President’s Remarks

Our 16th annual banquet will be held on Friday 28 October at the Library on the eleventh floor. Call in your reservations to the ROTC Department no later than 18 October. We all want to congratulate LTC Dabbs on his selection as the Military Alumnus of the year by the chapter officers and director. LTC Dabbs will be our guest speaker.

LTC Matthew C. Dabbs, ’92

LTC Matthew C. Dabbs is a native of Eastaboga, Al. He graduated from JSU in 1992 with a Bachelor of Science in Education. His commission was in the Chemical Corp. His military education includes the Chemical Officers Basic and Advance Courses, the Combined Arms Service and Staff School, the Jump-master Course and the Command and General Staff College. His troop duty has ranged from platoon leader through company command to battalion executive officer. He has served on staff as a battalion S-4, regimental chemical officer, divisional chemical officer and now as an operations officer to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Washington D.C. His decorations include the Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal w/ four oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal, Senior Parachutist Badge and the Air Assault Medal. LTC Dabbs has a Masters Degree in Management from Webster University. He is married to the former Susan Thompson of Dunwoody, GA and they have one son, Patton.

JSU has a new Professor of Military Science. LTC Gary Morea who came on board this summer and his bio is on page 2.

The Chapter’s ROTC Scholarship Endowment account has not reached the mandatory $25,000 to become an endowment. We are $15,000 from that magic level and must reach $25K by December 2011. If by chance the endowment is not established, the money will revert back to normal scholarship funding and will be used accordingly. We have some 1300 living ROTC Graduates and if each one contributed just $100 dollars this endowment would be off and running for years to come. Your donation can be made out to JSU Foundations. Mark your check “ROTC Scholarship Endowment.

Please keep the your snail mail and E-mail addresses current by sending changes to the JSU Alumni Association.

View our website at http://jsu.edu/rotc/rotcalumni for the chapter’s directors, previous newsletters and scholarship data. You can always contact me at Clayton Scott<escott002@centurytel.net. Clayton Scott, Commander, class of 1962.

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Commander ’62
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New Professor of Military Science

Lieutenant Colonel Gary Joseph Morea was born and raised in Astoria, New York and received his first exposure to the military as a JROTC Cadet at Xavier High School in New York City. Upon graduating from high school he entered the army. He served as an intelligence specialist for two years. He secured service academy appointment and entered the United States Military Academy at West Point. He graduated in 1994 as a 2nd Lieutenant in the Aviation Branch.

LTC Morea underwent initial entry rotary wing training at Ft. Rucker and was awarded his wings in 1995. His first assignment was with the 3rd Aviation Brigade, 3 ID at Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia. While at the 3rd ID he was a platoon leader and then received advance instruction in the AH-64 system and then off to Kuwait for Operation Desert Thunder. Returning from Kuwait he attended the Captains Career Course followed by a tour in Germany. In July 2001, LTC Morea took command of C Troop 6th Squadron 6th Cavalry Attack Aviation Battalion. Taking his unit back to Ft. Hood Texas, he trained with the new Longbow AH-64. Completing the training the unit returned to Germany. By March 2003 the unit was deployed to Iraq. From Iraq he served as the PMS at Hofstra University, Hempstead, N.Y. then off to Command and General Staff College. By 2008, he was back in the 3rd ID and again deployed to Iraq. He holds a bachelor’s degree from West Point and three Master Degrees. His awards include two Bronze Stars, two Meritorious Service Medals, and numerous campaign medals, Army Aviator Badge, the Air Assault Badge and the Parachutist Badge. He is married to the former Michelle V. Mehta and they have two children: Genevieve and Zachary.

Many of the JSU alumni are now using this new website to contact former members of JSU military program: http://www.facebook.com. Recommend all alumni take at look and perhaps use this site for contact with JSU military alumni.

CURRENT ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS AND SPONSORS ARE:

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Alumni Scholarship Programs

The ROTC Alumni Scholarship Programs continue to provide valuable financial assistance to deserving Cadets. For School Year 2011-2012, eighteen [18] Cadets will receive Scholarships at the Fall Awards Ceremony in November 2011. Since the beginning of the program in 2003, the cumulative value of these Scholarships is $147,000 when matched with the JSU National Alumni Association contributions.

Listed below are the Cadet [and Scholarship name] who will receive Scholarships for School Year 2011-2012:

- Ashley Henson - Elite Lettermen’s Club ROTC Scholarship
- Mitchell Duckworth - Jerry W. McNabb Memorial Scholarship
- Michael Starr - Loy Scott Lee Memorial Scholarship
- Amber Johnson - Jerry Savage Memorial Scholarship
- Ryan Pearl - Joseph C. Jones, Jr Memorial Scholarship
- Brittany Smith - CPT Richard C Miller Memorial Scholarship
- Daniel Herring - Grady McBride III Memorial Scholarship
- Jacob Hathcock - Military Officers Association of America ROTC Scholarship
- Kimberly Stiles - Fort McClellan Credit Union ROTC Scholarship
- Christopher Barnes - Anniston Elks Lodge #189 ROTC Scholarship
- Taylor Brown - James and Ethel Boozer ROTC Scholarship
- Jacob Brightwell - Dewey E Tate ROTC Scholarship
- Timothy Ray - CPT Kyle Comfort Memorial Scholarship
- Matthew Polek - CPT Donnie Belser Memorial Scholarship
- Patrik Huntley - Major Dwayne Williams Memorial Scholarship
- Matthew Baker - CPT Richard C Miller Memorial Scholarship
- Craig Dobbs - CPT Richard C Miller Memorial Scholarship
- Logan Byars - Colonel James Heathcock Memorial Scholarship

DONATION  SCHOOL YEAR
$8500  2003-2004
$8000  2004-2005
$9500  2005-2006
$10000  2006-2007
$19000  2007-2008
$29000  2008-2009
$20000  2009-2010
$25000  2010-2011
$18000  2011-2012

Alumni Tidbits


(LTC) F. Richard Spencer (Bishop, Catholic Church) was commissioned in 1973 at JSU in the Military Police and culminating a multifaceted career as a Military Police Officer and Chaplain. His present duty assignment is with office Army Chief Chaplains, Pentagon.

1LT. Jerome I Stokes, class of 2009 is presently serving in Afghanistan as an Engineer Platoon Leader. His platoon is assigned an area clearance mission. Putting this mission another way: This means his men clear mine fields, a very high stress mission. LT Stokes and his men have developed written procedures for mine extraction and they are all very proud of the work accomplishments. LT Stokes recently provide LTC Shackelford at the ROTC Department a well written document on lessons learned as a cadet at JSU and the wonderful training he had received at the JSU program.

LT Mike Schreckenbach is at Ft. Rucker earning his flight wings. His address is mike.schreckenbach@us.army.mil

Pictured left to right: Brigadier General Curt Rauhut, LTC, (LTC) F. Richard Spencer, Bishop, 1LT Jerome I Stokes
HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES 2011

Friday, 28 October 2011
ROTC Alumni Chapter Homecoming Banquet—11th Floor, Library—for ROTC alumni, spouses, and guests

1800-1830 Social
1830-2100 Remarks by JSU President
Welcome, Introductions, Recognitions, Dinner
Guest Speaker: LTC Matthew C. Dabbs
(2011 Military Alumnus of the Year)
Endowment Scholarship Update
Business Meeting (Elections)

Saturday, 29 October 2011
0900 Alumni House & Rowe Hall Open
0930-1030 President’s Open House
1100 Homecoming Parade
1200–1300 Food and Entertainment – Stadium Area
1500 Kickoff
Halftime Alumni of Year Awards & Homecoming Court

Reservations for banquet: (256) 782-8290 or e-mail: ehartsaw@jsu.edu
NLT 18 October 2011
Cost: $25.00 per person; Dress: Casual (no tie)
Questions: Contact Chapter President Clayton Scott
Escott002@centurytel.net

2011 JSU ROTC EVENT CALENDAR

August 29 First day of class, Freshman Convocation, Nurse Luncheon
September 1 Cadet Change of Command
October 6-9 Ranger Challenge
October 13 Leadership Reaction Course
October 14-15 FTX Land Navigation
October 20 Confidence Course
October 22 Talladega Race
October 28 Alumni Banquet
November 17 Fall Awards
November 23-25 Thanksgiving
December 5-10 Final Exams
December 16 Commissioning/Graduation

*Friday, October 28, Alumni Chapter Homecoming Banquet- Library, 11th Floor-for JSU ROTC alumni, spouses and guest

JSU ROTC Events 2012
January 11 Classes Begin
February 28 Military Ball
March FTX Seminal Tomahawk
March 26-30 Spring Break
April 12 Spring Awards
April 23-28 Final Exams
May 4 Graduation/Commissioning

CADETS COMMISSIONED AS 2ND LIEUTENANTS SCHOOL YEAR 2010-2011

Congratulations to our new alumni listed below who were commissioned as 2nd Lieutenants during School Year 2010-2011. Thanks to them for choosing to serve our country. Since the beginning of the ROTC Program in 1948, a total of 1456 Cadets have received their commissions.

Commissioned on December 17, 2010
Andrew J Blount, Adjutant General’s Corps, Active Duty
Shawn D Green, Chemical Corps, Reserve Forces Duty
Mathew A Shaffer, Signal Corps, Active Duty

Commissioned on April 29, 2011
Archie J Emerson, Jr, Field Artillery, Active Duty
Derek R Slatton, Army Nursing Corps, Active Duty

Commissioned on August 5, 2011
Jerome Bannister, Adjutant General’s Corps, National Guard
Mason E Heibel, Ordnance Corps, Active Duty
Bryce E McCorkle, Quartermaster Corps, Active Duty
Ronald L Webb, Military Intelligence Corps, Active Duty
Jessica L Oesch, Army Nursing Corp’s, Active Duty

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