

THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS



Representative from the American Legion Post 44 Lisa Marks, right, places a wreath in front of the colors of the Republic of the Marshall Islands during a ceremony on Veteran's Day. At left, Amy LaCost places a wreath at the 2nd Raider Battalion memorial. For more, see page 4.

Photo by Sheila Gideon

Thumbs Up!

... to the person who found my diamond ring outside the bank and turned it in. Thank you so much for your honesty; I really thought I would never see the ring again.

... to Cherrilyn Ranis for turning in the diamond ring she found outside the bank.

... to those who dispose of your dog's waste in the trash cans; it is appreciated.

... to the Quigleys and Steve Gauthier for kayaking with the Webelos and helping them obtain their Aquanaut badges.

... to the Catholic Church and other community members for helping the Doerries family in their time of need.

Thumbs Down!

... to dog owners who do not tie up their dog's waste bags before throwing them in a neighbor's trash can. We don't care for the flies on our porch it has created.

The Weather Baller

Lightning Warnings

There have been 14 lightning warnings at Kwajalein or Roi-Namur since Oct. 1. Kwajalein has had a very active thunderstorm year and it will continue until dry season weather appears. It is very important people take cover during lightning warnings, especially when they hear thunder. Remaining at the pool or on the beach during these warnings is a great personal risk; you should take cover in a building. Don't be the first lightning strike fatality at USAKA.

MANIT MINUTE

Family Structure (part 1 of 4)

An old Marshallese saying, "Jitdam kapeel," advises that asking about your family relationships guarantees wisdom. In the island environment, everything from basic tasks such as gathering and cooking food to more labor intensive projects like building houses and canoes are only possible through group efforts. Knowing your family relations was, and in many cases still is, the basis of survival. For Marshallese, identities and obligations are based on their family unit, their family clan and their home island.

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: Surfway will not have enough food to accommodate residents' holiday meals.

A potential shortage was recognized by KRS Supply and needed items were identified. Rather than ship these out on the barge and risk missing the holiday season, USAKA and KRS have worked together to expedite an air shipment of these products. A push of goods will be arriving in the next few weeks.



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Guam spear fishermen convey message of safety, conservation

By Catherine Layton
Associate Editor

The Exchange brought out spear fishermen and One Breath business owners Ron Laguana II and Troy Williams from Guam to talk about the newly acquired spearfishing gear the Exchange has on the shelves. The discussion Nov. 12 at the Pacific Club was about proper rigging techniques for the products One Breath offers, including trolling lures, jigs, leaders, inflatable floats that serve as markers as well as flotation devices and spear fishing guns; but the message that was most focused was that of safety and conservation.

Laguana and Williams practice free diving, or breath hold diving. According to Laguana, free diving is a lot like bow hunting on land. "The average breath hold is about a minute, but with practice, you can work up to between two and two and a half minutes. We generally dive between 50 and 100 feet," said Laguana.

When spear fishing, it is especially important to have safety measures in place such as never diving alone, always keeping an eye on your buddy and incorporating the "one up, one down" method of diving: one diver is always near the surface watching while the other diver is spear fishing below.

Another point Laguana wanted to drive home was conservation of the oceans. "I just want to continue to show and perpetuate this technique of harvest and to pass on the word that there is another day. Take only what you can eat," he said. Along with abiding by local laws, 'take only what you will eat' is Laguana's mantra. "Spear fishing is a selective form of fishing - you know exactly what you are going to get - you see it before you spear it. It really is the most conservation-minded form of fishing," Laguana declares.

"Troy and I are competitive, active fisherman.



Photo by Catherine Layton

Troy Williams, left, and Ron Laguana II, visit Kwajalein to teach about their products carried at the Exchange and bring their message of safety and conservation to the sport of spear fishing.

"We compete professionally on a regular basis," he said. Laguana's world-class free diving spear fishing skills have earned him an invitation to compete at the La Paz World Cup Invitational Spear Fishing Championships the last two years, representing Guam. Laguana placed third in both competitions, battling more than 20 other spear fishermen from around the world.



Photo courtesy of Ron Laguana II

Ron Laguana displays a barracuda he captured in 2010 on a free dive spear fishing excursion.



Photo courtesy of Ron Laguana II

Ron Laguana stoned this black grouper right between the eyes while spear fishing near Guam.

Veterans celebrated, remembered

Article and photos by Sheila Gideon
Managing Editor

Living on an island where a battle was fought and lives were sacrificed makes Veteran's Day on Kwajalein quite special. It is a time to remember and honor veterans, past and present, who have and continue to sacrifice in service to our country.

Maj. Stephen Parrish hosted the ceremony this year and welcomed Kwajalein's veterans and distinguished guests. He briefly spoke of how Veteran's Day was originally coined Armistice Day; it was changed in 1954 to honor veterans of all wars.

The national anthems of the Republic of the Marshall Islands and the United States were played by the Kwajalein High School band under the direction of Dick Shields.

