

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
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Parents of the Class of 1975

Dear Parents

May I take this opportunity to express my sincere congratulations on your son's acceptance for admission to the Air Force Academy. As the year progresses, I am confident you will find full justification for your well deserved pride in his accomplishment.

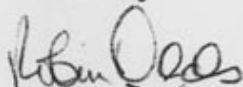
Your son is entering a new phase of life which is carefully designed to test and develop his abilities to the maximum. From the moment he arrives in July, until August, his time will be totally occupied and his experiences will be new. We realize that you will wish to see him, talk with him, and share his experiences at your earliest opportunity. We also realize that such visits are financially taxing for most families.

The Superintendent of the Air Force Academy has designated the Labor Day Weekend, 3, 4, 5 and 6 September as Parents' Weekend for the Class of 1975. May I recommend to you that if you plan to visit the Academy you consider making the visit at that time. There will be a planned program, starting with a Cadet Wing Parade in the late afternoon of Friday, 3 September and continuing with other activities through the afternoon of 6 September. The Superintendent, the Dean of the Faculty, the Director of Athletics, and I will take this opportunity to talk with you about your son's training and future at the Air Force Academy.

In midsummer you will receive an invitation from the Superintendent to visit with us on Parents' Weekend. A schedule of activities and information on housing and transportation will be included.

For you who are planning to bring your son to the Air Force Academy on 5 July 1971, a short orientation program will be presented in Arnold Hall, the cadet social center, at 1:00 P.M. This presentation is designed to briefly acquaint you with the academic, athletic, military, and religious training your son will receive during his four years at the Air Force Academy. I look forward to meeting and talking with you either during the orientation in July or during Parents' Weekend.

Sincerely



ROBIN OLDS, Brigadier General, USAF
Commandant of Cadets