

# TIDEWATER TIMES

## AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NAVAL ENGINEERS TIDEWATER SECTION



### NOVEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

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#### Monthly Dinner

<b>5:30 - 6:00 PM</b>	<b>Registration / Social</b>
<b>6:00 - 7:00 PM</b>	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>7:00 - 8:00 PM</b>	<b>Speaker</b>

*Dinner meetings are posted as events on the section’s Facebook page and photos are posted after the meetings. Become friends with “Tidewater Section – ASNE” to get notifications as soon the reservation system is opened for each month’s dinner!*



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## Chair's Letter to the Membership

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Greetings ASNE TW Members and Friends,

Personally speaking, my favorite month is November for several reasons: the smell of the air, crisp temperatures, colors of the trees ... and Thanksgiving Holiday with family and friends. Maybe you have been far away and have had to spend Thanksgiving with co-workers in a faraway place. I have. But the spirit of thankfulness, gratefulness, and sharing was always to be found when we gathered for a meal.

I am thankful for many things in my life. Professionally I have had some great mentors, teachers, and co-workers helping to grow my skills and expertise. Personally I am grateful for my loving husband, family close by, and three fluff-ball cats. What are you thankful for in your professional career?

Check out the ASNE TW and National ASNE Facebook pages and share a comment about what or who you are grateful for. We need your help in getting the ASNE flag out to the inter-webs.

Link – [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)  
Search for “@tidewaterSectionASNE” for TW Section

Link – [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)  
Search for “@navalengineers” for National ASNE

As you all have been informed, the section dinner meetings are now in a new venue. I am so excited to see the docket of speakers and breath of participation from the Hampton Roads Maritime Community. Please continue to spread the word to participate in the technical discussions... which brings me to my last point.

Do you have an idea for a topic, a person in mind who would be a great speaker, or a location / ship that a tour adventure could be arranged? If so, we want to hear from you in some form or fashion. I will be slow in reading signal flags and Morse code, but I would figure it out, so please let your voice be heard and drop a line to any of us.

Happy Thanksgiving / Turkey Day !

**Jessica**

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## New Location Reminder

Don't forget we have a new location for our monthly ASNE TW Dinner / Meetings !!!

Our Dinner / Meetings are now held at the Virginia Beach Norfolk Holiday Inn, 5655 Greenwich Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23462.



We have the same dinner schedule:

5:30 - 6:00 PM	Registration / Social
6:00 - 7:00 PM	Dinner
7:00 - 8:00 PM	Program

***Be sure and mark your calendar for future ASNE TW Dinner / Meetings:***

Future Dinner / Meeting Dates
November 14, 2018
December 12, 2018
January 23, 2019
February 20, 2019
March 27, 2019
April 17, 2019
May 15, 2019



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## ASNE TW Dinner / Meeting November 14

**PLACE:** Virginia Beach Norfolk Holiday Inn, 5655 Greenwich Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23462

**TIME:** **5:30 - 6:00:** Cocktails and Networking  
**6:00 - 8:00:** Dinner and Program

**COST:** **Members: \$28 in advance / \$30 at the door**  
**Non-members \$33 in advance / \$35 at the door**  
**Military in uniform:**

- **0-4 / E-7 & below \$15 in advance / \$20 at the door**
- **0-5 / E-8 / CWO & above \$20 in advance / \$25 at the door**

**Student ASNE members: \$10 in advance / \$15 at the door**

**Student non-members: \$15 in advance / \$20 at the door**

**To sign up go to: <http://www.asne-tw.org/> "Events". Please pay in advance using the on-line payment system – THIS SAVES YOU MONEY! Please RSVP online NLT 12:00 pm on Tuesday, Nov. 13, 2018.**

Captain Lloyd entered the Navy in June of 1986 as an Electrician's Mate Nuclear, was then selected for the NROTC program and graduated from Florida State University in April of 1992 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering. His first ship assignment was USS BAINBRIDGE (CGN 25) as the Damage Control Assistant and subsequently as a defueling Shift Engineer.

Captain Lloyd earned a Master of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering at the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) in Monterey, California in September of 1998. He transferred to USS NIMITZ (CVN 68) as the Chemistry and Radiological Controls Assistant while the ship was undergoing a Refueling Complex Overhaul at Newport News Shipbuilding. Captain Lloyd reported to Norfolk Naval Shipyard in June of 2001 and was assigned as an Assistant Project Superintendent for USS THEODORE ROOSEVELT (CVN 71) Fiscal Year 2001 Planned Incremental Availability (PIA) and the Deputy Project Superintendent for USS HARRY S. TRUMAN (CVN 75) Fiscal Year 2003 PIA.

