

PETERSON FAMILIES NEWSLETTER

Peterson – Jackson – Mack – Connors – Knighton – Wakefield
August 2014

The **2015 Jackson Peterson Family Reunion** will be held in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina at the **Springmaid Beach Resort** August 7, 8, and 9, 2015. The plans include a Friday Meet & Greet, a Saturday Banquet and Dance, and a Sunday Picnic.

The food for all three events will be catered by **Big Mike's Soul Food**.

The planning committee is working hard for you. Help them by letting them know whether or not you plan to attend the 2015 Reunion. Email Pam Saunders labrada261@yahoo.com or respond at the Peterson Families Facebook Group. The Planning Committee needs your response NOW!

Springmaid Beach Resort 3200 South Ocean Blvd Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 http://springmaidbeach.com/	
Room Rate:	\$179.00 per night Standard 2 Queen Beds
	Plus 7.5% Resort Fee
	Plus 12% tax
Total	\$213.91 per night

The Reunion Fees	
Adults 18 years and up	\$75.00
Children 6 – 17 years	\$50.00
Children under 6 years	Free

Information regarding the **Reunion T-Shirt** will be forthcoming.

There will be no mass mailings of the Newsletter. Cost associated with the printing and mailing of the Newsletter is high. Only a few persons will receive the Newsletter via the US mail. The rest of us should receive our copy digitally: email, the Peterson Families Facebook Group, or by viewing it on the family webpage.

Facebook is a great tool for sharing family information. Join the Peterson Families Facebook Group by befriending me on Facebook (Noriega E. James www.facebook.com/noreaj) or ask any Group member to add you. Once in, you may add other family members that are your Facebook

friends. The Facebook Group has the potential to reach many more family members than we ever did through email or the family webpage.

Family Milestones & Notices - Members of the Peterson Families Facebook Group may post *Milestones & Notices* **directly** to the Facebook Group. Post births, birthdays and deaths, prayer requests for the sick, graduations, promotions, engagements, marriages, anniversaries, achievements, and any other notices or accomplishments you wish to share with the family.

Family Web page: Visit the family webpage at: www.noreaj.com/petersonfamilies. The webpage contains photos and videos from past family reunions. There are obituaries, family genealogy charts, US Census records, and some family history. Contact me if you have information that you would like posted on the family webpage. Send me copies of family obituaries (recent or past) and any historical records or documents you may come across. I will digitize them and return the originals to you in a timely manner.

The **1940 US Census** was recently released and is now fully indexed. I am researching them in hopes of finding our family members listed. Check the family webpage every now and then to see who I find.

Urgent Notification System: Contact me by email or phone when you have urgent family news such as a death or sickness that you would like to broadcast to the family. Or post the urgent news yourself **directly** to the Facebook Group.

Keep informed and up to date by visiting the Family Webpage or the Peterson Families Facebook Group.

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