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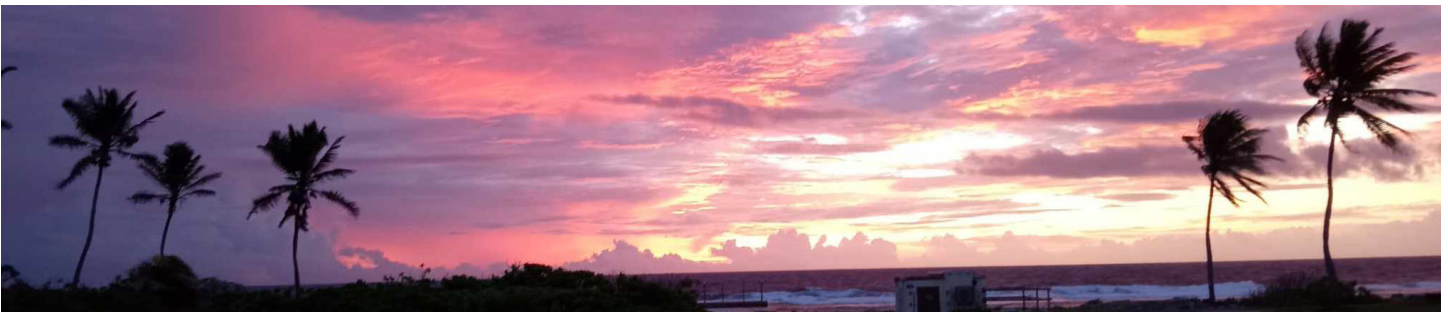
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SHOWTIMES

SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS

AT 7:30PM



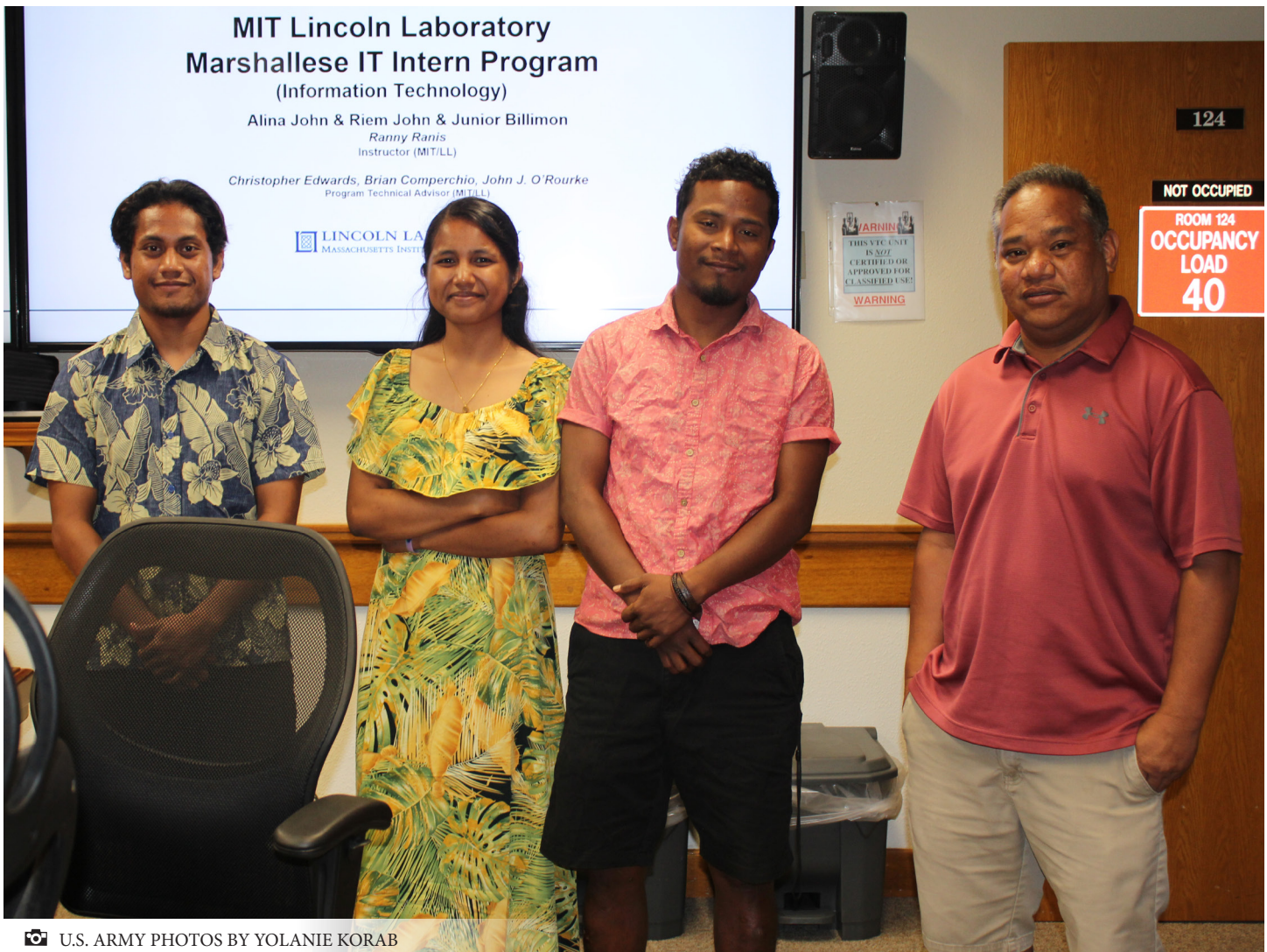
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COMMUNITY

COMPLETED MIT IT LINCOLN LABORATORY INTERNSHIPS

HOURLASS REPORT

By Yolanie L. Korab, CSD Administrative Associate, Sr.

Students from CMI College recently completed their internships at the prestigious MIT Lincoln Laboratory. This program provided them with invaluable hands-on experience in the field of information technology and computer systems.

