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(Mike Moore and Tracy Hampson load one of 36 155 mm rounds found on the reef at Carlson into a Zodiac on Sept. 15. For more on the operation, see Page 4.)

(Photo courtesy of Explosive Ordnance Disposal)

Nobody's listening to me (are they?)

Like most people, I like my privacy. I don't want people snooping and prying into my affairs, even though I have a pretty dull, standard type of life that I don't think anyone would be all that interested in.

Okay, that being said, let's talk about this 'spying' stuff that the super secret National Security Agency has been doing. By the way, if it's that secret, how come we all know about it?

If they're listening into conversations taking place in mosques that may be meeting places for people plotting to blow up my friends and family, I'm not gonna' raise a stink about it.

If they want to listen to phone calls and intercept e-mails of people that are suspected of being terrorists or supporting terrorists, I say that's just fine with me. I don't care whether it's done in the United States or a foreign country. If that's what it takes to stop terrorists from bombing a subway station or a department store or a school, then I'm all for it.

But isn't that violating civil liberties, you ask. Isn't that unconstitutional?

Well, first of all, I'm not a lawyer and it's been a long time since I read the constitution.

But I can't see that the government is ever really going to want to know who Dan Adler is talking to. Unless maybe I'm making lots of phone calls to Saudi Arabia or Pakistan or Afghanistan. You

know, places where terrorists hang out.

And if they ever wanted to listen to my boring phone calls to my mother and hear all those those guilt trips laid on me, I don't think they'd listen long.

They might like the calls to my brother when he hits me up for a loan and I air my vocabulary telling him no, ever so nicely.

I can't imagine the government would be interested in the anemic bank account I have. I'm not sending money to any Swiss bank accounts or to any Middle Eastern countries.

As long as I don't break the law and pay my taxes, I can't think of one single reason the federal government would be interested in knowing anything about me.

So you see, I don't worry about my civil liberties being violated because the feds are listening to Mr. Terror Suspect's phone calls.

To me, that's the same as complaining about having your backpack searched as you enter a stadium or a subway station. I say search mine and everybody else's as though lives depend on it. Who knows when that might be all too true.

I'm not entirely off my rocker though. I know that it's a slippery slope when the government starts doing things like this. The possibility of misuse always exists. But if there's ever been a time when civil liberties have to be weighed

The Way I See It

Dan Adler,
Staff Writer



against protecting the country, it's now.

Are security cameras an invasion of privacy? Do they violate civil liberties?

Since most people I care for and love aren't going to do anything that they wouldn't want a camera to catch, I'm just fine with cameras.

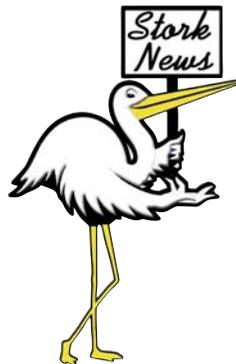
The way I see it is this. If you're not doing anything wrong, then you don't have to worry about anyone violating your civil liberties because most likely, you're a really boring person. Nobody cares if you're caught picking your nose on camera.

I don't think the 'spying' should have been made public by the news media. I think that's alerted those we need to worry about to what the government has been doing to check up on them. Of course, that's just my opinion. But since my opinions are based on amazing knowledge, you should all listen to them.

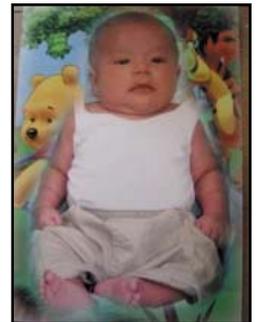
And by the way, don't anybody dare write any letters, e-mails or make any phone calls disagreeing with me. You're being watched, you know.

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hourglass@kls.usaka.smdc.army.mil.



John and Annie Tompkins announce the birth of Kaivan AJ Tompkins on Nov. 11. He weighed in at 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 20.5 inches long. Mommy and baby are doing well and being pampered in the Philippines. They will return to Kwaj on Feb. 1.



Kaivan AJ Tompkins

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Two boating incidents point out need to adhere to established safety regulations

Hourglass reports

Two unrelated incidents in late December identified boating safety issues.

In the early minutes of Dec. 27 a sailboat was spotted anchored inside the Kwajalein Harbor between the two Dolphin Buoys that mark the harbor entrance, according to Lt. Mike Herrington, Kwajalein Police Department Marine Division. The sailboat was anchored in the transit lane and according to Herrington, anchoring there could cause an accident, "it's like parking in the middle of the street in the dark," he said.

The Kwajalein Marine Police were notified that a sailboat was adrift inside the harbor and the KPD boat *Peacekeeper* was underway within 10 minutes. "We located the sailboat *Capella* at anchor. The *Peacekeeper* was brought along side and the siren and loud speaker were used to get someone's attention. No response. Boarded the vessel, woke the person up and told him to move as we had an inbound work boat. He was directed to follow the police boat to a safe mooring area," Herrington said.

The boat operator chose to depart the area instead of comply with police, "I never did get to talk to the man; when we turned around he was gone. He did not have his lights on and he overheated his engine leaving, and he was located on radar 5.5 miles away," Herrington said.

