# CALIFORNIA WING ENCAMPMENT WEEK BOOK



13-20 June 2017

# Welcome To the Cadet Training Group

The Cadet Training Group was founded in the summer of 1975 at Vandenberg Air Force Base, California. In the 42 years since, the CTG has welcomed and graduated more than 10,000 cadets into its ranks. As CTG graduates have excelled in their CAP careers, they have become even more successful in other aspects of their life. CTG Alumni have gone on to become successful leaders both in the civil sector as well as in the armed forces of the United States. Former Cadets are now serving overseas in a broad spectrum of theaters throughout the world. Graduating a California Wing Encampment sets cadets apart as a member of the distinguished ranks of the Cadet Training Group. Serving the Cadet training Group as a Staff Member is as much of an opportunity as it is a privilege. This week book is dedicated to the thousands of California Wing Encampment graduates who welcome you into their ranks. Membership in the Civil Air Patrol program and the CTG can have a profound impact on your life, and is something you should be proud of.



### **Cadet Training Group Commanders:**

1975: C/Lt Col Scott E. Bartel
1976: C/Col Andrew K. Weaver
1977: C/Col David M. Timm
1978: C/Lt Col Daniel J. Martinez
1979: C/Col Gary E. Liswood
1980: C/Lt Col Robert R. Nadeau
1981: C/Lt Col George K. Ishikata
1982: C/Col Mark W. Corson
1983: C/Lt Col Wayne C. Brown
1984: C/Col Wayne C. Brown
1985: C/Lt Col Kevin J. Sampson
1986: C/Col William E. Geesey
1987: C/Lt Col Deanna K. Paul

1988: C/Lt Col Richard J. Bingle

1989: C/Lt Daniel H. Niessen
1990: C/Lt Col Robert C. Bitting
1991: C/Lt Col Richard C. Parker
1992: C/LtCol J. Michael Ibarra
1993: C/Lt Col Mario A. Calvo
1994: C/Lt Col Erin M. Green
1995: C/Lt Col Allen S. Khosrowbadi
1996: C/Lt Col Christa L. Pravecek
1997: C/Lt Col Amanda L. Kull
1998: C/Lt Col Robert W. Renshaw
1999: C/Lt Col Laura N. Parsons
2000: C/Lt Col Brian D. Donnelly
2001: C/Maj April Simmons
2002: C/Lt Col Joshua E. Assayag

2003: C/Lt Col Gavin H. P. Woodman 2004: C/Lt Col Brian T. Jensen 2005: C/Lt Col Anthony S. Wong 2006: C/Lt Col Jeffrey D. Buentgen 2007: C/LtCol Cash A. M. Upton 2008: C/Maj Ann Marie Theisen 2009: C/Maj Joseph E. Connolly 2010: C/Lt Col Jonathan J. Khattar 2011: C/Maj Kevin M. Barber 2012: C/Maj Melanie Tunison 2013: C/Lt Col Rachel Khattar 2014: C/Maj Everett M. Montano Jr 2015: C/Lt Col Rhett Spongberg 2016: C/Lt Col Lydia R. Philp

### 2017: C/Maj J. Mitchell Brown

# Note From the Commander



Lt Col Douglas S. Crawford Commandant of Cadets

"Congratulations, and welcome to the ranks of The Cadet Training Group. You should be proud of your accomplishments as you navigated the challenges and obstacles of cadet life at Encampment. The memories of your first Encampment experience and the friendships created should last a lifetime. The CAP cadet program (including the CTG) works best thanks to the selflessness, dedication, and constant strive for excellence shared amongst all members of the cadet cadre. I'd like to thank all members of the cadre; those who worked tirelessly to support the student experience, and those who were providing the students with the highest quality of training that CAWG has to offer. Thanks are also due to the other groups that supported the student training: the Advanced Training Squadron, the Training Officer Staff, the Senior Support Staff, along with all guest Instructors. To the student. May you constantly strive to challenge yourself, to take advantage of opportunities to learn and grow. May you forever carry with you the lessons you learned through the training you received, understanding that attention to detail in the barracks and precision on the drill pad really will make you better at all things outside of CAP as well. And may you always seek to understand your own personal answer to the question of "Why?" And, just as important, how that question applies to every aspect of your life. Why did you come to Encampment? Why will you return? We hope you will, see you next year!"



