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U.S. ARMY PHOTO BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

USAG-KA Commander Col. Tom Pugsley, left, presents an award to Kwajalein resident Don Muse at USAG-KA Command headquarters March 4 for his winning submission to the Quarterly Innovation Challenge, a call for concepts to improve the island community. Muse submitted the idea to move Kwajalein’s directional signpost from the air terminal to a more scenic location.

CREATIVE MUSE PRESENTS INNOVATIVE IDEA

BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

USAG-KA Commander Col. Tom Pugsley recognized Kwajalein resident Don Muse for a winning submission in the Quarterly Innovation Challenge this week. Pugsley met with Muse at USAG-KA Command headquarters and presented him with a certificate of recognition and an AAFES gift card for Muse’s original concept.

“I really liked your idea,” Pugsley told Muse. “I had been thinking about it too.”

The idea: Move the directional signpost from the air terminal.

The idea had been in development throughout Muse’s career on island. It was after a few years of work that Muse realized he had an answer to a growing problem, he said.

Back then, Muse worked for island contract security. From the offices in the Kwajalein air terminal, he saw a daily stream of newcomers and Kwajalein residents pausing to snap photos at the island’s directional signpost—a point of interest that, for years, was located near an anchor and the memorial cross still visible just a few feet away.

“You could walk out of the building and take a picture,” said Muse. “That was the pic you sent back to show [family] where you were in your first few hours of being here. It was a staple location of Kwaj.”

Times have changed dramatically—especially for new arrivals.

The signpost is still in front of the air terminal, but newcomers are now shuttled directly to quarantine. The air terminal is still a no-photography zone as

an entry and exit point. As an aged facility in “Kwaj condition,” it is not an ideal backdrop for personal photos, Muse said.

Muse believes the signpost would be more accessible and greater served at the island’s most popular community beach. That post-arrival photo-op happens two weeks later, when newcomers emerge from quarantine and do what anyone would want to do after spending a lot of time indoors: visit Emon Beach.

“Think about it,” said Muse. “We arrive on island differently these days. We arrive and head straight into quarantine. The first place people are most likely to go isn’t the air terminal—it’s Emon Beach.”

Is moving the signpost necessary, given the hope that someday, quarantine may no longer be necessary?

Muse says it’s possible to wait, but it’s assured that people aren’t going to wait for COVID to go away before snapping a good picture.

“Maybe in five years [travel] will go back the way it was,” said Muse. “For the foreseeable future, everyone will be in quarantine. More people are at the beach taking photos.”



The signpost appears in the Kwajalein air terminal gate area in this 1974 Kwaj calendar photo. In an article from Feb. 26, Bill Remick described the history of Kwajalein’s signposts as dating back to the 1950s.

Be sure to keep an eye out on US-AG-KA social media for an upcoming community survey about possible places to move the island’s directional signpost.

Do you have great ideas you want to share? Enter your concepts in the Quarterly Innovation Challenge for the chance to win an AAFES gift card and make the island a better place by calling the Commander’s Hotline at 5-1098.

THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

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Kevan Daniel of the RMI Maulers sports a championship medal and the 2022 A League coconut trophy following the 2022 Basketball Championship games Feb. 26.

WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS

BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

The 2022 basketball season ended with fast-paced victories and packed bleachers on championship night. A League winners RMI Maulers defeated Kwaj team Aquanauts, and the women of Spartans I ceded final honors for the women's league Kwaj Condition in back-to-back tournaments held Feb. 26 at the Corlett Recreation Center.

"It was fun!" said Kwaj Condition's Rebecca Hiller, who also coached Spartan I Men's basketball, and enjoys the competition. "It's always fun to play students and coaches on that team. It was a fun season, fun game, and I thought the [Spartans] played well."

USAG-KA Commander Col. Tom Pugsley greeted both winning teams to award them special MWR championship medals and coconut trophies.

Leading his team to victory now for two consecutive years, RMI Maulers coach Richard Meyers discussed the night's win.

"It feels great!" Meyers said, following the game. "We won B League last year, and half

this team carried over to the A League."

A player walked by and congratulated the coach: "Your second win! Your second coconut!"

Coaching basketball is more about thinking and facilitating the already excellent players on his team, Meyers said. That, and a little quality time to watch basketball pros play on TV.

"It's standard," Meyers said, of the action. "There's a 3- and 2-point shot. It seems like the defense is always the same."

Constantly reviewing footage gave Meyers the basis for understanding gameplay. And while he helped guide the Maulers, he said all credit is due to the players.

"The thing is, I coach on this side," Meyers said, "but they have Ebeye tournaments all season. You think this is wild. You get over there, and you've actually got to find a seat!"

Meyers said his players are ready to trade in their basketballs for baseball bats. If you want to see the RMI Maulers play again, check the softball fields in the next USAG-KA MWR sports season.

