



FLEET STATUS UPDATE | NOVEMBER 2020



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Thursdays are the new day for STARFLEET After Dark, 10pm CST!



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Greetings one and all!

As part of Recruiting & Retention, we have created a window cling that can be attached almost anywhere, your vehicle, laptop or fridge. The cost for these will be \$5.00 each (+taxes, shipping & handling). We are working out a way to get the clings to our International Members inexpensively, through their RC's but the process hasn't been totally worked out yet. I wanted to announce this new item as it's something to help raise money for Fleet and it's getting close to the holidays, so this would be a great stocking stuffer for your favorite Trekkie (besides yourself). And it's a great way to show your Fleet pride and also recruit! Please contact Linda Olson, STARFLEET QM to get yours today!



Have you registered for IC 2021 yet? I have. Who else is going to be there?



IC 2021 | June 18th - 20th 2021

The Theme of the 2021 IC will be the **"Roaring 20's"** (1920s) and we plan to bring a taste of that time period to the weekend. There will be a costume contest with 2 categories, **1- The 1920's** and **2- Science Fiction in General**. So get to work now on your costume and plan to strut your stuff over the weekend!

Also, the Klingon Assault Group hopefully will be there to sign a Diplomatic Relations treaty, thanks to our STARFLEET Diplomatic Corps!

VCS Personnel

LCDR Gerhard Pretorius, **SFDPP** Certified

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Not a lot to report. I have reached out to the IC team to try and discuss ways we can make the IC more accessible but have not received a reply yet. I also forwarded them a copy of the All-Access STARFLEET disabilities guide, so they are aware it does exist as a resource and have offered to work with their team to make sure all members get the most out of the IC experience.



STARFLEET DIPLOMATIC CORPS **CPT AARON HIMES**

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We are working on setting up a food drive war with KAG. The idea is to see who can raise the most food for the needy this holiday season. We are moving forward with contact with other organizations. The sistership program has entered the trial phase. If everything works, we will start paring up more ships.



FAST RECRUITING ORIENTATION SHAKEDOWN TEAM **(F.R.O.S.T.)**

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I'm getting tired of saying this! Report for this month:
Nothing to report. Still stuck at the starbase.

Be safe everyone!



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We currently have **46 SOU's** and **210 Operatives**.

This is an increase of 8 members from last month. Our numbers still do not add up with the information in the DB because not everyone is officially registered with MACO. There is currently a total of 366 members affiliated with MACO in the DB, but 159 of those are not listed with any MACO SOU or as an IO. I wish there were a way to correct these numbers in the DB so that they would match.

All MACO Staff have taken the GDPR / SFDPP courses.

I want to commend my staff for their excellent performance in their individual positions.

DIRECTOR OF CYBER OPERATIONS REPORT

There have been some changes to the website over the past month. 2 new people have been added to the site for modification purposes, Keith from the Award directorate, and Matthew my Deputy Director.

2 Forms have been added and/or amended for use on the site. The first is for training certifications and the other for award submissions. These have been made with some logic in them to enable certain items to appear given the circumstances in which they are being used, thus preventing unnecessary duplication of paperwork. Matthew has been focusing on the Discord onboarding process to get members assigned to roles as quickly as possible.

As previously mentioned, Keith from awards has been provided with access to the website where he will be posting a monthly list of service and training awards issued in the previous month. This in turn will provide some additional content for the website. As at time of writing this report, we believe that all forms and documents are currently up to date, so please let us know if there are any that may have been overlooked during the updating process.

DIRECTOR TRAINING OPERATIONS REPORT

Joel "Rob" Ehl (JR) has not yet informed me of his decision on retaining the Deputy Director position. I have emailed him again regarding his decision.

I noticed that the MACO Master Spreadsheet Certification tracking section wasn't up to date. I have contacted Tom to find out if he needs assistance with entering the information.

Things have slowed down this month. I suspect this trend will continue with the Holiday season approaching.

TRAINING CERTIFICATION OFFICERS REPORT

The certification process has been streamlined considerably, with the implementation of the new requirements. However, the verification process, for affiliation is still slow. The team leaders and unit commanders will need to ensure that the MACO Operations sheet information is up to date and that they are initialing the operatives training. *Certificates still are not being submitted with training records.*

Number of Certifications earned for this Period: **11**

Number of Training Awards this Period: **75**

EDITOR "SECURED FREQUENCIES"

I have received an offer of help for Newsletter Layout from: Matthew Davies
Three articles have been submitted for this current issue that is nearly complete.
Joshua Dadd, Thomas Bores & Robert Richards
Also still hoping as time goes on more members will submit article suggestions.

Closing date for submissions for next issue will be end of September.

Have received 1 short story for next issue so far. Any and all contributions welcome.

DIRECTOR OF RECRUITING AND RETENTION REPORT

I've nothing to report for this month. It has been uneventful in terms of R&R.

