



A brief fuel stop in Guam renewed our supply, a swim call raised morale and cooled the not yet ac-customed bodies.

Upon arrival in Subic Bay there was much work and preparation for our upcoming first patrol. There were orders to receive and orders to give.

A look from Commodore Day and his best wishes bestowed on an eager crew. We were told of our mission in Vietnamese waters under Operation Market Time and briefed on the hard facts of what the patrols themselves would consist of.

The exterior of the ship needed paint after the rough crossing, so the order was handed out, "OK, guys - turn and burn!" The ship then sported a new summer coat.



"Nino" Apostol as a gracious host in his hometown, Olongapo.