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(Photo by Jim Bennett)

Assistant Librarian Susannah Jones gets a little help packing books from her nearly 1-year-old son, Zach, Wednesday morning. Library staff and others are packing books and marking boxes using the Dewey Decimal System to keep them organized.

Library and *Hourglass* move

Expansion project enters next phase

By Barbara Johnson
Feature Writer

The library expansion and renovation project at building 805 ramps up to another level next week, as the *Hourglass* moves to its new location downstairs and library staff finish packing up books and materials for storage.

As soon as the *Hourglass* office is vacated, AFN-Kwajalein Chief Engineer Craig McCarragher moves downstairs to his new office and the library is cleaned out, "they're moving in a construction crew," said Pat Wanslow, librarian, adding that the library should be packed up and out by Nov. 7.

The *Hourglass* begins moving today into their newly renovated digs downstairs next to the bowling alley. There

will be no *Hourglass* Tuesday because of the move, and the paper will resume its normal print schedule next Friday. The *Hourglass* phone and fax numbers will stay the same, and the new door will have a drop-off slot.

Demolition upstairs will probably start soon after everyone has moved, said Mark Bradshaw, architect for the library expansion project. The crew will start by tearing out walls between McCarragher's office, the *Hourglass* office and the library, although the video area and storage room will remain

walled in. Crews will install new carpets, and, one of the biggest things, a new air conditioning unit, Bradshaw said.

The library will have new double doors, closer to

the stairs, which will lead to the check-out desk and main library, as well as a new children's area, Bradshaw said. Other additions include new lights and more room for shelving.

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Romero death determined accidental

By Jim Bennett
Editor

Medical examiners at the Naval Medical Center in San Diego ruled the death of Kwajalein resident Miguel Romero as "accidental," in an autopsy report issued recently.

Romero, 25, died Aug. 23, after apparently falling three stories off the window ledge outside the Topics Bachelor Quarters, where he lived.

Police believe he climbed out on the window ledge early in the morning, after 1 a.m., said Sgt. 1st Class Travis Tikka, of the USAKA Provost Marshal's office.

Another resident at the Tropics found the body around 4:25 a.m. and called authorities, Tikka added.

Romero had worked as a firefighter on Kwajalein since December 1999, and for fellow firefighters, the news of the autopsy report offers some closure to a painful period starting in August.

"He was a sensitive young man," said Assistant Chief Jerry Leverett, noting Romero's interest in poetry and art.

Romero self-published "Reflections: a book of poetry" in November 2001 and painted a mural on the back of the equipment racks in the fire department garage.

"He was moved by the events of 911, as we all were," Leverett said. Romero was the most artistic at the department and able to paint the tribute piece, while other firefighters pitched in to raise the funds for the paint, Leverett added.

"It was fitting that he finished it," said Lt. Pat Bledsoe, who worked with Romero on A Shift. "People around here come and go and some don't leave a lasting impression, but he did. He will definitely be missed."

Bledsoe added that professionally, Romero excelled as a driver through

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Diving accidents require review not ridicule

Virgil VanArsdale called me the other day.

Not everyone on the atoll would necessarily know the Roi resident who works at the Power Plant and dives regularly. They're more likely to know about the guy who got bent on Roi last week; that was Virgil.

When the *Hourglass* first reported the case of decompression sickness that hit Virgil on Oct. 21, we purposely left his name out of the story. Our standard practice here is, in cases of events like this, police investigations aside, to leave those primarily involved anonymous. It's a debatable point, but not really the focus of my conversation with Virgil.

Besides, Roi is an even smaller community than Kwajalein Island, and everyone there knew he was "that guy."

As reported in the story, and as Virgil retold the story, he went snorkeling and free diving during his surface interval. Dive instructors tell us not to participate in strenuous activity after dives as it can lead to DCS, but strenuous is a relative term and everyone's physical make-up is a little different.

Apparently, he said, there is some discussion among diving professionals at Divers Alert Network and within the trade publications on the safe inclusion of snorkeling, and/or free diving, along with diving activities, and if it's an issue with you, you ought to check out the research.

Virgil also said he accidentally stayed



too deep a little too long, but made up for it with extended safety stops, satisfying the dive computer, anyway. His dive partner, whose profile was nearly identical but did not snorkel and free dive, came out fine.

Following his treatment in the decompression chamber, Virgil is fine, too, though he noted it is a serious matter, and he was lucky.

He didn't feel so lucky for the public ridicule he got from various folks, he said.

Virgil said he fears that public ridicule prevents divers from seeking medical care if and when they get bent, adding there are more cases than what got reported.

Now he didn't attack, but I will defend the paper's choice to cover the story. Reported DCS cases are rare enough out here that when they happen, it's important to review the circumstances, dispel the rumors and remind the large diving community out here that, "it can happen to you." Resigning the cases to back-room discussions and speculations based

on half-truths only clouds the issues and dilutes any positive growth on an otherwise unfortunate accident.

The news story doesn't judge, but people do. Right or wrong, people tend to pass judgment, and they will whether they get the facts out of the *Hourglass* or the rumors off the street. That again is not the issue.

The point is, as a community, we need to address the safety issues, review the facts, determine a viable lesson and leave our personal feelings aside.

Is all snorkeling or free diving off-limits on a dive, or is it simply a question of what is strenuous? Our diving leadership needs to find out and let us know.

I don't know who said what to Virgil. He didn't go into names, I wasn't around for it and it doesn't really matter, at this point.

I will say if he had an accident, made a mistake, screwed up or however you want to term it, he's paying for it. Besides the ridicule he feels, right or wrong, decompression sickness hurts and chamber bills aren't cheap, I'm told.

But he's healthy again, and that's key. And if his experience discourages someone who needs medical attention from seeking help, we're all missing the boat.

Said Virgil, "If there can be a lesson learned from my experience, then I will be happy."

Reader says leave me and my bike alone

After reading the latest bicycle policy in last week's *Hourglass* stating in so many words that in order to reduce the slight chance of theft (impoundment?) of our bike by non-officials, we WILL register our bikes or they WILL be impounded (stolen?) by the officials.

This to me does not sound like sound reasoning. Is the goal personal responsibility (which is OUR responsibility), or is it lowered unsolved crime rate numbers for CIS? Who's the customer here?

I couldn't help thinking of a hypothetical analogy of mandating us to immunize our pets out of concern for their own health risks — or they will be shot.

