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AFCEA LUNCHEON

Featured Speaker:



**Terry Halvorsen
Deputy Commander
Navy Cyber Forces**

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LUNCHEON ANNOUNCEMENT

Date: Tuesday, March 9, 2010
Time: 11:30 a.m.- sign in and ticket purchase
11:45 a.m.- program begins

Please Note Location change below

**SpringHill Suites Norfolk Virginia Beach
6350 Newtown Rd,
Norfolk, Virginia 23502**

Cost:

Members/Non-Members: \$25.00: Uniform: \$22.00*
* Military members that sign up and arrive early may be eligible for a sponsored table 'free' lunch. The sponsored table program is geared to support and show appreciation to our active duty military members.

Reservations:

Call: Tim Harschutz at 757.897.6362
Email: reservations@afceahamptonroads.org
NLT noon Friday, March 5, 2010

Save Time:

Register and pay online!!
Log onto: <http://www.afceahamptonroads.org/>
Please sign up early. If you sign up to come to the luncheon but later find you can't attend, call to let us know. Otherwise, we will expect you to pay for your meal.



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Presidents Corner

Welcome to one of the snowiest winters that I can recall! Hurry spring!!!

Of special note: The 2010 Tidewater Science Fair is scheduled for Saturday, March 13th at ODU's Webb Center. This event offers students from public and private schools from Williamsburg to Chesapeake to Virginia Beach, the opportunity to advance from school and district science fairs to a regional competition. Our winning students then have the chance to advance to state and national level science fairs.

We are soliciting funds to support the Tidewater Science Fair. As you may or may not be aware, the Tidewater Science Congress is *not* supported by public funds and must raise \$15,000 per year to cover the costs of staging the science fair. The HR Chapter has contributed every year since 2004 and I ask each member to consider personal and/or corporate donations to support the Science Fair. The contact information is: Education and Scholarship Committee, scholarships@afceahamptonroads.org.

Our membership was treated to hearing from the top leadership in Hampton Roads; Admiral J.C. Harvey Jr., Commander, U.S. Fleet Forces Command. ADM Harvey spoke to us of the "Ready Fleet. Global Reach" of our Navy. He presented the Haiti Earthquake Response Chronology, beginning with the USS CARL VINSON / USS BATAAN ARG to the sea base that is now built to support the efforts in Haiti. He spoke of the work by USNS COMFORT, USNS 1st LT Jack Lummus, the ships that support the Navy Logistics over the shore (NLOTS), and the logistics hub in Guantanamo Bay. We now know and understand the significance of the Navy's response and its sustainment of our ships and sailors in support of Haiti operations. After the presentation and discussion, several members were ready to join the service again.

Mr. Terry Halvorsen is our guest speaker for this Tuesday, 9 March. He is Deputy Commander, Navy Cyber Forces and a respected leader in the Information Dominance community. He was recently selected as part of the

Federal 100, representing the top IT Executives. He'll discuss the NETWARCOM/CYBER FORCES reorganization, the mission and where CYBER FORCES COMMAND fits into the overall Navy mission. We are delighted to get the information from the top leadership.

Our updated speaker list is:

- 13 April Mr. Chris Miller, Technical Director, SPAWAR Atlantic - INVITED
- 11-12-13 MAY NO LUNCHEON DUE TO JOINT WARFIGHTING CONFERENCE**
- 08 June Mr. Mark Kosnik, ED, Navy Expeditionary Combat Command - invited
- 13 July Mr. Rob Carey, Department of the Navy, CIO – confirmed

If you have suggestions on future guest speakers, please send an email to Tim Harschutz at vpprograms@afceahamptonroads.org or tim.harschutz@unisys.com or contact any board member. I know several of you have come forward with speaker suggestions or have offered to be the guest speaker! Thank you.

Do you know someone that needs a scholarship? Our Chapter plans to award/renew ten \$2,500 scholarships to students from the Hampton Roads area. **Your son or daughter, perhaps?** We plan to award scholarships to those enrolled for the 2010/2011 academic year as full-time students in a course of study at an accredited four-year college or university leading to a Bachelor's degree in one of the Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) disciplines that will prepare the student for a professional career supporting AFCEA's focus on military communications, electronics, information technology, and intelligence systems. Check out the Scholarship tab on our website, contact our Chairman, Education and Scholarship Committee, Ms Mary Yager at (757) 389-4848 or email scholarships@afceahamptonroads.org. Good luck! Deadline is April 15, 2010.



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Admiral John C. Harvey, Jr., Commander, U.S. Fleet Forces Command described the relief efforts provided by the Navy to Haiti following the January earthquake.



What's in it for the Small Business?

