

Hello Shipmates,

It's time to start planning on your trip back to N. Little Rock to visit your old shipmates and of course, the USS Razorback. I have attached a 2 page registration form for you to print, fill out and mail to Shane Foraker with your check. As you most likely know, we have extended an invitation to the crews of the USS Redfish and the USS Ronquil to join us for our first R boat Reunion.

The dates of this years 3 Sister Reunion is Monday 12 September through Thursday 15 September. You are also welcome to extend your stay a couple days for a short work party on the boat. You can sleep on the boat and there will be chores that need to get done.

Please make your reservations early as the rooms will go fast and you'll miss out if you wait too long. The contact info is on the Registration form. New this year is a golf outing, a side trip to Memphis and a Ladies Luncheon just for our better halves.

We will elect new officers this year so keep that in mind for the business meeting. You must be registered to attend any of the functions, so please, get these back to Shane as soon as possible. See you there, Ron Sagaert, President USS Razorback Assn.

The 2011 Razorback Association Reunion and Business Meeting will be held the week of September 12-16 at the Windham Riverfront Hotel in North Little Rock, Arkansas (following the USSVI National Convention 9/5-9/11/2011) in Springfield, Missouri). Details inside, along with a mailing label w/Shane's address for your Registration convenience. [Ed]

Postmaster: Please return undeliverable mail to: Ron Gorence 2563 Roseview Place San Diego, Ca 92105-4734 Shipmate,

If you are planning to attend the **3 Sisters Reunion** please complete and mail the attached Registration form. Enter the number of persons for each event, multiply that by the cost, and enter the \$ amount in the right-hand column. You may want to copy at least the front page for your records. A mailing label to Shane is enclosed.

Item #1 (\$25) is required from each attendee.

Items #2, #3 & #4 are optional (#4 is fun, but has limited space, so sign-up early)
Item #5 near the bottom of the page is for the optional closing Banquet, which most of us consider to be the reunion's Main Event and very worthwhile (don't forget to choose your main course preference).
Enter the Total Amount Due (add 1-5), and make your check out to Razorback Association

Call the hotel early to get the best rooms; you can reserve today, and then cancel 48 hours before your arrival date at no cost.

I am excitedly anticipating the opportunity to collect new sea-stories and to refresh my memory on some old ones for later editions of *LOBO*—so you guys take care of yourselves and try to be there!

Next Lobo due toward the end of July or early August...

Be well, RonG

P.S. Charlie Brown (aboard Razorback in WWII) has informed me that he is **driving** from New Mexico to the USSVI Convention, then to our event in North Little Rock, **and then** on to New England to attend his big brother's birthday party, so I know all you youngsters can make it!

## Three Sisters Reunion Sept. 12-16, 2011 North Little Rock, Arkansas

## **Registration Form**

<u>USS Razorback</u> (SS-394) <u>USS Redfish</u> (SS-395) <u>USS Ronquil</u> (SS-396) <u>PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR BOAT</u>

Name:	Da	te:	
Address:			
Street/P.O. Box	City State Z	Zip Code	
Phone:	Email Address:		
Spouse &/or Guests N	ame(s):	Years Aboard:	
Highest Rank/Rate wh	ile Aboard:	Years Aboard:	
<u>Dates</u>	<b>Events</b>	<u>Nun</u>	nber Amt Due
1. Reunion Regis	\$		
<b>Monday: 9/12/11</b> Ons	site Reunion Registration	– Wyndham Riverfront	
(10:00AM) Dec	Cantillon Room 1004	#2 Riverfront Place	
Hospita	ality Suite is open daily.	North Little Rock, AR	
Razorback	Open for Visitation		
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F 1 0/12/11 C 1		ers Reunion" (Rate: \$89.00)	
	If Tournament – Burns Par		¢
	Time (\$30.00/Person) Pay	1-5 Places	\$
	Iemphis, TN (Car Pool) ne & Cheese Night	<del></del>	
_	D) Hospitality Suites	<del></del>	
`	wo of Your Local Favorite	Wine to Share	
Wednesday 9/14/11	,, e er rem ze <b>u</b> r rener		
3. Noon Ladies I	\$		
Late Registrat			
4. (6:30 PM) Ar	kansas Queen Dinner Dar	nce: Cruise un	
the Arkansas River (\$38.00/person)			<b></b> \$
<b>Γhursday 9/15/11</b>			
	ation Business Meetings: A	Assigned Rooms TBD	
<u>5.</u> 6:30 PM Rei	union Banquet (\$40.00/Per	rson)	\$
Banquet Entrees as	re: 1.Beef2.Fish3.	Chicken	
(Please indicate yo	our choice) Late Registrati	ion after 8/14/11 add \$5	
	Tota	al Amount Due:	\$

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<u>Friday/Saturday</u> (9/16 & 9/17) Working Party — Sleep on the Razorback or Your Hotel If you have a piece of Diesel Boat hardware you'd like to donate, please bring it along!

Scotch_	Rum	_Vodka	Whiskey_	Peach Schnapps	
Gin	Red Wine	White	e Win	Other	
Please ca	.11 (864) 446-85	561 or email i	ne at ripressly	y@wctel.net if you have any question	ıs.

## Return Registration Form and payment in full to:

**Razorback Association: Shane Foraker** (Label enclosed)

P.O. Box 131 La Luz, NM 88337

Make Checks payable to Razorback Association

**Redfish Association:** Same as Above

**Ronquil Association:** Richard Osentoski

3701 Brookshire Trenton, MI 48183

734-671-3439

ussronquil@yahoo.com

Make Checks Payable to Ronquil Association