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Young weekend warrior



Photo by Kemberly Groue

Seven-year-old Carter Hickam, son of Capt. Michael and Michele Hickam, 335th Training Squadron, shows off his dog tag at Saturday's Operation Hero. The program introduces children to the deployment process. More photos, Page 13.

President sets course for cyber security

By Jim Garamone

American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — The nation's computer network infrastructure will be defended as a national strategic asset, President Barack Obama said May 29.

In a White House announcement, President Obama said he'll appoint a cyber security coordinator for the critical infrastructure upon which all Americans depend.

"We will ensure that these networks are secure, trustworthy and resilient," he said. "We will deter, prevent, detect and defend against attacks, and recover quickly from any disruptions or damage."

Personnel in the cyber security office will orchestrate and integrate all cyber security policies for the government, the president said. They'll work closely with Office of Management and Budget officials to ensure agency budgets reflect those priorities, and, in the event of major cyber incident or attack, will coordinate government response.

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du Sport Militaire
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Networks Risk assumed by one is risk exposed to all

By Gen. Norton Schwartz

Air Force chief of staff

In executing our Air Force mission of fly, fight and win, our Airmen, civilians and contractors, knowingly or unknowingly, engage daily on the cyber battlefield. Computers and personal electronic devices connected to our networks can simultaneously be powerful tools and critical vulnerabilities. At times, our networks have been compromised by multiple means: Malware hidden in e-mails, virus-corrupted thumb drives, and media moved incorrectly between networks. We can prevent these events with due consideration and proper procedures, but in the past, we've regarded network protection and security as the "comm guy's job," and as a user inconvenience. This must no longer be the case.

Today, we forge a long overdue Air Force cultural change. Cyber operations reinforce and enable everything we do — from administrative functions to combat operations — and we must treat our computers and networks similarly to our aircraft, satellites and missiles.

To this end, operations and maintenance will follow standards governed by a tight system of regulations and technical orders. Compliance with time-critical software updates will gain new emphasis and commanders will be held accountable. Command and control relationships will be revised to correctly align authorities and responsibilities. Major commands and subordinate commanders will no longer "own" networks, but will be responsible for their portion of the larger Air Force Global Information Grid. Air Force Space Command will champion our cyber force development and operations.

I have signed a directive memo making an unequivocal statement about the importance of compliance with network related technical orders. This guidance will improve safety and efficiency on the AF-GIG and provide commanders a clear enforcement/disciplinary mechanism. MTOs, NTOs, and CCOs issued by the AFNETOPS/CC now have the same authority as aircraft maintenance technical orders and lawful general orders. I expect this change will increase compliance with

network technical orders across the Air Force.

As Airmen, civilians and contractors, you must understand your responsibility in this cultural change. Each time you use a networked device, you are on patrol for our nation. You must be alert for and report suspicious emails, websites and suspicious attachments. Mission needs may require you to "sneaker-net" information, but you must follow safe and approved procedures for moving critical data. You must not upload data from personal devices for any reason. While training programs communicate information on network security, we depend on you to execute responsibly. When irresponsible acts occur, I expect commanders to enforce our standards.

This change is not easy, but compliance enables us to defend our networks — paramount in the face of increasing threats. Networks are a shared resource and a risk assumed by one is a risk exposed to all. Our Air Force must move to a system of tight network control, personal responsibility, and accountability as we execute our global mission on behalf of our nation.

Look out for pitfalls on the road of leadership

By Lt. Col. Mark Mesenbrink

335th Training Squadron commander

Notice the title does not read, "...to leadership." Leadership is rather an endless and arduous journey full of temptation to deviate ... full of challenges to make you question why you are doing what you are doing ... full of pitfalls to consume those who are not attentive. In my final days of command, I would like to share with you some of the pitfalls I have seen that inhibit people on that leadership road.

Friend vs. leader — I have seen many a person (noncommissioned officers, senior NCOs, flight commanders, squadron commanders and others) fall into this pitfall. They have felt if they get close to their people — be their friend — the unit would have high morale and people would live in harmony.

If a human were a perfect being, I'd say that is a fine plan. We're not perfect. We make mistakes. We acquiesce to our demons and engage in buffoonery. What would you do to your "friend" if they are caught in an

adulterous affair? Look the other way? Your unit is watching your actions after such an event. They expect ... no, demand ... you do something. But they're your friend ... your drinking/dancing buddy ... your spouses are nearly siblings ... they know your deepest secrets. This type of paralysis will destroy your credibility as a leader. An air of favoritism will exude in your unit and eventually will tear it apart.

Be fair and consistent in your dealings. Be professionally close to your people — care about them and their futures, but do not be their friend.

Selfishness — This pitfall manifests itself in many ways. A popular manifestation for the military is careerism. For others, it could be not mentoring your people in the fear they may surpass you ... or replace you. Regardless, if you are a leader, it is not about you — ever. It is always about something bigger than you. Recognize that rank does not make you a leader—it is only an enabler. An undying desire to climb the corporate ladder only consumes

you with increasing selfishness, and soon you will be promoted beyond your capabilities. Also, a leader may have to put their future rank in jeopardy because they must do the right thing for the right reason. In addition, being a leader is about preparing your people to be leaders themselves. You will expend time and effort to help people flourish ... and maybe even surpass you. Times like that should be met with internal pride — you have made the next generation of leaders. What a selfless act!

Indecision — You're not perfect, and neither am I. We make errors in judgment ... we make bad decisions. Leaders are paid to make decisions and hopefully those leaders were practicing how to make decisions at a young age.

The pitfall I have seen is people fear looking bad. They fear having to address the fact they are human and susceptible to errors in judgment. Heck ... they have been getting "5" EPRs or "No. 1" stratification on their OPRs. Nothing more would ruin that illusion than getting a tough decision wrong. That would be bad ... I may

not make rank (see selfishness) ... I may make my people mad at me (see friend vs. leader).

If you truly want to be a leader, make decisions. When you get it wrong, admit you got it wrong and move out on the right solution. Embrace mistakes ... reflect on how you could have gotten it right or done it better and improve your decision-making process. If you're concerned more about your image or other distractions, this pitfall will consume you and someone else (a leader) will make the decisions for you.

There are other pitfalls out there, but unfortunately I'm out of room. The pitfalls I described are all easy to avoid, but it will take a concerted effort on your part to determine if you are at risk to run into them. Introspection will help you assess your risk, but the key question is, "are you going to act on your assessment?"

Why worry about the pitfalls? To answer that question, I leave you with my final piece of philosophy: One person does not make a unit, but a bad leader will bring it to its knees.

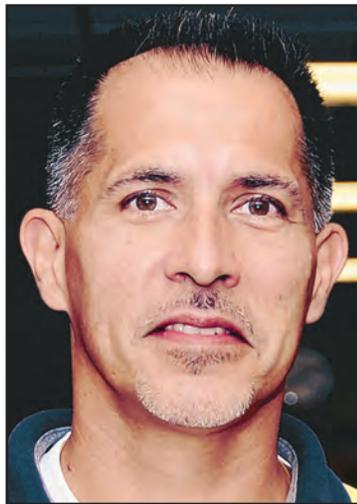


DRAGON ON THE STREET

By **Kemberly Groue**

Keesler News photojournalist

Is there something sentimental you take with you each time you go on temporary duty, deploy or vacation?



Usually I will take a picture of my family and a troll doll my wife gave me.

Patrick Myers, 334th Training Squadron



Photographs of my family.

Dee Keyes, 81st Force Support Squadron



I always take a picture of my two children.

Staff Sgt. Julie Hammond, 336th TRS/

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Welcome, soccer superstars

By **Col. Ian Dickinson**

81st Training Wing commander

This week, Team Keesler welcomes Conseil International du Sport Militaire competitors from Brazil, Canada, France, Germany, The Netherlands, the Republic of South Korea and the United States in the 5th World Military Women's Football Championship.

After many months of planning and the positive spirit and enthusiasm I've witnessed already, I know Team Keesler is ready and honored to host this world-class soccer competition. We look forward to fostering new friendships with the other countries, both on and off the field.

Since this is the only CISM event being held in the United States this year, we would like to invite these athletes to explore the Mississippi Gulf Coast, an area rich in history with one of the oldest settlements in the United States dating back to 1699. During their stay here, I know you'll be proud to welcome these participants to the Keesler family.

Please show our visitors the southern hospitality that's a trademark of our base and the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Get out and join us to check out some of the top-notch soccer action these international teams are bringing to south Mississippi — a game schedule is included on Page 19.



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and photos on the Web
at <http://www.keesler.af.mil>

Teamwork generates low-cost training tools

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

Collaboration between the 81st Training Support Squadron and the 332nd Training Squadron has produced a valuable tool for educating Air Force students.

A network cable tester is the product of a joint effort between the 332nd TRS electronic principles flight and the 81st TRSS trainer development flight.

Electronic principles training manager Javier Lozada met with Ron Holtorf and other trainer development team members to discuss available options to support the proposed 3D Air Force Specialty Code and its initial training course, information technology fundamentals.

The course requires a network cable tester to verify the ability of students to build various cables. Continuous use of the network cable tester by students would cause premature connector failures, shelving the equipment when it was otherwise undamaged and operational.

The testers, like many commercial products, aren't designed to be repaired, so David Sterling, Paul Peterson and Billy Raile of trainer development engineered an external cabling connector system which places all wear and tear on an external chassis. This allows easy and economical replacement of individual quick disconnect "RJ-45" Ethernet cable connectors.

Over a two-month period, David Jacobsen and Jack Waldroup constructed 18 cable chassis sets for less than \$2,500.

The chassis eliminates constant replacement of the tester and saves valuable

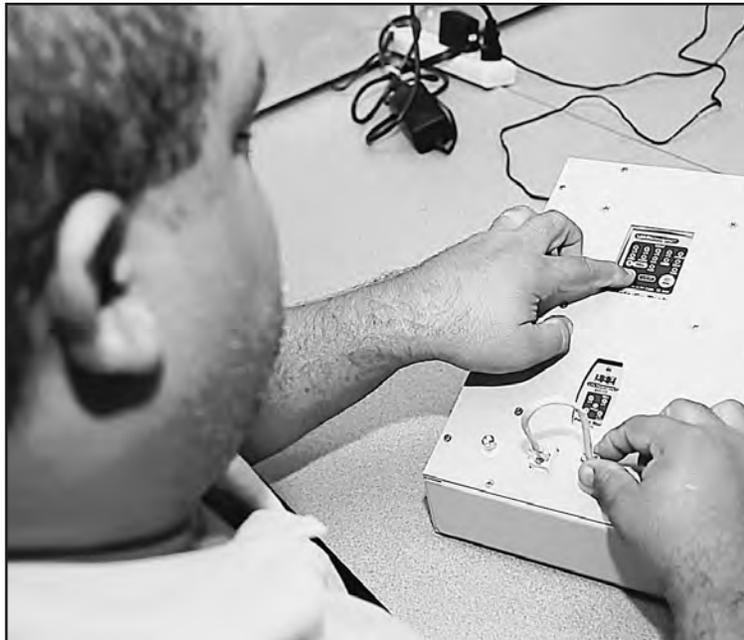


Photo by Kemberly Groue

Juan Cobar, an electronic principles instructor in the 332nd TRS, tests a cable on the network cable tester in Dolan Hall May 28.

resources. Instead of replacing a \$90 cable tester, instructors will replace \$9 worth of connectors on the chassis.

