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(Volunteers help deliver supplies Monday during the Carlson Christmas Drop,  
which is sponsored by the Christian Women's Fellowship.)

(Photo by Mig Owens)

[www.smdc.army.mil/KWAJ/Hourglass/hourglass.html](http://www.smdc.army.mil/KWAJ/Hourglass/hourglass.html)

# Music makes sentimental memories

I don't know about you, but music transports me through time.

I can hear Paul Simon's "50 ways to leave your lover" and I'm back in New Hampshire. That song seemed to come on the radio every day as I drove home from work at Pease Air Force Base.

Or, if I happen to hear Marty Robbins telling the sad tale of Felina and the cowboy who loved her so in "El Paso," in an instant I'm back home on the ranch in Idaho, listening to one of my mom's favorite LPs.

Music has that effect on me; guess I'm a bit sentimental. So when COL Beverly Stipe initiates the bugle calls on Jan. 19, I know I'll be touched by them.



Not everyone likes to have their days start and end to the sound of a bugle call.

On Air Force Bases, retreat is played at the end of the duty day. If you happen to be out of doors when it begins, you should face the direction of the flag and salute, or if out of uniform, put your hand over your heart. It's sad but true that

many people wait inside of their buildings until after retreat has played as if it is too inconvenient to render honors to our flag and nation.

Once again, I guess I'm sentimental because I used to always head for the nearest exit, make sure I was in the clear and stand straight and tall with my salute strong and steady when retreat played.

I look forward to doing that here too. COL Stipe is planning on having reveille at 6:30 a.m. with the flag raising, call to mess at noon, to the colors and retreat at 5 p.m. with the flag lowering, lights out at 9 p.m. and Taps at 10 p.m.

Don't get me started on the emotions hearing Taps will surface. You don't want to see a grown editor cry.

## Yokwe Yuk Women's Club thanks community

To the entire Kwajalein community, Every member of the Yokwe Yuk Women's Club would like to express their deepest appreciation for the outpouring of incredible generosity given by our unique island community. In addition to the yearly support of the Micronesian Handicraft Shop and Bargain Bazaar, the YYWC events covered through the holiday season began with the First Annual Basket Auction then on to the Ebeye Christmas Exchange Dinner, the Annual Holiday Tour of Homes and the Outer Island Christmas Drop. From material and monetary gifts to the loving volunteer hands, we say a huge thanks to all who helped or participated in these benevolent endeavors.

December on Kwaj is an exhaustingly busy time for all, and to those who carved time from their hectic season, we say kommol tata.

The YYWC also participated in the Tree Lighting Ceremony, the Downtown Wine and Cheese event, Christmas in the Park and the American Legion Christmas Eve Dinner. It is truly amazing to see the results when "first we give!" The continued support of the Kwaj and Ebeye residents make our community a truly special place to live, work, volunteer and grow.

Wishing all a wonderful 2005!

The Members of the YYWC

### The Kwajalein Hourglass

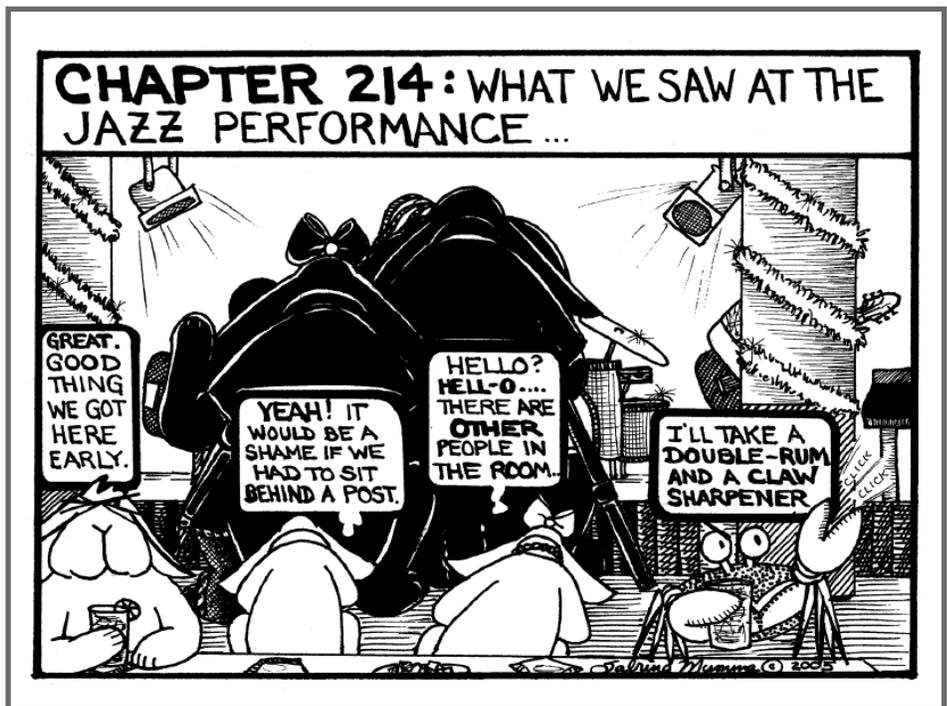
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## Buckminster and Friends \_\_\_\_\_ by Sabrina Mumma



# Simple steps prevent colds, flu

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Press Release

## How germs spread

Illnesses like the flu (influenza) and colds are caused by viruses that infect the nose, throat, and lungs. The flu and colds usually spread from person to person when an infected person coughs or sneezes.

## How to help stop the spread of germs

Take care to:

- Cover your mouth and nose when you sneeze or cough.
- Clean your hands often.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth.
- Stay home when you are sick and check with a health care provider when needed.
- Practice other good health habits.

Cover your mouth and nose when you sneeze or cough. Cough or sneeze into a

tissue and then throw it away. Cover your cough or sneeze if you do not have a tissue. Then, clean your hands and do so every time you cough or sneeze.

Clean your hands often. When available, wash your hands -- with soap and warm water -- then rub your hands vigorously together and scrub all surfaces. Wash for 15 to 20 seconds. It is the soap combined with the scrubbing action that helps dislodge and remove germs. When soap and water are not available, alcohol-based disposable hand wipes or gel sanitizers may be used. You can find them in most supermarkets and drugstores. If using a gel, rub the gel in your hands until they are dry. The gel doesn't need water to work; the

alcohol in the gel kills germs that cause colds and the flu.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth. Germs are often spread when a person touches something that is contaminated with germs and then touches their eyes, nose or mouth. Germs can live for a long time (some can live for two hours or more) on surfaces like doorknobs, desks and tables.



