A Successful Army Ball.

One of the Sunshine Chapters premier activities is the Army Birthday Ball. It is always a wonderful evening full of comradery and entertainment. This year we held the Army Birthday Ball on June 15th at the Rosen Center in Orlando, FL. Thanks to the Chapter Army Ball Planning Committee for their skillful coordination in making this a successful event. As always, we are grateful for the generosity of our Community Partners, Sponsors, and Friends of the Chapter. Thanks to their support, we will be able to continue the tradition of hosting soldiers, veterans, wounded warriors, and cadets.

Scholarships Notifications Coming Soon!

In 2019 the Association of the United States Army will award more than $300,000 through 41 national level scholarships. The awards will be announced November 15, 2019. Keep
up to date on the AUSA National Scholarship Program by visiting: https://scholarship.ausa

September General Membership Meeting.

The Sunshine Chapter was honored to have as our guest speaker fellow Veteran and Orange County (FL) Sheriff John W. Mina. Sheriff Mina shared the story of his journey of service. A journey that began as a military police paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne Division. After his tour in the Army Sheriff Mina moved to Orlando, FL and joined the Orlando Police Department. He spend nearly 28 years with the Orlando Police rising through the ranks and becoming the Chief of Police in 2014. In November of 2018, Orange County voters chose Minas as the 29th elected Sheriff.

Mark Your Calendars:

• AUSA Monthly EXCOM Meeting, 3rd Wednesdays, 0730 @OST Global
• Honoring Gold Star Families, 28 September 1400-1600 @ Holden Heights Community Center (See Flyer Below)
• Charity Bike Ride, 6 Oct 2019, 1000 @American Legion Post 10 (See Flyer Below)
• YP Networking Social, 16 Oct 2019 @UCF VARC, 1600 - 1800
• Defense Forum Breakfast, 10 January 2020 @Holiday Inn UCF
• General Membership Meeting & Luncheon, 6 Feb 2020
• 3rd Region Meeting, 22-26 April 2020, Army Museum, DC
• Army Birthday Ball, 20 Jun 2020 @Rosen Centre Orlando
PLEASE JOIN MAYOR JERRY L. DEMINGS
AND THE ORANGE COUNTY MAYOR’S VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL

As We Honor Gold Star Families

We embrace these patriots in our hearts and thoughts. By acknowledging their sacrifice, we also honor and remember their loved ones who died while serving in the United States Armed Forces.

Saturday, September 28, 2019 | 2 - 4 p.m.

RSVP by September 20, 2019 to Shasta.shaffer@mail.house.gov.

The Holden Heights Community Center
1201 20th St., Orlando 32805

Join us for refreshments following the ceremony.

Please bring a photo of your loved one.
It will be returned to you.
SUNDAY
October 6, 2019

AUSA SUNSHINE CHAPTER CHARITY RIDE

WHERE:
AMERICAN LEGION POST 10
205 LAKEVIEW DR
KISSIMMEE, FL 34741

REGISTRATION: 8:00AM-9:30AM
SAFETY BRIEF: 9:40AM-9:50AM
KICK STANDS UP: 10:00AM

RSVP NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 3, 2019
VP.SUNSHINE@AUSA.ORG

DONATION: $20 PER BIKE INCLUDING BREAKFAST & SNACK
(ESCORTED BY OSCEOLA COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE)