



Washington-Anacostia Squadron

Luncheon Announcement: 2 November 2017

Doubletree Hotel – Potomac View Room

300 Army Navy Drive

Arlington, Virginia 22202

Please join me for our fall ANA Squadron Luncheon on 2 November at the Doubletree Hotel in Crystal City. Our speaker is the Vice Chief of Naval Operations, Adm. Bill Moran, senior naval advisor to the Secretary of the Navy and the CNO. He will share his thoughts on the value of Naval Aviation and its future, both from the perspective of his career and his current position.

Adm. Moran is a native of New York and graduated with a Bachelor of Science from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1981 and a master's degree from the National War College in 2006.

As a flag officer he served as Commander, Patrol and Reconnaissance Group; head, Maritime Aviation Programs and director, Air Warfare (N98) on the OPNAV staff; and most recently as Chief of Naval Personnel.

His operational tours spanned both coasts, commanding the Grey Knights of VP-46 at NAS Whidbey Island and Patrol and Reconnaissance Wing 2, Hawaii. He flew the P-3C in VP-44 at NAS Brunswick, VP-45 at NAS Jacksonville, and as an instructor pilot in two tours with VP-30, and served on the staff of Commander, Carrier Group 6 aboard USS *Forrestal* (CV 59). He has deployed to the Mediterranean, Azores, Iceland, Japan, Indian Ocean, Persian Gulf, and numerous detachments around the world.

Ashore, he served as executive assistant to the CNO; executive assistant to Commander, U.S. Pacific Command; deputy director, Navy staff; and assistant Washington placement officer and assistant flag officer detailee in the Bureau of Naval Personnel.

He is entitled to wear the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (five awards) and various other personal, unit and service awards.

Our chairman, ADM (Ret) Mark "Lobster" Fitzgerald will also make remarks on the status of ANA and honor our retiring editor of *Wings of Gold* magazine, Rosario "Zip" Rausa. I look forward to seeing you there.

Bill Montgomery, Skipper, Washington-Anacostia Squadron

Agenda:

Reception/Bar opens:	1100
Guest Remarks:	1130
Luncheon:	1200
ANA Remarks	1245
Adjourn	1300

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