

HYSTERICAL NEWSLETTER

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EDITORIAL:

Talking with Len the other day reminded me that we don't have a way of keeping up with overall committee progress and that of individual members. This then constitutes a real void. In order to fill this void I propose to try to produce this "Hysterical Newsletter" on a whenever (preferably monthly) basis. The title "Hysterical Newsletter" of course is a corruption of our more serious nature which would indicate the more staid approach of calling it "Historical Newsletter". The former was chosen as a title in the hope that we can interject a bit of humor into what all of us have a tendency to treat at times too seriously. What we're doing is important but let's not lose sight of the fact that we're doing it for recreation. With this in mind, anyone have any good clean CAP jokes? - Les

MEMBER PROGRESS

Len: Working away on regulation chronologies. Just received copy of his outstanding job on Observer Guide, Flight Management, Cadet Program, National Cadet Competition, CAPC Special Activity, and Senior Training Program. Charts indicate many, many hours of hard work on the part of Len.

Louisa: Would you believe, already working on the third ten years. The first 10 went over great with around 50 copies already on order. To be printed by the bookstore. Let the world know about availability and what a terrific job she has and is continuing to do.

Allan: Hard at work on article for "American History Illustrated". Subject to be Wartime Missions. Let's all welcome Allan as the latest addition to the committee.

Joe: Mostly trying to recover from trying to recreate a smoking hole in the ground with his own body. Hope this finds him in better health after his recent jumping accident. Correspondence indicates he is still hard at work on his Coastal Patrol and POW research.

Lee: Still plugging away at CAP as well as other collecting. Plans on updating his insignia catalog before too long.

Axel: Seems to have misdirected his efforts as of late in that he's letting his work (for pay) interfere with hysterical activities. For those of you who are not aware of it, Axel did an outstanding job of having The Company of Military Historians publish a Uniform Plate on Civil Air Patrol Uniforms a few years back. Why don't we all encourage him to do more of the same.

Tom: Tom's about like Axel in that he's got a bad case of workaholicism. Oh well! Someone has to defend us dumb CAP pilots not to mention the corporation. Tom's interest in things legislative and organizational will fill out our research efforts.

Bob: For those of you who don't know it yet, Colonel Robert J. Hunt, USAF just replaced Jim Hannan as our headquarters advisor. This move was made in preparation for Jim's retirement from the Air Force in the too near future.

Les: As usual, still consumed by Coastal Patrol Research (going blind on the micro-film reader). Has recently been known to stick his nose into such things as preparation for National Board Meeting, Wing Historical Policy, getting Historical Notes started and bothering all and sundry within his dysentary of the fountain pen. Oral histories are progressing with 6 recorded and another 6 scheduled within the next couple of weeks.

RECORDS ACCUMULATION

When you add Len's aforementioned chronologies to Louisa's chronology of early rules, letters and the like plus Les' chronologies, we have come a long way. To summarize, we now have rounded up the majority of the publications listed on the following chronologies:

By Louisa	General Memorandum	1942-1943
	CAP Bulletins	1942-1944
	CAP Instructions	1943
	Cadet Instructions	1943
	Operations Directives	1942
	Operations Memorandum	1942
	Coastal Patrol Circulars	1942-1943
	other specific references	
	(NOTE: primarily intended for Uniform and Insignia Research. Perhaps with a little encouragement after completion of the 4th ten years a listing by title and years would help our inventory project.)	
	By Len	Observers Guide
Flight Mgt		CAPM 60-1 & Related items
CAPC Program		Early Memorandum
		CAPM 30-2
		CAPM 50-6
		CAPM 50-16
Nat'l Cadet Comp.		CAPR 50-12
		CAPP 65
		CAPP 66
CAP Special Activity		Numerous
Sr Training Program		CAPM 50-17
		CAPR 50-1
		CAPR 50-3
	CAPR 50-9	
	CAPR 50-10	
	CAPR 35-5	
By Les	Uniforms	CAPM 39-1
	Decorations, Ribbons & Cert.	CAPR 35-4
	Medals, Ribbons & Cert.	CAPR 39-3
	Flight Management	CAPM 60-1
	Supply and Maintenance	AFR 65-63
	Air Force Regulations	Various

