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Chair Talk



Greetings Fellow GWAC Members and Logisticians! This issue of the GWAC ORACLE Newsletter includes information about upcoming events; Chapter Officer reports; Management Committee minutes; an article on “*Management of DMSMS*”; an Announcement Flyer on our May 31 Luncheon; a notional 2006 GWAC Membership Committee Election Ballot; a SOLE 2006 SOLE Symposium Flyer, a Book Review on the *Integrated Logistics Support Handbook*, by James V. Jones. I highly recommend you consider buying the book as a reference!!!

April GWAC Luncheon Feedback

The speaker for our 26 April luncheon, held at the Fort Myer Officer’s Club in Arlington, VA, was Mr. Dean Fish, Senior Associate with Booz Allen Hamilton. The Topic was Logistics Engineering and the Warfighter. Mr. Fish opened the presentation with a question to the logisticians in the room—how do you define “logistics”? After several textbook answers, he said you could define logistics as “getting the right stuff at the right place at the right time at the right cost”.

He followed this lead-in with a briefing on the Logistics Engineering concept and model that he is leading the development effort at Booz Allen Hamilton. The Logistics Engineering model provides a multi-functional technical management approach that brings science to the art of logistics through the precise application of analytics and tools to facilitate knowledge-based decision making of a system throughout its life-cycle. It serves as an enabling, value added proposition across the entire acquisition process as well as a support capability that optimizes Performance Based Logistics, Logistics/Product Support Planning, and

Process Reengineering. Finally, it addresses the capability that supports the warfighter by facilitating the achievement of two prime tenets of Logistics Transformation - increased operational capability and simultaneous reduction in life-cycle costs. To see a copy of the presentation, visit your GWAC web site at www.gwacsole.org.

31 May GWAC Luncheon

Our 31 May GWAC luncheon will be held in the Fife and Drum room (located within the main dining room area) from 11:15am to 1:00pm at the Fort Myer Officer’s Club in Arlington, VA. The guest speaker is Dr. Joanne Stone Wyman, SOLE’s Humanitarian and Disaster Relief Logistics Application Division Director. To RSVP, contact bunnystreet@yahoo.com. The cost is \$20 for an outstanding white table cloth buffet luncheon. The cost is free for first time luncheon attendees Be sure to make this known when making your reservation. See the attached Luncheon Flyer on page 12.

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Upcoming Events

1-2 June, 2006, Software Configuration Management to be held in Washington, D.C. Contact www.TechnologyTraining.com.

6-7 June, 2006, Performance Based Logistics Workshop to be held in Washington, D.C. Contact www.TechnologyTraining.com.

June 7-9, 2006, Lean Six Sigma for Defense to be held at the Hilton Arlington in Crystal City. Contact www.idga.org/na-2378-02 or 800-882-8684

8-9 June, 2006, Systems Engineering to be held in Washington, D.C. Contact www.TechnologyTraining.com.

August 13 - 17, 2006, 41st Annual International Logistics Conference & Exhibition to be held at the Omni Mandalay at Las Colinas (Dallas), TX. The theme is "Logistics: The Next Generation". The three-day symposium will offer strategic perspectives on the critical components of Logistics; along with offering invaluable insights into the future direction, integration, and the next advancements in Logistics. See the attached Flyer on page 13 and contact SOLE at www.sole.org

Financial Report

by BJ Silvey at
silveybjmarbj@comcast.net

As of 30 April, 2006

Beginning Balance: \$6224.68

Income: Luncheon

Total Income: \$200.00

Expenses: (\$201.35)

Total Expenses: (\$1110.19)

Ending Balance: \$6223.33

VC Programs

by LCDR Ron Hooks, USCG, at
dhooks@comdt.uscg.mil

We have identified a speaker for our June luncheon and are in the process of identifying a speaker for our September luncheon. The speaker for our May Luncheon is identified in the Flyer on page 12, or you can visit our GWAC Web site at www.gwacsole.org.

