

USS UNDERHILL (DE 682) 67th REUNION (2012)

1. **HOTEL:** Reservation **cut-off date** is **22 June 2012** before 5 PM Eastern

Call 410-266-3131 or 1-888-627-8980 to make reservations before the room block gets filled.

Sheraton Barcelo Annapolis Hotel, 173 Jennifer Road, Annapolis, MD 21401

Rooms are reserved for the nights of 22 – 25 July 2012. Check in time is 3 PM and checkout is 12 Noon.

Room Rate: \$99 per night for single, or double, \$109 for triple, and \$119 for quad occupancy. **For this room rate, you must indicate you are with the USS UNDERHILL group when making your reservation.** Be sure to get a confirmation number when you make your room reservation. Hotel bill is paid by you directly to the hotel.

Hospitality Room is Room 420.

2. **Charter Bus:** Monday, 23 July, 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM. Free to USS Underhill reunion attendees.

- Pickup at 9:30 AM at Sheraton Annapolis Hotel
- First Stop – Arlington National Cemetery – USS Underhill Memorial
- Possible Second Stop – WWII Memorial or Navy Memorial in Washington, D.C.
- Return to hotel at 2:30 PM

Bring water and a snack for yourself if you like. Possible stop for lunch if the group wants and time permits. Further specific detail will be provided that morning.

3. **BUSINESS MEETING:** 23 July, 7 PM – 9 PM in the Board Room (main floor of the hotel).

4. **MEMORIAL SERVICE HONORING USS UNDERHILL (DE 682) SAILORS KIA 24 Jul 45:** Naval Academy main chapel on Tuesday, 24 July starting at 2:45 PM to honor the USS Underhill sailors KIA 24 Jul 45. A U.S. Navy Chaplain will offer the Invocation and Benediction. The US Naval Academy Band bugler will play "Taps" as the 112 sailors killed in action that day are remembered. The organist will play the Prelude, Hymn, and Postlude.

5. **DINNER:** 24 July, 4:15 PM in the Rhode Room at the Sheraton Barcelo Annapolis Hotel
Selections include coffee or iced tea (price includes service charge and Maryland state tax):
Adults: Prime Rib - \$42.60 or Chicken Marsala - \$40.01
Children (10 yrs & under): Chicken Fingers / Fries \$25.80

Please mail check by 15 June. Make dinner checks payable to me and mail to: Paula Ponas, 811 Brady Avenue #16, Steubenville, OH 43952 (Hotel requires a 50% deposit for the banquet by 22 June and final payment by 15 July.)

If questions, contact me directly: cell phone (267)218-0142, or email PaulaPonas@aol.com.

If your address, phone, or e-mail has changed please notify me directly as early as possible. Thank you for your cooperation. Looking forward to seeing you at the 67th reunion! Safe travels! May God bless you and those you love,

Paula Ponas, niece of Edward Walter Ponas, KIA 24 Jul 45 aboard the USS Underhill (DE 682).

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Cut along the dotted line and enclose with check.....please specify the total number of adult and child meals

Write Name(s) Above

| Meal | Cost Each | Number of meals | Total cost |
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| Prime Rib | \$42.60 | | |
| Chicken Marsala | \$40.01 | | |
| Children's meals | \$25.80 | | |

Grand Total _____