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SAVE THE DATES!



**Military Officers Association of America
Florida Council of Chapters (FCoC)
Leadership Training Seminar &
49th Annual Convention**



29-31 January 2026



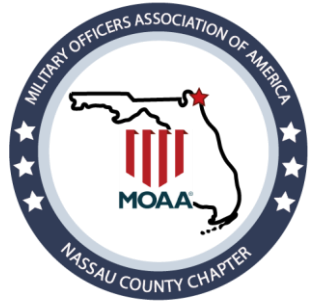
Rosen Centre Hotel | Orlando, Florida



REGISTER at: <https://flmoaa.org/events/>

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General Meeting – 9 Sep 2025



Call to order:

- **New Members and Guests**

(New Members: Signup for the Legislative Action Center)

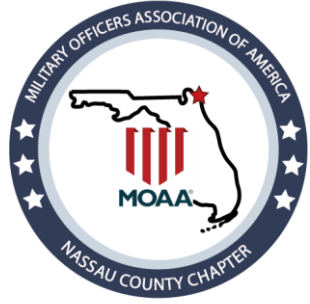
Happy Birthday U.S. Coast Guard – 4 Aug

Happy Birthday U.S. Air Force – 18 Sep

National POW/MIA Recognition Day – 19 Sep

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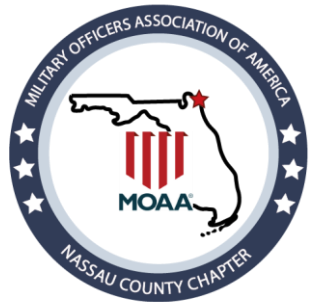
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Pledge of Allegiance



"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."



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Invocation



Jim Mackowski
CDR USN (Ret)

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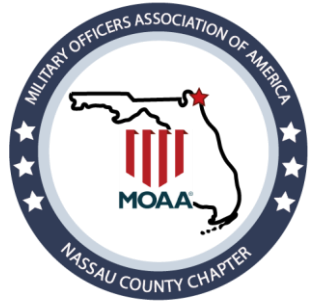
POW/MIA Moment of Silence



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- The table is round – to show our everlasting concern.
 - The tablecloth is white, symbolizing the purity of their motives when answering the call to serve.
 - The single red rose reminds us of the lives of these Americans...and the loved ones and friends who keep the faith, awaiting answers.
 - The yellow ribbon symbolizes our continued uncertainty, hope for their return and determination to account for them.
 - A slice of lemon reminds us of their bitter fate, captured or missing in a foreign land.
 - A pinch of salt symbolizes the tears of our missing and their families.
 - The lighted candle reflects our hope for their return.
 - The glasses are inverted - to symbolize their inability to share a toast. The chair is empty – they are missing.

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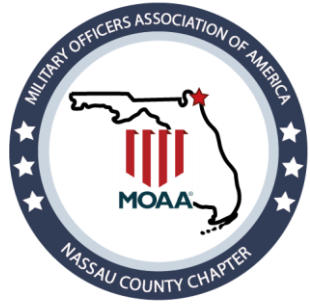
Lunch

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Lt. Gen. Brian Kelly, USAF (Ret) President and CEO of MOAA

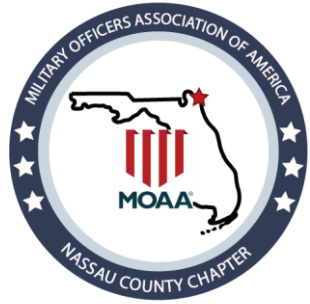


Lt. Gen. Kelly joined the Air Force in 1989, as a graduate of Notre Dame’s ROTC program. In his 33-year Air Force career, Kelly served in a number of key command and staff positions, including Commander, 92nd Mission Support Squadron, Fairchild AFB, Wash.; Deputy Director, manpower and personnel, Multi-National Security Transition Command, Iraq; Director, manpower, personnel and administration, U.S. Southern Command, Fla.; Commander, 31st Mission Support Group, Aviano Air Base, Italy; Commander, 501st Combat Support Wing, RAF Alconbury, U.K.; Director, manpower, personnel and services, Air Combat Command, JB Langley-Eustis, Va.; Director, military force management policy for Deputy Chief of Staff for manpower, personnel and services at the Pentagon; and Commander, Air Force Personnel Center, JB San Antonio-Randolph, Texas. Kelly retired from active duty in 2022 after serving as the Air Force’s Deputy Chief of Staff for manpower, personnel and services at the Pentagon.

