



United States Naval Sea Cadet Corps Central Iowa Division FEBRUARY 2012 PLAN OF THE MONTH

The Plan of the Month is an official document of CENTRAL IOWA Division. Its contents reflect current orders of the Commanding Officer and official unit announcements. All Division 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.

NEXT DRILL: ANNUAL INSPECTION SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 3-4 MARCH

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REPORTING UNIFORM:

League cadets: Dungaree utilities w/overcoat, gloves, watch cap
Sea cadets: Camouflage utilities w/camouflage coat, gloves, watch cap.

All cadets should wear appropriate coat, watch cap if needed, gloves are required. Please wear only issue items if those items are available. Do not mix civilian and uniform items unless there is a uniform issue shortage.

\$3 needed for drill meals for all cadets. Have money for juice/sports drink.

DRILL DATES/TIME:

Saturday 11 February 2012: 0730 - 1700 (cadets will be released at 5 pm)

A CONTINGENT OF NSCC CADETS (SEA CADETS) WILL BE NEEDED FOR SECURITY/PARKING DETAIL FOR BOYS STATE HIGH SCHOOL SWIM MEET. See reporting instructions in the schedule portion of this Plan of the Month.

DRILL REPORTING LOCATION:

Report to Marshalltown High School, Marshalltown, IA
1602 S 2nd Avenue; Marshalltown, IA 50158

SATURDAY 11 FEB 2012 TRAINING SCHEDULE

Sea Cadets--NSCC (ages 13-18)

Prior to 0730	Report to drill location in the uniform of the day
0730 – 1130	Community Service/Security & Parking detail at State Swim Meet NOTE: Those who have had their dress uniforms inspected and cleared by ENS Severidt have the option to report directly to the Community Service location, which is Marshalltown Community Y, 108 Washington St., Marshalltown, IA. Wear camouflage jacket as some will be outdoors. If you need this jacket, submit request through normal channels. Those who have not had their dress uniforms inspected should do so prior to reporting to the Community Y.
1130 – 1230	Color Guard (4 cadets only) presentation at IHSAA Boys State Swim Meet
1130 – 1200	Transport back to drill location
1200 – 1230	Noon chow (have \$3 plus money for drink if desired)
1230 – 1530	Training Rotations (swim skills assessments and training, martial arts, drill/ceremony, seamanship training)
1530 – 1545	Transition to PT Gear
1545 – 1645	Physical Training (Spec Warfare PT will meet)
1645 – 1700	Hygiene
1700	Cadets dismissed—(Cadet Chief Petty Officers who have not had dress uniforms inspected will do so at this time.)

League Cadets--NLCC (ages 10-13)

Prior to 0730	Report to drill location in the uniform of the day
0730 – 0815	Winter dress uniform inspections (for those whose uniforms have not been inspected) NLCC cadets are not doing Community Service, just NSCC cadets.
0815 – 0915	STEM integration: buoyancy principles
0915 – 1015	Career exploration: EOD
1015 – 1030	Break/snack
1030 – 1200	First Aid/Medical Training
1200 – 1230	Noon chow (have \$3 plus money for drink if desired)
1230 – 1530	Training Rotations (swim skills assessments and training, first aid scenarios, drill/ceremony)
1530 – 1545	Transition to PT Gear
1545 – 1645	Physical Training
1645 – 1700	Hygiene
1700	Cadets dismissed

ADDITIONAL ITEMS NEEDED AT DRILL

SEA CADETS (NSCC)

BRING DRESS BLUE UNIFORM if it has not been inspected	2 OD brown undershirts	NOTE: All required BDU items worn not listed here
BRING RIBBONS for updating if not updated	1 pair PT running shoes	For pool evolution—one pair dungaree trousers, one blue chambray shirt—one white t-shirt; remember extra shorts as swimsuit
Current Correspondence Course and any old courses in your possession	1 hygiene kit (shower supplies)	Females: swim suit
2 black issue boot socks	1 watch cap (if needed)	SPEC Warfare: bring all 4 components of your issued PT gear
2 additional pair white underwear	1 white towel	
2 pair PT shorts	1 shower shoes	
1 gold PT shirt	1 black leather gloves (if issued)	
1 pair white issue PT socks	Blue US Navy sweat suit	

LEAGUE CADETS (NLCC)

2 pair dungaree trousers	1 gold PT shirt	Females: swim suit
2 chambray shirts	1 pair PT running shoes	1 black leather gloves (if issued)
2 white undershirts	2 black issue boot socks	1 watch cap (if needed)
2 additional pair white underwear	1 pair white issue PT socks	1 white towel
2 pair PT shorts	1 hygiene kit (shower supplies)	Blue US Navy sweat suit
1 black utility jacket	1 NLCC Blue ball cap cover	
BRING WINTER DRESS UNIFORM if it has not been inspected	BRING RIBBONS for updating	

ENROLLMENT FEES - The cost of re-enrollment is \$53.00 for both NSCC and NLCC. If you are coming up on your re-enrollment date or that date has passed and you have not paid your \$53, (date is on your ID card), you are expected to remit your renewal fee prior to your ID expiration date.

