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Local reservists doing duty at Kwajalein



(Photo by Peter Rejcek)

Capt. Rich McGowan, left, pounds a piece of conduit pipe into place Friday morning for a humanitarian project on Carlos. McGowan is one of a score of military reservists who can now meet their Reserves commitments at USAKA.

By Jim Bennett
Editor

Most days Rich McGowan works as a software engineer at the Reagan Test Site, installing the latest range safety upgrades. But Friday, he became Capt. McGowan and he helped lay and bury nearly 600 feet of electrical cable on the island of Carlos.

As many as 21 other reservists on Kwajalein, like McGowan, a member of the Army Reserves, can now complete their two-day-a-month commitment on-island through USAKA, rather than going to inactive status or trying to arrange for training in Hawaii.

"I don't mind breaking my back every now and then," McGowan said. "As a captain, I'm often supervising and doing other things. I'd rather be in the ditch, shoveling dirt around."

McGowan came to Kwajalein eight months ago from Massachusetts as a Raytheon employee.

"I love it here," he said. "The job is
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Brown to become 21st USAKA commander

From staff reports

The newest "old man" at USAKA will be here this week touring the installation before officially taking the helm in August.

Col. Jerry Brown, the 21st Army commander at USAKA, arrives today and is scheduled to tour Kwajalein, Roi-Namur, Meck and Ebeye during a weeklong visit. The change of command ceremony is tentatively scheduled for Aug. 1.

Brown comes to Kwajalein after five years at the Pentagon, first as a Plans Officer, War Plans Division, HQDA, Pentagon, Washington D.C., and then as chief of the War Plans Division since June 1999.

He entered the services as a second lieutenant in 1978. He moved through the ranks and made colonel in 1999.

During that 21-year span, Brown served in a number of field assignments, mainly Germany and Fort Bliss, Texas, including Platoon leader and Maintenance officer (later, executive of-

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Sodexho responds to customer comments with facility changes

By Peter Rejcek
Associate Editor

Perhaps it's not as simple as "Cook it and they will come," but Sodexho USA is implementing a smorgasbord of changes at its dining facilities to improve customer satisfaction after some of those places received low ratings on the latest Query Me Quick survey.

"We heard [the customers]," said Ty Reckling, Sodexho USA Resident District manager.

Sodexho is concentrating much of its energies at the Yukwe Yuk Club and the snack bars, where survey scores had declined between August 2001 and January 2002. The Yuk club received the lowest score, where the survey scores still remained low.

Talking it out

Reckling said Sodexho is tak-

ing a "three-prong approach" to the problems at the Yuk and the other food services establishments. The most important step, he said, is communication. If a customer is unhappy, he or she needs to express the issue with the manager.

"That's really where the problems can be solved best," he said. "I encourage the people to tell the manager instead of waiting for a survey."

To help customers identify the responsible party at each establishment, the managers' pictures will be posted, just like at Sunrise Bakery, along with their e-mail addresses on bulletin boards, which will also have other pertinent information available.

Working it out

The second step is monthly training. To help employees

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Editorial

Negative comments don't help solve the community's problems

I read the comments from the community survey on Sodexo and Retail. I am going to start telling the Hotline some of the good things that I see because I think, as a community, we are too negative.

I had dinner at the Yokwe Yuk Club recently, and the coconut shrimp with peanut sauce was outstanding. The salad and bread were very good as well. When we have had the special lunches, the food has been good. The special dinner with spaghetti sauces that the chef prepared as we waited was also wonderful. The wait staff, Michael and Jewels have been

very personable, helpful and accommodating.

I don't know where the people who made comments in that survey shop in Hawaii, but I almost had a heart attack when I went grocery shopping there. It is much more expensive there than here, and I am happy as a rule with the variety and the products that Surfway and Ten Ten carry. The staffs of both stores are polite and helpful and the management is responsive.

I work for Retail, and I see how hard the staff works. The managers work way too many hours and they put their hearts and souls into it. Retail office is the same.

When I go shopping on the mainland, I usually go to several stores before I find what I want. I don't think you can expect small stores to have everything. I grew up in a small town and we always went to a bigger city for major shopping because that's what life in a small community is like! Here it has to be the Internet, catalogs and vacations.

When Yankee Candle missed the barge in November people were very upset. Many people love the candles and yet there were complaints about too many candles. If we do not have Swarovski and Waterford, we hear complaints and the items go quickly upon arrival, yet there are complaints about it being here.

There's always room for improvement, but I think there are lots of good things about our goods and services here!

Eileen Carson

Government workers not on a power trip

It is with trepidation that I respond to Diane Morris's article of April 5. Since she contributes frequent articles to the *Hourglass*, my perception is that she is expressing Raytheon's thoughts.

As a government employee, I am disappointed that she would compare me, my co-workers and predecessors as dictators. As a taxpayer, I expect government employees to do a good job and protect the government's interest. Many times these interests are not the same as RSE's.

As an evaluator it is my responsibility to see that the government receives what it is contractually entitled to, not what a contractor or contractor's employee thinks it should receive or do; i.e., provide reports, not conduct audits, substitute parts. These actions could be considered failure to perform or even fraud.

Yes, we require the contractor to comply with the contract; to do less would be neglect of our duty. Be thankful that others demanded excellence; otherwise we would still be considered "dictators."

