

# 2010 Family Reunion Newsletter

# Delfosse Reunion Newsletter

***It's Countdown Time!!***



***Delfosse Family – come on down!*** We have 6 weeks to go for our 2010 Family Reunion and it's great to see how many of you have already registered for the reunion.

We're getting very excited about the whole event and everything is coming together very nicely. We can't wait for you to get here so you can share in the fun and excitement. We think you'll really enjoy yourselves in San Diego.

With 7½ weeks to go, we really need your attention to several important items. As mentioned before, we have received some registration forms and payments but not all of you have responded even though you've indicated that you'll be attending the event.

**At this point, we need to hear from everyone that will be attending the event (and please disregard this note if you have already responded.)** We have to solidify contracts indicating the number of attendees for dinner, transportation, etc. so we really need you to respond immediately.

There are many associated costs to put on an event like this over a four day period. Your Registration costs includes the cost to design, purchase and print t-shirts, costs for the transportation, rental of electronic equipment & mikes for the events, decoration for the event, DJ costs, printing, postage, supplies etc. and all other costs.

So, the time is drawing near and we really need to finalize payments to the hotel and dance venue etc. Please send in your Registration forms if you haven't already done so as well as the costs for the events as soon as possible. As a reminder, the cost for each event is listed on page 2.

Please send your forms to:

**Lloyd Delfosse**  
**15883 Eagle Road**  
**Fontana, CA 92337**  
**(909) 900-3398 (cell)**  
**(909) 452-8680 (home)**

## ***Important Hotel Information:***

***June 7th*** is fast approaching; that is the deadline to get the negotiated rate of \$135 per night. Regular summer rates at the same and surrounding hotels of equal value starts at \$185 per night.

Due to financial obligations, we need as many people as possible to stay at the hotel. Please contact the Courtyard by Marriott at Liberty Station as soon as possible, use ***"Delfosse Family Reunion"*** as the code to receive the special rate. Contact:

***Courtyard by Marriott - Liberty Station***  
***2592 Laning Road***  
***San Diego, CA 92106***  
***(619) 221-1900 or 800 321-2211***



Check out our 2010 family reunion t-shirt design. Every family member will receive their own t-shirt with their Registration costs. As per our annual tradition, don't forget to wear your t-shirt to the Family Picnic on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup>.

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## Reunion Schedule:

Date	Day	Activity
7/7	Wed.	Family Arrives, Check into hotel
7/7	Wed.	6:00 pm - Opening Night Event
7/8	Thur.	Tour of San Diego
7/9	Fri.	Choice of Golf, Casino, Beach, Shopping or time on your own.
7/9	Fri.	Dinner dance
7/10	Sat.	Family Picnic
7/11	Sun.	Check out & Travel

## TRANSPORTATION:

Reminder: The hotel provides a free shuttle to and from the airport; once you are here, we'll take care of the rest. If you require special transportation needs, please let us know ASAP.

Thank you.

## What to bring:

- A sweater for evening (in case we have a cool California evening)
- Suntan lotion/protection, hat or visor, swimsuit
- Your golf clubs if you're serious, toys for the kids
- Energy – lots of it!!

## Event Costs:

### Registration Costs:

- Adults - \$45.00
- Children - \$35.00
- Under 5 - \$25.00

### Opening Night:

- Adults - \$35.00
- Children (10 & under) - \$25.00

### Picnic:

- Adults - \$10.00
- Children (10 & under) - \$6.00

### Dinner/Dance:

- Adults - \$45.00
- Children (10 & under) - \$35.00

(We modified the child age range /cost for the events to coincide with hotel/venue requirements.)

## Family News:

- A big Birthday wish goes out to our very own **Roy Myers** who recently celebrated his 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday last month. Roy and his wife Mary lives in Canada, they've attended every one of the family reunions. Happy Birthday to you Roy, and congratulations on this significant achievement.

- Congratulations to **Ms. Rayesha Veronica Pruitt**, daughter of Raymond & Shaleen Pruitt, who graduated with honors from Clark Atlanta University on May 17<sup>th</sup> 2010. You might recall, back at our Family Reunion in Florida, we announced her going off to school. Wow, time flies, she's already graduated! Along with all the finances that Mom & Dad paid out, the family support helped, it turned out a honor student at that! In talking to Rayesha, she indicated that she will be prepping to take her LSATS to get into law school. (Mom & Dad, don't close your checkbooks too soon). Congrats to our grown up little princess, Ms. Rayesha Veronica Pruitt.

- We also have some sad news to share. 98 Year old **Ivy De Pass**, Mother of Ernest De Pass Sr., passed away on May 16<sup>th</sup>. Ernest is the husband of Hazel De Pass, eldest daughter of Clifton & Labelle Delfosse. Ivy's grandchildren include Angela, Ernest Jr., Monica and Rosemarie. After living in New York for many years, she moved to Southern California to be closer to family. We remember the family frequenting New York to visit her. Our prayers and condolences go out to our Diamond Bar family. She will truly be missed.

## What we're working on?

We've been working on some local fund raising events to raise funds towards reducing the cost of the event for everyone. We have a garage sale planned for Saturday & Sunday, June 5 & 6. We'll be sure to let you know how it turns out.

## Tour of San Diego:

We plan on taking you on a tour of San Diego on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of the family reunion. I know some of you like doing your own thing but part of the fun in attending the reunion is spending time together. We have a great tour planned to include Old Town, Balboa Park and Seaport Village, home of the Midway Museum. These are all significant and well known locations in San Diego. Balboa Park is the nation's largest urban cultural park and is home to the San Diego Zoo as well as 15 major museums and renowned performing arts venues! The USS Midway Museum is an unforgettable adventure. Relive nearly 50 years of world history aboard the longest-serving Navy aircraft carrier of the 20th century. It has 60 exhibits with a collection of 25 restored aircrafts on board. Then get a taste of old San Diego with a trip to Old Town; great for picking up a few souvenirs to take home. You can visit Old Town at <http://www.oldtownsandiegoguide.com/events.html>.

## Please Note:

1. Unfortunately we included an old Registration form with the last newsletter. We have attached the newest form to this newsletter; it's also posted on our website at [www.delfossefamily.com](http://www.delfossefamily.com). 2. If you decide to use PayPal to pay/charge your family reunion event fees, please note that PayPal charges us approximately 3% of the overall costs. Please be sure to calculate this amount and include it with your PayPal charge. Please contact us if you have questions. Thank you.

## Again, it's count down time:

If you have any questions, please give us a call:

**Lloyd Delfosse (909) 900-3398**  
**Shaleen Pruitt (760) 522-4848**  
**Peta-Gaye (213) 798-8191**

# DELFOSSSE FAMILY REUNION-2010

## REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Costs: Adults - \$45.00

Attending: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Children 6-12 - \$35.00

# of Family Members Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Children 5 & under - \$20.00

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

List Names of Additional Family Members Attending:

Name	Relationship	Age	Tee Shirt Size

Adult Tee Shirt Sizes: M L XL XXL Children Sizes: 2-4 6-8 10-12

How Related: (For announcement purposes)

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Mail Completed Form to: Lloyd Delfosse 15883 Eagle Road, Fontana, CA 92337