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THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS



Boy Scout Ben Jahnke carries his weight in bags filled with debris picked up at Mann Island while Stacey Warthen watches from the Synergy sailboat. See story, page 3.

Photo by Cheri Larsen

IMCOM transition begins to take shape

Col. Smith leads team from Pacific region in assessing Kwajalein and Roi-Namur

By Ruth Miskovsky
USAKA/RTS Public Affairs Officer

The month of March has been a busy one regarding visitors to the island of Kwajalein. More than 20 of the island's recent guests were representatives from Installation Management Command, Pacific Region.

Col. Eugene Smith, Mark McClure and a team of functional area experts conducted on-site visits to Kwajalein March 3-24. For IMCOM-Pacific, Smith is the deputy director and McClure is the operations officer.

The recent group of visitors consisted of professionals with a wide

range of knowledge, including specialists in public works, morale, welfare and recreation, base logistics and safety. Smith brought the regional staff out to get on-the-ground information about USAKA's garrison operations — a services and infrastructure assessment.

USAKA's transition to IMCOM has been a big topic at many meetings recently, from high-level discussions at the Pentagon to backyard talk on Kwajalein. Many residents are wondering how the transfer will shape the future of Kwajalein and Roi-Namur. This visit did not lay that question to rest, but should be the starting point for getting many of the details on the transition sorted out, according to Col. Joseph Gaines, USAKA commander.

"This visit is just the beginning of a very important two-year process of transferring the garrison and base operations functions to IMCOM and the other Army enterprise organizations," Gaines said.

The time line for this transition include transferring operational control of garrison functions to IMCOM in one of three phases beginning no later than July 2011, with total conversion being completed by October 2012, the beginning of fiscal year 2013.

The transition will be about more than a separation of responsibilities. Under the current operating structure, USAKA's funding stream comes in one big chunk, and no money is fenced for garrison operations.

"Under IMCOM, [the garrison] will have that dedicated funding," McClure said.

According to Gaines there are



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several funding streams that will be opened up to USAKA once the real property is transferred over to IMCOM's property books, which tentatively will occur in June 2011.

A big part of the IMCOM transition will be bringing USAKA in line with Army and IMCOM standards. Deputy to the Commander Joseph Moscone explained that some changes to this will be significant over time, and most will be noticeable at Kwaj and Roi.

"It is important that communication channels remain open and constant. Many changes will be made, ranging from contractual, personnel structures, delivery of services and modes of operation in virtually every area of USAKA," he said.

IMCOM was formed as an agency and then later morphed to a command for the purpose of separating mission and garrison functions on

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THE RUMOR MILL



Col. Joseph Gaines addresses circulating rumors head-on. Rumors can earn from one to five ears. One ear is an unfounded rumor, while a rumor earning five ears is the truth.

Rumor: New government furniture has been delivered to Kwajalein.

This is true. The Furniture Warehouse has received a shipment of new furniture and more is on the way, though availability is limited. Residents may call 53434 for more information about this.



THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

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KYC, Boy Scouts collaborate on community service project at Mann

Story and photo by Cheri Larsen
Community contributor

The Kwajalein Yacht Club and Boy Scout Troop 314 collaborated last weekend to accomplish multiple goals and achieve success on a sorely needed trash collection project at Mann Island.

The team embarked March 13 on an overnight sailing cruise and campout to the uninhabited outer island located midway up the West reef of Kwajalein Atoll, and they all returned the next afternoon with 69 large bags of trash lashed to the decks of the five sailboats that made the voyage.

Coordinated jointly by the KYC and Scout Master Corey Wiley, this event was a true win-win opportunity for both groups. The KYC promotes sailing cruises of multiple boats to increase camaraderie and enthusiasm in its membership body, and it was time for another group cruise. The KYC also enjoys teaching sailing skills to our community members to broaden knowledge and enjoyment of its favorite pastime. The scouting organization fosters wilderness preparedness by teaching camping skills to its members and endorses civic participation through service projects. The scouts needed transportation to an outer island to work on badges and achievements, so the two groups partnered together to help both

achieve their respective goals.

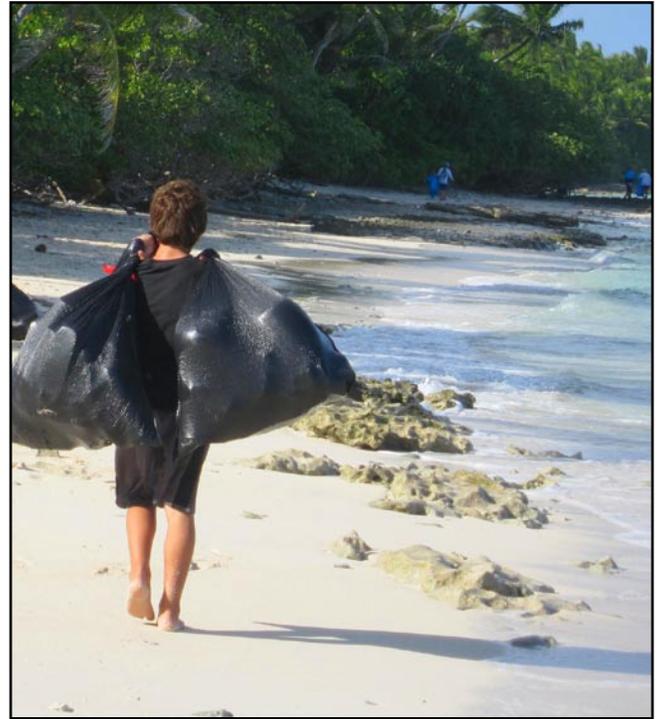
More than 30 people participated in this effort: 15 scouts in two patrols, five chaperoning scout fathers, and 12 skippers and crew, and each person played a special part in the project's overall success.