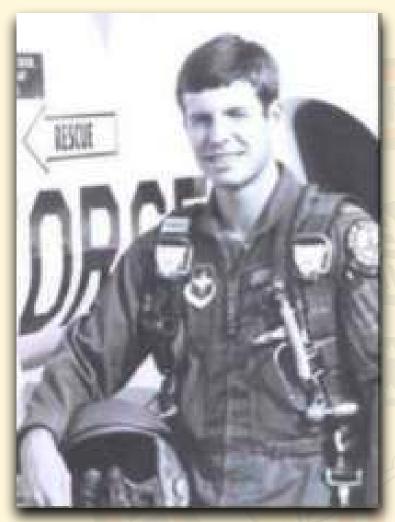
Lt Col Grace E. Edinboro Encampment Commander

"It was great to see the Cadet Training Group return to Camp San Luis Obispo for another year rigorous training, dynamic leadership experience, and the development of another couple hundred cadets into the future of the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program. We always wonder at the beginning of Encampment what the week will hold, but there's never really any doubt - this program of cadets training cadets reliably works year after year. C/Maj Brown and his staff engaged in problem solving head-on, with a few zingers thrown at them by the installation, but they handled every obstacle professionally and overcame every challenge to provide an awesome experience for the cadre and students of this year's Encampment. The executive cadre hit it out of the park this year in the grandest tradition of CTG success, and I congratulate you all on a job very well done. I want to thank the senior members who supported the training - we cannot do it without you, and you were here as training officers and support staff to ensure the CTG could produce another generation of well trained, motivated CAP cadets who will bring excellence back to their squadron. We look forward to learning from this experience and starting to plan next year's encampment, which can only continue to get even better."



"Congratulations to all of the new members of the Cadet Training Group! It was a extremely hard challenge, but I hope you are glad that you took the time out of your summer to come to encampment this year. The mission of the 2017 Encampment was to plant the seed of strong character in the students that they can apply to every aspect of the rest of their lives. First, we taught the students some tangible skills that they needed to work together to complete. These skills included activities such as Drill, proper uniform wear, and barracks skills like making a bed and rolling a sock. By doing so the entire group developed a sense of team work and esprit de corps. Once all the students came together as a Flight, Squadron, and ultimately a Group they experienced a level of cohesiveness that instilled in them the reality that they are indeed capable of anything. In the end it was a truly successful encampment. One that myself and my Cadre were very dedicated in planning and executing for the students of 2017. I am incredibly humbled and proud to have served the CTG."

# 49th Cadet Training Squadron Commander



### Cadet Captain Tom Doyle 49th CTS Commander

The 49th Cadet Training Squadron of the Cadet Training Group is unlike any other in CTG history. No cadets were ever assigned to the 49th CTS, as the number was set aside in honor of a former member of the Cadet Training Group. Cadet Captain Tom Doyle was a Northern California youth who was a leader in both his school and community, a licensed pilot at age 17 and an outstanding cadet member of the Civil Air Patrol. Cadet Doyle was selected to command the 18th CTS at Ford Ord in the summer of 1980. However, a change in personnel requirements resulted in the activation of only one CTS in 1980 instead of the three initially planned squadrons. Shortly after the Fort Ord Encampment, Cadet Doyle commanded Delta Flight, 17th CTS at McClellan AFB.

At 17, Doyle earned his FAA private pilot's certificate and shortly thereafter won an appointment to the prestigious U.S. Air Force Academy, where he graduated in the top 5% of his class. After completing training as an F-16 fighter pilot, he was stationed in Germany (NATO) with the 10 TFS "Fighting Tenth" (USAFE).

On one grim cloudy day in the spring of 1988, 1st Lieutenant Tom E. "Popeye" Doyle's F-16 fighter jet experienced sudden catastrophic engine failure while over the center of the city of Forst. Although he could have bailed out, 1st Lt Doyle elected to stay with his crippled fighter to guide it away from the shops, schools and congestion below. He succeeded in his heroic act, but perished in the ensuing crash.