I also can't help remembering life in Saudi Arabia (I was in the USAF for eight years), where there was very little crime because the end result was probably a missing body part.

If living in a police state is an ideal, I suppose this could be considered a good thing. I myself prefer the American value system.

I'm also reminded of that old quote by Jimmy Durante, "Why can't everyone leave everyone else the hell alone?"

What's next, mandated marking of our TVs, stereos and computers, or they WILL be 'impounded' by the police?

Isn't the end (I think unjustly) the ostensible reason for such Draconian measures?

I'm reminded of one case at Bentwaters Royal Air Force Base in England, where the USAF Special Police (SPs) were impounding stereos for noise policy infringements. One airman made a legal appeal, and it was determined that the command can impound property, but they are 100 percent responsible for the condition of the items or replacement cost of said items.

We still have our fourth amendment rights to own personal property that cannot be 'impounded' without due process. Needless to say, impoundments stopped at Bentwaters RAF.

Joe Morris

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Smoking kills millions; class set to help quitters

By KW Hillis
Feature Writer

This year, the American Cancer Society estimates that 47 million Americans smoke, and predicts that at least half of them will die prematurely due to tobacco use.

If the prognosis for smokers is so bleak, why are people still using tobacco?

"This is an addiction ... it is both physiologically and psychologically addictive," said Marion Ruffing, psychologist and certified Employee Assistance Professional.

Ruffing is offering a four-week quit smoking and quit dipping clinic starting Nov. 6. The clinic will offer information, tools and support to help participants quit by a date they will set.

The clinic is scheduled for an appropriate month since Nov. 21 is the Great American Smokeout, which urges smokers to give up tobacco for the day.

"By Nov. 20, which is close to the Great American Smokeout date, they will have already quit or hopefully set their quit date," she said. "I want them to do that while they are in the four-week clinic."

Already signed up for the clinic, Larrel Riggs said he has stopped smoking before and has a list of reasons to quit for good.

"I'm not getting any younger and I know the dangers," he said. "I know all the chemicals that are in a cigarette. I want to be around for my kids and wife and I want to be as healthy as possible for the rest of my life."

Riggs started smoking at 14 years of age. He isn't alone. More than 80 percent of adults who now smoke started smoking by age 18, and 35 percent were daily smokers by that age, according to the ACS.

Now down to less than half a pack a day, Riggs said it wasn't uncommon for him to smoke a pack and a half a day during the first 20 years.

He thinks that the clinic will help him quit.

"I attempted to stop cold turkey back in June — that lasted six weeks," he said. "But without having actual material to read or a support group or anything to turn to, stress led me to light another cigarette."

The stress of loneliness may have been the reason LuAnne Fantasia



started smoking right after high school, she said. After quitting for eight years, she said the same reason may be responsible for her starting again when she moved to a new town and a new job.

"Smoking has been a companion. I picked a lousy companion," she said. "I should have started running or swimming, but quite frankly, smoking is a lot more private."

People start smoking and continue smoking for different reasons, Ruffing said. One self-test used during the clinic gives each smoker some insight into why he or she uses tobacco.

Smokers, along with those who use smokeless tobacco, can be divided into two major groups, she said. Group 1 people use tobacco for stimulation and relaxation, while Group 2 people use tobacco for tension, cravings and as a habit.

Different methods, along with a different pharmacological aid such as nicotine gum, patches, inhalers or non-nicotine pills are suggested, depending on which group a person is in, Ruffing said.

"I give them tools to use every day," she said. "I give them all the information for the patches. Research shows that the patches are one of the most successful ... aids they can use and combined with a support group, it increases their chances of quitting to 50 percent."

During the clinic, participants will delve into why they smoke and what reasons do they have to stop.

"It's a dumb decision to smoke and I'm bored with it," Fantasia said. Constant congestion and sore throats since she arrived on Kwajalein are prompting her to sign up for the clinic and quit.

"I never really worried about the medical or physical aspects of smoking," she said. "That doesn't mean I disregard what they say ... I quit when I was pregnant because I had two little people to think about. I might feel a bit

Focus groups: listen, talk, learn

The ads for two discussion groups — one men and one women — to meet each month, were met with a resounding "Huh?" from the community, said Marion Ruffing, psychologist.

It's a chance to sit down with people of the same gender and monthly hash out a topic and find out more about you, she explained.

Topics will be selected by Ruffing or picked by participants for the next group session.

The first topic for the group Just for Women is "Am I an Enabler." The group is scheduled to meet Thursday, Nov. 14, 6 to 7 p.m. in the Religious Education Building.

The group Just for Men's topic is "When Differences Occur in Relationships (Personal and Professional)." The men's group will meet in the REB on Nov. 21 from 6 to 7 p.m.

Anyone interested in the group meetings needs to call Ruffing, 55362, who will act as facilitator at each meeting.

— KW Hillis

better if I quit; something out here is not agreeing with me."

The nicotine gum and exercise worked the last time she quit.

"I liked having something to chew. [The gum] is peppery ... it's sort of a replacement," she said. "I replaced smoking with cycling ... I decided to do the Multiple Sclerosis 150, from San Antonio to Corpus Christi, a two-day bike ride."

This time she plans to replace the smoking with the 10,000 Stepper Group, which Ruffing is also offering.

How to take the control away from the addiction is the thing she most wants to teach the clinic participants, Ruffing said.

"Because when they say 'I can't smoke,' then the cigarette is in charge," she said. "I have to get their brain to say; 'I choose not to smoke,' then they are in charge."

For information or to sign up for the clinic, call Ruffing, 55362.

Firefighters remember Romero as driver and friend ...

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his knowledge of the vehicles.

Bledsoe recounted Wednesday memories of Romero around the fire house. Photo collages hanging around the dayroom feature Romero in various training exercises and social settings.

Bledsoe said the isolation associated with Kwajalein and the overnight shift work binds firefighters together.

"We are like a family out here, brothers and sisters," Bledsoe said.

Also hanging in the dayroom, stuck to the refrigerators with magnets are letters from local school kids, expressing their condolences as only grade-schoolers can — crayola drawings and simple messages like, "I'm sorry your friend died."

Leverett said, after a while, they'll be collected and sent to Romero's mother.



Miguel Romero sits on the side of a sailboat in this photo from friend and fellow firefighter, Lt. Pat Bledsoe. Romero died from an accidental fall from his third-floor room Aug. 23.

(Photo courtesy of Lt. Pat Bledsoe)

New library to offer additional space and features ...