The Invocation was read aloud by Protestant Chaplain Jon Olson. "Today we give you thanks for our veterans. We thank you for their patriotism, commitment and selfless service. We also thank you today for our veterans' families and their sacrifices. We especially remember those who are in harm's way. We ask that you would bless them and bring them home safely."

Acting Commander Lt. Col. Chris-



American Legion Post 44 members deliver a three-volley salute at the Veteran's day ceremony at the flagpoles.

topher Mills took the podium to address the audience. "Today is the day that gives us time to remember all veterans that have served, who we can thank for the current freedoms we continue to celebrate today. ... It's not just U.S. citizens who place their lives on the line for our country; we as Soldiers have the privilege to serve alongside soldiers of many other nations as well.

Among our audience are families of U.S. servicemembers from the Marshall Islands who place themselves in harm's way in defense of our country. We are honored to have you here today." He thanked all veterans for the freedoms we enjoy today.

Mills then introduced the U.S. Ambassador to the Marshall Islands, the honorable Martha



Kwajalein residents Cynthia Rivera, left, Ray Drefus and Connie Greene pay their respects during the national anthems Nov. 11.



U.S. Ambassador to the Marshall Islands Martha Campbell delivers a speech at the Kwajalein Veteran's Day ceremony.

Campbell.

"I am very proud and honored to be speaking to you today," Campbell began. "Particularly on this auspicious Veteran's Day, 11-11-11." Campbell took a moment and asked all active duty military and veterans to stand for recognition and thanks. She then asked family members of veterans to stand and be recognized as well.

Campbell pointed out we celebrate Veteran's Day not on the anniversary of a great battle, but when war ended and peace was restored to our country. She said it was hard to imagine on such a beautiful day what it must have been like on Kwajalein in January 1944. The bombardment of Kwajalein and Roi-Namur by land, air and sea had begun. At the end of Operation Flintlock, 500 U.S. troops had lost their lives.

We are reminded every day of the war that happened here on Kwajalein – Japanese bunkers, sunken ships and planes, and the memorial plaque at the flagpoles.

"Since the liberation of the Marshall Islands, this country has continued a special and unique relationship with the United States. The people of the Marshall Islands have contributed to U.S. military efforts and global security in many ways. ... On behalf of my country, I want to give a special thank you to Marshallese active duty and veterans."

Alex Burnley, Thomas Greene,



Members of the Kwajalein Boy and Girl Scout Troops deliver the wreaths to be placed during the Veteran's Day ceremony Nov. 11.

Hannah Finley and Isaiah Parrish, members of Kwajalein Boy and Girl Scout Troops, came forward to hand off the wreaths for the Laying of Wreaths ceremony. The ceremony honors fallen comrades – those who answered their nation's call and literally gave all. Campbell and Mills were joined by Lisa Marks, of American Legion Post 44, and Amy LaCost, representing American Legion Post 44 Women's Auxiliary. A wreath was placed at the base of the Operation Flintlock memorial,

in front of the U.S. national colors, the colors of the Republic of the Marshall Islands and in front of the 2nd Raider Battalion memorial. Parrish finished the ceremony asking everyone to "humbly thank our veterans for answering the call to duty, especially those who fought and died here in the Marshall Islands. ... Let us never forget."

The American Legion Post 44 rifle squad fired a three-volley salute on the hill while "Taps" was played by high school senior Alex Shotts.

A photograph showing three people in an indoor setting. A man in a plaid shirt is presenting a framed collage to a man in a patterned shirt and a woman in a black dress. They are standing in front of several flags, including the American flag and the Republic of the Marshall Islands flag. A man in military uniform is seated in the background.

*Thank you
and farewell*

Todd Dirmeyer, center, and his wife Jackie recently departed Kwajalein. Joseph Moscone, USAKA deputy to the commander, presents the couple with a montage signed by coworkers Nov. 10 in the command conference room of building 730. Dirmeyer was commended for his efforts in getting USAKA named an Army Net Zero Energy installation during his year on Kwajalein.

Photo by Ruth Quigley

Pest control, personal protection key to avoiding dengue

By Ruth M. Quigley
 USAKA/RTS Public Affairs Officer

After an increase in cases of dengue fever found in the Marshall Islands, leaders and experts in the medical and environmental fields emphasized the mounting importance of controlling Kwajalein's mosquito population during a meeting at command headquarters here Thursday.

Although no cases have been found on Kwajalein, a case of dengue fever originating on Ebeye was reported. U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll Health System Specialist Sheralyn Zeto stressed that dengue is avoidable if precautions are taken.

"There are no known cases of dengue on Kwajalein and the more vigilant people are – use insect repellent, wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants – the less likely an outbreak will occur here," Zeto said.

Dr. James Morrow, chief medical officer at Kwajalein Hospital, said very young children are more susceptible, but anyone with a fever or other symptoms should call the hospital. Supplies are on hand to treat any possible cases, he said, and the Exchange has requested an additional air shipment of acetaminophen and repellents containing DEET.

