

COMMAND MASTER CHIEF, NAVSCIATTS



Master Chief Jimmy Arevalo was born in Quezon City, Manila, Philippines. He enlisted in the United States Navy in May of 1984, and attended basic training in San Diego, California. Following graduation from basic training, he was assigned to the USS Kinkaid during its Western Pacific deployment. During this tour, he struck Engineman and qualified in all engineering underway watches, repair locker leader and served in the auxiliary division.

Master Chief Arevalo deployed to the following areas; Western Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea, Asia, the Middle East, Yemen, and Afghanistan. His duty stations include: SBT-12 Coronado, California; USS O'Brien, USS Kinkaid and Shore Intermediate Maintenance Activity (SIMA) San Diego, California. Staff assignments include: Leading Chief Petty Officer Naval Special Warfare Group 4, Leading Chief Petty Officer Special Operations Troop Combat Craft Development Department Virginia Beach, Virginia; Senior Enlisted Advisor Regional Task Force – Bagram, Afghanistan; Operations Department Special Reconnaissance Team 1, Coronado; Country Engagement Officer Naval Special Warfare Unit 3, Joint Special Operations Task Force-GCC, Kingdom of Bahrain; and Joint Operations Deputy/Maritime Planner Joint Special Operations Task Force Philippines.

Master Chief Arevalo has a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from National University and multiple 100-ton Chapman maritime certifications.

His personal awards include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal (3 awards), Navy and Marine Cops Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (6 awards), Navy Good Conduct Medals, Naval Reserve Meritorious Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, NATO Campaign Medal, and numerous other campaign and unit awards.

Master Chief Arevalo is married to the former Deborah Dee of Bay San Francisco, California. They have two daughters: Aubrey Anne and Florence Anne.