



Established on September 4, 1963, the AFA Charleston Chapter consists of over 600 military and civilian members who live and work in Charleston County and across the state. We promote community understanding and support of a strong air, space, and cyberspace defense force. Our Chapter invests in the future of young men and women interested in military service and/or aerospace defense industries and their families.

We develop the next generation of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) leaders by investing in local STEM education, bridging students with STEM opportunities, distributing scholarships and grants, and more. We seek to build a talented STEM workforce that will support long-term U.S. security. Our Chapter supports the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) and Air Force Junior ROTC (JROTC) organizations by recognizing CAP and JROTC cadets.

WHO WE ARE

Our mission: to promote dominate U.S. Air & Space Forces as the foundation of a strong National Defense; to honor and support our Airmen, Guardians, and their Families; and to remember and respect our enduring heritage.

Our vision: the Air Force Association will be the premier professional military and aerospace education association in the nation, dedicated to the United States dominance in air, space, and cyberspace, a strong national defense, and support for the people who serve the United States Air Force and United States Space Force.

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The Air & Space Force Association has played a crucial role in support of the U.S. Air Force for 75 years and the U.S. Space Force since its inception in 2019.



AIR & SPACE FORCES ASSOCIATION



Community Partner Program

AFA is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization that supports the United States Air and Space Forces with the goal of ensuring a dominate air, space, and cyber power.

Programs

- **CyberPatriot**
- **StellarXplorers**
- **Local STEM Education and Awareness**
- **Teacher of the Year Grants**
- **Wounded Airmen Program**
- **Civil Air Patrol Support**
- **Arnold Air Society & Silver Wings**
- **ROTC & Junior ROTC Pitsenbarger Awards**
- **Airmen and Guardian Awards**
- **Joint-Base Charleston Military Support**
- **Joint-Base Charleston Family Support**

Recent Chapter Activities:

- AFA State, Charleston Chapter, and ROTC Annual Awards
- Legacy Flight Academy Presents: "Eyes Above the Horizon – Joint Base Charleston STEM Expo"
- STEM Teacher of the Year Award
- STEMpalooza STEM EXPO
- Berkeley Middle School Holiday STEM Shop
- Palmetto Cyber Defense Competition
- Cyber-In-The-Middle
- AFJROTC Outreach
- AFFORGEN Deployment Fitness Transformation Challenge



Why Become a Community Partner?

Value

- Community-Based Exposure through your local AFA
- Local Engagement with Key Stakeholders at local AFA hosted events
- Amplified Awareness of Your Business in the Community

AFA Benefits

- All the benefits of an AFA membership (including a subscription to Air & Space Forces Magazine)
- Digital AFA Community Partner logo access to place on your website or on social media
- Opportunities for brand recognition and event sponsorship in your community
- Community Partner plaque for display in your business
- Window decal for signage and promotion

Annual Contribution & Benefits

Community Partner I

\$90

- ❖ 1 POC receives AFA Benefits listed

Community Partner II

\$180

- ❖ 2 POCs receive AFA Benefits listed

Community Partner Bronze

\$500

- ❖ 2 POCs receive AFA Benefits listed plus Community Partner business feature on Chapter's social media

Community Partner Silver

\$750

- ❖ 2 POCs receive AFA Benefits listed plus Community Partner business feature on Chapter's social media and website*

Community Partner Gold

\$1000

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Community Partner Plaque Presentation

Community Partner Platinum

\$2500+

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Community Partner Plaque Presentation and 2 tickets to attend the AFA Charleston Teacher of the Year presentation during the yearly Charleston Engineers Joint Council Engineers Week Banquet

* – website currently under renovation

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