

Columbus Air Force Base
2021 Annual Awards Ceremony



Colonel Seth Graham
Chief Master Sergeant Antonio Cooper
12 February 2022

Schedule

Social Hour

Introduction of Distinguished Members

Presentation of Colors/National Anthem/Invocation

Rules of the Mess

Food

Grogg

Recess (15 minutes)

Guest Speaker: Chief Master Sergeant Manny Pineiro,

USAF Retired

Award Presentations

Closing Remarks

Chief Master Sergeant Manny Pineiro, USAF Retired

Manny Piñeiro is a certified executive coach and professional speaker who is skilled in leadership and character development at all levels of management. Manny has an ability for organizational performance goals with humility, behavioral change and team building concepts through a positive and enthusiastic attitude.

Manny is the President and Founder of MAKING TIME COUNT, LLC which focuses on making the most of our humanity count every second. He is an extreme advocate of transitioning military members to seek their highest potential both in and out of uniform, while identifying and anticipating common struggles for veterans coming out of active duty. He currently serves as an Impact Coach for Impact Human Performance (IHP), with a focus on elevating human performance and bringing out the very best version of yourself. He also delivers leadership development for a multitude of premier organizations and leads teams to master their moments. He is a thought leader in diversity, resilience and encourages people to be accountable for themselves.



Piñeiro is a 32-year Veteran who served in the highest enlisted position as the First Sergeant Special Duty Manager for the United States Air Force. In this position, he was responsible for establishing guidance, policy, and management of more than 2,700 Regular Air Force, Air National Guard, and Air Force Reserve first sergeants. He also served as the primary advisor to the Secretary of the Air Force, CSAF, CMSAF and First Sergeant Academy for training curriculum, which established wartime mission roles, responsibilities and utilization that impacted nearly 600,000 airmen and their families around the world. Manny is a proven leader with a warrior ethos who has deployed in support of OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/STORM as well as OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM and IRAQI FREEDOM.

As a dynamic and energetic speaker, Piñeiro has delivered over 200 keynote addresses to audiences of all sizes throughout the world. Manny is no stranger to our international partner nations. As the first enlisted senior non-commissioned officer to be selected to work for the Undersecretary of International Affairs, he established policy and strategy to promote professional military education with host nations that solidified their ability to develop, grow and attain leadership philosophies that connect to our mutual endeavors. Piñeiro earned a Bachelor of Science in Workforce Education and Development from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale. He is also responsible for the inception of the Joint Service Professional Military Education Experience at Department of Defense (DOD) National Defense University.

Rules of the Mess

1. Be on time
2. Make every effort to meet all guests
3. Do not bring drinks into the mess
4. Do not leave the mess while convened. Military protocol overrides all calls of nature
5. Participate in all toasts unless you or your group is being honored with a toast
6. Ensure that your glass is always charged while toasting
7. Keep toast and comments within the limits of good taste and mutual respect
8. Do not murder the Queen's English
9. Do not open the hangar doors (aka talk shop)
10. Do not laugh at ridiculously funny comments unless the President first shows approval by laughing.
11. Do not question the decisions of the President
12. Do not begin eating a course of the meal before the members of the head table begin.
13. Do not at any time signify pleasure (or any other emotion) by striking the terminal part of the forelimbs together (clapping). Rather, individuals who wish to convey their appreciation will do so by rapidly striking the table with an eating utensil.
14. Do not quibble (raise trivial and frivolous objections) with Mister President, or Masters of Ceremony.
15. When the mess adjourns, rise and wait for the Members of the head table to take their place or depart.
16. Enjoy yourself to the fullest.

Rules of the Grogg

1. MARCH TO THE GROG, FACE THE GROG, SALUTE, AND FILL THE CUP AT LEAST 1/3 FULL.
2. PERFORM AN ABOUT FACE AND TOAST "TO THE MESS".
3. DRAIN THE GROG FROM THE CUP WITHOUT REMOVING IT FROM THE LIPS.
4. TIP THE CUP UPSIDE DOWN OVER YOUR HEAD.
5. DISCARD THE CUP, AGAIN SALUTE THE GROG, AND MARCH TO YOUR SEAT.

