

**OLD Reunion Hall Table for:
LORSTA Angaur**

On 02/01/08 mike dietrich said:

Tj Mackell, thanks for the info,very interested, will contact you if i confirm,are wives going,mine wants to go, regards Mike Dietrich EN3 67-68

On 01/17/08 Tj Mackell said:

I'm in the early stages of planning a reunion for mid-October 2008 to be held on Angaur. Contact me if interested at Tj_m@prodigy.net

On 06/23/07 Jon (vK) von Kessel, W4 said:

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On 03/31/07 Phil Platter said:

Were you ever stationed at LORSTA Carolina Beach? Checkout 'Reunion News' for 6/2/07 reunion

On 03/01/07 MONALIZA OLIVARI said:

LOOKING FOR ROBERT SWART PICTURES, WHO WAS IN ANGAUR IN 1963, THANKS. GOD BLESS YOU

On 02/22/07 Joe Dattoma said:

hi Mike & Frank How are you guys doing can't believe after all this time I am communicating with you sounds like everyone is doing well anyone ever here from steve rogers

On 02/20/07 mike dietrich said:

Havent checked freds place latly, glade to see some imput, YO MURPHY ,see your still alive,and Joe Dattoma I believe I may have a group picture of you and a girlfriend if I dont have you confussed with someone else,seems like she went by the name of Kathy??? I live in Rockport ,Tx 361-790-5007 if you would like to talk.I was the EN3 1967-68.I will start watching this site again,Regards all, Mike Dietrich.

On 02/17/07 Frank Murphy said:

Looking for Paul Simpson who was in Angaur with me in 1968.

On 12/02/06 Al Wood (Woody) said:

Just dropping by to see who new may have checked in. Browsed the pics from AJ Neal of the old station #3. Looks like it needs a group of squared away Coasties to give it a soogie and spit shine, Thanks for the pics AJ.

On 11/28/06 PAT HOLMES said:

I'M LOOKING FOR A FRIEND WHO WAS STATIONED ON THE ISL. I THINK IT WAS 65 66 WHEN MR SOLTYS WAS CO. MY FRIENDS NAME IS BILL WOOLERY. thanks

On 11/15/06 Virginia T. Moses said:

Hello Everyone! I am so excited about Joanne Henry finding her grandfather on this website..My name is Virginia Tinak Moses and my mother is Fumie Moses. I was born on 4/7/65 and I would like to find out about my father. On my birth certificate it shows someone by the lastname only of Rumer. I am wondering if there was anyone stationed around the time I was conceived on Angaur or knows of my mother dating anyone by this name or close to sounding like Rumer? Please help if you can..Thank you.

On 10/08/06 Allen J Neal said:

If anyone would like to read my ' Tales of Palau ' which are 25 short stories of my life on Angaur 1954-1955 just go to your 'search' and type in: aol campinginusa. Don't forget to put the space between aol and my e-mail address. A J Neal

On 10/03/06 joe dattoma said:

Hi to Joanne Henry and Valerie DelaCruz. I e-mailed you last week don't know if you rec'd it or not. thks to mike seagull who advd me you were looking for me. I see lots of names on board who I served with. JJsoltys's, wayne jiles who I was on the small boat with, M. dietrich,Possibly F. Murphy(If he was a tall Blonde haired fellow) hello- to all. to Ed LovVorn the fellow who died was Bob Alexander I spent what seemed like hrs giving him mouth to mouth all to no avail. He had a screwdriver sticking out of his back pocket blade end up hello to all

On 08/24/06 LCDR Mark Hudson said:

If anyone out there has, or know of someone who has old tech manuals and schematics for the AN/FPN-30 Timer, AN/FPN-T325 Transmitter, and the AN/FPN-1700 Amplifier, please let me know. It seems as this piece of history has been lost forever if we don't find a copy of it and get it into the right hands for preservation.

On 07/27/06 Rick Ross said:

I was on the CGC Buttonwood in 1960 when we built the water catchments on the Island. There was a typhoon on the way and we worked 24 hrs. a day to finish and get outta Dodge before the storm hit. Always wanted to go back to Angaur but never made it. Made a lot of trips to Palau on the Mallow from 70-73 but we always off loaded in Palau and LCM's took our cargo to Angaur.

On 06/01/06 Valerie DelaCruz said:

hello i guess no one can reply, but yet i'm still searching for my grandfather who was in angaur in 1966 somewhere there, he was a U.S. CoastGuard his name is Joseph Dattoma or Datoma not so sure,, but please i'm asking anyone who knows him please email me ASAP..(Helping my Mother Joann Henry whose mothers name is Lucia Henry from Angaur Palau)..Please, Please

On 04/16/06 bob schnell said:

how the hell am i ging to get a reunion on the east coast if you guy dont send your info.i have been dealing with this for over8 yrs. and only a hand full still keep in touch. you guys always ask about a list well im one of a very small no. that has one.

