



WEST POINT SOCIETY OF NAPLES

SUMMER 2025

SOCIETY NEWS

*Serving Graduates throughout
Southwest Florida*

Welcome!

Upcoming Events

Parents Club Hail & Farewell

When: Monday, June 2

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: Club at Renaissance

Save the Dates!

Future Events

- Fall Luncheon: Oct 23, 2025 - Club at Renaissance
- Army A/F (Nov 1, 2025) and Army/Navy (Dec 13, 2025) Watch Parties!
- Annual Meeting and Luncheon: Jan 24, 2026 - Grey Oaks Country Club
- Founders Day: Mar 19, 2026 - Grey Oaks Country Club
- Spring Luncheon: Apr 8, 2026 - Club at Renaissance
- Hail & Farewell: Jun 1, 2026 - Club at Renaissance

Dear Members and Friends –

With the last day of spring officially approaching, we are pleased to bring you highlights of all our spring events. Be sure to mark your calendars for our fall plans and we hope you all have a fantastic summer!

Honoring Service, Remembering Sacrifice: The End of the Vietnam War's 50th Anniversary Commemoration



As the nation concludes its 13-year commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War, WPSN joins Americans across the country in reflecting on this significant milestone.

The United States Vietnam War Commemoration, which began in 2012 and concludes this Veterans Day, has provided an important opportunity to honor the service and sacrifice of Vietnam veterans and their families.

The Vietnam War remains one of the most complex chapters in American history. Between 1955 and 1975, nearly 3 million Americans served in Vietnam. More than 58,000 made the ultimate sacrifice, and over 300,000 were wounded. For decades after their return, many veterans faced challenges receiving the recognition and support they deserved.

This commemoration period has sought to rectify that oversight, with thousands of events nationwide thanking and honoring Vietnam veterans and their families. Communities large and small have hosted ceremonies,

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parades, and educational programs to ensure that the service of these veterans is properly acknowledged and their stories preserved for future generations.

As part of the commemoration, Congress authorized the Vietnam Commemoration to recognize all who served on active duty at any time during the "Vietnam War period." While there is no definitive start date nor end date, the legislation designated 1 November 1955 (the official designation of Military Assistance Advisory Group-Vietnam (MAAG-V)) until 15 May 1975 (the end of the last official battle of the Vietnam War, precipitated by the seizure of the SS Mayaguez) as the official recognition time period.

No distinction is made between veterans who served in-country boots-on-the-ground, in-theater, or who were stationed elsewhere during the Vietnam War period. Living U.S. Veterans who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces at any time during the period from November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975, regardless of location, are eligible to receive a lapel pin.



Lapel Pin

Our own community includes many Vietnam veterans whose courage and commitment exemplify the highest ideals of service. Their experiences during and after the war have shaped not only their lives but also our understanding of sacrifice, resilience, and the true cost of conflict.

The West Point Society of Naples has been proud to serve as a Commemorative Partner with the National Commission in the 50th Anniversary Commemoration of the Vietnam War. We focused primarily on recognizing those graduates and others who are not normally found in the American Legion, VFW, or other such activities. Through this initiative, our Society has recognized almost 400 Vietnam Veterans in multiple events within the society and throughout the community.

Special thanks goes to Pete Lilly '70 who initiated this endeavor and has served as Chairman, as well as to Ron Rezek '64 who led multiple outside events.

As we mark the conclusion of this formal commemoration, we recognize that our obligation to honor these veterans does not end. Rather, it continues as we preserve their stories, support their ongoing needs, and ensure that future generations understand the lessons of this pivotal period in our nation's history.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Dear Members and Friends,

It's amazing what a dedicated group of people can accomplish when united by a shared purpose. This past year, the West Point Society of Naples has grown stronger—not just in numbers, but in spirit—thanks to your continued involvement and support.



As I reflect on our journey together, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude. Our Society stands as a testament to the enduring bonds formed at West Point and the values that continue to guide us long after graduation. Your commitment to our mission has been nothing short of inspiring.

From the Fall Luncheon through Founders Day, and in our ongoing efforts to support our SWFL cadets and cadet candidates, you've shown what it means to live the values of Duty, Honor, Country beyond the gates of West Point. Whether welcoming new members, mentoring future leaders, or simply sharing stories that bridge generations of graduates, you have embodied the best traditions of our alma mater.

