



U.S.S. Jouett (DLG29)  
Commissioning Day

## NEWSLETTER

C/O Rick Smith  
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Barrington NH 03825

Hello Shipmates!

### OFFICERS

- President—Jim Jordan
  - Vice President—Ray Fair
  - Treasurer—John Hutchinson
    - Yeoman—Rick Smith
    - Webmaster—Tim Kane
  - Historian—Terry George
  - Director—Herman Touchet
  - Director—Larry Blaisdell
    - Director—Rod Beers
  - Chaplain—Wayne Semenkow
  - Storekeeper—Peggy Leslie
  - Newsletter Editor—Rick Smith
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**Time is once again here and that is for our Jouett reunion. It's scheduled for October 15 thru October 18, 2020. We are staying at the Crown Plaza Charleston Airport Convention Center, 4831 Tanger Outlet Blvd., North Charleston SC 29418. For more information , please go to Jouett's web page and reservation info is there. Just a reminder that we are responsible for making our own reservations.**

**It's scary when you start making the same noises as your coffee maker**

### REMEMBER

*USS Jouett Association dues were due in December. It is not too late to send in your dues payment of \$20. for 2020.*

**From the Quarterdeck:**

Due to our President (Jim Jordan) having recent knee surgery as well as WO2 (ret) "Peanut" Rutter, I thought this was appropriate to let everyone know that for the first coupla weeks they need assistance getting up from their easy chairs.

Please let me know of any of our shipmates that are sick or distressed. Sometimes just a phone call can make a big difference.

*Twidget's unite*

**LOVE is like a fart,**

**If you have to force it**

**It's probably shit**

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  - Webmaster—Tim Kane
  - Historian—Tory George
  - Director—Hanna Foucher
  - Director—Lany Blaisdell
  - Director—Rod Bear
  - Captain—Wynn Semanow
  - Stenographer—Peggy I. Ellis
  - Newsletter Editor—Rick Smith

**REMEMBER**

U.S. Coast Association dues were due in December. It is not too late to send in your dues payment of \$25.00.

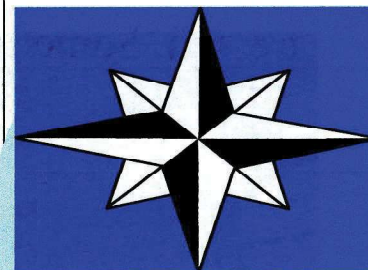
Please fill out this form and mail to:  
**Peggy Leslie**  
**1012 Norman Dr. Apt B**  
**Alexandria LA 71303**

CUSTOMER INFORMATION:

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SHIPPING & HANDLING S & H Cost

merchandise sub-total	S&H price
Up to \$30.00 -----	\$ 5.95
\$30.01 - \$55.00 -----	\$ 7.95
\$55.01 - \$75.00 -----	\$ 9.95
\$75.01 - \$100.00 ----	\$ 11.95
\$100.01 - \$140.00 --	\$ 14.95
\$140.01 plus -----	\$ 17.95



**Commanding Officers**  
**U. S. S. Jouett (DLG/CG**  
**29)**

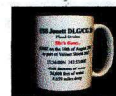
- Captain Robert S. Hayes  
3 Dec 1966–28 Nov 1968
- Captain R. C. Barnhart  
28 Nov 1968–22 May 1970
- Captain Samuel L. Gravelly, Jr.  
22 May 1970–2 Jun 1971
- Captain Edward S. Briggs  
2 Jun 1971–25 Jul 1972
- Captain Ralph E. Wilson, Jr.  
25 Jul 1972–12 Feb 1974
- Captain R. Frederick Stalder, Jr.  
12 Feb 1974–23 Jan 1976
- Captain William E. Poling  
23 Jan 1976–31 Jan 1978
- Captain Donald Martin  
31 Jan 1978–17 May 1980
- Captain Gerald A. Fulk  
17 May 1980–22 May 1982
- Captain R. Scott McCartney  
22 May 1982–10 Mar 1984
- Captain James P. Cormack  
10 Mar 1984–26 Apr 1986
- Captain Michael E. Mays  
26 Apr 1986– 19 Aug 1988
- Captain Jerrold J. Neglin  
19 Aug 1988–11 Jan 1991
- Captain Floydston A. Weeks  
11 Jan 1991–24 Apr 1993
- Commander Thomas J. Gregory  
24 Apr 1993–28 Jan 1994

