

Hampton Roads Base of the USSVI use of X is intended to expand the presence of Hampton Roads Base in the greater region to offer, as per the USSVI creed, a place of camaraderie to our distant shipmates "In the Wild". We must recognize today that X, like Facebook, is a social media outlet. As such, via X, Hampton Roads Base will be engaging with the world. *"Trolls" surf the Internet.* As our content reflects in part upon the USSVI, it is requested that Hampton Roads Base members who interact with our X account in any way, as "HRB-USSVI", or posts sent to "@HRB-USSVI", should first consider the USSVI Creed in doing so.

HRB-USSVI on X while active, will assure its content conforms to a lofty standard, and clearly provides information of interest to the Submarine Community, the Navy, or wider military communities as they affect HRB in general.

Inflammatory or personal comments, Politics, or other unrelated personal posts, deemed beyond the scope and intent of this account will be removed.

Questions regarding this policy may be directed to hrb.ussvi@gmail.com and in turn will be directed to base leadership.

USSVI Creed

Our purpose is "To Perpetuate the memory of our shipmates who gave their lives in the pursuit of their duties while serving their country. That their dedication, deeds, and supreme sacrifice be a constant source of motivation toward greater accomplishments. Pledge loyalty and patriotism to the United States of America and its Constitution.

In addition to perpetuating the memory of departed shipmates, we shall provide a way for all Submariners to gather for the mutual benefit and enjoyment. Our common heritage as Submariners shall be strengthened by camaraderie. We support a strong U.S. Submarine Force.

The organization will engage in various projects and deeds that will bring about the perpetual remembrance of those shipmates who have given the supreme sacrifice. The organization will also endeavor to educate all third parties it comes in contact with, about the services our submarine brothers performed and how their sacrifices made possible the freedom and lifestyle we enjoy today."