



Newsletter

AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS

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HISTORIC EVENT - FREEDOM OF ENTRY



Earlier this month our Squadron took part in an historical event for our Wing. More than 700 Cadets from across the Wing marched through the streets of Brisbane City after being granted the ancient ceremonial right of 'Freedom of Entry. Staff and Cadets from across the Wing brought the City to a stand still as they were cheered on by a large crowd as the Commissioner of Queensland Police challenged our entry.



ANZAC Day

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This year's Centenary of ANZAC saw our Squadron take part in several Services across our region including the Brisbane City Parade. The day started early with Dawn Service at Kedron Wavell, followed by Banyo march in support of the Banyo RSL, then



onto the bus and across to Kedron to support the Kedron Wavell RSL Service before heading to City March and rounding the day off with the Dusk Service at Eventide.



FROM THE COMMANDING OFFICER

Flight Lieutenant (AAFC) Paul Rowbotham

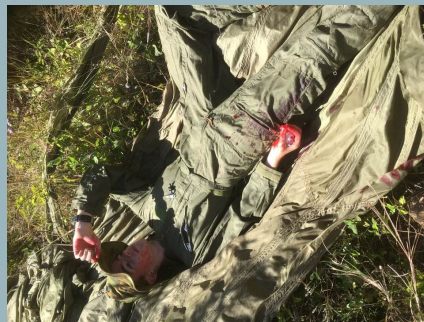


As we head to the end of Term 2 we look back on a number of great activities and I thank my Staff Team for their dedication in ensuring we deliver improved outcomes for our Cadets. During the forthcoming School holidays we will have Cadets attend General Service Training Camps along with Exercise Maltese Cross a Field training Exercise for 2nd and 3rd year Cadets to be held at Undullah. Term 3 is already full with activities such as Aviation visit to Boeing Flight simulators, our Annual Dinner, second Field Exercise of the year along with a UAV Day. As always my door is open so if at any time you have any questions or concerns please feel to contact me direct. ***TIL NEXT TIME.....***

FIRST FIELD EXERCISE FOR 2018



In May our Squadron went into the field for the first time and for many of our Cadets it was their first time as well. Cadets spent the weekend learning basic Fieldcraft, navigation and advanced survival skills. First year Cadets were also treated to a special visit from the 'Wildlife Man' who covered off dangerous animals in the wild, mainly snakes. Cam & Concealment was everyone's favourite. Our senior Cadets took part in a simulated first aid Exercise on the Sunday to practice their first aid skills.



FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING



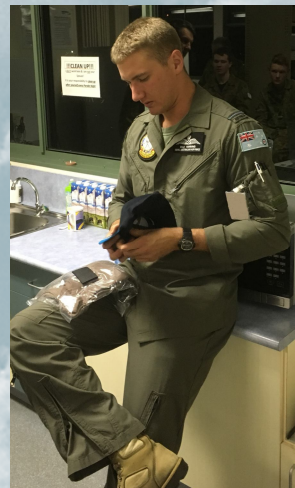
This year our Squadron will compete in the Wing .22 Shoot competition. In the lead up to the competition Cadets have been in training and recently honed their skills on the range against 212 & 224 Squadrons where our Cadets performed well finishing in the Top 5. With the Loughlin brothers, Cadet Sergeant Gordon and Cadet Corporal Duncan performing best for the Squadron with Gordon our top shot. The Team will be announced shortly.

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LEADERSHIP FORUM

This year our Squadron has introduced a new Program to give Cadets a better understanding of what it takes to be a successful leader. The Leadership Forum brings together Leaders from within Defence, Sports, Corporate, Local and Veterans Communities. The Forums aim is to give today's Air Force Cadets an insight into what makes Leaders successful in their chosen field. How their life experiences or, their time in the Air Force Cadets helped shape them to be the Leader they are today. The Forum is designed as an interactive experience ensuring lasting positive outcomes for our Cadets. Recently our first member of the Forum Program visited the Unit, Flying Officer Max Harding. Max was a member of the 2 Wing before joining Defence, he attended ADFA and is now an Air Combat Officer flying on the Air Forces newest aircraft the P-8A *Poseidon*.



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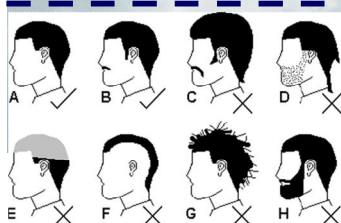
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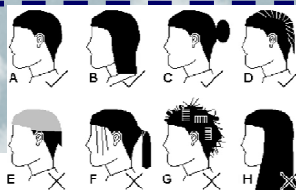
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Duke's is Coming

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award program is coming to 220SQN. This program is available to all Cadets aged 14 and above. There are 3 levels in the Awards program and almost all of our Activities map to the program. Pilot Officer (AAFC) Christian Tagle has the lead on this any questions on the program can be emailed to - sdeac.220sqn@aafc.org.au



To help you meet our grooming standards here are the acceptable standards L & R



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TRAINING CALENDAR - HERE'S WHATS COMING UP

Date	Activity	Location	Nominations Status
23 June	Working Bee	Shapcott Base	OPEN
25 June	Last Parade Term 2	Aviation High	
1-7 July	General Service Training Camp 2/18	RAAF Base Amberley	CLOSED
2 - 7 July	Ex Maltese Cross - Prof & Adv Stage Biv	Undulla	CLOSED
7 - 13 July	General Service Training Camp 3/18	RAAF Base Amberley	CLOSED
21 July	Boeing Flight Simulator Visit	Brisbane Airport	OPEN
8 August	Annual SQN Dinner	Kedron Wavell RSL	OPEN
17 - 19 August	EMU Gully Adventure Weekend	Emu Gully	OPEN
7 - 9 Sept	Exercise Longbow	WBTA	OPEN

SQUADRON DINNER's

Each year our Cadets are given the opportunity to attend a number of formal dinners, these dinners form part of their training and understanding of some of the traditions they will encounter if they pursue a career in Defence. Each year the Squadron holds a Dining-In-Night which is for Cadets and Staff only, there is also a Wing Dinner which is a great opportunity for Cadets to meet cadets from across the Wing and we finish each year with a Graduation Dinner. Our Graduation Dinner is an opportunity for family and friends to join the Cadets in celebrating the end of their Training Year and their Graduation to the next stage of their Training. Our Graduation Dinner will be held the last weekend in November of each year.



DATE CLAIMER

2 WING DINNER

**SATURDAY
25 AUGUST 2018**

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ADF CADET ID CARD

In the coming month Cadets will be issued with their ADF Cadet ID Card, these ID Cards are issued once enrolled in the AAFC and are similar to current school ID Cards however there are specific security controls around the ADF Cadet ID. Recently our new Cadets lined up for their photos in readiness for the issuing of their first ADF Cadet ID Card..... here is some from the rouges gallery.... Well Done everyone !



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