On 04/13/06 bob schnell said:

its time to start talking about a reunion on the east coast.(d.c. area) is anybody up for it?????? email me if your up to it.

On 01/19/06 carole holmes said:

i am working on the genealogy of my soon to be ex-husband john carl (pat) holmes uscg retired bmcs. in the early sixties somewhere between 1962 - 1967 he was stationed on the island of Palau. he had a daughter by the name of Patricia. i am trying to locate her mother Rosemary for birth and death information of our children's sister and any photos to include in the genealogy of Rosemary, Patricia and their family. as a coast guard wife of 32 years i loved the travel and the moving from station to station. the life of a coast guard wife was exciting and sadly missed by both of us after pat's retirement in 1989. he just grew unhappy and tried to find happiness somewhere else. as a married couple in 1972 we were stationed in sault ste. marie, michigan from 1972-1976; cape may, new jersey 1976-1978; block island, rhode island 1978-1980; st. louis, missouri 1980-1985 and the obion 1985 to pat's retirement in 1989. would love to hear from any of our old friends and i will forward emails to pat at his new residence in another state.

On 01/07/06 Richard LM said:

looking for any contacts for any team member Angaur, 1960-1961. I would appreciate to know anyone who might have known my DAD. I hear lots of good stories about how everyone left him alone for his temper, I was told he would sometimes go out fishing alone on the small station craft. My grandma mentioned once, he stood very tall and had a form of a football player, no wonder everyone left him alone. God Bless.

On 01/01/06 A J Neal said:

If anyone would like to see the sad shape of the LORAN station # 3 go to Epson photo center and in the 'visit photos' box type in TJ_M@prodigy.net. I had TJ post some of my latest pictures. A lot of Angaur photos are on the site also. Happy New Year! AJ

On 11/02/05 A J Neal said:

I just got back Nov. 1st, from 2 weeks in Koror/Angaur. Any questions just give me a shout.

On 10/14/05 Lt. Col. Richard Catlett said:

Changed my email address. If any of you have information concerning my cousin Tom Rutherford who was with the 81st, please contact me. Thanks

On 07/13/05 Mike Steagall said:

I Was there in 1966 and 1967. The Survivor Palau brought back a lot of memories. When are the reunions?

On 07/04/05 valerie henry dela cruz said:

hi my name is valerie dela cruz and i am helping my mother joanne henry who is now 36, trying to help her find her long lost father Joseph Datoma who was in angaur, palau in 1966. pls i am asking anyone out there who has any info about him pls send me an email. asap

On 04/20/05 Dan Smith said:

Watching Survivor Palau brings back memories of how beautiful it is and what a great year it was for me there. I was there in 74-75 as an ET3. I remember all the guys in Rolly (Doc's) message. I just talked to Bob Schnell and he told me about this website. JC Sowden, Bob Fultz, The Commish...if your out there drop me a line.

On 02/21/05 mike dietrich said:

Hi, was EN 3rd class Anguar 67-68 rotation Jan 3, what a place, i still collect seashells to this day, does anyone remember the station dogs Ralph and Red dog??? I have staff picture with entire crew and Palauan crew Danny cook, etc.....email me.

On 02/15/05 Allen J Neal said:

The TV program ' Survivor' is from a island in Palau starting Thur. Feb.17th. Probably one of the many small islands way north of Angaur. Should be interesting to see the islands again.

On 01/31/05 monaliza olivari said:

hello my name is monaliza olivari and i'm looking for some pictures of ROBERT SWART who was in Angaur in 1963, thank you. God bless you

On 12/03/04 uong yalap said:

hello! my name is Madelsar Y. Ngodrii I have a friend name uong yalap i'm sure you know him i'm using his e-mail address and we like to search for things on the internet when we found your name and you were from virginia we wanted to check it s sorry if we bothered you . thank you bye...

