



Naval Aviation Training



54th Annual Tailhook Convention

Reno/Sparks, Nevada
9–12 September 2010

2010 Tailhook Convention Schedule

Thursday, 9 September 2010

- 0830–2100 Tailhook Sales Booth Open
- 0900–2100 Registration — The Nugget Hotel, Pavilion A Foyer
- 0900–2100 Exhibits Open, Pavilions A–E
- 1800–2100 Welcome — Reunion Groups Reception (No Host), Pavilions A–E

Friday, 10 September 2010

- 0730–1200 ✈️ Golf Tournament — Wildcreek G.C., Sparks, Nev., and Hidden Valley C.C. Reno
- 0800–1330 ✈️ Tour of NAS Fallon and Lunch (Limited to the first 90 guests)
- 0800–1200 ✈️ “Bullet” Bob Canepa Memorial Tennis Tournament
- 0830–2100 Tailhook Sales Booth Open
- 0830–1330 ✈️ Lake Tahoe cruise on board the 85-ft. yacht *Paradise* with “Mark Twain” as narrator. Includes lunch. (Limited to the first 90 guests)
- 0900–2100 Registration — The Nugget Hotel, Pavilion A Foyer
- 0900–1700 Symposium Programs, Rose A Ballroom
- 0930–1400 ✈️ Tahoe Ridge Winery Tour Includes lunch. (Limited to the first 90 guests)
- 1100–2100 Exhibits Open, Pavilions A–E
- 1630–1700 Annual Membership Meeting, Rose A Ballroom
- 1800–2400 ✈️ “Bug” Roach Flight-Deck Mixer, Pavilions A–E and Rose B Ballroom

Saturday, 11 September 2010

- 0530–0900 ✈️ Balloon Race Shuttle (Limited to the first 40 guests)
- 0700–0800 ✈️ Tailhook Association 5K Fun Run
- 0830–1500 Tailhook Sales Booth Open
- 0830–1500 Registration — The Nugget Hotel, Pavilion A Foyer
- 0830–1600 Symposium Programs, Rose A Ballroom
- 0900–1500 Exhibits Open, Pavilions A–E
- 0930–1100 ✈️ Special Event — NMA/USAA/MOAA Spouse Financial Briefing, Celebrity Showroom
- 1130–1300 ✈️ RADM “Jig Dog” and Ginger Ramage Recognition Luncheon, Rose B Ballroom
- 1500 Exhibits Closed
- 1800–1930 Pre-Banquet Reception (No Host), Rose A and B Foyer and Pavilion A Foyer
- 1930–2200 ✈️ Tailhook Banquet, Semi-Formal, Rose A and B Ballroom

Sunday, 12 September 2010

Breakfast is available at the *General Store*, the *Farm House* or the *Rotisserie* on the Nugget’s main floor.

- ✈️ Ticket/Payment Required event. Casual attire for all events except banquet. Flight suits encouraged for flight-deck mixer.



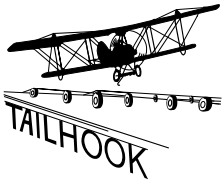
Hotel Reservations
(800) 648-1177
or online at
www.Tailhook.org
or
www.janugget.com



Convention Information



- **Register Early.** This year we are giving a discount for those who register on or before 1 August. We also expect a larger turnout this year, and hotel room choices could be limited. Make your room reservations as soon as possible! **If you are active-duty military, please inform the hotel of this when you make your reservations to receive the active-duty rate.**
- We want to emphasize that **spouses are invited** to the convention and the Saturday spouse's financial presentation in the Celebrity Showroom. This year, Friday's program includes a cruise on Lake Tahoe on board the 85-ft. yacht *Paradise* with "Mark Twain" as your narrator. Spouses are also encouraged to enter the golf tournament on Friday and to sign up for the Tahoe Ridge Winery Tour and the Balloon Race shuttle.
- Tailhook is **proud to welcome the following reunion groups: Skyhawk Association, Intruder Association, Skywarrior Association, VAQ/VAK-208/-308, Navy Preflight Class 20-50, VF/VFA-41 and VT-23** who are holding events in conjunction with the Tailhook Convention. The Thursday evening welcoming reception, open to everyone, will salute these reunion groups. Visit the Tailhook Web site for more information.
- The Friday evening **"Bug" Roach Flight-Deck Mixer** will salute The Training Command. Flight suits are encouraged. This event includes three hosted drinks, beer, wine, soft drinks or cocktails and light hors d'oeuvres.
- Register online and reserve your hotel room at the Nugget through the Tailhook Store: <http://www.Tailhook.org>



