

THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS



A member of the Marshall Islands War-Bereaved Families Association pays respect to his ancestors who perished during World War II at Roi-Namur.

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Photo by Sheila Gideon

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MANIT MINUTE

Rainbows are a common sight in Majuro. Local legend tells that the expression “iaKwe!” (You are a rainbow) once developed into the traditional Marshallese greeting, “lokwe yuk,” which means “Love to you.”

A Veteran’s Administration Representative will be on Kwajalein to consult and answer questions for interested personnel.

The representative will be available for consultation from **1-4:30 p.m., March 28; 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4:30 p.m., March 29**; location will be in Building 730 (HQ building), Small Conference Room 135. Call 51404 or 54848 for further information.

Thumbs Up!



... to Tim Dralle, a new fire-fighter on Kwajalein. On Monday, a scuba rescue class was being conducted on Emon Beach. Prior to the start of the exercise involving a “near drowning victim,” the lifeguards and all personnel on the beach were notified that it was not a real emergency. When “the victim” was pulled from the water and rescue breaths provided, Dralle was riding his bike past Emon Beach and jumped in to help, not knowing it was a drill. He had only been on Kwaj for 48 hours. It goes to show the good character of people we have on Kwaj.

... to two very special young men who demonstrated what true friendship is. You are a treasure!

... to Mandie Morris and Community Activities, Karen Brady, Krystal Peterson and Nikki Delisio for the Wellness Wednesday classes last month. The classes were diverse and taught us a lot about fitness and overall wellness. Thank you!

Thumbs Down

... to people who don’t mind their own business. You know why.

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USAKA prepares for potential weather disaster with island evacuation exercise

By Sheila Gideon
Managing Editor

Living on a remote tropical island affords us many opportunities and privileges for our mission and lifestyle. However, the fact that Kwajalein and Roi-Namur are located in the middle of the Pacific leaves us vulnerable to certain weather concerns. For this reason, U.S. Army Kwajalein Atoll emergency operations management team coordinated an emergency evacuation exercise on Kwajalein and Roi-Namur Feb. 28. The exercise simulated a typhoon warning that eventually led to an evacuation for all island residents.

AFN Roller and Crawler announcements published “prepare to evacuate” messages to the community beginning at 2 p.m. This was to give residents time to pack a “go bag” and get their family members and pets ready to evacuate. At 6:30 p.m., the “prepare to evacuate” siren was blasted, followed by radio announcements alerting residents of the pending weather watch. At 7 p.m., the “evacuate to shelters” siren sounded, followed by radio, Roller and Crawler messages. At that time, residents were required to move to their designated shelters. At 7:50 p.m., the “all clear” siren was sounded, ending the exercise.

USAKA Emergency Operations Manager, Maj. Luke Koerschner, was very satisfied with the outcome of the exercise. “I think the cooperation by the residents went well,” Koerschner said. “The EOC (Emergency Operations Center) team worked well together.”

The focus this year was to train new residents on what actions they would need to take in an emergency. There was also focus on making sure the boats at the marina could be crewed; if there was a real typhoon, some of the vessels may be moved out to sea, rather than left tied off on the pier. The other focus was accountability. Kwajalein Range Services managers forecasted where employees would

be, whether it was a shelter, hard housing or Bachelors Quarters. Koerschner was impressed with the accuracy of accountability of employees this year.

“KRS did a very good job of forecasting where their employees would go,” he said. “We were very pleased with how accountability went.” Next time, the team will concentrate on combining numbers from KRS and USAKA so they can better forecast total numbers for each mass shelter. There were 48 residents who evacuated to the Dental Clinic, 85 to the High School, 102 to Building 602 and two at the Religious Education Building.

The priority for Kwajalein Police Department was to check the accountability at the BQs. Their second objective was to check family housing for Occupants Evacuated and Identified forms that should have been displayed on quarters. This was executed well, Koerschner said, but there were some lessons learned. There was supposed to be a sign-up sheet on the second floor for those BQ residents who needed to evacuate from the first floor. The sign-up sheet was mistakenly put on the first floor, so not as many BQ residents signed in as expected.

There were several other lessons learned from the exercise.

“One consideration is to rezone so that we have fewer people going to the dental clinic,” Koerschner said. Another consideration is to have more rigid plans for where people will go. For changes like this to happen, there needs to be an edit to the emergency evacuation plan in the phonebook; they might wait to make these changes when another edition of the phonebook is scheduled to be printed.

There was uncertainty last year concerning pets at the mass shelters. This year, it was advertised that pets were allowed, but had to be transported in a kennel. This year, nobody brought pets, kenneled or otherwise, to the shelters at all. “The upside is that we didn’t have a problem,” Koerschner commented. “The downside is that we

really didn’t rehearse how to evacuate our pets.”

Other confusion this year had to do with knowing what the sirens meant and the radio announcements. Some residents evacuated at the first siren that indicated “prepare to evacuate” instead of waiting for the second siren. Radio messages played beginning at 3 p.m., but were requested prematurely by the EOC staff, Koerschner said. The radio message indicated that the “prepare to evacuate” siren had sounded; that siren actually sounded at 6:30 p.m. The messages were discontinued until that time, but had already confused some residents. Next year, the EOC team will look more closely at the community announcements and the timing of when they are aired.

