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USAG-KA COMMANDER COL. DREW MORGAN, CENTER LEFT, AND USAG-KA COMMAND SGT. MAJ. ERNEST MILLER, RIGHT, COMMEMORATE THE RECENT KWAJ RMI WORKFORCE TOWN HALL WITH A PHOTO AT THE ISLAND MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

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WHAT IS TEAM KWAJ?

BY USAG-KA COMMANDER COL. DREW MORGAN

In a 2009 viral TED talk, leadership author and speaker Simon Sinek shared a simple but revolutionary idea: to bring success to any endeavor, leaders must start with the "Why."

They must ask themselves, why is this community, organization, or project important? Or, why does it even exist?

As I prepared to take garrison command, I deliberately sought to understand Kwaj's "why." To do so, my family and I studied this unique place, learning about the people, culture, history and military purpose through academic research, talking with people who have lived, worked, and commanded here, and even watching old episodes of the Kwaj Current and reading The Kwajalein Hourglass.

While I continue to learn more every day, two fundamental truths about US-AG-Kwajalein Atoll emerged above the rest.

First, Kwaj is vital to our national security. It has a rich heritage of developing and demonstrating our valued strategic capabilities, which will remain true long into the future. We also recognize its increasingly vital geographical location in a newly competitive Pacific region.

The second and equally important truth is that this place is our home. Along with our Marshallese partners who have lived here for centuries, we

live, work, play, and raise our families here. It is the beloved, secure, and comfortable place we call "home."

The defining word that harmonizes these two essential truths is relationships. People make this critical mission happen and embrace this island as their home. Relationships with our neighbors, coworkers, and friends are the foundation of the Kwaj community, and we need them all to be healthy in order to succeed at both our formal mission and our informal lives together.

As an island, we will rally behind the idea that Kwajalein is "a healthy community of excellence." We must strive for health in every sense of the word: morally, physically, mentally, spiritually and socially to build our community and support the mission with excellence in all that we do.

Our Kwaj "Teammate Pact" guides how we commit to treating each other as a successful and healthy island workforce. The Kwaj "Community Pact" is for every person who calls Kwajalein their home or workplace and consists of five simple but essential ideas:

1. Do the right thing.
2. Take pride in what you do.
3. Be safe on and off-duty.
4. Be kind.
5. Be a good teammate and neighbor.



USAG-KA Commander Col. Drew Morgan

These tenets define our healthy community and inform our interactions with our Kwaj friends, neighbors and coworkers. Over the next several months, I look forward to writing about these topics in more detail.

I am proud to be the commander of this installation and leader of this community. We are not "the garrison" and a collection of siloed tenant units and organizations. We are a unified team, doing our finest work for our Nation's critical mission here while simultaneously making this tiny island a fantastic place to live. This is Kwaj's "Why." We are "TEAM KWAJ—ONE TEAM."

THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

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USAG-KA RMI Relations Specialist Mike Sakaio, facilitates the question and answer session of the Sept. 6 Kwajalein RMI Workforce Town Hall at the Island Memorial Chapel.

HUNDREDS OF MARSHALLESE WORKERS ATTEND RMI WORKFORCE TOWN HALL, ASK QUESTIONS

BY MIKE BRANTLEY / USAG-KA PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The Island Memorial Chapel was packed to the rafters with Marshallese teammates Sept. 6 for the first RMI Workforce Town Hall held by USAG-KA Commander Col. Drew Morgan since his change of command ceremony in late June.

Russ Hastings, Task Order Manager for V2X, started off the town hall with an awards ceremony for six Marshallese employees.

The following individuals received certificates of appreciation: Jaclyn Lemari-Solomon, HR Specialist Sr.; Piamon Sorimle, human resources specialist Sr.; Joann Hermon, Surfway administrative associate sr.; Michael Michael, custodian supervisor; and Hensay Nenam, MWR recreation specialist.

“Congratulations to everyone who received an award,” said Morgan. “They are examples of the workforce that I know that you all are.

“I have been the commander for the garrison for two months. I moved here from Texas with my family. Before we arrived, my family and I studied this garrison, the Marshallese culture and why it was important. And my family and I have grown to love this country, this culture and this garrison.

“There are two things that I’ve concluded about U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll and everyone who lives and works here: This garrison is important to both of our countries, it’s important to the defense of both of our countries, and all of Kwajalein Atoll is our home. And, as our home, we live here and share this place and our love for it together.

“As we live in close proximity together, you participate in an important mission in supporting this garrison. You are part of an important team that I call TEAM KWAJ.

“We are all on the same team—ONE TEAM—performing this important mission for our countries, and living

together on this atoll in peace. As an important part of fulfilling that important mission, there are important things that I want all of us to remember as the workforce here in Kwajalein. This is our agreement with each other, between all of us.

“First, do the right thing. There are many things that inform right and wrong. Maybe those are the laws of the RMI and U.S., the regulations of USAG-KA, and things like even the Bible and other things that you learned in your own home. We all must trust that we all are doing the right thing.

“Second, for this important mission, we want to do our best work. We all work hard because the mission that we perform for our countries is important.

“Today, we recognized six individuals who are good examples of doing your best work. And every one of you can stand up in front of this room and be recognized doing that hard work for your country and for the U.S.

“And finally, the last thing is to be kind to one another. We all will show dignity and respect to everyone we work with or live with. And I believe that if we are all trusting that we’re doing the right thing, that we’re doing our best work and that we’re being kind to one another, that we will be a stronger TEAM KWAJ together.

“It’s my honor to be the commander of this garrison and be the leader of this community,” Morgan said. “The CSM and I always want you to be comfortable coming up to us if you have a problem. Or, you tell the supervisors you work with to communicate with us if you have a problem. That is our role to help solve problems and make sure that you are a strong and ready workforce.”

Questions and Answers

1. Since LOGCAP has been here for five years, we have not seen an increase in pay. New hires have higher pay than most of us. Will there be an opportunity for us to get a pay raise?

“When we transitioned the LOGCAP V contract, we looked at everybody’s pay rates and we made sure that at least nobody got paid less than they were getting paid under LOGCAP IV,” said Hastings. “Since then, we have developed new positions that are available and anybody is more than welcome to apply for these positions. There are also some positions that we are looking at the pay rates right now to see what we can do to increase those.

“If anybody has any particular question specific to their job or their pay rate, please come to HR and address those. The HR department is open to help you employees of V2X/LOGCAP V, that’s what they’re there for. They are there to listen to you, to pay attention to you and to help you with these problems. You don’t have to wait until a town hall; they are open every day. Please address these with them and if you don’t get an answer, then come see me in Building 735.”