On 11/05/04 roly ednave said:

just want to say hello to old mates from angaur batch 74-75.was HM3 when i was there.fond memories of the island especially their delicacies,coconut crabs and fish.remember the bonnie crabs during fall moon,ET1 Gene Autry use them as golf balls.Serepin our utility boy with his lock and all.gabby and suz our laundymen,danny the asst cook to SS1 Bob Benner,Marc and his group of peace corps who drops bt the station once in a while for an american meal and a cold beer,How are you Hokie(MK3 Hokanson),3 tours at angaur.hi to SN madalena, ET3 smitty,Weston,MK3 vogel,Mr.Young our CO and Mr. O'brien,Chief Gaskill,MK1 simms,ron sealey,FA terry knapp,how about a reunion in Angaur to be footed by the first lotto winner in our group,haha.we'll, I became a 'lifer' and stayed 20 yrs,retired HSC and settled in the Philippines drinking beer and live by the beach just like old Angaur,of course with some extras on the side.Contact me if any of you happen to be in PI so I could show you around.wonder if the Eight Ball still standing there after all these years.Still have that px during the change of command of Mr. Young and Mr O'brien.

On 10/19/04 Al Wood (Woody) said:

Just dropped in again to see the new names and to read any new stories. Ben Manzano I recognize some of the names in your post. Mr Jorgenson was the CO while I was there. I also remember Peewee, I sold him my Honda 90 (Nice Bike, had almost cut off two of my fingers in the chain and sprocket). I think I remember an ET named Anderson amd wish I could remember the name of the Corpsman that saved my fingers with great skill. I think I recognize FN Hillary as probably my replacement. Anyone know what became of Cal (Callahan) SN turned FN? Cal was a great guy, who always talked about just living in flop houses in California when he got out. Man can't believe my memory has gone so much I can't remember the MK1 and the ET1 or electrician 1 that were the guys I worked and played with. I can see their faces but the names still escape me.. Hey I want to know what strange things were the ETs seeing in the timer rooms especially after midnight? I didn't see anything in the strange category on Anguar but did have a very strange encounter on Yap one night. Hey Connie S. I m sure my shipmates have told you plenty about Palau but if you didn't get a reply I would be glad to share what I know about it, just drop me a line. Smooth Sailing to All!

On 08/12/04 ET2 Ed LovVorn said:

So Wayne, you guys are the reason the old man would not let us take the boat out. I heard about the boat wreck. This is something finding out about something I heard about way back then. Do you know the name of the guy that was killed while working on the timers?

On 06/01/04 Wayne Jiles said:

Was on Anguar 66 - 67. Was EN3 at the time. Several of us took the station boat to Pelieu, got caught in the surf and the boat over turned. Took about three day to get back to the station. Had to wait for the 'Regina' to tow the boat back. And

for Joanne Henry who is looking for Joseph Datoma, I haven't heard a single word from any of the folks I was stationed with. I have met some folks who were stationed there after me.

On 05/10/04 CWO4 Jon 'vK' von Kessel said:

Made several DI (Electronics) inspections of Angaur while in district (eee) between 1971-72. Great place. Was on first USAF C-130 log flight to land there. They broke nearly all the eggs on the pallet, while they were trying to do a Vietnam in/out landing. For the guy who has Angaur confused with Ulithi, which was replaced with Yap for Loran-A when Loran-C went into effect in 1964 in the Far East, no, Angaur and Ulithi are not the same place.

On 04/19/04 Ben Manzano said:

Was stationed at Lorsta Angaur in 1972-1973. Remember Ltjg Jorgeson replaced by David Moore, MKC Anderson, HM2 Thompson, SS2 Rodriguez, ET1 Stanely, ET2 Anderson, MK1 Nick Baker, Peewee, FN Hillary, and some of the natives, Antina, Portia, Lorena, Danny, I also remember 'Garbage' the pup. Wayne Reynolds, I also remember you. Who would forget this island. It is a paradise island for a 19 year old. Worked half day and start ET watches in the afternoon, show movie and drive the truck to dump garbage and pick up and drop the natives for a movie at the station. What a place. It is a very memorable duty to me. Thanks for the memory.

On 03/06/04 f.w.&f.s. bob schnell said:

hello there this is your host bob i just noticed that my e-mail add. is and old one you can get me at sch52jas@aol.com for the one that didn't have my right one you can also find my phone # list on the site

On 01/07/04 Connie S. said:

Would love to hear more about Palau.

On 01/02/04 Wayne Reynolds said:

Was on Angaur 72-73, must have replaced Westy as RM. Loved the island, still have fond memories. Great finding this site, sorry I missed the reunion. TJ-are the pictures still on epon, didn't have any luck when I tried it. Good hearing about Ralph, but how about 'Garbage' the pup, anyone remember him.

On 12/10/03 Dee Taylor said:

Looking for Kenneth Peck. Went to Angaur around 1964-65 for temporary assignment from Guam. Think he's from Vermont.

