

# General Membership Meeting

April 17, 2024 1:00pm



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## The Mission of the Fort Liberty Chapter:

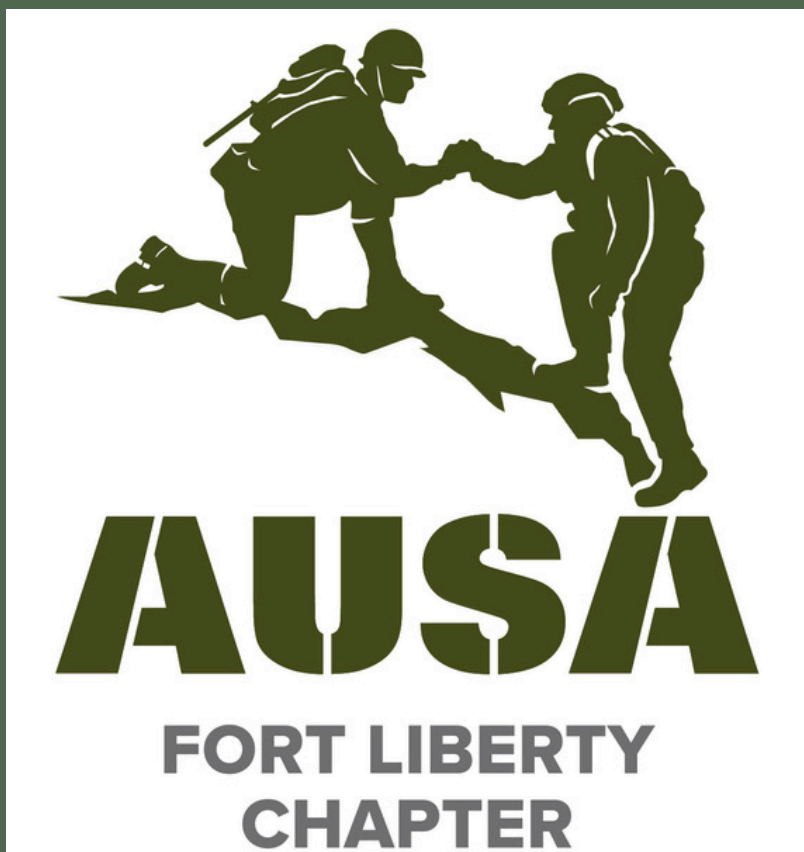
The Association of the United States Army is a nonprofit educational and professional development association serving America's Total Army, our Soldiers, Army civilians, and their families, our community partners, and supporters of a strong national defense. Fort Liberty Chapter provides a voice for the Army, supports the Soldier, and honors those who have served to advance the security of the nation

- The Chapter educates our members, the public, industry, and Congress about the critical nature of land warfare and the Army's central role in national defense.
- The Chapter informs our members, the greater Fort Liberty/North Carolina, communities, and Congress about issues affecting America's Army and the Soldiers who serve in the Regular Army, the North Carolina Army National Guard, and Army Reserve.
- The Chapter connects the Army to the American people at the national, state, and chapter levels.

# Agenda

- **Review of Past Activities**
- **Projection of Upcoming Activities**
- **Volunteer Coordination**
- **Building AUSA's Local Positive Impact Through Volunteers**
- **Membership Comments and Questions**





# Over 50,000

Total Membership for Fort Liberty Chapter

# Over 750

Lifetime Members

# 48

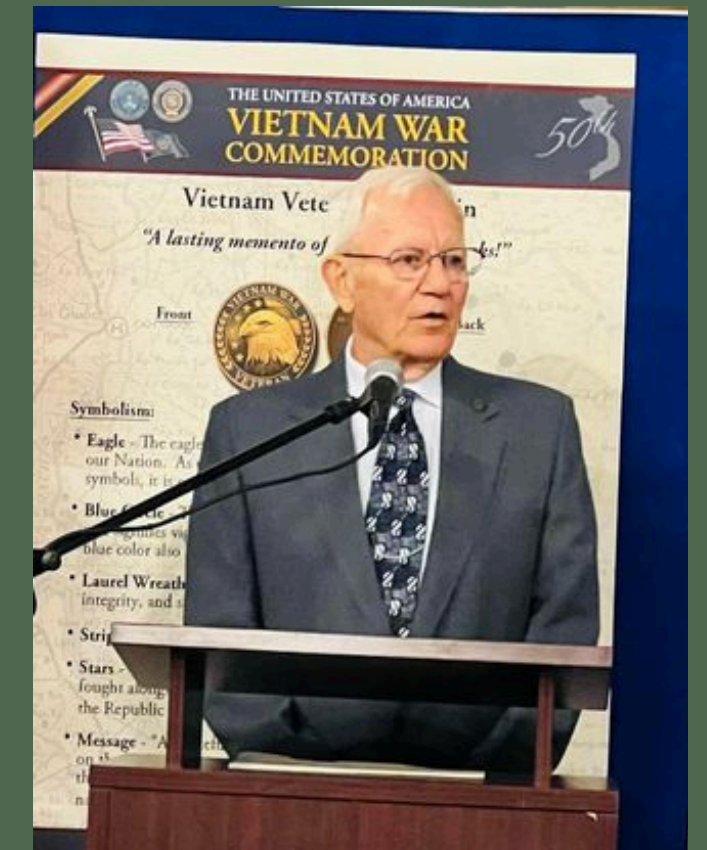
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Join as a Member and Community  
Partner Here:

<https://www.ausa.org/membership>



# Past Activities





# Upcoming Activities

APRIL - JUNE 2024

# ASYMCA Fort Liberty Month of the Military Child Spring Bash

Join us April 27th from 11-1pm for our annual Month of the Military Child Spring Bash!!

