

Personnel-General

CIVIL AIR PATROL UNIFORM MANUAL

CAP Manual 39-1, 1 April 1980, is changed as follows:

1. Page Insert Change:

REMOVE	DATE	INSERT
45 thru 48	1 April 1980	45 thru 48

2. Write-in Changes:

PAGE	REFERENCE	ACTION
3	Para 1-11b(3) Line 10	Change sentence on earrings to read: "Women may wear small, round, conservative, white pearl or silver earrings on a daily basis with all service and dress uniforms. Also, small, plain, healing posts may be worn during the healing period. Only one earring or healing post may be worn on or in each earlobe."
28	Figure 3-1	Under Optional Components add: "Coat: blue, pantsuit (blazer) in lieu of semibox style coat. NOTE: Blazer and skirt must be of matching material and shade. Officers wear sleeve braid on the blazer 2½ inches from end of sleeve."
28-31	Figures 3-1 thru 3-4	Under Optional Components add: "Shirt: Tuck-in style, light blue, long-sleeve, with epaulets and tie tab. Will not be worn with semibox style coat or skirt without waistband."
35	Table 3-1, Line 2, Column C	Insert "X" under Uniform Combination A.
35	Table 3-1, Line 3	Add: "NOTE: New modified A-line style skirt with waistband is also authorized."
35	Table 3-1, Line 4	Add: "NOTE: New slacks with two one-quarter front pockets and center front fly opening are also authorized."
35	Table 3-1	Add Line 6.1. Under Column A: "Shirt, long-sleeved, light blue." Add under Column B: "Cotton/polyester, shade 1550." Column C insert "X" under Uniform Combinations A through D. Add under Column D: "Will not be worn with semibox style coat or skirt without waistband."
38	Table 3-1, Line 25	Jacket, lightweight blue. Add: "NOTE: Women may wear collar up or down."

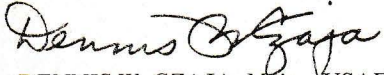
67 Figure 5-10

Change notes to read: "The new blue plastic 3-line nameplate may be worn with all service uniform combinations and the field shirt for women. The CAP metal identification badge and black nameplate combination is optional until 1 July 1981 at which time the blue, 3-line nameplate will be mandatory on all service uniform combinations and the field shirt for women."

70 Figure 5-16

Delete. Cadet NCO Leadership Insignia are being phased out of the CAP inventory. Cadets who are currently authorized the insignia may continue to wear them until a phaseout date is announced.

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TABLE 4-1 ARRANGEMENT OF RIBBONS ON SERVICE COAT				
R U L E	A	B	C	D
	If the number of ribbons authorized is	and the coat lapel covers portions of the ribbons	and the size of ribbons worn is	then see note and wear ribbons in
1	1, 2, or 3	no	regular	a single row.
2	4 thru 6	yes		multiples of 3, centering any remaining ribbons on the top row.
3	4 thru 9	no		
4	7 thru 9	yes		multiples of 3 in two bottom rows, but to prevent coat lapel from covering ribbons, each row thereafter may contain fewer; center top row.
5	10 or more	no		multiples of 3 or 4, with any remaining ribbons centered on the top row.
6	10 or more	yes		multiples of 3 or 4 in two bottom rows, but to prevent coat lapel from covering ribbons, each additional row may contain less than the multiple, with top row centered.

NOTE: Men. Ribbons will always be placed on wearer's left with bottom row immediately above breast coat pocket. They will be centered above the pocket or, to avoid being covered by coat lapel, ribbons may be aligned so border to wearer's left is parallel with left side of pocket. All rows will be aligned so border of ribbon to wearer's left is even, except top row will be centered over row below. There will be no space between rows of ribbons.

Women. Ribbons will be worn in the same relative position, except that there is no pocket for alignment. The bottom edge of the ribbon will be aligned 2 inches to 2½ inches above the level of the top buttons on the new service jacket and 1 inch to 2 inches above the top button of the old service jacket.