VC Technical

By Gary Glick, CPL at
glickg@starpower.net

May CPL Exam

The May 2006 CPL exam was held at the Florida Institute of Technology (FIT) training center located on Eisenhower avenue in Alexandria, VA. Sue Sammy and Kim Novak from GWAC retook the exam.

SOLE Searchers

Check out the updated "Jobs" page hyperlink at the GWAC Web site at www.gwacsole.org. or contact Linc Hallen at 301-460-5060.

DCEAS

Richard Leshuk, the delegate from the Technology Transfer Society (TTS) presented an informal briefing on the annual Digital Edge

Expo. The 5th Annual NBC4 Digital Edge Expo attracted an estimated 40,000 visitors over the two days of the event, making it the most successful ever. Held at the Washington Convention Center, Aug. 27-28, 2005, the Expo was open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days and was free to the public. Visitors said they enjoyed all that was offered at the Expo, but were especially pleased with being able to speak directly with technology experts who could answer questions. Visitors' concerns ranged from how to protect themselves against identity theft to what kind of flat-screen TV to purchase, and beyond.

Chapter Website

Contact the webmaster at webmaster@gwacsole.org with your comments and/or input. Files added during the last month to the functional areas include the following:

General.

- April Membership Committee Meeting Agenda and Minutes
- Updated Calendar of Events

Administration.

- Membership Spreadsheet, Password protected (contact webmaster@gwacsole.com)
- April ORACLE Newsletter

Finance.

- April Financial Report

Chapter Events List

2006-2007

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
<u>May 31</u>	GWAC Luncheon
<u>June 14</u>	GWAC BoD Meeting
<u>June 28</u>	GWAC Luncheon
<u>July 12</u>	GWAC BoD Meeting
<u>Aug 9</u>	GWAC BoD Meeting

GWAC Management Committee Meeting Minutes

CALL TO ORDER:

IPC Lyle Paulson, CPL, called the meeting to order at 5:45p.m. on 10 May, 2006 at Hamburger Hamlet restaurant in Crystal City.

CHAPTER OFFICERS PRESENT:

Dave Floyd, CPL	Chapter Chair
Lyle Paulson, CPL	IPC
BJ Silvey	VC Finance
Linc Hallen	BoD Member
Richmond Miller, CPL	BoD Member

OLD BUSINESS:

Past Minutes. The GWAC Management Committee reviewed and recommended approval of the April 2006 Management Committee Meeting minutes and Financial report for the month of April.

VC/COMMITTEE REPORTS:

VC FINANCE:

Finances were approved. \$6223.33 in account. Looking for a laptop that will satisfy all GWAC requirements. Need Microsoft Office installed and any other software owned by GWAC. BJ Silvey is going to set up an inventory receipt to keep track of all GWAC owned equipment. These items will be listed with responsible persons on each financial report since these are monetary resources.

VC Member Services:

Tom Griffith is the new, acting Member Services Chair for GWAC. Tom has compared our membership list with the headquarters list and found errors. Tom will send out a reminder about upcoming monthly luncheons to chapter members.

VC PROGRAMS:

Luncheon Speakers. Ron Hooks has lined up speakers for the rest of year except for October, which is the GWAC Awards Luncheon month. Linc Hallen has suggested getting Dr. Knesevic from the MIRCE Academy to speak

at that luncheon. In addition, Dr. Knesevic is willing to come to DC and give a one-day technical seminar. Linc Hallen is making arrangements for the visit.

VC ADMINISTRATION:

Any first time attendees at SOLE luncheons are free — started in January. The qualifier is you cannot have attended a luncheon within the last three years to qualify. You must also identify yourself as “new” when you RSVP. Also any full time students get lunch free. We need a running list of luncheon attendees and total for last year. We need to get bios from the new members and print them in the Oracle Newsletter.

