

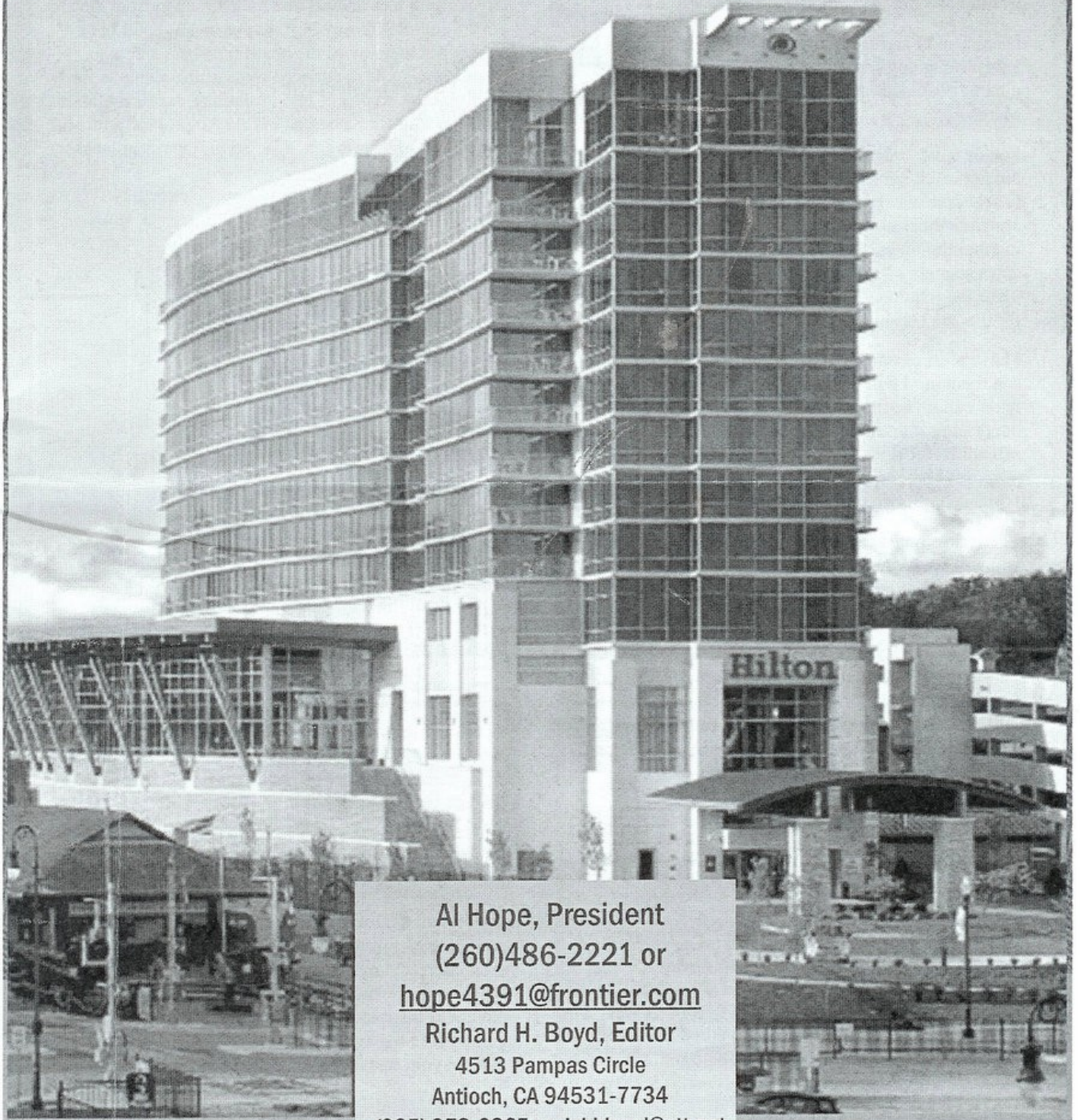
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# U.S.S. Columbus

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Veterans Association Newsletter

Branson, Missouri Reunion  
October 2 to October 6, 2013



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**President's Message**

I hope the holidays were very joyous for all of our USS Columbus veterans and their families.

