



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

STATE OF CALIFORNIA – MILITARY DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS, CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS

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INFORMATION BULLETIN 010-1819-004

1. STRENGTH AND ACTIVITIES REPORT (SAR): Remember to submit your SAR using the new online system at <https://tools.cacadets.org/>. For step-by-step directions on how to submit your SAR visit <https://sway.office.com/mRBrQ8ce1FgPRQUL?ref=Link>.
2. AMERICAN RED CROSS FIRST AID, CPR, AED INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION COURSE: Will be held 16-18 November 2018 at Camp San Luis Obispo for Commandant Personnel. This course will enable Commandants to certify their Cadets in American Red Cross First Aid, CPR, and AED and other Red Cross Training. This training is limited to 10 Commandants, so RSVP ASAP. RSVP to LTC Contreras at belinda.contreras@cadet.org and SSG Rogers at ryan.rogers@cadet.org.
3. DRAFT CR 3-2, FIELD TRAINING: posted to <https://cacadets.org/draftregulations> for comment until 15 November 2018. Send comments to LTC Smith at michael.smith@cadet.org.
4. NAMEPLATE MACHINE: HQCACC now has a nameplate machine to make nameplates for Cadets. Commandants can submit names to 2LT Kelley at annerene.kelley@cadet.org. When submitting names, please ensure the spelling is correct. Submit the list of last names only in an Excel spreadsheet, all capital letters.
5. NEW VERSION OF CR 3, CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS TRAINING: is posted to <https://cacadets.org/Regulations>. This is a major revision of this regulation that makes significant changes to the CACC Content Standards and information regarding the CACC Curriculum.
6. X-TREME TEAM CHALLENGE (XTC): Because of resource issues we can't avoid or work through, we've had to make the decision to move the X-Treme Team Challenge (XTC) to a different weekend. It will be held at Camp San Luis Obispo on 8-9 December 2018. The WARNORD can be viewed at <https://cacadets.org/circulars>.

We realize it will be difficult for some schools to adjust their plan to attend, and that there are other events happening during the December dates. We apologize for the change; it couldn't be helped. We encourage you to find ways to send a team to the XTC while still meeting your other commitments, but realize it can be difficult.

We're going to look into a one time "chit" for the AGI so that schools that would have sent a team to XTC won't be penalized in your AGI results. You'll need to show you actively participated in a different activity on that weekend. More later on that.

POC for the XTC is LTC Tim Vincent at timothy.vincent@cacadets.org.

7. BASIC COMMANDANT TRAINING ACADEMY (BCTA): A winter session of BCTA will be held 17-23 January 2019 at Camp San Luis Obispo. BCTA is required for promotions and to obtain the Designated Subjects Special Subjects Basic Military Drill Credential. If you are interested in attending, please notify CPO Arbogast at david.arbogast@cacadets.org NLT 1 November 2018 so that we can make a decision on whether to hold the course or not. View the Warning Order at <https://cacadets.org/circulars>.
8. DRAFT CR 1-12 and CR 3-12: are posted to <https://cacadets.org/draftregulations> for comment until 29 October 2018. Send comments to LTC Smith at michael.smith@cadet.org. CR 1-12 (Organizational Colors) and CR 3-12 (Physical Fitness).
9. NEW VERSION OF CR 3-1, Leadership Training Schools: is published to <https://cacadets.org/Regulations>. This is a major revision that updates and combines CR 3-1 (Leadership Schools), CR 3-2 (OCS/BNCOC/ANCOC), CR 3-9 (Specialized Training), CR 3-10 (Commandant Professional Development/BCTA/ACTA), CR 3-11 (Drill Academies), and CR 3-13 (Command and Staff Schools). Those regulations are rescinded.
10. NEW VERSION OF CR 1-5, CADET APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS: is published to <https://cacadets.org/Regulations>. If you haven't reviewed the new rules, please do – promotions at the junior ranks have changed significantly, to include reduced Time in Grade, no written or on-line test, and buffed-up PTAs. The only written tests now are at the C/SGT, C/2LT, and C/MAJ level. The new online promotion exams are available and should be requested through the S-6 at <https://tools.cacadets.org/>
11. CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS WEBSITE: Our California Cadet Corps website is www.cacadets.org. 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.
12. CADET STORE: The Cadet Store website is <http://www.cadetstore.org>. The website is operational for online purchasing of CACC Logo items for Cadets and Adults, including Commandant Multipurpose Uniform (CMU) shirts, t-shirts, brassards, pens, stickers, lanyards, water bottles, and much more! The store is temporarily closed from 25 OCT

through 14 NOV. If you submit an order during that timeframe, it will be processed and filled starting on 15 NOV.

13. CALIFORNIA CADET CORPS SOCIAL MEDIA: Follow and visit our Social Media accounts:

- Facebook: www.facebook.com/hqcacc.
- Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/hqcacc/>
- Twitter: <https://twitter.com/hqcacc>
- YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/user/HQCACC>
- Flickr: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/hqcacc>

14. ULTRA THIN RIBBONS: is the leading vendor of custom thin ribbons sets for all branches of the U.S. military including California National Guard and CACC Commandant Ribbons. Any general questions can be directed to MAJ Cook-Askins at kenneth.cookaskins@cadet.org. To place an order call 1800-758-7265 or email sjones@ultrathin.com or visit <https://www.ultrathin.com>.

15. MILITARY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST (MEMS) BADGE:
Commandant Personnel interested in earning the Basic MEMS Badge should refer to the MEMS handbook which can be found at <http://sgaus.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/MEMS-Academy-Student-Guidelines-final-for-2018-with-fillable-application.pdf>. If interested in attending a CSMR MEMS Course to earn your MEMS Badge contact LTC Smith at michael.smith@cadet.org.

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