

REUNION INFORMATION

REUNION 2020 Branson, MO....Reunion dates **Wednesday, September 23rd to Sunday, September 27th 2020**

Radisson Hotel ** 120 S. Wildwood Dr ** Branson, MO. (417) 335-5767 / (800) 333-3333 / (888) 566-5290 (Reservations)

Nightly rate of \$89.00 +12.1% tax (**200 rooms** based on single/double occupancy). Rate applies to 3 days prior/3 days after Reunion.

Cancellation Policy: You can cancel up to 48 hours prior to arrival with no penalty. Complimentary Hot Breakfast served in the Wildwood Bistro (lower level) from 6:30a-11:00a. (Voucher is required) The Radisson Hotel is located near the Andy Williams Performing Arts Center & Theatre and offers easy access to most theaters, restaurants and attractions in Branson. Free Self-Parking / 100% Non-Smoking Facility. For more details/information about the hotel you can "Google" Radisson Hotel Branson. **Radisson reservations can be made by calling the hotel directly or Reservations line (numbers listed above) Group Name: Seawolves 2020 "or" **Online** reservations link <https://www.radisson.com/seawolfreunion2020> If there are any rooms remaining in our block, the last day to make a Hotel Reservation will be Aug 23, 2020. All rooms remaining in our block of 200 will go back to the hotel. Late reservations can be made but, it will be at the going rate, not at group rate. If you have any questions, please contact us at gleseawolfdet9@cox.net "or" (619) 443-0985 (Home) / 619-838-2231 (Gary's Cell) / (619) 838-0985 (Barb's Cell)

SPRINGFIELD AIRPORT SHUTTLES TO and FROM BRANSON RADISSON HOTEL

In doing research for the Reunion into possible shuttle transportation between the Springfield Airport, Radisson Hotel and return to Springfield Airport, we recognized the difficulties and expense. To try and eliminate some of these costs for the attendees we decided to contract Huskey Trailways for limited shuttle transportation on the first day (Wed, Sep 23rd) and the last day (Sun, Sep 27th) of the Reunion.

1.) **WEDNESDAY - SEP 23rd (1st Day of Reunion) ONLY – SHUTTLE "TO" BRANSON RADISSON HOTEL**

There will be **3 pick-ups at the Springfield Airport** Times are **12:00noon / 2:00pm / 4:00pm**

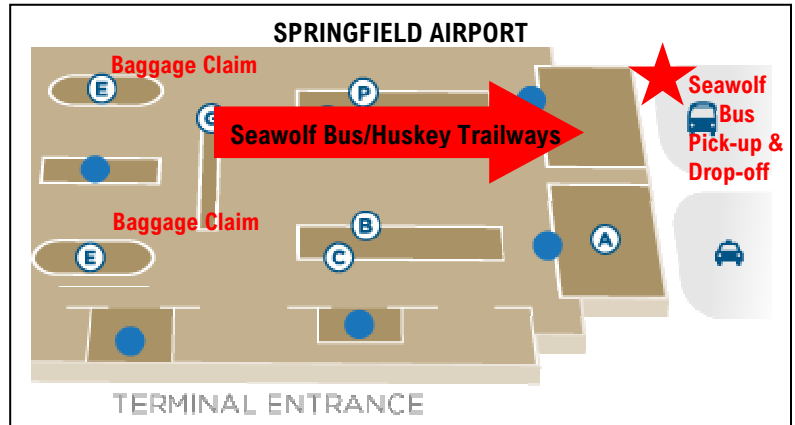
Shuttle only offered on Day 1 of the Reunion (Wed, Sep 23rd)

Reservations needed in Advance

Cost: \$12.00 per person (Listed on Registration Form)

Gather your bags and be ready to board the bus at the designated times. Refer to the Springfield Airport Map. (Each bus will hold 56 passengers) Please email your flight itinerary to gleseawolfdet9@cox.net or include with your Reunion Registration.

