

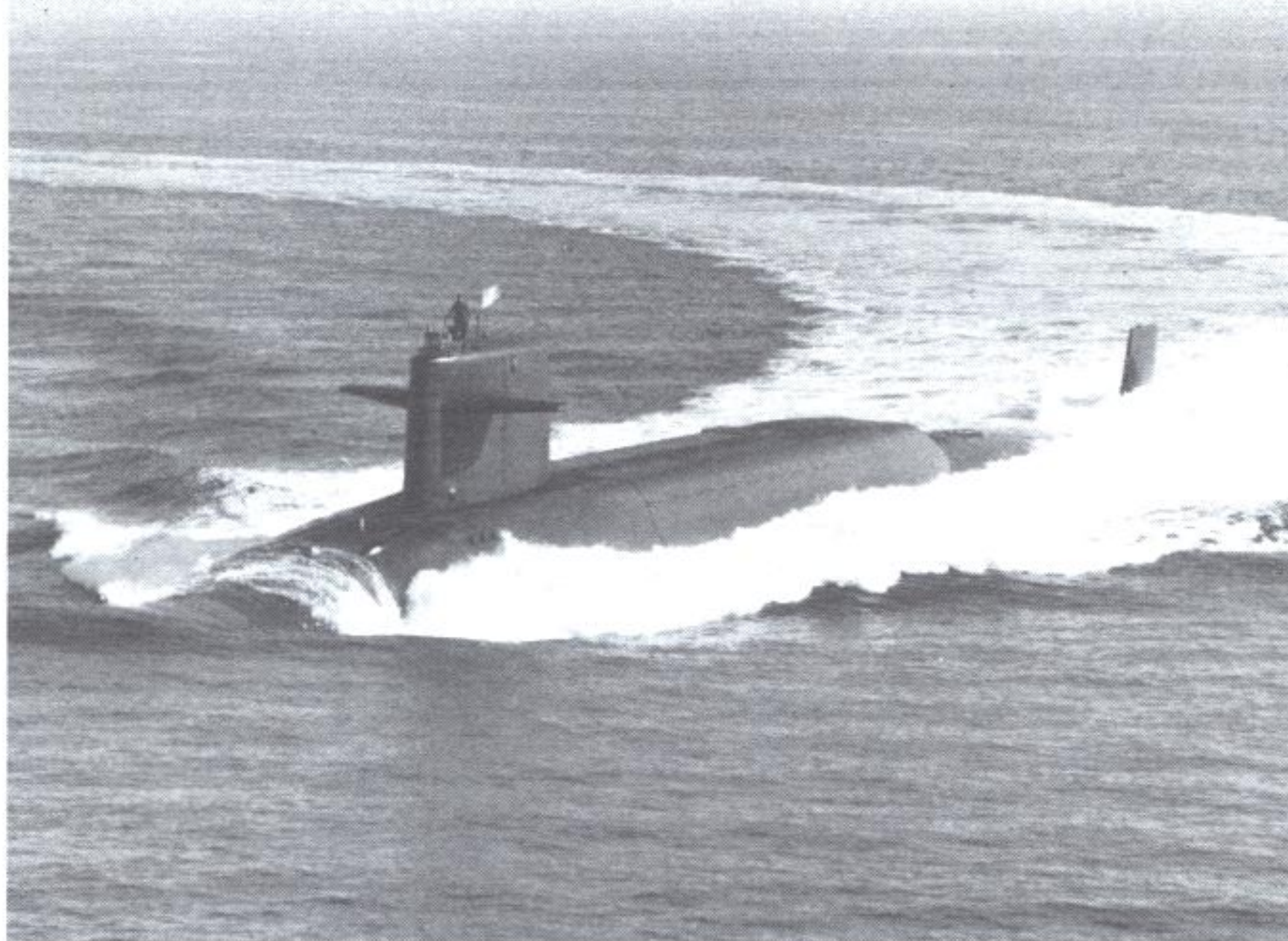
# DECOMMISSIONING CEREMONY

*Following 30 years of proud service*



Puget Sound Naval Shipyard  
Bremerton, Washington





\* KEEL LAID 1 FEBRUARY, 1962 \*  
AT MARE ISLAND NAVAL SHIPYARD

\* LAUNCHED 22 JUNE, 1963 \*  
IN VALLEJO, CALIFORNIA

\* COMMISSIONED 23 APRIL, 1964 \*

\* CONDUCTED SEVENTY-FIVE \*  
STRATEGIC DETERRENT PATROLS

\* 1992 OMAHA TROPHY RECIPIENT \*



**FORMER  
COMMANDING OFFICERS**

**USS DANIEL BOONE (SSBN 629)**

**BLUE CREW**

|                               |                                    |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| CAPT George P. Steel .....    | 20 June 1963 - 14 July 1966        |
| CAPT R. M. Brumstead .....    | 14 July 1966 - 19 January 1968     |
| CDR E. R. Van Hoof .....      | 19 January 1968 - 20 June 1970     |
| CDR James C. Hay .....        | 20 June 1970 - 15 July 1972        |
| CDR Charles H. Brickell ..... | 15 July 1972 - 14 March 1975       |
| CDR Sheldon M. Sanders .....  | 14 March 1975 - 8 December 1975    |
| CDR John H. Williams .....    | 8 December 1975 - 21 April 1978    |
| CDR Dan H. Smith .....        | 21 April 1978 - 18 January 1980    |
| CDR Jary W. Lewis .....       | 18 January 1980 - 11 April 1983    |
| CDR Melville H. Lyman .....   | 11 April 1983 - 17 April 1984      |
| CDR Darrell R. Powell .....   | 17 April 1984 - 24 February 1988   |
| CDR Stephen M. Jarrett .....  | 24 February 1988 - 11 January 1991 |
| CDR Bruce W. Cavey .....      | 11 January 1991 - 5 February 1993  |
| CDR Frank P. Stagl .....      | 5 February 1993 - 22 April 1993    |