Tailhook 2010

Banquet Seating Request

All Seats Will Be Sold in Advance

1. We will not accept a table request with fewer than **eight** names. Names may be submitted at the Tailhook Web site (<http://www.Tailhook.org>).
2. All tables will have **ten** seats.
3. All people named **must** be registered for Tailhook 2010 and have paid for the banquet.
4. Please return this form not later than **1200 Friday, 27 August 2010.**
5. All names will appear on our Web site and on the seating chart posted in the foyer prior to the banquet.
6. All seats will be assigned in advance. Please make your requests early to insure the best seating. All late requests or changes will be considered on a first-come basis.

Name	Telephone	Room Number
1. Table Skipper _____		
2. _____		
3. _____		
4. _____		
5. _____		
6. _____		
7. _____		
8. _____		
9. _____		
10. _____		

Hook '10 Special Events

Tickets Required

FRIDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER 2010

Wildcreek Golf Tournament

Wildcreek G.C., Sparks, Nev., and Hidden Valley C.C. Reno
0730 - 1200



Tour of NAS Fallon and Lunch
(Limited to the first 90 guests)
0800 - 1330



"Bullet" Bob Canepa Memorial Tennis Tournament
0800 - 1200



Lake Tahoe Cruise

On board the 85-ft. yacht Paradise
with "Mark Twain" as narrator. Includes lunch.
0830 - 1330

Tahoe Ridge Winery Tour

Includes lunch.
0930 - 1400



"Bug" Roach Flight-Deck Mixer
Pavilions A - E and Rose B Ballroom
1800 - 2400

SATURDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2010



Balloon Race Shuttle
0530 - 0900

Tailhook Association 5K Fun Run
0700 - 0800



TAILHOOK CONVENTION 2010

Nugget Hotel, Sparks (Reno), Nevada • 9–12 September 2010

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1. Registration fee must be paid in order to participate in Symposium events. Register and reserve your room at the Nugget online at <http://www.Tailhook.org>
2. **Payment of one registration fee includes one spouse/guest** for Symposium, but does not include ticket-required events.
3. Cancellations received by 15 August 2010 will be refunded in full. No refunds after 1 September 2010. Cancellations caused by airlift non-availability will be refunded in full.
4. Hotel reservations must be made directly with the **Nugget** at: **(800) 648-1177 / Fax (775) 356-4198** or link on the Tailhook Web site.
5. This reservation form must be accompanied by credit card authorization or a check for payment in full, payable to **The Tailhook Association**

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Rank/Title _____ Service _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home () _____ Work () _____ Tailhook Member? Yes No

Status (circle one): Active, Reserve, Retired, Civilian Reunion Group _____ Number of traps _____

Register online and reserve your room at the Nugget at <http://www.Tailhook.org>

Your name, as you wish it to appear on your name tag (Two lines, 18 characters per line maximum)

Spouse/Guest's name for name tag (Two lines, 18 characters per line maximum)

