

Updates 12DEC15

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2015 Awards (Region 1-1)

- Congratulations to...
 - CPO Gunnar Bjorkland Region 1-1 NSCC Cadet of the Year
 - INST Robert Pallazolla Region 1-1 Instructor of the Year
 - LTJG Michael Munger Region 1-1 Officer of the Year
- Congratulations to Massachusetts Bay Division and Squadron 7-Zulu, tied for #10 in the Nation for 2014!



2015 Awards (Region 1-3)

- Congratulations to...
 - PO1 Daniel Browne (013HDK) Region 1-3 NSCC Cadet of the Year
 - ENS Sandy Browne (013HDK) Region 1-3 Instructor of the Year
 - LTJG Andy Nash (013NEW) Region 1-3 Officer of the Year
- Congratulations to HR Dickson Division for the highest Annual Inspection Score in Region 1-3!
- Congrats to recent grads Dan Browne and Jackson
 Whitehouse, who are on full NROTC scholarships to WPI!



Reminder about Awards

 NSCC/NLCC/Officer/Instructor of the Year nominations are due to your RD on December 1st...!!



The National Uniform Depot

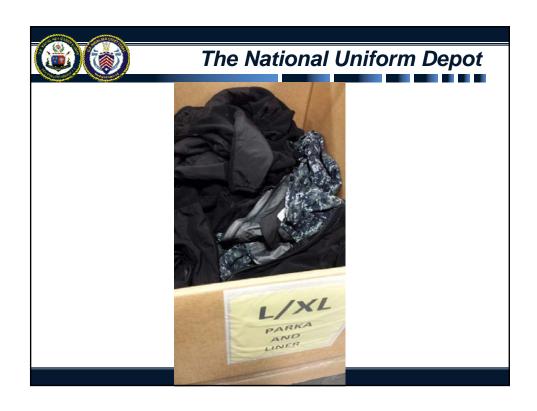
- Toured in November of 2014 while attending a NHQsponsored RT COTC conference at RTC Great Lakes
- News to me:
 - The NSCC does not own the uniforms Goodwill Industries owns them
 - Goodwill sells the uniforms to sailors at a discount in weekly "Reclaim Sales" (these sales support programs which employ special needs folks on the base)
 - Sailors have first dibs we get the scraps!













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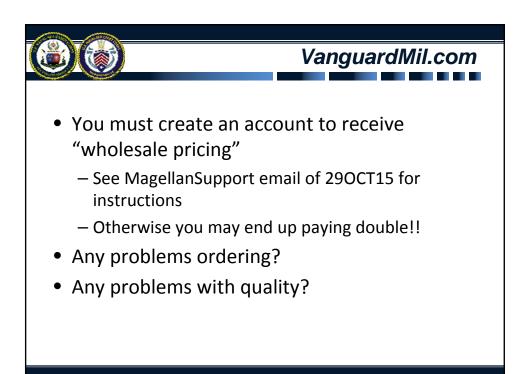
- There are genuine shortages of popular items
 - L/XL anything
 - Navy has been enforcing its BMI standards there aren't a lot of 18year old recruits who are Large or Extra Large, but there are a lot of L/XL sailors who are buying them in the Reclaim Sales
 - Female anything
 - There are fewer of them, and they graduate at a much higher rate than their male shipmates!
 - Dress Uniforms
 - Recruits only get one set, and they're issued about 6.5 weeks into an 8week training; not many wash out that late into RT.



The National Uniform Depot

- RECOVER YOUR UNIFORMS!!
 - Supply is so tight, NHQ and NUD will be enforcing the 110% allowance for the foreseeable future
 - Uniform Deposits
 - Repayment... (with interest, if earned!)
- If it's not in stock this week, try to order it again next week, and the week after, and the week after...
- Any problems with Magellan ordering/payment?







Action Letter 15-15

 NWU Pattern collar and parka tab insignia – phase these in as personnel are promoted, hopefully by end of 2016







Social Media

- "Wardroom" Facebook page is to be restrained to professional conversations – no spats, no bullying
- Facebook "friending" and Twitter "following" of cadets by officers is considered Fraternization

[Standards of Conduct ¶17; Region 1-1 INST 02-2013; Region 1-3 Policy Statement 01-12]

- A new MIDN must delete all current cadets from any personal social networking accounts
- Relatives are excepted
- "Fan Pages" are excepted



Not-so-Social Media

- Snapchat etc... messaging services meant to delete messages or prevent records of messages from being kept
- Whisper, Yik-Yak, Afterschool, askFM etc... anonymous posting services
- Calculator% etc... "photo vaults" meant to hide photo galleries as other apps
- ChatRoulette or Omegle etc... "stranger" chat apps
- Tinder or Blendr etc... "dating" or "flirting" services
- Hot or Not or Down etc... "rating" apps
- *Poof* etc... apps meant to hide other apps





Contact with Cadets

- "No adult will attend unit drills or participate in unit activities until the background check yields 'all clear' and an ID card has been received!" [Admin Manual 0202.3(b)]
 - Massachusetts CORI policy within Region 1-1 is available at http://newenglandseacadets.org



- Child Abuse Prevention Training coming soon
 - -Will be mandatory for all adults
 - Approximately 2 hour online course (www.D2L.com)
 - -Costs expected to be covered by NHQ



Training & Operations Manual

- Training & Operations Manual
 - Combines the old ATM and Escort Officer's Guide
 - Child Safety
 - NO ONE-ON-ONE, EVER!!
 - Mandatory Reporting
 - Trust (but monitor) our cadet leaders
 - Appropriate disciplinary measures
 - Encouraging bystander intervention see something, say something!
 - Unit Training Plans and Unit Operations
 - RT/AT guidelines and unit preparation responsibilities
 - NSCC Drill & Ceremonies!





- 2015 updates to Admin Manual incorporate Magellan procedures
 - Streamlined promotions and awards
 - MAR and QMARS reports are gone, but...
 - A more streamlined Monthly Activity Report is still being considered
 - In the meantime, don't forget to communicate with Sponsors!
 - Requires vaccinations for new enrollees



Updates

- Auxiliary Members
 - Meant to ensure that those "once-in-a-while" adults have had a background check and are insured by the program
 - Not permitted to wear the NSCC uniform
 - Not permitted to serve escort duty at overnight trainings
 - Those who hold leadership billets or are regularly engaged in training cadets must enroll as an Instructor





- Referrals
 - Tracking referrals is a huge concern for NHQ.
 - Be sure to enter meaningful notes and updates in Magellan so the data is useful to NHQ – why are some cadets enrolling and others aren't?



Updates

- Local trainings will still be on NSCTNG003/004 orders, and not entered into Magellan (yet... it's coming!).
- Make sure you have photos uploaded for every cadet and adult – no ID without them!



Updates

- @seacadets.org email address available for \$5
 - Use NSCIDG 001
- www.YourUnitName.SeaCadets.org web addresses available for \$20
 - Use NSCIDG 002
- Homeport → Public Affairs → Web Development & Services





Recruit Training Command New England

Fort Devens, MA

Recruits: 04JUL-16JUL16

Billets will be first-come, first-served (based upon receipt of hard copy packets)

Staff: 02JUL-16JUL16

(Orientation & Interviews in Boston in June)

Need talented PO1/CPOs!

www.newenglandseacadets.org



Recruit Training Command New England

- Need adults to volunteer
 - Check-In Day 04JUL16
 - A day or two worth of instruction...
 - Middle weekend...
 - The longer the better, but anything you can give!

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