

HUNTSVILLE CHAPTER MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA PO Box 1301 Huntsville, AL 35807-0301



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Dear Tennessee Valley Community Supporter,

I am the President of the Huntsville Chapter, Military Officers Association of America (HCMOAA), which is comprised of active duty, reserve and National Guard, former and retired military officers from all services. Our Chapter goals include recognizing the top ROTC / JROTC cadets at area high schools and colleges, providing scholarship funds to area college / college-bound students, and participating in community events such as a Memorial Day wreath ceremony, a summer BBQ at the Tut Fann Veterans Home, and Veterans Day / Heroes' Week activities.

Our Chapter conducts a golf tournament each Fall to raise money for the HCMOAA Scholarship Fund (HCMOAASF). This year, our 12th annual tournament will be held on Friday, September 8, 2023, at The Links at Redstone – in honor of the Redstone Arsenal Retiree Appreciation Day. We are an all-volunteer not-for-profit organization that is tax exempt (EIN 83-3984107) and tax deductible under IRS provision 501(c)(3). We are seeking tournament and "Hole" sponsors at various levels as described in our sponsorship flyer, as well as donations that can be given away as prizes or auctioned off at our tournament. 100% of the net from the tournament goes to the Scholarship Fund, and most of the funds raised result from sponsorships and the generous donations of area companies such as yours. Most of all, donations allow us to keep the cost of the tournament as low as possible to maximize participation by veterans and retirees. All sponsors and donors are recognized in the tournament brochure and on our chapter website - see our sponsorship flyer for details.

In lieu of sponsorship, monetary donations can be made directly to HCMOAASF at the above mail address.

We hope you agree to support our Scholarship Fund through this venue. Please contact me (256-776-6901; <u>rickw675@att.net</u>) or our Golf Tournament Chairman, Bruce Robinson (256-426-0525; <u>brobinso1976@gmail.com</u>) should you have any questions.

Thank you for taking the time to review this request – the Scholarship Fund is a great cause, and we work hard to ensure we run an enjoyable tournament in support of the numerous scholarships to deserving students that we are able to award each year. We could not do it without you!

Sincerely,

CAPT Richard C. West, USN (Ret.)

President, HCMOAA

