

VMFA-122 Commanding Officer – Security Policy



This squadron's sole purpose is to deploy into combat, fight and win whenever our nation calls. From the World War II Pacific campaign, to Vietnam and the Global War on Terrorism, VMFA-122 has established a remarkable legacy of service to country and Corps. I am honored to command the best squadron in the Marine Corps.

My Vision

"Passionate and disciplined commitment to balanced excellence."

Security is the job of every Werewolf!

As Marines, we defend the right to freedom and a large part of that defense is the protection of our National Secrets. Classified information is information that has been determined to be essential to our National Security and requires protections against unauthorized disclosure. For this reason, certain information is given a classification for its protection. The three classifications for classified information are as follows: Top Secret, Secret, and Confidential. The marking "For Official Use Only" (FOUO) cannot be used for classified information; however, this information should be disseminated carefully as well. Additionally, some unclassified information should not be discussed over the telephone or sent via unsecure email networks such as the nature and dates of deployments/exercises, our personnel strength and equipment, or training operations.

SQUADRON ORDER P5510.1S, SECNAV M-5510.36 and M-5510.30 and other applicable security orders and directives will be our guide to maintain the standard of security in VMFA-122. If you witness any security violations you are to immediately report it up through the Chain of Command to the Security Manager. The importance of security cannot be overstressed – if you see something that doesn't look, sound, or feel right let the Chain of Command know! Everyone is responsible for security, regardless rank or billet. If you have any questions about security matters, check with S-2 or the Security Manager.

I ask each Werewolf to join me and the Security Manager in this mission critical job; we must apply a zero-defect mentality to the handling and safeguarding of our classified material.

Semper Fidelis,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. E. Wiegel". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Wade E. Wiegel

Lieutenant Colonel, United States Marine Corps
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