Dianne and I are in Panama City Beach, FL where we have been going for the past six years for the winter months of January and February. We head home on March 1.

I made a date mistake or AFRI made the mistake and I did not catch it but one of our members did. We normally schedule our reunions so they do not conflict with the Jewish holidays but the original schedule was right during their holidays. I was able to successfully get the dates changes so our Jewish shipmates will be able to make the reunion. REMEMBER there is a date change for the 2013 reunion.

I have a list of tours and unofficial pricing for the Branson reunion. I will provide a copy so Rich Boyd, Newsletter editor can include it in this newsletter. Remember, the pricing and schedule is subject to change until it is official from AFRI. I am providing it for your planning purposes at the reunion. I agreed to an aggressive tour schedule with two tours per day on two days.

There is so much to do in Branson and I'm sure many of you will seek your own schedule of entertainment. Remember, all of our tours will be bus transportation so the cost will be approximately \$40.00 more than window ticket prices

I have already been contacted by shipmates about the location and dates for the 2013 reunion so somehow the information is getting out. I did put reunion information out on the Facebook page for the Cruisers Sailors and CG-12 pages.

I also have contacted John Grosvenor who maintains the USS Columbus.org website. John is retiring shortly and told me he will commit more time to bringing the site up to date.

**2014 Reunion:**

I wish I had good news about the 2014 reunion hotel negotiations but I don't have any good news about Savannah. The hotels are not giving us any concessions. The complementary rooms for the hospitality, ships store and business meeting would have to be paid for or rented by the association. These rooms would cost us \$500 per

day. The general room rate was \$142.00 with \$15-20 per day parking fees and no free transportation from the airport. I feel this is way beyond our means and I have a survey out to many of the board members and other members who have attended most of the reunions for their opinion on one of two proposals. Jacksonville, FL is the backup for Savannah but AFRI gave me a recommendation of Charleston, SC. So the survey is Jacksonville or Charleston. We have never held a reunion in Jacksonville whereas we did have a reunion in Charleston in the early 1990's. If my sample survey favors Charleston, then I will have to get a major vote in favor of Charleston from the Board in order to process with Charleston otherwise, I can process with Jacksonville without a vote.

**Delinquent Dues:**

Bob Miller and Rich Boyd have been busy sending delinquent letters this year so check the dues date on your mailing label. If the date behind your name is 2011 or earlier, you are two or more years behind and will be not receive the newsletter after this issue. To maintain your membership and continue to receive your newsletter, you need to pay the current fiscal years dues to remain active. That is \$25.00 to keep your membership active and current. You can prepay as many years as you may desire to avoid getting on the delinquent list.

**Board Elections:**

This year is an election year for three director positions. Normally, I would have the nominating committee contact each board member for their self nomination. It has been very difficult to put a nominating committee together, so I'm going to try something different this year as I did last year. All positions are filled at this time, so unless I hear from a current one year director that they do not want to continue on the board I will treat it as a self nomination. If I receive any rejections, I will form a nominating committee to seek interested member's (for the open position's). If anyone is interested in any position, let me know so I can put your name on the ballot.



# BRANSON, MO. REUNION

## OCTOBER 2-OCTOBER 6, 2013

### President's Message

#### Hickam Award

I need nominations for the Hickam Award before August 1st, 2013. Any active member of the USS Columbus Veterans Association is illegible for nomination.



Hickam Award Winner 2012  
George Chan

#### Family Support Group: AKA (Sub Childrens Fund)

Thank you to all our shipmates who donated to the Family Support group to support the children of the USS Columbus (SSN-762) families.

Please continue to send your donations to the children of the submarine to our treasurer, Bob Miller.

Shipmates are forever,  
Al Hope  
President

#### Editors Notes

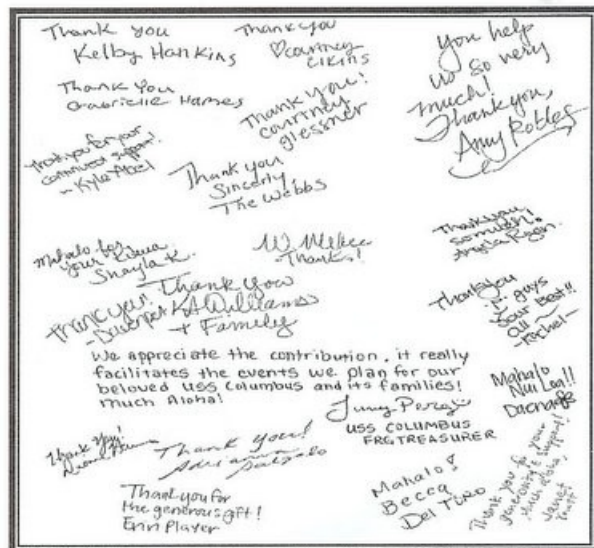
I might have failed to introduce two new shipmates in the last newsletter. If so I apologize for the error. Here they are-

Michael J. Moss (Pat) was the Captain of the Marine detachment on CG-12 from 3/71 to 3/73.

Mike D. Wood (Sharon) who served in the 3rd Division on CG-12 from 1966-1970. These gentlemen were at the Portland Reunion and I thank you all for making them feel welcome. It's been a while since we've had some new CG-12 veterans come on board. WELCOME!

I just want to restate what President Al said about the reunion dates and agenda. The NEW date is from October 2-6, 2013 and the TENTATIVE reunion information you see in this newsletter is subject to change! We should have the definite information in the April newsletter.

#### Thank You Note from Families Assisted



**SUGGESTED TOURS  
BRANSON, 2013**

Times and prices may vary according to hotel location.

**VETERANS MEMORIAL MUSEUM**

This privately owned museum contains over 2000 artifacts in ten display rooms, covering WWI through Desert Storm. For those who lived through these times, the memories brought back are vivid and overwhelming. The hallmark of the museum is the world's largest war memorial bronze sculpture – over seventy feet in length weighing over fifteen tons! It depicts fifty life-sized soldiers (one from each state) storming the beach. For lunch and shopping, we'll head to Branson Landing, Branson's premier waterfront shopping area. Stores include Bass Pro Shop and Belk anchor stores, among many other specialty shops. You'll have a wide variety of choices for lunch including subs, Mexican, Italian, burgers, and more.

9:30am board bus, 1:30pm back at the hotel

Friday

\$41/Person includes bus, escort, and admission. Lunch on your own.

**SHOWBOAT BRANSON BELLE LUNCH OR DINNER CRUISE**

Cruise the waters of Table Rock Lake on board a new paddle wheeler, the Showboat Branson Belle. Enjoy a served lunch and great entertainment. The show features a talented cast of singers, dancers, and musicians, who will take you back to the time when showboats were once famous.

10:45am board bus, 2:45pm back at hotel (12noon cruise)

6:30pm board bus, 10:45pm back at hotel (8pm cruise)

Thursday

\$72/Person includes bus, escort, and cruise.

**BRANSON SCENIC RAILWAY**

Enjoy a forty-mile, narrated ride through the countryside on a real passenger train. You will learn the history of the area as you cross bridges and trestles. Narration includes a description of the wildlife & landscape and an outline of the railroad's role in shaping the Ozarks. Experience the luxury of rail travel from yesteryear. Your trip includes a box lunch consisting of a sandwich, side, dessert, and a drink.

10:30am board bus, 2:00pm back at hotel

Thursday

\$63/Person includes bus, escort, train ride, and lunch.

**BALDKNOBBERS JAMBOREE SHOW**

The Baldknobbers began in 1959, when the four Mabe brothers began entertaining fisherman on the downtown Branson lakefront. Now, over fifty years later, the second and third generations of the Mabe family continue the family tradition of combining your favorite country classics, with hot-new country hits and hilarious comedy into a fast paced, high energy show. Enjoy this musical powerhouse with a talented cast of singers, musicians, and comedians.