WANT LIST

		<u>Louisa</u>	<u>Len</u>	<u>Les</u>
-	General Memorandum 94	X		X
-	General Memorandum 95	X		X
8/10/43	War Dept. Ltr from AG	X		X
10/26/44	CG AAF Letter	X		X
10/20/48	CAPR 50-1	X		X
1/4/54	CAPR 35-7	X		X
12/28/58	CAPL 35-8	X		X
12/54	C1 to CAPR 35-4	X		X
1/24/58	C2 to CAPR 35-4	X		X
9/15/58	C2 to CAPR 35-4	X		X
1/12/59	C3 to CAPR 35-4	X		X
5-20-60	CAPL 39-3	X		X
1953	CAPR 900-1	X		X
11/15/55	CAPR 35-14	X		X
10/18/61	C1 CAPR 39-3	X		X
6/22/66	CAPR 39-3			X
4/10/67	CAPR 39-3			X
10/20/67	C1 CAPR 39-3			X
6/20/68	C2 CAPR 39-3			X
8/19/70	C3 CAPR 39-3			X
6/23/71	CAPR 39-3			X
12/54	CAPR 35-4			X
3/1/57	CAPR 35-4			X
1/24/58	C1 CAPR 35-4			X
9/15/58	C2 CAPR 35-4			X
1/12/59	C3 CAPR 35-4			X
11/15/55	CAPR 35-14			X
1/1/54	CAPR 30-8			X
5/23/55	C1 CAPR 30-8			X
3/18/57	C2 CAPR 30-8			X
4/30/58	CAPL 35-1			X
9/11/44	AAF Reg 20-18			X
8/21/44	AAF Reg 65-63			X
2/10/45	AAF Reg 65-63A			X
6/18/65	CAPM 60-1		X	X
8/21/67	C1 CAPM 60-1		X	X
5/23/44	CAPC Memo 50-18		X	
1957	CAPM 30-2		X	
1964	CAPR 50-6		X	
6/64	CAPM 50-16		X	
12/15/64	C1 CAPM 50-16		X	
12/54	CAPM 900-1		X	
1/56	CAPM 900-1		X	
9/66	CAPM 50-9		X	
1/20/67	C1 CAPM 50-9		X	
1/4/54	CAPR 900-7		X	
4/56	CAPM 900-2		X	
2/2/59	CAPL 30-1		X	
3/6/59	CAPL 30-2		X	
6/66	CAPM 50-10		X	
4/67	C1 CAPM 50-10		X	
7/3/74	CAPM 50-17		X	
4/17/70	CAPR 50-1		X	
8/19/70	C1 CAPR 50-1		X	
6/22/66	CAPR 35-5		X	

If you have it, please make a copy available to those needing it.

NEW ITEMS AVAILABLE

Found in the back room at National Headquarters those publications listed on the attached list of miscellaneous publications. Anyone wanting them should advise Les and they will be shipped to you. A copy of the elusive CAPL 39-1 of 7 December 1959 is attached for all.

RECENT ACQUISITIONS

Unit History CP Base 9 Grand Isle, La.
Unit History CP Base 21 Beaufort, N.C.
Air Medal engraved to pilot for CAP active duty with Civil Air Patrol.
To be used for display at AF museum.

MATERIAL WANTED

Please! Submit material for inclusion in future issues. This one is a bit long but that's the way inventories run.

Les
May 1983

DISTRIBUTION:

Members, NHC
Gen'l Brookfield
Gen'l Miller

CAP LETTER
39-1

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS CIVIL AIR PATROL
Auxiliary of the United States Air Force
Ellington Air Force Base, Texas

7 December 1959

Personnel - General

CAP NAME PLATE

(Effective until 30 December 1960 unless sooner superseded or rescinded)

PURPOSE: To describe and authorize the wear of a standard CAP name plate.

1. Description of Name Plate. The standard CAP name plate will be of black plastic composition, 2-7/8 inches wide and 3/4 inch high. Manufacture will be of combined white and black components so as to give a non-luster black plastic surface with white engraved lettering 3/8 inch in height. Edges of plate will be beveled from front to rear to provide a narrow white border around entire plate. A metal CAP crest, approximately 9/16 inch high and 7/16 inch wide, in color, will be mounted approximately 1/8 inch in from the left edge of the plate (the wearer's right). The last name of the member will be centered on the remainder of the plate.

