

# SEEKING VOLUNTEERS FOR THE ZOMBIE RUN

\*MAKEUP ARTISTS
TO TRANSFORM VOLUNTEERS
INTO ZOMBIES AT THE ZOMBIE
TRANSFORMATION CENTER
(MAKEUP WILL BE PROVIDED)

\*ZOMBIES OFALLAGES!

Oct. 20

\*CHECKPOINT
SUPPORT ALONG THE
ROUTE WITH FIRST AID KIT,
WATER, CHAIRS TO REST, ETC.



Contact Event Coordinator, by email <u>Kara.Larson@gov2x.com</u> or sign up in the Grace Sherwood Library by Saturday, Oct 12<sup>th</sup>







# EARN YOUR TEAM KWAJ TAB!

## THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

The Kwajalein Hourglass is named for the insignia of the U.S. Army's 7th Infantry Division, which liberated the island from the forces of Imperial Japan on Feb. 4, 1944. The Kwajalein Hourglass is an authorized publication for military personnel, federal employees, contractor workers and their families assigned to U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll.

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## **PUBLIC SAFETY**

## **UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE SAFETY PROCEDURES ON KWAJALEIN ATOLL**

#### EXTERNAL REPOR

Darren Wheeldon, a UXO (Unexploded Ordnance) safety specialist supervisor at the U.S. Army Garrison Kwajalein Atoll, plays a crucial role in ensuring the safety of personnel on the island. Mr. Wheeldon, who works under RGNext, has extensive experience in identifying, recovering, and safely disposing of UXO gained from 11 years in Army EOD and civilian UXO contracting all over the world.

Recently, Mr. Wheeldon outlined the procedures for handling potential UXOs discovered on Kwajalein. Upon discovery of a suspected UXO, the first step is to

recognize that the item is a potential UXO. Mark the location of the item so that it can be found again easily. Retreat from the area. Report the location to the security dispatch desk at 480-4445 on Kwajalein and 6445 on Roi Namur.

Maintain a safe distance of at least 300 feet from the item. It is imperative that no one touches the item until it can be identified by a UXO specialist as safe to move or not. If the item is safe to move the UXO team will safely transport the item to the explosive storage bunkers for storage until disposal. If the item is unsafe to move the UXO team will blow up

the item in place utilizing approved engineering controls to reduce the fragmentation and blast hazards. There will be close coordination with the USAG-KA command team to ensure no personnel are within the area before detonation and all property is protected from damage as much as possible.

"My team has over 50 years of combined UXO experience. We are trained professionals in identifying UXO and determining whether they are safe to move or not," said Mr. Wheeldon.

This rigorous protocol highlights the commitment to safety on Kwajalein Atoll and the expertise of professionals like Mr. Wheeldon in mitigating the risks associated with unexploded ordnance on Kwajalein Atoll. Just one of many hazards to be aware of when living on a WW2 battlefield.



# **Kwajalein Reclaimed Water Standard Violation**

The Reclaimed Water System Document of Environmental Protection (DEP) requires public notification when reclaimed water standards are violated. On 19 September 2024, the Kwajalein Wastewater Treatment Plant observed elevated levels of petroleum oil entering the system. As a result, the reclaimed water generated had higher than normal turbidity levels. Turbidity is the cloudiness or haziness of a liquid caused by individual particles that are generally invisible to the naked eye. From 19-29 September 2024, the 7-day rolling turbidity average at the point of entry into the reclaimed water system and in the distribution system measured above the 2.0 Nephelometric Turbidity Units (NTUs) standard. No health-based restrictions on the normal use (irrigation, vehicle washing, etc) of reclaimed (or non-potable) water are necessary. There is no threat to public health or the environment resulting from this turbidity exceedance. If you have any questions, please contact the V2X Environmental Department at 480-0722.

