

REUNION - PENSACOLA

31 OCTOBER - 4 NOVEMBER 2018

It has now been set up by President Bill Brinkman and promises to be another great event as our 10th reunion. Our hotel is the Hampton Inn at 2187 Airport Blvd near the Pensacola Airport. It has all the amenities needed for our reunion. It comes with a \$114.00 rate per day plus tax that includes a full breakfast for two. Hampton also has complimentary shuttle service from the Airport, an outdoor swimming pool, free Wifi, fitness and business centers, laundry service, non-smoking rooms, several restaurants close by, and free parking. Rooms also come with coffee makers, a mini-fridge, and microwave. The reviews of the facility on the internet are excellent.

Activities begin on Halloween at 1400 in the Hospitality Room where your Sea Poacher Association Board voted to provide and fund from our treasury a fully stocked bar with snacks for the entire reunion. This is a major change from past reunions and a big plus from having to set it up on our own.

Then at 1800 wear your best/worst pirate garb for the welcoming reception and dinner. It promises to be a major event. The activities for the next day include a Pensacola City Tour, Lunch at Maguire's Irish Pub, the Tolling of the Bells Service/Ceremony at Veterans Memorial Park, and our Business Meeting. On the 2nd we will tour the Naval Air Station Museum and National Flight Academy, view the Magic of Flight at the IMAX Theater, and then watch the Blue Angels Air Show. Somewhere during this busy day extravaganza we will have lunch at the Cubi Bar. Then on Saturday the 3rd, we will travel by bus to Mobile and tour the Battleship Alabama, Aircraft Pavilion, and the Submarine Drum with lunch there. We will be back to Pensacola by 1600 and have our banquet that evening. The Reunion will close with breakfast on Sunday morning November 4th. Some may wish to stay longer.

There are a few other details yet to be worked out at this early date such as the banquet guest speaker, but they are being attended to by your Board of Officers. These and currently planned activities with photos will be spelled out in the July and October Newsletters.

For planning purposes, it is always very helpful for the Board and the Reunion Planners to have reservations made as early as possible. Not only for scheduling buses, but for catering and other general logistics.

No Sea Poacher has ever been denied a refund if he had to cancel from the Reunion, even at the last minute. If you think you are going to attend, sign up now for the Activity Package. Use the mail in form on page 3 herein.

To reserve rooms at the Hampton Inn, call them directly as also shown on page 3.

How many more Sea Poacher-Sea Owl Reunions will there be? This is our 10th and still going strong.

LET US HOPE FOR MANY MORE, BUT ONE NEVER KNOWS.

WE WANT TO SEE YOU IN PENSACOLA.

SEA POACHER AND SEA OWL REUNION

WEDNESDAY 31st	THURSDAY 1st	FRIDAY 2nd	SATURDAY 3rd	SUNDAY 4th
<p>Check in at The Hampton Inn Pensacola Airport Breakfast included in rate 114.00 Plus tax Per Night</p>  <p>2:00 p.m. Hospitality Room Open</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Welcome Reception at Hotel</p> 	<p>Breakfast</p>  <p>9:00 a.m. Pensacola City Tour</p> <p>Followed by</p>  <p>Lunch at Maguires Irish Pub</p> <p>Afterwards:</p>  <p>Memorial Service at Veterans Memorial Park</p> <p>Back to Hotel by 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>Business Meeting at Hotel 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Hospitality Room Open</p> <p>Evening Free</p>	<p>Breakfast</p>  <p>8:00 a.m. NAS Museum</p>  <p>Giant Screen Theater</p>  <p>And Blue Angels Air Show</p> <p>Lunch at Cubi Bar</p> <p>Back to Hotel by 5:00 p.m.</p> <p>Hospitality Room Open</p> <p>Evening Free</p>	<p>Breakfast</p>  <p>8:00 a.m. USS Alabama Tour, Aircraft Pavilion</p> <p>Followed by</p>  <p>USS Drum and Lunch</p> <p>Back to hotel by 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Hospitality Room Open</p> <p>6:30 p.m. CASH BAR</p>  <p>7:00 p.m. Final Evening Dinner</p>	<p>Breakfast</p> <hr/> <p>Depart</p> <p>ACTIVITY PACKAGE \$400</p> <p>INCLUDES: Welcome Reception Hospitality & Banquet Room Evening Banquet Name Badges Welcome Packet Registration Fee Hospitality Room NAS Museum IMAX Lunch at Cubi Bar City Tour Lunch at Maguires Memorial Service Mobile Tour and Lunch All Taxes and Most Gratuities Reunion Website</p>

AYE MATEY!

HALLOWEEN IS OUR FIRST DAY. BRING OUT THE PIRATE IN YOU AT 1800. WEAR YOUR BEST PIRATE GEAR. SEE IF YE CAN STILL HANDLE SOME GROG. ALAS NO LOOSE WOMEN WILL BE ON THIS BOUNTY!

BE IN PENSACOLA!



THANKS TO JON NAGLE FOR THE PHOTO AND IDEA!

**SEA POACHER AND SEA OWL
REGISTRATION FORM
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA REUNION
OCTOBER 31 – NOVEMBER 4, 2018**

Name (To be on your name badge) _____

Spouse/Guest _____ Guest _____

Guest _____ Guest _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Wheelchair Access? _____ Yes _____ No

Dietary Restrictions? _____

**HOST HOTEL: Hampton Inn Pensacola Airport
2187 Airport Blvd, Pensacola, FL 32504**

Call 850-478-1123 for room reservations and mention you are with the SEA POACHER/SEA OWL Reunion. The room rate is \$114.00 per room per night plus tax. Complimentary breakfast for two per room. Room rate available 3 days prior and after reunion dates, based on availability. Rooms not reserved by 30 September 2018 will be dropped from the group block.

REUNION ACTIVITY PACKAGE:

(Includes Welcome Packet, Hospitality and Banquet Room, Name Badge, Welcome Reception, Shows and Attractions, Transportation and Taxes. See Itinerary – we encourage you to participate in all activities. If you must “opt out” of any event, please call our office.

_____ of attendees x \$400.00 pp = \$ _____

TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

A 50% deposit is requested by May 30, 2018 and final payment must be received by September 30, 2018. In order to guarantee reservation for tours/meals you MUST register by October 15, 2018. We cannot “add-on” at the reunion. No refunds on activity package after September 30, 2018.

MAIL REGISTRATION & CHECK PAYABLE TO:

GRAY LINE GATHERINGS PLUS, 155 Industrial Park Drive, Hollister, MO 65672

TO PAY BY CREDIT CARD PLEASE COMPLETE THE BELOW:

I authorize Gray Line Gatherings Plus to charge \$ _____ on my card

Account # _____ Exp Date _____ Security Code _____

To Contact Gatherings Plus dial 417-338-4048

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