



Clockwise from far top left: Tankin' it on the nose. The HMCS GATINEAU making her way through the swells; An SH3 Sea King helicopter taking the CO to the USS MIDWAY; F-4 Phantoms flying overhead; A Russian TU-95 (Bear) being followed by a US F-14; F-14's flying in formation; USS ENTERPRISE on a parallel course.

During the exercise RUSH crewmembers saw a variety of aircraft from US F-14's and SH3 helicopters to Russian TU-95's, commonly known as Bears. There were reports of Russian submarines in the area, also.

Some of the ships RUSH worked with included the aircraft carriers USS MIDWAY, USS CORRAL SEA, and USS ENTERPRISE, the USS ROARK, USS MARS, USS KANSAS CITY, HMCS RESTIGOUCHE, and HMCS PROVIDER.