Kelly took over as MOAA’s President and CEO in January 2023.

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President's Report

- **IRS Determination – Good News and So So News**
 - **501c(19), tax exempt status for the Chapter, but donations are not tax deductible**
- **The BoD is exploring options so that...**
 - **Donations are tax deductible**
 - **The Chapter qualifies as a tax-exempt organization to receive IRA donations**

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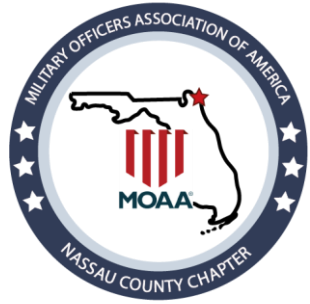
- **FCoC Leadership Training Seminar & Convention**
 - **29 – 31 Jan 2026 at the Rosen Centre in Orlando**
 - **Registration is open at: <https://flmoaa.org/events/>**
- **My Ask: Attend at least “ONE” LTS/C**

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| - Training on a host of topics | - Military Dining Out | - Casino Night |
| - Rooms \$159/night | - Two Dinners Included | - Universal Studios Outing |
| - Spouse Event / Golf Outing | - VA Rep On Sight | - Legislative Updates |
| - Keynote Speaker | - MOAA Updates | - Vendors On Sight |

**** \$40 Registration Fee (Includes two dinners and hospitality suite snacks and drinks ****

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Levels of Excellence Awards - 2024



**5 Star LOE Award
-- Newsletter --**



**5 Star LOE Award
-- Chapter --**



**4 Star LOE Award
-- Website --**

LOE awards are MOAA's most prestigious affiliate awards, honoring councils and chapters for their efforts across the full scope of our association's mission.

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- **Passing of Col Sam Lane, USAF (Ret)**
 - **Surviving Spouse – Lea**
 - **Celebration of Life – 5 Oct, Story and Song, 1300-1600**

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Mission Area Update

- Advocacy -



- **Advocacy in Action (AiA): Summer Campaign**
- **Chapter Legislative Affairs Director sent CALL TO ACTION emails**
 - *Passing the Major Richard Star Act*
 - *Improving TRICARE Access to Care*
 - *Passing the Military Spouse Hiring Act*(LOE #2 Participation)
- **Chapter signed up in the Legislative Action Center: ~57%**
(LOE #2 Participation)

LOE #1: Membership

LOE #2: Participation

LOE #3: Funding

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Mission Area Update - Philanthropy & Community Service -



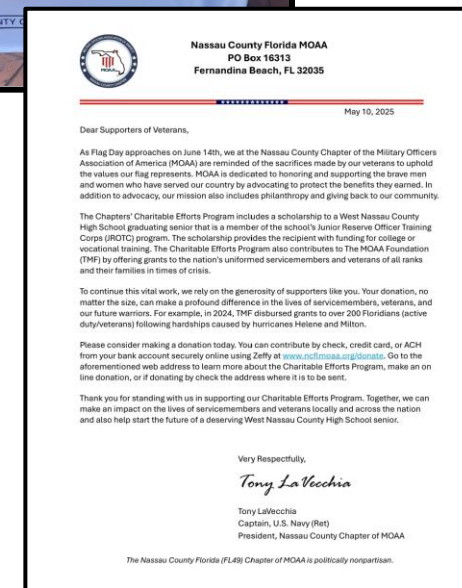
- **Donations – Year to Date: \$3,870**

(LOE #3 Fundraising, LOE #2 Participation, LOE #1 Membership)

- **NSB Kings Bay Food Distribution – 8 Nov**

- **Food assistance for junior enlisted personnel/families**
- **Commissary gift cards**
- **The MOAA Foundation Community Outreach Grant**

(LOE #2 Participation)



LOE #1: Membership	LOE #2: Participation	LOE #3: Funding
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Mission Area Update



- Camaraderie -



- **Recruitment Advertising – Social & Print Media**
(LOE #1 Membership)
- **Officer Call 21 October – The Surf**
(LOE #2 – Participation)



Join MOAA & Make an Impact!