A lightning warning temporarily delayed the planned early departure Sunday morning and several scouts then suffered through a bit of seasickness, but the boats made great speed and arrived at Mann around lunchtime after a three-hour sail.

After lunch, the scouts set up their campsites and the sailors did a bit of scuba diving, then the groups joined forces on the island's littered lagoon-side shoreline. Everyone set out armed with trash bags to tackle the mass of plastic bottles, flip flops, and other flotsam washed ashore.

Piles of bags were hauled back to the base camp for the night, then the lengthy dinghy ferry service began

early the next morning to haul all the trash, the scouts and their gear back to the sailboats. Once the cargo was secure, the flotilla comprised of *Synergy*, *Stinger*, *Mate'Oa*, *Osprey*, and *Panacea* set off, then tackled the final tough chore of unloading all the bags to the dumpster before wrapping up the long day.



Adam Tiffany heads back to the check point to meet with the other scouts. The service project was a unified effort by the scouts and the KYC.



Boy Scouts line up bags filled with odds and ends washed ashore on Mann Island. The bags were loaded on the sailboats for the trip back to Kwajalein.

Photo by Rebecca Ramsey

Channel Surfing

Your guide to Kwajalein, Roi television

By Sheila Bigelow
Managing Editor

Like most things on Kwajalein and Roi-Namur, even our television system is unique. Regardless if you've been here 10 years or 10 days, trying to figure out what's coming on TV can be somewhat challenging. Consider this your official guide to navigating the 10 channels of television programming available on Kwajalein and Roi.

Television programs are provided by American Forces Network, a worldwide service that sends top-rated American television shows from a variety of networks directly to you. Due to our unique location, AFN Kwajalein receives and re-broadcasts the Direct-to-Sailor (DTS) service, which is intended for U.S. Navy ships at sea. Through a specially-arranged feed, AFN is able to provide four additional AFN channels, which are not otherwise available in this part of the world.

Channel 9 (Roi channel 4) is the 'Roller.' It is a community bulletin board with real-time local information and is accompanied by DTS music service. The Roller channel is updated every business day in the afternoon. Check it out to see what's happening around island and for important command information.

Channel 13 (Roi channel 19) is the local weather and broadcasts radar images and forecasts. All information is provided by the RTS weather station.

Channel 14 (Roi channel 15) is AFN News (DTS). The AFN news channel provides 24-hour-a-day timely news, news features, business and military news as gathered from the major networks. This channel is broadcast live.

Channel 17 (Roi channel 8) is AFN Prime. The AFN

prime television channel is similar to mainstream commercial television. This channel is recorded and played back at a 14-hour delay.

Channel 20 (Roi channel 18) is AFN Spectrum. The AFN spectrum channel is made up of programming which features movies, the best of Public Broadcasting Service, Arts & Entertainment (A&E), Discovery Channel, History Channel and classic series and cartoons. This service is packaged into eight-hour segments that are shown three times daily; each eight-hour segment presents an alternative family-oriented program for each major time zone during prime time. This channel is recorded and played back at a 21-hour delay.

Channel 23 is the AFN Movie channel. It shows movie-related programming. This channel is recorded and played back at a 21-hour delay.

Channel 26 (Roi channel 5) is AFN Family. The AFN Family channel is specifically for children and families. This channel is recorded and played back at a 21-hour delay.

Channel 29 (Roi channel 13) is AFN Sports (DTS). The AFN sports channel features sporting events, sporting news and feature sports programming. It is broadcast live.

Channel 32 (Roi channel 11) is AFN Xtra. The AFN xtra channel is a 'lifestyle' channel made up of fast-paced action, excitement and fun programming during the weekdays and a second sports channel over the weekends. During the week, it becomes home to a variety of alternative and classic sports, sports-talk, consumer high-tech, video gaming and leading edge entertainment programming. On weekends, AFN xtra will carry live and delayed sports. Occasionally, regular weekday programming will be preempted for must-see bonus live sports coverage when there's simultaneous coverage of a high-profile event already on another AFN channel. This channel is recorded and played back at a 14-hour delay.

Channel 35 (Roi channel 21) is DTS Pacific Entertainment. It is a mixture of the best from AFN Prime, AFN Spectrum and AFN Xtra packaged from AFN Headquarters. This channel is broadcast live, as-received.

The TV and Entertainment Guide is published weekly, and delivered to the post office and Roi on Saturdays. The TV Guide gives programming from Sunday to the following Saturday. Programming is compiled one week before broadcast and there is a chance AFN will change the programming after the guide has already been printed. Want to look up programming for yourself? Here's how:

» Go to www.myafn.net. On the homepage, look for Site Points in the bottom, right-hand corner. Click on AFN Schedules under Television.

» On the next screen, change the time zone to (GMT+12:00) Marshall Islands (KWAJ). It is important that you choose the time zone that says (KWAJ) after it and not the other Marshall Islands time zone option.



Above is a screenshot of what to expect when you go to www.myafn.net. Click on "AFN schedules" shown circled here.



Choose the schedule date you want to view from the drop-down calendar menu.



To see the schedule in an easily read format, choose the “print” view from the drop-down menu as shown above.

