



Upcoming Events

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Commander's Box



Good Day Cadets! I'm in complete **disbe-leaf** that 1st quarter is already over! Thank you so much for showing up in Uniform. Excellent job on Headquarters Inspection... the Inspector was really impressed with how neat your uniform was. Since the 2nd Quarter has started, be prepared as there will be more challenges and obstacles coming your way. We will triumph! I know we can do it! Keep

up the work, get involved, and remember, *everyday in the Corps is a great day!*



C/Capt Lee
Commander

"All that we see or seem is but a dream within a dream."- Edgar Allen Poe (Author)



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Words From Staff

I hope you've had a great October! Congrats on finishing the first quarter! Three more to go! I'm proud to see how much improvement our Corps has made since the start of the year! I hope you had an enjoyable time at Dining In. Thank you so much for attending! Can't wait to see you at upcoming future events!



C/Capt Avra
Vice Wing Cmdr

Happy October! I'm thrilled to see all the enthusiasm as we dive into this month. A huge shout-out to all the teams for the outstanding job with the 9/11 ceremony—your dedication and hard work truly shine through and make a lasting impact. We have an exciting trip coming up soon, and I encourage everyone to stay tuned for more updates. It's a fantastic opportunity for growth, teamwork, and making lasting memories together. I want to extend my sincere appreciation to Flight Leadership for stepping up and delivering on expectations. Your commitment and leadership truly reflect who you are as individuals and as a team. As we continue this journey together, remember: never give up and always work hard. Each of you plays a vital role in our success, and I'm proud to serve alongside you. Let's make November incredible!



C/Capt Aleman
Misson Support Grp Cmdr

Hey guys! It's hard to believe the first quarter is already over and we're halfway through the first semester. Our next event will be the Veteran's Day Parade, so make sure you're practicing for it. The Veteran's Day Parade will be on November 11 at 8:30 am. Please show up at the school before 8am; we'll be meeting in the Alpha room.



We'll be marching down 4th Street and Gass St., so have your uniform ready for that day. Remember, if you need assistance or have any questions, don't hesitate to ask for help.

C/Capt Ching
Ops Grp Cmdr

Hello Cadets! I hope you're having an amazing year—mine feels like it's already flying by. I hope you've enjoyed wearing the uniform and learning how to march (or that you already know how to march again)! Make sure to stay involved and join as many clubs as possible!



C/Capt Logie
Wing Support Grp Cmdr

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Word From Staff

Hey, can you believe it's already the 2nd quarter!? That 1st quarter sure went by fast, so make sure you keep your grades up to participate in all the fun and exciting field trips. Congratulations on your new ranks, You worked hard to pass the promotion test so good job. This is a reminder that Commander's Call is also coming

up, so make sure you practice your marching and study your chain of command diligently. I know you can do it, but only if you put in the time and effort for it.



C/1Lt Ngamamornpirat
Dir of I.T & V. Personnel

I hope you're doing well! October is a busy month, and there's lots to be done. Second-Years and above, I hope you enjoyed your time at Dining In because I know I had a blast! Good Job with Headquarters Inspection. As for those who've been going in and out of the back room, please clean up after yourselves. I'll be pretty busy tidying up and putting everything away to make

sure we look presentable, but I'll pop in and out to say "hi" sometimes! Work hard and keep those grades up!



C/1Lt Bowen
Dir of Logistics

Hello everyone! I hope you're having a great school year, and congratulations on making it through the first quarter! For you, this means promotion, and the year is only going to get better. I also hope more of you'll join Purple Star. It's a great way to get involved, have fun, meet new people, and make new friends. Be sure to get involved—the more you do, the better your year will be! Remember, the year is only going to get better! :)



C/Capt Barrera
Purple Star Cmdr

Hello Kitty Hawk. Thank you so much for showing up for the Walk to End Breast Cancer that was on the 19th and 20th of October. It was really **AWESOME** seeing you cheering for the Volunteer's walking the event. We also had our Halloween Night at Opportunity Village on the 28th of this month. It was phenomenal seeing you wearing your costumes. The kids at the village had a really good time. Our next campus cleanup will be on Tuesday November 12. It'll be afterschool from 1:11 til 3:00pm. Also, our annual food drive is coming up next month so be on the lookout.



