

National Chain of Command

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NROTC Unit Staff

Commanding Officer CAPT Emily Bassett
Executive Officer CDR Bog Slade
Marine Officer Instructor Capt. Elizabeth Schilder
Advisor LT Ryan Kraner
Advisor LT Joshua Lanzona
Advisor LT Warner VanOs
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Program Coordinator Mr. Jon-Paul Mickle
Supply Officer Mr. David Patton
Admin Officer Mr. Ed Herrera

2024 Battalion Staff

Commanding Officer MIDN 1/C Gallant
Executive Officer MIDN 1/C Atzuri
Operations Officer MIDN 2/C Bailey
Adjutant MIDN 2/C Lai
Supply Officer MIDN 3/C Pochop
Battalion Sergeant Major MIDN 1/C Dobbins
Chief of the Boat OC Le

Company	Commander	1ST SGT
Poseidon	MIDN 2/C Harris	MIDN 3/C Sudol
Trident	OC Montleon	MIDN 3/C Miller
Kraken	MIDN 1/C Murray	MIDN 2/C Spencer
Bulldog	MIDN 1/C Yeung	MIDN 3/C Ordaz

Code of Conduct

1. I am an American, fighting in the forces which guard my country and our way of life. I am prepared to give my life in their defense.
2. I will never surrender of my own free will. If in command, I will never surrender the members of my command while they still have the means to resist.
3. If I am captured, I will continue to resist by all means available. I will make every effort to escape and aid others to escape. I will accept neither parole nor special favors from the enemy.
4. If I become a prisoner of war, I will keep faith with my fellow prisoners. I will give no information or take part in any action which might be harmful to my comrades. If I am senior, I will take command. If not, I will obey the lawful orders of those appointed over me and will back them up in every way.
5. When questioned, should I become a prisoner of war, I am required to give name, rank, social security number, and date of birth. I will evade answering further questions to the utmost of my ability. I will make no oral or written statements disloyal to my country and its allies or harmful to their cause.
6. I will never forget that I am an American, responsible for my actions, and dedicated to the principles which made my country free. I will trust in my God and in the United States of America.

Sailor's Creed

I am a United States Sailor.
I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States of America and I will obey the orders of those appointed over me.
I represent the fighting spirit of the Navy and those who have gone before me to defend freedom and democracy around the world.
I proudly serve my country's Navy combat team with Honor, Courage, and Commitment.
I am committed to excellence and the fair treatment of all.

Phonetic Alphabet

A - ALPHA	J - JULIET	S - SIERRA
B - BRAVO	K - KILO	T - TANGO
C - CHARLIE	L - LIMA	U - UNIFORM
D - DELTA	M - MIKE	V - VICTOR
E - ECHO	N - NOVEMBER	W - WHISKEY
F - FOXTROT	O - OSCAR	X - XRAY
G - GOLF	P - PAPA Y - YANKEE	
H - HOTEL	Q - QUEBEC	Z - ZULU
I - INDIA	R - ROMEO	

General Orders

1. To take charge of this post and all government property in view.
2. To walk my post in a military manner, keeping always on the alert, and observing everything that takes place within sight or hearing.
3. To report all violations of orders I am instructed to enforce.
4. To repeat all calls from posts more distant from the guardhouse than my own.
5. To quit my post only when properly relieved.
6. To receive, obey, and pass on to the sentry who relieves me, all orders from the Commanding Officer, Command Duty Officer, Officer of the Deck, and all Officers and Petty Officers of the Watch only.
7. To talk to no one except in the line of duty.
8. To give the alarm in case of fire or disorder.
9. To call the Officer of the Deck in any case not covered by instructions.
10. To salute all Officers and all Colors and standards not cased.
11. To be especially watchful at night, and, during the time for challenging, to challenge all persons on or near my post and to allow no one to pass without proper authority.

Leadership Principles

1. Know yourself and seek self-improvement.
2. Be technically and tactically proficient.
3. Know your people and look out for their welfare.
4. Keep your people well informed.
5. Set the example.
6. Ensure that the task is understood, supervised, and accomplished.
7. Train your people as a team.
8. Make sound and timely decisions.
9. Develop a sense of responsibility among your subordinates.
10. Employ your command in accordance with its capabilities.
11. Seek responsibility and take responsibility for your actions.