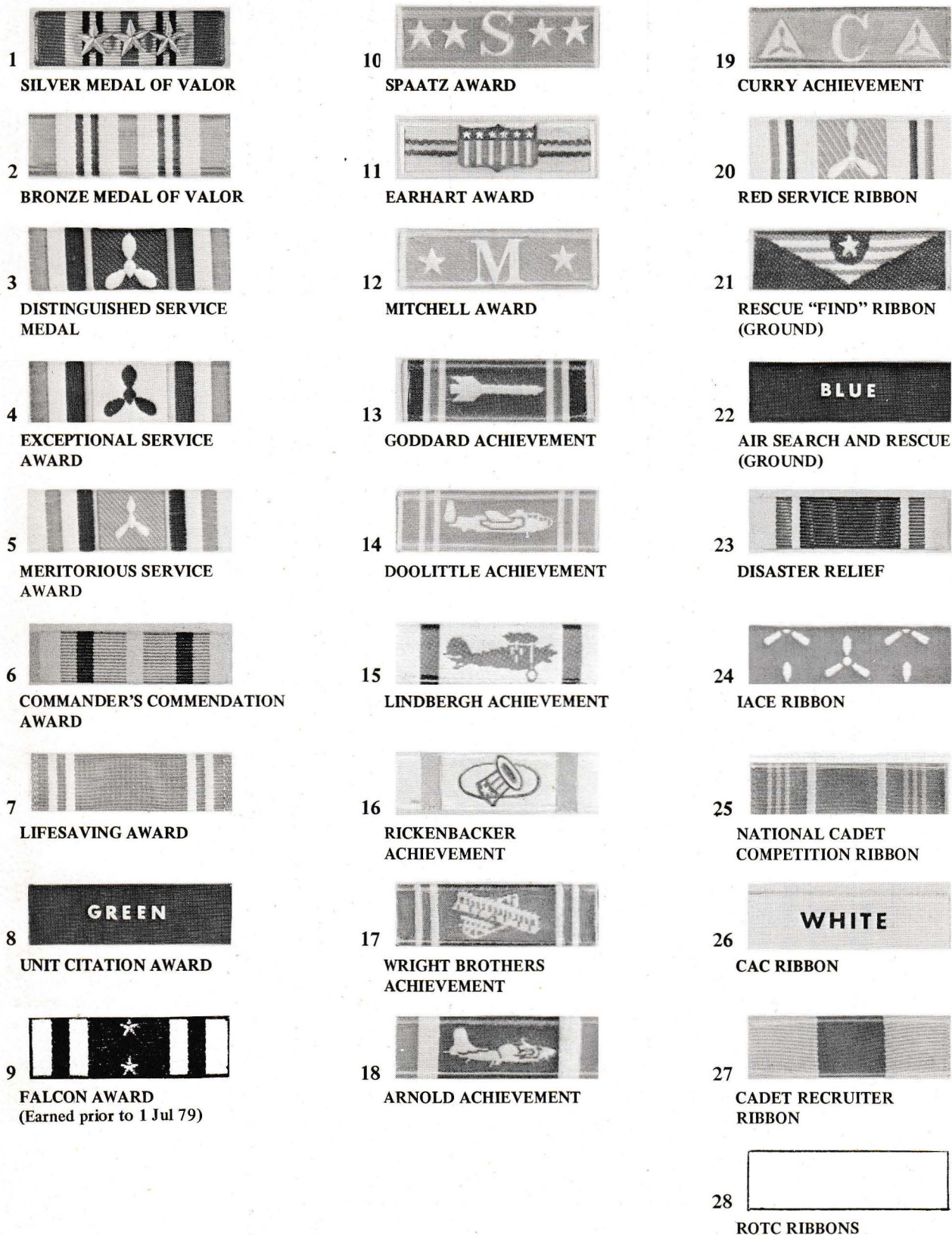
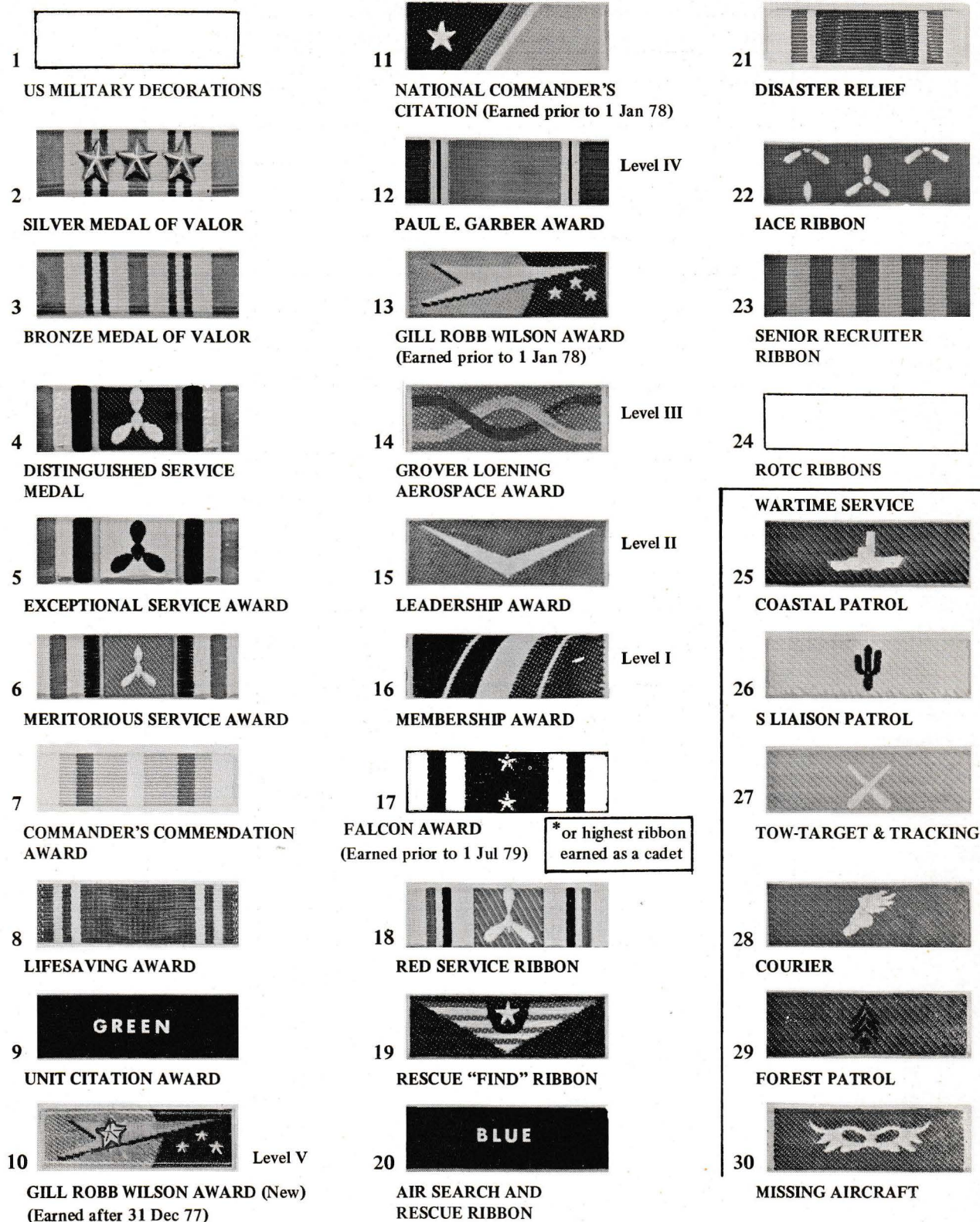


