

## MARINES' HYMN

From the Halls of Montezuma,  
To the shores of Tripoli;  
We fight our country's battles  
In the air, on land, and sea;  
First to fight for right and freedom  
And keep our honor clean;  
We are proud to claim the title of  
UNITED STATES MARINE.

Our flag's unfurled to every breeze  
From dawn to setting sun;  
We have fought in every clime and place  
Where we could take a gun;  
In the snow of far-off northern lands  
And in sunny tropic scenes;  
You will find us always on the job  
THE UNITED STATES MARINES.

Here's health to you and to our Corps  
Which we are proud to serve;  
In many a strife we've fought for life  
And never lost our nerve;  
If the Army and the Navy  
Ever look on Heaven's scenes;  
They will find the streets are guarded by  
UNITED STATES MARINES.



## SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Band Serenade

Chaplain's Prayer \*

“Attention”, “Adjutant’s Call” And March-On

The National Anthem \*

Sound Off

Presentation Of The Command To The Commander Of Troops

Report

Publication Of The Order And Officers Center

Battalion Commander’s Remarks

Presentation Of The Command To The Reviewing Officer

Pass In Review (Please Rise When The American Flag Passes)

Anchors Aweigh/The Marines’ Hymn \*

Graduates Return Front And Center

Recognition Of The Company Staff

Retirement Of The Platoon Guidons And Recognition Of Honor Graduates

Final Dismissal

\* PLEASE RISE

## MARINE CORPS RECRUIT DEPOT

A few weeks after establishing Camp Howard on North Island in San Diego, Col. Joseph Pendleton, on September 6, 1914, was the guest speaker at the U. S. Grant Hotel in downtown San Diego. The subject of his speech was “San Diego, an ideal location for a permanent Marine Corps Base.” The drive behind his lecture was the unsatisfactory conditions and the less than convenient location of his men and staff at Camp Howard. About this same time, Col. Pendleton wrote to the Commandant of the Marine Corps at Washington D. C. about the deplorable conditions at Camp Howard and presented the idea of the possible establishment of a permanent Marine Corps Base in San Diego.

The Navy General Board approved the establishment of a base on January 8, 1916 and the Marine Corps’ base on the bay tidelands called the Dutch Flats was authorized by a Naval appropriation bill of August 29, 1916, in large part due to the efforts of Congressman William Kettner. Groundbreaking on 232 acres took place on March 2, 1919. Construction and occupation of the base took place from 1919 through 1926. On December 1, 1921, Pendleton (now a General), placed it into commission as the Marine Advanced Expeditionary Base, San Diego. In 1923, the Marine Recruit Depot for the West Coast relocated from Mare Island Navy Shipyards in Vallejo, CA, to its new home at the San Diego Marine Base. On March 1, 1924, the base that had been developed as a result of the vision and efforts of General Pendleton became, officially, Marine Corps Base San Diego, and would be known by that name for the next twenty-four years.

The base now consisted of approximately 388 acres, of which some, 367 acres had been reclaimed tidal area. Throughout World War II, the principal activity of the base, recruit training, overshadowed all other functions. After the war, the recruit training detachment remained the principal tenant. Marine Corps Base San Diego has been home to the 4th, 6th and 10th Marine Regiments, the Fleet Marine Force and the 2nd Marine Division. However, the main focus of the base has always been training and “the making of Marines.” On January 1, 1948, Marine Corps Base San Diego was officially renamed Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego. The Recruit Training Command grew from three to eight battalions to handle the troop requirements for the Korean War. More than 700 Quonset huts were erected to handle the influx of recruits, some of which are still standing today. The Vietnam War caused the next period of major expansion. A 100-tent cantonment had to be erected to handle the overflow of recruits. Five new recruit barracks, a new dining hall, new bowling alley, a new Regional Dental and Medical Clinic were constructed on the depot. In the 1970’s the focus increased to include the recruiting effort and the Depot became Headquarters, Western Recruiting Region.

Today the Recruit Depot provides its Nation’s Corps with basically trained Marines to fight in the current conflicts around the world. The Depot has the responsibility to train male and female recruits who reside west of the Mississippi River to serve at the call of the Nation.

Known for its unique Spanish Colonial Revival style appearance, the overall site and specific building plans were developed by renowned architect, Bertram Goodhue, who also designed the buildings at San Diego’s Balboa Park for the 1915 Panama-California Exposition.

