

ASFA Executive Board Meeting Minutes

January 8, 2025

Attendees

Joe Kinego

Max Friedauer

Dann Mattiza

Eddie Arroyo

Bud Sauvageau

Mac MacAloon

Susan Ault-Davis

Chapter 398 Executive Actions

- The Treasurer's report was presented, and we continue to be solvent.
- Chapter board members decided to renew the current post office box.
- Raymond James account – add Eddie Arroyo to the account and we will be declining managed services.
- Reminder: Junior ROTC organizations are encouraged to apply for National Air and Space Forces Association grants. Chapter 398 also accepts grant requests.
- The local affiliate to the United Forces & Families (F2) program is Lyndsey Akers. Chapter members plan to reach out regularly to Lyndsey to offer support.
- Chapter members will contact Hurlburt Family Support to determine the needed support.

Unsung Heroes Luncheon

- The next luncheon will be March 12, 2025, at 1100, at the Soundside club, and will cost \$30.
- MSgt Santiago will be replacing MSgt Thomas as our point of contact.

Aerospace Education

- Science Fair will be coming up in February. Award winners will receive \$150 for first place and \$75 for second place winners.

- We will begin notifying teachers of the opportunity to be nominated for Teacher of the Year. Meredith Coleman has submitted the draft letter to Dann Mattiza for comments and will be provided with the current letterhead.

Pensacola Activities

- Joe Kinego and his wife will be attending an Air Force ball being hosted by the 479 Flying Training Group.
- Joe Kinego has accepted an invitation from Gulf Breeze High School to speak about his experience with the USAF and the Air and Space Forces Association .
- Graduates from the Combat Systems Officer training course are presented with an Air Commando award presented by a representative from the 479th FTG. Joe Kinego would like to make this more personal by having it presented by a member of the Air Commando Association.

Next Meeting

- The next meeting will be February 12, 2025, at the Clubhouse Grill.