

Georgia Aquarium Reenlistments

What is the program?

Military personnel who choose to continue to serve their country are invited to reenlist at Georgia Aquarium on the second Monday of any month. These events are open to friends and family members, as well as the general public. Times and locations are flexible based on availability and preference.

How may I be considered for a reenlistment at Georgia Aquarium?

Once you have approval from your chain of command, send a request including name, contact information, origin, date of original enlistment, unit, relative accomplishments, and state the significance of reenlisting at Georgia Aquarium. Send these details to nballweg@georgiaaquarium.org.

When is it offered?

Reenlistments in front of Ocean Voyager Built by The Home Depot occur throughout the year on the second Monday of any month, pending space availability.

What can the participants expect?

Those being reenlisted should arrive with their entire group at the Oceans Ballroom entrance, and will be picked up by a member of the Marketing Department 45 minutes prior to the ceremony. Military members being reenlisted will receive four complimentary general admission tickets to Georgia Aquarium redeemable that day only, as well as free admission for themselves and any other active military that accompany them. Our Military Salute video will play on the big screen in the Ocean Voyager theater 30 minutes prior to the ceremony, and the ceremony itself will last about 10 minutes.

Friends and Family

Friends and family members will receive up to four complimentary general admission tickets to Georgia Aquarium, redeemable the day of the reenlistment only. If there are more than four guests, additional tickets must be purchased at the ticket counter or in advance online. Those entering the Aquarium with purchased tickets must go through the main entrance to the building. During the reenlistment, friends and family will receive priority viewing space and are free to tour the Aquarium at their leisure once the event has ended.

What does Georgia Aquarium need?

- At least one week prior to the date of reenlistment, Georgia Aquarium needs a completed roster of the participants sent by email.
- Enlistees must provide a short biography for the presentation, including:
 - Name
 - Origin
 - When they originally enlisted
 - Unit
 - Relative Accomplishments
 - Why Georgia Aquarium?

If possible, biographies should be kept to three sentences or less.

- Full names of family and friends that will be attending the reenlistment and receiving a complimentary general admission ticket.

How do we get into Georgia Aquarium?

Those being reenlisted, as well as family and friends receiving complimentary tickets, will meet Georgia Aquarium staff at the Oceans Ballroom entrance 45 minutes prior to the reenlistment. The entire group must arrive at one time. Additional guests will purchase their tickets at the ticket office in front of the Aquarium. A list of all guests should be cleared with the program manager at least two business days prior to arrival.

For more information, please visit <http://www.georgiaaquarium.org/experience/support/military-salute>.