

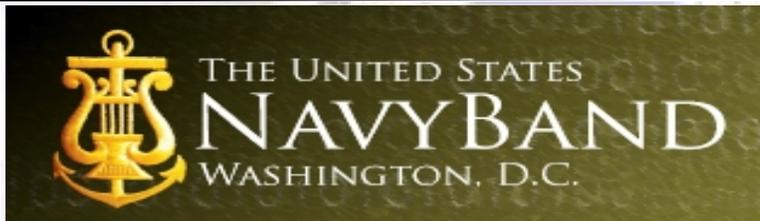


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On 11 December 2014, in preparation for their holiday concert, NDW's US Navy Band combined the musical forces of all the band units and hosted an open rehearsal and charity fair in support of CFC. This first-time event provided a live studio audience experience, bringing together audience and "cast". In attendance were military and civilian campus employees, as well as visiting members of an Australian High School band. Videographers and photographers took up respective positions to capture the event, while charity fair representatives manned their stations and greeted attendees.

The program captured diverse tastes, as well as brought in the holiday spirit with traditional songs and instrumental arrangements inspired by various cultures. Emotional video spots were shown from military around the world bringing greetings and making holiday wishes. Guests thoroughly enjoyed themselves from the music to the behind the scenes experience and tasty refreshments.

CAPT Walden and the Navy Band are excited and honored to ring in the season at their annual "Holiday Concert" on Saturday, December 20, at 7:30 PM and Sunday, December 21, at 3:00 PM (both performances at DAR Constitution Hall at 1776 D St. NW in Washington, DC). The family-friendly show promises to delight all ages and get you out of your seat to sing and dance along. We've heard that there will be a special visit and flyover by a familiar guy with reindeer as well! Let's see who's been naughty or nice!

Visit The United States Navy Band Washington, D.C. at <http://www.navyband.navy.mil/> or click on a hyperlink below to learn more about each respective band unit and calendar of events.

Command Standing

100% Club

- SSP
- USMC
- BUMED
- SPAWAR
- NCWDG
- NRL
- ONI

1st Place—SECNAV
(96.7%)

2nd Place—ONR
(96.4%)

3rd Place—NAVFAC
(89.5%)

4th Place—CNIC
(81.7%)

5th Place—NAVSEA
(79.8%)



CAPT Brian O. Walden
Commanding Officer/Leader

- [Concert Band](#)
- [Ceremonial Band](#)
- [Sea Chanters](#)
- [Commodores](#)
- [Country Current](#)
- [Country/Bluegrass Quintet](#)
- [Cruisers](#)
- [Chamber Ensembles](#)

Happy Holidays



...it's ONI blazing out of the backfield to eclipse NRL at the wire by .6!!! SECNAV, ONR, NAVFAC, CNIC and NAVSEA follow in a closely contested 2nd-5th place!

To our newest
100% Club members,

CONGRATULATIONS, ONI!!!

CONGRATULATIONS, NRL!!!



CELEBRATING *89 Years* OF SERVICE TO AMERICA



DoD Campaign Contest

VCMO will select entries from all service branches, per award category, and forward to the CFCNCA Contest, in representation of DoD

- DoD Campaign Contest submissions due to VCMO
Friday, **January 16, 2015 @ 3:00 PM** ★
- DoD Campaign Contest
Wednesday, January 21, 2015 ★
- DoD CFC Awards Ceremony (Winners recognized)
Thursday, January 29, 2015 ★
- DON CFCNCA Awards Ceremony, TBD



DoD Campaign Contest

Campaign Awards:

- ⇒ Best Special Event
- ⇒ Best Website/Electronic Communication
- ⇒ Best Use of Social Media
- ⇒ Best Poster/Display
- ⇒ Best Campaign Writing or Publication
- ⇒ Best Photography
- ⇒ Best Overall Communications Program

Pillars of Success Awards:

- ⇒ Executive and Leadership Involvement Award
- ⇒ Most Innovative Campaign Technique Award
- ⇒ CFCNCA Hero Awards

**DON'T FORGET
TO SUBMIT YOUR AWARD
APPLICATION THROUGH
YOUR COMMAND**

LOANED EXECUTIVE!!!



NEED-TO-KNOW

- **At campaign's end (Dec 31)**, ALL electronic donation options will no longer be active. However, paper forms can be submitted until January 15, 2015.
- Find your favorite CFC charity online at <http://cfcna.org/>
- You may donate via Payroll Deduction, Credit/Debit Card, or eCheck one-time or recurring
- Visit <http://cfcna.org/campaign-workers/pledge-drop-off-locations> for a list of Pledge Drop-off locations
- Highlight your Command CFC events by uploading to <http://cfcna.org/event-summary-form>
- Be sure to submit for CFC Awards and Recognition at <http://cfcna.org/campaign-workers/awards-and-recognition/campaign-contest>

**There's still time!
Donate TODAY!!!**



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