Thirteen buildings have been named for famous Marines, such a Daly Barracks, Pendleton Hall, Lejuene Hall, McDougall Hall, and Day Hall. Today, the Depot has 388 acres and 25 buildings listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

## PHASE III & IV

### PHASE III - MOS SCHOOLS

After graduating from Recruit Training, and taking a well deserved ten days of leave, the new Marines report into the School of Infantry (SOI). SOI and consequent follow-on schools give the new Marines the technical expertise they need to excel in their Military Occupational Specialties (MOS) and the Fleet Marine Force (FMF).

### PHASE IV - SUSTAINING THE TRANSFORMATION

All muscles atrophy without exercise; so too with character. Once started on a path of character development, there is no stopping. We are always developing our character until the day we die. The sustainment process continues Core Values training within units and is incorporated in all that we do as Marines, complementing a renewed emphasis on warfighting, combat leadership, and the concepts of responsibility and accountability.



### THE TRANSFORMED AMERICAN

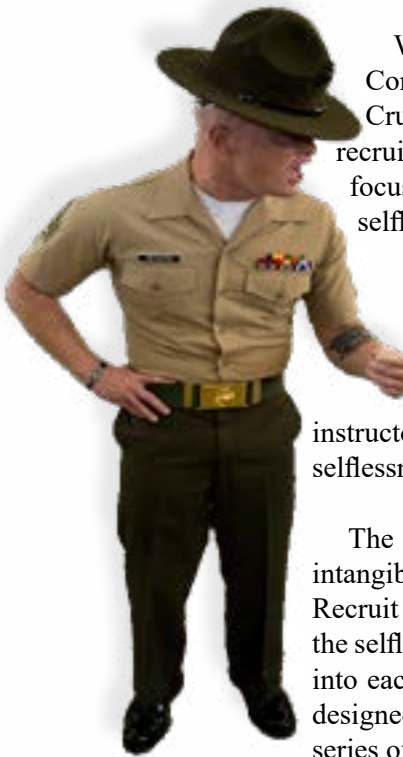
The Corps has a long established pattern of Marines who have left the active duty ranks to become strong leaders in their communities and for the Nation and we will continue to send men and women of strong character and values back to society. These Marines will carry the legacy of high character, like those Marines who are presently doing great things for our Nation. We have received countless letters from influential public leaders who are former Marines. They give testimony to the direct connection between the character traits they forged in the Corps and their success and fulfillment in life. End result: We will continue to provide society with people of great character, whether they do four or forty years in the Marine Corps.

## PHASE II

### PHASE II - RECRUIT TRAINING

We have enhanced Recruit Training by amplifying Core Values instruction and introducing The Crucible. A key element to the recent changes in recruit training is more time for the drill instructors to focus on character development with an emphasis on selflessness and teamwork.

There are 28 hours of programmed instruction on Core Values; however, the most powerful values exchange may very well come from the increased one-on-one time with the drill instructors who teach and demonstrate values such as selflessness, determination, loyalty and integrity.



The Crucible, in part, is the manifestation of the intangible values training that have taken place earlier in Recruit Training. It permeates the entire evolution, forging the selflessness, teamwork and Core Values concepts deep into each recruit. The Crucible is a 54-hour event that is designed to test a recruit’s mind, body, and spirit. It is a series of eight events revolving around obstacles, warrior stations, movement courses, and reaction problems tackled over a grueling 40-mile course. Sleep and food deprivation add to the rigor of the course, which is primarily designed to develop teamwork and camaraderie through shared hardship. Each warrior station is named after a Marine Corps hero whose actions epitomize the values we want all Marines to internalize. As a touchstone, this experience in values and hardship can be drawn upon in any challenge they might face.



## THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF RECRUIT TRAINING REGIMENT



On behalf of Brigadier General James A. Ryans II, Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruit Depot and Western Recruiting Region, and the Marines, Sailors and civilian Marines of Recruit Training Regiment, welcome to this morning’s graduation ceremony. Your presence here today is greatly appreciated. As we recognize your Marine’s significant accomplishment, enjoy this special day in their life.

Marine Corps recruit training is the most difficult recruit training in the Nation and a tough undertaking for all who accept the challenge to become a United

States Marine. Before you this morning is the latest company of Marines who have succeeded in that challenge. Your Marine has been prepared physically, mentally and emotionally in a time-tested process whereby they have been transformed from civilian to Marine. Many are responsible for this significant transformation, to include, the families, loved ones and teachers who provided the basic values and character as a foundation and the Marine Recruiter who saw the potential and desire to excel. But the person most responsible for the changes is the Marine Corps Drill Instructor. They have labored intensively for the past three months, personally sacrificing much in the process, to ensure each new Marine is instilled with the essential fitness, character and values necessary on and off the battlefield. Each of the new Marines recognized today has passed the test, exceeded the standards and earned the title Marine. The lessons learned in recruit training, coupled with our Core Values, will serve them well for their time in the Marine Corps... and for the rest of their lives. I am confident in their ability to meet any challenge that confronts them.

