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SUBJ/OFFICER APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED BY NAVY FLIGHT DEMONSTRATION
SQUADRON (BLUE ANGELS) FOR 2022-2024 SHOW SEASONS//

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NARR/REF A IS CNATRAINST 1301.4N, APPLICATION PROCEDURES AND QUALIFICATIONS
FOR OFFICERS OF THE BLUE ANGELS//

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1. The United States Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron Blue Angels will select: One Executive Officer (both Navy and Marine Corps officers are encouraged to apply) for the 2022-2023 show seasons, three F/A-18 demonstration pilots (both Navy and Marine Corps pilots are encouraged to apply) for the 2022-2023 show seasons, one Marine Corps C-130 demonstration pilot for the 2022-2024 show seasons, one Supply Officer for the 2022-2023 show seasons and one Public Affairs Officer (both Navy and Marine Corps officers are encouraged to apply) for the 2022-2023 show seasons.
2. Interested officers should submit applications per reference (a) by 30 April 2021. All applicants shall contact their detailer/monitor prior to applying to ensure adequate timing to complete a 2 or 3-year tour without impacting career milestones. Manpower Management Officer Assignments (MMOA) will release a separate MARADMIN that outlines Marine applicant eligibility requirements. Final selections will be made in July 2021.
3. Qualifications. Applicants should be career-oriented, active-duty Navy and Marine Corps officers with the following specific qualifications:
 - a. Executive Officer applicants must be Naval Aviators or Naval Flight Officers with the rank of commander or lieutenant colonel. They should have approximately 1,750 flight hours.
 - b. F/A-18 demonstration pilot applicants must be carrier qualified tactical jet pilots with approximately 1,250 hours of jet flight time by 30 September of the year applying and have completed an operational fleet tour.

- c. Marine C-130 demonstration pilot applicants must have an aircraft commander rating in the C-130J and should have approximately 1,200 total flight hours.
 - d. Supply Officer applicants must be Naval Aviation Supply Officers (310X/651X/751X) (LTJG/LT/LCDR/CWO3/CWO4) and be on or have completed an operational fleet tour.
 - e. Public Affairs Officer applicants must be designated as Naval Public Affairs Officers or Marine Corps Communications Strategy and Operations Officers (165X, USMC MOS 4502) (LTJG/LT/LCDR, 1stLt/Capt/Maj).
4. Selectees will be approved by BUPERS/MMOA prior to public notification. Unites States Navy/United States Marine Corps pilots will be required to remain on active duty for 2 years following completion of their assignment with the Blue Angels.
 5. Reference (a) delineates application procedures. All applications submitted via mail through 1 March 2021 should be sent to:

Commanding Officer
Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron
Attn: LCDR James Haley
Naval Air Facility El Centro
1605 Third Street
Hangar 5
El Centro, CA 92243

Applications being submitted from 2 March 2021 through 30 April 2021 should be sent to:

Commanding Officer
Flight Demonstration Squadron
Attn: LCDR James Haley
390 San Carlos Road, Suite A
Pensacola, FL 32508-5508

Applications may also be delivered in person beginning 15 March 2021.

6. For additional information, visit the Blue Angels website at www.blueangels.navy.mil or contact the Blue Angels Applicants Officer, LCDR James Haley, in Pensacola, FL at (850)452-2585/DSN 922, or in El Centro, CA (January thru Mid-March) at (760)339- 2509/DSN 645 or via email at james.e.haley@navy.mil.
7. This NAVADMIN will remain in effect until superseded or 31 August 2021, whichever occurs first.
8. Released by Vice Admiral John. B. Nowell Jr, N1.//

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