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The Crow's Nest

In 1949, a group of Navy Midshipmen banded together and formed the Crow's Nest. As both the name of their organization and house, the name is significant since a crow's nest is the highest place on the ship. The lookout is located there, and his duty is to keep the ship safe from attack. The doors to the Crow's Nest were open to any Navy ROTC Midshipman who had an overall grade point average of 2.0 and was in good standing with the University.

Since its conception 28 years ago, the Crow's Nest

has provided members with an economical place to live in a co-op like atmosphere. The living arrangement was designed to develop leadership in future Naval officers through service and tradition.

The 32-member group celebrated the Navy's birthday on Oct. 13 with a formal dinner. In March, the Crow's Nest recognized Texas Independence Day.

The mascot is any likely sea bird such as the penguin or albatross.



FRONT ROW: Steven Mark Robertson, Jerome Michael Pajares, Joseph Anthony Molinari. MIDDLE ROW: Jose Angel Fietze, William Harry McRaven, Bruce Daniel Zaloski, Norman Jose Farley, Gary Robert Page, Raymond James Adams, Samuel Roy Scheef, Hector Luis Colon, Geoffrey Charles Torrance, Steven Jeffrey Chrans, Keith Arnold Townsend, Joseph Neville Mangin, Floyd Richard Cordell, Robert Allen Langworthy. BACK ROW: Timothy Joseph James Harrop, James Lott Lloyd Jr., James Kent Gruetzner, William Arthur Olsen, Craig William Beckett, David Bradley Knox, Paul Michael Culbertson, Danny Thomas O'Neil, David Wayne Moody, Michael Keith Stacey.

Norman Jose Farley	President
Dean Bradley Creech	Vice-President
Michael Keith Stacey	Secretary
Keith Arnold Townsend	Treasurer

Navy ROTC



William Randel Drake, Michael Vincent Meed, Murray Alan Hess, Bruce Daniel Zaloski, Roger P. Murdock.

Navy ROTC midshipmen anticipated adventure on the high seas but did not expect the hostility and harassment inflicted upon them when they arrived in New Zealand aboard the USS Truxton. Accompanying the crew of the nuclear-powered guided missile-carrier, the UT students found the New Zealanders diametrically opposed to the use of nuclear power. Other ROTC midshipmen traveled aboard aircraft carriers or submarines as part of a summer training program designed to orient them to the Navy's sea-going vessels. Among the ports-of-call visited were the Mediterranean, Philippines, Australia and England.

In an effort to raise money, Navy ROTC and members of Anchorettes worked as parking attendants at the ill-fated Labor Day, 1976, concert held at the Steiner Ranch. The event itself was a disaster because of a counterfeit ticket scandal and massive traffic jams on narrow roads leading to the ranch. Numerous law suits were filed by employees to recover thousands of dollars owed. ROTC members never received the \$1500 promised for their efforts.

For the benefit of the Capital Area Rehabilitation Center, the middies sponsored a "jogathon" during the first week in April. Dubbed "The Navy Aground," more than 40 Navy ROTC students and faculty participated in the relay trail-running. Originating in Austin, the 23-hour event ended at the Battleship Texas in Houston.

Color Guard



1. Paul S. Gonzales
2. Joseph Lieto Norita
3. Eileen E. Hagebusch
4. Beverly J. Roberts
5. Nancy A. Remmel
6. James Wilson Pippin
7. Capt. Thomas V. Solan
8. Lt. James Glenn McCoy
9. Morris F. Abbott
10. Maj. Charles L. Lynch
11. Wilfred H. Ohlmeier
12. Lt. David M. Hardy
13. Lt. Joe Alan Ylitalo

Unit Staff



FIRST ROW: Robert Bruce Barron, Gary Martin Abbott, Robert D. Barker Jr., Christopher C. Kelley, Donna Alene Ganzer.
 SECOND ROW: John David Denson, Andrew Thomas Spear, Paul Randal Donnelly, William Monroe Hassenius, Joseph J. Barrientos Jr.
 THIRD ROW: Raymond Fredrick Crelin, Robert James Zepeda, James Witt Hurst, Kevin Herbert Hugman, Charles Craig Harbuck, William Arthur Olsen, Edwin Frank Hoff III, Danny Thomas O'Neil, Samuel Roy Scheef, Paul Richard McMillan.
 FOURTH ROW: Jose Angel Fietze Jr., David Wayne Moody, Carlotta Elizabeth Cooper, Bobby Gene Breeze.
 FIFTH ROW: Keith William Blohm, Craig William Beckett, Joseph Neville Mangin, Ronald Karl Rippon.