C/Capt Oetter
KHAS Cmdr

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Words From Staff

Hello APT! If you went to the Roger Bryan performance, very nice job. I'll have new dates for future performances soon. My goal is to do at least one performance per month. With that being said, LET'S GO APT!!!



C/1Lt Brown
APT Cmdr

Hello ! I just wanted to say that PFT has officially starting practice. Even if you don't want to participate in the competitions, going to the after-school practices is a great way to bond with fellow cadets. Congratulations on our first competition—you were really amazing! We won 2nd place overall. I'm looking forward to our upcoming flag football competition that will be happening around the end of this year.



C/1Lt Prisco
PFT Cmdr

Hi, kiddos! It's officially October now! Remember, if you want awards like Cadet-of-the-Month, Cadet-of-the-Quarter, Flight-of-the-Month, and Flight-of-the-Year, you must show that you're an outstanding cadet to the instructors. The cadet that demonstrates they're working hard will received these awards.



C/1Lt Carnell
Dir of Info Mgt



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Word from Staff Cont.

Hello, Cadets! I want to thank you for the excellent work at the 9/11 Ceremony... it was amazing. Thank you for those that performed and showed up. It really means a lot to me. I can tell you, that you have the potential to excel in this Program. I can't wait to see you perform in the Veteran's Day Parade.



C/1Lt Vera
Vice Ops/Wing Spt Grp Cmdr

Hey, guys! It's the end of the first quarter, and it's been an absolute blast being one of your 4th-Year Staff members. Thank you for being patient and understanding about the paperwork! You've been doing great so far, and I know you're going to do awesome things this year! We have a lot of events coming up, so let's have some more fun getting ready for them!



C/1Lt Gregorio
Dir of Personnel

Congratulations on making it through the first quarter! As you know, the Cadet Accounts are set up and ready in the office whenever you want to buy anything with them. Again, thank you for your support with fundraising! You can always use your Cadet Accounts any time before or after school, and even during lunch. You're welcome to come in and buy something from the fridge or the drawer. Thank you!



C/1Lt Booker
Dir of Finance

Hello Cadets! I'm so proud of all the work you've done this quarter. I enjoy seeing you getting better at marching, which is a really great improvement. Make sure you practice your Chain-of-Command because Commander's Call is coming up. If you want your flight to win the Commander's Call Streamer on your guideon, then you better start memorizing. I'd love to see you get more involved, especially by coming to the room cleanup next month. I'm always available during lunch in Bravo Room!



C/CMSgt Brodehl
Little Chief

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Word from Squadron Commanders

Hola Phantom Squadron! You've been doing an excellent job participating in events and performances on the teams. I'm very proud of you and hope to

see even more involvement in the future! LET'S GO PHANTOM!!



C/CMSgt Escobedo
Phantom Sqdn Cmdr

Hi Nighthawk! You did a great job making it through the first quarter of the year. Let continue to push through this year and try to involve yourself with the flight activities. Remember, the Corps is only as good as you make it.



C/1Lt Prisco
Nighthawk Sqdn Cmdr

Hey, guys! We made it past the first quarter! I'm so glad to see you back. Now, First-Years, you get a free pass with promotions. But remember, after the first quarter, we'll be paying very close attention to your academic performance. If you need help, let me know—there's tutoring after school every Wednesday and Thursday! Keep up the good work and study the chain-of-command. :)<3



C/CMSgt Ahmed
Raptor Sqdn Cmdr

Hello Sabre Squadron. I hope you're enjoying being in JROTC! Regarding the ORI, from now on, everyone, including First-Year Cadets, must show up in uniform! Second-Years and above, don't forget to join after-school activities like JLAB, Rocket Club, and Kitty Hawk! Get involved! Great job to everyone who performed at the homecoming parade—you did amazing! If you need help with grades, just remember that we have tutoring every Wednesday and Thursday after school!



C/CMSgt Iida
Sabre Sqdn Cmdr

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Word from Flight Commanders

Welcome to the Alpha box. This is your glorious flight commander speaking... the progress after the first quarter is insane. However, we still have much to work on. The uniforms are looking better but we need to fix some errors. Let's try to master the C.O.C,

as our first order of business. **BE THE BEST FLIGHT GRAHHHHHH!!!!**



C/CMSgt Roongphornchai
Alpha Flt Cmdr

Hello, Bravo Flight! The first quarter is over, and the second quarter has started! This quarter, the First-Years will begin to wear uniforms. If you need help with your uniform, let me know; I'm always available to help you. Along with uniform wear, we also have events starting this quarter, such as the Veterans Day Parade, Commander's Call, and the LA Field Trip. I hope you're excited about these events and the rest of the year. Getting involved in these activities can help you build new relationships and enjoy your time in JROTC. Get involved and have fun!

