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Hourglass wins at SMDC contest

Dear readers,

It's my honor tell you that The Hourglass has done it again! The staff recently competed in the first phase of the Army's annual Keith L. Ware Journalism Competition and walked away with three first-place awards.

Judging was held at our major command, U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command in Huntsville , Ala., Feb. 9. The panel of independent judges included Martin Burkey, a writer for the Decatur Daily; Steve Calatrello, journalism professor at Calhoun Community College; and Rick Davis, media writer for Ai Signal Research Inc./NASA.

All winners' entries are now forwarded to the Department of the Army-level competition. The Hourglass will compete Army-wide in Category D for small-format publications. The Hourglass won first place Army-wide in its category in 2000

and again in 2002.

Also this year, Assistant Editor Karen Hillis took first place in the Writer Contractor/Stringer category for her articles: "Laura farmers prep for Kwaj tables," "WUTMI group forwards recommendations on issues," and "Hospital staff monitors cardiac care."

Reporter Jan Waddell won first place in the Contractor/Stringer photography category with "Kwajalein Remembers," "Medical mission immunizes children on Ebadon," and "KPD Special Response Team moves out."

I'm proud of the Hourglass staff. I know their reality, and I know they don't work to earn recognition or win awards. They work hard because they're ethical journalists and total professionals. They care very much about giving their readers timely and objective news and information, twice a week. Congratulations Jim, Karen, Dan, Jan, Krystle, Jon (and April)!

— LuAnne Fantasia
USAKA Public Affairs Officer

Don't take safety for granted

A few weeks ago I was running around the airfield around 5:30 on a pitch-black morning when I collided with a bicyclist. My face hit his shoulder and I pitched backward and the back of my head kissed the pavement. I suffered a concussion, whiplash, and some minor bumps and bruises. The cyclist probably got the worse end of the deal because

he had to endure the merciless ribbing of his co-workers. Neither of us had a light.

We all know that Kwajalein is a safe place to live, work, and play, and with the small amount of vehicle traffic and the low speed limits we tend to take roadway safety for granted. But what about bicycles? It can get awfully dark on unlit sections of certain streets, so common sense dictates that when biking during hours of darkness we should use a bike light. While the odds of running into an early-morning jogger are low, there are any number of other hazards – coconuts, storm-dropped palm fronds, rocks, even a jaywalking hermit crab – that could cause a cyclist to take a spill if they can't see where they're going.

Using a light during hours of darkness doesn't just make good sense – on certain parts of the island it's mandatory. South of 9th Street cyclists are required to use a light during darkness (check page 130 of the phone book). Yet I've observed that many of those biking in the direction of bldg. 1010 or out to the industrial areas in the early morning hours don't use lights. Around the airfield perimeter use of a bike light isn't optional.

Late-night or early-morning walkers and joggers can also look out for themselves by carrying a flashing to steer clear of road hazards and so bikers can see them and avoid them. I would have avoided a collision if I had been carrying a flashlight. I carry one now.

Let's keep Kwajalein streets safe – get and use a bike light. Bike lights are cheap, they won't cramp your biking style, and they just might save you or someone else a trip to the hospital.

— Mark Daugherty

Marshallese Word of the Day

emakitkit – move or moving

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Correction

The North Central Association committee for accreditation covers 17 Midwest states not 17 Midwest schools as was reported in the "Kwajalein schools make the grade" in the Feb. 21 Hourglass.

Also as a clarification, Steve Howell Jr./Sr. high school principal, said all English teachers teach five classes. Two of the English teachers have five preparations for classes and one teacher has three preparations.

To submit a letter: Keep letters to less than 300 words, and keep comments to the issues. Letters must be signed. We will edit for AP style and, if you exceed the word limit, space. Limit one letter every 30 days.

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Science fair sets participation record at 144

By Jan Waddell
Reporter

Sixth grader William Ray not only won an ice cream party for the entire sixth grade class, but he also took Scientist of the Year 2004 award for his study on Feline Immunodeficiency Virus.

Ray was one of 144 George Seitz Elementary School students participating in the annual science fair held this past week. The participation, up from 104 last year, set a new record, according to Jeff DeLong, PTO George Seitz Elementary School Science Fair tri-chairman.

Exhibits ranged from different ways to use solar power, melting points, growth of plants, rates of mold, electricity, the use of natural resources in weather-balloon testing and a study of FIV.

Sixty-five students competed for the Scientist of the Year award. The students participating in Scientists of the Year 2004 award answered questions from a panel of four judges, about their project and findings.

Ray also took first place for the sixth grade class award, first place for the KRS award and runner-



(Photo by Jan Waddell)

up in the Boeing Natural Science award. Ray said he has been working on his FIV project for the past two months. His idea came from teacher Jennifer Keck's project book.

When asked how he felt about his award, Ray said, "Great! I am excited."

Brandon Owens also took four awards with his biodegradable weather balloon project.

According to DeLong, Owens had worked on the use of different materials for weather balloons which would not hurt the environment, when he also discovered the package material of the instruments on weather balloons is made from Styrofoam.

The sixth grade had a total of 28 participants, the fifth grade, 33; the fourth grade, 25; and kindergarten through third grade, 43.

All participants received a certificate of participation and a gift certificate for the school store.

And the award goes to ...

Scientist of the Year — William Ray

Runner up: Kayla Wellman

3D Research Atmospheric Award —

Brandon Owens

Second: Gabby Wilhelm

Boeing Natural Science Award —

Brandon Owens

Runners up: William Ray

Blaine Bishop

MIT/Lincoln Labs Innovative Award —

Melissa Peacock, Brandon Owens

KRS Award and Class Ice Cream Party —

William Ray

Second: Melissa Peacock

Third: Scott Moore

Honorable Mentions:

Caroline Kulig

America Wrobel

Sarah Greenbaum

Shenandoah Wrobel

Molly Finn

April Southerland

Sixth Grade

First: William Ray

Second: Emma Peacock

Third: Rose Demaio

Fifth Grade

First: Brandon Owens

Second: Aubrey Sanborn

Third: Stephanie Premo

Fourth Grade

First: Connor Malloy

Second: Molly Finn

Third: Jared Opiniano



(Photo by Jan Waddell)

Fourth-grader Molly Finn discusses her science fair project with KRS President Ike Richardson.

CMI closure leaves educational needs in question

By KW Hillis
Assistant Editor

Originally scheduled to reopen for the fall 2003 semester, College of the Marshall Island President Dr. Wayne Schmidt announced this month the campus on Gugeegue will not open for at least two years.

This change affects Marshallese college students unable to finish degrees, graduating seniors from four Ebeye high schools and outer island schools and the number of young Marshallese qualified for employment on Kwajalein.

"We were getting the go ahead to do the report required to reopen the school until Wayne's visit in mid-January to California," said Jonathon Cassel, CMI Gugeegue's former academic dean. "WASC [Western Association of Schools and Colleges] informed him that we cannot open any satellite or other centers under the name CMI until CMI is removed from probation."

The news of the continued closure is so new, college students who were waiting to finish their interrupted degrees didn't know.