Roi was not included to the level originally planned. “We tried to include Roi, but we didn’t incorporate them as much as we would like to,” commented Koerschner. Since all Roi residents live in BQs, their exercise simply consists of moving first floor residents to the second floor. Next time, Koerschner is considering sending someone to Roi to evaluate their rehearsal.

Overall, the exercise was a success. “I think it was a good exercise, especially for people who are new,” Koerschner said. “This was my first exercise, too. So, not only were the residents learning, but also the new emergency operations center staff.”

Even though most of the weather events that would hit USAKA would afford a few days notice, future evacuation exercises will still be conducted to increase readiness. Future exercises may be done as often as twice a year and will most likely happen in October, which is the beginning of typhoon season. There may even be a full-scale evacuation exercise in the future that spans over several days.

Feedback on this year’s exercise has been provided by the shelter wardens, but Koerschner invites all residents to offer feedback on the exercise. Email any comments to luke.e.koerschner.mil@mail.mil.

Japanese bereavement group mourns loss of their ancestors during WWII

Article and photos by Sheila Gideon
Managing Editor

Every year, members of the Marshall Islands War-Bereaved Families Association visit Kwajalein and Roi-Namur to honor and mourn their Japanese ancestors who perished during Operation Flintlock in World War II.

This year, a group of 14 visited the Japanese cemeteries on Kwajalein and Roi-Namur Tuesday. They built a shrine in front of each memorial filled with fruit, beverages, photos and personal letters. They burned incense as they prayed and sang to remember their loved ones. On Roi, they collected sand from the beach and visited the old Japanese Headquarters Building used during the war.

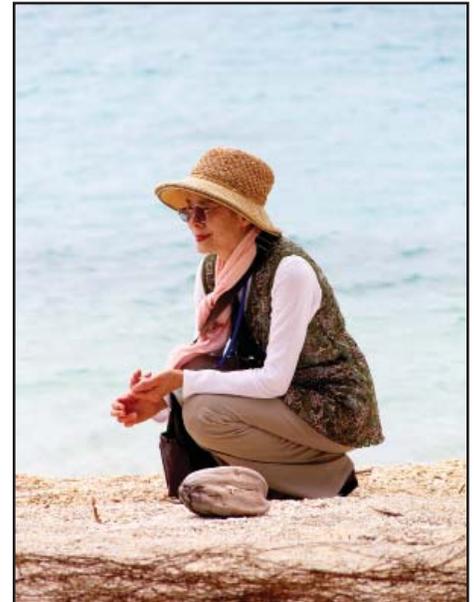
Many of those visiting were just babies when their fathers lost their

lives defending Kwajalein and Roi-Namur. One man brought a photo of himself as a baby, sitting with his mother and father right before he left for the war.

Col. Shannon Boehm showed command support by escorting the group to the cemetery on Kwajalein, while Lt. Col. Dean Wiley accompanied the group to Roi.

The group departed Wednesday, but a second, larger group is scheduled to visit next week.

The front of the memorial stone on Kwajalein depicts squares that represent each prefecture in Japan. Each square is made from minerals specific to each region. The back of the stone reads, "In memory of those gallant men who fought and died for their country at the Marshall and Gilbert Islands during the second World War. May they lie in peace."



A Japanese woman collects sand from the beaches of Roi-Namur to remember her ancestors who perished there during WWII.



A Japanese man lights incense at the Japanese Cemetery memorial on Roi-Namur Tuesday.



A member of the Marshall Islands War-Bereaved Families Association shows a photo to Lt. Col. Dean Wiley from when he was a baby, before his father went off to fight in WWII.



Two Japanese women pray for their loved ones who perished during WWII at a shrine built at the Japanese Cemetery on Roi-Namur. The ladies are part of the Marshall Islands War-Bereaved Families Association group who visited Tuesday.

The four major wars in which American women served after World War II can be split into two pairs. Korea and Vietnam were conflicts fought in Asian countries divided by the politics of the Cold War. The Persian Gulf War and the conflicts in Afghanistan and Iraq were fought in the Middle East and grew out of tensions over aggression in that region and, in the latter instance, the 9/11 attacks. For women, the first two wars signaled few advances in their roles in military service, but in the two recent wars, the areas of women's participation expanded immensely, with potentially more dire consequences.

Women's History Month 2013

Women in the Military



Lee Lane in uniform, sitting inside doorway of a helicopter [October 2004]

War: Afghanistan and Iraq Wars, 2001-present

Branch: Army

Unit: Illinois Army National Guard
Service Location: Chicago, Illinois; Balad, Iraq

Rank: Chief Warrant Officer 2

Place of Birth: Illinois

A lifelong adventurer, Lee Lane joined the military to become a helicopter pilot. The first female helicopter pilot in her Illinois National Guard unit, she spent her time overseas zooming across the Iraqi countryside, 50 feet above the ground. Unlike many Soldiers in Iraq who were stationed only in one or two locations, her role as a pilot afforded her a unique, ever-changing view of the country's varied terrain and diverse population. "It's the only time I've ever had where I had one thing to think about and nothing else to worry about."



