



Newsletter # 1

Greeting Shipmates and Auxiliary Members

Memphis, Tennessee has been selected as the site for the 2019 National Convention by the National Committee. The hotel selected is the Crowne Plaza Memphis East at 2625 Thousand Oaks Blvd., Memphis, TN 38118. The dates are from September 22 – 29, 2019. It is located I-240 and Perkins 8 miles from the Memphis International Airport and 16 minutes from downtown & 13 minutes from Graceland.

There is on-site self-parking which is complimentary. Complimentary airport transportation to and from the hotel and within a five-mile radius of the hotel.

Room Rates are \$99.00 (without Breakfast) plus 17.75% tax and the City of Memphis Hotel Tourism Fee of \$2.00 per day or \$109.00 (which includes a Full and Complete Breakfast). Room rates apply for up to three days prior and three days following the convention dates. The cut-off date for the block of rooms will be held until **Sunday, September 1, 2019**. Reservation requests received after 5:00 PM local time at the hotel on the cut-off date will be accepted based on guest room availability at the Group rate.

Telephone Number: **Crowne Plaza Worldwide Reservations 844-750-1135**

Hyper Link: These links below will take right to the hotel sight and you will see once you pick your room type (double or queen), Fleet Reserve Association appears on the reservation as you reserve the room with a credit card.

[Fleet Reserve WITHOUT Breakfast](#)

[Fleet Reserve WITH Breakfast](#)

Block codes are: **FLA** (doesn't include breakfast \$99.00) and **FLB** (includes breakfast \$109.00). Reservations can be made by calling Crowne Plaza Worldwide Reservation at 844-750-1135 be sure to mention "Fleet Reserve Association".

The 2019 National Convention is being hosted by the Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) and being handled by the National Committee which was elected by the delegates. All profits/losses will be borne by the Fleet Reserve Association and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fleet Reserve Association. So, it is imperative that the shipmate and auxiliary members make reservations and support this convention.

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