6:30pm board bus, 10:30pm back at hotel.

Friday

\$53/Person includes bus, escort, and show.

**SHOJI TABUCHI THEATRE**

Branson's hottest ticket is the Shoji Tabuchi Theatre. Enjoy the show that's become the "talk of the town" as one of Branson's most delightful family shows. Shoji and his magic violin will dazzle you with practically every kind of music. Listen to country, bluegrass, Cajun, swing, jazz, and even a little Classical music.

6:15pm board bus, 10:30pm back at hotel

Wednesday

\$63/Person includes bus, escort, and show.

**OTHER EVENING SHOWS**

Group transportation and discounted tickets can be arranged for many of Branson's well-known shows. Choices and prices depend on reunion dates and size of group. Possibilities include Yakov Smirnoff, SIX, Jim Stafford, and more.

*Driver and staff gratuities are not included in the tour prices.*

*Please plan to be at the bus boarding area at least five minutes prior to the scheduled time.*

*All trips require a minimum of thirty-five people, unless otherwise stated.*

# OFFICERS ROSTER

## 2012-2013

<b>PRESIDENT</b>	<b>Allen Hope</b>	3828 Hobson Road	Fort Wayne	IN	46815-4505	260-486-2221
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3 YEARS exp. 2014	Frank VanWulfen	551 Nakomis Tr.	Lake Orion	MI	48362-1263	248-814-0478
3 YEARS exp. 2014	Robert Tomlin	P0 Box 56	Harmony	NC	28634-0056	704-883-6079
3 YEARS exp. 2014	Gerald L. Rowe	6961 Damoch Way	Canoga Park	CA	91307-1832	818-346-8393
2 YEARS exp. 2013	Cecil H. Doss	4135 Rockingham Blvd	Roanoke	VA	24014-6729	540-427-1090
2 YEARS exp. 2013	Paul Boshko	12 Lexington Avenue	South River	NJ	08882-2037	
2 YEARS exp. 2013	William Shashaguay	205 Queens Ct.	Grand Lodge	MI	48837	517-899-9742
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1 YEAR exp. 2013	George Chan	31 Sheridan Rd.	Marlboro	MA	01752-1708	508-485-4992
1 YEAR exp. 2013	George Beard	40 Vista Mobile Drive	Dundalk	MD	21222	410-284-1701
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CHIEF Master at Arms	Ballard C. Brown	106 Len Ct	Spartanburg	SC	29303-5525	864-599-1967
Master at Arms	Cecil H. Doss	4135 Rockingham Blvd.	Roanoke	VA	24014-6729	540-427-1090
Master at Arms	William Shashaguay	205 Queens Ct	Grand Lodge	MI	48837	517-622-3224
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Hospitality Comm	Mike Kloczkowski	187 Thayer St	Millville	MA	01529	508-883-0010
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Website address: <http://www.usscolumbus.org/>



Keep the Coupons coming for the Submarine families! I am pleased to introduce the new ombudsman for the Columbus. Her name is Kyle Abel and her e-mail is [Ombudsman762@gmail.com](mailto:Ombudsman762@gmail.com).

# USS COLUMBUS VETERANS ASSOCIATION

## Treasurer's Report

Statement of Cash Activity  
September 1, 2012 to August 31, 2013  
Fiscal Year 2013

**BALANCE AS OF 08/31/12:** **\$51,965.28**

### Cash Receipts:

Dues (including Advance dues)	\$	1,830.00	
Ships Store Sales	\$	672.05	
Contributions:	\$	747.00	SUB Family Group
Reunion 2012	\$	-	
Miscellaneous	\$	264.00	Chinese Auction
<b>Total Cash Receipts:</b>		<b>\$ 3,513.05</b>	