VC EDUCATION:

Gary Glick, CPL, and Dave Floyd, CPL proctored the May CPL exam. There were two GWAC members, Sue Sammy and Kim Novak who were retaking the CPL Exam.

NEW BUSINESS:

Discussion centered on how the board felt about reducing the number of at-large board members. Discussed cutting the ad hoc board members to three. If someone asks for a quorum, we can never have one because of the non-attending board members. Ron Hooks took an action to see what is said in the by laws. People have been nominated for national awards. Must get the forms in soon. Discussed a sponsor/mentor approach for people attending luncheons for the first time. Mary Johnston will ask the people as they RSVP if they have attended in the past and work out the details for the sponsor program.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being to further discussions, IPC Lyle Paulson, CPL, adjourned the meeting at 6.50 pm. The next Membership Committee meeting is scheduled for 5:45pm on 14 June at Chapter Chair Dave Floyd’s house.

Management of DMSMS within the DoN

By Eric Grothues & Kelly Gibson

The Department of the Navy (DoN) Strategic Plan for Diminishing Manufacturing Sources and Material Shortages (DMSMS) was briefed by Kelly Gibson, Marine Corp Systems Command, at the quarterly DOD DMSMS Working Group meeting held at Ft. Belvoir, VA, on March 28, 2006. This strategic plan is a joint effort between the USMC and the USN. Ms. Gibson covered the Mission, Vision, and Goals for the Department. The DoN Strategic Plan was signed by the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Logistics) (DASN(LOG)) in February 2006.

DASN(LOG) has been the champion within the DoN for institutionalizing a DMSMS management process across the Department. The mission of the Strategic Plan is to provide a proactive, disciplined approach to define, measure, analyze, improve, and control DMSMS issues to improve DoN systems availability, reduce total life cycle costs, and increase readiness. The vision of the Service is to be the recognized leader within the Department of Defense (DOD) and Defense Industry for providing collaborative and cost effective DMSMS management and solutions. To achieve these goals, the DoN has taken the following actions. In January 2005, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research, Development and Acquisition) (ASN(RD&A)) promulgated policy requiring all programs develop and implement DMSMS Program Management Plans, and track and report selected DMSMS metrics. DASN(LOG) assessed the program plans and metrics and provided feedback to the program offices. The DoN also assesses implementation of DMSMS program management during the Independent Logistics Assessments, which must be conducted at milestones, B, C, and Full Rate Production.

The DoN has developed management guides

entitled “*DMSMS Management Plan Guidance*” and “*DMSMS Guidance For Developing Contractual Requirements*,” to assist program offices in developing and implementing robust DMSMS management strategies.

The DASN(LOG) has also assessed several of the DoN and industry DMSMS management tools to identify those that best meet the Department’s needs, and is in the process of ensuring that DMSMS tools used within the DoN will share DMSMS case resolution across the Services. This will be accomplished through the DoN module of the DMSMS Shared Data Warehouse (SDW), which will be available for use in October 2006 and the USMC module available early 2007. The SDW will ensure that obsolescence issues noted in one system will be shared with systems having similar components.

DASN(LOG) and the DASN(LOG) chartered DMSMS Integrated Process Team continues to provide assistance to the DoN program offices in developing and implementing their DMSMS programs and plans, and is continuing to support the different efforts within the DoD to provide synergy between DoN, DoD, and industry.

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The Plan also identified three goals, which are to:

1. Determine the magnitude of DMSMS issues within the DoN Enterprise
2. Develop a management process to track DMSMS cases and share the resolution data across all systems
3. Communicate DMSMS goals, promote policies, and issue guidance to supporting program offices

BOOK REVIEW

Integrated Logistics Support Handbook

By James V. Jones

From McGraw-Hill Professional and the SOLE PRESS

All the ILS expertise needed to achieve a more supportable system and cost-effective support Infrastructure Engineers and managers can turn to the updated Third Edition of Integrated Logistics Support Handbook for expert guidance on applying Integrated Logistics Support (ILS) for acquisition and procurement planning in new product development. Long-established as the definitive ILS resource, this handbook distills thousands of pages of directives, instructions, and related material into a coherent, one-stop reference that can be used to enhance any military or commercial project. The Third Edition features new information on reliability and maintainability engineering, testability, supportability engineering, cost of ownership, personnel, support equipment, training, technical documentation, level-of-repair analysis, software support, life-cycle cost, logistics plans, contracts, and much more. Filled with step-by-step guidelines and 300 illustrations, the updated Integrated Logistics Support Handbook explains how to: Meet the requirements of MIL-PRF 49506, Logistics Management Information and how to develop and measure Performance-Based Logistics requirements. Also new to this edition: applications of ILS to software-based systems, applications to commercial off-the-shelf solutions, and the latest Department of Defense ILS requirements.

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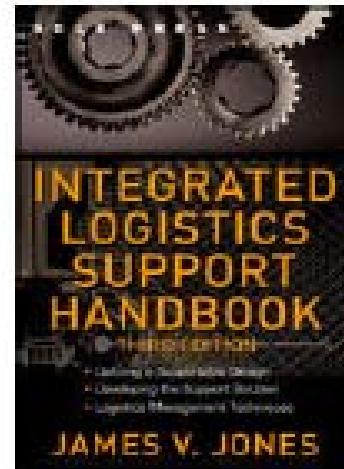
James V. Jones, president of Logistics Management Associates in Irvine, California, is an internationally recognized expert on supportability engineering and integrated logistics support. He is a logistics professor at The University of Portsmouth, United Kingdom, and has been a guest lecturer at other colleges and universities. The author of several technical reference books, Mr. Jones is sought after as a consultant, lecturer, and educator around the world.

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GWAC CHAPTER BOD ELECTION PROCESS

That time of the year has arrived – nomination of the new GWAC BoD for the next operating year. Here’s a timeline extract from the GWAC Policies and Procedures concerning BoD Elections. Think it over and if you are interested, submit your name and bio to the chapter ASAP. Make a difference and run for the BoD.

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR:

Activate the Nominations Committee. Collect from present board members names of recommended replacements.	February Meeting
Develop nomination list.	March
Verify and screen list of candidates.	March
Prepare final list for Board approval.	April Meeting
Convey approved list and biographies to the Elections Committee Chairman.	April

ELECTIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR:

Activate the Elections Committee.	March
Prepare ballots.	April
Receive approved list and biographies from the Nominations Committee Chairman.	April
Submit ballots and biographies for the May ORACLE.	April
Collect executed ballots at luncheons.	May and June
Collect executed mail-in ballots.	June
Assess validity of ballots.	June
Tally ballots and announce successful candidates.	June
Notify SOLE Executive Director and District Director.	NLT 15 days after luncheon
Convey sealed ballots to incumbent Vice Chair- Admin	June Luncheon

CHAPTER CHAIR:

Convene special Board meeting to break ties.	NLT 1 wk after June Luncheon
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VICE CHAIR ADMINISTRATION:

Prepare notice of election schedule for the April ORACLE.	February
Receive sealed ballots from Elections Committee Chair.	June Luncheon
Destroy sealed ballots	31 days after receipt

Selected BoD Biographies

David S. Floyd, CPL, is in his 5th year as the GWAC Chapter Chair. He is also the Newsletter Editor. Mr. Floyd, CPL, has 25 years combined logistics engineering experience supporting the U.S. Navy. He is a retired Naval Reserve Surface Warfare Officer. Dave is employed by Booz Allen Hamilton as an Associate. He provides logistics and configuration management support for the USCG Deepwater Acquisition and Life Cycle Support Program. He was previously employed by CRC, EG&G and TMA Corporation where he provided logistics and configuration management support to NAVSEA over a 20 year period. Mr. Floyd holds a B.S. Degree in Government and Foreign Affairs from the University of Virginia and an M.S. Degree in Systems Engineering from George Mason University. He has been a member of the International Society of Logistics (SOLE) and the American Society of Naval Engineers (ASNE) since 1988. He has served as the Vice Chair Administration for the Ventura County SOLE Chapter of SOLE. He has also served five years on the Board of Directors for SOLE District's 2 Mid- Atlantic Log Committee as the Publicity Chair. Mr. Floyd received the SOLE Field Award for Configuration Management at the SOLE 2002 annual symposium. Mr. Floyd lives in Alexandria, VA and has a 19-year old daughter Jessica in College at UDel.