Thank you for being here. I trust you will enjoy the rest of your visit to MCRD and the San Diego area and that you will take some time to tour the Recruit Depot to relive some of your Marine’s experiences. Please accept my thanks for your love and support for your Marine and our best wishes for a happy stay and safe return home.

Semper Fidelis,

P. M. Rummler  
Colonel, U.S. Marine Corps

## FLAG ETIQUETTE

The United States Marine Corps has long established a tradition of rendering proper honors and courtesies to the American Flag with ceremony and decorum. If this is your first visit to a military installation, we would like to acquaint you with “Flag Etiquette” and welcome you to join us in showing courtesy to our Flag as defined by U.S. Code Title 4 and 36, and as observed aboard Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

In observance of U.S. Code Title 4 and 36, individuals in uniform, members of the armed forces not in uniform, and military veterans may render a military salute to the American Flag while it is being hoisted, being lowered, and passing by. The same courtesies should be rendered while the National Anthem is played.

Gentlemen wearing hats who do not render a salute to the flag should remove their head gear and on the first note of the National Anthem, place their right hand over their heart until the last note of the National Anthem.

Ladies are not required to remove their headdress. On the first note of the National Anthem, ladies should stand, face the flag, and place their right hand over their heart until the last note of the National Anthem. All present should remain standing until the last note of the National Anthem is played.

If the Flag is not visible during the National Anthem, please stand and face the sound of the music. If driving during Morning or Evening Colors, persons in vehicles within sight or hearing of the ceremony should halt the vehicle at the side of the road, and remain inside the vehicle until the final bugle call “Carry On” is sounded.

When Honors are being rendered to the Flag, or while it is passing in a parade of review, it is considered disrespectful to smoke, talk, to take pictures, or to be involved in boisterous or noisy activity. If you are in doubt ask the military personnel about appropriate courtesies at any time, or look around. The immediate vicinity will guide your actions.

## PHASE I

### HOW WE ARE DOING IT

We believe that new Marines need to be forged in a furnace of shared hardship, mutual commitment, and teamwork. This common, intense experience creates bonds of comradeship and cohesion so strong that Marines will refuse to let each other down. This forging of character, discipline, and fitness will continue to be the basis upon which we make Marines. Holding onto the high character of the Marines of the past, we look for ways to inculcate the strong values that have become synonymous with the Marine Corps. We are attacking the character development challenge in four phases: Recruiting, Recruit Training, MOS Schools, and Sustainment.



### PHASE I - RECRUITING

Teaching these character traits starts in the recruiting process. Recruiting duty is a vital assignment in the Marine Corps. Marine Recruiters take it seriously and feel a great responsibility to fulfill the job to the best of their ability. Many Marines say that recruiting duty is among the most rewarding assignments they have had as a Marine, because they are helping to ensure the high standards and future of our Corps.

Most Marine Recruiters have earned the rank of Sergeant or above, which means they have had four or more years of experience in the Marine Corps serving in one of several hundred Military Occupational Specialties (MOS). They know what it means to serve as a Marine. Meeting a Marine Recruiter gives you personal access to someone who has lived and served in the Marine Corps. No matter where you are in the decision-making process, talking to a recruiter can give you more information. You are under no obligation when speaking to a Marine Corps Recruiter, as he or she knows the importance of the decision, and will help determine if you are right for the Marine Corps—and if the Marine Corps is right for you.

First, we recruit young men and women who have demonstrated potential and commitment. Then we prepare them through physical fitness and ready them for the intense forging they will experience in recruit training. Most enlistees spend up to 12 months in the Delayed Entry Program preparing to undergo recruit training and become Marines.



Their preparation includes physical conditioning, study guides, introduction to Marine Corps history and tradition and, most importantly, introduction to Core Values. The bottom line is we are paying more attention to a prospective Marine’s character and fitness during screening.

## WHY THE TRANSFORMATION?

The most important things the Marine Corps does for our Nation are to make Marines and win battles. The Corps is a versatile, force-in-readiness prepared to handle a variety of missions. We continue to be a force rich in history and traditions, ingrained with the highest values of honor, courage and commitment.