MACO SERVICE AWARD OFFICERS REPORT

Service Awards Issued in September

MACO Service Award	Number Issued	MACO Service Award	Number Issued
Pike Cross	0	Guardian Award	0
Archer Distinguished Service	0	UFOP Award	0
Admiral Forrest 1st	1	Patriot Award	1
Admiral Forrest 2nd	0	Ambassador Sarek Award	0
Admiral Forrest 3rd	0	Curzon Award	4
Admiral Forrest 4th	0	Recruiting Award	0
Admiral Forrest 5th	0	Master Recruiting Award	0
MACO Commendation	0	General Martok 1 Year	3
MACO Achievement Award	0	General Martok 3 Year	3
Meritorious Unit Award	0	General Martok 5 Year	1
MACO Annual Muster Award	0	General Martok 7 Year	1
MACO Honor Guard Award	0	General Martok 10 Year	

DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS REPORT

Group 1: 100% reporting

Group 2: 83.3% reporting

FTR: IO 181, IO 1119, SOU 111, SOU 143

SOU 143 - FTR 5 months. Recommend deactivation

GROUP 1 OPERATIONS

GROUP COMMANDER'S NOTES:

Gains: 1

Losses: 2

Activated: IO 555, SOU 58, SOU 101

On Standby: 0

Deactivated: 0

TOTAL SOUs & IOs: 22

Reported: 22

Excused: 0

Late: 2

Incomplete: 0

Failure to Report: 0

UNIT BREAKDOWN

SOUs: 17 Operatives: 99

IOs: 5 Operatives: 8

TOTAL OPERATIVES: 107

ROSTER CHANGES

Gains - 7

Losses - 0

Leadership Changes: 1

SOU 131 – Megan Schroeder is the new TL.

AWARDS ISSUED: 0

AWARDS REQUESTED: 2

SOU 004 - General Martok 7 year Award -

Lea Morgan 26084; Patriot Service Award -

Hector Gutierrez 80505 served 26 years US Army

(enlisted 20; Officer 6)

PROBLEMS, COMMENTS, OR SUGGESTIONS:

IO 555 - Wish the form was filled out automatically so I wouldn't have to look up all that info each time lol

SOU 004 - Would like more information on updates and current chain of command, also feedback, new to this position and information leads to knowledge and that to strength.

SOU 007 - Team leader and her husband renewed late so we are waiting on it to update in the database.

SOU 101 - Sorry if this report is late, real life got in the way and this was the first chance I had to complete the report.

GROUP 2 OPERATIONS

GROUP COMMANDER'S NOTES:

TOTAL SOUs & IOs: 24

Reported: 20

Excused: 0

Late: 3 (SOU 619)

Incomplete: 0

Failure to Report: 3 (IO 181, IO 1119, SOU 143, SOU 808)

UNIT BREAKDOWN

SOUs: 20 Operatives: 99

IOs: 5 Operatives: 4

TOTAL OPERATIVES: 103

ROSTER CHANGES

Gains - 1

Losses - 1

Leadership Changes: 1

SOU 031 - Appointed ATL - This was a mutual arrangement as I became the DOIC of the ships Marine MSG Unit 399th.

AWARDS ISSUED: 3

SOU 20 - Frederick Taylor - MACO Basic Training Ribbon on 10/09/20

SOU 100 - Robert Richard - Major Hayes Alpha 7/10/20

SOU 601 - Becci Bradbury (August 2020) - General Martok Service Award - 5 year

AWARDS REQUESTED: 2

SOU 559 - McCoy Medical Training Ribbon - Bronze Cross

SOU 1725 - Joel Ehl - Major Hayes Award Alpha, once the paperwork is processed for EHL's level 3 Alpha.

PROBLEMS, COMMENTS, OR SUGGESTIONS:

SOU 031 - None I can currently think of.

IO 127 - Sorry for the late report - real life family issues

SOU 501 - Note that Adam Cox is in the process of renewal. He has indicated previously that he intends to renew his sub hence keeping him on the books

SOU 1001 - The Unit is coming along well. We are integrated into the crew of the USS Zavala. Our next monthly meeting will be a face to face meeting at NASA. COVID protocol will be strictly enforced.

SOU 1725 - MACO is running smoothly. Actively recruiting new members to read about it and try courses.

Total MACO Operatives accounted for: **210**

Total MACO Affiliates in DB: **366**

Total MACO SOU's & Independents: **46**

Total MACO SOU's & Independents reporting: **42**

Percent Reported: **91.3%**



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There were no new registrations for November 2020. The total number of pet parents listed is 175 with 398 separate pets, although the information that I have does not include many of the earlier registrations. These include 19 stuffed animals, 173 cats (8 deceased, 3 retired), 160 dogs (6 deceased, 1 given away, 2 retired), 8 birds, 2 raccoons, 5 rabbits, 7 lizards, 2 guinea pigs (1 deceased), 2 ferrets, 4 tarantulas, 5 snakes, 4 turtles (1 deceased), 2 fish, 2 rats, 1 hedgehog, and 1 horse. There are likely additional deceased pets, but these are all the ones I have record of at this time.