The external connector system also includes a power supply for the cable tester, so it simply plugs into the wall, instead of using batteries that must be replaced, stored and disposed of.

The network cable testers will support more than 2,000 students a year in four new 3D maintenance AFSCs.

"Hands-on training is always superior to books and slides," said Lt. Col. William Hamant, 332nd TRS commander. "These devices let our students practice actual cable building without running equipment costs out of reach. We've taken an off-the-shelf product and made it better than the original designers ever imagined."

"Teamwork made this happen," explained Lt. Col.

Kevin O'Rourke, 81st TRSS commander. "Instead of just giving us a requirement and asking us to come back six months later with a product, the electronic principles staff worked together with my team throughout. The back-and-forth dialog was essential to making sure they had something truly useful that was customized for their specific needs.

"While this may not be a groundbreaking invention, it demonstrates the true benefits of collaboration and the enormous ingenuity and skill of our personnel," Colonel O'Rourke added.

The 81st TRSS can deliver custom hardware, software, simulation and multimedia solutions to meet training needs. For training device support requests, call Maj. Jeff Queen, 81st TRSS director of operations, 377-8971.

Sobering skit

Firefighters extricate the "victims" of a head-on crash during a skit that underscored the dangers of drinking and driving performed for the 81st Training Group's nonprior service students, May 27. Staff Sgt. Chris Freimann, a military training leader in the 332nd Training Squadron, coordinated the program which involved people from several training squadrons, the fire department, 81st Security Forces Squadron, an emergency medical technician, 81st Communications Squadron and local law enforcement support. The skit was part of Keesler's "101 Critical Days of Summer" observance.

Photo by Kemberly Groue





Miss Kirkwood



Miss Davis



Miss Nelson

Heritage committee gives 3 scholarships

By Susan Griggs

Keesler News editor

The African-American Heritage Committee presented three scholarships to recent high school graduates May 28.

Recipients are:

Jasmine Kirkwood, daughter of Levon and Gretchen Kirkwood, received a \$1,500 scholarship. The Gulfport High School graduate will attend Savannah College of Arts and Design, Savannah, Ga.

Gabrielle Davis, daughter of Master Sgt. John and Jennifer Davis, 81st Medical Operations Squadron, is the recipient of a \$1,000 scholarship sponsored by the Keesler Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen.. The St. Martin High School graduate plans to attend Mississippi State University to major in industrial engineering.

Sierra Nelson, daughter of Pamela Nelson, is an Ocean Springs High School graduate who plans to major in nursing at the University of South Alabama. She received a \$750 scholarship.

TRAINING AND EDUCATION NOTES

Drill downs, parades

The 81st Training Group conducts drill downs and parades on the parade field behind the Levitow Training Support Facility.

Drill downs — 7 a.m. June 12 and Aug. 7; 8 a.m. Oct. 2.

Parades — 6 p.m. June 25 and Sept. 17.

For drill down information, call Tech. Sgt. Malcolm Summers, 377-2103. For parade information, call Staff Sgt. Donald McNair, 377-9527.

House party

A UBU house party for nonprior service students is 8 p.m. June 26 at the Legends Café in Vandenberg Community Center.

Students may pick up a free UBU card at the event, or show their current card, and become eligible for prizes and giveaways.

The party is sponsored by AAFES and the Keesler Federal Credit Union.

Graduate degree

University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast now offers the adult education master's program at Keesler.

Four core courses, one per semester, are taught on base. The degree can be completed with online electives.

For more information, call 214-3444.

Services scholarships

The Air Force Club Membership Scholarship Program offers 25 \$1,000 scholarships to current Air Force club members in good standing and their family members — spouse, children, stepchildren and grandchildren who are dependents of the club members.

For an entry form and application requirements, log on to <http://www.afclubs.net>.

Entries must be submitted by July 1 to Glenn Jones, 505 C Street, Room 5423, Locker House, Building 3101.

CCAF program

The Community College of the Air Force's General Education Mobile is a partnership between CCAF and civilian academic institutions that offers clustered online general education courses to meet CCAF degree requirements.

For more information, call the education center, 376-8708 or 8710.

GI Bill benefits

Montgomery GI Bill benefits may be used in conjunction with tuition assistance.

For more information, call 376-8708.

Student health center

The student health center in the Levitow Training Support Facility is open 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday.

The front desk phone numbers are 376-0324 or 0325.

Honoring an Air Force icon



Photo by Kemberly Groue

Tech. Sgt. Ezra Khan, Airman Leadership School, and Staff Sgt. Darnell Samuel, 335th Training Squadron, fold the flag at a May 28 retreat ceremony honoring the first Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force Paul Airey. Chief Airey, who died March 11, was interred at Arlington National Cemetery that day.

'Tis the season

Three squadrons welcome new leaders next week

By Senior Airman Eric Summers

Keesler News staff

Three command changes are on next week's schedule for the 81st Training Wing.

81st Security Forces Squadron — 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Locker House Dragon's Lair. Capt. James Clark takes command from Capt. Jason Williams. Captain Clark was previously the chief of integrated defense and joint basing at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii. Captain Williams returns to his previous position as the squadron's operations officer.

81st Inpatient Operations Squadron — 11 a.m. Wednesday at Keesler Medical Center's

Wylie Auditorium. Col. Allison Plunk takes command from Col. Cassandra Salvatore. Colonel Plunk was deputy command nurse and chief of population health for the United States Air Force Europe surgeon general at Ramstein Air Base, Germany. Colonel Salvatore becomes the 81st Medical Group's chief nurse.

334th Training Squadron — 4 p.m. Wednesday at Welch Auditorium. Lt. Col. Michael Callender takes command from Lt. Col. S. Douglas Chowning. Colonel Callender was previously assigned to Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, as the 46th Operations Support Squadron's operations officer. Colonel Chowning will be a student at Naval War College.

IN THE NEWS

Gate construction continues

The White Avenue Gate, Keesler's main entrance from U.S. Highway 90, is closed until about Aug. 10 for denial barriers upgrades.

The Meadows Drive and Pass Road Gates are open 24/7 until construction is done. The City of Biloxi has converted the Forrest Avenue intersection at Meadows Drive to a three-way stop to accommodate the increased traffic flow to that gate. The Judge Sekul Avenue Gate is open 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. work days.

The visitor control center at the White Avenue Gate remains open, and once a pass is authorized, visitors are directed to one of the open gates. Commercial vehicles continue to use the commercial gate on the north side of the base next to Keesler Medical Center.

AETC 'family days'

Remaining "family days" for 2009 designated by Gen. Stephen Lorenz, commander of Air Education and Training command, are July 6, Nov. 27 and Dec. 28.

Cell phone restrictions for drivers

It's a primary offense to use a cell phone while driving on base without a hands-free device.

For military members, offenses are subject to citation for points, and for civilian employees, dependents, retirees and contractors, citations carry a fine.

For all offenders, driving privileges can be suspended for seven days for the first offense, 30 days for a second offense and one year for a third offense.

For more information, call the 81st Security Forces Squadron, 376-6600, or the wing safety office, 377-2007.

Off-limits establishments

Off-limits establishments for military members are the Blue Note Lounge, Boulevard Nightclub and Henry Beck Park (except during daylight hours or official events) in Biloxi; Bunksmall Apartments and H&H Hideaway in Pascagoula and Toni's Lounge in Moss Point.

Obstacle course off limits

The 334th Training Squadron combat control training obstacle course is fenced with a single point of entry and is off limits to unauthorized personnel.

The cyber security coordinator will be a member of the national security staff and will serve on the president's national economic council.

"To ensure that policies keep faith with our fundamental values, this office will also include an official with a portfolio specifically dedicated to safeguarding the privacy and civil liberties of the American people," President Obama said. "Clear milestones and performance metrics will measure progress."

The cyber infrastructure isn't limited to the federal government. The office will work with officials in state and local governments and international partners to combat cyber attacks, and also will work with the private sector to ensure an organized and unified response to future cyber incidents.

"Given the enormous damage that can be caused by even a single cyber

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but from a few keystrokes on the computer,
a weapon of mass disruption."

— President Obama

attack, ad hoc responses will not do," the president said. "Nor is it sufficient to simply strengthen our defenses after incidents or attacks occur. Just as we do for natural disasters, we have to have plans and resources in place beforehand, sharing information, issuing warnings and ensuring a coordinated response."

The problem is spreading. President Obama said cyber criminals launched attacks worldwide last year that cost consumers \$1 trillion.

America's economic prosperity in the 21st century will depend on cyber security, which also affects public safety and national security, the president said.

"We count on computer networks to deliver our oil and gas, our power and our water," he said.

Computers help run public transportation networks from the skies to subways, he noted, and hackers have launched attacks on electrical grids.

"Our technological advantage is a

key to America's military dominance, but our defense and military networks are under constant attacks," he said. "Al-Qaeda and other terrorist groups have spoken of their desire to unleash a cyber attack on our country, attacks that are harder to detect and harder to defend against. Indeed, in today's world, acts of terror could come not only from a few extremists in suicide vests, but from a few keystrokes on the computer, a weapon of mass disruption."

Part of the program is a national campaign to promote cyber security awareness and digital literacy. The effort also will be part of the president's initiative to build a digital work force for the 21st century.

"The task I have described will not be easy," he said. "Some 1.5 billion people around the world are already online, and more are logging on every day. Groups and governments are sharpening their cyber capabilities. Protecting our prosperity and security in this globalized world is going to be a long, difficult struggle, demanding patience and persistence over many years."

Deployment opportunities available for civilians

By Richard Salomon

Air Force Personnel Center Public Affairs

RANDOLPH Air Force Base, Texas —Whether it's helping Iraqis with reconstruction projects or assisting Afghans with their motor pools, Air Force officials rely

on its civilian workforce to help meet global mission requirements.

And the Air Force is not alone, as more than 1,100 Department of Defense civilians volunteered to fill 129 provincial reconstruction team positions in Iraq in 2007.

Although the deployment of civilians isn't a new concept, that show of support demonstrated to DOD officials the need to find more opportunities for civilians to deploy.

Air Force Secretary Michael Donley and Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Norton Schwartz released a memo March 8 outlining their vision for supporting DOD civilians to serve in global expeditionary positions through a program called the Civilian Expeditionary Workforce.

