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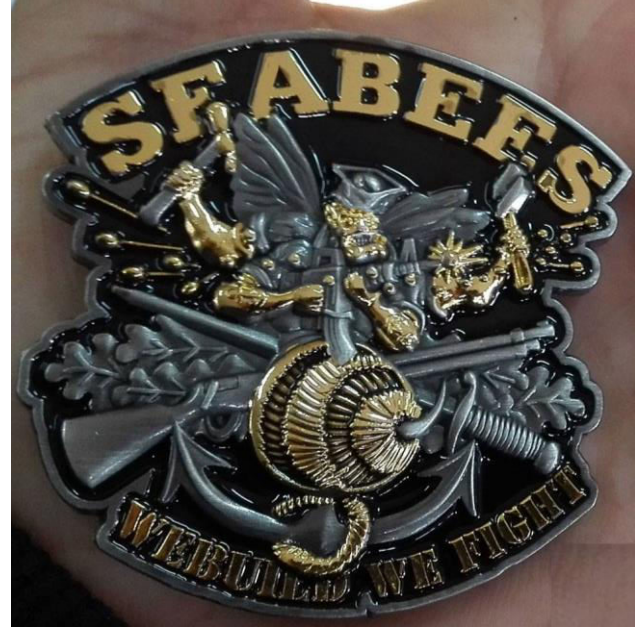
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MCB-53 ALUMNI REUNION 2021

Hello there fellow MCB-53 Seabees!
I hope this finds each of you well and planning to participate in our 2021 Reunion. **The Reunion will be held at the Holiday Inn Arlington at Ballston, VA, April 13-18, 2021** and will include sights of the Washington DC area.

Reservations information is as follows:

The daily room rate is \$149.00 plus tax. The parking fee has been waived. The rate applies 3 days prior and 3 days after the Reunion should you wish to extend your stay. Please make your reservation by March 23, 2021.

Call 1-866-876-4238, and identify yourself as a member of the US Naval MCB-53 Veterans Alumni Association, in order to be eligible for the group rate. (The hotel will accept reservation requests after March 23, 2021, only on a space and rate-available basis.)

Those who require ADA compliant guest rooms should contact Brenden Giroux at 703-310-3326 or Brenden.Giroux@hiava.com to book your room.

We are hopeful that COVID-19 will be behind us so that we may proceed with the Reunion. In order for us to continue our planning, timeliness on your part will be most helpful as you make your hotel reservations, complete the Reunion Registration Form, and select your dinner choice. We look forward to seeing you all!

Sincerely,

Jason Abell

President MCB-53



570-247-1020

JMAbell@frontiernet.net



Participate from anywhere! The DAV 5K is now a virtual-only event to be completed anytime from Nov. 7-11. Be sure to register before Oct. 28th to have the best chance of receiving your race packet for opening ceremony on November 7th. Registration for the Virtual DAV 5K is \$35 for adults and \$20 for VIP veterans and youth 6-15. This includes your race shirt, bib and medal. **There is a Free Veteran registration as a thank you for your service. This option includes a \$5 shipping cost in order for you to receive your race bib and medal.**

Where does the money go?

Funds raised through the DAV 5K support DAV's (Disabled American Veterans) mission of fulfilling our promises to the men and women who served. Just as America's service members fought for us, DAV fights for them. DAV assists veterans by helping them gain access to the medical, financial and educational benefits they've earned along with connecting them to meaningful employment opportunities. All services are provided free of charge. Learn more about DAV's programs and services at dav.org.