### Cash Disbursements:

Administrative Expenses	\$	-	
Reunion 2012 Expenses	\$	1,050.65	
Postage & Shipping	\$	19.68	
Contributions	\$	800.00	SUB Family Group
Misc.	\$	-	
<b>Subtotal:</b>		<b>\$ 1,870.33</b>	

### Ship's Store

Purchases	\$	151.43	
Postage & Shipping	\$	507.40	
Refunds	\$	-	
<b>Subtotal:</b>		<b>\$ 658.83</b>	

### Newsletter

Printing	\$	644.81	
Postage & Shipping	\$	279.66	
<b>Subtotal:</b>		<b>\$ 924.47</b>	

**Total Cash Disbursements: \$ 3,453.63**

**BALANCE AS OF 12/31/12:** **\$52,024.70**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Robert L. Miller, Treasurer  
email: whsowlalum64@yahoo.com

# U.S. NAVY CRUISER SAILORS ASSOCIATION

## U.S. Navy Cruiser Association

*(Not USS Columbus Veterans Association)*

### MEMBERSHIP:

**\$25.00**

*per calendar year.*

### LIFE MEMBERSHIP:

*(Cruiser Association only)*

*(USS Columbus Association  
doesn't have life membership)*

Age:

80 or older	\$100
70-80	\$200
60-70	\$300
50-60	\$400
Under 50	\$500

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

### INTERNATIONAL MEMBERS *(Except Canada):*

**\$30.00 per year**

**U.S. Currency**

The USS Columbus provides this membership form as a  
courtesy to our fellow Cruiser Association.

- NEW MEMBER
- ASSOCIATE  
MEMBER
- WIDOW

## U.S. NAVY CRUISER SAILORS ASSOCIATION

**(NOT USS COLUMBUS ASSOCIATION)**

*ENROLLMENT APPLICATION  
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)*

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last                      First                      Middle

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip + our: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ WK Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

FAX: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Ship & Hull No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Served Aboard/Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Active Service: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Rank/Rate Held: \_\_\_\_\_

Enrolled By USS Columbus \_\_\_\_\_

(FO2) \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

Make Checks Payable to USNCSA and mail to: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total

Bill Sperberg  
Secretary USNCSA  
754 Point Arguello  
Oceanside, CA 92058

# USS COLUMBUS VETERANS ASSOCIATION

Dues Renewal (\$25.00 per year)

Dues Expire August 31 of each year

Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Area Code Number

Spouse's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street and / or Mailing Address City State Zip Code

Profession/Business \_\_\_\_\_

Rate/Rank while aboard the USS Columbus \_\_\_\_\_ Division \_\_\_\_\_

Years Aboard: \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Dues till Aug. 31  
(See chart below)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Years  
(\$25.00 ea.)  
 \$5.00 Enrollment Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Total

Make Checks  
 Payable to:

**USS Columbus Veterans Association**

Mail to: Robert Miller  
 USS Columbus Veterans Association  
 1324 Warehime Rd.  
 Westminster, MD 21158

The USS Columbus Veterans Association is organized for the purpose of perpetuating the memory of ships named USS Columbus and their crews, holding reunions, locating former shipmates, and establishing an appropriate memorial to all ships named USS Columbus and all who served aboard.

## NEW MEMBERS ONLY

Dues for the *first year only* are pro-rated and based on the month of enrollment (see chart below).

Add \$5.00 enrollment fee to the below figures for *first year of membership*.

After initial enrollment, Dues are \$25.00 per year and are due August 31

September	\$ 25.00	January	\$17.00	May	\$9.00
October	23.00	February	15.00	June	7.00
November	21.00	March	13.00	July	5.00
December	19.00	April	11.00	August	3.00

There is no lifetime membership.

CA-74 CG-12 SSN-762

The Association welcomes into membership all naval personnel who served as ship's company and military or civilian passengers or detailees who served aboard the USS Columbus while underway (including, but not limited to, flight and air group personnel, technicians, news media and personnel of other government agencies).



# U.S.S. COLUMBUS

## ADDRESS CHANGE

The following is a list of addresses that have been changed since October, 2012.

If you know of any additional changes, please let us know.

