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Taiwan Badges and Certificates

In the last newsletter of 2003, we mentioned that we would ask the Dallas TECO (we meant Houston) to present the 823 Campaign Badge of Honor and/or the US-ROC Mutual Defense Commemorative Badge to our members at the San Antonio Reunion in October 2004. Some of our members have received one, or both, of these badges. There is also a certificate to accompany each of these badges. Those of us who received the 823 Badge of Honor at the El Paso Reunion in 1998 did not get an accompanying certificate. The certificates have only been available for the last couple of years.

With the exception of the 823 Badges that were presented at the El Paso Reunion, all 823 Badges, ROC-US Commemorative Badges and their certificates have been certified and processed by the BOHAUSA (Badge of Honor Association USA) at <BOHAUSA@peoplepc.com>. This organization of Taiwan Veterans does all of the coordination and processing of the requests for badges and certificates with the seven regional TECOs (Taiwan Economic and Cultural Office). They do this for Taiwan vets who have an e-mail address (other than AOL), upon receipt of a \$25 processing fee. Many of our members do not have e-mail, or access to their web page on the Internet <taiwanvets.com>, so have not known about the availability of these badges and certificates.

We have asked the Houston TECO to present the badges and certificates to our members (*who have not previously been issued the badges*) at the San Antonio Reunion. They have agreed to present the two badges; we are not sure about the certificates. (The Taiwan government has just had an election and they expect a new Minister of National Defense to be named. He is the one who signs the certificates and we must apply to the MND, through the TECO, for the new certificates.) Regardless, we need to start collecting the data to determine what is needed for a presentation of the badges to our troops in San Antonio. The office of the Director General of the Houston TECO has agreed that the Director General will make a presentation of the badges on Friday, 8 October 2004. (The present Houston TECO Director General, Edward Feng, is being replaced in June, but his office has committed his replacement to attending our presentation ceremony on 8 October. The specific details will be worked out after Mr. Feng's replacement is in Houston.)

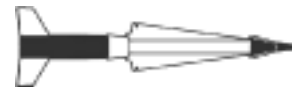
The badges are shown below. If you plan on attending the San Antonio Reunion, please complete the appropriate form at the end of this newsletter. You may also send the same information by e-mail, or by filling out the form on our web page. (See the included form for mail, e-mail, or web page addresses.)



823 Campaign Badge of Honor



US-ROC Mutual Defense Commemorative Badge



San Antonio Reunion

Early Registrations

We have good, but not great, response to our request for reunion pre-registration. Sixty-nine people have sent in their \$45 per person pre-registration fee. Many more of you have indicated in notes, or e-mail, that you plan to attend. The pre-registration gives us a warm feeling of the number who plan on attending the reunion, and gives us enough funds to cover those costs that must be paid in advance of the reunion. It also covers your cost of the Thursday night social and buffet in the hotel. We may post the names of those pre-registering on our 2-71 web page, so that you can see who plans to attend.

Reunion Details

Wednesday (6 October)

Early arrival for Board of Directors. Directors will go to dinner at a local restaurant. Other early arrivals are welcome to join in.

Thursday (7 October)

9:00 – 11:00 a.m. - Board of Directors Meeting
12:00 – 5:00 p.m. - Reunion Registration in the Hospitality Room
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. - Social Hour
7:00 – 9:00 p.m. - Buffet Dinner (registration fee covers this.)

Friday (8 October)

9:00 – 11:00 a.m.- General Membership Business Meeting (Coffee and Danish furnished)
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.- Possible lunch with Houston TECO (details pending)
1:00 – 2:00 p.m. - Houston TECO presentation of ROC badges
5:30 – 10:00 p.m.- Texas Barbeque at the 7A Cattle Ranch outside of San Antonio. The evening includes barbeque dinner, a Western show featuring The Texas Swing Band, a trick roper; six shooter and bull whip performances, and a hayride tour of the ranch.