On the environmental side, an entomologist from Army Public Health Command arrived on-island Wednesday and surveyed Kwajalein for mosquito havens Thursday. Maj. Peter Nunn was slated to come here in December but his visit was pushed forward in light of the recent outbreak on Majuro.

Nunn said he plans to work with Kwajalein Range Services pest management to "increase surveillance on island, ID places that need further treatment and emphasize preventative measures." Pest management has already increased its broad-based

mosquito spraying to twice a week, up from roughly once a quarter.

"Standing water isn't just in the residential areas. People need to monitor work areas in addition to the residential areas. The [Center for Disease Control] has a lot of info regarding dengue fever on its website, including methods of vector control," USAKA Environmental Engineer Anthony Hoover said.

USAKA has issued guidance to KRS that housing policies already in place are to be strictly enforced. Inspections of housing areas will be increased and residents violating policy will be notified.

"We are firmly behind KRS efforts in enforcing current housing policies regarding upkeep and maintenance. Therefore, residents must understand that we expect full compliance in order to ensure the well-being of the entire community, and will follow through with appropriate action as necessary," said Deputy to the Commander Joseph Moscone.

Host nation activities has already received requests for insecticide sprayers and other items and is working with the local government on Ebeye to support them.

"USAKA is ready to assist Ebeye with any requests for assistance related to dengue fever," Moscone said.

The government of the Marshall Islands originally reported the outbreak Oct. 21 with 60 cases. This number has grown to 600 but no deaths have been reported. An article with symptoms and other preventative measures appeared in the Oct. 29 *Hourglass*. This and copies of fact sheets from the CDC are available from USAKA public affairs or KRS media services:

More information:
www.cdc.gov/dengue
Majuro.usembassy.gov



Wednesday, Nov. 9

Wahines vs. Heaven Help Us: 25-20, 25-20
 Nothing But Net vs. Corder Pounders: 23-25, 25-21, 17-15
 SPAR 10s vs. Served With Ice: 24-26, 25-19, 15-6

Thursday, Nov. 10

Wahines vs. 8th Grade: 25-19, 25-15
 Dig It vs. Juniors B: 25-14, 25-11
 Floaters vs. Lift A. Hallics: 25-12, 25-13

Tuesday, Nov. 15

Nothing But Net vs. Seniors: 25-16, 25-13
 Served With Ice vs. Juniors A: 22-25, 25-17, 15-10
 Heaven Help Us vs. Jump and Bump: 25-21, 22-25, 18-16

Team Standings

TIDE POOL

Wahines	3-0
Jump and Bump	2-2
Heaven Help Us	2-1
7th Grade	1-2
8th Grade	0-3

OCEAN

Floaters	3-0
Served With Ice	2-2
SPAR 10s	2-1
Lift A. Hallics	1-2
Juniors A	0-3

LAGOON

Nothing But Net	4-0
Corder Pounders	2-1
Seniors	1-2
Dig It	1-2
Juniors B	0-3

(As of Nov. 15)

Runners earn meats, treats at Turkey Trot

Article and photos by Bob Sholar
KRC President

Kwajalein Running Club conducted the 2011 'Turkey Trot' 2-mile prediction run Monday. The event has a three decade history at Kwajalein.

Fifty-four runners, joggers and walkers submitted estimates of how long they would take to finish the course and then pocketed their watches before the race start. The course took them around the perimeter of Kwajalein's family housing district.

Some KRC events are grueling, but this one is plain fun! Kids of all ages participated, including kindergarteners Kiana Landers and Elaina Rowell. Two miles is a long way when you are five years old. Some children even younger than 5 traveled in strollers.

The race concept is to predict

one's time most accurately; speed doesn't matter. A silent finish line is maintained with no visible clocks (of course); finishers do not immediately know how they did. Results were quickly processed by the computer and three frozen solid turkeys in the about 20 pound class were presented post race in what is traditionally an excitement-packed ceremony under Emon Pavilion. Several other lesser meat awards were also presented for notable performances.

Eleven percent of the field was comprised of the Rowell family: Richard, Heidi, Evan, Carson, Lanston and Elaina; earning them the Spam award – two 12 ounce cans of Spam...turkey Spam to be exact.

The first physical finisher was Kwajalein High School senior Shawn Brady in 12 minutes, 44 seconds, just 7 seconds ahead of Shawn Hebert.



Avid runner Jon Jahnke attempts to win a turkey at the KRC race Monday.



Ashlee Skinner concentrates on maintaining the speed she predicted for the Turkey Trot Monday.



All ages participate in the Turkey Trot, even 9-year-old Julia Sholar, center.



Randy Sliva and Kaya Landers keep a steady pace during the Turkey Trot.