“You have very supportive leaders,” said Morgan. “Whether you work for V2X, Chenega or Parsons—whichever contractor you work for, you have good leaders and there are ways to communicate short of coming to the town hall.”

Scott Roesler, V2X human resources, added, “Right now, LOGCAP does not support standardized merit (yearly) increases; however, we will go back and discuss it.”

Roesler also reiterated the V2X Human Resources Office hours operation. The office is in Bldg. 700 Hours of operation are Tuesday through Saturday, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.; and Sunday and Monday mornings.

2. A question was raised about a past program called First Stop. Local Nationals could be seen at the clinic here but now they have to go to Ebeye to be seen.

Morgan said that this is something that we can look at.

Update: From Command Sgt. Maj.

Miller: "Utilization of the Kwajalein Hospital for emergencies while on in-stillation has always been an option for the RMI. If a Marshallese worker breaks his hand for example, he would be taken to the Kwajalein Hospital first. For everyday sick call, it makes more sense to utilize the Hospital on Ebeye prior to coming to base. If on base, it is only a 20 min ferry ride to Ebeye in which a Marshallese would be heading back home anyways. Utilization of the Kwajalein Hospital for normal sick call illness is not a current option."

3. Access at the Dock Security Checkpoint: In the mornings with the system down it takes a long time to process us in. It is exhausting and people have to wait. When will this be fixed?

"I'm aware that has been broken for a long period of time and I've made that an issue with my boss to ensure they know that it is broken and we need it fixed or we need a new system," said Morgan. "It will likely be many months before we have a fix. I know that means long, tiring lines coming in, but know that we have made this an issue for important generals. The first of those generals will be visiting us next week and we will emphasize that again."

4. For future town halls can we get advance notice to be better prepared with questions?

Having signage at the DSC in addition to notifying HR directors for notification was brought up.

5. How many more years is LOGCAP here for?

"We are in Option Year 1 now," said Hastings. "So, a couple more years."

"The government is always looking at ways to accomplish the services here, but V2X has been a great partner for what we need right now," Morgan added.

6. For TEAM KWAJ, respect goes both ways from having worked under a different contract, I've seen complaints come through and it's important for supervisors and bosses to show respect



U.S. ARMY PHOTO BY MIKE BRANTLEY

Dennis Joji, right, participates in the question and answer session of the Sept. 6 Kwajalein RMI Workforce Town Hall at the Island Memorial Chapel.

in how they speak and talk in front of others. Some of these complaints were raised with your predecessor but nothing changed.

"I absolutely agree with you," said Morgan. "Respect goes both ways. I want to clarify that those three things that I said: Do the right thing, do your best work and be kind to one another, are the same things I say to every audience here. I say it everywhere I go. That is the message to everyone. If they are part of TEAM KWAJ, that is what I expect."

"If there are cases of disrespect or mistreatment, bring that to your supervisors or HR immediately. If after using those, if the disrespect continues, you have the green light to come to me or the CSM."

Miller added: "Dignity and respect is our key to everything. I will tell you that Mr. Hastings and Mr. Olivares also believe in dignity and respect as do all our other directorates. Where I need your help is, many times it comes to me, we do an investigation to take care of the problem, but when it comes back to you,

no one says anything—everybody just stays quiet because they don't want any issues. Stand up and say something. Let it go through its process so we can get these people who are mistreating you off this island.

7. The laundromat at the Dock Security Checkpoint. We can't use it because it's "government use." There are only two washers and two dryers available for all of us to use. Is that going to be fixed?

"That has been on my mind," said Morgan. "The CSM identified this as a problem as soon as I arrived. Currently, the laundromat is run by AAFES. Two weeks ago, we traveled to Hawaii and spoke with AAFES and told them this is unacceptable. We are currently looking at new options to provide laundry services. Like most things on Kwajalein, it will take us several months to fix. I understand access to a laundry facility here and on Roi is important to you and because it's important to you, it's important to me. We are going to fix this problem."



6-mile Ruck/Walk/Bike

with Lt. Gen. Karbler and Col. Morgan

Sept. 16
6:15 a.m.

Emon Beach
Main Pavilion

Meet at the

NAME THAT ISLAND

Last Week's Image: Kosrae

The aerial photograph featured in last week's Kwajalein Hourglass is Kosrae, in the Federated States of Micronesia.

You and your family can watch for new Name That Island challenge images from U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll Commander Col. Drew Morgan in an upcoming issue of The Kwajalein Hourglass.

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 U.S. ARMY PHOTO BY TIM FLACK

Volunteers turn in bags of trash following a cleanup event Sunday during a volunteer event at the Sagami River in Zama City, Japan.

U.S. ARMY IN JAPAN RESIDENTS JOIN JAPANESE RIVER CLEANUP EFFORT

EXTERNAL REPORT

By Tim Flack, U.S. Army Garrison Japan Public Affairs

ZAMA CITY, Japan—U.S. Army in Japan personnel joined about 1,300 Japanese residents who gathered Sept. 3 for the 41st annual Sagami River cleanup event here near Camp Zama.

Soldiers, civilian employees and family members of U.S. Army Garrison Japan, the 38th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, the 35th Combat Sustainment Support Battalion, the 311th Military Intelligence Bn., and Logistics Readiness Center – Honshu volunteered to help with the community cleanup in the recreation area along the river.

"This is just something we always like to do," said Kevin Coleman, accompanied by his wife, Randi, the 311th MI first sergeant, and their twin daughters, Reyna and Kaylee. "We volunteer with the community anytime we can to give something back."

The Coleman family said their community cleanup volunteerism had a

humorous start. When their daughters were very young, just 3 or 4 years old, one launched a piece of garbage out of the window while they were driving. The parents explained to their children why that was wrong, went home and got a wagon, and returned to clean up the whole area.

Now, however, it is something the girls love to do and something they call "helping the animals."

Zama City Mayor Mito Sato opened Sunday's event with a speech thanking the participants and members of the Kanagawa Prefectural Waste Management Promotion Council for volunteering their free time to assist the city. The mayor explained that the Sagami River flows into the Sagami Bay, so cleanup efforts are crucial to prevent the spread of marine pollution.

"We believe it is very meaningful for us to continue this activity in order to pass on a better environment for the future," she said.

Participants were given a safety briefing, cloth gloves and garbage bags and they quickly spread out across the area to begin cleaning.

