

# Commander Seventh Fleet Ombudsman Newsletter

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Ummm, September!!! The beginning of fall and bringing out all the warm comfy sweaters! For many I am sure this fall will bring a welcome end to the hot summer season. Along with fall comes back to school! There is nothing like seeing the kids as they dress for the first day of school and watching as the butterflies increase in their tummies as the school bell approaches. Please remember the 15km school zone speed limit as you drive around base and have a great school year!

The upcoming move back on board Blue Ridge promises to keep everyone on their toes. This month will be a very busy time for our sailors as the Staff moves back on board starting September 20<sup>th</sup>. This is an enormous feat as the staff literally moves everything from one ship to the other. And we think we have it hard moving from one house to the other. :) Be sure to hug your sailor!!

Grandparent's day is September 12<sup>th</sup>. As military families we are often times away from our parents and grandparents. But that does not mean we cannot stay in touch. With the internet at hand we can accomplish almost anything. Hooking up a web camera to your computer will put you in touch instantly. But make sure there is a camera on the other end. You will feel like you are all in the same room.

Be sure to mark calendar for this years 7<sup>th</sup> Fleet/Blue Ridge Christmas party. It is going to be at the New Sanno and is scheduled for Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> of December. The ships MWR has 100 rooms reserved and sign ups will be held later in the year. There will be more information soon.



## BASE NEWS!

### *Theater Closures*

The theaters will be closed for renovations during the following dates. Benny Decker August 30 to September 3 Fleet Theater September 4 to October 3

### *Labor Day International Boat Fishing Tournament September 6<sup>th</sup>*

Catch large mahi-mahi and bonito. Registration fee, ¥10,000, includes boarding pass, transportation and lunch box. Tournament limited to twenty participants eighteen years of age or older or with sponsor. Sign up by September 2.

### *International Saltwater Fishing Tournament September 12<sup>th</sup>*

Participate in this fun event for only \$5 that includes international meal and drinks. Tournament limited to twenty participants eighteen years of age or older or with sponsor. Participants must bring own equipment. Sign up by September 6.

### *Salsa Night at the CPO Club September 18<sup>th</sup> from 1800-2330*

Have a night of dancing, great food and fun at the 1<sup>st</sup> annual Block Party Salsa Night at the CPO club.

### *Ikego Friendship Day September 25<sup>th</sup>*

Don't miss the largest community event of the year. Come out and enjoy the open base festivities including great food and a fabulous mix of Japanese and American entertainment.

### *Community Center*

For information and activities at the Yokosuka, Ikego and Negishi community centers visit the MWR website. [http://www.cfay.navy.mil/mwr/downloads/cc\\_august.pdf](http://www.cfay.navy.mil/mwr/downloads/cc_august.pdf)

### *Sightseeing in Japan*

#### **Information Tickets and Touring**

Do you want to get out and see Japan? It is easy to do with MWR's ITT. To see what tours are available this month take a look at their website link.

<http://www.cfay.navy.mil/mwr/tours.html>

**Be sure to check the Focus Magazine or call  
MWR for more information 243-5414.**



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