Award	Name	Prediction Time	Actual Time	Difference
1st place Turkey	Michael Sykes	15:26	15:24	-0:02
2nd place Turkey	Linn Ezell	24:45	24:43	-0:02
3rd place Turkey	Anne Jahnke	20:55	20:51	-0:04
Hot Dogs	Shawn Brady	12:20	12:24	+0:24 (first finisher)
Potted Meat Food	Amy LaCost	38:12	40:54	+2:42 (last finisher)
Spam	Rowell family of 6	-	-	(most from one family)
Chicken	Meagan Aljure	25:15	25:06	-0:09 (just missed a turkey)
Chicken	Shawn Hebert	13:00	12:51	-0:09 (just missed a turkey)
Chicken	John Sholar	14:39	14:30	-0:09 (just missed a turkey)
Cranberry Sauce	Rich Westhoff	21:15	21:26	+0:11 (just missed a turkey)
Stuffing	Treva Nelson	24:00	19:08	-4:52 (bested estimate by most)
Bologna	Kaile'a Moseley	19:34	37:01	+17:27 (missed estimate by most)
Cornish Hen	Kiana Landers	32:00	31:46	-0:14 (youngest finisher, age 5)

The stockings were hung with care

By Kim Yarnes
Community Activities Manager

There are many holiday traditions here on island that are unique only to Kwaj. One of the lesser known traditions is the Coral Bachelor Quarters stockings. Started in 2004 by a little elf who hung men's white socks filled with treats outside the doors of the third floor BQ rooms, the tradition has grown. Now residents of the Coral BQ have been hanging stockings outside their doors during the month of December for the last seven years. Friends and neighbors drop small gifts in the stockings all month long, many waiting until Dec. 24, so when Christmas morning comes, the stockings are brimming with treats. When I lived in the Coral BQ, the stockings were a highlight of the holiday season and I looked forward to checking the toe when I came home every day. This year, with funding from the Quality of Life Committee, this tradition will be shared with all BQ residents. Stockings will be placed on the residents' doors in every BQ by Dec. 1. Residents wishing to participate should leave their stocking hung until Dec. 25; those opting out, just take them down. All island residents can get in on the fun by becoming little elves and stuffing nice surprises into the stockings.

Other holiday traditions to look forward to:

- Nov. 26: • 44th Annual Santa's Arrival and Tree Lighting
- Visit with Santa at the Exchange
- The Exchange's Black Saturday Sale
- Dec. 11: • Holiday Double Feature at the Rich
- Dec. 13: • Hobby Shop Open House
- Dec. 21: • KSC Scuba Santa
- Dec. 25: • Stray Dog Christmas Party



DISPATCH FROM ROI



Rene Preneveau submitted this photo of ALTAIR for a Roi-Namur photo contest this summer.

Product Recall

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission announced a recall of the Wii battery recharge station by Griffin International due to burn and fire hazards. The recall was issued Aug. 11, 2009.

The specific product listed for fire hazards is the Psychone Essentials and React Wii 4-Dock Battery Recharge Stations. The recall stated, "The battery pack can overheat, posing a burn or fire hazard to the consumer."

Consumers should immediately stop using these recharge stations and contact Griffin International to obtain information on how to return the product and receive a free replacement.



View from Kwaj

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



From Noel Nantara



From Kim Parker



From Kim Parker



From Col. Joseph Gaines



From Cherie O'Brien



From Sheila Gideon



From Jane Erekson



From John Breen

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 aid, medical office, substitute teacher and HR temp pool office support. Questions, Call 54916.

PATIO SALE

TODAY, 2-6 p.m., quarters 496-A back patio, inside if it rains. Men's and women's clothes, TV and stand, couches, items for BQ living, kitchen and bathroom items, movie posters.

MONDAY, 7-11 a.m., quarters 128-B. PCS sale. Clothing, microwave, beach chairs, plants, scuba sets, bookcases, ladder, DVD towers.

MONDAY, 7:30-11:30 a.m., quarters 213-B.

MONDAY, 8-11 a.m., quarters 460-A. Christmas decorations, dishes, linens, clothing and movies.

SATURDAY, NOV. 26, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., quarters 122-B back patio. Crib, bassinet, toys, clothes, bouncer, baby shoes and sandals.

FOUND

ONE TEMPERED GLASS U.S. Divers lens at Emon Beach. Contact Florence at 51236.

Religious Services

Catholic

5:30 p.m., Saturday, Small Chapel
9:15 a.m., Sunday, Island Memorial Chapel
9 a.m., Friday, Island Memorial Chapel,
Thanksgiving Mass

Protestant

8 and 11 a.m., Sunday, Island Memorial Chapel
Roi-Namur service at 7 p.m., Friday

Baptist

9:40 a.m., Sunday, Elementary School
Music Room

Latter-day Saints

10 a.m., Sunday, CRC Room 3

Jewish

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

LOST

BLACK TRANSITIONS bifocals at Shaving Cream Social. Call 53349 or 53787 and leave a message.

