

C A D E T L I F E

Cadet Honor

Camden Military Academy has always had an Honor System, but this year it established a formal Honor Code, which states simply that "a cadet will not lie, cheat, or steal." The code is common sense morality that has existed in even the most primitive human cultures for thousands of years. Applied to cadets it means that they will not lie to anyone, cheat on tests or in their personal dealings with others, or steal from anyone. Honor, however, has a broader meaning that goes much beyond the code. It means accepting responsibility for all of one's actions. It means facing problems squarely at the outset before they grow bigger and get out of hand. It means observing the rules of common courtesy and helping others who need a hand without expecting anything in return. It also means appraising oneself honestly, admitting to shortcomings, and sincerely trying to correct them.



LTC David Seigler, Battalion Commander, salutes after receiving his class ring at the Ring Ceremony in November.