**REUNION HOTEL**
LAQUINTA INN
1425 E. 27TH ST.
TACOMA, WA 98421
PH: 206-383-0146
1-800-531-5900
ROOM RATES
Single Occ. $55.05 Double Occ. $58.05 Triple +. $63.00

All events, hospitality room and transportation will begin and end at the LaQuinta. Rooms are limited. 140 rooms are blocked for us. Make your reservations as soon as possible. Amenities include an out door heated pool and spa, resturant, bar/lounge, cable TV (Free Showtime), free parking and free continental breakfast in the lobby (6:00 - 10:00 AM). A overflow hotel has been arranged for at a nearby hotel. If the LaQuinta tells you they are full, ask for the overflow hotel.

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS**

**BUDGET RENT-A-CAR**
An agreement has been made with budget Rent-A-Car for our members to rent a vehicle while in the Tacoma area. Call Tom Sove (Reunion Chairman) for a registration slip.
PHONE: 209-575-2758

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Lambretta’s with indigenous driver wearing Pith Helmet also available upon request. Cost is Two (2) bowls of rice per day!

**GOLF SCRAMBLES EVENT**

A scrambles event has been arranged for the early arrivals and the many avid duffers we have in the association. The event will take place on Tuesday (18 June) in the morning hours. Contact Tom Sove for details.

The above schedule is tentative and only reflects the events and approx times as of this newsletter. We will have plenty of time to socialize with our brothers who we served in combat with and meet the members of our sister units. Please bring your families, the reunions are much better when we share all the emotions with our loved ones. REGISTER EARLY. See you there !!!
Enclosed is my check, number 717 for the amount of forty dollars ($40.00) to cover my overdue membership dues for 95/96, and for the 96/97 dues. I sincerely hope that Mr. Roy Boatman will quite referring to me as “CHEAP CHARLIE” now that I have paid my money, and furthermore, I hope I wouldn’t have to listen to anymore of this “Cheap Lawyer Jokes”. So if you would be so kind, as to forewarn the big guerrilla, that I am current with my dues, and that I found out via the grapevine, that both Boatman and Duke, were placing me through unneeded mental stress (for which I am being treated for) by placing my membership on hold after receiving my check, just because of the fact that I am an attorney, these two guerrillas induce the association to hold on to my check as to such time that funds could be verified, and while Roy Barley reviewed my IRS file. What upsets me is I made these three stooges the Rangers they are today, before I got a hold of them they were wimps, and do I get any thanks for my hard work, hell no! I don’t want to take anymore of you time Ranger Rhodes, but I thought would let you know of what I go through every year to become a member of this great organization. So much for my complaining, hope to see you out here in the west coast for the reunion in June. CARLOS SEPULVEDA C/75 Carlos’s reluctance at parting with a dollar is legendary. In Vietnam, he represented the NVA in wrongful death cases against his own team that had recently killed them and then represented the NVA before the ACLU against his team for trespassing in their AO. A Typical Lawyer. On the serious side, Carlos recently was hospitalized and is doing better. The association sends its prayers for a speedy recovery. It was probably an anxiety attack from spending $40.00 at one time.

I have recently had the opportunity to speak with a prominent lobbyist, who is very sympathetic to veterans issues. She has offered her services free of charge to W.I.V.E.S. She is willing, and has the ability to place us in front of congress to report on the apparent adversarial role the V.A. has taken toward vets, and the problems with care in VA facilities. I know it can be difficult to take the time to sit down and write a letter about your experiences with this system, but...WE NEED SUPPORTING STATEMENTS FOR OUR WORK! All letters we receive will be used to effect positive change in the system. The lobbyist has also promised us meetings with all the Republican candidates for President in next years election. So, please take the time, and send us letters about your experiences with the VA. The more letters we have, the more access we will be given! Write today to W.I.V.E.S., P.O. Box 1674, Bailey CO. 80421, or to W.I.V.E.S., P.O. Box 521, Mena AR. 71953, Or you can call and give us your story and we will write it up, and send you a copy to sign. Call, Linda Cox (503) 838-4403, or Linda Walker (501) 394-7341. Thanks for your efforts! LINDA COX & LINDA WALKER Note: W.I.V.E.S. is the name taken by two of our members wives to try and help with the problems their husbands have experienced with the VA. Our association endorses their efforts.