KOMMOL TATA

Special thanks to all of the teams that played during the 2022 USAG-KA MWR Sports season!

Men's Spartans I
Men's Spartans II
RMI Maulers
Rough Riders
YSB
Aquanauts
Ebeye Ball-Hers
Women's Spartans I
Kwaj Condition
Coed Spartans

Special recognition goes out to all of the MWR technicians, coaches, families and friends who supported the season.



1) Kwaj Condition and 2) RMI Maulers with MWR medals, are this year's basketball champions. Special thanks to the coaches, scorekeepers and dedicated players from all teams who contributed to an exciting season.



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U.S. ARMY PHOTOS BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

1) Spartans I Women's Maddy Nienow, left, is paced by Kwaj Condition's Rebecca Hiller during the 2022 Women's League Basketball Championships. 2) USAG-KA Commander Col. Tom Pugsley, left, awards Kwaj Condition player Annie Hepler a champion's medal. 3) Players from Spartans I and Kwaj Condition stack up at the basket to go for the ball. 4) Every year during basketball season, Erik Hanson defies gravity a few times. Hanson, center, reached up to high-five the basket during the game. 5) Terrance Scott, left, lunges for the ball.

BGCA VARIETY SHOW BENEFITS OCEAN CLEANUP

BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

After a two-year hiatus, the Variety Show returned Feb. 27 to the Kwajalein High School Davye Davis Multi-Purpose Room.

Students from the island’s Keystone and Torch Clubs produced and organized the night’s program of 20 live music, dance and drama performances that showcased the talents of community volunteer performers.

The more than \$700 raised in donated proceeds from the night’s concessions and Spartan Xpresso sales will be given to The Ocean Cleanup, a nonprofit organization dedicated to ridding the world’s oceans of plastic waste.

In the past, proceeds from the show typically supported transportation costs for an elected youth leader to represent the garrison at an Indo-Pacific regional youth conference for the Boys and Girls Club of America—part of the island’s Army-accredited enrichment programming for enrolled youths.

Due to the pandemic, all meetings are now held virtually, and the island’s youths decided to adopt a new mission, said CYS Youth Center Lead Rachel Raczyński.

The show’s performers both entertained and educated the audience. The night included dances celebrating island cultures from the Pacific region with a Kiribati dance troupe and Tinikling Dance from the Philippine Islands.

The spoken word was a powerful component of the show. Dr. Doug Hepler delivered an impassioned poem riffing on the popular video, “What Do Teachers Make?” Graduating senior Morgan Dethlefsen performed his variety show stand-up comedy routine, giving a good-



From left: Lauren Wyatt, Gabby Africano and Audrey Wyatt of the Tinikling Dance group stand ready to begin their performance.

ly roast to casseroles and ocean-themed bathroom décor and the ever-changing definition of “salad.”

Special vocal performances during the evening included Abri Makovec, the first-ever solo by Ellie Miller, and Kendal Warren, performing solo and in a duet with guitarist Carson Collup.

Multiple musical performances punctuated the night. In one musical skit, Keystone Club President DJ Chong-Gum and a small brass ensemble fought for a better grade with a performance of “Seven Nation Army,” by The White Stripes, fea-

turing—you guessed it—more cowbell. Michael Africano performed music from the popular “Mario Brothers” videogames on piano, and the night culminated with a special act, the Saggy G-String Band, and a post-show featuring grunge and alternative rock favorites.

“I’m so proud of them,” said Raczyński, of the clubs’ students. “They worked so hard to put on this great show for the community—and we had a post-show! It was great, and I appreciate all of the time and effort that they put in to make this happen.”



1) A Zumba dance troupe performs an upbeat dance number. 2) Attendees line up to purchase popcorn during intermission. 3) John Thygersen plays ukulele with the Saggy G-String Band during a post-show.



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THE IMPOSTER



1) Students from the Torch Club perform in a skit based on the popular online game "Among Us." Watch out for the Imposter! 2) The Kiribati dance troupe. 3) Kendal Warren, left, and Carson Collup perform a duet together. 4) Abri Makovec performs "Dos Oruguitas." 5) Trumpet player Matthew Walter performs "Hedwig's Theme" from

the "Harry Potter" film franchise. 6) Ellie Miller sings "Everything Stays." 7) Morgan Dethlefsen, in the throes of comedy, performs an original stand-up comedy routine poking fun of everything from culture to food. 8) Bassist David Bates performs with the Saggy G-String Band.