Please note that we will not post your email address in the newsletter without your permission.

Those marked as "Last Known" represent returned newsletters with no forwarding address.

Their names are removed from the mailing list. If you know them please contact them.

<u>Last</u>	<u>First</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>Zip</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Diimmel	Terrance	1114 W 6th St	Port Angeles	WA	98363	New Address
Drapac	Thomas	3010 S. 72nd St. #32	Lincoln	NE	68506	New Address
Mahoney	Robert	PO Box 1302	Rangeley	ME	04970	New Address
Nicolas	Joseph	6421 Lake Arrowhead Dr.	San Diego	CA	92119	New Address
Paiva	Maria	10 Colvinton Rd	Coventry	RI	02816	New Address
Warner	Owen	3001 Brookhavenrun Circle	Duluth	GA	30097	New Address

### ADDRESS FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ email address: \_\_\_\_\_

NEW ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ 9 DIGIT ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:**

Many of you have a winter address and a summer address.

If you have two addresses, would you please send us the months you are at each address?

This way we will be able to put you in the roster twice and save the postage the post office charges to send the newsletters back to us.

Fill out the Winter/Summer form and send it to the editor, Rich Boyd, as soon as possible.

Thank you.

Send this form to the newsletter editor at address below.

Rich Boyd  
4513 Pampas Circle  
Antioch, CA 94531

Or the Winter/Summer Address Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address -1 (from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address-2 (from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

# U.S.S. Columbus

## VETERANS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

### AROUND THE BEND

Another year comes to an end.  
What lies ahead around the bend?  
Will things continue on this way,  
or will there be a better day?  
The war goes on, the toll grows high  
and loved ones mourn for those who die.  
Crime and violence are on display.  
We read the headlines with dismay.  
Hungry, homeless, unemployed.  
No hope in sight, an empty void.  
Our leaders in authority  
seem to have lost integrity.  
My friend, take heart, I've news for you.  
For one day all things will be new.  
God's in control and so His plan  
won't be derailed by puny man!  
They one day soon will realize  
that nothing takes Him by surprise.  
He has a gift you may receive,  
Eternal life, if you believe.  
Christ shed His blood on Calvary.  
He paid the price to set us free.  
It's up to you, your choice to make.  
Which way to go, which path to take.  
Forever hopelessness-despair.  
Eternal bliss, a mansion fair.  
The choice I made brings certainty.  
What lies around the bend for me.  
BY PETER LOBBREGT

HOPE EVERYONE HAS A GOOD YEAR. PLEASE  
REMEMBER OUR TROOPS , THEIR FAMILIES  
AND OUR COUNTRY IN YOUR PRAYERS.  
GOD BLESS-CHAPLAIN JAMES MABE



In Memory of Our  
Departed Shipmates

CA-74  
ALSTON WILSON 55-57  
DIVISION DT1

Thank you all for your prayers and thoughts during my surgery back on 11/20/12.  
It was a success and they got the cancer and your prayers really helped!  
I know a number of us have gone thru some trials and I came across II Corinthians  
1:3-6 and in verse 3 it says "the God of all comfort who comforts us in all our  
troubles..." and the verse goes on. I was definitely comforted by these words!

# USS Columbus

## SHIP'S STORE ORDER FORM

MAIL ALL ORDERS AND PAYMENTS TO: Doris Fox, Rte. 4 Box 1157, Piedmont, MO 63957-9707

Phone: (573) 856-4284

freddoris2@gmail.com

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: U.S.S. COLUMBUS VETERANS ASSOC.

