

URAC Breakfast Meeting

February 2, 2019

Meeting called to Order@ 8:22 am with intro's

20 people in attendance

Mary Werk KM6WDY received her license in October 2018

The Presentation started @ 9:20 am

- USS Iowa - BB61 - *Battleship of Presidents*
- Thank you to Doug W6HB and David AG6E for a wonderful presentation.
- Battleship Iowa turned 75 on February 22, 2018. The Special yearlong celebration ends February 21, 2019. If you would like to donate, go online, biara.org (scroll down to donate)

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A few notes from the slides and Presentation:

USS IOWA FACTS & FIGURES:

SIZE

- Length 887 feet | Beam 108 feet / Draft 37 feet
- Speed 33 knots (approx. 38 mph)

Presidents who boarded the USS IOWA:

- President Franklin D. Roosevelt - November 1943 (bathtub and elevator on board)
- President Ronald Regan- July 1986
- President George H.W. Bush -April 1989
- President Donald J. Trump - September 2015

USS IOWA has 3 Sister Ships:

- BB-62 USS New Jersey
- BB-62 USS Missouri
- BB-64 USS Wisconsin

Volunteer Opportunities - www.pacificbattleship.com

Donate - biara.org

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Happy Birthdays in March

- 3/06 Justin Baker/ KM60XV
- 3/16 Ingo Werk/ KK6EWB
- 3/23 Don Putnick I NA6Z

LAACARC Meeting Notes

HAMCON - 2021 (not Confirmed)

Baker-Vegas and Los Angeles Marathon are both on March 24, 2019

- To Volunteer for the Los Angeles Marathon www.lamarathon.com
- Follow [this link](#) to the volunteer signup sheet
- In the Volunteer Shift column, **G1** is for Radio Operators