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Guess Who 's Coming to Asheville?

I've said it before but this years program is equal to anything we've enjoyed before. This newsletter will explain. We've attached a list of all those members and their families who have already signed up. You have an opportunity to participate in a conference that includes those folks who are as current and as knowledgeable as anyone out there about the troubled times we live in. And I'm not talking about the upcoming election. We are of course, honored by the presence of former Attorney General Janet Reno; the General Counsel of the Department of Homeland Security, Joe Whitley; former U.S. District Judge and former U.S. Attorney from the Southern District of New York, John S. Martin Jr.; Professor John Conley, of the University of North Carolina Law School; Professor Steven D. Easton of Missouri University Law School; our friend Professor Leon Friedman, Hofstra University Law School. Please refer to the last NAFUSA newsletter (April) for their background and credentials. With regard to our program, be advised that there are new faces with the Executive Office of the United States Attorney. Former Chairman of the Attorney General's Advisory Com-

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tee Mary Beth Buchanan, U.S. Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania has become the Executive Director of the EOUSA. She continues with her job as U.S. Attorney. Mark Calloway (WD North Carolina 1993-2001), proved it can be done. The new Chairman of AGAC is U.S. Attorney William W. Mercer from the District of Montana. We look forward to meeting and working with Mr. Mercer.

Our friend, Lou DeFalaise, former Chief Counsel for EOUSA has moved on to bigger challenges within the Department of Justice and former Director Guy Lewis has moved back to Florida. We'll miss their participation in our conferences, unless, of course, we can get them to join NAFUSA! They both qualify. This is a "PROGRAM"!

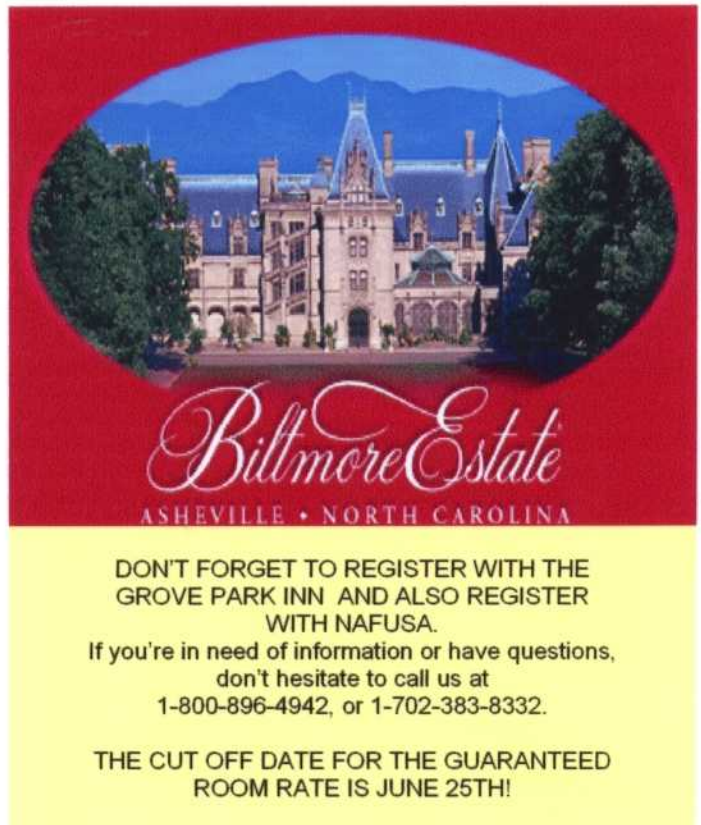
I must, unfortunately, announce that President-Elect George Lowe (ND of New York 1978-82) has been informed by the powers that be that he cannot serve as President of NAFUSA and as U.S. Magistrate at the same time. I'm sure you don't want to hear my musing on such logic. Your Officers and Board of Directors met by phone and unanimously decided to simply move each officer up a notch. Jack Selden (ND Alabama 1992-93) is our new President-Elect and will preside over the 2005 Conference in Boston, Massachusetts (October 7, 2005). Do you all think we should give Judge Lowe a clock anyway?

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THE CUT OFF DATE FOR THE GUARANTEED ROOM RATE IS JUNE 25TH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Friday, May 7, 2004, Patrick M. McLaughlin, (ND Ohio 1984-1988) was inducted into the Ohio Military Hall of Fame for Valor. He was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action on October 29, 1967, as an infantry squad leader with Charlie Company, 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry, First Infantry Division. (The Big Red One) in the Republic of South Vietnam. Add to that list, the Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Army Commendation and Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Silver and Bronze Stars. That adds up to a hero in my book.

Our friend, Bill Robertson (District of NJ 1980-81) and his firm of **Robertson, Freilich, Bruno and Cohen**, have done it again. They have contributed \$7,500.00 to help defray the rising costs of operating NAFUSA. Above and beyond the call. We are forever grateful. Oh, and he contributed an additional \$550.00 out of his own pocket to facilitate the transportation to this year's conference in Asheville of this year's Honoree, Malcolm Bates, Assistant U.S. Attorney of the Eastern District of Texas' wife. Mr. Bates is most grateful. The firm of **Vaira & Riley** did a little of the same.



Kent Alexander

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