Japan Ground Self-Defense Force Master Sgt. Hideki Ohara, from Camp Zama's 4th Engineer Group, joined three Soldiers from the 38th ADA to practice English while cleaning the area. He said he enjoys the opportunity for international engagement and greatly appreciates the partnership with the U.S. Soldiers on Camp Zama.

Sgt. Amelya Floyd said she enjoyed Ohara's company during the event, saying it was nice to work side-by-side with the JGSDF in a non-mission event where they could get to know each other.

"Soldiers are the same no matter where you are, so we have that bond," she said.

Capt. Alexander Derosa, assigned to the 35th CSSB, said the event was the first time he has been able to volunteer in Japan, but he hopes to do it again in the future.

"Any chance to be involved with the community and any chance to help is great," he said.

During a closing ceremony, Zama City officials told those gathered that they collectively gathered 3.5 tons of trash, helping to beautify the area.

SATELLITE SLAYER

COLD WAR WEAPON BORN ON KWAJ

*A Nike Zeus
launches
from Mount
Olympus,
circa 1962-
1963.*

📷 COURTESY OF
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BY JORDAN VINSON

For years, the Kwajalein Hourglass “rocket writer,” former Editor Jordan Vinson, penned some of our finest historical journalism on the emergence and evolution Kwajalein’s role in missile defense. Share this historic piece from the Hourglass archives with your friends. As you shall read, few folks knew this story.

Few folks know that for a brief spell in the early 1960s Kwajalein was at a state of constant readiness, equipped with nuclear-armed missiles ready to be fired at a moment’s notice to destroy orbiting enemy satellites via nuclear blast.

For a test range designed purely for research, design and integration of early American anti-ballistic missile defense capabilities, it is unique that Pacific Missile Range Facility-Kwajalein was poised—albeit briefly—to make offensive military strikes against the Soviets. Here’s the story.

The earliest of missiles tested at Kwajalein was the Nike Zeus, America’s first anti-ballistic missile, designed to kill incoming Soviet warheads launched aboard intercontinental ballistic missiles. While early flights of the Zeus missile took place at White Sands Missile Range in New Mexico and elsewhere, the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency and contractors Bell Telephone Laboratories and Douglas Aircraft Company launched the first Nike Zeus—Missile 200047, Round ZK-1—from Kwajalein’s Mount Olympus Dec. 15, 1961. By May 1963, Nike Zeus missiles had launched 19 times, scoring nine successful intercepts against the 13 Titan I, Atlas D and Atlas E ICBMs fired from Vandenberg Air Force Base, California.

Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara had followed Nike Zeus’ successes early in its anti-ballistic missile mission and had asked as early as 1962 for the Army and Bell Labs to prepare the missile system for an anti-satellite

role. Bell Labs affirmed it could be done. While Nike Zeus would remain the missile for the job, it would be modified specifically for satellite destruction and come in new variants: DM-15B and DM-15S.

In the winter of 1962-1963, a DM-15B and DM-15S variant each took off from White Sands against computer-simulated satellites, reaching apogees of up to 151 nautical miles and scoring initial successes. Then on March 21, 1963, with testing having transferred to the open range at Kwajalein, a DM-15S shot from Mount Olympus but failed to score a hit against its computer-simulated satellite target. The problem? A Missile Track Radar malfunction at the current-day Range Radio building near the landfill. Another attempt against a simulated target at Kwajalein failed April 19, 1963.

Finally, ARGMA, Bell Labs and Douglas got their first real shot May 24, 1963 when a special “Agena D” booster stage of the Air Force 162A series made an approach over the atoll. “The TTR first acquired the satellite at long range, and the missile was launched after a period of precision tracking,” reads a 1975 Bell Labs history of its program at Kwajalein. “A close intercept was achieved, well within what was expected to the lethal range of the ZEUS nuclear warhead.”

From that point on through 1964, Pacific Missile Range Facility-Kwajalein served as America’s first operational anti-satellite contingent, with the Army maintaining anti-satellite Zeus variants at Kwajalein in a state of constant readiness. If the need arose, an

agreement had been established allowing the Army to retrieve a live Zeus nuclear warhead from a secure location on the island to be installed into a Zeus missile for an anti-satellite mission. Importantly, only Army personnel on Kwajalein—not the civilian contractor team with Bell Labs or Douglas Aircraft Company—would be responsible for launching the missile in a real military operation.

As part of its new anti-satellite mission, the Army launched Zeus variants against simulated enemy satellites and actual booster space targets for the sake of training Kwajalein test range personnel through 1964. But a real attack was, to the relief of the teams at Kwajalein, never called up.

“Fortunately, intercept and destruction of an enemy satellite were never ordered,” the Bell Labs reports in the 1975 document. “After 1964, we were relieved of this ‘ready’ requirement and were once more able to concentrate on the normal R&D test program.”



An Agena D booster stage photographed in orbit. One of these booster stages was the first successful satellite intercept scored by the U.S. at Kwajalein. 📷 NASA



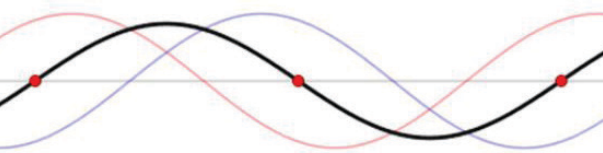
COURTESY OF U.S. EMBASSY MAJURO

The U.S. Congress’ bipartisan House Committee on Natural Resources, which oversees the COFA agreement, chaired by Representative Bruce Westerman, visited the Marshall Islands. Chairman Westerman was joined by Representatives Tom Tiffany, Harriet Hageman, Doug Lamborn, Amata Radewagen, Jim Moylan, Teresa Leger Fernandez, Melanie Stansbury, and Kilili Sablan. The Committee met with President David Kabua, Members of the Nitijela, and Members of the Cabinet. The brief meeting covered the Compact of Free Association Agreement and veterans’ affairs services. This visit reflects the United States’ deep and enduring commitment to the security and prosperity of the RMI and the Pacific Islands region.”



U.S. ARMY PHOTOS BY STEPHEN ELSON

1-3) Now, this is a small boat marina! Pictured here are more than 15 cardboard boats ready on the shore for the MWR Cardboard Boat Regatta during Labor Day festivities on Sept. 4 at Emon Beach. The unprecedented participation required three heats. Boats were placed on display at Emon Beach ahead of the regatta for island residents to cast votes for their favorite vessels.