ASSOCIATION INTERNET ADDRESS
The association now has a home page on the INTERNET. Don Best N/75 volunteered to take the time and effort to set up a home page and the links from various veteran type organizations. The secretary supplied him with the graphics of the various unit rolls and E Mail addresses of the officers and unit representative/directors. In the near future we will be adding a page concerning the upcoming reunion and the form and address for ordering the Ranger Memorial Stones. If you get the time drop by and say hello at:

http://www.whidbey.net/~besstdg/75thassc.htm
The secretary has received numerous messages from prospective new members. It’s a way to reach some of our missing comrades and to promote the association as well as keep our members informed. SECRETARY

HONORARY COLONEL OF THE REGT.
Ranger Ralph Puckett (Honorary Member) has replaced Ranger Frank (Bull) Dawson (Honorary Member) as the Honorary Colonel of the 75th Ranger Regiment during a ceremony at Ft. Benning on 18 January. Ralph served with the 8th Army Ranger Company (Prov) in Korea and is also a Hall of Fame recipient. Both of these outstanding Rangers have Led The Way in the Ranger community for years and the association is very proud to count them among our supporters. Congratulations Ralph and DRIVE ON! DUKE DaSHANE

PRIVACY ACT (ASSOC ROSTER)
The policy of our association has been to close hold the membership rosters and the members information and only periodically distribute them to the unit directors. The director will provide the information to a requesting member for a specific individual or if none of the members of that unit object, provide it to all of that units members. We have asked that the complete roster not be given out for numerous reasons: 1. Privacy of the individual. 2. Solicitations from agencies that are not reputable. 3. Some people sell the names and addresses... We will continue to close hold the members info unless the members say different. If you do not care if your information is given out, please drop the secretary a line, otherwise we will continue with the policy as it now stands. The association will be voting on this issue in the near future. PRESIDENT

RANGER HALL OF FAME NOMINATIONS
Nominations will be accepted from the unit representatives for the 1997 Ranger Hall of Fame. The secretary has received many requests from various unit members requesting that specific individuals be nominated. Truthfully, the nominations must come from the unit director. There are guidelines put out by the Hall of Fame committee that are passed on to the unit director. The requirements are very stringent on the nominees (as it should be). Each unit director has in the past received a request for his units nominations and few have replied. Our association has nominated highly qualified members and all have been accepted. Recently the Hall of Fame committee put out guidelines that all nominees will have been awarded the DSC or equivalent to be considered. If you are aware of an individual who you think should be inducted, notify your unit representative, ASAP. SECRETARY
Each inductee is presented with the specially cast bronze Ranger Hall of Fame medallion, suspended from a red, white and blue ribbon. The medallion was designed and drawn by Mr. C.J. (Duke) DuShane, past President, 75th Ranger Regiment Association who served in combat with P Company, 75th Infantry (Ranger) during the Vietnam War. The eagle represents strength and in Native American lore symbolizes the warrior. The United States flag represents the proud commitment to our country. The arrows show resolve and the readiness to fight and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic. The eagle flies over the Ranger Memorial acknowledging the courageous and selfless contributions of past Rangers to their country, the United States Armed Forces, and to the proud tradition of today’s Rangers. The laurel wreath represents the Rangers’ competitive spirit and will to succeed, regardless of the challenge. The Sikes-Fairbaine stiletto represents the Rangers’ ability to successfully plan and conduct special operations. Together, the medallion signifies selfless sacrifice, professional excellence, and remarkable accomplishments in the defense of the greatest nation in the world and to the highest ideals of service.

** HALL OF FAME INDUCTIONS **
Ranger’s O’Barry Crabtree I/75 and Larry Fletcher N/75 will be inducted into the Ranger Hall of Fame on August 14, 1996. Both of these Ranger’s are DSC recipients and our association is very proud to have submitted their names to the Hall of Fame committee. The association will support this outstanding event and all members are invited to attend. Look in June issue of PATROLLING for exact dates and schedule.

** COF 51ST INF (LRP) REUNION **
21-24 MAY 1996
Fayetteville/Ft. Bragg
POC: Walter Butts
PH: 910-424-4802

** BEST RANGER COMPETITION **
3 THRU 6 MAY 1996
FT. BENNING, GA

The best Ranger Competition will again take place at Ft. Benning. Two man teams from all the active duty units of the US Army will compete in this three day grueling competition. Watching these Rangers will renew your pride in the capabilities of these modern day warriors. Our association awards a plaque to the winners. SECRETARY
** 75TH RANGER REGIMENT ASSOCIATION **
REUNION 1996
REGISTRATION FORM

MAIL TO: 75TH RANGER REGIMENT ASSOCIATION
            ATTN: ASSOCIATION TREASURER
            8688 RUFFIAN LN.
            NEWBURGH, IN 47630

(Please print)

YES!, I will attend the 75th Ranger Regiment Association reunion at Tacoma/Ft. Lewis, WA on 19 - 23 June 1996.

