



U.S. NAVAL SEA CADET CORPS



LIBERTY BELL SQUADRON

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PLAN OF THE MONTH

The Plan of the Month is an official document of Liberty Bell Squadron. The contents reflect current orders of the Commanding Officer and official unit announcements. All Squadron personnel are responsible for reading and understanding the information contained herein. Parents and guardians of Cadets are encouraged to read the Plan of the Month and to make note of meeting days and special announcements that may affect personal schedules.

MAY 4-5, 2024

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ADMIN OFFICER

VACANT
SUPPLY OFFICER

AUXILIARIST Susan McKnight
RECRUITING OFFICER

Drill Dates: Saturday, May 4th and Sunday, May 5th, 2024

Drill Hours: AM HOURS (0745-1100) PM HOURS (1300 – 1500)

Uniform of the Day:	Officers:	Khakis/NWU/Alternate Uniform NWUs sleeves rolled down
	Cadets:	NWUs and PT Uniforms NWUs sleeves rolled down

SAT. MAY 4TH DRILL SCHEDULE

0730-0745 - Reporting for Duty	1200-1300 - Chow (At the Mess Hall)
0755-0815 - Morning Muster & Inspection	1300-1400 - Dress Uniform Inspection
0830-0930 - Physical Training (PT)	1415-1430 - Admin Time & Chief/LPO Time w/ Cadets
1000-1045 - CO & XO Time with Cadets	1430-1445 - Field Day
1100-1145 - Seabag List Checks	1445-1500 - Final Muster & Dismissal

SUN. MAY 5TH DRILL SCHEDULE

0730-0745 - Reporting for Duty	1200-1300 - Chow (At the Mess Hall)
0755-0815 - Morning Muster & Inspection	1300-1345 - Sea Cadet Knowledge Review
0815-0845 - Supply/Summer Training Preparation	1345-1415 - Admin Time & Chief/LPO Time w/ Cadets
0900-1045 - Close Order Drill & Color Guard	1415-1445 - Field Day
1100-1145 - Squad Leaders' Time with Cadets	1445-1500 - Final Muster & Dismissal

NOTES

1. **DRILL LOCATION** - Drill will be held on the 2nd deck of Building 235, Fairchild Street, Willlow Grove, PA 19044.

2. **ATTENDANCE** – NSCC Regulations state that you must attend 75% of all scheduled drills. That is four of six drills per quarter. If you do not meet this minimum standard, you will be administratively warned. If you continue to fail to meet minimum attendance standards, you will be discharged from the NSCC.

3. **COURSEWORK** – All Cadets are required to complete coursework assignments (Airman, Seaman or Basic Military Requirements). A reminder to those Cadets who have not completed Recruit Training: your advancement to E-2 will be in jeopardy if you do not complete coursework. **COURSEWORK IS MANDATORY!**

4. **INCREASE YOUR KNOWLEDGE** – To prepare for the upcoming trainings, I recommend using the Sea Cadet General Knowledge packet handed out to you a few drills back. Try to familiarize yourself with all the General Orders, the Sea Cadet Oath, and the Sailor’s Creed. Learning these will benefit you in Recruit Training and future trainings in the program. Find out more about the U. S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps on the NSCC Online Portal: seacadets.org

5. **CADETS REMINDER** – In preparation for the summer trainings you will be attending, at Saturday’s drill, all cadets are required to bring their Seabag, their Seabag list, and all uniforms, PT gear, etc., that is on the list. Bring what you can; if you are missing certain items, we will look for it during our designated Supply time. All cadets must also bring their dress white uniforms with a garment bag on Saturday’s drill. Color Guard members should specially make sure that their uniforms are squared away as we will be rehearsing for the upcoming parade.

6. **PARENTS CORNER** – This will be the first opportunity for our **Parents Auxiliary Task (PAT) Force** to put together an event! There will be a graduation ceremony for the seniors in the Unit during the June drill. All parents should discuss and plan a party together with munchies, beverages, and all supplies. The Unit will supply tables.

We are looking for parents to sign up as volunteers with the program. If you are interested in sharing your time and talent, please speak with one of our officers. Parent involvement is very important, and we are looking for adult leadership to lend a helping hand. Please visit our online portal for more information on how to become an adult volunteer.

7. **CHOW** – On another note, we have been approved to eat in the chow hall on base every drill weekend. The normal cost to eat in the chow hall is \$7.00. I recommend taking advantage of this excellent opportunity to have lunch, which includes a main course, salad, desserts, and drinks. However, bringing your own lunch is also an option.

Parents Signature _____ **Date** _____

Cadets Signature _____ **Date** _____

All cadets bring the signed copy of your Plan of the Month to Saturday’s drill (both Pages)

ROBERT BETTON
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