Please add 15% Shipping and Handling

SHIP TO: Name \_\_\_\_\_ S \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

QTY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	TOTAL
	<b>COFFEE MUG</b>	COFFEE MUG WITH LETTERING USS COLUMBUS VETERANS ASSOCIATION PLUS PICTURE OF CA-74, CG-12, SSN-762 PLUS ANCHOR ON MUG	\$3.00	
	<b>BALL CAPS</b>	USS COLUMBUS CA-74 MESH BACK _____ FULL BACK _____	\$5.00	
		USS COLUMBUS CG-12 MESH BACK _____ FULL BACK _____	\$5.00	
		USS COLUMBUS CA-74 KIDS	\$ 5.00	
	<b>GOLF SHIRTS</b>	CA-74, CG-12 and SSN 762 PRINTED ON THE FRONT: (Embroidered Logos) COLORS ARE: RED, WHITE, NAVY, BLACK AND MAROON	\$15.00	
		Ladies Denim Shirts: CA-74 & CG-12 Embroidered: All sizes	\$20.00	
		Men's Denim Shirts: All sizes CA-74 & CG-12 Embroidered: All sizes	\$20.00	
	<b>T-shirts</b>	Proud to be a veteran (with Entity), CA-74, CG-12, and SSN 762 On front Sizes Medium, Large and X Large only	\$5.00	
		CA-74 ship and CG-12 on front; gray color only	\$5.00	
	<b>T-SHIRTS (CHILDREN)</b>	MY GRANDPA SERVED ABOARD USS COLUMBUS CA-74	\$5.00	
		MY GRANDPA SERVED ABOARD THE USS COLUMBUS CG-12	\$5.00	
		Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____		
		PROUD TO BE AMERICAN Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ XLG _____	\$5.00	
	<b>SWEATSHIRTS</b>	Good quality sweatshirts. Variety of colors and sizes. 50% Cotton - 50% Polyester	\$10.00	
	<b>CA-74 JACKETS</b> Kasha Lined Jacket #1140 NEW!	Poplin Snap Front Jacket 65% Polyester/35% Cotton Shell treated to be Water Resistant. Front Welt Pockets, Knit Collar, Cuffs and Waistband. Raglan Sleeves. Colors: Navy, Royal or Black and are ordered with personal identification. (Continued next box)	QTY S-XL \$123.00 2X \$126.00 3X \$129.00 4X \$131.00 5X \$133.00	
	<b>CA-74 JACKETS</b> #2420 Quilt Lined Jacket NEW!	Embroidered with your choice of CG-12 or CA-74 14" Full Back. (Side view of each ship with USS Columbus arched above and Hull Number below in Military Gold.)  (Continued next box)	S-XL \$128.50 2X \$131.50 3X \$135.00 4X \$136.00 5X \$138.00	
	<b>CG-12 JACKETS</b> #140 CG-12 Kasha Lined Jacket NEW!	Left Chest has USS Columbus with Hull Number and silhouette of your ship. Right Chest you can have a personalization of your choice, up to three lines. (Example: Name, Division or Rate and Years on Board) (Continued next box)	S-XL \$123.00 2X \$126.00 3X \$129.00 4X \$131.00 5X \$133.00	
	<b>CG-12 JACKETS</b> #2420 CG-12 Quilt Lined Jacket NEW!	Shipped Directly to you. Production time approximately 4-5 weeks.	S-XL \$128.50 2X \$131.50 3X \$135.00 4X \$136.00 5X \$138.00	
	<b>WINDBREAKERS</b>	Graphic of ship printed on the back. Hull Number CA-74 or CG-12 printed on front. Med _____ LG _____ XLG _____ 2X and 3X Jackets by special order at additional cost.(Call for quote) PLEASE ADD 15% TO EACH ORDER FOR SHIPPING	\$20.00	11

