

# OPORD F09-07: OPERATION I'M ON A BOAT

**Time Zone Used Throughout the Order:** (Local)

## TASK ORGANIZATION:

BAT HQs	<u>A Company</u>	<u>B Company</u>
	A/1	B/1
	A/2	B/2

### 1. SITUATION:

- a. Enemy Forces: None
- (1) Light Data / Weather  
-As of 24SEP09

Date	High	Low	SR	SS	Forecast	Precipitation
07OCT09	85	72	0619	1832	Partly sunny	0%

(2) Terrain: Ala Moana Beach Park consists of beach, right next to parking lot, sidewalks, and nearby urban area.

#### b. Friendly Forces

- (1) Mission of higher unit: The cadets of 8<sup>th</sup> Brigade, Western Region ROTC will gain proficiency in leadership skills, train and prepare MSIII Cadets for LDAC 2010.
- (2) Adjacent Units: Air Force ROTC may be conducting training in adjacent areas.
- (3) Units providing Fire Support: N/A

c. Attachments and Detachments: Personnel not contracted or enrolled in ROTC may be present at and participate beach physical training with permission of cadre.

**II. Mission:** UH Warrior BN conducts Beach PT at Ala Moana Beach Park NLT 070515OCT2009 to promote unit cohesion and prepare MSIII's for Warrior Forge 2010.

### III. Execution:

#### Commander's Intent:

Purpose: All cadets gain familiarization with small boat operations.

#### Key Tasks:

- a. 100% accountability
- b. Meet all hard times
- c. Instruction on Small Boat Operation (Coxswain duties)
- d. Conduct Small Boat Operation Race and relay competitions

End-state: All cadets learn the basics of small boat operation. Cadets with fear of water gain confidence.

#### a. Concept of the Operation – 3 Phase Operation:

- (1) Initial formation, demonstration, and group organization into 10 squads
- (2) 5 stations, 5 rotations
- (3) Final Formation Announcements and Dismissal

## 1. Scheme of Maneuver:

Phase 1: 0515, first formation, safety brief, and boat operation demonstration will be conducted. Next, the battalion will break off evenly into 10 squads of 11 personnel. All squads will be at their assigned stations and start training NLT 0550.

- Squads designated 1 – 2 will move to the boat operations station to receive a block of instructions on small boat ops and conduct a small boat ops race.
- Squads 3 and 4 will move to the tread water station to practice treading water.
- Squads 5 - 6 move to relay 1 to conduct relay competition by first executing 20 side straddle hops, pick up 2 five gallon water jugs and run approx 100 meters, drop water jugs, execute 25 push ups, go back to starting line by doing lunges along the shoreline, upon arrival at starting line execute 25 sit-ups.
- Squads 7 and 8 will move to relay 2 to conduct relay competition by sprinting from starting line to waters edge, pick up surfboard and paddle approx 50 meters in the water towards and around the safety and back to shoreline, upon reaching shoreline high crawl back towards the starting line.
- Squads 9 – 10 will jog around Magic Island to practice calling cadence.

Phase 2: All squads will execute assigned tasks and rotate every 15 minutes according to timetable. One horn blast will notify all squads to change stations, 2-horn blast will indicate squads to start activities.

Phase 3: Final formation will be held at 0725 for announcements and dismissal.

2. Fires: N/A

## b. Tasks to Maneuver Units:

S-1/Assistant (C/CPT Cash, C/1LT Jones)

- Ensure accountability sheets are ready for dissemination.

S-2/LDP (C/CPT Mount, C/CPT Lester)

- 4 strong swimmers to be water safeties & teach treading water
- 9 personnel to demonstrate and run small boat ops station
- 5 personnel to run relay station 1
- 7 personnel to run relay station 2 (to include 4 water safeties)
- 2 personnel to run with different rotations (to be switched out with other stations)
- Ensure hard times are being followed and enforce the timeline

S-4/Assistant (C/CPT Eggleston, C/1LT Mercado)

- Ensure 1 CLS bag, 2 Litters onsite
- Zodiac operation items: 2 Zodiac boats, 24 paddles, 24 life vests
- 6 water jugs with cups

S-6/Assistant (C/CPT Greenford, C/1LT Schultz)

