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Convened 7 Jan. 1974 Graduated 8 May 1974 Rasmussen, R.L. AG1 Graduated 19 Apr. 1974 Hansen, H.L. Sgt. (M) Dropped, Academic Failure There are 3 Marine 2nd Lt. (W) in front row not on CS

Front Row: Rhodes, O (n); 2nd Lt. Riecks; 2nd Lt. Jacobson; Miller, P.A. (W); Schulz, K.S. (W); Grandy, E.F. Sgt. (WM); 2nd Lt. Wright; Lambert, Forrest "Moe"

- Row 2: Sisson, D.S; Richmond, J.P; Waite, W. R. Sgt. (M); AGC Swarthout CI
- Row 3: Corrigan, P.B; Young, H.L. Sgt. (M); Abrisch, J.L; Crossman, R.J; Marden, M.J; Harrington, R.J;
- Row 4: Linaburg, J.L; Robinett, C. (n); Boatwright, L.A. SSgt. (M); Mullins, J.P.

Back Row: AGC Likes; Bintliff, W.J; Kelly, J.B; Turco, S.V; Rasmussen, R.L; AGC Tomlin; Gibson, J.B; AGC Fifield

First an explanation why the three second LTs were not on the class standing. These three were an experiment to produce Officers in Charge for Marine Corps weather offices. They went through AG"A" school just prior to joining our class. My most poignant memory of these fine officers is how they spent their time in class – For the most part they would "knit, crochet and write letters". This may seem hard to believe but it is true. They took the same tests we did, however their scores were never posted, and I believe for obvious reasons, they did not have a clue about what was being taught. I have been told that two of these officers did not even complete their first tour as an OIC and that the third did not get a follow on tour at a weather office. To my knowledge this failed experiment was never again repeated by the Marine Corps.

Forrest "Moe" Lambert was selected as the Command Master Chief of the Naval Oceanography Command in June 1991 and served through April 1995 when he retired. His wife AGC Tina Lambert retired in 1999 and they both live in Jacksonville, FL. Moe works at the Naval Atlantic Meteorology and Oceanography Facility Jacksonville as a Budget Technician.

Steve Turco, Pete Corrigan and Dave Sisson retired as Senior Chiefs. Steve works as a Civilian Forecaster at NLMOF Jacksonville.

Jim Richmond, Jim Abrisch, Mike Marden, Karen Miller, and Jim Kelley all retired as Chiefs in the 80's/90's.

Jim Linaburg made LDO and last I knew of him in the early 90's he was an LCDR.

Rasmussen retired as AG1 and went to work for NWS in Jacksonville. He died in the late 80's of a heart attack.

Moe Lambert, May 2001