Registration	1 August or before	After 1 August	Total
Registration Fee — Active-Duty Members (Includes one spouse/guest)	\$20.00	\$25.00	
Registration Fee — Members (non-active-duty) (Includes one spouse/guest)	\$65.00	\$70.00	
Registration Fee — Non-Members (Includes one spouse/guest)	\$85.00	\$90.00	
Tailhook Membership for Non-Members (Joining now allows registration at member rate)	\$45.00 / 1 yr. \$120.00 / 3 yr.		
Events	Cost		
Golf Index/Avg. Score _____ Please pair me with: _____ e-mail: tailhookgolf@aol.com	\$95.00 Per Person \$85.00 Per Person (Active Duty)		
NAS Fallon Trip (Limited to first 90 guests)	\$30.00 Per Person		
Tailhook Association 5K Fun Run	\$15.00 Per Person		
Lake Tahoe Cruise on Board 85-ft. Yacht <i>Paradise</i> With "Mark Twain" as Narrator, w/ Lunch (Limited to first 90 guests)	\$65.00 Per Person		
"Bullet" Bob Canepa Memorial Tennis Tournament (Limited to first 40 players)	\$25.00 Per Person		
Tahoe Ridge Winery Tour w/Lunch (Limited to first 90 guests)	\$55.00 Per Person		
Balloon Race Shuttle (Limited to first 40 guests)	\$15.00 Per Person		
"NMA/USAA/MOAA Financial Brief (Spouse Event)	Free With Registration		
"Bug" Roach Memorial Flight-Deck Mixer	\$40.00 Per Person \$30.00 Per Person (Active Duty)		
RADM "Jig Dog" and Ginger Ramage Recognition Luncheon	\$35.00 Per Person \$30.00 Per Person (Active Duty)		
Tailhook Banquet	\$59.00 Per Person \$45.00 Per Person (Active Duty LCDR and below) \$52.00 Per Person (Active Duty CDR and above)		
Contribution to the Annual Tailhook Educational Foundation Scholarship Fund (Optional)			
Total Fees Enclosed			

Check Enclosed or Charge to: MasterCard* Visa* American Express*

*Credit Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

*Signature (Must be signed) _____

Detach Registration and Fold Here

Please use supplied envelope

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San Diego, CA 92131**

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operated by SkyWest Airlines
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www.skywest.com

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www.usairways.com



Tailhook '10 Shirt

Men's
M, L, XL . . . \$36.95
2XL . . . \$38.95

Women's
S, M, L, XL . . . \$34.95

**Call (800) 322-4665
or log onto
<http://www.Tailhook.org>**

**Check the Tailhook Association Web site
<http://www.Tailhook.org> for the latest information.**

Directions to John Ascuaga's Nugget 1100 Nugget Avenue Sparks, NV 89431

JOHN ASCUAGA'S **Nugget**

From the Airport (Reno/Tahoe International Airport):

- The Nugget offers free shuttle service every half-hour to and from the airport. Shuttle service runs daily starting at 4:30 a.m. and ending at 12:00 Midnight. The shuttle runs from the Nugget on the half-hour and on the hour. From the airport, the shuttle runs on the quarter-hour and on the three-quarter-hour. Shuttle pickup and drop-off at the airport is at the far end of Baggage Claim "D" (the North side of the building). Shuttle pickup and drop-off at John Ascuaga's Nugget Casino Resort is at the Valet area in the Hotel Lobby.
- If you need transportation to the airport outside of these shuttle hours, please call the Nugget Operator at (775) 356-3300 and ask for Security, they will be happy to pick you up or drop you off as available.
- If traveling from the airport by car, follow the "From the South" directions below.

From the North (Hallelujah Junction, Susanville):

- Travel South on US 395 into Reno, head East on Interstate 80 towards Sparks.
- Take the Rock Blvd./Nugget Avenue (Exit 17) exit, stay right (Nugget Ave.) and follow the signs.

From the South (Reno/Tahoe International Airport, Carson City, Las Vegas):

- Travel North on US 395 into Reno, head East on Interstate 80 towards Sparks.
- Take the Rock Blvd./Nugget Avenue (Exit 17) exit, stay right (Nugget Ave.) and follow the signs.

From the West (Sacramento, San Francisco):

- Head East on Interstate 80 towards Reno/Sparks.
- Take the Rock Blvd./Nugget Avenue (Exit 17) exit, stay right (Nugget Ave.) and follow the signs.

From the East (Elko, Salt Lake City):

- Head West on Interstate 80 towards Reno/Sparks.
- Take the Pyramid Way (Exit 18) exit and bear left. Look for the Nugget Avenue signs directing you left.
- After going under the freeway, make a right onto Nugget Ave., and follow the signs.

For more information, please log onto www.janugget.com