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Commander's Box

Greetings and welcome to the 2019-2020 school year! I'm C/Capt Alamshaw and I have the honor of being your first semester Wing Commander. I hope all of you had an outstanding summer! For you First-Years, welcome to Junior ROTC. I'm so happy to see you guys becoming a part of our unit. We have a lot of opportunities for you such as: Color Guard, Armed Drill Team, Unarmed Drill Team, Kitty Hawk, field trips, and more! For the Second-Years and Third-Years, welcome back. It's great to see you again. Please get involved with as much as you can. If you don't, you're missing out. We'll have teams tryouts next week and I encourage EVERYONE to try out. It's a great opportunity to meet new people and advance your skills in drill. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask me. I want to know every one of you by the end of the school year. Take care and I'll see you soon!



-C/Capt Alamshaw

“History and experience tell us that moral progress comes not in comfortable and complacent times, but out of trial and confusion”
 -Gerald R. Ford



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Words From Staff

Welcome back 2nd-Years and 3rd-Years to a new school year and a very special welcome to the 1st-Years!!! I'm C/1Lt Maitland and I have the privilege of being the 2019-2020 first semester Vice Wing Commander! My job is to run your 4th-Year staff and make sure you all have an outstanding year in JROTC. I want to tell you all to GET INVOLVED! Our Program has many things to offer like our Special Teams, groups, and even community service events. If you have any questions or even just want

to make a new friend please come introduce yourself to me! :)



-C/1Lt Maitland
Vice Cmdr

Welcome back everyone! If you don't know me already, I'm your Mission Support Group Commander for the first semester. I hope to get to personally know each and every one of you this year and I'm so excited to see you all again! I hope you all had a great Summer Break. With every new school year comes new beginnings and new opportunities: trying out for teams, going to parades, competing in competitions, giving back to our community with Kitty Hawk, and so much more. I want to see every single one of you getting involved!



-C/1Lt Salazar
Msn Spt Grp Cmdr

Hey everyone! I hope you all had a great summer. I'm C/1Lt Mallari, the first semester Operations Group Commander! I run the Special Teams, Choir, PFT, APT, and KHAS. I want to see all of you getting involved with at least one of these groups! The more you get involved, the better the experience you will have in JROTC! Let's have an enjoyable year together!



-C/1Lt Mallari
Ops Grp Cmdr

Hey guys! Welcome back to JROTC, or if you're a First-Year, welcome to JROTC! We're so excited to have you join us for the 2019-2020 school year! I know that we're all looking forward to an exciting year. Make sure that you guys work hard this year and put in 110% effort into everything you do. As for you Third-Years, work hard to become a Flight Commander or a Flight Sergeant because it's really rewarding to see all of your kids grow in the Program! I'm so excited to be your Wing Support Group Commander for the first semester, and to watch all of you grow!



-C/1Lt Phillips
Wg Spt Grp Cmdr

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Words From Staff Cont.

Hello everyone, and welcome back! I hope you all had an awesome Summer Break and are ready to start this awesome year. We're going to have lots of fun, but it requires hard work. I hope this year will be one you'll remember! I'm happy to be one of your Squadron Commanders for first semester! If you guys need any help with anything and are struggling with something, don't hesitate to let me know. I'm here for all of you and I want you see you guys succeed.



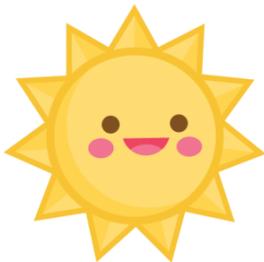
-C/2Lt Lattner

Hi everybody! I want to say congrats to all of you who were given positions this year, and I know you will do a wonderful job. I'm super excited to be part of the 4th-Year Staff serving all of you this year. I love each and every one of you, and I want you to know that if you are having any problems with homework, school, or just want to talk, you can find me in the JROTC rooms! I can't wait to get to know all of you 1st-Years, and to get closer to the existing 2nd-Years and 3rd-Years. Just know that JROTC is a wonderful experience, and you will get out what you put into it.



