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NAVADMIN 154/23 announces the Chief Selectee Back to Bootcamp program, which will allow a group of Fleet selected Chief Selectees and mentors will return to Recruit Training Command for a week of training. The Chief Selectees will engage in training reinforcing where their careers began.

Who needs to know?

- CMCs
- The Chief’s Mess Leadership

What you need to know – key points

- Chief selectees must be within physical and medical standards to participate.
- Mentors and Chief selectees may not be in a limited duty status.
- Mentors and Chief selectees must strictly adhere to the sea bag requirements laid out in welcome letter sent upon selection to the program.
- Mentor nominations are due to respective fleet/force master chiefs no later than 21 July 23.
- Active duty and reserve CPO select nominations are due no later than one week after respective selection board results.

Sample POD/POW Note

- NAVADMIN only applies to senior leadership, no POD notes needed

FAQ

Q. If I attend Back to Bootcamp what will I do?
A. During Back to Bootcamp CPO selects will participate in leadership and heritage training that is central to Recruit Training Command and the Mission, Vision, and Guiding Principles of the Chief Petty Officer.

Q. Who do I contact about available billets and the status of applications?
A. The respective fleet and force master chiefs will be the only point of contacts for applications. DO NOT contact RTC directly.

Q. What do I need to bring with me if I am selected?
A. Upon selection for the program, Sailors will be provided with additional instructions to include a detailed packing list for the week.

Q. Will I be able to leave base during the week?
A. No, while participating in Back to Bootcamp all CPO selectees and mentors will be required to stay on base.

Q. Where will we stay during the training?
A. CPO selects and mentors will be provided separate open bay berthing areas.

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