

AGCRA Member Benefits



To our AG / HR Professional, or Army Musician,

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

- Many AG Soldiers, HR Professionals, and Army
 Bands are lacking identity with the Adjutant
 General's Corps and the Army HR/Band Community.
- Many are not aware that the Adjutant General's
 Corps Regimental Association (AGCRA) even exists.
- There are a variety of reasons for HR professionals choosing not to become members of AGCRA, probably the most pressing being, "what does AGCRA offer me?"
- There are approximately 34,000 AG/Band Soldiers and HR Civilian employees assigned to all three components, however, only 2,500, or 7.3% are AGCRA members.
- Build a network that will help you grown in and out of the uniform.
- 1. Why AGCRA? When the Army transitioned to a Brigade-centric force, the Army's HR Community became more dispersed. Our HR professionals are now more likely in G1 Directorates, Brigade / Battalion S1 Sections, Recruiting Brigades / Battalions, Army Bands, theater-level HR units, and IMCOM MPDs. The need for a professional AG / Band organization that can reach across all Army components is needed now more than ever. AGCRA continues to serve as the Army's professional AG / Band organization, but we need your help.
- The Association's websites, <u>AGCRA.com</u> & <u>Members.AGCRA.com</u>, have improved. We have 100% functionality, and the website allows you to:
- View or post Army HR and AGCRA news, information, and announcements.
- See each separate AGCRA Chapter's web page.
- Contact AGCRA National Executive Council (NEC) members.
- View AGCRA Awards information / criteria.
- View all digital copies of 1775, the AGCRA's Professional Journal.
- Shop on-line at the Sutler Store, to include purchasing new Association memberships or renewing existing memberships.
- 3. "1775", the AGCRA's Professional Journal.
- Revamped to focus on Army HR professional development and Army Bands.
- · Each 1775 edition is theme oriented.

- **4. Awards.** AGCRA recognizes outstanding members with a variety of Association awards:
- Lifetime Achievement Award (a.k.a., Gates Gold second award)
- · Horatio Gates Gold Medal
- Horatio Gates Bronze Medal
- COL Robert L. Manning Achievement Medal
- Other Association awards which recognize leadership, academics, ACFT, and AG Corps Soldiers and Civilians of the Year, visit <u>AGCRA.com/awards/</u> for more information and procedures for award recommendation and submission.
- **5. Sutler Store.** AGCRA products include Golf Polos and accessories; Men's and Women's clothing apparel w/ AG Corps Logo (Dress Shirts, Sweatshirts, T-shirts, Ball Caps, Ties); Executive Pens and Padfolios; Novelties and Collectibles; and many other AG Corps items.
- **6. AGCRA Chapters.** AGCRA Chapters are critical to informing, promoting, and encouraging AG / HR / Band programs and initiatives. The widespread involvement of junior AG / HR / Band leaders within local Chapters will preclude the notion that AGCRA is an Association for senior leaders only.

7. AGCRA initiatives include:

- First ever AG Corps Print by the world-renowned artist Mort Kunstler
- The Annual AGCRA Scholarship Program
- 8. Access to Association of the United States Army (AUSA) Benefits at www.ausa.org/savings

Now AGCRA Members have access to exclusive AUSA membership benefits, including:

- · Employment assistance.
- Scholarships more than \$300,000 each year.
- Free ACT/SAT Test Prep materials for your kids or grandkids.
- A legal document service for both individuals and small businesses.
- Discounts on travel, dining, and entertainment, healthcare, and more services and products offered by dozens of AUSA affinity partners.
- And more!





The future of the AGCRA and the recording, perpetuating and understanding the history of the Adjutant General's Corps and Association depends on leaders like you.

If you are already an AGCRA member, many thanks for your continuing support.

If you are not a member, we ask you to join – we need you!

To the right are instructions on how you can become an AGCRA member through our website at Members.AGCRA.com.

At a minimum, please visit our website and check the status of your membership or update your personal information to maintain efficient connectivity with the Association.

Defend and Serve!

National Executive Council (NEC), AGCRA

AGCRA Membership Instructions

You may purchase or renew your AGCRA membership at Members.AGCRA.com by following these simple steps:

- 1. At the AGCRA web site, click on either "SIGN UP" if you're a new member, or "LOGIN" if you're an existing member.
- 2. Then, select the membership level you desire based on your rank / status.
- 3. If you are already a Member, log in so you can check your account or renew.

In order to avoid unnecessary delays in your AGCRA application, it is critical that the information you enter during the application process be as accurate as possible.

For questions or assistance with AGCRA membership applications e-mail Membership@agcra.com, or you can write to: AGCRA, ATTN: VP, Membership, 4840 Forest Drive, Suite 6948, Columbia, SC 29260.







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The first commissioned AG Corps Print is now available for purchase in a limited edition or giclee series. Go to https://www.agcra.com/shop/ for details. All print sale proceeds will go the AGCRA Scholarship Program.