

9th Annual Somers Reunion 2019
Sunday, April 28th – Thursday, May 2nd

Host Hotel

Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino
129 Fremont Street
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

Hotel Reservations

1 (800) 331-5731

Group Code:

GSUSSSR

Hotel Rooms: *(Check-In time is after 3:00pm / Check-Out time is 11:00am)*

Sunday, April 28th through and including Thursday, May 2nd *(if staying an additional night):*

Rooms are contracted at **\$59 per night** + 13% tax (\$7.67) + \$20 Resort Fee* = **\$89.67 per night.**

Contracted rooms are in the Carson Tower.

*Resort Fee has been **reduced** from \$32 per night to \$20 per night for Somers Reunion 2019.

Hotel Parking: Parking is FREE (Provided free by hotel due to the Resort Fee charge).

Flying into Las Vegas: McCarran International Airport is designated as LAS when making your flight reservations. Travel days are: Arriving: Sunday, April 28th and Departing: Thursday, May 2nd. (Unless you are arriving earlier and/or staying later).

Transportation from the Airport to the Hotel:

Golden Nugget recommends the shuttle service **LASExpress.** Fare is \$11 one-way or \$20 Round Trip per person.

NOTE: Taxi from the airport will cost you approximately \$30 One-Way.

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**Scheduled Events – EVENT #1**

**Tuesday, April 30th: 9:00am – 2:00pm**

**\$17 per person**

**~~Contracted & Scheduled~~**

1. **The Mob Museum** (National Museum of Organized Crime & Law Enforcement)

- a. Two (2) blocks from the Golden Nugget. Easy walking distance.
- b. Souvenir photos available (\$8.00)
- c. Soda, Water, Beer, Wine, Coffee & Tea available on a cash sale basis.
- d. Wheelchair / Scooter accessible. Elevator to upper floors.
- e. This is an interactive museum! Listen to wire taps. Much to see!
- f. This is a MUST-SEE museum. A great event for the cost!
- g. Mornings are the best time to visit. We are contracted for the morning.

## **Scheduled Events – EVENT #2**

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**Tuesday, April 30th: 5:00pm – 10:00pm**

**\$85 per person**

**~Contracted & Scheduled~**

### **2. Somers Group Dinner:**

- a. Private Dining Room
- b. Location: Conference Center Pebble Beach Rooms II & III
- c. Cocktail Hour: Cash Bar 5:00pm – 6:00pm
- d. Dinner: 6:00pm – 8:00pm  
Fremont Street West Buffet Dinner (3 Entrees – Chicken, Fish & Beef)
- e. Door Prizes, Raffles, Silent Auction, Auction: 8:00pm – 10:00pm

### **Dinner Cost Breakdown:**

\$65 per person + Sales Tax (\$5.36) + 22% Service Charge (\$19.66) = \$84.66 = \$85 p.p.

SEE “ATTENDEES LIST, Page 4” for Complete Menu.

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## **Reunion Registration**

Because Vegas is Vegas

**\$35 per person**

In order for everyone to experience another exciting, interesting & fun-filled reunion at the Fremont Street Experience in wonderful Las Vegas, we are initiating some changes to the registration process this year to compensate for the all-around increased cost we are experiencing. Rest assured we are doing our best to ensure our main goal of an affordable Somers Reunion for all.

### **Reunion Registration: \$35 per person (Includes Hospitality Room fee)**

1. **All reunion attendees** will be assessed the reunion registration fee for 2019.
2. **Registration Fees collected will help cover the following costs:**
  - a. Cost of the discounted Hospitality Suite. (Only way we can bring in liquor).
  - b. Cost of water, soft drinks, beer, liquor, mixes, snacks, cups, bowls, napkins, etc. for the Hospitality Room.
  - c. Cost of the Bar for the Somers Dinner Cocktail Hour.
  - d. Cost of Door Prizes and Auction items.
  - e. Cost associated with attendance of any of Somers WWII veterans from DD381.

## Credit & Debit Cards

We will be accepting credit & debit cards for reunion payments and at this reunion for purchases. Transactions are completed through the Association's Pay Pal account. A fee of 2.7% + \$0.30 of the total is applied to each transaction. This is a fee generated by PayPal and not the Association.

**Example: Transaction: \$100 x 2.7% = \$2.70 + \$0.30 = \$3.00 transaction fee.**

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## The Agenda

Due to the numerous shows that will be available during our stay in Las Vegas, we have left Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, as a free day to do as you wish. I will be posting a number of shows that will be available during our stay and the MINIMUM ticket costs and LOCATION of shows. This information will help you schedule any show(s) you are interested in attending. **Make your reservations early! DO NOT wait until you get to Vegas...Shows sell out quickly!**

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|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| 1. Blue Man Group           | At the LUXOR         | From \$66  |
| 2. Criss Angel (Mind Freak) | Planet Hollywood     | From \$70  |
| 3. Vegas! The Show          | Planet Hollywood     | From \$44  |
| 4. Terry Fator              | At the MIRAGE        | From \$60  |
| 5. Tony & Tina's Wedding    | At BALLY'S           | From \$69  |
| 6. KA' by Cirque Du Soleil  | At MGM GRAND         | From \$69  |
| 7. "O" by Cirque Du Soleil  | At BELLAGIO          | From \$126 |
| 8. Marriage Can Be Murder   | At the "D" Las Vegas | From \$65  |
| 9. James Taylor             | At CAESARS PALACE    | From \$115 |
| 10. Hoover Dam Tours        | Maximum 9 folks      | From \$39  |
| 11. Red Rock Canyon Tours   |                      |            |
| 12. Grand Canyon Tours      |                      |            |

**CHECK OUT: VEGAS.COM  
OR CALL: 1 (866) 983-4279**

As we acquire more information for you, additions & changes will be noted in **RED** in subsequent letters.

Thanks & Looking Forward to Seeing you in Old Las Vegas & the Fremont Street Experience!

Bob Plante  
Administrator  
USS Somers Crewmembers Association