Saturday (9 October)

9:00a.m. – 5:00 p.m.- Open for sightseeing and visiting.
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. - Social
7:00 – 10:00 p.m. - Reunion Banquet

Sunday (10 October)

8:00 – 10:00 a.m. - Memorial Breakfast in the hotel (Conclusion of Reunion)

Reunion Calendar

A reunion calendar will be on the 2-71 web page for those who access to the Internet. You will be able to keep current on any changes that occur between newsletters.

Hotel Reservations

The reunion hotel is the Four Points Sheraton, San Antonio Riverwalk North, 110 Lexington Avenue, San Antonio, 78205. Our group room rate is \$80.00 per night, plus tax. This group rate is good for the three nights of the reunion, 7, 8, and 9 October 2004, as well as the nights of 6 and 10 October.

To make a reservation, call the **reservation desk at (800) 28-TEXAS**. Ask for the 2nd Missile Bn. group rate. Please make the room reservations as soon as possible, but no later than 6 September, when we must release the unreserved rooms that were pre-booked rooms by the Association. If you have any problems with the reservation, please call Maria Ramos at (210) 277-4046.

If you call later this summer, do not be confused if the hotel name has changed. They expect a name change, but cannot say what it will be at this time. The name change will not affect our reunion contract with the hotel.

Hotel Parking

Parking is available at the hotel. The group daily charge for parking is \$3.00 for self-parking, and \$6.00 for valet parking.

Travel to San Antonio

Air Travel – If you plan to travel by air, the major airlines servicing San Antonio are American, America West, Continental, Delta, Midwest, Northwest, Southwest, and United. The airport is located approximately eight miles, or 15 minutes, from downtown. There is no hotel courtesy bus to the hotel, but cab rates are very reasonable.

Train - Amtrak also has service to San Antonio. **Jim Peoples** plans on traveling on Amtrak from New Jersey to Chicago, and from Chicago to San Antonio. Amtrak has offered a special convention travel rate from 4 to 13 October. See Jim's letter, in this newsletter, for details.

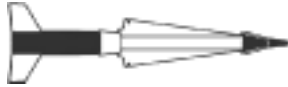
Motor Home – If you plan on driving to San Antonio in your motor home, and need information, contact **Bob Douglas** by telephone at (915) 203-8065, or e-mail at <kaybobeptxl@aol.com>.

Registration Form

The reunion Registration Form is included at the back of this newsletter. Please send in as soon as possible, but not later than 31 August 2004.

ID Photos

We have received 18 ID photos from 1958 that we hope to use on the San Antonio Reunion ID Badges. If you plan to attend the reunion, try and find a circa 1958 photo and send it in to the Association. They will be returned to you at the reunion, if not before.



New Members

Gaughrin, Dan, Glenview, IL (D Btry)
Friese, Donald, Chatsworth, CA (C Btry)
Wood, Joseph, Londonderry, NH (C Btry)

Membership Renewals (Since last newsletter)

Astin, John, Pompano, FL (C Btry)
Boothe, Neal, Balwin, MO (C Btry)
Conniff, T. Mike, Eden Prairie, MN (D & Hq Btry)
Corbin, Ray, Littleton, CO (B & D Btry)
Dean, Jerry, Boyne City, MI (554th Ord)
Duchesne, Joe, Cnr. Ossipee, NH (A Btry)
Gamble, Richard, Battleground, WA (A Btry)
Garcia, Louie, Buena Vista, NM (Hq & D Btry)
Heilman, Robert, Janesville, WI (B Btry)
Lewis, Mrs. Nathaniel, El Paso, TX (B Btry)
Leyder, Don, Mechanicsburg, PA (Hq Btry)
Norby, James, Eleva, WI (B Btry)
O'Neill, Ron, Port Jefferson Station, NY (D Btry)
Olivares, Fidel, Arlington, TX (Hq Btry)
Pierzynski, Ed, Richmond Hill, GA (D Btry)
Rude, Woody, Gold Canyon, AZ (A Btry)
Santak, Bill, Wilmington, DE (B Btry)
Spegele, John, Roanoke, VA (D Btry)
Trupp, Vern, Caldwell, ID (D Btry)
Whitson, Earl, Pampa, TX (D Btry)
Woodin, Don, Metamora, MI (Hq Btry)



