



Hello LCI shipmates and friends,

Its reunion time again! We hope you can make room in your schedules to come spend some time with your shipmates, family and friends. This year's reunion is scheduled to be held at the **Sheraton Hotel Portland Airport** and will include a visit to the Pittock Mansion in Portland and tours of the LCI-713 and PT-658. The Amphibious Forces Memorial Museum and the LCI-713 are once again sponsoring the event.

Friday, May 4

Arrival and registration from 4-7:00pm in the Hotel Lobby.

Saturday, May 5

- 8:00am Registration in Hotel Lobby
- 9:00am Business meeting
- 10:00am Memorial Service
- 11:00am Lunch at your leisure
- 12:30pm-4:00pm Pittock Mansion Tour We will board the bus at 12:15 to depart at 12:30 from the hotel. It's about a 30 minute ride up into downtown Portland for a visit to the Mansion. We'll head back to the Hotel at 3:30pm.
- 6:00pm Back by popular demand, we'll have a group dinner outing to Famous Dave's BBQ by carpool and hotel shuttle.

Sunday, May 6

- 10:00am 1:30pm LCI-713 and PT-658 tours The volunteers on the LCI-713 will be on hand for tours of the LCI-713 and PT-658. There will be Navy Bean soup, plenty of coffee and good conversation. The Bus will depart the Hotel at 9:30am
- 5:00pm -9:00pm Banquet Dinner Starting with a social hour, then Color guard, pledge, opening remarks, dinner, and guest speaker. And Door Prizes!

The reunion officially concludes after the dinner.

We hope to see all of you there! If you cannot attend, send a note. Tell us what is happening in your life, so you can let us all know how our absent friends are faring.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

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The Reunion will be held at the Sheraton Hotel at the Portland Airport: 8235 Northeast Airport Way, Portland, OR 97220 Reservations: 888-627-7163 **ask for the LCI Group Reunion rate** They offer Airport and local shuttle service. Cascade Station is a large shopping center nearby Reunion Rates: Studio Double Queen Suite - \$129 Single or Double (Good for 3 days before and after) Website: <u>www.sheratonportlandairport.com</u> Phone: 503-281-2500



The Pittock Mansion

Built in 1914 for one of Oregon's influential families, Pittock Mansion is filled with rich history and remarkable stories.

Henry Pittock, owner of *The Oregonian* newspaper, and his wife Georgiana, built Pittock Mansion in 1914. The City of Portland now owns the estate, and Portland Parks & Recreation and the non-profit Pittock Mansion Society work in collaboration to operate and maintain the museum and surrounding park.

Website: www.pittockmansion.org



And, of course, the LCI-713! www.lci713.com www.facebook.com/lci713



The PT Boat too! www.savetheptboatinc.com



2018 USS LCI National Association Reunion Announcement Portland, Oregon May 4-6, 2018



Complete this form and return with your check made out to Rick Holmes by 4/15/2017:

2018 LCI National Reunion C/O Rick Holmes 572 Beacon Highlands Stevenson, WA 98648 Email: <u>afmm@amphibiousforces.org</u> Cell: 541-226-5427

Event		Cost		<u># Persons</u>	Total
Registration Fee:	\$20.00 or		Х		
	\$8.00 (Banquet Only)				
Pittock Mansion tour		\$35	Х		
Includes Tour and Bus Transportation					
LCI 713 Shuttle:		\$15	Х		
Tour is free, Select this option only if you need a ride down to the ship					
Banquet: Chicken Marsala		\$48**	X		
Banquet: Red Wine Braised Beef		\$48**	X		
Famous Dave's Outi		No commitments - just to get an interested party count			*****
Grand Total:					

**The Banquet Dinners includes a 23% services fee

Chicken Marsala: Chargrilled, Highlighted with a Rich Mushroom-Tomato Garnished Marsala Sauce, Creamy Mashed Potatoes & Market Vegetables

Red Wine Braised Beef: Slow Cooked Sirloin, Garnished with Bacon, Mushrooms & Onions. Accompanied with Parslied Potatoes and Green Beans

Dinners Include Salad with Balsamic Dressing, Fresh Baked Rolls, Dessert, Coffee, Tazo Teas, and Iced Tea.