At the very time when a host of factors is tending to undermine individual character development in society, Marines are facing an operational environment which requires stronger character and moral virtue. We live and operate in a world that is proving to be increasingly complex and interconnected. As a result, the Corps is in the midst of an evolution of the uses of force that are not quite war, not quite peace, not quite conventional peace, not quite conventional military operations, and not quite operations, and not quite civil police duties.

The Nation has committed Marines to a wide range of scenarios, from peacekeeping operations in Somalia to non-combatant evacuation operations in Liberia, to more conventional conflicts like Operation ENDURING FREEDOM in Afghanistan and Operation IRAQI FREEDOM in Iraq. Operations such as these involve independent units confronted by situations that have operational and strategic implications. The battlefield is becoming so technologically advanced that weapon systems will be able to kill by smell, sight or sound. In order to ensure success in these situations, we have looked to the Marines of the past to see what made them successful in battles like Belleau Wood, Iwo Jima and the Chosin Reservoir.



The answer was strong character and a fighting spirit that overcame all obstacles. This is what will allow us to dominate the high tech and diverse battlefields of the future. This will allow us to win America’s military battles and to send transformed Americans home to strengthen the very fabric of our society.

Quite simply, we are continuing to focus on and to enhance the root source of a Marine’s indomitable fighting spirit: the determination to overcome any obstacle that stands in the way, fueled by unshakeable honor, courage, and commitment.

## MARINE CORPS VALUES

### WHY WE SUCCEED

Generation after generation of American men and women have given special meaning to the title United States Marine. These men and women live by a set of Core Values, which forms the bedrock of their character. Core Values give Marines strength and regulate their behavior; they bind the Marine Corps into a total force that can meet any challenge... and succeed.

### HONOR

Honor guides Marines to exemplify the ultimate in ethical and moral behavior; to never lie, cheat or steal; to abide by an uncompromising code of integrity; and to respect human dignity. It is the quality of maturity, dedication, trust and dependability that compels Marines to act responsibly; to hold themselves and each other accountable for their actions; and to fulfill their obligations.

### COURAGE

Courage is the mental, moral and physical strength ingrained in Marines. It carries them through the challenges of combat and helps them overcome fear. Likewise, it is the inner strength that enables a Marine to do what is right; to adhere to a higher standard of personal conduct; and to make tough decisions under stress and pressure.

### COMMITMENT

Commitment is the spirit of selfless determination and dedication found in Marines. It leads to the highest order of discipline for individuals and units. It is the ingredient that enables 24-hour a day dedication to Corps and Country. It inspires the unrelenting determination to achieve a high standard of excellence in every endeavor.



## PARADE REVIEWING OFFICER



Colonel  
**Matthew J. Palma**  
United States Marine Corps  
Retired

Colonel Palma was commissioned through the Platoon Leaders Class after graduating from Saint Anselm College of Manchester, New Hampshire in December 1994.

A career infantry officer, his assignments in the operating forces include Rifle Platoon Commander, Weapons Platoon Commander, Company Executive Officer, 81mm Mortar Platoon Commander, Rifle Company Commander, and Battalion Commander in 3d Battalion, 3d Marines, during which he deployed in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM; Second-in-Command Kilo Company, 42 Commando, Royal Marines, during which he deployed in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM; Executive and Operations Officer, 1st Force Reconnaissance Company, during which he deployed in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM; Current Operations Director, Combined Joint Task Force 101, during which he deployed in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM; and Operations Officer, 3d Marine Regiment.

Other assignments include Staff Platoon Commander and Commanding Officer for the Professional Training of Midshipmen, The Basic School in Quantico, Virginia; Aide-de-Camp to the Commanding General I Marine Expeditionary Force; Experiment Director, Navy Warfare Development Command; Future Operations Planner, Marine Forces Pacific G5; Military Professor, Maritime Advanced Warfighting School, Naval War College; Strategy and Campaign Plans Division Chief, NORAD and USNORTHCOM J5; and most recently Commanding Officer of the Recruit Training Regiment, Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California.