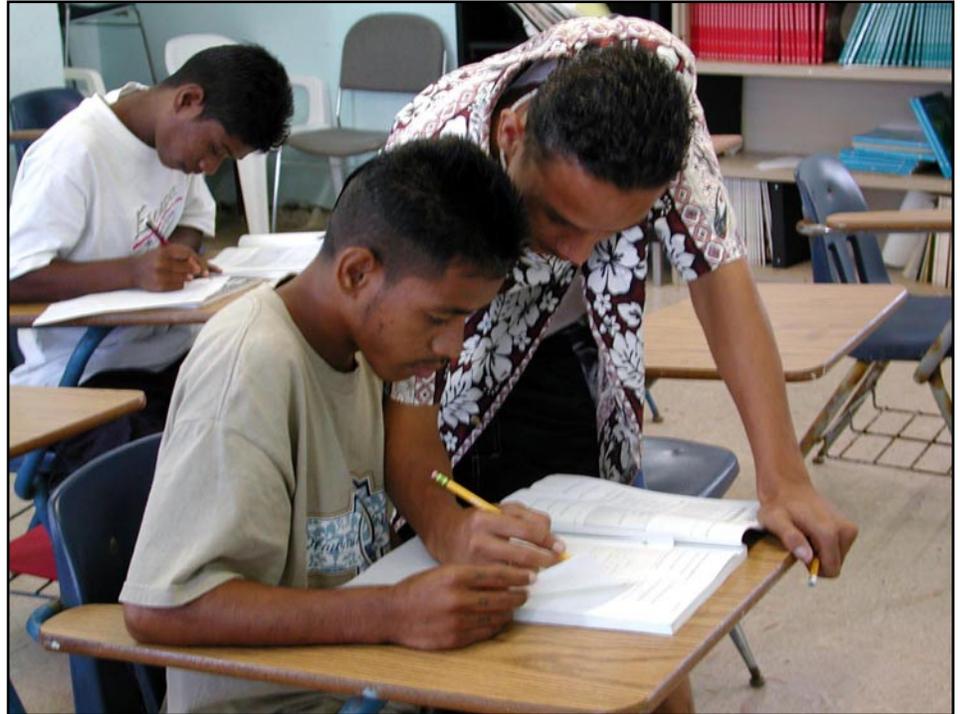
"That's bad," said Lucille Hitchfield, an Ebeye Public School first grade teacher and former CMI on Gugeegue student, with a frown on her face. She still has nine classes left to finish her degree and although she did take classes on Majuro last summer, she can no longer afford to go there for classes.

Jorlae Aister, who teaches special reading classes to sixth graders at EPS, said he was disappointed to hear that the school wouldn't open. He attended the Gugeegue campus in the evening for two years and now is going to CMI on Majuro in the summers to try to complete his degree.

It takes a long time to get a degree when you take only one or two classes each year, he said.

WASC, which serves as the accreditation agency for CMI, put the school on probation in 2002 after a scheduled visit to both campuses by their re-accreditation team. The college did not meet U.S. accreditation

COVER: Ebeye Public School teacher Lucille Hitchfield works with her students Wednesday. Hitchfield's college career was interrupted when CMI on Gugeegue shut down in 2002. She now wonders how she'll finish her degree



(File Photo)

CMI student Jimmy Jubell, right, helps fellow student Charles Harry with his math problems in this file photo from 2002. The school did not reopen in 2003, as originally planned, and will not reopen in 2004.

standards, and the team made 11 recommendations including better accounting of tuition, Pell Grants and school finances; keeping better track of students' grades and courses taken; upgrading or creating internal policies and procedures between the two campuses; and developing a curriculum that visibly tracks and verifies each student's knowledge gained in coursework. In addition, the team pointed out the deteriorating buildings and lack of full-time faculty on the Gugeegue campus. Given the probation, CMI's Board of Regents decided to close the Gugeegue campus after the spring 2002 semester to bring the facility up to U.S. standards.

"We closed [Gugeegue's] campus voluntarily. WASC didn't tell us to," Cassel said. When WASC received the report that CMI's Board of Regents closed the Gugeegue campus, "they commended our foresight in closing the campus."

Before it closed, the campus offered students associate degrees in liberal arts, elementary education, architectural engineering and computer science, Cassel said. Many students had to bring their English and math skills up to college level and so the school offered

non-credit developmental classes too, along with Workforce Investment Act classes. The WIA classes were designed to help students who had dropped out of high school to prepare for the Job Corps or technical careers.

Marshallese trying to enter Job Corps must meet a certain English and math skill level to pass the entrance test and even a higher level of skills to enter the workforce on Kwajalein. CMI on Gugeegue helped bring Ebeye residents to the required levels, said Romeo Alfred, KRS training specialist. When the campus was still open, Raytheon, the primary contractor before KRS, worked with CMI to help get workers up to speed on their basic skills. But there are some other programs to help.

"There are other programs that are sporadically developed," he said. "There was one that was completed recently. It was sponsored by the National Police and funded through WIA. I think they called it Operation Hope ... They are getting ready to launch another phase."

In terms of developmental skills, now the major avenue for young Marshallese to attain the skills needed for employment on Kwaja-

lein is the Job Corps, he said, but only 10 new students a month enter Job Corps.

The already huge task of bringing the school into compliance with U.S. standards, was further complicated when embezzlement at the school was found. Former school comptroller Louiston Louis was convicted of taking more than \$641,000 from the struggling school's coffers and is now serving time in a Majuro jail.

But despite the massive amounts of paperwork, reports and frequent site visits required by WASC's accreditation team and the on-going investigation into the embezzlement case, classes continued on Majuro with some of the Gugeegue students transferring there. Currently, 36 former students from the Gugeegue campus attend CMI on Majuro, Cassel said.

And construction has continued on Gugeegue.

"[The construction] is going extremely well," he said, explaining that the building containing the classrooms, labs and administrative offices along with facility housing are almost complete. "We have had some slow down due to finances because the Compact [of Free Association] funds and Pell monies hadn't started to flow, but they are flowing now. We never really stopped ... one more large shipment of materials and the school is ready to open. We are that close."

But WASC's policies concerning schools on probations won't allow the school to open.

Contrary to what CMI school officials believed until this January, WASC does not allow a school under probation to file any type of substantive change report, Cassel said. CMI's probation period stretches until, at least, the spring of 2005 if the school meets all U.S. accreditation standards. The report can then be filed, but two full semesters will pass after that before the school can reopen due to WASC's schedules.

"This will result in a significant delay in the possible resumption of activities [on Gugeegue]," Schmidt wrote in an e-mail to the *Hourglass*, last week.

The Ministry of Education and CMI's Board of Regents are looking at different options for the campus, and Schmidt has submitted a feasibility study for the RMI government,

but as of Feb. 20 has not heard any response.

One of the options suggested is for the Ministry of Education to make the empty campus into a temporary public high school until the college is ready to open, all the while building a high school. There are four private high schools on Ebeye, but no public high schools, Cassel said. But there are logistical problems — busing the students from Ebeye and the current lack of a cafeteria. Also, by the time the high school got set up on Gugeegue, it would be time for it to move, and leave no time to prepare the campus for college classes.

"If we were looking for a place to build a high school, we have the old hospital that could be refurbished," Cassel commented.

"There are an enormous amount of kids waiting for this [CMI]."

— Jon Cassel

Ebeye Public School eighth grade teacher Monica Labriola agreed, "They could build a wonderful high school at the old hospital."

Labriola, who will soon attend the University of Hawaii for a graduate degree in Pacific Studies, already knew about the discussion to put a high school in the Gugeegue campus because she had planned on teaching there as part of the full-time faculty.

"I taught at Queen of Peace High School and worked hard to get some of them into school after they graduated," she said. "A few went to CMI on Majuro, some to Palau and others to USP [University of South Pacific on Majuro]," but it is hard and expensive to get them to go.

EPS Special Education coordinator Rudy Lodejick suggested that the Ministry expand the current high school curriculum.

"Why not make high school a year or two longer and offer the developmental classes in each high school," he said, explaining then the students would be ready when the college reopened or could apply to the Job Corps on Kwajalein.

Another option Cassel mentioned was to just offer developmental classes on Gugeegue, but WASC wouldn't allow that either, Schmidt

said.

"CMI clearly cannot offer development, credit level or vocational classes at the Gugeegue location until the Substantive Change Report is approved," he wrote. "One possibility is for the new National Vocational Institute to offer developmental and pre-vocational English, math and computer classes at Gugeegue. There is funding for NVT activities during the next academic year."