**GOLD CREW**

|                              |                                 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| CDR Alan B. Crabtree .....   | 1 December 1963 - 21 March 1967 |
| CAPT Robert D. Rawlins ..... | 21 March 1967 - 1 February 1969 |
| CDR E. R. Van Hoof .....     | 1 February 1969 - 20 June 1970  |
| CDR Edward J. Covey .....    | 20 June 1970 - 9 November 1973  |
| CDR John H. Williams .....   | 9 November 1973 - 27 March 1978 |
| CDR Michael J. Lees .....    | 27 March 1978 - 30 March 1981   |
| CDR Charles M. Wood .....    | 30 March 1981 - 6 January 1984  |
| CDR Darrell R. Powell .....  | 6 January 1984 - 7 May 1987     |
| CDR Donald E. Rockwell ..... | 7 May 1987 - 10 October 1989    |
| CDR Denis E. Heulle .....    | 10 October 1989 - 25 June 1992  |
| CDR Craig L. Hanson .....    | 25 June 1992 - Present          |

# USS DANIEL BOONE DECOMMISSIONING CREW

## OFFICERS

CDR CRAIG I. HANSON, Commanding Officer

LCDR BRIAN E. RIEHM, Executive Officer  
 LCDR JOHN D. CACCIVIO, Engineer  
 LCDR VANCE S. TISDALE, Navigator  
 LCDR FREDERICK D. FORNEY, Weapons Officer  
 LT ROBERT A. FIELD, Supply Officer  
 LT CHARLES D. CANTRELL, Damage Control Assistant  
 LT WILLIAM W. WALES, Assistant Engineer

LT PAUL D. QUINN, Chemistry and RadCon Assistant  
 LT MARTIN L. WHITFIELD, Sonar Officer  
 LT DAVID S. HUNT, Reactor Controls Assistant  
 LT MICHAEL S. MAHANEY, Main Propulsion Assistant  
 LTJG JOSEPH S. RUETTIGERS, Communications Officer  
 LT ANGUS P. REGIER, Electrical Division Officer  
 LT JOSEPH A. LISTOPAD, Tactical Weapons Officer  
 LTJG K. A. PETERSON, Interior Communications

