

Viking Flyer



November 2018

LAKESIDE AFJROTC / GA-951

Cadet of the Month

Each month one cadet from each flight, chosen by flight commanders and flight sergeants will be interviewed by command staff to be chosen and recognized as an outstanding cadet. This month we would like to congratulate C/Fabian Chaves for excelling during his interview and becoming cadet of the month! You can also be chosen for cadet of the month by wearing your uniform every Thursday, going to events, following directions, joining JROTC clubs, and much more! We continue to encourage all cadets to surpass their limits and it could be their picture on the board next time!



Empty Stocking Fund

The Empty Stocking Fund is a fundraiser where money is collected to buy toys for children who are not as fortunate as others to receive gifts. Our cadets received cans where they collected money to donate to the organization. On a Saturday, cadets went out to Kroger with their cans and raised over \$900. What a success! Santa's Village is coming up this December and is funded by the Empty Stocking Fund--we encourage all cadets to sign up!



Ranger Graduation

Cadets visited Ft Benning Ga--home of the US Army infantry School. There they witnessed the elite Army Rangers-as they demonstrated demolition, hand-to-hand combat skills, squad movement, rappelling, helicopter insertion and escape procedures.



Community Service

Engaging in community service enables students to not only be involved in their community, but also to acquire life skills, knowledge, and serve those in need. Community service performed by JROTC cadets include : Habitat for Humanity, Trees Atlanta, Santa's Village, Red Cross Blood Donation, and many more! All JROTC cadets are required to perform a minimum of 10 hours per semester. These community service hours will benefit all cadets as they will be needed in order to graduate high school.



Scholarships

Air Force ROTC provides three different types of scholarships, which pay for college tuition. Students applying for the scholarships must take the SAT with a composite of 1240 or the ACT composite of 26 and maintain a GPA of 3.0 or better--they will only accept electronic scores. Applications for the scholarships opened on July 6, 2018. For more information please visit the online website at <https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships>

Meeting Standards for Inspection

The Unit Inspection is an overall evaluation of our achievements, behavior, and performance. Each cadet should be dressing out in their uniform every Thursday, following the chain of command, be on their best behaviour, and stay motivated! This year, our second year cadets will form a team to drill in front of the Air Force inspector evaluating the unit. If you are a second year, try your best at performing drill and perhaps you will get picked! We want to reassure all cadets to do their best and be determined to give it their all by showing the inspector who we are! GA-951!



