

# Maritime Patrol Association **2022 Symposium Guide**

We are honored by the support and enthusiasm that our MPA members and sponsors have brought to this organization, enabling us to host the Tenth MPA Symposium! It all started with the Centennial of Naval Aviation celebration on board NAS Jacksonville in the spring of 2011....the huge success of that week-long event launched the interest and resources that have brought MPA this far...THANK YOU for your support and welcome to the 2022 MPA Symposium!

Don't forget, TRANSPORTATION will be provided on May 11<sup>th</sup> to and from Hangar 117 for the Heritage Dinner AND then again on May 13<sup>th</sup> to and from the O'Club for the Flight Suit Social!!! The Shuttle Bus pick up point is at the USO parking lot across from the base pass and tag office (the Yorktown gate)

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### Schedule of Events

Date	Event	Location
Tuesday, May 10		
1800-2000	Corporate Sponsor Reception (invite only)	
Wednesday, May 11		
0930-1030	Welcome/NAE Update	VP-30 Aud
1030-1100	MPRF Aviation Safety	VP-30 Aud
1100-1120	MPRF Around the Globe	VP-30 Aud
1120-1200	RAAF/RAF Presentations	VP-30 Aud
1200-1400	Tech Expo	VP-30 Hangar
1200-1400	Lunch	VP-30 Hangar
1200-1400	P3/P8/MQ-4C Tours	VP-30 Hangar
1230-1400	P-8 Simulator Tours	ITC
1400-1420	ASW Winner announced	VP30 Aud
1420-1530	Industry Briefs: Boeing, NG, LM	VP30 Aud
1600-1700	MPA Members Meeting	O'Club
1800-2200	MPA Heritage Dinner	Hangar 117
Thursday, May 13		
0900-1000	MPRF Community Update (invite only)	
0900-1300	Spouse Symposium	O'Club
1130-1300	Golf Registration	Mulligans
1300-1830	Golf Tournament	Mulligans
1830-2000	Golf Social	Mulligans
Friday, May 14		
1800-2400	Flight Suit Social	O'Club



#### Tuesday, May 10th

MPA Corporate Sponsor Reception (Invitation only)

#### WEDNESDAY, May 11th

#### **Symposium 2022 Arrival and Seats**

Time: 0900-0930

Location: VP-30 Auditorium at NAS Jacksonville

#### State of Naval Aviation Enterprise (NAE) Update (unclassified)

Time: 0930-1030



Cost: \$0

Location: VP-30 Auditorium at NAS Jacksonville

Gather information and insights about current day aviation operations from Vice Admiral Kenneth Whitesell,

Commander, Naval Air Forces.

#### Around the globe updates, RAAF/RAF Presentations

Time: 1045-1200

Cost: \$0

Location: VP-30 Auditorium at NAS Jacksonville

Briefs include MPRF Aviation Safety, MPRF Around the Globe and our allied forces presentations.

#### Technology and Squadron Expo / Lunch / Aircraft tours

Time: 1200-1400

Cost: TBD for the cost of lunch. Will update as soon as we have it.

Location: VP30 Hangar at NAS Jacksonville

Check out the exciting exhibits of our industry partners/ sponsors and grab some geedunk from local squadrons all

while grabbing some lunch! After that take a tour/view the P3 or P8.

#### **Ongoing ITC/Hall of Heroes/Tours**

Time: 1230-1400

Cost: \$0

Location: Integrated Training Center at NAS Jacksonville

Tours of the memorial hall and simulators in the ITC are given throughout the tour period. REGISTRATION IS

REQUIRED FOR THIS EVENT.

#### **MPA General Members Meeting**

Time: 1600-1700

Cost: \$0

Location: Officers Club at NAS Jacksonville

Join us for our annual MPA General Members meeting to discuss organizational business and meet your leadership.

Located at the Officers Club. MPA Members Only.

#### **MPA Heritage Dinner**

Time: 1800-2300

Cost: \$50 (MPA Members), \$60 (Non-Members)

Location: Hangar 117

Join shipmates past and present as we gather in the historical Hangar 117 for drinks, dinner and dancing. The 2022 Hall of Honor inductee, as well as several community awards, will be announced and honored during the evening. Squadron memorabilia as well as a historical slide show will be presented throughout the hangar for the event. Food, beer and wine are included, a cash bar will also be provided. Attire will be flight suits for active duty. Retired members, and other guests are encouraged to wear their uniforms or business casual attire. BUY TICKETS EARLY - THIS EVENT WILL SELL OUT!



#### **THURSDAY, May 12th**

#### **MPRF Community Update (invitation only)**

Cost: \$0

Current MPRF Leadership, current MPA Sponsors and retired Flag Officers will be invited to a briefing with the CPRG and CTF leaders followed by a brief question and answer period.

