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4th of July @ the USS Hornet

Alameda, CA: Please join the USS Hornet for our annual 4th of July celebration.

Please join the USS Hornet as they celebrate Independence Day with a big Steel Beach BBQ on the Flight Deck with music, food and non-alcoholic beverages!

The Flight Deck will be converted into a Steel Beach BBQ Party! There will be music playing, food and non-alcoholic drinks to purchase, tables and chairs, free tours of the Island (normally a \$12 charge!), some games for guests to play and in the afternoon, and a Flyover by the Memorial Squadron!

In the Hangar Bay, all the normally accessible areas of the ship will be available for self-touring. Guests can see the rest of our aircraft and Apollo program artifacts (including our Apollo Block 1 capsule, the Mobile Quarantine Facility and the SeaKing helicopter used in the filming of Apollo 13), and the museum's newest acquisition: An F/A-18C!

On the 2nd Deck guests can visit the Torpedo Workshop, Sick Bay, Officer's Wardroom, exhibits such as African-Americans in the Military, Women in the Military, Air Group 11 and many more!

On the Pier there will be a collection of Military Vehicles that will come over after the 4th of July Parade!

What: 4th of July Celebration @ the USS Hornet

When: July 4th, 2025

Where: USS Hornet Sea, Air & Space Museum 707 West Hornet Ave, Alameda, Ca 94501

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Aircraft Carrier Hornet Foundation preserves and honors the legacy of the USS *Hornet* CV-12 and its role in naval aviation, the defense of our country, the Apollo Program and the exploration of space. The USS Hornet Museum connects the greatest generation of Americans with future generations, educating and inspiring them to meet their challenges. As a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, the USS Hornet Museum relies on the generosity of individuals to fund our educational programs, restoration projects, create and enhance exhibits and much more. The Museum is not supported in any way by regular grants from city, county, state or federal sources. Through field trips and live-aboard experiences, the USS Hornet Museum offers educational programs focusing on naval history, science and space technology: <https://uss-hornet.org/youth-education>. A registered state and national historic landmark, the ship is open to the public on weekends from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and is permanently berthed at 707 W. Hornet Ave., Pier 3 in Alameda, CA. Ample free parking is available across from the pier. The USS Hornet Museum is also a unique, unforgettable venue available for corporate events; trade shows and expos; private parties and big band dances; and TV and film productions. For more information, ticket prices and event planning, visit: www.uss-hornet.org or call (510) 599-4272.