

—Mississippi Strong—

Newsletter of the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary

March-April 2019

2019 MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION STATE CONFERENCE

The 2019 Mississippi National Guard Non-Commissioned Officers State Conference to be held April 12-14 is fast approaching.

One of the highlights of the conference for the retirees is the Retiree Breakfast. This year we are going to do something a little different. We usually have a guest speaker during the Retiree Breakfast, however due to time restraints we are going to move our speaker to a time slot that coincides with the Army and Air breakout sessions.

We have invited former State Auditor Stacey Pickering, who is now Director of the Veterans Affairs Board, to address our Retirees.

We highly encourage all our retirees, spouses, and/or guests to attend. We especially encourage our Auxiliary members, families, and guests of active duty Guard members who can, to attend.

We remind retirees that spouses are invited to the Retiree Breakfast. We have agreed to ask each attendee to pay \$10.00 per person for the buffet breakfast we enjoy to offset the cost to the MS NG NCO ASSN.

Breakfast will be in the Crowne Room next to the Wellington's Dining Room.

We also ask that you register for breakfast prior to conference. [Form in this newsletter or do online.]

Another highlight for retirees is the Retiree Hospitality Room managed by CSMS's Linnie Luther and Max Rushing under the direction of Lester Earl Billingsley.

Please encourage all conference attendees, especially retirees, spouses, and Auxiliary members to stop by for food, beverages, and fellowship.

Looking forward to seeing you!

Leroy Matthews
Continuity Chairman



MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD NCO ASSOCIATION

51st Annual Conference

12-14 April 2019

Conference Agenda – 2019

Uniform for Business Session: Army OCP, ACU, Air ABU

Location: Hilton County Line Hotel in Jackson, MS

Reservations: Call (601) 957-2800

Room Rates \$ 93.00 plus tax (prior to 15 March 2019)
\$127.00 plus tax (after 15 March 2019)

Note: Advise the Hotel you are with the MS NG NCO Association

Online registrations will be cut off after 7 April 2019

Conference Registration - <https://msncoa.org/conference-registration/>

Cornhole Tournament - <https://msncoa.org/cornhole-registration/>

Bowling Tournament - <https://msncoa.org/bowling-tournament-registration/>

Golf Tournament - <https://msncoa.org/golf-tournament-registration/>

Fishing Tournament - <https://msncoa.org/fishing-tournament-registration/>

Retiree Breakfast Registration - <https://msncoa.org/retiree-breakfast-registration>

Printed forms are included in this newsletter.



Scholarships Are Open!
Great Opportunities for EANGUS Members, Dependents,
and Auxiliary Members

Check out the
“Welcome to the 2019 EANGUS Scholarship Application Page”
<https://eangus.org/we-care-for-america/scholarship-information/>

New this year, single application form that will guide you through which scholarships you wish to apply for.
Deadline to apply is 1 May, 2019 (unless listed otherwise)

****Only online applications will be accepted. Please do not email or mail applications.****

USAA and EANGUS Auxiliary Scholarships



The program includes one USAA Scholarship and four EANGUS Auxiliary Scholarships. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of: (1) eligibility; (2) scholastic achievement, character, leadership and need, and (3) availability of funds for the current year and the number of applicants.

Who is Eligible? Annual and Life EANGUS Auxiliary Members, Spouses and Unmarried children/step children, grandchildren/step grandchildren (up to age 26).
Criteria/Application can be downloaded at <https://eangusauxiliary.org> Scholarship tab, or in *The Signal*.



48th Annual EANGUS Conference

August 4-7, 2019
Des Moines, I

**48th Annual EANGUS
Conference Registration**

<https://eangusconference.org/2019-conference-registration/>

**EANGUS Conference 2019
Hotel Reservations**

<https://eangusconference.org/hotel-reservations/>

MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD KIDS' A.T.
A unique “Annual Training” experience for dependents.
23 June - 29 June, 2019
Campers- ages 9-12; Aide De Camp – ages 13; Junior Counselors- ages 14-17
Junior Staff- ages 18-19; Volunteer Staff- ages 20 & UP
For applications or information contact State Youth Coordinators
Nikita Loper, 601-313-6317 or Melanie Sutterfield, 601-313-6620
Email to: msngyouthprograms@gmail.com

Arts & Crafts
White House Tour
Crazy Sock Day
Army Guard Day
Crazy Hair Day
Museum Tour
Swimming
Crazy Hat Day
Bandana Day
Military Protocol
Air Guard Day
Camp Shelby Day
Marching
And Much, much more!

For updates on Kids' A.T. and other youth programs, please text “youth” to 95577

Minutes for the 2018 MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Meetings follow...

MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD NCO ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY BOARD MEETING

HILTON HOTEL, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI—PENTHOUSE
MARCH 02, 2018

Call to Order and Welcome

President Connie Myers called the meeting to order at 10:08 a.m. and welcomed members.

Prayer

District I Junior Director Sherry Clark led in prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance

Vice President Angie Carnes led members in *The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States*.

Introduction of Guests

There were no guests present.

Roll Call

Secretary Vivian Taylor called the roll.

Officers

President Connie Myers

Vice President Angie Carnes

Secretary Vivian Taylor

Director at Large Pat Bishop

District Directors

District I Junior Director Sherry Clark

District IV Senior Director Elaine Jackson

District V Junior Director Kandice Netto

Committee Chairmen

Finance Committee Chairman Paula Carrigan

Legislative Committee Chairman Vivian Taylor

Membership, Lifetime Membership, and Nominations Committees Chairman Pat Bishop

Constitution Committee Chairman Billie Davis

Family Affairs Committee Chairman Kandice Netto

Appointees

Parliamentarian Billie Davis

Sergeant at Arms Paula Carrigan

Members Absent and Excused

Treasurer and Scholarship Committee Chairman Pat Burchfield; District I Senior Director Judy James; District III Junior Director Kaye Pace; Meridian Air Senior Director Daryl Gail Jensen; Meridian Air Junior Director Charity Jones; Silent Auction Chairman Maria Kennedy; and Chaplain Kim Lampton were excused.

Quorum

With seven (7) of twelve (12) Board members present there was a quorum.

Approval of Minutes from June 17, 2017 and October 28, 2017 Board of Directors Meetings

Secretary Taylor emailed the June 17, 2017 Board of Directors Meeting minutes to Board members and mailed and emailed the minutes of the October 28, 2017 Board of Directors Meeting to Board members. No changes had been noted. Director at Large Pat Bishop moved that the minutes from the June 17, 2017 and October 28, 2017 Board Meetings be approved as printed; Vice President Angie Carnes seconded motion. Motion carried.

Reports

Officers

President Connie Myers provided a printed report. She had:

- Attended the MS Auxiliary Past Presidents Breakfast on April 21, 2017 and presented the nominee for the Leola "Bugger" Coggin Supporter Award.

