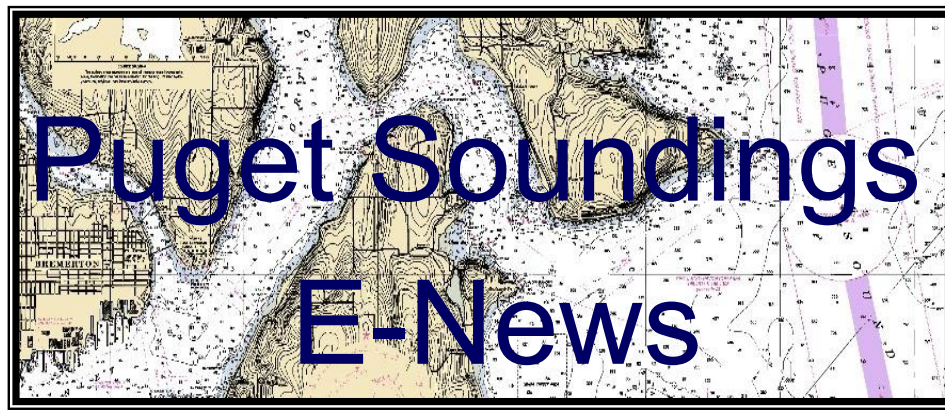




School of the Boat (Soup Down)

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This issue of the *Puget Soundings E-News* explains the Bremerton Base Soup Down for both longtime and newer members.

We recently realized that we have not done enough to keep members, especially those who are new to the Base, informed about this ongoing event.

The USSVI Bremerton Base "Soup Down" is a regular informal social gathering hosted by the **United States Submarine Veterans, Inc. (USSVI) Bremerton Base** in Kitsap County, Washington.

Key Details & Purpose

- **What it is:** A casual luncheon (breakfast or dinner) and fellowship event for submarine veterans, active-duty personnel, and their families.
- **The Name:** The term "*Soup Down*" borrows from naval/submariner culture, referring informally to stepping away for a warm meal and relaxed chow line.
- **Location:** The group frequently hosts these gatherings at local Kitsap-area eateries.

- **Purpose:** It serves as an accessible, informal counterpart to official USSVI monthly business meetings, giving members an opportunity to talk, swap sea stories, stay connected, and offer mutual support.
- **Point of Contact:** John Gardner. Contact John if you have any suggestions regarding restaurant choices, day of the week, or time of the day for Soup Downs.

October 2026

16 (Friday) 11:30 AM – 1 PM

Skippers Seafood & Chowder

10725 Silverdale Way NW, Silverdale, WA 98383
360.516.6265

<https://www.skippers.com>

30 (Friday) 11:30 AM – 1 PM

Horse & Cow Pub & Grill

536 4th Street Bremerton, WA 98337

<https://horseandcow.com/bremerton>

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November 2026

13 (Friday) 11:30 AM – 1 PM

IHOP

3150 NW Bucklin Hill Rd Silverdale, WA 98383

360.698.4793

<https://www.ihop.com/en>

December 2026

04 (Friday) 11:30 AM – 1 PM

Tony's Pizza & Italian Restaurant

4908 Kitsap Way Bremerton, WA 98312

360.479.9117

<https://tonysbremerton.com>

18 (Friday) 11:30 AM – 1 PM

Brother Don's Bar & Grill

4200 Kitsap Way Bremerton, WA 98312

360.377.8442

<https://www.brotherdons.net>

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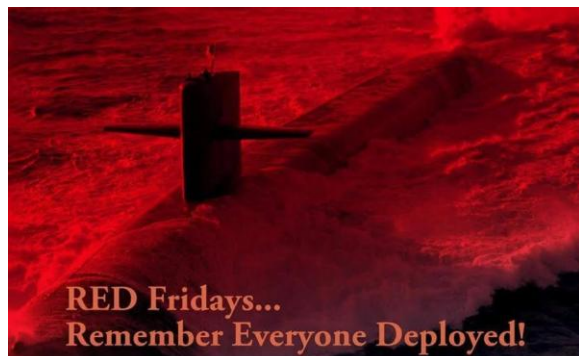
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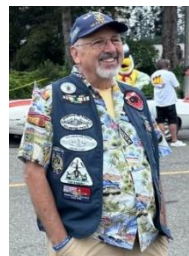
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