But the opening could be delayed further if there is no staff to file the substantive report and recruit full-time faculty. Teachers already recruited, who have been waiting for the reopening, are dropping off the list, and won't be around to do the work required to prepare for the reopening of Gugeegue campus, Cassel said. Cassel, who has been with the school for six years, turned in his letter of resignation last week since his services are not needed any more at the school.

Nothing has been decided yet, Schmidt wrote about the status of the satellite campus, but added WASC will visit the campus in April to discuss the future.

"Regarding Gugeegue, no new information," he wrote. "Much of this hinges on Compact capital funds, Kwaj Impact funds, Ministry of Education Performance goals under the Compact and other capital funds. It seems as if all of these must be handled simultaneously to get a complete decision on the next steps."

Cassel hopes the problem is solved soon, since there is no local place for the graduating high school seniors to continue their education.

"It would be a beautiful thing for them to have a small community college here that would not only benefit Kwajalein because of job placement, it brings back more money into Ebeye's and RMI's economy," he said.

"So it is an injustice to the number of students ... who are waiting for CMI to reopen, who started with CMI and who are just sitting around," he said. "There are an enormous amount of kids waiting for this."

Hitchfield is one of those students, and she is worried about her future.

"Now what am I going to do?" she said, explaining that finishing her degree would help her financially and could help keep her from getting fired if a more qualified teacher came in.

Wounded guardsman lives to see retirement

By Sgt. 1st Class Gail Braymen, USA
Special to American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — A standing-room-only crowd watched, teary-eyed but smiling, as a Florida Army National Guardsman was ceremoniously retired from military service at Walter Reed Army Medical Center here Feb. 21. Soldiers, civilians and children filled the conference room for the occasion.

Staff Sgt. Dustin Tuller sat at attention in a wheelchair, his Class A uniform trousers neatly folded beneath his left hip and right thigh, as his battalion commander read the official orders retiring him from the Army.

The 28-year-old college student, father of four and infantryman, had both legs amputated after being wounded in an attack in Iraq in December.

Army officials expedited his medical retirement when doctors feared he wouldn't survive his injuries. "I was in a coma when I got my retirement papers," Tuller said. "I wanted to have a retirement ceremony, because I've been in the Army for 10 years. I always wanted to be a soldier.

"If they hadn't retired me, I'd still wear the uniform, even with no legs."

The Company B, 3rd Battalion, 124 Infantry Regiment, soldier was almost killed and two others were injured during a raid in an area of Baghdad that the Army had designated simply "Section 17."

Tuller had just positioned his squad outside a building to provide security during the raid when the soldiers came under fire. It was two days before Christmas.

Weeks later, and 2,000 miles away from the streets of Baghdad, Tuller awoke from a coma in a German hospital. He had been shot four times in his legs and pelvis.

While Tuller was unconscious, doctors had prepared his family for the worst. "We've actually been told twice that he wasn't going to make it," said Tuller's brother, Daniel, an Air Force C-17 transport loadmaster stationed at Charleston Air Force Base, S.C.

Christmas Eve was the first time doctors notified the family they didn't expect Tuller to survive. The



Dilyn Tuller shakes hands with his father, Staff Sgt. Dustin Tuller, during a retirement ceremony at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington Feb. 21.

(Photo by Sgt. 1st Class Gail Braymen)

second time was 13 days later, when he went into cardiac arrest.

Tuller's prognosis had been so grim, Army officials decided to retire him from military service in a procedure called "imminent death processing." This can be applied when a soldier is expected to die within 72 hours from a medical condition incurred or aggravated in the line of duty.

Imminent death processing allows the Army to retire the soldier, even with fewer than 20 years of service, thus providing additional benefits for the soldier's family.

Tuller served in the Army for a total of nearly 10 years. He entered active duty in 1994 and became Florida Army National Guardsman the day after he was discharged from active duty in 2000.

But, despite his gunshot wounds and resulting complications, including kidney failure, during the flight from Baghdad to Germany, Tuller survived. "I remember some (about the attack)," Tuller said. "I had just gotten done putting my guys in position. I was putting myself in position, and that's when I got shot in the back of the leg. "After the first shot, I went to the ground and started crawling and yelling for a medic. I was looking for a concealed position, but there's not much cover in an urban environment."

The attacker had fired at Tuller from a window in a nearby building. "As the guy was shooting me, I was shooting back," Tuller said. "I shot an entire magazine."

Tuller doesn't remember what happened after the attack in Baghdad. The next thing he does remember is waking up in a hospital in

Hamburg, Germany.

Although doctors hadn't yet been forced to remove his legs, Tuller knew his lower body was badly damaged. "I was afraid to even reach down there," he said.

Members of Tuller's family had been by his side almost the entire time he was unconscious. His brother Daniel, sister, Brandie, and wife, Alisha, arrived in Germany just days after the attack and spent almost a month with him there before he was moved here to Walter Reed.

Like many amputees, Tuller experiences "phantom pain" in his missing limbs. "Man, my feet hurt," he said quietly, closing his eyes and lowering his head. But after a brief pause, he continued explaining what medical procedures still lie ahead.

It's too soon yet for physical therapy and for doctors to start fitting him with prosthetics, he said. "I still have bandages and open wounds."

Before his unit left Florida in January 2003, Tuller was a student at Pensacola Junior College, preparing for a career as a physical education teacher. He's been away from school for more than a year, and it will be several more months before he's released from Walter Reed and can return home to Pace, Fla.

But the interruption in his life and physical changes in his body haven't changed his plans. "I'm going back to school," Tuller said firmly, "and I'm going to be a physical education teacher."

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World War II flying 'Ace' salutes racial progress

By Gerry J. Gilmore

American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — Decorated World War II aviator and “Ace” Lee Andrew Archer Jr., 84, says he dreamed of becoming a fighter pilot at an early age.

The Yonkers, N.Y.-born veteran recalled reading comic books during his boyhood that featured illustrated stories depicting World War I duels in the skies between Germany’s Baron von Richthofen and allied fliers.

“I wanted to be a pilot,” Archer said at a Feb. 19 National Black History Month commemoration ceremony at Veterans Affairs Department headquarters, noting that watching planes take off and land at a small airport near his family’s summer home in Saratoga, N.Y., also whetted his desire to fly.

A self-described natural competitor, Archer said he pledged to himself back then that he, too, would one day battle America’s enemies from the cockpit of a fighter plane.

The steely-eyed African-American eventually realized his goal: he became a member of the U.S. Army Air Corps’ famed Tuskegee Airmen during World War II. During the 169 combat missions he flew in the European Theater, Archer was credited with downing five enemy aircraft, earning him the coveted title of “Ace.”

Archer, the keynote speaker at the ceremony, noted that about 900 African-Americans were trained to be pilots at a military camp near Tuskegee College, later renamed Tuskegee University, in Alabama. Of these service members, he added, 450 saw combat, more than 60 were killed and 32 were shot down and became prisoners of war.

The Tuskegee Airmen, he said, flew a variety of combat missions in Europe, totaling 200, and destroyed about 500 enemy aircraft and a destroyer. And the Tuskegee Airmen never lost a bomber to the enemy during allied B-17 and B-24 bomber formation escort duties, Archer noted.

Archer said he was a sophomore at New York University in early 1941 when he decided to enlist in the Army Air Corps to become a pilot. At the time, however, the U.S. military didn’t allow African-Americans to serve as pilots. And although he passed the



Retired Air Force Lt. Col. Lee Andrew Archer Jr., 84, (left) holds aloft an ROTC coin presented by ROTC Cadet Darold F. Ross during a National Black History Month commemoration ceremony in Washington, D.C.

(Photo by Gerry J. Gilmore)

preliminary pilot’s test with flying colors, Archer was assigned to Camp Wheeler, Ga., as a communications specialist.

In 1942, the government decided to train a select group of African-American applicants for military flying duty – a decision, Archer noted, that was rumored to have been precipitated by Eleanor Roosevelt, the wife of then-President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Archer said he reapplied for pilot’s training and was accepted, earning his wings in 1943.