In Memoriam

Nathaniel "Nat" Lewis, El Paso, TX (B Btry)
Thomas A Hooks, Thicket, TX (B Btry)

Notes From The Troops

2/4/04

From: **Neal Boothe** (Hq Btry)
Hi; Everyone,

Nancy will be having surgery in the morning. This will be her third surge, for the same problem.

I would appreciate your prayers, for this surgery; will be more serious than the others.

Thank you very much. God bless.
Your friend Neal (Allen)

2/5/04

From: **Nick Hodge** (C Btry)
Bob,

As usual, I enjoyed the newsletter, and can hardly wait until October to see everyone in San Antonio.

I am inclosing my 2-71 Taiwan ID badge. Please guard it with your life. It is one of my most prized possessions.

Did I interpret the reservation form correctly in that the fee is only \$45.00 per member and \$45.00 for spouse? What about other activities? Are any planned as of now, and if so, how much, and should I include such fees with the reservation.

Thanks to you and Lois for all the work you do for the rest of us slugs.

Norris "Nick" Hodge

2/5/04

From: **Jerry Dean** (554th Ord)

Thanks for keeping me onÉ
I hope to make it sometime to reunion.
Jerry

2/4/04

From: **Jim Norby** (B Btry)

Sorry I forgot my dues. I'm sending a little extra for whatever is needed.

Hope to make the reunion in San Antonio in October. We haven't made one yet.

God Bless.
Jim & Nancy Norby

2/10/04

From: **Woody Rude** (A Btry)
Hi Bob,

Thanks for not forgetting about me. I did get your January newsletter. Don't know why this one was forwarded when the previous one was returned. Anyway our address has changed although we still live at the same place. (Battle Lake, MI)

Also we spend winters in Arizona and that is why the phone was temporarily suspended. Too cold in Minnesota for us old folks.

We plan on being in Arizona between October and April.
Address here is: Gold Canyon, AZ

I know that my dues are behind so am sending you a check to help out with expenses. Thanks for all your efforts in keeping the old unit together.

Enjoy reading the newsletters. Does anyone remember **Bobby Austin**? I know he was originally from Texas but haven't heard from him since our Military days.

Thanks again
Marwood (Woody) Rude A Btry

2/13/04

From: **Leon Shank** (178th Ord)

Talked to Willie Harriford. He said that he will be sending dues and will probably attend the reunion. Would like to drive a motor home and maybe have someone to travel with him if he can find other members that are interested.

Lonnie Faison has had a lot of health problems. Does not think he will be able to go to the reunion.

Hope to have more news soon.
Leon

2/9/04

From: **Vern Trupp** (D Btry)

Don't know if health will let me go. Sure wish I could!
Will let you know.
Vern

2/8/04

From: **Bob Heilman**

Bob,
I plan on coming to the reunion if my health holds out.
Bob

2/9/04

From: **Charlie Trost** (Hq Btry)

We had fun in Nashville and know San Antonio will be great.

2/9/04

From: **Mrs. Nat Lewis** (B Btry)

Dear Bob,
I would just like to inform you of the death of my husband, **Nat Lewis**. He passed away August 22, 2003. His death was caused by pneumonia; he was very ill the last five months, in and out of hospital.
Nat wanted me to keep up with the newsletter he enjoyed so much.
I enclose my check and a little more to renew the membership in his name.
Sincerely,
Eva Lewis

2/16/04

From: **Herb Terbille** (B Btry)

Bob,
Sorry to hear about Nat. He was a good man and a good trooper. We worked together in the launcher section.
Herb Terbille

2/16/04

From: **Ray Corbin** (B & D Btry)

Dear Bob and Lois,

Thank you for all the time that you put into keeping the newsletter interesting and informative. I'm sure that the worse part of this, aside from all the time that it takes, is to keep us abreast of those of us who are in poor health, or have passed on and will not be able to join the group at the next reunion.