During their internships, Alina John, Junior Billimon, and Riem John developed their skills in wiring and unwiring computers. They were involved in various projects that required them to build and troubleshoot complex equipment and their tasks included assembling hardware components, configuring software, and ensuring seamless integration of all system parts.

One of their notable projects involved designing a custom computer system from scratch. This project required them to apply their knowledge of computer architecture, network configurations, and system optimization. They successfully built a robust and efficient system that met all the specified requirements.

Their experience at MIT Lincoln Laboratory not only enhanced their technical skills but also provided them with a deeper understanding of real-world applications of their academic knowledge. The mentorship and guidance they received from industry experts were instrumental in their professional growth.

Alina, Junior, and Riem's dedication and hard work during their internships have set a strong foundation for their future careers in the IT industry. Their achievements are a testament to the quality of education and training provided by CMI College and the MIT Lincoln Laboratory Internships Program.



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Saturday: 0730-1630

Sunday: Closed

WHAT DO WE HAVE?

Lights/miscellaneous
Screws & Nails
Carpentry equipment
Bathroom/Plumbing
Lawn Care
Protective Equipment
Insect traps



LEGEND

- Road Closure/ Working Area
- Telecom Manhole
- ADN Building

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

FY21 KWAJALEIN ARMY FAMILY HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

Nan, Inc. construction company, has begun mobilization and preliminary activities for the upcoming telecommunication construction works for the FY21 Kwajalein Army Family Housing project as highlighted on the attached map.

Nan, Inc. will excavate trenches to lay new telecom routes along Lagoon Road. Sections of Lagoon Road (see attached map marked in red) will be full closed to vehicular traffic on July 22 to October 23, 2024 . Detours will be clearly marked to guide traffic around the construction zone.

Nan, Inc. will secure the area with barriers, safety signage and road plates. Traffic control personnel will be on-site to manage the flow of traffic and ensure safety for both workers and the public. For inquiries, please contact the project team at 480-2548. Nan, Inc. appreciates the support and cooperation of the community for this transformative construction project.

Mahalo,
Nan, Inc.

COMMUNITY CLASSIFIEDS

Submit Announcements to the Roller Channel and The Kwajalein Hourglass

OPEN CALL FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS
The island community is invited to submit listings for jobs, events and for sale items; announcements; department trainings; safety updates; public service messages; and thank-you messages.

Preparing Your Message

For questions about your messaging, please reach out to the USAG-KA Public Affairs Office at 480-4848.

Ads should always include a point of contact, phone number and/or email address.

Private parties, fundraisers and events requesting and/or accepting donations are typically not allowed for publication per AR 360-1. Fundraisers and support activities for private and schools-based organizations, scouting groups, civic clubs and other listings may be subject to a legal counsel review to determine their eligibility for publication.

Formatting Your Listings

It is recommended that graphical adver-

tisements and announcements intended for the Hourglass and the AFN Roller Channel be formatted as PowerPoint slides.

Graphic designers are asked to maintain a generous margin (.75-1-inch) around all sides and to size fonts no smaller than pt. 20.

If your Roller Channel advertisement requires a special expiration date, please note this for the Roller team in the body of your message.

Deadlines for Submissions

Send advertisements for the Kwajalein Hourglass and the AFN Roller Channel to kwajaleinhourglass@gov2x.com on Wednesdays by close of business/Thursday morning.

Roller Channel ads are accepted on a rolling basis by 4 p.m. for a mid-week and late-week update. Ads received after 4 p.m. will be loaded in the next update. Please ensure you submit ads in good time to ensure timely upload.

For more information, reach out to the USAG-KA Command team through the USAG-KA Facebook page.

HELP WANTED

To apply for government employment opportunities on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll and worldwide, visit usajobs.gov.

Arkel International is hiring. Send CVs and resume to christopher.fuents@arkel.com and jasper.gomez@arkel.com. Visit Arkel online at <http://arkel.com>. Call 480-1006 for more information.

Administrative Assistant. USAG-KA CYS seeks a fulltime administrative assistant for on-island hire. Applicants should have a high school diploma/GED and two years' demonstrated experience in administration or secretarial work, an undergraduate degree in business or a related field, or a related trade school professional certificate. Experience in child or youth programs is highly desirable. All required background checks must be completed and maintained. A health assessment is also required. Please visit: careers.vectrus.com, REQ: 37777.

Atmospheric Science Technology, LLC, has an immediate opening for a meteorologist. This full-time, salaried position is located on Kwajalein. Eligible applicants will have a master's or bachelor's degree in meteorology/a related field, with two years of forecasting experience. Experience in Doppler or dual-polarized weather radar or satellite interpretation is preferred. To apply or learn more, contact Dottie Thomas, director of human resources, at dottiethomas@n8tivesyn-ergy.com; call (256) 836-5316 direct and visit <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/2337159/Atmospheric-Science-Technology-LLC/Meteorologist-Kwajalein-Island>.

Baru Lead Teacher. USAG-KA Child and Youth Services has a full-time job opening for a Lead Teacher. This position supervises children aged 6 months to 3 years old during indoor/outdoor activities, special events and instructional time; develops and provides individual and group lessons using CYS curriculum; and requires a health assessment and successful completion



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

of a background check. Apply online at www.careers.vectrus.com. (Req. 38064)

Chenega Global Protection is accepting applications from qualified candidates for its full-time Dispatcher (Kwaj) and Security Officer (Kwaj & Roi) positions. Visit <https://www.chenega.com> to submit applications. To navigate the site: Select "Careers," scroll down and in type Kwajalein in the "Location" fillable field; and select the "Search" icon to be directed to the job postings and to apply. For more information, contact Chenega Human Resources at 480-4451.

Environmental Health & Safety Manager. KFS LLC is accepting resumes for a Health and Safety Manager to support an upcoming Environmental Project on Kwajalein. Visit <https://honuseservices.jobs.net/en-US/job/health-and-safety-manager/J3N1RL6KDG9RWPTYQDF> for additional information, including the full job description, qualifications, and resume submission instructions.