NOAA PHOTO

This image shows a standing wave (black) depicted as a sum of two propagating waves traveling in opposite directions (blue and red). Similar in motion to a seesaw, a seiche is a standing wave in which the largest vertical oscillations are at each end of a body of water with very small oscillations at the “node,” or center point, of the wave. Standing waves can form in any enclosed or semi-enclosed body of water, from a massive lake to a small coffee cup.

What is a seiche?

EXTERNAL REPORT

A seiche is a standing wave oscillating in a body of water.

If you have observed water sloshing back and forth in a swimming pool, bathtub, or cup of water, you may have witnessed a small-scale seiche (pronounced saysh). On a much grander scale, the same phenomenon occurs in large bodies of water such as bays and lakes. A seiche may occur in any semi- or fully-enclosed body of water.

Seiches are typically caused when strong winds and rapid changes in atmospheric pressure push water from one end of a body of water to the other. When the wind stops, the water rebounds to the other side of the enclosed area. The water then continues to oscillate back and forth for hours or even days. In a similar fashion, earthquakes, tsunamis, or severe storm fronts may also cause seiches along ocean shelves and ocean harbors.

Lake Erie is known for seiches, especially when strong winds blow from southwest to northeast. In 1844, a 22-foot seiche breached a 14-foot-high sea wall killing 78 people and damming the ice to the extent that Niagara Falls temporarily stopped flowing. As recently as 2008, strong winds created waves 12 to 16 feet high in Lake Erie, leading to flooding near Buffalo, New York. Lake Pontchartrain, Louisiana, is also known to routinely form small seiches after the passage of afternoon squall lines during summer months.

In some of the Great Lakes and other large bodies of water, the time period between the “high” and “low” of a seiche can be as much as four to seven hours. This is very similar to the time period between a high and low tide in the oceans, and is often mistaken as a tide.

DAYS OF THE WEEK

MARSHALLESE LANGUAGE LESSON

Similar to Native Americans in North America, the Marshallese traditionally kept time by moons, and not days or weeks. Therefore, the days and weeks have their etymology based in the English language.

Helpful Words

Mande	Monday
Juje	Tuesday
Wonje	Wednesday
Taije	Thursday
Bolaide	Friday
Jadede	Saturday
Jabot	Sunday
Iliju	tomorrow
Iliju jeklaj	day after tomorrow
Rainin	today
Boninin	tonight
Wiik in lal	next week
Allon in lal	next month
Iio in lal	next year

Common Phrases

Kwoj ke etal nan Kwajalein Mande?
Are you going to Kwajalein on Monday?

Ikkab ak ij etal wiik in lal.
No, but I am going next week.

Akko kwoj itta rainin?
Then what are you doing today?

Oh, ik lomnak inaj itta boninin.
Oh, I’m thinking about what I’m going to do tonight.

Konaj ke jaar ilo Jabot?
Are you going to church Sunday?

Ikaab bwe inaj etal ilo allon in lal.
No, because I’ll go next month.

Ewek inaj iwoj iio in lal.
Then I’ll go next year.

Kio kwoj itta ilo boninin Jadede in?
Now, what are you doing this Saturday night?

Elik in jerbak ke naj ilo Boraide in, ik tomak inak kiki.
After working Friday, I believe I’ll be sleeping.

Ekwe, kejro enaj bar bwebwenato ilju jeklaj, Wonje.
Well, we talk again the day after tomorrow, Wednesday.

Ilju ej Juje ke?
Is tomorrow Tuesday?

Aet im inaj boub. Ekwe, kejbarek wot.
Yes, and I’ll be busy. Okay, take care.



Flame Tree

EXTERNAL REPORT

From “Gardening on Kwajalein,” by the Garden Club of the Yokwe Yuk Women’s Club, 1983

Poinciana, also known as flame tree, is one of the most beautiful flowering trees. It is a native of Madagascar but has been widely planted in warm climates because of its immense clusters of brilliant flowers.

Each flower measures three to four inches across, with five widely spreading red petals. One of the petals is streaked and dotted with yellow. Ten long stamens stand well above the flower, adding to its beauty.

Two-feet long seed pods follow the flower. The pods look like great purplish-brown lima bean pods. Inside the pods are hard oblong beans. The seed pods are used for fuel in some countries.

Royal poincianas are commonly found in southern Florida and the West Indies. The tree stays in bloom during the long summer months. Many roadways are lined with the poinciana, turning into lines of fiery red during the blooming season.

When not in bloom, the trees are still very beautiful because of their lacy, fernlike foliage of soft green leaves, divided and subdivided into many tiny leaflets.

The trees reach a height of 40 feet. The tree grows rapidly, developing strong, gnarled trunks and spreading branches.

Majuro, Marshall Islands, was recently beautified by the importing of flame trees to line the roads. Emaline Kabua, wife of the president, initiated a beautification program on Majuro.

There were several large poincianas on Kwajalein. Quarters 219-B and 224-A, 403-B and 431-A had very large poincianas in the yards. It is interesting to note how fast small trees grow.

The seeds from the pods are strung into leis. The tree is a member of the Legume family.



Remember.

— PATRIOT DAY —

Tuesday, Sept. 12

9 a.m.

Island Memorial Chapel

The community is invited to attend this ceremony of remembrance.

MOVIES

KWAJALEIN
YUK THEATER

Saturday, Sept. 9
"The Addams Family 2"
(PG) (2021) 93 min.

Sunday, Sept. 10
"The Lost City"
(PG-13) 112 min.

Monday, Sept. 11
"Cadillac Records" (2008)
(R) 109 min.

Saturday, Sept 16
"Sing 2" (2021)
(PG) 93 min.

Sunday, Sept. 17
"The Magnificent Seven" (2016)
(PG-13) 132 min.

Monday, Sept. 18
"Step Brothers" (2008)
(R) 98 min.

ROI-NAMUR
C-BUILDING

Saturday, Sept. 9
"Land" (PG-13) 89 min.

Sunday, Sept. 10
"The Empty Man"
(R) 137 min.

Saturday, Sept. 16
"Captain Marvel"
(PG-13) 123 min.

Sunday Sept. 17
"The Good Liar"
(R) 109 min.

All shows start at 7:30 p.m.

ACTIVITIES

KWAJALEIN BOATING ORIENTATION CLASS. Sept. 12 from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. CRC Room #6. Sept. 14 from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. CRC Room #6. Class fee is \$40 per person. Please register for the course in person at the Kwajalein Small Boat Marina Friday through Monday. Students must attend both class sessions. Contact Rick Jameson at 480-9205 or Gary John at 480-3643 with any questions.

