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# On The Horizon

## October 2015



OCTOBER 2015



### Startup Vinsight Helps Wineries Estimate Crop Yield Using Satellite

Imagery by Debra Werner -

SAN FRANCISCO — U.S. farmers produce wine, table grapes, juice and raisins worth more than \$5.8 billion annually, but many vineyard managers continue to estimate their output as they have for decades, by weighing individual fruit clusters and multiplying the results by the average number of clusters per vine and the average number of vines per acre. Vinsight, a Silicon Valley startup, is hoping to change that by offering farmers a way to estimate crop yield that combines satellite imagery with weather and ground sensor data. Megan Nunes “We can offer a yield prediction number with a 10 percent error rate on average and that happens four months before harvest,” said Megan Nunes, chief executive of Redwood City, California-based Vinsight. That error rate is far better than the industry average of 30 to 40 percent, Nunes said, which often leaves farmers ill-prepared for harvest time. “Without knowing how many tons you will produce, it’s hard to figure out how many employees to hire, how many trucks you need and how many tons to contract out to winemakers,” Nunes said. -

When Nunes and Tomas Svitek, Vinsight chief technical officer, founded the company in May, they expected their product to appeal to various grape growers, including boutique winemakers with fields of half a square kilometer or less. Instead, corporate wineries with 4 or more square kilometers are Vinsight’s most enthusiastic audience. “The people who need accurate yield estimates are large landowners,” Nunes said. -

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# Captain's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

201509.25 (25 September 2015)

## SHIP'S COMPUTER UPDATE

My Microsoft keyboard and mouse are now working with the new Mac. There is a small amount of comfort within this wonderful world of learning in that.

I have completed and submitted the monthly reports to Fleet using Office 365 on the Mac. I still have a very long way to go but this is progress. I can now load a photo (yes, it took a long time to figure out how to get one into a document. (Import does not work easily but copy photo and insert does) it's the little things that make a difference.

I now have my email uploaded but cannot process it yet. I have finally discovered how to delete one (nope, it required a special arrangement past the delete key). You have to make special arrangements in settings or it is a three step process to delete each one. That of course is a lot of trouble. I have it set up to use the delete key on my keyboard now.

I cannot send an email or reply to one. That seems to be a lot more trouble. I have tried everything except tech support which is probably next.

## CALENDAR

The 2017 IC has been announced. It will be in New Orleans in August. That gives us 2 years to save up for it. I am going to try to arrange a SFI group cruise out of New Orleans. Last month I gave a calculator for Louisville and now let's add a few things for New Orleans. This is also a drivable convention. It's a long day drive or a two day one. We are considering two days with a stop in Memphis. The one-day drive is about 14 hours with 3 stops. Its 11 hours in the car.





Convention package:	\$60
4 Meals (breakfasts at hotel)	<u>\$40</u>
Cruise	\$300
Spending Money	\$100
Total	\$500
Shared?	
Room Cost (\$100/nite)	\$200
Gas at 800 miles roundtrip at \$3.00/gal	<u>\$192</u>
Total	\$296

You would only need to throw \$35 a month into an envelope to make this one work out. Anyone up for a con and a cruise?

We have had several more gaming events in the last 6 weeks. These have been held in Jefferson City. We have had meals and movies but the highlight was 2 conventions that we have worked or attended.

One was the annual International Convention in Niagara Falls, NY and the other was Do Deca Con in Columbia, MO. I was at both and had a good time at both. At IC I came down with the flu and spent the entire convention trying to get enough rest to do the main events. I think I spent 15 hours a day in the bed sleeping so that I could save up for the hours I needed to spend at the con. We had a good time and by Tuesday I was getting better.

I was not good enough to drive until Wednesday and then it was a lot of trouble. I was a lot better on Saturday. Even while sick, I had a lot of fun and we enjoyed ourselves a lot. The trip took us to all of the states in the northeast with major stops at Lake Champlain, Boston, Kittery, and Manhattan. I've included a lot of photos so enjoy them.

Wiley and company came back to join us for Do Deca Con. He was huge addition to our table and recruiting group. For everyone that came out to help us, thanks a lot. We even got at least one new member for our efforts.