Herrington added that Marine Police did a welfare check of the area with the radar on .5 miles and used the spotlight. "We were worried he might be adrift. We did a very good search of the immediate area, then we extended our search to 1 mile, then 1.5 miles, then 2.5 until we saw him on 6 miles," he said. The

search took approximately two hours.

"After we made contact the second time, I told him to turn around and follow me back to Kwajalein; he said he didn't think so. He was informed if he did not turn around, a line would be placed on his vessel and he would be towed. When the vessel *Capella* arrived at Pier 1 Kwajalein, it was greeted by members of the police department who, very professionally, took charge of the situation," Herrington said.

According to Herrington, "Everyone who operates a boat here at Kwajalein must attend two nights of classroom, take two written tests, take a practical test before they can operate any boat here. Anchoring is a part of that class.

"The very first thing any boater learns then forgets is USAKA Reg. 385-9 1.1B 'Recreational water activity is a privilege granted to individuals by the USAKA commander."

Increasing the safety risk, the boat operator dropped his anchor and line right where he was anchored. "The 100-plus feet of line could now get fouled with the props of our bigger vessels. The *Worthy* returned that day. Could have picked up the line and sucked the anchor into the vessel," Herrington said. Divers from the Kwajalein Scuba Club located and raised the anchor.

The second boating-safety related incident over the holidays happened when a private-boat owner did not return to Kwajalein at the time indicated on his float plan.

"The harbor master started trying to make radio contact with the boat at 1535 hours [3:35 p.m.] Jan. 3. The Small Boat Marina started trying to make radio contact, Ch68, at 1615hrs [4:15 p.m.]; this continued until 1700 hrs. [5 p.m.] KPD was notified at this time, and I was paged

shortly after," Herrington said.

According to Herrington, a private boat files a float plan with Harbor Control when the Small Boat Marina is closed, or if the boat leaves or returns after the SBM is closed. The float plan showed the vessel bound for the Namu Atoll, 34 miles south of Kwajalein Atoll.

The float plan was filed with the Harbor Master who discovered the boat was overdue.

The *SR-001* and the *Peacekeeper* began the search two hours after *Sparetime* was due to return. "If a vessel is overdue by 15 minutes and radio contact is not made, SAR [search and rescue] will be notified," Herrington said.

"The search was conducted by four people on two boats; however, more people were involved. The Harbor Control continued to make radio contact on Channel 12 and Channel 16. The Small Boat Marina continued to make radio contact on Channel 68. The SBM supervisor made contact with Ebeye Base Radio. Ebeye Base was able to get conflicting reports from Namu Atoll. The next day Host Nations, Alan [Taylor], with the assistance of the RMI office on Kwajalein, talked to a number of contacts on Namu radio."

The *SR-001* was again underway at 1 p.m., Jan. 7. Set a direct course to Namu Atoll. The SAR boat also had four fire department EMTs [emergency medical technicians] onboard. The vessel *Sparetime* was located within one hour.

"It is the responsibility of the boat operator to fill out and comply with his float plan. Changes can be made by radio," Herrington said. If the boat had not been located, USAKA was standing by with aircraft to expand the search.

"In this case everyone did return safely, and lessons were learned," Herrington said.

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— Mike Herrington, Kwajalein Police Marine Division



Steve Fuchs, Mike Moore and Travis McDiffett try to dislodge howitzer rounds from the water.



Switon Tanaka, left, and Todd Hinson transport two rounds.



All 36 rounds were secured for transport to Illeginni for disposal.