# Jorraan Eo IIo Reclaimed Water System Eo Ion Kwajalein

Ekkar non Reclaimed Water Document eo an Environmental Protection/ak naetan (DEP) ej kemlet bwe jikin liklik dren eo ej aikuj karon jukjuk in ped elane ewor jorraan ko rejolet dren eo ion Kwajalein. Ilo kar 19 Japtemba 2024. Jikin Liklik Dren Eo ion Kwajalein ear elolo kare in woil iloan dren ko. Ken menin, ekomman bwe en laplok an tap dren eo. Weweein ej walok wot ne ewor menoknok ak kare in ettoon ko jeban loi. Ilo kar 19-29 Japtemba 2024 eo, iloan 7 raan (turbidity) jonok eo ekar drelon ilo jikin liklik dren in im ajejej ekomon bwe en ilon in jonok in 2.0 Nephelometric Turbidity Units (NTU) standard. Ejjab jelet ejmour non karon im rejan ikkijeen kojerbal dren in (non wutdrikdrik, kwali waa ko, im jerbal ko eirlokwot) non aikuij ko jet. Jokjok in eban jelet ejmour ak jukjuk bed iloan alik kar ilo ekotak kein. Ne ewor kajitok rellap lok, kir tok V2X Environmental Department ilo 480-0722.



# WHEN MIGHT I NEED A COSTUME OR SPECIAL ATTIRE FOR AN EVENT UNTIL THE END OF THE YEAR?



SEPT. 14 STEAMPUNK INSPIRED 60<sup>TH</sup>B-DAY FOR CLIFF PRYOR (*ADULTS ONLY*)

\*NOT ANMWREVENT. SPECIAL BIRTHDAY EVENT\*

OCT. 14 OKTOBERFEST @ CAMP HAMILTON

OCT. 20 ZOMBIE RUN (EVERYONE ON KWAJ)

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

OCT. 31 TRICK ORTREAT (CHILDREN/YOUTH/TEENS)

NOV. 3 SWASHBUCKLERS BALL @ THE YACHT CLUB (ADULTS ONLY)
\*NOT AN MWREVENT. PRIVATE ORGEVENT\*

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

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

DEC. 31 NEWYEARS EVE







Most Original, Scariest, & Funniest

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT US AT
THE MWR OFFCE BLDG 8224 (480-6580)















## **COMMUNITY**

## FIRE PREVENTION WEEK | EBEYE

## HOURGLASS REPORT

By Yolanie Korab, MWR Administrative Associate, Sr.

John Jarom (right), a Vice Principal of Queen of Peace Ebeye Catholic School, recently visited Kwajalein Garrison to participate in Fire Prevention Week. His visit was part of a broader initiative to educate his students and Ebeye community about fire safety.

During this event, Mr. Jarom shared his thoughts on fire safety and cannot wait to share them with the community on Ebeye and with his students as well.

He is dedicated towards fostering a safe and informed community on Ebeye as he collaborates with Kwajalein fire department officials to deliver interactive and informative sessions. This Fire Prevention Week initiative not only highlighted the importance of fire safety but also strengthened the ties between the Marshallese and the Kwajalein Garrison communities.









## **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.



## RICHARDSON THEATER

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**

"Toy Story" (1999) (G) 92 min.

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6**

"Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 1" (2010) (PG-13) 146 min.

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12**

"Despicable Me" (2010) (PG) 95 min.

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13**

"Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire" (PG-13) 115 min.

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19**

"Frozen" (2013) (PG) 102 min.

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20**

"Godzilla vs Kong: The New Empire" (2024)

(PG-13) 115 min.

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26**

"Wall-E" (2008) (G) 98 min.

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27**

"Kung Fu Panda 4" (2024) (PG) 94 min.



All showtimes start at 7:30 p.m.









## Showing at the Yuk Theater



Saturday, October 5

"My Big Fat Greek Wedding 3" (2023) (PG-13) 92 min.
Sunday, October 6

"Retribution" (2023) (R) 91 min.

Saturday, October 12

"The Color Purple" (1985) (PG-13) 154 min.

Sunday, October 13 "Till" (2022) (PG-13) 113 min.

**Saturday, October 19** "The Fablemans" (2022) (PG-13) 151 min.

Sunday, October 20

"Saw X" (2023) (R) 118 min.