"Some civilians have never deployed and want to serve, while others have deployed while on active duty and miss the experiences and rewards that only a deployment can bring," said Maureen Rudell of the Air Force personnel readiness division at the Pentagon. "Civilians want to serve and be a part of the team, but haven't, until now, had the benefit of an integrated and organized process to volunteer."

That process begins with a visit to the Civilian Expeditionary Workforce Web site at <http://www.cpms.osd.mil/expeditionary/>. Once there, interested civilians can follow the

Air Force-specific procedures.

Members of the Air Force Personnel Center's program management support division serve as the lead in processing the civilian volunteer packages.

"We check the applicant's documents, which include a resume and a volunteer deployment statement, to make sure they are correct and complete," said Ronald Freund, the division's technical adviser.

Prospective volunteers can submit deployment packages for positions unrelated to their job requirements as long as their current positions aren't listed as emergency essential.

"Clearly, there are more opportunities for civilians to deploy including allowing them to fill military requirements in less hostile areas," Ms. Rudell said. "As the DOD mission continues to evolve and change, taking advantage of civilians' expertise will become increasingly important and will help them stay relevant in the workplace."

Bob Perry of Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., agreed. As chief of the project provisioning flight at the 412th Test Support Squadron, he helps

develop and train project managers who oversee flight test projects such as new weapon systems and other experimental flight-testing evaluations. In early 2007, he responded to the call for civilian volunteers in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and was assigned to an embedded provincial reconstruction team at Camp Liberty in Baghdad.

"Working on the flight test side at Edwards, I understood the importance of delivering warfighting capabilities on time and on budget," he said. "However, being deployed and depending on the reliability of those capabilities in real time gave me a whole new perspective on the meaning of what we do."

As the senior industrial adviser to the brigade commander, Mr. Perry and his team worked directly with the Iraqi government in providing centralized services, such as electrical power and critical construction support.

"I was able to see firsthand the results of our team's efforts," he said. "I encourage others who are offered the same opportunity to take advantage of it."

PERSONNEL NOTES

Immigration alert

Air Force Judge Advocate Newsline Service

Recently, two family members at RAF Lakenheath were denied entry to the United Kingdom and deported back to the U.S. within 24 hours of arrival.

All dependents, U.S. government civilians and Department of Defense sponsored contractors are subject to immigration control. If they're traveling to the United Kingdom for more than six months, they must first obtain an entry clearance visa.

First sergeants in demand

Air Force Personnel Center Public Affairs

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas — Air Force first sergeants are the eyes and ears of a unit and serve as the commander's link for all unit matters concerning enlisted members.

Air Force Instruction 36-2113 outlines the process to become a first sergeant:

Pass the annual fitness test

Have no negative quality-force indicators

Be an master sergeant upon attendance at the First Sergeant Academy

Complete Senior NCO Academy by correspondence or in residence

Have the ability to communicate clearly and effectively

Selection and approval is done through the member's immediate chain of command as well as the wing commander and command chief master sergeant.

For more information, talk to their first sergeant who can answer their basic questions about the career field and schedule a face-to-face meeting with the command chief master sergeant who determines his or her eligibility and fitness.

EQUAL Plus enhancements

81st Force Support Squadron

Airman Management System EQUAL Plus advertisements offer individuals the ability to volunteer for special assignments outside of the normal assignment cycles. Two enhancements have been recently added that add better visibility of volunteer status to customers.

First, a new AMS robot e-mail was created which will generate to an individual after they have volunteered for a particular EQUAL Plus job. This e-mail is sent to the e-mail address that the customer validates upon logging into AMS. The e-mail confirms the customer has volunteered for a particular EQUAL Plus job. If this action was done in error, step-by-step guidelines are provided to withdraw their volunteer status.

Second, another AMS robot e-mail generates to the customer via their AMS e-mail address. This email will generate after the assignment noncommissioned officer has selected the most qualified eligible individual for a particular EQUAL Plus job. The selected person receive an assignment notification, and individuals that aren't selected receive an e-mail notification so they can continue to review EQUAL Plus for other job opportunities. The e-mail won't identify specifics about not being selected, but is intended to release the member to volunteer for other EQUAL Plus job opportunities.

Members may only apply for one EQUAL Plus job at a time.

For more information, call career development, 376-8739.

Military personnel contacts

Military personnel section phone numbers:

Customer support — 376-8738.

Career development — 376-8739.

Force management — 376-8740.

Student personnel center — 377-4111.

Testing — 376-4111.

Identity theft
is a
personal nightmare
and security risk.
Shred bills,
statements, letters,
old journals, records,
outdated
application forms
and any documents
that contain
your full name,
Social Security number,
duty title
and job information,
credit card,
bank account numbers
and names of
family members.
If you see
documents
being removed
from trash cans,
call the
81st Security Forces
Squadron
law enforcement desk,
377-3040.

Volunteer — get connected.

New options available for accompanied Korea tours

By 2nd Lt. Gina Vaccaro McKeen

Air Force Personnel Center Public Affairs

RANDOLPH Air Force Base, Texas — Air Force members headed to certain locations in Korea now can request an accompanied tour and serve with their families for two or three years.

Current base facilities, such as housing, schools and support activities, will limit the number of Airmen authorized to serve the accompanied, command-sponsored tours initially. As the base infrastructure grows, the number of available command-sponsored positions will increase.

As an incentive, Airmen who elect to serve the accompanied 36-month tour will be eligible to receive Korea assignment incentive pay of \$300 per month during their tour. Airmen serving the unaccompanied tour also will be eligible to participate in the KAIP program if they elect to increase their tour length in Korea by at least 12 months.

“The increased tour length benefits Airmen and their families,” said Bill Warner, the Air Force Personnel Center’s assignment programs and procedures section chief. “The extended tour length provides family stability, improves continuity in the mission, enhances mission readiness and warfighter capabilities and strengthens U.S. relations with Korea.”

In addition, officials say the increased tour length is in line with other accompanied overseas tours and will reduce costs by moving families less often.

Airmen currently assigned to Osan Air Base, Seoul, Camp Humphreys and Yongsan AB who desire to serve an accompanied tour may request a CSP through their servicing military personnel section. If a CSP is available and offered, Airmen can then elect to serve either a 24 or 36-month tour with dependents.

The formal implementation date is June 2. Airmen with projected assignments to a location in Korea impacted by the tour length change will be offered the opportunity to participate in the new tour-length options.

All Airmen who receive an assignment to a location in Korea where the accompanied tour is an option may request a CSP and concurrent travel to bring their families with them at government expense. If an Airman is offered a CSP, he or she will have the option to choose a 24 or 36-month tour.

Airmen who elect the 36-month accompanied tour will receive long-tour credit as well as KAIP. Those who elect the 24-month tour will not receive incentive pay.

Additionally, officials announced long range plans to improve facilities and infrastructure at the various U.S. military facilities in Korea to increase their ability to support more families.

To view the updated policy or for more information visit AFPC’s “Ask” Web site and click on “Korea Tour Length Change” in the “Quick Links” section or visit the U.S. Forces Korea Web site.

Personal property shipment changes

Air Force News Service

SCOTT Air Force Base, Ill. — With nearly 200,000 permanent change of station moves expected in the approaching season, it is important for Department of Defense personnel to note several broad changes to the personal property shipment process.

The uniformed services began using the Defense Personal Property System to move DOD personal property last November, which drives the new Defense Personal Property Program, or DP3, formerly known as Families First.

“The more a service member or DOD civilian knows about the new program, the better their move will be. DP3 and DPS really put them in the driver’s seat,” said Lt. Col. Daniel Bradley, the deputy chief of staff for personal

property at Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command. “It allows them to manage, hands-on, their personal property move with improved information and access.”

DPS provides the capability to self-counsel online from any computer with Internet 24/7. Once PCS orders are in hand, members can estimate their household goods weight, enter relevant information, request pick-up and delivery dates, and let their prospective mover know of unique items that require special attention, all without going to a transportation office. Once their move is complete, they can file claims for damaged or missing items online as well.

A significant feature of the program is that service members have a direct voice in

determining the quality of movers they and their fellow service members receive. DPS captures the customer’s assessment of the move in a short 12-question customer satisfaction survey. Evaluation scores are used to rank moving companies, awarding top performing companies with more shipments.

Before beginning any household goods self-counseling in DPS, members should contact their Personal Property Shipping Office to determine if the type of shipment they have is eligible for movement in DPS.

A list of computer system requirements to access DPS is found on the front page at <http://www.move.mil>.

For more information, visit the same Web site under “DOD Customer.”

DRAGON OF THE WEEK

Name — Tech. Sgt. William Mays

Unit — 81st Training Wing

Position — exercise evaluation team deputy chief

Time in the Air Force — 18 years

Time at Keesler — six years

Noteworthy — I serve my Air Force and nation faithfully.

Hometown — Pastaskala, Ohio

Why did you join the Air Force? — to serve my country and serve in the first Gulf War

What are your short- and long-term goals — short-term, complete course requirements for a bachelor's degree in homeland security; long-term, to see my sons go to college.

What are your hobbies? all sorts of sports — softball, football, basket-



Photo by Kemberly Groue

ball, golf, fishing, volleyball.

What's your favorite quote? "As you have less and less people doing more

and more, eventually you will have nobody doing everything." — Col. Christopher Valle.

DIAMOND NOTES

For the Airman battle uniform hat, officers wear only subdued metal or sew on cloth rank.

For the battle dress uniform hat, officers may wear shiny metal rank when in garrison in addition to subdued metal or cloth rank.



Master Sgt. Ramoane Jordan, 81st Training Support Squadron first sergeant

MEMORABLE MOMENTS



June 10, 1974

Blake Fitness Center opened.



From left, Master Sgt. Lerry Forester, 81st Medical Support Squadron; Airman 1st Class Robert Tipton, 81st Medical Operations Squadron, and Staff Sgt. William Smitko, 81st MDSS, carry 10-year-old Cameron Arthur on a stretcher as they demonstrate self-aid and buddy care techniques during Saturday's Operation Hero. The program, hosted by the airman and family readiness center, introduces children to the deployment experience. Cameron's parents are Master Sgt. George and Laura Arthur, 81st Mission Support Group.



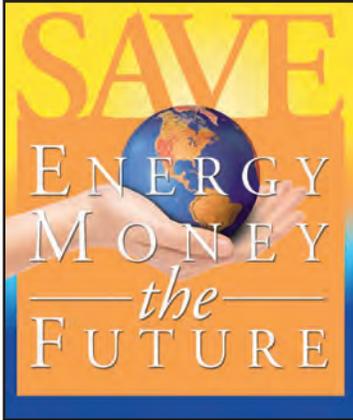
Keesler kids get introduction to deployment

Left, Young Dragons learn about gas masks, gear, and clothing items required at deployed locations.