I know that those of us that are healthy are planning to attend the San Antonio reunion this coming October.

Mimi and Ray

2/5/04

From: **Joe Duchesne** (A Btry)

Please use the balance for whatever is needed.

Thanks for all you do for all of us.

Does anyone know where **Bob O. Gross** from A Battery Launcher Area can be located? His home was in California. I think it was in the LA area.

Hope **Don Sneckenberger and the ladies** make it to the reunion.

2/10/04

From: **Louie Garcia** (Hq & D Btry)

Dear Bob,

Enclosed find my check for the 2004 dues.

I've been caught up in setting up our V.F.W. Post. We started from scratch, bought land, constructed and now are in the final touches of our new building.

Perhaps you and your committee could design a plaque commemorating our time in the island and placing our particular names on it. Then it can be offered to each troop member for the cost plus a donation. I am sure all 2nd - 71st members belong to a respective V.F.W. Post.

Our Post designation is:

OLIVAS-VALDEZ
Veterans of Foreign Wars
Post 1131
Mora, N.M.

Thank you, Bob.

C. Louie Garcia

2/16/04

From: **Rich Croft** (A Btry)

Looking forward to seeing everyone for another great reunion.

2/15/04

From: **Bob Douglas** (B Btry)

Really looking forward to seeing everyone again and another great reunion thanks to Bob and Lois. See you in San Antonio.

2/18/04

From: **Ben Seeley** (B Btry)

Hi Bob,

Here is old photo for ID badge.

Hope all is well with you all.

I am trying to get ready for the reunion. Hope to see you there.

Benjamin Seeley

2/18/04

From: **Fidel Olivares** (Hq Btry)

Dear Mr. Mackintosh,

Here is my ID Card from Taiwan. Would you please send it back to my house please?

I am sorry to say that due to my health, I won't be going to the reunion in San Antonio.

I am also enclosing 3 more pictures from Taiwan. The black soldier that I am with, I forget his name, was an ambulance driver for us.

Hope you all have a great time at the reunion. Say hello to Dr. McGranahan for me.

I am also enclosing a check for my membership plus some extra for the stamps.

Sincerely

Fidel Olivares, Jr.

10/23/04

From: **Diana Lapham (Paul)** (Hq Btry)

Hi Bob

Want to let you know that we are to attend the Reunion-Check is in the envelope but I am still hunting for a picture of Paul to send. He found the badge but it's missing the picture!!! Being the 'pack rat' that I am there's a lot of old boxes stored away to look through.

Give our best to Lois we're looking forward to seeing you both in San Antonio and I will get the Pre-registration to you shortly.

Diana

2/21/04

From: **Tom "Doc" McGranahan** (Hq Btry)

I am currently working with a volunteer clinic for the uninsured. Not in medicine but in the electronic medical records planning.

We can't wait for San Antonio.

2/19/04

From: **Fran Nezelek** (A Btry)

Had a "Fantastic Time" in Nashville 2002. Looking forward to an "Awesome" time in San Antonio 2004.

Fran Nezelek, "A" Battery

2/21/04

From: **Herb Terbill** (B Btry)

Looking forward to the reunion. If all goes well we will see you in San Antonio.

Herb & Janet

2/26/04

From: **Donald E Friese** (C Btry)

Wow, it's great to hear about you all. It's nice someone does this. I will be sending my membership information out this week.

Best Regards,

Don

2/24/04

From: S.B. Davis (C Btry)

Looking forward to seeing everyone again in San Antonio.

Sonny and Betty Davis

2/24/04

From: **Richard Gamble** (A Btry)

Hi, to everyone.

