Membership Application

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: MI or GO BY: _____ RANK & SERVICE: _____ ACTIVE, RESERVES, NATIONAL GUARD, or SURVIVING SPOUSE? (circle one) ACTIVE, FORMER, or RETIRED? (circle one) SERVED FROM: (m/y)_____ TO: ____ DATE of BIRTH: (m/d/y) SPOUSE : ADDRESS: _____ CITY:_____ZIP:____ PHONE: _____ EMAIL:

NEWSGRAM (monthly newsletter): USPS Mail or EMAIL (circle one)

MOAA National Member? YES / NO If "YES", MOAA #: _____

If "NO", your Chapter membership includes an automatic enrollment in the Basic (Free) membership in MOAA.

REFERRED BY: _____

TODAY'S DATE: _____

Membership Information

Dues are \$25 per year for Member and \$15 per year for Surviving Spouses Make checks payable to "Luke Chapter MOAA" and mail to:

> Luke Chapter MOAA P.O. Box 5072 Sun City West, AZ 85376-5072

Contact Info

For more information about the Luke Chapter, contact Membership Chair: email: Membership@lukemoaa.org

or visit our website at www.LukeMOAA.org



"Andrew" is one of the many veterans we were able to help. He has suffered with recurring kidney cancer for years, enduring chemotherapy and a planned kidney reconstruction. Andrew and his young son were threatened with eviction since he cannot work now. Luke Chapter quickly helped with a grant of \$1,500 plus a member donation of \$500 to relieve late rent.

Luke Chapter

of the

Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)



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Who We Are

About 200 members who served in the DOD, the US Coast Guard, the Public Health Service, or NOAA.

Members have served honorably as Commissioned or Warrant Officers, or are surviving spouses of those who have served.

What We Do

We serve Maricopa County's West Valley Veterans, JROTC, and Luke AFB.

We also have fun, build relationships, and support each other.



Luke Chapter members donate over 1000 food items to the Luke AFB Turkeys for Troops drive.

Service

- Raise funds and award college scholarships for children & grandchildren of veterans.
 \$35,000 awarded to 24 students in 2023!
- Granted \$36,500 to veterans for financial emergencies 2022-23.
- Support of the Arizona StandDown for homeless veterans.
- Present awards to JROTC Cadets in 13 area high schools.
- Support Turkeys for Troops for struggling Luke AFB airmen and their families.
- Participate in Memorial Day and Veterans Day events, plus other community veterans' programs.
- Member of the Northwest Valley Veterans Association (NWVVA).
- Liaise with elected officials on behalf of veterans and MOAA initiatives.

Social

- Monthly Luncheon/Dinner Meetings, October through May, with either an informative speaker or great entertainment.
- Surviving Spouse Luncheons.

Why Join?

At the local level, you serve to further the mission of MOAA National and:

1. Make yourself heard in Congress.

2. Stay informed – newsletters, website, meetings, and informative speakers.

3. Advocate for military forces adequate to the defense of our country.

4. Influence state and local veteran-related legislation.

5. Give back to the community and assist veterans & families in need.

6. Further the education of children of Service personnel.

7. Network with fellow officers.

8. Enjoy camaraderie with a purpose -socialize with members who share similar backgrounds and interests.



Xitlali Vazquez, Camilla Rumsey, & Kasey Gallagher Three of the 24 Scholarship winners in 2023.