

United States Power Squadrons, 2006 Website Awards Tally Sheet

Squadron/

District Name Golden Isles Sail & Power Squadron

Evaluation. Date 10/16/2006

District Affiliation 26

Required Items

In compliance?
(Y/N)

1	Link to USPS.org on Home (opening) page	y
2	Subtitle below squadron name "a unit of United States Power Squadrons ®" Sail and Power Boating	Y
3	(squadron) Link to District Website	Y
4	(district) Links to squadron websites	
5	Privacy statement or link on home page at bottom	Y
6	USPS Trademark reference or link at home page bottom	Y
7	Disclaimer statement or link on home page at bottom	N
8	Active e-mail link to Webmaster on home page	Y
9	Website must display current information	Y

A1 Identify purpose of the squadron/district/USPS

	range		point range		
			Highest ← → Lowest		
1	0-5	Identify purpose of Unit	5 4 3 2 1 0		5
2	0-1	Identify the purpose of the squadron/district		1 0	1
3	0-2	Identify purpose of USPS		2 1 0	2
Comments: Okay					

A2) Identification of squadron/district area of activity.

1	1	Description of location of Unit		1 0	1
2	1	Map showing location		1 0	1
Comments: Nice map with burgees looks like it came from the district site					

A3) Explanation of the benefits of membership

1	0-3	Description of benefits described		3 2 1 0	1
2	0-2	Links to USPS benefits		2 1 0	0
Comments: no links					

A4) Display of USPS emblems and logos.

1	1	Ensign		1 0	0
2	1	USPS Wheel		1 0	1
3	1	Activity Triangle		1 0	0
4	1	90th Anniversary Logo		1 0	0
5	0-2	Graphics properly sized.		2 1 0	2
Comments: not much in the graphic depart other than wheel and text boc					

A5) What we do, show the fun we have.

1	0-3	Description of the fun we have.		3 2 1 0	1
2	0-3	Photos showing unit activities		4 3 2 1 0	0
Comments: 					

A6) Presentation of Vessel Safety Check Program

1	0-2	Explanation of the program	2	1	0	1
2	1	Correct decal - proportionally sized	1	0	0	0
3	1	Pre-check list provided	1	0	0	0
4	1	Contact information	1	0	1	1

Comments: No decal or named person or link to safety seal .

A7) Contacts for various activities

1	1	Public boating course contact(s)	1	0	0	0
2	1	Members course(s) contact(s)	1	0	1	1
3	1	Event(s) contact(s)	1	0	1	1

Comments: Contacts not on actual page had to find them on another pag .

A8) Current Activities/Educational calendars available

1	2	Public Boating Course (zero points if contact missing)	2	1	0	0
2	2	Members course(s) (zero points if contact missing)	2	1	0	1
3	2	Events (zero points if contact missing)	2	1	0	1
4		Number of pages with dates over 30 days old. 1				-10
		Deduct 10 points for each page over 30 days old				

Comments: ONLY THING LISTED WAS A SOCIAL JUNE OF O6 .

A9) Identification of the bridge, committee members & contacts

1	1	Bridge listed	1	0	1	1
2	1	Bridge photo(s)	1	0	0	0
3	2	Five (5) of more committee contacts listed	2	1	0	2

Comments: No photo other than that nice brigde page well organized .

B1) Presentation quality and correctness.

1	0-3	Readability and Grammer	3	2	1	0	3
2	Calc.	Spelling errors, number. 1					

1 point reduction per error

Comments: .

B2) Quality of photographs and graphics.

1	0-2	Clear - Undistorted	2	1	0	1
2	0-2	Good color balance (not dark or over exposed)	2	1	0	2
3	0-2	Appropriately sized for application	2	1	0	1

Comments: Did not see any photos other that book images .

B3) Active Linkages & Navigation

1	0-2	Ease of Navigation	2	1	0	1
2	0-2	Links easy to identify	2	1	0	1
3	0-1	Links identify the subject	2	1	0	2
4	Calc.	Broken links, number 2				-2

Maximum deduct -10 points -2

Comments: links on Chart Smart Page to other courses broken/ Side nav .

B4) Resource Linkages

1	0-3	USPS Links, 10 or more for 3 points	3	2	1	0	1
2	0-3	Non-commercial Links, 10 or more for 3 points	3	2	1	0	0
3	0-3	Commercial Links, 10 or more for 3 points	3	2	1	0	0
4	Calc.	Disclaimer statement on Commercial Links page Y or N N					-1

For the above point determination; 10 or more links 3 points,
5 to 9 links 2 points, 1 to 4 links 1 point.

If disclaimer statement is missing zero points for this section.

Comments: No outside links .

B5) Ability to read the message.

1	0-2	Font - size and style	2	1	0	2
2	0-2	Font color, good contrast	2	1	0	2
3	0-2	Appropriate use of text space	2	1	0	2
4	0-2	Appropriate background. <i>one point for no background</i>	2	1	0	2

Backgrounds which make reading page difficult zero points.

Comments: **Use USPS Wheel as background on several pages** .

C1) Heading descriptive & appealing

1	0-3	Home page, unique header (graphic)	3	2	1	0	1
2	0-2	All pages have informative header	2	1	0	2	

Comments: **Burgee on welcome message was basically it.** .

C2) Consistent format across pages.

1	0-3	Consistent format across pages	3	2	1	0	3
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Comments: .

C3) Use of photos and/or graphics

1	0-5	Use of graphics to enhance message of website	5	4	3	2	1	0	1
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Comments: **not much to it.** .

C4) Animated Graphics

1	0-3	Use of animated graphics, appropriate and add interest of the website	3	2	1	0	0
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Comments: **Didn't see any** .

D1) Overall impression of quality and effectiveness of the site

1	0-2	How well did you like the site, was it effective in presenting USPS and the unit to the public	2	1	0	1
2	0-2	If you were a non-member, would this site have increased your interest in USPS?	2	1	0	1
3	0-2	Would you be proud of having this website represent your unit or district:	2	1	0	1

Comments: .

Total Points Scored 41