Kikaha Solutions 30th Signal Battalion Network Enterprise Center, U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll is now partnered with Kikaha Solutions. Please visit www.kikahasolutions.com for more information and to submit applications. To navigate the site, click on "Careers," scroll down, and click on "search opportunities and apply." Enter job code 11326 and select search.

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.

EARN YOUR TEAM KWAJ TAB

PUBLIC NOTICE

1. Attend Col. Morgan's TEAM KWAJ brief (either Teammate or Community version), read and adhere to the TEAM KWAJ Teammate Pact, presented at initial town halls, and periodically thereafter.
2. Attend the Island Newcomer's Briefing.
3. Attend at least one group greeting at air terminal for personnel arriving on island. Make them feel welcome and show them we are happy they are on Kwaj with us.
4. Attend at least two garrison after-hours team-building or social events (TEAM KWAJ Happy Hour, Commander's Call, Hail/Farewell).
5. Attend at least two TEAM KWAJ PT/Wellness sessions. Become a regular attendee!
6. Visit Marshallese Cultural Center in last 3 months prior to tab award.
7. Visit Ebeye, Third island or Majuro in last 3 months prior to tab, use a Marshallese phrase or two and visit a store/restaurant.
8. Tell three co-workers how to earn the TEAM KWAJ tab.

9. Swim, snorkel, boat or paddle on the lagoon at least once with a teammate.

10. Complete the TEAM KWAJ Circle-island 6-mile ruck march/walk/bike and read all historic battlefield markers. This is an organized USAG-KA hosted event several times per year.

11. Mission Partner wild card event—discuss with your supervisor any additional organizational requirement. Could be knowledge-based, achievement-based, or physical challenge.

12. Final event, "Board of Review" -- meet with Col. Morgan face-to-face individually or in a small group with all requirements fulfilled. Schedule with garrison front office. Discussion items may include but are not limited to; TEAM KWAJ pact - "Healthy Community of Excellence," Kwaj history, Marshallese culture, military/strategic missions and their significance, and future operational potential.

Once you have the first 11 items completed, contact Terri Wilson at 480-4322 or at terri.l.wilson20.civ@army.mil to set up a date/time with the commander for the final event.



MWR Fitness Schedule

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Location

*Yoga Flow and Water Aerobics are held at the Adult Pool. All other classes held in CRC 7.

Purchase your MWR fitness pass at the library front desk. For more information, please call MWR at 480-3331.



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

FOR KWAJ COMMAND TEAM INFO & UPDATES



TEAM KWAJ COMMANDER



@TeamKwajCommander

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NASA ASTRONAUT ANDREW "DREW" MORGAN



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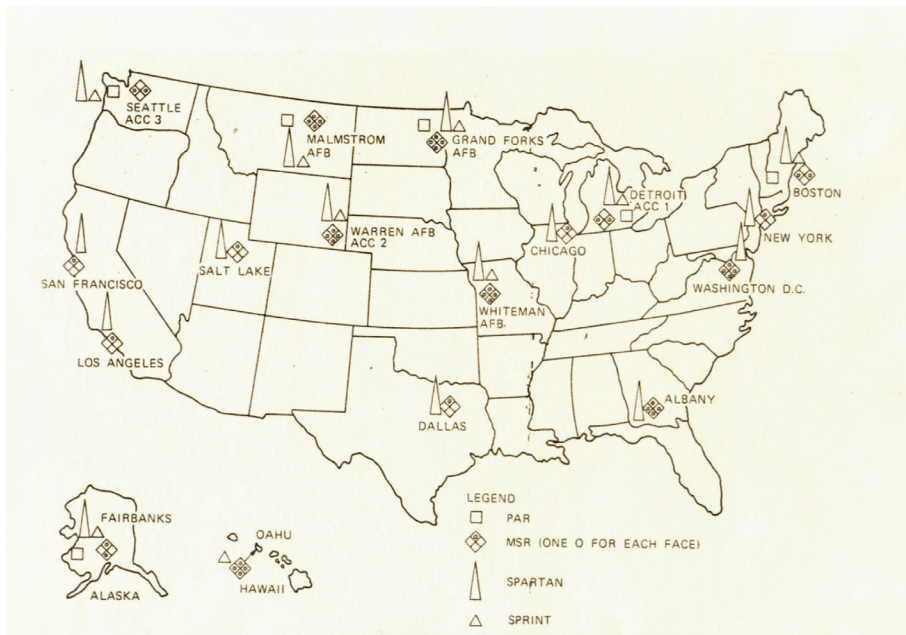
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MIA Project

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<https://kwajaleinmiaproject.us/>



A LOOK BACK NEGOTIATING FROM STRENGTH

HOURLASS REPORT

By Sharon Watkins Lang, USASMD Command Historian

Unlike his predecessor, Secretary of Defense Clark Clifford was an advocate for the Sentinel Anti-Ballistic Missile System. Following the Soviet occupation of Czechoslovakia in August, Clifford held that the United States needed to maintain troop strength and a new strategic vigilance in Western Europe. On 5 September, Secretary Clifford directed that the Sentinel program be exempt from the expenditure reduction program ordered by Congress. He believed that the construction of the Sentinel system would encourage the Soviet Union to move forward in the arms limitation talks and noted “when and If we negotiate, safety and success demand that we negotiate from strength.” Speaking at the National Press Club, Clifford observed that “we can continue to hope that, at an appropriate time, these talks, can take place.” In the meantime, however, “I have determined that in light of current developments our prudent course is to press forward as planned with the Sentinel system.”



Kwajalein Fogging Schedule

- 5:30-7:30 P.M.
- Wednesday,
21 Aug 2024 –
Friday,
23 Aug 2024
- Weather dependent
- Avoid fogged area for
~30 minutes



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COMMUNITY EXTERNAL CADETS

HOURLASS REPORT

By Sherman Hogue,
Public Affairs Officer

Congratulations to all the 2024 Kwajalein High graduates that are continuing their growth in life as they begin their journeys at military academy's across the US.

