

Shore Ties

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Comments from the CO



Hello HARRIET LANE friends and family. Well another great patrol has come to an end and I know the crew is very excited to be back home. Sixty-seven days is a long time to be away from family and friends. Although the patrol was long, I am extremely proud of all that was accomplished. We chased a few vessels, conducted some helicopter operations, overcame some engineering casualties and conducted a lot of training. We were also fortunate enough to work side by side with the Coast Guard and Naval forces of Colombia, Panama and the Netherlands Antilles. But of course it wasn't all work; the crew got to enjoy a few port calls along the way including Puerto Limon, Cartagena and Curacao. As always, none of this would be possible without the love and support from family and friends; so again let me say 'Thank You' for being there for each and every HARRIET LANE crewmember. I still can't believe how lucky I am to be a part of this Fine Crew! We will see you all soon.



A.R. Wasserman
Commanding Officer
USCGC HARRIET LANE

A Brief with the XO

Friends and Family of CGC HARRIET LANE –

I had the unique opportunity to deploy with your loved ones during the second half of this patrol. I arrived by way of Juneau, Alaska and quickly found myself in the stifling heat of Colon, Panama where I met the cutter on the 6th of February. From day one, I could tell I was in good hands with this crew. I remember being almost immediately impressed with how well the cutter ran and was honestly floored by the level of camaraderie that the entire crew displayed. I could have probably done without the enormous bear hug from IT3 Blackwelder at my first Quarters, but regardless, it spoke to the kinship under which this crew operates and certainly added to morale. I've had plenty of experience patrolling on 270' WMECs and I can say without a doubt, I've never seen a crew quite like this one – yes, each crew and each cutter has their own unique issues and quirks – but CGC HARRIET LANE's crew truly has a positive and “desired effect” upon each other. It was an honor and a pleasure to make part of this patrol with them. Thank you for the sacrifices you make which allow our men and women to do our missions at sea.

Semper Paratus-

J. A. Brennell, LCDR
Executive Officer, TDY
USCGC HARRIET LANE



Awards and Advancements

Advancements

SNBM Timothy Appelbaum

SNBM Ethan Ogdee

YN2 Tyler Pepin



**Congratulations to MK3 Julie Martin
who was chosen as District 5's Enlisted
Person of the Year!**



Good Conduct Award

YN1 Sara Powell

ETC Brian Boughn

ET3 Robert Cole



**Congratulations to the Following Shipmates
who received orders to new units!**

LTJG Noelle DeMarco-Sector San Francisco

LTJG Jim Brendel-Sector Hampton Roads

LTJG Tim Cassel-CGC ROANOKE ISLAND

SN Kelsie Lambert-BM "A" School

SN Steven Hava- BM "A" school

ME3 Taylor Huttenloch-TACLET South

ET2 Ky Nguyen-ESD Mobile

IT3 Shawn Blackwelder-ESD Portsmouth

ETC Trumbo-ESD Oxnard

Sea Service

SNBM Ethan Ogdee

SN Steven Hava



Qualifications

Helm and Lookout

SN Joseph Geerholt
SA Nicholas Cavell
SN Travis Mains

Basic DCPQS

ET3 Moore
OS3 Jones
OS3 Esemuede

Underway OOD

ENS Zachary Dietz
ENS Amanda Morris
ENS Dana Prefer
BM1 Rico Tyler

Advanced DCPQS

FN Tilka
ET2 Perro
ME3 Bower
SN Geerholt
OS3 Esemuede
FN Horne
SA Cavell
BM3 Dodson
BM3 Gustafson
EM3 Zlocki

FOWK

ENS Laura Delgado

Inport EOW

MK1 Connie Shipley
MKC Scott Nash

Generator Watch

FN Horne

Underway EOW

MKC Scott Nash
MK1 Connie Shipley

Master Helmsman

SN Ashley Nicholson

Shout-Outs!

Blake-

I miss you so much! It's been a long patrol for both of us, and I can't wait to see you again in

April! Love,

Amanda

To my beautiful wife and Dog, Rex-I miss you and can't wait to see you!

Love,

John

Jasmine, Adeline & Charlotte
It's good to be coming home.
Can't wait to make up for time spent away.

Lashu,

Me

To my wife and son: I know it has been a long patrol but I am finally on my way home. I love you both and am looking forward to our homecoming.

See you soon.

-Roman

I love you BM3 Jonathan D. Robison! You're my favorite, and your middle initial stands for Doug!"

-Kate

Morgan and Sonny, I miss you guys very much.

Next stop HAWAII.

LOVE TO MUCH,

John

Love to my girls-cant wait to see you miss you like crazy!

-Tommy

Patrol Photographs!



LEFT: Commander Adam Wasserman says goodbye to Curacao as HARRIET LANE departs her final port call of the patrol. BELOW: ME1 Kurt Yockel looks out for terrorists in Cartagena, Colombia.



CENTER LEFT: SNBM Ethan Ogden, DC3 Jakob Keeling and DC3 Mika Cornelius operate the fire monitor. BOTTOM LEFT: The engineers fix a leak of the fuel oil line.

Underway Operations



TOP LEFT: SN Chris Ferrari stands lookout on the transit in to Curacao. TOP RIGHT: GM1 Nathan Shook uses the Line Throwing gun to pass over the tow line. CENTER: LE Team members pose for the camera./ Small boat crews get some training! /OS2 Chad Jackson, OS1 Eric Gedick and OS3 Lance Sobel have some celebratory cigars. /SN Tim Appelbaum gets a hair cut from the ship's barber, DC2 Franklin Johnson. BOTTOM LEFT: CGC DALLAS on her last patrol. HARRIET LANE rendezvoused with DALLAS to exchange supplies. BOTTOM RIGHT: CGC CONFIDENCE was moored up next to HARRIET LANE!

Port Calls!



CENTER LEFT: Boatwains Mate Third Class Robert Giannamore enjoys some time in Cartagena. CENTER RIGHT: SN Garrett Gibson made a new friend at the beach! TOP LEFT: Dancers in Cartagena. CENTER: Horse-drawn carriages in Cartagena. TOP RIGHT AND BOTTOM: Willemstad, Curacao.



Many Thanks to all those who have made this
edition of Shore Ties Possible:

OS3 Esemuede/OS3 Sobel

YN2 Pepin

CWO3 Russell

And every member of the crew who submitted
pictures and comments for our family at home to
see!



Photo of the Patrol: Maritime Enforcement Specialist
Third Class Troy Bower represents his American
pride while standing Armed Rover Security in Cart-
agena, Colombia.



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