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Aurora Cadets, Parents, Senior Members, and Guests,

### ***Last Week***

#### **Weekly Meeting**

*Tuesday, September 12, Aurora*

Members of the Aurora Color Guard opened the meeting with the posting of the colors.



*Cadets Magsarili, M Van Sickle, and L Van Sickle post the colors*

Cadets were able to return to the drill pad last week after the poor air conditions the previous week. Senior members met for a monthly staff meeting in the Education Hangar.

Afterwards, Maj Knox led the Character Development class and the cadets actively participated in the discussion.



*Maj Knox and the cadets discuss different aspects of the Character Development scenario*

Promotions ceremonies were held after the Character Development class.



*Cadet Stoddard promotes to the grade of Cadet Airman*



*Cadet McLachlan promotes to the grade of Cadet Airman*



*Cadet Hoekstra promotes to the grade of Cadet Staff Sergeant*



*Cadet Reed promotes to the grade of Cadet Technical Sergeant*

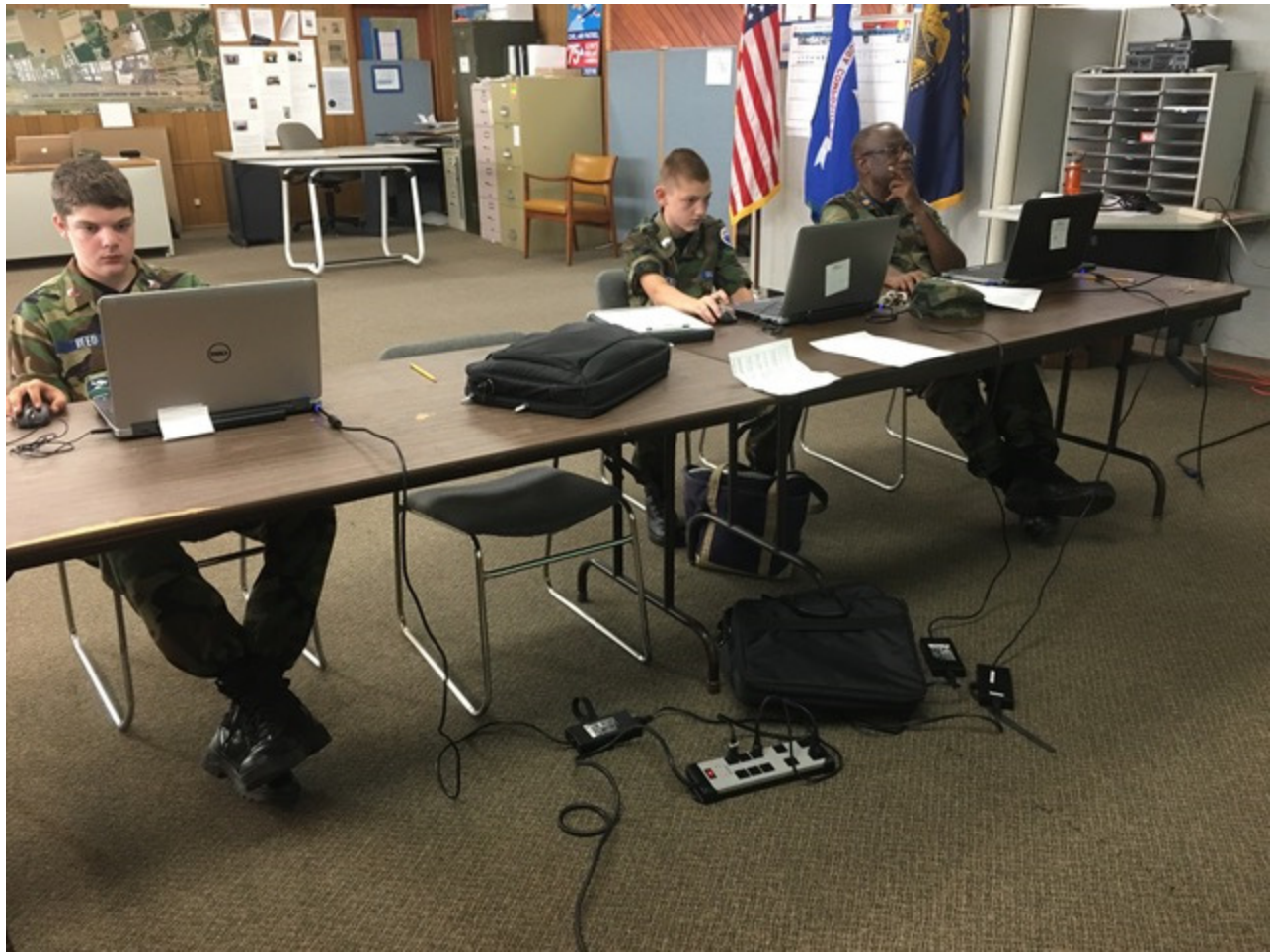


*Cadet Miller promotes to the grade of Cadet Technical Sergeant*

**CyberPatriot and StellarXplorers Training**

*Saturday, September 16, Aurora*

Cadets Hoekstra, Miller, Reed, Taylor, and L Van Sickle met with Maj Knox on Saturday to learn more about the CyberPatriot and StellarXplorers activities. Maj Knox will be selecting team members for both of these competitions in the upcoming weeks.