- Attended and presided at the April 21, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board Meeting and the April 22, 2017 MS Auxiliary General Membership Meeting at the Hilton Hotel, Jackson, MS.
- Provided items for the Silent Auction.
- Spoke at the joint Opening Ceremonies; received the Auxiliary share of proceeds from working at the 2016 MS NG NCO Association Ways and Means projects, the Mississippi State Fair and the Haunted Trail.
- Provided tokens of thanks to MS Auxiliary Board members, Committee chairmen, and Appointees.
- Attended the MS NG NCO Association Board Meeting on April 23, 2017.
- Selected Committee Chairmen and Appointees.
- Made distribution lists. Sent regular emails with information and requests for assistance to Officers, District Directors, Committee Chairmen, and Appointees. Utilized Facebook, postal mail, email, telephone, and other forms of communication to stay in touch with members and leaders.
- Attended and presided at the June 17, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board Meeting held at the 186th ARW, Meridian. Provided, along with Officers, training for District Directors. Served continental breakfast and, with help from grill masters Paul Lampton and Ricky Myers, hamburgers and sausage dogs and all the trimmings and homemade desserts for lunch.
- Attended the Tennessee Conference in Murfreesboro, Tennessee, April 27-28, 2017.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Site Visit and Areas VI & VII Caucus and EANGUS Executive Council Meeting in Reno, Nevada May 6-11, 2017.
- Attended the MS NG Summer Youth Camp, Kids AT, June 24-July 1, 2017.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada, August 24-31 and, as EANGUS Auxiliary President, presided at all EANGUS Auxiliary Meetings and attended all EANGUS/Auxiliary events.
- Worked at the MS NG NCO Association's Ways and Means project, the Mississippi State Fair, and provided food for workers.
- Attended and presided at the October 28, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting and provided a President's report.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.
- Donated cornbread mixes and canned goods for the Chaplain's Well, Inc. Food Pantry at Camp Shelby.
- Attended EANGUS EC Meeting, Baltimore, Maryland, November 2017.
- Attended the December MS NG NCO Association Board Meeting.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Area IV Caucus/Meeting in Springdale, Arkansas, January 12-14, 2018. Donated items for the Silent Auction.
- Planned for 2018 MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Conference; prepared agenda, President's letter for Conference Book, President's report, et al.
- Worked on membership throughout the year and enlisted at least 27 members (15 renewal members, 6 new annual members, and 6 associate members).
- Edited quarterly issues of *Building Bridges* newsletter and monthly issues of *The Signal* newsletter.
- Continued to work ESGR and used those opportunities to publicize the Association and Auxiliary.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action; reported same to Legislative Committee Chairman.
- Promoted the MS NG NCO Association, EANGUS, MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary, and EANGUS Auxiliary at every opportunity.

Vice President Angie Carnes had provided a printed report:

- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference at the Hilton Hotel, Jackson, Mississippi. Attended the April 21, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board Meeting and the April 22, 2017 MS Auxiliary General Membership Meeting. Provided Director's report at both meetings and was elected Vice President for 2017-2018 year.
- Attended the MS National Guard Officers Convention in Jackson as the hospitality room coordinator for 66th Troop Command. Spoke with several officers about becoming associate members of the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary.
- Attended the 25th MS NG Summer Youth Camp, Kids AT, June 24-July 1, 2017.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada and served as a Mississippi Auxiliary delegate.
- Worked at the MS NG NCO Association's Ways and Means project, the MS State Fair, in October 2017.
- Attended and hosted, with help from Kandice Netto, the October 28, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting held at Camp Shelby; provided a Vice President's report.
- Served continental breakfast and chili lunch at October Board Meeting.
- Attended the Yellow Ribbon event for the 150th ENG, December 2017.

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- Attended the Christmas Party at the 1108th TASMG, December 2017.
- Worked on membership by email, texts, phone calls, and face-to-face contact.
- Responded to 3 Calls to Action from EANGUS.
- Communicated with President Myers, Officers, and Board members via text, calls, and emails.

Secretary *Vivian Taylor* distributed a printed report which indicated she had:

- Attended the MS Auxiliary Past Presidents Breakfast on April 21, 2017; presented gifts to all the Past Presidents in attendance.
- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference April 21-23, 2017 at the Hilton, Hotel in Jackson, Mississippi. Recorded minutes and provided to members on April 25, 2017. Also provided the minutes for the *Building Bridges* newsletter.
- Provided items for the MS Auxiliary Silent Auction which netted \$307.00 for the MS Auxiliary treasury.
- Attended the MS NG NCO Association Board Meeting on April 23, 2017.
- Solicited information and wrote recommendation letters for MS Auxiliary's nominees for 2017 EANGUS Auxiliary Awards: Distinguished Service Award, Jenifer Burris; Meritorious Service Award, John Harris; and Spouse of the Year Award, Leroy Matthews.
- Attended the MS Auxiliary Board Meeting on June 17, 2017 at the 186th ARW, Meridian, Mississippi. Assisted in training for District Directors. Recorded minutes and provided to members by email.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada, August 25-30, 2017. As EANGUS Auxiliary Secretary and EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV Secretary recorded and distributed minutes from all EANGUS Auxiliary meetings and Area IV Auxiliary meetings. Provided the minutes for *The Signal* newsletter. Received the EANGUS Auxiliary President's Award, Recruiting Member of the Year Award, and, with Roxie Barwick (WI), 2017 EANGUS Special Recognition Category 12 Publications for contributions to EANGUS Publications for the Auxiliary.
- Donated food items—large Subway platter, cookie platter, chips—for the worker's tent at the Mississippi State Fair.
- Attended the October 28, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors meeting, provided a Secretary's report, took minutes, and provided the minutes to members and for the *Building Bridges* newsletter on October 30, 2017.
- Donated canned meats, chili, soups, and vegetables to Chaplain's Well, Inc. Food Pantry at Camp Shelby.
- Visited Waynesboro unit retirees at Christmas party.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Area IV Caucus/Meeting in Springdale, Arkansas, January 12-14, 2018. Recorded minutes and distributed to Area IV Auxiliary Directors and members on January 16, 2018. Provided minutes for the January/February issue of *Building Bridges* newsletter.
- Provided several items for the EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV Silent Auction.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc. at every meeting.
- Provided 2017 EANGUS Auxiliary history and compiled 2017 History Highlights from the states.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action and reported to Legislative Committee Chairman.
- Provided MS Auxiliary information for EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV newsletter *The Voice of Area IV*.
- Sent appropriate cards—sympathy, get well, thinking of you, congratulations—to members as needed.
- Donated postage and supplies.
- Updated various forms for the MS Auxiliary including Policy Letters; added constitution amendment to that document and corrected fonts, symbols, etc.; prepared Policy Letter Number 14.
- Provided information to MS Auxiliary and EANGUS Auxiliary Officers and Directors as per requests.
- Worked on membership throughout the year. Provided several to-date lists for MS Auxiliary Officers and Directors of those members who had and had not renewed for 2018.
- Sent emails to non-renewing MS Auxiliary members on behalf of the Officers. Had at least 5 renewal responses from those emails.
- Enlisted 47 members (19 renewal members, 8 new annual members, 1 new lifetime member, 1 new lifetime associate member, and 18 annual associate members), as well as sponsoring numerous new, renewal, and associate members.
- Supported the MS Auxiliary Officers, District Directors, Committee Chairmen, and Appointees in every way possible.

Treasurer *Pat Burchfield* was unable to be present due to recent hospitalization. Her printed report indicated her Auxiliary activities since 2017 Conference:

- Attended and presided at the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Past Presidents Breakfast on April 21, 2017.

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- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference, April 21-23, 2017. Provided Treasurer's report and presented Proposed Budget.
- Provided items for the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary's Silent Auction.
- Attended the MS NG NCO Association Board Meeting on April 23, 2017.
- Processed Auxiliary income and expenditures from Conference.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board Meeting at the 186th ARW in Meridian and provided financial information for the Directors briefing.
- Attended EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada, August 25-30, 2017 and served as delegation chairman for the Mississippi Auxiliary.
- Provided items for the EANGUS Auxiliary Silent Auction.
- Processed MS Auxiliary membership applications and deposited funds to Auxiliary account.
- Made deposits to MS Auxiliary treasury and disbursed funds as per the budget.
- Provided reports for each meeting.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action.
- Sent several emails to MS Auxiliary members who had not paid dues for 2018.
- Sponsored 2 renewal members and 13 associate members.
- Answered emails regarding MS Auxiliary business and stayed in contact with Board members.

