

2023 Gathering of 23rd TFS Fighting Hawks

September 19 and 20th outside of Philadelphia. The current schedule is:

- 19 Sep
 - Morning till early afternoon – On your own or come on by and lend a hand in the BBQ preparations!
 - BBQ and festivities at the PermDog farm – 458 Dilworth Road, Downingtown, PA 19335 – From the afternoon, until the last bottle is dry! Planning on German theme since that is where we did our best work!
 - Note: In the event of rain – the farm has very large barn that can accommodate a lot of guest, we'll have to clean it up and dress it up abit, but it will be good for the occasion.
- 20 Sep
 - Morning – Afternoon:
 - Golf outing at the Honeybrook Golf Course located in Honeybrook, PA – Very nice, “open” course.
 - Self Guided Tours – There is a great deal of history around and in Philly, from Valley Forge National park to Downtown Philly with Independence Hall, the Constitution Center, the Liberty Bell, the Museum of the American Revolution and a whole lot more. Note: Guided tours of Independence Hall are tough to get, so we will be firming those up and will check to see if we can get reservations for the day.
 - Travel to downtown is easy, there is light rail, not fast, a lot of stops, but essentially stress free. Look up SEPTA R5, it comes out to Downingtown, along with other convenient stops and goes to center city. Look at the Independence Pass, that will give you travel on the SEPTA (all routes) and the bus routes. There are bus tours to be found in Center City – and of course, the Rocky statue at the foot of the Art Museum.
 - Around the farm there is Valley Forge, Hopewell Furnace (A fully restored colonial iron furnace that produced cannon balls and cannon for the Revolutionary War). Plenty of parks for hiking, sightseeing, kayaking, canoeing (you can rent).
 - 20 Sep – Evening: A dinner to be held at the Victory Brewery located in Downingtown, a wide and really good selection of beers and foods, with a separate dining room for groups such as ourselves.
- As things progress, I am sure there will be additions and changes and I will keep folks updated. Miro Jencik who lives not to far away in NJ, the impetus for this reunion idea and others will be jumping in for the planning and execution.
- If there is a lot of interest for any single item on the list of potentials, then the planning committee will look into arranging something more organized.

If you are planning on attending, please email to: dperme@gmail.com with your name, callsign and how many are attending. Thanks!

Looking forward to a great time!