

# UNC NROTC Alumni Association Fall 2017 Events Scheduled



**Registration Deadlines Approaching  
we need your mouse clicks!**

**Annual Meeting and Reunion 6-7 October 2017  
Hotel Block Rooms Reservation Deadline extended  
though this Sunday at midnight, 17 Sept 2017**

**DoubleTree Suites Raleigh-Durham  
2515 Meridian Parkway  
Durham, North Carolina 27713**

- 11 rooms remain set aside in our block through Sunday Midnight
- Hotel otherwise sold out for that weekend - those rooms will sell out immediately once released
- Great \$99.00 rate!



**Recommend reserve your room right away.**

[Reserve room in Host Hotel Block](#)

**Annual Meeting and Reunion Event Registration  
Deadline is Friday 29 September 2017**

[Register for Annual Meeting, President's Reception, BBQ and Game Watching party](#)

**Schedule of Events**

**Friday, Oct. 6 (7:00pm)**



**President's Reception ,  
Doubletree by Hilton, open to  
alumni and family / guests, Unit  
Staff and First Class  
Midshipmen. (Refreshments  
including alcohol served, fee  
applies.**

**Saturday, Oct. 7**

**Game time - 4 hours**

**Annual Meeting of the UNC NROTC Alumni Association ; all  
NROTC alumni, family and friends welcome to attend (paid  
membership required to participate in elections).**

- **Update from NROTC Unit and Midshipman Battalion Leadership**
- **Presentation of Midshipman Scholarships**
- **Presentation of Awards**
- **Election of Directors for 2018-19 term**

**Barbecue Lunch (Game time - 2 hours)**

- **Join fellow alumni, NROTC Unit Battalion of Midshipmen and  
NROTC Unit Staff,; alumni, family and friends welcome (fee  
applies)**

**UNC vs. Notre Dame Football Watch Party (Game time)**

- **Don't have game tickets? Join us for our watch party at the  
Naval Armory Drill Deck (fee included in cost of BBQ ticket)**

**Alumni Panel Discussion - Back by Popular Demand!**

**Thursday, 26 October 2017, 1300-2000**



The UNC NROTC Alumni Association has been invited to join the Midshipman Battalion on Thursday, 26 October 2017 at 1300, during the regularly scheduled Midshipman Drill period, to participate in a panel discussion. This is an interactive event with alumni sharing stories and experiences while responding to questions from the audience of Midshipmen and Staff. All alumni are welcome to participate from the "panel table" or the floor alongside the Midshipmen.

Following the Lab session, we will adjourn to a social/dinner venue nearby where the interaction with the Midshipmen can continue.

**An event email will follow this notice separately. Please register using the links in that event email for further details, which will be published in the near future.**

**World War II Lecture Series starts in two weeks;  
Thursday 28 September 2017, Alumni Invited!**

Who: All UNC NROTC Alumni  
What: WWII Lecture series

Where: Nava Armory, UNC, Chapel Hill

When: 1700, Thursday 28 September for Seminar 1

Why: Support the Professional Education and Development of the Midshipmen

The **UNC NROTC Alumni Association** is excited to announce an **8 part seminar series facilitated by our own CDR Rob Rivers**, USN (Ret), Class of 1973. This series, coupled with our Alumni Panels, is the first installation of what the Alumni Association hopes is a continuing partnership with the Navy ROTC Staff to provide professional education and development to the Midshipmen. CDR Rivers' seminars will focus on World War II in the Pacific. The seminars are entitled:

- Seminar 1 - The Road to War in the Pacific (28 Sept 2017, 1700)
- Seminar 2 - Midway: The Tide Turns
- Seminar 3 - The Campaign for Guadalcanal: America on the Attack
- Seminar 4 - The Solomon Islands Campaign: The Navy/Marine Corp Team Comes of Age
- Seminar 5- Tarawa: The Real Birth of Modern Amphibious Warfare
- Seminar 6 - The Battle of the Philippine Sea: Japan's Huge Blunder
- Seminar 7 - The Battle Off Samar Island: The United States Navy's Greatest Day
- Seminar 8 - The Final Months and Lessons Learned

The first seminar is scheduled for Thursday 28 September 2017 at 1700. If the schedule allows, three additional seminars will be scheduled for this semester, and the remaining four in the Spring semester.

CDR Rivers will delve into the historic events as well as the political and military leadership exercised throughout the war. It promises to be a fascinating series.

All UNC NROTC Alumni are invited to attend the lectures. The seminars will be held 1700 at the Naval Armory on Campus. A pizza dinner will be served concurrently with the lectures. The seminars are free, however advance registration is required to assure enough seats are available; donations to the pizza fund most welcome.

If you would like to attend some or all of the series, an event email will follow this email shortly with a click feature to register to be included in subsequent schedule information.

Interested alumni may donate to the pizza fund by sending contributions directly to the Department of Naval Science using the link to the right. A donation in any amount is greatly appreciated, and a \$200.00 donation will sponsor food for an entire lecture.

Select "**Naval Sciences (NROTC) (101487)**" from the "Search all available funds" block on the link to make sure your contribution gets to the right place.

Sponsor pizza for the lecture series: donate to the Department of Naval Science

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