

JUSTICE CHRONICLES

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U.S. PASSPORT FAIR AND OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

Region Legal Service Office Southwest is pleased to announce the San Diego Passport Agency will conduct a U.S. passport fair at the Naval Base Coronado Commissary/NEX August 2012. This event is open to all U.S. citizen service members, their U.S. citizen dependents and DOD personnel with access to the base, and will enable our community to apply for or renew U.S. Passports. In addition, U.S. citizens can also apply for the new U.S. Passport Card at this event.

It is crucial to start preparing now for this event. Applicants must bring all necessary paperwork (e.g. proof of citizenship, passport photos, etc.). To determine what documentation is acceptable and required, visit www.travel.state.gov/passport.

U.S. Passport Fair and Other Upcoming Events

Passport fees will apply. Checks or money orders will be accepted. Fees depend on the type of passport and are listed at www.travel.state.gov/passport.

This is a great opportunity to save time, effort, and receive your U.S. passport quickly without paying an expedite fee.

Other Upcoming Events:

Military Naturalization Ceremonies for 2012:

24 May 2012, 0900, at USS MIDWAY Museum
2 Jul 2012, 0900, at USS MIDWAY Museum
8 Nov 2012, 0900, at USS Midway Museum

Command Citizenship Rep Training for 2012:

12 Jul 2012, 0900-1200, at RLSO SW
11 Oct 2012, 0900-1200, at RLSO SW

For further information, please call the RLSO SW Naturalization Division at (619) 556-6322.

DRUG TESTING PROGRAM REVISION

Effective May 1, 2012, Navy Drug Screening Labs will add two more commonly abused prescription drugs to the standard testing panel for all urinalysis samples submitted for testing. The prescription drug families tested will now include Benzodiazepines and Hydrocodones (e.g. Xanax, Vicodin). These drug families are potentially highly addictive, and their use outside of medical supervision places the sailor, their family and shipmates at risk.

Navy's policy is zero tolerance for drug abuse. Sailors whose urinalysis samples are identified positive for controlled substances for which they do not have a valid prescription recorded in their medical record may be considered in violation of the UCMJ for drug misuse/abuse. Prescription drugs are inappropriately used when they are used outside their intended purpose, beyond their prescribed dates, in excess of the prescribed dosing regimen or when a sailor uses another individual's prescribed medication.

Sailors should ensure authorized prescriptions are properly documented in their medical record. Sailors who are currently using drugs that have not been prescribed or using them inappropriately are encouraged to voluntarily seek medical treatment and rehabilitation in a military medical facility on a self-referral basis prior to initiation of this new testing protocol. Navy medical treatment facilities are ready to assist any sailor or family member who self-refers for prescription drug misuse or abuse.

If you have any questions regarding this revision, please contact your local SJA office.

ENLISTED ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD RESULTS OF TRIAL 1ST QUARTER 2012

Navy E-5 awarded Other Than Honorable Discharge for Misconduct – Drug Abuse (morphine). This administrative board was held on 11 January 2012.

Navy E-7 awarded Other Than Honorable Discharge for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (adultery and fraternization). This administrative board was held on 25 January 2012.

Navy E-1 awarded Other Than Honorable Discharge for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (court-martial conviction and DUI). This administrative board was held on 27 January 2012.

Navy E-3 went to an administrative board for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (forged medical notes), no misconduct found. This administrative board was held on 31 January 2012.

Navy E-1 went to an administrative board for Misconduct – Drug Abuse and Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (oxycodone), no misconduct found. This administrative board was held on 2 February 2012.

Navy E-2 awarded General Discharge for Misconduct – Pattern of Misconduct (2 NJPs) and Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (Viol. of UCMJ Articles 92 and 107). This administrative board was held on 8 February 2012.

***Enlisted Administrative
Board Results
1st Quarter 2012***

Navy E-1 went to an administrative board for Misconduct – Drug Abuse (oxycodone), no misconduct found. This administrative board was held on 13 February 2012.

Navy E-2 awarded Other Than Honorable Discharge for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (spice). This administrative board was held on 16 February 2012.

Navy E-5 awarded Other Than Honorable Discharge for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (spice). This administrative board was held on 17 February 2012.

Navy E-4 went to an administrative board for Misconduct – Civilian Conviction (DUI), misconduct was found but the board recommended retention. This administrative board was held on 27 February 2012.

Navy E-3 went to an administrative board for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (spice), no misconduct was found. This administrative board was held on 27 February 2012.

Navy E-3 awarded General Discharge for Misconduct – Commission of a Serious Offense (spice). This administrative board was held on 13 March 2012.

Navy E-5 awarded General Discharge for Misconduct – Drug Abuse (marijuana). This administrative board was held on 28 March 2012.

Navy E-6 awarded General Discharge for Misconduct – Drug Abuse (spice). This administrative board was held on 29 March 2012.

RESULTS OF TRIAL 1ST QUARTER 2012

Navy E-3 with 6 months of service, sentenced to 6 months confinement and reduction in rate to E-1 for larceny. This court was held on March 20, 2012.

Navy E-2 with 1 year of service, sentenced to a Bad Conduct Discharge, confinement for 7 months, reduction in rate to E-1, and forfeitures of \$900.00 per month for 7 months for wrongful use of controlled substance. This court was held on March 14, 2012.