Calling all Active, Retired, and Former Military Officers (+ USPHS & NOAA) and Surviving Spouses!

Join the **Nassau County FL (FL49) Chapter of MOAA** – the country’s leading organization preserving and protecting service-earned benefits for uniformed servicemembers and their families.

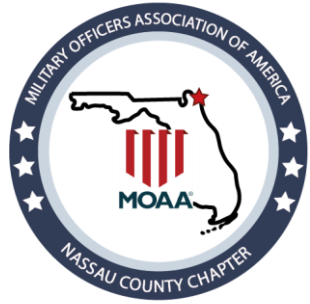
- Camaraderie with a purpose
- Make your voice heard
- Give back to the community
- Stay informed & connected

Join: www.ncflmoaa.org/membership or use QR Code
Learn More: www.moaa.org

LOE #1: Membership **LOE #2: Participation** **LOE #3: Funding**

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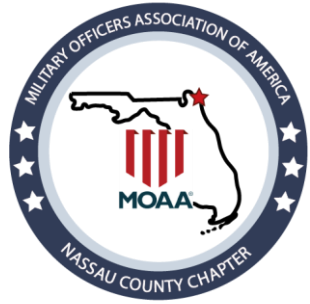
Treasurer's Report

Bob Bell, CAPT USN (Ret)

- **Account Reconciled with First Federal Bank**
- **Meal Prices to increase October 1 - Lunch \$20; Dinners \$30**
- **Received \$3,250 Community Outreach Grant from The MOAA Foundation (NSB Kings Bay Food Distribution / Commissary Gift Cards)**
- **Received \$801 in Other Donations Over the Summer. Total for CY = \$3,870**
- **Start Collecting Dues for 2026 in October**

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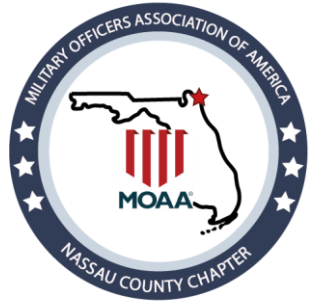


Upcoming Events

- 14 Oct: Chapter Meeting – 1730, Guest Speaker: Commissioner, A.M. "Hupp" Huppmann**
- 21 Oct: Officer Call – 1730, The Surf Restaurant & Bar**
- 1 Nov(T): Charitable Efforts Program (CEP) Donation Drive, Winn-Dixie – Callahan, 1100-1600**
- 8 Nov: Food Distribution, Submarine Base Kings Bay, 1000-1200**
- 28/29 Oct: Total Force +, National Harbor, MD**
- 11 Nov: Veterans Day Parade**
- 18 Nov: Chapter Meeting – 1130, Guest Speaker: RADM (Sel) Bob Wirth, COMSUBGRU 10**
- 12 Dec: Christmas Party - 1730 cocktails, 1830 dinner**
- 29/31 Jan: FCoC Leadership Training Seminar & Convention (LTS/C) – Orlando, FL**

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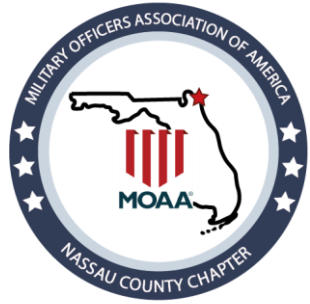
Q & A



Saved Rounds / Questions / Comments

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General Meeting – 9 Sep 2025



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- **Be a Recruiter** – Get one person to join our Chapter
 - **Participate** – Call to Action / Donate / Attend MOAA Events

Adjourned

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