

**114th Aviation Company Association
2007 REUNION**

July 11 through July 15, 2007
Nashville Radisson Hotel at Opryland



Here it is October 2006 and the Reunion seems so far away, yet is so close. What a great time it will be to get together again.

Here is the information you will need to plan your Reunion/vacation: 1) Room Reservations, 2) Getting Around, 3) Directions to the Radisson, 4) Agenda including information on organized tours, 5) Registration Form for the Reunion, and 6) Registration Form for the planned tours.

1) ROOM RESERVATIONS-

Radisson Hotel at Opryland has rooms available for us at \$89.00 per night, based on single or double occupancy, each additional person to a room is \$10.00, children 12 years and under are free when occupying the same room as the parents; plus applicable taxes, which at this time are 9.25% sales tax plus 5% hotel tax and are subject to change. These rates are good for July 8-17th, 2007, based on availability, so make those reservations soon.

You need to make your own reservations with Radisson directly at (615) 231-8888 or the toll free number (800) 333-3333. You must mention the group name "114th Aviation Company Association Reunion" to make sure you get the discount. Or you can go on-line <http://www.radisson.com/nashville/n> and enter the group name, arrival/departure dates, number of adults/children and the promotional code AVCAR and hit GO to complete your room reservations.

For you RV travelers, there is a KOA Kampground approximately 2 ½ miles from the Radisson Hotel Opryland. You can call for details, directions and to make your arrangements with KOA at 1-800-562-7789 or 1-615-889-0282.

2) GETTING AROUND



With these modes of transportation available, you won't need to rent a car. But if you do, or if you drive from somewhere else, parking is complimentary at the Radisson.

Nashville International Airport is located just seven miles from the Radisson. Airport shuttle service is available between (as of this writing) 5:00 am until 11:00 pm, seven days a week. Tickets are \$20.00 one way or \$30.00 round trip per person. Just get your shuttle tickets from the Gaylord Information Desk located on the airport's Transportation Level.

There are complimentary shuttle routes from the Radisson to the Opryland Resort and Convention Center, the Grand Ole Opry, the General Jackson Showboat and Opry Mills Shopping Center every half hour from the Radisson.

Another shuttle service is available to take you downtown to the Ryman Auditorium and Museum, Country Music Hall of Fame and the Wildhorse Saloon leaving every hour with the last bus returning to the Radisson at 11:35 pm. As of this writing, the fee is \$14.00 per person round trip. Arrangements for this shuttle can be taken care of when you arrive and need the shuttle. Or if you want to go downtown for 3 consecutive days there is a discounted price for a 3-day pass IF ordered in advance. See the last page, the Grand Ole Opry Tours registration form for price and to make your reservation.



3) DIRECTIONS:

FROM THE AIRPORT or EAST of Nashville on Interstate 40: follow the signs directing you to Interstate 40 West (towards Nashville),

- take exit East Briley Parkway-North-Highway 155,
- take exit McGavock Drive, turning left as you exit, this will put you up over the highway.
- The Radisson is on the right hand side soon after crossing over the highway.

FROM THE SOUTH on Interstate 24:

- take Interstate 40 East,
- take exit East Briley Parkway, North, Highway 155,
- take exit McGavock Drive, turning left as you exit, this will put you up over the highway.
- The Radisson is on the right hand side soon after crossing over the highway.

FROM THE SOUTH on Interstate 65:

- take Interstate 440 east to Interstate 40 east,
- take exit East Briley Parkway, North, Highway 155,
- take exit McGavock Drive, turning left as you exit, this will put you up over the highway.
- The Radisson is on the right hand side soon after crossing over the highway.

FROM THE WEST on Interstate 40:

- take Interstate 440 around the southern part of Nashville, to Interstate 40 towards Knoxville,
- take exit East Briley Parkway North-Highway 155,
- take exit McGavock Drive, turning left as you exit, this will put you up over the highway.
- The Radisson is on the right hand side soon after crossing over the highway.

FROM THE NORTH on Interstate 24 or 65:

- take exit East Briley Parkway, South, Highway 155,
- take exit McGavock Drive, turn right at the light.
- The Radisson is on the right hand side.

4) AGENDA & ACTIVITIES

Wednesday, July 11, 2007

1:30pm -Planned Tour: Country Legends - Approx. 3 hours

Transportation will pick you up at the Radisson to drive by the homes of legendary Grand Ole Opry performers including Porter Wagoner, Kitty Wells, Hank Snow, Johnny Cash, Marty Stuart/Connie Smith and Ricky Skaggs. There will be a stop at Conway Twitty's home to view the homes interior gardens. The trip is concluded with a stop at Stu Phillips' Long Hollow Winery for a tour and tasting before returning you to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

The Hospitality Room in the Donelson Room at the Radisson will be open around 3:00pm. Pick up your welcome package and come visit with old and new friends.