Navy E-5 with 8 years and 6 months of service, sentenced to confinement for 120 days and reduction in rate to E-1 for larceny and false official statement. This court was held on March 12, 2012.

Navy E-5 with 5 years and 1 month of service, sentenced to a Bad Conduct Discharge and confinement for 13 months for sexual misconduct. This court was held on March 2, 2012.

Navy E-1 with 2 years and 6 months of service, sentenced to a Bad Conduct Discharge, confinement for 13 months, and \$386.00 fine for wrongfully disposing of military property and larceny. This court was held on February 29, 2012.

Navy E-4 with 3 years and 6 months of service, sentenced to a Dishonorable Discharge, confinement for 20 months, and reduction in rate to E-1 for aggravated sexual assault of a minor. This court was held on February 23, 2012.

Navy O-3 with 24 years and 3 months of service, sentenced to a reprimand for failure to obey a lawful order, wrongful possession of a controlled substance, and wrongful use of a controlled substance. This court was held on February 10, 2012.

Navy E-1 with 4 years and 7 months of service, sentenced to confinement for 4 months for insubordination towards a Petty Officer and wrongful use of a controlled substance. This court was held on January 31, 2012.

Navy E-6 with 12 years and 1 month of service, sentenced to a Dishonorable Discharge, confinement for 86 months, and reduction in rate to E-1 for wrongful possession of a controlled substance with the intent to distribute and wrongful import of a controlled substance into the US. This court was held on January 25, 2012.

Navy E-7 with 15 years and 5 months of service, sentenced to confinement for 9 months and reduction in rate to E-4 for violating a lawful general regulation, wrongful sexual contact, and contributing to the delinquency of a minor. This court was held on January 20, 2012.

Navy E-1 with 3 years and 3 months of service, sentenced to a Bad Conduct Discharge and confinement for 180 days for unauthorized absence. This court was held on January 20, 2012.

Navy E-3 with 3 years and 9 months of service, sentenced a Bad Conduct Discharge, confinement for 18 months, all forfeitures, and reduction in rate to E-1 for wrongfully receiving child pornography and attempting to wrongfully receive child pornography. This court was held on January 19, 2012.

Navy E-2 with 4 years and 9 months of service, sentenced to a Bad Conduct Discharge, reduction in rate to E-1, and confinement for 45 months for unauthorized absence, missing movement, violating a lawful general order, wrongful use of marijuana, assault, and breaking restriction. This court was held on January 18, 2012.

ACCESSING PUBLISHED COURT-MARTIAL RESULTS

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The new format for published court-martial results may be viewed at <http://www.cnic.navy.mil/cnrsw/>. If you cover "News and Current Info" with your mouse and then click on "Court Dockets," on the left will appear "Court-Martial Results." Results may be viewed by month and year, currently going back to Nov 2011.

OFFICER BOARD OF INQUIRY RESULTS 1ST QUARTER 2012

Officer Board of Inquiry Results 1st Quarter 2012

Navy O-4 was ordered to show cause for retention due to misconduct and substandard performance of duty: commission of a military or civilian offense, failure to obey order or regulation, false official statement, wrongful interference with an adverse administrative proceeding and failure to conform to prescribed standards of military department. Board members found misconduct but, recommended retention. The Board of Inquiry was held on 20 March 2012.

Navy O-5 was ordered to show cause for retention due to misconduct and substandard performance of duty: failure to obey order or regulation (fraternization) and failure to conform to prescribed standards of military department. Board members found misconduct but, recommended retention. The Board of Inquiry was held on 12 April 2012.

VICTIM AND WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

OPNAVINST 5800.7A requires every command to appoint a Victim Witness Assistance Coordinator (VWAC) in writing and ensure command personnel are educated on the rights of crime victims and witnesses. Please note that the VWAP program is a separate program from SAPR and FAP, with distinct requirements. RLSO SW provides monthly training for new VWACs.

Upcoming trainings:

*Monday, 23 July 2012
Monday, 22 October 2012
Tuesday, 22 January 2013*

Time: 1300

Location: Fleet and Family Support Center, NBSD, Bldg 259, Classroom 1

RSVP and/or Questions: Nya Ayala, (619) 556-0237, nya.ayala@navy.mil

Victim and Witness Assistance Program

WATERFRONT OUTREACH TRAINING

*Come join us at our Monthly Legal Officer Brown Bag Lunch/Discussion!
Hosted by COMNAVSURFPAC Legal and RLSO SW Command Services*

When: *Thursday, May 31, 1200-1300
Thursday, June 21, 1200-1300
Thursday, July 26, 1200-1300*

Where: *Naval Base San Diego (wet side), Waterfront Recreation Center (near Pier 2, across the street from the Base Theater). Blue and Gold Room.
What: *The HOTTEST legal topics of the day!**

Plus JAGS will be available to answer any and all legal questions. Tell us what issues you are facing so we can train on your specific topic. RSVP is appreciated but not required. Thank you for your support.

RSVP to LT Greg Young at ralph.g.young@navy.mil.

Waterfront Outreach Training

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TOPICS FOR FUTURE ISSUES

If you have a topic you'd like to see discussed in the next newsletter, please forward your request to Nya Ayala at nya.ayala@navy.mil.