- Plebe, Mitchell Krueger, U.S. Navy Academy
- Cadet, Jotai Ninjine, U.S. Coast Guard Academy
- Cadet, Aidan Aboud, U.S. Army Military Academy, West Point
- Plebe, Aguster Kabua, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point



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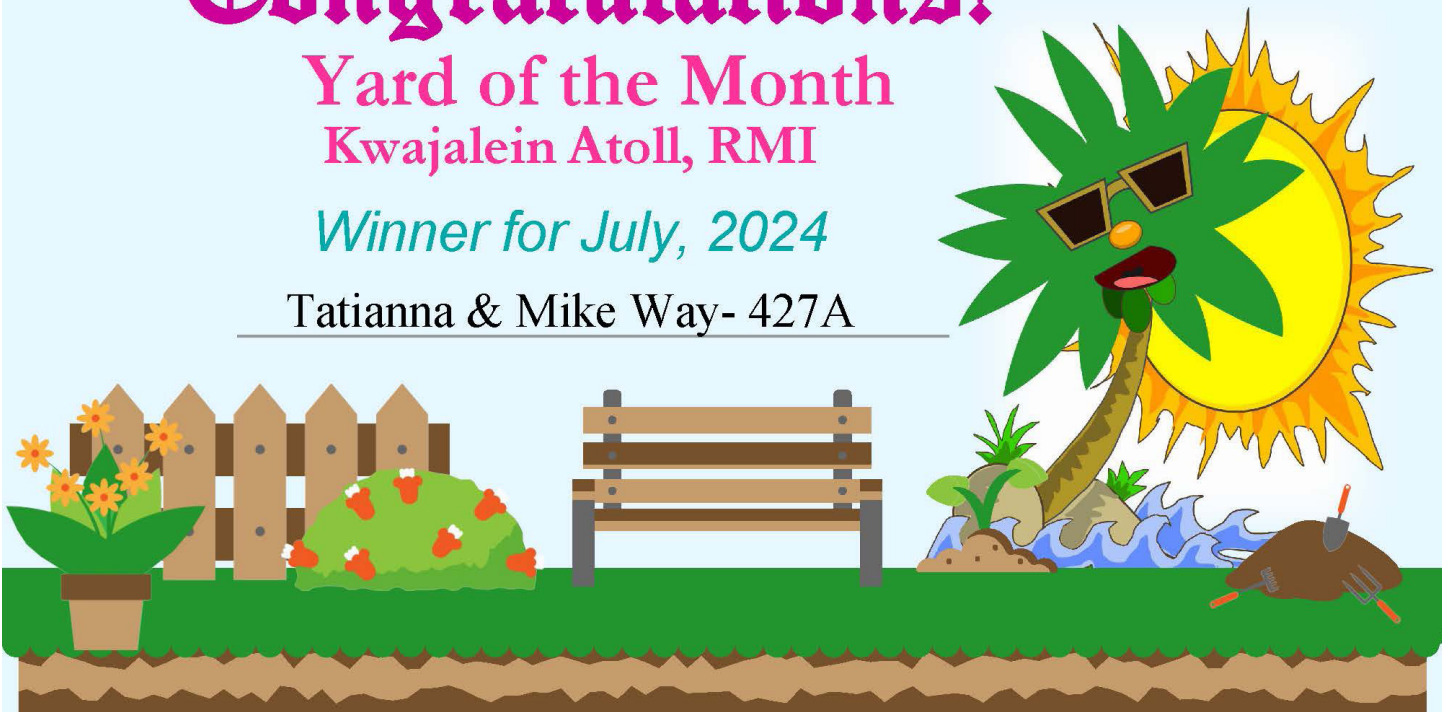
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Congratulations!

Yard of the Month Kwajalein Atoll, RMI

Winner for July, 2024

Tatianna & Mike Way- 427A



Army Planning New Air and Missile Defense Strategy Geared for 2040

EXTERNAL REPORT

By Rich Abbott, Defense Daily

The three-star general that leads the Army's Air and Missile Defense (AMD) command said the service is looking into a set of new weapons and capabilities to prepare for 2040 as it starts to refresh its air and missile defense strategy.

The strategy was previously updated in 2012, 2015 and 2019, the latter being an AMD vision for 2028.

That 2019 strategy "drew our focus not only on how we structure and organize the fight, but also what we fight with and how we fight well. But it's time to look even further in the future at the Army Futures Command and their future warfighting concept and AMD strategies... we are using what we've learned from this year in current conflicts to define the type of world we'll need to assure, deter and if necessary fight and win on tomorrow's battlefield," Lt. Gen. Sean Gainey, commanding general of Space and Missile Defense Command, said here on August 6 during the annual 2024 Space and Missile Defense Symposium.

While Gainey did not disclose the specific questions they are

looking to address or possible implications, he said this next strategy is looking at how to make the AMD force of 2040 successful, noting they are developing it in light of ongoing conflicts like Ukraine.

"We know we will operate under constant observation and in continuous contact...360 degree programs is a non-negotiable. Additionally, our technology needs to have open architecture and utilize all benefits of artificial intelligence while being fast."

Gainey told reporters the strategy development is being formed over a year and they are targeting release of the 2024 strategy in October 2025.

He praised the 2012 strategy as starting the right pace to move towards the 2028 vision beginning in 2019.

"It did a really good job of laying out how we need to develop capability to address the threat moving into the future. We have an idea. We know currently how the threat is evolving and where we believe..."

[CLICK for more of the Army Planning New Air & Missile Defense](#)

Senate appropriators nix DOD moves to consolidate congressional liaisons

EXTERNAL REPORT

By Tony Bertuca, Inside Defense

The Senate Appropriations Committee says it is concerned the Defense Department might move to consolidate or "supplant" the budgetary liaisons who traditionally assist lawmakers in crafting annual spending legislation.