Yet, before and after they won their wings, Archer said he and the other Tuskegee Airmen had to endure the widespread racism that was prevalent across the U.S. armed forces before President Harry S. Truman’s 1948 order that desegregated America’s military.

Archer said that a mid-1920s U.S. War Department study was responsible for much of the shoddy treatment African-American service members experienced before Truman’s desegregation edict. That study, he pointed out, essentially said African-Americans didn’t have the intelligence or courage necessary for rigorous combat duties – even though U.S. African-American combat troops had fought with documented courage and élan alongside French forces against the Germans during World War I.

So, although Archer was preeminently qualified to be a fighter pilot, his coffee-colored skin at first proved to be a hindrance to his dream.

However, Archer did become an Army Air Corps pilot, and flew P-40 Tomahawk, P-39 Air Cobra, P-47 Thunderbolt, and P-51 Mustang fighters during World War II, earning the rarely awarded Distinguished

Flying Cross among numerous other decorations.

The Army Air Corps became the U.S. Air Force in 1947, Archer said, noting he performed weather squadron hurricane hunting patrols after World War II and served during the Korean War. He retired as a lieutenant colonel with 29 years of service in 1970.

Archer left the service for continued success in the civilian realm as a corporate officer for firms such as General Foods, Phillip Morris and others, noting he’d also been involved in the start up of “Essence” magazine and other African-American-owned enterprises.

The “Tuskegee Experiment,” Archer noted, proved that African-American pilots could fly and fight as well as their white counterparts and played a key role in Truman’s decision to desegregate the U.S. military, which in turn opened up opportunities for all African-Americans.

“The country has changed, and it has changed a lot” with regard to race relations, Archer observed, in part because of the accomplishments of the Tuskegee Airmen and other African-American service members during World War II and of those who followed.

Yet, although race relations across the military and American society have greatly improved since the 1940s, Archer noted, they still aren’t as good as they should be.

“This country can be what it is supposed to be, and what it claims to be,” Archer said. “It is in the hands of new troops now, and I want to wish them luck. I personally see the best for them and for their country, which is my country, too.”

Airline says Aloha to new Web site

From Staff Reports

Aloha Airlines has launched its new Web site to help with booking flight reservations.

The new Web site has many new features and helps to find flight schedules and fares, special fares and deals on hotel and car rentals, according to a press release.

It also has some added features such as route maps, flight tracking and information on the AlohaPass frequent flyer program.

Aloha Airlines is also offering a 10 percent discount on bookings made through the Web site, the release stated. The discount is good for all transpacific and inter-island bookings with the exception of AlohaPass members-only fares.

The Web site can be found at www.AlohaAirlines.com.

Iraqi Olympians to train in Colorado

By Sgt. 1st Class Doug Sample
American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — Iraqi wrestlers have been invited as guests of the United States to train at the U.S. Olympic training facility in Colorado Springs, Colo., in preparation for this summer's games in Athens, Greece, according to a senior Coalition Provisional Authority spokesman.

The team will leave for the United States within the next month.

"Eleven months ago, Iraqi Olympic athletes were literally tortured to death under the brutal regime of Saddam and Uday Hussein," he said.

Friday Bowling

High Scratch Game Women

Annie Tompkins	184
.....	179
.....	165
Cathy Thomas	147

High Scratch Game Men

John Tompkins	246
.....	220
Mario Vilorio	215
Masao Boas	213

High Scratch Series Women

Annie Tompkins	528
Cathy Thomas	396
Ribina Pippett	358

High Scratch Series Men

John Tompkins	662
Mario Vilorio	575
Masao Boas	527



Saturday, Feb. 28

- 7:30 p.m., Yuk — *Master and Commander (PG-13)*
- 7:30 p.m., Rich — *Runaway Jury (PG-13)*
- 7:00 p.m., Roi — *Cabin Fever (R)*

Sunday, Feb. 29

- 7:30 p.m., Yuk — *Intolerable Cruelty (PG-13)*
- 7:30 p.m., Rich — *The Rundown (PG-13)*
- 7:00 p.m., Roi — *My Boss' Daughter (PG-13)*

Monday, March 1

- 7:30 p.m., Yuk — *Master and Commander (PG-13)*
- 7:30 p.m., Rich — *Runaway Jury (PG-13)*

Wednesday, March 3

- 7:00 p.m., ARC — *My Boss' Daughter (PG-13)*
- For movie synopsis check out www.allmovie.com

All movies subject to change with shipments.
For updates, call the movie hotline at 52700.

Volleyball Schedule

Playoff Tournament

Monday, March 1

- 1:30 p.m. Open B League Match 1
- 2:30 p.m. Open B League Match 2
- 3:30 p.m. Open B League Match 3
- 4:30 p.m. Open A League Match 3
- 5:30 p.m. Women's League Championship
- 6:30 p.m. Open B League Championship
- 7:30 p.m. Open A League Championship

For up to date scores, schedules and officials, call the Sports Hotline at 54190

Volleyball Standings

A-League Open - Final

Dig Dug	9-3
Hits Like A Girl	8-4
Islanders	4-8
Network	3-9

B-League Open

Spartans Coed Blue	9-1
What's Vowwey Bawl?	7-3
Spartans Boys I	6-4
Free Agents	3-6
Fists of Fear	2-7
Spartans Coed Red	2-8

Women's League - Final

Jabro Girls	6-3
Hacker's Doves	6-3
Calvary Girls	6-3
Spartans Girls I	4-5
Spartans Girls Red	4-4
Spartans Girls II	3-5
Spartans Girls Blue	1-7



Window on the Atoll:

Daddy-Daughter Dance

All AFN programming is subject to change without notice.

Softball Schedule

Tuesday, March 2

- 5:15 p.m. ... Po Ho's/ Scrubs
- Ragan
- Tole -Mour/Til Talk
- Brandon
- Sp. Boys I/Guegeegu
- Dally
- 6:45 p.m. ... Criminals/Sunrise
- Brandon
- 8:00 p.m. Podunkers/Glazed or Jelly
- Brandon

Wednesday, March 3

- 5:15 p.m. ... Miss Demeanors/Ri-Majolz
 - Ragan
- ### Friday, March 5
- 6:45 p.m. ... Sunrise/Podunkers
 - Brandon
 - 8:00 p.m. Glazed or Jelly/Criminals
 - Brandon

Saturday, March 6

- 5:15 p.m. ... 30 Something/Miss Demeanors
- Ragan

Tuesday, March 9

- 5:15 p.m. ... Po Ho's/ 30 Something
- Ragan
- 6:45 p.m. ... Glazed or Jelly/Sunrise
- Brandon
- 8:00 p.m. Criminals/Podunkers
- Brandon

Wednesday, March 10

- 5:15 p.m. ... Scrubs/Ri-Majolz
- Ragan

Saturday, March 13

- 5:15 p.m. ... Ri-Majolz/Po Ho's
- Ragan

For up to date scores, schedules and officials, call the Sports Hotline at 54190.

Softball Standings

Men's A-League

Podunkers	5-3
Sunrise	4-3
Glazed or Jelly	4-3
Criminals	2-6

Men's B-League

Guegeegu	5-2
Til Tak	3-3
Spartans Boys I	2-3
Brothers All	4-4
Tole-Mour	2-4

Men's C-League

Agents	6-1
Dri-Kokbij	4-3
Spartans Boys II	4-4
Mayhem	3-4
Barnacles	1-6

Women's League

30 Something	5-1
Scrubs	4-1
Ri-Majolz	2-3
Po Ho's	1-4
Miss Demeanors	1-4

Hourglass Advertising

Friday's ads are due by noon Wednesday and Tuesday's ads are due by noon Friday. All ads for a given resident must be less than 50 words. We will combine multiple ad submissions, where necessary, or edit for style and space.