When selecting your time zone, be sure to choose the selection with (KWAJ), not the Fiji, Kamchatka, Marshall Is. selection.

» Once you choose (KWAJ), a box will pop up asking for your e-mail address. You must input an e-mail address and click submit. Once you’ve done that, make sure that the (KWAJ) time zone is indeed in the drop-down menu. The final step is to change the view from Chart to Print.

» Once you click on Print, a new screen will pop up with the programming information. Once you are in this second pop-up screen, you can manipulate the date in the top, left-hand corner to any date you wish to see programming for. This guide lists programming for Kwajalein and Roi for all channels except channel 35. Note there are extra channels listed we do not receive here.

Newcomers may also have difficulties setting up their televisions when they arrive on-island. Kwajalein and Roi television is broadcast in analog. If you find that your channel numbers do not match the guide, you should change the setting of their television receiver from “cable” to “antenna.” Your television model may use different names for the setting; check your manual to see how to set your TV to receive a VHF/UHF broadcast signal, rather than a cable TV signal. Please note that some of the very new television sets do not offer this option. Look into whether your television can be changed to this setting before purchase. Questions regarding AFN television programming can be directed to the AFN office, at 53743.



Eight servicemembers die in Afghanistan

Pfc. Arturo E. Rodriguez, 19, of Bellflower, Calif., died March 12 in Paktika province, Afghanistan, of wounds suffered when insurgents attacked his unit using small arms fire. He was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 506th Infantry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Fort Campbell, Ky.

Staff Sgt. Travis M. Tompkins, 31, of Lawton, Okla., died March 16 in Logar province, Afghanistan, of injuries sustained on March 15, when enemy forces attacked his unit with a rocket propelled grenade. He was assigned to the Brigade Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division, Fort Polk, La.

Senior Airman Michael J. Hinkle II, 24, of Corona, Calif., died March 16

due to a non-combat related incident in Southwest Asia. He was assigned to the 28th Communications Squadron, Ellsworth Air Force Base, S.D.

Lance Cpl. Christopher S. Meis, 20, of Bennett, Colo., died March 17 while conducting combat operations in Helmand province, Afghanistan. He was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Cpl. Donald R. Mickler Jr., 29, of Bucyrus, Ohio; and **Pfc. Rudy A. Acosta**, 19, of Canyon Country, Calif. died March 19 in Kandahar province, Afghanistan, of wounds suffered when they were allegedly shot with small arms fire by an individual from a military security group. They

were assigned to the 4th Squadron, 2nd Stryker Cavalry Regiment, Vilseck, Germany.

Staff Sgt. Mecolus C. McDaniel, 33, of Fort Hood, Texas, died March 19 in Khowst province, Afghanistan, when insurgents attacked his unit with an improvised explosive device and small arms fire. He was assigned to the 6th Squadron, 4th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, Fort Knox, Ky

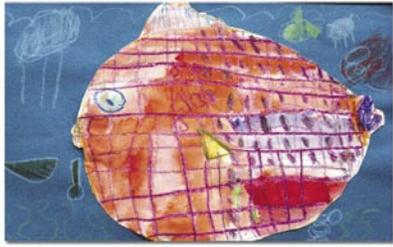
Staff Sgt. James M. Malachowski, 25, of Westminster, Md., died March 20 while conducting combat operations in Helmand province, Afghanistan. He was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

GEORGE SEITZ ELEMENTARY ART SHOW

kindergarten



By Kendal Warren



By Isaiah Parrish

first grade



By The First Grade

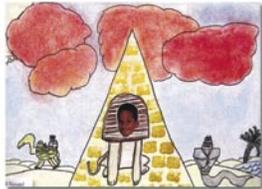


By Katelyn Mayer

second grade



By Ashley Homuth



By Rod Hazzard



By Julia Sholar

third grade



By Emily Burk



By The Third Grade

fourth grade



By Kaya Sylvester



By Alisha Church



By Katalla deVile

fifth grade



By Cameron Jones



By Nikki Ansley



By Isaac Parker

sixth grade



By Thomas Greene

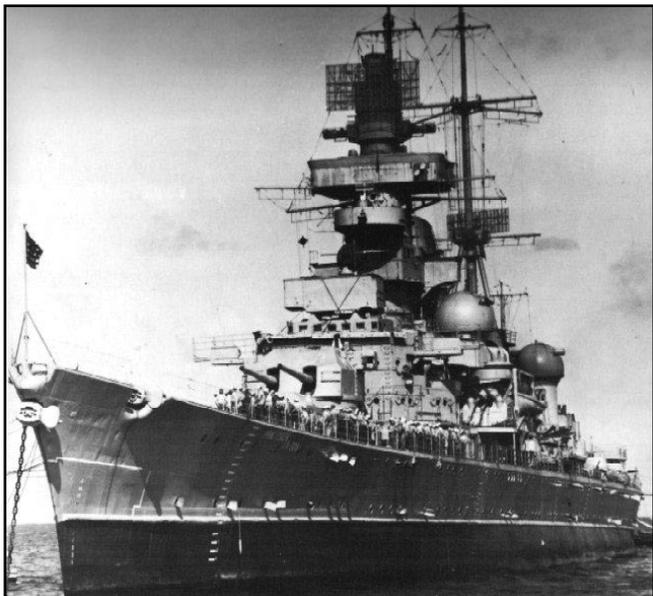


By DeVante Floor



By Kelly Burnham

THEN AND NOW- THE PRINZ EUGEN



Photos by Hourglass Archives

The *Prinz Eugen* was commissioned by the German Navy in 1940. After some notable battles, the German crew surrendered the *Prinz Eugen* to the British at Copenhagen, Denmark, in May 1945. The ship became property of the U.S. Navy, and was classified IX-300. In January 1946 it steamed, with an American and German crew, to Boston. Proceeding to Philadelphia and through the Panama Canal to the Pacific for atomic bomb tests, the *Prinz Eugen* survived an atomic explosion at Bikini in 1946, and was towed to Kwajalein where it began to list significantly. The *Prinz Eugen* capsized and sank, and still sits to this day.