Handwashing is one of the most important steps in preventing the spread of cold and flu germs.

When you are sick or have flu symptoms, stay home, get plenty of rest and check with a health care provider as needed. Your employer may need a doctor's note for an excused absence. Remember: Keeping your distance from others may protect them from getting sick. Practice other good health habits.

Get plenty of sleep, be physically active, manage your stress, drink plenty of fluids,

and eat nutritious food. Practicing healthy habits will help you stay healthy during flu season and all year long.

## More facts, figures and how-to ideas

CDC and its partner agencies and organizations offer a great deal of information about handwashing

and other things you can do to stay healthy and avoid the germs that cause flu, the common cold and other illnesses. See Other Resources (<http://www.cdc.gov/germstopper/resources.htm>) and Posters

(<http://www.cdc.gov/germstopper/materials.htm>) on this Stop the Spread of Germs site for a select listing of Web sites, materials, and contact information.

## Common symptoms of the flu include:

- fever (unusually high)
- headache
- extreme tiredness
- cough
- sore throat
- runny or stuffy nose
- muscle aches
- nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea (much more common among children than adults).

# CARLSON

Christmas Drop

## Giving spirit extends beyond holidays

By Mig Owens  
Assistant Editor

For the 50 people who call Carlson their home, Monday was an extraordinary day. Despite rainy, windy conditions, two boats loaded with food, clothes and toys descended upon their shores for the Christian Women's Fellowship Christmas Drop. Carlson residents waded into the lagoon to help CWF volunteers unload the goods, most sealed in plastic containers, from the anchored boats. Children gathered to offer wide smiles and greetings.

"We were told we'd have help when we got there," Ron Clark, private boat captain, said. "It was

encouraging and comforting to see. Residents here understand the reef and water and helped at the docking period. It was good to have them there."

Clark said the disappointing weather was more than compensated for by the joy of bringing goods and sharing with Marshallese friends.

This year's drop included nine 29-gallon containers full of household goods, one for each



family, 18 20-pound bags of rice as well as clothing, toys, bedding, school supplies and sporting goods.

When asked her reaction to the gifts given the island by CWF, resident Kintha Michael said it was “very kind” explaining that they now would “enjoy clothes and shoes for fishing.”

Though Carlson residents were on the receiving end of the drop, they reciprocated by honoring the eleven guests with leis, wuts and song. A specially prepared meal was served, consisting of chicken, fish, rice, starch, biro (Marshallese cheese), pandanus (fruit), coconut juice, and a warm mixture of pumpkin and iu (a fruit pronounced “you”).

“Even though Christmas is past us, there is still the Christmas spirit,” Jorju Kemen, Carlson Island leader, said. “We are pleased to welcome you here.”

Kemen retired to Carlson after working on Kwajalein for 36 years in the warehouse merchandising area. Today, his son, Yoshi, is a member of the Kwajalein Police Department.

“This keeps our friendship and relationship and enhances that,” Noda Lojkar, USAKA ombudsman, said. “When they see people take time from their schedule it really encourages them – to come in contact directly.”

Lojkar said the island residents were happy and they were ready for the drop, adding that they “killed the chicken this morning and prepared pwiro, which is made from bread fruit.”

Jane DeJoie, chairperson of the missions committee for CWF, which organized the drop, said it was unfor-

tunate some of the group’s members couldn’t attend. DeJoie expressed that the drop left her feeling wonderful and that it was well worth the trip; the only regret was that not all 21 people who planned to attend were able.

“The weather did not live up to expectations,” she said. “But being here with the people exceeded any expectations I had. It was wonderful

to be with them and their warmth and generosity was evident.”

Before the boats departed, Kemen offered handicrafts as a way of saying “thank you for joining us.”

Kemen told the visitors, “You are welcome here anytime, please come again. There is no permission needed. I have just extended an open invitation to you. Come anytime.”



**Opposite page: Carlson children await gifts from CWF. Above: Island residents help gather goods brought by Kwajalein volunteers.**

*(Photos by Mig Owens)  
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# Around Town

**HEY KIDS...It's time for HUNK-TA-BUNK-TA!**  
 Music by Katherine Dines & the Hunk-Ta-Bunk-Ta Band!

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 Jan. 22, 7 p.m., at the MP room  
 Jan. 23, 2 p.m., at the MP room  
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**Jan. 29, 9 p.m., at the Yuk Club**  
**Jan. 30, 8 p.m., at Roi Outrigger**

## Local golfer achieves rare double eagle

Staff report

Local golfer Bob Allard achieved one of the rarest feats in golf by scoring a two on the No. 7 par five at Holmberg Fairways on Dec. 21. This constitutes a double eagle. Allard holed his second shot from 240 yards using a driver. This was only the second double eagle scored at Holmberg Fairways since 1996 according to Bob Butz, golf course superintendent.

## Island Memorial Chapel to host east coast musical/speaking team

Island Memorial Chapel invites you to meet Sarah Washington and Cole NeSmith, a dynamic speaking and musical duo from the east coast. We have an exciting week of activities planned.