Figure 4-3. Cadet Ribbons—Order of Precedence



*NOTE: Red, White, and Blue Training Ribbons and Cadet Certificate of Proficiency Ribbon if still available.

Figure 4-4. Senior Ribbons—Order of Precedence

TABLE 4-2

ARRANGEMENT OF MINIATURE MEDALS BY ROWS (SEE NOTE)

R U L E	If number of medals worn is	Then the number of medals in each row is			
		Bottom	2nd	3rd	4th
1	1 thru 7	1-7			
2	8	4	4		
3	9	5	4		
4	10	5	5		
5	11	6	5		
6	12	6	6		
7	13	7	6		
8	14	7	7		
9	15	5	5	5	
10	16	6	5	5	
11	17	6	6	5	
12	18	6	6	6	
13	19	7	6	6	
14	20	7	7	6	
15	21	7	7	7	
16	22	6	6	5	5
17	23	6	6	6	5
18	24	6	6	6	6
19	25	7	6	6	6
20	26	7	7	6	6
21	27	7	7	7	6
22	28	7	7	7	7

NOTE: When fewer than five miniature medals are worn, all will be fully exposed. If more than four are worn on one row, each medal will equally overlap the medal to the left but the overlap will not exceed 50%; the medal nearest the lapel will be fully exposed. Upper rows will be placed to cover the ribbon portion of the medals in figure 4-5.

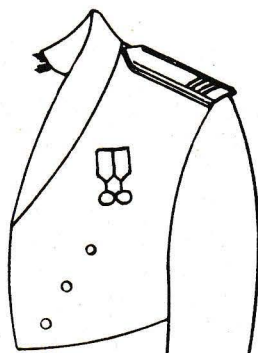
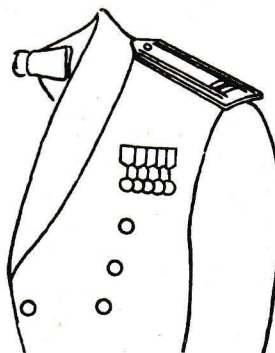
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Figure 4-5. Arrangement of Miniature Medals