

DALLAS BARRACKS

The flat two-story brick barracks that housed Charlie and Delta Companies were retired in 2017 in place of a newly-finished building. The original two-story wooden building, known as the Carolina Barracks, was built in 1941 as part of the Southern Aviation School. It stood where the Cline Library is today until an electrical fire burnt it down on February 15, 1962. Luckily, all cadets were in the Dining Hall so nobody was injured. Construction on the two-story brick barracks, the Dallas Barracks we've all known for decades, started in April 1962. During the summer, Colonel Lanning Risher also made sure to install sprinklers in all other wooden buildings on campus.

Plans for the new Dallas Barracks were announced in the spring 2014 edition of *The Bugle* newsletter. The new barracks could now house up to 120 cadets. Many contributions and donations helped make these new barracks possible. After many delays (which the cadets had gotten used to over the past three years), the new Dallas Barracks were finally opened to Charlie and Delta cadets on March 19, 2017.





