INDUCTION DAY

June 27, 2013

PARENTS’ INFORMATION
WELCOME to the UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY

Today is a proud and exciting day for the Class of 2017, their families, and friends. Your midshipman candidates will be busy from the moment of arrival until the Oath of Office ceremony at 6 p.m. Upon the conclusion of this ceremony, you will have time for a short visit with your midshipman. Keep in mind that you will be unable to meet your midshipman until this point. Please take the opportunity during the day to tour the Yard and attend the scheduled Parents’ Brief. This brief and various items of interest are described in this handout. A map of the Naval Academy has also been provided for your convenience.

BRIEFING FOR THE PARENTS OF THE CLASS OF 2017

Parents are encouraged to attend this special briefing, which will be held at 2:30 p.m. and will include remarks by the Superintendent, Commandant, Academic Dean, and Athletic Director.

Location: Alumni Hall (USNA crest on map)

OATH OF OFFICE CEREMONY

The Class of 2017 will be sworn-in during a formal ceremony at 6 p.m. Parents and friends of midshipman candidates are cordially invited to attend. Although the ceremony begins promptly at 6 p.m., your midshipman will arrive and be seated at approximately 5:45 p.m.

Location: Tecumseh Court (6 on map) - Fair Weather
        Alumni Hall (USNA crest on map) - Inclement Weather

Personal Swearing-in Ceremonies by relatives or guests (active duty or retired military personnel) will be conducted in Smoke Hall (beneath Bancroft Hall Rotunda) immediately following the Oath of Office Ceremony.

PARENTS’ WEB SITE INFORMATION

The following web sites contain important information on Plebe Summer, the Naval Academy Alumni Association, and the overall Naval Academy experience:

www.usna.edu/PlebeSummer
www.usna.com
www.facebook.com/USNavalAcademy
www.flickr.com/photos/unitedstatesnavalacademy
www.youtube.com/user/usnapao

MAILING ADDRESS FOR YOUR MIDSHIPMAN

A sample mailing address for your midshipman is provided below. P.O. Box information is not required in the mailing address during Plebe Summer. Midshipmen will receive their P.O. Box assignments at the end of the summer. Upon completion of Plebe Summer, you must include your midshipman’s P.O. Box # to ensure mail delivery.

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(The last four digits of the P.O. Box will be the same as the last four digits of the zip code.)

UPS OR EXPRESS MAIL INFORMATION

UPS, Federal Express or any other express carrier mail must be addressed as follows:

MIDN __________, Co. #
U.S. Naval Academy
Bancroft Hall, EXPRESS OFFICE
Annapolis, MD 21412

This address is ONLY for UPS, Federal Express or any other express carrier packages. All other mail MUST be sent using the mailing address for your midshipman.

USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS

Admissions ............................................................. 410-293-4361
Armel-Leftwich Visitor Center ............................. 410-293-8687 (TOUR)
Bancroft Hall Main Office ..................................... 410-293-5001/02
Chaplain Services ................................................... 410-293-1100
Information ........................................................... 410-293-1000
Naval Academy Alumni Association ................. 410-295-4000
Naval Academy Alumni Association Parents’ Club .. 410-295-4019
Naval Academy Athletic Association ...................... 410-293-2700
Ticket Office (Sports) ........................................ 1-800-US4-NAVY
Naval Academy Foundation .................................... 410-295-4100
Parents’ Fund .................................................. 410-295-4165
Naval Academy Museum ........................................ 410-293-2108
Naval Institute ................................................. 410-268-6110
Navy Federal Credit Union ..................................... 1-888-842-6328
Public Affairs Office ........................................... 410-293-2291
Ticket Office (Music & Theater) ....................... 410-293-TIXS
**Dahlgren Hall/Drydock Restaurant**
The Drydock Restaurant in Dahlgren Hall will serve breakfast from 7 a.m. until 10 a.m. Fresh baked bagels, breakfast sandwiches, and other assorted breakfast items, to include some take-out, will be available. Lunch and dinner will be served from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. Selections include: sandwiches, salads, pizza, hamburgers, hot dogs, subs and much more. Ice cream, cookies, sodas, iced tea and juices are also available.

**Armel-Leftwich Visitor Center**
The Armel-Leftwich Visitor Center overlooks Annapolis Harbor and the Chesapeake Bay. It features an information center, a theater with a 12-minute film “Call to Serve,” vending machines and guide service. The 4,500-square-foot gift shop features Naval Academy, Navy, and Marine Corps issue-ware, souvenirs, prints, books, CDs and videos. Visitor Center profits are used to support activities of the Brigade of Midshipmen.