- Saturday**.....Youth dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the REB. All Jr. /Sr. High Youth are invited to attend.
- Sunday**.....Grades six through eight are invited to Camp Hamilton, 4-7:30 p.m. Dinner is provided.
- Monday**.....Grades seven through eight are invited to a night of fellowship with Sarah and Cole at 7 p.m. at Qtrs. 213-B.
- Tuesday**.....Grades nine through 12 are invited to a night of fellowship with Sarah and Cole at 7 p.m. at Qtrs. 133-A.
- Jan. 19**.....All unaccompanied personnel are invited to a night of fellowship with Sarah and Cole at 7 p.m. at the BQ park behind the Yuk Club.
- Jan. 20**.....Enjoy an evening of praise and worship with Sarah and Cole at 7 p.m. at Island Memorial Chapel.  
 For more information, call the chapel office, 53505

# Thursday, January 13

Time	Channel 9 AFN Prime	Channel 13 AFN Sports	Channel 14 AFN News	Channel 17 Roller/Prime Sports	Channel 20 AFN Spectrum	Channel 23 AFN Movies	Channel 26 AFN Family	Channel 35 AFN Direct to Sailors	
12:00AM	The Late Show	College Basketball	FOX & Friends	Roller	Late Night with Conan O'Brien	Movie (Cont.)	Real Monsters	Lost <i>(Pilot)</i>	
12:30AM	Access Hollywood	<i>Louisville at Southern Mississippi</i>			Star Trek: Enterprise <i>Carpenter Street</i>	Movie: <:45>	Rocket Power	Pacific Report	
1:00AM	Headline News					<i>My Cousin Vinny</i>	Spongebob	Tonight Show	
1:30AM	The Late Late Show	SportsCenter	American Morning		C.S.I.		Rugrats	w/ Jay Leno	
2:00AM	Dennis Miller						The Proud Family	The Late Show	
3:00AM		College Gamenight	CNN Live Today		Jamie's Kitchen	Movie: <i>Exit Wounds</i>	Everwood	w/ David Letterman	
3:30AM	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	NBA Fastbreak						Access Hollywood	
4:00AM		SportsCenter			Friends		Sister, Sister	Headline News	
4:30AM	Entertainment Studios				Seinfeld	Movie: <:43>	Sister, Sister	The Late Late Show	
5:00AM	ESPNNews	NBA	FOX News Live		Breathing Space Yoga	<i>Cider House Rules</i>	Sesame Street	Dennis Miller	
5:30AM	Headline News	<i>L.A. Clippers at Seattle Supersonics</i>			Caribbean Workout			Barney & Friends	
6:00AM	Today		Dayside with Linda Vester		Body Shaping			Blues Clues	Countdown With Keith Olbermann
6:30AM					Tipical Mary Ellen				
7:00AM			FOX News Live			The View	The Entertainers	Dragon Tales	Entertainment Studios
7:30AM		NBA Fastbreak					Bob the Builder		
8:00AM	Blue's Clues	The Hot List	Studio B with Shepard Smith		Emeril Live	Behind the Scenes	The Wiggles	The Hot List	
8:30AM	Wheel of Fortune					E.T.	Dora, the Explorer	Headline News	
9:00AM	Dr. Phil	1st & 10	Your World with Neil Cavuto		Burt Wolf	Movie: <i>Picnic</i>	Stanley	Good Morning America	
9:30AM	Oprah Winfrey	NFL Live			Food 911		Sagwa		
10:00AM	<:9:46>	Around the Horn	Lester Holt Live		Sensible Chic		Arthur		
10:30AM	Guiding Lt. <:10:35>	PTI			Fashion File	Movie: <:50>	Reading Rainbow		
11:00AM	General Hospital	SportsCenter	Headline News		E! News Live	<i>The Edge</i>	Sagwa	The Amazing Race	
11:30AM	<:11:17>		NBC Nightly News		King of Queens			Stanley	
12:00PM	Bulletin Board	College Basketball	ABC World News	4 Quarters	That 70's Show		Dora the Explorer	Headline News	
12:30PM	Judge Judy	<i>Georgia Tech at North Carolina</i>	CBS Evening News		Girlfriends		The Wiggles	Wheel of Fortune	
1:00PM	Today		The Newshour with Jim Lehrer	College Basketball <i>Kansas at Iowa State</i>	Charmed	Movie: <i>Big Business</i>	Bob the Builder	Dr. Phil	
1:30PM					Ally McBeal		Dragon Tales		
2:00PM		NBA	Hannity & Colmes			Movie: <:53>	Blues Clues	Oprah Winfrey	
2:30PM		<i>Houston Rockets at Dallas Mavericks</i>		ESPNews	Any Day Now	<i>Pure Country</i>	Barney & Friends	NBC Nightly News	
3:00PM	Sylvester & Tweety		Headline News				Funniest Videos	Judge Judy	
3:30PM	Buzz Lightyear		Business Report				Full House		
4:00PM	Fairly Oddparents		Lou Dobbs Tonight	Headline News	Third Watch		Pokemon	Charmed	
4:30PM	Teenage Robot	SportsCenter		ESPNews			Yu-Gi-Oh!		
5:00PM	Jeopardy		Larry King Live	Headline News	Law & Order	Inside the Actors...	Disney's Doug	Ally McBeal	
5:30PM	Access Hollywood			Headline News		<i>Jeff Bridges</i>	Rocket Power		
6:00PM	Bulletin Board	NFL Total Access	Newsnight with Aaron Brown	Roller	The Simpsons	Coming Attractions	Fairly Oddparents	Any Day Now	
6:30PM	Pacific Report				Raymond	E.T.	Rugrats		
7:00PM	The Parkers	SportsCenter	BET Nightly News		The Amazing Race	Movie: <i>American Pie</i>	Even Stevens	Third Watch	
7:30PM	Arrested Development		Tavis Smiley				Kenan & Kel		
8:00PM	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition	College Basketball <i>Kansas at Iowa State</i>	Nightline		Andromeda	Movie: <:44>	Gilmore Girls	Jeopardy	
8:30PM			Navy/Marine Corps					Headline News	
9:00PM	Lost <i>(Pilot -Part 2)</i>		Hardball with Chris Matthews		Discover Specials	<i>A Knight's Tale</i>	Degrassi	ESPNNews	
9:30PM							Degrassi	Pacific Report	
10:00PM	Pacific Report	College Basketball <i>Texas -El Paso at Nevada</i>	O'Reilly Factor		Friends		The Cosby Show	Two and a Half Men	
10:30PM	Tonight Show				Seinfeld		Home Improvement	Will & Grace	
11:00PM	W/ Jay Leno		60 Minutes		The Daily Show	Movie: <i>Shoot to Kill</i>	Touched by an Angel	Desperate Housewives	
11:30PM	The Late Show				Blind Date				

