

JROTC Annual Report
Henderson County School Board
13 JUNE 2017

Senior Army Instructor (SAI): Colonel (COL) – Retired (R) Jeffrey C. Garrott
Army Instructor (AI): Command Sergeant Major (CSM)(R) Victor R. Rosentreter

Teams:

Rifle (10+students) - Season (all) - CSM Rosentreter - (Practice-Monday/Wednesday)
Drill (40+students) - Season (all) - COL Garrott - (Practice - Tuesday/Thursday)
Color Guard/Saber Guard (CG/SG) (20+students) - Season (all) - COL Garrott - (Practice-Tuesday/Thursday)
Adventure Training Activities, "Raiders" (40+students) - Season (Fall-Oct/Spring Mar-Jun) - CSM Rosentreter

Extracurricular team activities listed above serve as positive impact opportunities for student involvement. Participation is voluntary to active members of the JROTC program (150+cadets/SY16-17) who maintain varsity-qualifying grades in all subjects. Each team competed in local, regional and national (Rifle) events this past SY. All events/competitions' occurred on weekends. Each instructor brings unique skills gained from 20+years of military leadership and team building to his particular team. Per the mission of JROTC (To Motivate Young People to be Better Citizens), we encourage student cadets to lead by example, seek leadership opportunities, and practice community service.

SY 16-17 Highlights:

- Cadet Cindy Gilbert ('17) selected as HCHS CTE Student of the Year – academic scholarship Murray State
- Cadet Rion Krampe ('17) awarded ROTC and academic scholarships to Murray State
- Cadet Andrew Woodard ('17) awarded University of Louisville ROTC Minuteman Scholarship
- Nine graduating seniors enlisted in or expressed intent to enlist or pursue military service

Overall HCHS JROTC supported 126 school, HC school system, and community events in SY 16-17 to include:

HCHS Convocation Day (CG)

HCHS Football Home Games x4 (CG/Ushers) – Homecoming (SG/CG)

HCHS Basketball Boys/Girls Varsity x14 – Homecoming (SG/CG)

HCHS Volleyball – Senior Night (CG)

Henderson Veterans/Week Activities:

South Middle School (CG/SG/Ushers/Speaker)

North Middle School (CG)

Spottsville Church (CG/Flag Detail)

A.B. Chandler (CG)

Niagara Elem School (CG)

HCHS Vet Day programs (CG/Saber Guard – Missing Man Detail)

Western Kentucky Veterans Center (Donation Delivery and Visit w/veterans)

Drill Team Competitions x4 (CG, Drill squad/platoon, exhibition)

Precision Rifle Team– 14 competitions – Host School for State Competition (JAN)

Adventure Training (Raiders) – 4 competitions/JCLC

Annual Award Ceremony – Guest presenters from HCHS, DAR, MOAA, USA, and USMC

Annual Military Ball - 180 cadets and guests

HCHS Graduation (CG)

Henderson Community Memorial Day (CG/Wreath Detail)

Community Service (all teams):

Henderson Diversity Parade (CG)

Henderson Community Holiday Parade (CG/Drill/Battalion Formation)

Admiral Kimmel Statue Dedication (CG)

Christmas Food Drive

Goodfellows

Henderson Emergency Certification Training (CERT)

Daughters of American Revolution (Cadet Presentation)

HCHS Facility Support – Desk/Chair Setup (Aux Gym/Cafeteria/Main Gym) x15

General Program Information

HCHS Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) is performance oriented. The curriculum includes a broad spectrum of subjects, including:

Communication Skills

Leadership

Physical Fitness - Health

First Aid

Drug Abuse Prevention

American and World History

Citizenship

Technology Awareness

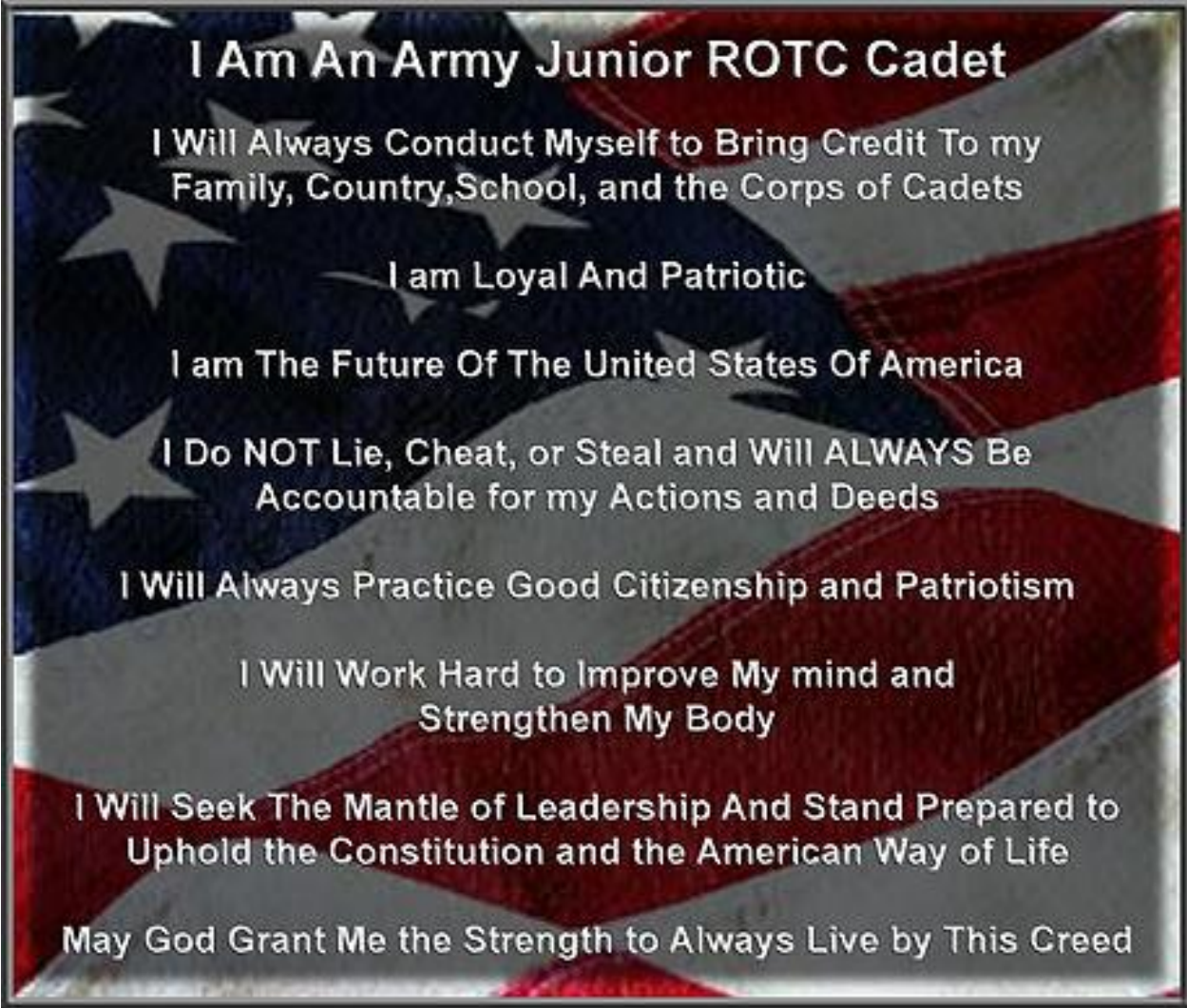
Adventure Trips (Raiders/JCLC/etc)

JROTC prepares high school students for life, not for the military.

Junior ROTC is an elective high school course taken during regular school hours but includes many out-of-classroom activities. The program curriculum covers basic history, government, technology awareness, health and safety, and current events. In addition, cadets learn leadership skills (how to motivate others) and personal skills (how to study, take tests, and interview for jobs). Extracurricular activities offered to qualified cadet students include drill and color guard, adventure training (Raiders), and precision rifle. Selected cadets attend JROTC summer camp (JCLC) where they participate in confidence courses, rappelling, learn land navigation, water safety, and various leadership and team building exercises.

No JROTC cadet is under any obligation to join the military. Our interest is simply to give students an opportunity to develop and improve in ways generally not offered in high school. JROTC does not promote the military, but it utilizes military based skill sets to teach self-discipline, confidence and pride in a job well done.

JROTC's goal is to develop leadership skills and prepare students for a future as responsible American citizens, improve physical and mental fitness, present opportunities offered by the armed forces, teach weapon safety and marksmanship, basic military drill, hygiene, health and first aid, map reading, and techniques of oral communication. Throughout the students time in JROTC these goals are broadened to include teamwork, problem solving skills, leadership seminars, advanced drill and practical exercises in command, ceremonies and parades, military history and inform students about ROTC, service academies, college preparation, and service/career training opportunities. Extracurricular activities are available and participation is encouraged. Uniform issue is at no cost to cadets. Uniform wear is mandatory during designated periods (one period/Wednesday). Ability to participate in physical fitness training is required along with a good attitude and willingness to participate in-group activities.

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I Am An Army Junior ROTC Cadet

**I Will Always Conduct Myself to Bring Credit To my
Family, Country, School, and the Corps of Cadets**

I am Loyal And Patriotic

I am The Future Of The United States Of America

**I Do NOT Lie, Cheat, or Steal and Will ALWAYS Be
Accountable for my Actions and Deeds**

I Will Always Practice Good Citizenship and Patriotism

**I Will Work Hard to Improve My mind and
Strengthen My Body**

**I Will Seek The Mantle of Leadership And Stand Prepared to
Uphold the Constitution and the American Way of Life**

May God Grant Me the Strength to Always Live by This Creed