1) A round of applause from the stage, for all student performers and tech crew members. 2) "This rendition of "Seven Nation Army" by The White Stripes is brought to you by Miles Sylvester, left, Morgan Dethlefsen, DJ Chong-Gum, and (not pictured) Cherish Corder. 3) Kyle Miller brings baritone saxophone power to the Saggy G-String Band. 4) Nate Rios, vocalist, Miller and John Thygerson perform during the

Saggy G-String Band post-show. 5) The Tinikling Dance featured the culture of the Philippine Islands with dancing by students Justin Pace, Connor McDiffett, Dominic Pace, Joey Aragon, Dominic Aragon, Gabby Fricano, Audrey Wyatt and Lauren Wyatt. 6) "I'm Your Mother!" Members of the Keystone Club performed their rendition of a popular Saturday Night Live skit.

HISTORY WITH U.S. SPACE AND MISSILE DEFENSE COMMAND



E-WARENESS: THE BIRDS SAY WHAT? BAO KO REJ BA TA?

Birds play an important role in our environment. They control pest populations and disperse seeds. Also, frigatebirds and Blue-Footed Boobies often appear above bait balls that contain sport fish. Smaller birds swarm over smaller fish. If you are fishing, watch where birds are swarming. It might be your next big catch.

Bao ko raurok nan ejmour eo an juk-jukin in ped in. Rej kadriklok oran kij im menin mour ko renanan im kajeeded ine in kokat ko. Bao ko Baräinwöt bao ko rej kelok im kabbok kijeer ek ilo unaak in ek ko reddrik. Bao ko reddrik rej jibadrok ek ko reddrik. Elane kwonaj eonod, lale ia eo bao ko rej kabbok kijeer ek ie. Komaron in naj kwo'kojok men eo ekilep.

BY SHARON WATKINS-LANG, USASMDC HISTORIAN

In his February 1971 Foreign Policy Report to Congress, President Richard Nixon announced that: "I will continue a SAFEGUARD program designed to provide maximum flexibility in the conduct of the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks. We are doing nothing which precludes any possible agreement at SALT." Full negotiations began in 1968, and the first SALT or Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty was signed in 1972.

Bordered by bales of straw, concrete at Montana's Malmstrom Site Radar sets up in subzero temperatures, pictured here in March 1971.

RMI TRAVEL ISSUANCE 36

Effective Feb. 28, the Republic of the Marshall Islands government has instituted Travel Issuance 36. This travel restriction applies through March 31.

UNITED AIRLINES FLIGHTS

FEBRUARY-MARCH FLIGHTS

Monday
UA155 (HNL)
Flight: 6:15 p.m.
Check-in: 3:30 – 4:45 p.m.

Tuesday
UA154 (GUM)
Flight: 12:50 p.m.
Check-in: 10:45 – 11:20 a.m.

SIGN UP FOR VETERINARY AND OPTOMETRY CARE

Does your pet need to be seen by a veterinarian? Do you need to get your optometry prescription renewed? The Kwajalein Hospital is accepting sign-ups for 2022 veterinary and optical care. Appointments will be scheduled at a later date.

For Optical Care
Call the Kwajalein Hospital to express your interest in securing a future optometry appointment at 5-2223.

For Veterinary Care
Call 5-2017 or email the Kwajalein Veterinary Clinic at kwajaleinveterinary-clinic@internationalsosgs.us to get on the list or make an appointment for prescreening conditions like dental care, diabetes, eye issues, lab work and medication.

PFIZER VACCINE, BOOSTER SHOTS AVAILABLE NOW

Pfizer vaccine booster shots and initial vaccine shots are now available on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll. For information register, please contact USAG-KA Health Systems Specialist at Suzanne Mosier at Suzanne.m.mosier.civ@army.mil.

LOOKING TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

The Micronesian Handicraft Shop is currently looking to fill the following positions

- POHNPEI HANDICRAFT BUYER
- TREASURER
- MIC SHOP CHAIRPERSON

Opportunity to Train!

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Emerson Mack, left, and Wesley Mack check out a touchable artwork at Jane Christy's "22," an art exhibition Feb. 24 and 25 at the Religious Education building.

THE LIBERTY PASS

Kwaj Weekend and Activity Guide

Coming Up Next

Kwajalein Scuba Club's Spring Equinox Dive and Dine
Sunday, March 20
Splash at 8:30 a.m.
Brunch at the A-Frame immediately following the dive. Please bring a dish to share.

Yokwe Yuk Welcome Club Plant Sale
Monday, March 14
9 – 11 a.m.
Lagoon Road, across from Qtrs. 424-C
Purchase a potted plant and support education. Proceeds from this event benefit the YYWC Education Assistance Committee's efforts to fund education grants for Micronesian schools. Donating plants for sale is welcome. For more information, email YYWCinfo@gmail.com or contact Julie Makovec on Facebook.

Salsa Night
Saturday, March 26
9 p.m. – midnight
Ocean View Club
Dress to impress, and enjoy special prices on select beverages.



