



2009 Distinguished Submariner Award

This year's recipient of this Charleston Base award is BMC (SS), Jack W. Stevenson, US Navy, Retired. As everyone is aware, Jack moved to Colorado and is living in Palisade, a small town near Grand Junction on the western slope. His son, Jack Jr., and family live nearby in Gunnison, Colorado. The members of USSVI Thunder Mountain Base, led by base commander Terry Heers, were gracious enough to present Jack's award on Saturday, September 26, 2009, at a base luncheon and memorial service. A quote from Terry: "We had Jack at our Luncheon & Memorial on Saturday and had a great time with him. He's like a living history book."

