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FROM T THALMANN

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With summer behind us it's time to think about the Seawolves again. I plan to get another newsletter published and in the mail by the end of November. Your help is needed. Do you have something you want to say, or an idea on how to find people. How about awards that are due folks? Collecting squadron history, whatever. Treasurer's report.

Tom Olby has more reunion T shirts available.

I've been talking with Don Thompson about the 1989 reunion. Don thinks he can arrange for an Army Huey to be donated to the Naval Air Museum in Pensacola. I think you will agree that the presentation of a HAL-3 bird to the Air Museum would be a phenomenal reunion event. With Capt Borgstrom's help I talked today with Bob Rasmussen, Capt. USN Retired, who is in charge of the Air Museum. They, the Air Museum, would be delighted to accept a HAL-3 bird. Now things are up to Don T. Naturally we would have to collect the bird, arrange for transportation (Don has a handle on this too) and configure the bird. The Museum can help us get the bird painted.

I hope the Pensacola reunion will work out. However I would like to put a time limit on this, If we don't have firm arrangements made for the transfer of the Aircraft by the end of May 1988, than I suggest this project be set aside and that we give Tom Olby the go ahead for a Minneapolis reunion. I'm afraid of being caught short without adequate time to arrange the 1989 reunion. I offer this as a suggestion, as I feel that this is a decision all of us must make.

I'm happy to tell you that the current name list continues to grow, to date we have 236 names and addresses. The bad news is that we have only 63 paid members. We will have to work on this.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tom Olby". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "O" and "T" at the beginning.