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"It will be opened up quite a bit," he said.

The library will have a new office space built in the area where McCarragher's office is now, said Gerry Geronimo, structures superintendent.

"We are planning to have this done by Dec. 31," Bradshaw said.

The library reopens today in its temporary location in CAC room 7. Their hours are: Monday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Tuesday, closed; Wednesday, 10 to 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 to 8 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 1:30 to 8 p.m.; and Saturday, 1:30 to 7 p.m.

"We've been thinking for a while that we could do better with the hours," Wanslow explained, saying that this temporary move was a good time to try them out. When they move back to their permanent spot, they can decide whether to keep them or not, she said.

The Monday, Wednesday and Saturday hours now correspond to retail opening hours, she said, and also the library now offers some morning and lunch times for patrons. Thursday and Friday's afternoon opening time at 1:30 p.m. also corresponds to the retail afternoon opening, she said.

The temporary library will have the same services as the current library, including public use computers, copy machine and the fax machine.

Going with them to the temporary

library are current magazines and newspapers, best-selling adult fiction and nonfiction, the paperback exchange, travel books, videos and selected children's and young people's books.

The librarians even remembered to pack up some holiday books and cookbooks and some copies of "Kwaj Remembered." Extra copies of the *Hourglass* will be delivered to the CAC location.

Library patrons need have no fear: "People will have plenty to read," Wanslow said.

Because the temporary location won't have a slot in the door for returns, people can return checked-out items at the CRC office if the library is closed, Wanslow said, adding, "We will check the office every day."

As for the new, improved library, "We're looking for a grand opening the first of February," Wanslow said.

How will the new library be different from the one residents have used for years?

"It comes down to cleanliness and space," Wanslow said. "One of our main jobs [up until now] has been making more room for things."

The library will have an enlarged, brand new computer area, she said, with three new public computers and printers. There will be a separate children's area with room for their videos, and space for more tables and chairs, "which we have really needed,"

Wanslow said. Listening to the gasps of the failing air conditioner unit, she added, "and central air."

Assistant Librarian Susannah Jones said she is looking forward to "more space for everything," and, "A new, fresh carpet, having it freshened up, a facelift for everything."

Meanwhile, while work continues on the library, the downstairs bathroom and lobby area are also undergoing renovation.

As with the earlier phases of the project, radio listeners can continue to expect some noise on the air. Rich Feagler, AFN-Kwajalein operations manager, said during the construction noise he usually doesn't open the microphone as much, or "I'll make it part of the show," he said.

"I try to make it humorous when I'm on the radio," Feagler said.

The downstairs bathrooms will have raised, tile floors, Geronimo said. New walls will allow pipes to be inside the walls, and big double doors will enclose the lobby area, allowing the lobby and bathrooms to be air-conditioned.

"With the controlled environment there's less maintenance," Geronimo said.

The lobby and bathrooms should be finished by the first part of December, he said.

Said Bradshaw of the renovated facility, "It will be a really nice place. It's going to be a nice change."

Halloween HIJINKS



Superman, better known as D.J. deBrum, above, keeps his eyes open for a treat.



Above, puppy Matthew Fowler lines up with the pre-schoolers for the costume parade. Brian Mack, as Franklin the Turtle, right, strays out of line to peek around the corner.



Right, princess Aubrey Sanborn prepares to lead Nicole Wauchope and other third- to sixth-graders on stage for the costume parade.

Thomas Vining, as Link, below, hopscoches for a carnival prize. Each child took home prizes and decorated cookies during the four-hour carnival.

Babies through sixth-graders played games, made arts and crafts projects and showed off their costumes during the Halloween Costume Carnival at the CRC Gym Monday afternoon.

Below, Master of Ceremonies and clown Amy Hansen, from Community Activities, interviews Christopher Sanborn in his costume.



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Tonight

Channel 9

- 5:00 Jeopardy
- 5:30 Headline News/Pacific Report
- 6:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 6:30 The Cosby Show
- 7:00 Friends
- 7:30 Everybody Loves Raymond
- 8:00 **Window on the Atoll**
- 8:10 Stephen King's "Rose Red" (part three)
- 10:00 ESPNews
- 10:30 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno
- 11:30 The Late Show with David Letterman

Channel 13

- 5:00 Larry King Live
- 6:00 The News with Brian Williams
- 7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
- 8:00 Nightline
- 8:30 Nightline Up Close
- 9:00 Headline News
- 9:30 Access Hollywood
- 10:00 Headline News
- 10:30 Nightly Business Report
- 11:00 Primetime Thursday

Saturday, Nov. 2

Channel 9

- 12:30 ESPNews
- 1:00 **Movie: "Edward Scissorhands" (PG)**
An eccentric inventor assembles a synthetic boy. (Johnny Depp)
- 2:50 **Movie: "Rising Sun" (PG)** A police detective investigates a murder that took place in a Japanese corporate office. (Sean Connery, Wesley Snipes)
- 5:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 6:00 Good Morning America
- 8:00 The Today Show
- 10:00 Sesame Street
- 11:00 Oprah Winfrey
- 12n **Window on the Atoll/Bulletin Board**
- 12:30 Judge Judy
- 1:00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer
- 2:00 Hannity and Colmes
- 3:00 Doug
- 3:30 Rocket Power
- 4:00 Even Stevens
- 4:30 Bewitched
- 5:00 Jeopardy!
- 5:30 Headline News/Pacific Report
- 6:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 6:30 The Cosby Show
- 7:00 King of the Hill
- 7:30 That 70's Show
- 8:00 Survivor V: Thailand
- 9:00 24
- 10:00 ESPNews
- 10:30 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno
- 11:30 The Late Show with David Letterman

Channel 13

- 12m Good Morning America
- 2:00 Headline News
- 2:30 Morning Business Report
- 3:00 CBS Early Show
- 5:00 PGA: The Tour Championship (2nd round)
- 10:00 Primetime Thursday
- 11:00 Headline News
- 11:30 NBC Nightly News
- 12n ABC World News Tonight
- 12:30 CBS Evening News
- 1:00 NBA: Knicks/76ers
- 3:30 News Night with Aaron Brown

- 4:00 Connie Chung Tonight
- 4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
- 5:00 Larry King Live
- 6:00 The News with Brian Williams
- 7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
- 8:00 Nightline
- 8:30 Nightline Up Close
- 9:00 Inside the NFL
- 10:00 Dateline Friday
- 11:00 Headline News
- 11:30 Nightly Business Report

