



Semper Fidelis Football Program



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Marines Announce Return of the Semper Fidelis Football Program

QUANTICO, Va., (May 13, 2014) –The Marine Corps Recruiting Command (MCRC) is pleased to announce the return of the Semper Fidelis Football Program. The 2015 Semper Fidelis All-American Bowl, featuring the nation’s best and brightest high school football players, will take place in Carson, Calif., in early January 2015.

The Semper Fidelis Football Program demonstrates the Marine Corps’ commitment to developing quality citizens and reinforces its core values of honor, courage and commitment.

“The Semper Fidelis Football Program is part of our overall recruiting plan. It was one of those things we weren’t able to afford early after the sequestration reductions in our budget,” said Major General Mark A. Brilakis, Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruiting Command. “However, the Commandant has decided that this is one of those premiere events that he would like us to continue and provided the resources necessary to do it.”

The Semper Fidelis Football Program is unique because it brings together 90 student-athletes from across the country who demonstrate success both on and off the gridiron. Semper Fidelis All-American’s are selected for being among the top-rated high school football players in the nation; however, the selection process is also dedicated to choosing players based on their character, academic performance and leadership.

Leading up to the 4th annual nationally televised Semper Fidelis All-American Bowl, players will be hand-picked and recognized during the All-American player selection tour. Players will be announced later this year.

For more information about the 2015 Semper Fidelis All-American Bowl, visit www.SemperFidelisFootball.com or www.facebook.com/SemperFidelisFootball.