

KASRA Members,

Kaiser retirees and/or spouses and children whose careers may have intersected at Queensland Aluminum Limited in its early years should know that plans are underway for a celebration of the 40th QAL reunion this October at Gladstone, Queensland, in Australia. This function is open to everyone who had any part to play in the early days of QAL or the various expansions - or who had a family interest in QAL.

The organizers keep getting comments that people have said that "they would love to come but did not feel that they qualified as they were only contractors, or were only engaged for a short time for commissioning, or only worked in the Brisbane or Botany offices, etc...." All are invited. The organizers further said that: "A lot of us are not going to be around for a 50th Reunion, so we don't want anyone to miss out if they would like to attend!"

Attached are the following documents:

40th Anniversary Events Flyer
40th Anniversary Reunion Registration Form
Voyages Package Deals

Anyone who has been involved with the construction, commissioning, operation, expansion phases, and overall success of the QAL plant is invited to attend this reunion. For more information, please contact by email any of the following:

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We have been advised that if one is planning to attend, airline reservations should be made as soon as possible, since in some cases availability of flights and routes on specific dates may be difficult to pin down. Further, anyone planning to go should book their accommodations in Gladstone or vicinity soon. Last minute decisions in the fall might lead to no planes or hotel space.