

USS Hanson DD/DDR 832

Winter 2016 Newsletter

2016 Reunion

Newport, Rhode Island

Our 2016 Reunion plans are coming together. We will meet in Newport, Rhode Island from October 18-21, 2016.

Our accommodations will be at [The Mainstay Hotel](#) in Newport, located at 151 Admiral Kalbfus Rd.



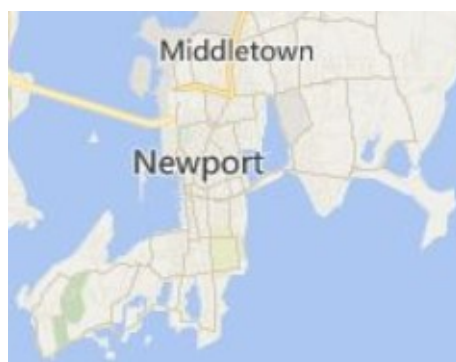
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We are tentatively planning two tours: one day will include a tour of Naval Station Newport, with lunch at one of the clubs and a stop at the exchange, a bus tour of the many grand homes in the area, including a stop at one of the Vanderbilt mansions.

On another day, we will travel to Fall River, Massachusetts to the Battleship Cove Naval Heritage Museum, and have an authentic Portuguese lunch.

We will also have our Memorial Service for those who have sailed beyond this year, and our banquet and raffle on the last night.

The hotel is close to many attractions and restaurants in downtown Newport as well as the Atlantic beaches, and across the street from the Newport Grand Casino.



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The Newport reunion is being planned by Bob Grimm, with moral support from the members of the Steering Committee.

- Roger Austin, Jackson, GA
- Bob Beiter, Huron, OH
- Tom Givan, Hannibal, MO
- Bob Grimm, Amsterdam, NY
- Jerry Matthews, Winlock, WA
- Dennis McGill, Califon, NJ
- Larry Nelson, Plattsburgh, NE
- Carl Pearson, Pace, FL
- Doug Robe, Blue Spring, MO

We look forward to seeing you in Newport!

The next newsletter will detail tour costs and reservation information, as well as directions to the hotel.