

Basic Detail Report



USS Growler Plaque

Date

June 1959–August 1960

Primary Maker

Dennis Y. Sloan

Medium

wood, metal, plaster, paint

Description

Plaque; Wood shield shaped base with a circular metal plaque nailed to base in the center. The center plaque is the first Growler insignia that reads “USS Growler // SSG 577” and the Latin motto “Telo utor // peregrinabor” (have missile, will travel). The insignia’s imagery depicts

the globe and has a blue border, orange continents and yellow oceans. The submarine Growler is positioned in the Atlantic Ocean with a Regulus II missile taking off in the center of the image. Underneath is a plaque that reads “LTJG D. Y. Sloan, USN // Commissary officer/ gunnery officer // USS Growler (SSG-577) // Jun 1959 - Aug 1960”. The back has one hole for hanging.

Dimensions

12 1/8 × 10 1/8 × 1 1/4 in. (30.8 × 25.7 × 3.2 cm)