



USS Hornet Museum ★ PO Box 460 ★ 707 W Hornet Ave. ★ Alameda, CA 94501

Welcome aboard the aircraft carrier USS *Hornet*, the West Coast's most premier group destination! We invite you to explore this unique historical venue. A *Registered National Historic Landmark*, the aircraft carrier *Hornet* participated in two of history's most significant events: World War II and the recovery of the Apollo 11 and Apollo 12 manned lunar missions. Imagine walking in the footsteps of the first men on the Moon!

Following a brief Orientation, visitors are free to explore the many passageways, compartments, and decks of this famous ship. The USS Hornet Sea, Air & Space Museum is sure to provide an unforgettable experience for your group:

- Climb to the Navigation Bridge and stand at the helm where captains bravely commanded this 900-foot-long, 41,600-ton ship.
- Stand on the Flight Deck and sense the thrill of aircraft being launched and recovered.
- Take a close look at vintage aircraft including a TBM Avenger, F-8 Crusader, S-2 Tracker, F-14 Tomcat and an authentic Apollo test Capsule and a Mobile Quarantine Trailer where astronauts would have spent two weeks awaiting the potential effects of Moon germs.
- Sit in one of the pilot's chairs in their Ready Room and imagine receiving your mission briefing before being launched off the Flight Deck on one of our two catapults.
- Walk through Officers' Quarters, Crew's Deck, Medical Spaces, and other areas imagining what life was like on a floating city.
- Meet veterans and hear their personal experiences.

Permanently anchored at the former Naval Air Station in Alameda, the ship is open daily from 10 AM until 5 PM. **Group rates are available with advance reservations for 15 or more people: \$12.50 per adult, \$10.50 per senior/military/student, and \$6.50 per youth ages 5-17. Additional discounts or coupons on admission cannot be applied to Group Tours.** There is ample free parking for automobiles and tour buses. Lunch options are also available for groups.

USS *Hornet* is a ship that affected the course of history. Chart your group's course to Alameda today!

For reservations or additional information about the USS Hornet Museum and its exceptional programs, please call us at (510) 521-8448 x224, or visit our website at: www.uss-hornet.org.

See you aboard!

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USS HORNET GROUP RESERVATION FORM

Please complete this form and email to <mailto:edu@uss-hornet.org>, or mail to:
USS Hornet Museum / Education Dept./ PO Box 460 / Alameda, CA 94501

Name of Group: _____ Daytime Phone: _____

Contact Name: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Address: _____ Fax Number: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Date of Visit: _____ Arrival Time: 1st choice _____ 2nd choice _____ 3rd choice _____

Number in Group: Adults _____ Seniors (65+) _____ Military & Students (w/ID) _____ Youth (ages 5-18) _____

NO CHARGE: Children (ages 4 and under) _____ Group Leader & Bus Drivers _____

Lunch in the Officers' Mess: (optional)

Pre-payment for lunches is due no later than one week prior to your scheduled visit. Refunds cannot be honored if you cancel within one week of your visit.

For groups of 15 or more: BOX LUNCH @ \$8.50 each. Please indicate quantities below:

Turkey _____ Ham _____ Roast Beef _____ Pastrami _____ Tuna _____ Other _____

For groups of 25 or more: HOT LUNCH @ \$12.00 each. Total meals required: _____ Entrée choice _____

How did you first hear about the USS Hornet Sea, Air & Space Museum?

Museum flyer website newspaper article another group friend other _____

VISITOR GUIDELINES

- The USS Hornet Sea, Air & Space Museum is open from 10 AM-5 PM daily. For the best experience, schedule your arrival no later than 1:00pm and plan on spending two to three hours aboard.
- **Tours are mainly self-guided**, though docent tours are offered throughout the day from Orientation to spaces such as Navigation and Bridge, Engine Room, and the Brig. (Note: Engine Room is limited those at least 4 feet tall.)
- Hornet requires a minimum ratio of 1 adult for every 8 children, and recommends 1 for every 4.
- Ample free parking is available at the head of the pier across from the ship.
- For more information, please visit our website at www.uss-hornet.org.

PAYMENT

- **Group Rates*** (15 or more people): Adults \$12.50, Seniors (65+) \$10.50, Military & Students (w/ID) \$10.50, Youth (ages 5-17) \$6.50 | Group Leader and Bus Driver receive complimentary admission. **Additional discounts or coupons for admission cannot be applied to Group Tours.**
- Groups are required to pay admission **with a single transaction** to receive group rate. Checks should be made payable to "USS Hornet Museum." Cash, Credit Cards, and Purchase Orders are also accepted.
- **FLIGHT SIMULATOR** tickets purchased on the day of your visit are a separate fee of \$6.00 per person for a single ride or \$9.00 per person for a "double mission."

*Prices and programs are subject to change without notice.

Questions? Call our Education Dept. at (510) 521-8448 x224 or email: edu@uss-hornet.org