

1ST BATTALION NCO

SERGEANT MAJOR JASON MOFFITT

United States Marine Corps



Sergeant Major Moffitt entered recruit training with Company A, 1st Recruit Training Battalion, MCRD San Diego, CA on 2 August 1988 and subsequently graduated on 21 October 1988 as a private first class.

In February 1989, Sergeant Major Moffitt was assigned to Marine Aviation Logistics Squadron 31, MCAS Beaufort, SC. From August 1990 to April 1991, Sergeant Major Moffitt would deploy to Bahrain in support of Operation DESERT SHIELD and DESERT STORM.

In June 1992, Sergeant Major Moffitt transferred to 1st Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment, 2d Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, NC. While with 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, he deployed from October 1992 to April 1993 aboard USS GUAM (LPH-9) and USS AUSTIN (LPD-4), as part of the Landing Force 6th Fleet and the 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit (Special Operations Capable) to the Mediterranean Sea. He would again deploy with 1st Battalion, 6th Marines from October 1994 to April 1995, this time aboard USS NASSAU (LHA-4), as part of the Landing Force 6th Fleet and the 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit (Special Operations Capable) to the Mediterranean Sea. While deployed with Battalion Landing Team 1/6, Sergeant Major Moffitt participated in Operations SHARP GUARD, DENY FLIGHT, and RESTORE HOPE in the Adriatic Sea.

In July 1995, Sergeant Major Moffitt attended Drill Instructor School Class 4-95. Upon graduation he was assigned to Golf Company, 2nd Recruit Training Battalion, MCRD, Parris Island, SC. While on Drill Instructor duty, he filled the billets of Drill Instructor, Operations Chief, and Senior Drill Instructor.

In December 1997, he transferred to Marine (All-Weather) Fighter Attack Squadron 224, 2d Marine Aircraft Wing, MCAS Beaufort, SC. In December 1998, he deployed to the Western Pacific as part of the Unit Deployment Program. After returning to the United States in June 1999, Sergeant Major Moffitt was reassigned to Marine Fighter Attack Squadron 122 and again deployed to the Western Pacific from June to December of 2000.

Upon return from this deployment, Sergeant Major Moffitt was transferred to the Inspector-Instructor Staff, West Palm Beach, FL for duty with 4th Air/Naval Gunfire Liaison Company.

In June 2004, Sergeant Major Moffitt transferred to the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps Unit, The University of Memphis to serve as the Assistant Marine Officer Instructor. During the summers of 2005 and 2006, he served at Officer Candidate School, Quantico, VA as a Sergeant Instructor and Platoon Sergeant.

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In April 2007, Sergeant Major Moffitt was reassigned to 1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, 2d Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, NC to serve as the First Sergeant of Weapons Company. From September 2007 to April 2008, he deployed to Ar Ramadi, Iraq in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM 06-08.1. 1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment would again deploy from March 2009 to September 2009 to Al Asad, Iraq in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM 09.1.

Upon completion of this deployment, Sergeant Major Moffitt received orders to report for duty as the First Sergeant of Headquarters and Service Company, 2d Assault Amphibian Battalion, 2d Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, NC. On 12 July 2010, he was reassigned to Co D, 2d Assault Amphibian Battalion, and deployed to Toubacouta, Senegal, Thies, Senegal and Port Gentil, Gabon in support of Security Cooperation Task Force, Africa Partnership Station (SCTF APS-11) 2011. Upon his return to CONUS he was reassigned to Co A, 2d Assault Amphibian Battalion. In October 2011, Sergeant Major Moffitt would again deploy, this time aboard USS OAK HILL (LSD-51), to Mantatungo, Columbia and Puerto Barrios, Guatemala in support of the Special Purpose Marine Air Ground Task Force, Southern Partnership Station-12 (SPMAGTF SPS-12).

In June 2012, Sergeant Major Moffitt was promoted to his current rank and reported for duty as the Sergeant Major of 1st Recruit Training Battalion, Recruit Training Regiment, MCRD Parris Island, SC.

In June 2014, Sergeant Major Moffitt was transferred to Marine Fighter Attack Squadron 251, Marine Aircraft Group 31, MCAS Beaufort, SC. Sergeant Major Moffitt and the Marines of VMFA-251 deployed, as part of Carrier Air Wing ONE, Carrier Strike Group TWELVE aboard USS THEODORE ROOSEVELT (CVN-71) in support of Operation INHERENT RESOLVE.

Sergeant Major Moffitt's personal awards include the Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal (two gold stars in lieu of 3rd award), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (three gold stars in lieu of 4th Award), and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (three gold stars in lieu of 4th Award).

