



...an act of force...  
...to impose our will...

von Clausewitz



No, Mrs. Tell. Frank's with the other kids.

You're cute, but we don't want the picture.



Shh . . . someone may be listening, dear.





**Why me again?**

**Shor miss those turkey hunts.**







Ten points per Tack.



Ranger cocktail party.



So now I'm prepared for anything.

You do nice work.





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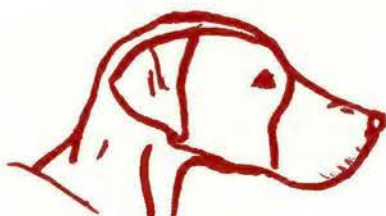
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# WEST'S POINTERS



The recorded history of the first platoon is proportionate to the subterranean account of it's members. It is undoubtedly a coincidence that this tin pan alley of characters (one each in color, twenty-four in spectrum) is a collection of roster numbers projected into a special situation, the result of which is presented in this genesis.

I am the recorder, the keeper of my brother's deeds, the compilation of identities as reduced and absorbed by my ability to empathize with and reflect the various colors. I am a full length mirror, a prismatic reflection of you.

... and at the end of seven pizza parties, Slash said, "Let there be something more than roster numbers."

And there was. For upon each wall writings appeared and numbers were enlarged to include personalities and Big Daddy Firepower walked serenely through the confusion accompanied by Baron Von O.D. Bubblebutt, his field marshal elect, who had personally elected himself. This was before the opportunist Slash, had enlightened the roster numbers, had given them meaning. Slash walked the regions of insanity placing timely words of encouragement in situations undoubtedly unnoticed by the others. For example, he warned us of the danger of owning waxen idols, however ...

Before three garbage cans, filed a very somber procession, offering gifts of floorwax, glo-coat, turtlewax, and the like. There was Whooping Crane, Beaner, the Logistics Twins, Morality, Bayonet, Mudge, Greed, Sarah, Lady, P.B., Rural, Suave, Murphy, Whimper, and Charley (not to mention the legions upon legions of other tribes). After the gods were appeased things returned to normal — the profoundly Bable world of the black god, Kiwi.

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Mary, Mary, quite contrary,  
How does your garden grow?  
With hokies, cokes, pizzas, jokes,  
And restrictions, all in a great big row.

And they left the garden (which they had no right to be in anyway having sinned before the subgod pogy) to walk in the shadow of ... fear? No one seemed to mind being ejected from Eden's Pizza Parlor, since apples were 'off limits' anyway and to completely destroy this outdated myth about snakes, they do not ... But I'm digressing.

The multitudes of roster numbers were assembled and told by Slash, who had just returned from the C.P., "You have sinned. Before long a great trouble will befall you and some will leave ... but not before the eighth week." And some did leave. But not before the eighth week.

As the hardships came, one upon one, each upon each, the leaders, Big Daddy Firepower (whose merits were well known), Slash (inventor of language after the destruction of roster numbers) and Baron Von O.D. Bubblebutt (still the self appointed field marshal and cool) summoned the tribe, commanding them to follow the S.O.P., telling them that they would soon move to a new land—the land promised to them by the C.P.

And the day came when everyone moved ... and moved ... and moved and some fell exhausted by the wayside (after the work was done) and finally the tribe was relocated. They celebrated the next weekend, for there was joy in the new land which appeared to be fertile.

And within this new land grew a new society in which sophistication, knowledge and morals seemed appropriate. The Whooping Crane, perched upon a system of honor, whooped, "Whoop! Whoop!" and Morality, Rural (Priest of the bar), and Suave (priest of sophistication and gentility) prepared to welcome three new members.

"Baaaaukkk ... baaaaukkk ... baaaaukkk."

"Where's my womb?"

"Hello! I guess I'm last."

Slash appeared and told them, "Henceforth you will be known as Parrot, Wosey, and Caboose and you will follow our S.O.P. suffer our hardships, and share our baaaaukkk ... ah, bwead ... bread." He also reminded them to beware of Mudge, a carryover from the decadent society they had escaped from. And Mudge slammed the door to his room refusing to unlock it.

As the culture of this ideal society progressed, it became lax, less aware of the S.O.P., less aware of the beauty of the promised land. The leaders recognized what lay ahead, but they too had become lax. Then one especially drear day, Big Daddy Firepower (still in command), Baron Von O.D. Bubblebutt (field marshal elect, cool, and phantom by nature) and Slash (now first disciple and coordinator) returned from the C.P. and stated, "You have erred, strayed from the paths of police. You have become impure. Henceforth you will be reminded daily of purity."

