



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
THE SABALOUSKI AIR ASSAULT SCHOOL
101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION (AIR ASSAULT)
BUILDING 6883 AIR ASSAULT STREET
FORT CAMPBELL, KENTUCKY 42223

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13 December 2011

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: The Sabalauski Air Assault School Obstacle Course Standard Operating Procedure

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to establish standards for use of The Sabalauski Air Assault School (TSAAS) Obstacle Course and serves as an agreement between the TSAAS Commander and the using unit's Commander.
2. The course is available for training between 0630 and 1630 hours on weekdays only. Training on the course is not authorized on Air Assault Day Zero from 0630-1400 and Pathfinder (Day 14) / Air Assault (Day 10) graduation days from 0830 hours to 1200 hours. These dates are available from <http://www.campbell.army.mil/UNITS/AAS/Pages/AAS.aspx>.
 - a. Units requiring sole use submit a memorandum to TSAAS Operations with unit, purpose of training, why sole use is required, number of personnel, NCOIC/OIC, and date time group needed. The memorandum is due a minimum of 10 working days prior to the requested date.
3. Units request use of the course by sending the Noncommissioned Officer-in-Charge (NCOIC) or Officer-in-Charge (OIC) to Building 6883 Air Assault Street (TSAAS Operations) no less than 24-hours prior to the intended date of training. Every Friday after physical training, the obstacle course use book is updated to reflect the following three (3) weeks of availability. The following rules and restrictions apply:
 - a. No more than 100 Soldiers can occupy/train on the course at one time.
 - b. Only the nine (9) obstacles utilized for Air Assault School are available for unit training. The three (3) Pre-Ranger obstacles are off limits.
 - c. "Safeties" are not authorized on obstacles.
 - d. Parking. Only medical evacuation (MEDEVAC) vehicles park in the obstacle course area. Privately owned vehicles (POVs) park in the student parking lot.
 - e. The uniform is designated by the using unit, but must comply with CAM PAM 600-1 to include the wear of patches. The recommended uniform is complete Army Combat Uniform (ACUs) minus headgear.
 - f. Civilian personnel and soldiers in civilian attire are not authorized on the obstacle course without prior approval from TSAAS.
 - g. The NCOIC/OIC must be a SGT or above, Air Assault qualified, and have all the items IAW the Obstacle Course Use Checklist (Enclosure 1). The individual scheduling the course must sign for the course.

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h. Two qualified medics are required on site and must possess a complete aid bag, neck brace, sam splint, backboard., and EMT card.

i. Prior to training, the NCOIC/OIC and medic report to Building 6883 Air Assault Street to complete the TSAAS Obstacle Course logbook, checklist, and inspection of equipment. The medic must be present when the NCOIC/OIC signs for the course.

j. There must be a minimum of one medic placed at the Confidence Climb and the Tough One when each obstacle is in use.

k. Using units must have a covered military vehicle capable of transporting injured Soldiers (POVs are not authorized), means of communications with TSAAS Operations, and a completed FC Form 4162 (Risk Management Worksheet) signed by the unit Commander.

l. Using units must report all injuries to TSAAS immediately to include pertinent information about the injured Soldier (name/rank/injury/status/obstacle/etc.). The using unit must provide TSAAS a copy of the CSIR (FC Form 4240) before close of business of that duty day.

m. When conducting the two-mile assessment run, the using unit is responsible for traffic control. A minimum of one Soldier with a road guard vest (and a flashlight during hours of limited visibility) is required at each checkpoint.

n. Upon completion of training, the using unit conducts a police call of all utilized areas, makes notes of any broken or damaged obstacles, briefs injuries to Soldiers or accidents and annotates applicable information on the checklist. The NCOIC signs for rakes and ensures every pit is raked from outside to inside. When complete, the NCOIC/OIC returns to Building 6883 back briefs the TSAAS representative, turns in the checklist, and after a final inspection, signs off of the course.

4. The Sabalauski Air Assault School reserves the right to conduct training inspections, make on the spot corrections, release units from the course due to any infractions of the standards for use or violations of safety procedures, and close any obstacle(s) at anytime due to inclement weather or the existence of other safety concerns.

5. Point of contact for this memorandum or the use of the TSAAS Obstacle Course is TSAAS Operations at 798-4410.

Encl

// ORIGINAL SIGNED //
JAMES B. PRISOCK
CPT, IN
Commanding

The Sabalauski Air Assault School (TSAAS) Obstacle Course Use Checklist

Inspected and filled out by a TSAAS representative:

1. Unit and Phone Number: _____
2. NCOIC/OIC (SGT or Above and Air Assault Qualified):
 - a. Rank and Name: _____
 - b. Air Assault Qualified: Yes / No
3. Medic with Required Equipment:
 - a. Rank and Name: _____
 - b. Aid Bag (Complete): Yes / No
 - c. Neck Brace: Yes / No
 - d. Sam Splint: Yes / No
 - e. Back Board: Yes / No
 - f. EMT Card: Yes / No
4. MEDEVAC Vehicle (covered, not POV): Yes / No
5. Means of communications with TSAAS Operations (270)798-4410: Yes / No
6. Completed FC Form 4162 (signed by using unit's Commander): Yes / No
7. Two-Mile Assessment Run Road Guard Vests: Yes / No/ NA
8. Number of Personnel to be trained: _____

Upon completion of training, the using unit conducts police call of the obstacle course area (to include two-mile run staging area and parking lot adjacent to the course).

1. Any Injuries to Soldiers: Yes / No
2. Any Obstacles Damaged: Yes / No
3. TSAAS Obstacle Course Police Call Complete: Yes / No
4. Joint Inspection Complete: Yes / No

Additional Information: _____

Using Unit NCOIC/OIC Signature and Date: _____

TSAAS representative must inspect, approve, and sign off on the obstacle course prior to the unit being relieved of responsibility.

TSAAS Representative Releasing Unit: _____