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**July 2015 Newsletter**

**DUES FOR SHIPMATES/HONORARY AND GALS:** The dues for everyone are due on October 1st each year. For shipmates it is \$20.00 and mailed to me at the address in the letterhead, and make the check/money order out to **USS GALVESTON CLG-3** and not to me.

Galveston Gals and Honorary Females is \$10.00 and Mailed to Jane Bakos, 2816 Custer Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15227, Phone #: 412-882-1591 and make the check/money order out to Galveston Gals. Male Honorary members dues is also \$10.00, but mailed to me and make the check/money order out to **USS GALVESTON CLG-3** and not to me. Any questions contact me or Jane.

**30TH REUNION 2015:** We will be staying at the Red Lion Hotel (on the river), 909 N. Hayden Island Dr., Portland, ORE 97217. The dates are Tuesday, September 8th thru Sunday, September 13th 2015. Rooms are \$99.00 (plus tax) per night. The phone number to make a reservation is 503-283-4466 and as usual, make sure that you tell the reservation person that you are with the **USS GALVESTON CLG-3** reunion. Make sure that when you get on the shuttle to the hotel that you are on the shuttle to the Red Lion Hotel (on the river).

**REUNION DINNER:** First, the reunion dinner will commence at 3 PM on Saturday, instead of 5 PM. More information later. The reunion dinner price is \$42.00 and the buffett menu is the following:

English cucumber salad with grape tomatoes, red onions and a herb dressing; Red Potato salad with celery, red onions, sour cream, horseradish dill; Fresh fruit platter, pineapple, honeydew, watermelon, cantaloupe fresh seasonal berries; Grilled breast of chicken with a mushroom sauce, Apple cider, grilled pork tenderloin rosemary jus, grilled plank steak, marinated in garlic teriyaki sauce; garlic whipped potatoes, seasonal fresh vegetable, bakery fresh artisan breads & butter; Chefs choice of assorted desserts, regular or decaffeinated coffee & stash tea.

**50/50 TICKETS:** As usual I am enclosing ten (10) 50/50/ tickets, the cost is \$10.00, (\$1.00 a ticket, and we do not sell one at a time. Last years winner was Rich and Jackie Jordan in the amount of \$700.00. You do not have to be present to win. There will be **NO GALVESTON** clock

TOURS: We will not be using a tour company for Portland, just like we did in Galveston, TX, there are plenty of tours to go on. After you get settled in at the hotel, just go to the desk and request tour information. There are a whole bunch of tours in Portland. Just remember there are business meetings and the Gals auction Friday morning, and the reunion farewell dinner is at 3 PM Saturday.

DECEASED SHIPMATE: We have been informed by Galveston Gal Betty Boling that her husband and our shipmate passed away Thursday July 16th. He will be added to the shipmates DECEASED ROSTER and remembered in the two (02) bell ceremony at the reunion dinner in Portland. Betty is made a HONORARY MEMBER to take Georges' place. She can attend all Galveston functions. MAY HE REST IN PEACE.

When we have our reunions we always have a photographer to take pictures. Our reunion book company has run into problems pertaining to getting photographers. In view of this the USS GALVESTON association is looking into having one of our own personnel taking photos at the reunions. Anyone who thinks they might be interested in this please contact me so we can discuss what we have in mind. Thank you for your attention. Soupy

NOW HEAR THIS: To ALL HANDS, I have run into a health problem Shipmates and Gals. I have been having problems eating and have been losing a lot of weight. To make a long story short, I went to my ENT doctor. I was diagnosed with a cancer growth on the left side of my lower jaw and gums. My doctor has informed me that I will not need surgery, just chemo thereapy should handle this. Hopefully they will be right. After one more test (scan test), I should be starting thereapy. I will keep everyone informed as things progress. Those of you attending the reunion in Portland, I will see you all there to get my handshakes from the shipmates and hugs and kisses from our lovely Gals ha ha ha ha. Love, Soupy

Gals VP Note: Hey Ya'll: Its getting closer and closer, yep! It's almost time for the GALVESTON Reunion and I can hardly wait! I'm so looking forward to seeing each one of you there! I'm in need of a lot of hugs and kisses. You know we will have a great time seeing old friends, meeting new ones, swapping old stories and making up some new ones. Dom't forget that the ladies will be having their annual auction, we expect evryone to be there ...there. May be some surprises, you never know what sweetthang has in store. I hear she auctioned a rotting pair of shoes for over \$60.00! There will be good buys for everyone. The money goes to cover the cost of snacks for the hospitality room. We need each of you to be there, bid and buy something. We ask that everyone bring a \$20.00 item auctioned. I'm looking forward to some cooler temps as we are sizzling here in the sunny, humid South. See you all there! Sweetthang  
Next newsletter October 2015 (after reunion). Soupy