

# **All Guns Blazing!**

### Newsletter of the Naval Wargames Society No. 182 – June 2009

#### **Editorial**

As you may recall, this is to be my final issue of "All Guns Blazing" before I head off into another temporary "retirement". The last few months have been quiet on the NWS front, at least as far as submissions to the newsletter are concerned – not so here at "Manley Mansions" where domestic and "work" life continue to ramp up. Work in particular, where my efforts in the service of Her Majesty's Navy have taken me on some pretty interesting trips just recently.

Still, I digress. Richard Wimpenny takes over as of July and I hope that you will all support him as he takes on the mantle of newsletter editor. Hopefully he will be better at hitting the AGB publication deadline than me!

Signing off,

DM david.manley@btinternet.com

#### **MINDEN GAMES – Discount for NWS Members**

Dr Gary Graber of Minden games writes:

As you may know, I also am in charge of Minden Games, and we publish several naval titles, a couple of which, I believe, you may be reviewing. As several other companies have, I'd like to extend a discount to NWS members... if they mention their membership number, they can receive 15% off any Minden naval game.

Our website (<u>www.homestead.com/minden\_games</u>) lists all products, price info, etc. Clicking on the PRICES link will get the full list of products, and ordering information.

Many thanks, and know that I appreciate reading BATTLEFLEET whenever it arrives.

Best,

Dr. Gary Graber 356 Wilmont Avenue #2 Ottawa, Ontario K2A 0B1 Canada

Our thanks to Gary for making this discount available – it is greatly appreciated!

### **NWS Events and Regional Contacts, 2009**

#### **NWS Northern Fleet – Falkirk East Central Scotland**

Kenny Thomson, 1 Excise Lane, Kincardine, Fife, FK10 4LW, Tel: 01259 731091 e-mail: kenny.thomson@homecall.co.uk - Website: http://falkirkwargamesclub.org.uk/

Falkirk Wargames Club meets each Monday night at 7pm with a variety of games running each evening. Naval games are popular with 2 or 3 run each month. Campaign games sometimes feature in our monthly weekend sessions. Games tend to be organised week to week making a 3-month forecast here a waste of time. Please get in touch if you'd like to come along.

 Popular periods – Modern (Shipwreck), WW1 and 2 (GQ), WW2 Coastal (Action Stations), and Pre-dreadnought (P Dunn's rules)

## NWS North Hants [Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday]

Jeff Crane 31 Park Gardens, Black Dam, Basingstoke, Hants, 01256 427906 e-mail: gf.crane@ntlworld.com

### **NWS Wessex [Bi-Monthly Meetings]**

The Wessex Group has gone into (hopefully) temporary abeyance for the moment. If anyone living in the Bath / Bristol / Gloucester area (or further afield) would like to take on managing the group please contact myself or any of the other NWS officials.