

BLUE ANGELS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION P.O. BOX 1011 GULF BREEZE, FL 32561 www.blueangelsalumni.com

BAAA BOD Meeting 1 October 2024

Biennial Membership Meeting 1 November 2024

BOD Time 0730-0800

All Hands 0815-0900 Meeting Scheduled

Pledge of Allegiance

0815 Call to order

Old Business

Taxes- 2023 Taxes filed April 2024rejected- by IRS, required 2 years filings plus not filed under proper account type. Refiled 2023 taxes on Aug 2024. The BOD will work this issue until we are a 501 c 19 Non-Profit. It will take more time. Notifications will be published on the WEB Site when this occurs.

Scholarships- Awarded and announced. Letters to awardees sent and checks sent. @2500 each to 3 awardees.

Reunion Hotel Count- Marriott 69 Rooms, Hilton + room

Terry will show the 15th Biennial Reunion Coin

Intro the BOD

Intro the New BOD of 2025

Mail Chimp Letter, accuracy based on ALL your contact information updated by members Include your AMN # and only contact us via the emails listed below.

All communications to anyone on the BOD, the membership must use the emails established:

President@blueangelsalumni.com, vicepresident@...., treasurer@..., secretary....@ or Board@.....

<u>Donations to the Blue Angels Alumni Association</u> <u>Anonymous Financial Pledges or Donations \$ 3250 in 2024.</u>

Elections ZERO participation from the membership!!!! That is not a good indicator for future development and growth.

Review of ALL membership feedback on upcoming BOD meeting. Review of items wanting attention from the BOD giving feedback to membership. **NONE PROVIDED. Again not a good trend.**

NEW Business

1. FACE BOOK- We should all thank John Cardova who set the page up and the volunteers who maintain it. It provides a great service.

However, members of the BAAA find it a great place to air their perceived issues/concerns in public. This stops today. The BAAA has many OFFICIAL emails that go to Officers of the Board as well as ALL members of the Board. All communications MUST be sent to the organization to be addressed internally. I will ask the management of the FB page to remove those posts and add that the person should send their concern to the BAAA via emails addresses provided.

- 2. New Elections in 2026 participate it your association
- 3. Next Reunion Nov 2026. Like or don't like how this (2024) was done? Provide feedback via email to board@ blueangelsalumni.com by end of Dec 2024.
- 4. This organization's growth depends on enticing all team members past and present to join the BAAA. That's your job!!!
- 5. Info update for the weekend events?
- 6. Things we think did not go well or as planned.
 - a. Ticket Sales with regard to self-imposed limits. Negative Member Responce
 - i. 2026 all Air Show Seating Sales if available and quantity limits will be in person at check in beginning the first registration day of reunion weekend on a FCFS basis.
 - ii. All other EVENTS will be on the Web Ste as we did this year.
- 7. Blue Angels 80th Anniversary is next year. It is predicted to be BIG
 - a. It will more than likely occur on the off week in the summer.
 - b. When info becomes available we will post.

0900 Meeting Closed David Kenneth Parker President Blue Angels Alumni Association president@blueangelsalumni.com dparker@blueangelsalumni.com board@blueangelsalumni.com 607-373-6377