

# Our **A-37** 'Reunion'

Association Newsletter

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**A-37 'Dragonfly' Reunion**  
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**Asking a special favor to remember  
and honor a special person...**

The upcoming reunion in Branson is being dedicated to the memory of the initial leader of the A-37, the one who put together the initial organization, was the commander of it during its test in Combat Dragon, and then went on to be in charge of the training of the follow-on pilots of it: **Colonel Louis Weber**. Col. Weber died shortly after the last reunion (2007).

This dedication was the wonderful brain-child of Lon Holtz. He also thought it might be nice if members who knew this outstanding leader could bring forth their memories and experiences involving him to the reunion. The board and I agreed.

However, upon further thought, I decided to go a step farther. Instead of just bringing such memories to the reunion where they would be expressed verbally and then lost, why not write them down and put them to-

gether in a scrapbook-like publication? Then make a copy of it giving the original to his widow, Tommye, and retain the other as part of our reunion's static display.

This being the case, and not a lot of time to do it, if you knew him and have any memories or experiences you could share, **you are highly encouraged to send them either via e-mail (where they will be printed out and put directly in the booklet) or a letter (where they will be either copied or scanned and put in the booklet)**.

Contacts/members with e-mail are receiving this message via that media, the rest of you in this form... but the important thing is there isn't much time to get your inputs and for Gloria to put them all together. So let's make a deadline for getting them in **April 15th**. (Seems that's an easy to remember deadline for something else.)

Thank you... and looking forward to the inputs... (and hopefully, also seeing you soon in Branson).