# Friday, January 14

Time	Channel 9 AFN Prime	Channel 13 AFN Sports	Channel 14 AFN News	Channel 17 Roller/Prime Sports	Channel 20 AFN Spectrum	Channel 23 AFN Movies	Channel 26 AFN Family	Channel 35 AFN Direct to Sailors
12:00AM	The Late Show	SportsCenter	FOX & Friends	Roller	Late Night with Conan O'Brien	Movie: (Cont.) Shoot to Kill	Real Monsters	C.S.I.
12:30AM	Access Hollywood						Rocket Power	
1:00AM	Headline News	NFL Live	American Morning	The Amazing Race	Movie: <:04> Play Misty for Me	Spongebob	Pacific Report	
1:30AM	The Late Late Show	College Gamenight				Rugrats	Tonight Show	
2:00AM		Dennis Miller	NBA	Andromeda	Even Stevens	w/ Jay Leno		
2:30AM	Larry King Live	CNN Live Today	Discover Specials	Movie: American Pie	Gilmore Girls	The Late Show		
3:00AM					Kenan & Kel	w/ David Letterman		
3:30AM	Entertainment Studios	SportsCenter	Friends	Movie: <:44> A Knight's Tale	Degrassi	Headline News		
4:00AM					Seinfeld	Degrassi	The Late Late	
4:30AM	ESPNNews	FOX News Live	Breathing Space Yoga	Breathing Space Yoga	Sesame Street	Show		
5:00AM	Headline News	NBA	Caribbean Workout				Dennis Miller	
5:30AM	Today	Houston Rockets at Dallas Mavericks	60 Minutes	Body Shaping	Barney & Friends	Countdown With		
6:00AM			FOX News Live	Blues Clues	Keith Olbermann			
6:30AM	ESPNews	Studio B with Shepard Smith	Your World with Neil Cavuto	The View	Inside the Actors... Jeff Bridges	Dragon Tales	Entertainment Studios	
7:00AM						Bob the Builder		
7:30AM	Boobah	Indside the NFL	Lester Holt Live	Emeril Live	Coming Attractions	The Wiggles	The Hot List	
8:00AM						Wheel of Fortune	1st and 10	E.T.
8:30AM	Dr. Phil	NFL Live	30 Minute Meals	Movie: Havin Our Say	Stanley	Good Morning		
9:00AM	Oprah Winfrey	SportsCenter	Low Carb & Loving it		Sagwa	America		
9:30AM	<9:46>	Around the Horn	Design on a Dime	Movie: <:48> Almost Famous	Arthur	Reading Rainbow		
10:00AM	<9:46>	PTI	Style Star		Sagwa		Emeril Live	
10:30AM	Guiding Lt. <10:35>	SportsCenter	Headline News	King of Queens	Stanley	Dora the Explorer		
11:00AM	General Hospital	Headline News	NBC Nightly News	That 70's Show	Headline News			
11:30AM	<11:17>	NFL Films Presents	ABC World News	College Basketball	Girlfriends	The Wiggles	Wheel of Fortune	
12:00PM	Bulletin Board	NBA Action	CBS Evening News	Duke at N.C. State	Charmed	Movie: An Ideal Husband	Bob the Builder	Dr. Phil
12:30PM	Judge Judy	NBA Tip-Off	The Newshour with Jim Lehrer	College Basketball Marquette at Memphis	Ally McBeal	Movie: <:53> The Matrix	Dragon Tales	Oprah Winfrey
1:00PM	Today	NBA	Hannity & Colmes				Blues Clues	
1:30PM		Legend of Tarzan	New Jersey Nets at Houston Rockets	Headline News	Any Day Now	Barney & Friends	Funniest Videos	NBC Nightly News
2:00PM	Real Monsters		NBA	Business Report	Third Watch	Full House	Judge Judy	
2:30PM		Cleveland Cavaliers at L.A. Lakers	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Pokemon		Charmed		
3:00PM	Sabrina	Larry King Live	Headline News	Law & Order	Showbiz Moms & Dads	Disney's Doug	Ally McBeal	
3:30PM	NBA Inside Stuff	Headline News	Headline News	The Simpsons	Ebert & Roeper	Rocket Power	Fairly Oddparents	Any Day Now
4:00PM	Jeopardy	Newsnight with Aaron Brown	Roller			Raymond		
4:30PM	Access Hollywood	BET Nightly News	Tavis Smiley	Summerland	Movie: Entrapment	That's So Raven	Third Watch	
5:00PM	Bulletin Board	PGA Tour	Nightline	Summerland		All That	7th Heaven	Jeopardy
5:30PM	Pacific Report	Sony Open 1st Round	Headline News	48 Hours Mystery	Movie: <:08> Devil's Arithmetic	Sabrina	ESPNews	
6:00PM	Two and a Half Men Will & Grace <:25>	Hardball with Chris Matthews	Headline News			Friends	Sabrina	Pacific Report
6:30PM	Window on the Atoll (7:50PM)	O'Reilly Factor	Headline News	Seinfeld	The Cosby Show	King of the Hill		
7:00PM	Desperate Housewives (8:00PM)	Primetime	The Daily Show	Movie: Dr. No	Home Improvement	That 70's Show		
7:30PM	C.S.I.	College Basketball	Blind Date	Touched by an Angel	Wife Swap			
8:00PM	Pacific Report							
8:30PM	Tonight Show							
9:00PM	W/ Jay Leno							
9:30PM	The Late Show							
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# Saturday, January 15