2/26/04

From: **Ray Corbin** (B & D Btry)

The year of our reunion is always exciting as it brings us a lot of information about the area hosting our functions.

What better place than San Antonio with its scenic "Riverwalk" and historic "Alamo"?

We are looking forward to this reunion as being one of the best.

Mimi and Ray

2/28/04

From: **Ken Johnson** (B Btry)

Dear Lois and Bob,

Your newsletters are great. Enjoy them.

Found my ID photo (after much searching) from Taiwan badge.

Enclosed is a check for registration for Helen and myself, plus a little extra for what ever.

Looking forward to the reunion and seeing everyone.

Ken and Helen Johnson

2/28/04

From: **Dan Gaughrin**

I'm not the best communicator in the world, as you know.

Just want you to know how much I appreciate everything you're doing. We are a lucky group of guys.

I have some pictures from "D" Battery you can have if you like.

I'm not sure about San Antonio yet, but (here is) my dues, pictures, and a little for what ever.

Thanks,

Dan

3/3/04

From: **Ed Pierzynski** (D Btry)

My wife Darlynn and I are looking forward to the reunion.

P.S. I want to thank all the members of the 71st and Congressman Jack Kingston. I finally received my Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

Thanks,
Ed Pierzynski

2/28/04

From: **Jim Telford** (A Btry)

Looking forward to seeing you all at the San Antonio reunion.

3/8/04

From: **Howard Brelje** (D Btry)

Dear Bob and Lois,

I always enjoy the newsletter. Minn. is cold in winter so have time for newsletter.

I'm having some trouble with asthma and emphysema but dealing with it.

I'm sorry I will not be able to come to San Antonio Reunion.

Thanks for all the good work you do.

Howard Brelje

3/19/04

From: **Don O'Neill**

Nancy and I are looking forward to the next reunion in San Antonio.

Ronald O'Neill



Extract from 1959 After Action Report

CHRONOLOGICAL LIST OF EVENTS LEADING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NIKE BATTALION ON TAIWAN

27 August 58:

Department of Army advised Chief MAAG that a Nike Hercules Battalion stationed at Fort Bliss would be at a U.S. Port about 23 September 1958. The unit, manned by U.S. personnel, to be progressively turned over to the CHINATS. Site selection, radar survey and site preparation to commence immediately.

28 August 58:

Chief MAAG was advised that the Nike Battalion will be self-sufficient in mission equipment and will be emplaced in a field type installation

29 August 58:

- Chief MAAG was advised by DA that the 178th Ordnance Det with 66 military personnel will accompany Nike Battalion.
- Numerical designation of Nike Battalion -2d Bn, 71st Artillery.
- Deadline date - 25 October 58 - established as date battalion must be operational.

30 August 58:

- Chief MAAG asked for an advance party, Nike publications, and Engineer specifications to assist in site selection and layout.
- Nike Battalion will be augmented by the 1st Signal Detachment

(1 WO, 16 EM) and 31st Engineer Detachment (Field Maint (AD)O having a strength of 1 WO and 18 EM.

31 August 58:

Chief MAAG advised CINCUSARPAC that MAAG is completely lacking in field equipment and requested a unit medical detachment and one US Engineer construction Company.

2 September 58:

Chief MAAG sent our G4 engineer representative, Major Barke, to Okinawa to inspect permanent type Nike site and obtain available drawings.

3 September 58:

a. Arrangements made with MND to obtain land to be selected for Nike sites.

b. Survey completed by MAAG to determine material held by Chinese available for use by Engineer Construction Company.

c. Chief MAAG advised CINCUSARPAC of air defense priorities to be used as a basis for site selection.

5 September 58:

a. Site selection team arrived.

b. DA message with info to MAAG announces the Nike Battalion with support elements will number 795 troops. Supplies, including T/O&E, missiles and 120 day supply of parts is estimated at 18,800 tons. Troops to load at Seattle on 23 September. Three ships scheduled to arrive Taiwan, 3, 5 and 6 October. (Later changed to 6, 8, and 10 October).

