

All,

We are under a week from the first day of reporting here in New Century for MOB. I look forward to seeing you all and getting after it. We will train hard over the next few months and integrate everyone fully into the team. We will get the mission done and return home. If there are any issues, concerns, or questions, please reach out to your first line leader. These days will be fast-paced and long but the intent is to knock everything out in the first two days so we can relax a bit on the 9th prior to departing on the 10th. Be safe on your travels and see everyone on 07OCT, here are some further details/info:

- IAW current SECDEF memo, masks are to be worn while inside all DoD facilities and when unable to maintain proper social distancing (all eyes are on this mobilization, please help us ensure we have no outbreaks by maintaining social distancing and following SECDEF guidelines).

-Vaccination Card: Bring your COVID 19 vaccination card with you, have it on hand. If you haven't been vaccinated but plan on getting a dose between now and 7OCT then please remember that the only vaccination that the military has mandated is FDA approved (Pfizer). If you are looking at getting Moderna, remember that FT HOOD does not have MODERNA vaccinations so you CANNOT get the second dose down at North Ft Hood.

-ID Tags: Bring two sets of dog tags with you.

-Bags: Arrive on 7OCT with your bags/packing list to load them up in AC. Don't forget to pack all of your flight gear.

-TUFF BOXES: Please refer to CW3 Williams' email concerning issued tuff boxes; please bring them if you have them (this is a must).

-10OCT Parking: **You will not leave your car at the facility, you must be dropped off** (if you need a ride please let us know).

-Car Storage/Home Goods: If you are storing your car somewhere or home goods, the military can/should compensate you for that.

- **TIMELINE**

07OCT: Thursday

0630: Key Leaders

0730: Arrival & Formation (all that are local)

0745 - 0845: COVID 19 Screenings

- Holding area will be on the hangar floor (ALL on hangar floor will maintain greater than 6ft)

- 5 SMs at a time will report to East Classroom for their rapid test

0845 (after COVID 19 test) - 1130: PCCs and PCIs, Load aircraft with equipment & personal gear

1130-1300: Lunch (smartvoucher submitted at NFH for meal reimbursement - per diem)

1300-1515: Work on requirements for MOB

- 1st platoon completes Finance Packets with CW3 Bechthold + Driver's License w/ SGT Flanigan

- 2nd pt latoon completes ALSE VesIssue, Body Armor Sizing with ALSE, MASK fitting with Gardner (CBRNE)

- 3rd platoon completes SRP2 with stations, UST Online Classes, ISOPREPS (w/ CW4 Higgins)

1515-1715: Rotate to complete requirements for MOB

- 2nd platoon : Finance Packets with CW3 Bechthold + Driver's License w/ SGT Flanigan

- 3rd platoon: completes ALSE Vest Issue, Body Armor Sizing with ALSE, MASK fitting with Gardner (CBRNE)

- 1st platoon : completes SRP2 with stations, UST Online Classes, ISOPREPS (w/ CW4 Higgins)

1400-1700: Commercial Flight non-local personnel report (COVID test at airport)

1715: Formation (as required) and Release

08OCT: Friday

0700: Key Leaders

0730: Arrival & Formation

0745 - 0930: Work on requirements for MOB

-3rd PLT: Finance Packets with CW3 Bechthold + Driver's License w/ SGT Flanigan

-1st PLT: completes ALSE Vest Issue, Body Armor Sizing with ALSE

-2nd PLT: completes SRP2 with station, UST Online Classes, ISOPREPS

0745 - 1130: Make up UST in person training as required

1130 - 1300: Lunch

1300 - 1700: Make up for MOB requirements not completed day prior (all platoons)

1300 - 1700: Make up UST in person training as required

09OCT: Saturday

0800: Key Leaders

0830: Arrival & Formation

If required:

0830 - 1130: Complete any leftover requirements/prep aircraft

1130-1300: Lunch

1300-1530: Complete any leftover requirements/prep aircraft

10OCT: Sunday

*0745: Serial 1 Arrives

*0845: Serial 2 Arrives

-1000: Serial 1 departs KIXD

-1130: Serial 2 departs KIXD

NLT 1900: Arrival at Fort Hood

**There will be more info regarding the send-off day but I know the FRG has a photographer lined up to take a photo with you and your family. Additionally they have some gifts for the children. I definitely want everyone to have the opportunity to be with their family on that day as much as possible and soak in that time, that is our priority. I do ask though that we still take COVID precautions by staying outside as much as possible and having Soldiers remain within their family bubbles as much as possible.

**Once again, your family will drop you off and will park in the North Lot on 10OCT. You will not leave your car in the lot or anywhere at the facility. You must be dropped off. If you need a ride then please get with your FLL.

-I know that is a lot of information but hopefully it gives you a better idea of what 7-10OCT will look like. Obviously times and events are subject to change. Come ready to get after it and work hard together as a team and get everything rolling. I appreciate each one of you, enjoy these upcoming days with family, see you all on the 7th.

Respectfully,

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