

CPOA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Mail application with check to: CPOA, 5520-G Hempstead Way, Springfield, VA 22151)

Last Name	First	Initial	Rate
Address			
City	State	Zip	
Phone #	E-mail Address		
Social Security #	Date of Birth		
Signature	Date		
Sponsored by	of Chapter		

Enclosed is a copy of **ALLOTMENT** for \$2.00 per month to CPOA (Blanket Code 066)

Enclosed is my **CHECK** in the amount of \$24.00 for annual dues. (This includes \$11.00 for annual subscription to *The Chief* magazine)

Regular Member Associate Member

I wish to be assigned to the _____ Chapter

I prefer to be a member-at-large

ACTIVE DUTY RETIRED RESERVE

Regular Membership Members or former member of the CG who attained the rank of E7/8/9 (including Commissioned and WO's of the USCG who attained the rank of E7/8/9) are eligible for regular membership in the CPOA

Associate Membership Members of DOD who attained the rank of E7/8/9 (including Commissioned and WO's who attained the rank of E7/8/9) are eligible for associate membership in the CPOA

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP AVAILABLE

Lifetime membership is available to all members as follows:

Up to age 35: \$400
36 to 50..... \$350
51 or over \$300

Past Presidents

OCT69-APR 70..... BMCM J. B. Kane
MAY70-JUN70 QMCM R.M. Shannon
JUL70-APR72..... YNCS E. C. Mason
MAY72-JUN73 ETCM L. Martinez
JUL73-JUN75 YNCM F. F. Smith
JUL75-APR76..... YNC D. C. Orolo
MAY76-JUN76 YNC H. W. Walker
JUL76-JUN78 RMCM G. H. Lambert
JUL78-AUG79 BMCM W. J. Schott
AUG79-AUG81..... BMCM J. DeLuca
AUG81-AUG83..... QMC R. Longo
AUG83-AUG85..... BMCM D. C. Miller
AUG85-AUG88..... ATC R. W. Wells
AUG88-AUG90..... QMC F. Albright
AUG90-AUG92..... MKCM D. E. Robertson
AUG92-AUG94..... EMCM L. E. Maher
AUG94-AUG96..... YNC J. A. Shipp
AUG96-AUG98..... BMCS R. F. Sennholtz, Jr.
SEP98-AUG00 MKCM D. E. Robertson
SEP00-AUG04 BMCS T. A. Trimble

Gold Lifetime Members

OCT 72RMCM S. PARKANS (DECEASED)
AUG 75CSC K. MANESS (DECEASED)
AUG77ETC P. GOEKE
AUG80YNCM R. E. GALLAGHER
AUG84BMCM J. B. KANE (DECEASED)
AUG84QMCM R. M. SHANNON (DECEASED)
AUG85BMCM W. J. SCHOTT
AUG86RMCM G. H. LAMBERT
AUG87ETC F. A. FORD (DECEASED)
AUG94AMC J. L. CHASSEREAU
AUG94QMC F. ALBRIGHT
AUG95ATC R. W. WELLS
AUG96ETCM T. M. LACKEY
AUG96BMCM D. C. MILLER
AUG97BMC L. C. LICEA
AUG98BMCS J. F. CROWLEY
AUG98YNC A. M. CHAPMAN
AUG00QMC R. LONGO
AUG00ENC W. D. O'FARRELL
AUG01RMC G. OVERMYER (DECEASED)
AUG01ATCM D. DISBENNETT
AUG 02BMCM W. W. GORR
AUG02PSC P. A. BUTLER

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*“In respect for those who have gone before
us...
...As a guide for those who follow”*

*Membership Pamphlet
(Information and Application)*

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Purpose of the Chief Petty Officers Association

The United States Coast Guard Chief Petty Officers Association is unique among service organizations in that it was created by the Chiefs, of the Chiefs, and for the Chiefs of the United States Coast Guard.

Ever mindful of:

- the traditions, duties and purpose of the United States Coast Guard,
- our duty to uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America,
- our responsibility to assist and save distressed seamen and others,
- our responsibility in the enforcement of the laws of our Country, and

in believing that through association and mutual acquaintance, the Chief Petty Officers of the United States Coast Guard may:

- best advance their professional abilities,
- enhance their value, loyalty and devotion to God, Country and service in which they serve,
- promote its unity and morale domestically and militarily through responsible leadership,
- assist members and dependents in urgent need of assistance,
- assist in recruiting for the Coast Guard,
- support the aims and goals of the CPO Academy,
- assemble for social amenities,
- become involved in community affairs,
- promote social programs for those in need,
- keep informed of Coast Guard matters.



What we do as an organization.

At the National level, our Executive Director represents the interests of all Coast Guard Enlisted personnel on various committees and councils on military affairs in Washington, DC, and provides information to the membership on what is happening. Chiefs elected to National Office stay in contact with Headquarters to keep them informed on our ideas and opinions, and are responsible for administering policy of the CPOA.

At the Chapter level, Chiefs assist local commands with various seminars, help CG families assimilate into the local community by providing information about stores, schools, churches, etc., and help dependents of members away from their families feel welcome and part of the Coast Guard family. They arrange CG Day picnics, children’s Christmas parties, Thanksgiving and Easter Day activities and other social events, and provide assistance to the local community in organized sports, clean-ups, neighborhood crime watches, Scout organizations, etc. CPOA members take part in nationally organized assistance programs such as the Jerry Lewis MDA Telethon and Special Olympics.

Auxiliary units

Chapters may establish Auxiliary Units under their auspices. Units may be composed of CPOA members’ spouses and children who wish to meet as a group and who wish to perform community service. These units are extremely helpful in assisting the chapter with local events.

National Officers

- President** YNC Jon A. Shipp
..... 305-254-8913
- Vice Pres** BMCS Charles H. Womack
..... 251-639-2508
- Secretary** QMCM Jeffrey L. Gruber
..... 804-815-9695
- Treasurer** SKCM Myles Shaw
..... 202-267-0689

What the CPOA has to Offer

- ◆ A comprehensive insurance program, which includes: TRICARE/MEDICARE supplements, cancer, life, auto, homeowners, renters, dental, term life, etc.
- ◆ Automobile insurance discounts through Government Employees Insurance CO. - GEICO.
- ◆ The Captain Caliendo College Assistance Fund (CCCAF) to help CPOA/CGEA family members with college costs.
- ◆ A magazine, “**THE CHIEF**”, to keep you informed on what other Chiefs are doing and provide a forum for presenting ideas.
- ◆ Over fifty Chapters established in the continental United States, Alaska, and Hawaii. Sharing with other Chiefs, through association and mutual acquaintance, our professional abilities, loyalty, and devotion to God, country and service, and promote unity and morale through responsible leadership.
- ◆ Affiliation with and sponsorship of the CPOA Auxiliary for family members, and the Coast Guard Enlisted Association - CGEA - for Coast Guard members in pay grades E-6 and below.
- ◆ Representation with other military and fraternal organizations through our National Executive Director, which allows us to stay abreast of legislation that will affect our members. The ED is a member of The Military Coalition and the Council of Military Organizations (COMO).
- ◆ Join an exclusive fraternity of Chief Petty Officers: The United States Coast Guard Chief Petty Officers Association

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www.uscgcpoa.org