6 September 58:

a. Chief MAAG is designated Taiwan Army Commander. Nike unit to be under U.S. Army Command. Action requested of DA to place the Nike unit in the Army MAP program and for funds for administrative and logistical support.

b. Chief MAAG sent an Operational Immediate supply requisition to USARPAC for post , camp and station items. These items were urgently required to provide accommodations for the Nike Battalion and support elements.

10 September 58:

Chief MAAG informed USARPAC that the Chinese Government has promised to make land areas available as required without delay.

11 September 58:

a. OKED assumed responsibility for complete engineering and construction support. Funding problems still not resolved. Money is required to provide operational facilities in first phase and administrative and logistical support in second phase of construction.

b. Company "C", 809th Engineers alerted to supervise construction of "B" and "C" sites.

c. Signal personnel and equipment requirements to establish command control and intelligence circuits for Nike Battalion forwarded to DA by Chief MAAG.

d. Site selection completed, land surveys under way. Contractor (Vinnell) to construct sites "A" and "D".

12 September 58:

a. Construction started at Battery Sites.

Btry A & D - Vinnell Corp

Btry B & C - GRC Engr. Troops

b. Action taken for the prefabrication of 40 steel prefab buildings for use as semi-permanent housing on Nike sites.

16 September 58:

a. Increased requirements for local for air transportation prompted a request to CINCPAC for one L-23D, three L-20s and one H190.

b. DA provided obligation authority for 1 million to cover initial construction costs for Nike sites.

c. Action taken to drill wells at Btry "D" sites, Bn Hq site and Btry B site.

17 September 58:

Action taken to provide 15 tent frames, 16' x 32', at Linkou for Co "C", 809th Engr Bn.

19 September 58:

Action taken to provide for installation of water distribution, piping and overhead water tower and construction of one infiltration gallery, pump station and flow line from pump to treatment plant, at Bn Hq.

20 September 58:

a. Company "C", 809th Engr Construction Bn. Arrived on Taiwan and immediately started supervision of Chinese Construction troops on B & C sites.

b. Chief MAAG received an information copy of e message prepared by CINCUSARPAC and forwarded to DA which related to a message prepared by Col Vaughn, DA representative, while he was in Taipei. Many requirements for Nike support, both operational and administrative in nature, were recommended for disapproval action.

c. Action taken for the renovation of existing facilities Bn Hq area.

24 September 58:

a. Chief MAAG in a message to USARPAC reaffirmed the stand taken for support personnel. It was stated that such items as a Laundry Detachment, Bath Detachment, Refrigeration Detachment are absolutely necessary here on Taiwan in the areas where the Nike Battalion will be operating.

b. Action taken for the construction of temporary tent cities at sites A, B, C & D (total of 80 tents).

c. Action taken to supply three phase primary power and to supply secondary power to pump motors, Bn Hq area.

26 September 58:

Action taken for the reconstruction of one 3.3KV line and other electrical distribution lines, Bn Hq.

30 September 58

a. Action taken for the fabrication and erection of 100 tent frames, 16' x 32', and 6 latrine wood boxes for 90 man gun battery.

b. Action taken for hauling and spreading gravel, Bn Hq area for temporary hardstands.

c. Action taken for fabrication of 20 aluminum buildings for VHF sites.

3 October 58:

Action to provide additional facilities at Bn Hq.

1. Widening access road.
2. Installation of security wire for PX etc.
3. Bins and racks in warehouse.
4. Blackout all windows and doors in operational building.
5. Remove concrete beam over entrance to Bn Hq area.

4 October 58:

Due to isolated locations selected for Nike launching sites and the meager road net to the sites, an urgent requirement exists for a total of four helicopters (H19-C) to provide liaison and freight carrying ability between the Nike Bn area and the launching sites. CINCUSARPAC advised.

