



## United States Naval Sea Cadet Corps

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### **NSCC ACTION LETTER 9-96**

To: Distribution

Subj: NSCC BALL CAPS

Ref: (a) NSCC Uniform Regulations

1. **Purpose:** Effective immediately cadets are authorized to wear the NSCC/NLCC ball cap/command ball cap in lieu of the white hat with dungarees. Officers, instructors and midshipmen may wear the ball cap when engaged in a working/training environment involving cadets.
2. **Discussion:** NSCC/NLCC personnel are authorized to wear appropriately modified versions of the uniform prescribed in U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations. The U.S. Navy has authorized wearing a command ball cap in lieu of the standard white hat/garrison cap with dungarees. This same policy is now being extended to the Naval Sea Cadet Corps.
3. **Action:** NSCC officers, instructors, midshipmen and all cadets are now authorized to wear the dark blue command ball cap with dungarees or other appropriate uniform when involved in a working or training environment. Ball caps shall meet the following specifications:
  - a. Ball caps shall be a dark blue color made of durable fabric that reflects and complements a smart, neat appearance.
  - b. Ball caps are not part of the dress uniform and shall not be worn on any occasion with this apparel.
  - c. Ball caps may be procured locally, through an authorized NSCC supplier, or through one of the following sources:

Printing Associates Company  
P.O. Box 613  
Ripon, CA 95366  
Tel: (209) 523-0260  
FAX: (209) 579-5507  
Attn: Jeremy Price

W. L. Lamon Crouch  
2530 Ridge Leaf  
San Antonio, TX 78251  
Tel/FAX: (210) 647-4881

d. Ball caps shall be appropriately identified with the NSCC insignia (yellow on blue field), NLCC insignia (white on blue field) applied by a silk screen/puff print process on the front with the unit name centered below in sans serif (arial/helvetica block lettering) as shown below. The NLCC/NSCC insignia illustrated is the correct size to be used on the ball cap.



4. **Cancellation:** This Action Letter remains in effect until incorporated into the NSCC Uniform Regulations.

  
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