2022 SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

TEAM REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW THROUGH MARCH 13

SEASON DATES: MARCH 22 TO MAY 21
MINIMUM EIGHT PLAYERS PER TEAM
\$100 PER TEAM.

REGISTER AT THE GRACE SHERWOOD LIBRARY MWR DESK.

At The Movies

Unless otherwise indicated, all movies begin at 7:30 p.m. Contact MWR at 5-3331 for more information. Showtimes may vary for special "Movies Under the Stars" events.

Yuk Theater Kwajalein

Saturday, March 5
"Jungle Cruise"
(PG-13) 127 min.

Sunday, March 6
"Ghost Busters: Afterlife"
(PG-13) 124 min.

Monday, March 7
"Hangover"
(R) 100 min.

****Dad's Movie Night****
Saturday, March 12
"Clifford The Big Red Dog"
(PG) 96 min.

Sunday, March 13
"Pitch Perfect"
(PG-13) 112 min.

Monday, March 14
"The Hangover Part II"
(R) 102 min.

C-Building Roi-Namur

Saturday, March 5
"Breaking In"
(PG-13) 88 min.

Sunday, March 6
"The Hunt"
(R) 90 min.

Saturday, March 12
"Intruder Part 1 and 2"
(PG-13) 112 min.

Sunday, March 13
"Bad Boys for Life"
(R) 124 min.
(R) 90 min.

COMMUNITY CLASSIFIEDS

The community wants to hear from you. Email announcements and advertisements to kwajaleinhourglass@amentum.com Wednesdays by close of business. Ads received after deadline will be published in the next issue of The Kwajalein Hourglass.

ARMY REGULATIONS
TOBACCO USE. USAG-KA Policy Memorandum 600-8 protects others from the negative impact of tobacco use. On USAG-KA, smoking is permitted in designated smoking areas only. Smoking and cigarette butt receptacles must be at least 50 feet from the entrance of facilities.

CLASSES
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS. Open meetings for this group are Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the REB, Room 213.

BLDG. COORDINATOR TRAINING. This training for building managers is required by AR 420-1. Kwaj training occurs on the first and third Wednesdays of each month beginning at 10 a.m. in the Religious Education Building. Roi-Namur training occurs on the second Wednesday each month at 9:30 a.m. in the C-building. Call 5-3364 to register.

NEW PARENTS. The Kwajalein EAP invites expecting mothers and new island parents to this confidential meetup to explore island parent resources Feb. 9, 4 – 5:30 p.m. in the REB. Call the EAP at 5-5362 for information.

SMOKING CESSATION. Ongoing smoking and tobacco cessation

counseling is available. Please call the EAP at 5-5362 or email Marybeth.Dawicki@internationalsosgs.us for more information.

FACILITIES
RACQUETBALL COURT CODE. Residents can obtain the door code from the MWR Desk at the Grace Sherwood Library. The code will not be given out over the phone. Contact MWR at 5-3331 with questions.

HELP WANTED
To research and apply for government employment opportunities on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll and worldwide, visit usajobs.gov. Write to kwajalein.hourglass@amentum.com to remove your listing.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT. This position provides daily administrative task support for operations at the Island Memorial Chapel. For questions or to submit a resume, please call 5-3505, and send to kwajchapel@gmail.com and Ch. Brian Conner at brian_conner@sbc-global.net.

AMENTUM seeks qualified candidates for various positions. Current open positions on USAG-KA include administrative services, data analysts, education services, aviation

NEW ON ISLAND?

WANT TO GET INVOLVED IN SUPPORTING EDUCATION IN THE MARSHALL ISLANDS & MICRONESIA?

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and airfield operations, marine operations and public works, among others. To apply, contact your local HR representative.

CALIBRE seeks a Military Material Specialist. For more information, or to apply, visit <https://jobs.silkroad.com/calibresys/httpscalibresyscareerssilkroadcom/jobs/4013>.

INTERNATIONAL SOS seeks a dental assistant and applicants for administrative positions. Send your resume to marykathleen.bryan@international-sos.com.

KAIHONUA is hiring for multiple positions. For more information or to apply, please contact Tribalco Human Resources at 5-4344 and visit <https://honuserVICES.jobs.net/page/kaihonua>. Applicants must meet job requirements.

NAN, INC. seeks a welder and welding inspector. To apply, visit www.nanhawaii.com and contact Clint Ueatari or Kevin Short at 5-2632, 5-4995 or 5-4996.

TRUESTONE is hiring for multiple positions. Contact Tribalco Human Resources at 5-4344 and visit <https://www.akima.com/careers/>. Applicants must meet job requirements. For more information, visit www.tribalco.com/careers.html.

RGNEXT, LLC seeks qualified candidates to fill several open positions on Kwaj and Roi in engineering, technical and other areas. For more information and to apply, go to www.rgnext.com.

