



3rd Recon. Association 2012 Memorial Book Williamsburg, Virginia



A Memorial Book will be handed out to registered members attending the 2012 Reunion “Colonial Fair” and mailed to purchasers of full pages, **“if they attend the reunion or not.”** The Memorial Book will measure 8 ½” X 11” spiral bound and including the front and back cover will total a minimum 50 pages printed on both sides which will include the association mailing roster, and a 12 or 15 month calendar starting October 2012, “15 month” or January 2013 “12 month” .

We need your support to make this book a success. Looking for both black and white & color photos of teams and individuals in all phases of recon deployment. No identification of teams, people, companies or locations needed for inclusion on memorial book pages. Looking for an additional 12 to 15 full page, 8” x 11”, sharp color or B&W for use on calendar pages. “These should be identified as to who, what, where, etc. (There is no cost for submission of photos to be considered for inclusion in the memorial book.)

Memorial Book will include:

Full color front and back pages, both inside and out, - see web page for front cover which is a work in progress.

- ◆ Color pages for each of the battalion’s ”Medal of Honor” recipients, to include their photo and citation.
- ◆ 1 page for the battalion’s Killed in Action
- ◆ Pages listing the association’s members who have, “ Died since their service in Vietnam”
- ◆ Pages for each company, corpsmen, all reconners who have died while on active duty
- ◆ The battalion’s OIF and OEF losses
- ◆ Current officers page
- ◆ pages of B&W photos
- ◆ **2012** Local, state, federal and service proclamations to the association.
- ◆ The 15 or 12 page calendar will include the names of the battalion’s fallen on date of casualty; Full size color and B&W photos; Teams names and other information specific to the battalion. **(Each company is asked to have a member make up a color and/or black and white 11’ x 8.5” page for inclusion in the calendar. The page can be one or more photos and be identified with names, teams, time frame and area.)**

Needed:

Your color and B&W photos. **Photos cannot be returned.**

Team name(s) Current list on file includes over 225 team names.

Verification of address, phone, e-mail, spouse, company(s) and Year(s) Please notify Tom Enwright, 770-974-1416, to update your information or ask to remove your contact information from the Memorial Book’s Association Roster.

Prices for pages, ½, ¼ pages, ect. will be posted in future newsletters and our web site. There is a need for a few members to conduct telephone solicitations to make this project a success. Note! If enough funds aren’t collected the program will be cut back. In the extreme case of the book not being printed; all funds received will be returned to those who purchased pages or donated for the success of the book .

Here’s another opportunity for you to honor friends, team-mates and brothers in a Memorial Book that, I hope, will last well beyond the end of Operation Colonial Fair. A Memorial Book of then and now, of good times and bad and of brothers we hold dear to our heart

Many reunion attendees have stated that the past Reunion Memorial Books is a lasting keepsake. Don’t miss out on this opportunity to honor your friends, teammates and/or yourself.

If you have any questions call, write or e-mail: Len Rapuano 7403 46th Ave N #150 St Petersburg, FL 33709. 727-368-4083 EST. and e-mail photos, team names, etc to 3Charlie2AsaFive@tampabay.rr.com

Thank you for your support in this endeavor.