Our island is small and a wonderful place to live; let's work together, offer ways to improve and we can make Kwaj a better place to work, live and play, while providing the taxpayers excellent value for their money.

Robert N. Tucker

Want to voice an opinion?

If you have a communitywide issue to raise and no other outlet, perhaps you should write a letter to the editor. Keep your verbage to less than 300 words, and keep your comments to the issues. This would be a no-libel zone. Letters must be signed. We will edit for AP Style and, if you exceed the word limit, space. Please limit yourself to one letter every 30 days to give other readers a chance to write.

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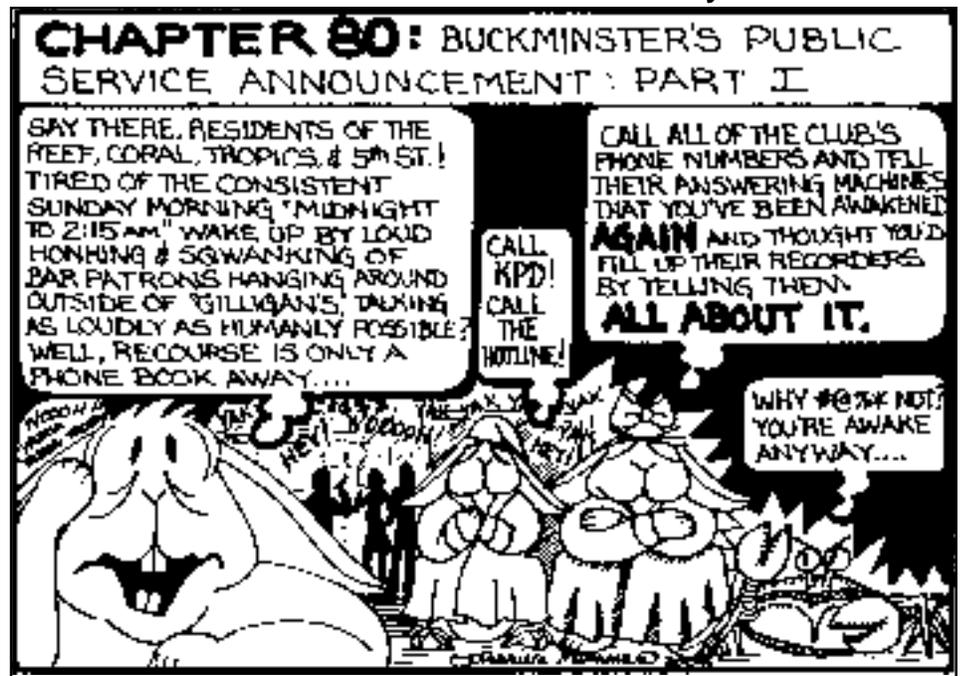
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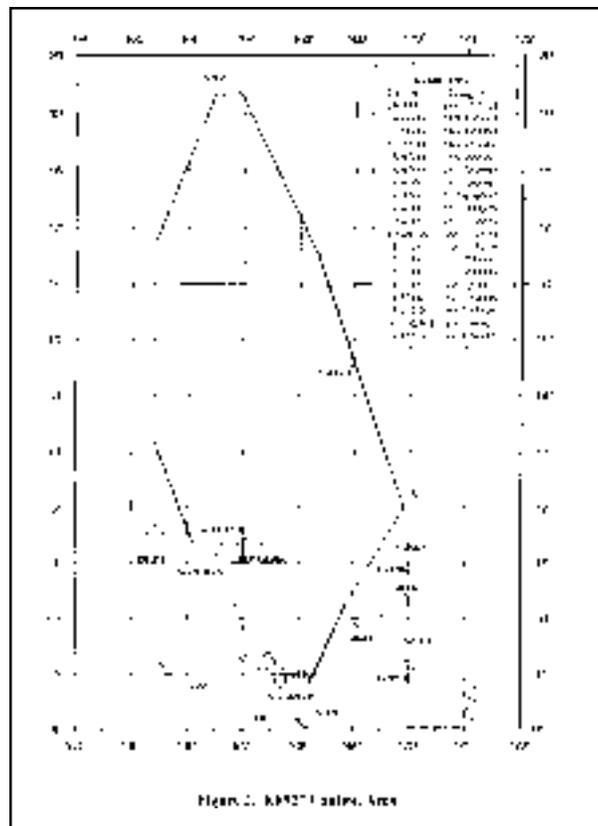
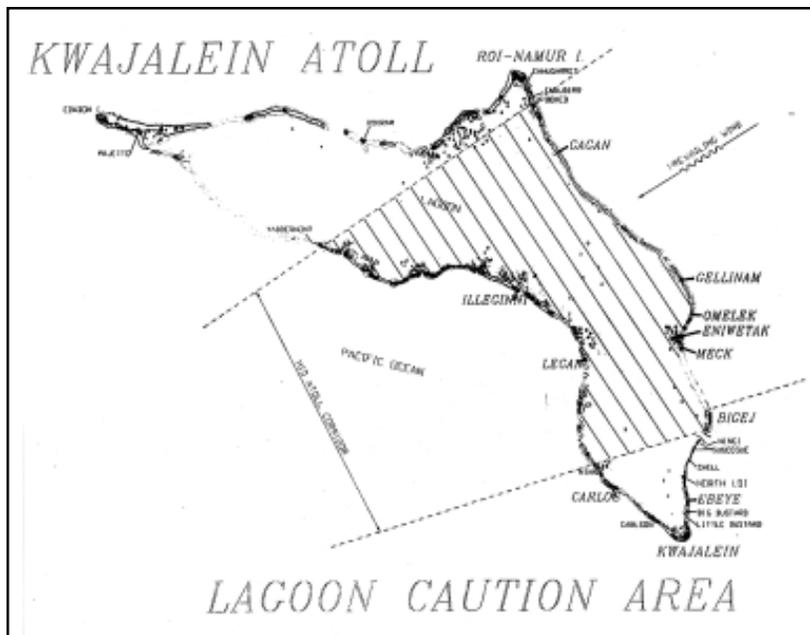
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Buckminster and Friends ————— By Sabrina Mumma