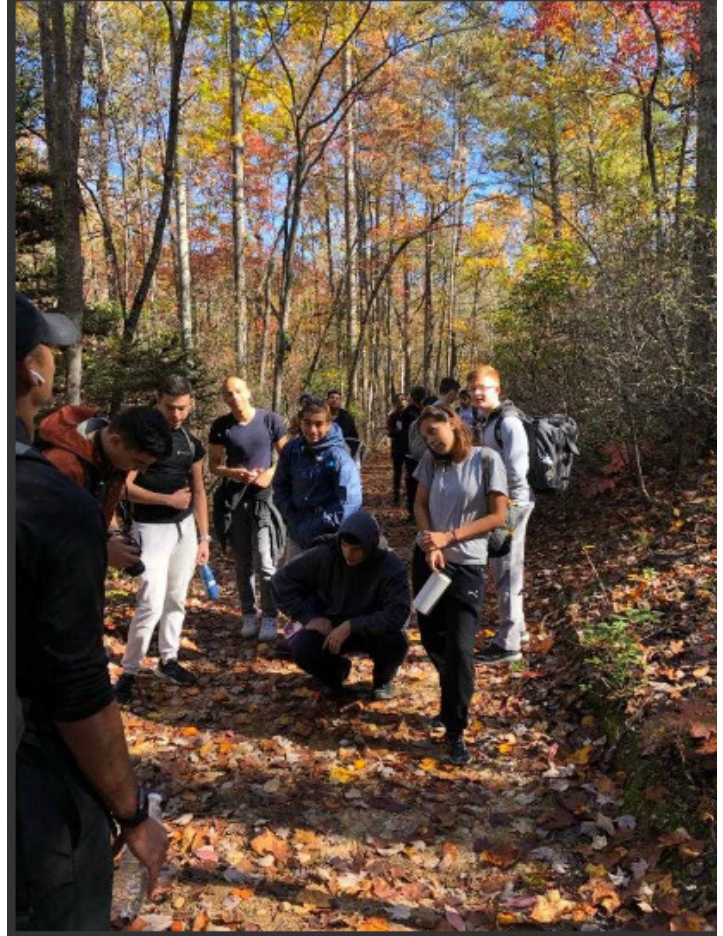
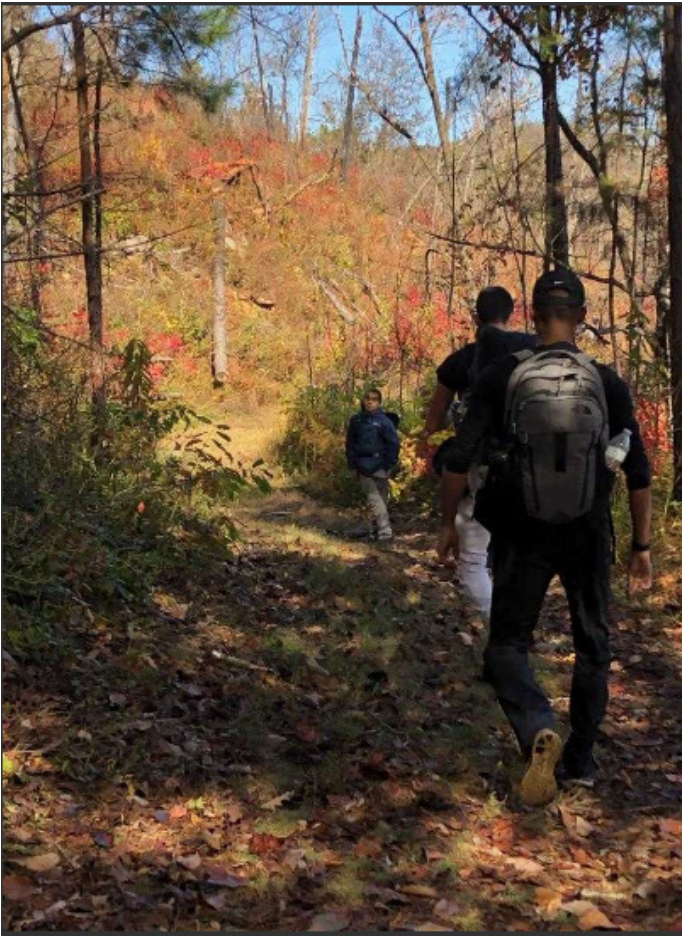
Veterans Day

Happy Veterans Day to all the veterans and their families who have sacrificed a lot to keep this country free. A big thanks to all the veterans out there--we respect them for their service. A huge thank you to our instructors who served and continue to serve by teaching us about leadership! We celebrate and honor you for your dedication, patriotism, and the will to sacrifice for the common good.



Bataan Death March

What a walk! Congratulations to all cadets who challenged themselves to walk a 14 mile hike at Tallulah Falls. It started off as a chilly day, but as the cadets walked in two miles they started to feel the heat! A couple of bumps and hills here and there, but at last the view of the falls was all worth it. All cadets who completed the challenge have earned their Bataan Death March ribbon--which is something to be proud of! Continue to strive and challenge yourself to pass your limits and if you were unable to experience this event, then, until next time!



College Day for Seniors Only

Wednesday, November 14, was college day for seniors only. College day was a day the counselors set up for students to register for their future college that they would like to attend. Counselors offered free college applications to be sent if the student had free lunch. Various colleges were there so there would be enough variety of career paths to select upon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 28 Red Cross Blood Drive
- Nov. 29 Daffodil Holocaust Memorial Planting
- Dec. 1 Marietta Drill Meet
- Dec. 10 Santa's Village
- Dec. 14 Cub Scout Awards

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