Mary Weiss Hester as a flight nurse, tending to a wounded patient aboard a C-47 [1953]

War: Korean War, 1950-1953

Branch: Air Force

Unit: 801st Medical Air Evacuation Squadron (MAES); 90th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing

Service Location: Scott Air Force Base (AFB), Illinois; Lowry AFB, Colorado; Montgomery, Alabama; Los Angeles, California; Tokyo, Japan; Korea; Forbes AFB, Kansas

Rank: First Lieutenant

Place of Birth: Indiana

In 1950, Mary Weiss, who had never been more than 40 miles from her Indiana home, decided to join the Air Force, then recruiting students at her nursing school. Her desire to travel was fulfilled after she signed up for flight school and became a flight nurse, logging over 760 hours between Japan and Korea during her 14 months abroad. She also met her future husband, Kenneth Hester, in flight school, and they were married in Tokyo while still in the service. "I was glad to serve. My father had served in World War I. My brother was in World War II in the Army Air Force. He said, 'If you're going to join the service, join the Air Force.'"



Major Clara Johnson, Vietnam [1969]

War: Korean War, 1950-1953; Vietnam War, 1961-1975

Branch: Air Force

Service Location: Lackland Air Force Base (AFB) and Brooks Field, Texas; Cheyenne, Wyoming; Sealand, Wales; Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio; Ramstein Air Base, Germany; Griffiss AFB, New York; also: Vietnam

Rank: Major

Place of Birth: Mississippi

In 1950, Clara "Chris" Johnson was a theatrical designer with limited prospects when she decided that the Air Force would provide her with a steady income. Her initial impression of her female colleagues confirmed that she was going to be judged solely on her abilities and not on the color of her skin. She survived a rigorous stint at Officers Candidate School and a year in Vietnam, and got to retire at an age young enough to have a second career in academia. "I was always impressed with my female colleagues in that I was the only person of color and they were readily accepting of me."

From www.loc.gov

Men's Results

Name	Division	Time
Michael Sykes	Grade 9	5:22
David Sholar	Grade 9	5:43
Sam Jahnke	Grade 9	5:52
Jon Jahnke	Seniors	5:53
Matt Brown	Adult	5:56
Matt Sova	Adult	5:59
Jay Rowe	Adult	6:11
Rich Ereksen	Masters	6:18
Ben Bartyzel	Seniors	6:21
Wyatt Jones	Grade 9	6:28
Khalil Griffin	Grade 5	6:32
Scott Wright	Masters	6:39
Chad Sykes	Grade 7	6:51
Cameron Jones	Grade 7	6:52
Wes Kirk	Adult	6:55
Chris Simon	Adult	6:59
Eli Baldy	Grade 7	7:08
Ben Jahnke	Grade 7	7:10
Zach Jones	Grade 5	7:33
Rich Westhoff	Seniors	7:43
Caleb Rowe	Grade 6	7:47
Addison Baldy	Grade 4	7:47
Victor Langhans	SSE	7:53
Chester Snoddy	Masters	7:58
Dominic Leines	Grade 3	8:26
Ray Drefus	SSE	8:39
Joshua Gimple	Grade 5	9:37
Dean Wiley	Masters	9:40
Lacy Baldy	Masters	9:40
Scott England	Grade 1	9:49
Eric England	Adult	9:49
Christian Kirk	Grade 6	9:49
Keante Griffin	Grade 4	10:21
Jon Mitchell	Adult	12:46
Aiden Mitchell	Grade 5	12:46
Chris Delisio	Adult	20:45

Women's Results

Krystal Peterson	Adult	5:34
Alex McGlenn	Adult	6:18
Hannah DeLange	Grade 9	6:21
Jane Ereksen	Adult	6:30
Christi Cardillo	Adult	6:43
Jayme Loy	Adult	6:50
Julia Sholar	Grade 4	6:57
Lynn Leines	Adult	7:19
Alyssa England	Grade 4	7:42
Amber Bates	Adult	7:56
Lili Snoddy	Masters	7:59
Nikki Delisio	Adult	8:03
Jill Brown	Adult	8:26
Carmel Shearer	Adult	8:28
Tessa Delisio	Grade 1	20:45

Downwind

Photos by Linn Ezell



By Bob Sholar
KRC Vice President

Kwajalein Running Club conducted the 33rd Annual "Downwind Dash" 1-mile run at 5 p.m. on Monday. The traditional straight line course on the Oceanside road adjacent Kwajalein's runway was used. Aiding winds were in the 14-19 mph range. There were 51 runners aged between 6 and late 60s who participated.

First across the finish line was ninth-grader Michael Sykes in 5 minutes, 22 seconds. Next across was the first female finisher, Krystal Peterson, in 5:34. Peterson pushed her 1-year-old son, Jaden, in a jog stroller.