Nominees: Airman of the Year

Operations Group
SrA Jose Guillen



Mission Support Group
A1C Anuheia Makaanani



Medical Group
SrA Yesenia Schafer



Wing Staff Agencies
SrA Ryan George



Nominees: NCO of the Year

Operations Group
TSgt Indiana Pastor



Mission Support Group
TSgt Anthony Arroyo



Medical Group
SSgt Darrell Gillett



Wing Staff Agencies
TSgt Aaron Wanzer



Nominees: SNCO of the Year

Operations Group
MSgt Stephanie Tognotti



Mission Support Group
MSgt Elizabeth A. Phelps



Medical Group
MSgt Malcolm J. Sharpe



Wing Staff Agencies
MSgt Alicia M. Cyrus



Nominees: CGO of the Year

Operations Group
Capt Reid Witt



Mission Support Group
Capt Elijah Nicholson



Medical Group
Capt James Bates



Wing Staff Agencies
Capt Paul Walker



Nominees: FGO of the Year

Operations Group
Maj Aaron Duffin



Mission Support Group
Maj Lukas Morse



Medical Group
Maj Katherine Murphy



Wing Staff Agencies
Maj Donald Kinnee



Nominees: Flight Commander of the Year

Operations Group
Capt Matthew Jones



Mission Support Group
Capt Rachel Burmester



Medical Group
Capt Jaime Hollingsworth



Nominees: First Sergeant of the Year

Operations Group
MSgt Kelly Barczykowski



Mission Support Group
MSgt Tiona Jones



Nominees: Honor Guardsman of the Year

Medical Group
SrA Aubrey Anderson



Nominees: Civilian (Category I) of the Year

Operations Group
Ms. Celestine Rice



Mission Support Group
Mr. Maurice Donaldson



Medical Group
Ms. Wendy Pennington-Nichols



Wing Staff Agencies
Ms. Gwen Mayo



Nominees: Civilian (Category II, Non-Supervisory) of the Year

Operations Group
Ms. Jessica Bylsma



Mission Support Group
Mr. Mark Richardson



Medical Group
Mr. John McKivitz



Wing Staff Agencies
Ms. Jo Spears



Nominees: Civilian (Category II, Supervisory) of the Year

Operations Group
Mr. Brian Brantzeg



Mission Support Group
Mr. Seth Maher



Nominees: Civilian (Category III, Non-Supervisory) of the Year

Operations Group
Mr. Aaron Lorenz



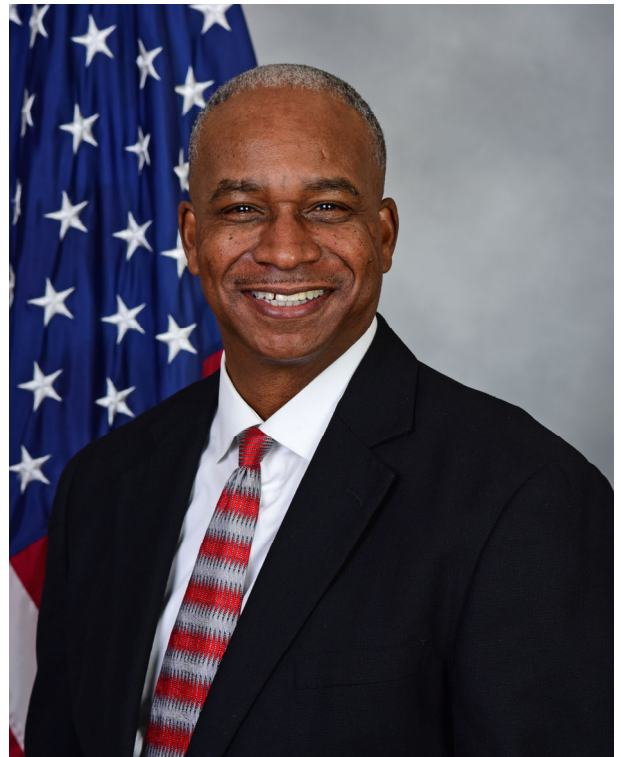
Mission Support Group
Mr. Timothy Turner



Medical Group
Mr. Marios Potamitis



Wing Staff Agencies
Mr. Derk Felton



Nominees: Civilian (Category III, Supervisory) of the Year

Operations Group
Mr. Glenn Shreiner



Mission Support Group
Mr. Richard Marra



Nominees: Key Spouses of the Year

Operations Group
Mrs. Sara Henricks



Mission Support Group
Mrs. Amber Thomason



Nominee: Instructor Pilot of the Year

Operations Group
Capt Matthew Bliley



Nominee: FAIP of the Year

Operations Group
Lt Blaine Wycoff



Nominees: Volunteer of the Year

Operations Group
Capt Nathan Mitchener



Wing Staff Agencies
TSgt Sean Weygandt



Nominees: Innovation Team of the Year

Operations Group
14 FTW Diversity and
Inclusion Task Force



Mission Support Group
14 CES/CEN/Engineering Flight



Medical Group
14 Diagnostics & Therapeutics



Nominees: Team of the Year

Operations Group
Task Force 14



Mission Support Group
Base Operations Services Support



Medical Group
Laboratory Services



Wing Staff Agencies
14 FTW Chapel Team



AIR FORCE SONG

Off we go into the wild blue yonder,

Climbing high into the sun;

Here they come zooming to meet our thunder,

At 'em now, Give 'em the gun!

Down we dive, spouting our flame from under,

Off with one helluva roar!

We live in fame or go down in flame. Hey!

Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force!

Thank you to our supporters!

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The 5/6

First Command

Capt Garrett MacLauchlan

Committee Chairs

2d Lt Ojas Parashar

SMSgt Andrea Smith

2021 Annual Awards Ceremony Committee

1st Lt Taylor Foerstner

SMSgt Shenna Oswalt

MSgt Stacy Klein

MSgt Michael Young

MSgt James Hawk

SSgt Deanna Johnson

SSgt Jesse Matlock

MSgt Jerry Hicks

MSgt Walter Leon

SSgt Helga Duransilbernagel

SSgt Desmond Longnecker

SrA Shykira Tyler

A1C Celiness Febres-Rodriguez

Amn Jamella Tolliver