In 1989, the Cadet Training Group recognized 1st Lt and former Cadet Captain Doyle by naming him posthumously, as the commander of the 49th Cadet Training Squadron. The guidon of the 49th Cadet Training Squadron appears on the Cadet Training Group shield as a reminder of our CTG hero.



# In Memoriam: Capt Kenneth W. "K3" Sturgill







On July 7, 2016, The California Wing lost one if it's most dynamic young members, Capt Kenneth W. Sturgill (A1C, USAF) passed away on the final day of the Air Force Survival, Evasion, Resistance and Escape (SERE) Instructor Selection Course at Joint Base San Antonio-Camp Bullis in Texas. Kenneth, known affectionately as "K3", had recently received top honors as an honor graduate and tied for top graduate of a class of 715 trainees from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base before beginning SERE training.

Kenneth joined Civil Air Patrol as a cadet in 2007 at the age of 12. During his time as a cadet, Kenneth attended numerous wing and national activities, including eight encampments. Eventually reaching the grade of C/Lt Col, Kenneth was the 2013 Cadet of the Year for the California Air Force Association, and was a qualified Mission Observer, Ground Team Leader, and was recognized with the Lifesaving Award that he received along with his father for a ground team mission they participated in together. Before reaching the required age of 21 years, K3 became a Senior Member so that he could serve as a training officer at the wing encampment and assist as an escort for the International Air Cadet Exchange program.

K3's dream was to join the Air Force and serve his country. With an eye towards becoming a PJ (Pararescueman) in the United States Air Force, K3 began training and becoming physically prepared for the rigorous testing. After being accepted into the training program, K3 was injured and was forced to postpone his enlistment. Never to be discouraged, K3 embraced his rehabilitation and was soon reporting to Lackland Air Force Base for Basic Military Training, this time with a slot in the Survival, Evasion, Resistance and Escape (SERE) Instructor Selection Course. Following his graduation from BMT, K3 attended SERE training, where he selflessly gave of his time to help and encourage his fellow airmen trainees and CAP members back home. On his last day of SERE training, K3 was found in the field unresponsive and could not be resuscitated.

To know Kenneth was to love him and everything he embodied. His life goals were based on the USAF Pararescue motto – "These Things We Do, That Others May Live." He exemplified the core value of "Service Before Self" in everything that he did and could be counted on to lend a hand whenever needed. Kenneth left this world doing what he loved most and living his dream, in the service of his nation. He was a leader beyond his years. Kenneth was our brother, our fellow airman, our commander, our teacher, our mentor, our son, and most of all, our friend. Although he may no longer be with us physically, the gifts that he gave us all will live forever in our wing and everyone he touched.

# **Executive Staff**



Lt Col Grace E. Edinboro Encampment Commander



Lt Col George K. Ishikata Deputy Commander for Support



Lt Col Douglas S. Crawford Commandant of Cadets



Lt Col Jeffrey A. Mueller Chief Training Officer

## **Executive Cadre**



C/Maj J. Mitchell Brown CTG Commander



C/Lt Col Nicole J Khattar Deputy Commander of Operations



C/Lt Col James J Hockel Deputy Commander for Support



C/Capt James L. Burke Group Superintendent



C/Maj Kyle Anderson Safety Officer



# **Senior Support Staff**



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Col Kenneth Parris Safety Officer



Lt Col Robert Harris Chaplain OIC



Lt Col Paul Ward Chaplain



Lt Col Robert Ferguson Chaplain



lst Lt Jagger Osseck Director of Administration & Public Affairs



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Capt Gailmary Harper Transportation Officer



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Lt Col Peggy Myrick Logistics Officer

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Maj Michael Lynch Health Services Officer