USAG-KA CYS has openings for new employees and coaches. Required experience levels vary. All children of head coaches play for free. Visit Central Registration or call 5-2158 in Building 356.

MWR REFEREES WANTED. Paid and volunteer positions are available for soccer, volleyball, basketball and softball. Schedules are flexible. Con-

tact Dolly Bakhsh at 5-3872 or dolly.bakhsh@amentum.com for more information.

HOURS OF OPERATION
COMMON ACCESS CARD OFFICE is open Tuesday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Schedule appointments at <https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco.w>

The SELF HELP CENTER is in Bldg. 1791. Hours of operation are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Visit Self Help for tools and materials for household upkeep projects.

ORGANIZATIONS
KWAJALEIN AMATEUR RADIO CLUB. Looking for active members and leadership positions to take the club to new heights. Contact the club at 5-2501 or email kwajradioclub@gmail.com to learn more.

UKULELE CLUB. The Kwajalein Ukulele Club is a free club open to ukulele enthusiasts of all ages and skill levels. Bring your uke and join us for a strum-along each Friday in CRC room 6 from 6 – 7:30 p.m. Sign up for the mailing list to receive updates and sheet music by writing to kwajukeclub@gmail.com.

KWAJALEIN GIRL SCOUTS. The Kwajalein Girl Scouts are open to all school-aged K-12 girls on Kwajalein (USAGSO.org). Membership fees are \$45. Also seeking adult volunteers. For registration, questions or more information contact Carrie Aljure at whatacod@aol.com.

SAFETY
HOSPITAL DOOR REPAIRS. Please use the north end/Pharmacy doors to enter the Kwajalein Hospital from March 5 – 9 until construction at the front entrance is complete. Thank you for your patience.

SAFETY REMINDER. The community is reminded to avoid dead marine mammals that may wash up onshore. They can pose a human health risk and may attract sharks and other ma-



CONTACT THE USAG-KA SEXUAL HARASSMENT/ ASSAULT RESPONSE AND PREVENTION VICTIM ADVOCATE



Sgt. 1st Class Effie Banks
SHARP Victim Advocate
Work: 805-355-0600
or 805-355-1419
USAG-KA SHARP Pager:
805-355-3241 #0100
DOD SAFE Helpline:
877-995-5247



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455-1724, 456-1724 AND 456-6409 TO GET HELP.



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AND VIDEOS TO SOCIAL MEDIA.

rine predators. For more information, speak with your Environmental department representatives.

PAVILION CLOSED. The site of the former Emon Beach main pavilion site is closed for maintenance. Please avoid the area while work is being completed. Call MWR at 5-3331/2.

TWO LIFEGUARDS REQUIRED. For safety reasons, an extra lifeguard is required for parties held at the Millican Family Pool. Questions, or to reserve the pool, contact Cliff Pryor at Clifford.PryorJr@amentum.com or 5-2848.

NO NEW PETS IN BQ ROOMS. Except for cats already adopted and currently residing with their owners, no animals or pets are allowed in BQ rooms. If you see an animal in distress, contact the Vet Tech at 5-2017 or kwajaleinveterinaryclinic@internationalssos.us.

METAL DETECTORS are not allowed on Kwajalein according to Army Regulation. Unexploded Ordnance exists and could be dangerous if disturbed. Contact Deirdre Wyatt-Pope at 5-1442.

CANDLES and open flames are not permitted in BQ rooms. The Kwajalein Fire Department thanks you for keeping your neighbors safe.

MILITARY WORKING DOGS. The community is advised to follow these tips for safety around military working dogs. WDs will conduct inspections at locations like BQs, transient facilities and other areas.

- Maintain a distance of five feet at all times.
- Do not attempt to pet or agitate the Working Dogs on patrol or at the K-9 kennel area
- Follow all instructions from the Kwajalein Police Department

and K-9 dog handlers at all times.

- Questions? Contact the Provost Marshal's Office at 5-2109, 5-8859 and 5-3530.

MWR RENTALS

MWR RENTALS. When requesting a tent, two weeks' notice is required for dig permit approval. To request tables, linens, chairs, bounce houses, or MWR equipment, call 5-3331/3332 or visit the Grace Sherwood Library in Bldg. 805 Tuesday through Friday from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

ACTORS WANTED. Submit your original recipes to AFN Kwajalein for the chance to appear on The Kwaj Current's new segment, "The Surfway Gourmet." Show off your cooking skills while sharing recipe ideas with the community. All recipes must utilize ingredients found at Surfway.

YOKWE YUK WELCOME CLUB seeks a MIC Shop buyer to maintain shop handicrafts; and a chairperson to be the shop's point of contact. Volunteers receive a 25 percent discount on all shop goods and can volunteer time on their own schedules. Training is available now through March 1. Contact Diane Swanby at 5-1684 or kwajhandicrafts@gmail.com for more information.

