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EngAffect Jacksonville Post

Affecting the Future through Engineering Partnerships

USAF Experience Promotes Engineering Goal

Ethan Cruz, a senior at Sandalwood High School was selected and sponsored by the Jacksonville Post to attend this year's SAME's Engineering and Construction Camp at the U.S. Air Force Academy from June 26 – July 2, 2014. His experience at camp has influenced his decision to apply to the Air Force Academy and study Engineering which is one way SAME promotes the future of engineering.



Ethan sums up his camp experience: "My favorite activity was getting to operate various construction equipment, especially the Backhoe. I learned that there are numerous aspects that go into building and engineering everything around us, and the importance of planning things out to insure the success of projects. Another lesson learned was that communication with your team is also a key success factor. Going to the Garden of the Gods was also an incredible experience."

The Post wishes Ethan much success in the future! ■





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August Opportunity

DATE: Wednesday, **August 27**, 2014

LOCATION: Ramada Inn –Mandarin
3130 Hartley Road
Jacksonville, Fl 32257

AGENDA: 1130 – 1200 Registration and Socializing
1200 BUFFET LUNCH

BUFFET LUNCH MENU:

Spinach salad with balsamic vinaigrette
Chicken piccatta with lemon caper sauce
Roasted pork loin with Dijon demi
Baby carrots
Oven roasted baby reds
Coconut cake
Rolls, Butter,
Coffee (Regular & Decaf), Tea, Lemonade

TOPIC: NAVFAC SE Georeadiness

Overarching look at what NAVFAC is doing with georeadiness. The NAVFAC SE Georeadiness Center (GRC) maintains Regional Common Installation Picture (CIP) data layers such as buildings, roads, fence lines, airfields, piers, etc., which serve as the foundational data for the Region to provide a consolidated, accessible and standards-based operational capability. The speakers coordinate with other geospatial data owners and Subject Matter Experts to provide Installation Geospatial Information and Services (IGI&S) products and services across the Navy. Current initiatives are underway to further expand our engagement to include compatible land use issues outside the fence line, and at NAVFAC SE, to include operation of small unmanned aerial systems to aid our mapping capabilities

SPEAKERS: Kristy Capobianco and Eric Denfeld
NAVFAC SE Georeadiness

COST: $17.00 private sector
$10.00 public agency

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Promoting Achievement through Scholarships

When you support the various SAME Jax Post functions throughout the year, especially the annual Scholarship Golf Tournament, you are making a difference in young adult lives. The Jax Post appreciates your participation and generosity.

Congratulations go to both high school and college students who are seeking futures in engineering, the sciences and other venues.

High School Students:

William Duncan (Nease)
Gregory Keller (Providence)
Jordan Moyers (West Nassau)
Alec Wilson (Creekside)

College Students:

University of Florida (UF)
Christopher Cruise, Eric Pogash, Mai Kim Tran, Daniel Robinson, Malcolm Ammons, Bradley Shea

Florida State University (FSU/FAMU)
Michael Bruno, Amber Smith, Heather Davidson

Dependents:

Joseph Bateh (UF)
Taylor Bowen (Univ. of South Fl)
Thomas DelCharco (UF).

Atkins Scholarship:

Kelly Elizabeth Pinho (UF)

Including the two UNF students and one high school student who were awarded scholarships during Engineers Week, a total of twenty $1500 scholarships were awarded this year to help advance engineering and the sciences. ■





Jacksonville Post President Colonel Alan Dodd, left, presents the Post President's award to Eric Denfield, NAVAC Southeast, for his outstanding service to the Post during the 2013-14 term.



Jacksonville Post President Colonel Alan Dodd, right, thanks July speakers Aaron Stormant, Emergency Management Branch Chief, Jacksonville District, USACE, left, and Don Maconi, PE, Branch Manager NAVFAC Southeast and with a SAME mug.

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2014 Jacksonville Post Meeting Schedule

Date	Topic	Location
27 AUG	**NAVFAC SE Georeadiness**	**Ramada Inn - Mandarin**
24 SEP	**Joint luncheon w/ CMAA**	**Ramada Inn – Mandarin**
22 OCT	**Joint luncheon w/ DBIA**	**Ramada Inn - Mandarin**
19 NOV	**Wounded Warrior Project**	**Ramada Inn – Mandarin**
17 DEC	**Orlando VAMC**	**Ramada Inn – Mandarin**