**2019 Virginia Beach Reunion Calendar**

**Sunday, September 8**
Early arrivals and afternoon packet stuffing

**Monday, September 9**
Early arrivals. Registration opens. No planned activities

**Tuesday, September 10**
**AM** 9:00 – 2:30 PM  
Morning tour includes First Landing Cross at Cape Henry, Old Cape Henry Lighthouse and Military Aviation Museum with box lunch included.

**PM**  
Afternoon free  
**Hospitality Room opens officially PM**
Evening – one hour Welcome Cocktail Party in the Hospitality Room

**Wednesday, September 11**
**AM** 9:00 – 12:30 PM  
Virginia Aquarium and Marine Science Museum

**PM** 1:30 – 5:30 PM  
Norfolk Botanical Gardens and Chocolate Tasting Tour

**PM**  
Afternoon Meeting 14th Infantry Regiment Chapter

**PM**  
Evening - Executive Council meeting  
**Hospitality Room open all day**

**Thursday, September 12**
**AM** – 8:30 – 3:00 PM  
Jamestown Settlement Tour with return via Yorktown and the Revolutionary War battlefields

**Evening**  
Buffet Dinner and Auction  
**HOSPITALITY ROOM OPEN ALL DAY**

**Friday, September 13**
**AM** 9:00 – 2:30 PM  
Norfolk City Tour, MacArthur Memorial and Museum followed by Spirit of Norfolk luncheon cruise.

**PM** 4:00 PM  
Tropic Lightning Heritage Society Get Together

**PM**  
12th Evac Hospital – meeting and general Get Together

**PM**  
Free time for individual activities

**PM**  
Evening entertainment in the hotel  
**Hospitality Room open all day**

**Saturday – September 14**
8:30 AM  
Annual Meeting

10:30 AM  
Memorial Service

**PM**  
Free time for individual activities

**PM** 6:00 PM  
Cocktail Party and Banquet
Step 1: 70th Annual 25th Division Reunion Registration

Member Full Name:______________________________________________

Member Name as you want it to appear on your Nametag:________________________

Spouse Name:________________________   Nametag:________________________

Guest Name:________________________   Nametag:________________________

Guest Name:________________________   Nametag:________________________

For additional guests, attach a list

Your Address: _____________________________________________________________________

City:________________________________ State:_______ Zip Code: ___________________

Home Phone: ____________________________ Work Phone: ______________________________

Email: __________________________________

Unit within the 25ID (i.e., 27th Inf, 8th Cav, etc.)____________________________________

Dates of Service with the 25ID: _____________ to ______________

Era(s) of Service (√)

❏WWII  ❏ Korea  ❏ Vietnam  ❏ War on Terror  ❏ Cold War  ❏ Peacetime

Check (√) here if this is your first Division Association Reunion.

Item Number X Cost Total

Reunion Registration _____ X $89 $___________

Buffet Dinner, Thursday, September 12th

_____ X $49 $___________

Annual Auction to follow Buffet Dinner

70th Annual Banquet - Saturday, September 14th

All meals include salad, entree with starch & vegetable, dessert and coffee & iced tea

Chicken Fricassee _____ X $38 $___________

Pan sauteed witht lemon & parsley butter sauce

Sliced Sirloin of Roast Beef _____ X $42 $___________

Topped with a peppercorn demi-gaze

Crab Cakes _____ X $47 $___________

Two broiled crab cakes with a chilled Mango Salsa

Hospitality Room Donation $___________

Grand Total $___________

Check here if you would like to volunteer at Registration, or Hospitality

I am paying by: ❏ Check ❏ Credit Card  (NOTE: All credit cards transactions processed through PayPal)

Make checks payable to “25TH INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION”

Credit Card Information:

❏ Discover Card ❏ Visa ❏ Mastercard ❏ American Express

Name on Card:________________________________

Credit Card Number:________________________________

Exp. Date: ___/___   Billing Zip Code: _ _ _ _ _  CVC Code __ __ __ __

Signature:________________________       Date: ______________

The cancellation policies of the Holiday Inn Virginia Beach Hotel and Convention Center apply to all hotel transactions. The cancellation policies of Phillips DMC apply to all activity transactions. The 25th Infantry Division Association must provide participant counts for all other activities. The Association is financially responsible to the service providers for services and goods based on participant counts. Therefore, the 25th Infantry Division Association will refund 100% of Reunion Registration & Association activity fees paid provided written notice is received at least 30 days prior to the reunion. Between 15 and 29 days the Association will refund 75% of fees provided written notice is received. If notice is received in 14 days or less, no refund will be made except in those cases where injury/illness prohibited attendance and then any refund will be on a case by case basis depending on any losses incurred due to the cancellation. All refunds must be approved by the Association Executive Committee. Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Please confirm your coverage with your insurance company. Notice of reunion cancellation must be in writing and sent to:

25th Infantry Division Association
PO Box 7
Flourtown PA 19031-0340

The Association offices will be closed in September 4-17, 2019 As an alternative, cancellations may be Emailed to the Association at TropicLttn@aol.com. All cancellations must include a copy of the confirmation received from the Association and a complete address and telephone number of the member by which confirmation can be confirmed by our staff.
Step 2: Hotel Registration

25th Infantry Division Association 70th Annual Reunion
September 8-14, 2019 • Special Group Rate: $119 Per Night + 14% tax + $2 Lodging Daily

Single - Double - Triple - Quad

Room rate includes hot breakfast for two per room per day

Only Members & Guests Registered for the Reunion will be certified for the Reunion Hotel Rate!

