



# 2008 APS Reunion News

**Unofficial Newsletter of  
the 435 APS Reunion  
Group**

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## SAN ANTONIO BECKONS IN 2008

The beautiful city of San Antonio is ready to welcome members of the 435 APS Reunion Group from Oct 31—Nov 3 this year. This is the most recent in a string of great reunions, and is hosted by Paul Erlewein, Joe Herbert, and Alan Murry McDonald.

We'll be staying at the Hampton Inn San Antonio, where a double room will run \$119 (these rooms are normally \$189 a night; thanks to organizers for arranging the special rate.) The rate includes complimentary breakfast, free parking (even for RVs) and wireless internet. You can connect to a special weblink to make your reservation through the APS website on the Members page.

Paul Erlewein is planning a golf outing for all of you who are so inclined, as well as a group dinner celebration on Sunday night.

Even if this is your first trip to San Antonio since basic training, you'll remember the beautiful River Walk, the Alamo, and other sights around San Antonio. While we're there, the WurstFest will happen in New Braunfels, or you might want to check out one of the great tours of the city. Of course, the highlight of the reunion will be the fantastic chance to catch up with old friends and new who share the Rhein Main experience.

Our hotel is located in the heart of downtown San Antonio — the River Walk and the Alamo are within two blocks, and other activities are close by. For more information about San Antonio, go to:

- [www.visitsanantonio.com](http://www.visitsanantonio.com)
- [http://travel.yahoo.com/p-travelguide-191502017-san\\_antonio\\_vacations-l](http://travel.yahoo.com/p-travelguide-191502017-san_antonio_vacations-l)
- <http://sanantonio.about.com/>

Make your reservations now for the 2008 reunion — it's guaranteed to be a Texas-sized success!



### TENTATIVE REUNION SCHEDULE

- Oct 31 Arrivals  
Dinner on own
- Nov 1 Breakfast on own  
Golf Outing or individual outings  
Group Dinner
- Nov 2 Breakfast on own  
Individual outings  
Dinner (as group?)
- Nov 3 Departures  
Optional activities

### ATTENTION 435 AERIAL PORTERS!



Please help us keep 435APS.com up-to-date — go to the site and ensure that your information is correct; and while you're there, check to see if anyone you know is listed, and that their information is correct. If you know of a former aerial porter who is not listed, please contact and encourage them to get signed up.

### POINTS OF CONTACT FOR THE 2008 REUNION

If you need more information concerning this year's reunion, please contact:

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