NAME_________________________ UNIT_______MEMBERSHIP #____
STREET_________________________ CITY_________________ STATE______
ZIP____________________ PHONE(____)_____________

I will be accompanied by _____ guests. Please list names:

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(REGISTRATION FEES)

$60.00 PER MEMBER OR GUEST: Number of Persons attending___ X $60.00 = $___
$25.00 PER CHILD UNDER 12: Number of Children attending___ X $25.00 = $___

Send check or money order only, DO NOT SEND CASH.

TOTAL $____

TYPE OF MEAT DESIRED FOR BANQUET
NUMBER OF MEALS (BEEF) ______
NUMBER OF MEALS (CHICKEN) ______
TOTAL MEALS ______

REGISTRATION FEES INCLUDE
HOSPITALITY ROOM, BANQUET,
TRANSPORTATION, AND REUNION
T-SHIRTS FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS
(No childrens T-Shirts)

PLEASE SHOW SIZE AND NUMBER OF T-SHIRTS DESIRED
(FOR MEMBER AND GUEST ONLY)
XX-LARGE ______
X-LARGE ______
LARGE ______
MEDIUM ______

REGISTER EARLY
THERE WILL BE A LATE REGISTRATION FEE ($10.00)
PER PERSON FOR THOSE WHO REGISTER AFTER
15 MAY 1996.

THE ASSOCIATION HAS TO KNOW THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ARE COMING TO THIS
OUTSTANDING REUNION. MEALS, TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER ACTIVITIES MUST BE
ARRANGED 30 DAYS AHEAD!!!

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM COMPLETELY
ASSOCIATION WATCH

ORDER FORM

SEND TO: ROY BARLEY
PO BOX 233, LORDS HILL
SPRINGVILLE, NY 14141
Phone: 716-496-8803

MAIL TO: ____________________________
____________________________________
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Phone: ________________

The watch has a black leather band and the face design is in the shape of our association flag. An eagle holding the crest and the words LRRP/LRP and OF THEIR OWN ACCORD on a red and blue background with RANGER written across the middle. Cost is only $25.00 and that includes postage.

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY

SMOKEY WELLS C/75 & GEN WAYNE DOWNING
AT THE USSOCOM’S XMAS PARTY

PATRICK TADINA N/75 & GEN WAYNE DOWNING
AT THE RANGER HALL OF FAME INDUCTION

GEN WAYNE DOWNING IS RETIRING FROM THE US ARMY ON 29 FEBRUARY 1996 AT MACDILL AFB. HE WILL BE MOVING TO THE NORTH WESTERN PART OF THE US. HE HAS BEEN A SPECIAL FRIEND TO THE VIETNAM ERA RANGERS AND TO THE RANGERS FROM ALL ERAS. THE ASSOCIATION WISHES HIM THE BEST AND WE HOPE HE STAYS IN CONTACT WITH US. GEN HUGH SHELTON WILL BE ASSUMING COMMAND OF THE UNITED STATES SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND.
75th RANGER REGIMENT ASSOCIATION, INC
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT

NAME
MEMBERSHIP NUMBER
ADDRESS
CITY
STATE
ZIP
PHONE
OCCUPATION

I WOULD LIKE TO:
MAKE CONTRIBUTION: MEMBERSHIP FUND
PLAQUE FUND
KIA MONUMENT
PROVIDE NEWS ITEMS
NOTES:
WORK ON ASSOC. PROJECTS
UPDATE MY MEMBERSHIP FILE
PAY DUES FOR YEAR (S)
LIFE MEMBERSHIP

$20.00
For
1995 - 1996

Make checks or money orders to: 75th Ranger Regiment Association
MAIL TO: TREASURER, 75TH RGR REGT ASSOC.
8688 RUFFIAN LN.
NEWBURGH, IN 47630

NEW MEMBERS

INDICATE UNIT(S) SERVED IN:

DATES FROM - TO:

MEMBERSHIP CONTINGENT UPON PROOF OF SERVICE
(ORDERS / DD214 / NAMES OF TEAM MATES)

ELIGIBILITY
PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS MUST HAVE SERVED WITH A LURP / BDQ / RANGER
UNIT DURING THE VIETNAM ERA OR WITH ONE OF THE BATTALIONS OR
REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE 75TH RANGER REGIMENT. ALL UNITS
CARRYING THE LINEAGE OF THE UNITS ON THE LAST PAGE OF THE
NEWSLETTER ARE ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP.
BAD ADDRESSES
JAMES OWENS, DOUG KEIM, RICHARD WESSEL, LARRY LAW, WAYNE BUSSELL, LEWIS FEMIANO, PATRICK BRENNAN, ROGER BARBE, DAVID CHAIS-SON, MICHAEL MCDONALD, KEVIN HENRY, AL NEW-MAN, CHRIS PEPPARD. If you move or have a change of address, please notify the secretary. Thanks!

