

THE VIRGINIA SOCIETY ROTC RECOGNITION PROGRAM

The Virginia Society can be very proud of its Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) Recognition Program. For a Society of our size it's one of the finest in the Order. The program truly got jump started in 2002 when Associate Thatcher Wood organized presentations to three Colleges and Universities in the Hampton-Williamsburg-Richmond area. Under his guidance and with his persistence it has now grown to 16 awards at nine different institutions. In 2008, Associate Roger Kirby, after assisting Thatcher for several years accepted the position as Awards Chairman, replacing Thatcher Wood. The Outstanding State ROTC Cadet or Midshipman Award is presented to a Cadet or Midshipman who has demonstrated superior "qualities of dependability, character, military discipline, leadership, patriotism, and an understanding of the importance of the American Heritage." This program is the hallmark of our Society

OUTSTANDING STATE ROTC CADET or MIDSHPMAN AWARDS

2007

Hampton University, Hampton, VA
Recipient: Cadet Tiffany N. Tompkins
Presenter: Roger H.W. Kirby, Deputy Awards Chairman

Radford University, Radford, VA
Recipient: Cadet Emily E. Olson(Army)
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA
Recipient: Cadet Jeremiah R. Hencke(Army)
Presenter: Roger H.W. Kirby, Deputy Awards Chairman

College of William and Mary, Wmsbrg, VA
Recipient: Cadet John Adams
Presenter: Roger H. W. Kirby, Deputy Awards Chairman

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
Recipient: Cadet James A. Sipos(Army)
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General VA OFPA

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
Recipient: Cadet Richard Columbo(Army)
Recipient: Cadet Midshipman Joseph P. McConnell(Navy)
Recipient: Cadet Lindsey Randlett(Air Force)
Presenter: Thatcher Wood, Treasurer and Awards Chairman

Virginia Tech., Blacksburg, VA
Recipient: Cadet Midshipman Brendon Rice(Navy)
Recipient: Cadet William Mahoney(Air Force)
Recipient: Cadet Jason Oberoi(Corps of Cadets)
Presenter: Richard Raymond, III, Councillor

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA
Recipient: Cadet Brandon Price(Army)
Recipient: Cadet Jacob Collie(Air Force)
Recipient: Cadet Midshipman Andrew E. Timpner(Navy)
Recipient: Cadet Charles Tyler Freeman(Marines)
Presenter: Thatcher Wood, Treasurer and Awards Chairman

2008

The VA Society presented 16 ROTC Cadet Awards in 2008. This is a very rewarding experience, especially when you see the quality of officers who will be leading our soldiers, sailors, airman and marines.

Hampton University, Hampton, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Cameron A. Johnson
Presenter: Roger H.W. Kirby, Awards Chairman

Radford University, Radford, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Stephanie K. Marshall
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Brian T. McCormick
Presenter: Roger H.W. Kirby, Awards Chairman

College of William and Mary, Wmsbrg, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Joshua H. Geiger
Presenter: Roger H. W. Kirby, Awards Chairman

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Brandon J. Carroll (Army)
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA,
Recipient: Cadet David Lewis (Army)
Recipient: Midshipman First Class Kevin Koenig
Recipient: Cadet Corrine R. Tye (Air Force)
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General

Virginia Tech., Blacksburg, VA,

Recipient: Midshipman Christopher Radford
Recipient: Cadet Austin Wiese
Recipient: Cadet David Fulbrook
Recipient: Cadet Joshua Johns
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA,
Recipient: Cadet George W. Flathers, III
Recipient: Midshipman First Class Nikolai J. Howe
Recipient: Midshipman First Class Lynn M. Larson
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Tyler W. Adams
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General.

2009

The VA Society presented 17 ROTC Cadet Awards in 2009.

Hampton University, Hampton, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Gregory G. Pizarro, Kr.
Presenter: Roger H.W. Kirby, Awards Chairman

Radford University, Radford, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Daniel J. Johnston
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Matthew E. Wolf
Cadet Patrick D. Coughlin
Presenter: Thatcher S. Wood, Past Governor

College of William and Mary, Wmsbrg, VA,
Recipient: Cadet David M. Reed
Presenter: Roger H. W. Kirby, Awards Chairman

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Timothy G. Evans
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Lee Elliot (Army)
Recipient: Midshipman Third Class Sean Groghan
Recipient: Cadet Eva Marie b. Etzel (Air Force)
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General

Virginia Tech., Blacksburg, VA,
Recipient: Midshipman Nicholas Quenga
Recipient: Cadet Joshua D. Anderson (Army)
Recipient: Cadet Sean Grindley (Air Force)
Recipient: Cadet Christopher Rider (Corps Only)
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA,
Recipient: Cadet/Major Zachery C. Tharp (Air Force)
Recipient: Midshipman Drew E. Thompson (Navy)
Recipient: Midshipman Peter J. Karonis (Marines)
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Sarah E. Francis
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Councillor General

2010

The VA Society presented 17 ROTC Cadet Awards in 2010.