SM Joshua Effle-Hoy Health Services Officer



1st Lt Jennifer Beevers Mess OIC



Capt Douglas Miller Assistant Mess OIC



2d Lt Julianna Polloway Assistant Mess OIC



SM Emily Keidel Mess Officer



Col Christine Lee Mess Officer

# Cadet Support Squadron & Operations













Alicia Camarena Logistics Officer

Crispen Morgenthaler Logistics NCO

Robert Smith Logistics NCO



Zoe Hines Logistics Officer



Brian La Fetra Communications Officer



Dylan Hert Director of Administration



Ainsley Cahill Administration NCO



Kenneth Carson Public Affairs OIC



Seth Wentworth Public Affairs Officer



Kiralynn Wallis Public Affairs NCO



Kahlai Pratt Public Affairs NCO



Gregory Angus Scheduling Officer



# **Cadet Support Squadron**



Padraig Feain Director of Mess



Eric Beal Deputy Mess Director



Ian Hinds Deputy Mess Director



Joshua Luci Mess NCO



Robert Logan Mess NCO



Bennet Morganthaler Mess NCO



Jordan Polloway Mess NCO



John Garcia Mess NCO



Justin Diaz Mess NCO



Giovanni Fanucci Mess NCO



Zachary Neise Mess NCO



Alexandra Valentine Mess NCO



Clifford Owen Mess NCO



Laramie Uhles Mess NCO



Cobe Fan Mess NCO



## 137th Cadet Training Squadron

137 "Phoenix" Squadron



"Through Adversity, We Triumph"

# 137th Cadet Training Squadron



C/CMSgt Theodosius Santalov First Sergeant



C/Capt Peter Hockel Commander



Capt Jonathan Khattar Squadron Training Officer



C/2d Lt Olivia Hutchins Flight Commander



C/CMSgt Chase Alexander Flight Sergeant



1st Lt Sharon Agold Training Officer



Capt Sean Quigley
Assistant Training Officer



Alpha Flight

# Alpha Flight



Helen Bermio



Samantha Bracken



Ingrid De La Cerda



Piper Dolnick



Abigail Gritt



Faith Herlimtan



Jasmine Hinkel



Amanda Horlock



Abigail Lee



Aarthi Muthukumar



**Grace Petrov** 



Mikayla Quam



**Holly Robles** 



Kaitlyn Sanchez



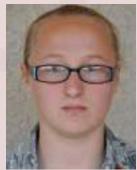
Kamryn Servio



Sarah Stoddard



Stefanie Storms



Megan Swart



Gianna Walter



Annalee Wheeler

C/CMSgt Daniel Hayase Flight Commander



2d Lt Kenneth Owens Training Officer



C/CMSgt Jesyka McGovern Flight Sergeant



Lt Col Phillip Hall
Assistant Training Officer

# **Bravo Flight**

Bravo "Brutes"

"Know the way, show the way, lead the way"



2d Lt Ryan Uhles Assistant Training Officer



# **Bravo Flight**



Jack Doran



Donovan Gibson



Cesar Godinez



Justin Grissum



James Horton



Maxwell Hosafros



Percy Jones



Kadyn Keeler



Matthew Kightlinger



Christopher Kyle



Cody Layne



Adrian Leal



Nathan Lorenze



Peter McLaughlin



Chase Recore



Henry Siguenza



Jose Thomson-Hernandez



Brandon Yu

C/2d Lt Andrew Harris Flight Commander



C/CMSgt Neil Rock

Flight Sergeant



Capt Clayton Wikoff



# Charlie Flight

Charlie, "Coyotes" "Essayons"

# Charlie Flight



Aemon Aldrich



James Boone



Cody Collins



Matthew Cruz



Jason Della Penna



Jonathan Dominguez



**Boston Freeman** 



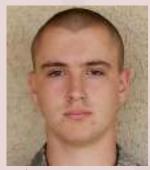
Jacub Grissum



Thomas Guzzi



Seth Kauffman



Chase La Jeunesse



Leon Lam



Noah Lee



James Nguyen



Ramond O'Neill



Rex Phillips



Nicholas Pinto



Aidan Yamasaki

### 138th Cadet Training Squadron

### 138 "Fianna" Squadron



"Glaine ár gcroí. Neart ár néag. Beart de réir ár mbriathar."