Saturday, October 26

"Armageddon Time" (2022) (PG-13) 151 min.

Sunday, October 27

"The Rocky Horror Picture Show" (1975) (R) 100 min.



All showtimes start at 7:30 p.m.





ABOVE: Mira Anjuron posed with her husband.

## **COMMUNITY**

## A DEAR FRIEND AND HARD-WORKER WILL BE MISSED

HOURGLASS REPORT

By Yolanie Korab, MWR Administrative Associate, Sr.

Mrs. Mira Anjuron passed away on October 10, 2024. She was a valued member of the custodial team for many years, known for her unwavering commitment and tireless work ethic. Her colleagues from all the locations she worked, like the Garrison, Post Office, Salon and RMI office, will cherish her as a reliable and diligent worker who always went above and beyond to ensure a clean and safe environment. Mira's dedication and positive spirit will be deeply missed by all who had the privilege of working with her. She leaves behind a legacy of diligence and kindness that will be remembered for years to come.



## **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 attender!
- 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@armv.mil to set up a date/time with the commander for the final event.



## MWR Fitness Schedule

## Tuesday

5:30 a.m.: Free Spin 9:15 a.m.: Step + Strength 5:30 p.m.: Water Aerobics\* 6:00 p.m.: TRX + Pilates Core

## Wednesday

9:15 a.m.: Barre Fusion 4:45 p.m.: Power Express

5:30 p.m.: Yoga

## Thursday

5:30 a.m.: Free Spin 6:00 a.m.: Yoga Flow\*

11:30 a.m.: TRX + Pilates Core 5:30 pm: Step + Strength

## Friday

9:15 a.m.: Barre Fusion 5:30 p.m.: Power Hour

Saturday

5:30 a.m.: Free Spin 9:15 a.m.: Water Aerobics\*

## 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/USArmyGarrisonKwajalein Atoll.

## FOR KWAJ COMMAND **TEAM INFO & UPDATES**



## TEAM KWAJ COMMANDER







@TeamKwajCommander

## KEEP FOLLOWING







NASA ASTRONAUT ANDREW "DREW" MORGAN



@AstroDrewMorgan

Kwajalein



NEVER FORGET.

https://kwajaleinmiaproject.us/

## **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 (Hourglass classifieds only), 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 advertisements 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.

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@n8tivesynergy.com; call (256) 836-5316 direct and visit https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/2337159/Atmospher-

ic-Science-Technology-LLC/Meteorologist— Kwajalein-Island.

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 Rources 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://honuservices.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-Kwa-





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

jalein 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.

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.

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. Walkin 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 Marshallese 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. 856, Rm. 101, 9 a.m. for RMI, 1 p.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,

audrey.hughes@gov2x.com, and/or george.parker3@gov2x.com, or call 480-3376.

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. Ej an ri-kator eo eddo non lolorjake bwe wa eo ejjab leak jabdewot oil ijelak in drennin air condition eo jen wa eo. Ne elon jabdwot 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



## KWAJALEIN HOSPITAL VZX



Acuity International is pleased to begin providing services at Kwajalein Hospital on October 1, 2024.

There will be no interruption in the current level of medical or dental services.

To reach the Hospital, please see contacts to the right:

## Occupational Health Services

kwajohdteam@acuityinternational.com

#### **Dental Clinic**

kwajdentalclinic@acuityinternational.com

#### **Veterinary Clinic**

kwajvetclinic@acuityinternational.com

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 Kwaialein Resident Office at 480-9859/1293/8006 at Blda. 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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5:30 p.m.: Yoga

**Thursday** 

5:30 a.m.: Free Spin 6:00 a.m.: Yoga Flow\* 11:30 a.m.: TRX + Pilates Core

5:30 pm: Step + Strength

**Friday** 

9:15 a.m.: Barre Fusion 5:30 p.m.: Power Hour Saturday

5:30 a.m.: Free Spin 9:15 a.m.: Water Aerobics\*

\*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** Job Postings for this contract have "Marshall Islands" in the job title. https://acuityinternational.com/careers/ Anyone interested please reach out directly to Melani.Gebhardt@acuityinternational.com