Photos and credits:

IC 2015

Region 12 members

They blocked off the street for a carnival

Rhonda

Eddie's Flu Bed

The Duct Tape session for Charity



IC 215 Niagara Falls, NY  
Fleet Members and friends



The Duct Tape session for Charity They blocked off the street for a carnival



Rhonda



Eddie's Flu bed



Lake Champlain with Canada in the background



Kittery, Maine for Lobster



Boston Historic Trail



Paul Revere's House



Times Square, New York, NY



Times Square, New York, NY



World Trade Towers and Memorial





Little Italy



Statue of Liberty (Our View)



Gray's Papaya



Rickshaw ride in Manhattan



Big Weiner Lunch





Wiley & Clifford at Do Deca Con



David

Williams With Mike McGowan  
And the Horizon crew working at  
Do Deca Con



Eddie with character from TRON



Helping Grandpa setup electronics  
At Do Deca Con



Packing it in after a fun convention



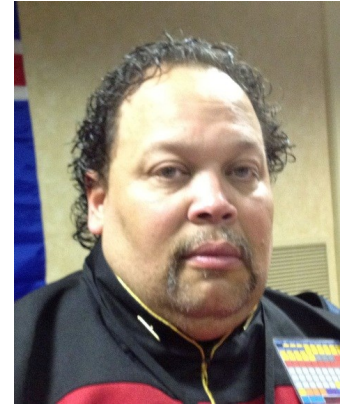
End Log



# Engineer's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

201509.20 20 September 2015



Back to my really enjoyable article of trying to find that special something Trek for everyone...

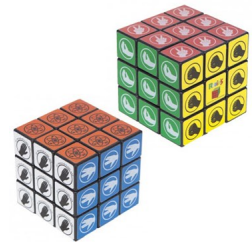
Do you golf? Try Startrek.com:



Also at startrek.com. Do you baby?



Do you Rubix with the Big Bangs Rock Paper Scissors?



Tech Republic has the following...

Spock Tree Topper



Think Geeks salt and pepper shakers



Baby Feeding System from Think Geek







## Engineer's Log

Star Trek Shop license plate system



Think Geeks TNG Uniform Boot Slippers



Or their new decals:



### Wineries (Cont. from page 1)

Vinsight was founded with \$250,000 from angel investor Michael Malin, president of Malin Space Science Systems of San Diego. The company is currently seeking seed money to expand its product line to support farmers growing other cash crops, including tree nuts, strawberries and hops.

Nunes and Svitek worked together previously at Canopus Systems LLC, a small-satellite company affiliated with Dauria Aerospace. In October 2014, after Canopus launched two Perseus-M maritime surveillance satellites, Mikhail Kokorich, Dauria Aerospace founder and president, [fired Svitek and Nunes resigned](#). Svitek and Nunes originally joined forces at Stellar Exploration of San Luis Obispo, California, a company Svitek continues to run that built Lightsail, the Planetary Society's solar-powered cubesat scheduled to launch in 2016 aboard a SpaceX Falcon Heavy.

Although their previous collaborations produced space-related hardware, Nunes and Svitek are now focused on applications to take advantage of the growing array of space-based Earth imagery.

"We decided after Stellar Exploration and Canopus not to go back into the satellite manufacturing, which is our background, but rather to go downstream, into data analytics and applications," Svitek said by email. "We picked one niche application, analysis of vineyards using existing and upcoming remote sensing. Building a bridge between satellite and farmer is not an easy task, but it is an essential and potentially profitable venture." -





**Captain Rhonda Allen**

**201509.20 (20 September 2015)**

## **Flight Control Log**



### **Log**

Do you feel like you are stuck in limbo? Summer is over but it's a little too warm to be fall. I feel like one last BBQ to celebrate the end of shorts, maxi dress, and sandals season will help me transition into what I call "Comfort Food" season. You know those one pot wonders we love to snuggle up with when there's a chill in the air and our favorite shows are on tv. There's nothing better than a lazy Sunday relaxing on the couch with my heated throw and a nice bowl of Eddie's white chicken chili and a nice piece of cornbread with butter melting on top. Yum!

