

**All Seabee Reunion
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**Navy Seabee Veterans of America, Inc.
All Seabee Reunion**

**Thursday, May 1- Sunday, May 4, 2025
Gulfport, Mississippi**



Come to the Gulf Coast!

Meet New Friends and Reunite with Old

Friends in Fellowship and Camaraderie!

SEABEES – CAN DO!!

**Navy Seabee Veterans of America, Inc., All Seabee Reunion
1, 2, 3 & 4 May 2025
Gulfport, Mississippi**

A full line-up of events has been planned to act as a background for the fellowship and storytelling which happens when old friends and shipmates get together.

EVENTS

1. Meet and Greet at Courtyard Gulfport Beachfront - 1 May 1700-TBD
2. Crittenden Distillery / Chandeleur Brewery Tour (40 Max) 2 May 0830-1500
3. Biloxi Schooner Tour (40 Max) 2 May 1700-2100
4. Crawfish / Taco Bar (225 Max) at Courtyard Gulfport Beachfront - 2 May 1700-2100
5. Camp Shelby Museum Tour 3 May (40 Max) 0900 -1400
6. Banquet at Courtyard Gulfport Beachfront – 3 May (225 Max) 1700-2100
7. Armed Forces Home Tour and breakfast (30 max) – 4 May 0700-1100

A registration form is enclosed in this mail out. Please fill out the form denoting the events you want to attend, no more than **two people** total per registration form. Send the form along with your check for the total amount to the address listed at the bottom of the registration form. The registration fee is used to offset our expenses for this mail-out and other administrative costs of the All Seabee Reunion. **All tickets will be issued at registration.** Please **check the box** under the email input line on the Registration Form if you want us to just email you the form vice regular mail.

Onsite registration fee will be \$35 per form.

Refunds after our registration deadline will be on a case-by-case basis. We have commitments to vendors that do not allow refunds. All events are subject to change.

NO SCOOTERS are allowed on the tours/trips, only folding wheelchairs can be taken. Transportation is provided for all tours/trips.

The Crawfish / Taco Bar is limited to the first 225 people who sign up.

The Banquet is limited to the first 225 people who sign up (casual dress attire). Showing up on the evening of the event is not a good idea.

Beware of your food allergies.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY Tuesday, Apr 1, 2025

To make reservations at the Courtyard Gulfport Beachfront dial (228)864-4310 and tell the reservation clerk that you are attending the “NAVY SEABEE VETERANS of AMERICA reunion” to get the group room rates for our members and guests. Rate code: NSV Rate program: NSVS **(Parking and Breakfast is included when your book through our discounted rate)**

BE SURE TO SPECIFY “NAVY SEABEE VETERANS of AMERICA” TO GET OUR SPECIAL RATE

Directions: From Airport: Take Airport Road west to US 49 (turn left) south on US 49 (get in left lane) for 3.8 miles to hwy 90 stay in left lane turn left on hwy 90 then go .8 miles to Pratt Ave (stay in left lane).

From I-10: Take exit 34a or 34b south on US 49 (get in left lane on US 49 south). Go to hwy 90 and take a left on hwy 90 stay in left lane to turn left and go .8 mile to Pratt Ave (stay in left lane).

Points of Contact

Pam Taylor
(228)223-1762
Robert Smith (228)424-1185

navyseabee.reunionmanager.com is our online registration website. You must pay online when using this website (Website will be activated after Jan 24, 2025).
Group Name: US Navy Seabee Veterans of America

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REGISTRATION FORM**

Please Print or attach return address label

Spouse/Guest Information (ONLY ONE PER FORM)

