

DIVISION 3 UPDATE July 6, 2017



1. Communications:

- a. Update Contact Info: The HQs Staff is asking that each chapter spread the word in asking all member log into their membership account to verify their contact info. If possible the staff would like members to list their personal email address vice the ".mil" address. The AF network varies by location and often does not allow outside message to be sent to ".mil" addresses. Click here to change your contact info.
- b. AFSA HQ Social Media Sites: Twitter, YouTube, Facebook, Vimeo, Instagram
- **c.** Facebook Chapter Cover pages: Click <u>here</u> to download your Chapter image.

2. Fraternity:

a. AFSA PAC: HQs negotiated an extension to the hotel reservation cut-off until **10 July**. There is still time to get registered and get a room, after the 10th there is no guarantee of getting a room on site.

b. AFSA PAC Dress Requirements:

Business Meetings: It is recommended that AFSA members attend all meetings in their AFSA blazers, business suit/pantsuits, or sports jacket with tie. The authorized uniform for personnel attending the PAC on official TDY orders is the light blue, long/short-sleeved shirt/blouse with or without tie/tab

International President's Brunch: AFSA Members: Business attire; Military Personnel: Service dress uniform

President's Dinner: AFSA Members: Business attire; Military Personnel: Service dress uniform. *Top Performer Club members* (TwinFLIER, SKYHIGHER, HighFLIER): Wear the AFSA blazer unless they are military members, then they may wear their AFSA blazer but are highly encouraged to wear their service dress uniform

Air Force Honors Banquet Reception: Gentlemen: Tuxedo or dark suit; Ladies: Dress evening wear (long or short); Military on Funded TDY orders: Mess dress or semi-formal uniform

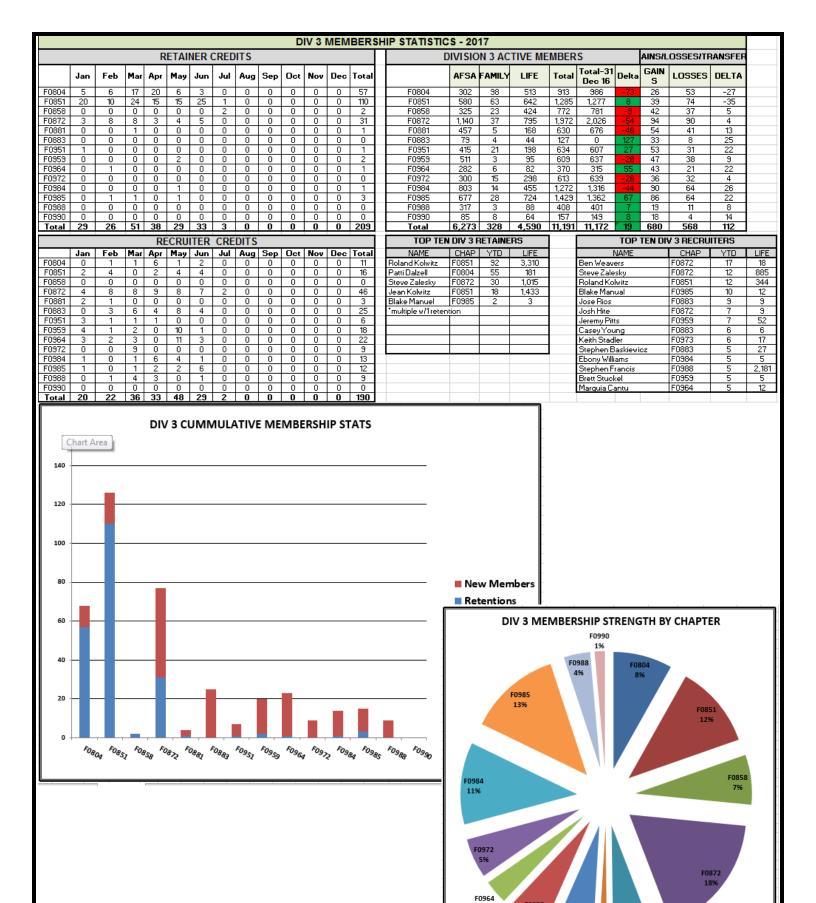
3. Legislation:

- **a. HASC & SASC Pass Versions of FY 2018 NDAA:** Refer to AFSA's "The Washington Report" dated 30 Jun. The SASC version would allow cuts in Dual BAH for military couples. The House and Senate must still debate, discuss, and pass their versions of the bill and then must come together in conference to reconcile their differences to come up with one single congressional defense bill before they send it to the President of signature. Ensure you review both versions of the bill and share with your members.
- **b.** Legislative Awareness Week (LAW): LAW is set of 1-7 October. This is AFSA's event to raise legislative awareness at the chapter level. Use this event to educate your members on legislative issues and how the legislative process happens.

4. Membership:

- **a. Family & Friends Program:** This program is a recruitment tool for current members to offer a discounted rate to perspective members. With this campaign, new members and their families and friends can enjoy a special 2 for \$50 international membership rate when they join on the spot during the months of May, June and July 2017, http://www.hqafsa.org/familyfriendstrong.html. So far 112 new members took advantage of this program.
- b. FTAC/Base Orientation/Right Start: It is extremely important to brief at these events to educate and recruit. Most importantly it is imperative that chapters attend these events to transfer members to the local chapter and add them to your distribution list. Link to transfer members: https://members.hgafsa.org/Members AFSA/Resources/Change of Address Request.aspx
- c. Membership Application: <u>Download</u> a member application.

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