## CHIEF PETTY OFFICERS

STSCS STEVE HEAD, Chief of the Boat

ICC GOODNIGHT  
 STSCS ARNOLD  
 ETCs JOHNSTON  
 RMCS LAGEERGE  
 YNCS WADE

MMC WILLIAMS  
 SKC MOSLEY  
 FTBC RUYMEN  
 MMC WALTZ  
 QMC KEITH

## CREW

ET1(SS) BLOW  
 ET1(SS) GERALD  
 ET1(SS) HUGHES  
 ET1(SS) SHAW  
 ET1(SS) RIOS  
 MM1(SS) OGLETREE  
 MM1(SS) WHEELER  
 MM2(SS) DAYTON  
 MM2(SS) EAQUINTA  
 MMS(SS) ELLIS  
 ET3(SS) CRISOTOMO  
 QM3(SS) NICHOLS  
 MS1(SS) MARTIN  
 MS2(SS) COUPEL  
 MS2(SS) SMITH  
 MS2(SS) THOMPSON  
 MS3(SS) CARLSON  
 MS3(SS) HOWARTH  
 MT1(SS) SECOR  
 MT1(SS) SHIVER  
 MT2(SS) ARMSTRONG  
 MT2(SS) CASE  
 MT2(SS) CERAK

MT2(SS) CIESINSKI  
 MT2(SS) GARRETT  
 MT2(SS) HERRINGTON  
 MT2(SS) PATTON  
 MT2(SS) WALKER  
 FTB2(SS) DORRIS  
 FTB3(SS) HALE  
 FTB3(SS) STRUBEL  
 RM2(SS) HELTON  
 SK3(SS) YOUNG  
 SKSN(SS) SMITH  
 MT3(SS) DREWS  
 TM2(SS) RAGAN  
 STS3(SS) COLLINS  
 STS2(SS) MALINOVSKY  
 YN3(SS) DEROSIA  
 FTG1(SS) JAMES  
 FTG2(SS) LITCHFIELD  
 FTG3(SS) GARVER  
 FTG3(SS) FENNELL  
 MM1(SS) FREELAND  
 ET2(SS) THOMAS  
 ET2(SS) WHITE

ET3(SS) APUN  
 ET3(SS) BYRD  
 QM2(SS) SMITH  
 MM2(SS) MELCHOR  
 MM2(SS) NORMAN  
 MM2(SS) POWELL  
 MM2(SS) SAUERESSIG  
 MM2(SS) STEVENS  
 MM3(SS) BREEDING  
 MM3(SS) BROTHERS  
 MM3(SS) BUSCH  
 MM3(SS) CRUMLEY  
 MM3(SS) HART  
 MM3(SS) MISIAK  
 MM3(SS) NESBITT  
 MM3(SS) POST  
 MM3(SS) RANDALL  
 MM3(SS) RECKARD  
 MT2(SS) MC CLOUD  
 MT2(SS) RENDELL  
 MT3(SS) HOOSE  
 FTB2(SS) LAPLANTE  
 FTB3(SS) FEMMER

RM1(SS) HOUNCHELL  
 RM2(SS) KNEPP  
 SN(SS) BUTTERFIELD  
 SN(SS) FRANK  
 SN(SS) RODEGHEIR  
 STS2(SS) GEEDY  
 STS2(SS) WOODS  
 MM1(SS) CHAPMAN  
 MM1(SS) DAVIS  
 MM1(SS) DUDAS  
 MM1(SS) GRACE  
 ET2(SS) OCHENAS  
 IC1(SS) LEWIS  
 IC3(SS) HUNTER  
 QM2(SS) CANTU  
 QM2(SS) KALE  
 MM2(SS) HOOK  
 ET3(SS) RAUNIG  
 ET3(SS) REETZ  
 ET3(SS) TONEY  
 ET3(SS) VOLAN  
 ET3(SS) WELCH  
 EM1(SS) REYNOLDS

EM2(SS) CAPPS  
 EM2(SS) KING  
 EM2(SS) MCCURLY  
 EM2(SS) RIDDLE  
 EM3(SS) KELLINGTON  
 EM3(SS) MADRID  
 EM2(SS) MARTIN  
 EM3(SS) ROEHM  
 MM2(SS) SMITH  
 MM3(SS) WRIGHT  
 MT2(SS) TIMKO  
 FTB2(SS) CROSS  
 FTB2(SS) SMITH  
 FTB3(SS) SERRA  
 RM2(SS) FOWLER  
 RM2(SS) LONG  
 STS1(SS) PETERSON  
 STS2(SS) KNISLEY  
 STS2(SS) BEEBE  
 STS2(SS) BEX  
 STS2(SS) HORES  
 STS2(SS) YORK  
 YN3(SS) PATTISON

# SHIP'S HISTORY

## USS DANIEL BOONE (SSBN 629)

The nuclear powered, Fleet Ballistic Missile Submarine USS DANIEL BOONE is the first ship of the United States Navy to bear the name of this famous American pioneer and frontiersman.