BARGAIN BAZAAR seeks volunteers and donations. Email yywcinfo@gmail.com or visit the Bargain Bazaar Facebook page @KwajBargainBazaarYYWC for information. Proceeds benefit the Education Assistance Fund and support education grants.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

ISLAND MEMORIAL CHAPEL

Join the congregations of the Island Memorial Chapel for weekly services and opportunities to join in fellowship and praise activities.

Be sure to keep an eye on Kwajalein social media for event announcements for the island's fellowship groups. Check out additional community services provided by the chapel team. Call 5-3505 to speak with a religious services team member about your specific worship needs.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Send prayer requests electronically to: m.me/IMCKwajalein

COUNSELING SESSIONS

Counseling sessions are available by appointment. Call 5-3505.

PROTESTANT SERVICES

Early Sunday Services
Sunday, 8:15 a.m.
Traditional Worship
Small Chapel

Mid-morning Services
Sunday, 11 a.m.
Contemporary Service
Main Sanctuary

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Morning Services
Sunday, 9:15 a.m.
Main Sanctuary

Daily Mass
Tuesday through Friday
5:15 p.m.
Chapel office

Saturday Evening Mass
5:30 p.m.
Small chapel

ROI SERVICES

Protestant Services
1st & 3rd Fridays
at 6:30 p.m.

CHAPEL ACTIVITIES

Ash Wednesday Services
Catholic Mass
March 2, 5:30 p.m. in the large chapel

Protestant Services
March 2, 6:30 p.m. in the REB

Youth Fellowship
March 7 - REB, 6 p.m.
March 21 - REB, 6 p.m.
April 4 - REB, 6 p.m.
April 18 - A-Frame, 6 p.m.

Night of Prayer and Praise
Join the Island Memorial Chapel for a night of worship. Event meets monthly at 7 p.m. on first Sundays in the IMC main sanctuary.

Stations of the Cross
6 p.m. in the small chapel on Friday, March 4, 11, 18 and 25.
March 6 - Prayer & Praise Night - 7 p.m. in the large chapel



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- Visit Vectrus’ career site!
- Create a profile at <https://careers.vectrus.com/why-vectrus> or scan the QR code at the bottom of this flyer.
- Upload your resume and any certifications you may have
- Let us know you are interested in joining the Vectrus team by signing up for the “LOGCAP V—Marshall Islands - Interested Incumbent Only” Talent Pool
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Berry Aviation (Aviation Positions) – please apply at <https://www.berryaviation.com/job-listings>



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Wolf Creek (PrevMed, Ground Transportation, Retail Svcs., and Watercraft Operations) – please apply at www.chugachgov.com/careers



Louis Berger Services (Engineering, Electrical Utility Services, Airfield and Retail Fuel Operations) – please apply at <https://phe.tbe.taleo.net/phe01/ats/careers/v2/jobSearch>

TECHSYSTEMS

Tech Systems (SSA Operations, FRB, and Ammunition and Munition Operations) – please apply at <https://tsi4usa.com/careers/>



MidWest ATC (Air Traffic control) – please apply at <https://atctower.com/careers>

Interested parties can also look up these positions on www.indeed.com, www.glassdoor.com, www.linkedin.com and www.monster.com.





Your opinion can make a **BIG DIFFERENCE** in the quality of life for Army families.

Your Army Wants to Hear from You!

TENANT

SATISFACTION SURVEY

11 JAN - 24 MAR 2022

EXTENDED

Give your input on the steps taken to improve our families' housing quality and help to shape ongoing investment in Gov't-owned and privatized housing.

**Completely confidential*



The completely confidential survey will be emailed from ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com.

OMB Control Number: 0704-0553. OMB Expiration date: 03/31/2022. For additional questions, please contact your local Army Housing office.

ARMY'S ANNUAL HOUSING SATISFACTION SURVEY EXTENDED

EXTERNAL REPORT

By U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii Public Affairs

WHEELER ARMY AIRFIELD, Hawaii—The Army has extended its annual housing tenant satisfaction survey to allow more residents the opportunity to provide feedback about living in Army housing.

Survey results will guide the decisions the Army makes about future housing.

"By responding to the survey, every resident will have a voice in how the Army and its partners continue to maintain and improve the quality of our housing," said Lt. Gen. Jason Evans, Deputy Chief of Staff of G-9, which provides policies, programs, resources and expertise for services and installation infrastructure to enable total Army readiness. G-9 is the sponsor of the survey.

CEL & Associates, Inc.—an indepen-

dent, third-party company—has sent emails to more than 110,000 tenants living in privatized, government-owned and government-leased housing on Army installations across the globe.

Completing the confidential survey takes about 10 minutes, and tenants have March 7 to do so.

