

ANTIQUA OUTBOARD MOTOR CLUB, INC. (AOMCI)

CONSTANTINE 2018

FRIDAY JULY 6 – SUNDAY JULY 8

OUTBOARDS AND THE MILITARY

In 2018, several important military anniversaries occur:

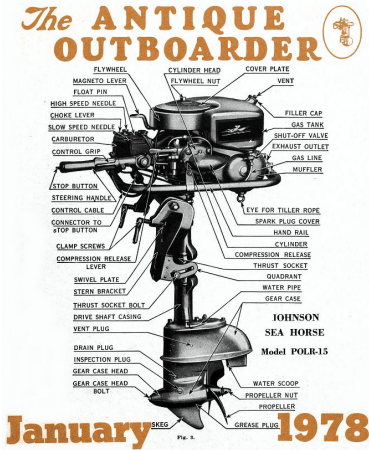
100 Years Ago: World War I (1914-1918)

75 Years Ago: World War II (1939-1945)

65 Years Ago: Korean War (1950-1953)

50 Years Ago: Vietnam War (1965-1973)

35 Years Ago: Lebanon (1982-1984) & Grenada (1983)



2018 presents a unique opportunity to pay tribute to the military and so the 2018 Constantine theme is *Outboards and the Military*.

Bring whatever you have that connects the Military to outboard motors, outboard motor companies, boats, advertising, etc. Be creative!!!!

Here are some examples
(these are only examples; feel free to come up with your own way to connect
Outboards and the Military)

Military Motors

such as the Johnson POLR, Evinrude Stormboat, government-ordered WaterWitches for use by domestic authorities, British Seagulls were used during WWII, and even Japanese and German outboards from WWII

Other Items Produced by Outboard Manufacturers

during wars such as the Mercury small engines used for chainsaws, pumps, compressors, generators, hoists and target drones, Scott-Atwater also did defense contracting

Tribute Motors

such as the Goodyear SeaBee (sailors of the U.S. Naval Construction Battalion are known as the Sea Bees – from Construction Battalion, or C.B. for short) or member-made tributes

Advertising, Owner's Manuals and Other Ephemera

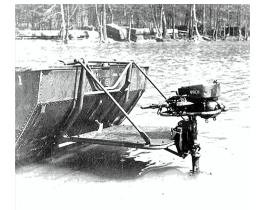
related to outboard motors, their manufacturers and military use

Again, these are only examples. Please bring whatever you can that ties our great hobby with the military. Our hosts at American Legion Post 223 should get a kick out of this theme too!

If you have questions or comments, feel free to contact Kevin Van Oirschot (Great Lakes Chapter),

Constantine 2018 Chairman at kevinrude1@msn.com

See you next summer!



Example of Attachment of a Heavy Outboard to a Barge.