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From: Capt Marc Minato, CAP <m.minato@orwg.cap.gov>
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Subject: [CAP] Weekly Meeting for July 18

Aurora Cadets, Parents, Senior Members, and Guests,

Last Week

Weekly Meeting

Tuesday, July 11, Aurora

Major Knox led a Character Development activity, and Cadets Magsarili and Van Sickle conducted a Customs and Courtesies class.



Cadet Van Sickle helps Cadet Magsarili during a Customs and Courtesies class

Afterwards, we held promotion ceremonies for July.



Cadet Vanrenterghem promotes to the grade of Cadet Airman



Cadet Hoekstra promotes to the grade of Cadet Senior Airman



Cadet Reed promotes to the grade of Cadet Staff Sergeant



Cadet Jellison promotes to the grade of Cadet Technical Sergeant



Cadet Van Sickle promotes to the grade of Cadet Chief Master Sergeant

The senior members met for a monthly meeting.

Molino Blueberry Pancake Breakfast

Saturday & Sunday, July 15-16, Molalla

Aurora cadets and senior members assisted with the annual Blueberry Pancake Breakfast, organized by the Oregon Pilots Association, Molino Chapter, at the Molino airport. On Saturday, Lt Taylor and Senior Member Jellison, together with Cadets Jellison, Pizzuti, Proffitt, and Reed, helped with parking and food preparation.



*Cadets Pizzuti, Proffitt, Reed, and Jellison, with SM Jellison in the back, help out at the Blueberry Pancake Breakfast
(photo by Lt Taylor)*

Lt Taylor, together with Cadets Jellison and Taylor, returned on Sunday to help out as well.



Cadet Taylor cleans a grill after the rush on Sunday.

This Week

Weekly Meeting

Tuesday, July 18, Aurora

The uniform for this week's meeting is BDUs/ABUs. The training topic is Aerospace.

SAREX/Wing Level Exercise, Friday - Sunday, July 21 - 23. Maj Ireson's description follows:

Our bi-annual Wing Level Exercise is scheduled for the weekend of July 21-23. CAP-USAF staff will be observing and commenting, so we want to be fully staffed with everyone ready to participate. There will be an in-brief at Aurora the evening of Friday July 21 for base staff, and most activities will take place on Saturday the 22nd, possibly spilling over into Sunday if needed to accomplish all tasks assigned. Lt.Col Nick Ham will be the IC, and we will operate from Aurora, with staging bases at Redmond and Medford.

This is a scenario-driven sarex and we will not know what the tasks or problems will be until it starts. We can fairly confidently expect to do both search and photography, with a few interesting surprises thrown in along the way.

If you plan to participate, please sign up with SignUp Genius at the link below:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/20F0A45ABAB2FABFF2-july

Aurora Cadets' Summer Activities

A number of Aurora cadets have recently started or completed very noteworthy activities this summer. Below is a recap, together with contact addresses if appropriate:

Cadet Walsh recently completed the United States Air Force Academy [Summer Seminar](#) in Colorado Springs, Colorado. This was a 6-day event for high school juniors to experience cadet life at the Academy. She strongly recommends other cadets who may be interested in one of the Academies investigate this option during their junior year in school.

Cadet Kyler Shahalami has started basic training at the [United States Marine Corps Recruit Depot](#) in San Diego, California. He will complete this training on September 8. You can write to him until then at the following address:

Recruit Kyler Shahalami
2nd Bn. Fox Company Office
Platoon 2125
36001 Midway Ave
San Diego, CA 92140-5530

Cadet Chuang has started the 6-week Plebe Summer at the [United States Naval Academy](#) in Annapolis, Maryland. You can write to him before August 10 at the following address:

MIDN SIMON CHUANG
O Company 27 Platoon
Annapolis, MD 21412

Cadet Magsarili has started the 9-day [Air Force Pararescue and Survival Orientation Course](#) at Kirtland AFB in New Mexico. This is one of the many outstanding [National Cadet Special Activities](#) (NCSAs) available to CAP cadets.

Cadet Proffitt has started the 2-week [National Blue Beret](#) in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. Blue Beret occurs in conjunction with the [EAA AirVenture Oshkosh](#) annual fly-in, which sees more than 10,000 aircraft and 500,000 visitors. During this event, the Wittman Regional Airport in Oshkosh becomes the busiest control tower in the world. National Blue Beret is also one of the NCSAs. You can write to Cadet Proffitt before July 31 at the following address:

Zachary Proffitt
National Blue Beret
PO Box 3436
Oshkosh, WI

Cadet Pizzuti will report to the United States Air Force Academy [Preparatory School](#) in Colorado Springs, Colorado, this week to start the 10-month training program to prepare him for admission into the Air Force Academy next year. His mailing address will be posted when it becomes available.

Upcoming Events

[Camp Rosenbaum](#), July 22-28, Camp Rilea. Cadets Cox, Reed, and L Van Sickle have registered and are on the waiting list.

Rocketry Encampment, July 27-30, Tillamook. Cadets Hoekstra, Jellison, and Vanrenterghem are participating. ~~This activity still has some slots open. See my email from June 28 for more information on how to apply.~~ Registration is now full.

Wilsonville Fun in the Park, 10:00 - 17:00, August 5, Wilsonville Town Center Park. The Color Guard will post the colors for the opening of the event, and Cadet Magsarili will sing the National Anthem. We will also staff a flight simulator booth for eventgoers to enjoy during the day.

Oregon Wing Conference, September 29 - October 1, Florence, OR.

Note: Use this [link](#) to sign up for Oregon Wing Notices.

Publications

The July 2017 issue of CyberSentinel is [available](#).

The August 2017 issue of Air Force Magazine is [available](#).

The June 2017 Safety Beacon is [available](#).

CAP's [2016 Report to Congress](#).

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