The reading challenge is going very well. I have only 4 books left to read before the end of the year. I'm already thinking about what my challenge will be for next year. I've already decided not to renew some of my magazines so that I can have more time for books. I picked up another guilty pleasure.....I purchased an adult coloring book. Since I am a sucker for back to school supplies, and doodling, it only seemed logical. I can't wait to add my own artwork to the refrigerator along side that of my nieces, nephews, and friends children.

### **End Log**

**Commodore Connie Williams**

**XO's Log September 2015**

Labor Day has come and gone and now we prepare for the beauty of the Autumn season. I celebrated my birthday with my two favorite men at the Red Lobster in Columbia. We treated ourselves to Endless Shrimp, which is the only seafood that I like. Other than that the passing of another year was quiet, but sad, because I didn't get cake. My favorite phrase in the world for any celebration is "There should always be cake.." Actually I don't really need a celebration to enjoy cake. In my world it is its own glorious food group.

We enjoyed a meeting with the Wolf Pack at the Hu Hot restaurant on a Saturday afternoon.

As we were getting ready to leave the crowd from the Mizzou game started entering. It sure filled up fast.

I have discovered that Rick and I have been adopted as honorary parents of Gregg and Carrie, members of the Wolf Pack and long time good friends of David. Gregg invited all of his "family" out for a birthday celebration for his birthday and Kat's birthday to Olive Garden and said that Rick and I were invited too because we were his family too. I felt honored.



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**Trek News – August 2015**

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**DATA NODE 188**



Lydia Wilson has joined the Star Trek cast: <http://variety.com/2015/film/news/lydia-wilson-star-trek-beyond-1201572643/>



Quinto talks about doing a ST movie without JJ: <http://trekmovie.com/2015/08/19/quinto-talks-filming-star-trek-beyond-its-different-without-jj/>

STNG Cinch Bags: <http://news.earth.com/2015/08/19/the-coop-star-trek-tng-cinch-bags/>





IDW November Comics: Star Trek #51: Five-Year Mission, Star Trek: New Adventures Vol. 2, Star Trek/Green Lantern #5, and Star Trek New Visions: The Hollow Man.



Two more attack wing waves for Star Trek: <http://www.thetrekcollective.com/2015/08/latest-attack-wing-waves-and-other.html>



Childhood's End has an air date: <http://www.syfy.com/childhoodsend>

Trek class gets Shatner's attention: <http://newscentral.exsees.com/item/4d5433c4b33ea9d54b79b6a8715658f2-605ebf87a937673c24d6bd476899e9ae>

Star Trek the Cruise: <http://startrekthecruise.com> on the Norwegian Pearl.

Terrence Evans from DS9 passes. He also played in Texas Chainsaw Massacre, Terminator and a host of other roles. <http://www.inquisitr.com/2319599/terrence-evans-dies-star-trek-and-texas-chainsaw-massacre-actor-passes-at-81/>

ST Beyond is hiring interns for Dubai: <http://gulfnnews.com/leisure/events/interns-wanted-for-star-trek-beyond-in-dubai-1.1570218>

Brent Spiner is joining Outcast: <http://www.avclub.com/article/brent-spiner-david-denman-and-others-join-robert-k-223633>

Quinto is in Hitman Agent 47: <http://www.denofgeek.us/movies/zachary-quinto/248618/zachary-quinto-interview-star-trek-hitman-agent-47>



LA Star Trek Meetup to the Star Trek concert: <http://www.meetup.com/Santa-Monica-Los-Angeles-Star-Trek-Club/events/225364570/>

ST Beyond photos



CreationCon Las Vegas for 2015 photos: [http://www.creationent.com/cal/st\\_lasvegas\\_gallery.html](http://www.creationent.com/cal/st_lasvegas_gallery.html) and for a complete recap: <http://www.treknews.net/2015/08/12/stlv-las-vegas-star-trek-convention-2015-photo-gallery/>

Orion Slave Girl and Batgirl Yvonne Craig passed away: <http://www.cnn.com/2015/08/19/entertainment/yvonne-craig-batgirl-death/>





## Trek News (cont'd from page

Simon Pegg talks about reduced role in ST3 due to his writing duties: <http://trekcore.com/blog/2015/08/reduced-role-for-scotty-in-star-trek-beyond/>

