WARNING ORDER 010-2122-001

1) SITUATION:

- a. Name of Event/Operation: Xtreme Team Challenge (XTC)
- b. Dates: 22-24 October, 2021
- c. Important Start and End Times:
 - i. Rosters Due: 22 September 2021
 - ii. Check-in: 22 October 2021, 1200-2100
 - **iii. XTC Event:** 23 October 2021, 0700-1700
 - iv. Award Ceremony: 24 October, 2021, 1000-1100
- d. Location: Camp San Luis Obispo
- e. Units Participating: Each unit in the California Cadet Corps may have one or more teams participating. Each team must have ten competitors; however, at least three of the ten competitors must be female. If units are having difficulty composing a full team for any reason, the team may invite non-cadets to participate so long as a waiver, permission slip, and principal permission has been fulfilled. Preference will be given to the first team from each respective unit, additional teams will be permitted on a space-available basis.
- f. Participation Requirements: All cadets, in their respective units in the CACC, with parental and commandant permission may participate. All teams are eligible to compete if registered by the roster due date of 22 SEP 2021. If in need of an extension due to the starting of school, contact <u>cadetcommander@cacadets.org</u>.
- g. Training Events Planned: Pacemaker, Commo Bommo, RECONquest, BIVOWacky, Puzzle Palace, Litter Evac, Hollywood Cadets, Apocalypse Survival, Balanced Approach, and SySTEM Failure.
- 2) MISSION: The California Cadet Corps gathers for the annual Xtreme Team Challenge at Camp San Luis Obispo on 22-24 October 2021 to conduct a variety of events that will challenge cadets both physically and mentally in a competitive field setting designed to promote teamwork and leadership.

3) EXECUTION:

- a. Commander's Intent: To conduct a challenge-based event that encourages cadets to overcome rigorous challenges using their team building skills and underlying leadership abilities. Cadets will use the skills they retained during the pandemic to work with others and break barriers. These cadets will build a greater sense of unity among their respective units, while remaining safe during the event, thus resulting in growth of character and problem-solving practices. Essayons!
- b. Concept of Operations: The Xtreme Team Challenge will focus on ten physically and academically challenging, competitive obstacles designed to foster leadership, teamwork, and encourage cadets to push themselves in a manner aligned with the Cadet Corps curriculum.
- c. Goals

- i. Goal 1 is to create a safe and competitive environment for cadets to build relationships and push their self-defined limits to reach new heights in leadership.
- ii. Goal 2 is to develop and expand the knowledge of cadets in order to prepare them to be successful leaders at their units.
- iii. Goal 3 is to produce a fun atmosphere for the cadets to interact and build relations with other brigades and units in the California Cadet Corps.
- d. Objectives:
 - i. All cadet teams will complete the 10 events.
 - ii. No cadets are injured during the event.
 - iii. Cadets will develop a sense of camaraderie within their respective units.
 - iv. Cadets will leave the event with a better sense of mind and physical strength than they arrived with.
- e. Cadet Leaders and Staff Assignments: Each high school team that is competing is requested to bring at least 1 HHC member. The minimum school grade to be HHC is 8th grade and the minimum rank is C/CPL. The Headquarters and Headquarters Company Ribbon will be awarded to those that participate as HHC. Cadets interested in participating should sign up at https://forms.office.com/r/icxquBQCcn.
- f. Application Process: Commandants should submit their Intent to Participate with their completed teams to the Cadet S-1 NLT 22 September through this link: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/6YqQjsdLyg</u>.
- g. Cost: There will be no cost associated with this event.
- h. Key Suspense Dates:
 - i. 22 September 2021: Intent for Xtreme Team Challenge submitted.
 - ii. 20 October 2021: Rosters Due- All cadet teams rosters submitted.
- i. Uniform: For cadets, the uniform will be Class C with boots. An XTC T-shirt with be provided to all competitors. Cadets are encouraged to bring a set of PT gear to sleep in and a water bottle to keep with them throughout the event. Uniform for adults will be Commandant Utility Uniform or Commandant Multipurpose Uniform.
- j. Adult volunteers are needed to help facilitate the events. Interested personnel should contact <u>operations@cacadets.org</u>. Volunteers will be assigned to a TDA that will be posted NLT 14 October 2021.
- k. Awards: All participating teams will be awarded the Extreme Team Challenge Competition Ribbon, per CR 1-1. Attachments will also be given out for those teams that received a place in the competition.

4) **SUSTAINMENT:**

- a. Meals will be available free of charge to cadets. Units must coordinate with CACC Operations NLT 9 OCT if they intend to be present and eat the dinner meal on 2 OCT. Last meal is breakfast on 24 OCT.
- b. Cadet Store: The Cadet Store will be open during the time of the event. Cadets may purchase snacks, at their own expense. There will also be CACC logo branded items available for purchase as a fundraiser for the LEAD foundation to support cadet activities.

- c. Transportation: Bus transportation will not be provided. Schools may request transportation assistance by emailing <u>operations@cacadets.org</u>. Commandants must be eligible for a CalATERS account and file a travel claim to receive a rental van/SUV.
- d. Billeting: Participants will be sleeping in tents, which will be provided. Sleeping bags will be provided for those who do not bring their own. Adult participants who do not stay in tents must make their own billeting arrangements at their own expense. They must have a supervision plan approved by the school if not attending their own cadets (HQ CACC does not provide supervision).

5) COMMAND AND CONTROL:

- a. Cadet Commander for this activity will be 10th Corps Commander, C/COL Lorelei Santa Maria.
- **b.** Cadet Command Sergeant Major for this event will be C/CSM John Ford.
- c. 10th Corps Staff Advisor: CPT Burns, LTC Contreras
- d. Questions may be addressed to the 10th Corps Cadet Staff through normal channels.

ACKNOWLEDGE:

Lorelei Santa Maria C/COL, CACC

DISTRIBUTION:

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