Business.gov

Here's a valuable website that supports the Small Business owner, or prospective new Small Business Owner. Business.gov is sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration to provide access to federal, state, and local government resources from a single access point.

Do you have questions? This community has answers. Discuss, share and gain insight from your fellow business owners as well as industry and government experts. Find the information you need to start, grow and run your business. You'll find Small Business Events, Expert Insight and News, Tools and Resources and you'll be able to better

serve your small business community by providing and sharing your expertise, experience and success stories.

Visit <http://www.business.gov> today! What are you waiting for, it's FREE!

Small Business Corporate Table Sponsorship

The Small Business committee is promoting a Corporate Table Sponsorship at the Monthly Luncheons. Have you given consideration to sponsoring a corporate table, but found the entire price to be too consuming? We would like to offer Small Business firms the opportunity to split the annual cost of \$2000, for a one year obligation. This would include two seats at the table, a company logo sign displayed on the table, and a one slide presentation included in our scrolling marquee (played during the networking social before each luncheon).

AFCEA International Small Business Toolkit Series for MARCH 2010

Doing Business with the U.S. State Department

Guest Speaker: Ms. Trish Culbreth, U.S. State Department

Tuesday, March 23, 2010 at 2:00 pm EST
AFCEA International Headquarters, Fairfax, VA

Join us for this informative presentation by guest speaker, Ms. Trish Culbreth, Small Business Representative from the U.S. Department of State who will speak on the specifics of doing business with her agency and provide tips on marketing your small business to federal government agencies in general. This offering is expected to last approximately an hour. Ample opportunity will be provided for Q&A. The presentation will be followed by a short informal networking session.

More information on the U.S. State Department's Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization (OSDBU) is available at <http://www.state.gov/m/a/sdbu/index.htm>.



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Space is limited. Reservations are required. Please contact Dawn Falsinotti no later than March 19, 2010 via dfalsinotti@afcea.org or at 703-631-6190 to reserve your spot.

Would you like to join the AFCEA International Small Business mailing list?

To receive prior notification of upcoming events via email, please send your name, email, and company name using this link:

<https://www.afcea.org/dynform/forminp.jsp?fid=1809>

AFCEA Hampton Roads Point of Contact

For more information on any of the above information, or to submit your Small Business brochures, please contact Larry Minnick, Small Business Committee Chairman, AFCEA Hampton Roads Chapter, at smallbusiness@afceahamptonroads.org, or (732) 546-5964.

Small Business Spotlight For March 2010



The clear and concise choice for your business needs.

This month the Small Business Spotlight is on CYRUS Acquisition Technologies, headquartered in Virginia Beach, Virginia. CYRUS is Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business, certified through The Center for Veterans Enterprise. CYRUS Acquisition Technologies provides technical solutions in the following areas: Information Technology Services, Infrastructure Support Services (Data & Service Center Operations, Network Operations Center Support, Desktop Support and Administration, Telecommunications, Database Administration), Information System Security Solutions, Technical Management, Managed & Focused Security Services, Professional Engineering Services, Acquisition

Lifecycle Management, and Professional Consulting Services.

The vision with which CYRUS Acquisition Technologies was founded is that of a firm that offers a highly dynamic, yet stable and supportive, professional environment for our staff while providing the highest quality professional services to our customers in both the private and public sectors. In pursuit of this vision we have established two central principles as the foundation of our corporate culture and our project performance. These principles not only have defined CYRUS Acquisition Technologies, but also have significantly affected our consistent growth throughout our history.

CYRUS is distinguished from others in the same business by their unwavering commitment to the satisfaction and success of each and every customer. They stand behind their work and their record of achievement. The combination of in-depth industry knowledge, technology expertise, project teams, client-centered approach, and turnkey technical methodology has helped their clients reach new levels of success.

Please contact CYRUS for further information regarding the support they can provide.

Table Sponsorships!

Corporate Table sponsorships are available for the AFCEA Hampton Roads Chapter monthly luncheons! With each sponsorship it allows up to four military personnel the ability to attend AFCEA lunches at no charge. Want to be a part of this effort to support our local military personnel, and government civilian personnel to attend AFCEA lunches? Small businesses are encouraged to team together and participate!

Your logo is prominently displayed. For complete details contact: Tim Harschutz at tim.harschutz@unisys.com.



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AFCEA HR Chapter's Education/Scholarship News

Please note! In the December newsletter, the date of the Tidewater Science Fair was incorrect. The correct date is Saturday, March 13, 2010. The Tidewater Science Congress still needs your financial support of the Tidewater Science Fair. They have raised just enough to cover most of the costs of this year's fair but have no money to get next year's fair started. If you have not given, please consider a corporate or personal donation. Please read more details below.