Hampton University, Hampton, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Rodney O. Lee

Radford University, Radford, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Sarah Gano
Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Kelly E. Lamb
Cadet Josiah L. Routhier

College of William and Mary, Wmsbrg, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Kurt A. Carlson

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Justin Lane
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Past Governor

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA,
Recipient: Cadet Dennis A. Vinett (Army)
Recipient: Midshipman First Class Michael O'Neill
Recipient: Cadet Daniel R. Rafferty (Air Force)
Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Past Governor

Virginia Tech., Blacksburg, VA,
 Recipient: Midshipman Margaret Castelvechi
 Recipient: Cadet Christopher Livingston (Army)
 Recipient: Cadet Allen Ernst (Air Force)
 Recipient: Cadet Matthew Garrett (Corps Only)
 Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA,
 Recipient: Cadet Carter K. Brown (Air Force)
 Recipient: Midshipman Scott Taylor MacDonald (Navy)
 Recipient: Midshipman Ericsson W. K. Davis (Marines)
 Presenter: Thatcher S. Wood, Past Governor

James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA,
 Recipient: Cadet Justin M. Joyce
 Presenter: Douglas Graves, Registrar

2011

2011 VIRGINIA FOUNDERS & PATRIOTS ROTC AWARDS PROGRAM 2011

<u>NAME OF SCHOOLS (9 TOTAL)</u>	<u>CANDIDATE NAME</u>	<u>DATE OF CEREMONY</u>
18 Awards presented		

<u>Hampton University</u>	Army: Cadet Dustin D. Demary	March 30, 2011
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<u>University of Richmond</u>	Army: Cadet Skylar M. Haigler Army: Cadet Jonathan P. Shannon	April 5, 2011
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<u>Virginia Tech University</u>	Army: Cadet Alexander Cutts Air Force: Cadet Jeremy Rohn USNR Midshipman: Brendon Ackermann VPI Company: Cadet Eric Nash	April 14, 2011
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Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

<u>University of Virginia</u>	Army: Cadet Miles J. Kirwin Air Force: Cadet Rachael C. Bryson USNR Midshipman: MIDN 1/C Katherine Miyamasu	April 19, 2011
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Presenter: Jerry Hubbard, Past Governor

<u>Christopher Newport University</u>	Army: Cadet Jessica A. Blanton	April 20, 2011
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<u>Radford University</u>	Army: Cadet LaMarke A. Patterson	April 28, 2011
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Presenter: Richard Raymond III, Councillor

<u>James Madison University</u>	Army: Cadet Erin Louise Lamneck	April 29, 2011
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Presenter: Douglas Graves, Registrar

<u>Virginia Military Institute</u>	Army: Jonathan C. Razack	May 2, 2011
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Air Force: Cadet Jenna K. Moye
USNR **Midshipman:** MIDN 1C Thomas W. Fields
Other: (Marines) MIDN 1C Alex M. Scaperotto

George Mason University	Army: Cadet Andrew C. Schloe	May 7, 2011
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Presenter: Jerry Hubbard (past Governor)

OUTSTANDING STATE National Guard UNIT Awards

This award is designed to improve morale, develop an esprit de corps, and encourage healthy competition among units. These awards are presented at the Annual Meeting of the Virginia National Guard Association. Records of recipients are not the best.

1984

1985

Headquarters Battery, 3rd Battalion,
111th Air Defense Artillery

192 Tactical Fighter Group

1986

Battery B, 1st BN, 246th Field Artillery

Headquarters Staff, Virginia Air National Guard

1987

Echo Battery, 111 Field Artillery 29ID (L)
Capt. Ronald L. Hudson

203d Civil Engineering Flt, 192d Tactical Fighter Group
LTC William A. Prosise, Jr.

1988

Headquarters & Headquarters Company
329 Support Group (Area)

200th Weather Squadron (LAFB)

1989

Company A, 1st BN, 116 Infantry

102d Security Police Flight

1990

1030th Engineer Battalion

149th Tactical Fighter Squadron

1991

1992

192nd Tactical Fighter Group

1993

229th Engineer Battalion

203rd Red Horse Civil Engineering Flight

1994

1995

1996

1997

Headquarters and Headquarters 1030 Engineer Battalion

Unit Command: Captain James A. Parrish

192 Operations support Flight/Intelligence Officer

Wing command: Colonel William C. Jones

Intelligence Office Commander: Lieutenant Colonel Benjamin V. Petrone.

1998

1999

2000

2001

2002

2003

2004

2005

2006

2007

2008

Recipient: Company B, 1st Battalion,

116th Brigade Combat Team

Commander, Captain Heath Phillips (Army)

Presenter: Jerry Hubbard

Recipient: 192nd Intelligence Squadron

Commander, Lt. Col. Marshall Djelvik (Air Force)

Presenter: Jerry Hubbard

2009

Recipient: C Troop, 2nd Squadron, 183rd Cavalry (Army)

Commander: Capt. Steele McGonegal

First Sergeant: 1Sgt Norman Reed

Presenter: Donald Moore

Recipient: 149th Fighter Squadron (Air Force)

Commander:

Presenter: Donald Moore

2010

Recipient: Army National Guard

HHC, 429th BSB

Recipient: Air National Guard

192d Maintenance Group

Joint Base Langley-Eustis, VA 23665

2011 presented 30 April 2011

Recipient: Army National Guard

Headquarters & Headquarters Detachment

1030th Transportation Battalion

157 Beech Street, Gate City, VA 24251

Recipient: Air National Guard

192 Medical Group,

77 Nealy Ave, Langley AFB VA 23665

Presenter: A. Clarke Magruder