WANTED

HOUSE OR BQ for visiting parents Dec. 10-28. Will take care of pets and plants. Call John or Kimm at 52535.

LADIES BICYCLE, good condition, needed immediately, preferably a Sun. Call 51293 and leave a message.

ADULT TRICYCLE for visiting parent Jan. 24 to Feb. 2. Will pay or buy for use. Contact Florence at 51236.

MATERNITY CLOTHES, especially skirts, casual dresses and shorts. Call 55607 or 54932.

HOUSE SITTING opportunity for visiting mother this December holiday season. Call 52680.

HOUSE FOR visiting father Jan. 3-16. Call 54125.

FOR SALE

SONY 200 disc CD changer with remote, \$50. Call 51534.

SHERWOOD BCD, small/medium, new, \$175; volcano-style Maui Jim sunglasses, like new, \$130; women's rollerblades, size 7-8, \$35; nautical shelf, matching sailboat valance, new, great for boy's room, \$25 and Rubbermaid trailer, good condition, \$25. Call 55590 or 53417.

FUJIFILM FINEPIX Z10 7.2MP digital camera, mint condition, includes all original connections, hard case, software suite and memory card, \$80. Call Jeff at 51952.

PCS SALE. Complete home theater system, available January, \$1,200; dive scooter, \$500; ScubaPro Lawyhawk BCD, size medium, \$100; 10x20 awning, \$100; 8x10 awning, \$50; tall book case, \$30; locking file cabinet, \$20 and large carpet for two bedroom, 400-series house living room, \$50. Call 52243.

2009 BEST NEMISIS 12-meter kite with bar and lines, \$600; windsurfing gear: booms, masts, boards, prices negotiable and Liquid Force wakeboard and bindings, \$250. Call Jobe at 53851.

CAL 20 SAILBOAT, on mooring, good condition, \$3,500 and aluminum "Wheel-a-Weigh" dinghy launching wheels, lock in the up or down position, \$80. Call 51357 or 50617.

TEMPORARY place to stay in Huntsville: mostly furnished three bedroom, two bath house located in Hazel Green, 2,600 square feet, in-ground pool, oversized garage, one acre lot, good schools, 30 minutes to Arsenal, available on a month to month basis. Call 53771 for additional details.

YAMAHA 21-FOOT BOAT, twin 2010 50 HP Honda four-stroke motors, 36 gallon fuel tanks, new VHF, trailer, spares, and boat lot 80, fast, fuel-efficient for fishing or diving, \$25,000. Call 52243.

LADIES LARGE BC, Aqua Lung, Diva XLT with air source, \$225 and men's large Sherwood Avid BC, \$250. Both in excellent shape. Call 54365 after work.

MCGREGOR 26-FOOT motor/sail boat, Wind Watcher, includes mooring and boat shack, trailerable with dagger board, excellent for shallow water, \$4,500. Contact Cheri or Monte at 52674.

SONY Bravia 47-inch LCD TV with glass entertainment stand, \$1,000; white faux wood blinds for entire 400 series house, \$200; Sony surround sound with five-disc DVD changer and wireless rear speakers, \$250; dehumidifier, \$40 and black coffee table, \$25. Call Scott at 52405 or come by quarters 468-B.

MEN'S SHORTS, size 36, men's shirts, XL, \$2; Cuisinart thermal carafe coffee maker, \$10; office chair, \$20; corner computer desk, \$40; small Rubbermaid storage cabinet, \$20; floor lamp, \$5; bamboo vertical blinds, four panel, for new housing patio door, \$40; Hampton Bay, 5-blade, indoor fan with light, \$35; three-shelf, white wood end table, \$5; prom dresses, \$20-50; Scuba Pro Lady Hawk BC, \$225; Scuba Pro Mark 25/X650 regulator set, just serviced, \$250; Atomic fins, size medium, \$50; men's XXL .5 mil suit, like new, \$20; Scuba Pro Classic BC, \$50; Ben Hogan golf club set, \$45 and wall mounted corner desk/shelf, white laminate, \$20. Call 52479.

ROSEWOOD FURNITURE: dining table with 10 chairs, buffet hutch, writing desk, king-size bed frame with head and foot board, men's chest of drawers, women's dresser and mirror. Contact Maria Elena Curtiss at 53925.

TV, 20 INCH, \$50; aerobic step, new, \$25; school bus play tent, \$10; men's roller blades, size 8.5, \$40; K'nex roller coaster, \$25 and Hunter air purifier, new, \$30. Call 51815.

SONY TRINITRON 27-INCH TV and entertainment center with glass front and lots of storage, \$400 or best offer and Cuisinart electric ice cream maker, used twice, \$30. Call Tammy at 51229 days or 52501 in the evening.

PROLINE 23-FOOT power boat with Suzuki 250 HP (low hours), 15 HP Mercury kicker, aluminum hardtop, aluminum trailer, big shack with boat cover, fast, sturdy, in great shape for diving, fishing or cruising, \$42,000. Call Tyler at work, 52010, or home, 52371.