Information and registration -

<https://dav.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=cms.page&id=1020&even>

NAME _____

SPOUSE/GUEST _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE (____) _____ email _____

ARRIVAL DATE _____ DEPARTURE DATE _____

ACTIVITY	COST P/P	NO. PEOPLE	AMOUNT
13 April – check in (Tuesday) REUNION REGISTRATION FEE	\$35.00	_____	\$ _____

14 April - Tour of Mount Vernon/Arlington National Cemetery (\$55 with veterans ID)	\$59.00	_____	\$ _____
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15 April - Monuments by Moonlight Tour	\$30.00	_____	\$ _____
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16 April - Free Day (Friday)	\$priceless	_____	\$ _____
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17 - Business Meeting/Banquet	\$50.00	_____	\$ _____
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Amount Sent _____

Make check payable to MCB-53 ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Print/Fill Out & Return (before **March 1, 2021**) This Form and menu selection with Check to:

Ralph Storti
800 Bartram Rd.
Willow Grove Pa. 19090

Make your room reservations at the **Holiday Inn Arlington at Ballston**
See included info for reservations.

Hotel Phone: 703-310-3326 Fax: 703-243-0103

Web: www.hiarlington.com

For ADA compliant room, contact: Breden.giroux@hiava.com to book.

MCB-53 REUNION 2021

Dinner Menu Selection

Spring Mixed Salad
Choice of Ranch or Vinaigrette Dressing will be served on table.

Entrée (Select One):

Herbed Chicken Paillard

Citrus Glazed Salmon with Capers and Lemon Sauce

Penne Puttanesca

6 oz. Sirloin Steak

All Entrée's include a side of fingerling potatoes, vegetable medley, and roasted carrots

Dessert (Select One): Slice of New York Style Cheese Cake
Slice of Carrot Cake

Price: \$50.00 per person. Inclusive of gratuity and tax.

All meals include water and iced tea served at table.

All meals include rolls and butter.

All meals include the choice of regular coffee, decaffeinated coffee, or hot tea during dessert.

Name: _____

Guest: _____

MCB-53 REUNION AGENDA 2021

April 13 (Tues): Hotel and Seabee Check In.

Welcome tote bag which includes Maps, Points of Interest, Metro Schedule, and lists of restaurants within walking distance of the Holiday Inn.

April 14 (Wed): Tour of Mount Vernon, former President George Washington's homestead, and Tour of Arlington National Cemetery.

April 15 (Thurs): Monuments by Moonlight

April 16 (Fri): Free day to explore the Arlington/Washington, DC area and the attractions it has to offer, many of which are free

April 17 (Sat): 2021 MCB-53 Business Meeting and Banquet.

10:00 AM – Noon: Seabees will gather in the Hospitality Room for the business meeting. Ladies and guests are free to further explore the area, perhaps shopping or another activity of their choice.

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM: Pictures, Cash Bar, Dinner, Guest Speaker and Raffles.

April 18 (Sun): Hotel check out and Good Byes until we meet again.

Richard J.	Gheller	Vietnam
Gary L.	Allison	Vietnam
Harry A.	Kerr	Vietnam
Robert L.	Peadon	Vietnam
Robert E.	Nunley	Vietnam
Jerry E.	Roark	Vietnam
Forrest C.	Klingman	WW II
Norman L.	Feldman	Vietnam
Conrad H.	Berg	Vietnam
Ronald W.	Finks	Vietnam
Joseph E.	Goodballet, Sr	Vietnam
John J.	Panagos	Vietnam
Arnold C.	Hayes	Vietnam
Theodore P.	Irwin	Vietnam
John M.	Welch	Vietnam
Richard A.	Newton	Vietnam
Lester R.	Headley	Vietnam
Gary D.	Ontko	Vietnam
Anthony J.	Testa, Sr.	Vietnam
James A.	Van Dyke	Vietnam
William K.	Justice, Jr.	Vietnam
Benjamin	Glynn	Vietnam
Robert W.	Drake	Vietnam
John G.	Everitt	Vietnam
Dominic J.	Moauro	Vietnam
James R.	Bancroft, Jr.	Vietnam
John A.	Wanchisn	Vietnam
J. Dale	Willard	Vietnam
Allan E.	Neuenfeldt	Vietnam
Anthony J.	Masse	Vietnam
Michael S.	Earnest	Vietnam

