



FAA Annual General Meeting

February 24, 2026

6:30 p.m.

Andy Morin Sports Complex
66 Clarksville Road in Folsom

Welcome and Introductions Rich Francis

RECAP 2025 (*updated 02/25/25)

1st Annual Crab Feed in 2025 – 280 guests, \$17,000

2nd Annual Crab Feed Fundraiser (just held January 2026) – 26 sponsors, 360 guests, \$39,000

Proceeds support high school senior scholarships and youth assistance program.

Festival of Eggs – April 19 at Lembi Park. There were a lot of stuffed eggs at the event!

Senior Scholarships – Ernie Sheldon, Lois Young, Race Salazar, Ken Grossfeld, Summer Kempton, Chuck Harrison. Awards to Folsom High School (10) and, Vista del Lago (10) – totaling \$21,500.

Fireworks Fundraiser – four booths, \$330,500 in sales, 13 participating youth groups, 780 hours worked by the FAA and youth groups, \$73 hourly rate per group, \$57,000 profit for the youth groups.

Community Service Day – supported Folsom Parks & Recreation in receiving donated bikes at Lakeside Church.

Veterans Day Parade - honored U.S. Navy (retired), Radarman Third Class, Al Meier.

Served in 1964 aboard the USS Newell DER 322 (Destroyer Escort, Radar picket ship) and USS Berkeley DDG-15 (Guided Missile Destroyer). Al participated in two Western Pacific deployments during the Vietnam War.

Thank you to Folsom Baseball for walking with the FAA float in the parade.

Folsom Turkey Trot – as a beneficiary of the event, the FAA received \$4,000 in support of the Youth Assistance Program.

Senior Holiday Gift Bags – provided 100 (of 185) decorated gifts bags for the seniors at Vintage Willow Creek. Gathered with the residents for coffee and pastries and thoroughly enjoyed the Christmas carolers, including Cara Sandholdt and family from Folsom Baseball. Was supported by Teen Council who volunteered to deliver gift bags.

***City Park Projects** – coordinated with Chris O’Keefe, Park Maintenance. Installed falcon and owls perches at Amos P. Catlin Park to help combat the ground squirrels that were damaging the playing fields. Addressed the drainage issues at Bud & Artie Davies Park. Replaced the seating benches at Cummings Skate & Bike Park. Installed a new freezer at Lembi Snack Bar. Replaced the visitor bleachers at Livermore Park.

Youth Assistance Program – \$10,200 in financial aid serving 51 youth participants.

Annual Partnerships, Sponsorships, Donations

Folsom Teen Council, Men’s and Women’s Crosstown Cup, Battle of the Belt (Salute to Service Night), Sober Grad Night (Folsom and Vista del Lago), Festival of Eggs, Senior Holiday Gift Bags, Folsom and Vista del Lago Cheer for their support at the crab feed, Folsom Football State Finals.

Meeting attendance – recent months 30-35+ attendees. Need to keep this going – thank you!

COMING UP 2026 (*updated 02/25/25)

Board Elections – thank you to Kindra Miller for serving as the FAA Secretary. New elections for 2026-2027 – Officer: Rich Francis, President, Open position for Secretary. Board Members: Lynn LePage, Greg Martinelli, Michael Raffetto, Gypsy Waits, Dean Williams.

Membership Dues – are due! Registration form and payment online folsomathleticassociation.org.

Adopt A Facility – new fee schedule starting 1/1/2026, 2026 invoices will be available soon.

\$15 per resident player (FAA \$10 and FCUSD \$5 fees)

\$30 per non-resident player

***Castle Park – Call for Volunteers**

March 23-25 foundation installation: Friends of Folsom Parkways, Glenn Hermanson
specialprojects@friendsoffolsomparkways.org

April 7-12 rebuild the park: City of Folsom
folsomparksrec.wufoo.com/forms/qzo02c80tg0lik

Festival of Eggs – April 4 at Lembi Park

***Folsom's 80th Anniversary Celebration** – May 9 at Folsom City Lions Park

***Fireworks Fundraiser** – preliminary applications have been sent to the youth groups. Applications are due by March 2 (or before). Fireworks runs June 28 to July 4.

Senior Scholarships – applications are available online through the high school portal. Deadline to submit is Friday, April 3. Awards ceremonies are scheduled for:

May 12 - Vista del Lago Awards Ceremony

May 20 - Folsom High School Awards Ceremony

Community Service Day – September 19

Veterans Day Parade – November 11

Folsom Turkey Trot – November 27

Senior Holiday Gift Bags – December – will start organizing in October.

Facility maintenance – adopt funds are available. Will continue to coordinate city park projects with Folsom Parks & Recreation (Chris O’Keefe, Park Maintenance).

3rd Annual Crab Feed Fundraiser – tentatively scheduled for January 30, 2027

We’re incredibly grateful to our youth organizations, adult sports, Folsom Cordova Unified School District, and Folsom Parks & Recreation for the partnership with the FAA to strengthen our community. Your collaboration, leadership, and continued support make a lasting impact. We’re proud to work alongside you.

Closing Rich Francis

Next FAA Adopt Meeting - Tuesday, March 17, 2026