Army privatized, government-owned and government-leased housing tenants can rate their satisfaction with services, property and the overall housing experience through the online survey. Feedback will be used by the Army to help maintain a high quality of life for service members and their families.

The Army is investing billions of dollars into transforming barracks and on-post housing at installations across the globe to provide Soldiers and their families with quality, safe and secure housing and a better quality of life. The Army has fully implemented the Tenant Bill

of Rights, ensuring privatized housing tenants receive quality housing and fair treatment.

Housing tenants who do not receive the survey notice email from ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com should contact their local garrison housing offices.

For assistance in submitting Kwajalein Army Family Housing Surveys, contact the following individuals:

Omie "Clint" Weaver
Housing/Custodial Manager

TEL: (805) 355-2465
EMAIL: omie.weaver@vectrus.com

Scott Hill
Garrison Housing Director
(805) 355-0133
michael.s.hill86.civ@army.mil



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QUARANTINE DELIVERY PICK-UP TIMES

Package pick-up for deliveries to personnel in quarantine will depart from Macy's on Mondays at 10 a.m. and Surfway on Thursdays at 2 p.m. A delivery vehicle will arrive 30 minutes before departure. Please ensure all deliveries are securely packed and labeled with the recipient's name and quarters number. Questions? Please call Pat Dobson at 5-0506, or Mike Snyder at 5-3929.



USAG-KA DINING GUIDE

ISLAND DINING FACILITIES

CAPT. LOUIS. S. ZAMPERINI CAFETERIA (5-3425)

TUESDAYS - SATURDAYS*
5:30 - 8 a.m.
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
4:30 - 7 p.m.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS*
6:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
4:30 - 7 p.m.

MONDAYS*
6 - 9 a.m.
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
4:30 - 7 p.m.

CAFE ROI - ROI-NAMUR (5-6535)

TUESDAYS - SATURDAYS
5:30 - 8 a.m.;
10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.;
and 5 - 6:45 p.m.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS
7 - 9 a.m.;
10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.;
and 5 - 6:45 p.m.

MONDAYS
6 - 8:30 a.m.;
10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.;
and 5 - 6:45 p.m.

*The following prices apply to all meals served at the Zamperini Caf-

eteria and Café Roi. The Zamperini Cafeteria is now open to families Sunday through Friday during normal hours of operation. Standard Rates: Breakfast - \$3.85; Lunch - \$6.15; Dinner - \$5.35; and Holiday - \$10.15.

Want to receive a daily copy of the menu? Contact Asia Williams at asia.williams@amen-tum.com to be added to the weekly emailed menu.

DINING DOWNTOWN
SUNRISE BAKERY
(5-3445)

Tues - Thursday
6 a.m. - 2 p.m.

SUNRISE BAKERY
PIZZA KITCHEN (5-3445)

Friday, Saturday and Sunday,
5 - 9 p.m.

Monday, 5 - 9 p.m.

Don't forget about the late-night menu of rotating specials at the Roi-Namur Outrigger Club and Ocean View Club.

AMERICAN EATERY
Located at the Kwajalein Dock Security Checkpoint
(5-1605)

Sunday - closed
Monday - closed
Tuesday - Saturday,
8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

ANTHONY'S PIZZA
Located at the AAFES Food Court
(5-2735)

Sunday, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Monday - Friday,
11 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.

BURGER KING
Located at the AAFES Food Court
(5-3402)

Sunday, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Monday - Friday,
11 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.

SUBWAY
Located at the AAFES Food Court
(5-3402)

Sunday, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Monday, 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Tuesday, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Wednesday, 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Thursday, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Friday, 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.



MWR FITNESS CLASSES

New Schedule begins March 1

TUESDAY

9:15 a.m. ZUMBA DANCE CRC1
5 p.m. YOGA
5:30 p.m. KICK BOXING & CORE CRC1
6:40 p.m. SPIN

WEDNESDAY

5:30 a.m. YOGA
9:15 a.m. ZUMBA TONING CRC1
6 p.m. ZUMBA DANCE CRC1

THURSDAY

5:30 a.m. SPIN
10:30 a.m. WATER AEROBICS ADULT POOL
5 p.m. YOGA
5:30 p.m. KICKBOXING & CORE CRC1

FRIDAY

9:15 a.m. STEP & CORE CRC1
5:30 p.m. ZUMBA TONING CRC1
6:40 p.m. SPIN

SATURDAY

10:30 a.m. WATER AEROBICS
5:30 p.m. STEP & CORE CRC1

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our ancestors
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here:

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ANIMATION CELEBRATING THE MARSHALL ISLANDS.](#)



RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

WEATHER DISCUSSION

Northeasterly trade winds have returned to the Kwajalein Atoll area late this week after a very wet and chaotic mid-week. Trade winds, generally at or near 17 knots, are expected to persist throughout this weekend.