#### Officer and Enlisted Spouse Symposium

Time: 0900-1300

Cost: \$0

Location: NAS JAX O'Club

Join us for a social geared toward educating spouses on the current status of the Maritime Patrol & Reconnaissance community, relocations and service-member career paths, as well as learn about the local resources from NAS JAX. Guest speakers include, Commodore Boman, Skipper Spore, RDML Scott, PERS detailers and NAS JAX MWR.

#### **MPA Scholarship Golf Tournament**

Time: 1130-1830 Check-in and lunch begins at 1130. SHOT GUN start at 1300.

Cost: \$70 (MPA Members), \$85 (Non-Members)

Location: NAS Jacksonville Golf Course

Be sure to sign up yourself and your team online early as space is limited to the first 200 golfers registered. BUY TICKETS EARLY - THIS EVENT WILL SELL OUT! Tournament registration fee includes box lunch, beer on the course, a Fajita dinner after the tournament, as well as sweet swag bags! To submit foursomes, contact Kristen Heimerle Kirkland at: <a href="mailto:info@maritimepatrolassociation.org">info@maritimepatrolassociation.org</a> or (904)318-8800. (Foursome requests cannot be guaranteed until ALL FOUR GOLFERS have registered and paid for the MPA Scholarship Golf Tournament.) Learn more about our MPA Scholarship at: <a href="https://maritimepatrolassociation.org/home/scholarships/">https://maritimepatrolassociation.org/home/scholarships/</a>

#### **MPA Scholarship Social**

Time: 1830-2000

Cost: \$15 (MPA Members), \$20 (Non-Members) Location: NAS Jacksonville Golf Course (Mulligans)

Join the tail end of the golf tournament for dinner and awards. Social includes Fajita dinner, beer, wine and soft

drinks. Cost of social is already included in the cost of the Golf Tournament for golfers.

#### FRIDAY, May 13th

#### **MPA Flight Suit Social**

Time: 1800-2400

Cost: \$30 (MPA Members), \$45 (Non-Members)

Location: NAS JAX O'Club

We conclude the week with the MPA FLIGHT SUIT SOCIAL on Friday night at the Officer's Club on board NAS Jacksonville. Active, reserve, retired - don your flights suits for a fun-filled evening of camaraderie, fine food, and a few sea stories. Food, beer and wine, and SWEET SWAG BAG included. Cash bar available.



#### **NAS Jacksonville Base Information**

The 2018 MPA Symposium will be held at Naval Air Station Jacksonville. See below for some helpful information about NAS Jax for planning your trip and during your stay.

#### BASE MAP OF NAS JACKSONVILLE







#### TO VP-30 & THE INTEGRATED TRAINING CENTER (ITC)

To get to the VP-30 Hangar, enter the base through the YORKTOWN entrance. At the stoplight at YORKTOWN and GILLIS STREET, turn left into the VP-30 parking lot and follow attendants to park and walk into the hangar. The ITC is directly across the street – you can take the over-road walkway to get back and forth.

#### Events at VP-30:

NAE Update, Wednesday 11 May MPRF Around the Globe, Wednesday 11 May RAF/RAAF Presentations, Wednesday 11 May Tech & Squadron Expo & Lunch, Wednesday 11 May Aircraft Tours, Wednesday 11 May

#### **Events at the ITC:**

ITC/Simulator Tours, Wednesday 11 May

#### **TO HANGAR 117**

Enter the base through the YORKTOWN entrance. You will continue on YORKTOWN AVENUE for 1.6 miles until you get to the end of the street where you will make a left hand turn at the stop sign onto WASP STREET. Then you will make a right at the next stop sign onto ALBERMARLE ROAD. You will then continue straight where parking attendants will be standing by in order to direct you to parking spots. There will be check-in tables located just inside of the Hangar.

#### **Events at Hangar 117:**

Heritage Dinner, Wednesday 11 May

#### **TO MULLIGANS**

Enter the base through the YORKTOWN entrance and make a right hand turn after 1 mile onto MUSTIN ROAD (4th light you come to). The clubhouse is on the right hand side about 0.75 miles down the road.

#### **Events at Mulligans:**

Scholarship Golf Tournament, Thursday 12 May Scholarship Social, Thursday 12 May

#### TO THE OFFICERS CLUB (O'CLUB)

Enter the base through the YORKTOWN gate and make a right hand turn after 1 mile onto MUSTIN ROAD (4th light you come to). The Officers Club is on the left hand side about 0.75 miles down the road.



