



## **15TH Army Air Force of WWII Association**

### **2026 Reunion Invitation New Orleans, Louisiana | October 15–19, 2026**

We are pleased to invite you to the **2026 Fifteenth Army Air Force Association Reunion**, taking place **October 15–19, 2026**, in historic New Orleans. Our reunions bring together those who share a deep connection to the men of the 15th AAF, and this year's gathering continues that tradition with meaningful events, shared history, and time together in a memorable setting.

### **Reunion Highlights**

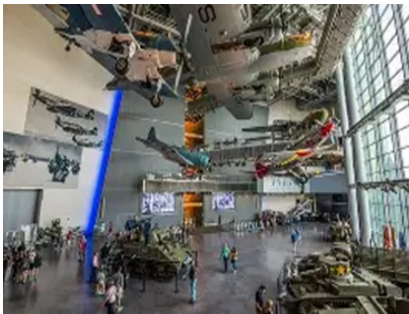
- Group dinners, social gatherings, time to reconnect
- Optional tours and local attractions
- Our traditional Sunday Remembrance Service

### **Our Host Hotel: Hyatt Centric French Quarter**



The Hyatt Centric French Quarter in the heart of New Orleans offers comfort, convenience, and easy access to restaurants, museums, and many of the city's most iconic attractions.

### **National WWII Museum Experience**



We will visit the National WWII Museum, including group admission, transportation, and the acclaimed cinematic presentation *Beyond All Boundaries*.

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***All registrations must be received no later than Tuesday, September 22, 2026***

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## Mississippi River Cruise & Battlefield Tour



Enjoy an afternoon aboard the Creole Queen paddle-wheel riverboat, followed by a guided tour of the Chalmette Battlefield and a scenic overview of the city.

### Honoring Our Veterans

15th AAF Veterans, their wives, and widows are our honored guests. The Association will cover all registration fees, tours, and dinners for them and one assisting companion.

### A Note About This Year's Costs

Some events and meal prices are higher than in previous years due to current hospitality, location, and transportation costs. We have worked to keep the reunion accessible while ensuring a comfortable and meaningful experience for all attendees.

### Registration Information

A registration form will accompany this email, and attendees may also **register online** for convenience. We encourage early registration, as space and the hotel room block are limited.

### We Hope You'll Join Us

New Orleans provides a wonderful backdrop for remembrance, celebration, and connection. **Registration is now open**, and the **hotel room block is limited**, so we encourage you to reserve early. **Late registrations will not be possible this year.** Tour slots are limited so it's important to book early!

*Warm regards, Your 464<sup>th</sup> BG Association*

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### Hyatt Centric French Quarter 15<sup>th</sup> AAF Reunion Reservation

- [Hyatt Centric](#) ( [Group Booking](#) | [Hyatt Events](#) )

### 464th BG Online Payment Portals:

- [PayPal](#): ( <https://www.paypal.com/ncp/payment/HCCCE79CPCZCZS> )
- [Venmo](#) ( <https://www.venmo.com/u/The464thBombGroup> )

### Online Registration Form

- [15th Army Air Force of WWII Association](#)
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## 2026 Reunion New Orleans, LA

Thursday, October 15 – Sunday, October 18, 2026



Italy 1943 - 1945

**MAIL IN REGISTRATION FORM OR REGISTER ONLINE AT : [www.15thaf.org](http://www.15thaf.org)**

Mail to: 15<sup>th</sup> AAF of WWII Association c/o TTS Terminals Inc. 30257 Clemens Road Suite A  
Westlake, OH 44145

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15th AAF Veterans and Widows will be the honored guests of the Association.  
The Association will cover all expenses, including registration, tours, and dinners.  
Please note that hotel accommodation is not included.  
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NAME of the 15<sup>th</sup> AAF Airman you are representing: LAST \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST \_\_\_\_\_ WWII Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

BOMB GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_ Squadron: \_\_\_\_\_ FIGHTER GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_ Squadron: \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_ UNKNOWN:

Are you the Veteran or Spouse/Widow of Veteran? YES  NO

Names(s) of all attendees representing this Airman and relationship. (Son, Daughter, Granddaughter, Grandson, Niece, Nephew, Friend)  
(Names as they would appear on reunion name tags)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