Time	Channel 9 AFN Prime	Channel 13 AFN Sports	Channel 14 AFN News	Channel 17 Roller/Prime Sports	Channel 20 AFN Spectrum	Channel 23 AFN Movies	Channel 26 AFN Family	Channel 35 AFN Direct to Sailors
12:00AM	The Late Show	College Basketball	FOX & Friends	Roller	Late Night with Conan O'Brien	Movie: (Cont.)	Real Monsters	Fear Factor
12:30AM	Access Hollywood	Duke vs. N.C.State				Dr. No	Rocket Power	
1:00AM	Headline News				Summerland	Movie: <.05>	Spongebob	Pacific Report
1:30AM	The Late Late Show	College Basketball				Scream	Rugrats	Tonight Show
2:00AM		UCLA at	American Morning		Summerland		That's So Raven	w/ Jay Leno
2:30AM	Dennis Miller	Arizona State					All That	The Late Show
3:00AM			CNN Live Today		48 Hours Mystery	Movie: Entrapment	7th Heaven	w/ David Letterman
3:30AM	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	NBA Fastbreak						Access Hollywood
4:00AM		SportsCenter			Friends		Sabrina	Headline News
4:30AM	Entertainment Studios				Seinfeld		Sabrina	The Late Late Show
5:00AM	ESPNNews	Inside the NFL	FOX News Live		Breathing Space Yoga	Movie: <.08>	Sesame Street	
5:30AM	Headline News				Caribbean Workout	Devil's Arithmetic		Dennis Miller
6:00AM	Today	ESPNNews	Primetime		Body Shaping		Barney & Friends	
6:30AM		College Basketball			Tipical Mary Ellen		Blues Clues	Countdown With Keith Olbermann
7:00AM		Oregon State	FOX News Live			Showbiz Moms & Dads	Dragon Tales	
7:30AM		at Washington State			The View		Bob the Builder	Entertainment Studios
8:00AM	Clifford		Studio B with Shepard Smith		Emeril Live	Ebert & Roeper	The Wiggles	Good Morning America
8:30AM	Wheel of Fortune	The Hot List				E.T.	Dora: The Explorer	
9:00AM	Dr. Phil	1st and 10	Your World with Neil Cavuto		Burt Wolf	Movie: Danielle Steel's No Greater Love	Stanley	
9:30AM	Oprah Winfrey	NFL Live			Easy Entertaining		Sagwa	
10:00AM	<9:46>	Around the Horn	Lester Holt Live		Decorating Cents		Arthur	Beautiful Homes
10:30AM	Guiding Lt. <10:35>	PTI			The Look for Less	Movie: <.45>	Reading Rainbow	Curb Appeal
11:00AM	General Hospital	SportsCenter	Headline News		E! News Live	Electric Horesman	Sagwa	Joan of Arcadia
11:30AM	<11:17>		NBC Nightly News		King of Queens		Stanley	
12:00PM	Bulletin Board	PGA Tour	ABC World News	NFL Live	That 70's Show		Dora the Explorer	Clean House
12:30PM	Judge Judy	Sony Open	CBS Evening News	NBA Shootaround	Girlfriends		The Wiggles	
1:00PM	Today	2nd Round	The Newshour with Jim Lehrer	NBA Dallas Mavericks	Charmed	Movie: Murphy's Romance	Bob the Builder	NBA Orlando Magic
1:30PM			Hannity & Colmes	at San Antonio Spurs	Ally McBeal		Dragon Tales	
2:00PM							Blues Clues	at Detroit Pistons
2:30PM			ESPNNews				Movie: <.54> American Gigolo	Barney & Friends
3:00PM	Teacher's Pet	PTI	Headline News		Any Day Now		Funniest Videos	
3:30PM	Scooby Doo	NBA	Business Report	ESPNNews				ESPNNews
4:00PM	Ozzy & Drix	Minnesota	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Headline News	Third Watch		Pokemon	WWE Raw!
4:30PM	Kids Next Door	Timberwolves at		ESPNNews			Yu-Gi-Oh!	
5:00PM	Jeopardy	Denver Nuggets	Larry King Live	Headline News	Law & Order	Revealed	Disney's Doug	Headline News
5:30PM	Access Hollywood			Headline News		Alyssa Milano	Rocket Power	Navy/Marine Corps
6:00PM	Bulletin Board	SportsCenter	Newsnight with Aaron Brown	Roller	The Simpsons	Hollywood Stories	Fairly Oddparents	Star Trek: Voyager
6:30PM	Pacific Report				Raymond	E.T.	Rugrats	
7:00PM	King of the Hill	Inside the NFL	BET Nightly News		Charmed	Movie: Hollow Man	All Grown Up	Hercules
7:30PM	That 70's Show		Tavis Smiley				Dave the Barbarian	
8:00PM	Wife Swap	NBA	Nightline				Danny Phantom	Access Hollywood
8:30PM		Dallas Mavericks	Air Force TV News				Drake & Josh	Weekend
9:00PM	Fear Factor	at San Antonio Spurs	Hardball with Chris Matthews		Blue Planet	Movie: <.07> I Know What You Did Last Summer	That's So Raven	Headline News
9:30PM					Coasts		Sabrina	ESPNNews
10:00PM	Pacific Report		O'Reilly Factor		Friends		Switched!	According to Jim
10:30PM	Tonight Show	SportsCenter			Seinfeld		Radio Free Rosco	Half & Half
11:00PM	W/ Jay Leno		Dateline NBC		The Daily Show	Movie: White Men Can't Jump	The Cosby Show	C.S.I. Miami
11:30PM	The Late Show	NFL Live			Blind Date		Home Improvement	

## HELP WANTED

**KRS has the following on-island job openings. Unless otherwise noted, call Jack Riordan, 55154. Full job descriptions and requirements are at Human Resources, Building 700.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I, Elementary School.** Part time. Perform administrative/clerical services including assistance to pupils, staff and public. Receives attendance and records information, maintains files, correspondence and communication with parents. HR Req. #K030623.

**HARDWARE ENGINEER III, Tradex.** Contract position. Full time. Perform maintenance, upgrades and major modifications with respect to the receiver chain. Direct involvement in the full engineering process from design, development, unit test and integration through initial operational capability. Understand, execute and update calibration procedures with respect to the various receiver configurations at site. Directs and schedules work for field engineers/technicians and coordinates activities with other subsystem engineers (software, transmitter, digital). Will be the site expert and will be expected to perform all the duties to ensure mission success without guidance or supervision. Education required: BSEE. Education desired: MSEE. HR Req. #030691.

**INVENTORY CONTROL SPECIALIST, Mission Operations Supply.** Full time. Required to determine if and when technical support material should be ordered and in what quantities. Maintains stock material data records in MIMS, provides expediting support for material releases and MILSTRIP requisitions, coordinates and manages repair and return of mission critical material in support of Missions Operations and MIMS data input of non-stock requisitions in support of Mission Ops end users. Requirements: High level of customer service, fluency in written/verbal English communication and comprehension. HR Req. #K030626.

**SAFETY TECHNICIAN III, Safety Department.** Oversees operation of the Safety Equipment Resource Center approximately one-half time, including dispensing equipment monitoring inventory, assessing customer needs, initiating and tracking special orders. Uses the MIMS procurement system. Provides assistance to the Safety Manager and other ES&H staff, conducts safety inspections, confers with supervisor and employees on safe work practice requirements, atmospheric sampling, calibrating equipment, assists the industrial hygienist in respirator fit test and training, assists operational groups with pre-job safety planning and accident investigations, stops work in imminent danger situations and assists in preparation of reports and data. Requirements: MS Office applications. Desired: MIMS procurement, familiarity with KRS ES&H SPs. HR Req. #K030624.

