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Okkodo High School Marine Corp JROTC Leadership Qualified for JLAB Championship

Tiyan, Guam – The Guam Department of Education Okkodo High School Marine Corps JROTC Leadership Academic Bowl (JLAB) Team has achieved an impressive feat by qualifying for the second year in a row. Out of the 250 MCJROTC Schools, the MCJROTC team from Okkodo High School is one of only eight teams to qualify for Nationals. Notably, it is also the only JROTC School from Guam and Saipan to make it to the Championships. **The MCJROTC team will be competing from June 21 to 25, 2024 at the Catholic University of America in Washington D.C.**

The JLAB National Competition, all four team members participate as a group in a college bowl-type game with buzzers. After preliminary rounds on Saturday, June 22, 2024 the MCJROTC Academic Bowl Championship will be held on Sunday, June 23, 2024 at 11:30 AM Eastern Standard Time (EST). The Joint Service Academic Bowl will be held on Sunday, June 23, 2024 afternoon at approximately 5 PM (EST) on Sunday. The winning team from the Marine Corps will compete against the winning teams from the Army, Navy, and Air Force JROTC Academic Championships in a four-way competition. NOTE: The Championships and other evening programs will be live-streamed so that families and other members of the unit may watch.

Marine Corps JROTC, mission is to instill a value of citizenship, service to the United States, personal responsibility, and a sense of accomplishment.

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