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NAVAVSCOLSCOM NOTICE 1520

From: Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Schools Command

Subj: AVIATION COMMANDING OFFICER TRAINING (AVCOT) COURSE  
SCHEDULE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016

Ref: (a) COMNAVAIRFORINST 1520.2

Encl: (1) FY16 AVCOT Class Schedule

1. Purpose. To issue information concerning Commanding Officer training and the schedule of classes for fiscal year (FY) 2016 by the Aviation Commanding Officer Training Course (AVCOT), Naval Aviation Schools Command (NAVAVSCOLSCOM).

2. Background. Reference (a) provides guidance and training requirements for the Navy's AVCOT course, which is tasked with providing prospective Commanding and Executive Officers (PCOs and PXOs) Professional Military Education (PME) prior to taking command of their squadrons.

3. Courses. The AVCOT Course is a 17 instructional day course designed to prepare PCO/PXOs for command, as defined in reference (a). Attendees completing this course will have an understanding of Aviation Safety for Command, Military Justice, Commanding Officer Joint Aviation Supply and Maintenance Material Management, Aviation Commanding Officer's Anti-Terrorism Training, and Alcohol and Drug Abuse for Managers and Supervisors.

4. Eligibility. All Aviation PCO/PXOs prior to taking command shall attend AVCOT at NAVAVSCOLSCOM as a temporary duty station noted in orders from PERS-43.

5. Quotas. Unless previously coordinated with School of Aviation Safety the AVCOT class quota is limited to 19 students. PERS-43 detailers should notify the AVCOT Staff with their quota request. Quota requests should contain name, rank, ultimate command, aircraft platform, cell phone number, and personal email address (if available) of each person assigned a quota. Additional quota requirements should be listed as standbys on quota submissions and ranked in order of precedence.

6. Berthing and messing. Students are responsible for making billeting arrangements, reference AVCOT class number with **Naval Air Station Pensacola, Navy Gateway Inns & Suite designed for longer stays.** Proportional messing is available.

7. Reporting. Classes will convene in the NAVAVSCOLSCOM Building 633, room 205, NAS Pensacola, on the scheduled AVCOT course start date, enclosure (1), at 0730L.

8. Uniform Requirements. The dress code for classes is green or tan flight suites, as appropriate or as further directed by individual services.

9. Additional Information. All questions and requests for additional information should be directed to:

Aviation Commanding Officer Training, N3B  
NAVAVSCOLSCOM  
181 Chambers Ave, Suite C  
Pensacola, FL 32508-5221  
DSN 459-3712, Commercial (850452-3712  
Website: <https://www.netc.navy.mil/nascweb/avcot/avcot.htm>

10. Cancellation contingency. Upon FY16 schedule completion.



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**AVCOT (FY16) CLASS SCHEDULE**

a. Aviation Commanding Officer Training Course  
(CIN C-1B-0011 - 17 Instructional Days)

AVCOT 16-01	13 OCT 2015 - 04 NOV 2015
AVCOT 16-02	04 JAN 2016 - 27 JAN 2016 *
AVCOT 16-03	16 FEB 2016 - 09 MAR 2016
AVCOT 16-04	29 MAR 2016 - 20 APR 2016
AVCOT 16-05A	10 MAY 2016 - 02 JUN 2016 *
AVCOT 16-05B	13 JUN 2016 - 06 JUL 2016 *
AVCOT 16-06	19 JUL 2016 - 10 AUG 2016
AVCOT 16-07	29 AUG 2016 - 21 SEP 2016 *

b. FY16 Federal Holidays

Columbus Day	10 OCT 2015
Veteran's Day	11 NOV 2015
Thanksgiving Day	24 NOV 2015
Christmas Day	26 DEC 2015
New Year's Day	01 JAN 2016
Martin Luther King Day	18 JAN 2016 *
President's Day	15 FEB 2016
Memorial Day	30 MAY 2016 *
Independence Day	04 JUL 2016 *
Labor Day	05 SEP 2016 *

\* AVCOT classes with a federal holiday schedule impact.