Patrick Stewart says that all Politicians should watch ST: [http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/patrick-stewart-star-trek\\_55cbbbc7e4b064d5910a6c27](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/patrick-stewart-star-trek_55cbbbc7e4b064d5910a6c27)

Star Wars and Star Trek collide on Pluto's Moon: <http://www.space.com/30139-pluto-charon-kirk-spock-vader-names.html>

Raid's Joe Taslim is signed on for ST Beyond: <http://www.comingsoon.net/movies/news/465171-the-raids-joe-taslim-signs-on-for-star-trek-beyond>



Ted Cruz called Kirk a republican and Picard a Democrat. <http://www.cbsnews.com/news/election-2016-ted-cruz-star-treks-captain-kirk-was-likely-a-republican/> but Shatner has come out in opposition: <http://www.msnbc.com/msnbc/william-shatner-ted-cruz-calling-kirk-republican-silly>





Star Wars News – September 2015



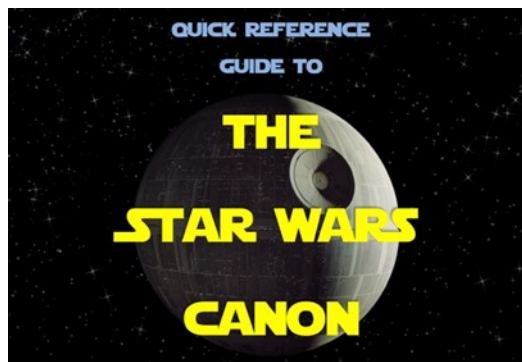
87 Days until 18 Dec 2015

The Resistance Broadcast: Episode 5,  
<http://www.starwars7news.com/2015/09/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-5.html>

Rumor: Jedi Council put out that tickets go on sale October 17<sup>th</sup> or maybe 19<sup>th</sup>.

Yes there is a timeline with Disney...  
[http://starwars.wikia.com/wiki/Timeline\\_of\\_canon\\_media#js](http://starwars.wikia.com/wiki/Timeline_of_canon_media#js)

STAR WARS CANON TIMELINE		
Year	Medium	Title
0	Film	Star Wars: Episode I The Phantom Menace
10	Film	Star Wars: Episode II Attack of the Clones
10	Film	Star Wars: The Clone Wars
10-12	TV	The Clone Wars: Seasons 1-6
12-13	Novel	Dark Disciple
12	Comic	Darth Maul: Son of Dathomir
13	Film	Star Wars: Episode III Revenge of the Sith
13	Comic	Star Wars: Kanan: The Last Padawan
18	Novel	Lords of the Sith
18	Novel	Tarkin
21	Novel	A New Dawn
21-37	YA Novel	Last Story
27	TV	Star Wars: Rebels: Season 1
28	TV	Star Wars: Rebels: Season 2
32	Film	Rogue One: A Star Wars Story
32	Film	Star Wars: Episode IV A New Hope
32	Comic	Star Wars: Princess Leia
32	JR Novel	Smuggler's Run: A Han Solo & Chewbacca Adventure
32	Comic	Star Wars: Chewbacca
32	Novel	Hair to the Jedi
32	JR Novel	The Weapon of a Jedi: A Luke Skywalker Adventure
32	Comic	Star Wars: Skywalker Strikes
32	Comic	Star Wars: Darth Vader
32	Comic	Star Wars: Shadow on the Smuggler's Moon
32	Comic	Darth Vader: Shadow of Secrets
32-37	Video Game	Star Wars: Battlefront
33	Novel	Battlefront: Twilight Company
33	Comic	Star Wars: Lando
35	Film	Star Wars: Episode V The Empire Strikes Back
36	JR Novel	Moving Target: A Princess Leia Adventure
36	Film	Star Wars: Episode VI Return of the Jedi
36	Comic	Star Wars: Shattered Empire
36	Novel	Aftermath
36	Mobile Game	Star Wars: Uprising
66	Film	Star Wars: The Force Awakens





Play Star Wars the Old Republic game for free: [https://account.swtor.com/play-free?utm\\_campaign=sor\\_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&utm\\_medium=banner&sourceid=sor\\_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&cid=14030&ts=1442877664089](https://account.swtor.com/play-free?utm_campaign=sor_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&utm_medium=banner&sourceid=sor_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&cid=14030&ts=1442877664089)