This year also marked the conclusion of the 13-year national commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War. As a Commemorative Partner, our Society recognized nearly 400 Vietnam Veterans through various events. We made a special effort to honor those graduates and veterans who might not typically participate in traditional veterans' organizations—ensuring that all who served receive the recognition they deserve. The dedication shown by our Vietnam-era graduates reminds us that it was largely their advocacy that helped America learn to separate the politics of war from those who carry its burden, paving the way for better treatment of those who served in post-9/11 conflicts.

As we prepare for the year ahead, I invite each of you to stay connected, get involved, and help shape the future of our Society. There's always room for new ideas, helping hands, and strong voices. Whether you can offer occasional assistance or take on a leadership role, your contribution matters and strengthens our community. The coming year promises new opportunities to serve, celebrate, and grow together.

Go Army!

Chris Williams, '87

President, West Point Society of Naples



SPRING EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

Founders Day 2025

Founders Day, held at Grey Oaks Country Club in Naples on March 14th, was an unforgettable gathering. Graduates, cadets, cadet candidates, and families came together to commemorate the rich heritage and traditions of West Point. This year's guest speaker was COL John Baskerville, Professor & Department Head, Department of English and World Languages. COL Baskerville and his wife Shelisa spent time with our cadets and cadet candidates to kick off the evening, and finished the evening with updates and answered questions about current events and life at the academy. (Unfortunately, he says he was unable to locate the missing bracelet!)



SPRING EVENT HIGHLIGHTS



ANNUAL MEETING AND LUNCHEON



The Grey Oaks Country Club in Naples hosted our annual meeting on Thursday, January 23, 2025. Members and guests enjoyed a productive session that included a meet and greet period, the annual update presentation, election of the Board of Directors, and lunch. The highlight of the event was an address by distinguished graduate General (Retired) Keith Alexander '74, who holds the distinction of being both the longest-serving Director of the National Security Agency and the first Commander of US Cyber Command. General Alexander delivered a compelling speech offering valuable insights into the current challenges facing the administration. His extensive background in national security and cyber operations provided attendees with a unique perspective on today's complex geopolitical landscape.

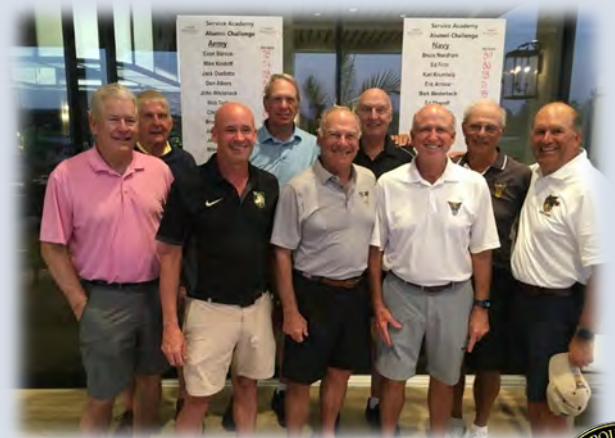
At the end of the luncheon, WPSN also recognized several Vietnam Veterans with a Memorial Lapel Pin



The Army Grads gave it a noble effort in the Annual All-Service Academy Golfing Tournament, but as Gregg Boron would say, "those sandbagging Squids did it again"! The Army Team came up just short of the goal line with a group score of 451 to Navy's 432 and besting Air Force's 468. A special thanks to **Don Albers '67** for getting the course and refreshments set up with the Bonita Bay Club, and to **John Whitenack '85** for the golf club covers for each respective Service Academy's low net scorer (the two Navy classmates that tied were fighting over their cover) and the USMA Ball Markers. Our Army Low Net player was Bruce Korda '68.

It was great having a full turnout for this year's event along with some Army grads playing in the tournament for the first time. Pictured below are: Chris Little '78, Don Albers '67, Rob Toole '89, Joe Horsfall '72, John Leone '68, Bruce Korda '68, John Backof '75, Mike Zolidis '70, and Evan Blanco '80. Not pictured are Team Members Mike Kostoff '79, Jack Ouellette '67, and John Whitenack '85.

