

USS Frank Knox (DDR-742) Reunion Association



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REUNION INVITATION & REGISTRATION

34TH ANNUAL USS FRANK KNOX REUNION

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MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR CALENDAR YEAR	R INCLUDE: MASTER ROST	TER, MEMBERSHIP CA	RD, REUNION PRICING & NEWSLET	TER
	EMERGENCY (CONTACT		
Name of a relative not residing with you:				
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Relationship:				

REUNION EVENTS – WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY						
PLEASE NOTE REUNION DATES ARE: SUNDAY (CHECK-IN) 9/29/2024 TO THURSDAY (CHECK OUT) 10/3/2024	\$ PRICE	QTY	AMOUNT			
Monday 9/30 Bus Tour to Fredericksburg & National Museum of the Pacific War, dedication of plaque. Bus transportation and museum entry is included with your tour price. Lunch and exploring Fredericksburg on your own. (per person):	\$56.00					
Tuesday 10/1 Free day to meet up and explore the wide variety of sites and activities on and near Riverwalk						
Wednesday 10/2 Mexican Buffet Banquet (per person):	\$41.00					
While we know you would like to attend all events, it isn't required that you sign up for everything. If it fits your schedule						
and budget, we're pleased. But don't feel you must attend all festivities and stay all 4 days. The main thing is to show						
up to the reunion and enjoy your friends and shipmates. The Business Meeting and Banquet are our primary events.						
Looking forward to seeing you in San Antonio, Texas!!						
Non-Members & Guests please add \$10.00 per event per person (Member's guests receive member pricing):						
** 2024 Association Membership Dues if not already paid will give you membership pricing on Reunion events. Family price:	\$ 30.00					
TOTAL ENCLOSED:		\$				

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: MARGARET WATSON

Please return this form with your payment to: USS Frank Knox Reunion Association c/o Margaret Watson, Treasurer 3421 NW Coronado St., Corvallis, Oregon 97330 Tel: 541-757-8067 Make payable to Margaret Watson.

Questions: Contact Don Landers, Reunion Coordinator at 817-723-7654 (or e-mail d_landers@sbcglobal.net)



REUNION ITINERARY & ACTIVITIES



Holiday Inn San Antonio-Riverwalk - Located on the famous Riverwalk

Reserve your hotel today. The reunion dates are Sunday, Sept. 29th (check in) through Thursday, October 3rd, 2024, (check out). **The banquet is on Wednesday Night**. The tour is on Monday. Tuesday is an individual exploring day in and around Riverwalk.

It does not cost you anything to reserve your room (just a credit card to hold your room). If you need to cancel your reservation, you may do so by 4:00pm two days prior to arrival (48 hours). \$130.00 per night reunion rate (+tax), standard king or queen room. Please call the hotel direct at 210-224-2500 (select option 2) to make your reservations <u>now</u> and lock in your rate. Be sure to tell them you would like to make reservations for the USS Frank Knox 2024 Reunion in September. **Give them the reservation block rate code:** <u>KNO</u>. Rates apply 3 days before and 3 days after the reunion (pending availability). If you prefer you may also book online (click on the link or copy and paste the following into your browser):

https://www.holidayinn.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=HI&localeCode=en®ionCode=1&hotelCode=SATRW& PMID=99801 505&GPC=KNO&cn=no&viewfullsite=true

If you have questions or need help with the link, please do not hesitate to ask.

Please note: Cutoff Date is September 6, 2024. Reservations by attendees must be received on or before the **Cutoff Date**. Reservations received after the cutoff date will be provided on a space available basis at the hotel's current selling rate.

Your stay includes:

- Complimentary fitness room and outdoor pool
- Business Center
- Complimentary Wi-Fi in meeting space and guestrooms.
- San Antonio airport is less than 8.5 miles from the hotel. Shuttle is NOT available to and from airport. At this time Uber or Lyft will be approximately \$16-\$25 one way.
- Restaurant & Bar onsite. Breakfast buffet available at a reduced rate of \$20 per person. Breakfast is not included in our room rate.

All meals, except the banquet on Wednesday evening, are on your own and at your own expense. There is an on-site restaurant and bar, and there are restaurants galore along Riverwalk.

<u>Sunday, Sept. 29, 2024</u>: Attendees arrive for 34th annual Frank Knox Reunion. Meet and Greet! Check into your room and then come to the Hospitality Suite to pick up your Welcome Packet and visit with shipmates.

Monday, Sept. 30, 2024:

8:30 am Depart hotel for Fredericksburg and the National Museum of the Pacific War

10:00 am (ish) Arrive at the museum, check in, and receive orientation 10:30 am Plaque Dedication Ceremony then tour the museum

Noonish Lunch and browse the town and/or return for more museum 3:00 pm Depart museum with a tentative short stop in Luckenbach, Texas

5:00 pm Arrive at hotel



<u>Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2024</u>: A full day of exploring San Antonio and the Riverwalk area on your own and/or spend time with shipmates in the hospitality room. Our hotel is located on the famous Riverwalk and within walking distance to many of the local sites; like: The Alamo, San Fernando Cathedral, La Villita Historic Arts Village, Historic Market Square, Museums, and restaurants galore!

Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2024: After breakfast, we will meet in the hospitality room at 9:30 am for our Annual Business Meeting where we'll elect Board of Directors for 2024 and select a location for the 35th Annual Reunion. Please come prepared to present your suggested East Coast/Region reunion location. We'll take a quick break and then begin our Blind White Elephant Auction! Please remember to bring your gifts (wrapped if possible and suitable for auction) and a full billfold as we raise funds for our association's coffers. Each year there are surprises, wine, and other great items from your shipmate's locale. When the auction is over, we will then have the afternoon on our own before dinner.

At 5:30 pm we plan to meet for a Group Portrait before our **Grand Buffet Banquet** at 6:30 pm. There will be a cash bar at the banquet. Following introductions and dinner, a special speaker will address the association.

Thursday, Oct. 3, 2024: Check out and farewell to all our friends and shipmates until fall 2025.