Name(s):____________________________________________________________
Telephone: (____) _______________ Email: _____________@______________
Street: _____________________________________________________________
City: ____________________________    State:____ Zip Code: __ __ __ __ __
Room Type: All rooms are Double Queen         Accessible: □ Yes □ No

For accessible room call 757-499-4400

Number of Rooms: ____Date of Arrival: ________    Date of Departure: ________
Number of Guests: ___________ Adults: _____ Children: ____ (Ages: ______)

Maximum guestroom capacity is four (4) adults or two (2) adults and two (2) children. All reservations must be received prior to August 18, 2019 to assure accommodations at the host hotel. All reservations are accepted on a space available basis: a maximum number of rooms is reserved for the reunion. The special rate will be extended 3 days prior and 3 days after the reunion dates subject to availability. A confirmation number for your accommodations will be Emailed to you.

Type of Payment: □ Discover Card □ Visa □ Mastercard □ AMEX

Name on Card: __________________________________________
Credit Card #: ______________________________ Expiration Date: ____ / ____ CCV# ______

Mail to:
Holiday Inn Virginia Beach - Norfolk Hotel & Convention Center
5655 Greenwich Avenue
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462
757-499-4400 or 800-567-3856 (must mention 25th IDA Reunion to get the special rate)

Afghanistan circa 2005.
Photo by SGT Sean Kimmons

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Virginia Beach Reunion Planning

Sunday & Monday, September 8 & 9 – Early arrivals. Volunteers will prepare registration packets

Tuesday, September 10 - - Morning city tour departs at 9:00 AM and includes the First Landing Cross at Cape Henry where the English colonists first came ashore in 1607 prior to settling at nearby Jamestown. Also, a stop at the Old Cape Henry Lighthouse, built in 1792. Continue on to the Military Aviation Museum where you will enjoy a guided tour of the galleries. Shop in their delightful gift shop for all things flight related. Return to the hotel around 2:30 PM
Afternoon is free to visit with friends in the Hospitality Room.
Tonight a Cocktail Reception (cost included in Registration Fee)

Wednesday, September 11 - - 9:00 AM departure to visit to Virginia Aquarium and Marine Science Museum, which contains 800,000 gallons of aquariums and more than 300 hands-on exhibits. At the largest aquarium in Virginia, guests will experience a unique journey through Virginia’s marine environment. Exhibits include a shorebird aviary, jellyfish and octopus aquariums, a sea turtle aquarium, a 300,000-gallon ocean aquarium housing sharks, stingrays and other large ocean fish. Time will be allowed for shopping the their gift shop. Return to the hotel approximately 12:30 PM
Afternoon meetings for 14th Infantry Regiment. Time and locations to be advised.

Members and guests depart at 1:30 PM for the Norfolk Botanical Gardens. Enjoy a trackless train ride through 175 acres of colorful landscape. The gardens contain one of the East Coast’s largest collections of azaleas, camellias, roses and rhododendrons. Time to browse the garden gift shop before we go to The Royal Chocolate to sample a variety of chocolates from around the world. Return to the hotel around 5:30 PM.
Evening Executive Council Meeting – time and location to be announced.

Thursday, September 12 – A delightful day is planned for today beginning with an 8:30 AM departure to the re-created village of Jamestown, the first permanent settlement in the new world. An introductory film, “1607: A Nation Takes Root,” and indoor exhibition galleries provide you with the political social and economic factors that led to the colonization of the New World and the culture of the Powhatan Indians of coastal Virginia at the time of the English arrival.
Outside the exhibition hall is the re-creation of a Powhatan Indian village, a colonial fort and the three ships – Susan Constant, Godspeed and Discovery – that transported English colonists to Virginia in 1607. Costumed historical interpreters demonstrate work and everyday life of the era and engage visitors in a variety of activities. After lunch on your own in the Jamestown Café and a visit to the gift shop, board the coach for the return trip to the hotel via Yorktown and the Revolutionary War Battlefields. Your tour guide will point out areas of interest along the way.
6:00 PM – Buffet followed by our annual auction.

Friday, September 13 - Morning city of Norfolk tour stopping at the MacArthur Memorial for a visit. Next, board the magnificent Spirit of Norfolk for a luncheon cruise. Feast on a sumptuous buffet and enjoy the informative narration as you cruise through the Hampton Roads Harbor. Return to the hotel for relaxation time...maybe a dip in the pool before going to the hospitality room. Get together for the Tropic Lightning Heritage Society and 12th Evac Hospital.

Tonight enjoy local entertainment. Details to be announced.

Saturday, September 14 – This morning we will have our annual business meeting followed by our Memorial Service. The rest of the day is free to do as you please.

Tonight a cocktail party precedes our annual banquet.

Sunday, September 15 – Until Next Year. Sadly we leave our friends behind for another year. Safe journeys to all!
Step 3: Activity Registration

Name(s): ____________________________________________
Telephone: (___) __________________ Email: __________________________@
Street: ________________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: ___________________ Zip Code: ______________________

I authorize the 25th Infantry Division Association to charge my account for the activities listed below.

Type of Payment:   □  Discover Card  □  Visa  □  Mastercard
Name on Card: ________________________________
Account # _____________________________ Expiration Date: ____ / ____
Billing Zip Code: __________ CCV# __________________________
Signature: _________________________________

Do you want to be on the same bus as friends?  If “yes,” we will do our best to accommodate you. Members you want to travel with: _________________________

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9:00-2:30

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1:30-5:30

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Jamestown and Yorktown Battlefield Tour
8:30 - 3:00

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Friday, September 13, 2019
Norfolk Tour with Luncheon Cruise
9:00 - 2:30

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All costs based on a minimum of 35 participants per activity.

Total $ _______

Submit all Activity Registrations via mail, or E-mail to:

70th Annual Reunion Activities
PO Box 7
Flourtown PA 19031-0007
TropicLtn@aol.com
website
70th Annual Reunion

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Virginia Beach, Virginia