## PLATOON 1047

**SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR**  
STAFF SERGEANT B. M. LE

**DRILL INSTRUCTORS**  
STAFF SERGEANT Z. A. HINDS  
STAFF SERGEANT D. T. HARTELL  
STAFF SERGEANT D. J. NEVERSON  
STAFF SERGEANT J. T. HOWARD  
**PHYSICAL FITNESS TEST**  
PRIVATE J. C. GRAHAM (286)

**PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER**  
PRIVATE O. K. PETTYBARNHART (333)  
INSTRUCTOR: CORPORAL M. R. HEIRENDT

**PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE**  
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS J. R. SOSAHAROS JR.  
RECRUITED BY: STAFF SERGEANT C. N. VANDYKE

PVT N. ACOSTA  
PVT L. M. AMAYAREYES  
PVT D. L. ANDERSON  
PVT E. ANDRADE JR.  
PVT R. A. APARICIO  
PFC M. ARQUETTEAGUILAR  
PVT J. P. AYALA  
PVT W. C. BAKER  
PFC J. BALATICO  
PVT M. V. BARROS  
PVT G. R. CANELA  
PVT T. L. CANNING  
PVT A. L. CARDOSO  
PVT A. E. CERDA  
PVT L. T. CIRIACKS  
PVT A. CRUZSANTOS  
PVT Z. G. DEVORA  
PVT K. S. ELLIOTTSIMMONS  
PVT F. ENCINO  
PVT E. M. ESPINAL  
PFC R. E. ESPRIU  
PVT B. M. FREITAS  
PVT C. J. GARCIAALVARENGA  
PVT A. T. GIBBARD  
PVT S. S. GORMAN  
PVT J. C. GRAHAM  
PVT B. M. GREEN  
PFC T. D. HALLMARK  
PVT C. J. HERNANDEZ  
PVT C. M. HERSH  
PFC K. C. HIGAREDA  
PVT E. S. INSTINSKI  
PVT B. JIMENEZSOLIS  
PVT L. JURADOSOLISSUTTON  
PVT M. J. KANBARARUIZ  
PVT C. KHANG  
PVT N. W. LABETH  
PVT A. LABRIEL  
PVT J. LAGAHIT  
PVT C. A. LARA  
PVT A. J. LARRY  
PVT E. LINARES

PFC B. D. LOPEZGALVEZ  
PFC J. F. LOZANO III III  
PVT R. T. MACARTHUR  
PVT B. P. MACHADO  
PVT A. A. MALDONADO  
PVT E. MARTINEZ  
PVT J. MARTINEZ  
PVT R. D. NAREZ  
PVT T. K. NEWBERRY  
PVT I. OCHOAFELIX JR.  
PVT C. B. OFFILL  
PVT J. S. PERKINSON  
PVT D. S. PESHAKAI  
PVT O. K. PETTYBARNHART  
PFC E. N. QUINTERO  
PVT E. D. RAMIREZ  
PVT L. R. RAMIREZ  
PVT A. F. RAMIREZTEPEZANO  
PVT C. K. RAYCAMARGO  
PVT A. M. REYES  
PVT J. D. RICOPRADO  
PVT D. ROBLESCORTEZ  
PVT G. D. ROJAS  
PVT D. J. ROMERO  
PVT K. T. ROWLAND  
PVT W. N. ROYETON  
PVT I. X. SAAVEDRA  
PVT S. SAUCEDA  
PVT S. W. SELLERS  
PVT S. SHAKIB  
PVT A. G. SOLORIOSERRANO  
PFC J. R. SOSAHAROS JR.  
PVT J. D. STEWART  
PVT K. L. TOBIAS  
PVT L. C. VEAL  
PVT I. H. VIOLA  
PVT D. B. VISTE  
PVT X. C. WILCOXEN  
PVT A. M. WRIGHT  
PVT G. A. ZULETA

Meritorious Promotion \*

## PLATOON 1046

**SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR**  
STAFF SERGEANT J. R. RAYMUNDO

**DRILL INSTRUCTORS**  
STAFF SERGEANT J.V. SMITH  
SERGEANT S. T. MANNING  
SERGEANT A. LOGAN

**PHYSICAL FITNESS TEST**  
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS J. L. FOREHAND (294)

**PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER**  
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS L.D. JOHNSON (332)  
INSTRUCTOR: SERGEANT OLSEN

**PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE**  
PRIVATE A. M. ZOLLITSCH  
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PVT B. O ADEWUNMI  
PVT M. J. AGUILAR  
PVT A. J. ALANIZ  
PVT D. E. ALVAREZDURAN  
PFC A. W. BAIRD  
PVT R. S. BALL  
PVT L. H. BARCENA  
PVT E. L. BEJARANO  
PVT J. R. BONAVENTURE  
PVT T. D. BRADFORD  
PVT K. I. BURRIS  
PVT A. CAMACHOSILVA  
PVT H. T. CANADAY  
PVT W. E. CASTANEDA  
PVT C. T. CHANCE  
PVT J. M. CHAVEZ  
PVT A. J. CLAYTON  
PVT K. B. CLEMENTS  
PVT J. J. CONLEY JR.  
PVT C. CUADROS  
PVT B. C. DELANCEY  
PVT H. P. DINH  
PVT J. J. DIRCIO  
PFC C. A. DURBIN  
PVT J. J. FERNANDEZ JR.  
PVT A. A. FERNANDEZ  
PFC J. L. FOREHAND  
PVT I. FRANCODIAZ  
PVT C. GANCZAK  
PVT J. C. GARDNER  
PVT B. J. GOMEZ  
PVT D. D. GOODMAN  
PVT Z. D. GRANT  
PVT I. N. GUERRERO  
PVT L. A. GUZMAN  
PFC J. T. HARE  
PVT C. W. HARTRICH  
PFC J. B. HENSON  
PVT J. A. HERSHKOWITZ  
PFC L. D. HOOPER  
PVT J. A. JARVIS

PFC L. D. JOHNSON  
PVT M. E. JOHNSON  
PFC J. A. JORDAN  
PFC B.D. KING  
PFC T. M. KING  
PVT M. R. KWIATKOWSKI  
PFC J. A. LOZANO  
PVT R. MELENDEZ III  
PVT D. D. MITCHELL  
PVT D. K. MONTGOMERY  
PVT A. D. MORALES  
PVT A. T. NELSON  
PVT J. L. NOLLEY  
PVT M. A. OCAMPOALTAMIRANO  
PVT J. B. PARSONS  
PVT J. PEREDIA  
PVT F. PEREZ  
PVT W. F. PEREZ II  
PFC P. E. PRUDENCIANOSALVADOR  
PVT D. RAMIREZ  
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PFC S. REYESRETANA  
PVT A. RIBERA  
PVT M. S. RODRIGUEZ  
PVT J. O. RODRIGUEZCRUZ  
PVT A. D. RUVALCABA JR.  
PVT J. R. SISSOM  
PVT J. D. SORIA  
PFC J. A. STALLWORTH  
PVT S. L. THOMAS JR.  
PVT T. J. TOWNSEND  
PVT G. S. VILLAFANA  
PVT E. E. VINASCAMARILLO  
PVT B. J. WAGONER  
PVT N. A. WALLACE  
PVT J. D. WARD  
PVT B. R. WILLIAMS JR.  
PVT C. W. WILSON  
PVT M. A. WORTHINGTON  
PVT A. M. ZOLLITSCH

Meritorious Promotion \*

## PARADE REVIEWING OFFICER

Colonel Palma graduated with honors from: The Basic School; Infantry Officers Course; Amphibious Warfare School; The All-Arms Commando Course, where he was the recipient of the Commando Medal; College of Naval Command and Staff; Maritime Advanced Warfighting School, where he was the recipient of the Vice Admiral Charles H. "Soc" McMorris Award as the Honor Graduate; and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Defense College in Rome, Italy.

His personal decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal, the Legion of Merit with a gold star in lieu of 2nd award, Bronze Star Medal with a gold star in lieu of 2nd award, Meritorious Service Medal with gold star in lieu of 2nd award, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Navy-Marine Corps Commendation Medal with two gold stars in lieu of 3rd award, and Joint Service Achievement Medal.

On 1 Dec 2023, Colonel Palma retired after 29 years of honorable service.



## AWARDS

### COMPANY HONOR GRADUATE AWARD

The one Marine in the company who has demonstrated the highest degree of discipline, proficiency, bearing, physical fitness, and basic leadership traits that exemplify the highest standards of the United States Marine Corps is presented with a plaque from the Marine Corps Association denoting that he is the number one Marine in his company. The company honor graduate also receives a Certificate of Commendation from the Commanding Officer of Recruit Training Regiment recognizing their superior performance during recruit training.

### SERIES HONOR GRADUATE AWARD

The one Marine in their series who has demonstrated the highest degree of discipline, proficiency, bearing, physical fitness, and basic leadership traits that exemplify the highest standards of the United States Marine Corps is presented with a Certificate of Commendation from the Commanding Officer of Recruit Training Battalion recognizing their superior performance during recruit training.

### PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE AWARD

The one Marine in their platoon who has demonstrated the highest degree of discipline, proficiency, bearing, physical fitness, and basic leadership traits that exemplify the highest standards of the United States Marine Corps will receive a plaque from the Marine Corps Association denoting that they are the honor graduate of their platoon.

