

# HORIZON RIVER VIEWS



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## “DEAD MAN DOWN”: MADE IN PHILADELPHIA. “SS UNITED STATES: MADE IN AMERICA.”

The SS United States is a luxury passenger liner built in 1952 for the United States Lines designed to capture the Trans-Atlantic speed record.

The SS United States was the fastest ocean liner to cross the Atlantic in either direction. Even in retirement, the SS United States retains the Blue Riband given to the passenger liner crossing the Atlantic Ocean in regular service with the record highest speed.

The SS United States operated uninterrupted in Trans-Atlantic passenger service until 1969.

The SS United States has been docked at Pier 82 since 1996 and served as host for an upcoming romantic thriller motion picture. Portions of the feature motion picture will be filmed on board the SS United States.

The following article was published on May 3, 2012, by MageeMedia:



SS United States docked at Pier 82 in Philadelphia

On April 23, 2012 in Philadelphia, principal photography began aboard the SS United States for “Dead Man Down”, a major motion picture from IM Global. The film stars Colin Farrell, Noomi Rapace, Terrence Howard and Dominic Cooper. The Philadelphia shoot will continue into June.

The director of the film is Niels Arden Oplev, who directed the original 2009 Swedish language version of “The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo”, which starred Ms. Rapace as Lisbeth Salander. Niels Sejer is Production De-

signer for the film.

The SS United States Conservancy served as host to the film company and crew on its first day of shooting. A press conference was held to celebrate the event with the ship serving as a fitting backdrop. Participants included Sharon Pinkenson, Executive Director of the Greater Philadelphia Film Office ([www.film.org](http://www.film.org)), Philadelphia Mayor Michael Nutter, “Dead Man Down” Co-Executive Producer Joseph Zolfo, SS United

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States Conservancy Executive Director Susan Gibbs ([www.ssusc.org](http://www.ssusc.org)), and SS United States Redevelopment Project Director Dan McSweeney ([www.ssusc.org/redevelopment](http://www.ssusc.org/redevelopment)).

“SS United States” song written and performed by Philly’s own Skip Denenberg and Andy Kravitz and produced by Andy Kravitz.

COMING IN 2012: “Dead Man Down”, a film by Niels Arden Oplev.

## “DEAD MAN DOWN” (CONTINUED)

COMING SOON: “SS United States: Made In America”, a film by Robert Radler.

Please support the SS United States Conservancy at [www.ssusc.org](http://www.ssusc.org).

A Magee Media presentation, in association with the SS United States Conservancy.

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**vancy, and reprinted with permission. To view video of the press conference please visit:** [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) & type in: “Dead Man Down”.



(L-R) Joseph Zolfo, Co-Executive Producer, “Dead Man Down”, Sharon Pinkenson, Executive Director of the Greater Philadelphia Film Office, Philadelphia Mayor, Michael Nutter, Dan McSweeney, SS United States Redevelopment Project Executive Director, and Susan Gibbs, SS United States Conservancy Executive Director. *Picture provided by MageeMedia.*



Cast and crew shipside of the SS United States during filming of “Dead Man Down”.

*Picture provided by Sharon Bailey, Warehouse Manager, Horizon Stevedoring, Inc.*

## FEATURED EMPLOYEE: JOSEPH M. GERRETZ

**Nickname:** “Boom-boom” & “Crash”

**Birth Date:** May 30

**Current Hometown:** Port Richmond, PA

**Spouse:** Andrea

**First Car:** Dodge Stratus RT

**All Time Favorite Music:** Rock n Roll

**All Time Favorite Movie:** Shawshank Redemption

**Current CD in Player:** El Camino by “The Black Keys”

**Last Book Read:** The Gargoyle

**Favorite Food:** Carbs

**Favorite Sports Team:** Fightin’ Phils

**If I won the Powerball lottery, I would...** Be bumming with Mike A.

**If I wasn’t working at Horizon, I’d be...** Working for Turbana.

**Life Motto:** “Make the most of yourself, for that is all there is of you.”—Ralph Waldo Emerson



### COMMENTS?

### SUGGESTIONS?

This is your Horizon River Views! If you have ideas for future articles or information you’d like to see included in *Horizon River Views*, please let us know.

To submit ideas or suggestions, please contact: Sharon Bailey—[sharon.bailey@pennci.com](mailto:sharon.bailey@pennci.com)

## EMPLOYEE BIRTHDAYS

### July:

Mike Arcuicci, Ed Blackburn, Dwayne Burrous, Roy DiValerio, Jerry Grant, Jr., Joann Knoetgen and Jason Saring

### August:

Charles Engel, Joe Jacovelli, James Johnson, Anthony O'Connor and Richard Tatam

### September:

Kyle Bagnell, Tim Brown, Jermaine Cooper, Frank Criniti, Sr., Sam Gager, Jr., Dwain Garner, Larry Holmes, Chris Howarth, Dorsey Lane, Page Lightner, Jr., Ceolies Redding, Jr. and Warren Troutman



## HEAT STRESS TIPS

Working in a hot environment can cause heat to build up in the body. Heat stress occurs when the body's cooling system cannot get rid of the heat fast enough. Heat stress can lead to heat exhaustion, which is serious, or heat stroke, which can kill you.

### Recognize Common Symptoms of Heat Stress:

- Headache
- Dizziness
- Weakness and wet skin
- Irritability or confusion
- Thirst, nausea, or vomiting
- Increased heart rate
- Cramps or chills
- Red, hot, dry skin
- High Temperature
- Confusion or inability to think clearly
- Fainting
- Convulsions

### What to Do if Someone is Suffering from Heat Stress:

- Get help immediately
- Notify your Supervisor or call 911
- Move the victim to a cool area
- Offer sips of water if conscious
- Remove or loosen excess clothing
- Fan and spray victim with cool water. Put ice packs on the person's groin and underarms or soak the person's clothing with cool water.

### Protecting Yourself Against Heat Stress:

- Keep watch on each other
- Dress appropriately—Wear light colored clothing
- Drink water often
- Rest in the shade
- Report heat symptoms early
- Know what to do in an emergency

**Heat Safety Fact!**  
**WATER, REST, SHADE**  
**THE WORK CAN'T GET DONE WITHOUT THEM**

## MESSAGE FROM THE UNION

Boilermaker Union members: Are you aware of all the benefits offered to you on the Boilermaker website? There is a long list posted that includes such things as debt man-

agement, discount flowers, legal services, discount car rentals, health clubs, home energy savings, scholarship information and many more options. Please visit:

[www.boilermakers.org](http://www.boilermakers.org). Click on "benefits" then "union plus" and see for yourself!

## "THE SPOTTED DOG" YACHT

On April 11, 2012, Horizon Stevedoring received a waterside delivery. "The Spotted Dog" Yacht was then lifted on deck of the Chiquita Bremen vessel. This yacht, a 45' Sport Fisherman Convertible, sailed to the Philadelphia port side from Cape May, New Jersey, destination Colombia.



"The Spotted Dog" Yacht—45' Sport Fisherman Convertible



"The Spotted Dog" being lifted onto the deck of the Chiquita Bremen Vessel.

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