**TRADEX RECEIVER ENGINEER.** Full time. Contract position. Performs maintenance, upgrades and major modifications with respect to the receiver chain on one or more of the radar systems that exist at RTS. Direct involvement in the full engineering process from design, development, unit test, integration, through initial operations capability. Understands, executes and updates calibration procedures with respect

to the various receiver configurations at site. Directs and schedules work for field engineers/technicians and coordinates activities with other subsystem engineers (software, transmitter and digital). Mentors field engineers/technicians. Will be site expert and will be expected to perform all the duties to ensure mission success without guidance or supervision. Will work closely with system engineers on a regular basis. Education required: BSEE. HR Req. #030691.

**GENERAL MAINTENANCE WORKER I.** Roi Housing Department. Two vacancies. Full time. General maintenance and custodial work. General building maintenance and construction experience preferred. Enniburr residents interested in applying for these positions are encouraged to submit employment applications to Floyd Corder, Roi Operations manager, as soon as possible.

**PRODUCTION CONTROL CLERK I.** RMI position. Full time. Must have good written/verbal English communication, MS Office, Word, Excel, Access and customer service skills. Will manage the automotive preventative maintenance program in KEAMS to include monthly PM work schedule, generating work orders, creating work orders and maintenance schedule tasks, correcting problems as they occur and closing out work orders in KEAMS. Adequate knowledge of KEAMS desired. HR Req. #K030630.

**CASHIERS, Tape Escape.** Casual. Customer service, checking movies in and out, making sure movies are accounted for and arranged on the shelves correctly, filing customer account information, opening and closing a cash drawer, cleaning movies, shrink wrapping movies and sweeping the store.

**ALCOR/MMW FIELD ENGINEER I.** Full time. Contract position. Duties require repairing and maintaining large movable antenna systems, performing preventative maintenance, making modifications, fabricating and installing new mechanical systems and structures. Must be able to troubleshoot and repair systems. Requires reading schematics, wiring lists and assembly prints. Must be able to get Climber I, II and Respirator certifications and obtain a secret level clearance. Must work at moderate heights. HR Req. #030725.

**ENGINEERMAN I, Roi Marine Department.** Perform required preventative maintenance on LCM and assist marine repair shops with repairs and overhauls. Identify and troubleshoot all minor engineering problems. Maintain passenger and cargo safety standards. May count passengers during peak boarding periods. Strong verbal and written English language skills required to maintain logs and records. Mechanical background, especially for diesel engines, highly desirable. Must be able to reside on Roi-Namur.

**ACCOUNTING CLERK II, KRS Finance.** Full time. Accept and process payments from customers, reconcile daily reports from all facilities, balance cash drawer daily, as well as going to the bank to make deposits and replenish cash. Also required to assist in Accounts Receivable with invoicing and filing as needed. Must be experienced in Excel. KEAMS knowledge desired. HR Req. #K030595.

**USAKA/RTS has the following job vacancies. For information, call Cris Foster, USAKA/RTS Civilian Personnel,**

**54417. Applications must be submitted in accordance with announcements at <http://www.cpol.army.mil>, or USAJobs at <http://www.usajobs.opm.gov>.**

**PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIALIST, GS-1035-12.** USAKA/RTS Public Affairs Office. Permanent position, 24-month overseas tour of duty limited to DoD 5-year limitation on overseas employment. PCS costs, transportation and housing agreement and other foreign allowances. Announcement SCBK04286297. Closes Jan. 27.

**PROGRAM ANALYST, GS-0343-13.** USAKA/RTS Directorate for Resource Management. Permanent position, 24-month overseas tour of duty limited to DoD 5-year limitation on overseas employment. PCS costs, transportation and housing agreement and other foreign allowances. Announcement SCBK04273286D. Closes Jan. 18.

**MANAGEMENT AND PROGRAM ANALYST, GS-0343-11 (potential 12).** USAKA/RTS Directorate for Business Management. Permanent position, 24-month overseas tour of duty limited to DoD 5-year limitation on overseas employment. PCS costs, transportation and housing agreement and other foreign allowances. Announcement SCBK04323932. Closes Jan. 18

**OFFICE AUTOMATION ASSISTANT, GS-0326-06 (two vacancies).** Overseas limited appointment. Temporary not to exceed one year and may be extended up to one more year without competition. Announcement SCBK04323962. Closes Jan. 19.

## LOST

**SPAYED FEMALE cat, gray, white and brown with tortoise shell markings, very skittish and nervous around people.** Last seen at her home at Tr. 573 Jan. 4. Call 54613 or 53278.

**14K GOLD endless hoop earring.** Sentimental value. Call Sheryl, 51383 or 5665.

## FOUND

**WATCH and bracelet.** Call 53331.

**STERLING SILVER earring at Emon Beach.** Call Sheryl, 51383 or 5665.

## FOR SALE

**SONY CYBERSHOT DSC P-93 digital camera, 5.1 mega pixels, six months old, \$225.** Call 53921.

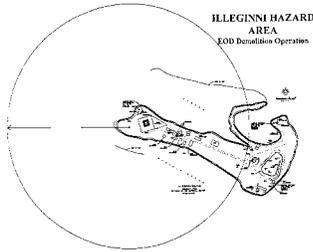
**CURTAINS, antique white lace, two panels, \$12; new collapsible rolling cart, \$20.** Call 54789.

**PANASONIC upright vacuum cleaner, one year old, includes two extra belts and 17 bags, works great, \$50 for all.** Call 53888.

**LE COMPTE sailboat.** Made in Holland in 1968. Hull, mast and rigging in good condition. Needs interior finished and exterior cosmetics. Includes rebuilt Volvo Penta engine, boathouse, autopilot, solar panels, many sails, tools, parts and supplies too numerous to mention. Priced to sell at \$20,000. Call 52210 and leave a message.