On 11/15/03 Uong Yalap said:

do you to live in palau

On 11/02/03 Joanne Henry said:

Joanne Henry is looking for Joseph Datoma who was on Angaur in 1966. Can anyone help?

On 08/07/03 Gabe Shiverdecker said:

Alii, I stumbled across your sight here (appears to be all WWII) If your all needing updated info or photos of Palau maybe I can help. My brother-in law works at the powerplant Steve is talkin about, And my father in law is a chief there. I just got back to Kansas and my wife will be returning next week. If I can help out let me know.

On 06/12/03 Steve Trenchard said:

I visited angaur last summer. The jungle has taken the antenna field but the buildings are still there. These's a small power

plant built by the Palau government a couple years ago near where the fuel tank farm used to be. Angaur now has power 24/7 and you can call the island direct dial from here in the US. We were there for the full moon in July and the boonie crabs came out of the woods by the millions. My wife and daughter caught a bunch by hand, tore off their legs and carried them home to eat. A construction crew was in downtown angaur paving enough of the streets to quadruple your chances of getting run over by a speeding vehicle. The ocean and the reef are still beautiful and the island has a lot more big coconut trees. The Todi (lighthouse) has fifty years worth of grafitti(both palaun and coastie) on it but anyone who goes there will recognize somebody's name. There are some new monuments, the Japanese have put a new monument by black beach and there is a monument to the US Army Wildcat Division at the end of the airstrip on the opposite side from the Coast Guard station. It's still a good place to enjoy the tropical breezes, talk stories and have a few beers. Steve Trenchard '75

On 04/23/03 Dave Moore said:

Just looking to connect with others who had been to Angaur...I was there '71 & '72.

On 04/17/03 westy/sparky said:

radioman on Angaur june71 to june 72....doc? Gary? nugent? lackey? chief? Westy

On 03/06/03 weston lord said:

was 'sparky' on Angaur '71' anyone out there?

On 02/07/03 David Bober said:

Looked at all of the pictures that were posted on the epon site. They brought back a lot of old memories. I could almost smell the island again. Thanks

On 01/31/03 Tj Mackell said:

I just finished posting the photos of the reunion at <http://photo.epson.com> Enter my email address in the 'Visit albums' box and there are hundreds of photos there organized in folders. If anyone has photos they want to share you can email them to me or snail mail them to me. I am especially interested in getting more photos of the reunion taken by those who attended. Thanks

On 01/31/03 Ed LovVorn said:

I would like to know if anyone saw anything strange in the timer room, especially after midnight.

On 01/25/03 David Bober said:

Could not attend the reunion due a change of employment and therefore no vacation time and had to work on Saturday. Would like to hear the scuttlebutt on the reunion, the roster, pics, etc. I sure would have liked being there.

On 01/24/03 ET2 Ed LovVorn said:

ET2 Ed LovVorn Stationed on the LORAN sta to close it down. I rented a house down town for a case of beer. Do yall remember? Who was the short dude from New York? Was Buckmaster the 1st class? I remember Petiford, he went to Tokyo when we closed the station down. Who was the tall dude form Maine. Has anyone heard about the people on the Island. I remember Amy Salii and a few others but cant spell there names.

On 01/21/03 bob schnell said:

the reunion was great, tj you did great. i hope to get the esat coast one started up soon anyone that wahts in get a hold of me or call so i can get a head count (908)755 1847 or e mail me

On 01/20/03 ED said:

In case there are any survivors of the Angaur crew of 1945-46 still around, I want to update my e-mail address. Sorry I couldn't attend the reunion but I was thinking of you. TJ says the pictures I sent are now on the web. Enjoy.

On 12/20/02 Tj Mackell said:

ANGUAR REUNION UPDATE!! Hope everyone is ready for the Holidays and the Reunion. I know that a few of you getting this email are not going to be able to attend but there is info here you may want anyway. There is a slight change in plans, which should make things better for everyone. Rather than have the reunion on Coast Guard Island, I have arranged to have it at the hotel. Everything else is the same...same time...same date. At the moment, I have it set up for beer and wine, and soda. If there are people who want hard drinks, I will hire a Bartender, for a no-host bar for the hard stuff. PLEAAAAASE let me know ASAP, if you want a bartender. The menu is almost set, and will be heavy snacks...buffet style. I had patches made...one each to each paid attendee...extras will be \$4 each during the reunion...\$5 each if I have to mail it you. If you paid to attend and can't make it, I will mail your patch or patches to you along with the color photo (see next paragraph) and the mailing list (see below.) I am having 30 aerial color photos made...I figure 1 per family unit...extras will be downloadable from the Internet, as will other pictures, both of the station then and now? and of the reunion. I am also planning to hand out a mailing list with names, addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, dates served, ranks/rates..etc. If for whatever reason, you don't want to share...let me know...ASAP. This will go to the printer before the reunion. Aloha style attire is appropriate.....and encouraged! Please bring photos, scapbooks, slides, VCR tapes, etc.....let me know what you are bringing so I can try to have the AV support there. If you are flying into Oakland, the Hotel has a shuttle, call them 536-6633 when you get off the plane. There may be a courtesy phone, but at worst its only a local call. If you are driving, the Hotel is right at the end of the 16th street off ramp on I-880 southbound in Oakland. If you are coming from the south on 880, the easiest way is to go past the Hotel, exit at 5th Ave/Embarcadero and then loop back. There is a shorter way, but its hard to do. If you want to try it, call me and I will try to explain it. Availability of the Hotel group rate has been extended to Dec 27th! Happy Holidays and see you soon! Tj

