

AMPHICAR

EVANSVILLE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 8/7/09

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SUNDAY 8/09/09

* For those who arrive Thursday* We will meet at 6PM on Thursday at Casino Aztar Hotel located on the Ohio River Waterfront for a Meet-Greet-Swim.

Friday 11AM The M.V.P.A. (Military Vehicle Preservation Association) will assemble their vehicles at the fairgrounds for a convoy to Dress Plaza, Evansville's Waterfront next to Casino Aztar Hotel. This will be the largest gathering of amphibious vehicles in the world since WWII. Amphicars will meet the convoy at the Waterfront; all amphibious vehicles will then drive to LST Drive to assemble an amphibious convoy to Newburgh, IN for a Barbeque lunch. We will cross the Ohio River by road into Kentucky and drive to a beach across from Newburgh and swim across the Ohio for Lunch. We then will swim 9 miles down stream back to the hotel. For those who do not wish to swim the distance, you can load on Military L. T. V. or L.C.V.P for a dry ride. You may also drive back to the hotel.

Friday 6PM The Amphicars have private access to the L.S.T. 325. We can load Amphicars on the LST via gangway for a tour and tech session. (An opportunity to ask Dave the Wave, John Bevins, or Gordon Souter any Amphicar Tech questions). This should be an excellent photo opportunity. Located next to the L.S.T. 325 is an outdoor restaurant called Tin Fish a great place for a group dinner. This place gets rockin & rollin so I plan on being back to Aztar by 10 PM.

Saturday 10AM-1PM Amphicars and other amphibious vehicles swim down stream to Dog Town Tavern for lunch. We will then drive the short distance back to the hotel.

Saturday 2PM Amphicars convoy by road to MPV show at Vanderburgh County Fair grounds. Cost is \$5.00 per person.

Saturday 6PM Hamburgers at the home of Marianna and Robert Wright. This will be Amphicar in the yard parking for a casual relaxing almost end to a perfect weekend picnic.

Sunday all morning The L.S.T. 325 is moving down to Dog Town Boat Ramp for Amphibious bow boarding from ramp/beach. This is an opportunity for great photos of amphibious vehicles including, Amphicars loading on and off the L.S.T. 325.

Note Amphicar host hotel is ideally located on the Ohio River in Evansville, Indiana. The hotel is excited to host the Amphicars. Aztar has provided our group with waterfront views of the Ohio River, Dress Plaza and L.S.T 325. Reservation Manager, Brian Vaal, 812-433-4372, has arranged \$89.00 weekend room rates for Amphicars. The Aztar Events Plaza has outdoor concerts for Friday and Saturday featuring Three Dog Night both nights. So be prepared to party, Evansville has many options for this fabulous Amphicar gathering.

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