Oscar Issac says there will be a lot of surprises and plot twists in the Force Awakens. <http://www.mtv.com/news/2211492/oscar-isaac-star-wars-secrets/>  
Force Awakens Rumors: <http://www.starwars7news.com/2015/09/speculation-first-appearance-of-a-villain-from-the-force-awakens.html>

A Daisy Ridley scene:



WalMart has a collectible disc game:

Collider Jedi Council 24: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TTtPqM-iY2s>

The Cantina Forum birthday Party giveaway: <http://star-wars.info/the-cantina-forums-birthday-party-win-10-awesome-star-wars-prizes-9004>



Beer!

Star Wars: Rogue One set photo:





## MEETING MINUTES -

What can you learn about a movie from an ad?



More rumors in the Disney theme park Star Wars arena... [http://www.screamscape.com/html/wdw - hollywood\\_studios.htm](http://www.screamscape.com/html/wdw - hollywood_studios.htm)  
SW7 shoots begin at Skellig Michael.



Resistance Podcast episode 4: <http://www.starwarspost.com/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-4/>

Design by Humans "T" shirts for Force Awakens:  
<http://teehunter.com/2015/09/design-by-humans-force-friday/> Lots of Designs!



Collider's Jedi Council 23: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F36wPZ4pkPE>

Kabam launches mobile RPG SW: Uprising game: <http://www.adweek.com/socialtimes/kabam-launches-mobile-rpg-star-wars-uprising-on-ios-android/626427> .

Olivia Jackson stunt woman for Force Awakens was injured on Resident Evil set. [http://moviepilot.com/posts/2015/09/16/milla-jovovich-s-stunt-double-olivia-jackson-was-seriously-injured-in-a-freak-accident-on-set-3547138?lt\\_source=external,manual](http://moviepilot.com/posts/2015/09/16/milla-jovovich-s-stunt-double-olivia-jackson-was-seriously-injured-in-a-freak-accident-on-set-3547138?lt_source=external,manual)





## MEETING MINUTES -

RealID.com has released Force Awakens 3D glasses:



EA Battlefront Game Beta coming in early October. Want to be a tester: <http://starwars.ea.com/starwars/battlefront>

Win an autographed Force Awakens poster by helping breast cancer: <http://starwars.info/reminder-win-an-autographed-the-force-awakens-poster-and-help-raise-funds-for-breast-cancer-research-9038>

Force Awakens Topps cards: <http://www.topps.com/star-wars.html>

The SW database is being updated with Force Awakens data: <http://www.starwars.com/databank>

BB-8 Remote controlled Droid by Sphero: [http://store.sphero.com/products/bb-8-by-sphero?gclid=CKjQ\\_uLAicgCFY17gQodyGkDzQ](http://store.sphero.com/products/bb-8-by-sphero?gclid=CKjQ_uLAicgCFY17gQodyGkDzQ) Your phone or tablet is your remote.



Anthony Daniels discusses the secrecy of the SW movie: <http://www.theguardian.com/film/2015/sep/03/the-secrecy-has-been-ludicrous-star-wars-actor-anthony-daniels-on-the-new-film-and-his-life-as-c-3po>

Collider's Jedi Council 22: <http://starwars.info/colliders-jedi-council-episode-22-8019>

Force Friday may have been a disaster: <http://io9.com/force-friday-was-a-disaster-for-many-star-wars-fans-1728765957>

Giant 18 foot Millennium Falcon toy for sale: <http://toyland.gizmodo.com/this-is-what-a-monstrous-18-foot-long-millennium-falcon-1719696985>

SW Shattered Empire Comic:



Guavian Enforcer toy says a lot about the movie:

MEETING MINUTES -



Resistance Broadcast: Episode # 3 <http://www.stitcher.com/podcast/the-resistance-broadcast/e/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-3-40382281>

Global SW Toy unboxing event live: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL148kCvXk8pAirxa-tYnAQ6soqS1rLYkw>

Benicio del Toro lands role in SW VIII.