"Purity of Our Hearts. Strength of Our Limbs. Action to Match Our Speech"

# 138th Cadet Training Squadron



C/SMSgt Varsha Penumatsa First Sergeant



C/Col David Burke Commander



Lt Col David Goude Squadron Training Officer



C/2d Lt John Dunham Flight Commander



C/2d Lt Sarah Wiggins Flight Sergeant



"Siempre Adelante"



2d Lt Hannah Kilbourne Training Officer



Capt Jeffrey Buentgen Assistant Training Officer



Maj Kenneth Palmer Assistant Training Officer



# Delta Flight



Shannon Arseneau



Kamilah Bundang



Allison Campbell



Priscilla Campos



Katie Carde**ll**a



Galilella Castro



Carley Chapman



**Annabel Chung** 



Ellen Cruz



Jessica Dominguez



Katherine Jones



Naomi Kilian



Leanna Lam



Ashley Lee



Madison Louden



**Grace McNeely** 



Alice Mikulijan



Jenell Norvell



Sarah Swan



Clara Swart

C/2d Lt Andrew Hockel Flight Commander



Lt Col Scott Englund Training Officer



C/CMSgt Cooper Rudnick Flight Sergeant



SM Jean-Charles Laxague Assistant Training Officer

# **Echo Flight**

Echo "Echo" "They Will Echo Us!"



# **Echo Flight**



Luca Arnold



Christian Boon



Nicholas Castillo-Davidson



Joel Choi



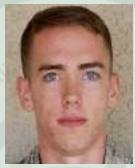
Hollis Copp



Andrew Cruz



Jordan Duong



Peter Enrico



Cohen Firth



Nicholas Forys



Andre Gulmesoff



Dang Nguyen



Miller Rasmussen



Joshua Schroeder



Reece Rivera



Nicholas Topalian



Garrett Wachendorfer



Christian Wuerth



C/2d Lt Alexander Cortez Flight Commander



C/SMSgt Ezra Aldrich Flight Sergeant

# Foxtrot Flight

Foxtrot "Sinoccah Fabhcun"
"100% at all times! Nothing less is permitted"

Not Pictured: MSgt Daniel Ash Training Officer Not Pictured: SM Edward Mookie Assistant Training Officer



# Foxtrot Flight



Alan Akhavan



Caleb Bouchard



Micha Carlson



**Emmanuel Castro** 



**Garrett Crew** 



Elias Elliott



**Hudson Fortunato** 



Mark Hockel



Wiinston Maa



Jeffrey Renquist



Samuel Reynolds



Cesar Rodriguez



Riley Schubert



Harlee Shen



Anthony Soto



Matthew Truong



Guy Wilhite



Leon Zhao

# 139th Cadet Training Squadron

139 "Beasts" Squadron



"Beast Mode, On!"

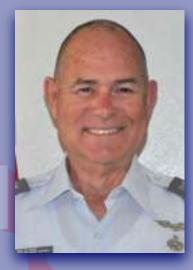
# 139th Cadet Training Squadron



C/CMSgt Matthew Hockel First Sergeant



C/Capt Colin Rodriguez Commander



Maj Jeff Cable Squad<mark>ron</mark> Training Officer



C/2d Lt Jordan Owens Flight Commander



C/SMSgt Gabriella Nichols Flight Sergeant

# **Golf Flight**

Golf Flight, "Ghosts"

"We are fighters from the past., We will never come in last!"



CMSgt Noel Furniss Training Officer



2d Lt Nicolas Loey Assistant Training Officer



# **Golf Flight**



Ethan Hanson



Samuel Key



Charles Laxague



Deven Lessard



Simhal Maharaj



Wyatt Maltagliati



Chase McGill



**Aaron Morales** 



Isaia<mark>h Mu</mark>noz



Andy Nguyen



Myles Noriega



Nicholas Norris



Richard Ramos



Alexander Remotti



Michael Robles



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Jonathan Schatz



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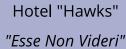


Angela Zhang

1st Lt Seung Won Lee Flight Commander



C/CMSgt Chase Cormier Flight Sergeant



**Hotel Flight** 



Lt Col Brett Dolnick Training Officer



Capt Richard Green
Assistant Training Officer



# **Hotel Flight**



Seth Ambre



Paul Anderson



Christopher Baguinat



Josiah Bailey



**Andrew Bisson** 



Khaotis Eldridge



Isaia<mark>h</mark> Enriquez



Killian Kelly



Kyle Martin



**Christian Matamoros** 



Nolan Moore



Joshua Nguyen



**Austin Owens** 



Adrian Paredes



Christopher Robertson



**Drew Robles** 



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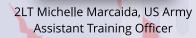
Ethan Yu

