

# The ChallengeNGer★

Class 1-24, Issue 6

05/03/2024-05/26/2024



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## 6th PROGRESS REPORT AWARD WINNERS

### HONOR PLATOON 3rd Platoon

#### CADET OF THE DAY

05/03 Alex Nidy  
 05/06 Todd Stevens  
 05/07 Xaichon Steelman  
 05/08 Dereon Hart  
 05/09 April Kuhn  
 05/10 Javon Vanscoy  
 05/13 Gunner Haller  
 05/14 Ciara Johnson  
 05/15 Jayson Hutchinson  
 05/16 Olivia Ray  
 05/17 Trey Mayo  
 05/20 Cayleigh Kinder  
 05/21 Rueben Swartzel

DIRECTOR'S AWARD  
 LEADERSHIP AWARD  
 PHYSICAL TRAINING AWARD

Jayson Hutchinson of Kanawha County  
 Michael Caldwell of Ohio County  
 John Pritt of Taylor County

**OVERALL  
MOST IMPROVED**

Isiah Wharton

**PT  
MOST IMPROVED**

Isaiah Crockard

**CADRE  
DISTINCTION AWARD**

Michael Caldwell

#### LEADERSHIP APPOINTMENTS

##### Corps Commander

Jayson Hutchinson

##### Assistant Corps Commander:

Michael Caldwell

##### Platoon Leaders:

Jakob Boggs

Gunner Haller

Ciara Johnson

River Templon

##### Assistant Platoon Leaders:

Daymyon Bowman

Malea Fleming

Noah McCoy

Brett Taylor



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES

##### Deputy Director's Distinction Award

*For being incident & sick call free*

|                   |               |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Michael Caldwell  | Gunner Haller |
| Jayson Hutchinson | Noah McCoy    |
| Brett Taylor      |               |

##### Commandant's Cup

*Attaining Level 6 on the Level System*

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Jakob Boggs       | Michael Caldwell |
| Jayson Hutchinson | River Templon    |

##### S2C AWARD

Johnathan Giff  
 Gavin Hoffman  
 April Kuhn

##### Highest Academic Points

George Junkins

##### HONOR'S LIST

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Elizabeth Horton | Kevin Maguire  |
| Olivia Ray       | Audrie Starkey |
| Xaichon Steelman | Aidan Wheeler  |

#### INSTRUCTOR'S LIST

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Michael Caldwell  | Bella Cost     |
| Jonathan Facemire | Dereon Hart    |
| Donavin Helmick   | George Junkins |
| Cayleigh Kinder   | Alex Nidy      |
| Brantie Specht    | Haley Todd     |
| Maliky Whitmer    |                |

#### LEVEL ONE PT

|                     |                   |                    |                 |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| James Adkins        | Destiny Altamira  | Michael Caldwell   | Dawson Carroll  |
| Christopher Compton | Bella Cost        | Cameron Croson     | Kailub Davis    |
| Maddox Efaw         | Johnathan Giff    | Daniel Gillenwater | Gunner Haller   |
| Dereon Hart         | Jayson Hutchinson | Era'jai Jewett     | Ciara Johnson   |
| George Junkins      | Cayleigh Kinder   | Catori Knight      | April Kuhn      |
| Trey Mayo           | Ethan McCarty     | Sunnie McCauley    | Noah McCoy      |
| John Pritt          | Brantie Specht    | Noah Staker        | Rueben Swartzel |
| Brett Taylor        | Isaiah Tiller     | Javon Vanscoy      | Maliky Whitmer  |
| Benjamin Winfree    |                   |                    |                 |

Two additional awards are given only during the final Progress Reporting Period. The **Good Conduct Ribbon** recognizes those cadets who remained incident free during the six progress reporting periods. The **Health Ribbon** recognizes those cadets who have sustained a clean record from Sick Call.

### GOOD CONDUCT AWARD

|                  |                   |                |
|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Daymyon Bowman   | Michael Caldwell  | Bella Cost     |
| Isaiah Crockard  | Malea Fleming     | Gunner Haller  |
| Joshua Hillberry | Jayson Hutchinson | Noah McCoy     |
| Chad Platt       | Brett Taylor      | Shyanna Taylor |
| River Templon    | Haley Todd        | Maliky Whitmer |

### Health Award

|                  |                   |
|------------------|-------------------|
| Michael Caldwell | Johnathan Giff    |
| Gunner Haller    | Jayson Hutchinson |
| George Junkins   | Noah McCoy        |
| Rueben Swartzel  | Brett Taylor      |
| Isaiah Tiller    |                   |

### REMINDER...

First  
Post-Residential  
Monthly Report due  
July 11th and the  
11th of every month  
for one year.

### CITIZENSHIP RIBBON

All Cadets who completed the Sixth Progress Report received the Citizenship Ribbon. The white ribbon represents the need to do your share to make the Academy and your community better. Get involved, stay informed on the issues of the day, and vote. Give back to your community and continue to perform community service. A good citizen gives more than they take.

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

We will accept check or money order payment made to MCA to cover all outstanding bills.

All valuable documents including Graduation Certificates, High School Equivalency documents, resumes, training certifications, and final progress reports will be in a white binder and placed in backpacks that Cadets will receive after the ceremony.

*Do not lose this graduation packet!*



***Congratulations Class 1-24***



Dear Families,

Thank you for trusting us with the care of your children for the past 22 weeks. The road to graduation has not been easy for them or you. Your sacrifices have helped your child to reach this milestone. MCA could not have done it alone. We look forward to seeing all the wonderful things Graduates will accomplish during the Post-Residential Phase.

Dianna Trickett  
Director

~Greet the future with anticipation. Dream big & work hard! Remember your roots, manners, and the way home.~