ENLISTED INSIGNIA

Enlisted Paygrade	Army	Marine Corps	Navy	Air Force	Space Force
E-1	Private	Private	Seaman Recruit (SR)	Airman Basic	Specialist 1 (Spc1)
E-2	Private (PV2)	Private First Class (PFC)	Seaman Apprentice (SA)	Airman (Amm)	Specialist 2 (Spc2)
E-3	Private First Class (PFC)	Lance Corporal (LCpl)	Seaman (SN)	Airman First Class (A1C)	Specialist 3 (Spc3)
E-4	Corporal (CPL)	Corporal (Cpl)	Petty Officer Third Class ** (PO3)	Senior Airman (SRA)	Specialist 4 (Spc4)
	Specialist (SPC)				
E-5	Sergeant (SGT)	Sergeant (Sgt)	Petty Officer Second Class ** (PO2)	Staff Sergeant (SSgt)	Sergeant (Sgt)
E-6	Staff Sergeant (SSG)	Staff Sergeant (SSgt)	Petty Officer First Class ** (PO1)	Technical Sergeant (TSgt)	Technical Sergeant (TSgt)

E-7	Sergeant First Class (SFC)	Gunnery Sergeant (GySgt)	Chief Petty Officer ** (CPO)	Master Sergeant (MSGt)	Master Sergeant (MSGt)
	Master Sergeant (MSG)	Master Sergeant (MSgt)	Senior Chief Petty Officer ** (SCPO)	Senior Master Sergeant (SMSgt)	Senior Master Sergeant (SMSgt)
E-8	First Sergeant (1SG)	First Sergeant	Senior Master Sergeant (SMSgt)	First Sergeant	Senior Master Sergeant (SMSgt)
	Sergeant Major (SGM)	Master Gunnery Sergeant (MGySgt)	Master Chief Petty Officer **** (MCPO)	Chief Master Sergeant (CMSgt)	Chief Master Sergeant (CMSgt)
E-9	Command Sergeant Major (CSM)	Sergeant Major (SgtMaj)	Fleet/Command Master Chief Petty Officer **** (MCPON)	First Sergeant	Chief Master Sergeant (CMSgt)
	Sergeant Major of the Army (SMA)	Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps (SgtMajMC)	Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPON)	Command Chief Master Sergeant	Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force (CMSAF)
E-9	Sergeant Major of the Army (SMA)	Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps (SgtMajMC)	Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPON)	Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force (CMSAF)	Chief Master Sergeant of the Space Force (CMSSF)

Officer Ranks of the United States Armed Forces

	Insignia	U.S. Navy U.S. Coast Guard	U.S. Space Force U.S. Marine Corps U.S. Army	U.S. Air Force
O-1		Ensign		Second Lieutenant
O-2		Lieutenant Junior Grade		First Lieutenant
O-3		Lieutenant		Captain
O-4		Lieutenant Commander		Major
O-5		Commander		Lieutenant Colonel
O-6		Captain		Colonel
O-7		Rear Admiral Lower Half		Brigadier General
O-8		Rear Admiral Upper Half		Major General
O-9		Vice Admiral		Lieutenant General
O-10		Admiral		General
		Admiral of the Navy (wartime only)		General of the Army / Air Force (wartime only)

Weapon Safety Rules

1. Treat every weapon as if it were loaded.
2. Never point a weapon at anything you do not intend to shoot.
3. Keep finger straight and off the trigger until you are ready to fire.
4. Keep your weapon on safe until you intend to fire

Leadership Traits

Justice	Tact	Bearing
Judgment	Initiative	Unselfishness
Dependability	Enthusiasm	Courage
Integrity		Knowledge
Decisiveness		Loyalty
		Endurance

USN Mission

To maintain, train and equip combat-ready naval forces capable of winning wars, deterring aggression, and maintaining freedom of the seas.

Anchors Aweigh

Anchors Aweigh, my boys, Anchors Aweigh.
Farewell to foreign shores, we sail at break of day-ay-ay-ay.
Through our last night on shore, drink to the foam,
Until we meet once more. Here's wishing you a happy voyage home.

Marine's Hymn

From the Halls of Montezuma to the shores of Tripoli;
We fight our country's battles in the air, on land, and sea;
First to fight for right and freedom and to keep our honor clean;
We are proud to claim the title of United States Marine.