Plan of the Month – MARCH 2016

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**Drill Items**

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**DRILL IS AT JULIAN HIGH SCHOOL:** 1656 HWY 78, Julian, CA 92036

Report Friday night between 1800-1900. Make sure you have eaten dinner. We will only have a small snack Friday night. Make sure you have ALL items on the seabag list. They are listed for a reason. We will be in the multi-purpose room, not the gym.

**IMPORTANT ITEMS REGARDING DRILL:**

1. Adult volunteers are needed at the unit. If you can assist with paperwork, supply, and any time you can give, it would be greatly appreciated. You will not be required to wear a uniform, just assist with the success of the cadets and unit. Please contact the Commanding Officer if you can volunteer.

2. Cadets are to report drill status up their chain of command (cadet to squad leader, squad leader to LPO, LPO > XO > CO) no later than the **SATURDAY BEFORE drill by 1800**. Remember to CC ALL on your chain of command.
3. Items to bring to drill:

See seabag list

4. There will NOT be a Parent Meeting on Sunday.

5. There will be an award ceremony on Sunday, 1430

Welcome Aboard
We would like to welcome aboard our newest cadets to our Challenger Division/TS Columbia family!

NLCC
Jessica Boyer
Andrew Cedillo
Andrew Reyes

NSCC
Phoenix Desser
Antonio Reyes

From the Personnel Department:  ENS Shannon Ward  sward@seacadets.org
We are working extremely hard to make sure every cadet’s service jacket and awards are up to date. If you feel there has been an error, please use your chain of command so that the error can be rectified immediately.

From the Admin Department:  ENS Shannon Ward  sward@seacadets.org
Please bring a copy of your report card to training or email one to sward@seacadets.org.

Re-enrollment fees are due for the following cadets. If your name is listed, please bring a check payable to “USNSCC” to drill in the amount of $175.00. Magellan, the new online system, requires re-enrollment BEFORE your ID card expires. Please pay attention to your ID expiration date.

NLCC
Daniel Alonso
Breyden Scates

NSCC

From the Supply Department:  INST Kim Plale  kplale@seacadets.org
If you have any uniform item needs, send email up the chain of command. Do NOT wait until drill date. This way, we can schedule time during the day to handle these items.

From the Training Department:  INST Jodi O’Brien  jobrien@cox.net
1. Coursework has been sent out. You can work ahead, but do not fall behind.
2. If you know you are in need of an exam, please email your chain of command so no one misses out.
3. ALL exams are now done online. However, coursework must be completed prior to taking the exam.

UPCOMING EVENTS: SEPARATE EMAILS FOR EACH EVENT WILL FOLLOW.
April 2-3 Drill
Tentative swim qualifications. This is mandatory if you are planning on attending an advanced training in the summer that requires a swim qualification.

SLPO Promotion Ceremony. You are cordially invited to attend Saturday’s ceremony.

April 23-24

FLAGSHIP COMPETITION: BOTH NSCC & NLCC
All cadets are expected to participate. More details as they become available. If berthing is available, it will be overnight. If berthing is not available, it will just be Saturday, April 23 @ Camp Pendleton.

May Drill
Dates TBD

CPO Promotion Ceremony. You are cordially invited to attend.

May 21
America on Main Street- City of El Cajon- all day

May 28
Flags at Ft. Rosecrans National Cemetery-morning

May 28
Santee Street Fair-all day