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1) The new STARFLEET Data Protection Policy is now in place. Many of the Unit/BN/BDE OIC's & DOIC's have completed this course and are compliant. Thank you to everyone.

2) The time has come for our Annual SFMC Toys for Tots drive. As you know we are still in pandemic mode and so the need to help those kids is especially needed.

The GS is asking everyone to participate if they can in this year toy drive.

Now I know we always ask to help out the USMC Toys for Tots drive but I am for expanding this program as there are no USMC drives in certain areas here in the states but also for our international members.

I have asked for information from our International Brigade OICs about similar programs and some did get back to me. Some which have said there isn't a similar program or none exist.

So that is why I am opening that if there isn't a USMC TOT drive near you to donate your time and help collect toys for your local fire/police drives, community toy drive or even your religious groups if they are holding them.

US - [Toys for Tots](#)

20th BDE -

UK - [Family Action](#)

IRL: [Peter McVerry Trust](#)

COMMANDANT'S CAMPAIGN AWARD(CCA): This ribbon is to recognize Marines for completing or participating (certain criteria may have to be met to qualify) in a Commandant's Campaign.

Now this campaign does qualify under the CCA but just donating Latinum does NOT qualify. You MUST participate in collecting toys like starting a toy a drive or help out in one.

Remember this is to make a special holiday for those kids who are in need this season.

If you have questions please reach out to your Brigade OIC's and their staff, they are there to assist you.

3) Please be safe during this pandemic and be mindful this holiday season.

4) To be up to date on the latest happenings in the Corps please join our [Facebook](#) page



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New sign-ups via the medical website:
 1 – bringing the total registered to **172**

Medical Awards Issued

<i>Name</i>	<i>Award</i>
Pippa Slack	Medical Star
Michael Oliver	Chapel Award
Michael Oliver	Crusher Award
Rene Bendali	Gallagher Service Award (Bronze)
Aaron Clark	Gallagher Service Award (Silver)
David Hines	Gallagher Service Award (Silver)
Steven Bice Jr	Gallagher Service Award (Gold)
Morgan Hahn	Gallagher Service Award (Gold)

Medical Training Programme Certifications

CORE LEVEL 1	CORE LEVEL 2	CORE LEVEL 5	CORE LEVEL 6
David Hines Cher Schleigh Robert Richard	Cher Schleigh Robert Richard	Pippa Slack	TJ Allen Eric Johannson Franklin Newman III Pippa Slack
CORE LEVEL 7	CORE LEVEL 8	CORE LEVEL 9	CORE LEVEL 10
David Miller Franklin Newman III Franklin Newman III	Deborah Keyes David Miller Franklin Newman III	Deborah Keyes David Miller	Susan Anderson Deborah Keyes

Core Training Graduates

Susan Anderson
 Deborah Keyes

The STARFLEET Medical awards program can be accessed via the STARFLEET Medical [website](#)

Hypospray Webzine

Spanish and French versions can be accessed via the website or [SF Medical Facebook page LINK](#)

Research & Development Department

- Medical handbook has been completed and is available to all chapters with CMO's and all Regional ASG's.
- Any members wishing to have a copy please contact your Regional Assistant Surgeon General (ASG) who will supply a copy.
- Any department looking for assistance with Medical topics please get in touch. We have a large team willing to help.

REGIONAL ASSISTANT SURGEON GENERALS (ASG)

The majority now have regional Facebook groups which you are welcomed to join. Links below:

[R1](#) [R2](#) [R7](#) [R9](#) [R11](#) [R12](#) [R17](#) [R19](#) [R20](#)

Region 1 **Region 1 Confirmed COVID-19 CASES**

Information of confirmed COVID-19 Cases obtained from the Centre of Disease and Control web site

STATE	CONFIRMED	DEATHS	RECOVERED
<i>Kentucky</i>	<i>103,685</i>	<i>1,509</i>	<i>18,165</i>
<i>Indiana</i>	<i>171,566</i>	<i>4,227</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>North Carolina</i>	<i>266,566</i>	<i>4,275</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>Ohio</i>	<i>205,347</i>	<i>5,256</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>South Carolina</i>	<i>173,491</i>	<i>3,876</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>Tennessee</i>	<i>254,220</i>	<i>3,241</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>Virginia</i>	<i>174,275</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>---</i>
<i>West Virginia</i>	<i>23,064</i>	<i>436</i>	<i>---</i>
Total	1,372,214	22,833	18,165

Region 2 *20 members, articles on protect yourself and others from COVID-19 wear a mask, practice physical distancing, and wash your hands often.*

