



FAQ (FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS)
USNA 65 45TH REUNION



Q1: What if I need or deserve a **refund**?

A1: Unless it is an extreme situation, we would like to process all refunds after the reunion to make it easier on the reunion committee. Exceptions can be made. Q2 is related.

Q2: I plan to **attend reunion alone** and don't plan to attend all the functions.

A2: Complete the registration form and signup for the events you would like to attend. Add up the cost of these events and send in that amount.

Q3: What is the **total cost** of the reunion?

A3: The total cost for a couple attending all events is \$804. this does not include the cost of your lodging. For one person, it is \$402.

Q4: When can I **reserve a hotel room**?

A4: We have three hotels with blocks of rooms reserved for our class and they are taking reservations

Q5: Is the **cost of the hotel** room included in my payment to the class?

A5: **NO**, we decided that it would make more sense to have you book your rooms and pay anyway you chose. If you are a member of a Frequent Stay program, there will be some rooms available for you to use. You will pay for it with your credit card.

Q6: Will the **65 Bus** stop at all hotels in the area?

A6: **NO**, in order to keep the costs down, the bus will only pickup at the Marriott Waterfront, Marriott Courtyard and Marriott Springhill Suites. The latter two are located off Riva Road.



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Q7: I am a **widow or family member** of a classmate. Can I come to the Reunion?

A7: **YES**, you will be very welcome at the reunion. We consider all family members to be part of our class and will be delighted to have you join us. Dolly Lewis is organizing some events to help you will feel welcome. Dolly can be contacted at dollylewis@att.net or (240) 420-1935. See Q2 for related information.

Q8: **Alumni Association registration**-Why is it so important to keep my contact information current at the Alumni Association?

A8: **WOW**, it is very important now. We will be contacting you through the mass email service that the Alumni Association offers. To make that work, we need to have your latest information. We also recommend that you check the information on Bull Durham's class list on the '65 website to make sure your information is up-to-date there too. We intend to use both lists and company representatives to contact each class member.

Q9: How are you going to keep track of who signed up and paid for which event?

A9: First, we are relying on you to be fair to your classmates and sign-up for the events you attend. HONOR is part of our Class Crest and hopefully part of our lives. Additionally, each Name Tag will be color coded to indicate which events were paid for. We are not going to have check-in at the door but it will be evident if someone is attending an event they didn't sign up for.

Q10: When will the final payments be due?

A10: Final Registration is open now. There are instructions and a form on the website for your use. You must make your final cash payment by September 15, 2010.



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Q11: Are there going to be gifts included in the package?

A11: In an effort to keep the costs down, we have decided not provide gifts to everyone and have them included in the cost. We recognize that this is a significant milestone and we ought to be celebrating. So, we have commissioned Ann Hand, a renowned Washington DC jewelry designer, to design a brooch replicating our class crest. The first order has already shipped. Anyone interested in the second order, please contact Mike Epprecht. Information is on Dave Anderson's and Bull Durham's websites about the Brooch. Also, Denny Wedekind will set up shop at the Marriott Waterfront with his full line of apparel. You can go to his website www.wedekindbros.com at anytime to place an order. Denny has put together some great USNA 65 glassware. This information is on Both websites.

Q12: What about Football tickets for the Homecoming Game.

A12: Glad you asked, first of all, the tailgate is inside the Navy Marine Corps Stadium Fence so you **MUST HAVE A TICKET TO THE FOOTBALL GAME TO GET INTO THE TAILGATE.** If you already have season tickets, then you can obviously use them. We will buy a group of tickets together in the North End Zone so that the class can sit together. If you want to obtain tickets that way, put the number you want on the registration form. **YOU DO NEED TO HAVE A TICKET TO THE FOOTBALL GAME FOR EACH PERSON SIGNED UP FOR THE TAILGATE.**

Q13: Tell me about the Golf Outing

A13: Hap Hadd has organized a 0900 shotgun start at the nearby Eisenhower Course. The cost is \$55 per golfer and includes greens fees, lunch and cart. The event will be a scramble. Signup information is on both class websites.



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Q14: How will I be kept up to date with information about the reunion?

A14: We will promulgate information in a variety of ways. First line of communication is the Alumni Association email service which allows us to send emails to all classmates, whether you graduated or not, along with widows and families of deceased classmates. BUT, you must have a current and valid email address on record with the Alumni Association. Go to their website (www.usna.com) and update your information or call them at 410-295-4000. All information will be shown on our class website maintained by Dave Anderson (<http://web.me.com/daveand65/>). The same information is can be accessed at the website maintained by Bull Durham (<http://www.usna65.org/>). In addition we will post updates on the two Yahoo Egroups. As a last step, we have recruited at least one person from each of the 36 first class year companies to be a company coordinator/cheerleader to promote attendance. They will have the latest information.

Q15: I thought there was a YP ride scheduled?

A15: Yes there was, but the Academy had to cancel the rides due to budget constraints. Sorry, that would have been fun.