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27 July 2006

MEMORANDUM FOR: NCOAGA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

FROM: Education and Scholarship Committee

SUBJECT: Committee Report

1. A meeting of the Education and Scholarship Committee was held on 27 July 2006 at 1100 hours, with the Chair, Vice-Chair, and six committee members. The following individuals were:

| <u>Name/Rank</u> | <u>State</u> | <u>Region</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------|---------------|
| MSgt Muriel Giorgi | NV | 1 |
| CMSgt Mitzy Maldonado | PR | 4 |
| Tom Musille | OH | 6 |
| CMSgt Larry Miller | SD | 3 |
| MSgt Walter Woods | SC | 4 |
| MSgt Hope Spruill | NC | 4 |
| CMSgt Nancy Price | NV | 1 |
| SMSgt Kevin Uthe | SD | 3 |

There were 12 submissions to the Senior Division, two submissions to the Junior Division, and five Bennie Frick, two NCOAGA Memorial.

2. The following items were discussed: Following the selection process, the committee discussed selection procedures for future and additional scholarships. The committee discussed future scholarship criteria and agreed it should be broadened but felt it should be decided when scholarships funds are available.

The committee then turned its attention to ways to encourage more participation in the program. Suggestions included using the websites, base newspapers, First Sergeants, and Commander Calls.

Finally, the committee agreed on the following topics for next year.

SENIOR DIVISION: What is “success” in the global war on terrorism?

JUNIOR DIVISION: How does technology impact my way of living?

3. The selections are as follows:

WILLIAM M GOYER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD OF \$1,600.00
Evan Jonas, Region 4, Chapter 7 – Charlotte, NC



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SENIOR DIVISION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD OF \$1,300.00
Allison Cookish, Region 5, Chapter 95 – Westfield, MA

SENIOR DIVISION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FROM USAA OF \$500.00
Ryan Thornell, Region 3, Chapter 70 – Sioux Falls, SD

NCOAGA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD OF \$1,000.00
TSgt Karen Marshall, Region 5, Chapter 88 – Chesapeake, MD

JUNIOR DIVISION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD OF \$600.00
Michael Contino, Region 5, Chapter 13 – Stony Brook, NY

MSGT BENNIE S. FRICK MEMORIAL EDUCATION AWARD OF \$500.00
Ashley Kobza, Region 3 Chapter 76 – Lincoln, NE

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