And everything was painted white.

It was a cool evening and the tribe had bedded down for the night. Mudge was grumbling, parrot squawked and Whimper whined. Murphy walked to his window and looking into the sky said,

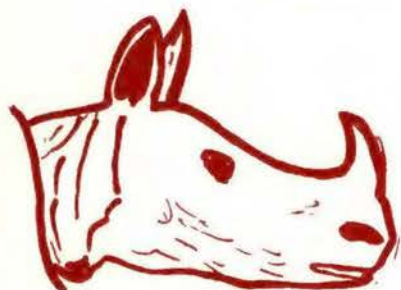
"Dah, what's that in the sky?"

It was a shining gold bar, shining in the West and the tribe was sore afraid.

(TO BE CONTINUED IN THE NEXT TESTAMENT)

From its violent inception on Sunday, 25 August, 1963, the Second Platoon formed into a tight-knit, hard-driven group of potential officers. Gathering its motives from its original thirty-nine members, dusting off its clay reddened khakis, this particular group of young American soldiers formed what was probably the most proud, most aggressive, most individualistic platoon in 54th Company (OC).

The platoon, as is any unit, was constructed from many separate and distinct parts. Driven together by their one common goal — commission as a Second Lieutenant — the individuality seemed to fade away and uniformity covered our passing days.



#### FOURTH PLATOON

our housework, we had the devil to pay. Not many a candidate will ever forget the restrictions and the demerits and the military letters. None will forget the fourth of the fifty-fourth.

So on we trod through the weary weeks of the course, drinking experience, pressing our impatience against the rock of time. Strange as it was, there was too little time at the beginning and too much time at the end.

We have become. We have realized our primary goal and ourselves. And what is that realization? It is that our goals spiral upward and that we are dedicated to pursue those goals. Graduation is only a plateau for us, a plateau from which we move upward in that spiral. If the fourth platoon was a grouping that occurred only by chance, then its maturation has been by conscious effort. For six exacting months we have shared our joys and sadnesses, taken our chances and gathered our winnings with a smile. We served, and we shivered in the fields together. We have played, and we have worked. It is not only for now that we have banded together. It is for the future in which we pledge ourselves to live, and if need be, to die together.

We that remain have come through a difficult period. We have seen our comrades willfully withdraw from the course. Their motives unknown but to themselves; they put aside the challenge before them.

We saw our members dwindle even further on two separate occasions as the leadership panels took their unquestionable toll. Our values were often shaken by our superiors, and our opinions registered disgust, despair, and disillusionment and yet fear quells even the brave, and the rigors of the course prevented us from dwelling on others' misfortune.

Weeks flew by, tactical officers changed, pressures increased, and yet each day we learned something of great value to each of us, personally. Naturally our courses of instruction from leadership through military justice were and will be of great value and yet

## RUPP'S RHINOS

If Dante went through the inferno or across the river Styx on a raft, he certainly didn't go through OCS in the fourth platoon. A religious experience it wasn't, but gads!

Time, not the devil, was our adversary. Harried from the beginning moments — and we do mean the beginning moments — we embarked at a hellacious pell-mell. We ran and yelled, braced and "dropped" for God, our country, and the BIG RHINO. Yet there were the small things.

The big thing, the one that mattered, was that we were separate and distinct individuals gathered by fate (and the alphabetical grouping from R-Z) to learn to know each other and ultimately ourselves. It wasn't easy, and it never will be complete. We explored the facets of our personalities, probed at the limits of our stamina, and toyed with our sanity at times. Slowly the personality of the fourth platoon was formed.

We knew that we were a good field platoon. We weren't as good housekeepers nor dust-maids, and probably never will make good wives. And yet, as often as we pooh-poohed

## LIND'S LEGION

Yes, the Second Platoon has come through with an outstanding group of young officers. Its hard shell was seldom cracked. It worked as a unit for a united purpose, and it worked hard. It had its own personality, it was stubborn, it was often unruly, but none the less, it remained its distinct self.

As its remaining twenty-five members walked across the stage and received their gold bars, each man could raise his head with pride. He made it successfully through a trying period. He overcame many obstacles and depressions. He received guidance from his friends, his family, his superiors, his country, and his Lord.

He now is a Second Lieutenant. God guide him!

the greatest lesson was not learned from any text. Nor did our leadership guidance in our tours of duty have as much effect on our daily lives as did one thing.