In the Jahnke family of long time participants, ninth-grader Sam beat his dad, Jon, for the first time, 5:52 versus 5:53.

In the SSE (Social Security Eligible) division's friendly rivalry, Vic Langhans prevailed over Ray Drefus, 7:53 versus 8:39.



Krystal Peterson is the first place finisher for the women, along with son, Jaden.



Lili and Chester Snoddy finish within one second of each other at the Downwind Dash.

Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!

Photos by Kim Yarnes and Midori Hobbs



Rhyming, reading fun at Grace Sherwood Library

4-H Club fundraisers help purchase school supplies for Ebeye students



Photos by Shannon Paulsen

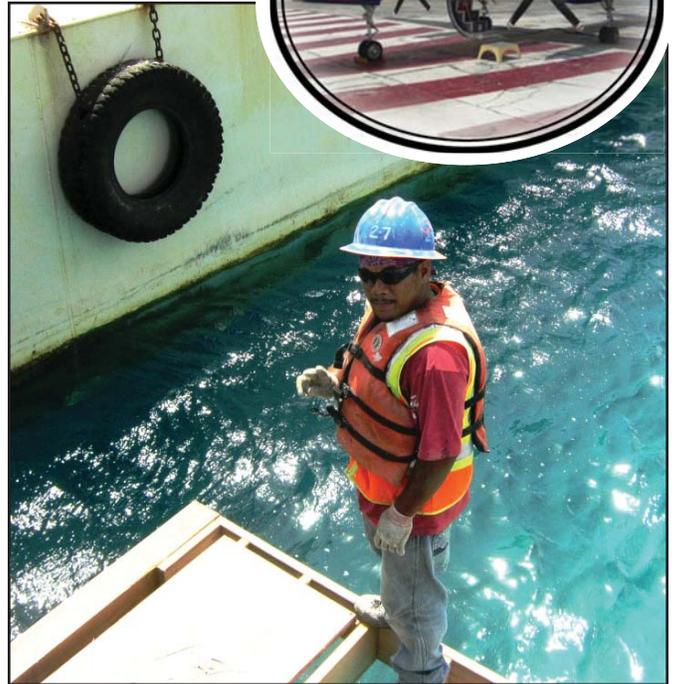
Members of the 4-H Cooking and Technology Club distribute school supplies to the Ebeye Public School on Feb. 25. The supplies were purchased with the taco-in-a-bag profits raised last year. They were given a tour of the school's classrooms, kitchen, library and future computer room. The vice principal was very thankful for the club's hard work and said that the supplies were exactly what the students needed.



DISPATCH FROM ROI



From Jane Ereksen



From Jeff Paquin



From Jeff Paquin



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View from Kwaj

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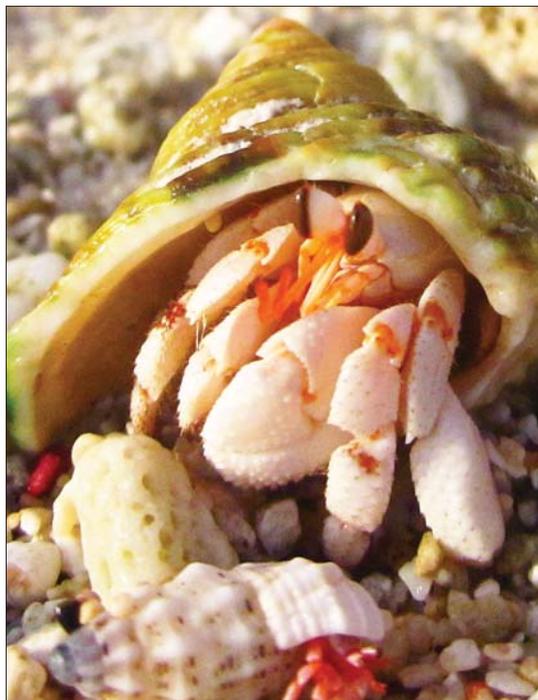
From Eva Seelye



From Jane Erekson



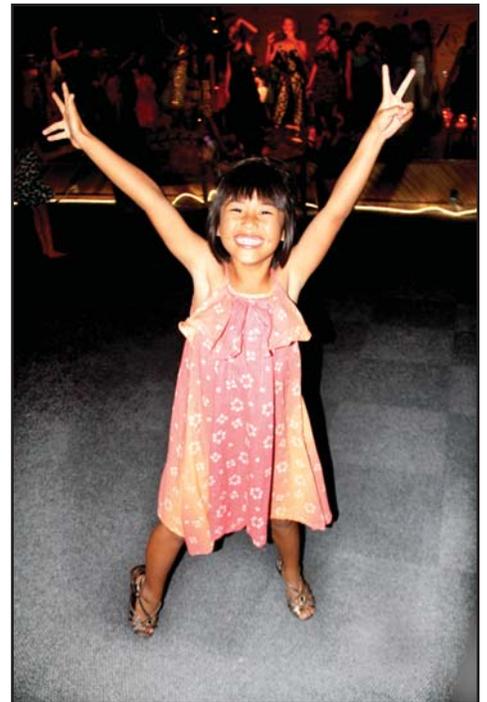
From Clara Winkler



From Jason Huwe



From Sheila Gideon



From Eva Seelye

HELP WANTED

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 on-line 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.