Boba Fett Fan Films: <http://www.bobafettfanclub.com/multimedia/films/>

Force Awakens teaser # 2 <http://www.starwars.com/video/star-wars-the-force-awakens-official-teaser-2>

SW Rebels BluRay out September 1



## UPCOMING MOSTLY LOCAL CONS

Villains Con – September 25 – 27, 2015 – Danville Illinois, 126 N Vermillion, <https://www.facebook.com/Villains-Con-696532687119095/timeline/>

ToyMan Show – September 27, 2015 – Machinists Hall, Bridgeton, MO <http://www.toymanshow.com>

Archon 39 - October 2 – 4, 2015 - Gateway Convention Center and DoubleTree Hotel, Collinsville, IL - <http://www.archonstl.org/>

Nuke-Con – October 2 – 4, 2015 – Ramada Plaza, Omaha, NE <http://www.nuke-con.com>

Time Eddy - Oct 2 – 4, 2015 - Best Western North Wichita, Wichita, KS - <http://www.kansasdoctorwho.com/>

Anime Getaway St Louis – October 10, 2015 – Gateway Center, Collinsville, IL [http://animecons.com/events/info.shtml/5942/Anime Getaway St Louis 2015](http://animecons.com/events/info.shtml/5942/Anime%20Getaway%20St%20Louis%202015)

Project: Comic Con – October 17 – 18, 2015 – Westport Sheraton Lakeside Chalet – St Louis, MO <http://www.projectcomiccon.com>

Flatcon – October 23 – 25, 2015 – Interstate Center’s Mini Expo Bldg, McLean County Fairground Bloomington, IL <http://www.flatcon.com/venue.shtml>

Supernatural Con - October 23 – 25, 2015 - Westin O’Hare Chicago, IL <http://www.creationent.com/cal/supernatural.htm>

Wizard World – October 23 – 25, 2015 – Cox Business Center, Tulsa, OK <http://www.wizardworld.com/home-tulsa.html>

ToyMan Show – November 1, 2015 – Machinists Hall, Bridgeton, MO <http://www.toymanshow.com>

WindyCon – November 13 – 15, 2015 – Westin Lombard Yorktown Center, Lombard, IL <http://www.windycon.org>

Chicago TARDIS – November 27 – 29, 2015 – Westin Lombard Yorktown Center, Lombard, IL <http://chicagotardis.com>

Starbase Indy – November 27 – 29, 2015 – Wyndham Indianapolis West, Indianapolis, IN <http://www.starbaseindy.com/attending/wyndham-indianapolis-west>

ToyMan Show – December 13, 2015 – Machinists Hall, Bridgeton, MO <http://www.toymanshow.com>

Con Alt Delete 2015 - December 18 – 20, 2015 - Hyatt Regency O’Hare, Chicago, IL [http://www.eventsforgamers.com/event/con-alt-delete-2015/?instance\\_id=1573](http://www.eventsforgamers.com/event/con-alt-delete-2015/?instance_id=1573)

Anime Zap – January 8 – 10, 2015 - Embassy Suites East Peoria, IL [http://animecons.com/events/info.shtml/6106/Anime-Zap 2016](http://animecons.com/events/info.shtml/6106/Anime-Zap%202016)





## Meeting Minutes – September 2015

MC: E-Cert Officer opening: seticat@cableone.net

Database down and restored on 16 September

Wayne is moving to Austin TX due to his job.

CosPlay and such will now be handled by Michael Lewis of the USS

Heimdal

CompOps is still looking for help in quite a few areas. [compops@sfi.org](mailto:compops@sfi.org)

New Shuttle:

1<sup>st</sup> Fleet, USS Belknap, Arlington, VA, Mothership: USS Potomac

3<sup>rd</sup> Fleet, USS Tarvos, San Antonio, TX, Mothership: USS Battle Born

20<sup>th</sup> Fleet, USS Brian Boru, Dublin, Ireland, Mothership: USS Chuchulain

3<sup>rd</sup> Fleet, USS Endurance, Beaumont, TX, Mothership: USS Zavala

R-12 is changing promotion criteria to a point/criteria type system. The USS Horizon already uses this type of system and promotions that I turn in are based on this.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Region</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Members</u>
22-Jun	1	KY, IN,NC,OH, SC, TN, VA, WV	958
	7	DL, DC, MD, NJ, NY, PN	590
	2	AB, FL, GA, MS, PR, Car	522
	3	LA, TX	463
	4	AZ, CA, HW, NV	440
	12	MO,IL,KS,AR,OK	384
13-Sep	1	KY, IN,NC,OH, SC, TN, VA, WV	921
	7	DL, DC, MD, NJ, NY, PN	599
	2	AB, FL, GA, MS, PR, Car	525
	3	LA, TX	483
	4	AZ, CA, HW, NV	456
	12	MO,IL,KS,AR,OK	428

There are additional IC "T" shirts available. Contact me for info.