While cloud coverage will be significant Saturday and into Sunday morning, dry air is expected to increase in the mid-layers of the atmosphere Saturday morning, resulting in partly sunny skies much of this weekend.

A change in weather pattern will likely occur early Tuesday morning as a subtle surface wave moves through the atoll area. This will bring at least widely scattered showers and some potential

for heavy rainfall early next week. A return to stable trade winds is then expected for the rest of next week.

Saturday

Mostly cloudy with stray showers. Winds NE-ENE at 16-21 knots with frequent gusts up to 24 knots.

Sunday and Monday

Partly to mostly sunny with stray showers. Showers and cloud cover will begin to increase late Monday night. Winds NE-ENE at 16-21 knots with gusts up to 24 knots.

Next Week

Winds at or near 13 knots with a higher chance for periodic heavy rain during the early part of the week, then returning to breezy and dry conditions mid-late week.

THE THREE R'S OF UXO

PUBLIC SAFETY ANNOUNCEMENT

Unexploded ordnance should be treated like dangerous sea creatures: Look, but do not touch. You can play an important role in keeping Kwajalein safe by knowing what to do when you spot unexploded ordnance.

Remember the three R's of UXO:

- **Recognize** an item as possible unexploded ordnance;
- **Retreat** from the area of the UXO; and
- **Report** suspected UXO immediately.

If you discover an object that could be UXO, notify Kwajalein Explosive Ordnance Disposal immediately by calling 5-1433. You can also call CPS at 5-4445. Provide the following information about what you found:

- **Location.** Note helpful details like the building number, GPS coordinates and any prominent landmarks
- **Size of the UXO** as compared to common items like a football or scuba air cylinder

Kememey R ko 3.

- **Recognize** (kile) juon kwopej bajjok emaron Bokutan ak kein kabokkolok (UXO).
- **Retreat** (Jenliklik) bed ettolok im jab kepaak UXO eo.
- **Report** (Ripoot e) boktun ak kein kabokklok eo ien eo emokajtata non EOD ilo nomba kein (5-1433) ak CPS (5-4445).

Ken melele kein: Ia eo (nomba in ijo, GPS, kakolle in ijo, etc.); Jonan (jonan e ibben jet kain mweik - football, taan in turan, etc.).

Tiljek kon UXO kein einwot am kojparok menin mour in lojet ko rekauwotata. Kalimjek wot jab jibwe. Non bar kakemeymej eok, eokwe jouj im koba lok ilo Island Orientation allon otemjej.

For a detailed refresher on UXO safety, attend the new island orientation or call Kwajalein EOD at 5-1433.

SUN-MOON-TIDES				
	SUNRISE SUNSET	MOONRISE MOONSET	HIGH TIDE	LOW TIDE
SUNDAY	7:01 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	9:25 a.m. 9:57 p.m.	6:18 a.m. 4.3' 6:26 p.m. 4.2'	12:11 a.m. -0.5' 12:22 p.m. -0.3'
MONDAY	7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	10:05 a.m. 10:44 p.m.	6:44 a.m. 4.1' 6:50 p.m. 3.7'	12:33 a.m. -0.3' 12:51 p.m. 0.1'
TUESDAY	7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	10:47 a.m. 11:33 p.m.	7:09 a.m. 3.8' 7:12 p.m. 3.2'	12:54 a.m. 0.1' 1:20 p.m. 0.5'
WEDNESDAY	6:59 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	11:30 a.m. -----	7:35 a.m. 3.4' 7:33 p.m. 2.7'	1:14 a.m. 0.4' 1:51 p.m. 0.9'
THURSDAY	6:59 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	12:16 p.m. 12:22 a.m.	8:05 a.m. 3.0' 7:53 p.m. 2.2'	1:32 a.m. 0.8' 2:34 p.m. 1.3'
FRIDAY	6:58 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	1:04 p.m. 1:13 a.m.	8:57 a.m. 2.6' 7:56 p.m. 1.7'	1:48 a.m. 1.2' 5:05 p.m. 1.7'
MARCH 12	6:58 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	1:54 p.m. 2:04 a.m.	12:48 p.m. 2.5' -----	1:22 a.m. 1.6' 8:37 p.m. 1.2'



Click the logo to visit RTS Weather online.



UXO AWARENESS AND SAFETY CLASSES

Kwajalein Explosive Ordnance Disposal will be conducting monthly UXO hazard awareness classes on the first Wednesday of every month. Classes will not meet on holidays.

This class is a 30-minute new hire and refresher UXO class explaining specific dangers on Kwajalein. Meetings are scheduled for the first Wednesday at each month at 1 p.m. in Building 1025.

How to Register

Call 5-1550 to sign up. A maximum of 18 people may register for each class. For departments with a large group of employees we can come to your location. Call 5-1550 to schedule a class, to speak with a technician or for more information.