WANTED

HOUSE WANTED for March 28-April 10. Responsible, pet-loving parents visiting BQ dweller. Need more space and a kitchen. Contact Laura at 51167 and leave a message.

FOUND

DIAMOND RING. Call Rich at 51616 or 51623 to claim.

CAT WITH WHITE SOCKS and pink collar. Call work at 51127 or home at 54761 after 5 p.m.

PATIO SALE

MONDAY, 7-11 a.m., quarters 416-B. Multi-party sale, assorted goods.

Religious Services

Catholic

5:30 p.m., Saturday, Small Chapel
9:15 a.m., Sunday, Island Memorial Chapel
Roi-Namur service, 7 p.m., Second and Fourth
Friday of each month. Appointments with Fr. Vic
available after dinner

Protestant

8 a.m., Sunday, Traditional Service
9:15 a.m., Sunday, Spiritual Gifts Class
11 a.m., Sunday, Contemporary Service
All services at Island Memorial Chapel

Latter-day Saints

10 a.m., Sunday, CRC Room 3
Contact the chaplain's office at 53505 for more
information.

MONDAY AND MARCH 18, 9 a.m.-noon, quarters 410-A on Pine Street. No early birds! Kitchen items, men's and women's clothes, tan recliner chair, kitchen cart perfect for microwave, pots and pans, outdoor plants and pots, king and twin size sheets, 27-inch TV, DVDs, two 4-shelf wooden bookcases with glass.

FOR SALE

TWO KWAJ CONDITION BIKES, 26-inch, \$25 each; 20-inch bike, good condition, \$25; microwave, \$50; small TV, \$50. Call 52312.

ALL-ALUMINUM BICYCLE, Townie 3i, nine months of Kwajification, still in very good shape and will last many years, brushed aluminum/flat red color, \$350 or best offer; yellow Sun bike with dual rear baskets, eight months old, \$275; Acer Aspire One 8.9-inch netbook 1 GB RAM, 160 GB Hard drive, sapphire blue, in good condition, great for surfing the internet, \$150 or best offer; Olympus 14 MP digital camera, 3-inch LCD, new, \$60 or best offer; Panasonic digital surround sound system with standalone subwoofer and five speakers, \$175; BQ-style mini fridge with freezer, \$100; pots and pans, T-Fal brand from AAFES, 8-inch fry pan, 10.5-inch fry pan, 1-quart covered saucepan, 2-quart covered saucepan, 5-quart dutch oven with lid, \$35, includes free burner. Call 52546.

FISH TANK, 30 gallon, with all accessories and stand, \$250. Call 51269 during day and 51044 after hours.

ROCKER-RECLINER, light beige microfiber, excellent condition, \$95. Call 53759 and leave a message.

FOURTH GENERATION iPod Touch, 32GB, black, in mint condition, \$150 or make offer. Call 51689.

WOMEN'S AQUALUNG Pearl I3 BC, size small, worn 12 times, \$250; Apeks Flight regulator set including regulator, octo, SPG and compass, \$450; Suunto D4i with 12 dives logged, \$400; Deep See Wenoka titanium 3-inch dive knife, \$40; will sell as a set for \$1,000; cherry crib/toddler bed, convertible, \$150; full-size pull-up tower with dip bars, \$75; Epiphone G-400 SG electric guitar, \$200; Fender Mustang III modeling amp, \$200; Line 6 Spyder III amp, \$100. Call 52741.

PROLINE 23-FOOT POWERBOAT, excellent condition, with Suzuki 250 HP 4-stroke, low hours, 15 HP Mercury kicker, aluminum hardtop, aluminum trailer with new wheels, plenty of tools and maintenance materials, fast, sturdy, in great shape for diving, fishing, water sports or cruising, \$35,000 or best offer. Call Dick at 51684 or email richard.cheryl.shields@gmail.com.

CHEOY LEE SAILBOAT, 26 feet, in the water and ready to sail, 12HP inboard diesel, Lavac marine head, Lewmar self-tailing winches, mooring inside

harbor, \$8,500. Email bridget.helm@outlook.com.

ROI HAPPENINGS

LOCAL BAND "Smells Like Fish...Tastes Like Chicken" will perform tonight at the Outrigger Club.

COME OUT AND WEAR green at the St. Patrick's Day party at the Outrigger on March 17.

SPRING CONCERT will be at 7:30 p.m., March 22, at Tradewinds Theater.

THE BARBER/BEAUTY STYLIST will be on Roi the following dates: Tuesday and March 26.

COME OUT AND CHEER for your favorite softball teams! Games this month will be: March 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

THE KWAJALEIN KEYSTONE CLUB is hosting the annual Variety Show at 7 p.m., Sunday, at the MP Room. Admission is free; however, donations will be accepted at the door and will go towards the Keystone Club's upcoming Relay for Life event.

