

## Unite Overview:

Unite is focused on "Revitalizing Squadrons." Unit commanders are in the best position to execute resources that benefit Airmen under their authority. This initiative provides commanders with the funding to initiate programs that help their squadron. This program will benefit all Airmen in a unit; Active, Reserve, and Civilian (appropriated and non-appropriated employees) directly assigned to the squadron.

Unite funds are allocated based on per capita end strength, according to the Air Force Personnel Center (AFPC), Retrieval Applications Web (RAW).

**Funds for Fun!**

## Why you should make time for recreational activities...

- ▶ The Air Force expects leaders to take care of their Airman's comprehensive fitness – mental, physical, social, and spiritual.
- ▶ Science shows that having fun enhances work productivity, increases confidence, builds trust, improves communication and reduces stress.
- ▶ Connection is a proven protective factor of suicidal and violent behaviors.
- ▶ Feedback from participants proves that Unite works!

## FAQ...

**Who can use Unite funds?** All active duty, reservists and civilians (APF and NAF) assigned to an Air Force squadron, unit, or staff group are allowed to utilize Unite funds. Your installation's Community Cohesion Coordinator (C3) can give you all the info.

**What can Unite funds be used for?** Unite funding can be used for activities and food. The activities must be team building in nature and the food must be offered in conjunction with the activity.

**Can Unite funds be used to purchase food for our meeting or resiliency training?** Unite is intended to provide a teambuilding experience and must be based on group recreation. However, if a team building recreational event occurs before or after your meeting or training – the recreational portion of the event may qualify for Unite funds.

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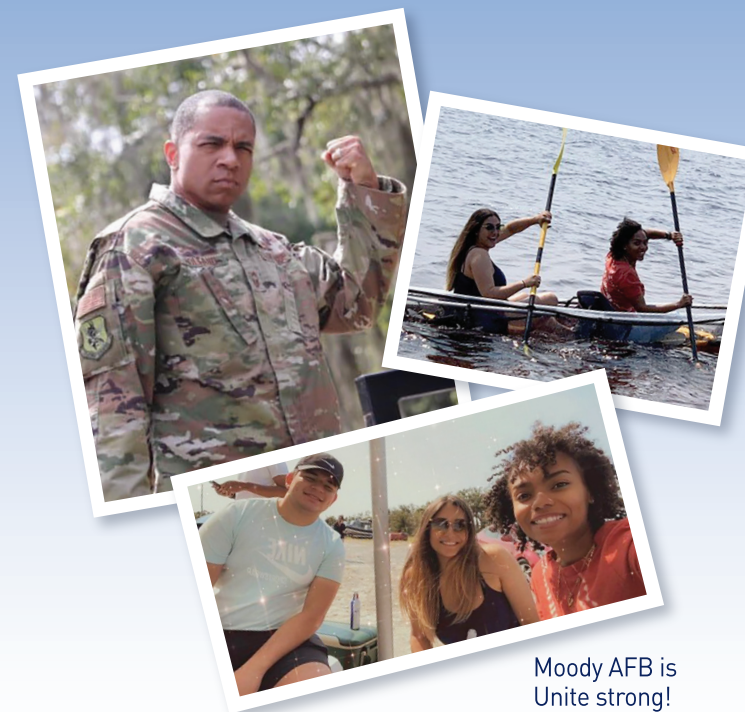
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UNITE PROGRAM



Moody AFB is  
Unite strong!

**Creating unit cohesion  
through fun squadron events.**



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# UNITE WORKS!

builds morale, encourages teamwork  
develops communication & so much more!



Nellis 99 FSS ■ Smash Room

"We were able to team strategize  
get rid of stress and have lots of fun  
doing something different."



Tyndall 325 CES ■ Picnic at the Lake



"Fun was had  
by all!"



Ft. Meade 70 OSS ■ Group Hike

"Unite funds went a long way toward making  
sure no one was excluded from this event."



Shaw 20 CES ■ Morale Fun Day

"Everyone had a  
great time!"



JBLE 633 CES ■ Top Golf



Seymour Johnson 4EMS  
Cornhole Tourney



"The Unite program is amazing! We love the  
premise of having fun on duty."

"I believe this opened the door of opportunity for our junior  
Airmen to feel more comfortable reaching out to NCOs  
across the flight that they did not know or speak to."

- Ft. Meade

"Unite is the best thing to  
happen for our squadron.  
We were able to focus on  
getting to know the new  
members and have fun."