Start practicing your swing for the next Tournament!



SPRING EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

Spring Luncheon

Our Spring Luncheon at the Club at Renaissance proved to be a delightful gathering for all who attended. The new venue was warmly received, offering excellent service, delicious food, and a comfortable setting that perfectly accommodated our group.

The event began with a social meet and greet, followed by lunch.

The highlight of the luncheon was an engaging presentation by Jim and Sally Hill about their experiences with the legendary racehorse Seattle Slew. Jim shared fascinating insights into horse racing and their personal journey with Slew, who, despite Sally humorously describing him as "the ugliest horse she ever saw," became one of racing's greatest champions. Their willingness to share these memorable stories made for an entertaining and educational afternoon.

The organizing committee extends sincere thanks to all who participated and welcomes feedback about the event to help plan future gatherings. Based on the positive reception, the Club at Renaissance appears to be an excellent venue choice for our organization going forward.



President Chris Williams
with Jim and Sally Hill



UPCOMING EVENTS

FALL LUNCHEON

When: October 23
Time: 11:30 AM
Place: The Club at the
Renaissance in Fort Myers

Save the Dates!

ANNUAL MEETING

When: January 24, 2026
Time: 11:30 AM
Place: Grey Oaks Country
Club

**R.s.v.p. will be through the
WPSN Website**

FOUNDERS DAY

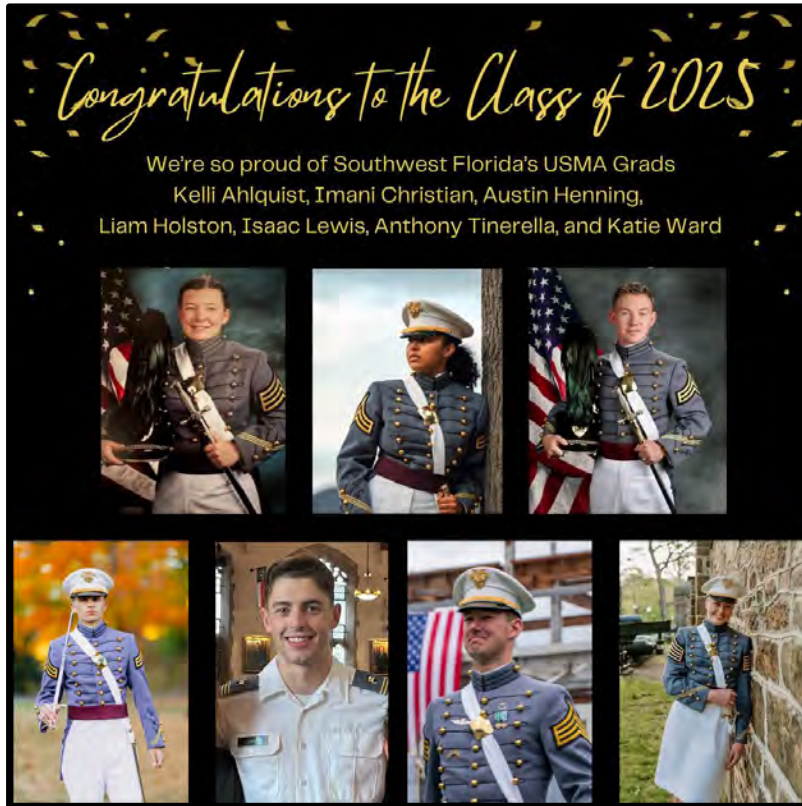
When: March 19, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM
Place: Grey Oaks Country
Club

Save the Dates!



SUPPORTING CADETS

West Point Parents Club of Southwest Florida



Bowling night



Fun night at Escondido Lounge with some of our WPPCSWFL Moms!



SWFL Cadet Liam Holston had the honor of meeting the legendary documentarian and filmmaker Ken Burns in March! You never know who you'll bump into at West Point!

<https://www.facebook.com/wppcswfl>



For more information about the Parents Club, follow us on Facebook or contact Patty Holston wppcswfl@gmail.com

Hail and Farewell 2025:

We will congratulate 2025 West Point Graduates and welcome 2029 New Cadet Candidates at our Hail & Farewell. This is an annual opportunity to visit with other graduates, welcome the new 2LTs into the Long Gray Line, and wish the New Cadet Candidates good luck as they start their 47 month journey at USMA!