Thursday, July 12, 2007

7:30am - Golf at the Gaylord Springs Golf Links, a former Senior PGA course, designed by former U.S. Open and PGA Champion Larry Nelson, the Scottish links-style, par 72 layout, measuring 7,000 yards offers 18 challenging holes. Water comes into play on 15 holes. Price includes: green fee, cart fee, unlimited use of the practice facility two hours prior to event (included range balls), GPS system, full locker room amenities and bag handling. If at least 20 sign up, we can set up a small tournament, so sign up soon. Small charge for transportation from the Radisson is available, if necessary. See the 5) Registration Form for the Reunion to sign up for golf.

9:00am - Planned Tour: Belle Meade Mansion - Approx. 3 hours

Transportation will pick you up at the Radisson and includes admission to the Belle Meade Mansion, "The Queen of Tennessee Plantations". They also have one of the largest antique carriage collections in the South. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

10:45am - Planned Tour: General Jackson Midday Cruise - Approx. 2.5 hours

Take the shuttle from the Radisson to the General Jackson, which departs at 12:00 noon. The price includes the Midday cruise down the river to downtown Nashville and return; the entertainment features Tim Watson in "Now That's Country". Tim's combination of great country music and down home humor is a hit with our guests. Guests will also enjoy a barbeque buffet. The shuttle will bring you back to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

3:30pm - Planned Tour: High Notes of Music City - Approx. 2.5 hours

Transportation will pick you up at the Radisson to take you downtown and includes the admission to the historic Ryman Auditorium for a self-guided tour. This is the former home of the Grand Ole Opry. The transportation will take you by exciting points of interest including Fort Nashboro, Historic Second Avenue, the Capitol, Music Row, the Parthenon, and the Governor's Mansion before returning you to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

6:00pm - Planned Tour: General Jackson Evening Cruise - Approx. 3 hours

Take the shuttle from the Radisson to the General Jackson, which departs at 7:00pm and includes the evening cruise down the river to downtown Nashville and return. You will experience a Broadway style show created especially for the General Jackson entitled "Sing". Five of the best singers Nashville has to offer perform with a multi-talented seven piece band. Guests will also be treated to a three course plated dinner. Schedule and entertainment are subject to change. The shuttle will bring you back to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

The Hospitality Room in the Donelson Room at the Radisson will be open around 3:00pm. Pick up your welcome package and come visit with old and new friends.

Friday, July 13, 2007

9:00am - Planned Tour: Country Music Hall of Fame - Approx. 3 hours

Transportation will pick you up at the Radisson to take you downtown and includes admission to Music Hall of Fame. Learn, see and hear about all your favorite stars. Learn something new about their lives, see Elvis's gold Cadillac and listen to music. Also take a self-guided tour of the historic Ryman Auditorium, former home of the Grand Ole Opry, included in the price, before returning to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

1:00pm - Planned Tour: The Hermitage - Approx. 3 hours

Transportation will pick you up at the Radisson to take you to the Hermitage for a guided tour of the beautifully restored mansion of President Andrew Jackson, before returning you to the Radisson. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

7:15pm - Planned Tour: Grand Ole Opry - Show starts at 8:00pm

Take the shuttle from the Radisson to the Grand Ole Opry, which is an entity unto itself. A phenomenon that has lasted through generations, with 81 years under its belt the Grand Ole Opry is the World's longest running radio program. Artists schedule will not be released until the week of the show but is great no matter who is featured. See the 6) Registration Form for the Grand Ole Opry Tours for price and to make your reservations.

The Hospitality Room in the Donelson Room at the Radisson will be open around 3:00pm. Pick up your welcome package and come visit with old and new friends.

Saturday, July 14, 2007

9:30 am -114th Aviation Company Association general membership meeting in the Radisson McGavock Ballroom.

9:30am - Auxiliary Group meeting in the Donelson Room

Your day is open. Maybe take the shuttle to Opryland Resort, it is a great site to walk through or maybe the shuttle to the Opry Mills Mall. There are other tours you can look into once you are here and don't need to reserve until you arrive.

6:30pm - Mingle at the McGavock Ballroom. A no-host bar will be available.

