

The Leaflet Drop

The Periodic Newsletter of the PSYOP Veterans Association (POVA)

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President's Letter

Dear POVA Members and Friends,

Only a few short months remaining until POVA convenes once again in its Biennial Reunion in Fayetteville, NC. We'll concentrate this issue of the newsletter on reunion related information. Be sure to continue monitoring our reunion website at www.povareunion2016.org for the latest information and details.

Now is also time to submit nominations for several POVA elected officers, including President and a number of positions to be held by Vice Presidents. We seek members who are interested in growing and expanding the reach and influence of POVA as we move into the formation of chapters and expansion of our philanthropic capabilities.

See you in August.

Sincerely,

Mike Stoeckert President

Call for Nominations for POVA Elective Office: the 2016-18 Term

As mentioned above and in prior newsletters, POVA seeks nominees for our various offices. POVA has grown resurgent over the past year, and with a new focus on both Chapters and a philanthropic capability, we are doing good work for our fellow Psywarriors, veterans, and families. The following POVA positions are open for nomination of any POVA dues-paying or active duty member:

President
Vice President & Chaplain
Vice President, Finance & Member Development
Vice President, Association Relations
Vice President and Web Master
Newsletter Editor
Trustee (4 positions)

Please submit your nomination(s) by email to Chad Spawr at spawrtan@wideopenwest.com. We will report progress in receiving nominations in newsletters through the spring and summer of this year.

Update on the Reunion

Accommodations: Reservations at 2 Host Hotels by Hilton are now available:

Double Tree by Hilton Hampton Inn I-95
1965 Cedar Creek Road
Fayetteville, NC Fayetteville, NC
(910) 323-8282 (910) 322-0011
Rate- \$98 per night Rate - \$72 per night

When you call the hotel of your choice, be sure to tell them you are with "POVA" to take advantage of the preferred rate.

Planned Events during the Reunion (more details being developed):

Thursday 11 August: arrival, meet and greet at the Double Tree Reunion HQ hotel

Friday 12 August: POVA Business Meeting 2:00 PM (Airborne & Special Operations Museum, Fayetteville)

POVA BBO Picnic 6:00 PM (Special Forces Picnic Grounds south of Favetteville)

Saturday 13 August: PSYOP Battalion demonstrations at 10:00 AM at Ft. Bragg

POVA Banquet and Awards presentations 6:00 PM, Double Tree Hotel

Sunday 14 August: Wrap up "loose ends," farewells

POVA's Life Members

Many thanks to each and every Life Member for your invaluable support, guidance, and brotherhood over the years.

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David Affleck *
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Arlo Despain
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In Closing If you have a correction to previous information, or something you'd like to add to a future newsletter, send it to Chad at the email address listed below.

In Brotherhood,

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