Sunday, Feb. 29

Time	Channel 9-AFN Atlantic	Channel 13 - AFN News-Sports	Channel 14 - AFN News	Channel 17 - AFN Sports	Channel 23 - AFN Spectrum	Channel 35 - AFN Direct to Sailors
12:00AM	David Letterman	CNN Saturday Morning	CNN Saturday Morning	NBA	Gilmore Girls	Law & Order
12:30AM	Access Hollywood			Toronto Raptors		
1:00AM	Movie: Young Frankenstein	20/20	20/20	at Boston Celtics	The Division	Headline News
1:30AM						Saturday Night Live
2:00AM		NBC Saturday Today	NBC Saturday Today	SportsCenter	Movie Footloose	
2:30AM	Movie: The Juror					Live in Hollywood
3:00AM						
3:30AM				PGA Tour		
4:00AM		Wall Street Journal	Wall Street Journal	World Golf Association	The View	The Entertainers
4:30AM	Cinema Secrets	America's Black Forum	America's Black Forum			
5:00AM	Bulletin Board	NCAA Basketball	News From CNN	Accenture Match Play Championship	What Not to Wear	NCAA Basketball
5:30AM		St. Joseph's				St. Joseph's
6:00AM	Dateline NBC	at	Dateline NBC		While You Were Out	at
6:30AM		Rhode Island				Rhode Island
7:00AM	Bob the Builder	NCAA Basketball	Headline News		Trading Spaces	NCAA Basketball
7:30AM	JoJo's Circus	Navy	Army Newswatch	NCAA Basketball		Navy
8:00AM	Chalkzone	at	20/20	UCONN	Gilmore Girls	at
8:30AM	Jimmy Neutron	Army		at		Army
9:00AM	Yu-Gi-Oh!	NCAA Basketball	FOX News Live	Villanova	The Division	NCAA Basketball
9:30AM	The Proud Family	Notre Dame		College Gamenight		Notre Dame
10:00AM	Trading Spaces	at		NCAA Basketball	Movie Footloose	at
10:30AM	Family	UCLA		Cincinnati		UCLA
11:00AM	Operation Junkyard	Headline News	Headline News	at		ESPNNews
11:30AM	How to Boil Water	McLaughlin Group	McLaughlin Group	Charlotte		
12:00PM	Entertainment Tonight	Capital Gang	Capital Gang	SportsCenter	Swamp Critters...	Headline News
12:30PM					Harvest with Greg Laurie	Army Newswatch
1:00PM	WWE Raw	Washington Week	Washington Week	IRL Auto Racing	Music/ Spoken Word	ESPNNews
1:30PM		Headline News	Headline News		Real Videos	
2:00PM	The Simpsons	People In The News	People In The News	Track & Field	The Simpsons	NCAA Basketball
2:30PM	Malcolm in the Middle			ESPNews	Malcolm in the Middle	Santa Clara
3:00PM	Raymond	NHL	CNN Saturday Night	NHL	Raymond	at
3:30PM	The King of Queens	St. Louis Blues		St. Louis Blues	The King of Queens	Gonzaga
4:00PM	American Dreams	at	Dateline International	at	American Dreams	10th Annual Screen Actors Guild Awards
4:30PM		Vancouver Canucks		Vancouver Canucks		
5:00PM	American Idol		Larry King Weekend		American Idol	
5:30PM		Larry King Weekend		College Gamenight		
6:00PM	Buffy the Vampire Slayer	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	NBA Fastbreak	American Idol	MotorWeek
6:30PM				ESPNews	The Twilight Zone	Ebert and Roeper
7:00PM	Acad. Awards Preview	Beltway Boys	Beltway Boys	SportsCenter	Fantasy Island	WWE Smackdown
7:30PM	According to Jim	Fox News Watch	Fox News Watch			
8:00PM	The Price is Right	Headline News	Headline News	NCAA Basketball	Swamp Critters....	Stargate
8:30PM	Salutes the Military	America's Black Forum	America's Black Forum	Oregon State	Harvest with Greg Laurie	
9:00PM	Law and Order	Chris Matthews Show	Chris Matthews Show	at	Music/Spoken Word	Headline News
9:30PM		Navy/Marine News	Navy/Marine News	California	Real Videos	ESPNNews
10:00PM	Window on the Atoll	Big Story Weekend	Big Story Weekend	SportsCenter	The Simpsons	Judging Amy
10:30PM	Saturday Night Live	Edition	Edition		Malcolm in the Middle	
11:00PM		CNN Presents	CNN Presents	PGA Tour	Raymond	Movie:
11:30PM					The King of Queens	

Monday, March 1

Time	Channel 9-AFN Atlantic	Channel 13 - AFN News-Sports	Channel 14 - AFN News	Channel 17 - AFN Sports	Channel 23 - AFN Spectrum	Channel 35 - AFN Direct to Sailors
12:00AM	Live in Hollywood	Fox and Friends	Fox and Friends	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	American Dreams	Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon
12:30AM					American Idol	Headline News
1:00AM	The Entertainers	CBS News Sunday Morning	CBS News Sunday Morning	The Sports Reporters	American Idol	Seinfeld
1:30AM					American Idol	Meet The Press
2:00AM	American Idol	CBS News Sunday Morning	CBS News Sunday Morning	SportsCenter	The Twilight Zone	America's Black Forum
2:30AM	The Twilight Zone				America's Black Forum	
3:00AM	Fantasy Island	Face the Nation	Face the Nation	SportsCenter	Fantasy Island	Entertainment Tonight
3:30AM					Swamp Critters....	Entertainment Tonight
4:00AM	Swamp Critters	Headline News	Headline News	NBA Fastbreak	Harvest with Greg Laurie	ESPNNews
4:30AM	Harvest with Greg Laurie	Navy/Marine News	Navy/Marine News		Music/Spoken Word	ESPNNews
5:00AM	Bulletin Board	Late Edition with Wolf Blitzer	Late Edition with Wolf Blitzer	Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	Real Videos	PBA
5:30AM	Hour of Power				Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	
6:00AM	Celebration of Victory	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Fox News Live	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Malcolm in the Middle	IRL Auto Racing Indy 300
6:30AM	Coral Ridge Hour				Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	
7:00AM	Christopher Closeup	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Fox News Live	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Raymond	IRL Auto Racing Indy 300
7:30AM	Cafe Video				Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	
8:00AM	Wishbone	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Fox News Live	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	American Dreams	IRL Auto Racing Indy 300
8:30AM	Sesame Street Specials				Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	
9:00AM	Movie: Poof Point	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	CNN Sunday	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	American Idol	ESPNNews
9:30AM	Movie: Poof Point				Real Sports with Bryant Gumball	American Idol
10:00AM	Spongebob	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	Meet the Press	PGA Tour World Golf Association Accenture Match Play Championship	The Twilight Zone	Best Damn Sports Show Period
10:30AM					Track & Field	Fantasy Island
11:00AM	Tim Russert	ESPNNews	Tim Russert	Track & Field	Fantasy Island	X Files
11:30AM	Headline News	NHL	Fox Report	NHL	Rocket Power	Headline News
12:00PM	Headline News	Philadelphia Flyers at Detroit Red Wings	Fox Report	Philadelphia Flyers at Detroit Red Wings	The Fairly Oddparents	Wheel of Fortune
12:30PM	Seinfeld				This Week	The Simpsons
1:00PM	76th Annual Academy Awards (Live)	Philadelphia Flyers at Detroit Red Wings	This Week	Philadelphia Flyers at Detroit Red Wings	The Cosby Show	The Dr. Phil Show
1:30PM					Fox News Live	
2:00PM	76th Annual Academy Awards (Live)	NHL 2Night	Fox News Live	NHL 2Night	Buffy the Vampire Slayer	Oprah Winfrey
2:30PM		60 Minutes		60 Minutes		
3:00PM	Headline News	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	Motorcycle Racing The World Supercross	Law & Order	Headline News
3:30PM		Headline News	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	GP Atlanta	Judge Judy
4:00PM	WWE Smackdown	CNN Presents	CNN Presents	GP Atlanta	Nova	Nova
4:30PM		CNN Presents	CNN Presents	NBA Fastbreak	Monster Garage	Monster Garage
5:00PM	Stargate	Larry King Weekend	Larry King Weekend	NBA Fastbreak	Monster Garage	Monster Garage
5:30PM				College Gamenight	College Gamenight	
6:00PM	M*A*S*H	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	ESPNNews	Movie: A Far Off Place	Movie: A Far Off Place
6:30PM	Window on the Atoll	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	At Large with Geraldo Rivera	SportsCenter	A Far Off Place	A Far Off Place
7:00PM	Judging Amy	Access Hollywood	Access Hollywood	Motorcycle Racing	Rocket Power	Jeopardy
7:30PM					Beltway Boys	Beltway Boys
8:00PM	Movie: Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon	FOX News Watch	FOX News Watch	FIM World Superbike	The Simpsons	ESPNNews
8:30PM		Bulls and Bears	Bulls and Bears	Race 1 & 2	The Cosby Show	Navy/Marine Corp
9:00PM	Movie: Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon	Cavuto on Business	Cavuto on Business	SportsCenter	Buffy the Vampire Slayer	76th Annual Academy Awards (Replay)
9:30PM		60 Minutes	60 Minutes	SportsCenter	Law & Order	
10:00PM	Headline News	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	SportsCenter	Law & Order	76th Annual Academy Awards (Replay)
10:30PM	Seinfeld	Dateline NBC	Dateline NBC	SportsCenter	Law & Order	76th Annual Academy Awards (Replay)
11:00PM	Meet The Press	Dateline NBC	Dateline NBC	SportsCenter	Law & Order	76th Annual Academy Awards (Replay)
11:30PM	Meet The Press	Dateline NBC	Dateline NBC	SportsCenter	Law & Order	76th Annual Academy Awards (Replay)