7:00pm - Banquet Dinner at the McGavock Ballroom which includes tossed greens, chef's selection of seasoned vegetables, assorted dinner rolls and butter, mousse with raspberry sauce and fresh brewed coffee and teas.

You have a choice of 3 entrees: 1) "Jack Daniel's Broil" Grilled marinated sirloin steak, topped with a special Jack Daniel's sauce served with herb roasted new potatoes,
Or 2) Pecan-crust chicken breast accompanied with Tennessee Peach Chutney and rice pilaf,
Or 3) Pasta with vegetable marinara sauce.

See the 5) Registration Form for the Reunion to sign up for your dinner choice. There will be a guest speaker at this dinner too.

The Hospitality Room in the Donelson Rooms at the Radisson will be open after the Banquet dinner.

Sunday, July 15, 2007

8:30am - Memorial Service in the McGavock Ballroom.

**If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call
Jim Koepke, Reunion Chairperson or Ann Koepke at (615) 646-6741.**



5) REGISTRATION FORM

114th Aviation Company Association Reunion 2007

Nashville, Tennessee

July 11-15, 2007

		Cost	Number of people	=	Amount
Registration Fee for the Reunion	General Member	\$40.00	x _____	=	\$ _____
	Guests 18 yrs & older	\$30.00	x _____	=	\$ _____
	Guests 17 yrs & under	\$10.00	x _____	=	\$ _____

General Membership-You must be an active member to attend and vote at Saturday's meeting. Renew Association dues now for 2007. \$20.00 x _____ = \$ _____

Golf at the Gaylord Springs Golf Links - Thursday \$70.00 x _____ = \$ _____

Information is needed for name tags (so please print clearly) and For Banquet Dinner choices check one per person.

	1) Jack Daniel's Broil	2) Pecan Chicken	3) Pasta w/ veg. marinara	4) will not be at Banquet
General Member or Auxiliary Members Name _____	[]	[]	[]	[]
Identify the year(s) served in the 114 th (i.e. 1968-70) _____				
Guest Name _____	[]	[]	[]	[]
Guest Name _____	[]	[]	[]	[]
Guest Name _____	[]	[]	[]	[]
Guest Name _____	[]	[]	[]	[]

Banquet dinner per person x total number of dinners \$35.00 x _____ = \$ _____

Grand Total for Reunion, 2007 Membership Dues, Golf and Dinners = \$ _____

Address _____ Phone # _____
 City, State, Zip code _____ E-mail address _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Their phone number _____
 Special Dietary /Disability Needs _____

If paying by credit card :
 Type of credit card, either [] MC [] VISA only Expiration date _____

Card number _____ Name as it appears on card _____

Authorizing Signature _____

This Registration Form and payment (check made payable to 114th Aviation Company Association or credit card information) for the Grand Total amount must be received by May 15, 2007.

Send to: NOTE NEW ADDRESS Jim Koepke, 126 Cumberland Shores Drive, Hendersonville, TN 37075

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call Jim or Ann at (615) 646-6741

Office Use Only: Date Received _____ Check number _____ Check Amount _____
 Amount charged to CC _____ CC Confirmation # _____



GRAND OLE OPRY® TOURS

For
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July 11-15, 2007

	Cost per person		Number of people	=	Amount
Wednesday, July 11, 2007					
Downtown Transportation - 3day pass	\$25.00 x		_____	= \$	_____
Country Legends - 1:30pm	\$31.22 x		_____	= \$	_____
Thursday, July 12, 2007					
Belle Meade Tour - 9:00am	\$31.22 x		_____	= \$	_____
General Jackson Midday Cruise - 10:45am	\$45.30 x		_____	= \$	_____
High Notes of Music City - 3:30pm	\$29.33 x		_____	= \$	_____
General Jackson Evening Cruise - 6:00pm	\$69.88 x		_____	= \$	_____
Friday, July 13, 2007					
County Music Hall of Fame - 9:00am	\$41.65 x		_____	= \$	_____
Hermitage Tour - 1:00pm	\$34.35 x		_____	= \$	_____
Grand Ole Opry Show - 7:15pm	\$37.50 x		_____	= \$	_____
					TOTAL = \$ _____

Method of Payment: Check Master Card VISA Discover

Make checks payable for these tours to: **Grand Ole Opry Tours**

If paying by credit card: Customer Name as it appears on the card _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date _____

Authorized Signature _____

Refunds only if canceling at least 30 days in advance.

No phone orders are accepted.

This order form for these tours must be faxed or mailed to:

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Nashville, TN 37214
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