On 11/30/02 Dan Osteros said:

Served on Anguar from March 1974 to March 1975 for Ltjr Obrien, Bob, Hokie, Ray, Marc (the peace corp guy)and a few others. I was a young ET3 and enjoy many fond memories of life on the island. What a place for a young man to learn about life. I'm sure others learned the same.

On 10/30/02 R.Jinneman said:

Served on LORSTA anguar from JULY 53 TO MAY 54. i WAS A MEMBER OF THE ORIGINAL CREW

On 10/27/02 Tj Mackell said:

If you can't get the link to work, simply go the Reunion Hall and look for Anguar.

On 10/27/02 Tj Mackell said:

The current link to our reunion plans are at http://www.fredsplace.org/reunion/rnews/010403_anguar.shtml. Please check it out and let me know soon if you plan to attend. Thanks

On 10/14/02 Rich Catlett said:

My cousin Thomas (Tom) Rutherford [from Gadsden, AI] was with the 81st Inf Divison when it launched an assault on this Anguar Island during WWII as the 1st, 5th and 7th Marine Divisions assaulted Peleliu. Tom has passed away but his family knows little of the battles Tom and the members of the 81st. Tom's brother who is 85 and I would appreciate hearing from any one who knew Tom or has information concerning the 81st actions in the Pacific who can fill us in. Thanks so

much. Richard W. Catlett, LTC, USA-Retired

On 09/26/02 Tj Mackell said:

Just a reminder to everyone, our reunion is going to be in January 2003. That's going to be here soon! Please make your reservations at the hotel (group rate) and the airlines and PLEASE let me know (send \$) so I can plan w/ the Caterer. About half of the people who have expressed an interest have actually sent me a check....spouses and kids (well behaved) are most welcome. About half of those who have confrimed are bringing a spouse. The link to all the info is: http://www.fredsplace.org/reunion/rnews/010403_anguar.shtml . I am looking forward to seeing everyone in Alameda in January.

On 08/31/02 bob schnell said:

im back on line again after being with out my comp. for over a month

On 08/26/02 Allen J. Neal said:

Anyone stationed on Anguar might like to read my ' Tales of Palau' and ' More Tales of Palau ' on Jacksjoint web site. I was stationed with the second group that replaced the original bunch in 1954-55. All the tales are true and some were'R' rated as lots of stuff was 'X' rated and didn't want to put it out to the public. Oh to be young again.

On 07/31/02 Al Wood said:

I was stationed on Anguar in 72 for four months, sent there from Yap where I had already served 8 months. I was sent to Anguar to replace a FN that had gone a little unstable (as I heard it). I was FNEN at the time. It was a great time on both islands, but have since learned so much about Anguar and Yap that I missed. I want to go back and take my wife one day so she can see the place that I have talked about so much. If anyone does go back make sure to go over to Peleliu, scene of one of the bloodiest battles of WWII.

On 07/25/02 david hays mkc ret said:

I was stationed on Anguar in 62-63,a lot of memories of that time.We almost lost our BMC, one time coming into the lagoon, from fishing, flipped the small boat over and the Chief drown, two of the coasties were on the beach and jumped in and saved the Chief, gave cpr and mouth to mouth rescue breathing. both men received gold life saving medals for their efforts.Painted the weapons carrier two tone grey, with twin exhaust stacks up by the cab.it was a sharp truck.we did a alot of crazy things on that station, i am sure as all did that was station there.Hope i never go back there,our co was otto kossman,we always kidded him about spelling his first name backwards was the same as forward. May God bless you all and smooth sailing into retirement.

On 07/24/02 Jack Soltys said:

Please let me know if anyone was on Anguar in 1966/1967.