Class of '79 is the 50 year affiliation class!



MEET A SWFL CADET

AUSTIN HENNING

Class of 2025

Company G-3

Academic Major: Philosophy



Austin Henning is a 2021 graduate of Barron Collier High School and entered the United States Military Academy that summer. Of note, during his first three years at the Academy, his Sponsor was LTC Andy Bryant, the FA Branch Rep, who happened to be from Fort Myers.

Following Plebe year and Cadet Field Training at Camp Buckner, Austin participated in the “Shakespeare Across England” Academic Individual Advanced Development (AIAD) in line with his academic major. This AIAD introduced Austin to the depth of Shakespeare’s writing and the impact it has had on English literature.

His intramural endeavors spanned the gamut from Funky Fitness to Ultimate Frisbie to Soccer and Flag Football. Austin was heavily involved in the Student Conference on US Affairs (SCUSA) all four years. He attended the National Conference on Ethics in America which focuses on ethical leadership. As a reminder of his SWFL home, he also participated in the Fishing Club.

During his Cow summer, Austin was a Beast Squad Leader. He also graduated from Air Assault School. During the academic year, he was the First Sergeant for the Brigade Headquarters Company, and later his company Public Affairs NCO. He started this academic year as the company store officer. His culminating cadet duty assignment was as Company Commander, Company G3.

Last summer, following Cadet Leadership Development Training (CLDT), Austin’s Field Artillery CTLT was actually with the 1st Battalion 509th Infantry, the OPFOR Battalion for the Joint Readiness Training Center (JRTC) at Fort Johnson, LA. It was a tremendous experience spending the JRTC rotation with the Recon Platoon and conducting various missions – all in the field.

Having the FA Branch Rep as his sponsor, Austin got his first choice in branching Field Artillery. His first assignment will be in the 18th Field Artillery Brigade, Fort Bragg. He is hoping for an Airborne slot within the brigade.



MEET A SWFL CADET

ISAAC M. LEWIS

Class of 2025

Company B-1

Academic Major: International Affairs



Isaac Lewis is an Army brat: both of his parents are West Point Graduates, Class of 1997 and 1998. Isaac graduated from West Springfield High School in Springfield, Virginia in 2021. Obtaining Senatorial, Congressional, and Presidential nominations, he entered West Point in 2021 joining the Class of 2025.

Isaac participated in Sandhurst all four years. Other intramural sports included ultimate frisbee and team handball. During Cow year, he was involved with the Scoutmaster's Council.

Following Plebe year and the summer's Cadet Field Training, Isaac participated in an Academic Individual Advanced Development (AIAD) in the Czech Republic, consistent with his Major in International Affairs. The next summer, he participated in a STEM AIAD working with middle-schoolers in Seattle, Washington and Boise, Idaho. Last summer, following Cadet Leadership Development Training (CLDT), Isaac had a third AIAD in Croatia working with the Defense Attaché in the American Embassy.

During Cow Summer, he was the Assistant S-4 for the Beast 2 Detail. During the academic year, Isaac was a Squad Leader and the Company Physical Development NCO. His Firstie year, he served as a Platoon Leader, Company Standards Officer, and Company Physical Development Officer.

For his Capstone Project, Isaac went to the INDOPACOM Headquarters in Hawaii to present his research on the Chinese influence in infrastructure projects in the Pacific through China's Belt and Road initiative and its impact on US relationships. He presented his findings during Project Day.

Isaac's Cadet Troop Leader Training (CTLT) was with an Infantry battalion in 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division at Fort Bliss, TX. This experience confirmed his branch preference for Air Defense. Upon graduation, following Basic Officer Leader Course (BOLC), he will be assigned to the 2d Battalion, 43d Air Defense Artillery, 11th ADA Brigade, Fort Bliss, TX.



