

USS ESSEX (LHD-2) IRON GATOR



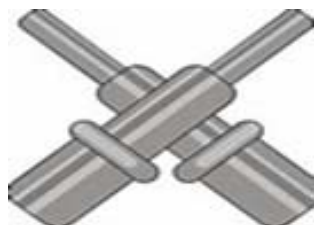
USS ESSEX (LHD-2) Weapons Department, spearheaded the command holiday food, clothing and toy drive. Collected 255 articles of clothing, 70 non-perishable food items, and a pallet of children's toys. The clothing and food were donated to the Veteran's Village of San Diego, and the toys were donated to the Children's Center of San Diego.

AO2 Muhammad, AO2 Graves, AO3 McCall, and AO2 Nkwocha represented the Southwest Navy Region while parading the colors at the 2018 NCAA Holiday Bowl game played in San Diego, CA. This strengthened and built esprit de corps between US Navy and its fellow San Diegans.



GM2 WARD (MK-38 Loader) conducting gun shoot in preparation for upcoming Combat Systems Ship Qualification Trials (CSSQT).

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