The 1996 San Diego Reunion

Mission Valley Hilton Hotel

The 1996 Reunion will be held in San Diego, California October 2 through October 6, 1996 at the Mission Valley Hilton Hotel, 901 Camino Del Rio South 92108. The room rate for single to quad occupancy is $67.00 per night. This rate is available three days prior and three days after the reunion. Free underground and surface parking is provided for all guests. Complimentary shuttle service from the San Diego Airport to and from the hotel is provided for guests arriving by air.

To receive the special convention rate, individuals must indicate that they are attending the reunion of the 484th Bomb Group Association, Check in time is 3:00 PM and check out time is 12:00 Noon. Luggage storage is provided if the room is not ready by at 3:00 PM and luggage storage is available for those departing after 12:00 Noon.

Things to Do and See

Balboa Park

Many of the city's museums are located in Balboa Park, a short freeway ride from the hotel, including the San Diego Aerospace museum, the San Diego Zoo, Automotive Museum, Reuben H Fleet* IMAX Theater and Science Center, Museum of Man, Museum of Art, Photography Museum, Model Railroad Museum, and many more attractions. A carousel and miniature train ride for children is open on the weekends.

Balboa Park was built for the 1915 Panama-California International Exhibition, and was used again in 1935-36 California-Pacific World's Fair * Reuben H Fleet, one of the first air mail pilots with the federal government established Consolidated Aircraft Company where the B-24 was first built.

Mexico

A visit to Tijuana Mexico via the trolley is a short taxi ride from the hotel to the trolley terminus. It takes you to the California-Mexican border. The San Ysidro discount stores can be reached from the last trolley stop at the border.

Seaworld and Seaport Village

Sea World, the marine park offers Shamu, the dolphin pool, a seal and otter show, a shark exhibit and more. Great for the grandchildren.

Seaport Village on San Diego Bay features shopping, dining, turn of the century Carousel, a lighthouse and waterfront boardwalk. San Diego Harbor cruises with dining service are available, or go whale watching.

Gabrielro National Monument

From the southern tip at Point Loma, not far from the Light House, there is a breathtaking view of San Diego Bay, Shelter Island, Harbor Island, Coronado, and the Embarcadero.

Home of the Pacific Fleet

Tours of US Naval Vessels in port are available including the giant aircraft carriers. More information on navy tours and other activities will be in the Reunion Bulletin that will be mailed out in Spring 1996.

Shopping

Downtown San Diego, Horton Plaza, and the Paladium. On Interstate 5, (near the Hilton) Fashion Valley, and Mission Valley Center, Outlet Malls North County Outlet Center San Marcus, and San Diego Factory Outlet Center San Ysidro At the end of the trolley line USA/Mexican border.