Director at Large Pat Bishop distributed a printed report which indicated she had:

- Attended the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Past Presidents Breakfast on April 21, 2017.
- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference, April 21-23, 2017. Provided Director at Large report and reports for Membership Committee, Lifetime Membership Committee, and Nominating Committee.
- Secured items to be used at the MS Auxiliary's First Timers Meeting.
- Had badges made for Vice President Angie Carnes and Sherry Clark, District I Director and Kaye Pace, District III Director.
- Prepared a MS Auxiliary Director's notebook for the two new District Directors.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board Meeting at the 186th ARW in Meridian and provided membership information for the Directors training.
- Attended Retiree Luncheon at the 172d Airlift Wing.
- Attended the October 28, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors meeting at Camp Shelby.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.
- Donated canned items for the Chaplain's Well, Inc. Food Pantry at Camp Shelby.
- Stayed in contact with MS Auxiliary Board members.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action.
- Reminded Officers and Directors to enlist members.
- Worked on membership throughout the year.
- Contacted Scotty Cole, the Command Chief at the 172d Airlift Wing, to discuss Auxiliary membership with him; CMSgt Cole pledged his assistance in finding new Auxiliary members at the Base.
- Sponsored 10 new annual members and 6 associate members.

District Directors

District I Junior Director Sherry Clark provided the following report:

- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference at the Hilton Hotel in Jackson in April. Elected as District I Director.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting at the 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada and served as a Mississippi Auxiliary delegate at EANGUS Auxiliary meetings. Provided several pounds of toiletries for the women and children's shelter in Reno.
- Volunteered at the MS NG NCO Association Ways and Means project, the Mississippi State Fair.
- Attended the October 28, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting at Camp Shelby.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.
- Donated food items for Chaplain's Well Food Pantry, Inc. at Camp Shelby.
- Recruited one member and two associate members.
- Sold five tickets for the MS NG NCO Association fundraiser.

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District III Junior Director Kaye Pace had provided a printed report to the Secretary with the following activities listed:

- Attended the 2017 MS National Guard NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference at the Hilton Hotel in Jackson in April. Elected as District III Director.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 MS National Guard NCO Association Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting at the 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Donated to EANGUS “We Care for America” Foundation, Inc.
- Donated items for Silent Auction and door prizes.
- Attended a Yellow Ribbon event for BCO 1/111th AVN.
- Worked on membership through emails and phone calls.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action.

District IV Senior Director Elaine Jackson provided a printed report:

- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference in Jackson in April. Ascended to Senior Director for District IV.
- Provided several Silent Auction items.
- Donated to EANGUS “We Care for America” Foundation, Inc.
- Worked at the MS NG NCO Association Ways and Means project, the MS State Fair on October 15; also provided some snacks for workers.
- Attended 66th Troop Command Family Christmas event in December 2017.
- Provided reports for each Auxiliary Board Meeting.
- Responded to legislative Calls to Action and reported those efforts to Legislative Committee Chairman.
- Sent emails to distribution list reminding members of legislative Calls to Action as they became available.
- Responded to emails and stayed in contact with President Myers, Secretary Taylor, and other Board members throughout the year.
- Worked on recruiting membership through face-to-face contacts, emails, texts, and letters.
- Enlisted 1 new annual member, 1 renewal annual member, and 2 associate members.

District V Junior Director Kandice Netto provided a printed report:

- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference in Jackson.
- Provided item for Silent Auction.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 Board of Directors Meeting at 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Worked at the MS NG NCO Association’s Ways and Means project, the MS State Fair, in October 2017.
- Attended and hosted, along with Vice President Angie Carnes, the October 28, 2017 Board of Directors Meeting at Camp Shelby.
- Donated items for Chaplain’s Well Food Pantry, Inc. at Camp Shelby.
- Attended the Yellow Ribbon event for the 150th ENG in December 2017.
- Attended the Christmas Party for the 1108th TASMG December 2017.
- Donated to EANGUS “We Care for America” Foundation, Inc.
- Worked on membership by emails, texts, phone calls, and face-to-face contact. Enlisted 1 new annual member.
- Communicated with President Myers, Officers, and Board members via text, calls, and emails.

Meridian Air Senior Director Daryl Gail Jensen—prior reports indicated the following:

- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference in Jackson in April. Ascended to Senior Director for Meridian Air District.
- Attended the June 17, 2017 MS Auxiliary Board of Directors Meeting at 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Responded to multiple legislative Calls to Action and reported to Legislative Committee Chairman.
- Enlisted 1 new member.

Meridian Air Junior Director Charity Jones—prior minutes indicated the following:

- Attended the MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference in Jackson in April. Elected as Junior Director for Meridian Air District.
- Responded to a Call to Action and reported to Legislative Committee Chairman.

Committee Chairmen

Finance Committee Chairman and Sergeant at Arms Paula Carrigan provided a printed report. She had:

- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference and all the activities included in the Conference.

- Attended the MS Auxiliary Board Meeting, June 17, 2017 at 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Answered all the legislative calls received and forwarded responses to Secretary Taylor.
- Mailed sympathy, get well, and thinking of you cards to several Auxiliary and Association members.
- Attended the EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference in Reno, Nevada; served as the EANGUS Auxiliary Finance Committee Chairman. Provided approximately 10 items for the Silent Auction and helped TEAM Nevada with the Silent Auction and other Ways and Means projects.
- Provided snacks for the worker's tent at the MS State Fair.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc. at both state and national meetings.

State Command Chief Master Sergeant

CMSgt Lynn R. Cole dropped by the Auxiliary Board Meeting to offer her assistance as needed. She pledged her support for the Auxiliary.

Committee Chairmen continued...

Legislative Committee Chairman Vivian Taylor

- Provided legislative report at each MS Auxiliary Board meeting and at General Membership Meeting.
- Sent MS Auxiliary legislative report to EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV Point of Contact Pat Bishop and EANGUS Auxiliary Legislative Committee Chairman Barbara Rains with courtesy copy to EANGUS Auxiliary Officers.
- Forwarded all EANGUS Calls to Action to membership distribution list.
- Those who participated in the legislative grassroots efforts for the year April 23, 2017 through February 28, 2018 were: Willa and Keith Ales, 6; Pat and Jim Bishop, 12; Pat and Jerry Burchfield, 4; Angie Carnes, 7; Paula Carrigan, 2; Billie Davis, 7; Danna Davis, 4; Kathi Goodwin, 5; Elaine Jackson, 2; Daryl Gail Jensen, 13; Charity Jones, 2; Connie and Ricky Myers, 12; Vivian and Jerry Taylor, 20. Members were reminded to let Chairman Taylor know when they sent emails and received responses. She noted that there were fewer Calls to Action from EANGUS for that period.

