

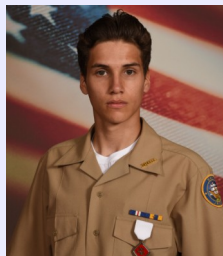
Who's Ahead?

From the Cadet Training Officer

FEATURED CADETS - WRIGHT & HESSE



Cadet [Issey Wright](#), a junior at GTJHS, joined the program Fall 2017. Determined to rank up to C/CPO, Issey attends training sessions regularly and works hard at home and at school. Having achieved C/PO1 and fulfilled almost all of the requirements for C/CPO, Issey is well on his way to become C/CPO in June.



Cadet [Marc Hesse](#), a senior at GTJHS, joined the program Fall 2017. Although a senior, Marc didn't want to go easy on himself, so he set a goal to achieve C/CPO before he graduates. He attends training sessions and works tirelessly. Having finished almost all of the requirements for C/CPO, Marc will definitely reach his goal before he graduates.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN SENIOR CHIEF'S NS1 CLASSES?

As of 27 April 2018, 91 % of Senior Chief's two NS1 classes has passed C/SA exams. They are finishing up the practical exam for C/SN this week, and will work on C/PO3 starting next week. Keep up the good work!

A YEAR OF ACHIEVEMENTS

The introduction of monthly training sessions this year has brought a record number of cadets to work on advancement. As of May 3, 2018, training session attendance has reached to **216** by a total of **75** cadets. In addition, the number of promotions has increased significantly from approximately 90 last school year to **276** this year. Enthusiasm has never been this high!

There are now over 20 sophomores and juniors who have the potential to achieve C/CPO by August, including cadets [Balducci](#), [Beane](#), [Chiang](#), [Flint](#), [Jimenez](#), [LaScola](#), [Riegel](#), [Rodriguez](#), and [Suarez](#). Seniors like [Evan Scholz](#) are racing against time to achieve the highest rank possible before they graduate in May. What an accomplishment!

As the school year is coming to an end, I'd like to thank all of you cadets for your effort. Thank you NSI's for your support. And thank you cadets [Wiscovitch](#), [Mosiychuk](#), [Wanger](#), [Dirndorfer](#), and [Heckert](#) for your help with this year's training sessions. The unit cannot run well without everyone's effort.

PROMOTIONS

- To the rank of *Cadet Chief Petty Officer (C/CPO)*

Name	Earned Date
Jonathan Blank	2018.04.13
- To the rank of *Cadet Petty Officer First Class (C/PO1)*

Name	Earned Date
Wyatt Beane	2018.04.13
Michael Chiang	2018.05.02
Marc Hesse	2018.04.13
Nicolas Jimenez	2018.04.19
Evan Scholz	2018.05.02
Issey Wright	2018.04.13
- To the rank of *Cadet Petty Officer Second Class (C/PO2)*

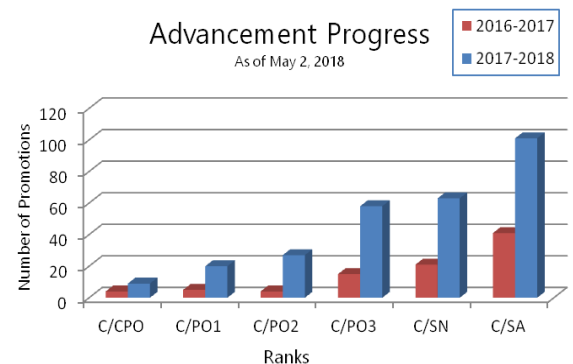
Name	Earned Date
Aidan Flint	2018.04.27
Ian Fogle	2018.04.13
Nicolas Reyes-Lopez	2018.04.14
Alex Suarez	2018.04.13
- To the rank of *Cadet Seaman (C/SN)*

Name			
Machi	Macon	Velez	
- To the rank of *Cadet Seaman Apprentice (C/SA)*

Name			
Aiello	Barbagallo	Canterero	Daniels
Frazier	Jordan	Mitchell	Robinson
Waser			

Advancement Progress

As of May 2, 2018



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