Arizona Submarine Veterans Perch Base



2022 Annual Awards Banquet January 21, 2023



Program

Muster on Station
(No host cocktails – Silent Auction bids)

Welcome, Invocation (Base Commander, Chaplain)

Evening Meal Base Commander's Remarks

Membership Awards (Longevity, "Early Bird" Dues Drawing)

2022 "Sailor of the Year" Award

Holland Club Induction

Introduction of Guest Speaker (Base Commander)

Guest Speaker Vernon Clark

Results: <u>Silent Auction</u>

Tolling for the Boats – *January*

Remembrance, Departed Shipmates (Base Chaplain)

Closing Remarks – Benediction (Base Commander – Chaplain)

PERCH BASE COMMANDERS

Jim Newman	04/1995 - 02/1997
Frank Rumbaugh	02/1997 - 03/1999
Brian Thomason	03/1999 - 11/1999
Roger Cousin	11/1999 - 01/2001
Don Wanamaker	01/2001 - 04/2002
Dave Harnish	04/2002 - 04/2003
Glenn Herold	04/2003 - 03/2005
Tim Moore	03/2005 - 03/2007
Stan Reinhold	03/2007 - 03/2009
Jim Denzien	03/2009 - 03/2013
Howard Doyle	03/2013 - 03/2015
Chuck Emmett	03/2015 - 03/2017
Richard Kunze	03/2017 - 08/2017
Howard Doyle	08/2017 - 03/2021
George Woods	03/2021 Present

PAST COMMANDERS (1999 -

2021 - LIVING)

Roger Cousin rogercousin@hotmail.com Glen Herold Duke7@pcsurgeonaz.com Stan Reinhold sreinhold@cox.net **James Denzien** jimdenzien@gmail.com **Howard Doyle** d-hdoyle@msn.com **Charles Emmett** cremmett41@gmail.com

Life is Simple

...either you're qualified or you're not!



HOLLAND CLUB INDUCTEES 2023

Warner Howard Doyle Jr Franklin Hausen Governor C Joy John C Mosher Stanley N Reinhold

Robert E Saenz - (PB Hampton Roads - to be presented at 2023 convention)

PERCH BASE MEMBERS THAT HAVE PASSED IN 2022

Edward R Gonsowski:	01/07/22
Jack L Patterson:	01/14/22
Eugene V Crabb:	02/08/22
David A Metje:	07/14/22
Michael G Bennett (Dual Seattle)	08/14/22
Edward L Schaffer III:	10/01/22
Ronald J Zomok:	11/26/22
Michael Olsen:	12/08/22

The Officers and Members of the Arizona Submarine Veterans, Perch Base USSVI extends a warm welcome to our 2022 Annual Awards Banquet.

COMMANDER: **George Woods** VICE COMMANDER: **Carl Miner** PAST COMMANDER: **Howard Dovle** COB: Don Robertson TREASURER: Joe Trotter **SECRETARY:** Laura Luna **CHAPLAIN:** Jim Denzien **COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER:** Chris Gahan WEBMASTER: Dan Marks Chuck Luna **MEMBERSHIP:** STOREKEEPER: John Beckett **EVENTS COORDINATOR:** Dave Heighway **HISTORIAN:** Chuck Emmett

MENU

<u>Appetizers</u>

Swedish Meatballs, Sausage Stuffed Mushrooms, & Pinwheels
Salad

Spring mix served with ranch & Raspberry Vinaigrette dressing

Entrée (Selections)

Porter Ale Short Ribs Chicken Saltimbocca

Grilled Salmon with Dill Butter

<u>Vegetables</u>

Green Beans with bacon& onion Garlic & Rosemary Red Potatoes

Dessert

Black Forest Cake

Beverages

Water, Coffee, Hot & Iced Tea

VERNON CLARK

ADMIRAL, UNITED STATES NAVY Retired)



Admiral Clark completed a distinguished 37-year Navy career in 2005. His Navy experience spans his early days in destroyers, command of a Patrol Gunboat as a Lieutenant and conclusion in the halls of the Pentagon as the Chief of Naval Operations and a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. In between, he commanded three ships, two de-

stroyer squadrons, the Atlantic Fleet's Anti-Submarine Warfare Training Center, a Carrier Battle Group, the Second Fleet, NATO's Striking Fleet, and the U.S. Atlantic Fleet.

As CNO Admiral Clark was the first and only Service Chief to be extended in office under the Goldwater-Nichols framework and he became the second longest serving CNO in history. His number one priority was to "win the battle for people," by leading the Navy toward the development of a 21st century human capital strategy. The Admiral's solution involved new training concepts by adjusting the development and assignment processes within the Navy. The result was the best recruiting and retention in history. Finally, he forged an effort to build the Navy into an enterprise which would be able to compete in the 21st century marketplace leading to billions of dollars in savings for the taxpayers of the nation and the highest operational readiness the Navy had witnessed in decades.

Admiral Clark has received numerous military decorations for his service including three awards of the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, three Navy Distinguished Service Medals, and three awards of the Legion of Merit. Along with his Navy and Joint awards, he received Distinguished Service Medals from the United States Army, United States Air Force, the United States Coast Guard, and international awards from Germany, Italy, France, South Korea, Japan, Portugal, Singapore, and the Netherlands. Since his retirement he has been honored with the Eisenhower Award from the Business Executives of North America, the Distinguished Sea Service Award from the Naval Order of the United States, and the Distinguished Service Medal of the Military Order of the World Wars.

Admiral Clark earned his undergraduate degree from Evangel College in Springfield, Missouri, an MBA from the University of Arkansas and honorary doctorate degrees from the University of Toledo, Old Dominion University, Northwest University and Palm Beach Atlantic University.

Since retirement Admiral Clark has served on various boards in industry and education. He is also engaged in consulting in the national security arena and frequently lectures regarding our military and leadership. His service has included the boards of Rolls Royce North America, Stanford Research Institute International, Horizon Lines, the Armed Forces YMCA, the World Board of Governors of the USO, the trustee boards of Regent University and Vanguard University, the Board of Visitors at Air University, the Defense Policy Board, the advisory boards of Fleishman-Hillard, Computer Science Corporation, Northrop Grumman, WBB, the Comptroller General's Advisory Board of the GAO, as a senior advisor with Booz Allen Hamilton, the Executive Committee of Military Ministry, and Raytheon Company where he currently serves as the Lead Director. Admiral Clark and his wife, reside in Phoenix, Arizona.