Let's make this quarter even better!



C/CMSgt Pilatos
Bravo Flt Cmdr

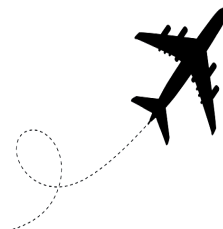
Hi, it's me again! It's been almost three months since we started school, and the first thing I want to say is that it's been amazing seeing you develop so much. I love how you've made Charlie Flight a welcoming environment for everyone. So far, I've seen a lot of progress in drill movements, and I still want you to practice at home!

Halloween is coming up, and I hope you have an amazing time, but remember to stay safe. With that said, enjoy the rest of October and have a spooky time!



C/CMSgt Tineo
Charlie Flt Cmdr

As Delta Flight Commander, I'm deeply grateful for the unity and dedication each cadet brings to our team. Your hard work, enthusiasm, and constant support for one another creates an environment where we can excel. It's inspiring to see how we grow together, pushing each other to be better every day. I'm excited about the future and the interesting challenges we'll face as a flight. These upcoming events will give us the chance to showcase our strengths, grow as leaders, and achieve even more as a united team.



C/CMSgt Prudencio
Delta Flt Cmdr

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Word From Flight Commanders Cont.

Hi Echo Flight! I'm so glad to see some improvement happening in our flight! Being a First-Year in ROTC can be a hard adjustment, so make sure to ask for help. Ooi and I are happy to help assist you with marching or anything ROTC-related. Remember to keep your grades up for promotions and work on your uniform. Uniform wear is one of the most important aspects of ROTC, so make sure you're practicing how to wear it properly! We want to look good for ORI!

Have a great day. I look forward to seeing more improvements as we continue through the year.



C/CMSgt Cui
Echo Flt Cmdr

Foxtrot Flight! So far, this has been a great start to the year. I'm looking forward to working more with you. We have a lot of events coming up, so make sure to keep an eye out for them. Overall, I'm

really proud of you for what you've accomplished so far!



C/CMSgt Soquena
Foxtrot Flt Cmdr

Golf Flight ! I'm so proud of you and of the progress you've made. I can't believe how far we've come in such a short time. Let's keep working hard! Make sure to study your Chain-of-Command and practice your drill movements at home.

Remember what we're working towards!



C/CMSgt Weible
Golf Flt Cmdr

Hey, Hotel. It's hard to believe the first quarter is already over and we're halfway through the semester! I hope you've been keeping your grades up and staying on top of things, especially since the second quarter will likely be more challenging. Remember, if you need assistance or have any

questions, don't hesitate to ask for help.



C/CMSgt Zhang
Hotel Flt Cmdr

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Team Commanders

Hello Color Guard! I hope you're doing well. We've finished the first quarter, and I'm so proud of you—it's great to see how much you've improved. Make sure to study your packet. We'll be giving out merch in a couple of weeks. The second quarter is when the performance season starts, so stay tuned!



C/SMSgt Meric
Color Guard Cmdr

Hey Armed! I'm so proud of how much you're improving so far. The Homecoming parade was super fun, and we had NO DROPS! This month, I want you to continue working hard for the upcoming performances and pass your classes. Remember that primary tryouts are coming up soon. Study the inspection packets, do your push-ups, and practice drill. I can't wait to see how you get better throughout November.



C/SMSgt Nelson
ADT Cmdr

Hello Unarmed, I just want to thank you for the hard work you've put in since we started. Great job during the Homecoming parade—it was our first official event this year, and I hope you'll join us for the next one. Let's keep up our grades and stay focused on our studies. I don't want anyone from Unarmed to end up in "F Squad," so please don't fail. Now that we've just started spooky season, I have many things planned to make this year memorable and fun!

UNARMED ON TOP!!!



C/SMSgt Sanchez
UDT Cmdr

Our AFJROTC choir is a vibrant and engaging after-school team! Here, your singing skills can truly shine. We recently enjoyed a successful performance at Dining-In. We're eager to welcome more voices to help us sound even better for our upcoming performance at Commander's Call on December 5th. Join us for an experience that's both fun and fulfilling!



