



F-14 Tomcat Association

Reunion

April 11 - 14, 2024

Fort Worth, Texas



The hotel and reservation phone number:



SHERATON
Fort Worth Downtown

**1701 Commerce Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102
Phone: (817) 335-7000**

Welcome to the 2024 reunion of the F-14 Tomcat Association! Please join us in Fort Worth where you can connect with both old friends and new! This inviting hotel in Downtown Fort Worth offers everything you need for a great experience, from design-inspired guest rooms to onsite parking. Our contemporary rooms and suites feature plush bedding, ergonomic workspaces, and club access in select accommodations. Savor American cuisine in a friendly atmosphere onsite at Chef's Table, or try downtown restaurants nearby like Whiskey & Rye, T&P Tavern, and Del Frisco's Double Eagle Steakhouse. Stay active at our heated indoor pool or 24-hour fitness center.



Be sure to call the hotel directly for your reservations. Tell them you are with the **F-14 Tomcat Association Reunion** group to get the **discounted rate of \$167 plus tax** (breakfast is not included). **Parking is \$25.00 per day.** Please inform the hotel if you need a handicapped accessible room. Hotel Reservations must be made prior to **March 11, 2024**, to guarantee space and rates. Reservations made after this date will be on a space available basis and the discounted rate will not be guaranteed. We look forward to seeing you!

Airport Transportation: The airport offers free shuttle service to area hotels. Call the hotel (817) 335-7000 to arrange for shuttle service. Taxis, Uber, and the metro are other convenient ways to get to the hotel.

IMPORTANT NOTE

We ask for your own safety that someone accompanies you on your trip or that you ensure your family is aware of your traveling plans. Please provide us with the name and phone number of someone not attending to be contacted in case of emergency. Thank you.

Cancellation Refund Policy: If there are any extenuating circumstances, such as COVID-19 outbreaks or travel bans, complete refunds will be made to anyone registered for the reunion. If a tour must be cancelled but the reunion goes on the tour will be refunded.

All tours must achieve a minimum (30) number in order to complete the tour. We need all attendees to understand that the cutoff date of **March 11, 2024**, is primarily for the hotel and to assure the minimum number for tours. **IT IS NOT A CUT OFF DATE THAT MEANS YOU CAN NO LONGER SIGN UP FOR THE REUNION.** Please be aware that if you decide on-site that you want to take a tour, it will be based on space available on the coach.

You can register for the reunion now. Just print and complete the registration form on page 6 and mail it with your check in accordance with the instructions on the form.

What's happening early (all arrangements on your own)

For those wanting to arrive early these events are happening:

Monday, April 8: Fort Worth is in the path of the full eclipse of the sun. Check <https://www.greatamericaneclipse.com> for the details.

Tuesday, April 9 and Wednesday, April 10: For the baseball fans:

Oakland A's vs Texas Rangers 7:05 pm both nights.
Put Texas Rangers Tickets in your browser!

Wednesday, April 10 7:00 pm - Early arrivals gather in the hotel bar for a no host get-together

IMPORTANT NOTE: *The hotel is extremely full on the nights prior to the early events. You may not be able to get in or to get the group rate on the 8th, 9th, or 10th. We do have a small block of rooms for the night of the 10th for those coming in on Wednesday. Call the Courtyard Fort Worth Downtown/Blackstone (817-885-8700) for a rate of \$199. Be sure to make arrangements for the following nights at the Sheraton in the group block.*

Agenda

All tours include transportation, guide (when applicable) and entrance fees. Meals are included only if indicated. Tours will board approximately 15 minutes prior to the departure times listed here. Check signs available at the registration desk in case of changes.

<p>Thursday, April 11</p> <p>8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.</p> <div style="background-color: #4a7ebb; color: white; padding: 10px; border: 1px solid white;"> <p>Note: The Association will be providing transportation for all events.</p> </div>	<p>Check in for those going on Early Bird Tour</p> <p>Early Bird Tour: Lockheed Martin F-35 Production Tour (register early if you plan to take this tour – max 35) Lunch in the cafeteria on your own.</p> <p>Speed and Angels in the Hospitality Room (a must-see video about the F-14). <i>Registration is required for head count.</i></p> <p>Reception in the Hospitality Room (Hors d'ouvres served at 6:30 p.m.)</p>
<p>Friday, April 12</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;">Breakfast on your own.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">Fort Worth Aviation Museum</p> <p>9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. North Texas history is rich with incredible stories and aviation triumphs. Visit the museum where we display our heritage, educate citizens, and inspire the youth to achieve their full potential. We have over 25 airplanes, interactive exhibits, and a flight simulator.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fort Worth Stockyards National Historic District Step into the West</p> <p>1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Fort Worth is where the West begins, and nothing embodies Western heritage better than the Fort Worth Stockyards National Historic District. From the original brick walkways to the wooden corrals, every inch of the Stockyards tells the true history of Texas's famous livestock industry. Lunch on your own in the Stockyards area.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Additional Options in the Stockyard Area:</p> <p>John Wayne Museum (Tickets \$19) Sprawling over 10,000 square feet, the John Wayne: An American Experience exhibit is structured to give you an intimate tour of the life of John Wayne. Starting with his early childhood and career, each room highlights an aspect of The Duke's legacy.</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Or</p> <p>Top Golf Fort Worth – The Association bus will transport those who opt for Top Golf (approx. 10 minutes away). Reservations are not necessary and pay on site (dependent on numbers). Each bay is \$50 with 6 people per bay. Lunch at Top Golf.</p>
<p>Friday, April 12</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;">Fighter Reception beverage sponsor is Nightstalkers, Inc.</p>	<p>6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.</p> <p>Fighter Reception with Beer and Pizza! All F-8, F-4, F-14 and F/A-18 pilots, maintainers, and fans are welcome to attend. <i>Registration is required for head count.</i></p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>