Volleyball 2023 Season. Register now through Sept. 26. Season begins Oct. 3. Contact Kevin Robertson at 480-4198 for details and registration.

CAC OFFICE

Before your visit to the Common Access Card Office, ensure all paperwork is completed by your human resources representative before making an appointment. Bring two forms of government-issued IDs with you to your appointment. Walk-in appointments are welcome, but there may be a wait. CAC Office Hours, Bldg. 835, are Tuesday – Saturday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.; (Lunch: noon – 1 p.m.). Questions? Call 480-8496.

THE CLASSIFIEDS

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



MUSIC **STEIN GAMES**

OKTOBERFEST

MONDAY, OCT. 9
5:30 - 9 P.M. AT CAMP HAMILTON
ADULTS ONLY. MUST BE 21 TO ATTEND.
COSTUME CONTEST FOR
LEDERHOSEN & DIRNDL WEAR
YODELING CONTEST & MORE!



CHAPEL

PRAYER AND PRAISE NIGHT. Every first Sunday at 7 p.m. in the large chapel on Kwajalein. This open worship night is free and open to everyone.

ROI SERVICES. Catholic Mass will take place on Roi at 6:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Fridays of each month. Protestant services will take place every first and third Friday of each month.

CHAPEL COUNSELING AVAILABLE.

For those who seek religious guidance, general counseling, and who may have questions related to family counseling, all are welcome to schedule an appointment with Ch. Brian Conner at the Island Memorial Chapel by calling 480-3505.

E-WARENESS

Trimming of Vegetation

Trimming and removal of vegetation allows for minor trimming of less than 20 percent of above-ground plant/tree volume without a vegetation trimming/removal permit. Any trimming/removal of shoreline/riprap vegetation requires approval from LOGCAP Environmental. Questions? Call 480-0722.

Jepjep/Kokaruru Kein Errok KOKojela: Jepjep/kokaruru im komakit kein errok ko, ej komelim nan jepi/kokaruru kein-errok ko elane eriklak jen 20 percent in jonan kilep en kein errok eo im ejjab aikuj permit. Jabrewot jerbal in jepjep/komakit in kein errok ko torerein lojet, lik ak iar, aikuj lon melim jen Vectrus Environmental. Nan melele ko relaplak jouj im kebaak vectrus Environmental ilo 480-0722.

FACILITIES & HOURS

RACQUETBALL COURT CODE. Residents can obtain the door code from the MWR Desk at the Grace Sherwood Li-

brary. The code will not be given out over the phone. Contact MWR at 480-3331 with questions.

MILLICAN FAMILY POOL. Closed for cleaning on Thursdays. Open noon to 5 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Open 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sundays and Mondays. Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas.

ARMA. Log in to ArMa, the Army Maintenance Application, to report issues for all buildings maintained by the Department of Public Works. Contact Public Works at 480-3550. Service Now is the new Remedy. Please be patient as the NEC transitions to Service Now. To submit new tickets, call 480-3000. For urgent requests, email usarmy.bucholz.516-sig-bde.mbx.kwajalein-neck-change-management@army.mil.

FIRE SAFETY

The early signs of a fire: Fire drills are conducted annually by the Building Manager/Evacuation Coordinator. The BM/EC should ensure the facility has a Fire Evacuation Plan in place. Fire Reporting Procedures: Call 9-1-1, activate the fire alarm, or shout, "Fire, fire, fire!"

Once outside, report to a pre-designated area for accountability. Once out, stay out. No one is to return, until the "all clear" is given. Complete a fire drill report to document that the fire drill was conducted. Maintain a record of all the fire drills conducted at your facility. Please contact our office for questions or assistance at 480-2489.

If you notice any of these signs, evacuate the building and call 911

FLIGHTS

**Please note that all flights are subject

to change.** For the latest update on your flights on United, ATI or Air Marshall Islands:

ATI: 480-2169; AMI: 480-3469;
United: 480-4852 or 1-800-UNITED1;
Air Terminal Services: 480-2660; Flight Information Recording: 480-3589

UA Schedule Effective Now
Monday and Friday—UA 155 (HNL)
Check-in 2 – 4:50 p.m.
Wednesday—UA 133 (HNL)
Check-in 2 – 4:15 p.m.
Tuesday and Saturday—UA 154 (GUM)
Check-in 10:45 – 11:15 a.m.

HEALTH

Employee Assistance Program counselor, Kenneth Thomas, can be reached at kenneth.thomas@internationalsosgs.us or 480-5362. Clients can expect education about mental health disorders from a multicultural perspective with the goal of moving toward acceptance and ultimately to mitigate symptoms.

COVID-19 BOOSTERS. A bivalent COVID-19 vaccine booster is available for those aged 12+ if it has been more than 120 days since their initial bivalent COVID-19 vaccine dose. To register, please email judy.wiser@internationalsosgs.us, or call 480-2223.

NOT FEELING WELL? Call 480-2223 to make an appointment for a COVID-19 test, Tuesday through Saturday from 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. If you are not feeling well, please wear a mask when you are around others in the community.

NOTIFY THE VET. Pet owners must notify Kwaj Vet Services before vacation. A pet sitter authorization form for treatment is required prior to departing Kwaj. Reach Vet Services at 480-2017 Tuesday through Saturday from 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

THE KWAJ SALON can style all kinds of hair, but they cannot treat lice. The salon staff thanks you for your understanding.

HEALTH TIP. Invest in Health: Treat Yourself & Your Family to Abundant life. Treat yourself and your family as valuable people. To add life and health to your family, replace all processed vegetable oils with nutritious naturals. Use olive, avocado and coconut oil. Discard all others (canola, vegetable, safflower, corn and soy), including packaged foods that contain these as ingredients. They are toxic to your body and brain, causing inflammation and weight gain. You can look good, feel good and share the good. Questions: Matthew.Conner@internationalsosgs.us.

JOBS

To apply for government employment opportunities on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll and worldwide, visit usajobs.gov. Email kwajaleinhourglass@vectrus.com to remove a listing.

AKIMA is hiring for the following on-island positions: Communications Clerk (ID: TRU01101); Communications Specialist (ID: TRU01100); and Fiber / Cable Technician (ID: TRU01099). Applicants must reside on USAG-KA and possess a valid passport. For information and a list of required qualifications, visit https://akima.taleo.net/careersection/akimallc_

cs/jobsearch.ftl. Apply online or send resume to Jeannette McIlwain at jeannette.mcilwain@akima.com.

CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES is hiring a facility director (req. 31990) and lead teacher (req.31991). All required background checks must be successfully completed and maintained. A health assessment is also required. Apply online at www.vectrus.com.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGER. KFS LLC is accepting resumes for a Health and Safety Manager to support an upcoming Environmental Project on Kwajalein. Visit <https://honuservices.jobs.net/en-US/job/health-and-safety-manager/J3N1RL6K-DG9RWPTYQDF> for additional information, including the full job description, qualifications, and resume submission instructions.

NAN, INC. seeks a project engineer, welder, welding inspector, quality control manager, and site safety and health officer. To apply, visit www.nanhawaii.com and contact Clint Ueatari at 480-2632, 480-4995 or 480-4996.



Contact the USAG-KA Sexual Harassment/ Assault Response and Prevention Victim Advocate

Chief Warrant Officer 2 Nate Elkins
SHARP Victim Advocate
Work: 480-0660 or 480-3421
USAG-KA SHARP Pager:
808-580-3241
DOD SAFE Helpline: 877-995-5247

BALL TOURNAMENT

ADULT REC CENTER

STARTING SEPT. 13 AT 6:30 P.M.

For more information visit the Grace Sherwood Library, the Kwajalein Community Page, and call 480-4198.

SPADES TOURNAMENT

SEPT. 21, at 6:30 P.M.

ADULT REC CENTER (ARC)

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT US AT THE GRACE SHERWOOD LIBRARY, THE KWAJALEIN COMMUNITY EVENTS PAGE OR CALL 480-4198.

PARSONS is accepting applications for office clerk, heavy equipment operator, quality control technicians, concrete finisher, general labor and masonry. Please visit the Parsons office to apply or apply online <http://parsons.com/careers>.

TRIBALCO is hiring for desktop support specialist, intermediate systems administrator, unified capabilities technician, and infrastructure technician. Applicants must meet job requirements. Apply online at tribalco.com/jobs, www.kaihonua.com, and www.akima.com. Contact Tribalco Human Resources at 480-4344. Visit www.tribalco.com/careers.html. An active security clearance is required.

QUANTUM DYNAMICS, INC., is accepting resumes for positions on Kwajalein and Roi-Namur in the following areas: vehicle maintenance, transportation motor pool, movement control and custodial; and apply at <https://qdyncorp.com/home/careers/>. You may also visit the HR Office in Bldg. 700. Contact the Human Resources manager at 480-0782 or administrative assistant at 480-4916 for more information.

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

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS WANTED. Kwajalein School System is now hiring

substitute teachers. Qualifications: 4-year degree; confidentiality; love of working with children; favorable status for CNACI (will receive background check after accepting offer). Send resumes to uhrenp@kwajaleinschools.org. For more information call 480-3601.

TRUESTONE is hiring for multiple positions. Contact Tribalco Human Resources at 480-4344 and visit <https://www.akima.com/careers/>. Visit www.tribalco.com/careers.html.

V2X has new opportunities for on-island hires: Custodial Services Coordinator (35001), Stock Control Coordinator for Surfway (35069), Logistics Analyst (32717), Inventory Associate (35067), and Bartender (32355). Apply online at www.careers.vectrus.com or stop by the HR office in building 700.

MWR FITNESS CLASSES

All classes meet in Corlett Recreation Room 7 unless otherwise noted. All classes require a Fitness Pass. Purchase annual, 6-month and 8-month passes at the MWR desk in the Grace Sherwood Library (Bldg. 805). All classes are subject to change without notice. Call MWR at 480-3331 for information.

TUESDAY

5:30 - 6:30 a.m. FREE SPIN CRC7
10:30 a.m. BEGINNERS YOGA CRC7
5 p.m. YOGA CRC7
6 p.m. ZUMBA CRC1

6:30 p.m. SPIN CRC7
WEDNESDAY
9:15 a.m. ZUMBA TONING CRC1
5 p.m. BEGINNERS YOGA CRC7
6 p.m. WATER AEROBICS ADULT POOL

THURSDAY

6 a.m. SPIN
9:15 a.m. ZUMBA CRC1
11:30 a.m. TRX BOOTCAMP CRC7
5 p.m. YOGA CRC7
6 p.m. WATER AEROBICS ADULT POOL

FRIDAY

5:30 - 6:30 a.m. FREE SPIN CRC7
6 a.m. YOGA FLOW (EMON BEACH)
9 a.m. ZUMBA CRC1
5:30 p.m. POWER HOUR (Strength & cardio circuit) CRC7
6 p.m. ZUMBA TONING CRC1

SATURDAY

5:30 - 6:30 a.m. FREE SPIN CRC7
8 a.m. TRX + CORE CRC7
10:30 a.m. WATER AEROBICS ADULT POOL

SCHOOL

SCHOOL SYSTEM EMAILS. KSS emails have changed. School email addresses now end with @kwajaleinschools.org. Ex: uhrenp@kwajaleinschools.org.

KWAJALEIN HIGH SCHOOL STREET PAINTING. Monday, Sept. 18. Please avoid Lagoon Street in front of the high school from 7 a.m. - 10 p.m.

NEWCOMERS

ISLAND ORIENTATION and Newcomer's Briefings occur in the REB, behind the Island Memorial Chapel. To register, email KWAJ_OSO_Ops@Vectrus.com or call 480-3511.

AUTOMOTIVE LICENSING. The Automotive Licensing Office has moved to Bldg. 808. Visit during regular hours of operation to complete license testing and documentation.

POST OFFICE

Kwaj Post Office Holiday Closures 2023: Oct. 9 - Indigenous Peoples' Day (formerly Columbus Day); Nov. 11 - Veterans' Day; Nov. 27 - Thanksgiving; Dec. 25 - Christmas Day.

2024: Jan. 1 – New Year’s Day; Jan. 15 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day; Feb. 19 – George Washington’s Birthday; May 27 – Memorial Day.

PCS & VACATION TIPS. Customers must notify the post office before leaving for 30 days or PCS’ing. Per DOD 4525.6-M, mail is only allowed to be held for 30 days with or without prior notice. Mail is considered unclaimed on day 31 and will be returned to the sender. Email the post office to authorize pick up for your mail and packages. When PCS’ing, provide a forwarding address. Contact James Smith with questions at 480-3461 and james.e.smith2295@army.mil.

TO USE ICE. Step 1: Visit ICE Home at disa.mil. Step 2: Click “search.” Step 3: Choose USAG-KA Post Office and select “general site comment.” Step 4: Click submit.

