

AFA Chapter 398, Executive Council Meeting Minutes  
June 20, 2017

Unsung Heroes

- Alex Eudy was deployed, but has now returned. He is the POC for the Tenant  
Unsung Heroes
- Date will be end of July

VP Activities

- Fred Gross worked with members of the Hurlburt Education Office to select the Pittsenbarger award winner. Two members were selected. National provides scholarship funding for one of the winners. The other scholarship will be funded by our Chapter funds.
- Golf Tournament will be Oct/Nov

Aerospace Education

- Teacher of the Year, Scarlett Brock will be unable to attend Space Camp. Erin Cosky, from Gulf Breeze High School, a ToY awardee from last year, will attend instead.
- Doolittle Institute is teaming with some Okaloosa County schools to study/research Arial Robotics. The Executive Council voted to authorize up to \$1,130 to buy drones to support this effort. If AFA National approves funds for the drones, we will get a reimbursement of up to \$500.

Newsletter

- Looking to add articles on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Community Partners
- Will distribute by the end of June 2017.

National Distribution of Dues

- The payment for the first two quarters will be sent the middle of July. Requirements to receive payments are completion of the 2017 Annual Activity and Financial Planning Reports and a Chapter Roster. The Chapter will receive \$0.50 for every Chapter member, twice a year. The State will receive \$0.25 for every State member, once a year.

### Awards Banquet

- Will be held at the Ft. Walton Yacht Club, on September 28<sup>th</sup>, at 6PM
- Cost will be \$25 per person, and will be fish or steak
- Pay as you go bar

### AFA National

- National awards for members of our Chapter were announced:
  - o Eddie Arroyo – Medal of Merit
  - o Thom Guthrie – Medal of Merit
  - o Susan Ault-Davis – Exceptional Service
  - o Hurlburt Chapter 398 – Exceptional Community Relations
  - o Outstanding State – Florida
- AFA National Meeting, Sept 16, 2017

### State Meetings and Awards

- 2017 State Convention will be held in Tampa, July 15 - 16

### Lockheed Martin Grant Request

- Eddie Arroyo is writing a grant request to Lockheed Martin, to fund STEMM, and other Cyber projects

### Next Meeting

- **Next meeting will be July 25, Bella Donna's. Please note meetings will now be held the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month**