HONG KONG AIR CADET CORPS

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THE VALIANT 2023 - THE TENTH Open for Application

- 1. In previous years, the Corps has sent out cadet representatives to the UK and the US to participate in the Air Cadet Leadership Course (ACLC) and Hawk Mountain Ranger School (HMRS). Participants in ACLC undergo a 7-day leadership training programme designed and organised by the Royal Air Force and Royal Air Force Air Cadets (RAFAC); while HMRS is an outdoor search and rescue programme offered by the Civil Air Patrol (CAP). In order to bring home the knowledge and skills learnt, members who have participated in these courses are now organising 'The Valiant 2023 - The Tenth', a camp which provides our cadets with outdoor experience and leadership training adopted from the UK and US outline, with a view to gather our cadets after two years of suspension of activities.
- 2. "The Valiant 2023 The Tenth" combines both ACLC and HMRS characteristics in Hong Kong context; it will be different from normal training camps and is certainly a "once-in-a-lifetime" experience in one's cadet career.
- 3. Course Information

Date : 23-26 December 2023

Venue : TBC

Eligibility : Basic Cadet or above

Recognition : Annual Camp equivalence under Corps guidelines

Selection Day : Date : 7 October 2023 (Saturday)

Time : 0900 - 1830 hrs

Venue: TBC

Further Details will be released in the Joining Instructions

upon the closing of application.

Camp Fee : HKD\$720 Remarks

- (a) Campers should attend full camp (including Selection Day) unless otherwise requested with supporting evidence, which should be enclosed during application submission if possible;
- (b) Fees paid are not refundable or transferable;
- (c) Applicants who cannot attend the Selection Day will have their applications regarded with least priority; and
- (d) General Service Training Wing reserves the rights to make the final decision of the recognition that mentioned above.

4. Application Procedures

(a) Unit commanders send the soft copies of the Unit Nomination Form and Camper Application Documents to the Organising Committee on or before 2359 hrs 23 September 2023 (Saturday) via email to hq.valiant@gmail.com.

Campers Application Documents include:

- (i) Personal Application Form;
- (ii) Health Declaration Form; and
- (iii) PAR-Q Form ['體適能活動適應能力問卷'].
- (b) Cadet applicants should submit <u>all hard copies of Campers Application Documents</u> to HQ on or before 23 September 2023 (Saturday).
- (c) Cadet applicants should submit a cheque payable to 'Hong Kong Air Cadet Corps' with applicant's **unit**, **rank**, **name**, **S/N** and **contact number** at the back. All applicants must write an individual **cheque**. It would be collected by the organising committee on Selection Day.
- (d) Late application or those with missing information or document(s) will not be processed. For enquiries, please feel free to contact us at hq.valiant@gmail.com.

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Flight Lieutenant

Officer-in-charge

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