- Jouett Ball Caps: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 13.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- USS Jouett Polo Shirts: \_\_\_\_\_
- Small \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Medium \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Large \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- X-Large \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- XX-Large \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 23.75 = \_\_\_\_\_
- XXX-Large \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 25.00 = \_\_\_\_\_



NEW ITEMS

- Koozies \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 4.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- USS Jouett Coffee Mug \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 10.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- USS Jouett Coin: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 14.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- USS Jouett Shoulder Patches \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 1.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- USS Jouett Prints: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 45.00 = \_\_\_\_\_



Prints of the original painting that was in the Officer's Ward Room when the Jouett was Commissioned. Prints are 17" x 22" total. Price does not include frame.



USS Jouett Reunion Lapel Pins:

- 2008 Florida \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- 2006 San Diego \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited 2004 Louisiana \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 3.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited 2002 Rhode Island \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 3.00 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited 2000 Washington \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 3.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Merchandise Sub-Total \_\_\_\_\_  
 SHIPPING & HANDLING \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

2010 2012 2014 2016 pins available at the reunion \$5.00

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*Reunion Information  
October 15 - October 18 2018*

# *Crown Plaza Charleston Airport Con- vention Center*

*1-843-744-4422*

*Reservations are now being accepted for the USS Jouett. Price break good for 3 days before and 3 days after the reunion.*



For more information please go to [USS Jouett .com](http://USSJouett.com) & scroll down to reunion and click.



It has come to mind that the last of the sailors aboard Jouett when she was de-commissioned were 18 years old. You guys are now approaching the 50 year mark. That puts you in the minority. The following is a list of things to consider, once you attain

the “Golden Age”.

1. Talk to yourself, because there are times you need expert advice.
2. You don't need anger management. You need people to stop pissing you off!
3. Your people skills are just fine. It's your tolerance of idiots that needs work.
4. The biggest lie you tell yourself is, “ I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it.
5. You've noticed people your age are so much older than you.
6. You thought growing old would take longer.
7. Some days you have no idea what you're doing out of bed.
8. “ Getting lucky” means walking into a room and remembering why you are there.
9. Ageing has slowed you down, but hasn't shut you up.
10. These days, “on time” is when you get there.
11. Consider “in style” to be anything that fits.
12. Even duct tape can't fix stupid-but it sure muffles the sound.

### An Old Man and a Donkey

An old man, a boy and a donkey were going to town. The boy rode on the donkey and the old man walked.

As they went along they passed some people who remarked: "What a shame, the old man is walking and the boy is riding.

The man and boy thought the critics were right, so they changed positions.

Later they passed some people who remarked: "What a shame, he makes that little boy walk." So they then decided they'd both walk.

Soon they passed more people who remarked " They're really stupid to walk when they have a decent donkey to ride".

So they both rode the donkey.

Now they passed some people who shamed them by saying: How awful to put such a load on a poor donkey.

The boy and the man figured they were probably right , so they decided to carry the donkey.

As they crossed a bridge, they lost the grip on the donkey and he fell into the river and drowned.

### *The moral of the story?*

If you try to please everyone, you might as well kiss your ass goodbye

### HELP KEEP OUR MEMBERSHIP ROSTER UP TO DATE

Since one of the most important assets of the Jouett Association is our list of shipmates, it is very important that the roster be correct and up to date. Please check the website to ensure your entry is up to date, or when you receive your copy please check that ALL of your information is up to date. All corrections should be sent to our Webmaster Tim Kane @ [tim.kane@comcast.net](mailto:tim.kane@comcast.net)

### U.S.S. Jouett (DLG/CG 29) Association MEMBER INFORMATION FORM

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ \*Work Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ \*Cell Phone(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

\*Fax Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ email address \_\_\_\_\_

Rank/Rating while serving on Jouett \_\_\_\_\_ Highest Rank/Rating Held in US Navy \_\_\_\_\_

Start Date of Jouett Service \_\_\_\_\_ Ending Date of Jouett Service \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's/Significant Others Name \_\_\_\_\_ \* Optional