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MCA Bookstore at Parris Island Hosts Recruit Training Story Book Signing

Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island – The Marine Corps Association will host a book signing by Bob Shirley, author of *Parris Island Daze: My Drill Instructor was Tougher than Yours*.

Author Shirley portrays the watershed experience of Marine Corps boot camp with all amusing accuracy, earthy humor and witty insight. A highly affectionate and sympathetic look at recruit training from a grateful graduate, *Parris Island Daze* effectively paints the boot camp experience on a large canvas sure to galvanize nostalgia attacks in those who have shared the experience.

When: Thursday, 7 December 2006

Schedule 1430-1700

Where: Marine Corps Association Bookstore Parris Island
Building 283
Boulevard De France
Parris Island, SC

The event is at no cost, requires no reservations and is open to the public.

For more information, visit the MCA website at <http://www.mca-marines.org> or call the bookstore staff at 843-522-9440.