The committee, in a report accompanying its version of the fiscal year 2025 defense spending bill, notes it retains a provision from previous years prohibiting the use of funds to "plan or implement the consolidation of a budget or appropriations liaison office" anywhere within DOD.

"The Senate Defense Appropriations Subcommittee relies heavily on these offices to conduct its oversight responsibilities and make funding recommendations for the Department of Defense," the report states.

Though separate offices of legislative affairs within the Office of the Secretary of Defense and the military departments assist authorizing committees and individual members of Congress, "such assistance is provided on a parallel and separate track from the assistance provided to this Committee and its members by

the budget or appropriations liaison office," the report states.

The committee notes other legislative affairs offices do not "possess the expertise and direct relationship" with the DOD comptroller's office, "which are essential to the effective communication between the Department and the Committees on Appropriations."

It is therefore "critical that the budget or appropriations liaison offices remain independent from the legislative liaison offices and retain the authority to respond directly and promptly with the information required by the Committee and its members," the report states.

Additionally, the committee said it is "concerned" by the increasing number of new congressional adviser positions at DOD that "supplant" the budget or appropriations liaison offices.

"The Committee is concerned that this negatively impacts the ability of these liaison offices to exercise their responsibility towards the Committee," the report states.

[CLICK for more information about Lockheed focusing on NGI](#)



Parsons is accepting applications for the following positions: HVAC and Mechanical Equipment Installer, Fire Sprinkler Foreman, plumber journeyman, office clerk, heavy equipment operator, quality control technicians, concrete finishers, general labor, pipefitter-plumber, and carpenter. Please visit the Parsons Website at <https://www.parsons.com/careers/>, or send your resume to Kwaj.Resumes@Parsons.com, or you can visit your local Parsons office on Kwajalein Atoll, MH. For more information contact Parsons Human Resources at 480-4042.

RGNext, LLC seeks qualified candidates to fill open positions on Kwaj and Roi in engineering, technical, and other areas. 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.

V2X Jobs. V2X has several opportunities for on-island hires: Harbor Controller I (35649), 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AFH Construction Is Ongoing. Nan, Inc. Construction is scheduled to commence the telecommunication scope of work for the FY21 Kwajalein Army Family Housing project in our community from February – September 2024. Residents and commuters should be aware of possible changes in traffic patterns and to plan their routes accordingly. Nan, Inc. Construction is committed to minimizing any inconveniences, and we will strive to ensure a smooth and efficient construction process.

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.

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. 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.). Call 480-8496.

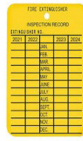
Cart Rentals has a new phone number: 480-3439. The old number has been disconnected and is no longer in service.

Demolition at the Capt. Louis S. Zamperini Dining Facility. Phase three of the Zamperini DFAC demo has begun and is projected to be finished March 2026 for the dining and serving area. Be careful around the dining facility during the phases.

Do Not 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 Mar-

Monthly tip from the USAG-KA Fire Prevention Office

Fire Extinguishers



YOU are required to inspect each fire extinguisher in your areas of operation on a monthly basis (every 30 to 31 days).

CHECK FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- I. Properly mounted in its assigned location.
- II. Immediately accessible (unobstructed) and visible.
- III. Tamper Seal and Safety Pin is in place and nozzle is free off obstructions.
- IV. Pressure Gauge in the “GREEN” to indicate it’s charged; and cylinder in good shape.
- V. After inspection, initial off on the extinguisher tag for that month.

Contact the Public Works Service Desk at 480-3550 if any above steps require attention.

PublicWorksServiceDesk@Vectrus.com



shallese artifacts. These resources are protected under U.S. federal and RMI law. Contact the Kwajalein Archaeology Office at 480-8867.

Driver's Licensing Classes. Kwaj: Every Wednesday, Bldg. 865, Rm. 101, 9 a.m. for RMI, 11 a.m. for expats. Preregistration is encouraged. Space is limited. Roi Classes: Every second Friday in C-building. 9 a.m. - RMI, 11 a.m. for expats. No preregistration required. To register, email wilson.kaisha@gov2x.com and/or george.parker3@gov2x.com, or call 480-3766.

Emergency Management. 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.

E-Wareness: It is each driver's responsibility to ensure vehicles are not leaking fluids other than air conditioning condensate. Call 911 to report spills and arrange with automotive for routine maintenance. Please call Environmental at 480-0722 with questions. Ejan ri-kator eo eddo non lolorjake bwe wa eo ejjab leak jabdewot oil ijelak in drennin air condition eo jen wa eo. Ne elon jabdewot leak/lutok in oil jen wa eo, Kiir 911 non report- e lutok eo. Ak kiir Environmental ilo 480-0722 non kajitok.

Fire Safety Tips. Some pets are chewers. Watch pets to make sure they don't chew through electrical cords. Pets are curious. They may bump into, turn on, or knock over cooking equipment. Keep pets away from stoves and countertops. Make sure pets are included in your family's fire evacuation plan. Build an evacuation kit for each pet in your household.

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.

FlyRoi Reservations. To schedule reservations

and for correspondence related to flights, email LCVKwajaleinFlyRoi@versar.com.

How to dress in the RMI. Out of respect for the Marshallese culture, residents are asked to dress appropriately when visiting Ebeye, Third Island, or anywhere within Kwajalein Atoll. Women should wear clothing to cover shoulders and knees. None are permitted to wear shorts when visiting churches on Ebeye. Men should wear long slacks to church.

Kikaha is the new NEC contractor. Submit a ticket by calling 480-3000, Option 1.

Kwaj Small Boat Marina hours are 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. Friday through Monday, and on holidays, excluding Thanksgiving and Christmas. Morning boat reservation times are from 7:30 a.m. – noon. Afternoon boat reservations are from 1 – 5 p.m.

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.