World War II howitzer rounds destroyed in explosive operation

By Elizabeth Davie
Reporter

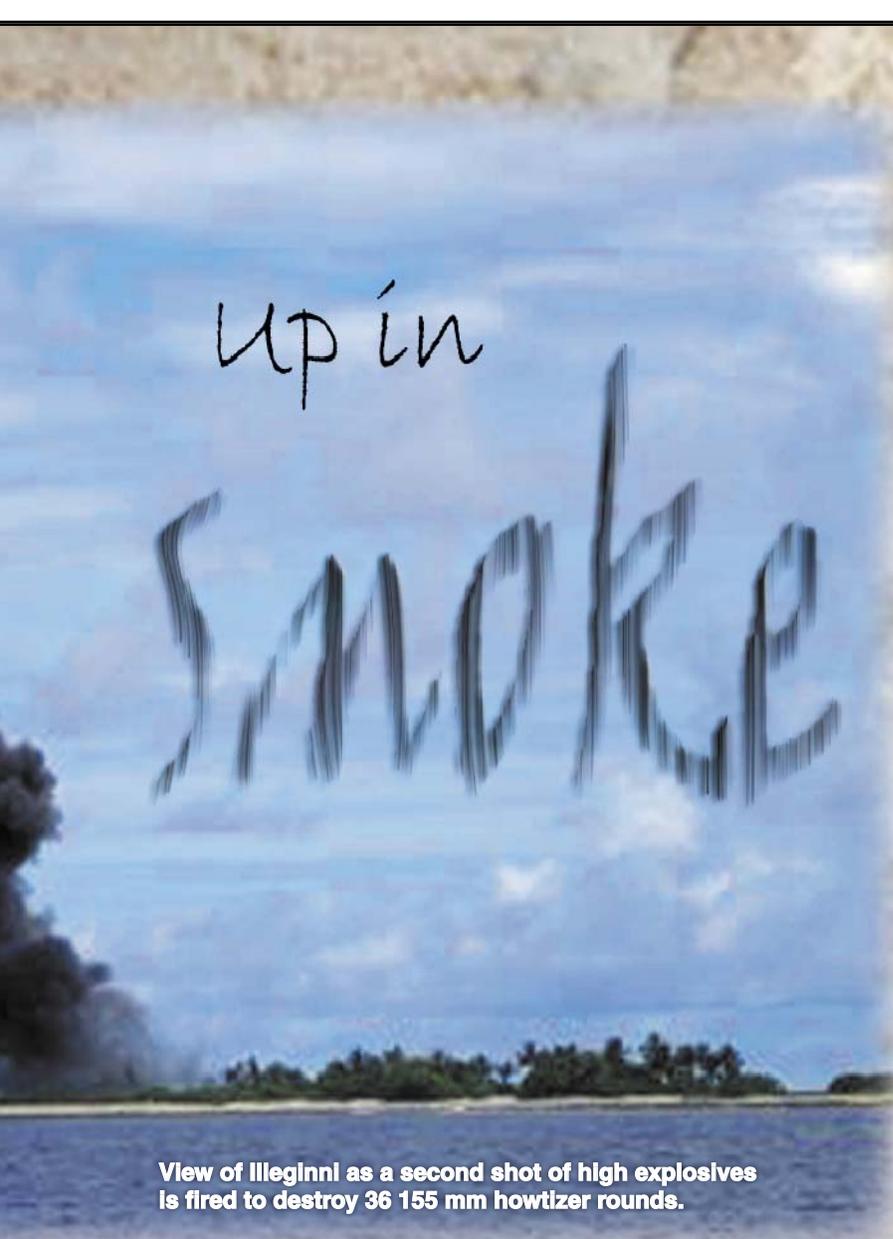
Sept. 15 and 16 the Explosive Ordnance Disposal team from Kwajalein helped make the island of Carlson a safer place for fishermen.

According to Travis McDiffett, unexploded ordnance technician, the team responded to a request from the Republic of the Marshall Islands.

The team was transported to the reef by the *Manassas* then traveled to the site where the rounds were found by Zodiacs, ridged inflatable boats.

According to McDiffett, the majority of the 36 155 mm high explosive rounds that were recovered were encrusted in the reef. All of the rounds were unfused and unfired, making them safe to move. The team used pry bars, sledge hammers and chisel blades to dislodge the rounds. It took

(Photos courtesy of EOD)



View of Illeginni as a second shot of high explosives is fired to destroy 36 155 mm howitzer rounds.

Rounds found on Carlson are operations on Illeginni island

approximately two hours.

The rounds were transported by the *Manassas* to the island of Illeginni. The team stayed overnight on the boat. The next morning the rounds were unloaded for disposal.

According to Scott Phillips, UXO technician, a maximum of 200 pounds of net explosive weight can be disposed of at one time. Three separate shots were needed to dispose of all 600 pounds of NEW. No clean-up shot was necessary.

After the blasts, Phillips conducted environmental sampling of the soil from the crater left by the explosion for Kwajalein Range Services Environmental office. The samples came back normal.

The technicians would like to thank Kwajalein Police Department Marine Dept., the *Manassas* crew, the Kwajalein dive team, KRS Operations personnel, Engineering and Planning section, U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll personnel and the Water plant personnel for their support.



Most of the rounds were encrusted in the reef and had to be pried out.



The team unloads the rounds on Illeginni island.



Daryl Satko, left, and Mike Moore prepare the blocks of C4 that were used to destroy the rounds.

Well done

Alves earns Technical Achievement Award

By Neil M. Drumheller
Editor

Stephen Alves, ALCOR and Millimeter Wave Radar transmitter lead engineer, won the 2005 U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Technical Achievement Award.

The award was presented to Alves by Lt. Gen. Larry J. Dodgen, SMDC commanding general, during the general's visit to USAKA last week.

According to the award application procedures "This award recognizes exceptional technical achievement accomplished by an individual working directly on space and missile defense activities being executed by the Missile Defense Agency, the U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command, the Ground-Based Midcourse Defense Joint Program Office, or the PEO for Missiles and Space. The achievement can be a single achievement or a series of achievements accomplished anytime during the previ-

ous five years."

Alves received the award for developing a sensitivity improvement concept for the MMW radar at the Reagan Test Site and providing the technical leadership to ensure its successful implementation. He performed the feasibility study and provided critical support to the modifications of the MMW transmitter hardware and software systems. This improvement doubled the pulse length of the MMW radar from 50 to 100 microseconds increasing the sensitivity by 2 dB. "This is a significant increase in sensitivity for almost no cost," according to Jeff Jones, ALCOR/MMW Sensor Leader.

Alves job as a senior transmitter engineer is to design and develop modifications to, and direct the maintenance of, high power radio frequency amplifiers (transmitters) used by the radars on Roi-Namur. "As the senior transmitter engineer, I help to keep the transmitters working and supporting radar operations critical to the national

defense. USAKA could not operate this range without the radars and the radars cannot operate without transmitters."

He has worked for Kwajalein contractors for 17 years and has been an engineer for more than 23 years. According to Alves the award was for "developing a new capability for the MMW radar transmitter that led to a significant improvement in the radar sensitivity, a key measure of radar performance. The modification was designed, installed and demonstrated mission capable. The cost savings for the range for this level of sensitivity improvement was in excess of \$3M."