Range operation set for Wednesday

From the Command Safety Office

A range operation is scheduled for Wednesday, April 17. Caution times are 5 a.m. through 1 p.m.

In conjunction with this operation, a caution area will exist within Kwajalein Atoll, defined by the area bounded on the north by Boked Island on the east reef and Yabbernohr Island on the west reef, and bounded on the south by a line drawn north of Bigej Island on the east reef to a point at latitude 08 54.2N, longitude 167 45.8E, then to a point at latitude 08 52.8N, longitude 167 45.8E, and then to a point north of the high tide mark on Ninni Island on the west reef.

Bigej Island, including the inner reef, is specifically excluded and is not a part of the mid-atoll corridor. An additional caution area extending from Kwajalein Atoll north into the broad ocean area is defined on the map at top right (figure 2).

In order to ensure clearance of non-mission support personnel from the mid-atoll corridor by the window opening time, Kwajalein Police Department island clearance procedures will continue until evacuation has been accomplished. Egress of all air and sea craft will be required when requested by authorized clearance personnel. Sub-

sequent to lagoon clearance, the hazard area will be in effect until mission completion.

In the event of a mission slip, the caution times and areas will be in effect for the following days:

- 5 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, April 18.
- 5 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, April 19.

Questions regarding the above safety requirements for this mission should be directed to the Command Safety Office, range safety officer, 52477.

Brown visiting USAKA facilities this week ...

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3rd Battalion, 61st ADA, 3rd Armored Division, Budinggen, Federal Republic of Germany; Air Defense Fire Coordination officer, 1st Battalion, 4th ADA, 11th ADA Brigade (Sep), Fort Bliss, Texas; Commander, B Battery, 1st Battalion, 4th ADA, 11th ADA Brigade (Sep) Fort Bliss, Texas; Assistant S-3, 11th ADA Brigade (Sep), Fort Bliss, Texas; Maintenance Officer, 7th Signal Brigade (Sep), Mannheim, Federal Republic of Germany; and Commander, Headquarters Company, 7th Signal Brigade (Sep), Mannheim, Federal Republic of Germany.

In the 90s, Brown spent some time in Georgia before returning to Germany.

He served as S-3, 2nd Battalion, 1st ADA, 11th ADA Brigade (Sep), Fort Stewart, Ga.; Chief of Protocol, Headquarters, Forces Command, Fort McPherson, Ga.; and Commander, 5th Battalion, 2nd ADA, 69th ADA Brigade, Bamberg, Germany.

He moved to the Pentagon, Washington, D.C., in 1997.

Decorations and badges include Meritorious Service Medal (with three Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with four Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Achievement Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster) and Army Staff Identification Badge.

Brown is married to wife Jane, and has three daughters.

Jeramon non kom

"Jeramon non kom" is the Marshallese way to say, "Goodbye and good luck friends."

RAY and KATHY CUTSHAW departed Wednesday for Melbourne, Fla., after five years at Kwaj.

Ray was a senior electrical engineer for RSE, and Kathy was a nurse at Kwajalein Hospital. They say, "We really loved our five-year stay. We will miss our friends, the music and Kwajalein very much. Stay in touch."

Welcome and Farewell forms are available at the *Hourglass* office in Building 805.

Reservists trying to form own unit at Kwajalein ...

Damian Mino of Ebeye helps Rich McGowan thread a rope through a PVC conduit so that they can pull 600 feet of cable to help power the apartment for teachers working on Carlos Island.



(Photo by Peter Rejcek)

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challenging and fun. I recently got scuba-certified, so I'm getting in every dive I can."

In the Army Reserves for nine years next month, McGowan served in combat-heavy units, meaning he worked in all kinds of engineering disciplines.

"There are so many things you could do in Army engineering. I could have a 30-year career and not do everything," he said.

Ironically, he had never laid cable through coral rock before this past week.

"This is new," he said. "It's not technically challenging. The bugs are the worst part of it."

McGowan previously commanded a fire-fighting unit in Massachusetts and has trained to build roads, trails and bridges in combat situations. Coming to Kwajalein, he joined U.S. Army Japan Support at Fort Shafter, Hawaii, a corps level engineering shop. That led to two weeks in Japan last year participating in exercises that simulated a humanitarian response mission to a major earthquake, in one phase, and an attack on Japan by a hostile force in another phase.

"It allowed the command elements to practice playing their roles," McGowan said.

