

**WARNING ORDER 2019-2020-001**

**1) SITUATION:**

- a) Name of Event/Operation: X-treme Team Challenge (XTC)
- b) Dates: 25-27 October 2019
- c) Important Start and End Times:
  - i) **Check-in:** 25 October 2019, 1500-2000
  - ii) **XTC Event:** 26 October 2019, 0700-1700
  - iii) **Award Ceremony:** 27 October, 1000-1100
- d) Location: Camp San Luis Obispo
- e) Units Participating: Each unit in the California Cadet Corps may have one or more teams participating (until the maximum number of participants is reached). Preference will be given to the first team from each respective unit, additional teams will be permitted on a space-available basis.
- f) Participation Requirements: All cadets, in their respective units in the CACC, in good standing with parental and commandant permission may attend.
- g) Training Events Planned: Apocalypse Survival, BIVOU-Wacky, Puzzle Palace, Commo Bombo, SySTEM Failure, Attack the Evac, Hollywood Cadet, RECONquest, Pacemaker, and Balanced Approach.

**2) MISSION:** The California Cadet Corps gathers for the annual X-treme Team Challenge at Camp San Luis Obispo on 25-27 October 2019 to conduct various physically/mentally challenging competitive events in a field setting designed to promote teamwork and leadership.

**3) EXECUTION:**

- a) Commander's Intent: A competitive athletic event that provides cadets with various opportunities to overcome a challenge, while breaking barriers, and exercising their

leadership assumption roles. These cadets will establish a sense of unity among their respective units, while remaining safe during the event, thus resulting in a building of character and gaining of problem solving and teamwork knowledge that could be passed on to our subordinate units out in the field that will aid in promoting esprit de corps.

- b) Concept of Operations: The X-treme Team Challenge will focus on ten physically and academically challenging competitive obstacles each designed to foster squad-level teamwork in a manner aligned with the Cadet Corps curriculum.
- c) Goals
  - i) Goal 1 is to create a safe and competitive environment for the cadets to grow relations and build bonds through physically challenging activities with their respective battalions.
  - ii) Goal 2 is to develop and expand the knowledge of cadets in order to prepare them to be successful leaders at their units.
  - iii) Goal 3 is to produce a fun atmosphere for the cadets to interact and build relations with other brigades in the California Cadet Corps.
- d) Objectives:
  - i) All cadet teams will complete the 10 events.
  - ii) No cadets are injured during the event.
  - iii) Cadets will develop a sense of camaraderie within in their respective units.
- e) Cadet Leaders and Staff Assignments: Each high school team that is competing is requested to bring 2 HHC members. The minimum school grade to be HHC is 9th grade and the minimum rank is C/SGT. The Headquarters and Headquarters Company ribbon will be awarded to those that participate as HHC.
- f) Application Process: Commandants should submit their Intent to Participate at [www.cacadets.org/Events/XTC](http://www.cacadets.org/Events/XTC). Commandants will register teams upon arrival.
- g) Cost: There will be no cost associated with this event.
- h) Key Suspense Dates:
  - i) **1 October 2019**: Intent for X-treme Team Challenge submitted.
  - ii) **23 October 2019**: Rosters Due: All cadet teams rosters submitted
- i) Uniform: For cadets the uniform will be Class C pants with boots or tennis shoes. If a unit does not have sufficient Class C pants for issuance, jeans may be worn instead. A XTC T-shirt and

hydration pack will be provided to all competitors. Uniform for adults will be Commandant Utility Uniform or Commandant Multipurpose Uniform.

- j) Adult volunteers are needed to help facilitate the events. Interested personnel should contact [operations@cacadets.org](mailto:operations@cacadets.org) . Volunteers will be assigned to a TDA that will be posted NLT 19 OCT 19.

#### **4) SUSTAINMENT:**

- a) Meals will be available free of charge to cadets.
- b) Cadet Store: The Cadet Store will be open during the time of the event. Cadets may purchase snacks, at their own expense. There will also be CACC logo branded items available for purchase as a fundraiser for the LEAD foundation to support the cadet activities.
- c) Transportation: Bus transportation will not be provided. School may request transportation assistance by Emailing [Operations@cacadets.org](mailto:Operations@cacadets.org). Commandants must be eligible for a CalATERS account and file a travel claim to receive a rental van/SUV.
- d) Billeting: Participants will be sleeping in one-person tents. Sleeping bags provided for those who do not bring their own.

#### **5. COMMAND AND CONTROL:**

- a) Cadet Commander for this activity will be 10th Corps CDR, C/MAJ Galdamez
- b) Questions may be addressed to the Cadet Staff through normal channels.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGE**

#### **DISTRIBUTION:**

All Commandants

