The Officers, Directors and Members of

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are pleased to present the

ARTHUR B. HANSON RESCUE MEDAL

to the crew of

FROLIC

FOR THE RESCUE AS FOLLOWS:

The United States Naval Association Navy 44’ Cutter Frolic was traveling north past Chesapeake Bay Bridge when a power boat passed them at a high rate of speed. The boat cut across the bow of Frolic and then hit a large wake, and broke apart as it landed. 3 of the 5 occupants fell off the boat when it landed, two more were still aboard the sinking vessel. Ensign Kurt Muller showed the plebes how to use the jib and spinnaker lines to winch the people aboard. Injuries included severe lacerations, shock and a neck injury. Another powerboat had helped the two remaining occupants of the sinking vessel and had radioed the USCG for further assistance. The victims were transferred to a USCG vessel who took the victims to the hospital for medical treatment.

The Arthur B. Hanson Rescue Medal was presented to the crew of Frolic as a result of this event.