FIELD FORCE UPDATE

Supporting Cadet Candidates



Name	District	High School
William Brockmeier	FL26	Gulf Coast High School
David Dubrule	FL17	Venice High School
Patrick Hooper	FL17	Lemon Bay High School
Ethan Hylwa	FL16	Sarasota Military Academy
Felipe Junqueira	FL16	Out of Door Academy
Ava Michalopoulos	FL17	Pine View School
Sydney Pablo	FL17	Venice High School
Anthony Sparacio	FL19	Deerfield Academy (Mass)
Jaden White	FL17	Dunbar High School
Sydney Williams	FL19	Gulf Coast High School
Christine Wu	FL17	Pine View School

**Congratulations
to the Class of
2029!**
**R-Day starts on
June 30!**

In conjunction with the WPSN Founders Day celebration, just prior to Benny Havens hour, the field force hosts “The Candidate Social.” We invite our current cadets, our accepted candidates and their parents (Class of 2029), and strong candidates and their parents from the newly applying class (Class of 2030). Your donations are essential to allow the WPSN to fund attendance for these cadets, candidates and parents and help us to foster the aims and ideals of West Point while informing, encouraging and assisting talented young men and women to join the Long Gray Line. This year your donations helped fund attendance for 9 cadets, 5 accepted candidates with 9 parents (Class of 2029), and 4 candidates with 6 parents (Class of 2030). Go Army!



Class of 2029 Candidates Jaden White, Christine Wu, Ava Michalopoulos, Sydney Pablo, and Sydney Williams



Founders Day Candidate Social with Current Cadets, Class of 2029 Accepted Candidates and Class of 2030 Candidates



FIELD FORCE UPDATE

Supporting Cadet Candidates



Recent Field Force Spring Highlights:



Class of 2030 candidates at Founders day. Yosef Frost, Gabe Alsokary, Briar Lambley, and Jacob Preshard. All four were selected to attend the Summer Leader Experience (SLE) in Jun 2025.



Field Force leader Mr. Marty Bowling '68 receives the Eberhard Award at Founders Day for his legacy in creating the next generation of West Point leaders. This year Marty personally saw 24 of his Class of 2029 candidates receive offers, with 20 accepting.



Edward John Eberhard MD, "Doc" to many of his friends in the West Point Society of Naples, is a founding member of our society. As shared by his family, his proudest local accomplishment was the founding of the West Point Society of Naples. He and his wife Pat were devoted supporters of our Society, cadets, graduates, and the Academy. Every year an award is given in his honor to recognize the outstanding service of one of our members.

Eberhard Award Recipients

2025 – Marty Bowling '68
2024 – Peter Lilly '70
2023 – Tanya Sheffield (P) '23
2022 – Gregg Boron '74
2020 – Arnie Haake '69
2019 – Chris Williams '87
2018 – Jack and Sheila Ullrich (P) '18
2017 – Shannon Horne '95
2016 – Alan and Ann Olson
2015 – Bob Jahn (P) '08
2014 – Jodie Glore '69
2013 – John and Pat Eberhard '59



FIELD FORCE UPDATE

Supporting Cadet Candidates



Recent Field Force Spring Highlights:



Field Force on duty at Army Lacrosse in Naples, LTC(R) Russ Schott '91 and Mr. Tim Ford '79



LTC(R) Russ Schott '91, Class of 2029 appointee Sydney Williams and Senior Army Instructor COL Mike Shoen, Norwich, at Gulf Coast High School



LTC(R) Russ Schott '91 presents Jaden White with his Certificate of Appointment



Sydney Pablo, Class of 2029 appointee, and Marty Bowling with her Certificate of Appointment



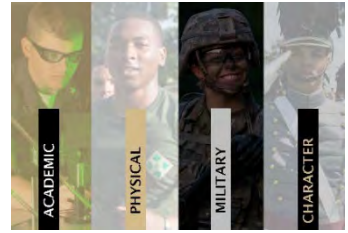
Will Brockmeier, Class of 2029 appointee, and Tim Ford '79 at USMAPS graduation





DID YOU KNOW

Highlights of West Point's Academic Pillar – Projects Day



...Projects Day showcases more than 400 cadet projects?

<https://www.westpoint.edu/research/cadet-faculty-research/projects-day>

West Point's Projects Day Research Symposium showcased more than 400 research projects by over 1,000 cadets across all thirteen of the Dean's Academic Departments, the Department of Military Instruction, and the Department of Physical Education! USMA welcomes and celebrates over 80 external partners and West Point faculty who contributed to these cadet-led projects.

