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traditions – the passing down of elements of a culture (such as knowledge, beliefs, or customs) from one generation to another

customs – A long established practice followed as a matter of course among people, often times considered an unwritten law or repeated practice.

dress – to attire with a certain degree of uniformity; an appearance appropriate or peculiar to a particular time.

esprit de corps – the common spirit or feeling of pride found in the members of a group and inspiring enthusiasm, devotion, and strong regard for the honor of the group.

salutes – a sign or form of exchange used to greet or to show respect and recognition.

cannon salutes – the firing of a salute by a battery of guns or cannons to honor a person of military, national, or civic importance or to honor a significant national event.

ruffles and flourishes – a drum and bugle salute, usually to honor military or civil officials.

self-propelled – to have the ability within itself to move.

courtesies – an act of politeness or gracious manners; the use of polite gestures or remarks.

uncovered – to remove a hat or other headgear; to be bareheaded or without a cover.

reporting – presenting oneself to a senior.

uncasing – removing the case from Colors that are attached to a staff.

mess – a group of persons, usually in the military, who regularly eat meals together; the place where such meals are served.

position of honor – a military courtesy of usually keeping seniors to your right while walking or sitting.