### MARKSMANSHIP AWARD

The one Marine in the company who fired the highest score on the Rifle Range is awarded a plaque from the Marine Corps Association stating that they are the high shooter in the company. The company high shooter also receives a certificate from the Company Commander denoting that they are the company high shooter.

### PHYSICAL EXCELLENCE AWARD

The one Marine in the company that receives the highest score on the Physical Fitness Test is awarded a certificate from the Company Commander denoting that they are the most physically fit Marine in their company.

### MERITORIOUS PROMOTION

Those Marines who have demonstrated a high degree of proficiency and have shown exceptional leadership ability may be promoted meritoriously to the grade of Private First Class or Lance Corporal. **The Marines noted in this program with asterisks by their names have been promoted meritoriously to their present grade.**  
(EX.) PFC\* C. M. COLBURN

### MARINE

“Among all the honors, among all the postings, promotions, medals, that have been awarded me, the one in which I take most pride is to be able to say, I am a Marine.”

-Major General John A. Lejeune,  
13th Commandant of the Marine Corps

## PLATOON 1045

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR  
STAFF SERGEANT D. J. PLUMMER

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SERGEANT J. LARA

SERGEANT P. W. CLAYTON  
STAFF SERGEANT J. W. BROWN  
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PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER  
PRIVATE L. K. TELFEYAN (330)  
INSTRUCTOR: SERGEANT L. M. MUELLER

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RECRUITED BY: STAFF SERGEANT C. R. SAUCEDO

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PVT V. ALVAREZ JR.  
PVT L. ARENASMONROY  
PFC D. ARROYO  
PFC A. ARTEAGALEON  
PVT N. H. BACA JR.  
PVT G. M. BALLWEBER  
PVT F. K. BELAY  
PVT J. D. BERNAL  
PVT C. S. BLAIR  
PVT A. G. BONIFAZ  
PVT F. V. BRAVO  
PVT I. C. BRITT  
PVT D. C. BUNDY III  
PVT R. J. CHINN  
PVT N. J. CURLEY  
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PVT S. K. MBOSHAMBA  
PVT V. W. MCCOOL  
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PVT J. D. MCMAHAN  
PFC F. A. MORENO  
PVT B. NAVAROPALACIOS  
PVT S. R. NEIGHBORS  
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PVT C. J. NOVAK  
PVT I. G. OLMEDAVELLON  
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PFC D. B. THOMAS  
PFC B. V. THONGSON  
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SERGEANT L. I. PLOURDE  
SERGEANT D. M. MAYBERRY  
STAFF SERGEANT TAYLOR  
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PRIVATE G. D. BENZING (293)

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER  
PRIVATE J. G. ROBERTSON (336)  
INSTRUCTOR: SERGEANT E. VAZQUEZ-HERNANDEZ

PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE  
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS B. M. PALMA  
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PFC L. I. ALMANZALARA  
PVT J. ALVARADO  
PVT D. F. ALVAREZ JR.  
PVT D. C. ANDERSON  
PVT C. J. ANDREATTA  
PVT J. C. BAILEY  
PFC L. M. BALLARD  
PVT G. D. BENZING  
PFC L. D. BOTKIN  
PVT C. A. BOYD  
PVT J. B. CAMP  
PVT V. CANCHE  
PVT S. R. CARSTENS  
PVT L. A. CARVER  
PVT V. S. CEU  
PVT J. J. CORTEZ  
PVT A. CRUZGUEL  
PVT J. R. DAVIDSON  
PVT M. B. DURLAO  
PVT T. K. EDWARDS  
PVT C. I. ESTRADA  
PVT T. V. FARRELL  
PVT A. A. FERNANDEZ  
PVT L. K. FICKES  
PVT K. J. FREWERD  
PVT E. D. GALLEGOS  
PVT B. M. GARCIA  
PFC J. J. GARCIA  
PVT R. A. GARCIA JR.  
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PVT C. L. GILLHAM  
PVT A. M. GOATCHER  
PVT I. X. GOMEZ  
PVT J. M. GONZALEZ  
PVT J. M. GREGG JR.  
PVT G. I. GUERRERO  
PVT J. A. HERNANDEZ  
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Sergeant Major O. A. Leavy  
Colonel M. J. Palma

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Executive Officer  
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Regimental Drill Master  
Narrator

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Lieutenant Colonel C. E. Kesler  
Sergeant Major J. J. Miller  
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Major R. J. Russell  
Sergeant Major R. M. Browning  
Lieutenant A. C. Ruhf-Brien  
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Chief Drill Instructor