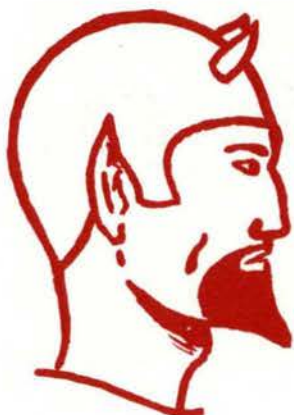
Each and every person who went through this course and successfully completed it learned that leadership does not stem from authority nor does respect for your fellow man come from misjustices. False enthusiasm is not a real man's motivation through his life. Loud noises do not echo what is within a man. Special privileges do not really mean merit.

We all learned that to be a leader of men, in any field, honesty is essential, courage is a must, reality must be faced *per se*, not covered by a mental rose. To lead men means simply that we have learned to follow.





# DAVIGNON'S DEVILS



Undoubtedly the most expensive also. But alas, what price pride.

Cliques were organized. After all if we have to be individualistic, let's be individualistic in groups! Cliques such as the "Mean-Ugly" Clique, and the "Anti-Clique" Clique serve to re-unite the mighty Third into the team it had once been.

Bivouac, and naturally, Old Man Weather greeted us with his nastiest. Keeping warm and getting up in the morning were the problems of the hour. Patrolling into the wee hours kept us pretty busy, especially since Stan (Airborne Ranger) Parker succeeded in conducting the most abortive patrol in the history of the Ranger Department. It is rumored that Stan is applying for a Quartermaster Commission. We concur.

The end of Bivouac and the 11th Week Party. Everyone was dead and so was the party. The problem at hand was how to stay awake long enough to win fair maidens charms. It is said that Candidate Parsons was well on the way, when he fell asleep in the back seat on the way to Auburn! Some of us have all the luck.

This was probably the shortest week in the history of OCS. Monday training was cancelled because of the death of President Kennedy, and Thanksgiving occupied the other end of the week. However, we managed to work in some excitement in the other two remaining days. The West German Defense Minister visited the 106 Range, much to our glee, and the Bayonet Assault Course tasted like mud. To Candidate Fullerton of the 2nd Platoon, it tasted like blood, 'cause he speared himself in the leg with his bayonet. Strange weapon to have on a Bayonet Assault Course. Oh well, OCS is full of incongruities!

"Raaaaaanger", and "the Hawk is out" became familiar cries to the Third Platoon. George Moore managed to get flipped on his neck in the Hand-to-Hand Pit, much to the enjoyment of the German VIP's and the Ranger Committee, (who says American troops don't train rough?) The "Hawk" presented many problems to the Third, and these were confronted with as many solutions. In the morning they were all pretty good. In the afternoon . . . sweat much? We were getting fat and sloppy anyway.

"Short-timers" attitudes were adopted by the entire company, Davignon's Devils not to be excluded. Xmas was coming, we were sure. The question in mind was, "Would it ever get here"? It did, and the Third departed en masse with Lt. Davignon's blessing and words of

The first week of OCS was indeed a varied and amazing experience for all the 38 candidates in the Third Platoon. Candidate Brace, "You're Eyeballing, First Four Inches, Post Yourself, and Give Me Ten were all phrases that added up to harrassment — which in turn add up to "OCS". What had we gotten ourselves into?

"THE THIRD WILL BE HEARD", and the "Wooliebooger" appeared, along with much needed Platoon spirit and enthusiasm. The Wooliebooger was awarded to the Candidate in the 3rd Platoon that exhibited the most outstanding "Dudemanship" of the week. But exclusiveness of mascot was not to be ours, as the entire company adopted our little "animal" as a mascot, along with using his name in classroom soundoffs—"54th Woolieboogers, Woomph"!

Pizza, cokes, submarine sandwiches! Ah me, this is really OCS. What do you mean Honor Violation? Thru this episode, we of the Third soon found that the Honor Code was a very ambiguous animal, subject to the interpretation of both Lt. Davignon and the Candidates. Guess who won! Restriction anyone?

The 5th Week brought some welcome changes in the Mess Hall. Eyeballing, smoking, and "full chair" privileges were allowed on Sunday. For all Three meals! A celebration party was held by the 3rd Platoon at the Harmony Church NCO Club. For the first time in many weeks, Candidates "bellied" up to the bar and felt somewhat human once more. OC Reidel's ballad to Mrs. Davignon brought raised eyebrows to some and many laughs to others, including Mrs. Davignon. And we thought Jack was a shy, retiring type of fellow. Amazing what three beers will do for a guy, isn't it?

