

61st NIDA Reunion

I'm hoping you guys are starting to pack your bags and get ready to come to New Orleans for our 81st Reunion. Time goes by so fast; it will be here before you know it. As you will see on the schedule included in this announcement, we have simplified the weekend. This way you can come and enjoy the city of New Orleans and the WWII museum. When you do review the schedule of the weekend you will see that our main dinner, "banquet night", will be on Saturday. This will allow members the option to leave Sunday afternoon if needed. Of course, our fun farewell night will still be on Sunday. Remember, there is no registration fee, so all expenses are your responsibility. This allows you to go to the different restaurants around the area and there are several restaurants within the hotel itself as well. This also allows you to be on your own budget.

I'm so excited for y'all to come and see the Higgins Hotel. It's a beautiful and unique hotel. So much of it is the history of our past. It is a 'not for profit' business and any profit they may make goes into a nonprofit educational foundation. Remember we have rooms blocked off at the Higgins Hotel at a group rate. Please go to their

BOOKING WEBSITE: <https://book.passkey.com/e/51173925>

Please let me or Bette know if you plan on coming. This will help us to be looking for you. (And get you included in the reunion program.)

This information is included in the Jan.-Feb-Mar, 2026 Issue of The Octofoil, which is our last Octofoil before the Reunion. Get your reservations in ASAP.

Mary Cooper
President