West Point's Projects Day Research Symposium, April 24, 2025 Highlights of Southwest Florida Cadets Projects

Cadet Anthony Tinerella '25 was part of a team looking at the Army Corps of Engineers Lock and Dam Modernization of our National Critical Infrastructure. Working with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers as it modernizes the century-old hydraulic infrastructures supporting navigation on the nation's inland waterways, an essential mode of transportation of raw materials and finished products for America's Defense Industrial Base, they looked at an expanded navigation lock on the Ohio River, which will improve the capacity of the lock and facilitate trade and transport of critical resources.

Cadet Imani Christian '25 and her team's project was entitled "Blackout SLAM" for the Simultaneous Localization And Mapping using Non-Light-Emitting Sensors For Covert Operations. Today, the current night vision technology allows enemy forces to detect light across the visible and infrared spectrum, which hinders the ability to remain covert when using light-emitting sensors to conduct reconnaissance operations. They addressed this by utilizing an open-source state-of-the-art localization and mapping technique that uses non-light emitting sensors. This work reduces the risk of friendly casualties when conducting reconnaissance missions by allowing soldiers to use an unmanned means to gain insight about enemy and unfamiliar terrain.



Cadet Isaac Lewis '25 was part of an INDOPACOM sponsored effort to conduct an analysis of foreign developed infrastructure on political influence. Specifically, they looked at China's Belt and Road Initiative vis-à-vis US humanitarian assistance. The team actually flew to Hawaii to brief the INDOPACOM Deputy Commander and staff prior to Projects Day. Although sponsored by INDOPACOM, the project and its results has equal applicability to AFRICOM and SOUTHCOM.





PROJECT'S DAY CONT.

Highlights of Southwest Florida Cadets Projects

Cadet Kelli Ahlquist '25 focused on the Cultural Destruction During Wartime in Aleppo, Syria since the Syrian Civil War in 2011 using geospatial imagery and open-source intelligence. Revealing these patterns enable the prioritization of humanitarian assistance and reconstruction efforts in a postwar environment.

Cadet Liam Holston '25 was involved in two different team projects:

-- The geographic assessment of the operational environment of Jakarta, Indonesia assessed Jakarta using the environmental matrix as a framework to determine the most significant factors that could impact US forces participating in a humanitarian assistance/ disaster relief (HA/DR) operation. This was telling in that much of the city's population density resides in areas actually below sea level.

-- As part of a team who all branched Infantry, they looked at the future of AI-driven Drone swarms. Their project touched on several critical evolving operational issues. Engaging one drone is difficult, but a swarm of 20 or more is another matter. Totally autonomous AI driven drones (launch and forget) may not differentiate between hostile or civilian. There is also the practical cost analysis where we have seen relatively inexpensive drones used in the Ukraine. Yet, our systems for countering such a threat are in the hundreds of thousands of dollars – clearly un-sustainable.



Cadet David Liu '26 in an independent study developed a concept for increasing the range of small unmanned aerial systems (drones) such as a quadcopter model by the incorporation of dropwing. The project is endorsed by SOF AT&L (US SOCOM Acquisition, Technology & Logistics).

Cadet Aravind Rajeev '27 continued his research on the use of a RNA virus to characterize immune suppression to improve therapeutic strategies in vaccine development. They are using Porcine Respiratory and Reproductive Syndrome Virus (PRRSV) as the model virus, applying an assessment of innate immune suppression for emerging infectious disease on the battlespace in order to protect the force in novel therapeutic strategies.

Cadet John Charles Ferrante '27 focused on the discovery of a small molecule pan-serotype Flavivirus antiviral drug to treat the Warfighter operating in austere environments. This research aims to synthesize a library of small molecules of the scaffold through a three-step synthetic pathway and then measure their efficacy in functional assays. Charles will continue his research at Walter Reed this summer as an Academic Individual Advanced Development (AIAD).



THANK YOU!



Your donations make a difference!

Your incredible generosity has made all the difference in supporting our cadet candidates, cadets from southwest Florida, and local JROTC events! Below are some highlights of the events you have helped make possible! Thank you for being the heart of our mission.

Thank You!

