



INSPECTOR GENERAL BASIC COURSE

WHERE: 2009 Maryland Wing Annual Conference and Military Ball
Hilton Executive Meeting and Conference Center,
1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852-1699

WHEN: The course will be offered in two parts over the weekend. Part 1 will be on Friday evening, 30 Oct, from 5:00 – 9:00 p.m.; Part 2 on Sunday morning, 1 Nov, from 8:00 a.m. until noon.

Eligibility for Attendance: Senior Members in the Middle East Region or North East Region that have the desire to understand and/or train in the Inspections specialty track to participate in the mission of the CAP Inspector General. The requirements for achieving a Technicians level rating in the Inspections track will be explained during the course.

Course Focus: The course will focus on the history, purpose, authority and missions of the Inspector General, specifically, Compliance Inspections and Complaint Investigations. The course will be a combination of briefings, open discussion, and testing.

Course Instructors: The course will be presented by Maryland Wing Assistant Inspector General, Lt. Col. John Mariakis, (Course Director), Maryland Wing Inspector General, Lt. Col. Paul N. Blechinger, (Assistant Course Director), and Assistant Wing Inspector General, Capt. Peter J. Blechinger, (Instructor), who have all graduated from the Inspector General College, hold Master Ratings in IG and have conducted numerous CAP inspections and investigations, and 1st Lt. Walter Murphy who completed the Inspector General Basic Course last year and has been actively assisting in MDWG IG matters.

Criteria for Successful Completion of the Course:

- Arrival to course on time, prepared to work – bring pencils, pens and notebook paper (laptops are not mandatory)
- Active participation in all course discussions and activities
- Proper attitude and deportment during the course
- Demonstration of “Team Spirit”
- Achieving a passing grade on the Post Course Test.

Uniform for the Course: AF short sleeve blues or corporate equivalent.

How to register for the course: Send an email to the Maryland Wing Inspector General, Lt. Col. Paul N. Blechinger, CAP at trekpb@aol.com, cc: wa@mdcap.org . You are requested to register early as space is limited for this course. Once registered, if you encounter a problem with attendance, notify us **immediately** so that another person can attend the course in your place.

The Maryland Wing IG Team is looking forward to meeting you!

Lt. Col. Paul N. Blechinger, CAP
Inspector General
Maryland Wing
Civil Air Patrol
U.S. Air Force Auxiliary