Tuesday, March 2

Time	Channel 9-AFN Atlantic	Channel 13 - AFN News-Sports	Channel 14 - AFN News	Channel 17 - AFN Sports	Channel 23 - AFN Spectrum	Channel 35 - AFN Direct to Sailors	
12:00AM	Americas Black Forum	Good Morning America	Good Morning America	NBA Minnesota Timberwolves at Philadelphia 76ers	Nova		
12:30AM	Entertainment Tonight				Monster Garage	Headline News	
1:00AM							
1:30AM	ESPNNews					Tonight Show with Jay Leno	
2:00AM	Movie: A Far Off Place	Headline News	Headline News		Movie: A Far Off Place	Late Show with David Letterman	
2:30AM		World News	World News	ESPNNews			
3:00AM		Early Show	Early Show	NBA Fastbreak			
3:30AM				College Gamenight	Access Hollywood		
4:00AM	SportsCenter	FOX News Live	FOX News Live	SportsCenter	Rocket Power	Movie: Midway	
4:30AM							The Fairly Oddparents
5:00AM					The Simpsons		
5:30AM	Bulletin Board			NCAA Basketball	The Cosby Show		
6:00AM	Good Morning America	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	North Carolina at N.C. State	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		
6:30AM							
7:00AM			Dateline NBC	Dateline NBC		Law & Order	America's Funniest Home Videos
7:30AM					NCAA Basketball		
8:00AM	Dora: the Explorer	Headline News	Headline News	Duke at Florida State	Nova	ESPNNews	
8:30AM	Wheel Of Fortune	Inside Politics	Inside Politics			Headline News	
9:00AM	The Dr. Phil Show				Monster Garage	Today	
9:30AM	Oprah Winfrey <9:46>	Headline News	Headline News	The Hot List			
10:00AM		Lester Holt Live	Lester Holt Live	Around the Horn	Movie: A Far Off Place		
10:30AM	Guiding Light <10:35>			Pardon the Interruption			
11:00AM	General Hospital<11:17>	Headline News	Headline News	SportsCenter		Magnum P.I.	
11:30AM		NBC Nightly News	NBC Nightly News				
12:00PM	Bulletin Board	NCAA Basketball Setan Hall at UCONN	ABC World News	AFL New Orleans Voodoo at Vegas Gladiators	Rocket Power	Headline News	
12:30PM	Judge Judy		CBS Evening News			The Fairly Oddparents	Wheel of Fortune
1:00PM	CNBC: The News		CNBC: The News			The Simpsons	The Dr. Phil Show
1:30PM					The Cosby Show		
2:00PM	Sesame Street	NCAA Basketball Texas at Oklahoma State	Hannity and Colmes		J.A.G	Oprah Winfrey	
2:30PM							
3:00PM	Lilo & Stitch		The Newshour	ESPNNews	The Practice	NBC Nightly News	
3:30PM	Digimon			The Sports Reporters		Judge Judy	
4:00PM	Dragonfly	Headline News	BET Nightly News	SportsCenter	Celebrity Profiles	Celebrity Profiles	
4:30PM	Even Stevens	ESPNNews	Nightly Business		Elle McPhearson	Elle McPhearson	
5:00PM	Jeopardy	Larry King Live	Larry King Live	NCAA Basketball	Movie: Mr. Smith Goes to Washington	Movie: Mr. Smith Goes to Washington	
5:30PM	Headline News			Utah at BYU			
6:00PM	Window on the Atoll	Newsnight with Aaron Brown	Newsnight with Aaron Brown				
6:30PM	The Cosby Show						
7:00PM	Movie: The Last Emperor	Paula Zahn Now	Paula Zahn Now	SportsCenter	Cinema Secrets	Cinema Secrets	
7:30PM					Ebert and Roeper	Ebert and Roeper	
8:00PM			Nightline	Nightline	NHL	Rocket Power	Jeopardy
8:30PM			Pardon the Interruption	Navy/Marine News	Tampa Bay Lightning at Colorado Avalanche	The Fairly Oddparents	Headline News
9:00PM		Hardball with Chris Matthews	Hardball with Chris Matthews		The Simpsons	ESPNNews	
9:30PM					The Cosby Show	Headline News	
10:00PM	ESPNNews	O'Reilly Factor	O'Reilly Factor		J.A.G	SportsCenter	
10:30PM	The Tonight Show			SportsCenter			
11:00PM		CNN Daybreak	CNN Daybreak		The Practice	Movie: Bring It On	
11:30PM	The Late Show			NBA Fastbreak			

Café Pacific



Lunch

Sat	Japanese saimin bar Teriyaki beef steak Chicken katsu
Sun	Grill: Teriyaki burger Beef Stroganoff Broiled ham steak Breaded snapper
Mon	Grill: Brunch station open Herb broiled pork chops Curried chicken Vegetarian stir-fry
Tues	Grill: Brunch station open Turkey a la king Sautéed liver and onions
Wed	Grill: Fish sandwich Seafood Alfredo Italian sausage Chicken cacciatore
Thur	Grill: Pasta bar Oven fried chicken Barbecued beef sandwich
Fri	Grill: Ranchero burger Swedish meatballs Kalua pork and cabbage Seared salmon Grill: Hot Sicilian hoagies
Dinner	
Tonight	Thai grilled chicken Spicy beef curry Ahi with papaya salsa
Sat	Braised short ribs Broiled fajita chicken
Sun	Broiled chicken breasts Barbecued pork butt Baked tofu
Mon	Baked meatloaf Penne pasta Chicken peapod stir-fry
Tues	Fried chicken Broiled ono Chinese beef
Wed	Top round of beef Parmesan ratatouille casserole Baked chicken breasts
Thur	Stir-fry to order Char Siu spare ribs Chicken nuggets
Fri	Keoki's pot roast Chicken adobo Baked cod

HELP WANTED

KRS has the following on-island job opening. Unless otherwise noted, call Alan Taylor, 55154.