#### **Events at the O'Club:**

MPA General Members Meeting, Wednesday 11 May Spouse Symposium, Thursday 12 May Flight Suit Social, Friday 13 May



### 2022 Hall of Honor Inductees

The following inductee will be celebrated at the Heritage Dinner on

Wednesday, May 11th:

#### **Rear Admiral Maness**

**United States Navy** 

Rear Admiral Maness was born in Long Beach, CA on 13 April 1940. He attended the United States Naval Academy, earning his commission as an Ensign in June 1962. His first operational tour was with Patrol Squadron NINE at Moffett Field, CA, where he participated in the first deployments of the P-3A aircraft to the Western Pacific. Rear Admiral Maness subsequently served as a department head in Patrol Squadron FORTY, the Wing Operations Officer for Patrol Wing TWO in Barbers Point, HI, and the executive and commanding officer of Patrol Squadron SIX.

In June 1984, Rear Admiral Maness reported as Commander, Patrol and Reconnaissance Force Seventh Fleet/Commander Patrol Wing ONE/Commander Task Force 72 (CTF 72) at Kami Seya, Japan. It was during this tour that he developed an analytical approach to ASW search tactics based on combining specific platform capabilities (air, surface, submarine) to maximize an overall probability of detection. His innovative multi-platform search techniques were directly responsible for numerous successful prosecutions of Soviet submarines in the SEVENTH fleet AOR at the height of the Cold War.

From August 1988 to October 1989, Rear Admiral Maness served as Executive Assistant to the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff. Selected for flag rank, he assumed responsibilities as Director for Total Force Training and Education Policy in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations. With the end of the Cold War and while fully recognizing the key role the community played in the Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) arena, he championed other platform technologies and competencies including Anti-Surface Warfare and Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance (ISR), while also bringing attention to the threat posed by Third World diesel submarines and the resulting need for littoral ASW capabilities.

In August 1990, Rear Admiral Maness assumed duties as Commander, Patrol Wings U.S. Pacific Fleet. During Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, he ensured maritime patrol aircraft were the first U.S.



augment forces to arrive in the Persian Gulf theater, just two days after Iraq invaded Kuwait, and that those forces immediately initiated surveillance of the Gulf and its approaches.

## 2022 Award Recipients

The following award recipients will also be celebrated at the Heritage Dinner on Wednesday, May 11th:

Outstanding CPO: AECS Bouge, Joshua VPU-2

Enlisted Aviation Maintenance: AM1 Orlowicz, David VQ-1

Enlisted Aircrewman of the Year

Atlantic: AWO1 Castro, Justin VP-30 Pacific: AWO1 Ard, Kerry VP-40

NFO of the Year

Atlantic: LT Gosselin, Jonathan VP-10

Pacific: LT Yi, James VP-1

Pilot of the Year

Atlantic: LT Glassman, Jonathan MPRWS

Pacific: LT Brooks, Blake VP-47

## Travel & Lodging

BASE ACCESS Requirements to drive your vehicle on base are a valid driver's license, insurance and registration, and either an active/retired military ID or a sponsors pass. Active and retired military can sponsor civilian attendees to gain on-base access during these events.

Plan on entering the YORKTOWN gate at NAS Jacksonville for all Symposium events.

For attendees with base privileges (retired), the front gate will allow you normal access with your military I.D. card. Please make sure that all passengers in your vehicle who are 16 years of age and older have a valid I.D.

#### TRAVEL BY AIR SEP

If you are traveling by air to the symposium, the closest commercial airport to NAS Jacksonville is the <u>Jacksonville International Airport</u>. The physical address for Jax International is: 2400 Yankee Clipper Drive



Jacksonville, FL 32218.

#### **TRAVEL BY CAR**

If traveling by car, the physical address of NAS Jacksonville for purposes of directions is: 6801 Roosevelt Ave Jacksonville, FL 32212.

#### ON BASE LODGING ACCOMMODATIONS

Navy Gateway Inns & Suites (BOQ/BEQ): (904) 542-3138

Navy Lodge: (904) 772-6000

RV Park: (904) 542-3227

#### **OFF BASE LODGING ACCOMMODATIONS**

The following off-base hotels are conveniently located to NAS Jax:

Hilton Garden Inn: (904) 458-1577 Holiday Inn & Suites: (904) 562-7400 Fairfield Inn by Marriott: (904) 278-7442 Courtyard by Marriott: (904) 854-1500

Best Western: (904) 264-4466



#### **UNIFORMS/ATTIRE**

"JAX CASUAL" for the day time events on Wednesday, as well as for golf on Thursday. FLIGHT SUITS, uniform of the day, or smart business casual for the Heritage Dinner on Wednesday night and FLIGHT SUITS or casual evening wear for the flight suit social on Friday night. For our "former warriors," if you still have a flight suit, we cordially invite you to wear it to the flight suit social events.

### Contacts

If you have any questions, or require assistance, the 2022 Symposium planning committee is available to assist:

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