Special News! AFCEA Educational Foundation is sponsoring an AFCEA National Middle School Science Fair this year for science projects related to the communications, intelligence or information systems fields selected from science fairs nationwide. Our Chapter will nominate our Junior Division 1st Place Winner. The Grand Prize winner and the First Honorable Mention winner both are eligible to attend Space Camp in Huntsville, Alabama, during summer 2010.

The 2010-2011 Scholarship Application is on Chapter website! We are in the process of getting the word out. Please help us by informing co-workers, friends, etc. who have college age children. Remember, that it is open to college students continuing their education as well as high school seniors. We will also need volunteers to sit on the selection board. If you are interested, please contact Mary Yager.

Please see the below synopsis for more information on these programs. There is always room for more help on our committee. If you desire to volunteer, please contact me,

Mary Yager at (757) 389-4848 or email me at scholarships@afceahamptonroads.org.

Scholarships

We have posted the 2010-2011 Scholarship application on the chapter web site. The Scholarship budget has been increased to award/renew ten \$2,500 scholarships for the 2010/2011 school year. Please help us get the word out to graduating seniors, college students continuing their studies, and teachers or guidance counselors in the local schools. The Chapter awards \$2,500 scholarships each year to undergraduates at 4-year colleges/universities pursuing a course of study leading to a Bachelors degree in a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) discipline that supports AFCEA's focus on technology. Please check the Scholarship tab at the Chapter website or contact Mary Yager at (757) 389-4848 or email me at scholarships@afceahamptonroads.org for more information.

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Our Chapter will also provide \$900 in prize money to 1st Place (\$200), 2nd Place (\$150), and 3rd Place (\$100) winners in both the junior and senior Science Fair divisions. After the Tidewater Science Fair, the Chapter will enter the 1st Place Senior Division winner in the AFCEA International Education Foundation's National High School Science Fair and the 1st Place Junior Division winner in the AFCEA



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International Education Foundation's National Middle School Science Fair.

For further information on supporting the Science Fair with a personal or corporate donation, check the Scholarship tab at the Chapter website or contact the AFCEA HR Science Fair Deputy, John Oakes by e-mail to john.oakes@1970.usna.com or by telephone at (757) 748-8560.

NJROTC Leadership Awards

To demonstrate support for the Naval Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (NJROTC) program in Hampton Roads, AFCEA Hampton Roads Chapter, established the NJROTC Leadership Awards Program. The goal of the program is to provide Hampton Roads NJROTC units with a means of publicly recognizing cadets who have distinguished themselves through a combination of superior academic performance, commitment in word and deed to the mission and goals of the NJROTC program, and demonstrated leadership potential within the NJROTC unit, the school, and the broader local community. More information will be forthcoming on this program.



GOLF TOURNAMENT INFO

September 9, 2010
21st Annual Golf Tournament
Bide-A-Wee Golf Course

All Proceeds Benefit Chapter Education Fund

Go to: www.hamptonroadsafcea.org

Click on: "Golf Tournament" under "Events" on the Menu Bar

New features this year:

- Many **new options** added to the **pay-by-credit-card page**
- **Special recognition** planned for sponsors making check- or credit card **donations early**

Contacts:

- Email: golf@afceahamptonroads.org
- Dave Johnson (757 526-8482/(C) 757 615-5441)
- Palmer Sims (757 641-4701)



AFCEAN OF THE MONTH AWARD

- (1) MILITARY
- (1) CIVILIAN/INDUSTRY

Nominate a Military and/or a Civilian/Industry professional who exemplifies leadership and expertise in their careers that furthers our AFCEA goals in the Hampton Roads area and beyond. The nominated individual should have a background in one of the C4I areas to include: command and control, communications and networks, programming, knowledge management, imagery, electronics, intelligence, surveillance, reconnaissance and air traffic control systems.

Email nominations or any questions to frank.kleen@alliedtech.com or awards@afceahamptonroads.org.



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Dave Johnson (l), of Suss Consulting, Inc., was recognized as the AFCEAN of the Month for February 2010. Frank Kleen (r), Awards Committee chairman, made the presentation. The award recognizes Johnson's leadership of the Golf Committee and his outstanding results he achieved this year. The committee set a new record for their contribution to the chapter's scholarship fund.

BIO – Terry Halvorsen

Mr. Terry Halvorsen, a native of Trainer, Pa., graduated with honors from Widener University with a degree in History. Mr. Halvorsen was commissioned a Regular Army second lieutenant in May 1980. He was a distinguished military graduate and a George C. Marshall award winner.

