SPECIAL OPERATIONS
RECRUITING BATTALION

2006 World Wide Retention Conference
AGENDA

- Mission Statement
- In-service Recruiting and Retention Relationship
- Mutual Assistance
- Civil Affairs
- PSYOP
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- Special Forces
MISSION STATEMENT

The Special Operations Recruiting Battalion (Provisional) conducts worldwide in-service recruiting operations to provide the strength for Special Forces, Civil Affairs, Psychological Operations, Special Operations Aviation, Explosive Ordnance Disposal and Airborne Forces; Synchronizes and deconflicts in-service ARSOF recruiting efforts; and serves as an information conduit between the ARSOF community and USAREC for non-prior service recruiting operations.
AR 614-200 (AUG 05) Directs:

- MACOM commanders - Will publicize the Special Forces (SF) Program.

- Local activity and unit commanders:
  
  - Will recruit volunteers for assignment to Airborne, Ranger, and SF units and support recruiting teams.
  
  - Will initiate/maintain procedures to promptly complete SF 86 (Questionnaire for Nat’l Security) for Soldiers selected to attend the Special Forces Assessment and Selection (SFAS) course.
  
  - Soldier granted an Interim Secret Security
IN-SERVICE RECRUITING AND RETENTION RELATIONSHIP

Mutually Beneficial

- Good Soldiers are getting out of the Army without looking at all of their options
- BEAR Contracts
- Option 3 Reenlistment
- Voluntary Reclass
- Keeps the Army Strong
MUTUAL ASSISTANCE

- We will maintain contact with interested deployed Soldiers via Career Counselors and Retention NCOs to assist in the processing of the deployed Soldier’s application.

- We will equip and maintain Career Counselors and Retention NCOs with updated EOD/ARSOF applications and materials throughout the duration of the deployment.
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- IAW AR 600-35 SORB will not actively recruit Soldiers within 90 days of an operational deployment

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Civil Affairs units help military commanders by working with civil authorities and civilian populations in the commander’s area of operations to lessen the impact of military operations on them during peace, contingency operations and declared war.

Civil Affairs forces support activities of both conventional and special operations forces.
PREREQUISITES

- ST score of 102
- Must have a PULHES of 222221 or better
- Must be Airborne, volunteer to go Airborne or have an airborne physical
- Must have a DLAB of at least 85 or a proficiency in a language
- Must be in the grade of SGT-SSG
- Must hold a current civilian driver’s License
- Must have a SECRET clearance
- Must be eligible to PCS
PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS
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- PSYOP is the dissemination of truthful information to foreign audiences in support of U.S. policy and national objectives.
- Persuading rather than compelling physically, they rely on logic, fear, desire or other mental factors to promote specific emotions, attitudes or behaviors.
- The ultimate objective of U.S. military Psychological Operations is to convince enemy, neutral, and friendly nations and forces to take action favorable to the United States and its allies.
Male and Female Soldiers are Eligible.

Must be a in the grade of PFC - SSG.

Eligible for Secret Clearance

Must have a qualifying DLAB score or a proficiency in a language

ST score of 102

Must be Airborne, volunteer to go Airborne or have an airborne physical

A physical profile of 111221
PAY AND BENEFITS

**Pay**
- Parachute Pay
- Foreign Language Proficiency Pay (with qualifying DLPT Score)
- TDY Allowances

**Benefits**
- Be a part of Special Operations Community
- Work with other U.S. Government Agencies and Non Government Organizations
- World Wide Missions and Assignments
- Interaction with and advising of Foreign Government Officials
- Making a Difference to change peoples' lives,
- Influence how people think and behave

**Additional School Opportunities**
- Ranger School
- Jumpmaster School
- Survival, Evasion, Resistance, Escape, Course (SERE)
- Special Operations Language Training (SOLT)
- Defense Language Institute (DLI)
EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE
EOD teams are responsible for the identification, render safe, and disposal of hazardous unexploded conventional munitions, chemical munitions, and improvised explosive devices.

They also support the United States Secret Service and the State Department as part of protection details for the President of the United States, Vice President, and dignitaries from foreign countries.
PREREQUISITES

- Must be a PFC thru SGT (SGT non promotable and with less than 1 year TIG)
- Male and Female Soldiers may apply that have 2 years active federal service
- GM Score 105
- Must be eligible for Top-Secret clearance
- MUST have normal color vision
- MUST have a valid state drivers license
- CANNOT be allergic to explosives
- Physical Profile of at least 111121
- MUST successfully complete interview process
- Volunteer for the EOD program
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PAY AND BENEFITS

- Demolition Pay
- Civilian Clothing Allowance
- TDY Supporting a World Wide Mission
- Top Secret Clearance
- Marketable Job Skill / Outside Job Market
- Working With Highly Motivated Soldiers
- Increased Responsibility
- Job Satisfaction
CONTACT DATA

- Civil Affairs - SFC Herring (910) 396-5196
- PSYOP - SFC Sutton (910) 396-6533
- EOD - MSG Vazquez (910) 396-3566
U.S. ARMY SPECIAL FORCES

THE GREEN BERETS
SPECIAL FORCES

Commonly known as the “GREEN BERETS”

- Special Forces Soldiers are organized into 12-man teams ("A-Teams"). Each team is comprised of members specializing in Communications, Weapons, Medical, Engineering, and Intelligence skills.

- SF performs varied missions to include: Unconventional Warfare, Direct Action, Special Reconnaissance, Foreign Internal Defense and many other collateral missions like Counter-Drug and Humanitarian Assistance.

- Special Forces NCOs are assessed from all career fields across the Army. Special Forces looks at the quality of the Soldier, not how the soldier is presently serving in the army. SF is looking for Soldiers with the aptitude to be trained in SF skills. SF looks at the “whole man” when selecting Soldiers.
PAY AND BENEFITS

Additional Pay
(Maximums)

MOS Pro pay $375
Jump pay $150
From day of Graduation $525
Language Pro pay $200
Dive pay $220
HALO pay $75
SRB (up to & not to exceed) $30K
CSRB CMF 18 MSGs $150K

Increased Promotion Rates

(2005- DA AVG. 30%, SF AVG. 72%)
PREREQUISITES

- Male Soldier E-4 to E-6 or YG 04
- GT Score: 100+
- U. S. Citizen
- APFT Score: 229+
  (17 to 21 Age Category)
- Pass a complete SF physical
- Not flagged or pending UCMJ
Volunteer Statement
SF physical
ERB
PT card
EPSQ
SORB CONTACT DATA

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SORB Operations 910-396-1650

- A Co - (Ft Bragg, Ft Benning, Ft Stewart, Europe)
  SFC Andy Wilson (706) 545-3079

- B Co - (Ft Carson, Ft Drum, Ft Riley, Ft Campbell)
  1SG Joey Spear (270) 798-9818

- C Co - (Ft Lewis, Ft Hood, Ft Bliss, Hawaii)
  SFC Jim Adcock (877) 839-4035

- D Co - (Army) 1SG Matthew Boehme (910) 396-3567
Bottom Line

We are here to help you keep good Soldiers in the Army by offering them different opportunities within the Special Operations Community.
Questions

• Civil Affairs
• PSYOP
• EOD
• Special Forces
This CD will provide you the information including Recruiting POCs to assist Soldiers in applying for these career fields

- CIVIL AFFAIRS
- PSYOP
- EOD
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