



NEWS CLIP NAVY LEAGUE PALM BEACH COUNCIL

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AUTEC AWARD

Atlantic Underwater Test & Evaluation Center

Palm Beach Council Director Sonia Foster flew the Navy Charter flight from Palm Beach to the AUTEC Underwater Test Range at Andros Island, Bahamas and presented our Navy League awards (personalized awards and cash) to the AUTEC Sailor , Junior Sailor, and Blue Jacket of the Year. Also, The AUTEC Sailor of the Quarter, Junior Sailor, and Blue Jacket of

Senior Sailor of the Year MA1 Shaine Patterson *

Junior Sailor of the Year LS2 Dorian Claire & Blue Jacket of the Year Seaman Daniel Isaa

Hot News From AUTEC, Andros Island, Bahamas

Upon arrival to the Bahamas AUTEC Senior Enlisted Leader Daniels greeted me at the airport with LCDR Jim Foster and transported me to the AUTEC Naval Base.

CDR Lopez Officer in Charge and LCDR Vaughn AOIC each met with me privately and stated how much the entire Command appreciates the continued support of the US Navy League of Palm Beach Council.

What a fine turnout even Sailors that were scheduled off arrived for the ceremony to support their peers and express their dedication to support each other for their accomplishments.

The AUTEC Awards sponsorship and continued support on behalf of the Palm Beach Navy League to these fine Sailors is tremendously appreciated and warmly welcomed by CDR LOPEZ and LCDR Vaughn.

that provides the Awards to the Sailors. was deeply expressed. We discussed how important it is to boost morale and how these awards impact these brave men and women that serve to aspire to be the best they can be in this remarkable Military environment.

**Senior Sailor of the 1st Quarter
JFY-15- MA1 Jose Divora**

Junior Sailor of the Quarter- YN2 Jediolani Yap

Blue Jacket of the Quarter- Alexander Behnke

Senior Enlisted Leader , Aviation Liaison Shaun

DanielsAWSCS(NAC/AW)

***also selected as Blue Jacket 2013 & Junior Sailor of the Quarter 2013 & 2014**



AOIC Vaughn, Senior Sailor of the Quarter MA1 Divora, Junior Sailor of the Quarter YN2 Yap, Blue Jacket of the Quarter

Behnke, US Navy League Council Representative ,Director Sonia Foster, and Senior Chief Daniels .



Palm Beach Navy League Council Representative Foster Presenting Plaque and Cash Award to Senior Sailor of the First Quarter MA1 Jose Divora



OIC Lopez has served 28 years with enthusiasm and is coming to Palm Beach next week and expressed an interest in meeting with our council.

OIC Lopez wishes to personally thank us for what we do to support the AUTEC Sailors.

Sonia Foster PBC Representative states “ It is an honor to represent our Palm Beach Navy League Council at AUTEC Andros Island Bahamas. “





PBC Director Foster delivers speech to the Command and thanking the Servicemen and Women for their service to our Country and for those Awardees to continue to uphold their highest of standards of excellence in hope to inspire their peers in and foster growth in this remarkable Military environment.

She seized the opportunity to meet with the Junior Sailors.” It is so refreshing to speak to these fine Servicemen about their experiences and future goals. Most were taking advantage of the educational opportunities while training here on Andros Island.” Stated Foster.



Sonia Foster at AUTEC Palm Beach prior to takeoff for Andros Island, Bahamas to present Atlantic Underwater Testing And Evaluation Center Awards to 6 Selectees.





Senior Chief Daniels , OIC Lopez and AOIC Vaughn with the World Map backdrop.

Th is trio of Officers has nearly a Century of service between them. Bravo Zulu.

Andros Island, Bahamas

In appreciation AUTECH Bahamas Ken A. Lee on behalf of the U.S. Navy League



Palm Beach Council Thanks the Sailors and families of AUTECH Bahamas with a AUTECH- MWR \$200 Certificate.Navy League of Palm Beach Council



Oh what a day, picture perfect.



Senior Chief Daniels on personal tour of the Island.