On 07/08/02 Ray Sealey said:

I was Stationed on Anguar from July 1974 to July 1975. Ltjg Obrien and I beleive Ltjg Trenchard were the CO's during my tour. I remember several Coasties from Anguar but only noticed two names posted in the comments that I am sure I know. I remember Hokie very well and also remember Mark Brand from the peace corp. Does anyone know what became of Bob Calendar? I also remember that some of the best food I have ever eaten was served at LTJG Obriens rotation party.

On 07/02/02 Marc Brand said:

On 07/02/02 Marc Brand (bran@madison.k12.wi.us) said: Bob Great chatting with you the other day.. Let's keep in touch Marc (the Peace Corps guy from Anguar 6/73-6/75)

On 05/08/02 Steve Spesak (Speez) said:

Was on Anguar 69-70 ,ET3, Use to wear the fire suit when the plane landed. Painted the Island patch on the wall in the breeze way. I also cut a propeller blade off the B 25 bomber that was in the jungle on the side of the station, still have it. I remember all the name you have been talking about, Danny, Joe, Sus, Father John's Beach. Does anyone remember Charlie and Ralph the dogs? CO when I was there was LTJG Brown. I did here that the monkey had crapped on a visiting Admirals white. Is there any truth to that. I also remember that Ralph would kill a lot of craps during the full moon and they use to stink the next day. Any guys around from the 69-70 crew?

On 03/25/02 Ed Colby said:

If any of my shipmates on Anguar (1945-46)are still around, I sure would like to hear from them.

On 03/25/02 bob schnell said:

well so far we are going to have one hell of a party but i can sure use some help with the list if you can remember any name plesae get ahold of them and pass on the word.sofar i gotten help from a small group of guys but the more the better so lets make this the best party ever

On 03/21/02 bob said:

tank god it is happening i was begannig to worry if it would ever get off the ground thaks to all who are helping with this great job it will take place. also a big thanks to tj mack.gods speed to you &yours

On 03/17/02 T J Mackell said:

Attention all Hands!! See our 2003 reunion details on the Reunion News Page.

On 02/27/02 bob schnell said:

tanks to all you guys for helping with getting name together. can't wait to meet all hands. the list is starting to grow by 1or2 a day keep the names coming

On 01/16/02 bob said:

where the hell is everybody you guys where so into a reunion but no one is getting back to me yet if you guys what to do this we got to get the ballrolling now.so let me know whats up.....

On 01/06/02 bob schnell said:

all hands standby for reunion news need to hear from all wh o want to go to reunion in order to get a head count. e-mailme or call (908)7551847

On 01/04/02 bob schnell said:

take note my e-mail add issch52jas@aol.com dont send to my old add until i get it taken care of my on line problems

On 12/21/01 TJ Mackell said:

Holiday Greetings from California. As some of you know, last March I posted a note on Fred's Place suggesting that the 25th anniversary of the decommissioning of the Anguar Loran Station would be a good time for a reunion. I'm sure most of you have the Anguar Re-union Hall bookmarked, but in case you don't, here is the link:

<http://www.fredsplace.org/reunion/d14/0130.shtml>.

In addition to the subsequent posts that appear on Fred's Place, I got jerry302@comcast.net four other people who are interested. There are 20 some people on this email distribution list, including everyone who has posted in the Anguar

reunion hall.

Jan 8th 2003 is going to get here faster than we think, and its time to get serious about getting this organized. I met with Russ Buckmaster in Anchorage and Charlie Barber in Kodiak Alaska last winter and we gave some thought to have a organization meeting somewhere this winter to get going. However, we are spread out all over the place: Cape Cod, NJ, Northern VA, Guam, Hawaii, Whidbey Is., Guam, Koror...you get the idea.

I am sure all of us have busy lives, and mine got a lot busier after 9/11. I think we need some sort of committee to get this going. Mostly we need people with the time and resources to find other crewmembers. I was thinking the former XO's probably have the best network and I think there are at least two former XO's on this list.

Bob Schnell in NJ has volunteered to 'take the bull by the horns' to use his phrase. Red Swords in Koror has volunteered to provide any local knowledge needed. Anyone who is willing to help organize this should contact me or Bob at sch52jas@aol.com I am up for PCS assignment this summer, and possible retirement, so any help will be most welcome.

I hope all of you have a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year. Tj Mackell

p.s. I got several mail delivery failures on the email version of this.

On 11/12/01 David Bober said:

Was stationed on Anguar 1972-1973. I too still talk to my friends of that beautiful piece of paradise. I'm thinking now of Ralph the old station dog, Danny, 'Sus, Father John, the boony hut, too much to put down. Hokie, been looking for ya. Drop me an e-mail. Also anyone else that was there 72-73. Would like to hear from you.