The names of Kwajalein – a lesson in history

Article by Catherine Layton
Associate Editor

On any given day, residents of Kwajalein ride around the island, occasionally taking note of buildings and facilities. Upon further note, more than just the department name or building number has been assigned. Certain facilities, buildings and even watercraft carry names of people unfamiliar to many residents. The names serve as memorials to individuals who have contributed, many ultimately, in some significant way, to Kwajalein.

Some of the most recent additions to the list include watercraft. Two twin catamarans, built in Australia, arrived to Kwajalein in late 2004. One was named for Pvt. Clement W. Anderson, the other after Pvt. Richard K. Sorenson.



Pvt. Clement W. Anderson

World War II broke out right before Anderson was to be discharged, so he continued to serve in the Army. In June 1943, he was sent to the South Pacific. Pvt. Anderson received the Silver Star for bravery under fire. On January 31, 1944, during Operation Flintlock, Pvt. Anderson was with a patrol that was ambushed. According to the citation, “He crawled under heavy enemy fire to deliver machine gun ammunition and assist in operating the machine gun. When the enemy attacked the position with powerful offensive grenades, Pvt. Anderson located the hidden enemy, duelled with them at a distance of 10 yards and directed the fire of the machine gun until enemy resistance was wiped out.”

On February 5, 1944, Pvt. Anderson again displayed gallantry while assaulting a Japanese dugout, though he was killed by enemy rifle fire. The Silver Star citation continued, “Private Anderson’s heroism, aggressiveness and cool thinking were an inspiration to his unit throughout the action.” He also received the Purple Heart and numerous other medals and ribbons during his military service. Anderson’s achievements made a significant difference during the Kwajalein campaign, and his actions were a determining factor in bringing the fight to a swift conclusion.

Pfc. Richard K. Sorenson, a recipient of the Medal of Honor for his role in Operation Flintlock, trained at Camp Pendleton in 1943 with the 4th Marine Division. In January 1944, the unit went directly into combat in the Marshall Islands. Sorenson was in a machine-gun squad in an assault battalion that landed on Namur. It was defended by four thousand Japanese soldiers fighting

from heavy concrete fortifications. On the first day of the invasion, the Marines took over half of Namur, destroying enemy pillboxes by getting close enough to hurl satchel charges into their narrow gun slits. Sorenson’s unit was in the forefront of the action. When night fell, he and thirty-five other men took cover behind the concrete foundation of a Japanese building the Marines had blown up that day. They didn’t know the rest of the American troops, who had no idea of the squad’s whereabouts, had withdrawn to a more secure defensive line.



Pfc. Richard K. Sorenson

At dawn, the Japanese attacked Sorenson’s position in what he later called a “full-fledged banzai charge.” His squad had been fighting for its life when a Japanese soldier got close enough to throw a grenade in their midst. Sorenson instantly realized that his buddies would take the impact and the entire squad would be overrun, so he threw himself on the grenade and took the full force of the explosion. He would have bled to death if a corpsman hadn’t come up and quickly treated him.

When he awoke an hour later, the rest of the Marine force had reached the squad and relieved it. He was evacuated, and underwent six operations over the next nine months. He was presented the Medal of Honor by Gen. Joseph Fegan on July 19, 1944.

Veterans Day 2004 featured the christening of the *Pvt. Sorenson* catamaran. Representing the Sorenson family at the event were his children and widow, Mildred Sorenson.



Photo by David Layton

The catamaran *Pvt. Anderson* sits atop the Syncrolift during a recent routine dry docking.

S P O R T S

KRC Running of the Green is long-time tradition

Article by Bob Sholar
Community contributor

Kwajalein Running Club conducted the 31st Annual "Running of the Green" on Monday. This event, associated with St. Patrick's Day, has been held every year since 1981. Thirty-nine runners covered the unusual 2.48 mile course, following temporary markings spray painted into the grass.

First to finish overall was 10th-grader Austin Skinner in 17:57, followed closely by adult Eric England in 18:04.

For the ladies, Kaya Landers sprinted the final 250 yards to overtake Lisa Ansley in 19:13 and 19:17 respectively.

Not often do Kwajalein's runners take the narrow path behind the

Kwaj Lodge! The course included two major hills; one at the Cross monument near the Air Terminal and then the really big hill leading up to the golf clubhouse.

The youngest runner was two-year-old Julia Theologydy, who did get some toting by her father John. The oldest runner was way, way older than Julia.

The major prize was a classic corned beef, cabbage and potato dinner (that still needed cooking). This was awarded post race to Ingrid Mounier, in a random drawing of participant names. Victor Burnley and Ingrid Mounier's four children, Alex, Lila, Luc and Oli, all participated in one way or another, so the 12.5 lb corned beef brisket was well earned. The coveted Green Wasabi paste was drawn by Rich Ereksion.



By Catherine Layton

Paula Fluhrer, left, and Jack Carey set the pace for the annual "Running of the Green," sponsored by the Kwajalein Running Club.