A Company



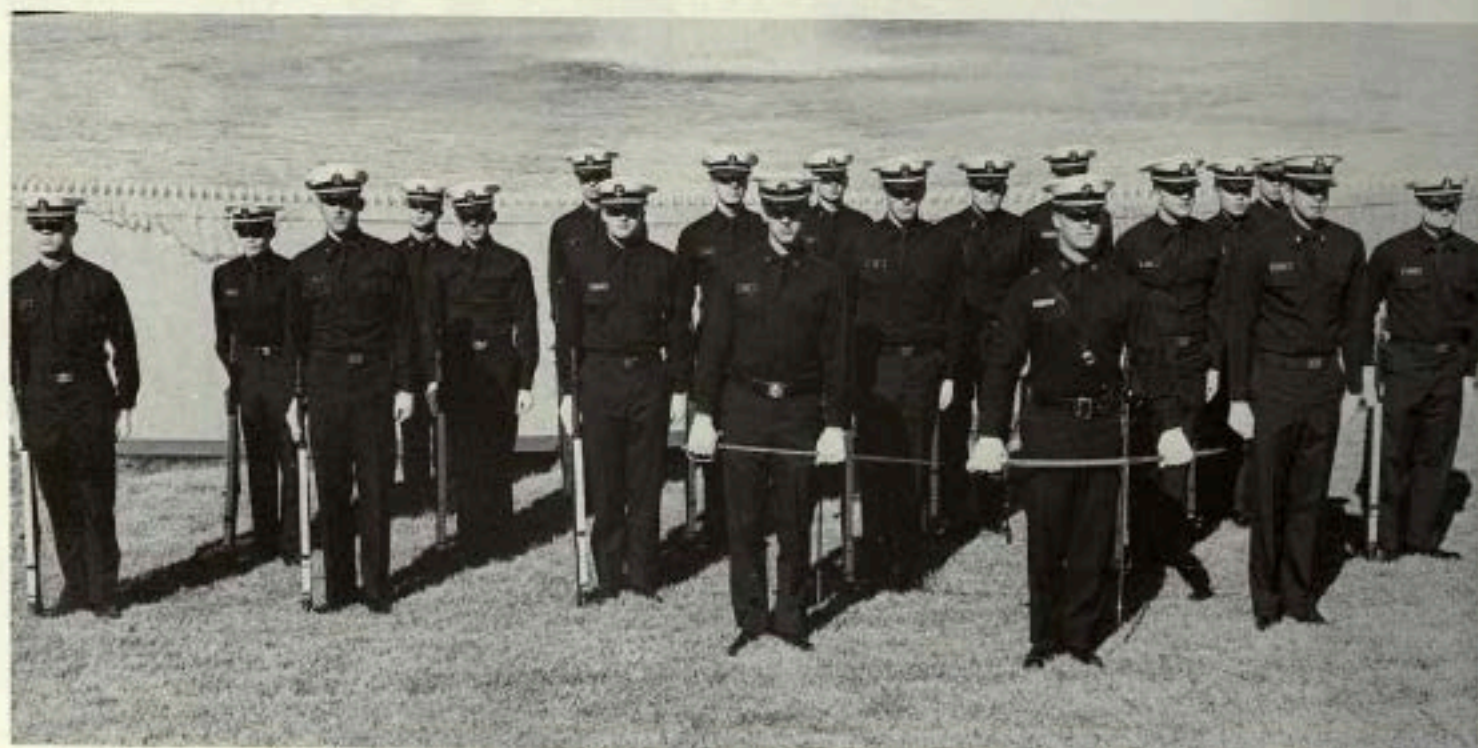
FRONT ROW: Steven Mark White, Curtis Gene Raetz, Jerome Michael Pajares, Robert Ryan Rogers, David Dwain Underwood, George Edmond Ruggiero, Gregory Lee Colchin.
 BACK ROW: Keith Arnold Townsend, Robert J. Wiseman, Gary Davis Moore, James Kent Gruetzner, Joseph A. Molinari, Leslie Eugene Hosmer, William Harry McRaven.

