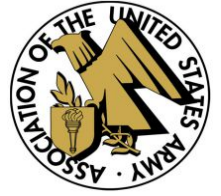




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Greetings Members and Friends of AUSA and the U.S. Army,

We welcome to AUSA members of the U.S. Army Warrant Officer Association (USAWOA) and the Enlisted Association of the National Guard (EANGUS)! A recent partnership between AUSA and USAWOA and EANGUS provides AUSA memberships to these two associations.

As many know, AUSA, at the national level, is the U.S. Army's professional educational association. However, sometimes this doesn't receive as much attention as deserved. In this newsletter, we will highlight upcoming professional development opportunities at the national level.

The Chapter Executive Committee (EXCOM) meets monthly for lunch to plan our activities and support. If you would like to join us, reply and I will let you know when we meet next. We always welcome members who wish to meet us and perhaps become a regular EXCOM member.

We want to say a big THANK YOU! to Victory Medical Solutions, Raytheon Missile Systems, Marana Chamber of Commerce and EEEGES for their extra substantial financial support and services in 2017. We were able to significantly increase our support to Soldiers, Veterans and Army families this past year because of their very generous support. Thank you for your strong support to the Chapter!

Thanks to everyone who attended our annual AUSA awards and recognition dinner on November 8. It was a great event for the U.S. Army in greater Tucson. We recognized Active, Guard and Reserve Army Soldiers and ROTC Cadets. We also made a donation to Arizona Heroes to Hometowns, Wreaths Across America and the Junior ROTC programs at Cholla, Rio Rico and Flowing Wells High Schools. We were pleased to have representatives attending from the West Point Parents Club, West Point Society, Gold Star Mothers, Wounded Warriors, and several AUSA Tucson Community Partners. We thank the University of Arizona Army ROTC for its support of the event and Mr. Bill Caron, Director of the Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System, as our speaker. Plan to attend in November 2018!

If you know of a business or individual that might want to join us, please let me know. Currently our Chapter has 469 individual members and 34 Community Partner businesses, our all time high! Thank you for your continued membership!

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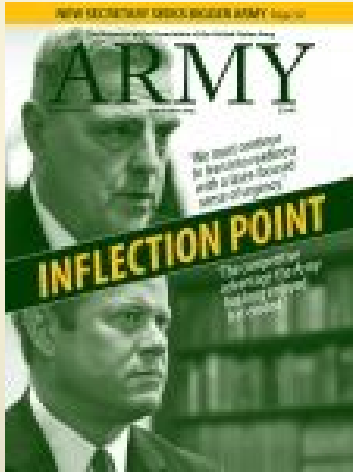
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Two Newest Community Partners!

We welcome Tempronics and Habitat of Humanity Tucson as our newest Community Partners!



Recent Chapter Activities

Thanks to your membership and assistance, our support to Soldiers and Army families is stronger than ever. Here are some examples of recent activities:

- Gift cards to Wounded Warrior and junior enlisted families
- Family day for the 1-285th battalion Army National Guard
- Army Officer Guide Books for ROTC Cadets
- Wounded Warrior Weekend Get-Aways at DD Gamble Guest Lodge and Ranch

New Chapter Web Page!

The Chapter has a new web page hosted by national AUSA! We will keep it and our Facebook page up to date with our recent activities and information relevant to the Chapter. To see our new we page, go to: www.TucsonAUSA.org. Our Facebook page is: www.Facebook.com/TucsonAUSA. Like Us!

The New Veterans Identification Card

The VA is now accepting applications for the Veterans Identification Card (VIC). The VIC provides a more convenient and efficient way for most veterans to show proof of service. The VIC is not needed for Veterans who already have a retired military ID card. To request a VIC, Veterans must visit www.vets.gov and click on "Apply for Printed Veteran ID Card". Only those veterans with honorable service will be able to apply for the ID card.



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Annual Awards & Recognition Dinner

Tucson-Goyette Chapter annual awards and recognition dinner on November 8 was a big success! With well over 100 attending, the Chapter took the opportunity to recognize outstanding Soldiers, (Active, Guard and Reserves) in our community and Army ROTC cadets. Thank you to the many AUSA Tucson Community Partners who attended.



AUSA Professional Development Opportunities!

AUSA, Institute of Land Warfare Breakfast Series
Chief of Staff of the Army
Wednesday, January 17
7:00 – 8:15 am EDT (5:00 – 6:15 am Arizona)
Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA 22202

AUSA, Institute of Land Warfare (ILW) Lemnitzer Lecture
Doing What You Know: The United States and 250 Years of Irregular War
David E. Johnson, PH.D.
6:00 pm EDT (4:00 pm Arizona)
Tuesday, February 6, 2018
General Gordon R. Sullivan Conference & Event Center, Arlington, VA

AUSA, Institute of Land Warfare (ILW) General Bernard W. Rogers Strategic Issues Forum
Sergeant Major of the Army Daniel A. Dailey
6:00 pm EDT (4:00 pm Arizona)
Thursday, February 8, 2018
General Gordon R. Sullivan Conference & Event Center, Arlington, VA

Note: more ILW Breakfast Series and Bernard Rogers Strategic Issues Forums will be offered throughout the year. Go to the bottom of the AUSA web page to see what is scheduled: www.AUSA.org

Global Force 2018
26-28 March 2018
Von Braun Center, Huntsville, AL

Special Ops Forces Exhibit & Conference
7-10 May 2018
Amman, Jordan

Land Forces Indo-Asia-Pacific (LANPAC)
22-24 May
Sheraton Waikiki, Honolulu, HI

EUROSATORY 2018
11-15 June 2018
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AUSA Annual Meeting and Exposition
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Congratulations to the Army National Guard's 381st Birthday on December 13!



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Army / Navy Football – Two Wins!

Two Army / Navy football games, one in Tucson and the other in Philadelphia. Army wins both!

University of Arizona Army/Navy ROTC flag football game was played at the Arizona Stadium on Friday December 1st. The Army Team scored early and lead the entire game, winning with a score of 24 to 6!



The other Army / Navy football game was the 118th game on December 9 between the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, NY and the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD. Army won 14 to 13 and won the Commander in Chief's trophy by also beating the U.S. Air Force Academy! Congratulations to both Army / Navy teams!



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National Museum of the U.S. Army

The National Museum of the U.S. Army construction is well underway. The museum, adjacent to Fort Belvoir, Va., is projected to open in June 2019 after the 185,000-square-foot facility is completed. It is being built with financial assistance from the Association of the U.S. Army. The Army Historical Foundation is the official fundraiser for the museum.



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