WOODSHOP SAFETY ORIENTATION class will be held 6-8 p.m., Tuesday, at the Hobby Shop. The cost is \$10 per person. Closed-toe shoes are required. Call 51700 to register.

KWAJALEIN ART GUILD meeting will be at 5 p.m., Tuesday, in the Art Annex next to the Hobby Shop. Discussion to include the upcoming Spring Art Show and Photo Exhibit. Everyone is welcome to attend!

THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND University College announces 2013 Spring 2 Session registration is now open. Registration ends Wednesday. Session dates: March 18 to May 12. Schedules can be viewed by visiting the website <http://www.asia.umuc.edu/>. Need help? Email the Asia office at de-asia@umuc.edu or call or visit the Kwajalein office at 52800, Coral BQ, Room 1.

KWAJALEIN SCUBA CLUB'S membership meeting will be Wednesday at the Pacific Club. Dive Locker access will be 6:30-7 p.m. as well as a meet/greet social with desserts/beverages for TDY folks and regular members to share stories or find a new dive buddy. This is a "Constitutional Change" meeting to vote on proposals discussed in the last few meetings.

COME SUPPORT OUR YOUNG artists at their art shows! Friday is grades K-3 and March 22 is grades 4-6. Both exhibits will be from 7-8:30 p.m., in the Coconut Room at the Elementary School. The theme this year is "IMAGINATION!" Imaginative costumes or outfits are definitely welcome and encouraged. We hope to see you there!

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL LCM to transfer ma-

Captain Louis S. Zamperini Dining Facility

Lunch

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	March 16
Kwaj Fried Chicken	Beef Stew	Vegetarian Lasagna	Giribaldi Sub	Savory Stuffed Cabbage	Grilled Cheese	Spaghetti
Crabs Benedict	Huevos Rancheros	Manicotti	Dry Rub Spareribs	Oriental Chicken	Vegetarian Pasta	Whole Wheat Penne
Ham Marco Polo	Bacon Mushroom Quiche	Chicken Stir-fry	Garlic Butter Ono	Macaroni and Cheese	Herb Mahi Mahi	Meatballs

Dinner

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	March 16
Rosemary Pork Loin	Garlic Roast Beef	Lemon Pepper Chicken	Carved Top Sirloin	Teriyaki Beef	Oven Fried Chicken	Grilled Minute Steak
Steamed Potatoes	Tuna Casserole	Beef Curry	Smoked Cheddar Chicken	Pork Egg Rolls	Mashed Potatoes	General's Chicken
Mixed Vegetables	Green Beans	Rice Pilaf	Spaghetti Casserole	Sesame Noodles	Vegetarian Stir-fry	Thyme Roast Potatoes

terial obtained via a Bid Sale from the DCCB or Patio Sales to Ebeye on Friday. The customer must have a signed, stamped, paid receipt for the material prior to loading. Shipments will be prioritized by DCCB personnel based on age of the sale. If you have any questions or have patio sale items, contact the DCCB at 51076. Someone with a copy of the receipt must be present on Ebeye to take possession of the material upon arrival.

REGISTER FOR THE 2013 softball season through Friday. Season dates are March 26 to May 25. Cost is \$100 per team. All teams must have a representative present at the mandatory managers' meeting held at 5 p.m., Friday, in the Grace Sherwood Library, Building 805. Teams will not be allowed to register without a representative at the managers' meeting. For questions, call Community Activities at 53331 or email michelle.r.huwe.ctr@mail.mil.

KWAJALEIN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB meeting, 7 p.m., Thursday, at the Ham Shack, just south of the Adult Pool. RMI operating license applications are available. Membership fees are due. Call Rick Johnston at 50948.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY is hosting an Irish Coffee Shop at 7 p.m., March 17, in the MP Room. You are invited to come and enjoy Kwajalein's finest live entertainment, sweet drinks and delicious desserts. For only \$100 groups can purchase a reserved couch pod which will accommodate 10 people. Reserved seating includes an NHS server that will attend to your group's needs. Pod sales will be from 4-6 p.m., today, outside the Shoppette. Don't hesitate, there are limited pods available. However, if you don't get one, you are not out of luck. Free general seating will be available at the event.

JOIN US FOR ST. PATTY'S DAY at 8 p.m., March 17, at the Vet's Hall. There will be drink specials and live music by the island's newest band, "Radar Love." Contact Mike Woundy or Stephanie Finley with questions.

KID'S EASTER EGG painting class will be held at the Hobby Shop on March 20. Each child will receive four eggs to decorate with ceramic markers and then they will be fired. The cost is \$15. Call 51700 for more information. Class times will be 4-5 p.m., 5-6 p.m. and 6-7 p.m. Parents are not required to stay for this class. Come by the Hobby Shop to sign up.

2013 SOFTBALL OFFICIALS CLINIC will be at 5 p.m., March 20, on Brandon Field. All team officials and anyone interested in officiating for softball should plan to attend. For questions, call Community Activities at 53331 or email michelle.r.huwe.ctr@mail.mil.

