

'75 GRAD,

As Ripley would say, "Believe it or not the Class of 75 has put 10 years behind them." That means it's time for us to get together, let our hair(?) down, and renew old friendships. We have formed a committee out of those here in Colorado Springs, and are excited about bringing as many classmates together as possible for a really memorable time.

This mailing is the first of several we plan to send out, both to keep you informed and to gather info for planning. So, let me first start with a summary of the plans to date and end with a short survey that will greatly help us plan events.

Please look over your next Checkpoints carefully. A note of warning--be sure to register for Homecoming events separately from registering for the '75 Reunion. They occur at the same time and we on the '75 Reunion Committee are responsible for the planning of both but registration differs.

The '75 Class Reunion/1985 USAFA Homecoming will be held 19-22 September, 1985. The schedule to date is:

Thursday, 19 September

1600-1900	'75 Registration, Sheraton Inn
1900-?	'75 Class Party at Pete O'Club

Friday, 20 September

0830-1530	All Class Registration, Arnold Hall
0800-1200	Golf Tournament at Eisenhower Golf Course
0830-1030	Homecoming Briefing, Arnold Hall (by SUPT, CW, DF, AH)
1045-1130	Dorm Open House
1200-1245	Grad Lunch with Cadets in Mitchell Hall
1230-1315	Wives Luncheon, Arnold Hall
1300-1550	Classroom Open House
1600-1900	'75 Registration, Sheraton Inn
1700-1900	All Class Party, USAFA O'Club
1930-?	Squadron Parties as desired

Saturday, 21 September

0800-1130	All Class Registration, Arnold Hall
0830-0930	Coffee and Donuts, Arnold Hall
0945-1030	Memorial Ceremony on the Terrazzo
1100-1330	Tailgate Party
1330-1700	Football Game, USAFA vs Rice
1830-2130	Jabara Banquet, Mitchell Hall
2200-2400	Homecoming Ball, Arnold Hall

ACCOMMODATIONS: A block of 110 rooms have been booked at the Sheraton Inn at the southgate of the Academy. I chose this motel because it had the best accommodations (indoor pool, restaurant, and bar) in northern C-Springs for the price, \$54/night. There are also two motels, the Drury and Motel 8, across the street in case of overflow, thus keeping us close together. You must make your

reservations directly with the Sheraton at 303-598-5770 or by writing to:

Sheraton Inn
8110 North Academy Blvd
Colorado Springs, Colorado
80918

Be sure to tell them you are with the USAFA Class of 75 Homecoming and Reunion. Please do this as soon as you can.

SOUVENIRS: We plan to provide several souvenirs and will be asking for your orders in the future. A tentative list is on the survey form.

CLASS PARTY: Al Piotter is looking for some more ideas for the Class Party. This will be our first get together so the more fun the better. Therefore, if you have items or memorabilia you would like to share (slides, skits, etc.) let Al know at Autovon 259-3131.

TRANSPORTATION: Presently we have no agreements with car rental companies. Reunion Committees have found that in past years discounts for a graduate's bank, company, travel agent, etc. were as good or better than a deal the Committee could get for one weekend. However, let us know if you plan to rent a car and we'll see what we can do.

LOST SOULS: Some of your classmates have misplaced something--themselves. If you find any of them, please tell them about the reunion and ask them to contact the AOG with a current mailing address. Here is the list of 75ers listed by the AOG as Lost Souls:

Thomas Burns
Mark Modrich
David Anewalt Jr
Otto Dieffenbach III
Micahel Garrett
Thomas Kemp
Michael Little
Greg Landolt
Stephen Nichols
Winfield Arnott
Jan Cooper
Thomas Hartwell
John Kennon III
Bradley Mandeville
Joseph Marksteiner
Edward Zerambo
Gary Barrentine
Larry Crenshaw
Gary Exelby

Dennis Mellen IV
Gerald Micheletti
Theodore Parker Jr
Lawrence Richter Jr
Kelly Stinson
Michael Wisloski
Blair Thisted
Leonard Salvemini
Bruce Linster
Patrick Rupel
Walter Pekarsky
Charles Morse
Cary Niehans
Raymand Powell
Robert Ryan
Richard Sarver
Teddy Wilson
William Kelly