NOW HIRING: Administrative Assistant (Marshall Islands) click

ARKEL International WE ARE HIRING! Send Your Resume To:

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CALL US: 480-1006

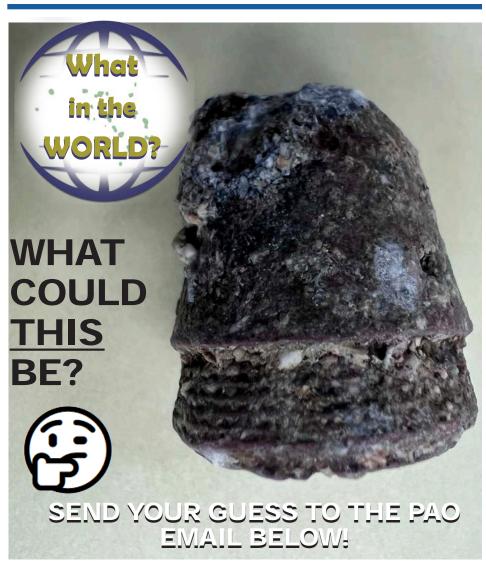
VISIT OUR WEBSITE: HTTP://ARKEL.COM

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.

All-Year Licensing Classes

Kwajalein: Wednesdays, Bldg 856/Rm 101 Roi Namur: Every 2nd Wednesday, Bldg C • 1300 hrs (Expats) • 0900 hrs (RMI) 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





Kwajalein Atoll is a significant archeological location. If you find anything, take a photo, remember where it is and notify the Public Affairs officer at Sherman.hoque.civ@army.mil but do not pick up, or remove the object.



## **Double Puzzle**

Solve the anagrams and use the circled letters in the top part to complete the final phrase at the bottom. Each circled letter is used just once.

AOSDRPWS	
TNRETENI	
UTDPEA	
YRISTCEU	
PYRICAV	
PECTOMUR	
AEKCHR	
EEICVD	
IWIF	
RCEBY	
IRYFEV	
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BEHOLD! Week three of our October Cybersecurity Awareness Month puzzle series features a multilayered anagram brain-twister that only those of you <u>most</u> committed to keeping our systems CYBER SECURE!™ can solve. Are you up to it? Give it a shot and then come back here next week to see how well you did with the published answers. Good luck!



ON BEHALF OF COL ANDREW MORGAN, A BIG KOM-MOL TATA AND THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED MAKE THIS YEAR'S MARSHALLESE CULTURE DAY OR MANIT DAY A CELEBRATION TO REMEMBER:

- Iroijlaplap Mike Kabua and the other Traditional Leaders
- RMI Kwajalein Senators
- RMI Liaison Office staff
- Marshallese Cultural Society (MCS)
- RiKatak Students
- Monin Youth Group from Ebeye
- RMI basket weavers and huskers
- Jinetiptip Women's Organization

- MWR staff and crew
- Building and Grounds crew
- Marine Department
- Automotive Department
- Security personnel
- Island Memorial Chapel staff
- Kwajalein Boys Scouts
- Kwajalein School System teachers and students
- Kwajalein Atoll Local Government (KALGOV)



ABOVE: Small grade school-aged children are thrilled to enjoy the view from the driver and passenger sides of the Fire truck during the 2024 Fire Prevention Week tour by our friendly neighborhood Kwajalein Public Safety personnel.

## WEEKLY TROPICAL WEATHER THREAT OUTLOOK

#### RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

#### Discussion:

Another good week for rainfall, with 3.05" measured at the Kwajalein weather station over the last 7 days. Upper-level troughs, largely absent for much of this year over our region, have reappeared, enhancing lightning activity significantly at times. "When thunder roars, go indoors". If a lightning warning is issued for your area, or if you hear thunder, move as quickly and safely as you can to an enclosed building. Please see the July 6th Hourglass article from RTS Weather on lightning safety. The ITCZ will remain active over Kwajalein for the next several days, with occasional periods of rain and showers, along with isolated thunderstorms. Strong wind gusts

will be possible near precipitation. Dry conditions look to become more dominant for a few days next week. Rainfall over the next 7 days is expected to be near normal; normal weekly rainfall for this time of year is app. 2.7 inches. A strengthening monsoon trough over the Philippine Sea and Marianas could lead to tropical cyclone development near Guam around the middle of next week. We are experiencing above normal Spring tides with the 17 October Full moon; please see below for more details.

