



## ARMY/NAVY FOOTBALL -10 DECEMBER 2011

Have we got a deal for you! It's time to make plans for the Class' 23rd Annual Army - Navy Football Game get-together December 9 (Friday) - December 11 (Sunday). In case you haven't been following Army football closely, this year's game will be in the Washington, DC area at FedEx (Redskins) Field, located several miles east of the Nation's Capitol in Maryland.

We have a block of 35 rooms along with a hospitality suite being held for us at the Springfield Hilton [www.springfieldva.hilton.com](http://www.springfieldva.hilton.com). The price for Friday and Saturday nights (taxes and breakfast for two included) will be \$97.01 per night (single or double occupancy), and the hotel has agreed to extend that rate (less comp. breakfast) for Thursday and Sunday nights for those interested in touring/visiting in the area. These rooms are all recently renovated and loaded with amenities. Our meals will be in Houlihan's Restaurant which is located in the Hilton. (Harry, this could be a good omen.)

We will be 20 - 25 minutes from the stadium by car and 5 minutes by free hotel shuttle to the metro. If there is enough interest, we will explore renting a bus for the game (depending on rates) rather than many cars paying high parking fees and then walking a mile or two to get to the stadium. Also, we'll get additional information regarding a group tour (or a self-directed tour) on Friday or Sunday such as a visit to the monuments or Mt Vernon or ??? if there is sufficient interest.

In Clair's words, "Having spoken with Coach Ellerson and a number of his players, I am more encouraged than ever that we will finally BEAT NAVY this year." Do plan on coming (even if you live in the area). GO ARMY; BEAT NAVY!

**Location:** Hilton Springfield, VA (just South of Washington, D.C.)

**Rooms:** The cutoff date for reservations is **Wednesday, 9 November 2011**. Unreserved rooms will be released at that time. **Make your reservation by calling the hotel directly at 1-703-971-8900 and identifying yourself as part of the USMA Class of 1965 Group.** Suggest you guarantee reservation(s) with a credit card.

**Activities:**

- Hospitality Suite (Room 1202) will open on Friday, 9 December at 3:00 P.M. and remain open until departure on Sunday, 11 December
- Wine, beer, sodas and munchies will be provided

- Activities cost per person - \$80.00
- **Checks made out to “USMA Class of 1965”**
- If the game kick-off time is changed, festivities will be adjusted accordingly
- Friday, 9 December: Dinner will be on your own.
- Saturday, 10 December:
  - Coffee in the Hospitality Suite 8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
  - Breakfast in Houlihan’s (Hilton Annex), 8:00 to 10:00 A.M.
  - Game kick-off time is 2:30 PM
  - Lunch on your own
  - Dinner after game 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. in Houlihan’s
- Sunday, 11 December: Breakfast in Houlihan’s, 8:00 to 10:00 A.M.

**Mail checks and enclosed Reservation Form to:**

John Howell  
8006 Viola St.  
Springfield, VA 22152

E-Mail: [jmhowell@cox.net](mailto:jmhowell@cox.net) Home: (703) 644-0107 Cell: (703) 424-8598

**Tickets** (your responsibility)

- By phone only at 1-877-TIX-ARMY (849-2769)
- Order early; more information at [www.goArmysports.com](http://www.goArmysports.com)

**Directions to Hotel** (Location: Springfield, VA; near intersection I-95 and I-495)

Hilton Springfield  
6550 Loisdale Road  
Springfield, VA 22150  
Telephone: (703) 971-8900  
Fax: (703) 971-8527

- COMING FROM THE NORTH, WEST or EAST: Take the U.S. Interstate Highway I-495 or I-395 South to I-95 South (Springfield/Richmond). Immediately take Exit 169A Franconia Road (Route 644 East) and follow signs for Loisdale Road. Turn right at the stop light onto Loisdale Road. Turn right into the Hilton parking lot and follow directional signs to the entrance.
- COMING FROM THE SOUTH (RICHMOND): From the U.S. Interstate Highway I-95 North, take Exit 169A Franconia Road (Route 644 East). At the first stop light make a left onto Loisdale Road. At the next light take a half left onto Loisdale Court. You will find the entrance to the Hilton parking lot at the end of the court on your right.



**Reservation Form \***

\_\_\_\_\_ of us will be attending  Yes, interested in bus.

Yes. Possibly interested in a group/self directed tour on Friday  / Sunday

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Home Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Check for \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed (\$80 per person) made out to:

**USMA Class of 1965**

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