

**Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield
Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS)
Fort Stewart, Georgia 31314**

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MEMORANDUM FOR BOSS MINUTES

SUBJECT: *Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers*

1. Meeting was called to order at 1507 by SGT CARSON.

SGT Carson: Welcomed the Guests and all of the new attending members.

Guest Speaker: Mr. King FSGA/HAAF Recycling Program Director

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| a. SGT SMITH, | 3 RD CAB |
| b. SGT RODRIQUEZ, | 2 ND BDE HBCT |
| c. SGT THOMPSON, | 1 ST HBCT HHC 1-3 BSB |
| d. SGT WAPLES, | 3 CAB D 2-3 |
| e. SGT BROWN, | 1 ST HBCT B 1-3 BSB) |
| f. SPC CUELLAR, | 2 ND HBCT 5-7 CAV |
| g. SPC ARCHER, | 1 ST HBCT |
| h. SPC LACY, | 2 ND HBCT E FCS 1-64 |
| i. SPC HATCHER | 1 ST HBCT 3-69 ARMOR B-CO |
| j. SPC MEADE | 1 ST HBCT C CO 3 RD BSB |
| k. SPC CARDOVA | 2 ND HBCT HHC 1-64 |
| l. SPC FRANCO | 1 ST HBCT 3 BSB |
| m. PFC VANN | 3 RD CAV D 2-3 |
| n. PV2 FRYAR | 1 ST HBCT C-MED 3 RD BSB |
| o. PV2 DIAZ-SMITH | 1 ST HBCT F-CO 2-7 CAV |
| p. PV2 LEACH | 1 ST HBCT B 1-3 BSB |

***Special Guest:**

Ms. Glenda from Military & Family Life Consultant (MFLC)

2. The reading and approval of the minutes:

- a. SGT Carson gave the audience a moment to look over the minutes and to bring Forth any objections. No objections.

3. Old Business:

- 1) BOSS Text Messaging for all Reps (Total was 478)
- 2) BOSS WebPages
- 3) BOSS Welcome Home Committee
- 4) Volunteers For Britton Elementary School
- 5) Participation for future trips and volunteers events
- 6) Big Butt Gala
- 7) Build a Home for Soldier
- 8) Super Bowl Party
- 9) New Building for Boss at HAAF
- 10) Actors for the POSH play
- 11) Designs for the BOSS Vans
- 12) Speed Dating

4. New Business:

- 1) BOSS Text Messaging (Now 536 Signed Up)
- 2) Reporting issue with Barrack
- 3) New Building for Boss at HAAF
- 4) Atlanta Trip
- 5) Open Mic Night
- 6) Comedy Show
- 7) DA Forum
- 8) Easter Fundraiser

❖ **Financial Report: We currently have \$12,635.59 available today.**

5. Guest Speaker: Mr. King

Mr. King spoke of how things are going in the barrack with the Single Soldiers. He also said that every room is going to have a recycling bin in the rooms. We as Soldiers need to make the recycling program more effective by keep the trash away from the recycling items. Your Companies have this program already set-up in the Company areas, now we want it in the rooms as well. Companies can get rewarded for them having the best recycling program.

6. Guest Speaker: Ms. Glenda (Military & Family Life Consultant)

Ms. Glenda is a regular, coming to boss meetings to talk and explain why this program is so important to the Ft Stewart/HAAF and the Army. Also they provide therapy for Soldier that are going through personal things in their life. Sessions are strictly confidential between Counselor and the Soldiers, so you don't have to worry

about your chain command finding out about your issues. It's free to all soldier and soldier family.

7. President: Sgt Carson

SGT Carson wants to continue the meeting by talking about future events and the committee that SGT Anderson will be heading up. I need for HAAF to give more to the program by talking to the soldiers in their units, be more motivated about the program, events & trips because with new Soldiers coming into the army everyday and they don't know what's around them as far as morale building. BOSS is still looking for a location for BOSS office/ Rocky's for HAAF, so we need everyone to look around for a building that will be best suited; it's for the Soldier at Hunter. BOSS will also get with HAAF once month for volunteers for Britton Elementary and we supply transportation for those soldiers that's willing to volunteer their time for the program. The Budget for BOSS is still the same as last month. BOSS is looking for artists to paint a logo for the newly purchase Vans. For the month of March we have the monthly meeting at HAAF, the location haven't been Determine yet.

8. VP Ft. Stewart SSG Phinisee

Right now, we need a committee for the DA BOSS Forum, for ideas and suggests on what the theme should be to represent Fort Stewart/HAAF in April. Also SPC Taylor (BOSS Secretary) is also writing a play for Sexually Assault Month and need actors and actress for his play. More information will be posted about the play in the following months or the next BOSS meeting.

9. Open Forum:

Spc Webb- goes see other sports championship game and Big City Tour-not just to Atlanta.

Spc Marshall- Disney World Trip and Scuba Diving Trip

Sgt Carson explains to the Spc Marshall that you will need to do something like that on your own.

Spc Nublack- more video tournaments

Sgt Smith- Dinner Cruises, BOSS Ball for Single Soldiers (Macerate), and Tough Mother Competition

Spc Crandel- Camping Trip

10. The Meeting was adjourned by the BOSS President at 1630.

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BOSS President