

# Cadet Weekly

August 31-September 6, 2008

Week 3

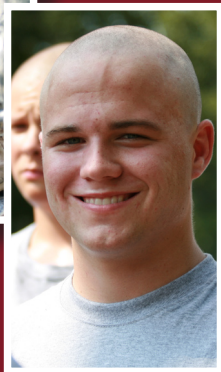
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## Dates to Remember:

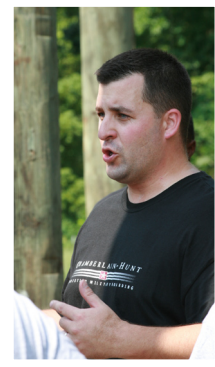
Board Meeting	September 22-23
Crusader Training	September 22-26
Phone Calls	September 28
Founders' Day	October 3
Fall Break	October 3-13
Nine Weeks Exams	October 22-24
Expert Cadet Badge Training	November 6-7
Phone Calls	November 23
Thanksgiving Break	Nov. 26-Dec. 1
Phone Calls	December 14
Nine Weeks Exams	December 16-18
Christmas Break	Dec. 19-Jan. 8



## MAJ Todd Patterson

*Assistant Commandant*

MAJ Todd Patterson was born in Kansas City, MO on April 26, 1973, and soon after moved to Colorado with his family for the first five years of his life. It was there that his parents answered God's call to be missionaries in Africa. Growing up in Africa provided an opportunity that many Americans never experience. He quickly learned to adapt to a different culture and language, and at the age of 11 was enrolled in a Christian boarding school for five years.



After 10 years in Africa his parents returned to the United States and he finished high school in Ft. Collins, CO. Upon graduation in June of 1991, MAJ Patterson enlisted in the Marine Corps Reserve and after boot camp in San Diego, CA, he enrolled as a freshman at Spring Arbor University in Jackson, MI. While there he received a scholarship to play tennis and served as the team captain during his senior year and graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in History in June of 1995. He also served at the local Marine Reserve unit, 4<sup>th</sup> Bridge Co, 6<sup>th</sup> Engineer Support Battalion as a Bridge Construction Crewman. During his time there, he was promoted through the rank of Sergeant.

After graduating from university, MAJ Patterson was accepted to Officer Candidate School and reported to Quantico, VA for duty. In April 1996, he was commissioned in the Marine Corps as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant and completed follow-on training for an additional six months after which he was designated to be an Artillery Officer and reported to Ft. Sill, OK home of the Army Field Artillery Training School. Departing from Ft. Sill, MAJ Patterson began his first duty station in 29 Palms, CA at the Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center and was assigned to 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, 11<sup>th</sup> Marine Regiment. During his 4 years in the desert sands, he held tactical and command duties to include Battery Commander for Lima and Head Quarters Batterys. In January 2000, MAJ Patterson was promoted to Captain and assigned to Delta Co, Marine Security Guard Battalion, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. His duties included bi-monthly inspection visits to all U.S. Embassies and Consulates in Latin America with a focus on terrorism threat deterrence and life and property protection.

In October of 2002, he separated from the Marine Corps and pursued a career in the private sector in Tampa, FL. It was there in July of 2008, that he answered the call to pursue a new career at Chamberlain-Hunt Academy and is currently serving as the Assistant Commandant.

He and his wife Mandy were married in July of 2001, and they have one daughter, Gabriella, born in August of 2007.

## Founders Day Celebration

2008 October 3

10:00 AM	Program at Oakland Chapel Alcorn State University, Lorman, MS
11:45 AM	Fish Fry under the Chamberlain-Hunt Pavillion
12:30 PM	Pass In Review

Cadets will be released for Fall Break following the Pass In Review. Parents are invited to the program and fish fry. Reservations can be made by calling Nancy Hynum at **601.437.4291** or you can email her at [n.hynum@chamberlain-hunt.com](mailto:n.hynum@chamberlain-hunt.com).