SENIOR ACCOUNTING CLERK. Full time. Reviews payroll edits and timecards, 35 wpm minimum typing, familiarity with Word and Excel, good communications skills in English and Marshallese.

SECRETARY, Education Services at junior/senior high school. Full time. Duties include attendance records, transcript preparation, guidance support. Requires good working knowledge of Word, Excel and other computer applications. Childcare clearance required.

COST ANALYST CLERK. Casual. Review payroll edits and timecards. 35 wpm minimum typing level, good communications skills, experience with labor data entry a plus.

ELECTRONICS REPAIR TECHNICIAN. Macy's. Part time. Repairs TVs, DVDs, VCRs and audio equipment. Job responsibilities include coordinating a quality, time-focused diagnosis and repair process. Applicant should have technical training in electronics and experience in electronics repair. Submit application or resumé to Paul Divinski, Retail Office, 53308.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHER. Provide supervision and instruction in the absence of the regular classroom teacher. Organizational skills and structure are a prerequisite. Teaching certification preferred, but not required. Childcare clearance required.

WANTED

CHEAP LAPTOP for travel must play CD-DVD, \$500 tops or will trade for Hi 8 camera. Call 59939.

ADULT TRICYCLE bike to buy or borrow for visiting relative, May 11-June 2. Call 54691.

PATIO SALES

SATURDAY, 3:30-6 p.m., Qtrs. 411-A. Mostly clothes.

MONDAY, 7-11 a.m., Qtrs. 474-A. PCS sale.

FOR SALE

UGLY REFRIGERATOR, large capacity, runs well, great for boathouse, \$100 or best offer. Call Sheri, 52725.

PANASONIC LX-K700 multi-laser disc player. Comes with 4"-12" karaoke discs and two microphones, \$700. Call Gordon, 53640, before 8 p.m.

1998 ZODIAC 12½' boat with 50 hp Honda four-stroke outboard, center console steering, with trailer, \$6,500. Call 53644.

PCS SALE. Dishwasher; bike cart; two bikes, available in April; dresser and night stand; plants; coffee table; two 9' x 12' rugs; one 12' x 15' rug; bathroom shelving/organizer; 200 series blinds. Call 53413, evenings and weekends.

FENCE, \$100. Call 54642 and leave a message.

KLEIN RACING BIKE, \$700; two-piece racing outrigger canoe, new, \$2,500; older racing canoe, \$500, both carbon fiber with paddles; fiberglass racing kayak, \$500; white water kayak, \$100; Hi 8 VCR, \$100; Hi 8 camcorder, \$300; Hi 8 underwater camera with 5" screen, \$800. Call 59939.

MICROWAVE, office chair, beach chairs, hoses, vacuum, snorkel gear, Weber grill. Call 54540, after 6 p.m.

MICROWAVE with stand, \$60; Flowbee hair cutting system, \$25; used bike, \$70. Call 53888 and leave a message.

19" TV, VCR, DVD, \$300 for all, price negotiable; 10-speed ladies' bike, good condition, no rust, \$75; four-drawer metal file cabinet, 52" high x 15" wide x 18" deep, \$75; sterile medium white trash can, \$5; waffle iron, \$7; Homedics foot spa with all attachments, \$15. Call 52843.

MINOLTA VECTIS Weathermatic zoom camera, APS film type, submersible to 33 feet, film and mailers included. Call Tom, 58331W or 52573H.

GOLF SWING Groover II, electronic golf swing trainer, good for left or right-handed swing, almost new, paid \$129, will sell for \$50. Call 58954, after 5 p.m.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

HAPPY 92ND birthday Girl Scouts. Girl Scout Week is March 7-13. All Girl Scouts are asked to wear their uniforms to church on Girl Scouts, Sunday, March 7. Our World Thinking Day celebration is Monday, March 8, 3-4:30 p.m., in CRC room 1. We will also have a movie night.

PLANNING a long Pacific sailing trip? Interested in taking a closer look at the water between Kwaj and Enewetak? Just a map enthusiast? Come to Grace Sherwood Library and check out our new Pacific navigational map collection donated from the technical library.

EBEYE UNITED CHURCH of Christ on Ebeye is hosting World Day of Prayer, March 5, 6:30 p.m. Depart from Kwajalein on the 5:30 p.m. or 6 p.m. ferry. Return to Kwaj on a special 11 p.m. ferry.

Chapel

Services

Protestant services:
Kwajalein
Sunday, 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.
Roi-Namur Service at 4 p.m.
This week's sermon:
"The People Wander Like Sheep"

Sunday school for all ages
through adult, 9:15 a.m.,
in the REB.

Catholic services:
Saturday Mass,
5:30 main chapel
Sunday Mass
7 a.m., small chapel
9:15 a.m., main chapel

For more information,
call the Chapel, 53505.

Gilligan's Bar & Grill

HAPPY HOUR
4:30-5:30 P.M.



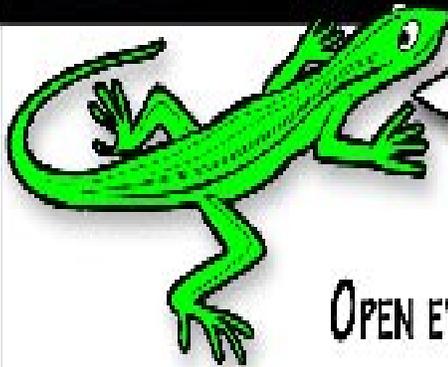
TOMORROW: DJ DEACON PLAYS
ALTERNATIVE MUSIC ALL NIGHT

STARTING AT 9 P.M.

SUNDAY: GUEST ISLAND BAND

"THE ZOOKS" PLAYS AT 9 P.M.

DINNER AND A MOVIE, MONTE AT 9 P.M.



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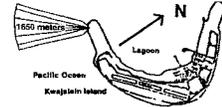
OPEN EVERY SATURDAY AT 9 P.M.

The 50th anniversary

Bravo Test

The Marshallese Cultural Society presents a program on the history of
the Bravo hydrogen bomb test at Bikini, as well as a
Marshallese perspective. March 1, 7 p.m., at the REB.

The Small Arms Range
is in operation Mar. 3,
8 a.m.-noon. Avoid the hazard
area shown below. All watercraft
observe the red flags at the
southwest end of the island.



TOWER MAINTENANCE crew will perform regular maintenance on the TV antenna mounts, March 2, 7 a.m.-noon. All radio, TV and paging transmitters will be turned off. AFN-Kwajalein 1224 AM will remain on the air.

PLANET VIEWING: Telescope viewing of the moon and planets is tonight, dusk to 9 p.m., at Emon Beach kayak shack. Weather permitting. Free and open to all.

KWAJALEIN Amateur Radio Club's March meeting has been changed to Thursday, March 11, 7 p.m., at the Ham Shack. Prospective members and those currently taking amateur radio classes are encouraged to attend. The T-shirt shop will be open. Questions? Call Bert, 51905.

CYS PROGRAM youth softball and T-ball season will begin soon. Coaches' meeting is Thursday, March 18, 7 p.m., in Room 20 in the elementary school. Registration is Tuesday, March 23-27, 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., in the school administration building. All youths participating must be registered with the CYS registration system. Scorekeepers' and officials' clinics will be Thursday, March 25, 7 p.m., at the Youth Center. Leagues games will be April 6-May 18. For ages three thru grade six.

PARENT WORKSHOP, "Is Your Child Ready for Kindergarten?", is tonight, 7 p.m., in the elementary school music room. Pre-school and kindergarten representatives will be present to talk about qualities of children that promote success in kindergarten. Questions? Call Karen, 53610.

LIBRARY book draw registration runs through March 15, with the drawing on

Washington State Voting info

Washington State has cancelled its Presidential primary March 2. The State Primary will be held Sept. 1. Update your voting calendar. Voting Assistance Guide and other files are applicable. For further information, Washington State voters may contact the political party of their choice through their local county auditor. County auditor information is found at: www.sesstate.wa.gov/elections/. Click on County Auditors and Election Departments under Election Contacts.