NON-MEMBER or Other AFFILIATION NAME \_\_\_\_\_ INTEREST/REASON \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

Check if appropriate: New Home Address

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ Need of a Wheelchair

Cell  New Contact Number

New Email Address

This is my 1<sup>st</sup> reunion Yes  No

I have attended \_\_\_ of Reunions

You will be traveling by: Plane  Car

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Mail Check payment payable to:  
464<sup>th</sup> Bomb Group  
15<sup>th</sup> AAF of WWII c/o TTS Terminals  
30257 Clemens Rd., Suite A  
Westlake, OH 44145

PayPal/Venmo Payment  
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[15th Army Air Force of WW II Association](http://www.15thaf.org)  
Reunion

Any Questions?  
Call: Sharon Goode, 15<sup>th</sup> AAF Treasurer  
Ohio: (440) -785-1951  
Email: [15thAAF.Treasurer@gmail.com](mailto:15thAAF.Treasurer@gmail.com)

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**HYATT CENTRIC**  
**FRENCH QUARTER**  
800 Iberville St, NO LA 70112  
Phone: (504) 586-0800

**RESERVATION LINK:**

<https://www.hyatt.com/events/en-US/group-booking/MSYRF/G-WWVR>

**Room Block has LIMITED AVAILABILITY. Book Now!**

**Hotel Information**

- **Room Rate:** \$239 Double Queen/\$229 King per night, plus applicable taxes.
- **Breakfast is NOT included; however, there is a restaurant on site, as well as several restaurants nearby.**
- **Group rates are available** Tuesday, October 13 – Tuesday, October 20, 2026. Please contact the hotel to reserve your guest room no later than **Tuesday, September 22, 2026**. After this date, rooms may not be available at the special group rate.
- Be sure to reference the Group Code: G-WWVR to receive the discounted rate.
- **Cancellations** may be made without penalty before 4:00 PM local time 72 hours prior to your arrival.
- **ADA-accessible rooms** are available for guests with special needs; please specify your request when making your reservation.
- **Parking** \$35 (discounted) on overnight parking. **(Group Rate)**

**Transportation Information**

- The approximate cost for transportation from the airport by taxi or Uber is **\$35-\$40 one way**

**WIN**

**ONE FREE NIGHT**  
Courtesy of 15th AAF

**Three (3) Winners**  
To be selected at the  
**WELCOME MEETING**

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**EARLY BIRD**  
**Drawing**

To be eligible, your Reunion Registration must be received by Monday, Aug 31

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Please retain a copy of your registration. All registration must be received no later than Tuesday, September 22, 2026. REUNION REFUND POLICY: If a crisis requires you to cancel, refund requests received by September 22, 2026, will be honored for most items, **except for the registration fee**. Please keep in mind that transportation and meals are paid for approximately one month in advance to the various venues. As a result, it is difficult to issue full refunds.  
No changes to tours or meal selections can be made after Tuesday, September 22, 2026.

**15<sup>th</sup> AAF REUNION NEW ORLEANS, LA OCTOBER 15–18, 2026**

The registration fee is waived for **one traveling companion** of the WWII 15 AAF.

**15<sup>th</sup> AAF Veterans, Wives & Widows**  
All registration fees for meals and events are waived.

If a child under 10 years is attending, please call REGISTRATION number for meals & event pricing.

