

LPHS – IWO JIMA CLASS
SEPTEMBER 27-OCTOBER 2, 2022
CROWNE PLAZA AT THE CROSSINGS | WARWICK, RI

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

11:00am - 5:00pm **Reunion Registration Open**
11:00am - 8:00pm Hospitality / Memorabilia Room Open
12:00pm - 3:00pm Providence City Tour
4:30pm - 6:30pm Welcome Reception, provided by the Association
Dinner and evening on your own

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

7:00am - 9:00am Breakfast Served in Hospitality Room
7:00am - 8:00pm Hospitality / Memorabilia Room Open
9:00am - 9:30am Ships Meeting
8:00am - 5:00pm **Reunion Registration Open**
10:30am - 4:45pm NEW BEDFORD/WHALING MUSEUM
6:30pm - 9:30pm BEACH NIGHT – DINNER AT HOTEL

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

7:00am - 9:00am Breakfast Served in Hospitality Room
7:00am - 6:00pm Hospitality / Memorabilia Room open
7:30am Board Meeting
9:00am - 4:45pm NEWPORT TOUR/NAVAL WAR COLLEGE MUSEUM
6:00pm - 10:30pm ITALIAN NIGHT AT HOTEL

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

7:00am - 9:00am Breakfast Served in Hospitality Room
7:00am - 12:00pm Hospitality / Memorabilia Room open (closes at noon)
8:30am - 9:30am General Business Meeting
10:00am - 4:00pm MYSTIC SEAPORT
5:00pm Photographs and Cash Bar
6:00pm - 9:00pm Ceremony and Banquet

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2

7:00am - 9:00am Breakfast Served in Hospitality Room
Farewells and Departures

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY FOR ARMED FORCES REUNIONS, INC.

For attendees canceling reunion activities prior to the cut-off date, Armed Forces Reunions, Inc. (AFR) shall process a full refund less the non-refundable registration fee (\$50 per person). Attendees canceling reunion activities after the cut-off date will be refunded to the fullest extent that AFR's vendor commitments and guarantees will allow, less the non-refundable registration fee. **Cancellations will only be taken Monday through Friday from 9:00am until 5:00pm Eastern Standard Time, excluding holidays.** Please call (757) 625-6401 to cancel reunion activities and obtain a cancellation code. Refunds processed 4-6 weeks after reunion. Canceling your hotel reservation does not cancel your reunion activities

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Wednesday, September 30, 2022

PROVIDENCE TOUR:

Enjoy the afternoon exploring Providence. From the comfort of your motor coach see the sites which include the Weybosset St. area, the financial district and the theater district. See Kennedy Plaza, which is in front of the State House and the Veterans Auditorium. The nearby Federal Hill area is noted for its restaurants and being the Italian district. It was also the center of operations for the mob through the 1960s but don't worry, it's a perfectly safe area today! There will be some time to stretch your legs off the bus and enjoy a walk down Benefit Street to see the RISD Museum and the John Brown House. Finish the day with a drive through the jewelry district and view the hurricane barrier and the electric power plant.

12:00pm board bus, 3:00pm return to the hotel
\$48/Person includes bus and tour guide

Thursday, September 29, 2022:

NEW BEDFORD AND THE WHALING MUSEUM

Arrive in New Bedford and spend some free time visiting the shops and grab a bite to eat one of the many local eateries before heading to the New Bedford Whaling Museum. The museum tells the global story of human interaction with whales through time. In our 23 galleries and public spaces, visitors explore whale ecology and marine mammal conservation, discover the dramatic story of whaling and its impact, and the maritime history of South Coast Massachusetts. The Museum's exhibits draw on the world's most comprehensive collection of art, artifacts and original documents pertaining to whaling history. Visitors can marvel at massive whale skeletons, encounter science and technology used to study marine mammals, learn how Yankee whalers sailed the seven seas, enjoy works by internationally famous maritime artists, and see an exhibit based on America's longest painting, the 1848 Grand Panorama of a Whaling Voyage 'Round the World. (1,275 ft long!) Families enjoy hands-on fun in our 3,000 sq. ft Discovery Center, and all are invited to climb aboard the world's largest ship model, the Lagoda – a half-scale model of a 19th century whaling vessel.

10:30am board bus, 4:45pm return to the hotel
\$59/Person includes bus, escort, and admission. Lunch on your own.

Friday, September 30, 2022:

NEWPORT TOUR/NAVAL WAR COLLEGE MUSEUM

Spend the day exploring historic Newport. Enjoy some free time for lunch and shopping on your own at Brick Marketplace before beginning a mansion tour of The Breakers. After seeing this magnificent home, enjoy a relaxing driving tour of Newport as you will see sights such as Bellevue Avenue lined with even more fabulous mansions and the spectacular coastline of Ocean Drive. You'll also learn about the Naval War College in Newport before arriving at the Naval War College Museum. Spend some time at the museum before heading back.

9:00am board bus, 4:45pm back at hotel
\$72/Person includes bus, escort, and admission. Lunch on your own

Saturday, October 1, 2022:

MYSTIC SEAPORT

Discover the fascinating world of 19th century seafaring America. The recreated village is complete with educators and role players to teach you about the coastal community. Stroll through gardens, wander in buildings and climb aboard tall ships. Make sure you save time for shopping and lunch on your own. There are numerous restaurants and shops in the village. Feel free to spend time at the Mystic Seaport Museum (**additional fees apply**).

10:00am board bus, 4:00pm back at hotel
\$70/Person includes bus and escort. Lunch on your own

Please be at the bus boarding area at least five minutes prior to the scheduled time. All tours require a minimum of thirty-five people. Driver and Guide gratuities are not included in tour prices.

NOTE: There is a limit of one hydraulically lifted scooter or wheelchair per handicap accessible bus. If you use a scooter but can climb the steps to board the bus, either you and/or a person traveling with you must be able to put the scooter in the bus's luggage compartment. Due to liability issues, drivers and tour guides cannot assist with scooters.