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## **USO Northwest Needs Volunteers**

**Boeing Leadership Network Retirees**

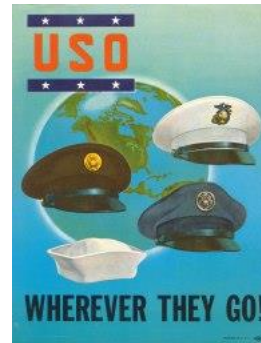


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# What is the USO ?

- Chartered by Congress in February 1941
- FDR combined 6 service organizations to create the **United Service Organizations** (YMCA, YWCA, National Catholic Community Service, National Jewish Welfare Board, Travelers Aid Association, and Salvation Army).
- The USO is **NOT** a government agency; It is a 501(c)3 charitable organization

**Our Mission:** The USO strengthens America's military service members by keeping them connected to family, home and country, throughout their service to the nation





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# The USO Northwest serves all service members and their families



Active Duty



Reserve & National Guard

83.5% Male

16.5% Female

66.7% Under 30

37.3% with Kids

31% Racial Minority



80% Male



20% Female



51.7% Under 30



41.5% with Kids



26.1% Racial Minority

Source: DoD Military One Source 2018

**Our Northwest Military Community is over 270,000 strong across several major installations**

Joint Base Lewis-McChord (Tacoma)  
Navy Region Northwest (Puget Sound)  
Fairchild AFB (Spokane)  
USCG & National Guard (WA + OR)



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## How can you help?

- **Board Membership** – meet 6X/year and have an annual Give or Get of \$10K. Commitment can be met through sponsoring 3 major USO Northwest fundraising events – Seattle Golf Tournament (Jun 23<sup>rd</sup>), Portland Golf Tournament (Aug 18<sup>th</sup>), 5-Star Gala & Auction (Oct 15<sup>th</sup>).
- **Volunteer** – the USO Northwest need volunteers who can facilitate USO programs and events – virtually or safely in person – in support of service members and military families
- **Donate** – individual contributions or monthly/annual giving (along with corporate matching gifts) make it possible for the USO Northwest to support service members and their families
- **Engage** – form teams to participate in the USO Virtual Race Series – “Spring Break 5k” “4 on the 4<sup>th</sup>”; “Run for the Brave”; “Trot for the Troops”
- **Partner** – partner with the USO Northwest to create, extend and expand programs benefitting military members and their families



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# Volunteers needed at SeaTac USO Center



4 hour sessions – once or twice a month

Directly support servicemembers, their families and pets during their long layovers

Free on-site parking

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# Seat Filler Opportunity – USO Gala

- **October 15, 2022 – Hyatt Regency Lake Union**
- **Corporations purchase tables and sometimes have problems filling the table with people**
- **We offer the seats to people who wish to support the USO**
  - Free dinner
  - Inspirational speaker
  - Silent and Live Auction
  - Major Puget Sound Event Celebrating Our Local Servicemembers
  
- **If you wish to get on the list – contact**
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