Boodle Boxes

American Burrito take out during TEES

Branch Night Gift Cards

Valentine Boxes from Bear Mountain Bakery



Drone Competition

Helping Cadet Candidates in need attend Summer Leadership Experience (SLE)

Founders Day for Cadets, Cadet Candidates and their parents

AWARD CEREMONIES

A thank you from some of our SW Florida Cadets for their cookies!



Cadet Rodriguez

Cadet Stauffer



Cadet Lawrence

Cadet Ziegler

Cadet Harris

Cadet Segalla

Cadet Ahlquist

Cadet Lewis

Cadet Tinerella



Cadet Nguyen

Cadet Laterra

Cadet Henning

Cadet Newton

Cadet Kreegel

Cadet Rajeev

Cadet Azizi



How to Get Involved – and Different Ways to Donate

- Sponsor JROTC Awards
- Sponsor a Cadet Candidate to attend the Summer Leadership Experience (SLE)
- Sponsor a Cadet Boodle Run
- Sponsor a Cadet and/or Cadet Candidate attending Founders Day
- Represent WPSN at an award ceremony or an event
- Visit a local High School
- Attend our events
- Bring a guest to an event
- Sponsor a guest speaker
- Donate money, stocks, or bonds

• ***Become an active member!***

To join/renew active membership:

<https://westpointsocietyofnaples.com/joinrenew>

To make a tax-deductible Donation:

<https://westpointsocietyofnaples.com/make-a-donation/>

Looking to be more involved in local activities?

JOIN THE TEAM!

We are always looking for volunteers – from hosting local Benny Haven's to working with the Field Force team and representing WPSN at events!

If you're ready to take a more active role in our Society and help shape our future, we encourage you to apply! Please contact Chris Williams at admin@westpointsocietyofnaples.com for more information.

A NOTE FROM YOUR EDITORS

We are excited about our new newsletter and would like to invite you to be an integral part of it. Your ideas, experiences, and insights matter to us, and we want to hear from you. Whether it's a topic you're passionate about, a story you

think deserves attention, or even your personal experiences related to our newsletters' themes, we are eager to include your input.

Please share your suggestions, thoughts, and content ideas with us so that we can create a newsletter that truly resonates with our readers.



Serving Graduates throughout Southwest Florida

Meet your WPSN Board of Directors

President –

Chris Williams '87

Vice President/Events –

Evan Blanco '80

Secretary –

Cathy Speer '72 Spouse

Treasurer –

Matt Shanahan '99

Arnie Haake '69

Mike Zolidis '70

Gary Speer '72

Saul Siemaska '76

Mike Kostoff '79

Doug Whitehead '85

Russ Schott '91

Libby Schott '91

Shannon Horn '95

Derek DeVecchis '13

Patty Holston '25 Parent

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Jodie Glore '69

Pete Lilly '70

Garrett Dietz '73

Membership Info

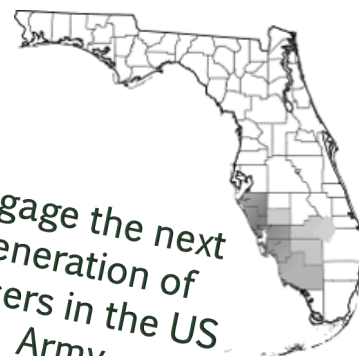
Your dues and donations help support the many activities sponsored by the WPSN. The rates for active membership:

- Annual \$35
- Three-year \$100
- Lifetime \$400

*Support cadets
from SWFL*

*Celebrate
lifelong
friendships*

*Engage the next
generation of
officers in the US
Army*



The membership year runs from July 1st to June 30th.

OUR MISSION

The mission of the West Point Society of Naples, an exclusively non-profit organization, is to:

- (1) further the principles and welfare of the United States Military Academy;
- (2) provide an organization with activities for its members to associate in order to foster the aims, ideals, standards and achievements of the United States Military Academy;
- (3) promote a better understanding of the Military Academy by the public throughout Southwest Florida; and
- (4) inform, encourage and assist talented young men and women of the admissions process of the Military Academy.



**We are based in Naples, but
our membership area covers
all of Collier, Lee, Charlotte,
Glades, Hendry, Manatee, and
Sarasota Counties.**

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