Region 3 *Failed to report.*

Region 4 *Failed to report.*

Region 5 *R5, no page set up yet, article posted for month of November - American Red Cross Ham Radio Strategy. Awaiting response from RC*

Region 7 *25 members . mental illness posts.*

Region 9 *19 active members,: Nobel prize in medicine article*

Region 11 *10 members*

Region 12 *10 members*

Region 13 *Failed to report. (ASG currently in hospital).*

Region 17 *19 active members article posted on: Nobel prize in medicine*

Region 19 *11 members overall*

Region 20 *99 members. 3 articles links between Loneliness and wisdom; Restart a Heart Day 2020; and International Infection Prevention Week.*

Please remember

STARFLEET Medical does the same as SFMC & MACO- it gives members a different way to channel their fandom within SFI and is an extension to your regions Commitment to give value for membership. We act as a central focal point for the medical aspect of SFI in the same way the SFMC & MACO do for those interested in the military side of SFI and just as they support their members we do the same offering support and encouragement to Medical members.

STARFLEET Medical Com Badges

We are now able to offer you the opportunity to order the STARFLEET Medical Com Badge. The attached picture shows the Design Proof of the badge, which will have a magnetic fixing. At the present time these are limited to one per SFI member Due to limited availability.

Prices are shown are including postage and shown in pounds sterling (£) :

R20 &R9 £17:00

Rest of the World £20:00

TO PLACE YOUR ORDER:

Click [HERE](#) If you'd like to be added to the list for the STARFLEET Medical comm badge and complete the form.

You will be asked to state your name and your delivery address.

You'll then receive back an email with the amount due and how to pay.

The badges are being produced, but no orders will be fulfilled until the costs of manufacture has been met through pre-order



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Summary: Starfleet Sciences is an informational resource within the old Fleet Resource Center concept which promotes science education and explores the portrayal of science within the Star Trek shows. Starfleet Sciences has a [web site](#) which includes a Chief Science Officer Handbook; in the past month, the number of hits to the web page increased 24 to 5490. Starfleet Sciences also has a listserv and Facebook page; the Facebook page has 2595 lifetime total likes and 869 daily total impressions for October. A [pininterest board](#) of science-related events by region is available. A Stellar Cartography department, with Capt. Michael Krogh (mkrogh@mail.com) at its head, has a goal to promote amateur astronomy through information, advice and communication. Stellar Cartography's [Facebook page](#). Starfleet Sciences Director Richard Heim and wife are safe and healthy, continuing to shelter at home, to escape the novel corona virus COVID-19, and teleworking. Starfleet Sciences receives reports from the regional science officers or liaisons in seven regions (1, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, and 15). Region One Sciences (also led by Adm. Heim) was active with six ships reporting in October, and Region 7's Comm. Held summarized many new developments in the field of astronomy and space exploration reported by the USS Sovereign. Comm. Held's summary included reports on: Uranian Moons are like dwarf planets; Saturn's ocean moon Enceladus has fresh ice in unexpected place; big ideas to explore icy moons and more; did a migrating Jupiter turn Venus into hell?; scientists nail down the total amount of matter in the universe; did NASA detect a hint of life on Venus in 1978 and not realize it?; 'superflares' may make it hard for life to begin around dwarf stars; and the mountains on Pluto have super weird methane ice snowcaps. October posts to the Starfleet Sciences Facebook page covered such topics as: All the things COVID-19 will change forever; eight lessons from COVID-19 go guide our climate response; A vision for NSF Earth Sciences 2020-2030; the making of the U.S. Drought Monitor; US drought vulnerability; Dust Bowl grass invaders; climate change as a systemic risk to the U.S. economy; megadrought caused Yellowstone's Old Faithful to run dry; astronomers watch a black hole's corona disappear then reappear; the language of science; Hubble watched a lunar eclipse to see Earth from an alien's perspective; unusual meteorite may hold the building blocks of life; color emotion may be a universal phenomenon; has Earth's oxygen rusted the Moon for billions of years?; possible marker of life spotted on Venus; scientists create living concrete; room-temperature superconductivity; researchers discover key immune system protein in plants; mammoth collision of 'impossible' black holes detected; breaking COVID-19's 'clutch' to sop its spread; investigational COVID-198 vaccine; a new way of looking at Earth's interior; the closest exoplanets to Earth; and large deep Antarctic ozone hole to persist into November; as well as Science Shows on TV This Week. The most popular post was Science Shows on TV, viewed by 46 people, followed by unusual meteorite may hold the building blocks of life (43).



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Hi gang! Here are the numbers for October...

22 Chapters and 4 Regions failed to report this cycle. All RCs are requested to cc your monthly status reports to ops@sfi.org.

Turning to ShOC, two chapters were commissioned; the Rhode Island and the Rising Star. No new chapters were launched.