C/SMSgt Prisbrey
Choir Cmdr

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Model Aircraft Building

EASY MONEY ALLERRRTT!!!!

Submit an Aircraft model to any member of staff by Nov 26 to enter a competition for a **\$20** Gift card of your choice, **\$10** dollar gift card, **FREE Homework**, **FREE Test**, or if you're lucky, **ALL THREE**. All who participate get a **MODEL ROCKETRY RIBBON!!!** The 4 **categories** are propeller aircraft, jet aircraft, fantasy spacecraft, and realistic spacecraft. Regardless of what you make whether it be the Death Star or a Stealth Bomber. Make sure you keep the **judging criteria** in mind: Detail, Accuracy, Effort, and Quality. Staff will be judging all models on December 2. Submissions will be hung on the ceiling in each room.

Basic info:

- **Models Due:** Nov 26
- **Categories:** Propeller aircraft, Jet Aircraft, Fantasy Spacecraft, Realistic Spacecraft
- **Judging Criteria:** Detail, Accuracy, Quality, Effort
 - Turn into any Staff member when complete

Prizes:

- **All Participants:** Model Rocketry Ribbon
- Overall Winners:
 - 1st** place- Free Mud, Free Test, \$20 gift card
 - 2nd** place- Free Test, \$20 gift card
 - 3rd** place- \$20 gift card
- Category Winners: Free Homework, 10\$ Gift Card of choice
 - 1st-** Free Homework, \$10 Gift Card
 - 2nd-** Free Homework, \$10 Gift Card
 - 3rd-** \$10 Gift Card



Categories

- **Fantasy Spacecraft:** Any aircraft capable of going to/ exploring space that DOES NOT exist in real life. This can be from any show, movie, your imagination, etc.
- **Realistic Spacecraft:** Any aircraft capable of going to/ exploring space that DOES exist and has been used for space exploration.
- **Propeller Driven Aircraft:** Any aircraft that uses propellers as the main source of propulsion.
- **Jet Driven Aircraft:** Any aircraft that uses jet engines as the main source of propulsion.

Honey Chipotle Chicken Skewers Recipe

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 pound of Chicken Breast (Cut into bite sized pieces)
- Woods Skewers
- Honey Chipotle Mix:
 - 1 1/2 tablespoon honey
 - 1 chipotle pepper in adobo, minced
 - 1 clove garlic, grated
- 1 tablespoons taco seasoning:
orange, zest and juice (*1–2 teaspoons zest and 1 tablespoon juice*)
- 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt



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Instructions:

1. **Soak:** Soak the skewers in water for 15-30 minutes while you prep the chicken.
 2. **Mix:** Using your hands or tongs, mix the chicken with the honey chipotle mix. It'll look saucy and messy, in a good way.
 3. **Skewers:** Thread the chicken pieces onto skewers (usually I get 4 skewers with a pound of chicken).
- **Cook Em Up:** You can cook these a number of different ways – I air fry them at 400 degrees for 10 minutes or until internal temperature reaches 165 degrees. Grilling would also be amazing! Finish with a drizzle of honey, or (yum) 2 tablespoons of melted butter mixed with honey.

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Halloween Cupcake Bar Recipe

INGREDIENTS:

- 4 frosted cupcakes
- 1 cup candy corn
- 1 cup of gummy worms
- 1 cup of green jelly beans
- 1 cup of chocolate chips
- 1 cup of candy eyeballs
- Any other toppings of your choice!
- Lollipop sticks
- Halloween-themed labels
- Tape
- 5 + paper cups or small bowls for toppings



Instructions:

1. Print the labels in color and trim out each one.
2. Tape each label to a lollipop stick.
3. Fill paper cups or bowls with the different toppings.
4. Place a label in each cup, pressing it down to the bottom so the toppings hold it upright.
5. Arrange cupcakes on a tray and set out toppings. Have kids line up and decorate one cupcake at a time using whatever toppings they want. They can create a monster or just choose what looks yummy. Up to them!



Word Search



HALLOWEEN



Word Search

Find the hidden Halloween words.

