

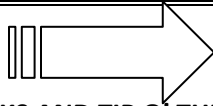
ALL AHEAD, FULL

The unofficial, spontaneous & voluntary publication of the *Ens. John C. Butler Arizona Chapter Destroyer Escort Sailors Association*, meeting at the *HomeTown Buffet*, 1312 N. Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, Arizona the 2d Monday each month at 1100. Paid for anonymously by a benevolent individual and distributed free of charge to all who may have a modicum of interest in our progress and projects.

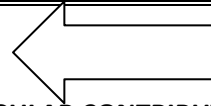
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Next Meet: 8 FEB 10



OUR HEARTFELT THANKS AND TIP O' THE WHITE HAT TO OUR REGULAR CONTRIBUTORS AND FINANCIAL DONORS WHO MAKE OUR CARE PACKAGE PROJECT GO. WE CAN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOUR HELP AND GENEROSITY.

Report of the meeting of 11 JAN 10

1100: Opening prayer by **Chaplain Guier DDE 719**;
Pledge of Allegiance;
19 members present; several of our regulars didn't show for various reasons;

Report of JAN meet accepted as distributed;

Treasury Report; **XO Brown DE 365**; accepted as read;

New Business; **Bob Kessler DE 354** advised that ID's can be renewed or replaced at 1201 N. 35th Ave. RM #143 Phoenix, 602 353 3009;

Dan Tideman DD 711 reported on the status of the **USS Arizona BB 39 replica**. The replica is being rebuilt after falling into disrepair for several years. When completed it will be used for display in parades. Fotos of the replica are on our website and worth eyeballing. Also seen on http://ussarizonacvn79.com/arizona_Replica.html. (that's an underscore between Arizona & Replica)

Donations can be made to:

USS Arizona Replica

c/o Wanda Sartain

43020 N. 3rd Ave.

New River, Arizona 85087

Several of our members were seen at the scuttlebutt during the Tin Can Sailors Bull Session on 16 JAN Embassy Suites 24th St & Thomas. The bar didn't open until 1700. No fights were observed, but the BS got piled high again.

1155: secured meet; Closing prayer; chow down;

Thanks to the working party, packing 25 boxes for shipment to troops in Afghanistan; duly mailed same.

Calm seas and Fair winds

Scuttlebutt

If you caught any part of prez BO's finger-pointing lecture last Wed nite did you note he said "I" 97 times and "me" 9 times. Is he on an ego trip or what? Of course, he gave his usual BIOB (Blame it on Bush) shot, then insulted the US Supreme Court Justices sitting right in front of him. Justice Alito winced at that and said what BO said wasn't true. Prez BO was wrong and his speech writer hung him out to dry with that one. BO is a Constitutional lawyer and prof, but didn't know the case that prohibits foreign donations to US campaigns.

Ever notice anything funny about prez BO's salute when entering or leaving Marine One or AF One? He salutes from his temple. That ain't how it's done, sir. Put your fingertips to your eyebrow to look like you know what you're doing. **The Navy & Marines DO NOT salute when in civvies or uncovered.**

There's no requirement, law or rule for the prez to return salutes from our honorable GIs even tho he's CinC. It's also demeaning when the salute isn't done correctly. Maybe Prez Ike started the deal since he was a military man and the army salutes uncovered.

Notice how Prez BO's chin juts out at the end of each sentence when he's at the podium, which, it seems to be, daily? Kinda reminds one of Benito Mussolini. And you know what happened to him.

Prez Bo sez; The same public anger that put him in office also put LTC Scott Brown into the US Senate as a Republican ... Lord have mercy!!!

Prez BO has decided that now is the time to do something about restoring jobs in this country. Is he a slow learner? That should have been job #1 a year ago.

Seen Sen. "Smiley" Schummer, D. NY, on the tube? How can one miss him. He's always in front of a camera and ginning like a Cheshire Cat.

Getting sick of looking up D.CA, Rep. Henry Waxman's nostrils yet? Sure will be a great day when he loses his chairman's job and we won't have to see and listen to that slobbering, sniveling pip-squeak any longer. He was the guy no one would play with in the schoolyard. Now he's drunk with power and flaunting it to get even with those who wouldn't pay any attention to him.

How about that "Christmas Bomber?" Now known as the "Skivvie Bomber" and "Fruit of the Loom Ka-Boom Bomber." He's reported to have very severe burns in a very private place. He did a little picnic roasting in his shorts, but forgot the weenie stick. Christmas Carols are apropos to the occasion here, as in *Chestnuts Roasting Over an Open Fire*. The bomber's lawyer will charge he wasn't read his rights before he began singing and that li'l technicality can get the case tossed out of court. Stranger things have happened. This would be a travesty.

Why does this US Att Gen think it's OK to try terrorists in a civil court, when they should all have been swung from a yardarm and buried at sea to look for their virgins in 5,000 fathoms of salt water.

NYC is trying to opt out of the Khalid Sheikh Mohammad trial set to begin in the future just a short distance from the Ground Zero 9/11/01 disaster, which he proclaims to have brain-stormed. At Gitmo he also said he'll talk when he gets a lawyer and tried in NYC. *He's smarter than the people who run the US gov't.* NYC estimates the cost of KSM's trial at 216 million the first year and 206 million every year after that. Insane!!

The BO administration still thinks the Tea Bag Party marchers are just a joke. They're BS'n themselves. Who knows how many support the Tea Bag movement, but didn't go to the rallies? There's a lot of folks out there the politicians think are asleep so they can hoodwink them all the time. Abraham Lincoln said you can't fool all the people all the time. Where are you now, Abe?

Against stupidity, the Gods themselves contend in vain
Eric Von Schiller ... !8th Century Historian

Thank You,

On behalf of the soldiers, Black Lions 1-28 First Infantry Unit Ministry Team,

Chaplain (CPT) Michael Kim and PFC Rossello, would like to say thank you for your kindness and support. We will distribute the items to the soldiers in need. Generous people like you are a tremendous blessing to us and we pray that God richly blesses you and all those around you.

Chaplain (CPT) Michael Kim

PFC Rossello, John

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Thank You Mr. Alexander
I got Your Packages today
on Dec. 25 I appreciate
and thank You very much
for all You have done
it means alot. Everything
will come in handy and
I will share with the
rest of my Platoon. I
can't wait to come home
already I miss being with
my family, but all in
good time. I hope You
have had a merry
christmas and a happy
new Year and thank you
again.

SGT, Josh Swanson