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PRESS RELEASE

USS DRUM to Celebrate 75th Anniversary with Commemoration Ceremony

Mobile, Alabama, November 11, 2016 – USS ALABAMA Battleship Memorial Park will be holding a 75th Anniversary Commemoration Ceremony for the WWII submarine USS DRUM on Saturday, November 19, 11:00 a.m., in the Medal of Honor Aircraft Pavilion. The Ceremony will pay tribute to this National Historic Landmark and celebrate her role, and the role of her crewmen, during WWII.

"Truth be told, USS DRUM is as great a war hero, or heroine, as the USS ALABAMA," stated Janet Cobb, executive director, Battleship Memorial Park. "She earned 12 battle stars for undersea combat in the Pacific Theater and sent 15 enemy ships to the depths. USS DRUM ranks 8th in total enemy tonnage sunk during World War II."

In honor of the USS DRUM, Battleship Memorial Park will be offering free admission to the park for Saturday, November 19.

For more information, please call 251-433-2703 or visit our facebook page at USS ALABAMA Battleship Memorial Park.