signals
Fox Valley - Tales of the Fox
Kankakee Valley - Kankakee Currents
Land of Lincoln - Spring lines
Skokie Valley - Running Lights
Waukegan - Waukeelog

Squadrons in District 21

Austin - The Plotter
Dallas - The Watch Below
Fort Worth - The Sou'wester
Galveston Bay -Bay Breeze
Houston - Bay Neigh
Ouachita - Keel Talk
San Antonio - Now Hear This
Shreveport - The Lubber Line

Squadrons in District 22

Boca Ciega - Lubber's Line Cape Coral - The Buoys Fort Meyers - Scuttlebutt Manatee - Helm Station Marco Island - The Eagle's Eye Naples - The Log Sanibel-Captiva - Soundings Venice - Venice Inlet

Squadrons in District 23

Banana River - Dragon Tales
Central Florida - Dock Signals
Cocoa Beach - The Soundings
Daytona Beach - The Beachcomber
Harris Chain - The Anchor Chain
Jacksonville - The Skipper
Ponce de Leon Inlet - The En LIGHTener
Titusville - Discoverer

Squadrons in District 24

Bluegrass - Long Rifle Reports Evansville Bend - Pilot

Squadrons in District 25

Carquinez - Carquinez Currents Diablo - Meridian Redwood - The Barque Santa Clara - The Bell

Squadrons in District 26

Beaufort - The Beaufort Log
Charleston - The Palmetto Log
Golden Corner Lakes - Golden Anchor
Golden Isles - The Port Hole
Hilton Head - The Ocean Breez
Lake Hartwell - The Poinsett Pilot
Long Bay - Fore 'N' Aft
North Strand - Scuttlebutt
Savannah River - The Piedmont Binnacle
Swamp Fox - Fox Tales
Thurmond Lake - Laker
Tybee Light - The Beacon

Squadrons in District 27

Cape Fear - Foghorn
Cape Lookout - The Outlook
Catawba - Smoke Signal
Durham - The Bull Horn
Fort Macon - Cannon Soundings
Goldsboro - GSPS Scope
Greensboro - The Breeze
Lake Norman - Inland Seafarer
New River - Topsail Sightings
Pamlico - Sound of the Pamlico
Raleigh - Bow Lights
Rocky Mount - The Coastal Plain Signal
Shallotte River - The Bosun's Pipe
Southport - Lightkeeper's Log

Squadrons in District 28

Balboa - Trident Lake Mohave - No Wake Zone Phoenix - Bos'n's Pipe San Luis Rey - The Mariner's Needle

Squadrons in District 29

Columbus - Galley Gossip
Findlay - Poop Deck
Lima - The "L"
Marion - Marioner's Log
Port Clinton - The Bow Line
Sandusky - Lookout
Toledo - The Breeze

Squadrons in District 30

Boulder Valley - Boulder Beacon Four Rivers - The Charley Noble Kansas City - The Rhumb Line Saint Louis - The Dryrot

Squadrons in District 31

Beaver Lake - Beaver Lake Bearings Grand Lake - The Pelican Oklahoma City - Dinghy Painter

Squadrons in District 32

Beaverton - The Foghorn Coos Bay - Whistler

San luan - The San luan Sentinel