



The Nellis Times

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NCS is “Successful”!

Every three years, squadrons in Nevada Wing are required to go through a Subordinate Unit Inspection to determine if they are properly running and managing the squadron. For 2012, Nellis Composite received a grade of successful (with other grades being unsatisfactory, marginally successful, and highly successful) with no findings (major deficiencies) and four commendables (highly effective practices).

All areas inspected received a successful grade except Public Affairs which received a grade of highly successful. The four commendable were for the squadron Facebook page, the squadron newsletter, the squadron commander’s in-brief before the inspection, and the fact that our color guard is now taking over many of the Nellis AFB Honor Guard’s off-base postings because they are no longer able to support them. All in all, a job well done!



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Promotions

2d Lt Grayson Grantham	12 June 2012
2d Lt Robert Griffith	09 June 2012
Leadership Officer Achievement	
C/Capt Patrick Casa	26 June 2012
Public Affairs Officer Achievement	
C/1st Lt Mario D’Angelo	26 June 2012
Charles Lindbergh Achievement	
C/MSgt Dakota Read	26 June 2012
C/MSgt Edward Shiu	19 June 2012
Capt Eddie V. Rickenbacker Achievement	
C/TSgt Shane Hutchins	05 June 2012
Gen Henry “Hap” Arnold Achievement	
C/A1C Tyler Mills	26 June 2012
C/A1C Brian Vu	26 June 2012

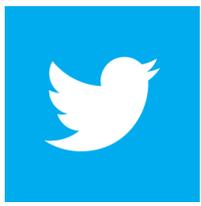
New Members

Maj Mark Goodman	C/2d Lt Tevin Stewart
C/AB Jared Hooper	C/AB Matthew Syphus

Awards

Red Service Ribbons—Ten Year	26 June 2012
Capt David Sidle	1st Lt Carl Klepzig
Red Service Ribbons—Five Year	26 June 2012
C/2d Lt Michael Johnson	C/2d Lt Tevin Stewart
Red Service Ribbons—Two Year	26 June 2012
C/2d Lt Marjorie Franzen	C/MSgt Edward Shiu
C/TSgt Jason Fung	C/TSgt Braden Gant
Recruiting Ribbons	26 June 2012
C/MSgt Dakota Read	C/SrA Zachary Eckman

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Color Guard Posting

Cadets from Nellis Composite Squadron did the honors Sunday in presenting the colors during the *Education Skill on Display* event at the Clark County Library Theater. The event was sponsored by Socialites, Inc, a local youth support group.

The audience watched with pride as the color guard walked onto the stage carrying the colors before the singing of the national anthem. For their display of professionalism, the team received a well-deserved round-of-applause from the audience. After the event, Teresa Troup, secretary of the Socialites Inc., presented the team with a certificate of appreciation.

The Nellis Composite squadron's color guard, which placed second overall in the 2012 Nevada Wing Color Guard Competition, consisted of: Cadet Lieutenant Col. Nicole Crisp, senior rifle, Cadet Second Lt. Marjorie Franzen, U.S. flag bearer, Cadet Major Ruben Cruz-Colon, Nevada flag bearer, Cadet First Lt. Mario D'Angelo, junior rifle. Cadet Franzen previously served as color guard commander.



The Nellis Composite Squadron Color Guard recently took on additional tasking from Nellis Air Force Base as their color guard unit scaled down due to budget cuts.

Nevada Encampment 2012

Newsletter Inputs

The squadron newsletter will be published on the first Sunday of every month. If you have photos, articles, notices, or anything you want to add or if you are interested in working the newsletter, please contact C/Lt Col Crisp no later than the last Sunday of the previous month.

July Activities

July 21 - [Squadron Dining Out](#), 1800-2200 hrs (6-10 PM)
Nellis AFB Club, NCS cadets contact [C/Lt Col Crisp](#) to sign up; Senior Members, relatives, & all other guests should use [Eventbrite](#). Ages 11 and up.
Other payment options are available for those unable to use Eventbrite. Contact [C/Lt Col Crisp](#).
Early Ticketing through 7 July—\$40
Regular Ticketing through 17 July—\$45
Register early, save \$5!



To view more photos of the encampment, visit the [Nevada Wing Cadet Programs Facebook page](#).



Nellis Composite Squadron Dining Out 2012



SAT, JULY 21 • 1800-2200 hrs

Nellis AFB Club, 5871 Fitzgerald Boulevard, 6—10 PM
Social Hour, Formal Dinner, Dancing Afterward
Speaker: Col Alex Grynkewich, 57th Wg Vice Commander, USAF
Register at ncsdiningout2012.eventbrite.com.

Meal Options:

- London Broil Dinner
- Chicken Cordon Bleu
- Pasta Primavera (Vegetarian Option)

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Directions:

1. Enter through the main gate accessible by going eastbound on Craig Rd past Las Vegas Blvd, by heading north on Las Vegas Blvd and turning right onto Craig Rd/Fitzgerald Blvd, or by heading southbound on Las Vegas Blvd and turning left onto Craig Rd/Fitzgerald Blvd
2. Past the gate remain in the left hand lane
3. Head straight past Washington Blvd
4. Turn right into the Club, there is a car port and parking is on the east side of the building