Following graduation and commissioning, he attended Army Officer Basic Course and the Intelligence Officer Course. His first assignment was as Executive/Operations Officer Army Intelligence Detachment Pensacola, supporting the Army's training with the Navy at Hulbert Field. During this tour Mr. Halvorsen attended various special operations courses and obtained a Master's Degree in Educational Technology from the University of West Florida.

Mr. Halvorsen's active and reserve tours include: Commander, Intelligence Security Detachment Combat Support Coordination Team 1; Republic of Korea; Operations Officer Directorate of Security Fort Benning; Commander HHC 361st Civil Affairs Brigade (CAB); Intelligence Officer 361st CAB and Executive Assistant

Commanding General 350th CA Command. Mr. Halvorsen was recalled to active duty numerous times in support of Operation Just Cause, Desert Storm and Joint Task Forces in Central and South America.

Mr. Halvorsen entered Federal Civil Service in 1985 as the Curriculum Instructional Standards Officer for Navy Cryptology Training, Corry Station Pensacola, Fla. He has held numerous positions in the training community to include Deputy for C4I Training, Director Training Policy and Standards, and Director of Assessment where he was one of the principal architects of the Navy's Training reengineering efforts.

Mr. Halvorsen was personally selected for the CNO-directed Executive Review of Navy Training (ERNT). This was a comprehensive review of all aspects of Navy training resulting in the Navy's Revolution in Training to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of Navy training. At the conclusion of the ERNT project Mr. Halvorsen was selected as the Director of Task Force Excel Atlantic, charged with accelerating the revolution in Navy training. Beginning in January 2003 with the establishment of Naval Personnel Development Command (NPDC), Mr. Halvorsen served as the Executive Director for NPDC, Norfolk, Va., and the Manpower, Personnel, Training and Education (MPT&E) CIO (Chief Information Officer). In February, 2006 Mr. Halvorsen was designated Acting Executive Director, Naval Education and Training Command (NETC)/MPT&E Echelon II. Mr. Halvorsen officially reported as deputy commander, Naval Network Warfare Command in October 2006. On January 26, 2010, with the establishment of Navy Cyber Forces, he became the Deputy Commander Navy Cyber Forces.

Mr. Halvorsen's personal awards include the, Superior Civilian Service, Meritorious Civilian Service, Legion of Merit, and Meritorious Service Medal. He is a Rotary International Paul Harris Fellow, and an Excellence in Government Leadership Fellow.



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AFCEA Hampton Roads Chapter Membership News

Currently there are 471 members active in the chapter. Please inform your co-workers of the benefits and advantages of AFCEA membership. For more information regarding obtaining membership or questions in general, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Alfred Broderick, AFCEA HR Chapter – Chair of Membership, at (757) 271-3570 or via email at members@afceahamptonroads.org.

Membership Corner News-Announcement(s)

Thank you all for maintaining your membership throughout the year and stay tuned for upcoming events at our monthly meetings. Don't hesitate to call or email for information, should you have any questions.

Please visit our website for upcoming membership recruitment information. Thanks for your assistance and cooperation as the chapter grows, we can provide enhanced benefits to our local members and community.

Please contact membership regarding small business sponsorship of corporate tables at the monthly luncheon meetings. We are gladly offering small business table sponsoring with logos on the tabletop at various levels, 1 corporate - 1 military, 2 corporate - 2 military, etc.

Look forward to hearing from AFCEA HR membership at your monthly luncheons for monthly AFCEA anniversary recognition for reaching the 5, 10, 15 years and so on regarding obtainment of AFCEA organization service levels. See list for members achieving their longevity anniversary. Please come out and be recognized by industry peers. Also, for expiring individual and corporate memberships, you will also receive an email to remind you to go online and renew your membership.

Advantages of AFCEA membership

- 28,000 individual members and 12,000 corporate associates from government, military and industry

- Over 1,000 Corporate Sponsors, representing leading producers, manufacturers and users of communications, electronics, intelligence and information systems
- Worldwide chapter network (over 130 chapters), providing local meetings for dialogue on common issues and problems through tours, exhibits, speakers, and technical seminars
- Technical books and monographs · Government-directed studies on leading-edge issues
- Comprehensive agenda of conferences and symposia for the discussion of policy issues
- Renowned expositions showcasing state-of-the-art communications, electronics and information systems technologies
- Technical panels, tutorials and seminars · Educational enrichment opportunities
- Career development courses
- Career planning services

For those members whose memberships for expiring this upcoming month, please renew your membership online or via mail. A reminder and notification of your expiring membership will be sent to your email of record. If you are a corporate member associate, please remind your corporate representative to renew the corporate membership and so your membership will also be renewed.

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Any questions or input for this publication should be sent to Kathy O'Neill EMAIL: Newsletter@afceahamptonroads.org