**PCS SALE.** Three-piece area carpets, \$100; 27" Panasonic flat screen TV, \$300; 19" Sony Trinitron, \$100; men's Sun Nexus four-speed, both six months old, \$150; 2" plantation-style blinds, plastic, white, complete for 400-series duplex, paid \$400 plus shipping, will sell for \$200. Call 50227.

EOD personnel will conduct explosive disposal operations on Illegini, Jan. 21, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. EOD will destroy hazardous WWII munitions. A safety exclusion area with a radius of 4,000 feet surface to air is off limits to all unauthorized personnel throughout the operation. Questions regarding this operation should be directed to the EOD office, Liz Collier, 51433.



DIVE GEAR including weights, medium BC and regulator, \$200; Kenmore dishwasher, \$200; blinds for 200-series, \$40; various rugs, \$20-\$40; plants, \$10-\$20; patio table and chairs, \$45 for the set or can be sold separately; partial set of ladies' golf clubs, golf bag and golf cart, \$75; hanging indoor light fixture, \$30; ladies' size 9 rollerblades with pads, \$40; complete beer making kit, \$50. Call 51950, after 5 p.m.

WOMEN'S KWAJ-CONDITION bike, \$35; Hi-8 VCR; shoe case for nine pairs of shoes, \$10; patio table, \$20; patio umbrella, \$5 rosewood dining table, \$100; wine rack for 16 bottles, \$20; entertainment center, 74"L x 35"H x 16"W, \$50; Sunbeam gas grill, \$70; hand vacuum cleaner, \$10; VHS editor, \$10. Call 53578.

ALUMINUM FRAME bicycle, Kwaj-condition, with small saddle basket, potential six-speed, needs TLC. \$40 or best offer. Call Sheryl, 51383 or 5665.

MUSICAL EQUIPMENT PA system, seven-channel mixer with two 200-watt power amps, four 15" stage monitors with two poles, Shure 58 microphone with stand, all cables, like new condition, \$1,000. Call 50227.

LARGE PLANTS need new home, can assist with delivery to your home; CD tower rack, holds 160 CDs, \$25. Call 52642 and leave a message.

SCUBAPRO ACCENT BC with Air2, size XL, very good condition, \$175; Scubapro split fins, size XL, \$15. Call 54134.

TWO-PERSON kayak, double-wall construction, inflatable Sevylor, heavy-duty, can be used for diving and fishing, suited for big water, self-bailing, complete with paddles, excellent condition. Call John, 55945.

BMI 9000 multi-station fitness unit that features a dozen exercises including chest press, lat pull down, leg extension/curl and more, looking for new home. Unit in great condition and all parts are in working order. New owner needs some muscle to take away. Call 52306.

TWO LA-Z-BOY recliners; king-size box springs and bed frame. Call 52614, after 6 p.m.

MEN'S ROLLERBLADES, size 10, like new, with all protective gear and "bell" helmet, \$100; Spare-Air, model 270C, 2.7 cu. feet, 3,000 psi,

scuba qualified only, \$100. Call 54555, anytime.

EUROPRO shark deluxe stik-vac with attachments, never used, 10 amps, compact, ideal for BQs and trailer living, \$55. Call 51800.

FOUR PACKAGES of L'Oneal Feria color strands quick shimmer lights \$9 per kit. Call Joanne, 50227.

#### COMMUNITY NOTICES

KWAJALEIN Scuba Club meets tonight, 7 p.m., at the CRC.

YOUTH/PARENT Advisory Council is tonight, 5:30 p.m., in the Youth Center. Parents of registered 7-12 graders are invited to discuss and vote on items requested by the Youth Council.

STAYWELL SILVER Plan members: Pick up your Silver Plan early refund check or loss report at Human Resources, Building 700, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, by Jan. 15. See Grace or Marilyn. You must sign a form to receive or decline your check. The StayWell Silver plan refund is a pre-funded deductible fund that is set up for each Silver Plan member at the beginning of the policy year. The maximum possible refund depends on your employment class such as single, double or family. Only members who are enrolled for at least six consecutive months and have had premiums paid for at least six months within a policy year are eligible for a refund. The checks may be cashed at KRS Finance, Building 702. Contact Finance during normal business hours.

IT'S TIME FOR SOFTBALL. Register your team now through Jan. 21. The season starts Feb. 2 and runs through April 1. Call or visit the Community Activities office, Building 805, to register your team. The registration fee is \$150 per team. The managers' meeting is Jan. 21, 5:30 p.m., in the library conference room. To recruit, become a free agent or if you have a question, call Key, 53331.

TB SKIN TEST and vision screening will be made available for all school-age children. Schedule is as follows at the Kwajalein Hospital Outpatient Department. Kindergarten through Grade four, Jan. 19, 4-6 p.m. (reading of TB test Jan. 21 or Jan. 22); Grade five through Grade 8, Jan. 20, 4-6 p.m. (reading of TB test Jan. 22); Grade nine through Grade 12, Jan. 22, 4-6 p.m. (reading of TB test Jan. 25). NOTE: TB skin tests are mandatory for school-age children in the even grades, although testing is available to anyone if desired. Anyone who receives a TB skin test will need to return to the clinic for reading 48-72 hours after the test is done. If this is not done, the test will have to be repeated. Vision screening will be conducted based on parent/teacher request or referral.

THE FIRST RACE of the new RC track, KISS 2, is Jan. 23. The first heat starts at 1 p.m. Classes will be electric, buggy and open monster. The track is open to nitro vehicles. Requirements to run at the track are installation of fail safe units on the vehicles, joining the club and signing the KRCMC operation policy. If you don't have a fail safe unit, order one today. Questions? Call Matt Hatfield, 53681, or e-mail at [tychno3@yahoo.com](mailto:tychno3@yahoo.com).

ATTENTION UMPIRES, scorekeepers and night supervisors. There will be mandatory

The Kwajalein Police Department bike auction will be held Saturday, 5 p.m., at Building 807.

Approximately 40 bicycles in various conditions will be auctioned.

For more information, call Capt. Jeff Mullin, 59046.

training for the upcoming softball season on Jan. 25. Scorekeepers' and night supervisors' training begins at 5 p.m., in the library conference room. The umpires' training begins at 6:30 p.m. in the library conference room. Questions? Call Key, 53331.

SIGN UP for Grace Sherwood Library's book draw this month from now until Jan. 31. Featured items are "Shrek 2 Storybook" and two Johnny Carson "The Best of the Tonight Show" videos.

