

LAKE CHARLES TIMES

Last Call for 2016 Reunion in Scottsdale

So far 34 shipmates, relatives and friends have signed up for the 9/22-26 USS Savage reunion in Scottsdale, and eleven more expect to do so soon. Our reunion hotel and venues can accommodate even more. Mel Kowal and Tony Morris have organized four days of events to showcase beautiful Scottsdale, Arizona. Ginny and I visited there last month, and were amazed at the transformation that city has undergone over the past few years. Don't miss it!



Wesley Bolin Memorial Plaza

What to do **NEXT**:

If you have not done so recently, please check out the reunion website at <u>http://usssavagereunion.org</u>. There you can see what activities are planned, and who has already signed up for this first-ever Arizona reunion.

If you have already registered and paid your dues and reunion activities fees, just mark your calendars, make your travel plans, advise me (Ed Stone) if you will have a vehicle to help with event transportation, tell me how you want your name(s) on the new permanent name tags, and advise if you have any special dietary needs or preferences.

If you intend to come but have not yet signed up:

- 1. Make your hotel reservations per the instructions on the web site. Note: one lucky attendee will receive 4 nights of free lodging. We'll have a no-cost drawing to determine the winner.
- Send a check for \$20 dues and \$110 per person to Treasurer Tom Hendricks at 5217 35th St. SW, Great Falls, MT 59404-4712 to cover group meals and activities. Please make your check payable to USS Savage Reunion Association.
- 3. Firm up your travel plans, advise me if you will have a vehicle to help with event transportation, tell me how you want your name(s) on the new permanent name tags, and specify any special dietary needs for the Saturday and Sunday dinners.

If you might possibly come, just let me know, and we'll keep hoping.

If you definitely WILL NOT be coming, please reply to me by email, and we'll count you out for this year's festivities.

If you have questions or need more information that might help you make a decision, just email me at edstone1960@alumni.purdue.edu or text or call me at 251-978-4562.

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