

281st Assault Helicopter Company Association

2015 ANNUAL REUNION

Crowne Plaza St. Louis Airport Hotel
St. Louis, Missouri
October 8th – 10th

To: All Intruders, 281st AHC Association Members, Honorary Members, Family and Friends

The 281st Assault Helicopter Company Association announces its 2015 Annual Reunion. The last time we held our Reunion in St. Louis was the first week in August, 2013 and it was hot. We are returning this year to St. Louis in the cooler and more comfortable 2nd week of October.

On Friday we have planned a fun filled evening with a buffet style dinner. Our Saturday evening awards banquet is always the highlight of the weekend. Don't forget the "Hospitality Room" that will be fully stocked with beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and providing lunches and late night socializing on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. We also have something special planned for the ladies on Saturday morning. All of this is covered by your registration fee, \$125.

The Crowne Plaza has guaranteed us a special 281st room rate of \$99 per night which now includes a free breakfast for two people per room, every day you stay there. They will also provide shuttle service to and from the airport and to local shopping and eateries, at no additional cost.

Let's not forget the real reason why we have these reunions – we see our brothers in arms that we haven't seen in decades and renew friendships we've built up over the years. It was 50 years ago that the 281st arrived in Vietnam. Five years later the company was deactivated. In that 5-year plus period of time, hundreds of us spent many months doing many different jobs; each and everyone them contributing to the success of the 281st. In the last few years we've seen quite a few reunion "first timers". If you've never been to a reunion, this is a great time to start.

Don Budlong, VP & Reunion Chairman

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