Senior Candidates en masse, and Lt. Lind in civilian clothes were the order of the week. Egads, forsooth, commercial wax in plain view. Hmmmmmmm, something must be done said he, something will be done, said we, pour out the wax, said Captain Jones. And so we did — in the Company Street.

A Saturday night excursion to the Ft. Benning - Ft. Eustis football game. Ah yes, girls, pizza, girls, beer, hamburgers, girls, hotdogs, girls, girls, girls. What have we been missing for the past six weeks? Did I say something about a football game?

Emphasis now shifted to our main source of pride, the Tactical Officer's Office. Yes, many hours of hard work and money went into that office. Of course, it is the best one of the four.



caution fresh in our minds. Yes, we will wear our uniforms while we are home. Yes we will.

Back from the holidays safe and sound. No haircuts, no shine, your room is a mess. Hmmmmm, shades of the first week! And then came the great "inspection". Rooms were turned upside down, and their respective contents strewn hither, thither, and yon about the area. But, as in all things, the inspection had a purpose. Everything in OCS has a purpose. Of course it does. The next morning, we were treated to a six mile march around the Airborne Track, full field pack and all. It had a purpose also. To walk 6 miles, naturally. You haven't lived until you get up at 5 A.M. and walk 6 miles with a full pack, steel pot, and rifle. Absolutely.

The 20th Week brought about the creation of the "Nasty 9". Shame on you guys! Drinking coffee with your wives! And the mess hall. Paint, paint, and more paint. Let the weapons and web gear go! Paint thru till 2400 hours and maybe we will get the weekend off for working so hard! Well, the painting was finished by 2400, (we are Senior Candidates, so we can stay up past 11 o'clock — to paint). However, the next day, 57 people were restricted for dirty weapons. Who says diligence is not rewarded?

"54th Company, Painting Steady" reads the

sign in Scientific Laundry. Hah, it is just a rumor. Actually, we have a pass every weekend. Strive on, O Mighty Third. Finish your Platoon area — so you can start on the downstairs hall. Rumor has it that there is going to be an inspection. Nonsense, Capt. Jones wouldn't deceive us like that.

The Third is really getting short now. Cooperation is at an all time high. Hooray for me and nuts to you seems to be the prevalent opinion. Martin's "Reign of the Parrot" has us all in throes of fear and apprehension. Ah, will the pressure ever let up?

All over but the shouting. The orders are in, uniforms have had their final fitting, and The Third is ready to hat up and move out. But, alas and alack, we have 35 wall lockers to construct and 35 sets of furniture to disseminate thruout the company. Can't let the next company be bothered with such menial tasks. After all, all we have to do is prepare for graduation and get all our gear ready for PCS. And the comforting words from Col. Mabry: "Those of you who cross the stage..." Apparently all was not so secure as it seemed. But, as always, THE THIRD WAS HEARD, the job was done, and perhaps we were all a little wiser for it all. It was only six months.