Sunday, Nov. 3

Channel 9

- 12:30 ESPNews
- 1:00 **Movie: "Selena" (PG)** Story of the Mexican-American singer who rises to the top. (Jennifer Lopez)
- 3:50 **Movie: "Blame It on the Bellboy" (PG)**
Three men in a hotel are each given the wrong message by a bumbling bellboy.
- 5:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 6:00 Iron Chef
- 7:00 Charmed
- 8:00 The View
- 9:00 Star Trek
- 10:00 Battlebots
- 10:30 Battlebots
- 11:00 Hometown
- 11:30 Good Eats
- 12:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 12:30 Navy/Marine Corps News
- 1:00 Gilmore Girls
- 2:00 WWE Smackdown
- 3:00 Austin City Limits
- 4:00 100 Centre Street
- 5:00 **Movie: "Road Warrior" (PG)** A nomad wanders the Australian Outback in a post-apocalyptic world. (Mel Gibson)
- 6:30 **Bulletin Board**
- 7:00 One On One
- 7:30 Yes, Dear
- 8:00 The X-Files
- 9:00 Law and Order: Special Victims Unit
- 10:00 **Window on the Atoll/Bulletin Board**
- 10:30 Saturday Night Live

Channel 13

- 12:00 Dateline Friday
- 1:00 Fox News
- 2:00 Saturday Today
- 4:00 Wall Street Journal
- 4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
- 5:00 NCAA Football: Michigan/Michigan St.
- 8:00 Headline News
- 8:30 NCAA Football: Minnesota/Ohio St.
- 12n College Gameday
- 12:45 NCAA Football: Georgia/Florida
- 4:00 Dateline International
- 5:00 Judith Regan Tonight
- 6:00 Larry King Weekend
- 7:00 Sportscenter
- 8:00 PGA: The Tour Championship (3rd round)
- 10:30 War Stories with Oliver North
- 11:00 Fox News

**Window on
the Atoll:
Costume
Carnival**

Monday, Nov. 4

Channel 9

- 12m Showtime at the Apollo
- 1:00 Tennis: Paris Masters
- 2:30 ESPNews
- 3:00 NBA 2Night
- 3:30 NHL 2 Night
- 4:00 Sportscenter
- 5:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 5:30 Hour of Power
- 6:00 Celebration of Victory
- 6:30 Coral Ridge Hour
- 7:00 Wishbone
- 7:30 Little Bill
- 8:00 Dora, The Explorer
- 8:30 Mary Kate and Ashley in Action
- 9:00 Chalk Zone
- 9:30 Pokemon
- 10:00 **Family Movie: "Cadet Kelly" (PG)**
- 12n **Bulletin Board**
- 12:30 Fox News
- 1:00 The Osbournes
- 1:30 The Osbournes
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- 3:00 The Osbournes
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- 4:00 The Osbournes
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- 5:00 The Osbournes
- 5:30 The Osbournes
- 6:00 Fox News
- 6:30 **Window on the Atoll/Bulletin Board**
- 7:00 Smallville
- 8:00 **Movie: "Antz" (PG)** A misfit worker ant sets forth to find Insectopia. (Woody Allen)
- 10:00 Headline News
- 10:30 Seinfeld
- 11:00 PGA: The Tour Championship (final)

Channel 13

- 12m Fox News
- 2:00 CBS News Sunday
- 3:30 Face the Nation
- 4:00 Headline News
- 4:30 Navy/Marine Corps News
- 5:00 NFL Today
- 6:00 NFL: Steelers/Browns
- 9:00 NFL: Jets/Chargers
- 12n Sportscenter
- 12:30 NFL Primetime
- 1:30 NFL: Jaguars/Giants
- 4:30 Sportscenter
- 6:00 NFL Primetime
- 7:00 This Week
- 8:00 **Window in Review**
- 8:30 Fox News
- 9:00 Bulls and Bears
- 9:30 Headline News
- 10:00 Dateline Sunday
- 11:00 Access Hollywood

Tuesday, Nov. 5

Channel 9

- 12:00 Golf (continued)
- 2:00 NHL: Stars/Red Wings
- 4:00 Sportscenter
- 5:00 **Bulletin Board**
- 6:00 Good Morning America
- 8:00 Sesame Street
- 9:00 The Today Show
- 11:00 Oprah Winfrey
- 12n **Bulletin Board**
- 1:00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer
- 2:00 Hannity and Colmes

3:00 Zoboomafo
3:30 SpongeBob SquarePants
4:00 Horrible Histories
4:30 Brothers Garcia
5:00 Jeopardy
5:30 Headline News/Pacific Report
6:00 **Window on the Atoll/Bulletin Board**
6:30 The Cosby Show
7:00 60 Minutes
8:00 JAG
9:00 The Practice
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12n ABC World News Tonight
12:30 CART: The 500
3:00 Bowling: Greater San Diego Open
4:00 Connie Chung Tonight
4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
5:00 Larry King Live
6:00 The News with Brian Williams
7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
8:00 Nightline
8:30 Nightline Up Close
9:00 Pardon the Interruption
9:30 NFL: Dolphins/Packers

Wednesday, Nov. 6

Channel 9

12:00 The Late Show with David Letterman
12:30 ESPNews
1:00 *Movie: "My Girl" (PG)* A lonely 11-year-old girl feels responsible for her mother's death, and her only friend is a local boy. (Macaulay Culkin, Anna Chlumsky)
2:45 *Movie: "King Kong" (PG)* Remake of the 1933 classic.
5:00 **Bulletin Board**
6:00 Good Morning America
8:00 Sesame Street
9:00 The Today Show
11:00 Oprah Winfrey
12n **Bulletin Board**
12:30 Judge Judy
1:00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer
2:00 Hannity and Colmes
3:00 Disney's Mighty Ducks
3:30 As Told By Ginger
4:00 All That
4:30 Taina
5:00 Jeopardy!
5:30 Headline News
6:00 **Bulletin Board**
6:30 The Cosby Show
7:00 *Movie: "Homicide: The Movie" (PG)* Members of the Baltimore Police homicide squad are brought together when their boss is gunned down.
9:30 Ebert and Roeper
10:00 ESPNews
10:30 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno
11:30 The Late Show with David Letterman