Membership, Lifetime Membership, and Nominations Committees Chairman Pat Bishop

- Two lifetime members had died since the 2017 Conference: MS Auxiliary Past President (1977-78) Dorothy Lee "Dot" (Hoxie) Dudley (MS Auxiliary #8, EANGUS Auxiliary #468) died on May 09, 2017 at age 85 and Dorothy Irene (Hairston) Sessums (MS Auxiliary #108, EANGUS Auxiliary #494) died on June 27, 2017 at age 92.
- One new MS Auxiliary & EANGUS Auxiliary lifetime member had been enlisted in 2017: Kimberly E. Hogg (MS Auxiliary #181, EANGUS Auxiliary #800).
- One new MS Auxiliary lifetime associate member had been enlisted in 2017: David D. Hart (MS 2017-12).
- One new MS Auxiliary and EANGUS Auxiliary lifetime associate member had been enlisted in 2017: September Wallace (LA 051; MS 2017-13).
- The membership on December 29, 2017 for the 2018 membership year was: 104 annual members, 84 lifetime members, 68 EANGUS Auxiliary annual associate members, 5 MS Auxiliary only associate members, 9 MS Auxiliary and EANGUS Auxiliary lifetime associate members, and 4 MS Auxiliary lifetime associate members.
- Nominees for office: President—Angie Carnes; Vice President—no nominee; Secretary—Vivian Taylor; Treasurer—Pat Burchfield; Director at Large—Kandice Netto. Connie Myers would serve as Immediate Past President.

Constitution and Bylaws Chairman Billie Davis indicated there were no amendments for the Constitution and Bylaws.

Scholarship Committee Chairman Pat Burchfield provided the following printed report:

- Received, reviewed, and forwarded two applications—from Ryan Barnett and Morgan Hollis—for EANGUS Auxiliary scholarships.
- Ryan Barnett was awarded a one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) scholarship from EANGUS Auxiliary.
- There were no eligible runners-up from the MS NG NCO Association scholarship applicants who could have been awarded a MS Auxiliary scholarship in 2017. The MS Auxiliary budgets for two (2) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) scholarships each year; recipients are the first two applicants not chosen by the MS NG NCO Association whose sponsor has been a MS Auxiliary member for at least two years.
- There were 2 eligible runners-up from the MS NG NCO Association scholarship applicants for the 2018 MS Auxiliary scholarships—MS Auxiliary scholarship recipients were Kaycee Elizabeth Grice (mother Pam) and Erin Renea Thomas (mother Jan).
- Information was distributed and questions were answered about the 2018 scholarships offered by the MS NG NCO Association and Auxiliary and about EANGUS and EANGUS Auxiliary scholarships.

Family Affairs Committee Chairman Kandice Netto had no report.

Conference Arrangements—President Connie Myers noted the following:

- March 02, 2018 evening meal, 6:00 p.m.
- First Timers as well as Legislative Brief would follow the evening meal on March 02, 2018.
- Retiree Breakfast, 7:00 p.m. March 03, 2018—pre-registration had been required for 2018; anyone who wished to attend should check with MS NG NCO Association Executive Director Ricky Myers to learn if any more individuals could be accommodated in the Crowne Room.
- Joint Session, 9:00 a.m., March 03, 2018 which would include Auxiliary President's address and presentation of donation to Gold Star Family Memorial project; the Auxiliary would be dismissed for the Auxiliary General Membership Meeting following President Myers' address.
- Silent Auction would close at 2:00 p.m. on March 03, 2018.
- No host Social, March 03, 2018, 6:00 p.m.
- Banquet and Awards, March 03, 2018, 7:00 p.m.

Appointees

Chaplain Kim Lampton—report of activities derived from prior reports:

- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference at the Hilton Hotel in Jackson, Mississippi.
- Provided numerous items for the Silent Auction.
- Attended the June 2017 Board Meeting at the 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Provided devotional thoughts and prayers at the April Board Meeting, April General Membership Meeting, and June Board Meeting.

Parliamentarian Billie Davis had:

- Attended the Past Presidents Breakfast on April 21, 2017.
- Attended the 2017 MS NG NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference at the Hilton Hotel in Jackson, Mississippi. Provided report and provided wording for constitution amendment regarding lifetime associate membership category.
- Provided items for the Silent Auction.
- Donated to EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.
- Attended the June 2017 Board Meeting at the 186th ARW, Meridian.
- Answered legislative Calls to Action and reported to Legislative Committee Chairman.

Unfinished Business

Donations for EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc. would be received at the Auxiliary's General Membership Meeting on March 03, 2018.

Presentation of Proposed Budget

Finance Committee Chairman Paula Carrigan provided copies of the proposed budget. Vice President Angie Carnes moved that the Board approve presentation of the proposed budget to the general membership on March 03, 2018. District V Junior Director Kandice Netto seconded motion. Motion carried. The proposed budget would be presented as printed to the general membership on March 03, 2018.

New Business

- EANGUS Auxiliary Award Nominee—Secretary Vivian Taylor moved that Bryan Birch, EANGUS Deputy Executive Director-Member Services, be the Mississippi nominee for the EANGUS Auxiliary Meritorious Service Award. Director at Large Pat Bishop seconded motion. Motion carried. There were no nominees during the meeting for the Spouse of the Year Award and Distinguished Service Award.
- EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference would be held August 11-16, 2018 in Charleston, West Virginia.
- Responsibilities of Directors in District Caucuses were outlined by President Myers.
- It was noted that a new Policy Letter would be written to outline how reimbursement would be provided to the EANGUS Auxiliary President and/or the EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV Director when she/he was invited by the President with Board approval to the Mississippi National Guard NCO Association/Auxiliary Conference. The Board would review the proposed Policy Letter at the summer Board meeting.
- District V Junior Director Kandice Netto moved that the restriction that the Leola "Bugger" Coggin Supporter Award must be given to a Mississippi Auxiliary member be removed from the criteria for the award. It was noted that there are others (for instance, Roxie Barwick, *Building Bridges* newsletter editor) from outside the

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Mississippi Auxiliary membership who had rendered valuable support to the Mississippi Auxiliary. Director at Large Pat Bishop seconded motion. Motion carried.

- Pay Bills—Director at Large Pat Bishop moved that the Auxiliary pay its bills; District IV Senior Director Elaine Jackson seconded motion. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned

Secretary Vivian Taylor moved the meeting adjourn. Director at Large Pat Bishop seconded motion. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:24 a.m.

Vivian D. Taylor

Vivian Taylor
Secretary

The March 02, 2018 Board Meeting Minutes were approved at the June 02 Board Meeting held at the 186th ARW, Meridian.

MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

HILTON HOTEL—JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI—CABANA POOLSIDE
MARCH 03, 2018

Call to Order

President Connie Myers called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

Welcome

President Myers welcomed members and EANGUS Auxiliary Area IV Director Kim Clay who gave a brief report.

Devotion and Prayer

District I Junior Director Sherry Clark led in prayer.

Introduction of Guests

President Myers introduced and welcomed Braley Hagge and Kaycee Grice, Auxiliary scholarship recipient.

Roll Call

Secretary Vivian Taylor called the roll.

Officers and Directors present were:

President—Connie Myers

Secretary—Vivian Taylor

District I Junior Director—Sherry Clark

District IV Senior Director—Elaine Jackson

Meridian Air Senior Director—Daryl Gail Jensen

Vice President—Angie Carnes

Director at Large—Pat Bishop

District III Junior Director—Kaye Pace

District V Junior Director—Kandice Netto

Committee Chairmen present were:

Finance Committee—Paula Carrigan

Membership, Lifetime Membership, and Nominations—Pat Bishop

Constitution and Bylaws—Billie Davis

Family Readiness—Kandice Netto

Legislative Committee—Vivian Taylor

Silent Auction—Maria Kennedy (in Silent Auction room)

Appointees present were:

Parliamentarian—Billie Davis

Sergeant at Arms—Paula Carrigan

Minutes

The minutes from the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary April 2017 Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting were emailed to the membership on April 24, 2017 and again on February 7, 2018. No corrections had been noted. The minutes from the April 2017 Board Meeting had been approved at the June 2017 Board Meeting. Director at Large Pat Bishop moved the minutes from the April 2017 General Membership Meeting be approved as printed; Pat Bond seconded the motion. Motion carried. Minutes were approved as presented.