Before the Carlos project this month, for his monthly training, he flew Space Required to Hawaii and trained for six days in January, covering the two-day requirement for the months of January through March.

Kwaj resident Kim Harmon knows that routine.

She's a mom, a wife and an employee

at the Reagan Test Site. But one week every quarter she's also Lt. Col. Harmon, working as a staff officer with U.S. Army Pacific Command Operations.

"Sometimes it's hard to get back [to Hawaii] with the flights and working here; getting a week off is harder than going to drill one weekend a month," she said.

Earning her commission through ROTC at Old Dominion University 19 years ago, she served 10 years in active duty and the past nine years in the Reserves.

"It's kind of a challenge, moving every couple years with [husband] Mark's job and finding a new unit," she added.

With the influx of reservists, Harmon and others are trying to form a Reserve unit on Kwajalein, recreating the 99th Mobilization Training Unit that shut down in 1998 because of too few members, according to reservist Dan Thibodeau.

A "purple unit," MTUs can draw from any rank and any branch of service, making it more practical for the transient community here on Kwajalein. The unit needs about a dozen active members to sustain it, he said.

"We need a leader," he added. "And you have to find training to do that's worthwhile rather than sit around, drink coffee and tell stories."

Before 1998, the 99th worked heavily in disaster preparedness exercises and the EOC.

Raymond "Snowman" Sosnowski would join a new 99th. Sosnowski works as a section supervisor in the carpenter shop. Before that he served in the regular Army from 1970-72 and

Carlos project finally complete

The project to connect power lines from the Carlos power plant to the school closes the book on the school project that began last summer with the school's construction, said Stephan Notarianni, a USAKA Host Nation support officer.

USAKA Host Nation office teamed with American Samoa Power Authority, working on Ebeye, and Kwajalein Atoll Joint Utility Resource, which donated the cable.

Raytheon heavy equipment operators dug the 500-foot-long trench through the hard coral. USAKA obtained the PVC from excess property. And volunteers from Ebeye and Carlos joined Notarianni, USAKA Ombudsman Noda Lojkar and electricians from the Raytheon generator shop to run the lines through the PVC, hammer and glue the pipes together and bury them in the trench.

"It's taken a long time to get everything together," Notarianni said. "We're glad to finally get it done."

— Jim Bennett

starting in 1989, 12 years with the 724th Combat Engineers of the Wisconsin National Guard, which brought him to Kwajalein last summer when the unit built the school on Carlos.

Sosnowski came to work for Raytheon in October and initially went inactive. Starting last month, with support of his home unit, he began serving his monthly duty at the Post Office and he hopes to do his two-week training with the 505th Combat Engineers of the North Carolina National Guard, who will build the multi-purpose educational facility on Ebeye this summer.

Relating a common feeling among many Kwaj reservists, Sosnowski said, "I consider the No. 1 priority in life is a tie — doing my duty for my country and my two daughters. I'm really happy to put that uniform on."

Editor's Note: *Reservists interested in earning points through USAKA should call the Host Nation Office at 55033.*

Yuk, Three Palms undergoing significant changes ...

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make the adjustment to a more “Americanized” sense of service, Sodexo is recruiting the help of Romeo Alfred, RSE Training specialist and RMI citizen.

“He’s going to help us translate some idiosyncrasies,” Reckling said.

Alfred said part of the problem stems from the very concept of customer service. “Most of the employees come from a culture where customer service is virtually non-existent.”

Alfred likened the job ahead to when safety standards were first being inculcated into the workforce. After years of high accident rates, last year’s safety rating approached world-class, showing that attitudes can change.

But the burden is not only on the employees, Alfred said. Managers must get involved. He will begin talking to them next week about some of the prevalent problems.

Based on his experiences talking with Retail employees about these same issues, Alfred said employees know what’s expected of them. The issue is trying to figure out why they’re not performing up to those expectations. One approach, he said, is to make them understand that how they perform reverberates throughout the company and how it is rated and awarded by the government.

“The employees need to understand how their actions relate to benefits,” he said.

Tastes good, costs less

Finally, changes are underway or planned at several of the facilities.

The biggest facelifts are at the Yuk club and Three Palms Snack Bar.

Reckling said customers can expect to see a new menu at the Yuk within the month, with lower prices and more chicken and fish selections. He added

that the dining menu will probably be changed at least twice a year.

“Menu fatigue sets in real quick on the island,” he noted.

Perennial favorites like coconut shrimp and prime rib will remain on the menu, but expect to see more sandwiches, pasta, pupus, poultry entrees — what Reckling refers to as “down-to-earth” products — and a greater variety of fish, which is now being distributed directly out of Honolulu.

“That’s a much better product,” Reckling said of the fish, which will include yellowfin tuna.

While the restaurant received poor scores from local residents, it got high marks from TDY surveys, according to Reckling. He said part of the difference probably goes back to menu fatigue: “What happens when you get bored? You start getting critical,” he said.

In contrast, the TDY population that returns every few months can better see the difference, he said. “They notice the changes more.”

Longer hours, new items

The snack bars came in with about a 50 percent approval rating, and there are a number of changes planned at Three Palms, beginning with the hours. The snack bar is now open from 6:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., with most services available until closing. One exception is the daily special entrée of the day, which is served until 6:30 p.m. That will change to 9 p.m. by May, Reckling said.

