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As the current fiscal year ends on October 1st, we will be holding officer elections for the next fiscal year at our next meeting on Saturday, September 25th. All of the current officers are willing to serve another year except for our secretary. If interested, in this or another position, please join the meeting and nominate yourself when officer nominations are opened during the business meeting.

On Saturday, Sep 25th, please join us at 2:00 PM for a virtual meeting via Zoom where we will have a talk on the Randolph HS CyberPatriot Team Competition by our 2019 Teacher of the Year, Mathew Horner, a Computer Science and Mathematics Teacher at Randolph High School, Randolph, NJ.

He is an advisor to the school's computer club which includes participation in CyberPatriot. This year, he has five teams registered with possibly one or maybe two with all girls. We, Chapter 195, will sponsor the team registrations.

The AFA CyberPatriot National Youth Cyber Education Program is in its 14th year and has expanded its scope from initially targeting just high school youth to now covering K-12. Other programs include summer CyberCamps, elementary school cyber guide, children's literature series, CyberGenerations –a senior citizen cyber safety guide, and a Tech Caregivers guide program to encourage cyber-savvy volunteers to support their communities. See: <https://www.uscyberpatriot.org/>

As of Sep 19th, there were 56 teams registered in NJ with 32 Open Division high school teams, 14 middle school teams, six CAP, and four JROTC teams. See: [Link](#)

The deadline for registering CyberPatriot teams is Oct 5th. Currently there are other local teams registered including three at Morristown High School, Morristown, NJ, and two with BSA Troop 334 in Montvale, NJ. To register a team, see: [Link](#)

For more about CyberPatriot, check out this video on Cyber Central hosted by Toni Cyber. See: [Link](#)

Shown below is Mathew Horner, our 2019 Teacher of the Year in his CyberPatriot XI tee shirt along with our esteemed former member Lt Col Bob Vaucher on 25 May 19.



The Chapter 195 Teacher of the Year award includes a check for \$250 from National which is matched by us and includes a complimentary Civil Air Patrol (CAP) Aerospace Education Membership (AEM). See the following for the many benefits of becoming a CAP AEM member which includes a free CAP Cessna orientation flight: [Link](#)

StellarXplorers, the National Space Design Competition is the other AFA youth STEM program. Teams are given a scenario describing a system mission and they are tasked to provide a space design solution which could include a launch vehicle, satellite, and orbit. See: <https://stellarxplorers.org/about/>

So please join us on Sat., Sep 25th, at 2:00 PM, via Zoom link in the invitation on the following page.



You are cordially invited to the
AFA Shooting Star Chapter 195
Zoomed on Saturday, 25 Sep 2021, 2:00 PM

The simplest way to connect to the meeting from a computer or smartphone is to simply click on the link (or copy it to a browser) and follow instructions.

Join Zoom Meeting

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Agenda

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation

Introductions, host Bill Fosina, 195 President

Chapter President's Comments

Topics:

- Election of officers for the next fiscal year, 1Oct21-30Sep22
- Covid-19 vaccine personal experiences
- Next meeting
- Other

Speaker

CyberPatriot Team Competition by, Mathew Horner, 2019 195 Teacher of the Year, Computer Science and Mathematics Teacher at Randolph High School, Randolph, NJ.

Next meeting: Sat., Oct 30

Adjourn meeting