First Lieutenant S. C. Domke  
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STAFF SERGEANT A. A. RAMOS

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SERGEANT E. D. BANLAOI

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PRIVATE B. K. WOLFE (278)

## PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS M. SMITH JR. (330)

INSTRUCTOR: SERGEANT B. PIERCE

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PRIVATE FIRST CLASS R. Z. MOISA

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PFC R. Z. MOISA  
PVT M. J. MUNOZ  
PVT C. NASYARUDIN  
PFC T. L. NGO

PVT B. A. OGAZ  
PVT R. J. OGAZ  
PVT O. OROZCOVARELA  
PVT P. I. PANGELINAN  
PVT N. R. PATRICKS  
PVT A. PEREZ  
PVT D. J. PEREZ  
PVT J. A. PIERSON  
PVT P. A. POWELL  
PVT R. PUNTEL  
PVT H. P. QUACH  
PVT E. A. RAMOSCORPENO  
PFC J. J. RAMOS  
PVT W. M. RANDALL  
PVT C. RINCON  
PVT M. J. ROBINSON  
PVT S. A. ROBINSON  
PFC E. ROBLES  
PVT M. A. SALDANAROSAS  
PVT L. R. SAPIENS  
PVT M. R. SCHALOW  
PVT J. SCOTT  
PVT J. L. SHAVER  
PVT N. L. SHOREY  
PVT M. A. SMITH  
PVT M. W. SMITH III  
PVT M. SMITH JR.  
PVT J. TORRES  
PVT L. TORRES  
PVT J. B. TOWELS  
PVT E. C. UPCHURCH  
PVT G. VARGAS  
PVT F. C. VASQUEZ  
PVT C. R. VOSS  
PVT K. H. WAIOLAMACRUZ  
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PVT J. P. WILLIAMS  
PVT B. K. WOLFE  
PVT K. L. YOUREE  
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## DRILL INSTRUCTORS

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SERGEANT M. A. CASTANEDA

SERGEANT M. MARTINEZ

SERGEANT J. M. MONAGHAN

## PHYSICAL FITNESS TEST

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS K. E. GILBERTI (300)

## PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS T. L. MABRY (323)

INSTRUCTOR: LANCE CORPORAL FLANNERY

## PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS M. R. TEICHMAN

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PFC D. AMAYA  
PVT S. M. BARBACHAN  
PVT K. L. BASHA  
PFC S. BENITEZJARAMILLO  
PVT M. G. BISAHA  
PFC R. BLANCOCARDENAS  
PVT G. P. BOHORQUEZMARTINEZ  
PFC K. S. BROOKS  
PVT E. Y. CANALES PALACIOS  
PVT D. CANIZALESENCINAS  
PVT V. CARLOS  
PFC V. CASTANEDA  
PVT M. CHAVEZ  
PVT A. M. CORDOVAMILLANES  
PFC J. C. DELACRUZ  
PFC C. M. DOHM  
PFC K. J. DULCEALVARENGA  
PVT V. N. DURAN  
PVT J. N. ESCOBAR  
PFC V. Y. ESCOBAR  
PVT A. D. EUNG  
PFC E. M. EVERS  
PVT N. Y. FIGUEROA  
PVT C. E. FLORES  
PFC S. FLORES  
PVT C. E. FLORESSOTO  
PVT A. M. GARCIA  
PVT Z. B. GARCIA  
PFC B. GARCIABERNAL  
PVT M. GARCIAMOTA  
PVT D. GAXIOLAPRECIADO  
PFC K. E. GILBERTI  
PVT T. M. GONZALEZ  
PVT L. H. GREENE  
PVT A. M. HASSOLDT  
PFC A. L. HENRY  
PVT A. D. HOUSEKEEPER  
PVT N. M. JAMISON  
PFC C. A. JIMENEZ  
PFC A. F. JORGENSEN  
PFC N. J. KINTZLEY  
PVT N. L. LOVATO  
PFC J. Y. LOZANO  
PFC T. L. MABRY

PVT M. N. MADDOX  
PVT L. R. MARQUEZ  
PFC G. MARTINEZ  
PFC A. E. MARTON  
PVT M. MASARA  
PFC L. L. MEARS  
PVT S. M. MELENDEZ  
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PVT D. A. ORELLANA  
PFC K. I. PAREDESROMERO  
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PFC C. E. ROMAN  
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PVT S. E. ROSAS  
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