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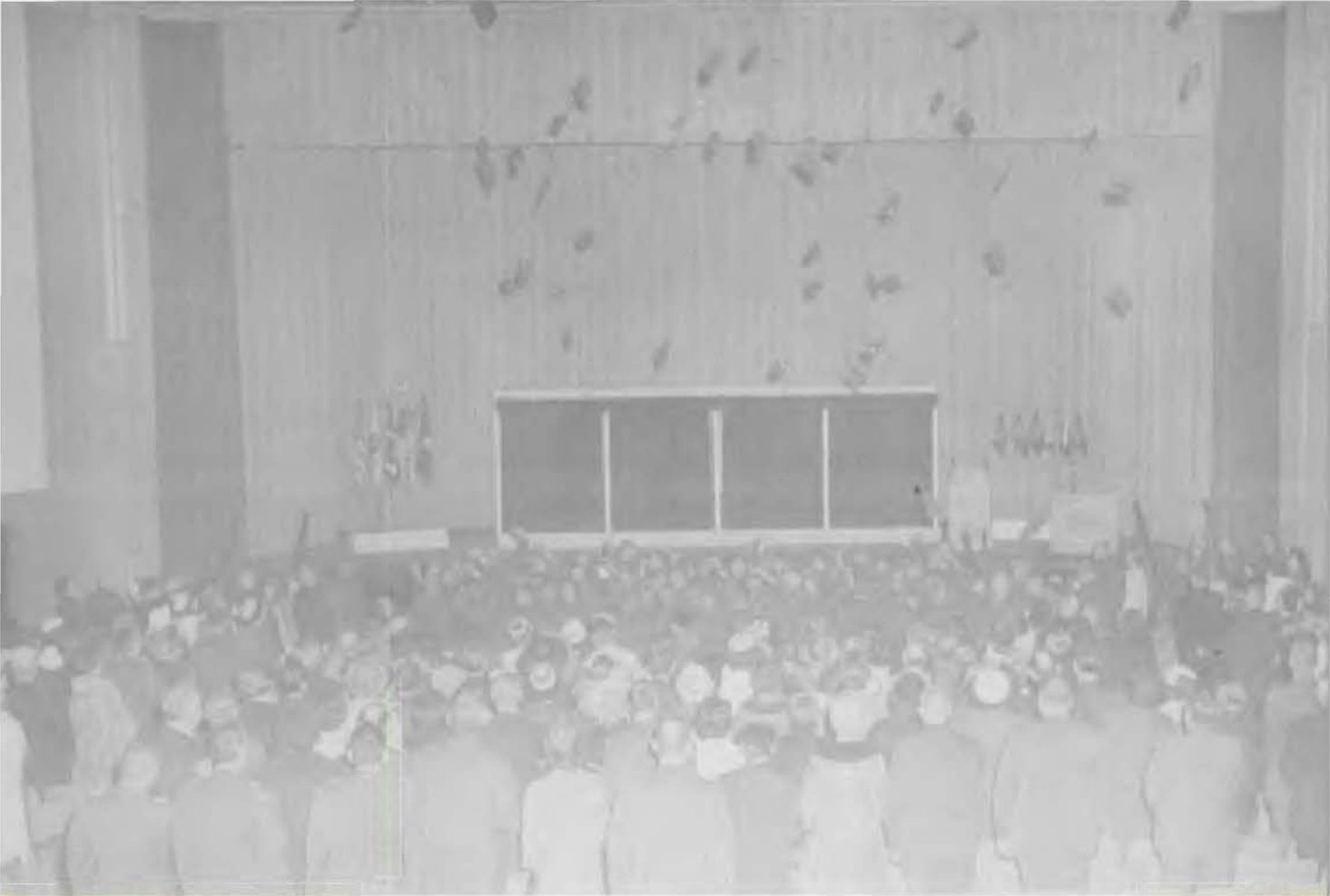




**Those responsible—The Classbook Staff**

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Club**





**The dam of joy burst**

**2ND LT.  
ERVIN E.  
BEAVER**

**First in  
the class . . .  
D.G.**







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Bivouac Chain  
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11th Week Party Publications Chmn.  
 18th Week Party Publications Chmn.  
 Public Information Officer



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480 PT Club  
 Blue Day Chain  
 Platoon Photographer  
 11th Week Party Procurement Comm  
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 Patterson Dar Award Ceremony



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Hq 3rd Trng Rgt,  
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Company Mess Officer  
 VIP Escort, Patterson Dar Award  
 Ceremony  
 11th Week Party Transportation  
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 Company Drill Team

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Roster Guide  
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 Chairman



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 Platoon Football Team



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 11th Week Party Coordinator  
 18th Week Party Coordinator  
 18th Week Party Skit



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 Company Football Team  
 Company Basketball Team



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Church Choir  
 Company Choir

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11th Week Party Protocol Comm  
 11th Week Party Procurement Comm



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 11th Week Party Procurement Comm  
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 18th Week Party Skit  
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11th Week Party Transportation  
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 18th Week Party Reception Decorating  
 Comm  
 Christmas Decorating Comm Chairman



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18th Week Party Decorations Comm  
 Thanksgiving Decorating Comm  
 Platoon Football Team





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480 PT Club  
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Glee Club  
Christmas Decorating Comm



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Bivouac Chain  
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Blue Day Chain  
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Company Football Team  
Honor Council Investigator



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11th Week Party

18th Week Party

Graduation Reception

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Thanksgiving Decorating Comm  
 Platoon Football Team





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 Student Council



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 11th Week Party Protocol Comm





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 18th Week Party Entertainment Comm  
 Thanksgiving Decorating Comm

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 Company Basketball Team  
 11th Week Party Entertainment Comm  
 18th Week Party Entertainment Comm



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"O" Co., 1st Trng Rgt,  
 Ft. Polk, La.

Bivouac Chain  
 Blue Day Chain  
 Honor Council  
 "Exodus" Chain  
 480 PT Club  
 Company Drill Team  
 VIP Escort, Patterson Day Award  
 Ceremony





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11th Week Party Supply Comm

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11th Week Party Aide



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