Channel 13

12m Football (continued)
12:30 Good Morning America
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2:30 Morning Business Report
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5:00 Fox News
9:00 Access Hollywood
9:30 Army or Air Force News
10:00 48 Hours
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4:00 Connie Chung Tonight
4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
5:00 Larry King Live
6:00 The News with Brian Williams
7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
8:00 Nightline
8:30 Nightline Up Close
9:00 NHL: TBA

Thursday, Nov. 7

Channel 9

12:00 The Late Show with David Letterman
12:30 ESPNews
1:00 *Movie: "Confessions of an Ugly Stepsister" (PG)* Revisionist telling of the Cinderella story.
2:40 *Movie: "Shane" (PG)* A Wyoming range war is the backdrop of this story of a drifter and the family who takes him in. (Alan Ladd, Van Heflin)
5:00 **Bulletin Board**
6:00 Good Morning America
8:00 Sesame Street
9:00 Today
11:00 Oprah Winfrey
12n **Bulletin Board**
1:00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer
2:00 Hannity and Colmes
3:00 Hey! Arnold
3:30 Disney's Recess
4:00 Croc Files
4:30 Standard Deviants
5:00 Jeopardy!
5:30 Headline News/Pacific Report
6:00 **Bulletin Board**
6:30 The Cosby Show
7:00 Sabrina the Teenage Witch
7:30 The Parkers
8:00 Buffy the Vampire Slayer
9:00 Boston Public
10:00 ESPNews
10:30 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno
11:30 The Late Show with David Letterman

Channel 13

12m Good Morning America
2:00 Headline News
2:30 Morning Business Report
3:00 Early Show
5:00 Friday Night Fights
7:00 ESPNews
9:00 Access Hollywood
9:30 Headline News
10:00 Dateline Tuesday
11:00 Headline News
11:30 NBC Nightly News
12n NBA: Kings/Knicks
2:30 **Bulletin Board**
3:00 News Night with Aaron Brown
4:00 Connie Chung Tonight
4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
5:00 Larry King Live
6:00 The News with Brian Williams
7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
8:00 Nightline
8:30 Nightline Up Close
9:00 Headline News
9:30 Access Hollywood
10:00 60 Minutes II
11:00 Headline News
11:30 Nightly Business Report

Friday, Nov. 8

Channel 9

12:30 ESPNews
1:00 *Movie: "The Thomas Crown Affair" (PG)* When a priceless Monet is stolen from a New York art gallery, the police wonder which art thief stole it.
3:00 *Movie: "Murphy's Romance" (PG)*
5:00 **Bulletin Board**
6:00 Good Morning America
8:00 Sesame Street
9:00 Today
11:00 Oprah Winfrey
12n **Bulletin Board**
12:30 Judge Judy
1:00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer
2:00 Hannity and Colmes
3:00 Rugrats
3:30 Happily Ever After
4:00 Yu-Gi-Go!
4:30 The Mummy
5:00 Jeopardy
5:30 Headline News/Pacific Report
6:00 **Bulletin Board/Window on the Atoll**
6:30 The Cosby Show
7:00 36th Annual CMA Awards
10:00 ESPNews
10:30 The Tonight Show with Jay Leno
11:30 The Late Show with David Letterman

Channel 13

12m Good Morning America
2:00 Headline News
2:30 Morning Business Report
3:00 The Early Show
5:00 Fox News
7:00 NBA: Nets/Bucks
9:00 Access Hollywood
9:30 Navy/Marine Corps News
10:00 60 Minutes II
11:00 Headline News
11:30 NBC Nightly News
12n ABC World News Tonight
12:30 NBA: Lakers/Celtics
3:00 News Night with Aaron Brown
4:00 Connie Chung Tonight
4:30 Lou Dobbs Moneyline
5:00 Larry King Live
6:00 The News with Brian Williams
7:00 The O'Reilly Factor
8:00 Nightline
8:30 Nightline Up Close
9:00 Headline News
9:30 Access Hollywood
10:00 Headline News
10:30 Nightly Business Report
11:00 Primetime Thursday

certain AFRTS sporting events are not available on Kwajalein's DTS network.

Kwaj Open to tee off

By Jim Bennett
Editor

This year's 32nd Annual Kwaj Open is wide open as perennial local favorites Rudy Gil Sr. and Debbie Thomas are out of the hunt, and the competition promises to be fierce in what amounts to Kwajalein's biggest golf event of the year.

"It really is the big tournament," said Bob Nast, Kwajalein Golf Association vice president and lead organizer for the tournament.

Thomas won the women's low gross last year, while Russell Beniamina claimed the men's low gross. Yvonne Duarte earned the "Sam Garland Trophy," with a low net score of 118 on the tournament.

But Gil, who PCSed, and Thomas, who won't be able to play, aren't the only ones missing this year. In fact, with about 100 golfers expected, participation has dropped by around 40 golfers over the past two years, Nast said.

The only other big change will be the final weekend, when players are paired up for final rounds against those who have played similarly in their flight. So the number one and two golfers from each flight might play together, for example, Nast said.

Golf pro Mark Knowles will return after a stint two years ago as tournament master of ceremonies. Knowles will also give half-hour lessons to anyone who signs up — one need not be a golfer in the tournament — but space is limited. For more information on lessons, call Donna Howell at 52459.

Golfers are currently completing the club championship this weekend (see related story below) before teeing off for the first round of the Open Nov. 10. The tourney runs

Kwaj Open schedule of events

	Saturday, Nov. 9
6:30 p.m.	Tee Off Social (Gilligan's)
	Sunday, Nov. 10
7 a.m.	First Round A.M. Session
11:30 p.m.	First Round P.M. Session
	Monday, Nov. 11
7 a.m.	First Round A.M. Session
11:30 p.m.	First Round P.M. Session (If Necessary)
1:30-3:30 p.m.	Short Game Clinic – Max. 12 participants
3:30 p.m.	One Club "Skins" Tourney
	Tuesday, Nov. 12
8-11:00 a.m.	Open Lesson every half hour
3:00 p.m.	Men's Horse Race
	Wednesday, Nov. 13
4:30 p.m.	Mixed Horse Race
	Thursday, Nov. 14
4:30 p.m.	Long Drive, Chipping and Putting Contest
6:30 p.m.	Haole cook-out following events
	Friday, Nov. 15
8-11:00 a.m.	Open Lessons every half hour
	Saturday, Nov. 16
4:30 p.m.	Match play putting contest
	Sunday, Nov. 17
7 a.m.	Second Round A.M. Session
11:30 p.m.	Second Round P.M. Session
	Monday, Nov. 18
7 a.m.	Second Round A.M. Session
11:30 p.m.	Second Round P.M. Session (If Necessary)
1:30-3:30 p.m.	Short Game Clinic – Max. 12 participants
7 p.m.	Awards Banquet at Yuk Club

through the 11th and Nov. 17-18, with other special events throughout the week in between (See schedule above right).