Alves added "This MMW Sensitivity Improvement modification dovetails precisely with the strategic plan for future improvements of the MMW radar system. Future sensitivity upgrades will build and expand upon the sensitivity improvement demonstrated thus far."

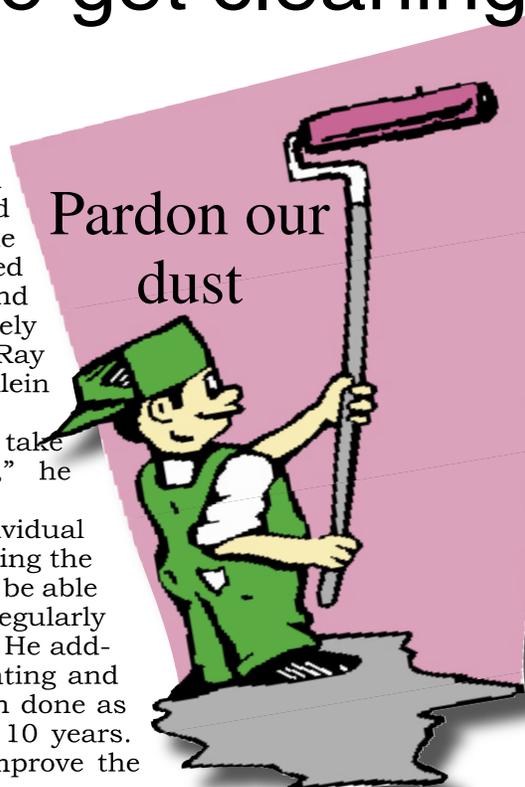
Surfway to get cleaning, new paint job

Hourglass reports

Beginning Tuesday, sections of Surfway will be cordoned off for steam cleaning, painting and general maintenance. The project will be completed section-by-section and should take approximately 32 days, according to Ray Denham from Kwajalein Range Services Surfway.

"Each section should take approximately five days," he said.

Denham said the individual sections will be closed during the process, but shoppers will be able to obtain many of the regularly stocked items at Ten-Ten. He added that the cleaning, painting and maintenance has not been done as extensively in more than 10 years. This make-over should improve the



appearance and extend the life of Surfway.

For more information, call Denham or Gary Prettyman at 53607.

The schedule is:

- Section 1: Tuesday – Jan. 29 Chill produce, pickles, snacks and water
- Section 2A: Jan. 31-Feb. 4: Household items, pet food, paper goods and canned meat items
- Section 2B: Feb. 7 – 11 Canned vegetables, fruit and juice; magazines, baby food and diapers
- Section 3: Feb. 14 – 18 Dairy aisle, frozen pizza and snacks, bacon and packaged meats
- Section 4: Feb. 22 – 26 Center frozen display cases: frozen bread, dinners, vegetables and ice cream
- Section 5: Feb. 28 – March 4 Coffee, cake mixes, sugar, JellO and bread
- Section 6: March 7 – 11 Checkout area beer, tobacco, health and beauty items, wine and candy

