

July 2022 Activities

There was no Base meeting in July but we held two outstanding activities.

On July 4th, we entered a unit in the Dale City Fourth of July Parade. We could muster only five participants (Base CDR Chuck Martin, Base Secretary Steve Bishop, COB Mike Varone, Mickey Garverick, and Mark Reithmeier). We would have had six but the Base Treasurer was temporarily on the Binnacle List. Our Past VCDR, George Wallace, was represented as we used his klaxon during the parade. The model of the USS Barbel had completed its drydocking repairs and was mounted atop Chuck's truck. A video of the parade is located at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7L-V1rULj-A> and is about 75 minutes long with our participation beginning just before the 26 minute mark.



On July 9th we held our annual informal dining out at Kilroy's Restaurant in Springfield VA. We had 13 folks attending (Jim Beavers and Nancy O'Brien, Steve and Debbie Bishop, Howard and Cathy Chatham, Bill Clement, Bob Glover, Brian and Pat Haller, Paul and Terry Nelson, and Woody Woodworth). A grand time was had by all.