Stephen English, 7, left, and his brother Joshua, 14, watch as Tech. Sgt. Michael Pedersen, 81st Security Forces Squadron, portrays a 'bad guy' to demonstrate the capabilities of Gino, his military working dog, and other canine cops in deployed situations. The boys are wearing T-shirts given to Operation Hero participants. Their parents are Tech. Sgt. Michael and Elldwinia English, 85th Engineering Installation Squadron.

Photos by Kemberly Groue



Exceptions to Keesler's

25 mph

speed limit:

15 mph

in housing areas,
flight line and
unpaved surfaces;

10 mph

in close proximity to
marching formations
and when waved through
base gates;

5 mph

in parking lots;

35 mph

in some sections of
perimeter roads.



Construction of the new post office on Meadows Drive is about 40 percent. The \$3,311,498 structure should be completed by February.



Post office progress

Welder Billy Sangster from Cheyenne Steel works on the perimeter angle of the post office's roof Monday. Roof decking is finished in preparation for installation of the roofing system. Structural steel erection is completed and rough-ins of the interior mechanical, plumbing and electrical systems have been initiated.

Photos by Kemberly Groue

Heat keeps rising for part-time job

By Steve Pivnick

81st Medical Group Public Affairs

Many Keesler people seek off-duty employment, but Lyle Crandall's after-hours job is really "hot."

Mr. Crandall, supervisor of the 81st Medical Operations Squadron Cardiopulmonary Phase II program, serves as chief of the Fort Bayou Volunteer Fire Department, located in the St. Martin community where he lives with his wife, Patti. And lately, he and the department have been extremely busy.

Recently, they have responded to a wildfire near Interstate 10, a toddler drowning, a fatal pickup truck accident on I-10 as well as two 18-wheeler mishaps on the interstate. One of the semi accidents even involved hazardous materials; the other was an earlier tractor-trailer fire just a quarter-mile from the hazmat site.

"I didn't get home until about 2:30 a.m. the next morning," he said recalling the April 21 hazmat incident.

Mr. Crandall, who retired from the Air Force as a master sergeant in 2001, has been with the Fort Bayou depart-



Mr. Crandall

ment since 1995, serving as chief for past three years.

"I got started volunteering in 1987 when I was stationed in North Dakota," he said. "I initially began as an EMT. I quickly learned that in volunteer fire departments, fire fighting and EMT work went hand-in-hand. Fire fighting came along 'by accident'; it wasn't my first intention."

Mr. Crandall was in charge of cardiology services at Keesler Medical Center when he retired with 20 years of service. He has been in his current position since 2002.



The Airman's Creed

*I am an
American Airman.
I am a warrior.
I have answered
my nation's call.*

*I am an
American Airman.
My mission is to
fly, fight, and win.
I am faithful
to a proud heritage,
A tradition
of honor,
And a legacy
of valor.*

*I am an
American Airman,
Guardian of
freedom and justice,
My nation's
sword and shield,
Its sentry
and avenger.
I defend
my country
with my life.*

*I am an
American Airman:
Wingman,
leader, warrior.
I will never leave
an Airman behind,
I will never falter,
And I will not fail.*

Road rage — recipe for disaster.

ENERGY AWARENESS

The Air Force is committed to energy efficiency. Everyone -- servicemembers, civilians and family members -- can help save energy and work toward a cleaner future. Here are some "Energy Facts" to think about:

- Each winter, the equivalent of all the oil in the Alaskan oil pipeline is lost as heat through American windows
- "Energy Star" makes a difference. Energy Star tagged appliances typically use 50 percent less energy than their older counterparts
- Every time an oven door is opened, 25-50 degrees of temperature is lost
- Each ton of recycled paper saves the energy equivalent of 380 barrels of oil
- Ceiling fans cost about \$2.40 a month to run 10 hours a day; they can reduce energy bills by \$10
- Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to run a television for three hours

WILD training

The Protestant Women of the Chapel host Women Intent on Leadership Development training, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday at the Triangle Chapel Annex with retired Col. Shirley Rogers.

For more information, call Val Housen, 447-3483.

Vacation Bible School

“Crocodile Dock” is the theme of Protestant Vacation Bible School, 9 a.m. to noon Monday through June 12 at the Triangle Chapel Annex.

For more information or to register, call 377-2520 or 0834.

Heartlink

Heartlink, a spouse information and orientation program funded by the Air Force Aid Society, is 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. June 18 at the airman and family readiness center.

Some child care is provided.

June 11 is the registration deadline.

For more information or to register, call Lana Smith, 376-8728, or email lane.smith@keesler.af.mil.

NAF property sale

A nonappropriated fund excess property sale is 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays in June in Building 4514 on M Street, across from main exchange.

The sale is open to all Department of Defense card holders.

Items available include assorted furniture, small appliances, televisions, mattresses and box springs.

Transactions are on a first-come, first-served cash and carry basis, and all items must be removed immediately.

Customers are responsible for loading their purchases into their vehicles.

For more information, call 377-0056.

Thrift shop hours

The Keesler Thrift Shop, in the former chapel building adjacent to Sablich Center, is open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.

Consignments are accepted 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays.

Donations are accepted during regular hours.

For more information, call 377-3217.

Travel medicine clinic

People planning international travel should visit the

travel medicine clinic at least one month before departure.

The clinic is in the allergy clinic in the medical center’s basement near the emergency department entrance.

For more information, call 376-3550.

Immunization clinic

Immunization clinic hours:

Immunizations — 7 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday; closed 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. compressed work schedule Fridays.

Allergy shots — 1-4 p.m.

Monday; 7:30-10:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

The clinic is closed from noon to 5 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month for training.

For more information, call 376-3553.



Dragons defeat downtowners in annual showdown

Left from left, Chris Hebert, playing for the Biloxi Bay Chamber of Commerce; Gary Schafer, 81st Force Support Squadron, playing for the Keesler team, and other golfers warm up Friday on the driving range for the annual Keesler vs. Biloxi Bay Chamber golf tournament at Sunkist Country Club. Keesler successfully defended its title, 36.5 to 26.5.

Right, Bill Bacon, 333rd Training Squadron, practices his putts.

Photos by Kemberly Groue



Full week of soccer; military women's international title competition begins

Bracket A	Bracket B
1. The Netherlands	1. Brazil
2. France	2. South Korea
3. Canada	3. USA
	4. Germany

Date	Time	Home	Visitor	Venue
6 Jun 09	1400-1600	USA (B3)	Germany (B4)	Biloxi High Stadium
	1600-1800	Netherlands (A1)	France (A2)	
	1800-2000	Brazil (B1)	Korea (B2)	
7 Jun 09	1400-1600	Germany (B4)	Brazil (B1)	Biloxi High Stadium
	1600-1800	France (A2)	Canada (A3)	
	1800-2000	Korea (B2)	USA (B3)	
9 Jun 09	1500-1700	Korea (B2)	Germany (B4)	Sportsplex (Gulfport)
	1500-1700	Brazil (B1)	USA (B3)	
	1700-1900	Netherlands (A1)	Canada (A3)	
11 Jun 09	1600-1800	Semi 1	Winner A	Biloxi High Stadium
	1800-2000	Semi 2	Winner B	
13 Jun 09	1000-1200 (Consolation Match)	5 th	6 th	Biloxi High Stadium
	1200-1400 (Bronze Medal Match)	Loser Semi 1	Loser Semi 2	
	1400-1600 (Gold Medal Match)	Winner Semi 1	Winner Semi 2	

Intramural softball Leaders of both leagues experience first losses

By Airman 1st Class David Salantri

Keesler Public Affairs

The dominating teams in both intramural softball leagues tasted defeat for the first time last week.

In the American League, the unbeaten 334th Training Squadron was handed its first loss, 6-3, May 27 by the Center for Naval Aviation Training Unit. This puts CNATTU's record above .500, 4-3, and drops the 334th TRS Gators' record to 6-1, only a half game ahead of the second place 335th TRS Red Wolves at 5-1.

In the National League, the previously undefeated 81st Civil Engineer Squadron fire department team fell to the 81st Diagnostics and Therapeutics Squadron, 12-9. This boosted the 81st MDTS record to 5-4, while the fire department holds on to first place in the league at 8-1.

This week's games are the last of the regular season for the National League, and next week is the last week of play for the American League before postseason playoffs begin. The format for playoffs is determined next week.

For scores, standings and schedules see Page 20.

**Be aware of
Mississippi's
summer swelter —
stay cool, stay hydrated.**

Bowling

Bowling fund raisers — for more information, call 377-2817.

Youth bowling — for any child old enough to throw the bowling ball down the alley. League meets 9:30 a.m. Saturdays; instruction available. For more information, call 377-2817.

Glow bowling — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesdays, \$1 per game and \$1 for shoes; 9 p.m. Fridays, 7 p.m. Saturdays, \$5.50 adults, \$3.50 ages 17 and younger, including shoes.

Lunch and bowl special — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays. Bowl for \$1 a game plus \$1 for shoes.

Team building special — 1-5 p.m. weekdays. Bring your employees bowling for \$1 a game plus shoe rental. For reservations, call 377-2817.

Club member special — show current club card Thursdays and bowl for \$1.50 per game; free shoe rental.

Birthday party package — 1:30-3 p.m. or 3:30-5 p.m. Saturdays. Basic party with bowling and food \$8.95 per child. Mid party, including table supply and T-shirt, \$11.95 per child. Premium party with games and a pin, \$15.95 per child. Reservations required.

Fitness centers

No smoking policy — in effect on Crotwell Track across from Blake Fitness Center.

Free fitness classes — boot camp, self-defense, cycling, yoga, step aerobics, circuit training, kick boxing and pilates at Dragon Fitness Center. For more information, call 377-2907.

Certified personal trainers — on staff at Blake, Dragon and Triangle Fitness Centers; free service.

Fit to fight incentive program — register at any Keesler fitness center for this ongoing program. Log miles accumulated on exercise machines that record miles, or by running, walking, biking or swimming. Prizes awarded for various milestones.

Parent/child fitness room — at Dragon Fitness Center. Workout equipment; play area for ages 6 months to 7 years.

Computerized fitness assessments, counseling — available by appointment at Dragon Fitness Center. To schedule, call 377-2907.

Massage appointments — at Triangle Fitness Center, call 348-6698.

Wall of Fame competition — June 12, Triangle Fitness Center. For details call 377-3056.

Triangle Fitness Center — open 10a.m. to 9 p.m. Mondays-working Fridays 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. compressed work schedule Fridays and weekends; closed holidays. For more information, call 377-3056.

Blake Fitness Center — open 4:30 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Mondays-working Fridays; 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. compressed work schedule Fridays; 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekends and holidays.

Dragon Fitness Center — 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays-working Fridays. Parent-child fitness room has workout equipment and play area for ages 6 months to 7 years.