Gary T.	Welles	Vietnam
Charles D.	Mac Lean	WW II
Arthur K.	Rumph, Sr.	Vietnam
Richard A.	Backlund	Vietnam
Philip M.	Cote	Vietnam
Gary G.	Elken	Vietnam
Kennneth A.	O'Keefe	Vietnam
H.Clement	Jurgeleit	Vietnam
Thomas W.	Shannon	Vietnam

John E.	Boyer, Jr.	Vietnam
George R.	Kern	Vietnam
Gordon J.	Tyler	Vietnam
Terry L.	Shaffer	Vietnam
Peter A.	Martin	Vietnam
Bruce F.	Owens	Vietnam
Raymond L.	Clemmons	Vietnam
Robert T.	De Phillip	Vietnam
Richard A.	Gray, II	Vietnam
Sigmund J.	Horvath	Vietnam
Roger A.	Johnson	Vietnam
Vincent	Bavaro	Vietnam
Carl N.	Adler	Vietnam
Norman	Johnson	WW II
Peter C.	Remsen	Vietnam
Francis N.	Guyette	WW II
Gale V.	Pinkston	Vietnam
Marlin D.	Brinkley	Vietnam
Charles W.	Gohmert	Vietnam
William D.	Leppert	Vietnam
H. Bert	Noles	Vietnam
Marcus D.	Case	Vietnam

James A.	Pszenny	Vietnam
Robert E.	Neal	Vietnam
Kenneth A.	Bernier	Vietnam
William R.	Ward	Vietnam
Lyle F.	Stark	Vietnam
William L.	Thompsen	Vietnam
Chuck M.	Reynolds	Vietnam
James H.	Schmidt	Vietnam
William L.	Adams	Vietnam
James H.	Barber	Vietnam
Robert N.	Erbeck	Vietnam
Glenn A.	Aagard	Vietnam
Gary A.	Risberg	Vietnam
Peter A.	Turner	Vietnam
Clement A.	Michaud	Vietnam
James	Smythe	Vietnam
Frederick L.	Bouchard	Vietnam
Edward C.	Florian	Vietnam
Lawrence L.	Lamb	Vietnam
Karl L.	Schilling	Vietnam
Dennis D.	Meixsell	Vietnam
Donald L.	Wolfgang	Vietnam
Gregory B.	Bernard	Vietnam
Edward A.	Swiski, Jr.	Vietnam

Lawrence	Jackson	Vietnam
Terrance L	Baker	Vietnam
George	Bergenstock	Vietnam
Stanley A.	Walker	Vietnam
Fred J.	Carlson	Vietnam
Terry D.	Flood	Vietnam
James W.	Caraway	Vietnam

Bradford A	Elg	Vietnam
Robert A.	Graziano	Vietnam
Brian J.	Copeland	Vietnam
John R.	Curtis	Vietnam
Eric V.	Dost	Vietnam
James W.	Soles	Vietnam
William T.	Maurer	Vietnam
Richard A.	Oppelt	Vietnam
Raymond	Ballard	Vietnam
Roger A.	Le Blanc	Vietnam
W. Patrick	Trevas	Vietnam
Reynold A.	Sefton, Jr.	Vietnam
Elmer G.	Thuringer	Vietnam
Thomas J.	Welch	Vietnam
William E.	Manley	Vietnam
Jeffery A.	Jasukonis	Vietnam
Frederick	Greb, Jr.	Vietnam
Michael E.	Krug	Vietnam
Robert R.	Teague	Vietnam
Robert J.	Boulet	Vietnam
Kenneth J.	Vogel	Vietnam
Whitney C.	Blauvelt	Vietnam
Michael D.	Westberg	Vietnam
Robert P.	Hamm	Vietnam



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-DUES \$ 200 195 185 175 170 160 150 145 135 125 115 110 100 90 80 70 70 70 70 etc.

GOOD TIMES
SMALL FEE

2020 MCB 53 ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DUES INVOICE

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

(email) : _____ Dues amount enclosed: _____

Circle Tour: 1942-1945 1968 1969 \$15/annual or use Life Member Chart

Circle Company: A B C D E F G H S Team 5301

Signature: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Birth Date: ____/____/____

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