

Reserve Force Communicator

Quick Takes

Navy Reserve Force By the Numbers:

Here are the latest Navy Reserve [statistics](#).

Day in the Navy Reserve:

Entries from the [December 7](#) Day in the Navy Reserve.

Important Navy Admins:

- [001/13](#): 2013 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Observance.
- [002/13](#): Assistance with Medical Referral Process for Returning Individual Augmentees (IA) and Reserve Unit Sailors.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- [RC to AC Transition](#)
- [Seabee Force Reduction](#)
- [FleetRIDE](#)



Leadership Focus Points

Chief of Navy Reserve:

[Association of the United States Navy interview with VADM Braun](#): In This article, VADM Braun discusses the state of the Navy Reserve and future opportunities.

[Reserve Officer's Association Article – Taking a Fix](#): This article provides a snapshot of the Navy Reserve today.

FORCM:

[MCPON Releases CPO 365 Training Guidance](#): Effective immediately, we're respectfully sun-downing the word 'induction', and in its place we'll use CPO 365 as the primary term.

Commander Navy Reserve Forces Command:

[CNRFC Blog](#): With the end of the war in Iraq and the drawdown of our efforts in Afghanistan, our expeditionary forces are larger than required for peacetime operations. Navy Seabees are taking the brunt of this reduction as a result of this decreased demand for reconstruction abroad, but the remaining Seabee force will be large enough and capable enough to continue their critical mission.

Commander Navy Reserve Air Force:

[Character and Integrity](#): (C&I) training for Naval Air Forces personnel is in full swing. CNAF has partnered with CNAFR to develop the program which is a response to Character & Integrity (C&I) related incidents which continue to adversely affect Naval Aviation, impacting readiness and devastating professional and personal lives.

Professional Development

Leadership Articles:

[Lessons Learned from the Diversity Accountability Review](#): The Navy definition of diversity is *"all the different characteristics and attributes of individual Sailors and civilians that enhance the mission readiness of the Navy."*

Navy Navigates Continuing Resolution:

Because sequestration was delayed, our focus must now shift to the impacts of the CR, which creates significant shortfalls in operation & maintenance, Navy (OMN) and Marine Corps (OMMC) accounts and the resultant steps we must take to maintain a minimum level of presence.

Training

• [Senior Enlisted Academy Opportunities](#)

• [Navy War College: College of Distance Education \(Non-Resident Curriculum\)](#)

Sailor and Family Support

[Safe Help Line](#): Sexual Assault support for the DoD community.

[Military Crisis Line](#): Suicide prevention for military members and their family.

Events of October 1962 indicated, as they had all through history, that control of the sea means security. Control of the seas can mean peace. Control of the seas can mean victory. The United States must control the seas if it is to protect your security...."

President John F. Kennedy, 6 June 1963, on board USS Kitty Hawk.