-C/2Lt Chambers
Msn Spt Grp Vice

Hey guys! Welcome back, I hope you all had a great summer. For those of you who are new, welcome to JROTC! It's the start of the year and that means that it's time to get involved! Special teams is a great experience that I highly recommend! I can't wait to see all these new faces and to be reunited with everyone again. Here's to the start of the new year!



-C/2Lt Hoegh
Ops Grp Vice Cmdr

Hey guys, I want to say that I hope you had an amazing summer and stayed safe. I can not wait to be apart of staff this year and help plan all of our fantastic activities for you all. I'm also excited to see all of you who have returned and all of the new cadets. I can't wait to see where this year takes us and I'm glad to be a part of it with you guys.



-C/2Lt Aguilera
Wg Spt Grp Vice
Cmdr

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Words From Staff Cont.

Hello and Welcome to Palo Verde AFJROTC! My name is C/2Lt Shackelford and I'm your Logistics Director for the semester. I'll be issuing uniforms to you all and if you have any questions about that, you can ask me. I hope ya'll are excited to start a new school year, especially in this Program, because we have a plethora of activities for you. Just as a friendly reminder, teams tryouts are next week and I hope to see you all there.

Welcome
Back

-C/2Lt Shackelford
Dir of Logistics

What's up my people!! It's Dixon here, the new First Semester Director of Finance. I just want to take a moment to talk about how to have an amazing year, and although there are many ways, the biggest one is to GET INVOLVED!!! That's how you succeed and grow in this Program. Another thing is to pass your classes because your high school life will effect the rest of your life. I hope you all have a great year and always feel free to talk to me, I don't bite.



-C/2Lt Dixon
Dir of Finance

Hello guys , it's me, C/2Lt DeLeon, former Foxtrot Flight Commander ! This year I'll be joining the 4th-Year Staff as Deputy of Logistics. I'll be taking care of everything in the backroom and I'll be helping to make sure that you all have everything you need to succeed in the classroom. I'll also be issuing out and taking in uniforms. See you all soon!



-C/2Lt DeLeon
Dep of Logistics

Hello everyone, this is your Deputy of Finance C/2Lt Moran. I want to welcome everyone back for what I'm certain is going to be a phenomenal year. I hope you are all as excited as I am to be back to school. I just want to remind each and every one of you to involve yourself as much as you can in the Program. We have a lot of great opportunities, so keep your grades up, work hard, and don't miss any of them! I wish you all a fantastic start to the school year!



-C/2Lt Moran
Dep of Finance

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Words From Staff Cont.

Welcome back everyone to the new school year! I'm C/2Lt Massella and I'm your first semester Director of Info Management. I'm excited to see many familiar faces and many new faces this year in the Program. Being in this Program is a blast and you learn many skills that are beneficial after high school. Teams tryouts will also be coming up and I recommend you try out for the team that has caught your interest. I want all of you to have a fantastic time in the Program and I can't wait to see all of the new cadets, see you all around!



-C/2Lt Massella
Dir of Info Management

Hey guys it's Barrera. I hope you guys had a fantastic summer! I can't wait to see what you guys can do this year and see what you can accomplish. We have a lot of great things planned for you guys that I hope you'll enjoy. I can't wait to see the 2nd-Years and 3rd-Years along with the new 1st-Years. It's an honor to be able to help run this Corps. I hope you all strive to succeed this year. Let's have fun this semester!



-C/2Lt Barrera
Dir of Personnel

Hi guys! My name is Duropan. For those of you who might not know me or are new to JROTC, I'm your first semester Deputy of Info Management! I'm the one who updates information on the boards in both rooms, with the MUD's, Flight GPA, community service hours, and so on. I also help determine Cadet of the Month and Flight of the Quarter, so I hope you guys strive to be the best Flight/Cadet in the Program. I can't wait to start this new year with all of you! Also, if you guys ever have questions or concerns I'll always be able to help you out, don't be afraid to stop by!



