

**Combat Control Association
Board Meeting
March 14, 2024
1700CST**

Call to order:

Members in attendance: President Mike Lamonica (LA), Vice President Mike West (MW), Secretary Mark Nevatt (NT), Treasurer Spence Cocanour (SC), Board Member Kyle Stanbro (KS), Board Member Geoffery Hitchcock (HK), Board Member Christopher Grove (CG)

Guests:

Approval of Minutes: LA motioned to approve the February minutes and KS seconded the motion. February meeting minutes approved.

Financial overview:

- SC: \$163K available for CCA use

Atlantic City Reunion:

- Mike Moreno wanted to stress how important the reunion is to the area
 - good: robust schedule, lots to do, room rates
 - bad: airport transportation. Two major airports are a long commute to AC and MO is working a solution
- Mike also announced the release of the new CCA software update
 - Mike, Mark and JQ getting release ready for board review...need feedback soon
 - goal is to be ready before LV reunion
 - updates will include updated member directory and member map
 - concerns of the map will be only allowed if the CCA member elects to have his name and location to be public
 - ST Group concerned Active-Duty members may include too much personal info. MW/HK suggested a paragraph on the page to inform AD members to be aware of PII

Special Tactics reorganization of Hurlburt:

- LA/GE had a discussion with STG/CC, Col Psilos on the new summer reorganization
- 24 SOW moving to NC, Bruce Dixon point lead for the move
- STG/CC wants to have a relationship with all SPECWAR coalition organizations, and the CC also understands the benefits
- STG will only be a functional/supporting Group (i.e. train/equip/ttp, etc) No cmd/cntrl
- KS wants to invite ST leaders to the reunion to help explain the changes to the attendees

CCA Pope fundraiser:

- 7 April – Combat Control School Immersion Day
- 8 April – Golf Tournament (\$1k per team)
- Goal \$70k-\$80k
- LA working with local leaders on schedule
- Please help invite sponsors that would like to help

APRIL 7, 2024 @ POPE ARMY AIRFIELD, NC

IMMERSION EXPERIENCE

GET AN EXCLUSIVE LOOK INSIDE THE WORLD OF
AIR FORCE SPECIAL TACTICS TRAINING.

Immersion Day Event includes: Fast-Roping and Rappelling,
Close Quarters Shooting Range, Tour of the Special Warfare
School Heritage Center, Lunch with the Students/Cadre, Water
Confidence Drills, and so much more.

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STORIES BY VISITING THE WEBSITE BELOW:

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THE EVENING OF APRIL 7, 2024

WHISKEY & WAR STORIES

CLEARED HOT
GOLF TOURNAMENT
BENEFITING
Combat Control Foundation & The Association

APRIL 8, 2024

Scott D. Sather
Combat Controller, USAF

EVENT DETAILS

LOCATION
Long Leaf Golf Club
10 Kivall Rd #2900
Southern Pines, NC 28387

ENTRY FEE \$1,000 per team
Entry fee includes: snacks, drinks, no the green fee,
tee time, golf cart, transportation throughout the day
along with caddy, commentary and prizes.
*\$250 Individual Registration

FORMAT & SCHEDULE
Foursome Scramble (the fourth team
member of the foursome will be an assigned captain).
STARTGUN START // APRIL 8 @ 9:00 AM

DINNER & AUCTION
5:30 PM // 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM
Fair Barn
200 Brush Hill Rd S
Pinehurst, NC 28354

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

LIGHTNING ⚡ \$25,000
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(includes 4 championship tees)

PARACHUTE 🪂 \$15,000
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material, displayed on the website and included on all social media posts.
(includes 3 championship tees)

COMPASS 🧭 \$5,000
Recognized as a Compass Sponsor with name and logo displayed on
the website (includes 1 championship tee)

PATRIOT 🇺🇸 \$1,000
Recognized as a Patriot Sponsor with name and logo displayed on a hole card on
the website.

OPERATOR 🚁 \$500
Recognized as an Operator Sponsor. You will be sponsoring an Operator in the
tournament. Your name and logo will be displayed on social media posts.

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COMBATCONTROLFOUNDATION.ORG/CH

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Mary Esther, FL 32569-0438

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CCF Fundraisers:

- Odessa back on the schedule for 19 Oct 2024
- Dan Tracey and Gary Bechard organizing a fundraiser for Texas...maybe the SA area

CCA Annual board meeting:

- Annual required face-to-face as required IAW the by-laws
- 01 May, Thursday night at the LV reunion
- Review Annual member meeting slides and agenda
- Review CCA By-law, Letters of Incorporation, fundraising plan, set goals and set next year way-ahead

SR (former Combat Weather) support:

- SR has no association and the GBA not as supportive
- SR has bonded with CCT since going through CCS over the last decade
- SR has no oversight and LA might reach out to former CW members for ideas

CCT movie coming out:

- check out 'Land of Bad'
- No details on the movie but we should check it out

Alpha Resolute Group:

- Shipping company with ability to send shirts/hats to people that order online
- could be a country store replacement
- Ish is an employee
- OR brought up concerns of keeping some tax records for 3 years if we gave up our locker
- MW brought up we have 50 different items in the store (i.e. flags, golf stuff, mugs).
- KS setting up meeting with ARG, LA and MW to check feasibility

STTS graduations:

- CCA sponsors Chapman Trophy and \$500 towards picnic
- MW concerned the picnic donation is not worth the bang. Money could be saved for occasional STTS functions
- MW/HK will try to attend all graduations
- STTS gives CCA 30 minutes with students before grad and helps Val present the trophy