Reports

The reports from Officers, Directors, Committee Chairmen, and Appointees were found on pages two through nine (2-9) of the minutes from the March 02, 2018 MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Board Meeting. The reports were also made available to members in printed form during the General Membership Meeting.

MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD NCO ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY

Budget

Finance Committee Chairman Paula Carrigan presented the Proposed Budget as recommended by the Mississippi Auxiliary Board of Directors.

REVENUES:	2018 Budget	2017 Budget	2017
MEMBERSHIP (includes payments on STRIPE)	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,400.00
WAYS AND MEANS--SILENT AUCTION & DONATION	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,314.00
STATE FAIR & HAUNTED TRAIL EARNINGS	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00
EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 282.00
INTEREST	\$ 8.00		\$ 8.00
TEE SHIRTS	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 260.00
FOR JOAN GARDINER MS LIFETIME ASSOCIATE	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 114.00
SIDE BY SIDE PIN	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5.00
MISCELLANEOUS	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
RESERVE TRANSFER	\$ 4,292.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 11,600.00	\$ 12,580.00	\$ 9,883.00
EXPENSES:			
EANGUS AUXILIARY DUES	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 1,256.00
EANGUS AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP DONATION	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 376.00
STATE AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -
PRINTING OF 2 AUXILIARY NEWSLETTERS	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 100.00
PRESIDENT EXPENSES CONFERENCES	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
BOARD MEETING LUNCHEONS 3 @ 75.00 each	\$ 225.00	\$ 225.00	\$ 150.00
EANGUS AUXILIARY CONFERENCE REGISTRATIONS (8 delegates, 1 comm. chairman X \$250.00 each)	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 1,750.00
NAME BADGES	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 27.29
POSTAGE	\$ 350.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 237.16
OFFICE SUPPLIES, MISC. COPYING	\$ 200.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 34.96
AWARDS (Plaques, certificates, frames, engraving)	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 190.00
MEMORIAL GIFTS	\$ 150.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 60.00
SPEAKERS & FIRST TIMER'S GIFTS	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -
COMMITTEE EXPENSES	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -
BOARD MEETING MILEAGE	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,070.65
EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc.	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 282.00
GOLD STAR MEMORIAL AT CAMP SHELBY	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
STATE PHILANTHROPIC FOR 2018	\$ 300.00	\$ -	
STORAGE BUILDING RENT 12 mo. @ 29.00 month	\$ 348.00	\$ 348.00	\$ 348.00
EANGUS AUXILIARY MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE*	\$ 300.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 538.71
EANGUS AUXILIARY PHILANTHROPIC PROJECT	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
PAST PRESIDENTS BREAKFAST	\$ 225.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 198.81
DONATION—EANGUS Auxiliary PRESIDENT MYERS	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 500.00
BANK SERVICE CHARGE	\$ 100.00	\$ -	\$ 54.09
JOHN HARRIS--TEE SHIRTS	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 195.00
MISCELLANEOUS	\$ 152.00	\$ 57.00	\$ -
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 11,600.00	\$ 12,580.00	\$ 8,668.67

*Area IV Auxiliary Director Clay's expense to MS Conference \$268.52
On EANGUS Auxiliary Conference Book expenses \$270.19

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District V Junior Director Kandice Netto moved that the Budget be accepted as printed. Director at Large Pat Bishop seconded motion. Motion carried. Budget was adopted as printed.

Silent Auction Chairman Maria Kennedy reported that at the time of the report the seventy (70) items in the Silent Auction totaled one thousand seventy dollars (\$1,070.00).

Conference Arrangements—President Myers noted the Silent Auction would close at 2:00 p.m. and the Banquet and Awards would be at 7:00 p.m. on March 03, 2018.

Unfinished Business

Donations were received for EANGUS “*We Care for America*” Foundation, Inc. The Mississippi Auxiliary continued the practice which was started several years previously and which was done in lieu of door prizes.

New Business

- EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference—President Connie Myers noted that the 2018 EANGUS/Auxiliary Conference would be in Charleston, West Virginia, August 11-16, 2018 (with first and last as travel days).
- Pay Bills—District I Junior Director Sherry Clark moved that the Auxiliary pay its bills; District V Junior Director Kandice Netto seconded. Motion carried.
- Election of Officers—Nominations Committee Chairman Pat Bishop listed the nominees for office: President, Angie Carnes; Secretary, Vivian Taylor; Treasurer, Pat Burchfield; Director at Large, Kandice Netto. President Myers called for nominations from the floor. There were no nominations from the floor. Director at Large Pat Bishop moved that the nominations cease and that the Officers be elected by acclamation. District IV Senior Director Elaine Jackson seconded motion. Motion carried. Officers were elected as listed.
- District Caucuses—Members met in District Caucuses to elect District Directors.
- Results of Caucuses
District I—Sherry Clark, ascended to Senior Director
District II—no one elected
District III—Kaye Pace, ascended to Senior Director
District IV—Elaine Jackson, reelected, Junior Director
District V—no one elected
Gulfport—no one elected
Jackson—no one elected
Meridian—Daryl Gail Jensen, reelected, Junior Director (Charity Jones had indicated she would not move up to Senior Director)
- Installation of Officers and Directors—Parliamentarian and Past President Billie Davis administered the oath of office to the Officers and Directors.
- Awards—President Connie Myers presented an award to Pat Bond, the co-recipient of the 2017 Leola “Bugger” Coggin Supporter Award. Pat was unable to be present at the 2017 Conference. She and her husband, Leonard, had worked at the MS State Fair project for many years. President Myers presented the 2018 Leola “Bugger” Coggin Supporter Award to Maria Kennedy, long-time worker and current Chairman of the Silent Auction. An Award in grateful appreciation for support of the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary would be personally presented by President Myers to Roxanna Barwick at a later date. Roxie was the managing editor for the *Building Bridges* newsletter for two (2) years.
- Presentation to Outgoing President Connie Myers—Director at Large Pat Bishop presented a bottle of champagne to Outgoing President Connie Myers and expressed her thanks for Connie’s excellent work as President over the past two years.
- Passing of the President’s Gavel—Outgoing President Connie Myers passed the gavel to Incoming President Angelia “Angie” Carnes and wished her a successful year.

Meeting Adjourned

The meeting adjourned at 11:26 a.m.

Vivian D. Taylor

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Secretary

Other Conference Notes

Past Presidents Breakfast— Seven (7) Past Presidents attended the Past Presidents Breakfast on March 02, 2018: Pat Bishop, Paula Carrigan, Ruth Ann Crawford, Billie Davis, Ann Hart, Connie Myers, and Vivian Taylor. Ann Hart's friend and driver, Pat, joined the Past Presidents for breakfast. Those present signed several cards for Past Presidents who were ill and unable to attend. The nominee for the 2019 Leola "Bugger" Coggin Supporter Award was selected.

First Timers Meeting—Auxiliary Board members welcomed First Timer Ashley Surla on Friday evening, March 02, 2018.

Presentation of Auxiliary share of Mississippi State Fair proceeds from MS NG NCO Association—The MS NG NCO Association President, Nickie White, presented a check from the Association in the amount of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) to President Connie Myers at the Joint Session on Saturday morning, March 03, 2018.

Auxiliary donation to Gold Star Families Memorial Monument project at Camp Shelby—On behalf of the Gold Star Families Memorial Monument project, George Q. Cain and five (5) Gold Star family members received a donation of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) from the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary for the Gold Star Families Memorial Monument project at Camp Shelby. After the presentation by Auxiliary President Connie Myers, hats were passed among attendees and an additional one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) was received from Conference attendees for the Gold Star Family Memorial project.

Presentation of MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary scholarships—President Connie Myers presented a MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary scholarship in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) to Kaycee Elizabeth Grice during the MS NG NCO Association business session on Saturday afternoon, March 03, 2018. Erin Renea Thomas was unable to be present due to illness; her check would be mailed.

Auxiliary Silent Auction—The seventy (70) items in the Auxiliary Silent Auction netted one thousand six hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$1,637.00) for the MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary treasury. Fourteen (14) families provided items for the Silent Auction; thirty-nine families bought items.

EANGUS "We Care for America" Foundation, Inc. Donation—One hundred seventy-four dollars (\$174.00) was given during the Auxiliary General Membership Meeting for WCFA.

MS NG NCO Association Auxiliary Side by Side Award—President Connie Myers presented the Auxiliary's *Side by Side* Award to MSgt Melissa Herron at the Saturday evening Banquet/Awards Dinner.

MS NG NCO Association Spouse of the Year Award—Association President Nickie White presented the Association's Spouse of the Year Award to his spouse for Teresa's support of Nickie for thirty-six (36) years.

REGISTRATION FORM

**Mississippi National Guard
Noncommissioned Officers Association
51st Annual Conference
12 - 14 April 2019**



Date Submitted

Registration : \$50 per person

Hilton Jackson & Conference Center, 1001 East County Line Road, Jackson, Mississippi 39211

Number of persons				Make Check payable to:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$50.00	=		MS NG NCO Association			
Last Name			First Name:			MI:	
Mailing Address:							
City:				State:		Zip:	
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E-Mail Address:							
Telephone:			Emergency Contact:				
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Names of others attending: (Please ensure to put the name you want to appear on the ID Tag)							
Name to appear on ID Tag:				Relationship:			

MS NG NCO Assn Status				Banquet Meal Requested			
Annual	<input type="checkbox"/>	Life	<input type="checkbox"/>	Attendee	Chicken	Beef	
				Guest	Chicken	Beef	
Associate	<input type="checkbox"/>	Corporate	<input type="checkbox"/>	Guest	Chicken	Beef	
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Mail this Registration Form to: Keith Ales 201 Dogwood Lane Batesville, MS 38606 (662) 816-6452	Hotel Reservations: You must call the Hilton Jackson to make your room reservations.	
	Hilton Jackson 1001 County Line Road Jackson, MS 39211 Tel (601) 957-2800	Room Rates: \$93.00 plus tax prior to 15 March 2019 \$127.00 after 15 March 2019 Advise them you are with the MS NG NCO Association



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\$20 Per Person

Double Elimination

12 APRIL 2019

Competition is open to all MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION members, its Auxiliary, their families and guests. All participants must sign and return the release form below. All pre-registered participants prior to 1 April will be guaranteed a conference T-shirt the day of the tournament.

Check-In: 1:30 PM Bags Fly: 2:00 PM
Hilton Jackson Hotel-Salon C
1001 E County Line Rd. Jackson, MS 39211

Return official registration form and registration fee (\$20.00), check or money order only, no later than 1 April 2019. Make all checks payable to **MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION**.

Mail to the following address:

Hank Fairchild
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Rd. Bailey, MS 39320
hfa2482@gmail.com
(601) 480-7997

(Please type or print)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

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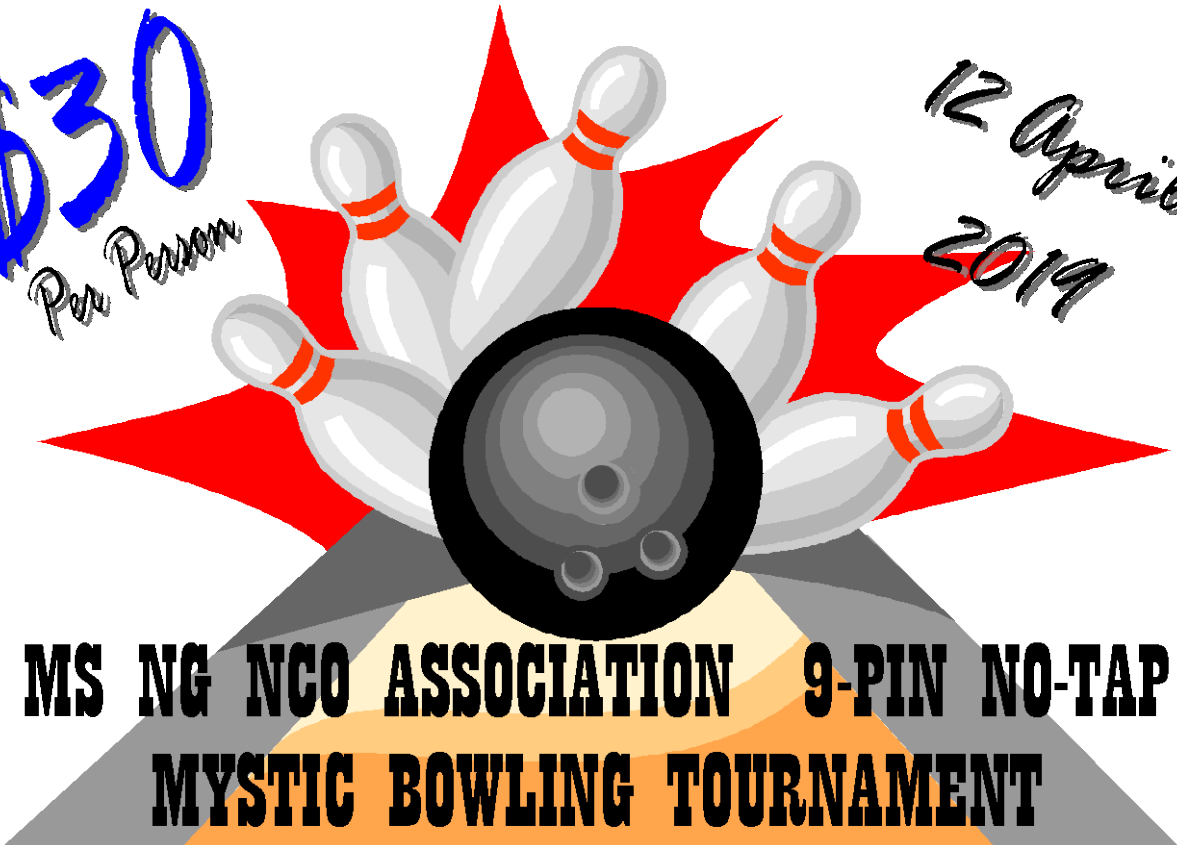
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RISK ASSUMPTION: Anyone participating in the MS NG NCO ASSN Cornhole Tournament does so at his/her risk. The MS NG NCO ASSN, Hilton Hotel, or its employees are not liable for any accident, injury, loss or damage to personal property suffered by a participant while in facilities of Hilton Hotel or participating in the tournament. Participation is on a voluntary basis.

