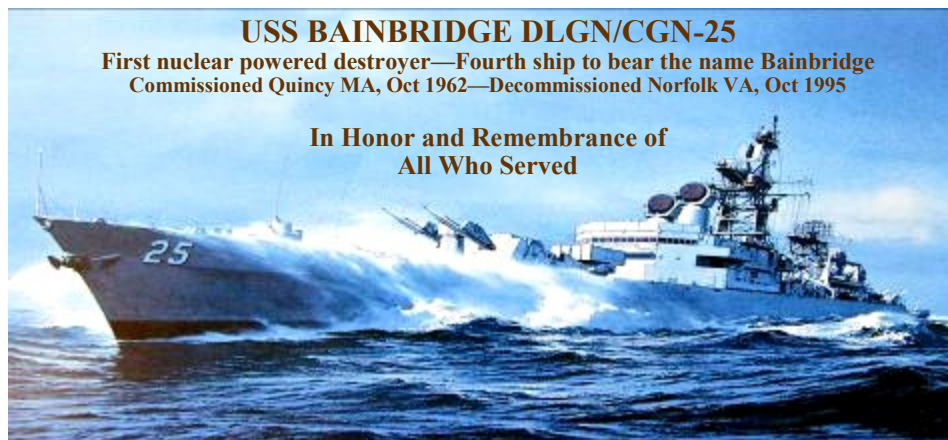




Newsletter of the USS BAINBRIDGE Association

Fall of 2024

ATTENTION ON DECK



IF ANY CURRENT MEMBER CAN GET A BAINBRIDGE CREW MBR, WHO IS NOT CURRENTLY AN ASSOCIATION MBR TO ATTEND OUR REUNION, THE CURRENT MBR & THE NEW CREW MBR WILL EACH RECEIVE A FREE YEAR AS A BAINBRIDGE ASSOC. MBR. THE CURRENT MBR CAN ALSO RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL FREE YEAR FOR EACH ADDITIONAL CREW MBR HE GETS TO ATTEND.

Charles Gilbert

MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Reunion news update: The search is making headway for the location of our next reunion. We have narrowed the list down to 3 cities in 2 different states. We should have a location selected soon.

I would ask that everyone take a minute and update your Contact information with Richard Goerner. Any changes to your address or phone numbers as well as E-mail addresses need to be relayed to him. I would also request that if you have not paid your dues for 2024, please take a moment and send the payment to Dick Holloway. The annual dues are \$15.00. Your support for our association is what makes it possible to hold these reunions. We are only as strong as you make us.

DECEASED SHIPMATES reported since May 2024

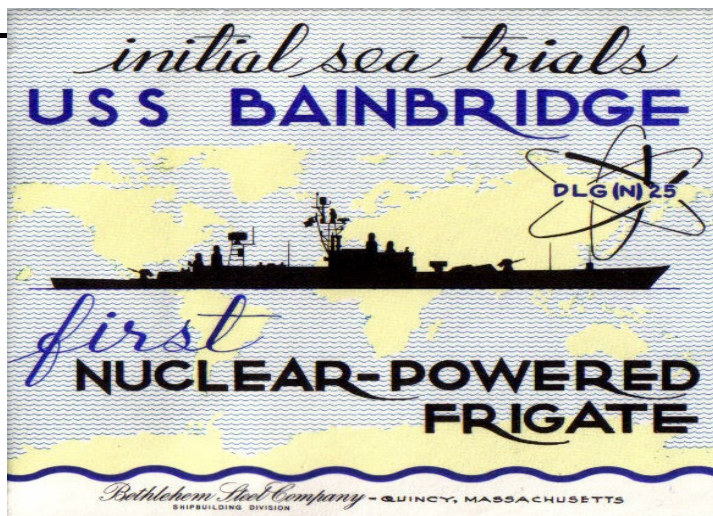
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Jack Buckley – Oct 30, 2023

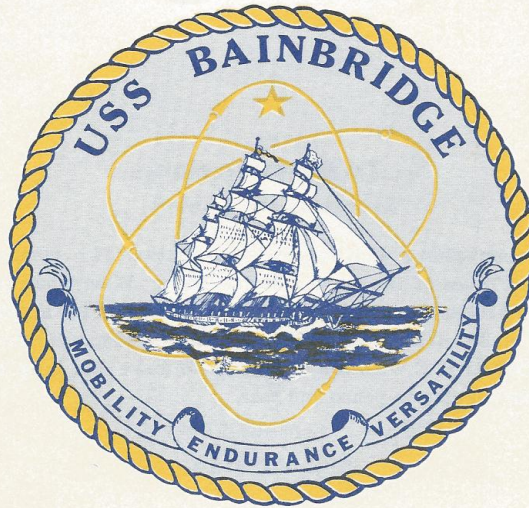
Mike Kirby – Jun 23, 2024

William Wadsworth -- Jun 14, 2024

Photo # NH 98112 On board USS Bainbridge during her commissioning ceremonies, 6 October 1962



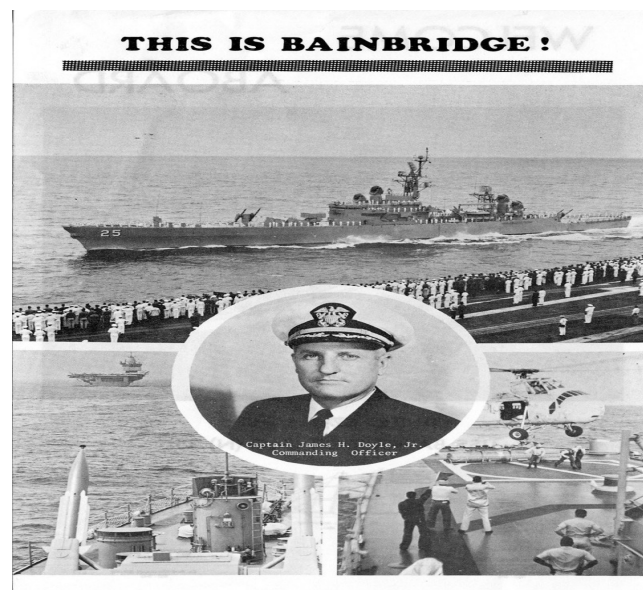
Commissioning



U. S. S. BAINBRIDGE (DLG(N)-25)

Bethlehem Steel Quincy Yard
Quincy, Massachusetts

6 OCTOBER 1962



You Don't Want to Miss Another Issue

If you did **not** fill out this form in the *Spring of 2024 Newsletter* or your email address or mailing address changes at any time, PLEASE submit those kind of changes by e-mail to: Richard Goerner at renreog.r@charter.net.
Dues are payable January 1st. of each year. If your dues are not current, submit a check for \$15.00 per year to :

The Bainbridge Assoc. C/O Dick Holloway, 9307 Teakwood Lane, Garden Ridge, Texas 78266

(THE CONTACT E-MAIL ADDRESSES ARE LISTED BELOW)

Please keep your dues & contact information up to date. If you need to check on your dues status or change your contact information, contact Dick Holloway, Richard Goerner or Charles Gilbert.

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____
Initial _____ Nickname _____

Spouse's Name _____

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*Cancelled due to two hurricanes