

May 26, 2019

Class of '99,

The following provides a brief summary of class business.

### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

[Meeting minutes](#) are available for review on the Class of 1999 website.

### **CLASS REUNION**

We have launched our reunion website! This website will allow you to register for the reunion, sign up for various events, and much more! Please register for our 20-year reunion via [Signupnow.events/usna1999!](https://signupnow.events/usna1999!)

Want some *swag* for our class reunion? Check out the USNA '99 Class Shop! Visit the websites below to purchase '99 gear in anticipation of our 20th Reunion!  
<https://navyclassof99.itemorder.com/> **AND** [www.foreverfirstie.com](http://www.foreverfirstie.com)

As we prepare for our reunion, we are working to update our rosters and other administrative records, we ask that you please take a moment to update your contact information on [USNA.COM](http://USNA.COM). Thank you!

Visit our website to see the latest reunion [SOE](#).

### **SHIPMATE**

Thank you for your *Shipmate* column inputs. Please keep 'em coming! The more pictures the better! It's REALLY easy - just provide submissions [here](#) or email Darlene Viscusie directly at [dmviscusie@yahoo.com](mailto:dmviscusie@yahoo.com). Submissions are due **today** for the June issue.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Past ledgers available under the [finance tab](#).

### **Fundraising**

We are currently researching the best way to collect donations specific to our class and possibly a class cause or legacy in which we can invest. Until then, there are several ways for you to give back to the Academy and the Alumni Association:

***Called to Serve, Dare to Lead Campaign*** – The USNA AA and Foundation recently announced a \$400M fundraising campaign focused on supporting four key areas at the Naval Academy: the USNA International Program, the Midshipmen Welfare Fund, a future Naval Academy AA and Foundation Center across from the baseball stadium, and the unrestricted Naval Academy Fund in which the Supe allocates the funds as necessary for the day-to-day

function of the Brigade. To find out more and to donate, go to [https://www.usna.com/daringtolead\\_presentation](https://www.usna.com/daringtolead_presentation)

**All Academy Challenge** – This is a friendly contest between graduates of the five U.S. service academies - Air Force, Coast Guard, West Point, Merchant Marine and Naval Academy—to see who can get the highest percentage of their graduates to make a gift during the five-day challenge. Your company can match your gift, but only your gift will count toward our participation total. From **May 30 through June 4**, gifts can be made online at <https://www.allacademychallenge.com/pages/aac-home>.

## COMMUNICATIONS

Missed an email? You can review past emails [here](#).

## MISCELLANEOUS

The US Naval Academy Alumni Association is conducting a survey that will help them understand the history of USNA's curriculum over the last 40 years. The survey will hopefully capture graduates' responses to their educational experience at USNA from the time they decided to attend, through their time at the Academy, and on into their Navy/USMC career and subsequent civilian employment. It takes about 30-40 minutes and is voluntary. Please take a moment and help the USNAAA with your input.

Links for the survey:

For alumni who are currently [civilians](#).

For alumni who are currently [on active duty](#).

### **Upcoming events**

The Service Academies Global Summit (SAGS) will be hosting a networking event on June 11-13 in Annapolis, MD. Visit their website to review the agenda and to register: <https://serviceacademiesglobalsummit.com>.

Are you transitioning out of the military, or looking to transition to another job? If so, consider attending on of the upcoming Service Academy Career Conference (SACC).

- June 13-14, 2019, D.C.
- Aug. 8-9, San Diego
- Nov. 14-15, 2019 San Antonio

Information about the Conference, as well as current jobs posted, can be found at [SACCCentral](#). A SACCCentral account has been created for every graduate!

**BRAVO ZULU!** CONGRATULATIONS to all '99 **RESERVISTS** who promoted to O-6!!

Thank you,  
Executive Committee  
USNA Class of 1999