Mary E. Johnston, is the current Vice Chair--Administration. Mary is a career logistician with over 28 years of experience in a variety of logistics related areas. She served in the USAF as an aircraft mainte-

nance officer on F-111E's, F-106's, F-4E's, F-15 C&D's and the T-33's. Mary served on active duty for 9 years before relocating to St Louis to work for McDonnell-Douglas. She left St Louis and moved to the Washington DC area in the early 90's and has worked for a number of local contractors since then. She lives in Springfield, VA with her Fiancée, Tim and 18-year-old daughter, Jenny. She has a Bachelors of Arts Degree from California State University, Fresno, CA and a Masters of Science Degree from Vanderbilt University.

CDR Ron Hooks, USCG currently serves as the Logistics Support Manager and Port Installation Officer for the Coast Guard Ports and Waterways Safety System major acquisition. In this capacity he is responsible for ensuring all logistics issues for the new Vessel Traffic Management system receive consideration, as well as planning and overseeing system installations in nine major U.S. ports. Prior to this assignment, he served as Comptroller for the Command and Control Engineering Center, Supply Officer for the Coast Guard Cutter Mellon, Budget Officer for the Fifth District Reserve Branch, and as an Electronics Technician on the Coast Guard Cutter Northland prior to attending Officer Candidate School. Ron received his Masters in Business Administration from Old Dominion University in May of 2002 and is currently preparing to sit for the PMI Project Management Professional certification test. He joined SOLE in May of 2004 and attended the 2004 Annual Conference as well as this years Mid-Atlantic Logistics conference. He is married with a 16 year old daughter and lives in King George, VA.

Gary Glick, CPL, is the current Vice Chair Technical and Professional Development. Gary came to the Washington area defense contracting community in 1978 after five years in surface ships that taught him that everything comes down to logistics. In his first job at Northrop Services, a particularly enthusiastic mentor named Charlie Hymers introduced him to the world of professional engineering services and integrated logistics support. At Northrop Services, and later at ORI, Mr. Glick helped work out the maintenance and material support needs of the TRIDENT submarine, and went on to work logistics and life cycle cost for ships, aircraft, missiles, satellite communications, and finally Ballistic Missile Defense. His logistics experience spans every level, “from a classified depth to a classified altitude.” Mr. Glick currently works on Cost and Operational Performance Trades for the evolving international Joint Strike Fighter program. Mr. Glick has been a member of the Society of Logistics Engineers since 1978, and has been active the Greater Washington Area Chapter since 1989 as CPL coordinator, Board member, and chairman of the Systems Management Track at the 1996 International symposium.

B.J. Silvey, CPL is a current Executive Board Member and former District Director. B.J. served for over 31 years in the US Army Quartermaster Corps, both in the active and reserve components, and retired as a Colonel. He has had extensive experience in logistics operations, supply, transportation and services management. His decorations include the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Bronze Star Medal, and Vietnamese Honor Medal, First Class. In his civilian career, he worked with industry and Government on Navy submarine and surface sonar and mine countermeasures systems. He was the ILS Manager for NAVSEA for the MK50 Torpedo Program.

