Greetings All!
The semester for Tarleton ROTC ended in a high note as three former Cadets, Patrick Kilman, Jonathon Motley and Ella Go, filled their goal of becoming officers in the United States Army. We are all very proud and wish them the best of luck in their branch of duty. January is upon us and we have already begun another semester. With most cadets having at least one semester under their belts we are

Past Events
- Leadership Symposium
  - 12/1
- Commissioning 12/13
  - Patrick Kilman
  - Jonathon Motley
  - Ella Go
- Contracting
  - Alexander Tarazona
  - Megan Forbes

Upcoming Events
- Lab
  - 5 January
- FTX
  - 3-6 April
- Leadership Symposium
  - 26 February 2013
- Commissioning Ceremony
  - May 2013

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CADET OF THE MONTH:

CDT Kelby Wiley

CDT Kelby Wiley is a new cadet who joined the program in the fall but has quickly integrated into the battalion and has been a model cadet. He can be seen working attentively at the local HEB.
The labs for the months of December and January have not only taught the skills needed in the field but in the classroom as well. The Leadership Symposium taught cadets successful leadership skills and necessary tools for becoming a great leader. At Hunewell Ranch cadets of all classifications quickly got back into the swing of things after the Holiday break!
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During Commissioning of Cadets Kilman, Motley, and Go. We are very proud of their achievement and know the hard work they put into becoming Army officers. We wish them best of luck in their new careers. Also in January Cadets Tarzana and Forbes became contracted members of the United States Army.

Cadets Go, Kilman and Motley await their Commissioning.

Newly Commissioned Second Lieutenants.

Contracting of Cadets Tarazona and Forbes.
Fellow Texans,

We have ended the year with a great commander’s holiday reception, and it was an enjoyable experience to spend it with the ROTC family. We have welcomed some new faces at the start of this new semester, like Mendoza, Rumsey, Ritz, Blackburn, and new cadre member, SSG Stachura. I am extremely pleased with how everyone is doing on land navigation and APFT. We are getting better with each iteration. Some of the upcoming events will need everyone’s participation, to include the leadership symposium, the dining out, the Texan JROTC drill meet, golf tournament, and the commissioning ceremony. Always remember to study hard and to strive to do your best.

GO TEXANS!
OVERVIEW – AIR DEFENSE ARTILLERY OFFICER

- The air defense artillery officer leads the air defense artillery branch, who protects U.S. forces from aerial attack, missile attack and enemy surveillance. They must be an expert in tactics, techniques and procedures for the employment of air defense systems.

JOB DUTIES-

- Coordinate the Air Defense target engagement process in joint and multinational operations.
- Employment of Air Defense Artillery Soldiers at all levels of command.
- organizations


QUOTE OF THE MONTH:

“I don't measure a man's success by how high he climbs but how high he bounces when he hits bottom.”

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