Operational Security. See something, say something. All employees on USAG-KA are required to receive annual Threat Awareness and Reporting Program training provided by KRO; Reporting: Report suspicious activities to the Kwajalein Resident Office at 480-9859/1293/8006 at Bldg. 1163.

PCS & Vacation Tips. 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.

Salon Walk-Ins. Surfside Salon Walk-In Appointments are available on Fridays from 1:30 - 6 p.m.

Smoking. 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.

Taxi Service. Call 480-TAXI (8294) or 3341 to book your ride at least 24 hours in advance of check-in time.

Upcoming Changes to Entry/Exit Procedures. Beginning June 1, please send all access requests to USAG-KA Entry and Exit at U.S. Army Bucholz AAF ID-Pacific Mailbox USAG-KA E-E: usarmy.bucholz.id-pacific.mbx.usag0ka-e-e@army.mil. The current inbox of U.S. Army Bucholz AAF 311 Sig Cmd Mailbox USAG PMO will be monitored for 30 days after the initial changeover to ensure a smooth transition. Your patience is appreciated during this transition period.

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Location

***Yoga Flow and Water Aerobics are held at the Adult Pool**

All other classes held in CRC 7

Purchase your MWR fitness pass at the library front desk. For more information, please call MWR at 480-3331.

Millican Family Pool Hours. Closed for cleaning on Thursdays. Open noon to 5 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Open 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays and Mondays.

Monthly Oceanview Club Nights

From 8 p.m. – midnight

1st Saturday: Karaoke Night

Enjoy live music with DJ Dmack on second, third and fourth Saturdays.

The NEC Testing Center Is Open to the Community - Giving you the head start you need to thrive! - Open Tuesday through Saturday by appointment

Authorized Pearson VUE Test Center. Schedule A test Today!

NEC testing Center, 480-4344, FN 1008-131

ACUITY International

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<https://acuityinternational.com/careers/>

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• Eye Exams, Dry Eyes, Eye Disease

• Glasses for all ages

• Contract Lenses (including multifocal)

• Safety Frames and Lenses

Call 480-2224 to be added to the waitlist

July 23 - August 14

Website: www.kwajeyes.com

Contact info: drwtblack@aol.com

RedTown Technical Services, LLC, has an immediate opening for a Chief Meteorologist. This full-time, salaried position is located on Kwajalein. Eligible applicants will have a M.S. degree in meteorology, atmospheric science, or related engineering or scientific field and a minimum of 10 years' experience within the field of study. For further information or to apply please go to: <https://www.redtownservices.com/careers> and click on View Available Job Openings.

GREASE Sing Along

@ Emon Beach

Saturday, August 17

7:30 p.m.

For more information contact

Kara.Larson@gov2x.com

Labor Day

Calling All Vendors (Handicrafts/Others),

Private Organizations & Fundraisers

Proof of Kwajalein home-based business

license is required during registering

Registration must be received

by Thursday, Aug 28th

To register for vendors table(s) contact the

Grace Sherwood Library

Labor Day - Costume Contest

Dress up like a Pirate, Mermaid or Merman

Mer-Person vs Pirate Parade

Any age can participate

2024 Soccer Season

• **Registration is Now to August 6th**

• **Season begins August 13th**

For registration, stop by the

Grace Sherwood Library

All-Year Licensing Classes

Kwajalein: Wednesdays, Bldg 856/Rm 101

Roi Namur: Every 2nd Wednesday, Bldg C

• 0900 hrs (RMI) • 1300 hrs (Expats)

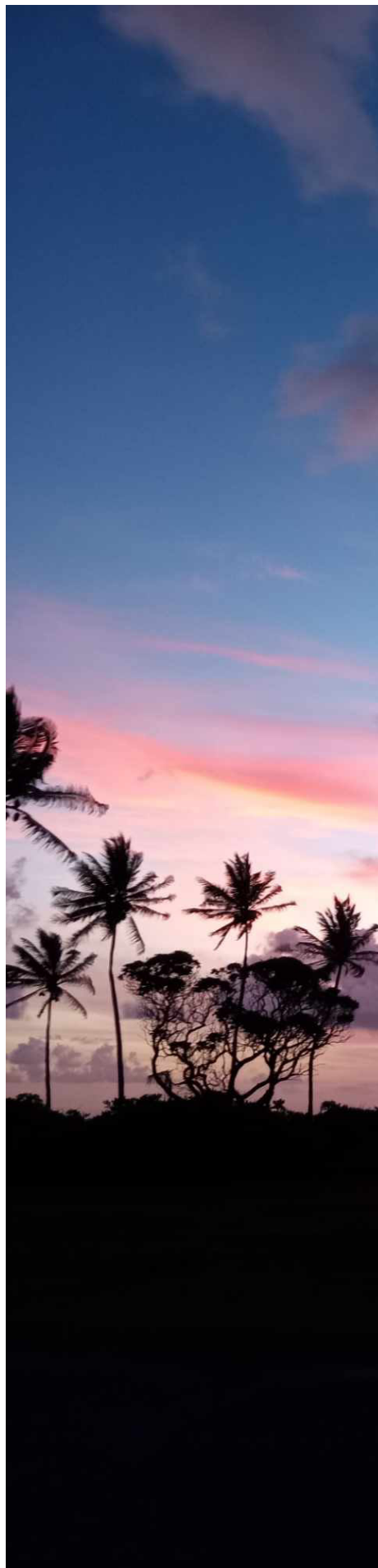
REGISTRATION - None required for Roi Namur.

Kwajalein registration encouraged as space is

limited. Call 480-3366 or email:

George.Parker3@gov2x.com

Kaisha.Wilson@gov2x.com





WHEN MIGHT I NEED A COSTUME OR SPECIAL ATTIRE FOR AN EVENT IN THE UPCOMING 6 MONTHS?



