



Bexar County Senior Squadron



Civil Air Patrol



Tonight's Agenda

- **Safety Presentation – Jan Wagner, Safety Officer**
- **Recognition & Member Activity**
- **Recent Events**
- **Upcoming Events & Schedule**
- **Squadron Notes**
- **CAP NonDiscrimination Policy**
- **Lorrie on mandatory training before exercise**



Member Activity

Awards:

🏆 Benjamin O. Davis Award for completing CAP Level 2:
Jan Wagner
Steve Hall
Danny Graham
Craig Goodrich

Promotions:

🏆 Steve Hall – promoted to Captain!
🏆 Bob Hieronymus – promoted to Major!



Member Activity

New Emergency Services Qualifications

- Theresa Spohn's Mission Radio Operator qualification came through
- Josh Schmidt requalified his Mission Radio Operator qualification

New CAP Pilot Qualifications

- Form5 renewals – Craig Goodrich renewed his CAP Pilot



Recent Events

Real World Mission

- Fifth weekend wrapped up and mission is now over.
- Means N165CP won't be gone all weekend from now on.
- Unfortunately, that mission required CD Program Membership to participate.
- More missions similar to this coming later this year and in the future.
Get your CD Program application in as soon as you can (18 months of CAP membership before you can apply).



Upcoming Events

- AFJROTC Orientation Flights 15 March at KSSF. NEED PILOTS!
- 84 RADES mission 23,24,25 March in Eagle Pass.
- Next quarter's FROs submitted by 15th March. **VOLUNTEERS???**
- ACE 19, 20, & 21 March. Gp5 will participate right here at Stinson.
- Unit Commander's Course 10-11 April in Houston.
- Distributed CD Exercise 16-18 April.
- Texas Wing Annual Conference/Training Event 23-25 April.
- NCPSC 1-2 May scheduled right here in San Antonio???
- GTE DSAREX 21-23 May. Hq Tyler Tx.
- Lone Star Emergency Services Academy (LESA) 19-27 June.



Upcoming Events

AFJROTC O-Flights on 15 March

- ✈ Maj Gordon Hengst coordinating.
- ✈ This one is for John Jay High School. They have \$900 to fly with!
- ✈ Contact Gordon if you want to help ghengst@satx.rr.com or 210-860-0137.
- ✈ More ROTC and JROTC flights later this month. Watch for e-mails!

84RADES Mission 23-25 March

- ✈ Chuck is IC for this test out of Eagle Pass Tx.
- ✈ Requires one crew for N165CP.
- ✈ Requires two overnights, maybe three. Hotels refunded. Per diem paid.
- ✈ Going to be some easy flying. Not doing a lot – autopilot will be doing the flying. But you have to put in waypoints and keep a cross-check on autopilot.



Upcoming Events

Area Command Exercise 19-21 March

- ✈ Exercise will be right here at Stinson in CAP Building across street.
- ✈ ACE concept requires full staff here, and Lorrie volunteered to IC exercise.
- ✈ I'm confident that we'll have at least six planes here for the exercise.
- ✈ Because of scheduling problems, probably nothing on Friday evening.
- ✈ Saturday is BIG day. Sunday will probably have activity too.
- ✈ Need enough staff members that we can rotate to give everyone a chance to train/practice/fly. Should get some help from other Group5 Squadrons.
- ✈ Craig Goodrich, ES Training Officer, is passing a training sign-up sheet around. He's planning training sessions before the exercise.
- ✈ Get your training done and in eServices ASAP – so your flights at the exercise count toward your qualification. **DON'T WAIT TILL LAST MINUTE!**



Upcoming Events

Unit Commander's Course in Houston

- ✈ Primarily for members who are taking over a unit command or considering it.
- ✈ But is open to any member who wants to participate and learn.
- ✈ Provides good information on operations of CAP units.
- ✈ Our Professional Development Officer, Jim McCloud, recommends course.

CD DSAREX

- ✈ Distributed SAREX with BCSS working out of Stinson.
- ✈ CD Program membership mandatory.
- ✈ Contact CD Officer, Danny Graham to check on applying to CD Program.