Summer splashes



Photo by Kemberly Groue

Ann Schuett, spouse of Tech. Sgt. Carl Schuett, 81st Training Support Squadron, and their 7-year-old daughter, Ashley, enjoy a swim Monday at the Triangle Pool. For hours and information about pool passes and swimming lessons, see Happenings, Page A-1.

Golf

Intramural league

(as of May 29)

Team	Poi nts
334th TRS-A	22
81st FSS	18
81st TRSS	17
81st SFS	16
334th TRS-B	14
333rd TRS	12
336th TRS	10
MARDET-A	9
81st LRS	8
335th TRS	8
MARDET-B	6
81st MDSS	4
81st CS	0

For more information and schedule, call Sam Miller, 377-2444.

Other

Bay Breeze Club Championship — June 13-14. Individual stroke play and tee times by flight. \$55 for members, \$80 for non members. Cookout, refreshments and beverages both days. Sign up by Monday. Hole-in-one prizes: Hole 12, 2009 Pontiac G8; Hole 10, Atlantic City Trumps's golf links vacation; Hole 17, five-day/four-night Fairmont resort vacation; Hole 3, trip to Tour Academy in Florida.

Twilight special — 3 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays. Pay one price and golf until closing; E1-E4 \$12, E5-O3 \$20, O4-up \$22, guests \$22.

Nonprior service student special — show phase card or UBU card. Greens fee and cart, \$15 for 18 holes, \$10 for nine holes; add \$5 for rental clubs.

Free golf lessons for nonprior service students 4-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays; first come, first served. Maximum 10 per session; bring own clubs.

Golf lessons — \$25 for 30 minutes. For appointment, call 424-0479.

Outdoor recreation

Father's Day special — June 21. Free rod and reel rental for all fathers.

June fish of the month — weigh in the largest bass for the month and take home a \$100 savings bond; minimum 3 participants.

Canoes, kayaks — for rent.

Trip to Horn Island aboard the Keesler Dolphin — 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays following nonworking Fridays, weather permitting. \$30 including barbecue grill, charcoal and ice. Bring food, drinks, sunscreen and fishing equipment. Minimum 15 passengers. Group rates available. For more information, call 377-3160.

Rental campers — \$50 day. Two available; one sleeps six, one sleeps eight. For more information and towing requirements, call 377-3160.

Back Bay fishing trip — \$20 per person. State fishing license required; minimum four, maximum six people. For date and time, call 377-3160.

Camping special — 10 percent off No. 1 camping package with four-person tent, four sleeping bags, lantern, stove, ice chest and bow saw.

RV, boat and trailer storage — \$20 per month.

One-day fishing trips — to Horn, Ship or Cat Islands; pick the date. Charter trip in Delacroix and Reggio, La. with professional fishing guide. For more information, call 377-3160.

Delacroix, La. fishing site — two self-contained trailers for rent, \$50 per night. Maximum four per trailer. Bring linens and cooking utensils. Louisiana fishing license required.

Pontoon boat training — to rent a pontoon you must take a test and be certified. Call for information.

Nonprior service student special — 35000 Trek seven-speed bikes, \$5 day on nonworking Friday, Saturday and Sunday, or Saturday/Sunday.

Wet slip fees — monthly, boats more than 32 feet, \$3.75 per foot; less than 32 feet, \$2.50 per foot. Overnight, \$5 per boat.

Deep sea fishing trips — Fridays and Sundays on the Keesler Dolphin II. \$75 per person includes everything you need to fish. Payment due upon reservation. Minimum 10, maximum 22 people. For reservation, call 377-3160.

Deep sea fishing private charter — rent Dolphin II, \$750 for first 10 people, \$50 each additional person. No license needed. \$100 deposit required.

17-foot Back Bay cruiser for rent — Mississippi boater registration card required. For prices, call 377-3160.

Marina park pavilions — to reserve, call 377-3160.

Rent a bicycle — 3500 Trek, seven speed, \$3 a day, \$15 weekly, \$35 monthly.

Resale area — snacks, beverages, fishing and rental equipment, hunting and fishing licenses.

Paintball course — open by reservation only; for reservations or more information, call 377-3160.

Disk golf — distance, fairway, multi-purpose, putt and approach disks for sale or rent.

Softball

American League

(as of May 29)

Team	Won	Lost
334th TRS	6	1
335th TRS	5	1
81st DS	4	2
CNATTU	4	3
MARDET	3	3
81st SFS	2	3
81st TRSS-B	2	4
338th TRS-B	1	4
403rd Wing	0	6

First game listed plays on Triangle Field 4; second game on Field 5.

Monday — 6 p.m., MARDET vs. 403rd Wing and 81st DS vs. 81st SFS; 7 p.m., 81st TRSS-B vs. 334th TRS and 335th TRS vs. 338th TRS-B.

Wednesday — 6 p.m., 81st DS vs. 335th TRS and 335th TRS and 338th TRS-B vs. MARDET; 7 p.m., 81st SFS vs. 334th TRS and 81st TRSS-B and CNATTU.

May 27 — 338th TRS-B 8, 403rd Wing 6; CNATTU 6, 334th TRS 3; 81st DS 13, 81st TRSS-B 6; MARDET 13, 81st SFS 2.

National League

(as of May 29)

Team	Won	Lost
Fire department	8	1
336th TRS	8	2
81st CS-85th EIS	7	2
81st FSS-81st CPTS	6	4
81st MDSS	5	4
81st MDTS	5	5
332nd TRS	3	7
81st LRS	2	7
338th TRS-A	2	8
81st TRSS-A	2	8

First game listed plays on Triangle Field 4; second game on Field 5.

Today — 6 p.m., 81st CS/85th EIS vs. 336th TRS and 332nd TRS vs. 81st TRSS-A; 7 p.m., 81st FSS/CPTS vs. fire department and 81st LRS vs. 338th TRS-A; 8 p.m., 81st MDSS vs. 81st MDTS.

May 26 — 336th TRS 7, 332nd TRS 6; 81st LRS 16, 81st MDTS 5; 81st MDSS 8, 81st TRSS-A 5; 81st FSS/CPTS 14, 81st CS/85th EIS 12; fire department 12, 338th TRS-A 11.

May 28 — 332nd TRS 7, 81st MDSS 6; 336th TRS 15, 338th TRS-A 4; 81st CS/85th EIS 12, 81st LRS 2; 81st MDTS 12, fire department 9; 81st FSS/CPTS 10, 81st TRSS-A 9.

HONORS

Student honor roll

332nd Training Squadron

Electronic principles — Airmen Basic Brittany Armstrong, Jarrod Asfour, Daniel Barahona, Daniel Barry, Kyle Bedard, Michael Braham, Austin Brinton, Melissa Brooks, Antony Brown, David Brown, Logan Burchett, Benjamin Carrerio, Abraham Chadsey, Cody Child, Edward Coleman, Charles Cox, Eric Crowley, Markcoz Davis, Joseph Diprimeo, Alexander Doyle, Christopher Edwards, Jeffrey Edwards, Adam Farrington, David Floyd, Timothy Foster, Damian Gamboa, Jaime Gardiner, James Garland, Kristopher Gantenbein, Colin Gronning, Andrew Hall, Jonathan Hammitt, Andrew Horton, Michael Irvin, Cory Keaton, Joseph Kirby, Joshua Knight, Stephen Kraus, Robert Kusina, Sean Maceri, Scott MacKenzie, Raymond Maglunog, Brian Masterson, Laci McArter, Antoine McClellan, Andrew McLain, Davis Miller, Robert Mixen, Cody Moore, David Murphy, Mason Olah, Brock Padilla-Souza, Adam Parker, Kyle Pelletier, Cody Perschbacher, Alejandro Piedrahita, TJ Pollack, Sean Pogue, Eric Rew, Kevin Rhinehart, Kyle Robinson, Jesus Rodriguez, Joseph Scheef, Michael Sobocki, Ryan Stewart, Austen True, Joshua Weeks, Kevin Wesley, Jeremy Whitehead and Robin Williams; Airmen Jermaine Brandon, Cooper Burglund, Nicholas Cotter, Joshua Crawford, Kyle Jamieson, Roston Meade, Timothy Motley, Jeffrey Sales, Benjamin Spak, Philip Strever, Seth Wilkinson, Kevin Williams and Karl Wunderlich; Airmen 1st Class Alexander Acosta, Christina Anable, Ashley Anderson, Chase Brown, James Cherry, Mark Contreras, Joshua Craig, Jeremy Derby, Aaron Driver, Colin Dunaj, Zachary Eastland, Travis Englund, Colin Fagan, Rodger Fitch, Gregory Frank, Eric Fritcher, Max Gee, Daniel Groh, Christopher Harding, Kevin Harnett, Joshua Haydon, Madeline Herbst, Ryan Honeycutt, Bryant Horton, James Kane, Kyle Kirchem, Alan Kroth, Mark Lambert, Jonathan Lankford, Benjamin Laplante, Jose Martinez-Hernandez, Matthew McCain, Kyle McCormick, James McGuire, Jorge Ochoa, Zachariah Olson, Martin Ortiz-Cortez, Leif Paulin, Keith Peterson, Alexas Pickron, Kevin Quick, Joshua Rasch, Jason Rohrbaugh, Michael Saucier, Christopher Schrupp, Joshua Smith, Leonard Spomer, Jason Stark, London Steffensen, and Chance Watson; Senior Airmen Sivisko Agbemedi, Clayton Creamer, Reginald Dawson, Michael McKenna, Chad McNeal, Erik Munana, Robert Rovnak and Martin Slabbert; Staff Sgts. Ryan Baker, Keven Blackwell, Martin Cervantes, Travis Corriveau, Jeefrey Dorey, Christopher Farnsworth, Andrew Gilland, Brandon McClelland, Michael McCormick, Dennis Meyers, Joshua Morgenstern, Robert Murphy, Mark Pauldine, Travis Pfenninger, Joshua Phillips, Luis Reyes, Timothy Shockley, Jeremy Walker and Richel Zulueta; Tech. Sgts. Jonathan Eusebio and Christopher Riddle; Master Sgts. Hussain Aquili, Davis Head, Sean Rice, and AliEssa Atwi; Senior Master Sgt. TurkiAli Alshehri; Chief Master Sgt. AbdulelahSaad AlAteeq; Justin Wells.

Metrology basic course — Airmen Basic Jose Dejesus, Benjamin Lockwood and Samuel West; Airman 1st Class Brandy Robinson; Staff Sgt. Nicholas Leuschen.

334th TRS

Air traffic control operations training flight — Airmen Basic Sarah Clark, David Kellums, Kyle Land, Jesse Maierhoffer, Kyle Ryks, Jake Stanfield and James Supernault; Airmen Alan Novak, Jenny Torres-Foster and Casey Washington; Airmen 1st Class Christine Bowen, Habibah Douglas, Jannel Hamilton, Brian Lee, Jonathan Mahon, James Pugaczewski, Nathaniel Robie, Andrew Sarria, Paul Steel, Brooke Thompson, Thomas Valeich, Jake Wagner, Ryan Wolfe, Dorothy Zaloudek and Ashley Zinn; Senior Airmen Igors Grigorjevs and Matthew Scharf; Staff Sgt. Daniel Harper; Tech. Sgt. Isaac Cummings.