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Thursday



Time	Channel 9 AFN Prime	Channel 13	Channel 14 AFN News	Channel 17 AFN Sports	Channel 20 AFN Spectrum	Channel 23 AFN Movies	Channel 26 AFN Family	Channel 35 AFN Direct to Sailors
midnight	The Late Show		American Morning	NFL Live	Late Night with Conan O'Brien	Movie: (cont.) <i>Shanghai Noon</i>	SpongeBob	Without a Trace
12:30 a.m.	The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson			ESPNNews				
1 a.m.				N. Amer. Fisherman	Enterprise	Movie: <:05> <i>Conan The Destroyer</i>	As Told by Ginger	Pacific Report
1:30 a.m.	Big Idea with Donnie Deutsch		NBA	Lost				The Amanda Show
2 a.m.			<i>Pheonix at Sacramento</i>			Everwood		
2:30 a.m.	Countdown with Keith Olbermann		MSNBC Live	WWE Raw!	Movie: <i>Cellular</i>	Sister, Sister	The Late Show w/ David Letterman	
3 a.m.								Sister, Sister
3:30 a.m.	Access Hollywood			SportsCenter		Fresh Prince	The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson	
4 a.m.	Headline News							
4:30 a.m.	Entertainment Studios			NFL Live	Carol Duvall Show	Movie: <:49> <i>Out of Sight</i>	Family Ties	The Big Idea with Donny Deutsch
5 a.m.	Roller							
5:30 a.m.				Room by Room		Barney & Friends	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	
6 a.m.	Today		Dayside	NFL Sounds of the Game	Body Shaping	Sesame Street		
6:30 a.m.					The Right Fit		Access Hollywood	
7 a.m.			FOX News Live	Tennis Australian Open: <i>Day 3</i>	The View	The Entertainers	Bear in the Big Blue	Headline News
7:30 a.m.								Rubadubbers
8 a.m.	Wheel of Fortune		Studio B with Shepard Smith		Emeril Live	Behind the Scenes	Blue's Clues	ESPNNews
8:30 a.m.	Dr. Phil <8:26>					E.T.	Dora the Explorer	Headline News
9 a.m.	Oprah Winfrey <9:20>		Your World with Neil Cavuto		30 Minute Meals	Movie: <i>Forget Me Never</i>	Rolie Polie Olie	Good Morning America
9:30 a.m.					Food 911			
10 a.m.	Guiding Light <10:20>		The Big Story w/ John Gibson		My First Place		Seven Little Monsters	
10:30 a.m.					Fashion File	Movie: <:44> <i>Adventures of Baron Munchausen</i>	Reading Rainbow	
11 a.m.	General Hospital <11:10>		Headline News	SportsCenter	Behind the Scenes			JoJo's Circus
11:30 a.m.				NBC Nightly News		Blind Date		Rolie Polie Olie
noon	Roller		ABC World News	College Basketball	My Wife & Kids		Dora the Explorer	Around the Horn
12:30 p.m.	Judge Judy		CBS Evening News	NC State vs Duke	Girlfriends		Blue's Clues	PRI
1 p.m.	Today		The Newshour with Jim Lehrer			Dawson's Creek	Movie: <i>Wings of the Dove</i>	Rubadubbers
1:30 p.m.								Bear in the Big Blue
2 p.m.			Hannity & Colmes	NBA <i>Cleveland at Denver</i>	Judging Amy		Barney & Friends	Wisconsin vs Ohio State
2:30 p.m.							Play with Sesame	
3 p.m.	Aah! Real Monsters		Anderson Cooper 360		Passions	Movie: <:55> <i>Star Trek VIII: First Contact</i>	Funniest Videos	
3:30 p.m.	Rocko's Modern						Full House	ESPNNews
4 p.m.	SpongeBob		Anderson Cooper 360		ER		Pokemon	ABC World News
4:30 p.m.	Batman Beyond			SportsCenter			Yu-Gi-Oh!	ESPNNews
5 p.m.	Jeopardy		Larry King Live		Alias	True Hollywood Story	Disney's Doug	CBS Evening News
5:30 p.m.	Roller						Rocket Power	NBC Nightly News
6 p.m.			Rita Cosby Live & Direct	NFL Live	The Simpsons	Coming Attractions	SpongeBob	American Idol
6:30 p.m.				Outside the Lines	Raymond	E.T.	Fairly Oddparents	
7 p.m.	Eve		Headline News	SportsCenter	American Idol <i>Auditions</i>	Movie: <i>Open Range</i>	Even Stevens	
7:30 p.m.	All of Us		Tavis Smiley				Kenan & Kel	
8 p.m.	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition		Hardball with Chris Matthews	PGA Tour: Bob Hope Classic			Gilmore Girls	Jeopardy
8:30 p.m.				<i>First Round</i>				Headline News
9 p.m.	Without a Trace		O'Reilly Factor		The Closer	Movie: <:21> <i>The One</i>	Degrassi	ESPNNews
9:30 p.m.							Degrassi	Pacific Report
10 p.m.	Roller		Nightline	SportsCenter	Friends		Fresh Prince	Two & a Half Men
10:30 p.m.	Tonight Show W/ Jay Leno		Business Report		Seinfeld		Family Ties	Joey
11 p.m.			American Morning	NFL Live	The Daily Show		7th Heaven	Medium
11:30 p.m.	The Late Show			NBA Fastbreak	Colbert Report	Movie: <i>Stand By Me</i>		