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Seabee Unit: _____

EVENTS	COST	# OF TICKETS	TOTAL COST
PRE-REGISTRATION & MEET AND GREET (HORS D'OEUVRES and FINGER FOOD NOT A MEAL) AT COURTYARD GULFPORT BEACHFRONT, \$25 PER FORM, THURSDAY, 1 MAY	\$25 PER FORM		\$25
DISTILLERY / BREWERY TOUR, FRIDAY MAY 2, 0830-1500 (NO SCOOTERS ON TOUR TRANSPORTATION) 40 MAX (20 MIN)	\$55		
BILOXI SCHOONER TOUR, FRIDAY MAY 2, 1700-2100 (NO SCOOTERS ON TOUR TRANSPORTATION) 40 MAX (20 MIN)	\$60		
CRAWFISH / TACO BAR AT THE COURTYARD GULFPORT BEACHFRONT, FRIDAY 2 MAY, 1700-2100 225 MAX	\$45		
CAMP SHELBY MUSEUM TOUR, SATURDAY MAY 3, 0900-1400 (NO SCOOTERS ON TOUR TRANSPORTATION) 40 MAX (20 MIN)	\$45		
BANQUET AT THE COURTYARD GULFPORT BEACHFRONT, SATURDAY MAY 3, 1800-2100 (Cocktail Hour 1700-1800) 225 MAX	\$55		
ARMED FORCES HOME TOUR WITH BREAKFAST, SUNDAY MAY 4, 0700 – 1100 (NO SCOOTERS ON TOUR TRANSPORTATION) 30 MAX (20 MIN)	\$40		
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (MUST INCLUDE \$25 REG. FEE)			

Make Checks payable to: NSVA Island X-1, Gulfport MS (ONLINE REGISTRATION IS PREFERRED at https://reunionmanager.net/reunion_registration.php?class_id=351043)

All Reservations for Tours & Meals Must Be Received No Later Than Tuesday, April 1, 2025

(DEADLINE) All Hotel Reservations Must Be Made Before Tuesday, Apr 1 (DEADLINE)

Call Courtyard Gulfport Beachfront (228)864-4310 and mention
"Navy Seabee Veterans of America" for our group room rate.

Must Receive Forms by Tuesday, Apr 1, 2025

Mail To:

Island X-1 2025 All Seabee Reunion

PO Box 113

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Handicapped Assistance: If a member of your party requires assistance or accommodations for a handicap, please describe the requirement: _____

Crawfish Boil / Taco Bar

Join us at the picturesque Courtyard Beachfront for a great evening full of fun. Enjoy delicious crawfish, corn, sausage, potatoes, etc and a full taco bar. A cash bar will be available to conquer your thirst (5pm – 7 pm).

Banquet

Enjoy a sit-down meal with Pork Medallion and Balsamic Chicken. A cash bar will be available to conquer your thirst (5pm – 8 pm). Numerous items will be available for raffle, please do not forget to participate. Proceeds from the raffle help to provide scholarships to local Seabee family members.

Crittenden Distillery

Hancock County and especially Kiln, MS has long been a hot bed of whiskey production. Father and Son team, James and Matt Crittenden, decided it was time for them to set up their own still in Kiln, MS. Familiar with the romance of making whiskey and the heart break of being caught without a license, Matt leveraged his legal background to make legal whiskey.

Chandeleur (“shan-duh-leer”) Island Brewing Company

Started by Cammack Roberds and Cain Roberds from The University of Southern Mississippi. Their love of beer began in the 90’s, which eventually led to homebrewing, and an endless pursuit of finding the best craft beers the World had to offer.

Biloxi Schooner

For a truly unique way of enjoying the Mississippi Gulf Coast, step on board an authentic replica of a Biloxi oyster schooner. These “White Winged Queens” once sailed the Coast from the late 1800’s to the early 1900’s; however, the introduction of marine engines and the changes in oyster harvesting laws caused these beautiful crafts to disappear. The Maritime & Seafood Industry Museum has recaptured a piece of history in their two famous schooners, the “Glenn L. Swetman” and the “Mike Sekul”.