# USS Columbus

QTY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	TOTAL
	PATCHES	CA-74 and AD FRONTES MUNDI Embroidered (iron on for shirt or jacket)	\$ 3.00	
		CG-12 and AD FRONTES MUNDI Embroidered (iron on for shirt or jacket)	\$ 3.00	
		(To The Frontiers of The World)		
	WESTERN HATS	Stretchable, adjustable hat bands*	\$17.00	
		Small - Medium ____, Large/Extra Large ____		
	LADIES PINS	"I LOVE MY SAILOR" (Lapel)	\$ 1.00	
	HAT & LAPEL PINS	Ancient & Honorable Order of Shellback (Below the Line)	\$ 2.00	
		Ancient & Sacred Order of the Golden Dragon (Far East Service)	\$ 2.00	
		Realm of the Arctic Circle - Order of the Blue Nose	\$ 2.00	
		Order of the Guinea Pig - Atomic Veterans	\$ 2.00	
		Panamanian Passage - Ocean to Ocean Balboa - Colon	\$ 2.00	
		Suez Canal Transit - The Med to the Red - Suez to Port Said	\$ 2.00	
<i>All of the above pins are four or more colors of baked on enamel protected by an epoxy dome and Made in the USA</i>				
		Plank Owner Pin - Good for all ships	\$ 2.00	
	TIE BAR	CA-74 gold____ CG-12 gold____ CG-12 silver____	\$ 3.00	
	TIE TAC	SSN-762 gold____	\$ 3.00	
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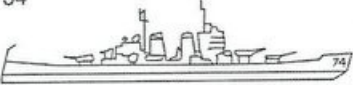
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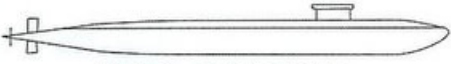
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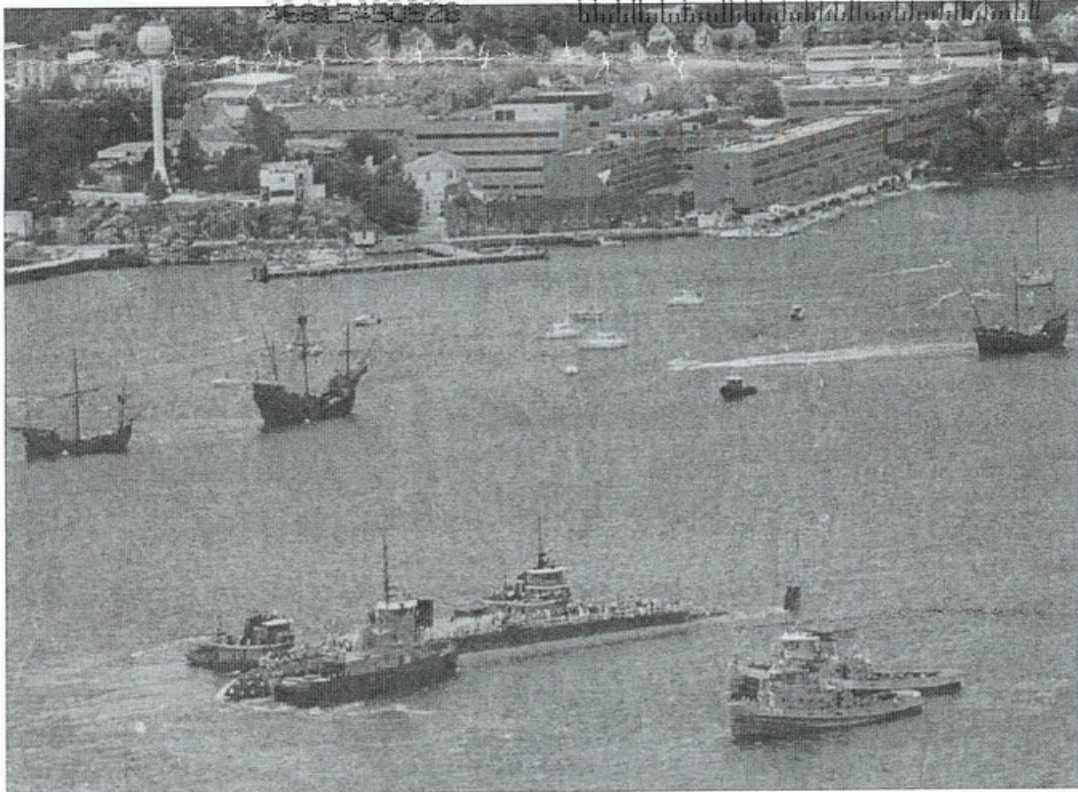
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