THE MARCH KWAJALEIN SCHOOL Advisory Council public meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m., March 20, in the Elementary School Library. The

public is invited to attend.

CYSS OPEN REC event "Dancing Night" will be from 5:45-7:45 p.m., March 23, in the Coconut Room. Free registration is open to all CYSS registered children in grades K-6, from March 12-23. Contact CYSS at 52158 for information.

ING 401K OPEN ENROLLMENT for CMSI. Contact Prescilla at 50788 if you wish to enroll or if you are currently participating and wish to change your deferral percentage. Forms must be received by March 23 and will be effective April 1.

TRIO CHICAGO JAZZ ARTS ENVOY will perform at 7 p.m., March 24, in the MP Room. Brought to you by the Quality of Life Fund.

CYSS YOUTH BOWLING LEAGUE is open to boys and girls age 7 through grade 6. Space is limited. Registration ends March 26. Program dates are April 12 to May 24. Stop by CYSS Central Registration Office, Building 358 to register. Call Coach Katie at 53796 for information.

A VETERAN'S ADMINISTRATION Representative will be on Kwajalein to consult and answer questions for interested personnel. The representative will be available for consultation from 1-4:30 p.m., March 28; 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4:30 p.m., March 29; location will be in Building 730 (HQ building), Small Conference Room 135. Call 51404 or 54848 for further information.

WALK THE ROCK is a physical activity challenge with a goal of 10,000 steps a day. Challenge dates are March 31 to May 11. Registration is Tuesday through March 30. Register a team of four people or a whole department! Prizes will be awarded for most overall steps during the six weeks to teams and individuals. Register with Community Activities and receive a pedometer and log book to help you track your steps. Be on your way to 10,000 steps a day! For questions, call Mandie at 53331.

IF YOU ARE 13 or will be in the next six months, and you would like to be added to the CYSS Babysitter List, call Susannah at 53610 or email susannah.e.prenoveau.ctr@mail.mil to sign up for the 4-H Babysitter Training Class. The training will take place April 5-6 from 9-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m.

KINDERGARTEN PRE-REGISTRATION for the 2013-2014 George Seitz Elementary School Year is Tuesday through April 13. Children eligible for Kindergarten must turn 5 by Sept. 1, 2013. Call the Elementary School office at 53601 to pre-register your child. All pre-registered children will participate in a Kindergarten Readiness Screening in April. Parents will be contacted with screening dates and location.

DUE TO THE LARGE influx of TDY on Roi-Namur, all billeting rooms will be occupied from the end of

March until the end of April. No reservations will be accepted for Roi by Kwaj Lodge for Kwaj residents or 480 guests. We appreciate your understanding. Call 53201 with any questions.

HOW ARE WE DOING? If you have received services from the Hospital recently, please take a few minutes to fill out the electronic customer satisfaction surveys located at the site address: <https://kwajweb.smdck.smdc.army.mil/community/medical/Pages/default.aspx#>. A paper survey is also available at the hospital by the emergency room entrance and in the hallway between the Laboratory and Pharmacy. We encourage you to be honest about your experience with the Kwajalein Hospital, and we welcome your comments, suggestions and requests.

ATTENTION DOG OWNERS. Please treat your dogs with Frontline monthly. We have been seeing ticks lately. If you have a cat in the household, only use Frontline. Call Jenny at 52017 if you have questions.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION are still being collected! Clip box tops from participating food items and send them to school with your children or drop them off at Surfway's bulletin board. The Box Tops will help support the Ri'katak student lunch program.

SMALL BOAT MARINA summer hours are in effect: 1:30-6:30 p.m. on Saturdays, and 8 a.m.-6:30 p.m. on weekends.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS at 6 p.m., Friday evenings throughout March, at Blessed Sacrament Small Chapel. Simple supper of soup and bread served afterward. Questions? Contact Fr. Vic at 53505.

DURING THE LENTEN SEASON, the Zamperini Dining Facility will be offering deliciously prepared fish and vegetarian dishes during the lunch meal service every Friday. Also available will be deli tuna wraps.

EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, a ticketing service fee will be applied to tickets purchased at the Kwajalein City Ticket Office. Hours of operation will be changed to provide continuous service to our valued customers. New hours will be 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Tuesdays through Saturdays. Thank you to all our valued customers as we work to build the world's leading airline in the current market place.

PUT A STOP TO THE DROP. Report all leaky taps to the Service Desk at 53550.

E-TALK: Reduce waste, reuse materials and make an effort to be part of the recycling program. Questions? Call Solid Waste for assistance.

SAFELY SPEAKING: Wind Hazards. Protect your eyes from windblown debris. Protect your fingers and body when doors open or close quickly from the wind's energy.

