**St Louis-Gateway Chapter Minutes of the Quarterly Board Meeting – 03 FEB 2018**

Attached are minutes from meeting

Urgent stuff: Parent's Club meeting 11 March 11am Pasta House U City, need/want our final details on 20 April Founder's Day. Pricing, timing of event, location, registration website.

      Kirk and Keith, can you get the details firmed up, we said potentially 630 cocktails 7pm dinner buffet of Three leaves menu, dessert cost or cake fee? Price point was to have ~ $40 per person so we can set our cost ~$45 so 5 dollars collected per person to cover Supt's meal, wife and/or aides. Also to cover Bartender fee and gift if we are allowed to get that.

Next Meeting 12 April 2018, 1600 Schneithorst's Bar to firm up our Founder's Day planning and Memorial Day planning

Trivia Night Friday April 13th, if a table is going to be set-up/purchased, Please let Elizabeth Know if you want to attend, table of 8 is 25 per person so ~200 dollars. Need to know if we have enough folks to make a table or not.

Volunteering for Trivia Night--please email Elizabeth at egranier36@yahoo.com so she can send sign-up genius link

Memorial Day: Finalize speaker, Bob sent bios on 4 GO's Said in Feb message needs 2-3 grads to attend to help with laying wreath on Lt Blessie's Grave.

Lee is leaving 😞 so we now need another board member. Pat Ellis is one potential replacement. Zach are you still interested? Haven't heard from you.

Elizabeth will post on Facebook these NEED items, Reed can you update the Website? It not, let me know and will try to fit it into schedule this week

With heavy hearts we wanted to inform our St. Louis-Gateway USAF Academy community that we have lost a fellow grad and true friend of USAFA.

**John Bugner, ’71,**passed away last Friday.  John served as a flight navigator aboard various models of the C-130, and also flew as a WSO on the F-4.  He served as our Chapter Board Secretary for several years and was the most dedicated from among our group – he organized our recent Founders Day Dinners and ran our Service Academy Golf Tournaments.  John’s vision and dogged work led to our Chapter earning Distinguished Chapter recognition from AOG the past three years.

Visitation: The family will receive friends from 4:00 – 8:00 pm, Friday, October 13, 2017 at Wolfersberger Funeral Home, 102 W. Washington St., O’Fallon, Ill., and from 10:00 – 10:45 am, Saturday, October 14, 2017 at Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 205 Rasp St., Shiloh, Ill.

Funeral: Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 am, Saturday, October 14, 2017 at the church, with Msgr. James Margason presiding.

Burial will take place at a later date at the Air Force Academy Cemetery, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Memorial donations are requested to the: USO, Habitat for Humanity, or Corpus Christi Catholic Church in Shiloh, Ill.