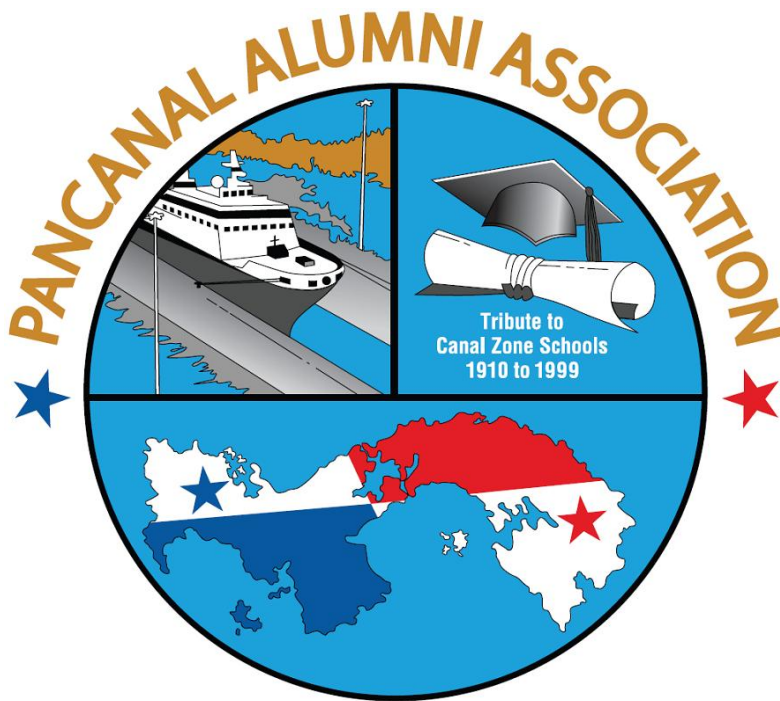


PANCANAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Unveils Alumni Seal



The Purpose of the Seal

PanCanal Alumni Association is proud to unveil the official PanCanal Alumni Seal. The purpose of the seal is to pay tribute to all alumni and faculty of the former Canal Zone School system since its inception in the year 1910 until its culmination in the year 1999. The PanCanal Alumni Seal was created and designed by Mr. Braulio Archer, VP of Marketing of PanCanal Alumni Association, Inc. and alumni of Paraiso High School Class of 1978; and the artist is Mr. Felipe Samuels, alumni of Paraiso High School Class of 1973. We would like to thank Braulio "Lito" Archer for his creativity and inspiration. We would like to thank Mr. Felipe Samuels for his selfless dedication to perfecting the concept and in making it a reality and a great master piece.

The shape of the seal is a sphere divided into three key sections: Upper Left, Upper Right, and Lower Half.

1. The Upper left is a pictorial image of a ship transiting the locks of the Panama Canal. This section of the seal represents the incessant daily arduous labor and services of the workers and retirees of the prestigious and world renowned water way "The Panama Canal".

2. The Upper Right is a pictorial image of a graduation cap and diploma. This portion of the seal honors and recognizes the faculty and alumni of the Canal Zone School System from its inception in 1910 until its closure in the year 1999. The closure of the entire school system was as a result of the dissolution of the 1903 Panama Canal Treaty between Panama and the United States.

3. The lower half of the seal is a pictorial image of the Panamanian Flag embedded in the map of the Republic of Panama and represents solidarity of alumni around the globe. It also acknowledges a country and its citizens who participated in the construction and maintenance of the Panama Canal. By joining the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, the Panama Canal drastically minimized the length of time it takes to transport goods throughout the world -- effectively playing an important part in the global economy.

The Use of the Seal

PanCanal Alumni Association, Inc. is the owner of the seal and will authorize its use to the public. Proper use of the seal includes use on artifacts associated with reunion activities, fundraising activities, and other cultural events. We encourage all alumni from all former Canal Zone School systems to support our efforts by contacting PanCanal Alumni Association, Inc. info@pancanalalumni.com or via phone at (310) 677-6419 to get authorization and instructions on how to use the seal on their reunion and fundraising paraphernalia's such as banners, pens, pencils, t-shirts, polo shirts, fleece, hats, caps, mugs, flags, flyers, brochures, bags, announcements, etc.