W A T E R P O L O

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

Chargogg defeat Zissou: 35-22
Spartans defeat Turbo Teachers: 48-12
Turbo Turtles defeat USAKA: 55-32

TEAM STANDINGS (as of March 22)

Chargogg:	8-2	Zissou:	4-6
Spartans:	7-3	Turbo Teachers:	3-6
Turbo Turtles:	6-4	USAKA:	1-8

TUESDAY, MARCH 22-PLAYOFFS

Chargogg defeat Zissou: 53-29
Spartans defeat Turbo Teachers: 62-61

TOP SCORERS

Bruce Premo (Turbo Turtles): 93 points
Shawn Brady (Spartans): 89 points
Bill Williamson (Turbo Turtles): 80 points
Valeska Sanders (Zissou): 67 points
Phil Malloy (Chargogg): 50 points

Thanks for a great sports season!

I just wanted to send out a personal "thank you" to everyone who helped make the 2010 Indoor Basketball season so great. Thank you to Torrey Landers who volunteered to lead the officials' clinic. I also would like to express my appreciation to all of our volunteer officials and scorebook keepers. They worked really hard to ensure that the season was not only safe, but fun. Their efforts were so important and immensely appreciated. Finally, our season would not have been complete without all of our volunteer coaches and managers. Thank you for your interest and your efforts. We live in an awesome community where people are willing to help out when it's needed

The success of this year's season was all due to the efforts of all of our volunteers. So again, Thank You SO Much! We could not have done it without you. Congratulations to "HOOPS" and "Sweet Swishers", who were this year's Champions. I look forward to the 2011 season and hope it will be just as great, and also just as much fun.

- Mandie Morris

Community Activities Recreation and Programs Manager

A special thank you to recognize all coaches, chaperones and umpires who volunteered their time, knowledge and patience during the 2011 Youth Baseball, Softball, and Tee Ball season. Your effort throughout the past few months in being positive role models and teaching the youth of Kwajalein Atoll the skills and fundamentals of the sport is greatly appreciated.

- Jason Kettenhofen

CYSS Youth Sports & Fitness Director

View from Kwaj

Submit your own photo! E-mail to hourglass@smdck.smdc.army.mil.



By Melissa Peacock



By Jane Erekson



By Carrie West



By Catherine Layton



By Bob Greene



By Evelyn Smith



By Charlie Dodd



By Briane McDonald

KRS and CMSI Job Listings for On-Island Positions will be available at the Kwajalein, Roi-Namur and Ebeye Dock Security Check Point bulletin boards, the bulletin board by the Continental Travel Office, the Roi-Namur Terminal/Post Office bulletin board and at Human Resources in Building 700. Job Listings for Contract Positions will be available at www.krsjv.com, on the bulletin board by the Continental Travel Office and on the Roi-Namur Terminal/Post Office bulletin board. Full job descriptions and requirements for Contract openings are located online at www.krsjv.com.

KRS employment applications are continually accepted for Casual Positions in the Community Services Departments, Medical Department and the HR Temp Pool. Some of the Casual positions are: Recreation Aides, Medical Office, Media Services Specialist, Substitute Teacher, and HR Temp Pool

Religious Services

Catholic

No Sunday service for March 27
 April 1-15, Father Phillip Waibel
 5:30 p.m., Saturday, Island Memorial Chapel.
 9:15 a.m., Sunday, Island Memorial Chapel
 6:30 p.m., Friday, Stations of the Cross
 Penitential Easter Service TBD

Holy Week

5:30 p.m., Palm Sunday Eve, April 16
 9:15 a.m., Palm Sunday, April 17
 8 p.m., Holy Thursday, April 21
 8 p.m., Holy Friday-The Lord's Passion, April 22
 7 p.m., Holy Saturday-Vigil Mass, April 23
 9:15 a.m., Easter Sunday, April 24

Protestant

8 and 11 a.m., Sunday, on Kwaj.
 Roi-Namur service at 7 p.m. on Friday

Baptist

9:40 a.m., Sunday, in elementary school Music Room.

Latter-day Saints

10 a.m., Sunday, in CRC, Room 3.

Jewish services

Second Friday of the month in the REB. Times will vary.
 Contact the Chaplain's office, 53505, for more information.

Office Support. Questions? Call 54916.

WANTED

DINING SET, round table preferred and king-size bedroom set in good condition. Call 53731.

ON-ISLAND SPOUSE for part time child care, approximately 12:15-4:45 p.m. on Tuesdays through Saturdays for our three-year-old son. My quarters preferred, but may be willing to negotiate. Call Stephanie if interested at work, 51213, or home, 51596.

PATIO SALES

TODAY, 1-5 p.m., quarters 212-B. Assorted household items, small appliances, bike parts and clothing.

TODAY and MONDAY, 8 a.m.-noon, quarters 473-A. PCS sale, lots of plants and household items.

MONDAY, 8 a.m.-noon, quarters 212-B. See earlier notice.

MONDAY, 8 a.m.-1 p.m., quarters 116-E. Huge PCS sales. Beach chairs, indoor and outdoor rugs, dishes, appliances, small fish tank, roman blinds, toys, coolers, computer desk, stools, computer chairs, clothes, shoes, couches, TV stands, and more.

FOR SALE

BLACK LEATHER La-Z-Boy recliner, fair condition, \$50 and IKEA queen-size bed frame, \$125. Call 5613.