The fly problem at the snack bar is being addressed by an air screen above the entrance, according to Lloyd Jordan, Residential Services manager. Three Palms will be closed April 23-24 while it is installed.

“This should significantly reduce the fly problem in the snack bar,” Jordan said.

A couple of services are being reinstated as well. Deli-made sandwiches will again be available, along with the grab-and-go subs. The weekly sauté station is also returning on Wednesdays. And pizza will get a new taste with different sauces, dough and several types of specialty pizzas, like Thai and barbecue chicken.

A schedule of all of the items at the snack bar will be shown on a monthly calendar, like those printed for the Yokwe Yuk Club, Reckling said. “The calendar has been well received.”

Rest of the story

At the Outrigger Snack Bar on Roi-Namur, in response to one comment, hot wings will now be available.

At Gilligan’s and the Oceanview Club, a couple of changes are also planned.

The specials that have been available during mission times at Gilligan’s will now be served during non-mission times as well. Incidentally, satisfaction at Gilligan’s has increased dramatically. Food service nearly doubled to 47 percent, while bar service hit 75 percent satisfaction.

“For the most part, people have enjoyed the environment we created over there,” Reckling said, referring to the Gilligan’s recent facelift and non-smoking atmosphere since January.

At the Oceanview, Saturday hours have been extended to 11 p.m.

“That helps the smokers,” Reckling said.

To further accommodate the smokers, an awning at the west exit of the Yokwe Yuk Club will be completed by next week, Jordan said.

There are no immediate changes planned for Sunrise Bakery, which enjoys the highest satisfaction rating at 85 percent — and that was before the popular coffee kiosk was introduced.

Holocaust made heroes of Jews and non-Jews alike ...

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and non-Jewish, took a stand against the persecution and killing of innocent people.”

In one of the many examples Pizette gave of people taking a stand, he told of a German diplomat in Denmark in 1943, who alerted Danish authorities to the impending deportation of the country’s Jews. The Danish resistance then organized a dramatic rescue op-

eration in which local fisherman carried more than 7,000 people to safety in neutral Sweden.

“For many, survival itself became an act of resistance,” Pizette said. “The courage of these people and what they did is almost beyond comprehension.”

Also at the luncheon, seventh and eighth graders in Girl Scout Cadette Troop 4 held a ceremony honoring individuals who resisted the Holocaust.

Each girl researched and read the personal history of an individual or group who helped Holocaust victims and lit a candle in memory of those people.

Pizette said, “In remembering those who took a determined stand against Nazism, we honor the memory of those who perished, and we are reminded that individuals do have the power and choice to make a difference in the fight against oppression and murderous hatred.”

Classified Ads and Community Notices

HELP WANTED

The following on-island positions are open with Raytheon. For more information or to submit a resumé or application, call HR employment, Jack Riordan, 55154, unless otherwise noted.

For your convenience, starting today, HRO hours are 7 a.m.-5 p.m., including lunch hour. This will enable us to better serve the community.

APPLICATIONS are being accepted for the Raytheon Summer Employment Program. We are seeking individuals who enjoy working with children and can help provide a safe, fun learning environment. Adults and students are encouraged to apply. Applications will be accepted through May 18. Applicants selected will be required to support the Summer Fun Program to work as instructors or recreation aides. The first of two Summer Fun sessions begins June 20. Applicants selected may be required to undergo a criminal history background check. Applications can be picked up at the Raytheon Human Resources Office in Building 700. Applicants will be required to fill out a supplemental questionnaire. For more information on the Summer Employment Program, call Jack or Reka, 54916.

SECRETARY, Education Dept. Full time. Looking for well-qualified, self-motivated individual experienced in Microsoft Word and Excel, office filing systems and basic office organization. Good interpersonal, oral and written skills a must. Selected individual will be required to undergo a criminal history background check.

DENTAL ASSISTANT, Kwajalein Dental Clinic. Casual. Responsibilities include preparing and filling impression materials; cleaning and sterilizing equipment between appointments; exposing, developing and preparing X-rays for review; preparing patient files and recording procedures; as well as other clerical duties. Selected individual will be required to undergo a criminal history background check.

RECEPTIONIST, Surfside Beauty Salon. Temporary for May 28-July 2.

HAIR STYLIST, Surfside Beauty Salon. Full or part time. Seeking individual with experience in precision and razor cuts, color, corrective color, highlights, lowlights, bleaching, regular perms, as well as spirals and piggybacks, and hair relaxing on all hair types. Manicure and pedicure experience a plus.

LEAD CUSTODIAN, FOM Custodial Dept. Full time. May be required to undergo a criminal history background check.

SPORTSWRITER, Hourglass. Casual. Submit minimum of three clips to Jim Bennett, Box 23, Local, or at Building 805, second floor, at the Hourglass office or e-mail: jbennett.kls.usaka.smdc.army.mil. For more information, call 53539.

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

USAKA currently has the following job vacancies. For application information and announcement paperwork, call Cris Foster, 54417.

CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR, GS-12. Closes April 18.

BUSINESS PROCESS and TRAINING ADMINISTRATOR, GS-09. Closes April 19.

WANTED

ROOMMATE to share nice trailer near Emon Beach. Male preferred. Call 50009H or 52155W.