IC 2016 Hotel reservations phone number is 888-233-9527 or go to the IC website at: [www.IC2016.com](http://www.IC2016.com) Cost is currently \$30.

New Chapters:

USS Reaper, 3<sup>rd</sup> Fleet, Orange, TX, Gregory McIntosh commanding

Matthew Miller is the new Recruiting and Retention Officer for Fleet SFI site name is moving to new service on Sept 7<sup>th</sup>. There may be downtime.

Vice Chief of CompOps John Halliday has resigned. He is replaced by: William Tony Knopes: Vice-Chief in charge of Database





## Meeting Minutes – September 2015

There are additional IC "T" shirts available. Contact me for info.  
 IC 2016 Hotel reservations phone number is 888-233-9527 or go to the  
 IC website at: [www.IC2016.com](http://www.IC2016.com) Cost is currently \$30.

### New Chapters:

USS Reaper, 3<sup>rd</sup> Fleet, Orange, TX, Gregory McIntosh commanding

Matthew Miller is the new Recruiting and Retention Officer for Fleet  
 SFI site name is moving to new service on Sept 7<sup>th</sup>. There may be  
 downtime.

Vice Chief of CompOps John Halliday has resigned. He is replaced by:

William Tony Knopes: Vice-Chief in charge of Database Operations  
 and as Senior VC

James Ortega: Vice-Chief in charge of Helpdesk

(c) Greg Mortensen: Vice-Chief in charge of Web Services

Member Processing has collected \$229 for scholarships this year so far.  
 Need about \$2500.

### 2014 Annual Award Winners:

Commanding Officer of the Year:

Captain Lisa Stuckey, R7

Chapter of the Year:

USS Alba, R20

Support Ship of the Year:

USS Alba, Region 20

Shakedown Chapter of the Year:

USS George Washington, R1

Flag Officer of the Year:

Admiral Linda Kloempkin, R6

Enlisted Member of the Year:

PO2 Don Allenbach, R2

Junior Member of the Year:

Cadet SSGT Edward Tunis IV, R3

Officer of the Year:

Captain Eilidh Montgomery, R20

### Perfect Reporting:

Region 01 (USS Alaric; USS Bellerophon; USS Charon; USS Columbus;  
 USS Drakonia; USS Endeavor; USS Freedom; USS Heimdal; USS  
 Helen Pawlowski; USS Hornet; USS Indiana; USS Jurassic; USS Kitty  
 Hawk; USS Lagrange; USS Liberator; USS Maat; USS Potomac; USS  
 Revelation; USS Robins; USS Ronald E McNair; USS Star League;





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USS Tycho; USS Virginia

Region 02 (USS Continuum; USS DaVinci; USS Deja Thoris; USS Hephæstus; USS Premonition; USS Republic; USS Victorious; USS Werner von Braun)

Region 03 (USS Artemis; USS Battle Born; USS Corsair; USS Diamondback; USS Lone Star; USS New Orleans; USS Zavala)

Region 04 (USS Augusta Ada; USS Aurora Vulcanis; USS Eagle; USS Gygas; USS Independence; USS Wessex)

Region 05 (USS Antares; USS Destiny; USS Thermopylae; USS Wildhorse; USS Wolf 359)

Region 06 (USS Czar'Ak; USS Scorpius; USS Vre'kasht; USS Wisconsin)

Region 07 (USS Britannic; USS Justice; USS Malverne; USS Matrix; USS Pride of Baltimore; USS Richthofen; USS Serling; USS Storm; USS Susquehannock)

Region 09 (USS Vanguard)

Region 11 (USS Tyderium)

Region 12 (USS Dark Phoenix; **USS Horizon**; USS Katana; USS Missouri; USS Orion; USS Sunflower)

Region 13 (USS Empress; USS Sinclair)

Region 15 (USS Ares; USS Callisto; USS Galaxy; USS Nelson ;USS Tang)

Region 20 (USS Alba; USS Cuchulain; USS Hyperion; USS Icini)

Video contest for IC 2016 by the chapters, up to 3 per chapter and max total of 15 minutes video time.

