



# Bulls Battalion News

18<sup>th</sup> Edition

*Cadets are busy making a difference!*

February 2023



## LEADERS DEVELOPING FUTURE LEADERS

Cadets had the great opportunity to support reading activities for pre-K through second-grade students at Freedom Elementary School in Bradenton, Florida. The cadets led group reading circles, interacted and answered questions, and enjoyed the time spent reading to a spirited group of future leaders and learners. We are very excited to go back!

### 7 Benefits of Reading to Children:

- Supported cognitive development.
- Improved language skills.
- Preparation for academic success.
- Develop a special bond with your child.
- Increased concentration and discipline.
- Improved imagination and creativity.

Oh, and it is FUN!!

**Battalion Commander**

**Command Sergeant Major**



### **C/LTC Chase Bowen:**

*"Cadets, thank you for supporting our very first drill competition here at PCHS and continuing the high energy daily! Please study hard for our JPA inspection so we can proudly wear our star!"*



### **C/CSM Hailey Medina:**

*"Thank you to all cadets who participated in the drill meet effort. Congrats to the boys for placing and to all competing cadets. I am excited to see you all at our formal JPA battalion inspection. Let's finish this year strong with our Honor Unit with Distinction."*

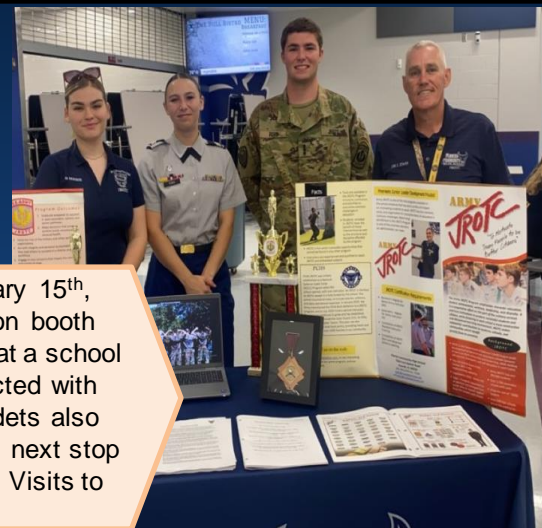
## Drill Season & Recruitment



**Drill Team/Color Guard:** The Bulls Battalion hosted its first drill meet on February 11<sup>th</sup> at PCHS. Our Cadets earned 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Male Armed Platoon and Cadet Kerns won 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Individual Exhibition!



**Recruitment team:** Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, the recruitment team staged an information booth to greet incoming freshmen and parents at a school orientation open house. The team connected with 20 prospective Cadets for next year. Cadets also supported parking for guests as well! The next stop for the recruitment team is Middle School Visits to Haile and Buffalo Creek!







# KEY UPDATES/EVENTS

## March:

- ROA Award Dinner 3/1
- NCO Promotion Board 3/22
- JV Drill Meet 3/4
- LET 1 Drill Meet 3/25
- J.P.A. 3/8
- MOAA Scholarship Board 3/28
- Military Ball 3/9
- Record Day 3/10
- Officer Promotion Board 3/20



# PROMOTIONS!!



N. Porter  
M. White  
O. Tlemsanix  
M. White



J. Herbert

## CADET CORNER

### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

*Taveon Pescuma*  
*Nathanael Gobeli*  
*Nicholas Porter*  
*Adrianna Grullon*  
*Kristian Ryan*  
*Sidney Buice*

## February Bulls Of The Month



LET I  
Peyton May



LET II  
Campbell Lawless



LET III  
Hailey Kerns

Congratulations to our newly appointed 2023-2024 Command Group

**Battalion Commander:**  
Hailey Kerns

**Battalion XO:**  
Jack Davis

**Command Sergeant Major:**  
Kristian Ryan

*Alpha: CPT Gage Roberts*

*"Teamwork makes the Dream work"*

ALPHA Company

*Bravo: 1LT Myles Donley*

*"Don't judge someone until you've walked a mile in their shoes"*

*Echo: 1LT Ashton Purdy*

*"Your biggest enemy is yourself"*

ECHO COMPANY

*Delta: 1LT Adrianna Grullon*

*"The beginning is harder than the end"*

DELTA Company