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Saturday



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midnight	The Late Show		American Morning	NFL Live	Late Night with Conan O'Brien	Movie: (Cont.)	SpongeBob	Primetime	
12:30 a.m.	The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson			ESPN			Fairly Oddparents		
1 a.m.				SportsCenter	American Idol	Movie: <:02>	That's So Raven	Pacific Report	
1:30 a.m.	Big Idea with Donnie Deutsch			College Basketball	J.A.G.	The Maltese Falcon	All That!	Tonight Show w/ Jay Leno	
2 a.m.				Utah at Air Force			Joan of Arcadia		
2:30 a.m.	Countdown with Keith Olbermann					48 Hours Mystery	Movie: the Ya Ya Sisterhood Divine Secrets of	Sabrina	The Late Show w/ David Letterman
3 a.m.			MSNBC Live			Sabrina		The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson	
3:30 a.m.	Access Hollywood			SportsCenter	Friends		Fresh Prince		
4 a.m.	Headline News				Seinfeld		Family Ties	The Big Idea with Donny Deutsch	
4:30 a.m.	Entertainment Studios			NFL Live	Carol Duval Show	Movie: <:01>	Play with Sesame		
5 a.m.	Roller				Room by Room	Double Jeopardy	Barney & Friends	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	
5:30 a.m.								Sesame Street	Access Hollywood
6 a.m.	Today		FOX News Live	Inside the NFL	Body Shaping				
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10 a.m.	Guiding Light <10:20>		The Big Story w/ John Gibson		Decorating Cents		Seven Little Monsters	Extreme Homes	
10:30 a.m.						The Look for Less	Movie: <:46>	Reading Rainbow	Designed To Sell
11 a.m.	General Hospital <11:10>		Headline News	SportsCenter	E! News Live	Arsenic & Old Lace	JoJo's Circus	Landscape Smart	
11:30 a.m.			NBC Nightly News		Blind Date			Rolie Polie Olie	Weekend Handyman
noon	Window on the Atoll /Roller		ABC World News		My Wife & Kids		Dora the Explorer	The Outdoorsman	
12:30 p.m.	Judge Judy		CBS Evening News	NBA Shootaround	Girlfriends		Blue's Clues	NFL Matchup	
1 p.m.	Today		The Newshour with Jim Lehrer	NBA	Dawson's Creek	Movie: Get Over It	Rubadubbers	Friday Night Fights	
1:30 p.m.				San Antonio				Bear in the Big Blue	Vladimir Pereira
2 p.m.			Hannity & Colmes		at	Judging Amy	Movie: <:39>	Barney & Friends	vs.
2:30 p.m.					Miami				Play with Sesame
3 p.m.	CatDog		Anderson Cooper 360		Passions	Taps	Funniest Videos	Around the Horn	
3:30 p.m.	Archie's Mysteries			NBA				Full House	PTI
4 p.m.	Dave the Barbarian		Anderson Cooper 360	Los Angeles	ER		Pokemon	ABC World News	
4:30 p.m.	The Shaman King			at			Yu-Gi-Oh!	ESPNews	
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7:30 p.m.			Tavis Smiley					American Dragon	
8 p.m.	The Apprentice: Martha Stewart		Hardball with Chris Matthews	PGA Bob Hope Classic:	NCIS	Movie: <:44>	Atomic Betty	Access Hollywood Weekend	
8:30 p.m.				Third Round				The Proud Family	
9 p.m.	Primetime		O'Reilly Factor		Judging Amy	The X-Files	Even Stevens	Headline News	
9:30 p.m.								What I Like About You	ESPNews
10 p.m.	Pacific Report		Nightline	SportsCenter	Friends		Switched!	Blue Collar TV	
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11 p.m.									
11:30 p.m.	The Late Show		Dateline	Inside the NFL	The Daily Show	Movie: Scream	Fresh Prince	Boston Legal	
					Colbert Report		Family Ties		

HELP WANTED

Kwajalein Range Services has the following job openings. For contract hire positions, call Marie Dixon, 51300. For all others, call Jack Riordan, 55154. Full job descriptions and requirements are online or at Human Resources, Building 700.

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HUMAN RESOURCES ASSISTANT II. Full time. Requires strong computer and communication skills to process large volume of HR documents and spreadsheets. Previous administrative assistant experience required. Will interface with all levels of employees and management.

PRODUCTION CONTROL CLERK II, Automotive. Full time. HR Req. K030983.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II, Public Works. Full time. HR Req. K030992. Must be able to work independently with limited supervision providing direct administrative support to Public Works manager and his staff. Three years' administrative experience with a medium-to-large organization and proven skills in Word,

PowerPoint and Excel desired.

MEDICAL BILLING SPECIALIST, Kwajalein Hospital. Casual. HR Req. K030982.

REGISTERED NURSE, Kwajalein Hospital. Casual. HR Req. K030935.

MECHANIC I, Kwajalein Automotive. Two full-time positions. HR Req. K030332 and HR Req. K030641.

PRODUCTION CONTROL CLERK I, Kwajalein Automotive. Full time. HR Req. K030630.

AUTO BODY TECHNICIAN I, Kwajalein Automotive. Three full-time positions. HR Req.s K030640, K030783, K030883.

TOOL ROOM ATTENDANT II, Kwajalein Automotive. Full time. HR Req. K030895.

PAINTER II, Roi Operations. Full time. HR Req. K030761. Enniburr applicants should apply to Floyd Corder.

KRS CONTRACT POSITIONS

NETWORK ENGINEER II—MO. HR Req 031227.

OPTICS TECHNICIAN II. HR Req 031231.

OPTICS TECHNICIAN III., HR Req 031229.

SUPERVISOR PROVISIONS. HR Req 030902

CONTRACT COMPLIANCE COORDINATOR. HR Req. 031209.

TRAFFIC AGENT II. HR Req. 030658.

ACCOUNTING CLERK II. HR Req. 031221.

JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT. HR Req. 030890.

INVENTORY CONTROL SPECIALIST I. HR Req. 030880.

MANAGEMENT AND STANDARDIZATION ANALYST I. HR Req. 030882.

COMMUNICATION TECHNICIAN III. HR Req. 031209.

COMPUTER TECHNICIAN I. HR Req. 031203.

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN II. Roi-Namur. HR Req. 031005.

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN III. Roi-Namur. HR Req. 030669.

FIELD ENGINEER I. HR Req. 030817.

FIELD ENGINEER II. HR Req. 031149.

FIELD ENGINEER II. Roi-Namur. HR Req. 030741.

MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST. HR Req. 030871.

MANAGER, Retail Merchandising and Provisions. HR Req 031097.

OPERATOR SPACE SURVEILLANCE. Roi-Namur, HR Req 031173.

OPERATOR SPACE SURVEILLANCE. Roi-Namur. HR Req 030903.

PROGRAMMER. HR Req. 031067.

NETWORK ENGINEER IV. HR Req. 031105.

PROJECT PLANNER III. HR Req. 031093.

RF SAFETY SPECIALIST/FIELD ENGINEER II. HR Req. 031147.

STORE SUPERVISOR. Roi-Namur. HR Req. 031065.

STOREKEEPER II. Roi-Namur. HR Req. 031087.