Saturday, April 13



Wings Over Cowtown Air Show

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Chalet seating will allow you to witness thrills like never before from a variety of military and civilian demonstrations. The grand finale will be the U.S. Navy’s flight demonstration team: *The Blue Angels*. While you are at the show, enjoy military and civilian aircraft displays, shop at novelty, food, and beverage booths.

Saturday, April 13

6:00 p.m.

Pictures

Note: The onsite coordinator from ACR is a professional photographer and will have an area set up for group shots – large group, small groups, couples – whatever you want. She does not charge your group or ACR anything to be onsite and manage the entire reunion. Nor does she require a minimum amount. She makes her money for this event by the pictures sold. You order whatever you want, they are printed during the week and can be picked up and taken with you as you leave. The large group shot is \$20 for an 8 X 10, others are less. (She does many of the pictures for the Air Force Academy, schools and special events in the Colorado Springs & Denver area)

7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.



Guest Speaker:

Commodore Mark Clemente

Banquet – BBQ Dinner includes:

Mesquite Grilled Chicken

(with Poblano Cream Sauce)

Slow-roasted Baby Back Ribs

(with smoked BBQ Sauce)

Grilled Hickory Smoked Sausage

(with Peppers & Onions)

Smoked Gouda Cheddar Mac

Home-Style Potato Salad

Creamy Texas Coleslaw

Baked Beans

Fried Okra

Buttered Corn Bread

Peach Cobbler / Pecan Pie

Sunday, April 14

Breakfast on your own

Hotel Brunch - gather in hotel restaurant before checking out.

Check-out



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This name will be used on your Name Badge, please print clearly:

First Name:	Last Name:
Spouse:	Guest(s)
Address:	City:
State / Zip	E-Mail:
Phone:	Cell Phone:
Years Served: 19 _____ - 19 _____	Rank/Rate:

The Association will be providing transportation for all events.

Number of Persons X Cost per person = Total Cost

- April 11 – Early Bird Tour _____
- April 11 – Speed & Angels _____
- April 12 – John Wayne Museum _____ @ \$ 19.00 = _____
- April 12 – Top Golf _____ (Pay on site)
- April 12 – Fighter Reception _____

Annual membership (if attending reunion and not currently a member or membership has expired):
 (Spouse/Guests do not need to pay this fee) _____ @ \$30.00 = _____
 Lifetime membership _____ Information on F-14 website

Registration

(Includes Welcome Reception, Pizza Party, Airshow, Swag Bag Souvenirs, Admissions, Chalet at Airshow, other Fees)

Registration fee (each attendee must pay this fee) _____ @ \$ 407.00 = _____
TOTAL = _____

Emergency Contacts (Someone NOT attending):

Name:	Phone:	Relationship:
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Please identify any special accommodations you may need:

Physical support: _____ Special Meals: _____
 Other: _____

Note: as a savings to you, we do not accept credit cards.

SEND THIS FORM & A CHECK (PAYABLE TO "A COMPLETE REUNION") FOR THE TOTAL AMOUNT TO:

F-14 Tomcat Association Reunion c/o A Complete Reunion 2220 Glenwood Circle Colorado Springs, CO 80909	Contact Sherry at (719) 380-1412 email us at sherry@acomplereunion.com or monica.acomplereunion@gmail.com and visit our website at www.acomplereunion.com
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Refund Policy:

Cancellations before March 11, 2024, will receive a full refund minus \$18.00 processing fee. There will be no refund after that date. All tours must have a minimum number of people per tour. If you register for a tour and do not attend, you will NOT receive any refund. You will receive a confirmation letter detailing your selections within 7-10 days of us receiving it.