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Fall 2018 Newsletter of the Gunston Hall Reunion Association

Reunion 2019

In Case You Didn't Get the Memo...

As per the vote in Las Vegas, we are having our reunion in San Diego, April 28 to May 1, 2019

We will be at the Holiday Inn, San Diego - Bayside. The room rate including taxes will be \$145.25, single or double occupancy. We may arrive Sunday afternoon and depart Wednesday morning. However, the special rate may be extended three days before and three days after the reunion.

As in the past, we are individually responsible for making room reservations in a timely manner. Reservations may be made any time but must be completed before March 15, 2019. Obviously, sooner is better as it allows time for us to plan accordingly.

Individuals must identify themselves as part of USS Gunston Hall Reunion at the time of making reservations in order to be eligible for the special group rate. Please call (800) 662-8899 or (619) 224-3621 to make reservations. You must mention our group code to get our special rate. The code is "USG" No deposit is required. Do it now! **The reservation may be cancelled without charge or penalty up through April 25.**

To make reservations on-line, click this link:

[USS Gunston Hall Room Reservations](#)

On-line, the group code is pre-loaded but you must enter the dates. Our group rate is good for 3 days before and after the reunion. When you have entered the dates, click on "Check Availability." That will take you to the next page in the process.

New Info...

Arrangements have been made for a buffet on Tuesday evening. There will be a charge of \$66.00 per person for dinner and Hospitality room refreshments. In any event, **we must know if you plan to attend and the number of guests you will bring not later than December 15.** Please send your check to Bob Beyer right away. Bob's address:
3911 Lower Saxtown Rd, Waterloo, IL 62298-4611

A Harbor Cruise is planned as a group event. Participation is optional and will cost \$30 per person including ground transportation. If you would like to attend, **please send payment to Bob Beyer before January 15, 2019.**

Summary of Important Dates:

Hotel Reservation deadline: March 15, 2019

Dinner Reservation Deadline: December 15, 2018

Harbor Cruise Deadline: January 15, 2019

Deadlines notwithstanding, for a successful reunion, we must know your intention asap!

Happy Holidays

Although still many weeks away, this is the last chance for Doris and I to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New year.

We look forward to seeing all of you in San Diego as this could be our last hurrah unless we have a volunteer to be Chairman and coordinate the next reunion.
- Bill Driscoll, Chairman