<i>Café Roi</i>						
Lunch						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	March 16
London Broil	Herbed Pork Butt	Salisbury Steak	Char Siu Pork Sandwich	Meatball Sub	Tuna Croquettes	BBQ Bacon Burgers
Smoky Mt. Chicken	Chicken Supreme	Chicken Strips	Shepherd's Pie	Grilled Chicken Breast	Yankee Pot Roast	Chicken Wings
Veggie Frittata	Breakfast Burrito	Hot Cinnamon Apples	Veggie Fried Rice	Fried Zucchini	Vegetable Medley	Potato Wedges
Dinner						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	March 16
Jambalaya	Pizza	Meatloaf with Gravy	Carved Steamship	Roi Fried Chicken	Jerk Chicken	Meat Lasagna
Grilled Brisket	Baked Ziti	Chicken Schnitzel	Pesto Chicken	Stuffed Pork Loin	Seafood Curry	Eggplant Parmesan
Mashed Potatoes	Cheesy Garlic Bread	Garlic Mashed Potatoes	Corn on the Cob	Macaroni and Cheese	Island Style Rice	Spaghetti



BOWLING

Tuesday, Feb. 26

Crabaholics def. Just Like That	7-0
South of Sanity def. We Fly Pumpkins	5-2
Sliders def. 3 Men & a Lady	5-2

TOP BOWLERS - MEN
Tony Savage: 224

JR Kowalski: 216

Tyrone Moxie/Steve Simpson: 204

TOP BOWLERS - WOMEN
Deb Douthat: 156

Patrice Kramer: 140

Benni Davis: 130

STANDINGS	Crabaholics	20-8
	We Fly Pumpkins	18-10
	Just Like That	16-12
	South of Sanity	15-13
	Sliders	8-20
	3 Men & a Lady	7-21

BASKETBALL

Thursday, Feb. 28

SPIW def. Jawks	37-35
D-Up! def. Bako	32-24

Friday, March 1

Yokwe def. Ol' Boozers	45-42
Ball Trackers def. SJC	49-47

Tuesday, March 5

D-Up! def. Jawks	43-29
SPIW def. Bako	46-38
hOOPS! def. K-Town	40-34
Icey Hot def. Ol' Boozers	68-45

School League

D-Up!	5-2
SPIW	5-2
Bako	4-3
Jawks	0-7

Adult League

Icey Hot	6-0
hOOPS!	5-1
Ball Trackers	4-2
Yokwe	3-3
K-Town	2-4
Ol' Boozers	1-5
SJC	0-6

STANDINGS

WATER POLO

Saturday, March 2

Toy Boat Toy Boat def. Ebeye Swim Team	44-34
Lacedaemonians def. Zissou	49-34
Turbo Turtles def. USAKA Splash	Forfeit

Tuesday, March 5

Chargogg def. Ebeye Swim Team	50-36
Toy Boat Toy Boat def. Zissou	30-22
Lacedaemonians def. USAKA Splash	55-31

STANDINGS	Turbo Turtles	5-0-1
	Chargogg	6-1
	Lacedaemonians	5-2
	Toy Boat Toy Boat	4-2-1
	Zissou	2-5
	USAKA Splash	1-6
	Ebeye Swim Team	0-7

Season high scorers

Keith Brady, 59
Adam Vail, 55 goals
Stan Jazwinski, 40 goals

Weather

Courtesy of RTS Weather

Day	Skies	Chance of Rain	Winds
Sunday	Mostly Sunny	<10%	NE-ENE at 15-20 knots
Monday	Mostly Sunny	<10%	NE-ENE at 15-19 knots
Tuesday	Partly Sunny	<10%	NE-ENE at 14-19 knots
Wednesday	Partly Sunny	<10%	ENE at 14-19 knots
Thursday	Partly Sunny	<10%	ENE at 15-20 knots
Friday	Partly Sunny	10%	ENE at 14-19 knots

Yearly total: 2.73 inches
Yearly deviation: -5.27 inches

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

	Sunrise Sunset	Moonrise Moonset	High Tide	Low Tide
Sunday	6:59 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	5:18 a.m. 5:32 p.m.	3:31 a.m. 3.8' 3:43 p.m. 4.6'	9:29 a.m. -0.3' 10:00 p.m. -0.7'
Monday	6:58 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	6:05 a.m. 6:24 p.m.	4:05 a.m. 4.2' 4:17 p.m. 4.7'	10:06 a.m. -0.6' 10:30 p.m. -0.9'
Tuesday	6:58 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	6:51 a.m. 7:15 p.m.	4:36 a.m. 4.5' 4:48 p.m. 4.7'	10:39 a.m. -0.8' 10:58 p.m. -0.9'
Wednesday	6:57 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	7:35 a.m. 8:06 p.m.	5:05 a.m. 4.6' 5:17 p.m. 4.6'	11:11 a.m. -0.8' 11:25 p.m. -0.8'
Thursday	6:57 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 8:55 p.m.	5:34 a.m. 4.6' 5:45 p.m. 4.3'	11:41 a.m. -0.7' 11:51 a.m. -0.6'
Friday	6:56 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	9:04 a.m. 9:45 p.m.	6:01 a.m. 4.4' 6:12 p.m. 4.0'	----- 12:11 p.m. -0.4'
March 16	6:56 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	9:49 a.m. 10:34 p.m.	6:28 a.m. 4.2' 6:38 p.m. 3.5'	12:15 a.m. -0.4' 12:40 p.m. -0.1'