

HC-7 REUNION NEWSLETTER

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HC-7 YEAR 2010 REUNION

17 May – 20 May in Charleston, South Carolina

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Charleston, South Carolina

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday May 16 thru Thursday 20, 2010

Sunday May 16th

Early arrivals.
General gathering of the Seadevils
Private Hospitality Room

Monday May 17th

0800-1000 Hospitality Room -- Oak Room's 1 & 2 setup
Check-in get info packet
1100-1500 Bar open
1100-1230 Luncheon - Welcome Aboard Reception Pool Side BBQ
1330-2200 Hospitality Room Open - Oak Room 1 & 2

Tuesday May 18th

All Day - Hospitality Room – Oak Room 1 & 2
0900-1130 VA Presentation / Q & A Period
1200-1330 Ladies Luncheon Salon "A"
1700 Ballroom - CACW ceremony
1800-1900 (Part 1 - Historian Presentation CSAR Videos, etc.
1900-1930 (Break)
1930-2030 (Part 2 - Historian Presentation CSAR Videos, etc.
2030-2100 (Break)
2100-2130 Keeping America's Promise (POW/MIA) presentation.
1800-2200 Bar Open

Wednesday May 19th

All Day - Hospitality Room - Oak Room 1 & 2
Free Time
1800-2200 Bar Open
1800-1900 Salon Ballroom - All Hands Happy Hour
1900-2030 Banquet, entertainment, songs.
2030-2200 Entertainment, songs, etc.

Thursday May 20th

0800-1300 - Hospitality Room - Oak Room 1 & 2
0900-1030 Farewell Buffet Breakfast/Brunch
1045 Planning Meeting
1145 End of business (Say our good bye's)

Memorabilia will be available for sale at the reunion:



Items of interest for the Reunion

Since the last reunion May of 2008, in Las Vegas we have lost 6 SEADEVILS. They are:

JERRY COLE (Died 5-30-09)
JAMES W. GANN (Deceased 8-27-08)
JUAN GARCIA (Died 09-05-08 10:30AM)
ELLIS T. OSWALT JR. (Died @ 5:30 PM March 21st 2009)
LARRY WAGGONER (died January 11th, 2009)(cancer)
JOHN J. FORDE (died September 17th, 2009) (Prostrate
Cancer)

May they Rest in Peace, and continue to be Seadevils with the rest of their brothers in Heaven.

At this reunion the following personnel will be awarded their Combat Aircrew Wings:

While attached to HC-1:

AT-2 Bill Stock
AT-2 Anthony Hanson (Major R. E. Stone USAF (Ret) to pin his wings on)
AMH-1 Curtis Venable
ADJ-1 Jay Driscoll (Posthumously to his Wife)
ADJ-2 Johnny Hale

While attached to HS-4:
AX-2 John David Waddell

While attached to HS-6:
AX-3 Don Leland Stanford

While attached to HC-7:
AT-3 Herb "Rice" Curry
AO-3 Joseph Hilyer
ADJAN Robert K. Stover

Also at this reunion we will have presentations by Jim Strickland, on VA Compensation. He is considered an expert on this topic. One of our own, Ron Lewis will give a presentation on "Keeping America's Promise (POW/MIA).

The next item of interest is where the 2012 Reunion should be held. Suggestions are San Diego, Norfolk, Va., Seattle, Wa. and once again in Las Vegas, NV. Circle the one you prefer or write in another choice.

Now last, but not least, having been somewhat of the Reunion Committee Coordinator, along with Joe Skrzypek and Walt Lester since the first Mini Reunion in 1985, I am ready to let someone else do it, after the 2010 Reunion in Charleston. If you would like to be the coordinator please feel free to say so, because after the Charleston Reunion I am quitting the job. It has been fun but it also is intense and takes a lot of effort to make things happen. I am thankful that I have had the opportunity to make the things happen along with our fantastic Historian Ron Milam, it has been a blast. Thanks again for all your support in the past. Respectfully, Phil Poisson

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name(s) as you want them on tag; _____
 Spouse and/guest(s) _____
 Enlisted Rank while assigned HC-7: _____
 Aircrewman and type of aircraft: _____
 Shop / Office _____
 Your mailing address: _____
 City/State/Zip _____

 Phone: _____
 Email address: _____

Planned ETA/ETD (circle two) 5/16 5/17 5/18 5/19 5/20 5/21 5//22

Computation of Reunion Fees

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| Sunday 16 May | Hospitality Suite, Private Room # Assigned (beer, wine & misc.) | \$20.00 |
| Monday 17 May | All Day Hospitality Room "Oak Room 1 & 2 1100-1500 Bar Open (No Host) Welcome Aboard Reception / Pool Side BBQ Luncheon 1100-1230 | \$35.00 ea. \$ _____ |
| Tuesday 18 May | All Day Hospitality Room "Oak Room 1 & 2 1200 - 1330 Ladies Luncheon Salon "A" 1700 – CACW Ceremony 1800 - Historian Presentation – POW/MIA Presentation 1800 - 2200 Bar Open (No host) | |
| Wednesday 19 May | All Day Hospitality Room "Oak Room 1 & 2 1800-1900 All Hands Happy Hour (No host) 1800-2200 Bar Open (No Host) 1900-2030 Banquet, 2030-2200 Entertainment, songs, etc. | \$50.00 ea. \$ _____ |
| Thursday 20 May | 0800-1330 Hospitality Room "Oak Room 1 & 2" 0900-1030 Farewell Buffet Breakfast/Brunch 1045- Planning Meeting 1145 End of business (Say our good bye's) Admin Fee: Memorabilia / History Fee: | \$25.00 ea \$ _____ \$20.00 \$20.00 |
| | Total: | \$ _____ |

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