REGISTRATION		COST	# GUESTS	TOTAL
	<b>15 AAF Veteran / Wife / Widow</b>	No Cost		No Cost
	(1) Traveling Companion for 15 AAF Veteran / Wife / Widow	No Cost		No Cost
	<b>Registration Fee per person</b> (Non 15 <sup>th</sup> AAF Veteran, Wife or Widow)	\$ 30		
	No cost for children under 10 years old.	- 0-		
<b>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15TH</b>				
11:00 AM - 6:00 PM	<b>REGISTRATION CHECK-IN</b> Check in at the registration desk. ➤ <b>Friday 8:00 AM -12:00 PM / 5:00 PM -6:00PM</b>			
12:00 PM – 4:30 PM	<b>EARLY BIRD PREVIEW of the NATIONAL WWII MUSEUM</b> <i>Breakfast on your own</i> Get a jump start on exploring the museum’s extensive exhibits. ➤ Price includes discounted admission and shuttle transportation. ➤ Shuttle bus departs for from hotel at 12:00 PM. Shuttle bus returns from the museum at 4:00 PM ➤ <b>This price only applies if you are ALSO attending the museum on FRIDAY.</b>	\$ 28		
1:30 PM	<b>WALKING GUIDED TOUR</b> Explore the historical French Quarter & the stories of its rich history. An easy stroll along Bourbon St. to Jackson Square, through the passway of Pirate’s alley, with a little mix of Mardi Gras and more. Some uneven pavements / Duration: 2 hrs. <i>Limit first 27</i>	\$ 20		
1:30 PM	<b>OR TWO ADDITIONAL OPTIONS TO SPEND YOUR AFTERNOON.</b> BOTH attractions offer FREE ADMISSIONS and BOTH are a short walk from the hotel (0.4 miles). ➤ <b>HISTORIC NEW ORLEANS COLLECTION</b> Explore the history and culture of New Orleans through artifacts, exhibitions, and historic architecture. ➤ <b>SAZERAC HOUSE</b> A unique museum and distillery celebrating the city’s cocktail culture and home to America’s first cocktail.	- 0-		
7:30 PM	<b>WELCOME MEETING – Reunion Information</b> - All are encouraged to attend. <b>Attire: Casual</b> ➤ Dinner on your own. (Option: Hotel restaurant & numerous restaurants are within walking distance)	- 0-		
<b>FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH</b>				
TWO Departures 8:15 AM & 9:15 AM	<b>NATIONAL WWII MUSEUM - as long as you like!</b> <i>Breakfast on your own</i> ➤ <u>Departure times will be selected at REGISTRATION.</u> Buses depart from hotel for a short transfer to the museum. Lunch on your own / Walking distance from hotel to museum is 1.2 miles. ➤ A shuttle bus will operate hourly between the museum and hotel: 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 2:30, 2:30, 3:30, <b>last 4:30</b> ➤ Price includes group ticket, admission for cinematic show of <i>Beyond all Boundaries</i> , and transportation	\$ 68		
5:30 PM	<b>COCKTAIL HOUR with New &amp; Old Friends</b>	Cash Bar		
6:30 PM	<b>GROUP DINNERS – Buffet Style</b> <b>Attire Casual/Business</b> ➤ Mixed baby greens, baked tomatoes & boiled-egg wedges with balsamic vinaigrette; Cajun-blackened chicken breast; New Orleans red beans & rice with smoked sausage; Warm cornbread; Southern pecan pie	\$ 72		
<b>SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17TH</b>				
9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	<b>SPEAKERS' PROGRAM</b> <i>Breakfast on your own</i> ➤ Four Presentations: 9:00 & 10:30 / Lunch on your own / 1:00 & 2:30			
4:30 PM	<b>INDIVIDUAL GROUP PHOTOS</b>			
6:00 PM	<b>COCKTAIL HOUR with New &amp; Old Friends</b>	Cash Bar		
7:00 PM	<b>15<sup>th</sup> AAF BANQUET DINNER &amp; ENTERTAINMENT</b> <b>Attire Cocktail/Business</b> Seating: Designated reserved <b>Group tables</b> or open seating if desired <b>CHOICE OF ENTREE</b> ➤ 8oz Ribeye with Mushroom Demi Sauce <b># of RIBEYE Plates</b> ➤ Blackened Chicken Breasts with Creole Trinity Sauce and Crispy Andouille <b># of CHICKEN Plates</b> ➤ Sauteed Gulf Fish Amandine, Creole Meuniere and Butter Roasted Almonds <b># of FISH Plates</b> ➤ <b>Dinners include Garden Fresh Salad, Haricots Verts / Garlic Mashed Potatoes / Bourbon Pecan Pie</b>	\$ 115 \$ 115 \$ 115		
<b>SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18TH</b>				
9:30 PM Sign Journal 10:00 AM Service	<b>REMEMBRANCE SERVICE – Tribute to the Fallen</b> <i>Breakfast on your own</i> ➤ Come early to place your airman’s name on the <b>ROLL CALL OF HONOR JOURNAL.</b> ➤ Names placed in the journal will be read during the service. ➤ A <b>Remembrance Table</b> will be reserved for pictures and memorabilia of beloved 15 <sup>th</sup> AAF Airmen.	- 0-		
1:00 PM To 5:00 PM	<b>STEAMBOAT RIVER CRUISE, BATTLEFIELD &amp; ST. LOUIS CEMETERY #3</b> ➤ Optional refreshments and lunch (on your own) are available at the dock - preboarding. ➤ Take a short cruise up the Mississippi aboard the Creole Queen, an authentic paddle-wheel riverboat, then step ashore at the historical Chalmette Battlefield where the pivotal Battle of New Orleans occurred, before returning to New Orleans for a guided drive and a visit to one of the city’s famous above-ground iconic cemeteries. Duration: approximately 4 hours	\$ 70		
6:30 PM	<b>FAREWELL DINNER – Buffet Style</b> <b>Attire: Casual</b> ➤ Potato salad; Chicken & sausage gumbo; Red beans & rice with andouille; Blackened Gulf fish with Cajun beurre blanc; Yellow rice pilaf; Fresh vegetable medleys; White-chocolate bread pudding with caramel-rum sauce	\$ 72		
<b>Registration: MUST BE RECEIVED BY TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2026</b>		<b>Sub Total</b>		
		\$	<b>Total</b>	\$

