Perch Base, United States Submariners

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Subject: Memorial Day, Monday, May 27th

This coming Monday morning, May 27th, will be our annual remembrance of shipmates and other veterans who gave their lives for our country. This is one of the two most important events of our yearly calendar.

At the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona: 23029 N. Cave Creek Rd., Phoenix, AZ 85024.

The Memorial Day Program will begin at 8 a.m. Because of the large crowds at this event, and the scarcity of available seating and parking, it is strongly recommended that everyone get there no later than 7 a.m. and bring a camp chair for our portion of the celebration after the main program is complete. The keynote speaker will be U.S. Army Specialist 1st Class, Diana Pike, VFW Post 2135 Trustee, Gold Star Mom. The ceremony will be held live on AZTV CH 7. Following the main program, we will conduct our annual Tolling-for-the-Boats Ceremony at the Mark 14 torpedo on Founders Circle. The cemetery site map is attached and highlights the Main Program, the Wreath Laying Ceremony, and Tolling-for-the Boats location.

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