CHEST FREEZER, great condition, 4x2.4x3 feet, \$200. Call Chris at 53764.

QUEEN-SIZE mattress and box spring, \$300. Call 52674.

ORIENTAL RUG, 5x8 feet, beige tones, \$115; computer desk with above desk shelves and printer stand, \$25; 3-speed cable, new, \$10; Sun bike crank bearing, new \$10; solid oak bench with cushion, \$30 and rope lights, 75 feet, \$15. Call 51889.

MICROWAVE, \$40; beach and camp chairs, \$5 each; assorted plants, \$5 each; Scuba gear, women's small Libra with dive computer, \$600; two cherry wood bookcases, \$15 each, DVD tower, \$5 and ladder, \$10. Call 52200.

PCS SALE. Twin-size loft, \$100; piano, wood, good shape, \$200; Omni directional TV antenna, new, tall mast, \$100; roller blades, women's size 9, like new, \$30; crock pot, \$10; overstuffed love seat, wood trim, \$75; Samsung flat screen computer monitor, \$25; women's bikes, \$50 each; plastic patio table

Café Pacific

Lunch

Sunday Brunch Station Open Beef Brisket Tandouri Chicken	Monday Brunch Station Open Pork Cutlet Ham Marco Polo	Tuesday Beef Meatballs Broiled Chicken Breast Roasted Red Potatoes	Wednesday Country Fried Steak Kung Pao Chicken Southern Potatoes	Thursday Bombay Chicken Vegetable Ragu Greek Lemon Rice Soup	Friday Chilled Tiger Shrimp Rack of Lamb Steamed Crab Legs	Nov. 26 Kwaj Fried Chicken Beef Tips Buttered Egg Noodles
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Dinner

Sunday Roast Pork Butt Spicy Buffalo Wings Broiled Potatoes	Monday Teriyaki Beef Steak Sweet and Sour Chicken Ginger Rice Pilaf	Tuesday Herb Baked Chicken Beef Curry Au Gratin Potatoes	Wednesday Carved Flank Steak Pasta ala Pesto Texas BBQ	Thursday Salisbury Steak Chicken Stew Macaroni and Cheese	Friday Chef's Choice Limited Menu	Nov. 26 Short Rib Stew Fajita Chicken Roasted Potatoes
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and chairs, \$20 and \$5; beach chairs, \$5; artificial Christmas tree, \$25; pots and pans, \$40; Magic Bullet, \$20; lamps, \$15; rope lights, \$10; Hyperlite wakeboard, \$20; pillow-top twin mattress cover, \$20; twin comforter, pink, \$15; 12-inch disco ball, \$25 and large rope Christmas window light, \$50. Call 53680.

SONY BRAVIA TV, 46 inch, \$650; Jeep jogging stroller, \$50 and wood-frame futon, queen-size, \$200. Call 53119.

IBANEZ ELECTRIC guitar with hard-shell case and Marshall 30 watt amplifier, \$200. Call 54165.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER is from 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m., tonight, at the Ocean View Club. Come out for an evening of cocktails and dancing to the beats of DJ Panama.

GALACTIC ATOLL BOWL is from 7-11 p.m., tonight. Cost is \$2 for shoes and \$2 for games. Adults only. Bring your beverages and friends, we'll bring the rave.

KARAOKE NIGHT at the Ocean View Club is canceled Sunday.

LIVE CHRISTMAS TREES are being pre-sold at the high school office for \$70. Call 52011 for information.

KWAJALEIN SPORTS ASSOCIATION will hold a Sports Extravaganza from noon until 5 p.m., Sunday, at Brandon Field. Contact Tarah Yurovchak, Masina McCollum, Kenny Leines, Anne Dowell or Eva Seelye for more information.

CHRISTMAS WREATH will be on sale Monday on the Exchange porch to support Kwajalein Cub Scout Pack 135. Contact Dawn Gray at 52515 or e-mail her in global.

AMATEUR Radio Club testing session will be at 7 p.m., Tuesday, at the radio shack. The cost of the test session will be \$15 cash or check. Bring proof of identification and a cleared calculator if needed.

KRS/CMSI/BAI health and welfare benefits annual open enrollment deadline is at midnight, Tuesday. No changes will be accepted after this date unless you have a qualifying event. Employees must go online at www.fcebenefits.com to change your benefits or have them remain the same. If no selection is made, it will default to the HRA plan. Questions, contact Health Benefits at 50939 or 51888.

CAFÉ PACIFIC hours of operation this Friday: breakfast: 7-8:30 a.m.; Thanksgiving holiday buffet: 11 a.m.- 3:30 p.m. for meal card holders, 12:30-3:30 p.m. for all others; dinner: limited menu, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

BIRTHDAY BASH at 8 p.m., Nov. 26, at the Ocean View. Sign up at KRS retail office by Wednesday. Must be 21 years old. Complimentary drinks, DJ and cake for registered participants. Contact Maria at 58228.

