

**USS Virginia Base
Meeting Minutes for the Month of January 2014
On 1/19/2014**

- Meeting was held at Anna's Restaurant & Pizzeria
 - Spaghetti, pizza and salad were on the buffet menu
- 19 members and 8 guests were present
- Todd Steadman won the 50/50 raffle and received \$50.00
- The Ladies were excused
- At 1900 Base Commander Kenn McDermott called the meeting to order
 - Kenn McDermott gave the opening prayer
 - Vice Commander/COB Pete Fortier lead the Pledge of Allegiance, USSVI Creed and Tolling of the Boats, assisted by Base Storekeeper Bob Kutzenberger
 - 5 Boats were lost during the month of January with the loss of 316 crewmen
- New Officer Induction Ceremony was held
 - Kenn McDermott Base Commander
 - Pete Fortier Vice Commander
 - Jim Lencalis Base Treasurer
 - Bill Anderson Base Secretary
- Kenn McDermott thanked Bill Wellner and Mickey Martin for their years of service to the USS Virginia Base
- Birthdays for the Month of January
 - Mickey loses
- Holland Club inductees have been announced and induction ceremony will take place during the May meeting
- USSVI South East Region Conference is slated for April 10th in Cary, NC. Kenn McDermott will be attending. April 10, is the same date as our April meeting. Vice Commander Pete Fortier will lead the April meeting.
- There was a discussion on where we can donate some money.
- Treasurer's Report was read and approved
 - 2013 Treasury Highlights
 - Balance as of 1/1/2013 \$3986.60
 - Deposits \$2830.00
 - Expenditures \$2452.61
 - Balance as of 12/31/2013 \$4363.99
 - December 2013 Treasury Highlights
 - Deposits \$305.00
 - Expenditures \$405.00
 - Balance as of 12/31/2013 \$4363.99
- Secretary's Report was read and approved
- A short 2-minute video was shown "What is a Submarine?"
- More discussion on the newsletter.
- Kenn McDermott gave the closing prayer
- The meeting was adjourned at approximately 2010

Respectfully

Bill Anderson
Base Secretary