-C/2Lt Duropan
Dep of Info Management

As the new school year starts, I'd like to welcome back our former First-Years, now returning as Second-Years, and our new Third-Years. Now that you've moved up, it's time for you to be the leaders and teachers for the new First-Years coming into the Program this year. Last year, that job was given to us and now, we leave the flights in your hands, Third-Years. I hope to see even greater successes this year and the continued growth of the Palo Verde AFJROTC Program. Never forget, you'll only get out what you put in so give it your all this year!



-C/2Lt Soquena
Dep of Personnel

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Words From Staff Cont.

I hope that everyone has had an outstanding summer!! I want to start off by welcoming back all the cadets that stayed for their next year of AFJROTC. I can't wait to greet all the new First-Years and get to know you all. There are many amazing and fun trips that everyone will have a chance to participate in. JROTC is not like any other elective, you gain a family that you can count on to have your back and help you with anything you need. I'm looking forward to meet everyone that is new and congratulate everyone that came back.

**WELCOME
BACK!** -C/2Lt Susoeff
Dir of Info Tech

Welcome back friends! I hope you had great summer break. I'm C/2Lt Cho, your Director of Wellness, aka PFT Commander. I'm so excited to get to know all of you this new school year!!! Feel free to ask me anything about joining PFT, or other things like: Armed Drill Team, Choir, or going to the gym with me. Don't be nervous to get involved in the Program. You'll make many friends, gain lots of experience, and just have an overall fun time during High School.



-C/2Lt Cho
Dir of Wellness

Hello fellow cadets!!! This is your Deputy of Info Tech welcoming you to a new year in JROTC. For those of you who have just joined us I'd like to inform you that being part of JROTC is the beginning of a whole new perspective in life. Not only are you going to be able to experience a plentiful amount of the military, but you will also gain a diverse set of skills that will provide many opportunities. On a side note, if you want to see everything that AFJROTC has to offer, join the special teams, such as: Armed Drill Team, Color Guard, Unarmed Drill Team, and Choir!



-C/2Lt Rivas
Dep of Info Tech

What's poppin kiddos! It's your Wellness Vice here. Some of you may not know me and some of you may. I want all of you to have fun and be yourself. I'll do anything and everything to make sure you guys have a great year. I'll help you kiddos get stronger and faster. Whatever you guys need help with, I'm here to help. Even if you aren't interested in joining our team, you can still come to practice and get some exercise. I can't wait to meet all of you this school year, and I hope to see you at our meeting!!!

-C/2Lt Crawford
Dep of Wellness

**WELCOME
BACK!**

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Words From Staff Cont.

What's up everyone? I hope you all had a good summer. My name is Zukowski and welcome to JROTC. I'm the new Kitty Hawk Air Society Commander and I'm looking forward to a great year with all of you. The best thing you can do in JROTC is to get involved and Kitty Hawk is a great way to do that! I hope to see all of you join and I can't wait to watch all of you grow into amazing cadets.



-C/2Lt Zukowski
Dir of KHAS

Welcome back! Thank you for all your support with helping me become a 3rd/4th this year. To show a token of my gratitude, I'm part of the Philharmonic, International Baccalaureate, and the Key Club program here, so if you ever need help with school work, or anything JROTC related, or just need a friend, please don't hesitate to ask! I hope all of you join the Awareness Presentation Team this year. We're enthusiastic about educating the young people on what we do in JROTC and in our community.



-C/2Lt Cortez
Dir of APT

Hello everyone! Welcome back to school! I'm so excited for all the activities coming up for the 2019-2020 school year! We have some amazing things planned! This Program has a lot to offer so make sure you get involved! Kitty Hawk is a great way to get involved so I encourage you all to join. I can't wait to meet every single new person who joins and everyone who has returned! This is going to be an exciting and fun-filled year! Love y'all!



-C/2Lt Fields
Dep of KHAS

Hello, my name is C/2Lt Powell and I am the Vice APT Commander for the 2019-2020 school year. I wanted to welcome all of the new cadets we received this year, and to welcome back those of you that returned for another great year of AFJROTC. If you get involved and stay active within this Program, I promise you'll make some unforgettable memories that you can carry with you throughout your life.