C/CMSgt Cordaellia Farrell Flight Commander



C/CMSgt Holtman Dunham







Capt Steven Angus **Training Officer** 



India "Igniters" "The Beast Ignites within us"

India Flight



# India Flight



Luke Both



Daniel Burke



Logan Dolnick



Dylan Effle-Hoy



Erick Gonzalez



Luca Hoang



Harrison Le



Jacob LeCouve



Jason Lin



Jeremiah Mookie



Joshua Moreno



Josiah Nguyen



Gian Papio



Nicolas Perez



Travis Pola



Darius Rimmele



John Sridaosun



Zackery Winn



Aiden York

C/2d Lt Michael Don Flight Commander



C/CMSgt Jonathan Luci Flight Sergeant



Juliet "Jets"
"Non Solum"



1st Lt Everett Montano Training Officer

Not Pictured:
SM Michael Pearlman
Assistant Training Officer



#### **Juliet Flight**



Jake Backes



Giovanni Branaugh



Spandon Chheti



Kristopher Cobos



Christopher Cruz



Dylan Ford



Nathaniel Foy



Max Friedman



James Greenslade



David Han



Alec Herrera



Marcus Howard



Kaewon Kim



Mike Nassif



Nathan Talley



**Ethan Truong** 



Adam Volkman



Alexander Ward



**Bailey Watts** 

#### **Advanced Training Squadron**



#### Advanced Training Squadron



C/2d Lt Alexandria Santalov Deputy Commander for Support



C/Capt Christian Anglin Commander



Maj Lani Cahill Squadron Training Officer





C/1st Lt Ryan Yang Flight Commander

#### Yankee Flight

"Yankee Doodles"

Yankee Doodle came to town, riding on a Blackhawk."



Lt Col Mike Mizner Training Officer



Maj Don Hammond Training Officer



SSgt Mike Goude Training Officer



#### Yankee Flight







Joshua Bettencourt



**Anthony Cooper** 



Andrew Daigle



**Anthony Dominguez** 



Gibson Haines



Joshua Kilian



Nikolas Koehn



Alex Lee



Joshua Patterson



Spencer Wong



James Wuerth

C/2d Lt Claire Mizner Flight Commander

#### **Zulu Flight**

The Legend of Zulu
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Lt Col Mike Mizner Training Officer



Maj Don Hammond Training Officer



SSgt Mike Goude Training Officer



#### **Zulu Flight**



Caleb Agold



Ethan Beal



Mikeala Becker



Christopher Cooper



Nicholas DeSomma



Andrew Ledger-Thomas



Solomon Liu

SEMPER



Nicolo Trevino



Daniel Vasquez



Micah Wentworth



Carter Wong

# **Drill & Ceremonies**



















# Inspections















# Physical Training



















### Obstacle Course











#### **Military Orientation Rides**



















# Advanced Training Squadron Activities

















#### **Candid Shots**















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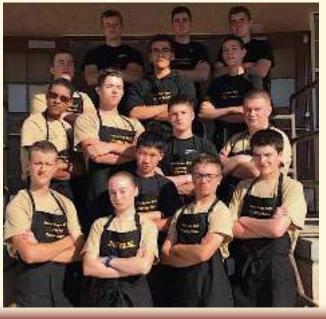














#### Awards & Decorations



**Cadet Training Group Honor Flight:** 

Charlie Flight

**Group Volleyball Competition Champions:** 

Charlie Flight

**Group Drill Competition Champions:** 

Echo Flight

**Group Barracks Excellence:** 

Echo Flight

**Group Academic Excellence:** 

Echo Flight

Encampment Commander's Award for Outstanding Achievement and the 2017 CTG Honor Cadet:

C/Amn Kamilah Bundang

Wing Commander's Award for Academic Excellence:

C/TSgt Garret Crew

Lt Col Terry Edinboro Commandant's award for Leadership:

C/1st Lt Andrew Harris

CTG Commander's Award for Line Staff Excellence:

C/Maj Tyler Beal

Chaplain Loren Brown Award for Outstanding Leadership:

1st Lt Kevin Owens

Lt Col Jim Jenkins Award for Senior Staff Excellence:

Maj Wayne Brown

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