

A fieldtrip to inspect an F/A-18C Hornet and meet with the marines responsible for maintaining the aircraft is scheduled for December, 10th, 1:45 PM at Marine Corps Air Station Miramar.

If you are interested in attending please email Mark Shin at Shinster1@Yahoo.com. Please email your name, your employer (or attending university), and your title. All requests must be submitted by December 4th.

The fieldtrip is limited to 30 people on a first-come first-serve basis. Guests are welcome but priority will be given to AIAA members if the maximum limit is reached.

We will inspect an F/A-18C Hornet Night Strike Fighter which is a single seat high performance tactical aircraft, which replaced both the A-7 and F-4 for the US Navy. The marines will give a brief presentation on their work, and we will see the marines perform some of the maintenance required for the aircraft. You will be able to speak with the marines and ask whatever questions you may have.

The fieldtrip site address is the Marine Corps Air Station Miramar. Enter through the Miramar East Gate. The East Gate is on Miramar Way off of I-15. Inform the guard you are part of the AIAA group visiting the base. The east gate parking lot is on the right side of the gate (see map below). Park at the lot and the tour guide will meet you there. We will then carpool to the hangers. The event will last approximately 1-2 hours.

