

Arctic Icebreaker Coordinating Committee (AICC)**Agenda for Meeting****On Board USCGC HEALY, Science Conference Room****Seattle, Washington****(Logistics & Accommodations)****January 25 & 26, 2001 (Thursday & Friday)****SCHEDULE FOR MEETING**

Day 1: 0830-1700

0950-1010 morning break

1145-1300 lunch

1430-1450 afternoon break

Day 2: 0830-1430

0950-1010 morning break

1145-1300 lunch

AGENDA ITEMS**1. General business & reports.**

Review and approve minutes of last meetings:

<http://archive.unols.org/meetings/2000/200008aic/200008aicmi.html>

Chair report.

UNOLS report.

FIC Report (Terry Whitledge)

Agency Reports

* NSF/OPP (Tom Pyle/Simon Stephenson), NOAA (Tom Murray), ONR, NSF/OCE, & others if present

ARVOC report. (Vernon Asper)

Coast Guard Icebreaker Operations (Headquarters) report

Coast Guard PacArea report(s)

Coast Guard Commanding Officer's summary (if desired)

2. Healy testing program

Status of test memos report. (Capt. Parsons)

AICC report on the Healy science systems test program. (Jim Swift)

Review, modifications, and dissemination of the AICC report.

Icebreaking Trials report (Terry Tucker) (TENTATIVE)

Plans for March Shakedown test cruise

Schedule

Technician support, testing plan, Jack's Budget

Plans for further AICC action in 2001

3. Science Modifications, Infrastructure and Equipment

HEALY

Status of recently completed ship modification

Any further changes planned before 2001 science season.

Plans for next Winter

AICC role in commenting on planned ship modifications, adding to the list, prioritizing the list, and/or assessing suitability completed modifications.

Science equipment operational status report (Jack, John, and MST's)

POLARS

RIP program status and plans

Winch systems

Lab renovations

POLAR STAR plans

POLAR SEA plans

TOUR OF POLAR STAR (Time to be determined with Capt. Julich)

EQUIPMENT PURCHASES

Coast Guard's plans for acquisition of science equipment for HEALY and POLARS (Dave, Phil & April)

Identification of 2001 (& 2002) Arctic icebreaker scientific equipment requirements.

ADCP equipment replacement

Status of WAGB small boats replacements.

4. Arctic icebreaker scheduling and planning for 2001 and 2002.

HEALY Schedule and operations

POLAR STAR Schedule and operations

POLAR SEA Schedule and operations

BASC Update (Barrow Arctic Science Consortium- Glenn Sheehan)

2001 SOO requests and planning.

2002 scheduling process

5. Science operational and technical support

Identification of 2001 (& 2002) Arctic icebreaker technical support requirements.

Status of technical support proposal(s) for 2001 scheduled cruises.

Process for future technical support proposals

Status of science planning documentation ("HEALY Cruise Planning Guide").
Hard copies will be provided upon arrival at the ship.

Training videos

Helo support for Arctic Science cruises (POPDIV presentation)

Science Diving

6. Arctic icebreaker long-term science and logistics planning

Fall AGU icebreaker townhall planning meeting - report (Jim Swift).

Overview of future Arctic icebreaker user ideas. [PDF file of user ideas on the web.](#)

Status of Healy transits and science ops in Canadian open and ice-covered waters

Possible opportunity in 2003 for science from an ice camp in the Beaufort Sea and, possibly, a submarine (Paul Bienhoff)

7. Other business

AICC membership - **Starting item for Friday morning**

Adding one science member

New members

RVOC and RVTEC representation

Future Meetings

Dates, venue, agenda

Logistics and Accommodations

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HEALY will be berthed just south of downtown Seattle, near the King Dome. The address is 14 South Massachusetts which is just off Alaskan Way South just south of where the King Dome used to be and two blocks away from the new Mariner's ball park. [Click here for a map.](#)

AICC has been invited to stay on board the HEALY or POLAR STAR. If you haven't done so already please let the UNOLS office know if you plan to stay on board by sending an email to office@unols.org
.....**REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR OWN TOWEL**

If you plan to stay in a hotel, please remember that travel on the UNOLS budget requires you to stay within the Federal Per Diem Rate for lodging.
The Federal Per Diem rate for Seattle is \$104 for lodging and \$46 for meals and incidentals.

We have not blocked any rooms, but here are some hotel options:

University Towers (formerly Meany Towers)
aka Edmond Meany Hotel
4507 Brooklyn Ave NE
Seattle, WA 98105

(206) 634-2000

<http://www.meany.com/>

University Inn
4140 Roosevelt Way NE
Seattle, WA 98105
(206) 632-5055

<http://www.travelnow.com/hotels/hotelinfo.jsp?hotelID=135136>

These two are closer to the ship's:

Hotel Seattle
315 Seneca St.
Seattle WA 98101
206-623-5110

Price is \$80 - \$86 year round

Review from Joe Coburn: It was OK. No restaurant & no parking. Plenty of both very nearby.

Hotel Edgewater
2411 Alaskan Way
Pier 67
Seattle, WA
206-269-4570

A little pricy, You should ask for the Federal Per Diem rate otherwise it could be over \$150

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http://archive.unols.org/committees/travel/Travel_Guidelines.html

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