*Cadets Reed and Van Sickle study a StellarXplorers scenario with Maj Knox.*

## ***This Week***

### **Weekly Meeting**

*Tuesday, September 19, Aurora*

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

### **Orientation Rides**

*Saturday, September 23, Aurora*

Maj Koon is planning to fly Orientation Rides this Saturday, between 08:00 and 14:00, weather permitting. To be considered for an O-Ride seat, the following requirements must be met:

- **Arrival time is no-later-than 08:00** at Aurora on Saturday morning
- The uniform is BDUs
- You must bring your CAP ID card (or temporary card) (\*)
- You must bring a completed CAPF 161
- You must have completed your Wingman training
- Arrive by the specified time for a mandatory safety briefing
- Bring hydration
- Bring sunglasses and a camera (recommended)
- Bring your BDU cover or another billed cap



- Bring a quart-sized ziplock bag with some paper towels inside

Please send me an email by 20:00 on Thursday if you wish to fly. Amongst those responding, first-time flyers will get preference. After that, preference goes to those with the most time since their last flight. Cadets needing their third flight should respond, but you may get bumped depending on scheduling conflicts. Maj Koon will make that call.

In addition, I need an email/phone call from your parent(s) approving of the O-Ride.

*(\*) Once you log into eServices, find the link at the top right side of the window named "My Account". Click that, and then press the big button "Print Temporary Card (To be used only until the real card arrives!)"*

Also, please review the following online documents, particularly for first-time flyers:

- [Cadet Orientation Flight Fact Sheet for Parents](#)
- [CAPP 52-7 Cadet Orientation Flight Syllabus](#)

## ***Upcoming Events***

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

*Cadets, Are you planning on going to wing conference but don't want to pay more money for a hotel room?*

*Great news, we have free (yes, that's right FREE) billeting available for you. The only things extra you need to bring are a foam or camping pad, and your sleeping bag.*

*Our Wing Chaplain, Chaplain Owen, is the pastor of a church in Florence, and has graciously agreed to open the church doors and let us sleep there. If you are planning on staying at the church, you must register for the wing conference on EventBrite. Your wing conference registration fee includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday, as well as Sunday breakfast.*

***In Summary: FREE BILLETING FOR CADETS, bring your floor sleeping gear.***

*Senior members - Want to chaperone the cadets? I need a few more volunteers, even if you can only help one night. Please let me know, Maj Andrew Lucas - [a.lucas@orwg.cap.gov](mailto:a.lucas@orwg.cap.gov)*

Great Start and NCO School, Saturday - Sunday, 14 - 15 October, at Aurora. Aurora Squadron will host the 3rd Annual Oregon Wing Great Start Weekend and NCO School. Applications for instructors are now being accepted:

*The 3rd Annual Oregon Wing Great Start Weekend and NCO School is now accepting staff/instructor applications. The activity will be held at the Aurora Composite Squadron meeting hangar at Willamette Aviation Services, Aurora, Oregon, from Saturday, 14 October 2017 to Sunday, 15 October 2017. The activity cost will be \$25.00 dollars, which includes supplies, meals, and lodging.*

*Instructors should be Achievement 7 or 8 (C/CMSgt) at the time of the activity. They must be able to communicate digitally before the event to prepare classes and activities. Most of the curriculum is already made, however some adjustments are necessary. Instructors must have prior student experience at an encampment or an NCOS.*

*To apply, complete a CAP resume as well as a cover letter in memorandum format that includes the following:*

- 1. Which school (Great Start or NCOS) would you rather instruct and why?*
- 2. What are your leadership strengths? What can you bring to the position that others can't*
- 3. What traits do you look for in an instructor?*

*When completed, attach both documents to an email and copy it to the following email address: [j.boyd@orwg.cap.gov](mailto:j.boyd@orwg.cap.gov) . Please use the following subject line: Great Start/NCO Schools Staff Application.*

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

## **Publications**

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

The October/November 2017 issue of Air Force Magazine is [available](#).

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

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