March 17. In honor of St. Patrick's Day, adults can sign up to win "Angela's Ashes" and "Tis" by Frank McCourt. Kids can win "Where's Mary's Hat" by Barroux.

ORTHODONTIST will be on island March 3-4. To make an appointment, call the Dental Clinic, 52165, 7:30-11:30 am. and 12:30-4:30 p.m., Tuesday thru Saturday.

KWAJALEIN YACHT CLUB will meet Saturday, Feb. 28, 6:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend. The initial order of 2004 members cards has arrived and will be issued to members in good standing. Chili will be served. Bring a side dish to share. All are welcome.

KWAJALEIN SWIM Team will host the second swim meet of the spring season, Sunday, Feb. 29, 4 p.m., at the family pool. Come out and support the young athletes.

YOKWE YUK Women's Club Kaleidoscope of Music is March 7-8, in the MP room. Tickets are on sale Mondays at Macy's porch. Proceeds benefit KHS scholarships.

FAMILY POOL open swim hours on Sunday, Feb. 29, are 11 a.m.-2p.m.

BEGINNING GOLF CLINIC is Sunday, Feb. 29. 4:30-7 p.m., at Holmberg Fairways. Open to all interested in beginning golf. Introduction to the game, basic swing and rules. For signup information, call Bob, 53768.

KWAJALEIN 4-H CLUB first club meeting is March 1, 5 p.m., in the elementary school music room. We will elect officers and discuss our first community service project. All members must attend. Questions? Call Heather, 53796.

INNERTUBE WATER polo season is coming. Sign up and pay your team fee at Community Activities office by March 4. Managers' meeting is Thursday, March 4, 6 p.m., at the family pool. Scorekeepers' and officials' meeting is at 6:30 p.m.

ENERGY CONSERVATION tip: Even though you don't pay the bills, help save electricity by turning off lights in unoccupied rooms.

PTSO meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 3rd at 7:00 p.m. in the high school library. School board agenda items will be reviewed.

PTSO will be holding a bar-be-que for all high school volleyball players and their families on Monday, March 1 starting at 5:00. It will be held outside the CRC. Please come over and cheer on our players. Call Trina at 52842 if you would like to help.

PROTESTANT MEN's prayer breakfast, REB, Monday, 8 a.m.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION registration for spring A Session begins Monday.

The Need For Speed
Drabek's International Race Track,
on Roi-Namur Telemetry site!
Feb. 29,
Open Nitro Class
Double Elimination
The entire community is invited to the RC vehicle races. Participants should contact Ozzy, 56013, for more info. Trophies, food and beverages.

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VOTE

The following are voting residency guidelines for citizens residing outside the U.S. Your legal state of residence for voting purposes is the state in which you last resided immediately prior to departure from the U.S. This right extends to overseas citizens even though they may no longer own property or have other ties to their last state of residence and their intent to return to that state may be uncertain. Keep in mind that exercising your right to vote in elections for federal offices only does not affect the determination of residence or domicile for purposes of any tax imposed under Federal, state or local law. Merely voting in an election for Federal office may not be used as the sole basis to determine residency for the purpose of state and local taxation. If you claim a particular state as your residence and have other ties with that state in addition to voting, then you may be liable for state and local taxation, depending upon the laws of that particular state. Consult your legal counsel for specific questions. The Legal Office will assist U.S. citizens in obtaining and completing Federal Post Card Application requests for registration and absentee ballot; witnessing or notarizing the forms (if required) and providing other voting information.

Roi Town Hall:
Meet with
**Col. Jerry Brown, USAKA
commander**
Thursday, 6:30 p.m.
Building C
Kwajalein town hall postponed to a
later date TBD

Roi, Enniburr residents mourn Rang's passing

By KW Hillis
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Larry Rang, 54, of Enniburr died Friday night after he collapsed at home and was transported to the Roi-Namur dispensary.



Larry Rang

Rang, worked on both Kwajalein and Roi for 30 years in many different positions including heavy equipment operator, pest control and maintenance. His current job was KREMS mechanical and maintenance helper at all the Roi sensors including ALTAIR, ALCOR, TRADEX and MMW.

Earlier on Friday, Rang complained of chest pains before he collapsed, said Lt. Damon Brown, Kwajalein Police Department Roi Detachment. The Third Island

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— Conrad Nakasone

nurse and Rang's son tried to revive him and after he was transported to Roi-Namur's dispensary, the Fire Department and nurse Gail Choquette performed life support efforts, to no avail.

“He was a great guy and was well respected among his own people,” said Greg Howson, ALCOR field engineer, explaining that Rang worked with him performing maintenance on the currently shutdown ALCOR antenna on the day he died. “He was very soft-spoken. I never saw him lose his temper in 11 years. He was generous and would go out of his way to explain to Americans, Marshallese culture.”

Howson's counterpart at TRA-

DEX, Conrad Nakasone, said he knew Rang for at least 18 years.

“He was a wonderful guy, always polite, always had a smile on his face,” Nakasone said. “He was very dependable. Everyone here definitely respected him.”

Rang was very involved with his community and family and sent four of his sons to college, Howson said, adding that Rang, who was very skilled in English, was called on to translate at all-hands meetings on Roi.

The funeral, attended by over 200 people, was held Wednesday night at the Catholic Church on Enniburr.

“Every member of his family was able to attend thanks to the efforts of Host Nation, KRS and USAKA,” Howson said, explaining that 25 Roi residents also attended the funeral and many contributed refreshments for Rang's family and friends.

Range is survived by his wife, Linda, nine children, and a large extended family.

Afghan command condemns attack on contractors

American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — Combined Forces Command Afghanistan officials have condemned the attack on U.S. contract employees Feb. 22 near Panjawi District, 50 kilometers west of Kandahar, Afghanistan.

Employees of U.S. contractor Louis-Berger Group “were boarding their helicopter and attempting to leave the site of a clinic under construction,” according to a command release. News reports quoted a U.S. embassy source saying that an “unidentified assailant” fired on the employees as the helicopter was preparing to take off.

Reports indicate that the pilot was killed. Coalition forces evacuated the two seriously wounded individuals to medical facilities at Kandahar and then to Ba-

gram, according to a command spokesman. Forces also transported the helicopter back to the base at Kandahar.

Officials said local security forces and soldiers from the 10th Mountain Division are working to apprehend the responsible individual. The command said it would continue to work closely with Afghan official and forces “to determine exactly what happened and jointly bring the perpetrators of this crime to justice.”

“Coalition forces call on the tribal elders and members of Panjawi District to hand over to Afghan security or Coalition forces, the criminal who, by this action, would deny the residents of Panjawi District a vital medical clinic and other much-needed reconstruction and humanitarian aid,” a command release stated.

Weather
Courtesy of RTS Weather

Tonight: Partly cloudy with a slight chance for showers.

Winds: Northeast at 12-18 knots.

Tomorrow: Partly cloudy with a chance for showers.

Winds: Northeast at 12-18 knots.

Temperature: Tonight's low 80°
Tomorrow's high 87°

February rain total: 4.60"

Annual rain total: 5.40"

Annual deviation: -3.06"

Call 54700 for updated forecasts and sea conditions.

Sun • Moon • Tides				
	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Saturday February 28	0704/1900	1148/	0826, 4.0' 2010, 3.2'	0150, 1.7' 1449, 2.3'
Sunday February 29	0703/1900	1227/0019	0931, 3.6' 2125, 2.7	0212, 2.1' 1744, 2.6'
Monday March 1	0703/1900	1403/0214	1249, 3.6'	0312, 2.5' 2037, 2.2'
Tuesday March 2	0702/1900	1455/0306	0235, 3.0' 1414, 4.0'	0738, 2.4' 2103, 1.7'