STYLIST/BEAUTICIAN. HR Req. 031211.

TELEPHONE TECHNICIAN III. HR Req. 030965.

SOFTWARE ENGINEER I/DATA ANALYST. CONUS. HR Req. 031191.

FIELD ENGINEER II, HR Req. 031157.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT MANAGER. HR Req. 031203.

ELECTRICIAN III. HR Req. 030854.

COMPUTER TECHNICIAN II, HR Req. 031159.

FACILITIES ENGINEER III/ MECHANICAL ENGINEER. HR Req. 030812.

HARDWARE ENGINEER II, Roi-Namur. HR Req. 031179.

MANAGER OPTICS/PHOTO, HR Req. 031177.

MISSION LOGISTICS COORDINATOR, HR Req. 031171.

HARDWARE ENGINEER II, HR Req. 031187.

FIELD ENGINEER I, HR Req. 031189.

COMMUNITY BANK

For consideration, submit your resume online at www.dodcommunitybank.com. For more information, contact the personnel department at employment@bank-of-america.jp or call the Banking Center manager at 52292/52142. Community Bank is an equal opportunity employer.

TELLER, Part time. Successful candidates should have previous banking, credit union or cash handling experience. Candidates must also have the ability to quickly and accurately handle transactions, communicate effectively and possess a strong desire to learn.

WANTED

MARINE PROPANE stove, with or without oven. Call David 52283, work or 54698, home.

EMPTY BLUE wine bottles. Call Sandy, 54152.



Kwajalein Scuba Club

Kwajalein Scuba Club will make a search and recovery dive at 5 p.m., Thursday, from Camp Hamilton. It's a great dive to practice search skills as we look for a lost sailboat rudder. This dive will be worth three scuba points. After the dive, we will join the Kwajalein Yacht Club for hamburgers and hot dogs. The person finding the rudder will win a free boat session from the Small Boat Marina. For more information, contact Scuba Club president Bill Williamson.

FULL-SIZE refrigerator. Call 51128.

LOST

BLACK SHERWOOD buoyancy compensator weight pouch with two weights, somewhere between Reef Bachelor Quarters and Emon Beach or ski boat stairs. Call Bob Swanson, 54612.

FOR SALE

50-GALLON fish tank, \$150; Sony HandyCam, CCD-TRV128, great deal, used only a few times, \$200; crib with mattress, \$150; women's clothes, mostly sizes small and medium, \$1 for any item. Call to come and see. Call Beverly, 52843.

34-FOOT Bayliner Avanti, \$40,000 or best offer. Call 51850, work or 54489, home.

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER with plenty of storage room for movies and compact discs, glass doors to protect components and CDs, good shape, \$50. Call 54517.

HOUSE FULL of mini blinds for 400 series housing \$50.00. Brand new Sonicare electric toothbrush never used \$25; ladies' size 8 rollerblades with safety pads \$75; Waterpick showerhead with massage \$10; scuba bag with new mask and snorkel \$20. Call Tammy, 52501, after 5 p.m.

DISHWASHER. Whirlpool Quiet Partner II, roll away dishwasher, like new, has countertop for extra space, 24 inches wide X 26.25 inches high, owners manuals, \$300 or best offer. Call 52591.

RUSTMAN TRIATHLON racing bike, Quintana Roo aluminum frame with Shimano 105 components, fits sizes 5 feet, 4 inches to 5 feet, 8 inches, good condition, lots of new spare parts; racing shoes, size 10 1/2; clipless pedals also available, \$650. Call 5312 or 51044.

FIVE-PIECE Sony Speakers \$40; Burley, in great condition, (5 months old) \$150; Sun four-speed bicycle, needs new shifter, \$30; Dirt Devil 12-amp bagless Featherlite vacuum \$30, Call 58598

SONY LAPTOP COMPUTER. True desktop replacement. P4 3.0GHz HT, 80GHD, huge 16 inch display 1600x1200, 1/2GB RAM, two batteries, DVD+/-RW Burner, 56k modem, 10/100 NIC, WinXP Pro SP2, MS Works plus more S/W, A/C adapter, carrying case. Perfect for power applications (photo/video editing) with mobility. Call 52197 or e-mail rod@kwajalein.us.

CUSTOM CHOPPER by Kai, one-of-a-kind; futon couch, queen-size; four-shelf ladder system; wicker amoire, nice; 6 by 9 foot rug; ATV red wagon. Call 52275.

KRUPS ESPRESSO maker, \$50. Call 51128.

MEN'S SUN BIKE, \$50; women's Sun bike, \$35; Huffy bike, \$25; Sea and Sea 35 mm underwater camera, \$90; two yellow snorkel vests, \$20 each. Call 51960.

SUN 4-SPEED BIKE, \$100; bike trailer, \$100; snorkel, mask and fins (never used), \$40; assorted carpet in various condition. Call 55054, after 4 p.m.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

DUE TO UNFORESEEN circumstances, the recompression chamber will be unavailable until Feb. 1. During this period, recreational diving will be limited to 50 feet.

THE SCHOOL ADVISORY Council will meet at 7 p.m., tonight, in the elementary school music room. Several issues will be discussed, including the 2006-2007 school calendar. The public is invited. Questions? Call 53761.