REGULATIONS

TOBACCO USE. USAG-KA Policy Memorandum 600-8 protects others from the negative impact of tobacco use. On US-AG-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.

VEGETATION. Per USAG-KA Regulation 420-1, vegetation may not be planted in the ground without approved permits. Residents may be asked to remove items if planted without approval. Do not place sprouted coconuts in yards.

DON’T TAKE CULTURAL ARTIFACTS. It is illegal to remove cultural resources from the atoll. This includes any protected species, unexploded ordnance, WWII-era artifacts and ancient Marshallese artifacts. These resources are protected under U.S. federal and RMI law. Do not remove these pieces of atoll history from Kwajalein. Contact the Kwajalein Archaeology Office at 480-8867.

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SAFETY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT. If an

emergency or disaster occurred, would you and your family be notified?

- 1) Visit the USAG-KA Emergency Management webpage, <https://home.army.mil/kwajalein/index.php/my-fort/EM>
 - 2) Click on “Mass Notification”
 - 3) Follow the registration instructions.
- CANDLES and open flames are not permitted in BQ rooms. The Kwajalein Fire Department thanks you for keeping your neighbors safe.

RADIO FREQUENCY EQUIPMENT. Bringing new Radio Frequency equipment or wireless devices on island? It may require three months approval process. Report any interference problems ASAP. Home use of commercial electronics do not require approval. Contact NETCOM Spectrum Management for more information at 480-8007.

Small Boat Marina Update

SBM will be re-opening the South Pier for B-Boat rentals starting Sunday, Sept. 10 at 7 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. The North Pier is under maintenance at this time and will remain closed.



Dart Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 9 at 7 p.m.

Outrigger Bar

For more information, please visit the Kwajalein Community Sports Facebook Page, Community Activities Office (Roil), or call 480 – 6580.

Theology ON TAP

Led by Fr. Jim Ludwikoski

Monday, Sept. 18

6:30 p.m. at the ARC

This Month’s Topic -

“Forgiveness: A Human Essential”

kwajchapel@gmail.com

BBQ MEET & GREET

HOSTED BY THE YOKWE YUK WELCOME CLUB

MEET NEW FRIENDS AND FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT EDUCATION IN THE RMI

ALL ISLAND RESIDENTS WELCOME!

MONDAY, SEPT 11, 2023

6:30 P.M.

EMON BEACH AT THE MAIN PAVILLION

TAXI
CALL 480-TAXI (8294) or 3341 to book your ride at least 24 hours in advance of your check-in time for United Airlines and ATI.

TRAINING
DRIVER'S TRAINING & LICENSING.
Kwajalein Classes: Every Wednesday, 9 – 11 a.m. (RMI) and 1 – 3 p.m. (U.S.) at Automotive Area, Bldg. 856, Rm. 103. Roi Classes: second Friday of the month, 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. and 1 – 3 p.m. (U.S.) in C-building. Please email wkaisha@rmi.qdynCorp.com or barnett@rmi.qdynCorp.com to register. Class size is limited. ***Note: Bring a valid US, International, or Marshall Islands License with you to class***



Send in the ads!
LET 'EM HAVE IT!

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ISLAND MEDIA, CONTACT THE USAG-KA PAO MIKE BRANTLEY AT 480-4848

Island Memorial Chapel

STUDENT SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM



**Do you want to help a child on Ebeye?
Consider sponsoring school tuition.
Call Paula Fluhrer at 480-5345 or email IMCSSP@gmail.com for more information.**

Reservable Pavilions

EMON BEACH #1 - #6

CAMP HAMILTON

CORALSANDS

1 FN 1880 2 FN 1878 3 FN 1877 4 FN 1882 5 FN 1883 6 FN 1884

FN 1273 FN 1272

Visit the MWR Desk at the Grace Sherwood Library or MWR 480-3133 to reserve.

ARMY FAMILY HOUSING DEMOLITION IN PROGRESS

The demolition of the North Point Army Family Housing area is in progress. Construction operations will continue until January 2025.

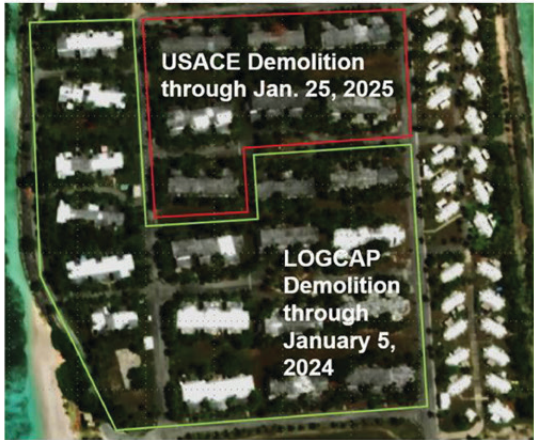
Operations will accommodate commute times for maximum safety. All island residents should exercise caution near and around the North Point neighborhood. Please look out for large vehicles in transit.

During operations, you may see and hear some the following:

- An increase in traffic
- Felled trees and loud noises
- Heavy equipment in operation
- Breaking concrete and sheet metal
- The removal of debris and construction material
- Construction crews clearing foliage with bladed hand tools

SAFETY FIRST: Please stay away from the demo area, follow posted safety warning signs, and keep your distance from trucks transporting debris.

PLEASE EMAIL KWAJ_OSO_OPS@VECTRUS.COM TO SHARE ANY CONCERNS AND QUESTIONS.



PLEASE USE CAUTION ON THE ROADS SURROUNDING THE RED AND GREEN SAFETY AREAS.

Check out more news and entertainment about Kwaj life on the USAG-KA YouTube Channel, at <https://www.youtube.com/USArmyGarrisonKwajaleinAtoll>.

JOIN OUR TEAM

OFFICIALS NEEDED

- *Actively Participate in Sports
- *Develop Your Management and Communications Skills
- *Develop a Network of Friends
- *Keep Fit While Enjoying the Sport You Love

BECOME AN OFFICIAL TODAY!

SIGN UP NOW!

- ▶ SOCCER
- ▶ VOLLEYBALL
- ▶ AND MORE...




SEE Kevin @ BLDG 805 Or Call
480-4198 FOR DETAILS



SMALL BOAT MARINA HOURS OF OPERATION & RENTAL DETAILS

Kwaj SBM is open 7 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday & holidays.

Attendant window opens at 7 a.m. Boats goes out starting at 7:30 a.m. and return at noon. Afternoon boats go out starting at 1 p.m. and return at 5:30 p.m.