Soccer Schedule

Saturday

5:30 p.m. Spartan II Girls/Sudden Rush
6:45 p.m. ... Spartans I Girls/Play On

Monday

5:30 p.m. Spartan II Boys/Calvary Boys
6:45 p.m. ... QOP Boys/Jabro Boys

Tuesday

4:15 p.m. ... Spartans III Wt./Spartans III Red
5:30 p.m. Jabro Girls/Calvary Ladies
6:45 p.m. ... Spartans I Boys/Locals
8:00 p.m. ... Kobeer/Abyss Kwajalein

Wednesday

5:30 p.m. ... Calvary Boys/QOP Boys
6:45 p.m. ... Jabro Boys/Spartans III Boys

Thursday

5:30 p.m. ... Sudden Rush/Spartans I Girls
6:45 p.m. ... Play On/Spartans II Girls

Friday

4:15 p.m. ... Spartans III Red/Jabro Girls
5:30 p.m. Calvary Ladies/Spartans III Wt.
6:45 p.m. ... Spartans I Boys/Kobeer
8:00 p.m. ... Abyss Kwajalein/Locals

Note: Home Team listed first. Home team may choose side or possession, or defer possession to second half.

KGA championship enters final rounds

By Jim Bennett
Editor

It started with 40 golfers. Now, four men and four women remain in each of the Kwajalein Golf Association Championship categories, with semi-final and finals play set for this weekend.

In Women's Scratch category — scratch denotes that no handicap strokes are given — Linda Schuett edged out Pam Frase on the 18th hole Monday to advance to the semi-final round Sunday, when she'll face Sophia Gordon in match play. Amanda Reed and Selentina Beniamina round out the foursome playing for the title.

For the Men's Scratch group, Russell Beniamina faced the close quarter final Monday, beating Bob Kunz on the 18th hole. Beniamina will face top seed Andy Frase Sunday. The winner will play either Alex McCalmont and Bob Nast.

In Women's Handicap action, Kim Parker gave up 20 strokes, but tied after 15 holes, prevailed over Suzy

Chrivia Monday to advance. She'll face Cindy Ehart, who used her 50-handicap to advantage and took Brenda Graham, a 36-handicap, in 14 holes Monday. Parker holds a 34-handicap.

In the other semi-final, Donna Howell advanced Monday over Yvonne Duarte, giving her the nod to face Gloria Cassidy who beat Nancy Grant. Cassidy brings a 48-handicap to the match, while Howell holds a 31.

On the Men's Handicap, George Raymond knocked off Jeff Wase on the 17th hole Monday to put himself in a semi-final with Brian Brady, who defeated Mike Johnson on the 18th Monday. Both Raymond and Brady hold 18-handicaps, making Sunday's bout an even match-up.

Meanwhile, Gerry Wolf won on the 18th Monday against Lewis Smith, and John Irwin beat Steve Howell on the 17th hole, setting up the semi-final round Sunday between Wolf, an 18-handicap, and Irwin, a 24-handicap.

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**CAFÉ
PACIFIC**



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Cuisine**

Lunch

Sat	Pork roast and dressing Southern-style meat loaf Grill: French dip au jus
Sun	Carved ham Crispy-fried chicken Grill: To order items
Mon	Chicken breast Florentine Italian lasagna Grill: Onion Caesar burger & brunch items
Tues	Cantonese pineapple pork Chicken wing bar Grill: Cajun chicken breast sandwich
Wed	Penne with Italian sausage casserole Chicken-fried steak Grill: French dip au jus
Thur	Crispy-fried chicken Beef Stroganoff with noodles Grill: Sloppy Joe sandwich
Fri	Fish and chips Salisbury steak/mushroom gravy Grill: Barbecued pork sandwich

Dinner

Tonight	Chicken a la king Fish and chips
Sat	Veal Parmesan Basil chicken
Sun	Fajitas to order Cajun honey roast pork loin
Mon	Pan-blackened red fish Teriyaki cashew beef
Tues	Beef and vegetable lo mein Taco and burrito bar
Wed	Cod au gratin Chicken cacciatore Pizza bar
Thur	Stir-fry to order Beef ravioli with Alfredo sauce
Fri	Cornish hen forestiere Broiled flank steak

HELP WANTED

The following on-island positions are open with Raytheon. For more information or to submit a resumé or application, call HR employment, Alan Taylor, 54916, unless otherwise noted.

SENIOR ACCOUNTING CLERK, Finance. All duties related to RSE corporate accounting, including account reconciliations, monthly data analysis, preparing data for journal entries and other duties as assigned. Requires three years related experience, accounting degree and computer literate.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS, Elementary and high schools. Casual. Teaching certificate preferred, but not required. A criminal history background check is required.

DENTAL ASSISTANT, Dental Clinic. Casual. Criminal history background check required.

Raytheon off-island positions are updated weekly in the Career Opportunities Book at the HR counter, Bldg. 700.

Boeing has the following job vacancy:

Repair and maintain office, facilities and employee housing equipment; operate site equipment as needed; perform painting, carpentry, electrical, mechanical, HVAC, plumbing, plastic and sheet metal fabrication and other associated work using hand and power tools as directed; troubleshoot and repair equipment and facilities; ensure compliance with and adherence to applicable codes and regulations; provide logistical support to Boeing operations for RTS; interface with company organizations, subcontractors and customers to meet company business requirements. Requires ability to obtain interim and final security clearance, valid U.S. driver's license and basic computer skills. Prefer detailed knowledge of Kwajalein operations and site infrastructure, two years' technical education and three to five years experience with skills appropriate to the assignment. Apply at <http://jobssearch.boeing.newjobs.com>.

WANTED

GOLF UMBRELLA and MP3 player. Call Trace, 50791 or 50931.

TO BUY: Airline pet carrier for medium-size dog. Call 52441.

LOST

SILVER WATCH Oct. 27. Call Mike, 51445.

MEN'S EXTRA-large Hobie wetsuit, black and purple.

Call 55506W or 52417H.

GIRLS' wire-frame glasses. Call 50225.

