

## Ira Rosenberg

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**From:** Capt Marc Minato, CAP <m.minato@orwg.cap.gov>  
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**To:** Marc Minato  
**Subject:** [CAP] Weekly Meeting for September 5

Aurora Cadets, Parents, Senior Members, and Guests,

### *Last Week*

#### **Weekly Meeting**

*Tuesday, August 29, Aurora*

Last week's meeting was Civies night, and included a potluck held in the Willamette Aviation Education hangar. Lt Col Rosenberg, together with his son John, cooked hotdogs and hamburgers on the grill for everyone. Afterwards, the cadets played capture the flag in the grassy field across from the hangar.



*Cadets, parents, senior members, and guests enjoy last week's potluck*



*Cadets use the last bits of daylight for some capture-the-flag*

Many thanks to Lt Col Rosenberg for providing (and cooking) the meats for the meal!

### **Gliders Orientation Rides Canceled**

The planned glider orientation activity in Prineville over the weekend was canceled due to low visibility caused by the smoke from forest fires.

### **Unit Training Activity**

*Saturday, September 2, Aurora*

Cadets participated in Color Guard and CyberPatriot training with Maj Knox on Saturday.



*Cadet Magsarili leads Cadets Hoekstra, M Van Sickle, Vanrenterghem, Bates, and L Van Sickle in Color Guard practice  
(photo by Maj Knox)*

## ***This Week***

### **Weekly Meeting**

*Tuesday, September 5, Aurora*

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

Promotion Review Boards are scheduled for Cadets Bates, Hoekstra, Miller, Reed, and Stoddard.

### **Mini-SAREX for Senior Members**

*Saturday, September 9, Aurora*

Metro Senior Squadron is organizing a mini-SAREX training day on Saturday, September 9, at Aurora. This event is open to Senior Members. Please respond to the specific email if interested.

### **Laptop Computer Demolition & Reassembly**

*Sunday, September 10, Aurora*

Maj Knox will lead a cadet activity to disassemble old laptop computers, and Frankenstein the working parts back together.

## ***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/NCOS Schools Staff Application.*

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

## **Publications**

The August 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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