335th TRS

Comptroller training flight — Airmen Basic Antonio Frame, Sharde Hampton, Clinton McStott, Allen Orozco-Castaneda and Jared Vanwey; Airmen Scott Finley, Derek Kirkwood, Nathaniel Kirschman, Brett Steffen and Juan Villalpando; Airmen 1st Class David Ansay, Dustin Cochran, Justin Cornish, Stephen Halcomb, John Morin, Aston Nelson and Keith Patti; Staff Sgts. Brian Allen, Dequoia Edwards, Stanley Mar, Jesse Soderberg and Elena White; Master Sgt. William Box.

Weather training flight — Airmen Basic Alex Baldwin, Christopher Cole and Kyle Lever; Navy Airman Apprentice Nathanael Wade; Airmen Molly Frueh, Jesse Hagler and Sara Scofield; Airmen 1st Class Christopher Darling, Jeremy Dunn, Michelle Enderle, Tyler Franzen, Crystal Nunez and Sean Roth; Cpls. Patrick Burke, Xavier Foster and William Monroe; Staff Sgts. Gabriel Light and Shane Nelson; Tech. Sgt. Kodi Ingle; Coast Guard Chief Jeff Wenciker.

336th TRS

Communications-computer systems flight — Airmen Jesse Fulk, Ryan McLoughlin and Elvin Woodruff; Airmen Basic Terrance Caldwell, Bradley Dubuque, Joseph George, Michael Lacroix, Hein Le, Nicholas Liberty, Alex Matuszak, Austin Meeks, Cody Morton, Joshua Saindon, Scott Schneider, Brandon Shirley, David Tarsikes, Bryan Wartars, Richard Wojnowski and Michael Zimmer; Airmen 1st Class Vincent Ada, Michael Breen, Andrew Burick, Cortney Dailey, Nathan Johnsen, Matthew Laney, Alexander MacPhail, Rebecca Magalski, Genesis Moore, David Ogg, Matthew Roth, Christian Wentzel and Tycin Wood; Senior Airman Roland Fabella and Nicholas Jones; Staff Sgts. Heidi Bristol, Christopher Currin, Daniel Dorazio, William Fleming, Brian Gambrell, Munirih Gravelly, David Maillot and David Vechil; Tech. Sgt. Kristen Scott; Master Sgts. James Atchison and Christy Meier; Chief Master Sgt. Thomas Edmondson.

Communications and information management flight — Airmen Basic Erin Hoover, Ricardo Murdock and Latesha Oliver; Airman 1st Class Corby Washburn; Maj. Ibrahim Shatnawi.

338th TRS

Airfield systems — Airmen 1st Class Melissa Lafollette and Kyle Walden; Staff Sgt. Stephanie Smith.

Ground radar — Airman Basic Samuel Laird; Airmen Tyler Bagby and James Fong; Airmen 1st Class Richard Dale, Jona Green, Scott Kababik, Samuel Lee and Peter Sigmund; Senior Master Sgt. Byong Park.

Ground radio — Airmen Basic Jason Deam, Andrew Dickens, Derek Fulton, Adam Gerych, Shayne Immen, Heather Iverson, Dallas Johnson, Robert Jones, Christopher McDowell, Crystal Mendoza, Marcus Moss, Tyler Starkey and Richard Synger; Airmen Sean Johnson, Zachary Kusiak, Charles Lupica, Dallas Maltby, Gregory Miller and Charles Potter; Airmen 1st Class Rosie Gumbs, Matthew Kelly, Eric Sanborn and Hart Weber; Staff Sgt. Kareem Pitts; Tech. Sgt. David Winston.

CHAPEL SERVICES

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2520.

Protestant

Sunday worship

Larcher Chapel traditional with children's ministry.....8:30 a.m.
Triangle Chapel contemporary service.....10:30 a.m.
Triangle Chapel gospel service.....Noon

Roman Catholic

Sunday Mass

Triangle Chapel.....9 a.m.
Weekday Mass
Triangle Chapel.....11:15 a.m.

Jewish

For worship opportunities, call Master Sgt. Michael Raff, 377-5235 or 273-2226.

Islamic

Building 2003 — prayer five times daily; Salaat ul-Jummah congregational prayer, noon Friday.

For more information, call 377-2520 or 0327.

Latter-Day Saints

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints — student group service, 2 p.m. Sundays, Triangle Chapel. For more information, call 396-5274 or 801-787-1990.

CLASSES

Airman Leadership School

Class 09-5 — graduation July 9.

Mathies NCO Academy

Class 09-5 — graduation July 9.

Arts and crafts center

Tailgate flea markets — Saturdays. Set up at 8 a.m., sales are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tables \$15 on day of sale. Register by 4 p.m. Fridays and pay \$10 and get a parking space.

Summer arts youth camp — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. \$25 including all materials. Tuesday through June 11, trash to treasures art from recyclables; June 16-18, woodworking; June 23-25, scrapbooking and card making; July 7-9, make beach bags and sand art; July 14-16, make wind chimes; July 21-23, woodworking; July 28-30, scrapbooking and card making.

Father's Day personalized card making — 5:30-7 p.m. today. \$5 per person.

Jewelry making — 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday and June 18 and 20. \$25 including materials. Learn wire wrapping and tooling.

Bob Ross painting — 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 13 and 27. Wet on wet painting technique on a 16x20-inch canvas. \$65 including supplies and light refreshments.

Birthday personalized card making — 5:30-7 p.m. June 18. \$7 per person.

Scrapbooking — 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. June 20. \$20 including materials.

Pottery — June 20. \$40 including instruction and supplies. Call for time.

Beginning intarsia woodworking — 10 a.m. Saturday and June 20. \$15 including materials. Intarsia is the art of piecing wood in a decorative pattern.

Advanced intarsia woodworking — 10 a.m. June 13 and 27. \$20 including materials and tool use.

Beginning woodworking — 5-7 p.m. Wednesdays. \$25 including shop use and materials. This class will certify you to use the equipment in the future.

Framing — 12:30-4 p.m. June 12 and 26. \$30 including materials. Bring your favorite photograph or art work no larger than 11x14 inches

Thursday crafting — 5-7:30 p.m. crafting pleasure, painting, pottery, scrapbooking.

Multi-crafts center — potter's wheels, ceramic molds, air brushing and tools are available for use in the shop. Craft classes for beginners, intermediate and advance levels. Craft supplies for sale.

Engraving shop — squadron, office and individual orders.

Wood shop — stocked retail lumber and a large assembly area adjacent to the machine room are available. Call for information on beginners and advanced woodworking classes.

Auto hobby shop

For open shop use, call 377-3872.

Stalls and lifts — indoor and outdoor available.

Collection site — for privately owned vehicle oil, antifreeze, transmission and brake fluids; no tires or batteries.

Vehicle storage lot — call 377-3872.

Car care — 24-hour coin-operated car wash, vacuum and tire air pump; features foamy brush wash, high pressure rinse, wax system, towelettes and Armorall and a vacuum station.

Vehicle resale lot

One block west of Larcher Boulevard on Tingle Street, north of 81st Security Forces Squadron; register at multi-craft shop, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. Registration, license and proof of insurance required. \$10 per month per stall for regular vehicles, \$20 per month for recreation vehicles and boats.

Chapel

All classes are held at the Triangle Chapel Annex. For more information, call 377-2520.

Catholic religious education — after 9 a.m. Sunday Mass.

Protestant Sunday School — 10:30-11:30 a.m. for preschool, elementary, teens and adults.

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Men's prayer breakfast — 9 a.m. to noon second Saturday of the month.

Women's prayer breakfast — 10 a.m. to noon first Saturday of the month.

Dinner and the Bible — 6-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Triangle Chapel Annex.

Keesler Medical Center

Dads 101 — 7:30-10:30 a.m. Friday, Arnold Annex conference room; to register, call 376-3457 or 3459. This class for expectant fathers is designed to teach baby "basics" such as diapering, feeding and bathing and to discuss concerns, fears or expectations about fatherhood. Class recognizes that a father's bonding with his newborn and involvement in child rearing has profound influence on the child's development.

1-2-3 Magic Effective Discipline for Kids — 10:30 to noon Tuesdays through June 30 in Arnold Annex conference room. Intended for parents of children ages 2-12, the program presents a humorous look at parenting and a serious look at discipline. The program is presented by family advocacy. To register, call 376-3457 or 3459 or e-mail paula.tracy@keesler.af.mil

Pediatric subspecialty clinic

Baby Boot Camp — 11 a.m.-1 p.m. second Thursday of the month in conference room BF 400, located off the outpatient clinic entrance. Classes cover infants from birth to 6 months of age. Classes address common concerns of new parents such as booking appointments, colic, immunizations, safety, feeding issues, developmental milestones, dental care and infant cardiopulmonary resuscitation. Gifts, prizes and refreshments are included. Classes open to members of all branches of the military and their dependents. To sign up, call Capt. Romeatrius Moss, 376-5375. For more information, call Capt. Moss, Maj. Muriel Gatlin, 376-5387, or Staff Sgt. Jihan Brown, 376-5579.

Mental health clinic

Post-traumatic stress disorder — 1:30 p.m. Mondays.

Healthy thinking — 2 p.m. Tuesdays.

Stress management techniques — 10 a.m. Wednesdays.

Relaxation techniques — 9 a.m. Mondays.

To register, call 376-0385

McBride Library

Student research help — 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Basic information on Ebsco and Gale Group.

Playaway — first self-playing digital audio books now available. Audio content already preloaded. Select from large assortment of titles. Pop in a battery, plug in almost any type of headset and enjoy.

Overdrive audio online book program — individual or family accounts can be set up to allow download/playing of full length audio books on a personal computer. Check with library staff for details.

Rosetta Stone online language learning center — 30 foreign languages including Spanish. For more information, check with the library staff.

Chief of Staff professional military reading list — titles available for checkout from the special book collection.

Online catalog — to search the inventory of books, DVDs, CDs, videotapes, magazines, periodicals and more, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us>, click on the link for McBride Library, then the link for the online catalog.

Available — two large meeting rooms, audio room, typing room and children's library.

Free wireless Internet — check at circulation desk.

Tours/orientations — call 377-2604.

Paperback book swap — swap one for one. Must be in good condition and of same genre.

CLUBS AND CENTERS

Vandenberg Community Center

Editor's note: All events, except dances, are open to all Keesler personnel.

Legends Café — open 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, 5-9 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays and 5-11 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Pool tournaments — 6 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays.