We are reviewing compliance for SFDPP and to date have put 5 chapters on standby for failure to comply with this requirement.

We are now focusing on the new Support Ship Operations Manual and revising the Vessel Registration Request form (VRR).



ADMIRAL | JEFF HIGDON

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Welcome. I am Jeff, your friendly neighborhood Chief COMMS Peon and this is STARFLEET COMMUNICATIONS:

(A version of Ruffles and Flourishes plays)

Our Social Media Division is staging a membership audit on all Facebook pages managed by that division, ordered by the Commander, STARFLEET. This audits those FB members who are not currently members of STARFLEET. That means that if you are NOT a MEMBER of STARFLEET, your access to the Members Only and the Business FB pages will be terminated. The only way you will be able to keep your membership is to either be a member or renew your membership in STARFLEET.

Now it has also come to our attention that some of you either have multiple memberships listed under your name and that one of the membership is active and the others are not. Do not worry, we will attempt to catch it and try to either get Commuter Operations to combine them to your active membership (Some has information that you may want in your active files, like SFA classes and/or awards) or delete those inactive memberships from the DataBase.

If you are eliminated from our FB page(s) and you feel it is in error, go to the HelpDesk and open a ticket. Be sure to supply the name you that are listed by in the STARFLEET database, your SCC Number, your e-mail address, and your permission to look at your information in the DB. We will look into this and get back to you.

Please keep in mind that our entire staff are volunteers and they do have lives outside of STARFLEET. This project is huge and will take a lot of their time and effort on their part to get it done.

There are still reports that there are people not following the guidelines set to admit members to our Facebook, mailing lists, and other social media outlets that we oversee.

For those of you who use the invite feature on either of our FB pages: Please be aware that there are membership questions that need to be addressed. This means that when inviting people to the page, you need to alert them to the fact that they need to provide answers to the membership questions. Those add requests that lack this information will be declined. A better option would be to send the URL of the relevant FB page to your friend/acquaintance and have them submit the add request [along with the previously mentioned membership information]. Yes, this applies to chapter Commanding Officers and Executive Officers as well. Moving on...

We are requesting that our seasoned members look through your files for old Communiqués. We are missing quite a few of them and would very much like to put them in our files, which you can find at the STARFLEET Database (SFDB). The issues of the STARFLEET Communiqué that we are missing are:

1, 3-9, 13-25, 27-29, 31-41, 44.

We would appreciate your help very much in this effort. Please remember that these CQ's are hard copy and will need to be scanned and sent to us. If you cannot scan and you wish to either contribute a CQ in question or loan a CQ to the association, please contact our Vice-Chief In Charge of Publications and Manuals, Lieutenant Tj Feldman at vice-chief-pub@sfi.org to make arrangements. Again, we would appreciate it if you can search through your records to see if you have the CQ's in question.

We are in search of any manuals, forms, or publications whether they be current or from past times. These publications (which we'll call them) can be out-of-date and are usually no longer in circulation. If you have such STARFLEET publications, please contact Lieutenant Feldman at the email address given in the last paragraph. It will be very much appreciated!

Articles, reports, photos, cartoons, graphics, and anything else to be Issue 205 of the STARFLEET Communiqué, which will be the first issue of 2021, will be due by 11:59 PM Central Daylight Time on Tuesday, December 15th. We appreciate all submissions to the CQ, so keep those items coming in!

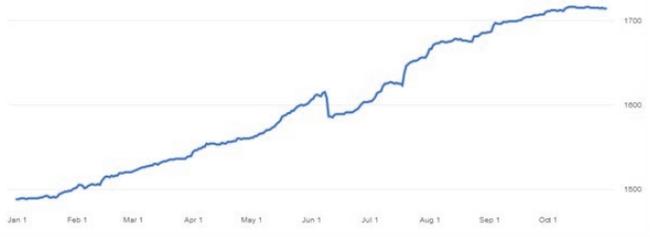
Remember that our Audio and Video division is busy with producing several STARFLEET programs, such as "STARFLEET After Dark," "STARFLEET Icons" and the "Ask Me Anything" programs. Preparations for the news program, "STARFLEET @ Large" continues. Watch for announcements from Major Russell Camp, Vice Chief, A/V, and Humanoid Resources for your opportunity to help in the making of this program!