*Thank you for your interest and attending the 2026 Fifteenth Army Air Force Association Reunion, taking place October 15–19, 2026, in historic New Orleans. Our reunions bring together those who share a deep connection to the men of the 15th AAF, and this year’s gathering continues that tradition with meaningful events, shared history, and time together in a memorable setting. As a way to show your pride in the 464th BG, we offer attendees the opportunity to purchase polo shirts like the shirts at previous reunions and beautiful commemorative wooden plaques. Purchasing a shirt or plaque is entirely optional and a personal choice but we are happy to continue the tradition and facilitate shirt and special item delivery at the reunion. If purchasing a shirt or plaque is something you would like to consider please complete the form below. Newsletters and other administrative costs are funded through contributions from reunion attendees and those unable to attend. Donations in support of our work can also be sent to the address below.*

**BG Shirt Order Information – Note shirt orders must be received by September 1st, 2026**

MEN’S  LADIES  SHORT SLEEVE (SM-XL)\* SIZE \_\_\_\_ QTY \_\_\_\_ x \$45.00 SUBTOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

MEN’S  LADIES  SHORT SLEEVE (XXL-4XL)\* SIZE \_\_\_\_ QTY \_\_\_\_ x \$45.00 SUBTOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

MEN’S LONG SLEEVE RAPID DRY (SM-XL) SIZE \_\_\_\_ QTY \_\_\_\_ x \$50.00 SUBTOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

MEN’S LONG SLEEVE RAPID DRY (XXL-4XL) SIZE \_\_\_\_ QTY \_\_\_\_ x \$55.00 SUBTOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL SHIRT \_\_\_\_\_ SIZE \_\_\_\_ QTY \_\_\_\_ x \$ \_\_\_\_\_ SUBTOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Please Check Men’s or Women’s Above**      **Shirt Order Total Amount**      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**BG 15th AF Commemorative Plaques – Note all orders must be received by September 1, 2026**



Beautiful, precision cut woodworking commemorative plaque designed specifically for the 464th Bomb Group. The plaques are a constant reminder of the legacy of the 15th Army Air Force and the sacrifices of the bomb groups.

Commemorative Plaque Qty \_\_\_\_\_ x \$60.00      **Plaque Total Amount** \_\_\_\_\_

**Shirt and Plaque orders along with check must be received at address below by October 1, 2026**

**Sharon Goode, c/o TTS Terminals, Inc., 30257 Clemens Road, Suite A, Westlake, OH 44145**