2. How Worn. The standard name plate when worn will be centered immediately below the CAP or CAP Cadet breast patch. It may be worn on all outer uniform garments, except the raincoat and overcoat, and it may be worn on civilian clothes.

3. Purchase. Although purchase of the name plate is encouraged, it is an optional item. If purchased it should be procured from a source approved by National Headquarters and advertised as such. (CAP TIMES will probably advertise these.)



4. CAP Uniform Manual. The foregoing will be incorporated in the CAP Uniform Manual when published.

FOR THE NATIONAL COMMANDER:

ROBERT E. WOODY
Lt. Colonel, USAF
Director of Administrative Services

NOTE: One presently approved source of nameplates:

P-N PRODUCTS COMPANY
6764 NORTH IONIA AVENUE
CHICAGO 46, ILLINOIS

PRICE: \$1.25

Other approved sources will be announced as approved.

OPI: CPP

DISTRIBUTION: C (Mailed to units direct from Natl Hq)

MISCELLANEOUS CAP PUBLICATIONS

CAPM 20-1
Part 1
August 1964
(Supercedes issue
dated May 1961)

Region Position Descriptions

CAPM 20-1
Part 2
May 1961
(Supercedes issue
dated July 1958)

Wing Position Descriptions

CAPM 20-1
Part 3
May 1961
(Supercedes issue
dated July 1958)

Group Position Descriptions

CAPM 20-1
Part 4
May 1961
(Supercedes issue
dated July 1958)

Squadron Position Descriptions

CAP-USAFM 35-1
1 September 1965
(Supercedes
CAP-USAFR 34-1, 6 Sept 60
CAP-USAFR 35-1, 28 Feb 54
CAP-USAFR 35-2, 4 Jan 61
CAP-USAFR 35-5, 3 Oct 60
CAP-USAFR 36-2, 1 Nov 63
CAP-USAFR 36-3, 22 July 60
CAP-USAFR 39-1, 15 Sep 60
CAP-USAFR 171-1, 6 Jan 61
CAP-USAFR 171-1A, 28 Aug 62)

Military Personnel CAP-USAF Personnel
Procedures

CAPM 50-16
June 1964
(Supercedes CAPM
50-16, Aug 61)

The Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program

CAPM 50-17
22 June 66

The Civil Air Patrol Senior Member Training
Program and Incentive Awards System

Change 3 to CAPM 100-1
of February 1966
dated 15 July 1967

Communications

CAPM 100-1
July 1970
(Supercedes CAPM 100-1,
20 April 1968)

Communications

CAPM 190-1
July 1966
(Supercedes
CAPR 190-1, 20 Aug 64
CAPR 190-2, 19 Jun 64
CAPR 190-3, 19 Jun 64
CAPR 190-4, 18 Jun 64
CAPR 190-5, 8 Jun 65
CAPR 190-6, 21 Mar 66
CAPR 190-2, May 63
CH 1 to CAPM 190-2, Oct 64

Information Officers Handbook

CAPP 2
February 1962

This too is your Parish
The Chaplaincy, Civil Air Patrol

CAPP 3
June 1963

Civil Air Patrol Fund Raising
for Public Service

CAPP 20
December 1965
(Supercedes CAPP 20,
20 Jan 65)

CAP Academic Scholarships and Grants

CAPP 21
Undated

The Teaching-Learning Process

CAPP 26
June 1961

Hand Signals for Taxiing Aircraft

CAPP 33
Jan 1964

Model Aircraft Laboratory

CAPP 37
April 1964

Senior Member Study Guide Phase II
Indoctrination

CAPL 35-3
15 September/XO
& Change 1 dated
25 November 1960

Program to stimulate increased Senior
Membership

UNNUMBERED LETTER
5 October 1961

New Instruction to Unit Commander for
Obtaining Contributing Patrons

CAPL 39-1
7 December 1959

Personnel - General

Unnumbered Handbook
15 January 1965

Chaplains Handbook

Unnumbered Handbook
dated 15 June 1965

How to sponsor a Civil Air Patrol Cadet
Squadron