CPL RECERTIFICATION

As many of you know, and especially our membership’s Certified Professional Logisticians, SOLE has a recertification program for CPLs. So, why is re-certification important? By recertifying and keeping your CPL designation up-to-date, you maintain the credibility of your CPL designation and continue to be competitive with other professional certifications. CPL Recertification also encourages CPL participation in SOLE activities and provides service and leadership to the organization and to the local body of logisticians. Recertification also affords the CPL an opportunity for continued contributions to the profession of logistics.

What is required of the CPL to recertify? Recertify every 5 years; accumulate 50 points, approximately 10 points per year. Points are awarded for a variety of activities, such as:

- Full-time employment in logistics related position
- Published article, either in the Logistics Spectrum or other professional journal with national circulation
- Presentation at chapter meetings, topic must be related to one of sole’s application divisions or other area of professional interest to logisticians
- Write articles for chapter newsletter, topic must be related to one of SOLE’s application divisions or other area of professional interest to logisticians
- Conduct/teach a chapter CPL review course
- Attend at least 5 chapter meetings per year
- Attend SOLE Conference (District, National, International) or other professional conference - Attend at least one day of technical sessions
- Teach or attend workshop or seminar



SOLE - The International Society of Logistics
Greater Washington Area Chapter
2006-2007 Election Ballot



Membership

Number:

_____ (Required for vote to count)

Signature:

_____ **Date:**

CHAIR

Vote ('X') for one (1)

David Floyd, CPL

VICE CHAIRs

<p align="center"><u>ADMINISTRATION</u> VOTE ('X') for one (1)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mary Johnston</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><u>MEMBER SERVICES</u> VOTE ('X') for one (1)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Tom Griffiths</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>
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**PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL DEVELOPL-
MENT** Vote ('X') for one (1)

Gary Glick, CPL

BOARD OF DIRECTORS (Advisors)

Vote ('X') for four (4)
 (circle two for two-year term)

<input type="checkbox"/> Joyce McCallister, CPL	<input type="checkbox"/> Ed Spriggs, CPL
<input type="checkbox"/> Ken Gary (on two-year term)	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln Hallen	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
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*Please Join the Greater
Washington Area Chapter (GWAC) of
SOLE – The International Society of Logistics*



On Wednesday May 31, 2006

at the Fort Myer Officer's Club, Arlington, VA

Fife and Drum Room from 11:15 am to 1:00 pm

for a buffet lunch and talk. The event is \$20.00 pay at the door.

RSVP to bunnystreet@yahoo.com

Dr. Joanne Stone Wyman

SOLE's Humanitarian and Disaster Relief

Logistics Applications Division Director

Dr. Joanne Stone Wyman, SOLE's Humanitarian and Disaster Relief Logistics Application Division Director, has championed the collaboration between logisticians and environmental professionals since joining SOLE - The International Society of Logistics in 1999. Dr. Wyman continues to forge stronger ties between logisticians and environmental scientists, engineers, and policy professionals. Her professional integration of environmental engineering and logistics, coupled with her focus on sustainable communities and environmental logistics planning and remediation have laid the foundation for her commitment to relief logistics.

During a 30-year career in management consulting, Dr. Wyman held leadership positions in Booz Allen Hamilton, Versar, and several small to mid-size firms. Currently, she is the Vice President, Environmental Policy at EnDyna, Inc., an 8(a) woman-owned small business that provides information technology and environmental services to Federal and State agencies as well as multilateral organizations. In these positions, she manages business development, procurement and acquisition activities, office infrastructure, and budgeting; and manages complex programs and projects, and multidisciplinary teams. As Program Manager, Project Manager, or Principal Investigator, Dr. Wyman has helped government and commercial sector organizations in the US, Canada, and Europe develop new and improve existing environmental, energy, transportation, and land use programs. She is a recognized expert in the nation's key environmental statutes and regulations; and her industry experience includes intelligent transportation, mineral mining and processing, chemical manufacturing, and environmental laboratories.

Dr. Wyman holds B.A. and M.A. degrees in International Relations from Clark University and she earned her Ph.D. in Politics from Brandeis University.