An added treat I am pleased to share with you graphics from the Media Services Division on our FB Pages:

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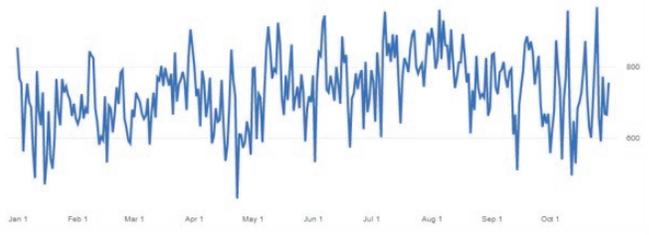
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▲ 15.27% vs. Dec 31, 2019
Oct 31, 2020



969 Active Members

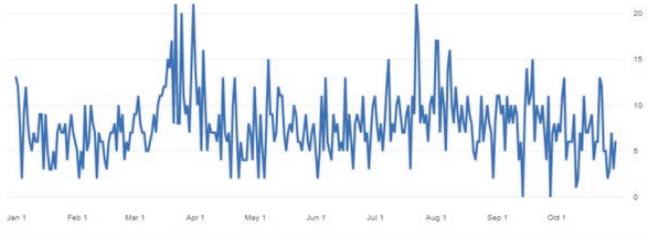
Jan 1, 2020 - Oct 31, 2020



2,412 Posts

Jan 1, 2020 - Oct 31, 2020

Posts Comments Reactions All



1,115 Membership Requests

Jan 1, 2020 - Oct 31, 2020

Approved

332

Declined

783

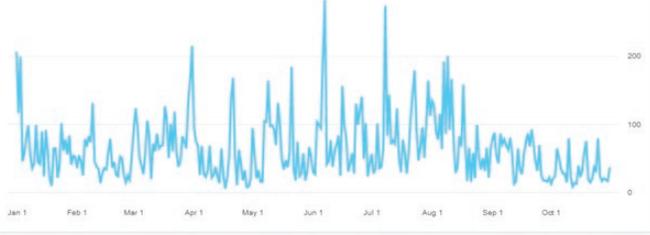
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19,385 Comments

Jan 1, 2020 - Oct 31, 2020

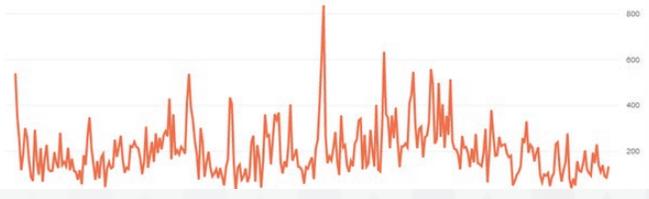
Posts Comments Reactions All



61,780 Reactions

Jan 1, 2020 - Oct 31, 2020

Posts Comments Reactions All



Popular Days

The average number of times group members post, comment or react on a given day in the specified date range.

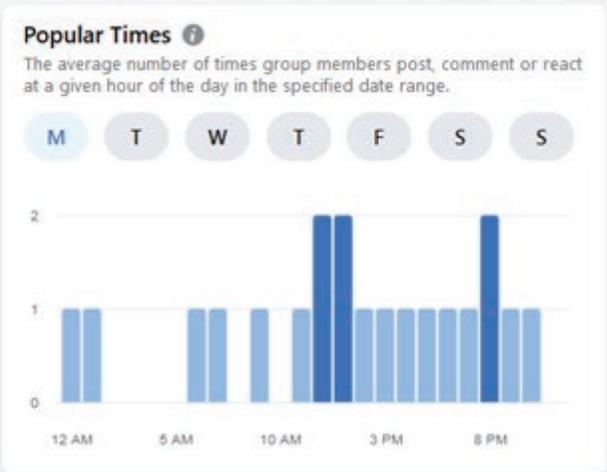
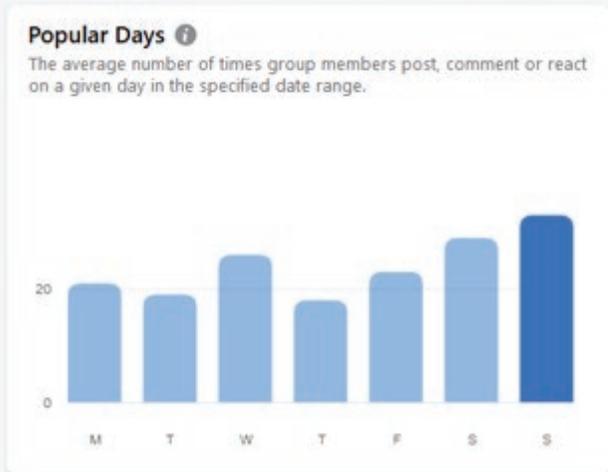
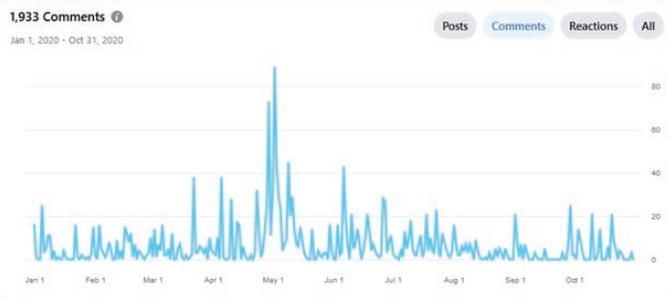
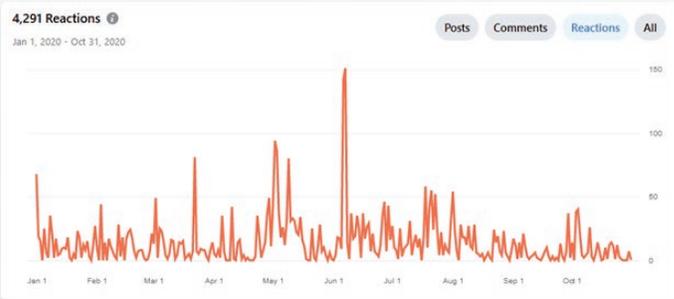
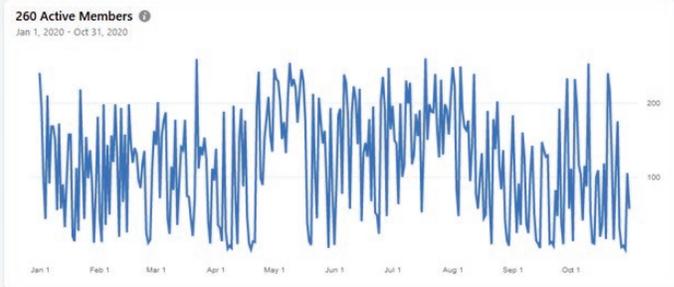
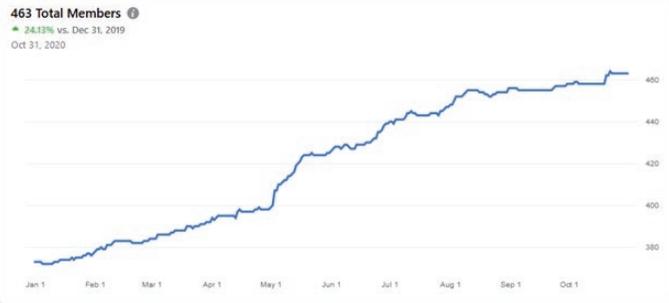