PET CARRIER with metal door for medium-size cat. Call 53227.

PERSONS TO join visiting family and friends for some pickin' and grinnin'. If you play country or bluegrass music, call Tina, 53787, after April 17.

FIVE MONOPOLY games to borrow for school project. Safe and swift return guaranteed. Call Dee, 54323 and leave a message.

DONATIONS of new or used toys for Queen of Peace school's upcoming annual carnival May 10-11. Bring items to Qtrs. 112-C before May 6. For more information, call Amber, 54169, or Noda, 52592.

LOST

KEY SET near Emon Beach playground. Call 58412.

COOLER, soft wine color, at Emon Beach during Music Festival. Call Janet, 52442.

FOUND

TWO SCOOTERS on high school field last soccer season. Call 52011.

WATCH in front of PBQ. Call 53662.

CONTACT LENS case, white, with contacts inside, at post office. Stop by the post office.

MEN'S PRESCRIPTION glasses at Ivey School. Call 53601.

FOR SALE

BROWN LEATHER rocker/recliner for large person, excellent condition, available May 5, paid \$700, will sell for \$375; food processor with attachments, \$25; Sony Sport CD player, \$50. Call 52305.

PLANTS and ferns at Qtrs. 135-B. Call 53659.

TWO Terrelli Tour de France 700x20c racer tires, new, \$20 each or best offer. Call 56125W or 52304H.

KENMORE DISHWASHER with butcher block top, works well, \$75. Call Sarah, 53500.

RUSTMAN-ready Bianchi Campione Italian 12-speed racing bike, excellent condition, 25" alloy frame crank to seat post, 26" 700-20c tires, 3/4" hp Ambrosio extra wheels, Modolo Start front and rear brakes, master derailleur and shift set, includes spare tube and inflator pump, total weight 20-25lbs., \$400. Call 52742, after 5 p.m.

MEN'S ROLLERBLADES, size 12, \$20; wakeboard with bindings and tote bag, \$600; men's large scuba shortie with size 10 booties, \$30; 55-gallon aquarium with stand and accessories, \$800; 12' x 15' beige carpet, \$75. Call 52295, before 8 p.m.

TWO CEILING FANS with light kits, \$50 each; king-size duvet cover, dust ruffle, pillow shams, peach-colored valance, \$50; kid's unicycle with balancing poles, \$20. Call 53227.

TRIP FOR TWO to Bikini, paid \$4,000, will sell for \$3,000 or best offer; sage green 9' x 12' carpet, \$25;



GOOD NEWS!

Residential phone books are available at the Housing Office on the first floor of the PBO during business hours. Limit one per household. Bring your K-badge.

wooden picnic table, \$15; dishwasher, \$150. Call Amy, 51145.

BCDs, regulators, plants, backless desk chair. Call 51494.

COMPUTER STAND, \$30; scanner, \$50; 15" color monitor, \$100; queen-size bed and frame, \$200; Rubbermaid storage unit, \$30. Call 52423.

SONY PLAYSTATION 2 with two controllers, two memory cards, DVD remote and three games, \$500 or best offer. Call Mike, 57142, before 3 p.m., or 53766, after 5 p.m.

WOOD FOR posts, boards with two gates, \$50; 6' x2' x1' wood shelf, \$10; navigation stick chart, \$20; mini-blinds for 400-series house, available May 4, \$150. Call 52305.

BURLEY, good condition with new cover, \$50; Kwaj-condition bike, \$20; two new jell bike seat covers, will not fit Huffy seats, \$10 each; 2" galvanized pipe: one 12'; one 8'; one 7 3/4'; one 7 1/2'; one 6'; 12 pieces of 2'-4', \$150 for all. Call Jerry, 54641.

WOMEN'S GOLF clubs with bag and cart, \$60; fishing nets, \$20-\$40; fishing gear, \$60; wicker patio furniture, \$60; VCR, \$30; scanner, \$20; CD player, \$25; skis, \$25; blue carpet, fits new housing front living room, 15' x 18', \$50. Call 53227.

SCUBA GEAR: Women's Seaquest BCD, small, U.S. Divers regulator, octopus and complete console with manual, soft-pocket weight belt, two underwater flashlights, knife with case, U.S. Divers gear bag, has less than 30 dives, all in excellent condition, \$500

Finance Expanded Hours

In order to better serve the community, the Finance Office in Building 900, including cash office, accounts receivable, accounts payable and payroll, will be open 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., including the lunch hour. Under this plan, personal transactions will be accommodated during lunch hour. Business transactions, meetings and telephone enquiries will be handled during normal hours.

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Small Arms Range Notice

The small arms range will be in operation tomorrow, 8 a.m.-noon. Avoid the hazard area shown below.

All watercraft must observe the red flags on the southwest end of the island.



or best offer. Call 53715.

HAMMERHEAD BOAT #007 with professionally maintained 225 hp Johnson and 8 hp Evinrude, trailer and boathouse, all in excellent condition, located on lot #63, great for diving, fishing, wakeboarding or a day at Bigej, partnerships accepted. Call 52642 or 53322.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

BARGAIN BAZAAR hours are: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 1-3 p.m.; Wednesdays, 5-7 p.m. We welcome donations. For immediate pickup, call 53686 or 53140. Volunteers are always welcome.