Facebook Event Link:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/430092579694170>

Festivities include: Bounce Houses, Food Trucks, Raffle Items, Arts & Crafts and more!

Open and FREE for all Fort Liberty military families



# UNCW Military Appreciation Baseball Game



Pre-game social at the Track and Field Parking lot prior to the game. We will host a cookout (hamburgers/hotdogs, chips, drinks) and then head over to the game at 5:15. There will be a few “special guests” throwing out the first pitch.

Event: UNCW Military Appreciation Baseball Game: UNCW vs. Campbell

Date: Saturday, May 4

Time: Pre-Game Social 3:30 to 5:15 pm / Game 6:00 pm first pitch

Location: Social at Track & Field parking lot / Game at Brooks Field

Directions: Green Track & Field Social

<https://uncwsports.com/facilities/greene-track-field-complex/4>

Brooks Baseball Field <https://uncwsports.com/facilities/brooks-field/2>

Cost: Two FREE tickets for any military-affiliated attendee

RSVP to [militaryaffairs@uncw.edu](mailto:militaryaffairs@uncw.edu) ticket requests no later than May 1st.



# 2024 Annual Awards Ceremony and Army Birthday Celebration

MG Al Aycock, U.S. Army (Retired), President, of the Association of the United States Army Fort Liberty Chapter, requests the pleasure of your company to the chapter's:

WHAT: 2024 Annual Awards Ceremony and Army Birthday Celebration

WHEN: 1200, Tuesday, 11 June 2024

WHERE: Iron Mike Conference Center, 2658 Rock Merritt Ave, Fort Liberty, NC 28310

Please use the link below to Rsvp NLT Wednesday, 3 June 2024:  
[2024 Annual Awards Ceremony and Army Birthday Celebration \(afit.edu\)](https://afit.edu)

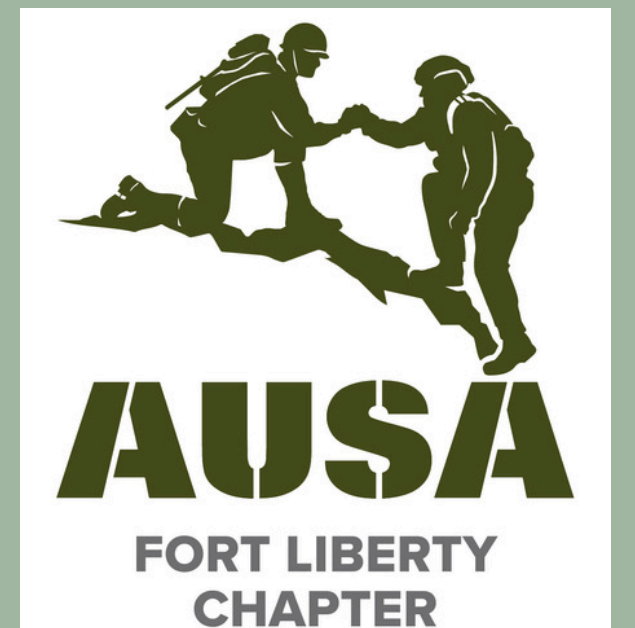
Thank you and we hope to see you at the scholarship ceremony!

## Sponsorship Opportunities Available



# VOLUNTEER COORDINATION

“There is nothing stronger than the heart of a volunteer.”



# Building AUSA's Local Positive Impact Through Volunteers



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## Executive Board

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# Community Partners

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# Membership Benefits

Did you know your Membership has benefits?  
We invite you to explore all the benefits your  
membership has to offer!  
Everything from Business, Legal Documents,  
Entertainment to Travel!

<https://www.ausa.org/member-benefits>

Fort Liberty Chapter, AUSA Senior Advisor  
Major General (Retired) Rodney O. Anderson

North Carolina Military Affairs Commission NCMAC  
Focusing on Military Spouse Employment Opportunities

Military Spouses have to navigate with each PCS, regulations and processes that can make it difficult to find work, particularly in licensed professions.

North Carolina has over 40,000 Military Spouses  
North Carolina is the most military-friendly state in the nation and has the fifth largest military presence in the country. To support the needs of our current and future military families, the State of North Carolina is a member of the National Association of State Personnel Executives (NASPE)





# Comments or Questions?

Email:

[FortLiberty@AUSA.org](mailto:FortLiberty@AUSA.org)

# Thank You for Attending!



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