

Red Eagles 4th of July, 2014 Newsletter

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Fellow Red Eagles: Reunion Update

At this time we have over 100 Red Eagles and their guests signed up for the reunion, plus an additional 22 maybes. Cutoff date for reserving a room at the Boulder Station Hotel and Casino is Oct 1st, after that date it will be space "A" to get a room.

Here is the current schedule:

RED EAGLE REUNION 2014

Itinerary:

Friday, Oct 17th, 1600 HRS – Beer Call at the 65th Aggressor Sq, Red Eagle Bar, located in building 1770 at 3721 Freedom Circle Nellis AFB, near Freedom Park by the aircraft on pedestals.

Friday Oct 17th, 1800 HRS – A gathering of Red Eagles, (Reunion Sign In), at the Nellis Golf course Club House located at 2841 Kinley Drive, Nellis AFB. Heavy finger food and drinks, cost - \$25.00 per person, we had to raise it from \$15.00 at the first reunion as we ran short then.

Saturday, Oct 18th, 0900 HRS – Golf Event – Details forthcoming, but you may sign up now.

Saturday, Oct 18th, 1600 HRS – Red Eagle Alumni Association meeting at the Boulder Station Hotel, Chardonay Room, 2nd Floor.

Saturday, Oct 18th, 1800 HRS – Evening Banquette at the Boulder Station Hotel, Railhead Room, Buffet and social event, cost is \$40.00 per person.

Sunday, Oct 19th – Please return home safely.



Please send your check or money order for the Friday and Saturday events, made out to the Red Eagles, to:

JOHN NELSON
4016 Spring Crest Lane
Las Vegas, NV 89129

Hotel Reservations –

The Reunion Hotel is the Boulder Station Hotel and Casino, located at 4111 Boulder Highway, Las Vegas, NV 89121. There are two ways to make your reservations:

1. You may call the hotel direct at 1-800-683-7777 and identify yourself as an attendee of the Red Eagle Reunion, group code BCIREDE.
2. You may go to the Red Eagle Web site, (4477reaa.com), and click on the calendar box, then click on the hotel link and make your own reservations.
3. Hotel reservations must be made by Oct. 1, 2014.

Also, you may come early before Oct 17th or you may stay longer than Oct 19th, when you make your reservation include these extra days and you will get the Red Eagle rate, which is \$39.00 weekdays and \$59.00 on Fri and Sat.

We will provide a list of things to do and see in the Las Vegas area during your visit in a future email to all Red Eagles, additionally, an incentive will be provided to REAA members. We will have Red Eagle items for sale at the reunion, Ben Galloway will have a mini-store set up at the golf course for the Friday night event



Editor's Column:

The 4th of July is upon us and time to celebrate!

- Make plans to celebrate the 4th. Make sure to clean and check the grill. Refill the propane tank or buy enough charcoal.
- When going camping, make a list of all the things you'll need. Don't forget the first aid kit and jumper cables. Let someone know where you are going and when you'll be back.
- Don't forget to fly the flag.
- Enjoy this time with family and friends. Please don't drink and drive or forget to take rest stops while on long road trips.
- You can submit your stories or roster updates by emailing them to: bgalloway5@elpasotel.net or bobbro@bresnan.net or mail to:
Ben Galloway
3732 Bar 10 Road
Calhan, CO 80808



and at the Railhead Lounge for the Saturday night event. Items will include Red Eagles lapel pins, MiG pins and Farkel Games with the 4477th patch on the lid. There maybe some other items as well.



We look forward to all Red Eagles and their guests attending the reunion, we can tell stories all night long, but the main thing is to rekindle our relationships and have a good time.

Call or email me with any questions,
Jim (Bluto) Keys
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Reminder-Alumni Dues

Red Eagle Alumni Association (REAA) dues are due the first part of January each year. Just a friendly reminder that the year is now half over for those that have not paid their dues. For those of you paying annually, the cost is \$25 per year.

Lifetime membership dues may be broken up in five payments of \$50 over five years and are also due the first part of January as well. Or if you prefer, you can make a one time payment of \$250.

If you have not joined or paid your dues yet, please send your checks or money orders made out to "REAA" (Red Eagles Alumni Association) and send to:

John Nelson
4016 Spring Crest Lane
Las Vegas, NV 89129



The Red Eagles Store



We now have the Red Eagle Lapel Pins available and ready for sale. Seen above when compared to a dime. Price will be \$6.00 each, plus \$1.00 for shipping and handling.



There are three different lapel/hat pins available. The MiG-17, MiG-21 and the MiG-23. The cost is \$5.00 each and \$1.00 for shipping and handling

The Red Eagles Farkle Game, pictured in the left column, is available for \$6.00 plus \$1.00 for shipping and handling.

Please send check or money order made out to the Red Eagles Alumni Association or REAA and enclose a note with the name of the item you want and where to send it. Send to:

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Red Eagles Web Site

Just a reminder that the Red Eagles have their own web site now. You can view a brief history, view our photos and read all the past newsletters. Suggestions are always welcome and if you have photos you would like to share on our web site, please send them to the contact email address on the web site. Visit us at:

<http://www.4477reaa.com/>