The center is open daily from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. March through December and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. January and February. The center is closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year’s Day.

On Induction Day, free guided walking tours will be provided by Visitor Center personnel from 7 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. originating from the Alumni Hall area. After 9:30 a.m., tours are available starting at the Visitor Center. Fees for tours are: adults at $9.50; seniors (ages 62+) at $8.50, and students (K through 12th grades) at $7.50. There is no charge for children of preschool age. For more information call the Armel-Leftwich Visitor Center at 410-293-8687 (TOUR) or visit the Web site at www.navyonline.com.

**The Midshipmen Store**
The Midshipmen Store is a retail activity to service the needs of the Brigade of Midshipmen. Located in Bancroft Hall, this activity carries a wide range of items required by Midshipmen in the performance of their duties. Like other college stores, it also carries a complete line of U.S. Naval Academy emblematic items and gifts.

The Midshipmen Store is located in the first and third wing basements of Bancroft Hall. Call 866-214-8069 or 410-293-2392/3. Parents are allowed to shop in the Midshipmen Store using issued Parent/Guardian shopping cards which will be issued at the Midshipmen Store during 4/C Parents’ Weekend. Shopping cards expire May 2017.

Parents may also shop at the Midshipmen Store on Induction Day by using the “Family Member” stickers mailed earlier with the Midshipmen Store brochure. Store hours for Induction Day are: Wednesday, June 26, 2013, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Thursday, June 27, 2013, from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. All profits from the Midshipmen Store are used to support activities of the Brigade of Midshipmen.
**INDUCTION DAY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

5:30 a.m.  Gate One to Naval Academy open

6 a.m.  Class of 2017 begins reporting

7 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.  Naval Academy Yard Tours  Sampson Hall
*(Free tours provided by Visitor Center)*

7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  Midshipmen Store open  Bancroft Hall

7 a.m. - 9 p.m.  Drydock restaurant open  Dahlgren Hall

8 a.m.  Colors Ceremony  Worden Gazebo

9:30 a.m.  Family Expo  Hospital Point*

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.  Yard Patrol Craft Tours  Dewey Field Seawall

11 a.m. - 1 p.m.  Welcome Aboard Picnic for parents and family of the Class of 2017 sponsored by the Naval Academy Alumni Association/Foundation and the USNA Class of 1967

1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.  Band Concert  Alumni Hall

2:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.  Parents’ Briefing  Alumni Hall

5:25 p.m.  Band Concert  Tecumseh Court**

6 p.m.  Oath of Office Ceremony  Tecumseh Court**
*(Following Oath of Office Ceremony)*  Personal Swearing-in Ceremonies  Smoke Hall*** (beneath Bancroft Hall Rotunda)

6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.  Midshipmen meet with family/friends  Stribling Walk**

7:15 p.m.  Evening Meal Formation  Stribling Walk**
*Begin Plebe Summer Routine

* In case of inclement weather, will be held in Dahlgren Hall.
** In case of inclement weather, will be held in Alumni Hall.
*** In case of inclement weather, the Personal Swearing-in ceremony will be held in the Bo Coppedge Room of Alumni Hall.

**CLASS OF 2017 PARENTS WEEKEND

AUGUST 8-11, 2013**

Make plans now to return to Annapolis to visit your midshipman as he or she completes Plebe Summer. In addition to being able to spend quality time with your midshipman, some of the events scheduled include an academic majors exhibit and a 4/C Regiment Formal Parade.

**FACILITIES/SERVICES**

The following facilities and services are available at the Naval Academy for the families and friends of the Class of 2017 and are listed below with location and times of operation for Induction Day:

**Parents’ Information Table**
Time: 6 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: Worden Field (across from Alumni Hall)
*Weather alt.: Dahlgren Hall (2nd deck)* (5 on map)

**Drydock Restaurant**
Time: 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Location: Dahlgren Hall (1st deck) (5 on map)

**Midshipmen Store (I-Day)**
June 26, 2013 (I-Day minus 1)
Time: 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Time: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: 1st and 3rd Wing basement of Bancroft Hall

**Library**
Time: 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Location: Nimitz Library

**Naval Academy Museum**
Regular hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.
Time: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Location: Preble Hall (9 on map)

**Naval Academy Yard Tours**
*(Free tours provided by Visitor Center)*
Time: 7 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
Location: Sampson Hall (next to Alumni Hall)

**Tours of Yard Patrol Craft (I-Day)**
*(Navy training craft)*
Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Location: Dewey Field Seawall

**Chapel and Crypt of John Paul Jones**
Time: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: Chapel (8 on map)

**Armel-Leftwich Visitor Center**
Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Location: Seaward side of Halsey Field House (1 on map)