On 08/20/01 Pat Holmes said:

8/20/BMCSret PAT HOLMES I was on the Isl. during the rebuilding of the sta. I was part of the sta. crew. I spent 18 Mo. on the Isl. I was lucky and got a six Mo. extension I rember Jesus, Danny, Rosemary (jesus's daughter), Grace from KOROR (related to Danny), Bill Woolery, Stanley the monkey, Susies Store. I remember it all like it was yesterday. If anyone has any info on the people I mentioned I would love to hear from them. Thanks Pat

On 05/13/01 Ray Wells said:

Was on Anguar many times as M&R Det. '59 thru '61 from Guam. Fathered my daughter and we are happily re-united. Went back in the middle 60's to build the new station and tower. My building to build was the mess hall and one cystem. We built our quarters behind the site of the station. We hired the Palauans to work for us, and bought sand from the village chief for concrete and mortar. Station was started I believe in Oct. of '65 and completed in Aug. of 66. Memory is fading so don't hold me to that. We worked 10-12 hours days 7 days a week, but did get a half day off the 4th of July. Drank a lot of beers, chewed beetle nut and got crazy on JJ. Many fond memories. Love to hear from anyone of that was stationed there....

On 05/02/01 buckmaster said:

on5/1/01 buckmaster coastie@acsalaska.net; i was stationed on anguar 76 77. i remember you red. i married the nurse from there adelina otei. will attend. have been back a couple of times since i left there.

On 04/23/01 redman said:

Hello out there a reunion sounds like fun. I am a coast guard left over living on Angaur. can provide upto date info on transportation, housing and any local data needed. Angaur lorsta 1975 - 76

On 04/22/01 bob schnell said:

I like the the reuion plans lets get together on this and get the ball rolling

On 03/26/01 Felisa said:

TJ,just got back from Palau. Sec. of Ed. position was tempting but I forego the offer since my son has one more year in college. Further, my current boss did not accept my resignation. Your idea about re-union at LORSTA Angaur is great. Good luck P.S. Frank Murphy is my brother-in- law. Felisa

On 03/25/01 TJ Mackell said:

Greetings: Jan 8th 2003 will mark the 25th anniversary of the closing of LORSTA Angaur. It seems like a suitable time for a re-union. I am trying to find out how much interest there is in having a re-union at the old LORSTA on that date. My guess is that we could get a block of rooms at a hotel in Koror and charter a boat to take us over for the day. I have no idea about a cost, but I would guess that \$4000 per person would be more than enough. If interested drop me a note at Tj_M@prodigy.net. I am not asking for a committment, just interest. Thanks

On 11/11/00 bob schnell said:

hello brothers

On 09/23/00 Allen J Neal said:

I'm loking for a old friend that was stationed on Angaur with me in 54-55.His name is Konstany Kulig,he was a DC1 at the time.His hometown was Buffalo,NY I believe.

On 09/03/00 Space Owl said:

Red de Mac recieved your email lost address.pressed wrong butten.

On 07/22/00 Frank Murphy said:

Hello, My name is Frank Murphy (Sparks) 1967-68. My wife is Marina - a daughter of Masao Gulibert - Masao owns the Green Pine Store that we went for beer when the station ran out. I have returned to Angaur many times over the years. I was just there the weekend of 7-16-00. The Coast Guard Station is really grown up now. They are building a power plant in the grown up field where we used to play ball located in front of what had been Quanset Huts prior to my time and very near Red Beach. Masao is very old and sick - not expected to make it much longer. I have a brother-in-law - Steven Swords - who was an ET there in '77 amd '78. I was just at his home in Koror. He is an Engineer and in private practice there. His wife is Faith - another daughter of Masao. He is now more Palauan than American. Great guy. I live in Florida. Marina and I were married in the church on Angaur. I welcome contact from anyone with memories of Palau.

On 05/20/00 al ferioi said:

Hi, Anyone for beetlenut? Was on Palau Aug. '63 - Aug. '64. It was like a paradise for a young Coastie to be stationed in. Was a Seaman BM Striker while stationed there. Many nites fought off the monkeys while walking from the village back to the station. Many a good time at the Boonie Hut. Would like to hear from anyone there during that era. Does anyone remember Lou?

