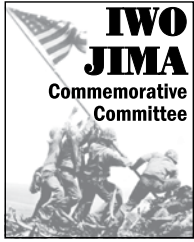
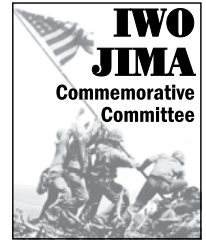


# IWO JIMA MEMORIAL SERVICE & BANQUET



**FEBRUARY 14-18, 2018**

**Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, CA**



*The Iwo Jima Commemorative Committee  
cordially invite you to a three-day celebration commemorating the*

## **73RD ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE ON IWO JIMA**

The commemoration will begin on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 through Sunday, February 18, 2018. Hospitality Rooms are open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday night. Departure is on Sunday.

The Iwo Jima Commemorative Memorial Service and Banquet at the Pacific View Events Center, Camp Pendleton, CA, will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2018. The Memorial Service will begin at 4:30 p.m. at the Iwo Jima Monument located on the west side of the Center. The banquet hall doors open at 5:00 p.m. for socializing with a “no-host” Bar. There will be Iwo Jima Memorabilia Displays at the rear of the dining hall. At 6:00 p.m. the program will begin with the Call to Order by Banquet Chairman MSgt. Bill Behana, USMC (Ret.). Guest of Honor and Banquet Speaker will be MajGen Vincent Coglianese, Assistant Deputy Commandant for Installations and Logistics (LF)/Commander Marine Corps Installations Command, Pentagon. The program will close with the late Colonel Walter Ridlon’s “Empty Chair” tribute, the Iwo Jima Flag Tableau, and Taps.

### **Scheduled Program**

#### ***Thursday, February 15th, Camp Pendleton Tour (8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.)***

The Camp Pendleton tour is being planned to include a variety of experiences on base. It will include a stop at the PX and lunch at one of the base chow halls.

Buses begin boarding at 8:00 a.m. west of the windmill at the Carlsbad Inn By The Sea Resort.

***Cost for transportation, tour and lunch: \$40.00 per person***

#### ***Friday, February 16th, Strategic Ops/MCAS Miramar Tour (8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.)***

This outstanding tour begins at Stu Segall Studios and its Strategic Operations, Inc. program which creates hyper-realistic training environments for military using state-of-the-art movie industry special effects. Lunch will be at MCAS Miramar with tour of aircraft and Leatherneck Museum.

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*Both tours are contingent on favorable weather and Camp Pendleton and MCAS Miramar being in a position to provide the tour service. Tour guests must be at least 14 years of age. Minimum bus occupancy is 25 persons. No private vehicles are allowed on tours. Buses are not wheelchair accessible. While chairs can be stored in the baggage area, there is a 3-4 step climb to enter the bus. Please check website for updated information at [www.iwojimareunion.com](http://www.iwojimareunion.com). Remember to include your telephone number on registration form in case times change.*

## *Saturday, February 17th, Memorial Service*

The Iwo Jima Memorial Service will begin at 1630 (4:30 p.m.) on the Westerly side of the Pacific View Events Center. A wreath will be laid on the "Iwo Jima Memorial" erected in the area that overlooks the Pacific Ocean. The memorial program will close with a 21 Gun Salute and Taps for our comrades who fell on Iwo Jima.

## *Saturday, February 17th, Banquet*

**Pacific View Events Center Ballroom  
Dress: Semi-Formal (Black-Tie optional)**

- 5:00 p.m. Pacific View Events Center doors open - No Host Bar  
World War II Memorabilia Display in rear of Banquet Hall**
- 5:30 p.m. Concert by 1st Marine Division Band**
- 6:00 p.m. Call to Order, Presentation of Colors, Program**
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner is served**
- 9:00 p.m. Dance to the "Old Favorites"  
Music by The Don Peterson Dance Band**

## *Menu*

Tossed Salad with Ranch or Raspberry Walnut Vinaigrette  
Chicken Cordon Bleu stuffed with Smoked Ham & Swiss Cheese Sauce Supreme  
Roasted Red Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables  
Rolls & Butter  
Coffee or Tea  
73rd Commemorative of the Landing on Iwo Jima Cake

Please list your name and any guests on the Event Registration Form. The first column is for indicating who are Iwo Jima veterans. We want to recognize the oldest Marine so please enter your birthday where indicated.

Banquet tickets are \$40.00 per person; table of eight is \$320.00. Tables seat 8 and will be assigned on a **first received basis**. If you desire to sit with a particular group, purchase a full (or partial) table and collect costs from buddies personally. Make reservations early for seating capacity is limited to 1,000 persons.

**Requests for Banquet Tickets Must Be Received By February 2, 2018.  
No Banquet Tickets Will Be Sold After February 2, 2018.  
No Tickets Will Be Sold At The Door On The Night Of The Banquet.**

**No Ticket Refunds After February 2, 2018.**

Please advise if disabled facilities are required at the Banquet.  
For each guest at the banquet table, a ticket must be displayed.

Due to heightened security at all military installations, it will expedite the process to have each car entering the base show their tickets to the event at the gate.

# Hotel Accommodations

■ **Carlsbad by the Sea Resort (760) 438-7880 or (800) 266-7880 - 850 Palomar Road, Carlsbad, CA 92011**

The negotiated rate is \$89.00 per night for King or Double Queen. Full American Breakfast included. Free Parking.