NEW MEMBERS
RICK JONES N/75, SCOTT JAMES C/2/75 & 75TH REGT, ROBERT HARRIS (ASSOC MEM), HARRY WALTERS P/75, STEVE LEGENDE 1/101 & F/58, VAN KOMINISK Y F/51, LUKE GREEN HHC & C/1/75 & HH REGIEMENT, ROBERT CRAWFORD 4TH DIV LRRP, TOM SWEETNAM L/75, RALPH RESCH Е/20TH, STU-

ART YETMAN H/75, RICHARD KING P/75 & F/51ST, RANSDAL SNYDER 0/75, ROBERT McIntire D/151, ROBERT LEWIS D/151, HUNTER BEALL M/75, ARTHUR SIBSBY 1/75 & 173RD LRRP WELCOME Y’ALL

DONATIONS
CHRIS ROLLAND, JAMES WALKER, RONALD ZELL-
NER, MICHAEL CHU, JOSEPH CASSILLY, GREGG GAIN, M.G. NEWCOMBE, RICK EHRLER, DAVID HARRIS, TOM BLUE, FRANCIS DAVIS, JACK CORDLE, BOB FOTI, JOHN METI, MICHAEL MONFROOE, GARRY NORTON, THANKS Y’ALL

PROXY VOTING
Proxy voting by the members who cannot attend the reunion will be accomplished by the member sending a letter to his unit representative/director and a copy to the secretary. The secretary must have a copy for the vote to count. Proxies will be accepted on all issues put before the membership except the election of officers. If there is something you want brought up at the general membership meeting, tell your unit director.

OFFICER ELECTIONS
The association will elect new officers for the 1996 -1998 term during the reunion in June. While nominations will be accepted from the floor, members desiring to serve the mem-

bership should contact the current president in writing prior to the election process. Members who have notified the president that they will run for office are: Rick Ehrl er-President and Terry Roderick-Vice President. Members who wish to serve the membership must be cognizant of the history of all the units that make up our membership, have the time to attend Ranger social functions, be able to effectively guide our association in financial matters and have the technical skills to communicate with each other and the various Ranger associations. None of the positions of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer are figureheads. Many long hours are required to effectively administer our association. The positions are more and more requiring the use of a computer in the modern day world and the Secretary and Treasurer positions demand the use of a computer. If you have these skills and are willing to work for the membership please contact the president as soon as possible. Proxy voting for the officer elections is not allowed. PRESIDENT

IN MEMORIUM
DANDRIDGE MALONE
CO. E 20TH INF (LRP)
19 DECEMBER 1995
MAY GOD GRANT THIS RANGER
THE ETERNAL REST OF THOSE WHO SERVED THEIR COUNTRY HONORABLY AND WELL!

Maj. Malone was the first commander of E/20th LRP and had fought cancer for the last few years. He will be missed by all who knew him.

AUGUST E. HECKLER
CO. N (RANGER) 75TH INF
18 FEBRUARY 1996
MAY GOD GRANT THIS RANGER
THE ETERNAL REST OF THOSE WHO SERVED THEIR COUNTRY HONORABLY AND WELL!

CSM August E Heckler died in the Republic of Korea while returning from a field inspection. He leaves a wife and daughter. He will be missed by those of us who knew him.

NOT OUR ASSOCIATION

THE RANGER REGIMENT ASSN.
ROY BOATNAI
1963

RANGERS LEAD THE WAY!

THIS ASSOCIATION

THE 75TH RANGER REGIMENT ASSN.
ROY BOATNAI

THE CARD SHOWN DIRECTLY ABOVE THIS ARTI-
CLE IS THE MEMBERSHIP CARD FOR THIS ASSO-
CIATION. MANY OF THE ACTIVE DUTY RANGERS
BELIEVE THAT IF THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE
CARD SHOWN AT THE TOP, THEY BELONG TO THIS
ASSOCIATION. This is an attempt to show the difference in the associations. SECRETARY
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