-C/2Lt Powell
Dep of APT

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Team Commanders

Hey guys! Welcome back and welcome new cadets. I'm so excited for the opportunity of being this year's Color Guard Commander. I hope you have a great year in JROTC. Make sure you get involved! That includes joining teams! Be sure to go to tryouts if you're interested in great teamwork and learning leadership skills. Hope to see you there!

-C/SMSgt Doughty
Color Guard Cmdr



Welcome back cadets! I can't believe this school year is already starting. I hope all of you had a very fun-filled summer, but now it's time for us to work hard and make this school year a memorable one. Armed Drill Team is definitely going to thrive this year and I can't wait to be a part of it. It's going to be a year like no other, so be ready to get closer, work harder, and win some trophies!! It's still really weird for me to be able to say that I'm going to lead this team, but trust me when I say that I plan on making this the most successful season yet. I love all of you and I can't wait to make some memories!

-C/SMSgt Johnson
Armed Drill Team Cmdr



Welcome back cadets, I hope you had an amazing summer! I know that this year is going to be absolutely amazing and I can not wait to get to know each and everyone of you! Now, let us kick it into high gear and start this year off right! I hope to see each and everyone of you at team tryouts. You would be a great asset to the Unarmed Drill Team and I'd love to work with each and everyone of you!

-C/SMSgt Fields
Unarmed Drill Team Cmdr



Did I mention that I'm so excited for this year? My bad, I forgot to introduce myself! I'm Allen, your new Choir Commander, but feel free to call me Dom (or Allen). I have a lot of energy so excuse me for a minute when I say that I'm very happy to see everyone alive and well and I hope you had a wonderful Break! Whether you were surfing the waves or crying while watching 'Stranger Things' (right there with you) I hope it was fun packed. Oh right! As for the first choir meeting, stay tuned! :)

-C/SMSgt Allen
Choir Cmdr



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Maze



Recipe



BANANA *bread*

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| 1 c. sugar | 2 c. flour |
| 1/2 c. oil | 1 tsp. baking soda |
| 2 eggs | 1/4 tsp. salt |
| 3 ripe bananas | 1/2 c. chopped walnuts |

Cream sugar, oil, and eggs. In small bowl, mash bananas; add to sugar mixture and beat until just mixed. Add flour, baking soda, salt, and nuts. Mix well. Pour into 2 greased loaf pans and bake at 350* for 35 minutes. Let cool in pan before moving to wire rack.

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Captains Box

Greetings everyone! It's a NEW YEAR!! YAY!!! Vacation time is over and now it's time to get back to work!!! Ugh! Naw, it's not that bad. We'll have some work and tons of fun. The more you put in, the more you get out so get involved as much as you can because you only get to go through high school once. :)



Chief's Box

Hey guys, I hope you all had a great summer! For everyone new, I'm your Chief for this semester, C/CMSgt Alamshaw. I highly encourage all of you First-Years to get involved, especially by joining teams. Teams is a great experience for everyone involved. There are also various other activities that I encourage you all to get involved in. Getting involved makes for a better experience in JROTC. I can't wait to see you all and I hope you all have an amazing school year!

Hola! Bienvenue
welcome!

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C/CMSgt
Alamshaw
The Chief

PA

Welcome back to a new school year! I have the honor of being your first semester Director of Public Affairs! I'm in charge of taking pictures and publishing the Cadet Gazette. I'd like to give a warm welcome to any new cadets and all returning cadets. Without you all, we wouldn't be able to run this Program, and for that, I thank you. JROTC is an amazing experience and I highly encourage you all to GET INVOLVED in the Program. I hope you all have an amazing year.



-C/2Lt Vega
Dir of Public Affairs

Welcome back to the Palo Verde AFJROTC program for the 2019/2020 school year. I have the honor of being your Deputy of Public Affairs for the first semester. I'm so glad to see so many recognizable faces again and some new ones as well. For all of you First-Years, I'm glad you took the opportunity to better yourself and the community around you by doing the Palo Verde AFJROTC Program. I know that high school is a big transition for you First-Years, but I know you can make it. If you ever want to talk to someone, don't be afraid to talk to me. We'll have an awesome year.



-C/2Lt Farley
Dep of Public Affairs