In June of 2004, Captain Lloyd reported to Commander Naval Air Forces as the USS JOHN C. STENNIS (CVN 74) Maintenance Coordinator where he oversaw the repair and modernization work package for the Fiscal Year 2005 Docking PIA. In June of 2006, he reported to PEO Aircraft Carriers as the In-Service Principal Assistant Program Manager (PMS 312E) where he led the organizational realignment of the In-Service Aircraft Carrier Program to ensure programmatic and technical authority alignment. In May of 2009, Captain Lloyd reported to Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, USN, Newport News, Virginia as the Refueling Complex Overhaul Program Manager's Representative (PMR) and supervised the execution of the Refueling Complex Overhaul (RCOH) of USS THEODORE ROOSEVELT (CVN 71) and the planning for the RCOH of USS ABRAHAM LINCOLN (CVN 72). In May of 2012, he assumed duties as the New Construction PMR and supervised the construction of GERALD R. FORD (CVN 78) and planning for JOHN F. KENNEDY (CVN 79).

Captain Lloyd reported to PCU GERALD R. FORD (CVN 78) as the ship's first Reactor Officer in April of 2013 and led his department through the qualification and certification process for the AIB plant culminating in a highly successful Reactor Safeguards Examination, Physics, and Power Range Test Programs. In August of 2016, he transferred to Naval Sea Systems Command as the Executive Assistant to the Commander (NAVSEA 00EA).

In June 2017, he assumed command as Commanding Officer of Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, USN, Newport News, Virginia, responsible for the U.S. Navy's Aircraft Carrier and Submarine Ship Construction, Nuclear Refueling and Repair Programs at Huntington Ingalls Incorporated-Newport News Shipbuilding.

Captain Lloyd's personal decorations include the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal (four awards), Navy Commendation Medal (four awards) and Navy Achievement Medal (two awards).



**Captain Jason M. Lloyd**  
**(SUPSHIP Newport News)**





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## October Dinner / Meeting Recap

The Tidewater Section kicked off its 2018-2019 dinner program in fine style on 17-October, with Rear Admiral Erik M. Ross as our distinguished guest speaker. As President, Board of Inspection and Survey, RDML Ross is responsible for assessing and reporting on the material readiness of the fleet. PRESINSURV has direct reporting requirements to the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) and the Commander, Fleet Forces Command (CFFC).

In his address to approximately 60 guests in attendance, RDML Ross discussed the major tenets of an initiative called “INSURV Transformation” which aims to strengthen the overall effectiveness of inspections. He also fielded numerous questions related to observed trends in material condition of ships and the proficiency of sailors that operate and maintain them.




*ASNE TW Vice Chair Pam Schools presents RDML Ross a gift of appreciation at the conclusion of the evening*



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## ASNE's Annual Awards Nomination Deadline

Know someone who has made a singular, exceptional achievement in naval engineering, been an incredible volunteer, contributed a lifetime to the field, excels in fleet engineering, maintenance, or logistics, or is an exceptional young engineer? **Please consider nominating them for an award!** Details are available online at <http://www.navalengineers.org/Awards> and the **nomination deadline is November 15.**



**ASNE's Annual Awards Program celebrates excellence in our profession by recognizing individuals who have demonstrated exceptional achievement in one or more facets of naval engineering.**

Nominations are sought for the following 2018 ASNE Awards, which will be presented in 2019:

- The **ASNE Gold Medal Award** for a singular achievement in naval engineering,
- The **Solberg Award** for naval engineering research,
- The **Harold E. Saunders Award** for lifetime achievement,
- The **Frank G. Law Award** for service to ASNE,
- The **Claud A. Jones Award** for Fleet engineering,
- The **Frank C. Jones Award** for intermediate and depot level maintenance and modernization,
- The **Rosenblatt "Young Naval Engineer" Award**, and
- The **Clifford G. Geiger Award** for naval logistics.

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**Nomination Deadline is November 15, 2018**

### Now Accepting Nominations for 2018 ASNE Annual Awards

**The ASNE Gold Medal Award** (Engineering) is presented for a singular achievement in naval engineering. It has been presented annually since 1958 and is given to an individual who has made a significant naval engineering contribution in a particular area during the past five years.

**The Solberg Award** is awarded to an individual who has made a significant contribution to naval engineering through personal research during the past three years.

**The Harold E. Saunders Award** (Lifetime Achievement) honors an individual whose reputation in naval engineering spans a long career of notable achievement and influence.

**The Frank G. Law Award** (Service to ASNE) is given to an individual whose longtime dedication and service to the Society is deemed worthy of special recognition.

**The Claud A. Jones Award** is given to a fleet or field engineer who has made significant contributions to improving operational engineering or material readiness of our maritime forces during the past three years.

**The Frank C. Jones Award** is presented for major achievements in Maintenance and Alteration.

**The Rosenblatt Young Naval Engineer Award** is presented to a single award winner who will not have reached the age of 35 years by December 31 of the year of nomination, who has demonstrated remarkable, early professional achievement.

