

USS BEGOR APD-127 ASSOCIATION REUNION
October 21-25, 2008, Pensacola Beach, Florida

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, 10/21 – Arrival and Registration

Wednesday, 10/22

- 0730 Depart from Holiday Inn Express by bus to Pensacola Naval Base to view the Blue Angels practice show. Reserved seating in bleachers.
- Tour of National Museum of Naval Aviation
- Meet the Blue Angels pilots, ask questions, and autograph session.
- (Dutch Treat) Lunch in the WestPac Room adjacent to the Cubi Bar and Café.
- Tour by Navy Museum Trolley Bus to view larger planes outside the museum.
- MARVEL AT THE COLLECTION. Get up close and personal to one of the largest aviation museums in the world, at nearly 300,000 sq. ft. of modern exhibit space. See more than 150 historic aircraft, including the first plane to fly the Atlantic, combat veterans of Midway, Korea, Vietnam and Iraq, and machines representing nearly a century of aviation achievement.
- ESCAPE TO THE IMAX THEATRE. (Optional-extra cost) Discover the larger-than-life experience of the IMAX in the Naval Aviation Memorial Theatre. Showcasing current releases as well as the flagship film, The Magic of Flight, IMAX will take your breath away with its seven-story movie screen.

Thursday, 10/23 (This schedule is based on a minimum of 35 people registering, and therefore subject to price and schedule revision if we do not have the minimum 35 registrants.)

- 0900 Depart from Holiday Inn Express by bus to Mobile Bay to tour the Battleship Alabama.
- 1330 - 1500 Lunch at the Piccadilly Cafeteria, Bel Air Mall, Mobile (Dutch treat)
- 1500 On to Biloxi, Mississippi, to play at the Grand Casino. The Casino will give each person \$15 worth of chips to play in the machines. Buffet Dinner at the Casino included.
- 2100 Depart Casino and return by bus to Holiday Inn Express.

Friday, 10/24

- A day to play.
- Deep sea fishing can be arranged. Take a boat to watch dolphins**, fish, swim, golf (9 golf courses in area), visit the Boardwalk, sailing, wave runners, parasailing, go carts, arcade, or visit Fort Barrancas, built by the US Army 1839-1844 (Ranger led tours at 2 PM).
- 1800 Cocktails and Dinner at the Sere' house on the beach, 1014 Ariola, Pensacola Beach

Saturday, 10/25

- 1400 USS Begor Assn. members only meeting, Holiday Inn Express lobby.
- 1900 Annual Banquet, Grand Hall at McGuire's Irish Pub, 600 E. Gregory St., Pensacola (11 times Golden Spoon Award Winner)

Sunday, 10/26

- Depart or stay on and enjoy a few more days at the beach.

** Call or fax Raoul if you would like to make arrangements for a Deep Sea Fishing Trip or Dolphin Watching Boat Trip on Friday 10/24. Boats leave directly from Pensacola Beach. Raoul's phone 504-528-3009, or fax at 504-524-1093.

NOTE: THIS SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. CHECK FUTURE BEGOR NEWSLETTERS, AND UPON ARRIVING AT THE REUNION HOTEL, CHECK TO SEE IF ANY CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT THE BEGOR HOSPITALITY AREA.