## **Tropical Cyclones:**

A strengthening monsoon trough over the Philippine Sea and Marianas could lead to tropical cyclone development near Guam around the middle of next week. Otherwise, none expected for Kwajalein, Wake Island, and Hawaii over the next 7 days.

## Damaging West Winds / Westerly Swell:

Risk remains low for the next 7 days.

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

We are experiencing above normal Spring tides with the 17 October Full moon. Tidal flooding is not expected at this time. Daily peak tides will be near/exceed 5 feet through 19 October and will exceed 4 feet through 21 October.

**Purpose:** This weekly briefing is delivered Thursday mornings to island leadership. The intention of this briefing is to provide situa-

tional 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.



# E-wareness: Regulated Medical Waste (RMW)



RMW generated at the Hospital, Dispensaries, Dental Clinic, and Vet Services is collected by trained personnel and escorted to the incinerators for disposal.

Please contact V2X Environmental at 480-0722 if you have any questions.

## **MARSHALLESE TRANSLATION**

Kwobej ko jen Hospital, jikin takto ko, jikin koman ni, im jikin takto menin mour rej boklak nan dump bwe ren bwil ilo jikin kattil en. Ewōr ro emōj train er ñōn lolorjaki kwobej kein.

Kir lok V2X Environmental ilo 480-0722 kin kajitōk.





## WEATHER

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#### WEATHER DISCUSSION

Drier conditions are expected across Kwajalein Atoll on Saturday as an atmospheric wave that produced rainy conditions Thursday night and Friday morning, continues to move off to the north and west. The Inter-Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) has become fragmented and retreated back near the dateline, ushering in relatively dry conditions in the short term. Only stray showers are expected over the Atoll through Saturday night before the ITCZ begins to rebuild over the central RMI and sends an atmospheric wave that will increase shower coverage just in time for the weekend. Isolated showers will arrive by noon on Sunday with a peak in shower activity expected on Monday. Thunderstorm chances will be low on Saturday with upper-level support having moved off to the west of the Atoll and relatively warm temperatures still lingering aloft. Favorable upper-level support will move

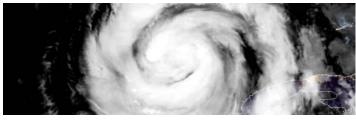


overhead by Sunday evening, elevating thunderstorm risk through the weekend. Winds will be east-southeasterly Saturday morning before gradually come back out of the northeast in the upper-single digits to around 10 knots during Saturday afternoon. As the atmospheric wave moves through the Atoll on Monday, winds will become southerly and remain in the upper-single digits. Westerly winds are not expected to be an issue on Monday at this time. The ITCZ will continue to be the main factor affecting our weather through the upcoming workweek with the potential for more waves pushing through the central RMI by mid-week following a possible lull in shower activity Tuesday and Wednesday.

#### **SATURDAY**

Mostly sunny with stray showers and a possible stray thunderstorm. Winds NE-E at 5-10 knots with higher gusts possible near any showers.

#### **SUNDAY**



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Partly cloudy with isolated showers and a possible stray thunderstorm. Winds ENE-ESE at 7-12 knots with higher gusts near any showers.

#### **MONDAY**

Mostly cloudy with widely scattered to scattered showers and stray thunderstorms. Winds SE-S at 5-10 knots with higher gusts possible near any showers.

#### **NEXT WEEK**

The early part of the work-week will bring modest shower activity following the wet weekend. By the middle part of the week, the ITCZ will begin to reorganize, bringing more atmospheric waves and increased shower coverage to the central RMI.



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