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Washington, DC—The Iwo Jima Association of America is proud to announce that it will commemorate the 80th Anniversary of the iconic battle of Iwo Jima at a reunion of veterans on February 20-22 at the Hilton Arlington National Landing Hotel in Arlington, Virginia.

Patriots of the historic conflict who fought on Iwo Jima for their countries, many paying the ultimate sacrifice, will be honored. Moreover, gatherings such as this serve to continue reconciliation and strengthen the bond between the United States and Japan.

Scheduled events during Friday (21st) of the three-day reunion include a tour of the National Museum of the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va., and wreath laying ceremonies at both the World War II and Marine Corps War Memorials in Arlington. Saturday events (22nd) include an educational symposium regarding the Pacific Island Campaigns, highlighting the Battle for Iwo Jima. A Memorial Gala will be held that evening, with the Iwo Jima veterans as the Guests of Honor. Other guests will Pacific Island veterans, active duty and retired military, civilian dignitaries, corporate executives, Gold Star Families, and members of the Japanese Embassy. Once again we are pleased this memorable event will feature the renown Radio King Orchestra.

Should you have questions regarding these events and/or would like to attend, please contact IJAA's Communications Director, Mr. Fred Lash ('Flash') at 703-644-5132 or 703-304-7665 (Mobile).

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