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- CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS WEBSITE: Our California Cadet Corps website is <u>www.cacadets.org</u>. Be sure you that you have registered for the CACC website so you receive emails when the site is updated and new announcements are posted.
- 2. CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS SOCIAL MEDIA: Follow and visit our Social Media accounts
  - Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/hqcacc</u>.
  - Instagram: <u>https://www.instagram.com/hqcacc/</u>
  - Twitter: <u>https://twitter.com/hqcacc</u>
  - YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/user/HQCACC
  - Flikr: https://www.flickr.com/photos/hqcacc
- 3. AB 1355 PASSES / CACC USE OF PARKS: This bill authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to waive all fees for the use, including camping where permitted, of any unit of the state park system by students of the California Cadet Corps or of a public military academy in exchange for completing a community service project at the unit that has been approved in advance by state park officials and staff of the California Cadet Corps or the academy, as applicable.

Find your nearest State Park at https://www.parks.ca.gov/ParkIndex

AB 1355: <u>http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill\_id=201720180AB1355</u>

 X-TREME TEAM CHALLENGE (XTC): Will be held this Saturday, 28 October 2017, at Los Alamitos Joint Forces Training Base. The Warning Order (WARNO) and all information pertaining to the XTC can be viewed at <u>https://cacadets.org/node/352</u>. Check in is from 0630-0730.

As the XTC is coming around the corner this is a quick reminder of the uniform and what you should bring. Class C uniforms are to be worn without blouses, dry fit shirts are allowed instead of the white t-shirts, XTC shirts will be provided during check-in, covers are to be worn as well. If a unit does not have sufficient Class C pants for issuance, jeans may be worn instead. Boots or tennis shoes should be worn. All grooming standards still apply, females must have hair in neat buns and males must have a clean shave. Water bottles or canteens and sunscreen are mandatory to bring. Although lunch will be provided, it is advised to bring money for additional food and concessions.

Units that will be arriving on Friday, 27 October 2017 will be bivouacking and need to provide their own sleeping bags, hygiene items, flashlights, breakfast, and other essential items. Tents will be provided and breakfast will be available for purchase.

5. 2018 SUMMER ENCAMPMENT CHANGES: There are some tentative changes to the 2018 Summer Encampment. There will be two separate encampments, and possibly a third. The unknown dates are for an Entrance Camp for Oakland Military Institute (OMI) and California Military Institute (CMI). The Leadership Encampment (Basic/BST, OCS, and NCO) will be scheduled 16-23 June with ADVON being 13-16 June. The Advanced Encampment (all the units usually in the Advanced Regiment) is going be conducted in conjunction with BCTA/ACTA/CLS 13-20 July with ADVON being 10-13 July.

Please check the website within the next few weeks as more information is finalized and published regarding this change.

- DRAFT CADET REGULATIONS: draft of CR 3-14, Cadet Activity Planning, has been published for commenting until 1 November 2017. To view the regulation and to submit comments visit <u>https://cacadets.org/draftregulations</u>. Draft revision of CR 1-1 will be posted in the next several days for a 30 day comment period.
- 7. REQUISITIONS FOR SUPPLIES: If you have any questions or need to submit a requisition, please contact SSG Rogers at <u>ryan.rogers@cadet.org</u>. Supply has received Adult CACC ACU/OCP Patches.
- CADET STORE: The Cadet Store website is <u>http://www.cadetstore.org</u>. The website is operational for online purchasing of CACC Logo items for Cadets and Adults including t-shirts, brassards, pens, stickers, lanyards, water bottles, etc.
- TRIP TO AUSTRALIA: For more information about the trip to Australia to participate in the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary commemorative celebrations of the end of World War 1 visit <u>https://cacadets.org/node/348</u>. The trip will be held 24 Oct 2018 – 14 November 2018. The deadline to sign up is 31 January 2018.
- 10. CR 1-3, WEAR AND APPEARANCE OF ADULT PERSONNEL CACC UNIFORMS AND INSIGNIA: As a reminder, Adult personnel that DO NOT meet the California State Military Reserve (CSMR) height/weight standards are not authorized to wear the ACU as of 31 May 2017. Reference CR 1-3 including changes 1, 2, and 3 at <u>https://cacadets.org/Regulations</u>. Adult personnel who would like to have an embroidered Commandant Multipurpose Uniform (CMU) shirt with embroidered name/rank can be ordered online at <u>http://www.cadetstore.org</u>.
- 11. DRAFT 2018-2019 HQCACC YTC: Will be published in the next 30 days.
- 12. MILITARY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST (MEMS) BADGE: Commandant personnel interested in earning the Basic MEMS Badge should refer to the handbook which can be found at <a href="http://sgaus.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/MEMS-Student-Manual-Jan-2017.pdf">http://sgaus.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/MEMS-Student-Manual-Jan-2017.pdf</a>. If interested in attending the MEMS Course contact LTC Smith at <a href="michael.smith@cadet.org">michael.smith@cadet.org</a>.

FOR THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

/s/ signed electronically MICHAEL J. SMITH LTC, CACC Assistant Executive Officer