



## 28th Annual United States Service Academies Military Ball — Details of note

**WHEN:** Tuesday, December 27, 2022; 6 PM Program and Dinner; 9-11 PM Dancing; 11 PM-2 AM After Party; Area 142, 142 Minutemen Causeway, Cocoa Beach

**WHERE:** The Hilton Cocoa Beach Oceanfront, 1550 North Atlantic Avenue, Cocoa Beach, Florida 32931

**REGISTRATION:** Online registration is open: [cfipc.afaparents.org](http://cfipc.afaparents.org). Tickets are \$85.00 until December 15 and \$100 after Dec. 15. You are not considered registered until payment has been received.

**PAYMENT:** You can pay several ways: via PayPal See QR Code at Bottom (plus service fee), ZELLE (The Air Force Academy Parents Club of Central Florida) or by check. If you prefer to pay by check, mail it payable to USAFA Parents Club of Central Florida to Allen Deibert 68 West Bay Drive Cocoa Beach, Florida Please be sure to include your name and your cadet/midshipman's name with the check. You are not considered registered until payment has been received.

**SLIDESHOW PHOTOS:** Please email 4-5 photos of your Cadet/Midshipman to [cfiparentsclub@gmail.com](mailto:cfiparentsclub@gmail.com). The photos will be used during a slideshow presentation at the Ball.

**HOTEL:** The venue for our event is The Hilton Cocoa Beach Oceanfront, located at 1550 North Atlantic Avenue, Cocoa Beach, FL 32931. A rate of \$140.00 for rooms is available for our group. The rates are good three days before and three days after the Ball. Please reserve your room before December 6, 2022 to receive these rates.

**HOTEL PARKING:** Complimentary overnight self-parking is offered to our group.

**MEALS:** Meal choices are a 1.) A Duet plate featuring chicken and steak or 2.) Vegetarian.

**SEATING:** Table assignments will be found in your registration packets at the reception desk the night of the Ball.

**PHOTOGRAPHER:** A photographer will be on hand to capture family portraits and candid pictures throughout the evening. The images will be uploaded and ready in about 10 days. A link to the website with password will be forwarded to all attendees.

**MARCH IN:** Muster for the March In for all Academies begins at 6:50 pm outside the ballroom. Please have your name cards in hand for the announcer and line up in the following order: USAFA, USMA, USNA, USCGA, and USMMA. Cards will be in your registration packet.

**GROUP PICTURES:** Group pictures by individual Academy will take place after the March In.

**ATTIRE:** Cadets and Midshipman: Dress is the academy authorized formal Full Dress uniform. You may change out of your formal dress uniforms AFTER the cutting of the cake and into appropriate attire (see below) prior to the evening's entertainment at 9 pm.

*Ladies:* Formal dresses, cocktail dresses or dress uniform (minus uniform jacket)

*Gentlemen:* Business suit, black tie, or dress uniform (minus uniform jacket)

**AUCTION & GIFT BASKET RAFFLE: SILENT AUCTION & GIFT BASKET RAFFLE:** There will be a Silent Auction and Gift Basket Raffle — cash, checks and credit cards will be accepted.

**QUESTIONS?** Email [cfiparentsclub@gmail.com](mailto:cfiparentsclub@gmail.com)

