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## **Patriots Point Celebrates Member Appreciation Month in March**

*Special events, giveaways, and exclusive discounts offered to Friends of the Fleet Members all month long.*

**MOUNT PLEASANT, S.C.** – Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum proudly recognizes March as Member Appreciation Month. This month-long celebration acknowledges the vital support of our members, offering exclusive programming, giveaways, discounts, and more.

“Members are the backbone of our museum, and we are thrilled to dedicate an entire month to celebrating their support,” said Kayla Webber, USS Yorktown Foundation’s Director of Community Relations & Membership. “Their contributions help us preserve our historic ships, expand our educational programs, and continue creating immersive exhibits for future generations.”

Members can take advantage of premier programs, offering interesting experiences for the whole family. Highlights include:

- **Member Captain’s Tour** – Join expert guides on a captivating journey through the museum, gaining deeper insights and experiencing history like never before.
- **Below Decks: Behind Closed Hatches** – Join our Curatorial Department as they take you *Below Decks* for an exclusive virtual journey to a rarely seen area of the USS Yorktown, uncovering hidden stories and spaces not open to the public.
- **Member Monday Giveaways** – Woodhouse Spa, Palmetto Breeze, and Charleston RiverDogs tickets are just a few of the prizes available for members to win each week.
- **Yorktown Movie & Game Night**: This family-friendly evening of fun will include games, live music, lite bites, and a movie screening. Event is open to the public and will be held aboard the USS Yorktown on March 28 from 6–10 PM. Ticket purchase required.

Additionally, new and/or renewing members can receive **\$10 off any Friend of the Fleet membership** level and gain immediate access to Member Month events and activities. Year-round membership benefits include unlimited admission, priority access to special events, exclusive local discounts, and more. Membership dues play a vital role in preserving the museum’s historic fleet, funding educational initiatives and scholarships, and



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supporting new exhibit development. For more information about Member Appreciation Month or to become a member, visit [www.patriotspoint.org/membership](http://www.patriotspoint.org/membership).

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#### **About Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum**

*Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum, on the Charleston Harbor, is the #1 attraction in Mount Pleasant, S.C., and is home to a fleet of National Historic Landmark ships, and the only Vietnam Support Base Camp in the U.S. Patriots Point is also headquarters to the Congressional Medal of Honor Society and the agency's official Medal of Honor Museum. Visit [www.patriotspoint.org](http://www.patriotspoint.org) for more details.*

#### **About the USS Yorktown Foundation**

*The USS Yorktown Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, serves as the designated fundraising organization for Patriots Point Naval and Maritime Museum. The Foundation funds educational scholarships, preserves military history, and supports informative exhibits throughout the museum. Through these efforts, the Foundation aims to promote America's traditions of service, leadership, duty, and sacrifice to inspire future generations.*

