



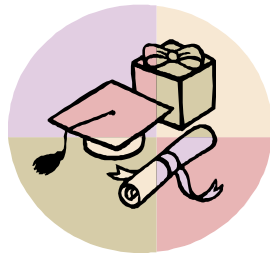
CAPTAIN PAUL F. FOYE
CONNECTICUT AREA CHAPTER
COAST GUARD ACADEMY PARENTS ASSOCIATION
May 2009 - Newsletter

CHAPTER News

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CT CADETS - CLASS OF 2009

Kathryn	Colella	Gales Ferry	CGC MIDGETT, Seattle, WA
Michael	Comerford	Coventry	CGC WALNET, Honolulu, HI, DWO
Stephen	Fainer	Naugatuck	CGC MIDGETT, Seattle, WA
Jennifer	Ferreira	Shelton	CGC TAHOMA, Portsmouth, NH, DWO
Michael	Fiori	New Britain	CGC , FORWARD, Portsmouth, VA, DWO
Alexandra	Gebhart	Somers	CGC MACKINAW, Cheboygan, MI, DWO
Laura	Gibbings	Hampton	CGC TAHOMA, Portsmouth, NH, DWO
Ashley	Grim	Ellington	CGC ALEX HALEY, Kodiak, AK, DWO
Christina	Mandour-Brackin	Manchester	CGC BERTHOLF, Alameda, CA, DWO
John	Mansolillo	Foster, RI	CGC VALIANT, Miami Beach, FL, DWO
Emily	Marr	Ayer, MA	CGC ACUSHNETT, Ketchikan, AK
Lauren	Millici	Stamford	CGC MIDGETT, Seattle, WA, DWO
Niles	Pierson	Cheshire	Sector Delaware Bay, Philadelphia, PA
Shea	Quinn	Gales Ferry	CGC TAHOMA, Portsmouth, NH, DWO
Andrew	Roemhild	Deep River	CGC BOUTWELL, Alameda, CA
Paul	Schmitz, II	Stonington	CGC DECISIVE, Pascagoula, MS
Kevin	Sorrel	Lebanon	CGC JUNIPER, Newport, RI
Dana	Tomc	Middletown	Sector Hampton Roads, VA
Jeffery	Walsh	Suffield	CGC CAMPBELL, Portsmouth, NH
Christopher	Woods	Simsbury	CGC NORTHLAND, Portsmouth, VA, DWO
D. Luke	Zitzman	Southbury	Flight Training, Pensacola, FL

Chapter Event/ Meeting



CAPT Paul Foye Chapter Reception Honoring CT Cadets of the USCGA Class of 2009

A reception was held on the evening of April 21 in the Henriques Room of Hamilton Hall to recognize graduating CT cadets of the USCGA and their parents. An engraved alarm clock and a crisp, new \$50 bill in a congratulatory card were presented to each cadet. Present at this ceremony were the Assistant Superintendent, the Commandant of Cadets, and LCDR Kathy Felger (Echo Company Officer), as well as CAPT Paul Foye Chapter Officers. Parents of the graduating cadets looked on proudly.



ENSIGN EDIBLES

Remember your cadet as he/she prepares for final exam week. Orders can be placed online through the Chapter Website and paid through PayPal.

And don't forget Ensign Edibles during Swab Summer! Online order:

<http://uscgaparents.org/chapter/CaptPaulFoye/EnsignEdibles.htm>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, May 20
Graduation

Sunday, June 7
Swab Welcome Picnic
USCGA, Alumni Hall

- Bring a salad to share (parents of new swabs to bring desserts)
- Welcome the USCGA class of 2013 CT area SWABS & offer support to their families.
- If your cadet is around, bring him or her.
- Bring your scrapbooks, stories, words of wisdom.

The MORE SUPPORT the BETTER!

Monday, June 29
Class of 2013 R-Day

Volunteers needed to welcome new families. Please consider manning the Chapter table for an hour or two. Contact Karen & Steven Bradley (860-526-4898) or captfoychapter@yahoo.com

2009-2010 CHAPTER OFFICERS

Co-Presidents- Karen & Steven Bradley ('10 & '12)
Co-Vice Presidents - Nancy & Nick Worobey ('10)
Corresponding Secretary - Leona Pie ('12)
Recording Secretary - Susan Coleman ('11)
Webmaster/ Ensign Edible Chair - Laurie Karasevicz ('10)
Treasurer - Erica Cosenza ('12)
Member-at-Large - TBD ('13)

CHAPTER UPDATE

On March 31, the CT chapter of CGA parents held a STARS DESSERT to honor CGA cadets who earned a Military, Academic or Physical Fitness Star in the prior semester. The theme was CHOCOLATE desserts and it was well received. Approximately 250 cadets enjoyed taking a break and savor the goodies.

A "Welcome Spring" gift bag was given to each CT cadet. The bag was filled with lots of snacks, toiletries, words of encouragement and love from friends and family from the Capt Paul Foye Chapter.

HOST FAMILY PROGRAM

Can you pick up a Swab or 2, 3, 4 at the airport traveling alone for Reporting-In Day? They usually fly in on Sunday (June 28), some on Saturday, and all report in the following Monday morning (very early, in time for you to still get to work). This service is very much appreciated by incoming families and depended upon by the Academy....and EASY to do! This is an annual service provided by the Capt Paul Foye Chapter. If you are able to host 1 or more Class of 2013 Swabs during the weekend of June 28, please contact [Katy Pizzi](mailto:katy_pizzi@mac.com), katy_pizzi@mac.com or 860-550-4663

Final Words

As this is my last Newsletter, I'm ending it with a "thank you" to the incredible parents in the Capt. Paul Foye Chapter. You have worked tirelessly in bringing a bit of home to the entire Corp of Cadets. As CT parents, we've been fortunate to have experienced the USCGA years with our cadets. In particular, I want to recognize Niles and Paula Pierson for their endless effort, time, vision and leadership. I know I speak for all departing 2009 parents in wishing you, your cadet(s) and the Capt. Paul Foye Chapter the very best.

Semper Paratus

Joan Tomc