- Ensure OPORD is posted on UH Army ROTC website
- Camera for picture taking

(2) A/B Company CO

- Ensure proper accountability of cadets throughout beach PT
- Ensure all PL's are given OPORD briefing and time to allow for proper TLP's
- Ensure all hard times are met.
- Ensure cadets are properly hydrated the night before

c. Coordinating Instructions:

FROM	TO	TO ATTEND	EVENT	LOCATION	UNIFORM
280550SEP2009	0610	A/B CO's	BC OPORD Brief for 07OCT09 Boat PT	Cadet Lounge	B
300600SEP09	0620	CO's & PL's	CO's brief PL's OPORD for 07OCT09 Boat PT		
020600OCT09	0620	PL's & SL's	PL's brief SL's OPORD for 07OCT09 Boat PT		
050600OCT09	0620	SL's & squad members	SL's brief squad members OPORD for 07OCT09 Boat PT		
070515SEP09	0520	ALL	BN accountability	Magic Island Ala Moana Beach Park	A
0520	0525	ALL	Safety Brief		
0525	0535	ALL	Squad organization		
0535	0545	ALL	Boat Operations demonstration		
0545	0550	ALL	Rotation 1 - Move to assigned stations Squads 1 & 2 remain at Boat Operations Station Squads 3 & 4 go to tread water station Squads 5 and 6 move to relay 1 Squads 7 and 8 move to relay 2 Squads 9 & 10 move to running station		
0550	0605	ALL	Conduct activities		
0605	0610	ALL	Rotation 2 Squads 9 & 10 move to Boat Ops Squads 1 & 2 move to tread water station Squads 3 & 4 move to relay 1 Squads 5 & 6 move to relay 2 Squads 7 & 8 move to running station		
0610	0625	ALL	Conduct activities		
0625	0630	ALL	Rotation 3 Squads 7 & 8 move to Boat Ops Squads 9 & 10 move tread water station Squads 1 & 2 move to relay 1 Squads 3 & 4 move to relay 2 Squads 5 & 6 move to running station		
0630	0645	ALL	Conduct activities		
0645	0650	ALL	Rotation 4 Squads 5 & 6 move to Boat Ops Squads 7 & 8 move to tread water station Squads 9 & 10 move relay 1 Squads 1 & 2 move to relay 2 Squads 3 & 4 move to running station		
0650	0705	ALL	Conduct activities		
0705	0710	ALL	Rotation 5 Squads 3 & 4 move to Boat Ops Squads 5 & 6 move to tread water station Squads 7 & 8 move to relay 1 Squads 9 & 10 move relay 2 Squads 1 & 2 move to running station		
0710	0725		Conduct activities		
0725	0730	ALL	Final formation, announcements, dismissal		
UNIFORM A – Army Combat Uniform (Sterilized- no name tapes or patches) w/running shoes, no patrol cap					
UNIFORM B – Improved Physical Fitness Uniform					

#### **IV. Service and Support:**

A. General: No initial supply or re-supply assets available.

B. Material and Services:

1. Supply:

a. Class I: Water Available at Training Site

b. Class II: N/A

c. Class III: N/A

d. Class IV: N/A

e. Class V: N/A

f. Class VI: N/A

g. Class VII: (2) Zodiac boats, (24) paddles, (24) Life Vests, (2) Litter

h. Class VIII: Aid bag located with cadre at training site

i. Class IX: N/A

j. Class X: N/A

k. Distribution methods:

2. Transportation: BN van will leave UH BN area and take cadets to training site NLT 0455. Driver for BN Van is MSG Minicozzi.

3. Services: None

4. Maintenance: N/A

5. Medical Evacuation: Report any injuries to MS4s and Cadre immediately

C. Personnel: N/A

D. Miscellaneous: N/A

#### **V. Command and Signal:**

A. Command:

1. Location of higher unit Commander: PMS will be in training area

2. Location of unit commander: Cadet BC will be in training area

3. Location of Second in Command: XO will be in training area

4. Succession of Command: BC, XO, S-3

B. Signal: N/A

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C/LTC  
BC

OFFICIAL:

CDT/1LT Holly, PTO

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