THERE WILL BE NO Bingo Thursday due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

CAFÉ PACIFIC will host a Thanksgiving buffet Friday. They will be offer a beef and lamb carving station, crab legs, roasted turkey, ham, mahi-mahi, pasta, chilled seafood bar, cheese bar, salads, fresh fruits and dessert. The cost is \$24.95 for adults and \$11.95 for

children under 12.

THANKSGIVING DINNER is being hosted by Christian Women's Fellowship at 1 p.m., Friday, in the REB. Families and singles are welcome to attend. Don't spend Thanksgiving alone. Bring your favorite side dish. Call Amy at 52681 for details and to R.S.V.P.

HOURS OF OPERATION for after Thanksgiving sales Nov. 26: PXtra: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Shoppette (Express): 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

THE DOWNTOWN AREA will be closed to traffic at 9 a.m., Nov. 26, throughout the rest of the day. Plan an alternate route. Ensure your bikes or personal property are removed from the downtown bike racks prior to that time.

CAUTION: the downtown area will be under construction today through Nov. 30 in support of the 44th Annual Tree Lighting event and the Exchange's Black Saturday sale. Use caution when transiting this area.

MANDATORY MONTHLY island orientation is from 12:30-4:30 p.m., Nov. 30, at CAC room 6. Arrive 10 minutes early to sign in and be seated. This is required for all new island residents, but not recommended for dependent children under age 10. For questions, call KRS ES&H at 51134.

PASSPORT PHOTO session is from 3-4 p.m., Dec. 1 at USAKA HQ, Building 730, Room 124. Cost is \$10 per set. Passport agent will be unavailable until January 2012. If you or your family members' passports expire within 6 months, you need to attend. If you require DS-11 application processing, you must see the passport agent on Dec. 3. Passport applications are located at the side entrance to building 730. Call Nelda at 53417.

THE ANNUAL Mother and Son Tropical Luau Party will be from 4:30-7:30 p.m., Dec. 5, at the youth center. All elementary-age boys and their mothers are invited. Contact Heidi Rowell at 51576 with any questions.

FROM 4:30-6 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, now until Dec. 15, the first hole tee box and driving range is closed to the public in support of the CYSS golf program. Golfers wishing to play should start at the third hole tee box.

KRS CATERING SERVICES is accepting holiday party reservations. For reservations contact Darren Moore at 53445, Ted Glyn at 53338, or Maria Elena Curtiss at 58228.

INSTRUCTORS are needed for the ASVAB Preparation Course. It is designed to assist young Marshallese adults with aspirations of joining the U.S. military to achieve desirable results on the ASVAB. Teaching experience is preferred, but not required. A coordination meeting is at 5 p.m., Nov. 19, at the USAKA HQ, Building 730, Room 124. Contact Michael Sakaio or Bill White in global if you are interested in this truly rewarding activity.

SAFELY SPEAKING. Allow one day for each five pounds of turkey to thaw in the refrigerator. Never thaw your turkey on the kitchen counter. Wash your hands with hot, soapy water before and after handling raw poultry. Wash knives, cutting boards and utensils before and after contact with raw poultry. Have a safe



Military Casualties

Pfc. Cody R. Norris, 20, of Houston, died Nov. 9 in Kandahar province, Afghanistan, of wounds suffered when enemy forces attacked his unit with small arms fire. He was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 34th Armor Regiment, 1st Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, Fort Riley, Kan.

Pfc. Theodore B. Rushing, 25, of Longwood, Fla., died Nov. 11 in Kandahar Province, Afghanistan, of wounds suffered when enemy forces attacked his unit with an improvised explosive device. He was assigned to the 3rd Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment; 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division (Light), Fort Drum, N.Y.

Sgt. 1st Class Johnathan B. McCain, 38, of Apache Junction, Ariz., died Nov. 13 in Kandahar province, Afghanistan, of injuries suffered after encountering an improvised explosive device while on mounted patrol. He was assigned to the 1st Battalion, 5th Infantry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division, Fort Wainwright, Alaska.

Spc. Calvin M. Pereda, 21, of Fayetteville, N.C., died Nov. 12 in Kandahar province, Afghanistan, of injuries suffered after encountering an improvised explosive device while on dismounted patrol. He was assigned to the 1st Battalion, 5th Infantry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division, Fort Wainwright, Alaska.

and happy Thanksgiving from your ES&H staff.

E-TALK. It is easy to keep our island clean. Pick up trash and dispose of it properly and encourage others to do the same. Try setting an example.

HAND SAFETY. Never dispose used razor blades, broken glass, or other sharp objects in regular trash cans. Keep a metal can specifically for disposal of sharp objects.