UPCOMING KWAJ B-BOAT ORIENTATION CLASS

Sept. 12 from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. CRC Room #6
Sept. 14 from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. CRC Room #6

Class fee is \$40 per person.
Please register for the course in person at the Kwajalein Small Boat Marina Friday through Monday. Students must attend both class sessions. Contact Rick Jameson at 480-9205 or Gary John at 480-3643 with questions.

USAG-KA Directorate of Emergency Services

For Fire or ambulance, dial 911.
Security: On Kwaj and Roi, dial 805-355-4000; on Meck dial 911
Security Department Non-Emergency Desk Sergeant, dial 805-355-4445 or 4449; on Roi dial 805-355-6445 or 6447
Emergency Operations Center, dial 805-355-1777; Explosive Ordnance Disposal, dial 805-355-1433 (after-duty hours, dial 805-355-4444)
Sexual Assault Victim Advocate, dial 805-355-2758

UXO SAFETY

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;
- Report suspected UXO immediately.

If you discover an object that could be UXO, notify Kwajalein Explosive Ordnance Disposal immediately by calling 480-1433.

You can also call CPS at 480-4445.

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

For a detailed refresher on UXO safety, attend the new island orientation or call Kwajalein EOD at 480-1433.

Kememey R ko 3:

- Recognize (kile) juon kwopej bajjok emaron Bokutan ak kein kabok-kolok (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 (480-1433) ak CPS (480-4445).

Ken melele kein: la 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 k-jparok menin mour in lojet ko rekau-wotata. Kalimjek wot jab jibwe. Non bar kakememey eok, eokwe jouj im koba lok ilo Island Orientation allon otemjej.



WEATHER WATCH

RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

Quiet, pleasant conditions will continue across Kwajalein Atoll for the remainder of the workweek and much of the weekend, with dry trade winds and strong upper-level subsidence in control.

Expect mostly sunny skies and light northeasterly winds on Saturday, which will gradually veer toward the east-southeast in the afternoon as a weak, subtle surface wave crosses the area. Winds will drop to the low single digits by evening, likely becoming calm or variable at times.

Expect to see a slight increase in showers and cloud cover overnight heading into Sunday due to a weak, larger-scale perturbation, but any showers that form will remain very shallow. Doldrum conditions will continue for Sunday with partly-mostly sunny skies and isolated shower activity before east-northeast trade winds begin to return on Monday.

A small increase in winds will yield a few isolated showers in the afternoon, but otherwise conditions should remain pleasant before a more significant surface wave develops over the region for the start of the coming workweek. Expect scattered showers and possible thunderstorms on Tuesday as a robust low-pressure trough crosses the RMI,

amplified by increasing surface winds, moisture, and low-level convergence. Quiet, mostly dry conditions should follow on Wednesday in the wake of the exiting trade wind disturbance.

The latter half of the workweek will experience more typical wet season conditions as a relatively active

Intertropical Convergence Zone organizes across the central and northern RMI. Expect overall higher cloud cover and more frequent bouts of shower activity on Thursday into the following weekend. Showers may be heavy at times, and a stray thunderstorm or two cannot be ruled out.

SATURDAY

Partly to mostly sunny with stray showers. Winds ENE-ESE at 3-8 knots, becoming light and variable at times in the afternoon.

SUNDAY

Partly to mostly sunny with isolated showers. Winds light and variable, becoming calm at times.

MONDAY

Partly sunny with isolated showers. Winds ENE-E at 6-11 knots, gusting to the mid-upper teens near showers.

NEXT WEEK

Stronger, more turbulent trade winds contributing to a more organized Intertropical

Convergence Zone will lead to wetter conditions this next workweek, with a robust surface trough expected to develop Tuesday. Expect scattered showers and stray thunderstorms for the beginning of the workweek followed by drier conditions by the mid-week, before unsettled, wet-season conditions

close out the latter half of the week.

Expect intermittent widely scattered showers and the occasional stray thunderstorm. Winds will be ENE-ESE at 10-15 knots for the first half of the week, falling to around 5-10 knots for the latter half, becoming light and variable at times.



SUN-MOON-TIDES				
	SUNRISE SUNSET	MOONRISE MOONSET	HIGH TIDE	LOW TIDE
SUNDAY	6:40 a.m. 6:53 p.m.	12:34 p.m. 3:36 p.m.	1:48 a.m. 2.8' 2:47 p.m. 2.3'	8:42 a.m. 0.6' 8:17 p.m. 1.0'
MONDAY	6:40 a.m. 6:52 p.m.	3:26 a.m. 4:23 p.m.	2:34 a.m. 3.2' 3:09 p.m. 2.7'	9:07 a.m. 0.3' 8:51 p.m. 0.5'
TUESDAY	6:40 a.m. 6:51 p.m.	4:16 a.m. 5:06 p.m.	3:06 a.m. 3.6' 3:30 p.m. 3.1'	9:29 a.m. -0.1' 9:19 p.m. 0.1'
WEDNESDAY	6:39 a.m. 6:51 p.m.	5:04 a.m. 5:46 p.m.	3:33 a.m. 3.9' 3:52 p.m. 3.5'	9:51 a.m. -0.3' 9:46 p.m. -0.2'
THURSDAY	6:39 a.m. 6:50 p.m.	5:49 a.m. 6:24 p.m.	3:58 a.m. 4.2' 4:14 p.m. 3.8'	10:13 a.m. -0.5' 10:12 p.m. -0.4'
FRIDAY	6:39 a.m. 6:50 p.m.	6:33 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	4:22 a.m. 4.3' 4:38 p.m. 4.0'	10:35 a.m. -0.6' 10:38 p.m. -0.6'
SEPTEMBER 16	6:39 a.m. 6:49 p.m.	7:17 a.m. 7:36 p.m.	4:46 a.m. 4.4' 5:01 p.m. 4.1'	10:57 a.m. -0.7' 11:04 p.m. -0.6'

KWAJALEIN RESIDENT OFFICE (500TH MI)

Counterintelligence aims to detect and deter threats by safeguarding information vital to the preservation of national security.

OPERATIONAL SECURITY (OPSEC)

Be cautious about sharing work details on social media or in public settings.

PARTICIPATE IN TRAINING

All employees on USAG-KA (military, contractor, civilian, and local nationals) are required to receive annual Threat Awareness and Reporting Program (TARP) training provided by KRO.

REPORTING

Report suspicious activities to the Kwajalein Resident Office at 480-9859/1293/8006 or building 1163.

SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING.

TEAM KWAJ



ONE TEAM

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