

Memorial Plaque Dedication Ceremony

Shipmates:

On September 1, 2016, a ceremony was held at the Navy Memorial, Washington DC to dedicate a memorial plaque honoring the USS Stonewall Jackson (SSBN 634) and her crew. Attending was:

Angelo Cicolini (Lcdr)
65-67 Gold Crew XO
Jay Hyland (Capt)
68-69 Blue Crew AWEPS
Wayne Leach FTB2(SS)
86-90 Combined Crew
Mal Milligan QM3(SS)
82-93 Gold Crew
Jeff Morris FTB1(SS) and Sue Morris
67-70 Blue Crew
Jim Shew (Capt) and Daniela Shew
77-80 Blue Crew CO
David Tuma (Capt) and Kate Paige
80-84 Blue Crew CO

Jay Hyland was the MC for the occasion. After a prayer and Pledge of Allegiance, Jay introduced David Tuma who presented a history of the 'Jackson along with a slide show with many pictures that covered the 30 years of the boat's lifetime. This presentation was very well received.

After the dedication, the attendees had lunch and swapped many sea stories. Everyone enjoyed this time together, and the only thing that could have made it better is if we had more in attendance.

I want to thank Jay and David for their time in planning and executing the ceremony. Also, thanks to all who donated to this project.

Jeff Morris



Pictured Left to Right
Angelo Cicolini; Jeff Morris; Jim Shew; David Tuma;
Mal Milligan; Wayne Leach; Jay Hyland