JULY 4 DRESS YOUR PUP IN PATRIOTIC ATTIRE



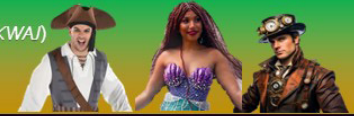
AUG. 17 GREASE DRESS UP/SING ALONG



SEPT. 2 DRESS LIKE A PIRATE AND/OR MERMAID PARADE & COSTUME CONTEST (EVERYONE ON KWAJ)

SEPT. 18 STEAMPUNK INSPIRED 60TH B-DAY FOR CLIFF PRYOR (ADULTS ONLY)

NOT AN MWR EVENT. SPECIAL BIRTH-DAY EVENT



OCT. TBD OKTOBERFEST @ CAMP HAMILTON

OCT. TBD ZOMBIE RUN (EVERYONE ON KWAJ)

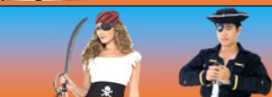
OCT. 26 A NIGHT TO DISMEMBER @ OCEANVIEW (ADULT HALLOWEEN PARTY)

OCT. 31 TRICK OR TREAT (CHILDREN/YOUTH/TEENS)



NOV. 2 SWASHBUCKLERS BALL @ THE YACHT CLUB (ADULTS ONLY)

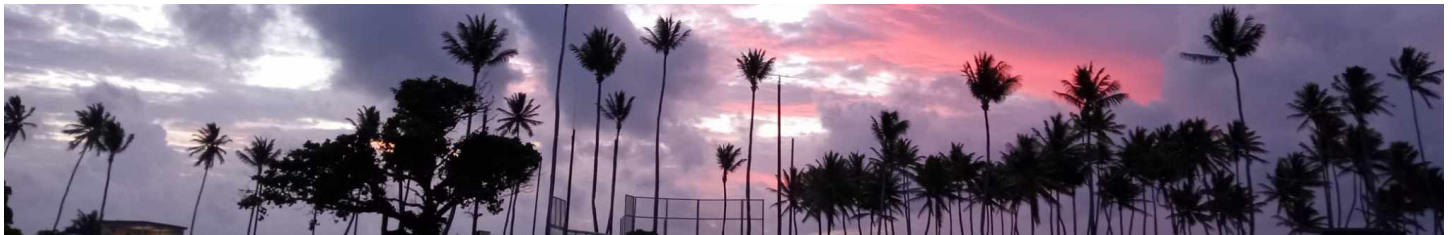
NOT AN MWR EVENT. PRIVATE ORG. EVENT



DEC. 7 TROPICAL / MARSHALLESE INSPIRED TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY (EVERYONE ON KWAJ)

DEC. 21 HOLIDAY PARTY (ADULT HOLIDAY UGLY-T-SHIRT/ATTIRE @ OCEANVIEW)

DEC. 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE



E-wareness: Stormwater Pollution Prevention

Stormwater discharges are a significant source of pollutants. Stormwater can become polluted as it flows over contaminated surfaces. This leads to contamination of lagoon waters and potential damage to corals and other marine species.

What can you do?

- Good housekeeping
- Preventive maintenance on vehicles and equipment
- Maintain spill prevention and quick response supplies
- Preserve sediment erosion control
- Manage storm water runoff
- Employee training

For more information on stormwater pollution prevention or training opportunities, contact Vectrus Environmental at 480-1134.

E-wareness: Kejbarok jen paijin in an toor dren

Ijoko elap an toor dren ie rej jikin ko elap menin paijin/kij ko remaron in bar walok ie. Ekka wot an jede paijin kein jen ijoko dren eo ej toorlok ie. Elane ej toor dren kein nan lojet innem enaj kakure lojet eo, wod ko ie im menin mour/eddrek ko ie.

Ta komaron komane?

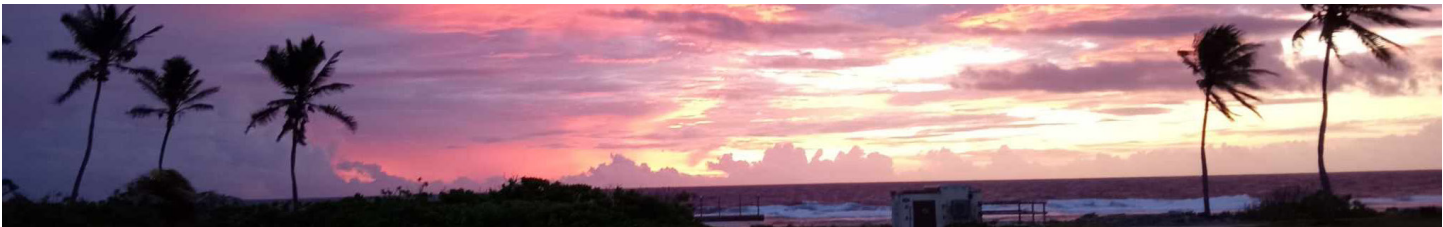
- Karreo
 - Kejbarok wot jerbal ko bwe in driklok an nej walok jorren im kein jerbal
 - Kojerbal spill kit ko im mokaj nan jerbal ko
 - Lale men ko rej elejo bwe renjab toor nan lojet
 - Manage e drenin wot ko ial ko
 - Etal nan Training ko nan ekatak
- Nan melele ko relaplok ikiyeen wewein kein ak training, call e Vectrus Environmental ilo 480-1134.



Water Distribution personnel...

...will begin annual flushing of the potable water fire hydrants and pipes on **Kwajalein on Tuesday, August 6**. For the next four weeks, the water coming out of faucets and showers on Kwajalein may turn reddish brown from rusty cast iron pipes in the water distribution system. If your water becomes discolored, let the tap run until the water clears up. If your water turns very red for a day or two, avoid washing white clothes until the clarity of the water returns to normal.

Call **Stan at 480-1847** with any questions.



REGISTRATION IS OPEN CARDBOARD BOAT

Boat and paddles must be constructed entirely of
cardboard and tape.

REGATTA

LABOR DAY

To register your
cardboard boat and
unique team or boat
name, stop by the Grace
Sherwood Library by
close of business on
Thursday, Aug 28th.