Dances — 6 p.m. to midnight Thursdays before compressed work schedule Fridays, and Fridays and Saturdays. \$3.

Movie nights — 7 p.m. Wednesday; free popcorn.

Katrina Kantina

All ranks invited — open 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Fridays. Snacks, beverages and music.

Luncheon specials — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays; \$6 members, \$8 nonmembers. For more information, call 377-2219.

Tuesday special — 5 p.m., red beans and rice, \$1 bowl.

Catering — experts can assist with planning weddings, holidays, birthdays, official functions and other special occasions.

Youth center

Editor's note: All children registered in a youth center program receive free membership.

Red Cross babysitting course — 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 27, ages 11-15. \$45 payable at registration no later than June 11. Maximum 10 participants.

School-age and teen camps — through Aug. 7. Registrations continue until camps are full for each week.

Blast from the past family dance — 6-8 p.m. June 11. \$5 for adults, free for children. Music and dances from the 50s and 60s. Food and dance instruction. Dress for the theme and be considered for prizes. Preregistration appreciated.

Open recreation — 3-6 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays. Boys and Girls Club programs, sports and recreation activities, arts and craft projects and more. Children sign themselves up at the front desk.

Military home schoolers — meet weekly. For more information, call 377-4116.

Classes — gymnastics 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays; ages 3 and older. Guitar, ages 6 and older, by appointment only. Both classes are \$50 per month. To register, call 377-4116.

Open recreation — 3-7 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays, 3-6 p.m. Fridays and 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays, ages 9 and older. Boys and Girls Club programs including computer media center, homework assistance "Power Hour" program, and triple-play sports and recreation activities. Students sign themselves in at the front desk.

Keystone Club — 6 p.m. Mondays for teens.

Youth employment service — earn money for college tuition; call for more information.

Congressional Award program — ages 14-21; self-directed merit program promoting personal development, physical fitness and community involvement.

Volunteers needed — for sports, open recreation, crafts, cooking, computers, arts, reading, sewing and general cleaning and decorations. Must be 18 or older. For more information, call 377-4116.

Commissioners and coaches needed — for youth sports. For more information, call 377-4116.

Shuttle service — parents interested in a shuttle service for ages 9 and older for Biloxi area schools and base housing to youth center, sign up at the center as soon as possible.

TICKETS AND TRIPS

Discounted tickets — for information, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on the ITT link.

Information on area and out-of-state attractions — free brochures for Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida and Georgia.

Disney special continues — Salute to Military program continues. Order tickets now. For more information, call 377-3818.

TRANSITIONS

Workshops, briefings

Congressionally-mandated pre-separation briefings — counseling by airman and family readiness center for active-duty military members of any branch of service who'll receive honorable discharges and no extra transition benefits. Briefings are Tuesdays in Room 111, Sablich Center, 1 p.m. for those who are separating and 2:30 p.m. for those who are retiring. If separating/retiring under special circumstances, call 376-8728 for appointment.

Transition assistance program — briefings are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through June 8, July 13-16, Aug. 10-13, Sept. 14-17, Oct. 19-22, Nov. 16-19 and Dec. 14-17, Room 108A, Sablich Center. For military personnel who are 12 months or less from separation or 24 months or less from retirement, and Department of Defense civilians; spouses welcome. Military members should

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DINING HALL MENUS

Today

Lunch — roast pork loin, jaegerschnitzel veal, chicken cordon bleu, potato halves, orange rice, gravy, carrots, pinto beans, corn combo, fruit salad, potato salad, cream of broccoli soup, chicken and wild rice soup, chili, cannonball sandwich and Italian pepper beef sandwich.

Dinner — herbed baked chicken, beef and noodles, fried catfish, blackeyed peas, rice, mashed potatoes, gravy, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, peas, fruit salad, potato salad, cream of broccoli soup, cheeseburger soup, frontier chicken chili, cannonball sandwich and Italian pepper beef sandwich.

Friday

Lunch — lasagna, spaghetti with meat sauce, chicken cacciatore, rice, gravy, broccoli, cauliflower, Italian baked beans, corn O'Brien, pasta salad, three-bean salad, chicken with wild rice soup, onion soup, chili, barbecue pork sandwiches and burritos.

Dinner — Mexican baked chicken, country-style steak, stuffed peppers, macaroni and cheese, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn on the cob, beans, Spanish beans, peas and carrots, pasta salad, three-bean salad, chicken with wild rice soup, onion soup, chili, barbecue pork sandwiches and burritos.

Saturday

Lunch — fish almondine, stir-fry chicken with broccoli, pork chops, rissole potatoes, rice pilaf, gravy, calico corn, club spinach, fried okra, fruit medley, kidney bean salad, clam chowder, tomato florentine soup, chicken frontier chili and buffalo wings.

Dinner — baked chicken, beef yakisoba, canned ham, baked potatoes, rice pilaf, gravy, broccoli, peas, carrots, fruit medley, kidney bean salad, raisin sauce, clam chowder, tomato florentine soup and buffalo wings.

Sunday

Lunch — ginger barbecue chicken, fried shrimp, beef manicotti, potato wedges, mashed potatoes, gravy, black-eyed peas, collard greens, corn O'Brien, tomato salad, German coleslaw, cheesy chicken tortilla soup, baked potato chowder, chili and cheese pizza.

Dinner — baked fish, sauerbraten, chicken breast parmesan, au gratin potatoes, egg noodles, gravy, cauliflower combo, mixed vegetables, fried cabbage, tomato salad, German coleslaw, cheesy chicken tortilla soup, baked potato chowder, chili and cheese pizza.

Monday

Lunch — turkey, ribeye steak, tempura fish, mashed potatoes, cornbread dressing, gravy, succotash, tempura vegetables, green beans, garden cottage cheese salad, macaroni salad, chicken dumpling soup, minestrone, chili with beans, cannonball sandwich and chicken nuggets.

Dinner — Swiss steak, baked chicken, sausage, peppers and onions, rice, mashed potatoes, gravy, broccoli, carrots, cucumber and onion salad, macaroni salad, chicken dumplings soup, minestrone, chili with beans, cannonball sandwich and chicken nuggets.

Tuesday

Lunch — roast pork loin, barbecue beef cubes, chicken fajitas, O'Brien potatoes, rice, gravy, cauliflower, corn on the cob, lima beans, waldorf salad, frontier chicken chili, beef pot roast soup, vegetable soup, steak and cheese subs and tacos.

Dinner — lemon garlic fish, pork schnitzel steak, beef and yakisoba, ginger rice, mashed potatoes, gravy, pinto beans, spinach, squash, spinach salad, waldorf salad, frontier chicken chili, beef pot roast soup, vegetable soup, steak and cheese subs and tacos.

Wednesday

Lunch — Chinese five-spice chicken, beef and broccoli stir fry, Cantonese spareribs, vegetable egg rolls, shrimp fried rice, stir fry vegetables, chow mein noodles, fried cabbage, chicken gravy, lemon sesame green beans, Mexican coleslaw, pasta fagioli soup, vegetarian chili, cheese fishwich and pizza.

Dinner — spaghetti with meat sauce, Swiss steak, fried chicken, rice, mashed potatoes, gravy, fried cauliflower, asparagus, simmered cabbage, coleslaw, country style tomatoes, chicken noodle soup, potato soup, chili with beans, cheese fishwich and cheese pizza.

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complete congressionally-mandated pre-separation counseling in advance. Attire is business casual — no uniforms, jeans, shorts or T-shirts. To sign up, call 376-8728.

Air Force Reserve opportunities — for members separating within 180 days, call Master Sgt. Charlene Morse, 377-7116; e-mail charlene.morse@keesler.af.mil or visit Room 125-F, Sablich Center.

Palace Chase — for information about how to apply for a program to attend college full time and work part time, visit Room 125-F, Sablich Center. For more information, call Master Sgt. Charlene Morse, 377-7116; e-mail charlene.morse@keesler.af.mil or visit Room 130, Sablich Center.

Employment opportunities

Career focus program for spouses — information on area employment opportunities, job Web sites, human resources contacts, temporary jobs, on-base listings and free training programs. Computer lab available for resume preparation or job search in Room 108B, Sablich Center. For an appointment, call 376-8728.

Junior ROTC — immediate employment opportunities for retired or retiring Air Force officers and noncommissioned officers. Those who retired within the past 10 years or are six months from retirement may qualify to be an instructor. To apply or for more information, go to <http://www.afaots.af.mil> and select "AFJROTC" or call Jo Alice Talley, toll free 1-866-235-7682, extension 7742; DSN 493-7742, or commercial (334) 953-7742.

Air Force Office of Special Investigations — senior airmen with less than six years time in service, and staff and technical sergeants with less than 12 years time in service are eligible. Foreign language, computer or technical skills are desired, but not required. Those accepted attend the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center in Brunswick, Ga. for training in instruction in law, report writing, forensics, interview techniques, firearms and defensive tactics and other subjects related to the challenges of investigative duty. For more information on applying, contact AFOSI Detachment 407, 377-3420.

MEETINGS

African-American Heritage Committee — 3:30 p.m. second Tuesday of the month, Room 109, Taylor Logistics Building. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Yolanda Jerry, 377-2157, or Kurt Higgins, 377-5250.

Air Force Sergeants Association Chapter 652 — 4 p.m. third Tuesday of the month, Katrina Kantina. For more information, call Staff Sgt. Rich Striggow, 377-4800, or visit the group's Web site, <http://www.afsa652.org>.

Air Force Sergeants Association Auxiliary — 6 p.m. third Tuesday of the month. For more information, call Michelle Foster, 273-4591, or e-mail auxiliary.president@afsa652.org.

Airmen Against Drunk Driving — For more information, call Staff Sgt. Aaron Eden, 377-1907; Staff Sgt. Brad Mills, 377-1714, or 377-SAVE.

Asian Pacific-American Heritage Committee — 11:30 a.m. first Wednesday of month, Room 111, Sablich Center. For more information, call Lucy Belles, 376-8500, or Master Sgt. Ernesto Alvendia, 376-8501.

At Eze Toastmasters Club — 11 a.m. Tuesdays, Building 1101 conference room. For more information, call Dewi Clark, 377-2714 or e-mail dewi.clark2@keesler.af.mil; Arleen Stewart, 377-2440, or visit <http://www.toastmasters.org>.

Blacks in Government — 5:15 p.m. second Thursday of the month, Taylor Logistics Building conference room. For more information call Florence Clay, 377-8681, or Paulette Powell, 377-2270.

Civil Air Patrol Col. Berta A. Edge Composite Squadron — 7 p.m. Tuesdays upstairs in Hangar 3 for youth and adults. For more information, call 1-601-528-4337, e-mail Camoprincess92@gmail.com or visit <http://www.keeslercap.org>.

Company grade officers council — meets first Wednesday of the month. For time and location, call 1st Lt. Stephanie Lutz, 377-8638.

