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Hello Shipmates and I hope all is well. We are approaching that time of the year when elections for Bridge Leadership occur. I encourage you all to take time to cast your vote. In order for 04-76 to remain a strong flotilla, it is incumbent to show your support. October's issue also has several events members participated in and we thank them for their continued support.

"Don't tell people how to do things, tell them what to do and let them surprise you with their results."

George Patton

Charles J Miller, II
FSO-PB

— Semper Paratus—!



Flotilla 4-76 hosted FatherFest Family Day at the American Helicopter Museum and Education Center 🚁 with USCG Capt Jonathan Theel, Commander of Sector Delaware Bay, Robert Corrigan, Scott Sigman, Andy Crowley, Nick Montalto and Ash Kernen.

There were helicopters from PennStar, Leonardo Agusta Westland, Pa State Police, and even the USCG Gander Express. They had drone demonstrations, robot demonstrations, a local honey farm, seeing eye dogs, food trucks, and a static display of helicopters including a v22, bell 47 from Mash, Bell AH-1 Cobra, Navy Helicopters, Coast Guard Helicopters, Army Helicopters, and commercial helicopters.

Capt. Theel spoke on helicopter aviation and the Coast Guard.











Thanks Scott for the photos.

Commissioning of USCGC Tunnell

On Friday October 15, 2021, the Commandant of the USCG, Admiral Karl Schultz, along with the Superintendent of the US Coast Guard Academy, Admiral William Kelly, attended the commissioning ceremony of a USCG Cutter in Philadelphia at Penns Landing. The Commissioning ceremony was for the newest fast response cutter named the USCG Cutter Emlen Tunnell. Emlen Tunnell was from Radnor, Pennsylvania and served in Coast Guard during WWII. During the 1950's Tunnell played for the NY Giants and became first African American in NFL hall of fame. The NFL was represented by the Mara family, who owns the NY Giants. Division 4 was represented by Scott Sigman as an event usher, Andy Crowley and Bob Lynch in culinary services, and the event chaplain was Father Rex, Auxiliary Chaplain Service.







Thanks for the photos Scott!

Coast Guard Academy Event

The Superintendent of the US Coast Guard Academy, Admiral William Kelly, along with Sector Delaware Bay Commander, Capt Jonathan Theel, gave a presentation on the USCG Academy to prospective students and their families. Flotilla 4-76 was represented by Robert Corrigan, Scott Sigman, Ash Kernan, and James DeLeon.









Great photos Scott & Thanks...