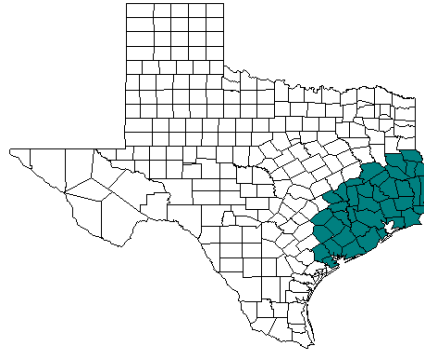


Club Activities

- Five general meetings annually with refreshments and news from the Brigade.
- Guest speakers on topics related to the Navy, Marines, and the Academy.
- Pool party for new appointees to talk to midshipmen, while club members brief their parents, prior to Induction Day.
- Details and tips to help you plan for the six important milestone events on the Yard, from I-Day to Commissioning Week.
- Opportunities to assist Blue & Gold officers in their recruiting activities.
- InTouch, our 36 page illustrated periodical published 5 times annually.
- Annual joint service academies ball for cadets, midshipmen, families and guests.
- Lending library of books and other materials relating to the US military and the Academy.
- Annual dinner for mids and parents hosted by the local Alumni Association.
- Great fellowship with interesting parents of interesting young people.



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It is the mission of our club to support Texas Gulf Coast midshipmen and their families.

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***Join us at our next meeting.
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for membership information,
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Congratulations!

The United States Naval Academy accepts none but the best young men and women who excel in academics, athletics, leadership and integrity. You have every reason to be immensely proud of your midshipman. As Naval Academy graduates, they will always be recognized as accomplished leaders wherever their military or civilian careers take them.



Why a parents' club?

For many years, families of midshipmen from our area have been meeting as the USNA Parents' Club of Texas Gulf Coast. There are many dozens of such parents' clubs across the country, and ours is consistently recognized by the USNA administration as among the very best at supporting the mission of the Academy. Our ties to the local Alumni Association, the area Blue & Gold officers and recent graduates keep us connected to affairs on the Yard and in the Fleet.



In many ways, sending a son or daughter to the Naval Academy is a decidedly different experience compared to that of any other college. It is certainly exciting for the family and a time to be enjoyed, but midshipmen coping with their unique pressures need a great deal of support from home throughout their four years.

To support our midshipmen.

Being a parent of a midshipman can demand much time, patience and understanding. And because the mids are US Navy personnel, strict military discipline and regulations complicate every detail of their lives. Providing appropriate encouragement and advice can be pivotal for your mid's success at the Academy. The Parents' Club offers you support, tips, knowledge and friendship to help you provide effective support for your mid - while you enjoy the ride along the way.

You already know from the application process alone that there is no civilian college like USNA. It is an institution with unique demands, traditions, regulations - even its own vocabulary. We want to be able to talk about what our mids are going through, but it is difficult to adequately describe the experience to others unfamiliar with the Academy.

To enjoy the USNA experience with others.

At the USNA Parents' Club, our common understanding of life on the Yard allows for a congenial sharing that will enrich your experience as the parent (or friend or relative) of a midshipman. You will also learn about many activities that your own midshipman may not be involved with.