THERE ARE a limited number of flu vaccine doses available to the public. Kwajalein Hospital has identified the higher risk individuals that should have already received it. If you would like to get the flu vaccine and you are not allergic to eggs, come to the clinic at Kwajalein Hospital, Tuesday through Saturday, 1:30-4 p.m. Due to limited quantities, doses will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Questions? Call Kwajalein Hospital, 52224/52223.

KWAJALEIN ART Guild is sponsoring a batik class beginning Feb. 8. Pick up a form on Macy's porch or call Linda, 51359.

TO ALL Hobby Shop users. Materials or projects left for more than 30 days untouched will be considered abandoned. Items will be disposed of unless you come by to work on and complete your project or pick it up. Questions? Call Andee, 51700.

AETNA INSURANCE cards have been mailed to all KRS/CDC/AirScan employees. Check your card(s) for any errors. If you have your insurance card and will be going off island, you will no longer be required to obtain an Aetna coverage letter. If you find an error or did not receive your card, call Grace, 51888, or Marilyn, 50939, at Health Benefits.

THE YOKWE YUK Women's Club will host Bunco night Jan. 22, 7 p.m., in CRC, Room 6. If you're a club member or if you are interested in becoming a member, make plans to join us for a great time. Drinks and pupus will be provided. Questions? Call Leigh, 51494, or Sheri, 52725.

A REMINDER to our valued Café Pacific patrons. We now have a new microwave for your dining pleasure for those who enjoy such items as hot apple pie and ice cream.

A COURSE in Miracles study group will meet Tuesdays, 7 p.m., at Qtrs. 215-A. New members are welcome. Questions? Call Eileen, 52244.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets Tuesdays and Saturdays, 6:30 p.m., in PBQ Room 250. Call 51143 and leave a message. Your call will be returned.

# Community bank to open doors in February

By Mig Owens  
Assistant Editor

Bank of America's Community Bank is slated to begin operations in mid-February with a ribbon cutting/grand opening scheduled for Feb. 25.

The bulk of the remaining materials needed to refurbish the bank, located at the former Bank of Guam facility, are expected to arrive on Saturday, according to Jim Bishop, Subcontracts administrator. Those materials include teller counters, safe room doors and several smaller items.

"Eli Arnold, Project Materials manager, and Jimmy Matsunaga, Shipping and Receiving manager, both are on top of getting both KRS-responsible and Bank of America-responsible materials to the island and are doing a great job under short-fused turnarounds," Bishop said.

Until the arrival of the new bank, Kwajalein Range Services will continue to offer check-cashing services through the Feb. 5 payday, according to Mark Paier,

Finance manager.

"We will shortly, in the next two to three weeks, see Community Bank personnel arriving on island to set up and test their systems as well as to hire and train new employees," Bishop said.

Among those tests is circuit testing between Huntsville, Ala., San Antonio, Texas (Bank of America's military operations headquarters) and Kwajalein.

According to Bishop, a preconstruction meeting was held Saturday by project coordinator, Doug Vander Veen, and the renovation/facility upgrade is scheduled to be underway this week.

Every attempt will be made to minimize disruption during construction, Bishop said, and he asked that residents please be patient during that time period.

"Access during construction will be limited to construction personnel unless accompanied by project leads or the project coordinator and will require the proper personnel protection equipment, like work boots, safety glasses and hard hats," he said.

# Testing center for certifications opens

By Mig Owens  
Assistant Editor

Until recently, those desiring technical certifications had to take certification tests on annual leave. The search by Information Technology employees Devin Noel and Robert Ramsey for a localized solution led to the opening of a Pearson Virtual University Enterprises Mobile Testing Center on Dec. 18.

VUE is a nationally recognized testing center for technical certifications, according to Mark Owens, deputy site manager and chief information officer, offering such certifications as Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer, Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator and CISCO certified network professional.

"Training and certifications are one way an IT employee can im-

prove their knowledge and back it up with credentials," Owens said. "Having the ability to take certification tests on island should help KRS retain employees who want to further their careers."

Tests at the center began Saturday and are open to employees across the island, as well as RMI employees and anyone with access to Kwajalein.

"The Kwajalein testing center is open every Saturday," Kristen Palé, IT executive assistant and VUE certified administrator said. "The ability to take certification tests locally has helped improve moral within IT."

"Jamie Dover, KRS IT Trainer, did an outstanding job obtaining and setting up the hardware and software for the Kwajalein Mobile VUE testing Center," Owens said. "His dedicated efforts underline the de-

sire of IT employees to get the VUE site up and running here on Kwaj."

Randy Razook, associate staff member for MIT/Lincoln Lab, said the testing center is something that has been needed on island for some time.

"I was very excited about this before it opened. I knew the effect it would have on the future of technical certifications for everyone on island," Razook said. "I plan on using the center once or twice per year."

Rates for tests are set by the sponsoring company, such as Microsoft or CISCO, and KRS serves as the administrator.

Certification candidates may schedule tests via the VUE web site at [www.vue.com](http://www.vue.com) or by contacting Palé at 50973. All tests are conducted in the IT conference room, Building 806. Candidates should arrive 15 minutes before each test.

**Weather**  
Courtesy of RTS Weather

**Tonight: Partly cloudy with isolated showers.**  
**Winds: Northeast-east at 14-20 knots.**  
**Tomorrow: Partly sunny with isolated showers.**  
**Winds: NE-E at 12-18 knots.**  
**Temperature:                      Tonight's low 80°**  
**Tomorrow's high 87°**

**January rainfall                      1.75"**  
**Annual total                            1.75"**  
**Annual deviation                      -0.07"**

Call 54700 for updated forecasts.  
[www.rts-wx.com](http://www.rts-wx.com)

## Sun • Moon • Tides

	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
<b>Thursday Jan. 13</b>	0708/1848	0933/2138	0610, 4.8' 1820, 5.9'	0010, 0.3' 1200, 0.7'
<b>Friday Jan. 14</b>	0708/1848	1021/2233	0650, 4.8' 1900, 5.5'	0050, 0.5' 1250, 0.9'
<b>Saturday Jan. 15</b>	0708/1849	1105/2324	0740, 4.6' 1950, 5.0'	0130, 0.8' 1330, 1.3'