The construction of USS DANIEL BOONE was authorized by Congress in 1961, and the keel was laid in February 1962 at the Mare Island Naval Shipyard in Vallejo, California. The ship was launched on 22 June 1963.

The ship was commissioned on 23 April 1964, the nation's 22nd Polaris submarine. Admiral U.S.C. Sharp, USN, the Commander in Chief of the U.S. Pacific Fleet was the principal speaker at the commissioning ceremony. Immediately upon being placed in commission, DANIEL BOONE reported to Admiral Sharp for duty as the first Polaris firing submarine in the Pacific Fleet.

DANIEL BOONE sailed from Pearl Harbor on 23 November 1964 for Guam, Marianas Islands, where she moored alongside the submarine tender USS PROTEUS (AS-19) for the first complete Polaris Missile loadout from a tender.

As a result of her long and continuous service to the Pacific and highly successful operations, USS DANIEL BOONE was awarded the Navy Unit Commendation by the Secretary of the Navy at ceremonies in Pearl Harbor on 7 October 1968.

After nineteen successful Polaris deterrent patrols over a period of five years continuous service, DANIEL BOONE sailed through the Panama Canal and to Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company in May 1969 for overhaul and refueling.

Upon completion of overhaul and refueling in August 1970, DANIEL BOONE spent a month at Cape Kennedy, Florida where she successfully fired four ballistic missiles. Because of her performance in these firings USS DANIEL BOONE was awarded the Meritorious Unit Commendation by the Secretary of the Navy at ceremonies held in Holy Loch, Scotland on 27 June 1972.

The ship underwent final missile loadout in her new homeport at Charleston, South Carolina, deployed on 26 April 1971 and commenced conducting deterrent patrols from Holy Loch, Scotland as a unit of Submarine Squadron FOURTEEN. On 5 December 1975, DANIEL BOONE returned to Charleston, South Carolina upon completion of her thirty-seventh patrol to prepare for the ship's second overhaul.

In March 1976, the ship headed for Portsmouth Naval Shipyard for an overhaul. March 24, 1978 marked the completion of the second overhaul for USS DANIEL BOONE.

The ship underwent post-overhaul shakedown sea trials and DASO at Port Canaveral, Florida, where DANIEL BOONE successfully launched a C-3 missile on 15 May 1978.

DANIEL BOONE returned to her homeport of Charleston, South Carolina, underwent Poseidon tactical loadout and deployed on deterrent patrols. She was under the operational control of Submarine Squadron FOURTEEN in Holy Loch, Scotland through December 1979. In January 1980, DANIEL BOONE was transferred to operational control of Submarine Squadron SIXTEEN in Kings Bay, Georgia. DANIEL BOONE was converted to carry the Trident I, C-4 missile in the spring of 1980.

After certification and loadout the ship got underway in September 1980, for her first TRIDENT (C-4) patrol. Subsequently the ship completed 13 patrols out of Kings Bay, Georgia. In April 1984 Blue and Gold crews combined and completed patrol 57 in September 1984. The ship transited to Norfolk, Virginia in October 1984 in preparation for refueling overhaul at Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company. The overhaul commenced in January 1985 and was completed in June 1987.

The ship underwent post-overhaul shakedown and DASO at Port Canaveral, Florida, where DANIEL BOONE successfully launched a C-4 test missile on 23 August 1987. In March 1989, USS DANIEL BOONE successfully launched four Trident I, C-4 missiles as part of a CINCLANTFLT operational test of the Trident I missile system.

USS DANIEL BOONE is the recipient of the United States Navy League 1992 Ballistic Submarine Outstanding Performance Award as well as Submarine Squadron SIXTEEN's Battle Efficiency Award winner for 1992. For her outstanding performance she was awarded a Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation by the Secretary of the Navy, at an Inactivation ceremony in Charleston, South Carolina on 10 July, 1993. DANIEL BOONE became the first Navy unit to win the prestigious Omaha Trophy. She has faithfully served the United States Submarine Force for thirty years and has completed 75 successful patrols.



**USS DANIEL BOONE**

**30**

**YEARS  
SERVICE**

**1963**

**1993**



**SSBN 629**