ANNUAL INSPECTION IS MARCH 3-4. MAKE PLANS TO BE THERE! The unit inspection score suffers for every individual cadet not in attendance. FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE INVITED TO THE CEREMONY, WHICH WILL BEGIN AT 1000 ON SUNDAY 04 MARCH 2012 at the MARSHALLTOWN HIGH SCHOOL ROUNDHOUSE. If you are a no call/no show you will be dis-enrolled. PARENT MEETING TO DISCUSS SUMMER TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES WILL BE HELD IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ANNUAL INSPECTION IN THE MARSHALLTOWN HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA.

Due to increased costs of uniform items and on-going operating expenses, Central Iowa Division's financial situation is less stable than last year. Fundraising will be an important factor this year, but taking care of unit obligations such as training deposits and annual renewals in a timely manner will be of great help. It greatly aids cash flow considerations. Your cooperation is appreciated. We are always open to corporate and individual donations and memorials.

CHECK TO MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR ID, and KEEP IT IN A SAFE PLACE. If you have lost your ID, contact the CO IMMEDIATELY. Attendance at Annual Inspection is part of the unit's score for Annual Inspection. Every cadet absent costs the unit valuable points in the national competition. When you are competing with the best, hundredths of a point matter! Each cadet missing their ID costs the unit points. If you have lost your ID, contact the CO immediately so a replacement can be ordered. Replacement IDs are \$5.

WEATHER CANCELLATION POLICY—Central Iowa Division makes every effort to adhere to its posted drill schedule. However, when conditions may become unsafe during the drill weekend or the time required for travel to drill, it is sometimes necessary to postpone or cancel unit activities. When this becomes necessary, a posting will be made on the unit web page and text messages will be sent to those cell phone numbers that we have on file. When in doubt, cadets should first check the web page. NLCC cadets can call the Command if unsure whether drill will be held and NSCC cadets should call their squad leader or Company Commander.

ACADEMIC RIBBON—Cadets with outstanding grades should present a copy of their report cards for consideration of the Academic Ribbon. Please be prepared to leave a copy with us so we have documentation for the Cadet Service Record.

NAVAL ACADEMY SUMMER SEMINAR-- The United States Naval Academy Summer Seminar is a fast-paced, six-day experience for high achievers who have completed their junior year in high school. Summer Seminar teaches you about life at the Naval Academy, where academics, athletics, and professional training play equally important roles in developing our nation's leaders. If you think that you may be interested in pursuing an appointment to one of the nation's service academies and serving your country as an officer, you should seriously consider attending the Naval Academy's Summer Seminar. Applications are open now online at <http://www.usna.edu/admissions/nass.htm>. Applications close 01 April. You can speed the process of applying by having your high school transcript in front of you when applying. Be certain to include that you are a member of the Naval Sea Cadet Corps. Inform the Commanding Officer if you apply and/or if you are selected.

NAVAL ACADEMY SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING and MATH EXPERIENCE—Program is for rising 8th through 11th graders. United States Naval Academy focuses on four areas during the Summer STEM Program: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. This program is designed to encourage rising 8th– 11th graders to pursue a course of study in engineering and technology throughout high school and college. Students must demonstrate superior academic performance to include GPA and accomplishments in and out of the classroom. Be certain to include that you are a member of the Naval Sea Cadet Corps, as that figures in the calculation for who gets selected. Visit <http://www.usna.edu/admissions/stem.html> for details. Inform the Commanding Officer if you apply and/or if you are selected. This year, for the first time, there is a fee associated with this program. Contact the unit if you need assistance with this.

FLASHES, RANK CHEVRONS, EXTRA GEAR—Over time it is easy to accumulate additional items...shoes, sweatshirts, shoulder flashes, previous rank prior to promotions, NLCC items and now an NSCC cadet, etc. If you have these additional items at your home beyond the normal issue quantity, please return those items so they can be used by others. Flashes, rank chevrons, and clothing are consuming an ever-increasing portion of the budget and those items crowd-out other worthy budget items like training equipment, Camp Dodge weekends, etc. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.