On 05/18/00 Jim Welsh said:

I was at Guam COMARSEC awaiting further assignment in 1966 when a yeoman in personnel, who happened to be from

my home town, sought me out. He said, 'Kid, I'm gonna do you a big favor,' and handed me orders to Anguar (on my service record, it's officially referred to as 'Lorsta Palau'). Was there till April 1967. Man, you talk about Paradise! We worked hard and we played hard. I got island fever and have never been the same since. Anybody out there ever think about taking a trip back over to see what the islands are like now?

On 05/13/00 bob schnell said:

any time you guys have any body you would like to find that is from angaur just e-mail me

On 05/06/00 Don Carlson said:

Does anyone remember an ET at Anguar named Autery?

On 04/23/00 Lars Roose said:

Hi Bob!

On 04/23/00 bob said:

hello sparks

On 02/07/00 Joe MacDonld said:

Where are all the screwy louie players?

On 02/01/00 Phill MENDEL said:

I was on Anguar for the closing ceremonies when the station was decommissioned and turned over to the Palau Government. Was on the last flight back to Guam. We all boarded and made the flight with mixed emotions - sorry to leave such a wonderful site in Paradise, but glad to get back to the 'big city' of Agana, and on to Honolulu. Took publicity photos for the Pacific Shield, since I lived in Guam, but did my active duty at the District 14 Public Affairs Office.

On 01/03/00 Allen J Neal said:

I was stationed on Anguar 1954-1955.What great duty for a 20 year old from IA.I would have paid the CG if I had only known how much off duty fun there was to be had.

On 01/01/00 bob schnell said:

happy new year & keep telling the rest of the old salts about our hall

On 07/25/99 Russell Gaskill said:

At Anguar 75-76. With O'Brien Lt.JG CO

On 05/04/99 bob schnell said:

did anybody get any e-mail about the dump we used out by the air strip?

On 05/02/99 Tom Zeitz ET2 said:

This listing has me abit confused. I was on LORSTA PALAU, it was on the island of Angar in the Palauian Chain of the Western Caroline Islands. We all called it Palau. I was on it from about 57 to 58

On 04/13/99 Bruce Sheils said:

Was on Anguar(May 58)as SN(HM Sch bilge-out)& HMC 'Doc'Montette left on same HF I came in on(he was 6 mo O'due fr rotation).Later TR to Falalop(Ulithi Atoll(Sep 58)& HM there pulled same drill.Still have Big Glossies a Navy PH1 took

of ceremonies'at Ulithi.

On 02/22/99 Tom Zeitz said:

Enjoyed a great year of my youth on the station, Tom Zeitz ET1

On 12/17/98 JON von KESSEL, CWO4, RET said:

Made several DI (Electronics) inspections of Angaur while in district (eee) between 1971-72. Great place. Was on first USAF C-130 log flight to land there. They broke nearly all the eggs on the pallet, while they were trying to do a Vietnam in/out landing. For the guy who has Angaur confused with Ulithi, which was replaced with Yap for Loran-A when Loran-C went into effect in 1964 in the Far East, no, Angaur and Ulithi are not the same place.

On 11/25/98 bob schnell 73-74 said:

i'm looking for a old shipmate by the name of william wells (not to sure about the last name) he was on board in the 60's

On 11/18/98 Warren C. Duthie said:

New E-Mil Address -- Home: Woodbridge VA -- (703) 494-0844

On 11/15/98 Sandra Wells said:

I am looking for William R. Wells (spelling) or anyone who might know this man. He served in Angaur in the 1960's. He was called 'chief'. Last contact with my family was in 1973-1974. Please forward message to him if anyone out there knows his whereabouts. Thank you. Sandra Wells & Humiko Tokaski

On 07/13/98 BOB SCHNELL said:

BOB SCHNELL SCH52JAS@AOL.COM I WAS STATIONED THERE IN 73-74 LOOKING FOR ANY OLD MATES STILL ABOARD AND FLOATING. ALSO ANGAUR WAS NEVER CALLED ULITHI. BUT IT WAS ANOTHER ISLAND OFF THE SAME LORAN CHAIN. ALOHA HOKIE

On 07/13/98 B. SCHNELL said:

looking for D. MEAD D14 USCG.MIL

On 11/23/97 Ed Colby said:

I was with the first crew that landed, established and manned this station in 1945-46 (CG Unit #346). I would like to hear from any of my shipmates that are still around.

On 01/01/97 Bradley Hokanson (Hokie) said:

I was stationed on Angaur in 72-73 and 74-75. Would like to hear from any "shipmates".

On 12/31/96 Warren C. Duthie said:

After over 30 years my memory is fading. I believe Angaur was also known as Ulithi on the W. Caroline island of Fallop (sp?). Please anyone clarify. Did my tour there in 60-61 as ET3.

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