

Grayback Base Scuttlebutt – Meeting May 15, 2010 Held at Gwinnett Veterans Museum in Lawrenceville, GA

Attendees:

David Berndt – Commander
Tom Pressley – Vice Commander
George Bradley - Treasurer
Allen Legel - Base Secretary
Mike Kotler
Larry Check - Store keep
Bob Gibbs
John Portgee
Joe Zeankowski and his Son

Attendees gathered at the Vet's Museum and proceeded to conduct a field day cleaning up of the cases holding artifacts and uniforms from 10:00 hours through 1200 Hours.

While finishing up at the museum we reviewed photos from the Submarine Vets Memorial Stone Dedication Ceremony we held on April 11th 2010 at Canton, GA. All present joined in a photo opportunity taken on site.

Grayback Base team removed to the roof of the Pub on the corner and shared lunch and an open discussion on activities.

David Berndt, Mike Kotler and Larry Check plan to attend the Memorial Day Ceremonies at the Canton National Cemetery. Mike will pick up Doc Gibbs to take him to Canton.

Mike Kotler recently submitted an application to the city of Alpharetta for the Grayback base to participate in the Soldiers and Sailors Parade on August 7th 2010. Volunteers please contact Mike.

We again looked through the many photos taken on April 11th and discussed a selection process, with the intent to organize the best to be set up in a carousal on the web site.

Mike noted a Vet's job fair this coming August.

Davis asked for loan of patches and badges from membership ships crews for show at the Museum in our Grayback Base display case.

Next April 15th Bethesda Park Senior Center Booth Banner and Sub Vets.

Next Meeting to be held at the Oyster Barn in Lilburn, GA

If you have not been here to visit this museum you should take the time and do so. Information regarding the Vet's Museum is accessible at www.ussvigraybackbase.org, home page top right corner. There you click on the name.