



Affiliations:

- USNA Alumni Association and Foundation
- Annapolis Chapter, USNA Alumni Association
- Annapolis Chapter, Navy League
- Another Link In the Chain Program
- USNA Parents Club of New Jersey
- USNA Parents Club of Southeastern Pennsylvania



How you can help:

- Join the Club, and become a part of our family
- Bring food and/or non-alcoholic beverages to tailgates in the fall
- Volunteer to serve food at the fall tailgates
- Take and post pictures at our events
- Volunteer to serve as an officer of the Club
- Volunteer to chair one of our major events
- Volunteer to maintain our website
- Make a monetary donation for tailgates and other events

United States Naval Academy Parents Club of Maryland

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Tailgate

The Club, together with the Parents Clubs of New Jersey and Southeastern Pennsylvania, hold a tailgate at each home Navy football game. We feed between 500 and 1,200 midshipmen at each game.



Contributions of food and drink from the parents and sponsors in the area, combined with food provided by the Club, feed cheerleaders, the Pep Band, the D & B, the Pipes and Drums, and even Bill the Goat before the game. After the singing of the Blue and Gold, a literal swarm of midshipmen descend for a home cooked meal, served with liberal hugs and love from our wonderful volunteers.

We feed any and all midshipmen, anyone in uniform, and special guests at no charge. We welcome everyone to come

and see what we do, and enjoy this wonderful experience!



Welcome Aboard Picnic

Each June, the Club sponsors a Welcome Aboard Picnic for the incoming plebe class and their families, welcoming them to the Navy family, and allowing them to meet and get to know their new shipmates. We are frequently joined by Academy leadership and others to welcome them aboard.



Commissioning 101

Each January, the Club hosts a Commissioning 101 event to share the knowledge of parents of graduated Mids with the parents of about-to-graduate Mids to help them prepare for Commissioning and the events surrounding it.



Joint Service Academies Ball

The Club participates each holiday season in the Joint Service Academies Ball with Parents Clubs from USMA, USAFA, USCGA, and USMMA to host a ball for the students and their families. There is a formal program, a silent auction, followed by fun dancing, allowing the students to enjoy each other's company



First Salute Coin Sales

Beginning in January of each year, the Club offers for sale Silver American Eagle coins from the current year to be used for the First Salute at Commissioning. These coins are sold and shipped across the US.

This program is the primary fundraiser for the Club each year, allowing us to continue to provide events, particularly the tailgates, to the midshipmen and their families.



Other Events

- Army-Navy Buses—Transportation to Philadelphia for the Army-Navy Game
- Holiday Wreath Sales—Sales of Wreathes made from the Boxwoods from the Buchanan House.
- Participation in the USNA Alumni Association Welcome Aboard Picnic on I-Day