7 October 58:

The first of three ships carrying Nike equipment was unloaded at Keelung.

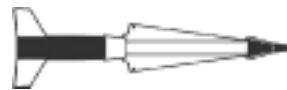
8 October 58:

The Gen Breckenridge with Nike troops and equipment docked at Keelung. Troops and cargo were transported to the Battalion Headquarters Area. The movement from Keelung utilized over 100 trucks operated by a Chinese Army truck company. The support

furnished by MND in areas of traffic control, stevedoring service, supply of material handling equipment and overall cooperation was outstanding.

10 October 58:

The third ship carrying Nike cargo docked at Keelung and was unloaded.



2nd Missile Bn, 71st Artillery (Taiwan)

Association Officers:

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| President/Treasurer | Bob Mackintosh |
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| Board Member | Sam Grant |



2004 Reunion Help

I would like to help with the next reunion. Please send me the necessary personal information to contact our membership. I would like to contact:

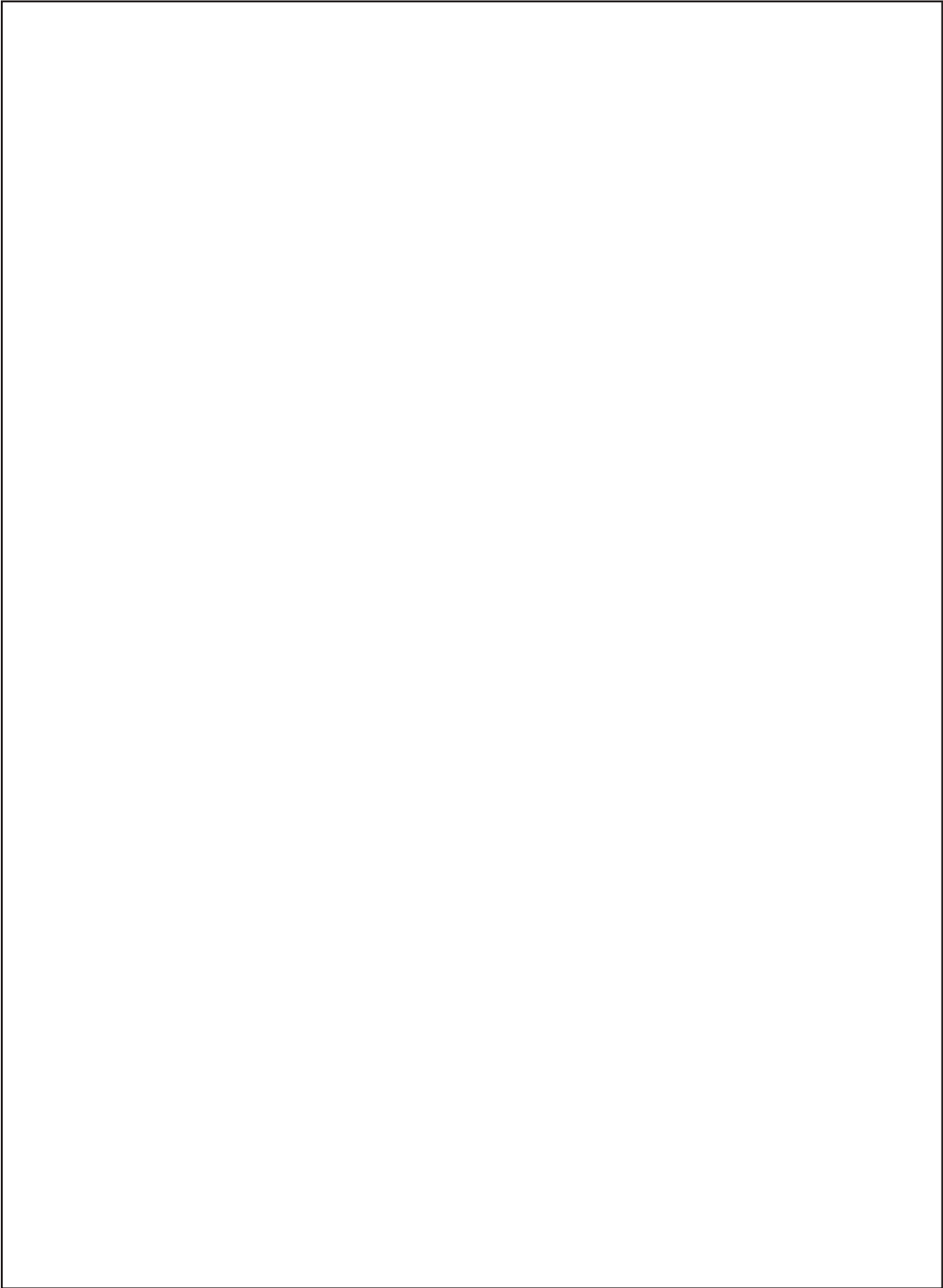
number _____
from _____ (unit)
by e-mail _____, letter _____, telephone _____

