

RNZN GUNNERS REUNION .

EASTER 2010.



2-4th April 2010

'SI VIS PACEM PARA BELLUM'

"IF YOU DESIRE PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR"

The Gunnery Branch of the Royal New Zealand Navy has ceased to exist!!.

"Once Only" RNZN Gunners Reunion.

**To be held at the RNZN Sports Complex, Ngataringa Bay over
Easter Weekend 2010.**

Registration Forms available from:

Jim Senton, 32 Moata Rd, One Tree Hill, AUCKLAND 1061.

Ph; 09-634-4650. Mob: 027-270-5512. e-mail; jim.senton@orcon.net.nz soonest!!

**Your support is ESSENTIAL for this last opportunity to
enjoy the smell of CORDITE for what may be the last time!!!**

“SI VIS PACEM PARABELLUM”

Proposed Programme-RNZN Gunners Reunion Easter 2010.

Friday 2nd April.

- Registrations from 1400 onwards on Friday 2nd of April of Easter Weekend 2010 at the RNZN Ngataringa Sports Complex.
- “Pre Action Calibrations will take place that PM.
- ‘Meet and Greet’ for a social afternoon/ evening till 2300.
- An ongoing “Photo Montage” on the overhead screen for both Friday and Saturday evenings.

Saturday 3rd April 2010 AM/PM

- Possible visits to the Naval Operations Centre situated on what was the Navy Base rugby ground
- Welcome to the Naval Marae(details to be arranged)
- Tours of the Naval base including the refurbished HMNZS Achillies 6” turret being open for inspection.
- Ship open to Visitors (to be arranged depending on Operational commitments)
- Visits to the “ NEW “Naval Museum at Torpedo Bay (should be open by then)
- Attendance at any Naval sports events that may be on.
- Possible boat trip around the Base

There will be a semi-formal ‘Sit Down’ dinner at the Sports Complex on the Saturday night with pre-dinner drinks from 1800 and Dinner at 1930. This will be “with partners” of course and the Dress will be No1’s , with one or two guest speakers in keeping with the occasion.

Note:

At this point, it is understood that the Ngataringa Complex seats a MAXIMUM 200 persons; on this basis, **first priority** will be given to the current database of those who have sent in their ‘Expressions of Interest’ and who subsequently forward their “Registration Forms” with payment in full.

Sunday 4th April 2010

- Muster on the Quarterdeck HMNZS Philomel (time to be organized). Dress No 1's with medals
- March to the Chapel, RNZN Band or components thereof in attendance
- 1000- Church Service ; (Remembrance of those who have crossed the Bar- Bugler/ Last Post etc?)
- O/C Morning tea in HMNZS Philomel
- Gunners Decade photographs
- Possible availability of a Commemorative "Gunnery" booklet, yet to be published.

Sunday PM.

Secure from Action Stations, own activities etc.

So that is an indication of the Easter weekend activities; if possible there will be some Commemorative articles also available from the Friday afternoon but more later.

- **At this stage, it is the intention to seek out and provide a photographer over the weekend.**

Remember; We are the last of the RNZN Gunnery Branch and this is to be our time in the history of the Royal NZ Navy!!



Expression of Interest Registration.

Date.....

Name:.....

Known as:.....

Address:.....

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Phone No:..... Mobile:.....

E-mail:..... S/No:.....

Joined RNZN (Actual Date):.....

Release Date (Year):.....

Rank & Gunnery Rate on Release:.....

*In your occupation or business is there any opportunities for Sponsorship that would be of assistance with this proposed Function?.....

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Please e-mail the information to; jim.senton@orcon.net.nz

OR; Snail-mail to:

J.T.Senton,

RNZN Gunners Reunion,

32 Moata Rd,

One Tree Hill,

AUCKLAND 1061. Ph: 09-634-4650 Mob: 027-270-5512

RNZN GUNNERS REUNION 2010 Registration

Name:..... Database No(If Known):.....

Wife/Partner Attending?.....Name:.....

Current Address:.....

..... Date:.....

Phone:.....Mobile:.....E-mail:.....

Joined RNZN (or Other Navy):.....Final Gunnery Rank:.....

Event	Number attending	Early Bird Cost	Std Cost (After Jan 1st)	AMOUNT	Paid	
<u>Registration*</u> (See Note 1)		\$25.00 For Gunners only	\$30.00 for Gunners only			
Friday PAC		\$5 F/Food PP	Same: PP			
Saturday BBQ		Cash BBQ				
Sat Dinner		\$30.00 PP	\$35.00 PP			
Church Parade. Morning Tea.		\$2.50 PP	\$2.50 PP			
Total Cost						

* :Includes Change of Branch persons (Divers/Regulators/W Mech's etc)
Notes.

1. **Registration Fee is for each Ex Gunner only! Wives/partners do NOT have to register but will pay for all other occasions(eg; Dinner/Finger Food etc)**
2. **To obtain 'Early Bird' discounts, registration and payment must be received before 1st Jan 2010. NO exceptions. Receipts will not be issued.**
3. **Final Registrations for the Dinner CLOSE on February 28th 2010 in order to finalise Catering.**
4. **Please advise any dietary or mobility requirements.**
5. **Please complete the details above and forward either;**
 - **With your cheque for the total amount (Payable to 'Gunners Reunion')**
To: Gunners Reunion, 32 Moata Rd, One Tree Hill. AUCKLAND 1061

***OR After making a Payment to Acct No 38/9009/0050662/00 At any Kiwibank .**

***OR Bank Deposit to same Account (Enter Surname/2010/Database No if known) as ref on Deposit.**

- **Note: Orders will be processed in order groups of 10's. Please be patient as articles are supplied from out of Auckland. As soon as received, will be dispatched.**
- **Items will only be ordered once payment(s) received.**
- **Please ensure your "Delivery Details" are to your home/office, Not a PO Box.**
- **Will be able to be picked up from Organiser's Auckland address if so required.**

No of Shirts:..... Size:..... Price: @ \$35.00 each =.....

No of Caps:..... (one size fits all) @\$20.00 each =.....

Freight/Postage =.....

Total =.....

Your Delivery Address;.....

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*****Please include postal Code number!!**