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USNA/CACI Advanced Studies in EMS in Honor of Dr. J. Phillip London

Dr. J. P. (Jack) London '59 was honored on November 2 in a ceremony at Hopper Hall celebrating the partnership program between the United States Naval Academy and CACI International, Inc. to advance the study of Electronic Warfare and the Electromagnetic Magnetic Spectrum. The program, which honors the former Executive Chairman and Chairman of the Board of CACI will help prepare midshipmen for dealing with some of our most serious national security threats. Jack's love and devotion to the U.S. Naval Academy and CACI were driving factors in the design of the program. Dr. London, a 2019 Distinguished Graduate, left a legacy and passion for advancing our nation's focus on national and global security. Jack's wife, Dr. Jennifer London noted in her speech that "the 'USNA/CACI Advanced Studies in EMS in Honor of Dr. J. Phillip London' further advances Jack's impressive legacy while benefiting the education and expertise of our midshipmen to be leaders in the field of national security."



L-R; Admiral Buck, Jonathon London, Jackson London, Jennifer London, Phillip London and Jayson London

Info Challenge

During early March, 63 midshipmen, from all four academic classes and several majors, participated in the Information Challenge at UMD-College Park. Teams were given a dataset offered by a community partner, and with the help of a mentor, performed a data analysis. On Saturday, they presented that analysis and recommendations based on that analysis to judges at the University of Maryland-College Park. They then presented that analysis and recommendations based on their analysis to judges at the University of Maryland-College



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Park. A discussion of their results followed with members of the community at a Showcase sponsored by USNA and featuring remarks from VADM Buck of USNA and President Pines of UMD.

This was the fifth year USNA participated in the Info Challenge. This year's teams were comprised of majors in Data Science, Cyber Operations and Computer Science. Both teams were mentored by Dr. Fiona Knoll of the Computer Science Department. Funds donated by Drs. Jack '59 and Jennifer London made the event possible.

Congratulations to the teams of Rhys Winter, Micah Tracy, Kaosi Unini, and Ryan Zhang, all Data Science majors, who won "Best Team Presentation," and Strahinja Janjusevic (Cyber Operations), Michael Huizenga (Computer Science), Eric Liu (Computer Science), and Ivan Bajceta (Cyber Operations), who won "Best Cybersecurity Project."

This event happened through the efforts of a number of people here on the Yard who helped with the administration of this event, as well as mentors, judges, and subject matter experts.

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From **Rod Friedmann (5)**:

✉ "Tidewater group had a Valentine's Day Luncheon at Eurasia in Virginia Beach. Attendees included Thanks to Alice Meinicke, **Bob Ianucci (16)** and **Al Whitaker (16)** for taking and sending me their photos to share with all of you. Sorry, Paula and I and Gail & **Bill Kee (9)** had to drop out. Here's some of

the photos that were taken. Looks like all went well. I would appreciate any comments you may have on the quality of the luncheon menu and/or the service. I will provide feedback to the owners. Rod



The Ianuccis



The Brentons

From **Bob Osmon (17)**:

✉ "Dear Classmates, Last week I was most pleased to be asked by Joy Hamon to join several of our classmates and wives to a special dinner being held at Patriot's Colony. It was a fun evening of good conversation and excellent food. How wonderful that we can all get together like this. Hope we are still doing it 10 years from now.

In the attached photo are from L-R: Gloria and **Bob Antonio (14)**, **Bob Osmon (17)**, Joy and **Dick Hamon (8)**, and **Don Schlicht (23)**.

Afterwards I dropped by to see **Joel Febel (5)**, who is in assisted living at PC. He is hanging in there and wishes all classmates a special Best Regards! He's still smiling!



'60: Valentines's Luncheon, the Gents



The Clextons



The Townsends

God bless and smooth sailing. Oz

Also, from **Bob Osmon (17)** :):

✉ "I saw in *Shipmate* **Cal Sutliff's (20)** amazing accomplishment of winning all four of the rowing events entered in the Masters Rowing Championships. Makes me feel really proud of our classmate. He must be in excellent physical shape and I applaud him for staying that way.

I truly try to stay in shape, but I am not near that caliber. I go to the gym 3 times a week to lift weights and 3 times a week I do exercises here at home and then walk several miles. My Doc praises my efforts and says I am in better shape than 95% of the patients he sees, but I could not compete in any particular contest against other excellent athletes. So, as he keeps up the good work, he certainly represents the US Naval Academy, Class of 1960 well.

Here is something to think about. **Pete Chabot (14)**, our President, has authorized **Randy McHenry (7)** and me to organize and hold another mini reunion at Randy's hotel in New Smyrna Beach, FL in Feb of 24. The one we did a year ago was a big success with about

20 classmates attending and we've been told that if we do it again, many more will come. We will visit the Kennedy Space Center and St. Augustine as well as evening dinners and fun in NSB. Please give some thought of attending then. Would love to have you there.

Here's a photo of **Al Bissell (8)** and me. You can see we haven't lost our enthusiasm for the old Boat School. God bless! Oz

From **Bill Lewis (5)** :):

✉ "I spoke to one of our 5th company comrades recently. His email was phished and when I made contact (the safe way) we were able to share updates etc. **Hank Longaker (5)** settled in the New Orleans area after his time in the Navy and is currently doing well.

From **Rod Friedmann (5)** :):

✉ "Bill, let the good times roll! The "old salts" slowly navigated their way to one of our favorite Virginia Beach seafood restaurants called BUBBAS, which sits on the shoreline of the scenic Lynnhaven Bay. Great scenery, good service and excellent seafood! Classmates participating in today's event included: **Bob Powers (8)**, **Al Ablowich (16)**, **Al Whitaker (16)**, **Bob Ianucci (16)**, **Rod Friedmann (5)**, **Henry von Kolnitz (22)**, **Wick Parcels (12)**, **Jim Eilertsen (21)**, **Bill Kee (9)**, and our very late arrival- **Bert Johnson (10)**. **Bob Osmon (17)** had to cancel to board a plane bound for Israel to join a Naval Academy Tour of the Holy Land.

The group voted to revisit this restaurant for our April Luncheon. Obviously something must be good! Enclosed are a few photos of classmates enjoying the camaraderie, good food and tales of yesteryear. Enjoy, Rod



Patriots's Colony dinner



Greenhalgh, von Kolnitz and Eilertsen



Friedman, Ablowich and Greenhalgh

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9 SEPT	vs Wagner College
14 SEPT	@ Univ. of Memphis (Memphis, TN)
30 SEPT	vs Univ. of South Florida
7 OCT	vs Univ. of North Texas
14 OCT	@ Charlotte (Charlotte, NC)
21 OCT	vs Air Force
4 NOV	@ Temple University (Philadelphia, PA)
11 NOV	vs UAB
18 NOV	vs East Carolina Univ.
25 NOV	@ Southern Methodist Univ. (Dallas, TX)
9 DEC	vs Army (Foxborough, MA)

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