

Hello '85!

Is everyone getting as excited as me yet? Exactly 3 weeks from today we will be kicking off the best Class reunion EVER! I have some news I needed to share so I will get right to it.

Slight change to the Friday September 19th Schedule:

To better accommodate our Class having a meeting and to give a chance for Admiral Stuart Munsch to address the Class, we have added a separate Class meeting at Mitscher Hall after the Memorial Service from 1115-1200. After that, the Supe's Brief will be from 1430-1530 at Mahan Hall. This is noteworthy because the new Superintendent, Lt. General Michael Borgschulte, USMC, will address our Class. So, head to the Memorial Service then the Class meeting and take a break for lunch and shopping, afterwards hit the Supe's Brief before preparing for the Cocktail Dinner at Fluegel at 1800-2100 that evening.

Access to the Yard, Mid Store and O'Club - Our Yard busses will be running on the following schedule from the hotels:

Thursday	1000-1700
Friday	0800-1700
Saturday	0800-1230
Sunday	0730-1300

The busses will be cleared through Gate 8 to Alumni Hall with no special security needed. If you choose to drive on the Yard, you must have credentials such as a DOD sticker and/or Military ID to do so. If you have special needs and need to drive on the Yard, contact me to arrange this. If you walk, Gate 1 is open 24/7 and Gate 3 has limited hours, you will go through normal screening and need some form of government ID such as a driver's license or passport. If you have a foreign national in your group, contact me, we need special approval. Mid store access is allowed using your reunion name tag, so register at the Westin before going to the Yard. The O'Club's Alley restaurant is open to non-members from 1100-1700 daily and serves good food. Access to other parts of the Yard follow the normal access rules for all visitors that weekend. A full reunion bus schedule will be posted a week or so prior on the Class website and I will send out via class email.

The Female Graduates Brunch on Saturday morning will be at the Terwilliger Center for Student-Athletes in Ricketts Hall from 1000-1200 and is being hosted by WFNA (Women for Navy Athletics) and is free of charge. The POC is Maeve Hall, please RSVP with her via email at: hallm@usna.edu for attendance or contact me. (Do this even if you registered to attend please on your reunion registration).

That all the news for today, we are still accepting registrations and would love to see you attend if you are still on the fence. All reunion information can be found on the Class website: <https://1985.usnaclases.net/30th-reunion/40th-reunion-schedule/>. See you in a few short weeks!! If you are attending the game this weekend, please register to attend at: <http://1985.usnaclases.net/>

Go Navy, Beat VMI!!

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