



JOIN US as a Community Partner and show your support!

**THE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY
REDSTONE – HUNTSVILLE CHAPTER
VOICE FOR THE ARMY. SUPPORT FOR THE SOLDIER.**

What is AUSA? AUSA is the Army's Professional Association. It is a private, non-profit educational organization established in 1950. Members include all ranks (four-star to recruit, Active Army, Reserve, National Guard, and Retired), Department of the Army Civilians, patriotic private citizens, and Sustaining and Corporate members. All support a well-prepared Army, with well cared for soldiers and their families. The Redstone- Huntsville Chapter #3103 was chartered in 1959 and has been selected as the Best Large Chapter for many years!!

What does AUSA do? AUSA represents every member of the U.S. Army, uniformed and civilian, and their families. AUSA is the voice for all components of the Army. AUSA fosters public support for the Army's role in national security through an active dialogue with congressional members and Executive Branch officials. As an educational foundation, it provides professional education and information programs in matters concerning our Army.

What does AUSA do locally? Here are a few of the many local activities that the Redstone Huntsville Chapter supports or sponsors:

- Host of the annual Global Force Symposium an educational event that brought almost 4000 visitors to Huntsville in 2018
- First Sergeant Ordway Award, Junior (High School programs) and Senior (College) ROTC Awards, Department of the Army Civilian of the Year recognition program, and the Volunteer Family of the Year award in North Alabama
- Host AUSA Missiles Symposium held in Huntsville each year
- Army Birthday Celebration in June
- Leads or teams with North Alabama Veterans & Fraternal Organizations Coalition (NAVFOC) and the Military Affairs committees/representatives of the various Chambers of Commerce to execute Memorial Day events, Armed Forces Week Celebrations, Veterans Week Activities, and special commemorations throughout the year.
- In addition to our main chapter we also have the Anniston-based "Gallant Pelham" Satellite Chapter and our West Alabama Sub-Chapter
- Host the Wounded Warriors Softball Team
- Support for US Army Recruiting Command
- Military Appreciation Nights at various community events
- Special Events such as the Vietnam War Lecture Series

What will a Corporate Membership mean for you?

Regardless of the business you are in, show your commitment for the U.S. Army in North and Central Alabama, most notably Redstone Arsenal.

It will demonstrate to our Community that you are supporting your Army and its mission, while strengthening your own business opportunities. You receive an AUSA Corporate Member plaque to display. Your employees and customers will know that you support your Army.

Increase your visibility in the military market.

Your Company will be listed as a member in the quarterly Redstone-Huntsville AUSA SALUTE newsletter received by over 30,000 people as an insert to the Redstone Rocket and direct mail to our 2,400+ members. A link from the chapter page to your company website highlighting your capabilities. Inclusion in a corporate member chapter directory highlighting your corporate capabilities so other corporate members know how to work with your organization.

Provide NEW networking opportunities.

- You will receive first invitations to local AUSA functions, including corporate member only “Updates to Industry” and HOT TOPICS where military leaders meet with corporate members for candid discussions on a non-attribution basis
- Invitations to attend all recognition events for corporate members (we have over 250 Community Partners in our chapter thumbprint as well as 3000+ individual members!
- **AUSA YP** – an initiative to encourage membership and participation by Young Professionals in the programs of AUSA
- **Volunteerism** – we can connect your employee volunteers with opportunities to assist Soldiers, Veterans, and their families

Receive educational material concerning the Army - The Chapter SALUTE Newsletter, ARMY Magazine which includes the Annual “Green Book” that explains how the Army is organized, its equipment, and comments from its leaders

Other benefits-

- Our Community partners receive preference for room reservations at the Embassy Suites – Convention Center blocked by the Chapter for the AUSA Annual Meeting & Exposition in Washington, D.C. Attended by over 35,000 throughout the Army community. (Rooms within walking distance to the Convention Center can be extremely difficult to obtain and rates are very competitive)
- Tickets (first come first serve basis) to the Community Partner Appreciation Luncheon during the Annual Meeting and Exposition
- Sponsorship opportunities for chapter events throughout the year

Please join us today!!! <https://www.ausa.org/membership/communitypartner>

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