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B R O O M S T I C K A U
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GHOST

WITCH

SCARY

CANDY

COSTUME

PUMPKIN

MUMMY

TREATS

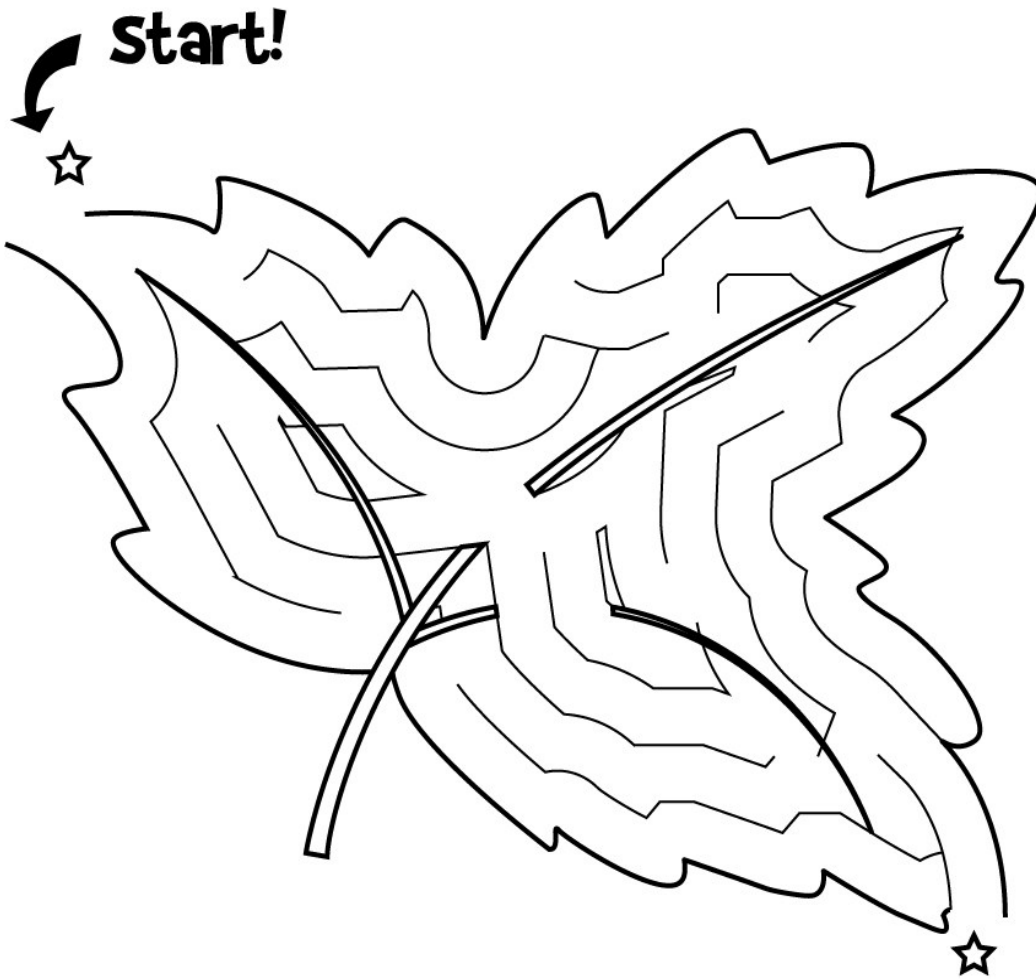
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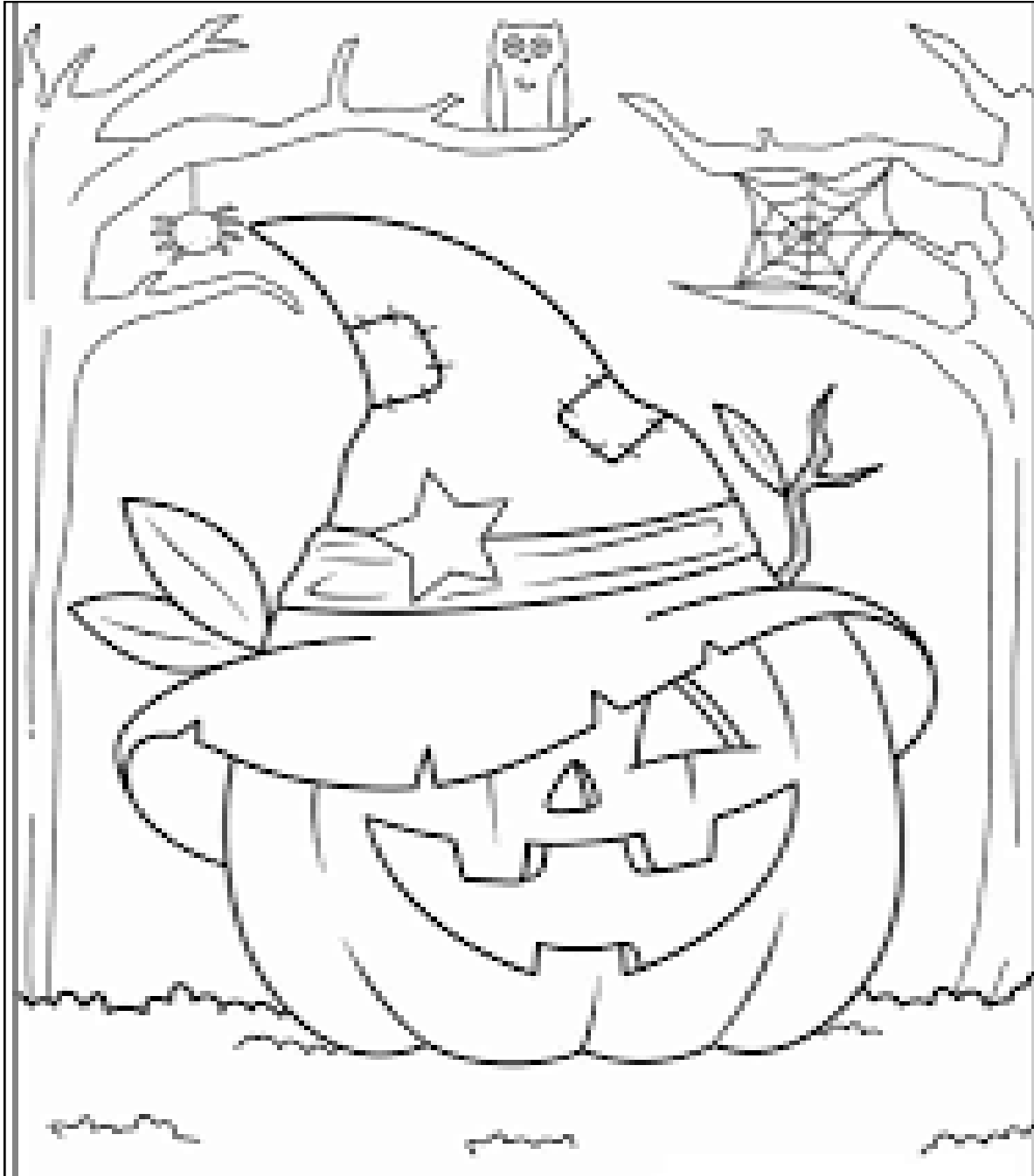
Fall Mazes!



