



2008 APS Reunion News



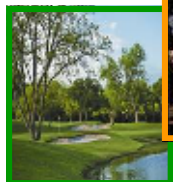
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Group

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IKE SWINGS, BUT MISSES SAN ANTONIO

We all watched the news as Hurricane Ike moved towards the Gulf Coast, and hoped that not only would Ike miss Houston, but also that the storm wouldn't roll over San Antonio. With a circumference of over 275 miles, there was a definite possibility that San Antonio would bear some of the brunt of the storm.

Unfortunately, Houston was hit hard, and many people remain homeless or without power. All



over the U.S., people are coming together to provide support to those affected by the storm.

San Antonio, however, was spared, and remains ready to host our reunion. Stay tuned for more information about the great fun in store for us at the end of October!

HELPFUL WEBSITES:

Reunion Updates—
www.435APS.com

Welcome to San Antonio—
www.visitsanantonio.com

The River Walk—
www.thesanantoniocanalwalk.com
www.RioSanAntonio.com

Shops of La Villita—
www.lavillita.com

Casa Rio (site of our Farewell
Dinner Sunday night)
www.casa.rio.com

The Alamo —
www.TheAlamo.org

Spanish Missions—
www.visitsanantonio.com

Sea World San Antonio
www.visitsanantonio.com

Lackland AFB —
www.lackland.af.mil

TENTATIVE REUNION SCHEDULE

- Oct 31 Arrival
Meet & Greet at
Hampton Inn (6 pm)
- Nov 1 Breakfast on own
Golf Outing, tours,
or individual outings
- Nov 2 Breakfast on own
Individual outings
Farewell Dinner at
Casa Rio
- Nov 3 Departures
Optional activities

GETTING THERE

Convenient links to help
you as you travel

Ground Transportation:
<http://www.sanantonio.gov/aviation/groundtransportation.asp>

Travel tips:
<http://www.tsa.gov/>

Area Maps:
<http://www.sanantonio.gov/aviation/areamaps.asp>

435th Aerial Port Squadron
2008 Reunion



San Antonio, Texas

RED HOT!

SAN ANTONIO TRIVIA — DID YOU KNOW?

The San Antonio River bubbles out of the ground as pure spring water from an aquifer located at the University of the Incarnate Word, located about 3 miles from the Alamo and River Walk.

Osama Bin Laden's father died in a plane crash just outside San Antonio in the 60's.

St Mark's Episcopal Church was built before the Civil War, and General Robert E. Lee was one of the first members.

YOU CAN HELP GET THE WORD OUT ABOUT THE 2008 435 APS REUNION

We're still hoping to let former Aerial Porters and Transporters know about the 435 APS Reunion Group. If you know how to get in touch with someone who is not on our list, please let us know by contacting:

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