Battalion Staff

Navy ROTC

B Company

FIRST ROW:
 Billy Frank Woods
 Geoffrey Charles Torrance
 Dwight David Hart
 Norman Jose Farley
 John Warfield Hardy
 Paul Byron Craven
 SECOND ROW:
 James Lott Lloyd
 Steven Jeffrey Chrans
 Michael Anthony Prater
 Gary Lee Eiland
 James Samelson
 THIRD ROW:
 Stanley Brian Crawford
 Arturo Rene Garcia
 Michael Craig Geron
 Paul Michael Culbertson
 Geronimo Perez Jr.
 FOURTH ROW:
 Dean Bradley Creech
 David Bradley Knox
 Gregory Everett Tyer
 Louis Numa DeCuir III
 Terry Joseph Sullivan
 FIFTH ROW:
 Timothy Dean Turner
 Michael Wayne Shepherd
 Mark Howard Caudill
 Steven Mark Robertson
 Doren Charles Martin
 SIXTH ROW:
 Michael Keith Stacey
 Keith Edward Burtner
 Robert Jack Birdwell
 Alexander Edward Hamilton
 Steven Dale Smith



Buccaneers

FRONT ROW: Curtis Duane Karges, Robert Eugene Harbour, Gabriel R. Salazar, MIDDLE ROW: James Warren Shaw, Gary Robert Page, Raymond James Adams, Robert Hermann Perry, Floyd Richard Cordell, Robert Allen Langworthy, Thomas James McLaughlin, Russell Doyle Stevens, Andre Mielcarek, Gary Don Atkinson, Edward Gonzalez, BACK ROW: Timothy Joseph James Harrop, Kenneth Paul Buell, Raymond John Thornber, David Joseph Contreras, James Michael Hale.



Midshipmen in their "dress blues" enjoy the dining-out festivities.

N Company

FIRST ROW:

Ernest Gonzalez Encino
Donald Francis Schorr II
Charles Edward Vogel
Michael Joseph Hoeninghaus
Oris Edward Burns III

SECOND ROW:

Roland Earl Long Jr.
Eduardo Abelardo De La Cruz
John Michael Lighthill
Jerry Winston McLemore
Ann Margaret Jochum

THIRD ROW:

Sue Anne Bisher
Marcelino Molina Robles
Rasler Wallis Smith
Steven Allan Creech
Manley Caldwell Butler

FOURTH ROW:

Bud Lester Aguilar Jr.
Steven Edward Thornton
Billy Dean Martin
Daniel Ivan Statham
Michael Walter Gardner

FIFTH ROW:

John Edward Barr
Mahlon Edward Akers
Richard Glen Stiles
David Jonathan Swithers
Lawrence Ray Carter

SIXTH ROW:

Renee Ann Aschbrenner
Cynthia Luann Mahanna
Susan E. Batterson
Christopher Hollingworth
Claude Michael Whittle

SEVENTH ROW:

Robert Donald Bisking Jr.
Alfred James Auleta

Michael Sanford Reed
Russell Charles Blevins

Carlos Lozano

EIGHTH ROW:

Michael David Williams
John Edward Zeller
Michael Joseph McGrath
David Stanley Buckles
Mark Alden Hatzenbuehler

NINTH ROW:

Charles Richard Beavers
Gregory Lawrence Goode
Gerald Wayne Bell
Theodore Aldred Miller
Dennis Wayne Wilborn

TENTH ROW:

Michael Lewis Roy
Victor Daryl Williams Sr.
Kenneth Dale Adams
Robert Lewis Knight
Clemson Raynor Worthley

ELEVENTH ROW:

Jose David Montoya
Alfred Ledesma
Robert E. Simpson
James John Lewandowski
Thomas Ray McCool

TWELFTH ROW:

Jerome Joseph Maher Jr.
Michael Jerome McGehearty
Robert Jerome Maher
Jerry Lee McWhitney
Jessie David Arnold

THIRTEENTH ROW:

Ernest Westley Barringer
Allen Victor Pelocquin
David Alan Ayars
Paul Steven Lyon
Sidney John Griffin



Anchorettes



For those who were not satisfied with a local grocery store Butterball, Anchorettes and the Pistol Team co-sponsored a Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot. Although more experienced marksmen took home the turkeys, the four-day event served to acquaint students to the ROTC Rifle Range facilities and enabled some participants to fire a rifle for the first time.