Mississippi Armed Forces Museum

Located at Camp Shelby. The Mississippi Armed Forces Museum (MAFM) began in 1984 when two retired military veterans, Donald Evans and Doug White, decided to display their personal collections of war artifacts. Two new galleries were also added honoring the state’s 28 Medal of Honor recipients as well as other distinguished veterans from Mississippi.

<https://msarmedforcemuseum.org> (601)558-2757

Armed Forces Home Tour

Located in Gulfport. Enjoy breakfast and tour this unique institution: an independent Federal agency designed to provide residences and healthcare to eligible veterans, yet financial support is provided primarily by current service members and residents rather than taxpayers.

ENJOY ON YOUR OWN

Honey Island Swamp Tour

Honey Island Swamp Tour – Discover one of Louisiana’s last preserved wetlands on a Honey Island Swamp boat tour. After making a short drive to Slidell, travel deep into the secluded swamp across Lake Pontchartrain to view native wildlife and witness a remote Cajun village only accessible by boat. Enjoy a guided commentary on Cajun culture and the lush swamps as you spot alligators, wild boar, snakes and native birds. www.cajunencounters.com

Mississippi Antique Galleria – located in Gulfport, MS. If you’re searching for a timeless piece of jewelry, a vintage record, or a crafted antique check us out. 1909 E Pass Road (228)809-8069, www.msantiquegalleria.com

Ship Island Excursions – located in Gulfport. Enjoy Mississippi’s finest beaches on the West Ship Island. Arrive near the historic Fort Massachusetts, the unspoiled island provides excellent birding, shelling, and hiking opportunities. 1040 23rd Ave, (228)864-1014, www.msshipisland.com

MUSEUMS on the Gulf Coast – Check out one or many of the museums including **Ohr-O’Keefe Museum of Art** – Biloxi, **Maritime & Seafood Industry Museum** – Biloxi, **Mississippi Aviation Museum**, **Mississippi Coast Model Railroad Museum** – Gulfport, **Beauvoir The Jefferson Davis Home and Presidential Library** – Biloxi. **G.I. Museum** – Gautier, MS, **Walter Anderson Museum of Art** – Ocean Springs, **Alice Moseley Folk Art and Antique** – Bay Saint Louis, **The Waveland Ground Zero Hurricane Museum** – Waveland

FEEL LUCKY? – The Mississippi Gulf Coast is home to several Vegas style Casinos

Navy Seabee Veterans of America
WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

1. In consideration for participating in the ALL Seabee Reunion and other valuable consideration, I hereby RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE NSVA Island X-1, NSVA National, their officers, servants, agents, and employees (hereinafter referred to as RELEASEES) from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me, or to any property belonging to me, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, or otherwise, while participating in such activity, or while in, on or upon the premises where the activity is being conducted or in transportation to and from said premises.

2. To the best of my knowledge, I can fully participate in this activity. I am fully aware of risks and hazards connected with the activity, including but not limited to the risks as noted herein, and I hereby elect to voluntarily participate in said activity. I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY RISKS OF LOSS, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, that may be sustained by me, or any loss or damage to property owned by me, as a result of my participation in the reunion activities, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES or otherwise.

3. I further hereby AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASEES from any loss, liability, damage or costs, including court costs and attorney's fees, that may incur due to my participation in said activity, WHETHER CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES or otherwise.

4. It is my express intent that this Release and Hold Harmless Agreement shall bind the members of my family and spouse (if any), if I am alive, and my heirs, assigns and personal representative, if I am not alive, shall be deemed as a RELEASE, WAIVER, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the above named RELEASEES. I hereby further agree that this Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi.

5. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE NSVA WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY MEDICAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH AN INJURY I MAY SUSTAIN.

6. I also understand that I should and am urged by to obtain adequate health and accident insurance to cover any personal injury to myself which may be sustained during the activity or the transportation to and from said activity.

7. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I AM RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE I CAUSE TO THE FACILITIES.

This Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement is effective upon my registration and payment for my participation. I am at least eighteen (18) years of age and fully competent; and I execute this Release for full, adequate and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.