

Membership Report - March 31 2020

Mandate Statement

The Membership Committee seeks to search out and collect contact information for former NAVRES officer cadets of the UNTD, ROUTH, NROC UNTD2, RESO and subsequent junior officer training programs. The themes will be "being counted in" and "it's all about connections"

Committee Activities

Ken McCaw, Glenn Davidson and Russ Cape are the current board members on the committee. Glenn Carroll is working on a related project.

We see the need to recruit additional individuals as "finders" who are prepared to either search for former officer cadets from a NRD or from a specific year. Nick Slonosky in Winnipeg seems keen to help and King Wan in Vancouver has offered to help with input from NOABC sources. Ross Connell has approached Murielle Provost a MM79 to see if she might be interested. We want to recruit additional finders.

Glenn Carroll has been successful in locating NAVRES nominal lists from the post war period in LAC vaults. To date, he has searched records for three NRDs and forwarded his findings to our archivist, Bill Clearihue.

We have prepared an advertisement for the NAC Starshell magazine which should appear in the June 2020 issue. Additionally, the ad could be reworked as a poster for display in NRDs to solicit serving former cadets.

Other

Thanks to Bill Clearihue, the 1969-71 ROUTH Collections have been uploaded to the Yearbooks section of the website. These consist of collections of divisional photos of summer training as no yearbooks were produced for these years. Narratives describing the training will be added at a later date. There are a number of missing photos that we'd like to locate if possible. LAC doesn't appear to hold them. Hopefully, members will submit them at some point.

Help Needed

1. We need additional finders. All directors can assist by doing searches themselves and by thinking about possible candidates as finders and approaching them if able.
2. We propose to give suitable finders with confidential e-mail data for currently existing contacts for their search target to facilitate their search.

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