A block of rooms has been reserved for February 14 through February 18, 2018 (Wednesday arrival through Sunday departure). Charges are per night with a 10% occupancy tax plus \$3.00 per room, per night for the business industry development fee for the city of Carlsbad. Please identify yourself as an Iwo Jima Reunion guest when registering by phone. The cutoff date for discounted pricing option (unless full before) is January 19, 2018. Make your reservations early to get the discounted price.

Directions: Take Palomar Airport Road off ramp from the I-5 freeway. Turn east on Palomar Airport Road and then turn left at the first light on Paseo Del Norte. The hotel's windmill can be seen from the freeway.

Hospitality Room will be open from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday nights.

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## Airport Transportation: Super Shuttle Service (800) 974-8885

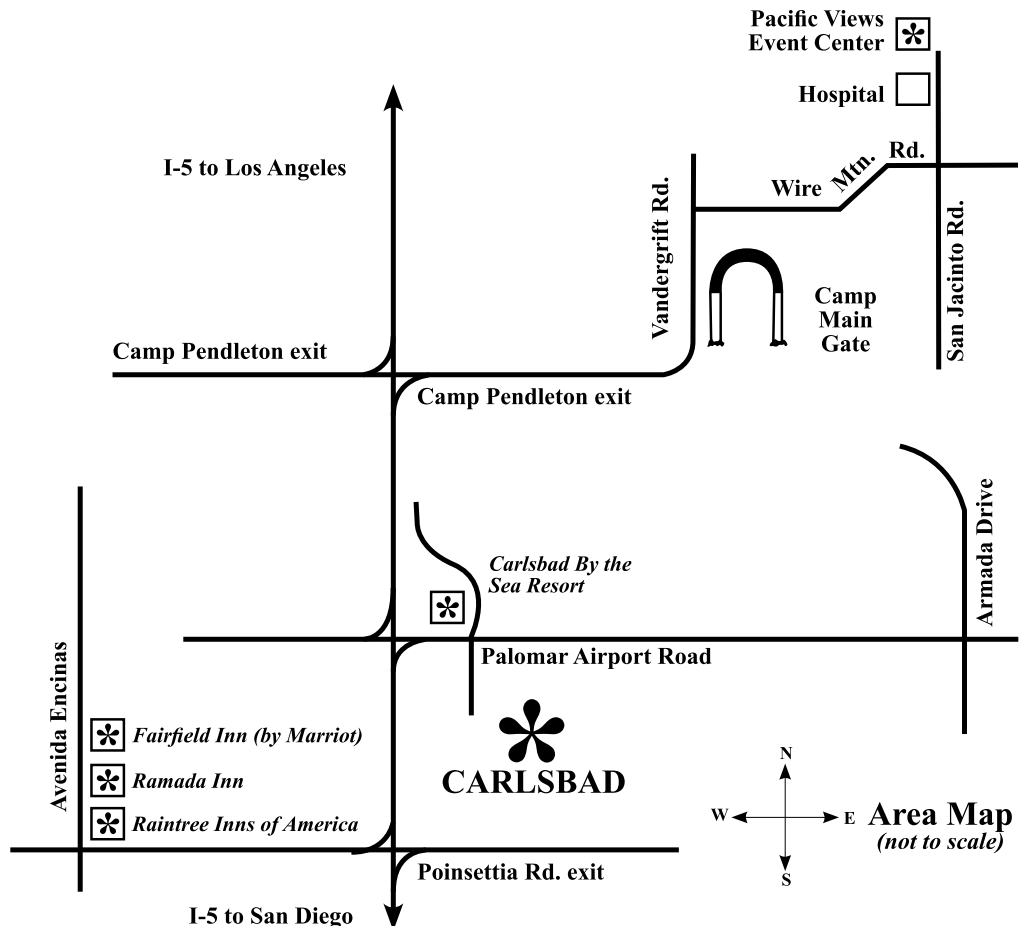
**You will receive tickets in the mail, but this is the only schedule and map you will receive, do not discard.**

### Directions to Camp Pendleton Pacific View Events Center:

Exit Interstate 5 at Camp Pendleton exit and merge on Harbor Drive to Main Gate

Guards will direct you to the Pacific View Events Center

Driver's license and vehicle registration are required (and banquet tickets are strongly suggested) to drive on base



# Event Registration Form

*Mail Form and Check to:*

**Iwo Jima Commemorative Committee  
3225 Lower Ridge Road, San Diego, CA 92130**

**\*\* Information concerning Tickets/Seating: Call Gail Chatfield (858) 792-8897 \*\***

*In an effort to honor all deceased veterans, please let us know if the  
Iwo Jima veteran passed away since the last reunion.*

**Please Specify Division, Regiment or Service Unit**

3rd Division     4th Division     5th Division     Navy     Army     Coast Guard

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Banquet Tickets at \$40.00 each, or                            \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Banquet Table(s) of eight at \$320.00 each                            \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ Camp Pendleton Tour Ticket(s) at \$40.00 each                            \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ STOPS/MCAS Tour Ticket(s) at \$40.00 each                            \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Check Enclosed (payable to Iwo Jima Committee) \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please Print** Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Attending Iwo Veteran's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Attending Iwo Veteran's Birthday: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (month/day/year)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

*Please list your name and any guests below.*

*Check events for which tickets are purchased, and check if an Iwo Jima veteran.*

**Table Reservations Must Include Each Attendees Name Below**

NAME <i>(Include your name if sitting at this table)</i>	CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES (X)			
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