

Augusta Military Academy

Museum Newsletter
-February 2017 -

Upcoming deadlines ...

Early Bird registration discount ends March 10

If you plan to register for the entire weekend of Reunion 2017, get your registration form submitted before March 10 and receive a \$10 discount.

The full weekend price before March 10 is \$165.

After March 10, the price goes up to \$175.

Registration forms are available in The Bayonet or by emailing the office at augustamilitaryacademy@verizon.net.

Legacy Scholarship applications are due March 11

The Legacy Scholarship Program is open for another round this year. The AMA Alumni Foundation will be awarding one scholarship of \$2,000 to a descendant of an AMA cadet.

Scholarship applications are available online at amaalumni.org under the "Scholarship" tab.
The deadline for submissions is March 11. The awards will be presented at Reunion 2017.



History
Under
Construction:

\$28,510 raised to date
The goal:

\$75,000

Support

Online registration available for Reunion 2017

For those who are interested, online registration is available at our website, amaalumni.org. To register online, go to the "Reunion 2017" tab.

Those registering online will be directed to the PayPal for payment after completing the registration form.

Reunion rooms available now at the Holiday Inn

Our host hotel, Holiday Inn Staunton, has rooms available for Reunion 2017. The rate is \$89.95 per night. To make a reservation with this special rate, ask for the "AMA Alumni" room block.

The Holiday Inn Staunton phone number is 540-248-6020.



AMA invited to FMS Parade

All AMA alumni are invited to participate in the Fishburne Military School's Alumni Dress Parade on Saturday morning during Reunion. The Parade is set to start at 11 a.m. at the FMS Drill Field on their campus in Waynesboro. The AMA Alumni Corps will be marching behind the AMA banner

Parking is limited around FMS during alumni weekend, so participants are encourages to carpool and arrive early. In addition, there will be a drill competition at FMS beginning at 10:15 a.m. for those interesting in watching. To sign up or for more information on this event, contact Ed Rogerville '76 at erogerville@hotmail.com.

In the PX ...

the Museum

Make A Donation



The *300* Club

41

donors
enlisted
The goal:
Enlist 300
donors to
pledge \$500
per year for the
next 5 years



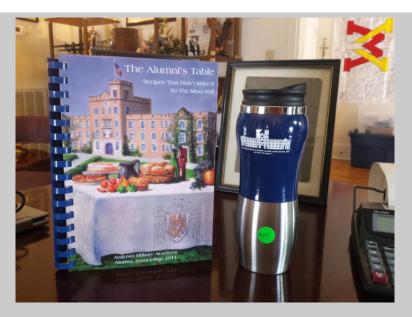
AMA Museum Hours of Operation

Wednesday- Sunday 10 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Volunteer Calendar

The following weekends are open:

• Feb. 25 and 26



ONE WEEK ONLY

For \$10, you will receive a AMA travel mug with the Barracks logo plus "The Alumni's Table: Recipes that Didn't Make it to The Mess Hall."

Clearance sale on fleece

During February, our blue and gray fleece jacket is going on CLEARANCE. But, this is even better than just a regular price reduction, if you buy a fleece jacket for the sale price of \$25 this month, you get a



12-oz. Tervis Tumbler as a bonus gift! Remaining sizes include XL, 2X and 3X.

Email your order to <u>augustamilitaryacademy@verizon.net</u>.

Banner photo

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This photo is of Cadet Edwin Aldrich '39, who later became Capt. Aldrich, the ROTC instructor at AMA. Aldrich's family donated a CD of 57 images of his days at a cadet at AMA.

Thank you

to the folks who have volunteered in January:

- Ed Click '50
- Victor Gomez '69
- Charlie Pascale '69
- Ed Rogerville '76
- Scott Travers '70



Upcoming Events

April 27, 28 and 29, 2017 REUNION



AUGUSTA MILITARY ACADEMY MUSEUM - Fort Defiance, Virginia -

MISSION STATEMENT "To preserve the traditions of the Augusta Military Academy and to honor the memory of the life and times of its alumni, faculty, staff, and supporting families through permanent and temporary exhibits and diligent conservation the museum's collections of artifacts, archives and photographs."

The AMA MUSEUM is operated by the AMA Alumni Foundation, which is a 501(c)3, non-profit organization. The museum is manned by former cadets and faculty members, who volunteer their time and talent. Funding for the museum is totally dependent on tax-exempt financial gifts and donations made by the alumni, former faculty, and friends of Augusta Military Academy, as well as the community and visitors to the museum.

1,120 visitors in 2016 50 visitors in 2017 to date

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