Throughout the year, Anchorettes provided friendship and support to Navy ROTC. One morning at six o'clock, Anchorettes jolted the middies out of bed for a surprise breakfast by ringing the bell inside the Crow's Nest, a co-op for Navy ROTC midshipmen.

Members also accompanied the Navy Buccaneer Drill Team to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras Drill Competition where precision marching groups from Texas A&M, Florida, Michigan and Missouri took part. At the competition, the Bucs were required to stand Marine inspection. Through a procedure known as "dressing 'em down," the Bucs depended on Anchorettes to look for dust on their hats, lint on their collars and loose threads on their uniforms. Afterwards the group celebrated at Pat O'Brien's.



1. Anita Beth Isbell
2. Karen Jean Ellis
3. Cheryl Yvette Carlisle
4. Irma Lydia Martinez
5. Debra Helene Martin
6. Debra Deeanne Rehn
7. Karla Sue Woods
8. Janice Carol Winters

9. Julia Margaret Powell
10. Debbie Margarita Donathan
11. Kathryn Louise Romanche
12. Juliann Coalter
13. Wendell Ann Whatley
14. Sylvia Villarreal
15. Teri Lynn Wenglein

Cheryl Yvette Carlisle	President
Karen Jean Ellis	Vice-President
Bea Lea Somerville	Treasurer
Anita Beth Isbell	Secretary

Praetorian Guard



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| 1. Robert Douglas Bailey | 6. Lawrence Bradley Miller |
| 2. Daniel Vinton Trevino | 7. David Russell Rupp |
| 3. Daniel Mumford Baughman | 8. Donald Glen Drummer |
| 4. Danny Thomas O'Neil | 9. Timothy Brian Cyr |
| 5. Christopher Charles Kelley | |

David Russell Rupp	.....	Commanding Officer
Faron Drew Betchley	.....	Executive Officer
Timothy Brian Cyr	.....	Executive Adjutant
Daniel Mumford Baughman	.....	Inspector

Counting the number of stones in the Capitol might not be the usual way to spend an afternoon, but pledge activities brought newly-selected members of the Praetorian Guard closer together. Organized in 1963, the Guard took its name from the elite troops chosen to guard Caesar Augustus and subsequent emperors. Although the Roman military unit members enjoyed great status, the Guard was recognized and respected for its code of brotherhood. At UT, the Praetorian Guard, a tri-service ROTC fraternity, maintained this same code in all their activities. Members organized the annual pilgrimage to Dallas for the Texas-OU football game. After the rally on Commerce Street and a Cotton Bowl stand-off, the guard returned to Austin.

During the spring, the Praetorian Guard and UT Rifle Team co-sponsored the Central Texas Invitational Rifle Match. High school and college teams from Texas participated in the sharp-shooting event.

Scabbard and Blade



Dean Barker presents the symbol of command to Philip Umphres.

Sailors join the Navy to see the world, fliers go off into the wild blue yonder and Uncle Sam wants more Army recruits, but the three branches of the military service entail much more than their slogans suggest. Scabbard and Blade, a tri-service honorary ROTC organization, initiated a series of presentations aimed at orienting ROTC cadets and midshipmen to the operations of the two services with which they were not familiar. The seminars, held during the time normally allotted for drill, focused on the various responsibilities and missions of each branch.

Following a 13-year tradition, Scabbard and Blade sponsored the annual collegiate drill competition which was held in March. Ten teams from three states participated.

Philip Carl Umphres	.....	Captain
Joseph Anthony Molinari	.....	1st Lieutenant
Paul Byron Cravens	.....	2nd Lieutenant
Terry Donald Tosh	.....	1st Sergeant



FRONT ROW: Joseph Anthony Molinari, Philip Carl Umphres. BACK ROW: Timothy Brian Cyr, George Benjamin Patten, Lisa Jeanne Arnold, Robert Ryan Rogers, Laureen Lee Lewis, Robert Dean Barker Jr., James

Kent Gruetzner, Charles Craig Harbuck, Susan Kelly Adams, Loderick Mark Goza, Terry Donald Tosh, William Randel Drake.