Kwaj Bingo will be Thursday at the Yuk Club.
Card sales begin at 5:30 p.m. Play begins at 6:30 p.m.
Blackout at 51 numbers with a \$400 cash prize.
I.D. required.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 314 will hold its regular meeting, 7-8:30 p.m., Thursday, at the Scout Hut in the Community Activities Center. Uniform is Class B.

COUNTRY/WESTERN NIGHT at the Yuk Club will be at 7 p.m., Sunday.

THE KWAJALEIN FILIPINO Club will hold a meeting and election of officers at 6 p.m., Monday, at the Pacific Club. All members are encouraged to run for office.

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND announces the following courses. SPCH 100 Foundations of Speech Communication (3). Class begins Jan. 25. Instructor is Dusty Varcak. HRMN 300 Human Resource Management. Instructor is Nicole Beall. Register at the University of Maryland office noon-4 p.m., Mondays and 4-6 p.m., Wednesdays and Fridays, or call 52800 to make an appointment.

JANUARY IS THE beginning of a new claim processing year. This means that calculations for your deductible start over with the new year. Kwajalein Hospital will collect payment for office visits from patients at the time of service. We are implementing this process for January and February to collect fees that will most likely be applied to your deductible up front instead of after insurance processing which has been our practice. Kwajalein Hospital will continue to file these claims with your insurance company on your behalf and provide you with a paid receipt so that you may track that your claims have been processed. Once we have established and documented that your deductible has been met, we will collect only your office visit co-pay at the time of service. This process change applies to office visits only. Lab and radiology will be filed as usual and fees owed by the patient will be collected after the insurance company has processed the claim. Fees for medications are collected at the time they are

picked up.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 314 is conducting a book drive for elementary schools on Ebeye. Please donate any school age books you may have laying around collecting dust. Books may be dropped off at Quarters 206-A, across from the family pool. Last day to drop off books will be Sunday. Questions? Call Jan Rejto, 52602

MONTHLY ISLAND ORIENTATION will be at 1 p.m., on Jan. 25, in Community Activities Center Room 6. It is required for all new island arrivals. The island orientation is not recommended for dependent children under 10. Questions? Call 51134. The optional Ebeye tour has been cancelled for January.

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY, a Dave Ramsey course sponsored by the Island Memorial Chapel, will begin its spring semester in February. This 13-week course shows people how to put into practice proven common sense principles concerning cash flow planning, handling debt, understanding investments, retirement/college planning and more. Find out more or sign-up for the course at the FPU orientation at 6-6:30 p.m., Friday, in the Religious Education Building. Questions? Call John Vannoy, 51382, work or 54533, home. Seating is limited.

THE YOUTH ACTION COUNCIL will be meeting at 7:00 p.m., Jan. 25, in the elementary school music room. Please come to identify and address youth related concerns and issues. Contribute new ideas to existing youth programs and become better informed about youth programs and services on Kwajalein. Questions? Call Joy Sims, CYS Coordinator, 53606.

FIFTH GRADE BEGINNING BAND concert will be at 7 p.m., Jan. 26, in the Dayve Davis Multi-Purpose Room on the high school campus.

Civilian air traffic controllers take over at Kwaj

Hourglass reports

The Federal Aviation Administration air traffic controllers have departed Kwajalein after 40 years of service.

According to Chief Warrant Officer Steve Simpson, U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll government flight representative/aviation officer, the mission of the FAA was to provide a safe, secure and efficient aerospace system.

“Department of the Army civilian air traffic control-

lers will replace the FAA personnel,” Simpson said.

Simpson explained the reason for the transition as a cost-saving effort. “We can get the same level of service for much less money,” he said.

Simpson would like to assure residents all aviation related activities continue to comply with both FAA and Army safety requirements.

“The FAA has done an outstanding job for the past 40 years, but the new Government Civilians will continue the mission without missing a beat and no reduction in safety,” Simpson added.

FUTURE OF FLIGHT



Residents view the *Proteus*, a plane built and operated by Scaled Composite, the same company which built and flew Space Ship One last year, at the airport Saturday afternoon. Pilots from the aircraft signed autographs and talked to residents. They were two of the first civilian, commercial astronauts and have both flown the Space Ship One prototype. This aircraft is enroute to Australia to perform atmospheric research.

(Photo by Elizabeth Davie)

RTS Weather

Tonight: Partly cloudy with widely scattered showers. **Winds:** NE-E at 15-20 knots.

Thursday: Partly cloudy with scattered showers. **Winds:** NE-E at 16-21 knots.

Friday: Mostly sunny with widely scattered showers. **Winds:** NE-E at 17-22 knots

Saturday: Partly cloudy with widely scattered showers. **Winds:** NE-E at 16-21 knots.

Annual rain total: 2.69 inches
Annual deviation: - 0.12 inches

Call 54700 for updated forecasts or www.rts-wx.com.



Sun • Moon • Tides



	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Thursday	0709/1850	2232/1018	0650, 4.4' 1900, 5.0'	0050, 1.0' 1240, 1.3'
Friday	0709/1850	2315/1053	0720, 4.3' 1930, 4.7'	0120, 1.2' 1310, 1.6'
Saturday	0708/1851	2358/1129	0800, 4.2' 2000, 4.4'	0150, 1.4' 1350, 1.8'