Prizes:

Ship Shape Award (appearance)
Shipwreck Award (most dramatic sinking)
Cardboard Cup (boat traveling the furthest/fastest)



WEEKLY TROPICAL WEATHER THREAT OUTLOOK

RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

Discussion:

After a wetter than normal July, August has started off with well below normal rainfall. However, the next 7 days should see an increased chance for showers and a few thunderstorms as the ITCZ becomes a bit more active over the Marshall Islands. Though we may struggle to reach the normal weekly accumulation of 2.4 inches over the next 7 days, we can expect to pick up some beneficial rainfall. It will be breezier than normal over the next few days, with more periods of light winds later in the weekend into the middle of next week. Wind direction will vary mostly between NE and SE as weak

waves move from east to west along the ITCZ. For this weekend, currently expecting scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms for Sunday, followed by drier conditions Monday. Minor tidal flooding is possible 20-22 August; please see Tides section below for more details.

Tropical Cyclones:

None for Kwajalein, Guam, and Wake Island over the next 7 days. Tropical cyclone activity will begin to heat up over the eastern Pacific and possibly affect the Hawaiian Islands late next week.

West Wind / Westerly Swell Risk:

Risk remains low over the

next 7 days.

Swell / Tide Inundation Risk for Kwajalein Atoll and Wake Island:

Risk remains low over the next 7 days.

Tides:

There will be higher than normal Spring tides with the 19 August Full moon; daily peak tides will exceed 4 feet from 18 to 24 August and will exceed 5 feet from 20 to 22 August. Minor coastal flooding will be possible 1-2 hours on either side of daily peak tides 20-22 August.

Purpose: This weekly briefing is delivered Thursday mornings to island lead-

ership. The intention of this briefing is to provide situational awareness of weather events that may interrupt operations and transportation around Kwajalein, to/from Hawaii and Guam, and in the Wake vicinity. The main threat assessed in this brief is existing and potential development of tropical cyclone activity. This brief also provides an outlook of abnormal winds, sea state, and precipitation guidance for next 7 days around the Kwajalein Atoll. The distribution list will also receive updates on any developing tropical cyclone activity in the Kwajalein region that occur between the weekly outlook product.

WEATHER

RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

WEATHER DISCUSSION

Fairly wet conditions were felt Thursday into Friday morning across Kwajalein atoll associated with the passage of a minor atmospheric wave. A drier period will work its way in for the rest of Friday and Saturday before another wave in conjunction with the Inter-tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) approaches late Saturday night and into the start of the weekend on Sunday. Scattered showers and stray thunderstorms are expected throughout Sunday as the wave works its way through the RMI. The back half of the weekend looks to be much drier than the first half with a significant decrease in shower coverage for Monday. The wave is expected to pass overnight Sunday leaving mostly dry weather for the rest of the weekend and into Tuesday before a weaker wave is set to arrive Tuesday night. Winds will gradually

return to a east-northeasterly direction Saturday morning after being east southeasterly Friday night and remain in the upper single digits to lower teens. On Sunday, winds are expected to veer out of the southeast as the wave moves through the RMI Sunday evening. Beyond that, winds are anticipated to remain in the upper single digits to lower teens for Monday and for the start of your work week.

SATURDAY

Partly sunny with isolated showers early, becoming stray showers by the early afternoon. Winds ENE-E at 8-13 knots with higher gusts possible near showers.

SUNDAY

Partly sunny with widely scattered showers throughout the day. Winds ENE-ESE at 9-14 knots with higher gusts possible near showers.

MONDAY

Mostly sunny with stray showers. Winds ENE-E at 5-10 knots with higher gusts near showers.

NEXT WEEK

Periods of wet weather with a series of waves as the ITCZ begins to build westward. A weak wave arrives on Tuesday before a more robust wave works into Kwajalein atoll for the midweek period.

SUN-MOON-TIDES				
	SUNRISE SUNSET	MOONRISE MOONSET	HIGH TIDE	LOW TIDE
SUNDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:04 p.m.	5:50 p.m. 4:46 a.m.	3:14 a.m. 4.2' 3:47 p.m. 3.3'	9:47 a.m. -0.4' 9:34 p.m. -0.2'
MONDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:04 p.m.	6:44 p.m. 5:48 a.m.	3:53 a.m. 4.7' 4:21 p.m. 3.8'	10:21 a.m. -0.7' 10:13 p.m. -0.6'
TUESDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:03 p.m.	7:34 p.m. 6:48 a.m.	4:31 a.m. 5.0' 4:56 p.m. 4.1'	10:54 a.m. -0.9' 10:51 p.m. -0.8'
WEDNESDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:03 p.m.	8:21 p.m. 7:45 a.m.	5:07 a.m. 5.1' 5:31 p.m. 4.3'	11:28 a.m. -1.0' 11:30 p.m. -0.8'
THURSDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:03 p.m.	9:07 p.m. 8:41 a.m.	5:43 a.m. 5.0' 6:06 p.m. 4.3'	12:00 p.m. -0.9' -----
FRIDAY	6:41 a.m. 7:02 p.m.	9:52 p.m. 9:36 a.m.	6:19 a.m. 4.7' 6:43 p.m. 4.3'	12:09 a.m. -0.7' 12:33 p.m. -0.7'
AUGUST 24	6:41 a.m. 7:02 p.m.	10:40 p.m. 10:31 a.m.	6:55 a.m. 4.1' 7:20 p.m. 4.0'	12:49 a.m. -0.4' 1:05 p.m. -0.3'

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT ISLAND LIFE AND ARMY REGULATIONS, PLEASE CALL THE COMMANDER'S HOTLINE AT 480-1098. FOLLOW THE USAG-KA FACEBOOK PAGE TO RECEIVE INFORMATION AND UPDATES REGARDING SAFETY INFORMATION, EVENTS, AND OFFICIAL COMMAND ACTIVITIES.