



# ROTC NEWSLETTER

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## The New Cadet Command Sergeant Major: Parker Normand

Four short years later the graduating and commissioning class of 2018 is soon upon us! Where has the time gone? As a class we're more than ready and excited to take on our next duty assignments as second lieutenants. However, before we do so we want to ensure that our MSIII Class of 2019 is well prepared for Advanced Camp this summer in Fort Knox, Kentucky.



This semester the primary focus has been the Troop Leading Procedures, OPORD Dissemination, Tactical Platoon Operations. From what I've heard from both Cadre and other MSIV's, they're doing a great job at each and are on track to crush summer training with the pace they've set. With a bigger and smarter class, we wouldn't expect anything less. They've learned from some strong graduating classes in years past here at Wildcat Battalion. "Hard as Granite."  
*UNH Army ROTC, BN CSM Normand*

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## The Commissioning Class of 2018 Branch and Components

**Jason Alphonse-** Active Armor



**Mathew Bagley-** Active Duty Infantry



**Cameron Barth-** Active Duty Aviation



**Bryan Carleton-** Active Duty Infantry



**Ashley Cleaves-** NG Transportation



**Mikaela Guertin-** Active Duty Nursing



**Willard Hancock-** NG Transportation



**Methodius Kpan-** Reserve Signal



**Parker Normand-** NG Military Police



**Daniel Phelps-** NG Medical Services Aviation



**Jacob Poore-** NG Military Police



**Amber Rose-** NG Field Artillery



**Carley Rotenberg-** NG Adjutant General



**Andrew Shue-** Active Duty Infantry



**Eric Vierkant-** NG Aviation



**Solomon White-** Active Duty Ordinance



**Christian Wrightson-** NG Nursing



\*NG- National Guard

## Winter Training Exercises

This semester Cadets in the Wildcat Battalion are not letting the snow and freezing temperatures interfere with some great training. Every Friday from 1200-1700, Cadets spend some time in the woods going over tactical drills and how to operate in dense environments. The MSIII's (Juniors) are gearing up to head to Advanced Camp in Fort Knox, Kentucky this summer and these labs are helping to prepare them!



## MARCH CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 PLT Recon Training	2 USM Color Guard	3 USM Color Guard
4	5 USM PT Test	6	7	8 Patrol Bases Training	9 NO LAB	10 UNH SPRING BREAK
11	12	13	14 SNU SPRING BREAK	15	16	17
18 USM SPRING BREAK	19	20	21	22 PLT Ambush Training	23 PLT AMBUSH LAB	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 PCI LAB	31 12 Mile Ruck

# WILDCAT BATTALION: Hard as Granite

**Big events in April:** Spring Combined Training Exercise in Vermont (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>), Awards Ceremony and Military Ball (27<sup>th</sup>)

## Spring 2018 Chain of Command

MSIV Leadership Positions	Name	Assistant
Battalion Commander	Jacob Remick	
Executive Officer	Andrew Shue	
S1 Personnel Officer	Methodius Kpan	Eric Vierkant
S2 Intelligence Officer	John Riley	Jason Alphonse
S3 Operations Officer	Eric Wallace	Jack Luth, Izaac White
S4 Logistics Officer	Willard Hancock	Cameron Barth, Amber Rose
S6 Signal Officer	Carley Rotenberg	Daniel Phelps
A Co Company Commander	Solomon White	(UNH)
A Co Executive Officer	Mathew Bagley	
A Co First Sergeant	Nathan Walters	
B Co Company Commander	Bryan Carleton	(USM)
B Co Executive Officer	Ashley Cleaves	
B Co First Sergeant	Mikaela Shields	
C Co Company Commander	Jacob Poore	(SNUH)
B Co First Sergeant	Anthony Scozzari	

Battalion Level	Alpha Company	Bravo Company	Charlie Company
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