QUICK FACTS

In 2006, the 60,000 volunteer members of CAP…

Saved 58 lives.
Conducted over 2,000 Search and Rescue operations.
Aided in taking $1 billion in illegal drugs off the streets.
Flew over 108,000 hours in support of CAP missions.
Were awarded over $200,000 in flight and academic scholarships.

In 2006, of the 25,000 cadet members of CAP…

Over 100 were accepted to Military Service Academies.
Nearly 6,500 were provided their first orientation flight.
1,800 participated in CAP's national cadet activities.

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CADET PROGRAM

CAP's cadet program trains young men and women in teamwork, moral leadership, aerospace education, technical skills to support emergency services, and military history and customs.

Through national encampments, a college and flight training scholarship program, and the International Air Cadet Exchange, CAP cadets broaden their horizons, learn to assume responsibility, feel self-confidence and set goals for their lives.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Best known for its members' work in search and rescue and disaster relief missions, CAP is expanding its role in the 21st century to include an increasing number of homeland security operations and exercises. CAP

also performs counterdrug reconnaissance missions at the request of law enforcement agencies and can do radiological monitoring and damage assessment. CAP members undergo rigorous training to perform these missions safely and cost-effectively.

AEROSPACE EDUCATION

CAP maintains both internal and external aerospace education programs. CAP members, both adults and cadets, follow a rigorous program to learn about aviation and aerospace principles.

CAP also reaches out to the general public through a special program for teachers at all grade levels. Through this program, CAP provides free classroom materials and lesson plans for aerospace education and each year sponsors the premier national conference in this field.