WOOD DECK, 10x20 feet, \$300, see behind 212-B; assorted plants and planters; cement cylinders, \$1 each; large Rubbermaid storage chest, \$75; kitchen cart, \$50 and roll-up wooden window shades, 31.5 inches wide, \$20 each. Call 52564.

TELEVISION, Sony Trinitron 37 inch, \$50. Call 52680.

AREA RUG, 4x6, brown with white trim, one-year-old, \$30; bean bag chair, micro suede fabric, \$85. Call Robb at 53279 after 5 p.m. and on weekends.

DIVE GEAR, set or separates; upright piano; two-drawer file cabinets; CD towers; Gamecube with games; rocker recliner, with or without massage pad. Please call 54173 after 6 p.m. or leave message.

DARK ROSEWOOD furniture. Call 53925 or view at quarters 460-A before 7 p.m.

KING-SIZE BED, three months old, pillow-top mattress plus box spring and frame, Serta Vera Wang Paillette, bought for \$1,100, will sell for \$600 or best offer; boat house, excellent condition, tall awning with metal roof, \$4000 and freezer, 4 feet long chest type, \$400. Call 52319 after 6 p.m.

TWO SOLARIS 70-quart dehumidifiers, both used less than a year, \$150 each or \$250 for both and 16 inch girls bike in Kwaj condition, \$15. Call 53787.

BARBIE DREAM HOUSE outside play structure,

good condition, comes with play dishes and play food, \$50. Call 52681.

CAL 20 SAILBOAT, \$4,000; 8x10 foot vinyl shed, \$500; Yamaha 4hp outboard motor, \$500; boat, motor and shed package price, \$4,500 and women's LiquidForce Wakeboard, \$250. Call Rebecca at 50617 or 51357.

SCUBA GEAR, Cressi back inflatable integrated weight BC, Sunnto Zoop air/nitrox dive computer, new, Scubapro fins and mask, like new, first stage regulator and octopuses with an Aqualung tote bag, package deal and is priced to sell, serious inquires only. Call 59213.

FOUR NEW 5x8 foot rugs, \$15 each; Cosco 34 inch padded folding card table, four padded fabric seat and back folding chairs, used once, in original box, \$60; body glove snorkel set, dry snorkel, fins, mask, mesh bag, still in blister pack, \$60; two love seat covers, soft suede sand color, never used, \$40 each or both for \$60; sofa cover, soft suede color, never used, \$50 and blue mosquito netting for bed, perfect to make a princess bed, \$15. Call Mary Jane at 51043.

THREE COMPLETE sets of dive gear in excellent condition, barely used, Seaquest BCs sizes SM, M/L and XL, three Aqualung Titan regulators, three Suunto Gekko dive computers with compass, \$300 each set; three pair Aqualung blades two fins, \$20 set; four dive bags, \$10 each; three dive lights, \$5; three pairs of dive boots, women's size 9 and 10, \$10, men's size 12, \$10 and women's Aqualung wetsuit size 14, \$20. Call 52262.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

THE KWAJALEIN YACHT CLUB will hold its monthly meeting tonight. Happy hour begins at 5:30 p.m. and the meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be served following the meeting. The main dish will be provided, please bring a side. All members of the community are invited to attend.

OCEAN VIEW CLUB birthday bash is at 8 p.m. tonight. Must be 21 years old. Complimentary drinks and cake for registered March birthday participants. Contact Maria at 58228.

KITE DAY is from 1-3 p.m., Sunday, at Emon Beach. Limited number of kites available for \$2. Order your special kite kit today. There will be a contest for best homemade kite, highest flying, best trick and more.

THE FOLLOWING facilities on Kwajalein will experience a 14-hour power outage beginning at 8 a.m., March 27: 1001, 1002, 1020, 1036, 1059, 1060, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1108, 1114, 1115, 1116 and 1173.

BASKET WEAVING with clay will be our next kid's clay class, in time for Easter. The time is from 6-8 p.m. on March 29. Ages four through 13 are welcome with a parent and the cost is \$15 per child. Sign up now, spaces are limited. Call Ms. Denise at 51700.

Café Pacific

Lunch

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	April 2
Carved Steamship	Grilled Pork Chops	Beef Stroganoff	Char Siu Roast Pork	Swiss Steak with Gravy	Mini Taco Bar	Savory Pot Roast
Vegetable Ragu	Herb Roast Chicken	Chicken Piccata	Chicken Katsu	Meat/Veggie Stir-Fry	Kalua Pork/Cabbage	Turkey Tetrazzini
Chicken ala Orange	Ham Marco Polo	Egg Noodles	Crab Chow Fun	Tuna Casserole	Breaded Catfish	Steamed Potatoes
Brunch Station Open	Brunch Station Open	Sloppy Joes	Teriyaki Burger	Sicilian Hoagies	Veggie Stir-Fry	Chili Dog

Dinner

Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BBQ Meatballs	Roast Pork Loin	Hamburger Steak	Kwaj Fried Chicken	Carved Sirloin	Roast Turkey	BYO Baked Potato
Cajun Chicken Wings	Tandouri Chicken	Chef's Choice	Honey Lime/Garlic Pollock	Garlic Roast Chicken	Sage Stuffing	Chicken Cacciatore
Philly Cheesesteak	Fried Eggplant	Meat/Veggie Stir-Fry	Hawaiian Chopped Steak	Baked Potatoes	Ham Steak Hawaiian	Tortellini Carbonara

Hospital Renovation Project

Over the next few months the hospital will be undergoing some major renovation. This project requires the hospital to move certain functions of the hospital to other locations.