Popular Times

The average number of times group members post, comment or react at a given hour of the day in the specified date range.



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That's it from the COMMS Peon. See you in 30!!!



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CES OFFICE

Thanks to Cher Schleigh, we had our first Dean Zoom Call to try to get communications moving more in the SFA. It also gave me a chance to explain more of what I would like to see happen in the Academies.

Speaking of the Academies, I am trying to allow the Commandant and the Superintendent to run their academy but to also keep me in the loop. I stress this a lot with them. As I am busy with my real-life job and with the Educational Services, I tell them I cannot micromanage each academy. SFA does ask me questions and I am hoping that SFMCA will follow suit. I am not trying to detract from TRACOM but I still need to know more from SFMCA.

Moodle is moving forward. Jayden and I are working with COMPOPS on the move. Jayden is more involved with it than I but he said things are looking good during the test. CompOps and Jayden will inform my staff of when the transition from one host to the other will fully take effect. They will also try to limit the amount of downtime during that transition.

On the SFDPP side, I have fixed a sheet that has been shared with the CS, EC, and RCs to show how the CO/XO compliance is. I want to give a shout out to Tony of CompOps for helping me square this away. Hopefully, this helps Ops and the RCs.

Until Next time.

SFA NEWS

Our numbers have dipped more, with just under 1000 completed courses, and just over 100 individual students (not counting SFDPP). Hopefully some of the new courses and colleges that will be opening in the coming weeks and months will help increase our traffic.

We unfortunately had a breach with regard to the SFDPP exams, and answers were accidentally posted to a regional CO/XO list. In order to make it harder for people to take those answers and use them to cheat, we have shuffled the questions on the PDF version of the exam. We cannot shuffle the questions on Moodle because the exam has already been opened, but since the vast majority of members needing the exams have already taken them, we feel the negative impact is negligible. We are still working out the details on how the retakes will be done moving forward, but we will be making sure that the questions are shuffled to deter cheating.

We are continuing to work on finishing up the revision/update project. We will be having a Zoom meeting with the Deans and Assistant Deans to make sure they are assisting the Directors and Assistant Directors in their colleges.

I want to again thank the Humanoid Resources department, and Lauren White in particular. She is wonderful in working with me on the best ways to get our listings posted and in front of the membership. We are continuing to gain new staff members, and some of our newest ones have quickly become some of our strongest.

SFMCA NEWS

October seems to have flown past us and we're into November already. Hard to believe that. Sadly, Michael Denman with Maritime Operations has had to resign due to real world. We wish him all the best and will be looking for a new Director in the coming weeks. The NCO, MECH, PD, and INF have all been revised and reviewed and are currently waiting for approval by the GS before submission to the SFA for upload. We're looking forward to all of them getting up and running.