YOKWEYUK Women's Club members who are supporting the visit of the women's clubs of Majuro should come to the final pre-visit meeting tomorrow, 7 p.m., in CRC Room 1.

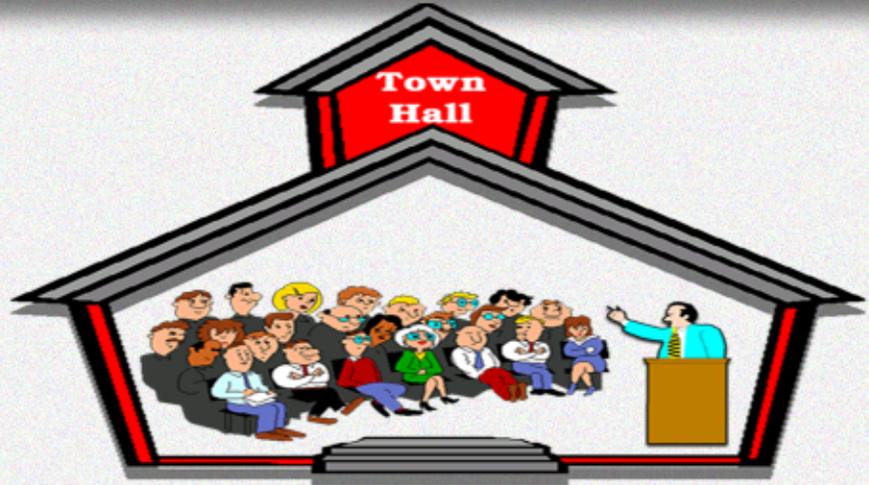
KWAJALEIN YACHT Club's first Saturday night race is Saturday. There is no skippers' meeting. For more information, call Mike, 51385, or see him at 4:30 p.m., at the Small Boat Marina.

KWAJALEIN BACHELOR ADVISORY COUNCIL meeting will be Wednesday, May 8, at 1 p.m., in the Adult Recreation Center. The Bachelor Advisory Council has been established in accordance with USAKA Regulation 15-3 to serve in an advisory capacity to the USAKA commander on matters pertaining to island policy and regulations affecting the social and living conditions of bachelors/bachelorettes residing on Kwajalein. Council members from each BQ building are solicited. Unaccompanied personnel wishing to have input into this meeting should contact their representatives. All Kwajalein residents are invited to attend. For additional information, call Community Services, 53400. Kwajalein representatives are as follows: Reef, Marvin Ross; Shell, Joanne Garland; Coral, Sue Rosoff; Palm, Rhonda Longbrake; Sands, Helen Smith and Laurie Palacek; Tropics, Paul Jurek; trailers, Shelley Easter and Cowboy Galloway.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT Center will conclude the needs survey April 20. If you have child care needs that are not being met by current services, you can request a form by calling 52158, or stop by the CDC office.

ATTENTION TDY personnel and Kwaj residents: The occupant of government quarters assumes responsibility for the security and reasonable care of govern-

Town Hall Meetings



Join RSE site manager John Wallace for a 90-minute Town Hall Meeting on Kwajalein Wednesday, April 24, 7-8:30 p.m., in the MP room.

Join RSE site manager John Wallace for a Town Hall Meeting on Roi Thursday, April 25, 6:30 p.m., in Tradewinds Theater.

Topics include: Employee Opinion Surveys, The People Teams and Mission Support.

ment furnishings in the residence and should not remove property tags from the furnishings or place any items outside the building. For furniture pickup or delivery, call 53434.

HOSPITALITY KITS issued to new arrivals should be returned within 72 hours after receipt of household goods. If you are PCSing, at least 24 hours notice is needed to deliver a hospitality kit. Pickup should be arranged before departure. Call 53434.

LIFEGUARD training class is April 22, 9:30 a.m., at the family pool. Spaces are limited. To reserve a spot, call Kristin, 52848.

IT'S TIME to submit your photos for the 2003 Kwaj calendar. Bring photos to the Retail Office and sign a release by May 1. For more information, call 53307.

MASONIC FELLOWSHIP meets tomorrow, 7 p.m., in the Yokwe Yuk Club Kabua Room. All Master Masons welcome.

WALK LIKE an Egyptian and come to the elementary art show Saturday, April 27, 6-8 p.m., in the MP room.

ATTENTION QUILTERS: Are you interested in partici-

pating in a Christmas quilt block swap? For information, call Loretta, 53884, by April 20.

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) meets Thursday, 8:45-11 a.m., in the REB. The topic is keeping your family standing when the world is falling down. Based on TV program and "Real Families" by Dr. Lemon and Dr. Jay Passavant. The craft is creating the perfect painted picture frame led by Amy Prince.

CORAL OPEN golf tickets are on sale Mondays, 10 a.m.-noon, at the mini-mall. Horse Race qualifying rounds any day. 18 rounds. Questions, call Lee, 53789H or 57002W.

SCHOOL ADVISORY Council meets tomorrow, 7 p.m., in the elementary music room. Public is invited.

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

Marshallese Phrase of the Day

Kommool tata (co-moal ta-ta) = Thank you very much.

See you at the movies!

Saturday

Peter Pan (1953, G)

Disney's animated feature about the spritely Peter Pan who transports Wendy, Michael and John Darling to Neverland to help him battle the evil Captain Hook.