Immediately:

The **Hospital Administrator, Hospital Administration office** and **Employee Assistance Program Counselor** are in **424-B** on Lagoon Road next to the Physical Therapy office.

The **KRS Worker's Compensation office, Hospital Business office** and the **Periodic Medical Evaluation Coordinator** are in **424-C**.

April 5:

The **nighttime (6 p.m. - 6 a.m.) Emergency Room** will move to **Building 566**, the previous KRS worker's compensation office location.

KPD WILL BE conducting a pistol range from 8-11 a.m. on March 30. Please observe the red flag hazard area. If you have any questions contact KPD Training at 54452.

KWAJALEIN ATOLL International Sportfishing Club meeting will be held on March 30 at the Pacific Club. Food and beverages will be served at 6:30 p.m., meeting will start at 7 p.m. All anglers welcome to attend.

THE MANDATORY island orientation begins at 12:30 p.m., March 30, in CAC Room 6, building 365. It is required for all new island arrivals. The island orientation is not recommended for dependent children under age 10. Questions, please call the KRS ES&H facilitators at 51134.

THE PASSPORT agent will be off-island from March 22-31. Only adult passport renewals, DS-82-Application for a U.S. passport by mail, may be submitted during this time. Renewal applications will be available at building 730, along with instructions and the mailing address. Do not mail your renewal form to the address on the form. All USAKA/RTS residents must mail their applications to the Honolulu Passport Agency. Make a copy of your passport before mailing it in, in case you have an emergency leave situation.

THE SOPHOMORE class will be doing airbrush tattoos at the Spring Festival from 1-6 p.m., April 3, at Emon Beach. Rain or shine. Kids tattoos available in variety of designs.

KARAOKE is April 3 at the Ocean View Club.

THE BARGAIN BAZAAR will pick up your donation at your residence on the morning of April 4. Leave a voicemail at 53686 with your name and quarters number.

SPRING ARTS AND CRAFTS Show and Photo Exhibit will be from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., April 11, in the high school MP Room. Craft show vendor applications located on the mall bulletin board. Questions, call Jayne Cavender at 54643. For a photo exhibitor packet, call Sandy at 54152 or Linn at 51990.

CONTINENTAL FLIGHT 956 from Kwajalein to Majuro to Honolulu on April 15 is cancelled due to airfield closure. If you need assistance with reservations please contact the Continental Ticket Office at 51014.

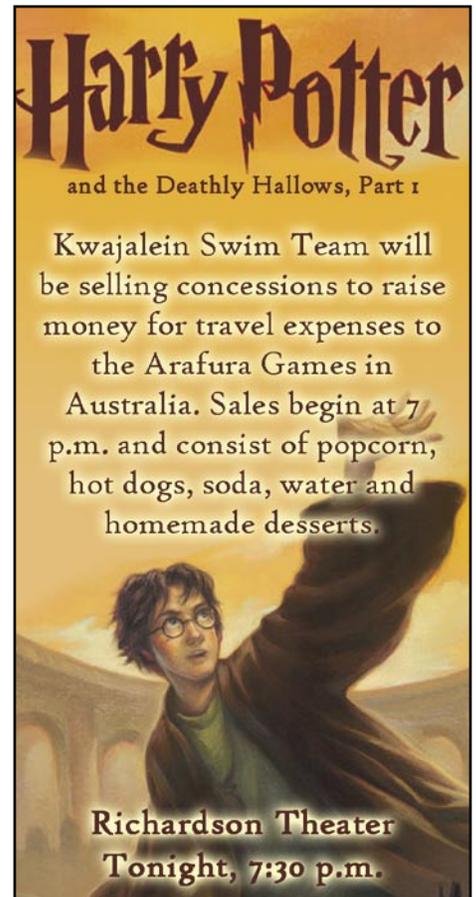
KWAJALEIN SCHOOL Advisory Council meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m., April 20, in the elementary Coconut room. The public is invited to attend.

THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL for elementary and high school students for the 2010-2011 school year is June 10. If your school aged child will be PCSing before June 10 or during the summer, please notify the school office of your departure date so student records can be prepared. Call the elementary school office at 53601 and high school office at 52011.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION is currently underway for the 2011-2012 George Seitz Elementary School Year. Children eligible for kindergarten must turn five by Sept. 1. Please contact the elementary school office at 53601 for additional information and to register your child.

KSC requests all scuba tanks be returned to the tank house for yearly inventory.

INFORMATION SERVICES training offers adult software classes free of charge. The spring 2011 schedule is now available. For more information contact it.training@smdck.smdc.army.mil, call 50787 or visit our website at <http://sharepoint.smd>



ck.smdc.army.mil/sites/doim/training.

CONSERVE ENERGY. Save now or pay later. Help save America's energy and environmental future.

SAFELY SPEAKING. Take the time to make sure you know what you're doing, and that you're not taking for granted how you do it. It only takes a second to hurt yourself or someone else.

E-TALK. Polychlorinated biphenyl, or PCB, is found primarily in electrical equipment. It may be in asphalt material, floor tiles, fluorescent light fixtures and hydraulic systems. Use proper PPE. Acute exposure to PCB can result in acne-like eruptions, spasms and more. All PCBs must be inventoried, maintained, labeled and inspected for leaks. KRS company procedure SPI 1534 and SPI 1522 outline the applicable environmental requirements of storage, use and disposal of PCBs and PCB items. Contact KRS Environmental personnel for guidance and/or help in the management of known or suspected PCB items at 51134.