As of today, all of our current Directors and Assistant Directors have completed the SFDPP courses (101, 102 and 201[if needed]). Extremely happy about that.

The ACA crew has been pumping out certificates for backlogged students and I'm looking forward to their work with upcoming projects. Hazzah!



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HOST MIGRATIONS

We have a new host and are working on moving the various sites to it. At the moment, we are finishing up the migration of the Academy site – it has been a long process with a lot of problems but we're finally nearly done with it. We have one more item to fix and we'll be able to move on to the other items.

Up next: main website and email

The SFMC sites are pending the completion of our move off Site5.

NEW DATABASE

The basic architecture for the new database is currently being tested – it will be a front-end / back-end architecture with an API on the backend.

DATA PRIVACY

No movement on privacy policy updates this month because of the host migration.

DATABASE NUMBERS

Total active memberships: 5,703

Total individual memberships: 2,607

Total in family memberships: 2,929

Number of family memberships: 1,011



GENERAL | LINDA OLSON

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Hello! The best way I know to deliver this information to the members is to give the short version.

Main STARFLEET Bank Account

These numbers are what would be in the account if it were active.

Opened the month of October with a balance of \$70526.61

Credits equaled \$1927.25

Debits equaled \$739.30

Closed the month of October with a balance of \$71,714.56

Breakdown of credits is as follows:

\$1904.25 PayPal receipts from October not pulled but is included in the total above.

Over the counter deposits - \$23.00 (Membership \$23)

total \$1927.25

Breakdown of Debits

Site 5.com - \$23.94

Dream host - \$16.90 SFA web hosting

Linode.com - \$20.00

Office Depot - \$18.35 (ledger for CFO)

North Carolina Dept of Revenue - \$1.11 (3rd quarter sales tax)

Scholarship donations - \$159

Check 2527 - \$500 To the Royal Manicoran Navy for database payment 2019

total debits for October from the Main Account totals - \$739.30

October PayPal receipts total breakdown

Membership revenue = \$1804.86 less fees of \$100.65 on sales and \$30 monthly fee = \$1674.21

MP donations for scholarship = \$159.00

Corona Virus Com Badge - 117.25

Reimbursement to Richard Sams for postage \$46.21

SFI SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT

Opened the month of October with a balance of \$17,527.02

Credits -\$159.00 collected from MP online but not transferred to the savings account yet.

Interest - 15 cents

Debits - 0

Closed the month of October with a balance of \$17,686.17

Credit Break Down

Online MP donations - 159.00

Interest - .15

Total \$159.15

STARFLEET INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ACCOUNT - *what should be in the account if the Main and SFMC accounts were active.*

Opened the month of October \$3272.05 (\$797.48 carried over in account before 2021 began accepting deposits. The \$500 deposit to the hotel for 2021 will need to be returned to the main account)

Credits -\$54.19 (PayPal income not yet transferred for the month)

Debits - \$0

Closed Month of October \$3,326.24

Breakdown of credits

PayPal sales \$57.00 less PayPal fee of \$2.81 = \$54.19

IC 2021 Registrations taken from September 30 to October 31.

Paul Reid (will receive free patch) \$47.00 and one com badge \$10

Registration

1 this month @ \$47 total this month before fees

Registrations total \$1547.00 before fees

Badges - 1 this month @ (\$10.00) total - 10 total sold (\$100.00 before fees)

Patches - 0 this month @ (\$5.00) total - 8 total sold (\$40.00 before fees) 3 free badges

Friday night Banquets - 0 this month @ (\$40.00) total sold -7 (280.00 before fees)

Saturday night banquets - 0 this month @ (\$50.00) total sold - 13 (\$650.00 before fees)

total collected by IC2021 as of October 31st. \$2617.00 less PayPal fees of \$88.24 = \$2528.76

Expenses - none this month.

Expenses to date.

Hotel deposit - \$500

Patches - \$148.19

domain name - \$25.90

total expenses to date = \$674.09

I have not yet ordered the com badges.

STARFLEET MARINES ACCOUNT

The SFMC Bank Account is no longer frozen due to the fraudulent check presented against the account in April. All income from Quartermaster sales that has been held in the PayPal account will be moved to the bank account and I will start using the account as soon as I can get a new debit card issued to replace the one that was cancelled. At that time, I will reimburse the Main account for all postage and purchases we have made during the shutdown.

This is what the numbers would be if we had the account active.

Opened the month of October with a balance of \$7956.43

Credits equaled -\$108.01 PayPal sales \$112.79 less fees of \$4.78

Debits equaled - \$19.60 postage on quartermaster orders.

Closed the month of October with a balance of \$8044.84

SFMC Scholarship Account

Opened the month of October with a balance of \$2749.58

Credits equaled \$.02

Debits - \$0

Closed the month of October with a balance of \$2749.60