NAME _____ DATE _____

\$30
Per Person

12 April
2019



**MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION 9-PIN NO-TAP
MYSTIC BOWLING TOURNAMENT**

Competition is open to all MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION members, its Auxiliary, their families and guests. All participants must sign and return the release form below. All pre-registered participants prior to 1 April will be guaranteed a conference T-shirt the day of the tournament.

The FUN Starts at 2:00 PM at FANNIN LANES
1145 OLD FANNIN RD
Brandon, MS 39047 (601) 919-8001

Return official registration form and registration fee (\$30.00), check or money order only, no later than 1 April 2019. Make all checks payable to **MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION**. Mail to the following address:

Joey Dearman
324 Star Braxton Road
Braxton, MS 39044
Joseph.m.dearman.mil@mail.mil
(601) 813-5337

(Please type or print)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

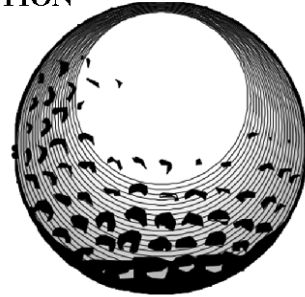
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NAME _____ DATE _____

MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD
NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
CSM DAN MURPHY
2019
MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT



ENTRY FEE INCLUDES: Green fees, cart, range balls, (4 per team) Mulligans and meal. Additional Mulligans will be available for purchase (\$10). Course beverages will be provided at a limited basis.

ELIGIBILITY: Tournament is open to all MSNG Members, NCOA and NCOA Auxiliary members. All entrants must sign and return the release form below.

FORMAT: Tee off shotgun start at 0800 Four-person scramble, A-B-C-D golfer's blind draw. Golfers who pick their own team will not be playing for the CSM Dan Murphy Trophy, but will be eligible for all other prizes. Tee times will be limited to the first 75 participants. Prizes for closest to the pin and longest drive will be awarded for both tee times, provided there is enough participation in each tee time.

DATE: April 12, 2019

PLACE: PATRICK FARMS GOLF CLUB

Located off of Greenfield Road.
Address: 300 Clubhouse Drive, Pearl,
Mississippi 39208
Phone 601.664.0304
<https://www.randywatkinsgolf.com>

Registration Fee - \$75.00 (Meal served at 12:00)

CSM DAN MURPHY GOLF TOURNAMENT
OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
E-Mail Address: _____
Unit: _____
Phone: _____ Card #: _____
Average Score or Handicap: _____

Return official registration form and registration fee (check only, please, made payable to the MS NG NCO ASSN to the following address, no later than **day of tournament**.

SGM David Thompson
414 Yellow Pine Drive
Petal, MS 39465
Phone: 601-422-7429
Email: david.r.thompson2.mil@mail.mil

Preferred Tee Time: 0800 1300 (Select One)

Registration prior to 25 April 2018 guarantees conference t-shirt which may be picked up the date of the tournament.

Please indicate T- Shirt size: S M L XL XXL

Anyone who participates in the Mississippi National Guard Noncommissioned Officers Association's Dan Murphy Memorial Golf Tournament will do so at his/her own risk. The MSNG NCO Association and Bay Pointe Resort and Golf Club are not liable for any accident, injury or loss or damage to personal property suffered by a participant while in sited facilities or participating in the golf tournament. Participation in the event is on a voluntary basis.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____



MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD
NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

RETIREE BREAKFAST REGISTRATION

NAME: _____ RANK: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

HOME TELEPHONE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

WILL YOU HAVE A SPOUSE OR GUEST ATTENDING? _____ YES _____ NO

BREAKFAST COST: \$10.00 PER PERSON

ATTENDEES: _____ X \$10.00 = TOTAL \$ _____

YOU CAN REGISTER ONLINE AT MSNCOA.ORG OR MAIL FORM AND CHECK TO
CSM (RET) KEITH ALES, 201 DOGWOOD LANE, BATESVILLE, MS 38606.



**EANGUS Area IV 2020 Mid-Winter
Annual Meeting
January 17-19, 2020
Austin, Texas
www.ngat.org/Eangusmidwinter2020.htm**

REGISTRATION FORM

This registration is for attendance only. Registration fee covers Fri welcome reception/hospitality, Sat breakfast tacos, Sat lunch, Sat dinner, Sat hospitality. You must book your hotel room through the hotel.

Name: _____ Rank: _____
Name to Appear on Badge: _____
Title/Position: _____ State: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Will you have a spouse or guest attending? _____ Yes _____ No
Spouse/Guest Name to Appear on Badge: _____

Conference Fee: \$75.00 per person
Attendees _____ x \$75.00 = Total \$ _____
(Please make checks payable to National Guard Association of Texas or NGAT)

MEETING HOTEL

Holiday Inn Austin Midtown – \$89.00 single/double a night * Plus applicable taxes
6000 Middle Fiskville Road, Austin, TX 78752
Reservations can be made by calling: 512-451-5757 or 888-300-6273
Use Group Name: **EANGUS**
Hotel Rate is valid until **December 28, 2019**

Registration and payment must be received no later than **January 5, 2020.**

Registrations can be mailed to:
National Guard Association of Texas
ATTN: Theresa Billeck-Zuniga
3706 Crawford Ave
Austin, TX 78731-6308

AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

Ride Share Available: Uber, Lyft, Ride Austin, Wingz
Super Shuttle: www.supershuttle.com/locations/austin-aus/

Questions can be directed to: Theresa Billeck-Zuniga, tbz@ngat.org

Check out our website for updates on the Annual Meeting. <http://www.ngat.org/eangus.php>
EXHIBITORS PLEASE REGISTER ON EXHIBITOR'S REGISTRATION FORM!

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EANGUS Priorities for the First Session of the 116th Congress

- Reserve Component medical readiness/ TRICARE Reserve Select expansion (S164/HR613)
- Early retirement credit under 12304b orders
- Issue a DD214 upon separation or discharge from a Reserve Component similar to Active Duty
- Urge the Air National Guard to fund Federal Tuition Assistance for all ANG members
- Tax incentives for employers to hire members of the Guard
- Tax deductions for drill weekend travel
- Allow TSP contributions outside of 401(k) threshold
- Improved mental health care access and treatment for members of the Guard
- Amend Title 38 of the United States Code to recognize Guardsmen's ADT, ADSW, & AD
- Support for Post-9/11 GI Bill eligibility & Transfer of Education Benefits



EANGUS Legislative Call to Action 2019-1

TRICARE Reserve Select Expansion to Eligible Federal Employees

ISSUE: Federal Employees eligible for TRICARE Reserve Select (TRS) are forced to utilize more expensive healthcare offered on the Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan (FEHBP)

BACKGROUND: The membership of the Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the U.S. believes that Reserve Component (RC) servicemembers should be able to choose whatever health care provider is best for their military readiness and for the care for their families regardless of who their employer may be. RC members who are Federal employees are not given a choice to provide continuity of care in the TRICARE program during the complete mobilization cycle (before, during and after) due to restrictions in Federal law. This continuity of care can be achieved by removing the restriction.

Federal employees eligible for FEHBP coverage and TRS must accept health care coverage under FEHBP. FEHBP, managed by the Office of Personnel Management, provides a wide-range of health insurance coverage using a robust network of providers. However, TRS is a more affordable option for RC servicemembers compared to options offered by FEHBP. For example, the widely utilized Blue Cross Blue Shield Basic Option rate costs \$159.74 per month for self only and \$384.02 per month for self and family in calendar year 2019. TRS coverage during calendar year 2019 cost \$42.83 per month for self only coverage and \$218.01 per month for member and family coverage.

