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#### 7SPHINX COMMANDO BTY REUNION 2019

1. 7 Bty will be hosting an all ranks Battery Reunion. This year's main event will take place on the weekend of the 30 Aug - 1 Sept 2019.

2. The programme of events is as follows:

Ser	Date	Time	Activity	Location
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
1	30 Aug 19	1730	Meet & Greet	Warrant Officers Sergeants' Mess Royal Citadel
2	30 Aug 19	1830	Remember the Fallen	29 Memorial
3	30 Aug 19	1900	Hog Roast	BBQ area of the Mess
4	30 Aug 19	1930	Run Ashore	Local Area
5	31 Aug 19	1000	Form up	29 Cdo Guardroom
6	31 Aug 19	1030	Tour of the Citadel/History room	Citadel
7	31 Aug 19	1200	Commando Familiarisation	The Navy Pub
8	31 Aug 19	1300-1500	Curry	The Navy Pub
9	31 Aug 19	1515	Photo	The Navy Pub
10	31 Aug 19	1630	Pub Crawl	Local Area
11	01 Sept 19	0900	Recover	Individuals Home

3. Unfortunately, official transit accommodation is not available at the Royal Citadel, RM Stonehouse or HMS Drake. We hope to provide some form of accommodation for anyone willing to rough it with a sleeping bag and camp cot. For those of you with plenty of money there is an abundance of Hotels and B&B's to choose from, just Google it.

4. Dress is casual, maximum participation is what really matters. It is intended to kick off the weekend in the Warrant Officers & Sergeants' Mess; this is open to all ranks. Dress rules will still apply and dress will be a minimum of polo shirt and jeans. I will endeavour to get a waiver for those of you who like to dress up as the opposite sex.

5. If you are available please complete and return the enclosed pro-forma at Annex A, as soon as possible. Friday will be a meet and greet and a small memorial service. Can's will be laid out cutting down on queuing time in the mess, these would of already been paid for. Feeding will be a Hog Roast. Timings (refer to ser 1 in the above table). After you are all fed and watered we will move to the Barbican.

6. Saturday form up at the Guardroom for Polo shirt issue. You will all be invited for nostalgic reasons to tour the citadel walls and visit the newly refurbished history room. Once all happy we'll form up for a bit of drill then march out of the Citadel gates, don't panic we'll stop at the memorial then make our way down to the Navy Public House. Again we will be fed, Curry will be the meal of the day this will be at the top of the Navy. Later on in the afternoon once the beer is flowing we will have a Bty photo. Again once all happy we'll follow the route card. Through my experience generally by this point everyone cracks their own detail, this is not a problem, all I aim to do is get you to the start point (The Navy).

7. Sunday **PLEASE** give yourselves plenty of recovery time before heading to your respective homes.

8. The cost of Reunion this year will be £20 this will include a Polo Shirt, Hog Roast and Curry Lunch. Please annotate the pro-forma at Annex A accordingly, either attach your cheque to the pro-forma or if it is easier for you to pay by internet banking then the account details are on the pro-forma (**PLEASE FILL IN REFERENCE: 7 BTY REUNION/NAME**). Ensure you fill in your contact details on the return pro-forma whether you are coming or not, so our database can be kept up to date.

9. Make sure you pass the word around the 7 Bty community about the event. Please feel free to photocopy this document and pass it on to those qualified to attend, or pass the individual's contact details back to myself either via the reunion return pro-forma or email. Do not openly advertise this event; keep it on a 'need to know' basis.

10. Looking forward to seeing you at what promises to be a great reunion.

*[Original Signed]*

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**RETURN PRO-FORMA**

Please Return to:

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I \_\_\_\_\_ will/will not  
be attending the 7 Bty Reunion on the 30 Aug - 1 Sept 2019.

**Polo shirt Size S M L XL XXL** (Circle as appropriate).

\*Delete as applicable

My contact details are:

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**N.B – A £20 cheque/PO payable to 29 CDO REGT RA CBA**

**Direct Bank Payment Details are:**

**Account No - 02992938**  
**Sort Code - 30-96-68**

\*Please ensure you put your **NAME** and **7 BTY REUNION** if  
paying by Bank Transfer