Squad Award Certificates have the date of 2014 and they will resend as 2015.

Three scholarships were awarded:

Engineering Scholarship - Margaret Murphy

Miscellaneous (Space Explorers Memorial) Scholarship - Michael Denman

Artistic Scholarship - Galen Pischke

IC2015 raised \$2051 for Space Camp (each \$1000 equals one scholarship).

Annual Web Awards:

Most Elegant: USS Serling, R7

<http://ussserling.co.nf>

Webmaster: Ian Jensen

Most Trekish: USS Corsair, R3

<http://www.BRStarTrek.com>

Webmaster: Trisha Tunis

Most Informative: USS DaVinci, R2

<http://www.usssdavinci.org>

Webmaster: Leiko Burningbear

Best User Interface: SFI Medical

<http://starfleetmedical.org/>

Webmaster: Dr. Gregory Fant, PhD

Annual Newsletter Awards:





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Brigade Newsletter:

3rd Brigade, Cry Havoc!

Best Regional Newsletter:

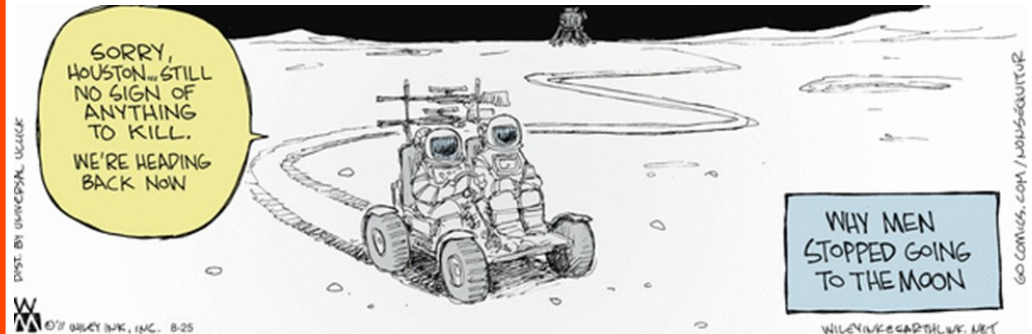
Region 20, The Commonwealth

Best Chapter Newsletter:

Angels Flight, USS Angeles, R4

Those who would like to purchase a Contributing Membership can find them on our registration page from now through August 31st, 2015 at:

<http://ic2015.eventbrite.com>



Region 12 Event Calendar: <https://www.localendar.com/public/R12>

IC2015 Photos: <https://www.flickr.com/groups/ic2015> and <https://www.flickr.com/groups/starfleet/>

ICTV: <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/6rTFKsEcVTn>

SFMC E-Certs Director Joseph Dorffner Jr has stepped down.

New StarFleet Academy URL: [http://acad.sfi.org/courses/iols/doc/SAOC\\_Manual.pdf](http://acad.sfi.org/courses/iols/doc/SAOC_Manual.pdf)

Final Mission Members for this IC2015:

David Bennett	R-7
MGN Norman DeRaux	R-5
LtC Robert Salopek	R-7
LTC Scott Smith	
Cathy Touna	R-1
Lt Christopher Pena	R-3
Merri (Sam) Whitaker	R-2
James Lewis	R-2
L. Russell Boyd	R-7
Capt. George Hildebidle	R-5
Capt. Kari Novak	R-1
Ensign JG David Lord	R-7
Gary Hollifield	
Capt. Ted Knighton	R-4
Brigadier Thomas Carroll	

Axanar has crossed the \$400,000 mark on their current campaign. Fleet Recruitment and Retention Officer position is open. Jim Herring has resigned.

New Vice Chief of Operations is Jonathan "Gumby" Simmons.

2 SFA Positions open: STARFLEET Academy Orientation College and/or Colleges of North American Indians and South American