Name: _____ Unit _____
Address (If changed recently): _____
E-mail address : _____
Telephone Number: _____



2-71 Web Page

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2-71 Reunion Registration

Member Name _____
Spouse and Guest Names _____
Mailing Address _____
Tel. No. (with area code) _____ E-mail address _____

Registration Fee is \$45 per person (For those who have not pre-paid)
Includes 7 October social & buffet, and miscellaneous reunion costs.
_____ (number of persons) x \$45 per person; unless you pre-paid \$_____

Assn. Membership Fee for 2004 is \$15 per member (do not include guests)
2004 membership fee (if applicable, Check newsletter mailing address label) \$_____

Reunion Activities (Optional)

Thursday, October 7, 2004 - Reception & Buffet 6:00pm
_____ (number of persons) \$___N/C___

Friday, October 8, 2004 – Ranch Tour & Barbeque 5:30pm
_____ (number of persons) x \$44 per person = \$_____

Saturday, October 9, 2004 – Social and Banquet 6:00pm
_____ (number of persons) x \$30 per person = \$_____

Sunday, October 10, 2004 - Memorial Breakfast 8:30am
Sit down breakfast and memorial service for our departed troops
_____ (number of persons) x \$12 per person = \$_____

Grand Total Registration and Function Tickets: \$_____

(Tickets will be included in registration packet at the Hotel.)

Mail Full Payment {Check or Money Order Payable to: 2-71 Artillery (Taiwan) Assn.} with completed form to:

**2-71 Artillery (Taiwan) Association
c/o Robert H. Mackintosh, 271 Shady Oak Drive, New Market, AL 35761**

Cancellation s for meals and tour will be refunded if notification is received by 16 September 2004

Membership Survey *for 2004 Reunion Attendees*

Regarding the
ROC 823 Campaign Badge of Honor
and the
US-ROC Mutual Defense Commemorative Badge

Name (First, Middle Initial, Last): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Taiwan Unit: 2-71Missile Bn (Hqs ____,A ____, B ____, C ____, D,____);

178th Ord Det. ____; 1st Sig Maint. Det. ____, 31st Engr Det ____,

554th Ord Co. ____; Signal Augmentation Group ____

I have the ROC 823 Campaign Badge of Honor. Yes ____, No ____

I have the ROC 823 Campaign Badge of Honor *Certificate*. Yes ____, No ____

I have the US-ROC Mutual Defense Commemorative Badge. Yes ____, No ____

I have the US-ROC Mutual Defense Commemorative Badge *Certificate*. Yes ____, No ____

I plan on attending the Reunion in San Antonio 7-10 October 2004. Yes ____, No ____

I would like the Houston TECO to present to me the badges/certificates I do not have at the San Antonio Reunion. Yes ____, No ____

Signature: _____ Date _____

Mail To:

2nd Missile Bn, 71st Artillery (Taiwan) Assn.

271 Shady Oak Drive

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