

## History of the Special Operations Warrior

The Special Operations Warrior Foundation (SOWF) was founded in 1980 after the daring attempt to rescue 53 American hostages in Iran, which ended in the tragic loss of eight servicemen who left behind 17 children. The battlefield promise to take care of those 17 children has become the noble mission of the Special Operations Warrior Foundation to educate over 1,200 children. The Special Operations Warrior Foundation's enduring promise to America's Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps Special Operations personnel is to:

(1) Ensure full financial assistance for post-secondary education from an accredited two or four-year college, university, technical or trade school, as well as educational counseling, preschool grants, and tutoring to the surviving children of Special Operations personnel who lose their lives in the line-of-duty and,

(2) Provide immediate financial grants to severely combat-wounded and hospitalized Special Operations personnel and their families. To date, 476 children of fallen special operations warriors have graduated from college and 186 are currently attending college with 34 class of 2022 college graduates. The SOWF has 1,033 children currently in the program to educate.

[www.specialops.org](http://www.specialops.org)



**SOWF is the recipient of its 16th consecutive 4-star rating, placing the SOWF among the top 1% of charities rated by Charity Navigator.**

The Special Operations Warrior Foundation is a top-rated nonprofit organization that supports the military's special operations forces and their families through three programs:

- College Scholarships for the surviving children of fallen Special Operations Forces
- Family Services, including educational & family counseling and advocacy support
- Wounded Special Operations Forces Support, including immediate financial stipends of \$5,000

**Administrative Overhead - 5 1/2%**

The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Special Operations Warrior Foundation  
Chesapeake Bay Charity Golf  
Event



**Wednesday  
September 20, 2023**

**Golden Eagle Golf Club  
364 Clubhouse Road  
Irvington, Virginia**

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**The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Special  
Operations Warrior Foundation  
Chesapeake Bay Charity  
Golf Event**

**The Golden Eagle Golf Club**

364 Clubhouse Road  
Irvington, VA 22480  
(804)438-4460

**Wednesday, September 20, 2023**

**Check-In and Range Practice**

**9:00 - 10:15 a.m.**

**10:30 a.m. Opening Ceremony**

**With Shotgun Start**

**Immediately Following**

**4 Person Captain's Choice**

**Cocktail Reception 4:00-7:00 p.m.**

**Hills Quarters Rec Center**

**723 Old Saint Johns Road, Irvington, VA**

**Each Golf Ticket Includes:**

**Practice Facility & Lunch**

**18 Holes of Golf with Cart**

**& Refreshment Cart**

**Cocktail Reception & Awards**

**Tournament Questions**

Tom Quinn at (703) 402-6121

Fred Gilman at (804) 761-1427

Wendy Galleher (804) 347-7779

**Registration and Sponsorships  
12<sup>th</sup> Annual SOWF Golf Event**

**EAGLE LEVEL SPONSOR - [\$5,000]**

**Two (2) team entries into 2023 SOWF Golf Tournament, Sponsorship Sign**

**WARRIOR LEVEL SPONSOR - [\$2500]**

**One (1) team entry into 2023 SOWF Golf Tournament, Sponsorship Sign**

**PATRIOT LEVEL SPONSOR - [\$1000]**

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**Freedom Level Tee Sponsor Sign – [\$200]**

**Payment Information**

☐ "Eagle" Sponsor ☐ "Warrior" Sponsor

☐ "Patriot" Sponsor ☐ "Freedom" Tee  
Sponsor

☐ Individual Golfer \$250

☐ Donations: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ **Reception Only \$50**

Enclosed is my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Payable to: SOWF)

**The Special Operations Warrior  
Foundation (SOWF) Chesapeake Bay  
Charity Golf Event  
Post Office Box 81**

**Golfer 1 (Team Captain):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City State Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**List each player individually**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

*The Special Operations Warrior Foundation (SOWF) is a 501 (c) 3 charitable organization. Contributions are tax-deductible as allowed by law. The fair market value of goods and services is estimated at \$75 per person. Questions?*

*Please call The SOWF at (813) 805-9400*