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Navy League Presents 2011 Sea Services Awards

Chattanooga, Tenn. – The Navy League of the United States presented its annual Sea Services Awards today at the Navy League National Convention in Chattanooga. The Sea Services Awards recognize officers and enlisted servicemembers as well as civilian members of the Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard and Merchant Marine for outstanding personal contributions that advance the logistics readiness and competence of the sea services.

The Navy League is pleased to announce the following 2011 Sea Services Award Winners:

The John Paul Jones Award for Inspirational Leadership

Lieutenant Commander Kenneth P. Ward, USN

The Admiral Claude V. Ricketts Award for Inspirational Leadership

E-7 and above: Fire Controlman Chief Michael E. Brooker, USN

E-6 and below: Steelworker First Class Louis Salazar, Jr., USN

The Captain Winifred Quick Collins Award for Inspirational Leadership

Officer: Commander Wendy M. Halsey, USN

Enlisted: Command Master Chief Susan A. Whitman, USN

The Alfred Thayer Mahan Award for Literary Achievement

Admiral James G. Stavridis

The Lieutenant General John A. Lejeune Award for Inspirational Leadership

Captain Timothy J. Rajceвич, USMC

The General Gerald C. Thomas Award for Inspirational Leadership

Staff Sergeant Daniel F. Scull, USMC

The Rear Admiral William S. Parsons Award for Scientific and Technical Progress

Mr. Jason Tant

The Stephen Decatur Award for Operational Competence

Lieutenant Commander Richard T. Hanna, Jr., USN

The General Holland M. Smith Award for Operational Competence

Captain Brian E. Mead, USMC

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The Robert M. Thompson Award for Outstanding Civilian Leadership
Congressman Todd Aiken

The Honorable J. William Middendorf II Award for Engineering Excellence
Machinist's Mate Senior Chief Michael D. Conners, USN

The Admiral Ben Moreell Award for Logistics Competence
Officer: Lieutenant Brandon M. Carll, USN
Enlisted: Staff Sergeant Robert A. Brown, USMC

The Naval Intelligence Foundation Award for Exceptional Leadership in Intelligence Support to the Fleet
Commander Michael Oluvic, USN

The Vincent T. Hirsch Maritime Award for Outstanding Leadership
Mr. William J. Kenwell

The Captain Arthur L. Johnson Award for Inspirational Leadership
Mr. Steven Burdi

The Able Seaman Oscar Chappell Award for Outstanding Maritime Stewardship
Mr. Efren C. Apostol

The Captain David H. Jarvis Award for Inspirational Leadership
Chief Warrant Officer Brian D. Addicott, USCG

The Douglas A. Munro Award for Inspirational Leadership
Yeoman First Class VenDell Dawson, USCG

Please [click here](#) to view more information online. [Click here](#) to view the Sea Services Awards Manual.

The Navy League of the United States was founded in 1902 and is a civilian organization with more than 50,000 members dedicated to educating American citizens and elected officials about the importance of sea power to U.S national security and supporting the men and women of the sea services and their families.

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