Upcoming Events

Texas Wing Annual Conference & Awards Ceremony

- Check Wing homepage for information www.txwgcap.org
- 23-25 April in San Marcos at Embassy Suites Convention Center.
- Recognition ceremony for our outstanding volunteers and units.
- Get the latest information/training/tools to participate in missions.
- Get to meet and know some of the other volunteers you've worked with.
- There is a fee for attending the entire conference, or a lesser fee for attending the training sessions. (Covers cost of conference center/rooms)
- Next to San Marcos Outlet Malls. Will have CAP vans running family back & forth if they go with you.
- Can fly into San Marcos, CAP vans will transport to conference hotel.



Upcoming Events

Lone Star Emergency Services Academy

- Academy held each year as a “crash course” in emergency services.
- One week classes, flying training for crew members, and ground school
- 19-27 June at Alert Training Facility in Big Sandy Texas (Tyler)
- Go as Scanner trainee, come back as Mission Pilot
- All training flights are funded. But there is a cost to stay there for the week. It covers the bedding and meals cost.- about \$165.00.
- Lorrie’s probably driving a van up for the event. Chuck may be flying a plane there. There should be lots of empty seats to get there and back at no extra cost.
- Start planning for it now if you’re considering attending!



Squadron Notes - Aircraft

😊 **N165CP Status** (C182T-NavIII G1000)

✈ Everything operational and is flying.

😊 **N982CP Status** (C1782R round-dial)

✈ Everything operational and is flying.

😊 **N225TX Status** (C182Q round-dial)

✈ Hopefully will be back from maintenance in a few days.

😊 **N9846L Status** (C172P round-dial)

✈ Having problem with Com/Nav 1. Otherwise, is operational.

✈ This one has to go to Fredricksburg for annual – probably Monday.



Squadron Notes

Aircraft Tie-Down Spots

- ✈ I am working out difficulties with Hanger5 leaser and school in other side.
- ✈ We're going to put new ropes on all existing spots without ropes. Then we can tie down anywhere on South side rows outside hanger 5.

Parking at Stinson

- ✈ Please don't park inside fence on ramp side of Stinson.
- ✈ If out overnight or long period, and want to protect your vehicle – park inside fence in front of CAP building.

E-Mail List Change

- ✈ E-Mail list server change so REPLY goes back to sender instead of whole list.
- ✈ Done to lessen the impact of frequent "I'll be there" types of replies.



Squadron Notes

Operational Risk Assessment Training

- ✈ The Basic ORM is now a requirement to complete Level1. As such – it applies to EVERYONE!
- ✈ Intermediate ORM is required for all Transport Mission Pilots, Mission Pilots, Skills Evaluators/Trainers, and Supervisors.
- ✈ Advanced ORM is required for Safety Officers, Squadron Commanders, and Incident Commanders.
- ✈ All of the training courses are good safety courses. And none of it takes very long (about one coffee cup worth).
- ✈ Accessed on the CAP National website at http://members.gocivilairpatrol.com/safety/orm_training.cfm
- ✈ Suggestion – review the powerpoint, open the PDF in one window, open the test in another window. It's a breeze!



Squadron Notes

Civil Air Patrol Policy of Nondiscrimination

It is Civil Air Patrol policy that no member shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in any CAP program or activity on the basis of race, sex, age, color, religion, national origin, or disability (formerly handicap). It is Civil Air Patrol policy that no applicant meeting CAP's minimum age requirement will be denied membership in CAP on the basis of race, sex, age, color, religion, national origin, or disability (formerly handicap).



Squadron Notes

Group 5 needs some help tomorrow

- Lt Col Billman is trying to get the rest of the “junk” out of the Brooks building before next Wednesday’s inspection.
- He’s asked for help from us tomorrow morning at 09:00 till about noon. Meet at Brooks building.
- He plans his final cleanup/cut up shelves session next Tuesday, but plans to use other Squadrons for that work.
- If we have enough people this evening, we can start by unloading large, white trailer in Stinson building.



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