

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)
BY AND BETWEEN
CIVIL AIR PATROL,
SILVER WINGS,
AND
ARNOLD AIR SOCIETY

1. Purpose. The Civil Air Patrol, Silver Wings, and Arnold Air Society agree that it would be to the mutual benefit of all organizations that, from time to time, they work together at joint events aimed at satisfying the objectives and missions of both organizations.

2. General Provisions. The following provisions are applicable to this MOU:

a. Silver Wings members and Arnold Air Society cadets have a great deal of knowledge which is helpful to the development of Civil Air Patrol members and the overall accomplishment of the mission of the Cadet Program. As such, Silver Wings members, Arnold Air Society cadets, and Civil Air Patrol members shall be encouraged to work together toward the fulfillment of the Cadet Program.

b. Civil Air Patrol members represent a significant force of dynamic Americans who constitute a large number of future and past officer candidates who are capable of contributing to Silver Wings and Arnold Air Society's service objectives. As such, Silver Wings, Arnold Air Society, and Civil Air Patrol members shall be encouraged to work together toward the fulfillment of the purposes of Silver Wings and Arnold Air Society.

c. Silver Wings members, Arnold Air Society cadets, and Civil Air Patrol members shall be encouraged by their respective headquarters to work together in activities relating to:

- i. The honoring of the United States of America and the United States Air Force
- ii. Community Service volunteering
- iii. Drill and Ceremonies training
- iv. Academic Tutoring
- v. Aerospace Education activities

d. All interactions between Civil Air Patrol members, Silver Wings members, and Arnold Air Society cadets shall have at least 2 Senior Members (of CAP). All persons present shall receive a safety briefing before interaction begins which, in addition to standard safety topics, expectations of all parties involved shall be outlined. At no time will Silver Wings members or Arnold Air Society cadets be used to augment Civil Air Patrol personnel in uniquely Civil Air Patrol activities (i.e: administering Drill Tests, grading tests, administering the Model Rocketry Program, etc.) nor will Silver Wings members or Arnold Air Society cadets act in a role comparable to a military trainer.

3. Requests for Joint Events

a. Joint events may be requested by any Silver Wings Chapter President or Arnold Air

Society Squadron Commander to any Civil Air Patrol Commander or vice versa. Leaders from all organizations shall disclose their expectations for the joint event and the associated safety risks.

b. The individual in charge of the joint event shall be determined by the host organization (although provisions in section 2D above still apply).

4. Effective Dates. This MOU will become effective as of the date signed by both parties, and will remain in effect for a period of five (5) years, and shall automatically renew for successive periods of five (5) years, unless terminated by either party.

5. Entire MOU; Amendments. This MOU embodies the entire, final and exclusive agreement and understanding of the parties, and no other agreements exist between the parties, except for any amendments cited below and executed by the parties. This MOU may be amended only in writing signed by an authorized representative of each of the parties.

6. Termination. Either of the parties to this MOU may terminate it at any time by giving written notice to the other of such intent to terminate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this MOU effective as of the date shown below:

National Headquarters
Civil Air Patrol

Executive Management Center
Arnold Air Society and Silver Wings

By: Mark E. Smith

By: John B. Woodard

Dated: 16 November 2017

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