**The Clifford G. Geiger Award** (Naval Logistics) recognizes naval logistics professionals who, over a period of years have exemplified the ideals portrayed by Mr. Geiger through exceptional leadership and influence within the naval logistics community, determined efforts to strengthen the synergy between engineering and logistics, and dedication to enhancing the capability and stature of the naval logistics profession through increased emphasis on education and professional development for naval logisticians.





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## Membership News: November 2018

A warm welcome to our new Members:

*CAPT (Ret) William Tate*  
*LT Chris Kidwell*  
*Kenneth Blair*  
*Don Hendren*  
*Joseph Parziale*  
*Rishi Patel*  
*Jeffrey Craig*  
*Patrick Crutchfield*  
*Than Mernin*

We are presently at **395** members. Our goal is **500**. Please keep up the good work in recruiting new members. **We need your help -- please sign up a new member today!**

Please keep your Member Information up to date by signing in to and updating both the National and Section Websites:

**ASNE National Page** - <http://www.navalengineers.org>

- Sign in using your Login Name and PW (click on Log In on upper right corner)
- Verify your contact information is correct...email, phone, address, and more!
- **Ms. Michelle Redmon**, the National Membership Manager at **(703) 836-6727**, [mredmon@navalengineers.org](mailto:mredmon@navalengineers.org) can help you with the logon and update your data.

**Tidewater Section Page** - <https://asne-tw.org/>

- Sign in using your Login Name and PW (click on Log In on upper left).
- Verify your contact information is correct.
- Check out the forums to voice your ideas and experience.
- If you are up for renewal, you will receive an email from ASNE HQ thirty days prior. They will send additional reminders. You may easily renew by logging in to the National Page, where you will see your renewal invoice.
- If you have transferred here from another ASNE Section, please provide your new address information at the National ASNE Website listed above and request shift to **Tidewater Section**.
- Tidewater Section Membership Pins are available at the dinner meetings for all New Members.

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**“GET A MEMBER, KEEP A MEMBER”**





## Communication

### Facebook - ASNE Tidewater Section

Follow the page!!



- Like pictures and postings
- Comment on postings in a positive and thoughtful way
- Share with your friends
- <https://www.facebook.com/TidewaterSectionASNE/#>

Facebook – American Society of Naval Engineers ASNE

- Like, comment, share, and follow the page
- Cross post to @TidewaterSectionASNE
- <https://www.facebook.com/navalengineers/#>

### Book Sale

The following professional development books are available for purchase:



- History of American Naval Dry-docks by Richard D. Hepburn \$23
- Naval Engineering & American Sea Power by multiple authors \$19
- Marine Casualty Response Salvage Engineering \$55

Please contact Joe Yurso if interested:  
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### Other Events Update

- ◆ Peninsula Engineers Council Info  
[PEC, Peninsula Engineers Council](#)
- ◆ Please follow this link to all current ASNE Symposia  
[Symposia](#)



### Website Improvements



ASNE Tidewater has transitioned the website to a state-of-the-art version in the Wild Apricot domain! Those of you who have been making dinner meeting reservations may have noticed the differences. The website URL is the same – <http://www.asnetw.org> -- but you'll see a new, up-to-date site with better graphics, organization, information and capabilities. Please follow the menus and see what's there. View the Discussion topics and feel free to contribute if you have something to offer. Those of you who are ASNE members can look at your profile page and check to see if your information is correct. If not, log in at [www.navalengineers.org/](http://www.navalengineers.org/) and edit your profile information. If there is a document or web site you think should be added to our Tidewater site, please contact the webmaster at [scofvb@verizon.net](mailto:scofvb@verizon.net).

### Tabletop Technical Paper Presentations

During our dinner meetings each month the Section will be having members present their poster-board/technical paper presentations from 5:30 – 6:00 during our networking time. Please plan on showing up early.

We encourage members to present their poster-board projects/technical papers. Remember, this offers an excellent opportunity for members to show and explain their project presentations, encourages others to participate, encourages and promotes engineering and also enables our Section to earn points for ASNE Section of the Year. If you are involved with a poster-board project/technical paper and are interested in making a presentation, please contact any Executive Board member.





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## ODU CHAPTER INFO

### POST YOUR COMPANY'S AVAILABLE JOBS & INTERNSHIPS

Please post internship and job opportunities at ODU's Career Management Center:

[www.odu.edu/cds/employers](http://www.odu.edu/cds/employers)

Or you may post to the Job Board on the ASNE HQ site:

<http://www.navalengineers.org/Membership/Job-Board>

#### Additional local university websites:

Norfolk State University: <https://www.nsu.edu/student-affairs/career-services/index>

Hampton University: <https://collegegrad.com/post-a-job>

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