Café Roi

Lunch

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	April 2
London Broil	Herb Pork Loin	Bacon Cheeseburgers	Chicken Picatta	Meat/Cheese Croissant	Cheeseburger Mac	Yankee Pot Roast
Mountain Chicken	Chicken Scallopin	Chicken Wings and Sauce	Tuna Melt Sandwich	Beef Pot Pie	Battered Chicken Strips	Salmon with Dill
Veggie Frittata	Breakfast Jack	Spicy Potato Wedges	Three Cheese Penne	Fried Zucchini	Cheesy Mashed Potatoes	Veggie Stir-Fry

Dinner

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	April 2
Roast Turkey Breast	Shang Hai Sticky Ribs	Meatloaf with Gravy	Carved Steamship	Roi Fried Chicken	Fish Tacos	Beef Tortellini Alfredo
Grilled Pork Chops	Garlic Grilled Mahi	Crispy Chicken Cutlets	Chicken in Sour Cream	Garlic Roast Beef	Enchiladas	Spaghetti
Stuffing	Chicken Fried Rice	Twice Baked Potatoes	Baked Potatoes	Macaroni and Cheese	Chicken Fajitas	Fried Eggplant

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Army posts around the world. The goal for USAKA will be the same, according to Smith. Separating the range and base operations will allow SMDC's Reagan Test Site to focus on the mission and USAKA to concentrate on its mission, running the garrison.

"For my perspective, we are meeting the gold standard on the range mission - our customers are very

satisfied. Where we need the most help is base infrastructure and housing - that's my focus for the immediate future as part of this transition," Gaines said.

This article is the first in a series covering the IMCOM transition on Kwajalein. For more information about the transfer of base operations, look for the IMCOM logo in future editions of the Hourglass.



A team of subject matter experts paid a visit to U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll for the purpose of getting the current status of base operations prior to the transfer of USAKA garrison to Installation Management Command. Here, Alberto Smith, right, the IMCOM Pacific regional airfield specialist; Wayne Urada, the IMCOM Pacific Chief of Operation Maintenance; and Maria Driscoll, a program analyst for IMCOM Pacific prepare a site survey Wednesday for the Bucholz Army Airfield at Kwajalein.

Crime Stoppers

"Where the community, media and police work together to fight crime."

Crimes/Incidents reported or observed: Feb. 16 to March 16.

- Trespass: 3
- Theft of private property: 2
- Animal Control Violations: 1
- Public Intoxication: 1
- Fraudulent use of Credit Card: 1

Two victims had their personal property stolen while the property was left unattended at the ARC.

The fraudulent use of a credit card involves one of our citizens being the victim of an Internet theft as a result of the suspect using the victim's debit/credit card. The theft case is the result of an unattended watch being stolen from the CRC.

Crime Stoppers is based on the principal that someone other than the criminal has information that can solve a crime. KPD reminds the community to be vigilant, secure your property and not leave it unattended. Keep doors at offices and quarters locked. Call 54445 with any information.

In the March 19 edition of The Kwajalein Hourglass, it was incorrectly reported the Public Works department delivered cots and a shelter kit to the REB to support the stranded passengers from Continental. This material was provided by KRS Supply Department personnel.

THUMBS DOWN!

A big thumbs down to the person who jammed a penny in card slot of the ATM machine making it effectively inoperable.

Weather

Courtesy of RTS Weather

Sunday: Partly sunny, 20 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 11-16 knots
 Monday: Partly sunny, 20 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 11-16 knots
 Tuesday: Mostly cloudy, 30 percent showers. Winds: NE-E at 12-18 knots
 Wednesday: Mostly cloudy, 30 percent showers. Winds: NE-E at 12-18 knots
 Thursday: Partly sunny, 20 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 11-16 knots
 Friday: Partly sunny, 20 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 11-16 knots

Annual total: 25.39 inches
 Annual deviation: + 13.71 inches

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

Sunrise/set Moonrise/set High Tide Low Tide

	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Sunday	6:50 a.m./7:00 p.m.	1:16 a.m./1:12 p.m.	9:57 a.m., 2.8'	2:33 a.m., 1.2' 5:56 p.m., 1.3'
Monday	6:49 a.m./6:59 p.m.	2:06 a.m./2:04 p.m.	12:17 a.m., 1.9' 12:33 p.m., 2.7'	5:26 a.m., 1.5' 7:43 p.m., 0.9'
Tuesday	6:49 a.m./6:59 p.m.	2:52 a.m./2:53 p.m.	1:55 a.m., 2.3' 1:49 p.m., 3.1'	7:29 a.m., 1.2' 8:24 p.m., 0.6'
Wednesday	6:48 a.m./6:59 p.m.	3:34 a.m./3:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m., 2.8' 2:30 p.m., 3.4'	8:19 a.m., 0.7' 8:51 p.m., 0.3'
Thursday	6:48 a.m./6:59 p.m.	4:14 a.m./4:25 p.m.	2:57 a.m., 3.2' 3:01 p.m., 3.7'	8:53 a.m., 0.3' 9:15 p.m., 0.0'
Friday	6:47 a.m./6:59 p.m.	4:52 a.m./5:09 p.m.	3:22 a.m., 3.6' 3:29 p.m., 4.0'	9:22 a.m., 0.0' 9:39 a.m., -0.3'
April 2	6:47 a.m./6:59 p.m.	5:30 a.m./5:52 p.m.	3:46 a.m., 4.0' 3:55 p.m., 4.1'	9:50 a.m., -0.3' 10:02 p.m., -0.5'