Happy March!

Welcome to another new beginning of a new season! The is a perfect opportunity to assess your SOS!

• What have you enjoyed?
• What would you like to see different this year?
• What worked for you this year?
• What do you wish was different?
• How has SOS served you this year?
• How could SOS serve you better in the future?

These are the driving questions for your board. These are the questions we continually ask as we gather and plan events or round table ideas. I encourage you to reach out to your board and fill us in. We very much want to hear from you.

I want to leave you with a final Irish Blessing that my family enjoys:

May your blessings outnumber
The shamrocks that grow,
And may trouble avoid you
Wherever you go.
~Irish Blessing

Sincerely,
Brittney

SOS board meetings

Our meetings are open to all of our members and any person interested in joining our group. We meet monthly on the SECOND Thursday of each month at 7pm in the USO building upstairs meeting room on Naval Station Norfolk. We welcome suggestions, constructive comments, and questions. So, mark your calendar and join us!

Next Meeting:
Thursday March, 9th at 7pm

Events coming up!

March

Saturday 11th Ship Simulator
9:00am - 11:00am - Naval Station Norfolk
RSVP by March 3rd

Thursday 23rd - SOS Eats Lunch
12:30pm - That Good BBQ in Suffolk

Friday 24th - Book Club
7:00 pm - Look out for Evite

Saturday 25th - Paint & Sip CO/XO Spouses
4:00pm - 6:00pm -

Friday 31 - Coco Vino
7:00pm - 9:00pm - Eurasia VB
RSVP HERE
Hello JO Spouses!
Our group had a delightful time at Lubo Wine Bar & Cafe in Virginia Beach. The cafe offered a cozy atmosphere and the staff was very friendly. We sampled a variety of wines from across the world and snacked on some savory cheeses. My personal favorite was the Domaine du Tariquet Sauvignon Blanc with the Bucheron goat cheese. Absolutely delicious! I would like to especially thank Justine for being our French connection! Her cultural knowledge greatly enhanced our experience!

This month SOS will host two all member events; CO/XO and JO Spouses. On March 11 we will be heading to the NSST Ship Simulator to test out our ship handling skills. Following the simulator we will meet for lunch at No Frill Bar and Grill in Norfolk. You must RSVP for the simulator by March 3!!! On March 25 we will enjoy art and wine at Pinot’s Palette in Norfolk. The cost is $38 per guest which covers your masterpiece as well as two glasses of wine. Instructions on how to purchase your ticket can be found on the Evite.

The Evite link to both events can be found on the SOS Facebook page. We hope to see you there!

March 11
NSST Ship Simulator
9:00am - 11:00am
RSVP Here by March 3

SOS Eats
Thursday, March 23rd - SOS Eats Lunch
That Good BBQ in Suffolk at 12:30pm
(“smoke bomb” bacon mac n cheese bites and burnt ends)

If you missed joining us in February, please join us in March for lunch in Suffolk at That Good BBQ. I’m super excited to try their “smoke bombs”, which apparently are fried bacon mac n cheese bits!!!

RSVP HERE
Book Club

Why haven’t we seen you at book club?

No time to read the book?
No problem, have you considered downloading the audio version?
Most Libraries including the Navy General Library have thousands of books available for loan!
You can listen while you clean your house, work out, drive the kids around, I personally like to listen to mine while taking on the foreboding commissary shopping!

No childcare?
Consider hosting one month so that you don't have to worry about childcare or as some have done check with the month’s host and see if they can accommodate you bringing your little one. Not every home is child friendly but many are! Family schedules too hectic? Well no solution for that but we hope to see you someday when things slow down.

What are you reading? If the answer isn't “The Girl Before” by JP Delaney then you are missing out!
For the month of March SOS Book Club will be reading this enthralling psychological thriller that spins one woman's seemingly good fortune, and another woman's mysterious fate, through a kaleidoscope of duplicity, death, and deception. Look for the Evite for further details!

Friday, March 24th at 7:00pm.

SWOtique

Swotique is looking for someone to take over next year.
Please feel free to contact Kate Tynes with any questions or concerns you may have regarding the position at swotique@sosnorfolk.org.
Position would include maintaining inventory, setting up merchandise at events, sales and customer service and shopping for new inventory.

RSVP NOW, THERE'S LIMITED SEATING AVAILABLE!
Good Morning SOS Members,

Below you will find a SOS Executive Nomination form for the upcoming 2017-2018 membership year. Please take the time to select or add a nominee.

Submissions are do by 11:59pm on March 3rd. Thank you for taking the time to complete the form.

Click Here for the Nomination Form

Respectfully,

The Nominating Committee
SOS Exec Nominations