<i>Café Roi</i>						
Lunch						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Nov. 26
Citrus Coriander	Braised Steak	Beef Pasticio	Tuna Melts	Grilled Peanut Butter	French Toast	Beef Tacos
Roast Pork	Baked Chicken	Eggplant Zucchini	Salisbury Steak	Huli Huli Chicken	Ham Quiche	Chicken Chimichangas
Coconut Basil Chicken	Quiche Florentine	Ratatouille	Mashed Potatoes	Rosted Potatoes	Baked Chicken	Refried Beans
Dinner						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Nov. 26
Shoyu Chicken	Chicken Dumplings	Pulled Pork	Chef's Choice Chicken	Fried Chicken	Thanksgiving Dinner	Tri-Tip Steak
Kahlua Pork	Broiled Brisket	Roast Cod	Baked Potatoes	Beef Stroganoff		Grilled Ahi Tuna
Spicy Asian Noodles	Potatoes	Red Beans and Rice	Vegetable of the Day	Parsleyed Noodles		Mushroom Risotto

Community Activities Presents...

The 44th Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony and Santa's Arrival

5 p.m. - Santa arrives at the small boat marina. Remember: bikes, rollerblades, scooters and skateboards are not allowed in the parade.

5:15 p.m. - Santa's Parade: Follow along with the Santa Mobile to the downtown area for the annual tree lighting ceremony.

6:15 p.m. - 44th annual Tree Lighting Ceremony

7 p.m. - Community Band Concert featuring holiday favorites and a block party. Enjoy food and drinks for sale by KRS retail services and the Exchange will be grilling.

7 p.m. - Cake Walk sponsored by Girl Talk

7 - 8:30 p.m. - Visit with Santa and crafts in the Exchange

8 p.m. - Pure Polynesia followed by DJ Panama

9 p.m. - The Exchange stores open for 'Black Saturday' sales featuring holiday specials, wine tasting and more.

November 26 Downtown Kwajalein



Thanksgiving Hours of Operation

	Friday, Nov. 25
Emon Beach	Buddy system
All other beaches	Buddy system
CRC	Closed
ARC	9 a.m.-midnight
Bowling Center	Closed
Golf Course	Sunrise to sunset
Comm. Act. Office	Closed
Country Club	Closed
Hobby Shop	Closed
Library	Closed
Adult pool	Buddy system
Family pool	Closed
Small Boat Marina	Closed
Roi Marina	Closed
Surfway	11 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Thursday Closed Friday
Laundry	Closed
Beauty/Barber	Closed
Sunrise Bakery	Closed
Ocean View Club	4:30-11 p.m.
Post Office Kwaj	Closed
Post Office Roi	Closed
Shoppette (Express)	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Pxtra	Closed
Roi Exchange	10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Burger King	Closed
Subway	Closed
Anthony's Pizza	Closed
Baskin Robbins	Closed
American Eatery	Closed
Community Bank	Closed
Outrigger Snack Bar	Closed
Outrigger Bar	5-11 p.m.

Weather

Courtesy of RTS Weather

Sunday: Partly sunny, 10 percent showers. Winds: ENE-E at 7 - 12 knots.
 Monday: Partly sunny, 10 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 4 - 9 knots.
 Tuesday: Mostly sunny, <10 percent showers. Winds: NE-E at 6 - 11 knots.
 Wednesday: Partly sunny, 10 percent showers. Winds: NE-E at 8 - 13 knots.
 Thursday: Partly sunny, 10 percent showers. Winds: ENE-E at 9 - 14 knots.
 Friday: Partly sunny, 20 percent showers. Winds: ENE-ESE at 7 - 12 knots.

Annual total: 105.07 inches
 Annual deviation: + 24.65 inches

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

	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Sunday	6:43 a.m./6:26 p.m.	1:28 a.m./1:54 p.m.		5:33 a.m., 0.6' 12:03 p.m., 3.0'
Monday	6:44 a.m./6:26 p.m.	2:22 a.m./2:41 p.m.	12:14 a.m., 3.2'	6:06 p.m., 0.3' 1:08 p.m., 3.5'
Tuesday	6:44 a.m./6:26 p.m.	3:17 a.m./3:31 p.m.	1:22 a.m., 3.4'	7:34 a.m., 0.0' 1:58 p.m., 4.1'
Wednesday	6:44 a.m./6:26 p.m.	4:15 a.m./4:24 p.m.	2:16 a.m., 3.7'	8:20 a.m., -0.3' 2:43 p.m., 4.6'
Thursday	6:45 a.m./6:26 p.m.	5:16 a.m./5:21 p.m.	3:05 a.m., 3.8'	9:03 a.m., -0.6' 3:26 p.m., 5.0'
Friday	6:45 a.m./6:26 p.m.	6:20 a.m./6:21 p.m.	3:49 a.m., 3.9'	9:44 a.m., -0.7' 4:07 p.m., 5.2'
Nov. 26	6:46 a.m./6:26 p.m.	7:23 a.m./7:23 p.m.	4:31 a.m., 3.8'	10:24 a.m., -0.7' 4:47 p.m., 5.2'