Richardson Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Not Another Teen Movie (2001, R)

Parody of the romantic teen movie genre. The story is populated with all the stereotypes, from the beautiful-girl-under-the-glasses to the handsome jock who bets his buddies he can turn her into a prom queen.

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 8 p.m.

Mickey Blue Eyes (1999, PG-13)

Hugh Grant and James Caan team up in this Mafia spoof. Grant plays Michael Felgate, an auctioneer who falls in love with the daughter of a mobster. Eventually, he takes on his own Mafioso persona.

Tradewinds Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday

Mickey Blue Eyes (1999, PG-13)

Richardson Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Not Another Teen Movie (2001, R)

Tradewinds Theater, 7:30 p.m.

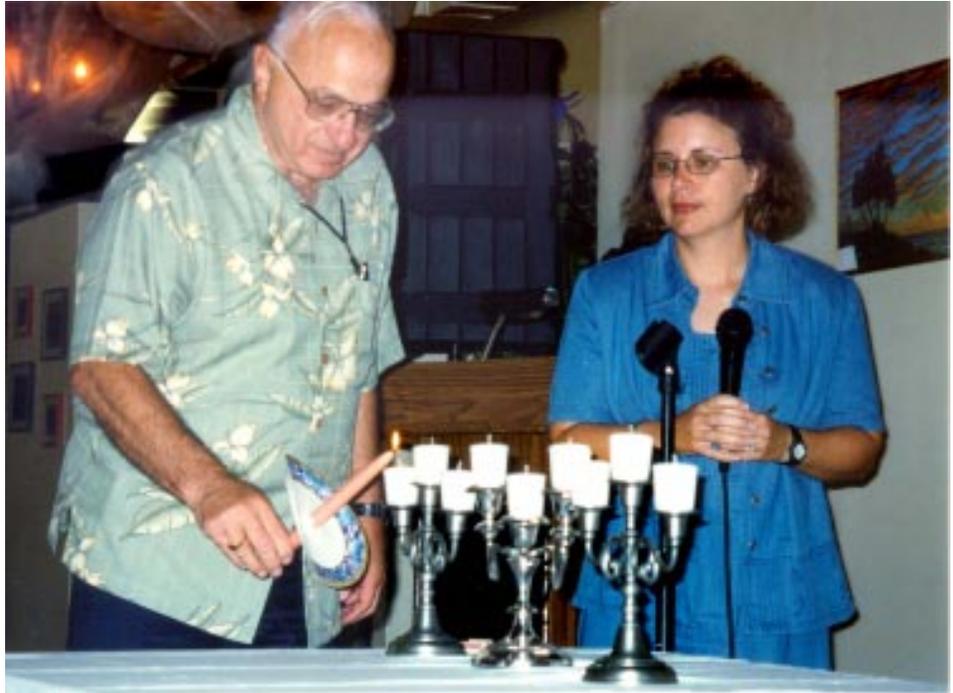
Monday

Peter Pan (1953, G)

Richardson Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Not Another Teen Movie (2001, R)

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 8 p.m.



(Photo by Barbara Johnson)

Cy Pizette lights a candle in memory of the people who helped the victims of the Holocaust during World War II while Teresa Netterville looks on at Friday's Days of Remembrance ceremony at the Yokwe Yuk Club dining room.

People who helped Holocaust victims honored

By Barbara Johnson

Feature Writer

With incredible individual and collective acts of courage, many people took a stand against Nazism during World War II. Ordinary people risked imprisonment and even death to help those in need.

These people were memorialized in this year's Days of Remembrance, whose theme is "Memories of Courage."

"Today, more than ever before, the individual and communal acts of heroism during the Holocaust serve as a

powerful example of how our nation and its citizens can and must respond to acts of hatred and inhumanity," said Cy Pizette, speaker at Friday's luncheon at the Yuk Club, sponsored by the USAKA Special Emphasis and Equal Opportunity Programs committee.

"Sixty years ago, the Nazis unleashed the machinery of the Holocaust across Europe," he said. "Despite the indifference of many and the outright collaboration of others in the murder of Jews, thousands of individuals, both Jewish

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WEATHER

Courtesy of Aeromet

Tonight: Mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers.

Winds: Northeast to east-northeast at 14 to 18 knots; higher gusts near showers.

Tomorrow: Partly cloudy with isolated showers.

Winds: Northeast to east-northeast at 15 to 20 knots; higher gusts near showers.

Temperature: Tonight's low 80°
Tomorrow's high 86°

April rain total: 3.35"

Annual rain total: 13.40"

Annual deviation: -2.27"

Call 54700 for continuously updated forecasts and sea conditions.



Sun • Moon • Tides



	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Tuesday April 16	0640/1859	0855/2144	0550, 5.4' 1810, 4.7'	1210, 0.9' 2400, 1.0'
Wednesday April 17	0639/1859	0942/2237	0620, 5.3' 1830, 4.3'	1240, 1.2'
Thursday April 18	0639/1859	1033/2332	0650, 5.0' 1910, 3.9'	0030, 1.3' 1320, 1.5'
Friday April 19	0639/1859	1127/	0730, 4.7' 2000, 3.5'	0100, 1.6' 1410, 1.9'