

HEART OF AMERICA CHAPTER

Military Officers Association of America

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LTC(Ret) John R. Angolia To Speak About The Radical Islamic Threat Facing The Entire Globe

Our own Jack Angolia and former Chapter Historian has had forty books dealing with military history published and contributed to four others. His current book is entitled "The Road to Defeat! What the Future Holds". It is broken down into three sections. "Yesterday" deals with the problem of not learning from history during the Vietnam War. "Today" deals with the ongoing Islamic terrorism taking place about the world. "Tomorrow" deals with the bad or good outcome of this threat. He was a Distinguished Military Graduate of the Virginia Military Institute with a BA in History. He holds a Master of Science from the Industrial War College and a Master of Military Arts and Science from the Command and General Staff College. He served 6.5 years as a Military Policeman, 7 years as a Regular Army Infantry Officer and 13 years in the Military Intelligence Branch. Upon re-

2020 Meeting Calendar

25 January* No July Meeting
22 February 22 August*
28 March * 26 September
25 April 24 October* (3rd Sat)

16 May * (3rd Sat)
21 November* (3rd Sat)
20 June (Chapter Picnic)
5 December (Holiday Party)

NOTE: All Meetings are on the 4th Saturday EXCEPT as indicated. They vary according to a holiday or available date.

* (Exec Council meets at 10:30)indicated

tirement, he established two uniform security companies. Following retirement from these, he and his wife have actively travelled the world, having set foot on all seven continents. It's easier to say where they haven't been rather than where they have. He could write yet another book regarding service to his country following his retirement, but few would believe it.

Meeting Information

TOPIC; Radical Islamic threat SPEAKER: Lt Col Jack Angolia

Saturday, October 24 2020

TIME: 10:30 Executive Board Meeting

12:15 p.m. - MOAA Lunch

MENU: Orange Roughy/Tater Sauce/Wild Rice

Vegetable/ Salad/ Roll/Butter/ Coffee/Tea/

Dessert

(Substitute Meals of Baked Chicken Breast or Hamburger Steak must be requested at Time of Reservation)

LOCATION:

Disabled American Veterans 14605 . Highway 40 Kansas City, Missouri 64136

Call David or Emma Toops at 913-967-9745 or email them at info@toopsconsulting.com

Notes From The **President**

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Jerry Magliano

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President's Message

A year ago, we were entering the holidays with a strong economy and a nation at peace with itself. There was much to be happy about as we were in what we considered to be normal times. A year later we find ourselves with the stress of a new normal caused by an international pandemic, racial unrest and a bitter political environment. It's difficult to be optimistic in times like these, but, we should reflect on our long history during which we came through a Civil War, a Great Depression, the Civil Right Movement and two World Wars, not to mention lesser crisis, the better and stronger for it. Only time will tell if history will repeat itself. I believe it will. On a more positive note, on October 13th, we celebrate the establishment of the US Navy in 1775. Happy Birthday to all our members who served in this great force for peace and security for the past 245 years. Also, on October 12th, we celebrate Columbus Day which is also known as Indigenous Peoples Day. On a personal note, I was born on October 12, 1940 making me an octogenarian this month and, while I have been fortunate to have had a very healthy life, I am beginning to feel like it. I don't expect much sympathy from my fellow octogenarians. I hope you all remain safe and healthy during these trying times. I find my strength in family and friends. I hope to see you at our October meeting at which our own Jack Angolia will be the speaker. Keep in your thoughts and prayers those in our Chapter dealing with health issues.

Auxiliary News

We are enjoying this beautiful weather. Halloween time is almost here. Not sure yet how Halloween is going to be celebrated this year due to Covid-19. A great big thank you to MaryAnn Robker who was our September hostess for the Auxiliary. She gave us a mug rug that she quilted and a mug filled with all kinds of treats to eat. Our hostess for October will be Mary Treu. Looking forward to seeing you at our next meeting on Saturday, October 24. Please remember to get your flu shot!

Thank you.

Tina Dawson

Auxiliary President

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Last month's speaker British Exchange Officer Lt. Col Fabrice Landragin

Fort Leavenworth 2020 Retiree Appreciation and Health Fair is cancelled due to COVID-19 over concerns for the health and safety of all participants.

VOTE



Heart of America Chapter (HOAC) Chapter and Auxiliary Membership Application or Renewal

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