FOR SALE

PCS SALE. Computer: HP Pavilion, AMD Athlon XP processor, 1.67 Ghz, 512 MB DDR SDRAM memory, 80 GB ultra DMA hard drive, GeForce graphics, CD-writer (CD-RW), DVD-ROM, Polk stereo speakers, bundled software, 15" flat screen monitor, only six months old, paid \$1,500, will sell for \$1,150. Call 54107 or 54451 and leave a message.

PLANTS and POTS, cheap; orchids. Call 53715, after 5 p.m. See at Qtrs. 476-A.

SEWING MACHINE, portable, zigzag and 20 decorative patterns, \$175; telescope: TOWA astronomical, 41-450 power, 60mm, equatorial mount, three eyepieces and accessories, hardwood tripod, \$175; cuckoo clock, two melodies, \$50; German crystal decanter, blue, and five colored hock glasses, \$100; aluminum carrying case, Manon, 14" x 18" x 6", \$40; capiz shell lamp, four tier, new, \$20. Call 53640, 4:30-8 p.m.

BEAUTYREST queen pillowtop mattress, box spring and metal frame, \$300; two Kwaj-condition ladies' Huffy bikes, \$25 each. Call 53711.

26' COLUMBIA sailboat with 15 hp motor, great weekender, sleeps four to five, many extras, boat lot #34 with house (ramp boat house #202 negotiable), \$17,000. Call 53276.

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, \$90; changing table, \$15; electric mini Medela breast pump, used once, \$40; cordless telephone, \$25; four window shades, linen-color fabric, 36", and two white blinds, 32", \$5 each. Call 52526.

INFLATABLE BOAT: 1996 12.5 foot Avon with 18 hp motor, includes all accessories, fast and stable, great dinghy or just getting around the lagoon. Call Lisa, 53663.

PCS SALE. GE microwave, white, excellent condition, \$60; cherry executive desk with inlay, \$275; matching cherry file cabinet, \$75; Little Tykes double-burley/jog stroller, no rust, \$225; fleur de lis gold/evergreen lemon tree large hanging tapestry with brass rod, \$100; new twin overstuffed pillowtop luxury mattress and box spring, \$200. Call 53227.

PCS SALE. Ladies' scuba gear: ScubaPro regulator with console gauges/computer, Air II BCD, fins, booties, gear bag, mini-light, Diveskin and accesso-

Effective today, Kwajalein Hospital will no longer hold a sick call. Sick call will be replaced by appointments. Every attempt will be made to schedule appointments as soon as possible based on availability and severity of illness. An appointment may be available on the same day in many cases. Due to varying patient loads, patient care needs and waiting times to see a physician, it has been determined that scheduling patients would be a better way to serve the community. True medical emergencies should continue to present to the hospital at any time.

To make an appointment, call 52224 or 52223, or e-mail the hospital appointment desk on the RSE network or at hap@kls.usaka.smdc.army.mil. Stop by the hospital between 7 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to make an appointment at the clinic registration desk.

Treatment for all employees with minor illnesses/injuries that fall under the guidelines for First Stop will continue from 6:30-11 a.m., Tuesday-Saturday. A note from a supervisor is required from 7:30-11 a.m.

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Hey, it's dark!

And due to darkness, Small Boat Marina will open earlier on weekdays and close at 6 p.m. from Nov. 1 to Feb. 28.

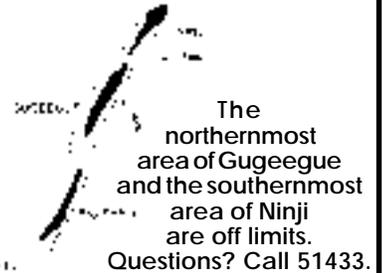
Weekend rental slots will be 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1-5:30 p.m.

Weekday slots will be 9 a.m.-1:15 p.m. and 1:30-5:30 p.m.



EOD Caution

EOD personnel will conduct explosive ordnance disposal operations on Gugeegue Island Nov. 6-9.



ries, all for \$350; three large area carpets, \$15-\$25; plastic bathroom shelf stands over toilet, \$10; dumbbell weights, \$3 each. Call Steve, 54184H or 53331W.

COMPUTER DESK, \$50; king bedspread, \$50; *Braveheart* DVD, new, \$20; Jumpstart preschool computer game, new, \$20. Call 54630.

FANCY VICTORIAN dollhouse kit, would make great Christmas present or father/daughter project, paid \$200, make me an offer. Call 52344.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

BARGAIN BAZAAR hours are: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-3 p.m.; Wednesday, 5-7 p.m. Donations are picked up Mondays. Call 53686.

KWAJALEIN SCUBA Club executive meeting is Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., in CRC room 5.

MOTHERS of PRESCHOOLERS meets Thursday, 8:45 a.m., in the REB. The discussion topic will be marriage. The craft will be making a memory matching game. Bring double prints of 10 photos of your child's favorite people/things. Child care provided. Questions? Call Beth, 52763. Sponsored by the Protestant Chapel.

USAKA and RSE Safety have received complaints from people who have been hit or narrowly missed being hit by lit cigarette butts tossed at them by a passerby. Remember that your actions affect others and littering is not allowed. Smokers are required to completely extinguish cigarette butts and dispose of them in a proper receptacle. Your cooperation is appreciated.

FIRST QUIT SMOKING Clinic begins Wednesday, 6-7 p.m., in the hospital conference room. Meetings are once a week for four weeks. For registration and information, call Marion, 55362.

ISLAND 10,000 Steppers Group begins Wednesday, 7-8 p.m., in the hospital conference room. Meetings are twice a month. For information and to register, call Marion, 55362.

COMMUNITY ADULT Education will be open from noon-4 p.m. Monday. Normal hours of 8 a.m.-noon will resume Tuesday.

ROI-NAMUR CHILI Cook-off is Sunday, Nov. 10, 11:30 a.m.-4 p.m. The catamaran has been reserved for Kwaj residents attending the cook-off. Kwaj departure

Don't Miss

The Cub Scout



Wreath Sale

*Monday, Nov. 4, at the Arts and Crafts Fair

*Monday, Nov. 11, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., on Macy's Porch

*Monday, Nov. 18, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., on Macy's Porch

Annual Security and Safety Awareness Day
Monday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.,
in CAC room 5.

