

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Dinner

Honoring History, Sharing Community

Join Us for the Pearl Harbor Remembrance Dinner

On a quiet Sunday morning, 7 December 1941, the world changed forever with the attack on Pearl Harbor. Lives were lost, stories were forged in bravery and tragedy, and a nation was united in resolve. Every year, we gather to honour those memories, to reflect on the lessons of history, and to celebrate the enduring spirit of community. This year, we invite you to join us for an evening that blends remembrance with fellowship—a Pearl Harbor Remembrance Dinner dedicated to all generations.

Event Details

- **Date:** Sunday, 7 December 2025
- **Time:** 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM
- **Cash Bar** from 6.00 PM
- **Venue:** Country Club of Fairfax, Ox Road, Fairfax
- **Dress Code:** Black Tie, Mess Dress

Programme Highlights

- **Welcoming Address:** Commander of the National Capital Commandery
- **Keynote Speech:** Rear Admiral Samuel J Cox, USN (Ret), Director Naval History and Heritage Command.

Dinner Entrees Choices:

- 6.0z Filet Mignon
- Pan-seared Halibut
- Egg Plant Parmesan

Why Attend?

- **Honour the past:** Pay tribute to those who served, remember those who sacrificed, and renew the promise never to forget.
- **Share stories:** Connect with veterans, families, and local citizens
- **Enjoy** an evening that brings together people, united by respect and gratitude.

Tickets & Reservations

- Tickets can be bought using the buttons below.

Due to a generous act of sponsorship, tickets are now \$100 each.



PEARL HARBOR:

By the Numbers

"December 7, 1941 - a date which will live in infamy - the United States of America was suddenly and deliberately attacked by naval and air forces of the Empire of Japan....Always will we remember the character of the onslaught against us. No matter how long it may take us to overcome this premeditated invasion, the American people in their righteous might will win through to absolute victory."

- President Franklin D. Roosevelt, in his speech delivered to Congress Dec. 8, 1941

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Number of
U.S. Navy
Medal of
Honor
Recipients



51

Number of
Navy Cross
Recipients



* Note: U.S. Jackson C. Pharris' Navy Cross was later upgraded to a Medal of Honor June 25, 1948

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Number of
Total-Loss
U.S. Navy
Ships



USS Arizona (BB-39)



USS Oklahoma (BB-37)



USS Utah (AG-16)

2,008

Number of U.S. Navy
Personnel Killed in Action

218

Number of U.S. Army
Personnel Killed in Action

109

Number of U.S. Marines
Killed in Action

68

Number of Civilian
Casualties

18

Number of
U.S. Navy
Ships
Repaired
and
Returned
to Service

Ships Sunk, Raised, and Repaired:

- USS California (BB-44)
- USS West Virginia (BB-48)
- USS Ogata (CM-4)
- USS Sotoyama (YT-9)
- Floating Drydock YFD-2

Ships Damaged and Repaired/Rebuilt:

- USS Maryland (BB-46)
- USS Nevada (BB-36)
- USS Tennessee (BB-43)
- USS Pennsylvania (BB-38)
- USS Cassin (DD-372)
- USS Downes (DD-375)
- USS Shaw (DD-373)
- USS Helm (DD-389)
- USS Helena (CL-50)
- USS Honolulu (CL-40)
- USS Raleigh (CL-7)
- USS Curtiss (AV-4)
- USS Vestal (AR-4)

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Number of U.S.
Navy Ships
Sunk, Raised,
Repaired...and
Present at Tokyo
Bay During
Japan's Formal
Surrender
Sept. 2, 1945



USS West Virginia (BB-48)

Approaching drydock at Pearl Harbor Navy Yard
June 8, 1942, just over six months after she was sunk in
the Japanese air raid on Pearl Harbor.

Watch it on YouTube



Visit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xZ1mzZuZl>
(some sensitive) for an overview of the attack on Pearl Harbor

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