**"Who paid for my Battleship?"**

Worldwide Navy Chiefs are pulling together during their 110th Anniversary year in order to establish the 1st Ever Chiefs Museum onboard the Last and Most Famous Battleship...USS MISSOURI (BB 63) moored at Ford Island on the island of Oahu Hawaii. Missouri is currently watching over 1,102 entombed shipmates in USS ARIZONA (BB 39) ......which is considered by all....the Alpha and Omega of World War II.

1,200-1,400 persons visit Missouri each day. All of them will get the chance to see the "Chief Petty Officer" as they tour our museum (which will be located in the CPO Spaces onboard) that was completely restored/established by Chiefs active and retired globally......

Please visit: http://goatlocker.exis.net/missouri.htm to keep up with CPO progress and to see how to make your "tax-deductible" donation on-line, mail, phone and fax. For those of you who don't have e-mail capability:

(Make your check/Money Order payable to:  
USS Missouri Memorial Assoc. (In the note/memo  
section write: CPO Restoration Project) and mail it to:  
Worldwide CPO Restoration Project  
P.O. Box 240818  
Honolulu, HI 96824

For your contribution you will receive a Personalized Certificate of Appreciation, replica of the Surrender Card, Thank You Letter and your name will appear on our Website as a contributor...Now, if you donate $50.00 or more (in addition to the goodies above) you will receive a coin at the following award levels:

Chief level $50.00 Donation: Antique Merlingold Bronze coin packaged in Poly bag.  
Senior Chief level $75.00 Donation: a Copper-Nickel coin packaged in poly bag.  
Master Chief level $100.00 Donation: Merlingold Proof Quality coin in a leatherette display case  
The Command Master Chief Level $ 150.00 Donation: Pure Silver (.999 pure silver) Coin in Case  
"Old Salt" Chief Level $200.00 Donation: Select Gold (24 kt gold O/L -.999 siliver) Coin in Case  
"All coins come with a certificate of authenticity. "

Note: We are also accepting memorabilia for our museum... i.e. old CPO uniforms, patches, plaques, anything and everything that would properly represent our museum for all to see when they visit the Chief Petty Officer.

Also please note that our monetary goal is: $250,000.00, so we need Your Help Chiefs!

Thank you and CPO Pride,

Senior Chief Chris Adams  
Chairman and member of the NCPOA  
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