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Halloween Coloring Sheet



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Captain's Box

Keep working hard. All of the fun stuff starts now and will get even better in January. Keep your grades up and your uniform perfect!

Capt D



Chief's Box

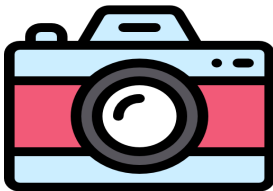
Welcome Cadets! To our returning cadets, great to have you back for another fun-filled year in JROTC. To our First-Year Cadets, thanks for choosing JROTC! You're about to take flight on a great adventure. In order for that to happen though, you have to get involved. We have several activities for you to choose from, so pick something that interests you. Our cadet staff is diligently working on a plan to make this year amazing. You can look forward to field trips, drill, fitness, and academic competitions, parades and much more. In addition, our headquarters visited us again this year... you were awesome and I'm sure we'll earn another Distinguished Unit with Merit Ribbon. Let's have a great year!



Chief

PA Box

Hello Everyone, I can't believe it's the end of the third month of the school year. I really enjoy interacting with y'all. I'm looking forward for our major upcoming events such as Veteran's Day Parade, LA Field Trip and our Campus Cleanup. I recommend you volunteer for our community service events. The hours will help us with getting Distinguished Unit With Merit! Commander's Call is taking place in December. I'm sure you'll want to win the Commander's Call Streamer... so I suggest you practice on the drill sequence. Overall, please take care of yourself!



C/1 Lt Amaya
Dir of Public Affairs

