



USS Piper (SS409)

PIPER REPORT

April 2024



Dear Shipmates:

ATTENTION ON DECK!

PIPER REUNION ONLY A FEW MONTHS AWAY

See links below to the convention information and hotel , and it will give you a handle on what more, if any events, you may be interested in.

[USSVI National Convention 2024 \(subvetconvention.org\)](http://subvetconvention.org)

[2024 USSVI National Convention \(hilton.com\)](http://hilton.com)

Our last visit to Cleveland for a reunion was an awesome success. This may be our last reunion, so if you can possibly attend, please consider joining us.

[USS COD HOMEPAGE](#)

Tentatively, we will have our reunion Dinner or Luncheon on Thursday. I have a room for 12 on hold, but based on your responses to this, I can change to a larger room or go out of hotel to a restaurant we all agree on.

Please make an effort to attend. We (I) never know when the final Piper Reunion may be held. I am hoping that with success in Cleveland, I would plan the next Piper Reunion at Groton Base. In 2025. Yes! I'm an optimist. 😊

SO PLEASE SEND ME AN E-MAIL to Piper_409@yahoo.com

(That is not a space! It's an underscore Piper_409 etc)

and let me know if you can make it, even if it's just a maybe at this time. etc.

But if you cannot make it, and we totally understand, please send your regret , so that Hubbard and I know you still get this report.



ALL REMAINING PIPER MEMORABILIA WILL BE AVAILABLE IN CLEVELAND AND CONVENTION ATTENDEES WILL BE GIVEN HUGE DISCOUNTS SO BRING A FEW EXTRA DOLLARS TO HELP THE PIPER ASSOCIATION TREASURY SO WE CAN PLAN FOR THE FUTURE



Photos are deceiving. They are both same size, of course, but my photo program didn't cooperate. This is a really high quality, heavy 2" piece. The Piper Association will cover the postage, and I will send them out promptly. The cost is \$14.00 each.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Please ship _____ Piper Coins at \$14.00. I have enclosed a check made out the USS Piper Association

Send to: Frank Whitty 269 Plymouth St. Middleboro, MA 02346-1213

Please send deceased member notices and any updates of contact information to:

Mike Hubbard 6184 Jeb Stuart Hgwy. Meadows of Dan, VA 24120

It would be really helpful to know in advance how many of you may be attending the Cleveland Reunion. Our membership number is dwindling, but we are committed to keep our get-togethers going as long as a handful of members are able to attend. I am full of gratitude for the wonderful times we've had together over the years, and mourn the passing of so many wonderful shipmates gone on eternal patrol. May they rest in peace knowing they were a part of one of the most exclusive branches of the U.S. Military, our beloved Silent Service.

Regards,

Frank

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