- *Bike registration
- *Fingerprint and photo ID for small children
- *Protecting personal information and identity
- *OPSEC info and videos
- *Find the suspicious package

will be 8:30 a.m. Arrive early. Busses will transport attendees from Roi marina to the cook-off. The catamaran will depart Roi at 4:30 p.m. For chili judging tickets, call Mary, 56494, or Diana, 56726.

PTO READING ROUNDUP Book Fair will be Tuesday through Thursday. Classroom visits will be Tuesday, 9-11:30 a.m. and 12:30-3 p.m. and Wednesday, 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Community nights will be Wednesday and Thursday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at George Seitz Elementary School music room. Questions? Call Marie, 52034.

ATTENTION BOAT lot custodians: Are you PCSing? Don't leave island without correcting any deficiencies or completing transfer paperwork for your boat and lot. You will be charged for costs incurred to rectify deficiencies and to remove structures and boats. It is in your best interest to maintain close communication with Small Boat Marina to ensure requirements are met. Questions? Call Sadie, 53643.

KWAJALEIN FAMILY History Center is open Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m. To make an appointment, call 53140.

YOKWE YUK Women's Club is hosting a luncheon for Pam McMillen followed by a game of Bunko Wednesday, Nov. 6, 11:30 a.m., at Qtrs. 202. RSVP to 54691.

STUDENT MUSIC recital will be Nov. 15, 7 p.m., in the MP room. Piano teachers and students should contact Dick Shields at the high school for registration forms.

KWAJALEIN AMATEUR Radio Club meets the first Thursday of the month, 7 p.m., at the Ham Shack on Ocean Road next to the adult pool.

BOATING ORIENTATION course will be Wednesday and Thursday, 6-8 p.m., in CRC room 1. Register at the Small Boat Marina with a \$20 fee. Questions? Call 53643.

Classified ad deadlines
Tuesday issue: noon Friday
Friday issue: noon
Wednesday

Bike Packing is unsafe!



Per USAKA Reg. 190-5, bikers are not permitted to carry passengers on their bikes except an infant in an infant pouch or permanent seat. RSE Safety reminds USAKA residents that having an additional person on a bike is unsafe and unlawful.

Sunday Movie

Matinee

"SPIDERMAN"

Sunday, 3 p.m.,
at the Youth Center.

Movie is rated PG-13, and a permission slip (available at the Youth Center) is required for 13 and under. Kids older than 13 must show their K-badge as proof of age.

Questions? Call Erika, 53331.



**Marshallese Word
of the Day**

kiki - sleep

See you at the movies!

Wednesday

Ocean's Eleven (2001, PG-13, VHS)

A group of eleven thieves, played by an all-star cast, plan the ultimate Las Vegas heist. (George Clooney, Brad Pitt)
Adult Recreation Center, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday

The One (2001, PG-13, VHS)

A cop discovers that a copy of himself is traveling between parallel universes, killing his being in order to gain their power. (Jet Li, Carla Gugino)

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Zoolander (2001, R, VHS)

Ben Stiller plays a male model who becomes involved in international intrigue.
Roi-Namur, C Building, 7 p.m.

Sunday

The Emperors New Groove (2000, G, DVD)

A young, obnoxious emperor is turned into a llama and must befriend an unlikely ally to win back his throne. (Voices of David Spade and John Goodman)

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Lucky Break (2001, R, VHS)

A small-time crook in prison gets a chance to stage a prisoner musical, which could offer a means of escape. (From director Peter Cattaneo, "The Full Monty")

Roi-Namur, C Building, 7 p.m.

Monday

The One (2002, PG-13, VHS)

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 7:30 p.m.

**Kathleen LaGue
rocks Kwajalein**

By Jim Bennett
Editor

Kathleen LaGue and band jamming, grilled food, costumed ghouls and fools kibitzing — just another Halloween night on Kwajalein.

The biggest fright Thursday for Community Activities was the threat of rain, but showers passed just in time for the American Forces Entertainment-sponsored LaGue and her band to take the new mobile stage set up between the Pacific and Ocean Clubs.

The stage was purchased with Army Performance Improvement Criteria award money, providing the centerpiece for a new concert venue. The venue, with tents surrounding the stage and Sodexo food and beverage stations at the clubs, provided a party atmosphere for the hundreds of costumed and non-costumed party-goers, the majority who tricked in after dark and the showers had surely passed.

LaGue opened with a pop-rock set, playing covers of Macy Gray, Alanis Morissette, whose work LaGue's own sultry voice complimented, and others, along with her own single, "Drive," about "leaving a relationship you should have left long ago," LaGue said.

She featured guitarist Geoffrey Pearlman, who jumped in with lead vocals on Fleetwood Mac's "Go Your Own Way;" a two-song set of Tom Petty's "American Girl," and The Guess Who's "American Woman;" and The Rolling Stones' "Start Me Up."

It's been a long road for the Kansas girl who graduated from a midwestern college, moved to New York City to model and perform in television com-



(Photo by Jim Bennett)

Kathleen LaGue leans into her lyrics Thursday night during a Halloween concert on Kwajalein.

mercials while singing in a band to finally owning her own record label, Lioness Records, and selling her own music online.

Her Web site, www.kathleenlague.com, has recorded hundreds of thousands of hits, and she has passed on her singles through downloadable MP3 files.

The visit to Kwajalein caps a 6½-week tour of Asian bases including those on Okinawa, Korea, Japan and Guam.

"But Kwajalein is the most beautiful," she said. "This is the most beautiful stage I've ever stood on."

WEATHER
Courtesy of Aeromet

Tonight: Partly cloudy with isolated showers.

Winds: East-northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, gusts to 27 knots in showers.

Tomorrow: Partly sunny with isolated showers.

Winds: East-northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, gusts to 27 knots in showers.

Temperature: Tonight's low 80°
Tomorrow's high 88°

October rain total: 12.09"

Annual rain total: 94.82"

Annual deviation: 11.49"

Call 54700 for continuously updated forecasts and sea conditions.



Sun • Moon • Tides



	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Saturday November 2	0638/1827	0348/1620	0200, 5.0' 1440, 5.1'	0820, 0.8' 2040, 0.8'
Sunday November 3	0639/1827	0445/1708	0250, 5.3' 1510, 5.6'	0900, 0.5' 2120, 0.4'
Monday November 4	0639/1827	0541/1757 New Moon	0330, 5.5' 1550, 6.0'	0930, 0.2' 2200, 0.1'
Tuesday November 5	0639/1826	0640/1848	0410, 5.5' 1620, 6.2'	1010, 0.1' 2240, 0.0'