***Schedule your airline arrival time accordingly to take advantage of this Shuttle.



2.) **SUNDAY - SEP 27th (Last day of Reunion) ONLY - SHUTTLE "TO" SPRINGFIELD AIRPORT**

There will be **3 departures from the Radisson Hotel**

Times are...**7:00am /10:00am /1:00pm**

Shuttle only offered on the Last Day of the Reunion (Sun, Sep 27th) **Reservations needed in Advance...**

Cost: \$15.00 per person (Listed on Registration Form)

Please allow aprx 60-75 minutes travel time from hotel to Springfield airport to make sure you arrive in time for your flight check-in. (Each bus will hold 56 passengers) Please email your flight itinerary to gleseawolfdet9@cox.net or include with your Reunion Registration. ***Schedule your airline departure time accordingly to take advantage of this Shuttle.

ADDITIONAL AIRPORT SHUTTLES....If you are unable to take advantage of the Huskey Motorcoach Airport Shuttles on Sep 23rd or 27th, we have a few suggestions for shuttle transportation. Unfortunately, shuttle service is **very limited** from the Springfield, MO (SGF) Airport. In doing some research a **ONE WAY** shuttle from Springfield Airport to/from the Radisson Hotel in Branson will cost aprx \$90 for 2 people with \$10 for each additional person added to the shuttle van. We recommend, if you plan on using an independent shuttle, coordinate with fellow Reunion Attendees and take advantage of sharing a shuttle to minimize costs. Shuttle reservations will need to be made in advance. Listed below are a few companies that offer shuttles.

BRANSON LOOP – Website is www.thebransonloop.com "or" call (417) 320-6035 Price listed on website is One Way Shuttle...\$90.00 for 2 people \$10 each additional person. (Online rating 2 stars)

RYDE with US Shuttle – Website is www.rydewithus.com "or" call (417) 336-2625 Price listed on website is One Way Shuttle...\$90.00 for 2 people \$10 each additional person.

JAYRIDE – Website is jayride.com "or" call (646) 480-6835 You can compare companies and book the best deal.

RENTAL CAR - If you choose to rent a car for the dates of the reunion...prices start at aprx \$200 for an economy car and up.

CITY OF BRANSON SHUTTLES – A shuttle around Branson starts at \$10 and up depending on number of people and destination.

UBER/LYFT – If you are an Uber or Lyft user...check your app for pick-up info and pricing.

BANQUET.....Unfortunately, this year, capacity at the banquet is limited to 400 people. We are needing to handle the seating arrangements/table assignments **before** the Reunion. If you have a group (10 or less per table) please, submit names with your Reunion Registration and we can get a table started for your group. To help keep our records accurate, please initiate contact and coordinate with the others before submitting names. If no requests are made, we will assign you a table. Because of the banquet capacity limit, it is very important to get your Reunion registration in as soon as you can. If you have any questions, please contact Barb or I. Thank you!

RAFFLE ITEMS.....As usual we plan on having a raffle and encourage and appreciate donations from attendees. If you plan to bring something for raffle, or "silent auction" please give us a heads up so we can better plan for the event.

2022 REUNION BID....The 2022 Reunion will be on the East Coast. If you are interested in submitting info to bring the 2022 Reunion to your hometown here are some helpful hints so, you'll be prepared to present at the 2020 Reunion Business Meeting. If you have any questions please, don't hesitate to contact us.

Requirements for Reunion Destination

1. Hotel needs to be large enough for a 200 room block. (Dates/days of the Reunion can depend on hotel rates/dates of availability)
2. Hotel "comp" policy? (how many rooms have to be sold to earn 1 free)
3. Extra rooms for
 - 1.) Hospitality Room – the entire time of the reunion (capacity at least 150 + display tables)
 - 2.) Ships Store – selling of Seawolf Merchandise – 50 person capacity w/display tables
 - 3.) Meeting Room – theater style for at least 175 for Business Meeting (Sat am only)
4. Banquet Facility capabilities to serve 400-450+ people
5. Hotel Parking – Plenty of "free" parking for members driving in as well as rental cars. Does it have RV parking?
6. Airport friendly? (a.) Is this city a Southwest/Jet Blue Airlines destination? (cheaper airfares are usually available when Southwest/Jet Blue etc. fly into that city) (b) How many miles is hotel from airport (c) Taxi and/or shuttle prices reasonable)
7. Does Hotel offer Courtesy Airport Shuttle?

These are the basics...everything is negotiable.