



Cadet Life

"To Motivate Young People to be Better Citizens"

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Annual Mattress Fundraiser

On February 26th, 2022, our cadets ran our annual mattress fundraiser. For the past seven years, our program has hosted this fundraiser to raise money for things we may need for our program. Last year, we raised over \$12,500 for the food pantry. This year, we managed to raise \$5,750 in the span of just one day. We donated \$500 dollars to Brickie Buddies and \$500 to the Multi-cultural Club. With the rest of the proceeds, we used them to help fund the many events you see us do around the school, including our various competitions throughout the year. It was a pleasure to once again do the mattress fundraiser, as each year it has been an amazing opportunity to shape our cadets to be better citizens by helping out the community.



Chain of Command

1st Semester

Battalion Commander

Olivia Garcia

2nd Semester

Battalion Commander

Reginald Gilbert

Command Sergeant

Major

Gregory Bell

S-1

Aeris Lopez

S-2

Vanessa Wehmeyer

Jonah Wells

S-3

Kiersten Rotz

Allie Runk

S-4

Nicholas Krueger

Chandler Martin

S-5

Gage Catlin

Alasia Parker

Ruby Winn

Team Captains

Raiders

Andrew Clemmons

Color Guard

David Brasher-

Harding

Marksmanship

Benjamin Molchan

Drill

Reginald Gilbert

Marksmanship Nationals

By the end of this season for marksmanship, sophomore Ben Molchan qualified to compete at the national competition located at the Camp Perry air rifle range in Ohio. On February 11th, Ben Molchan competed in the Army JROTC marksmanship national competition, where over 1,500 shooters began shooting in October. The top 75 best shooters were invited to the championship. Ben managed to place 31st among the 75 best shooters in the entire nation!



Color Guard Competition

On March 5th, a group of cadets traveled to Fort Wayne, Indiana, to compete at a color guard competition. We sent one team, comprised of commander Allie Runk, lead rifle David Brasher-Harding, state flag Kayla Webber, and rifle Ben Molchan. The team had been solidified and had been practicing since the beginning of the school year. They competed against 17 other teams and placed 6th with an outstanding score of 492 out of 500.

Gallery



Platoons

1st Platoon

PL Alexander Wick

PSG Kaitlyn Roscoe

2nd Platoon

PSG Zoe Stout

5th Platoon

PL Andrew Clemmons

PSG David Brasher-Harding

6th Platoon

PL Mia Perez

PSG Toby Brasher-Harding



Upcoming Events

April 30th: Spring Raider Competition

At the Hobart High School, our raider team is hosting the Spring competition, where they will face off against many other schools. This will be the last competition of the year.

May 1st: Triathlon

On May 1st, 2022, There will be a triathlon held in Hobart. Our cadets will volunteer to do various things at the event. Some cadets will be setting up, others will hand out water, and some will also tear down at the end of the event.

May 17th: Award Banquet

Every year we host an end of the year banquet to celebrate the accomplishments of our cadets and of our program. This year our banquet will be held on May 17th, 2022. This is the first time since May 2019 that we've been able to host this event with a meal and entire families to enjoy. It will be a night filled with congratulating our cadets on all the hard work and the good things they do over the course of the year.



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