In January 2019, Senator Daines (R-MT) and Senator Manchin (D-WV) introduced S. 164 and Representative Garamendi (D-CA) and Representative Kelly (R-MS) introduced H.R. 613 to resolve this issue. During the 115th Congress, the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) scored similar legislation; CBO estimated a \$173 million mandatory spending increase, and a savings of \$1.2 billion discretionary. The costs are associated with removing as many as 113,000 RC servicemembers currently utilizing FEHBP and putting those servicemembers into TRS managed by the Department of Defense (DOD). If all 113,000 servicemembers opted into TRS, DOD would realize \$1.2 Billion in discretionary savings during a time when readiness and training are the highest priorities of each of the Services.]

Take Action: The EANGUS National Office requests that members please take a few minutes out of your day to message your delegation in Washington, D.C. to become a co-sponsor of H.R. 613 and S. 164.

ANSWER THE CALL FOR ACTION:

<https://eangus.org/legislative-calls-to-action-2/> - **CLICK** on Call to Action 2019-1



Fishing Registration

Friday, April 12, 2019

Safe Light – 1500 Fishing Tournament

Tommy's Trading Post
4238 Highway 43 North, Brandon, MS

(Located at the North end of the Ross Barnett Reservoir on Hwy 43.)

<https://msncoa.org/fishing-tournament-registration/>



Online registration will be cut off after 7 April 2019. If you still want to try and get a ticket after this date, contact CSM Darrell L. Masterson at (601) 313-6372.

- Individual Registration*
- Price: \$50.00
- Teams will consist of no more than two individuals. Shirt and Lunker Pot included with registration. (If you are fishing as a team please include a team name)
- Fishing Category (Crappie/Bass)*

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Leadership

A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.

—John C. Maxwell

A good leader takes a little more than his share of the blame,
a little less than his share of the credit.

—Arnold H. Glasow



U.S. Representative Trent Kelly, Mississippi, received the G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery Eagle Award during this week's EANGUS Legislative Reception. Shown with Representative Kelly are MS NG NCO Association President SFC Tommy Morgan (left) and SFC (Ret) Robert N. "Nickie" White (right).



Mississippians with U.S. Representative Steven Palazzo, Mississippi (center).



U.S. Senator Cindy Hyde-Smith, Mississippi, stated on her Facebook page, "Enjoyed my visit with Nickie White with the MS National Guard Non-Commissioned Officers Association. I appreciate the work this organization does to ensure non-commissioned officers are well represented."

**MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD
NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY
STATE LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Card Number assigned by MS Auxiliary treasurer _____

Applicant's Name: Last First Middle Maiden

Street Address or Post Office Box

City State Zip Code

Phone Number: _____ (home) _____ (work or cell)

Age _____ Birthday _____ Army Guard _____ Air Guard _____

Spouse's Name Rank Unit

EANGUS Auxiliary Lifetime Membership Number _____

Cost of Lifetime Membership: An annual member may become a lifetime member by payment of a fee of **\$10.00** plus the annual dues that apply until the applicant reaches the age of **65**. This is a non-refundable payment. After the age of 65, no dues are required, only the \$10.00 fee. If the applicant is not a lifetime member of the EANGUS Auxiliary and does not become one, the applicant would have to continue to pay annual EANGUS Auxiliary dues.

Date application received by MS Auxiliary treasurer _____

Date received by MS Auxiliary Executive Council _____

LIFETIME DUES SCHEDULE

<u>Current Age</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>	<u>Current Age</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>	<u>Current Age</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>
Age 65 or over	\$10.00	51	\$94.00	37	\$178.00
64	\$16.00	50	\$100.00	36	\$184.00
63	\$22.00	49	\$106.00	35	\$190.00
62	\$28.00	48	\$112.00	34	\$196.00
61	\$34.00	47	\$118.00	33	\$202.00
60	\$40.00	46	\$124.00	32	\$208.00
59	\$46.00	45	\$130.00	31	\$214.00
58	\$52.00	44	\$136.00	30	\$220.00
57	\$58.00	43	\$142.00	29	\$226.00
56	\$64.00	42	\$148.00	28	\$232.00
55	\$70.00	41	\$154.00	27	\$238.00
54	\$76.00	40	\$160.00	26	\$244.00
53	\$82.00	39	\$166.00	25	\$250.00
52	\$88.00	38	\$172.00	24	\$256.00



**Enlisted Association of the National Guard
 of the United States Auxiliary**
SPOUSE MUST BE AN EANGUS LIFETIME MEMBER
APPLICANT MUST BE CURRENT STATE & EANGUS AUXILIARY MEMBER

LIFE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

2018--November

Date of Application

Name (Last) (First) (Middle) (Maiden name, please)

Mailing Address

City, State

Age Date of Birth State Affiliation State Verification

Spouse's Name Phone number

Email Address

Army _____ Air _____ Lifetime number assigned by EANGUS for Spouse: _____

COST OF LIFE MEMBERSHIP

An annual member may become a life member by payment of **\$25.00 plus the annual dues which apply until the applicant reaches the age of 60**. This is a nonrefundable payment. After age 60, no dues are required. Application must be accompanied by verification of eligibility from the treasurer of the state of which the applicant is an annual member.

Year of birth	_____	+	60	=	_____	-	_____	=	_____	()
							Current Year		X	\$ 7.00
									=	_____
									+	\$ 25.00
										TOTAL: \$ _____

A Life Member card number will be assigned by the LIFE MEMBERSHIP CHAIR. _____

Mail this application along with applicable dues to:

Vivian Taylor, LTM Chairperson, PO Box 101, Clara, MS 39324-0101

Date received by EANGUS Auxiliary Treasurer

Amount \$

-- Side By Side We Stand With Pride --

November 2018

MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

YOUR NAME: _____

YOUR HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: _____ BIRTHDAY: _____

SPOUSE:(NCO) _____ RANK: _____

UNIT ASSIGNED: _____ ARMY: _____ AIR: _____

CITY: _____ DISTRICT: _____

Spouse Current Member of MS NG NCO Association _____ YES _____ NO

Spouse MS NG NCO Association Membership Number _____

Did Spouse join NCO Association On-Line? _____ YES _____ NO

CHECK ONE BELOW – LEVEL CHECKED WILL INDICATE DUES

NEW ANNUAL MEMBER
\$13.00

RENEWAL MEMBER
\$13.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBER
MS AUXILIARY ONLY
\$5.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBER MS AUXILIARY AND EANGUS AUXILIARY

\$10.00

LIFE MEMBER EANGUS
(STATE ONLY) \$6.00

LIFE MEMBER STATE
(EANGUS ONLY) \$9.00

LIFE MEMBER (BOTH
STATE & EANGUS)

It is understood that by acceptance of this application and membership dues, I will be a member in good standing with the Mississippi National Noncommissioned Officers Association Auxiliary. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as set forth in the Constitution and Bylaws of the Auxiliary and that violation of the same is cause for revocation of membership.

DATE: _____ YOUR SIGNATURE: _____

PLEASE MAIL APPLICATION TO:

TREASURER PAT BURCHFIELD
MS NG NCO ASSN. AUXILIARY
2443 DOGWALK RD, TUTWILER, MS 38963

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

MS NG NCO ASSOCIATION AUXILIARY