Keesler 5.6 — 3:15 p.m. third Wednesday of the month; location varies. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Kimberly Sturdivant, 377-1813.

Keesler Amateur Radio Club — Net with news-line and echo-link is held Wednesdays on 146.79, minus offset, no PL tone. Monthly meeting is 7 p.m. second Monday of the Month at Locker House facility. Enter courtyard on left side of building as you face the front of it. Enter the door marked "T flight" and proceed straight ahead until you see a sign saying "K5TYP."

Keesler Christian Home Educators Association — 7-9 p.m. second Tuesday of the month, September-May, Larcher Chapel. For more information, call Heather Melancon, 831-8895.

Keesler Spouses Club — second Tuesday of the month. For time and place, call Leanne Ramsay, 377-3217, or visit <http://www.KeeslerSpousesClub.com>.

Retired Enlisted Association Magnolia Chapter 81 — 6:30 p.m. second Thursday of the month, Vandenberg Community Center. For more information, call Larry McKean, 377-3252 or 374-5922.

Top III — 3 p.m. third Thursday of the month, Katrina Kantina. For more information, call Master Sgt. Michael Krejci, 377-4451.

Tuskegee Airmen Inc., Col. Lawrence E. Roberts Chapter — 5 p.m. first Thursday of the month, McBride Library. For more information, call Glenda Mosby, 243-1992, gmosby1@bellsouth.net, or Charles Bowers, 860-3665.

MISCELLANEOUS

Movies

Editor's note: Movies are shown at Welch Auditorium. Tickets are \$3 adults and \$1.50 children for regular features, and \$2.50 adults and \$1 children for matinees. For recording about current features, call 377-6627.

Friday — 6:30 p.m., Fighting (PG-13).

Saturday — 2 p.m., 17 Again (PG-13); 6:30 p.m., Crank High Voltage (R).

Sunday — 1 p.m., State of Play (PG-13).

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Keesler offers campers home away from home

By Earlene Smith

81st Force Support Squadron

Keesler's family campground is located in Biloxi off Atkinson Road, about four miles west of the base to the rear of the Thrower Park housing area.

There, nestled among pine and oak trees, are 52 sites for recreational vehicles. The camp has a quiet, homey atmosphere. It's not unusual to see flowers and plants in the yards, a cat asleep on a lawn chair, or groups gathered to chat or share a beverage.

Operated by outdoor recreation, this popular RV park is open 24/7 to all active duty and retired military, military dependents, reservists and Department of Defense civilians. Guests of eligible users may stay at the park for up to 14 days with prior approval.

Three years ago, Robert and Millie Griffin came to Keesler to visit their son. Their plan was to stay at the campground for about three days. Three years later they're still here. Along with Joe Clark, they serve as host campers welcoming visitors with a friendly smile, assigning available sites, and sharing a wealth of information



Photo by Earlene Smith

There are 52 camp sites, available first come, first served, at Keesler's family camp ground.

about Keesler and the surrounding community.

Use of the fam camp is first come, first served. No reservations are accepted.

Fees are some of the best around. Campers can stay for \$20 a day, \$120 a week or \$350 a month for up to six months.

The monthly fee is a definite lure for snow birds, according to Ms. Griffin.

"We've had people from as far away as Alaska arrive in October and leave in April," she said. "It's like having a winter home, and many of them return year after year."

In addition to the regulars,

a recent visit to the area found customers who are making a permanent change of station, some who are on temporary duty at Keesler, and medical patients with appointments at the Keesler or Veterans Affairs Medical Centers.

"All of our sites have water, electricity and sewage, and 41 of the sites have cable," Ms. Griffin said. "We also have a few overflow areas with only water and electricity provided."

Amenities at the fam-camp include an information center, two bath houses and a laundry room with five washers

and dryers. Customers can receive their mail at the park — a service seldom found at other sites — and if their mail arrives after they leave, the hosts are happy to forward it to their new address.

Right down the street is Biloxi's Hiller Park with its many recreation areas.

Although the camp is open 24/7, office hours at the site are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays-Fridays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Campers who arrive after office hours can't miss the large sign prominently displayed in the window of the information building identifying available camp sites and where they're located. They just pull in, park and take care of business the next day.

"With an average occupancy rate of 95 percent, we stay pretty busy," Ms. Griffin noted. But, as busy as we are, I can't remember a time we've had to turn anyone away. We're always able to find room for one more."

For more information on the fam camp, call the hosts, 594-0543, or outdoor recreation, 377-3160.

Triangle Pool now open

Editor's note: Due to an equipment malfunction, Keesler's main base pool will not open until further notice.

Hours

Open daily noon to 7 p.m. Lap swimming available regular hours and 11 a.m. to noon for adults only. Closed Wednesdays for cleaning.

Pool passes

Daily \$1.50, single season \$20, family season \$60 (three or more) and free for ages 5 and younger, no pass required. Passes may be purchased at the pool and outdoor recreation. Individuals purchasing seasonal passes are responsible for lost passes, which can be replaced by re-purchase.

Swimming lessons

Morning and evening classes are available Tuesdays-Fridays for ages 5 and older. Parent/child aquatics are available for children age 6 months to 5 years. Fees are \$20 for the first child and \$15 for each additional child. Sessions are June 16-26, July 7-17, and July 21-31.

For more information, call 377-3160 or 3568.

NAF Sale

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays through June at the consolidated warehouse, Building 4514 on M Street, across from main exchange.

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11TH FRAME CAFÉ

Editor's note: Located inside Gaudé Lanes Bowling Center, 377-2036. Contractors welcome. Menu is subject to change without notice.

Breakfast — 6:30-10:30 a.m. Mondays-Fridays. Try our \$6 breakfast special.

Kingpin daily specials \$6.95 — served 10:30 a.m. until we run out Mondays-work Fridays. Different menu daily. Call-in orders accepted 10-11 a.m.

Punch card — pick one up next time you visit. Purchase nine combos or Kingpin daily specials and your tenth is free.

BAY BREEZE GOLF COURSE

Editor's note: For more information or tee time, call 377-3832.

Open play — 18 hole, par 71 course. For fees, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on the Bay Breeze link.

Driving range — daily 7 a.m. to dusk. \$2 for 40 balls.

Pro shop — gloves, golf balls, tees, gift certificates and more.

Golf lessons — \$25 for a half hour of instruction.

Twilight special — 3 p.m. Monday-Thursday pay one price and golf until closing. E1-E4,\$12; E5-O3, \$20; O4 and up, \$22; and guests \$22.

“UBU” nonprior service students special — \$15 for 18 holes or \$10 for nine holes includes greens fee and cart; \$20 for 18 holes or \$15 for nine holes includes greens fee, cart, and rental clubs.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2211. School age children go to the Youth Center, call 377-4116.

Give parents a break — 4-10 p.m. Saturday. Air Force Aid program offers free child care at the child development center for Air Force families who are referred by base helping agencies such as the Airman and Family Readiness Center, and Family Advocacy, as well as first sergeants, commanders and chaplains. Certificates must be coordinated through Airman and Family Readiness Center, 377-2179.

DINING FACILITIES

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2200.

Wondering what's on the menu today? — Call the Dine Line at 377-DINE (3463) for daily menu.

Monthly birthday celebration — 5 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month for all nonprior service students, permanent party enlisted, and essential station messing members. Reservations must be made in advance by the 25th of the previous month; call 377-3854. Personnel collecting basic allowance for subsistence must pay cash and surcharge.

FITNESS

“Wall of Fame” competition — June 12 at Triangle Fitness Center. For details, call 377-3056.

Free professional certified personal trainers — on staff at Blake, Dragon and Triangle Fitness Centers.

Fit to fight incentive program — Register at any of the three fitness centers. Log miles throughout the year. Win prizes for 100, 500 and 1000 miles logged.

Free fitness classes at Dragon Fitness Center — for class descriptions and schedule, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on the link for fitness centers, or call 377-2907.

Computerized fitness assessments and counseling — by appointment at Dragon Fitness Center, 377-2907 or 377-4409.

Parent/child fitness room — at Dragon Fitness Center. Workout equipment. Play area for ages 6 months to 7 years. Children must be supervised at all times.

Massage therapist — by appointment only at Triangle Fitness Center. To schedule, call (228) 348-6698.

No smoking policy — No smoking is allowed on Crowell Track across from Blake Fitness Center.

HELP WANTED

Editor's note: For more information, call 376-8282.

Nonappropriated Fund jobs — apply Mondays-work Fridays 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Human Resource Office inside Sablich Center, 500 Fisher St., Room 211. For current job openings, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us>, click on Human Resource Office or call the 24-hour job line at 377-9055.

INFORMATION, TICKETS AND TOURS

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-3818.

Tickets — discounted tickets available to major attractions in three-state area. For a complete list of ticket prices, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on the link for ITT.

Tour bus — available for group rental, seats 23.

Free Disney World tickets — stop by, call or log on for more information.

INNS OF KEESLER

Editor's note: For reservations and lodging information, call 377-4900 or 9986. For the mini-mart, call 377-2752.

Rooms available — “Space-Available” reservations can be made 24 hours in advance. Rooms offered are visiting airmen's quarters \$23.25 with a queen bed, refrigerator, microwave and shared bathroom; visitor's quarters \$27 with a queen bed, refrigerator, microwave and private bathroom; and temporary lodging facility (TLF) \$41.50 for one and two bedroom family units with full kitchen. Pet TLFs available for an additional \$10 per night.

Mini-mart — open 24 hours, seven days a week inside Muse Manor. Snacks, drinks, health/hygiene items available.

GAUDÉ LANES BOWLING CENTER

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2817. Bumpers are available on 19 lanes by reservation for ages 10 and younger.

Youth bowling — any child old enough to throw the bowling ball down the alley is eligible to participate. League meets at 9:30 a.m. Saturdays. Instruction is available.

Wing logo shirts — \$22 in the pro shop.

Bowl at lunch — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays. \$1 per game; \$1 for shoes. Tuesdays feature glow bowling.

Club member special — Thursdays. Show your current club card and bowl for \$1.50 with free shoe rental.

Team building — 1-5 p.m. Mondays-Fridays. Bring your employees bowling for \$1 a game plus shoe rental. Call to reserve.

Open bowling — limited on league days; first come, first served. Reservations accepted for groups of 20 or more.

Glow bowling — 9 p.m. Fridays and 7 p.m. Saturdays.

Birthday parties — 1:30-3 p.m. or 3:30-5 p.m. Saturdays. Choose one of three packages, the birthday child is free. Basic party, \$8.95 per child, includes bowling, and food for each child. Mid party, \$11.95 per child, includes bowling, food for each child, table supplies and T-shirt for the birthday child. Premium party, \$15.95 per child, includes bowling, food and games for each child, table supplies and a T-shirt and bowling pin for the birthday child. Reservations are required two weeks in advance.

Nonprior service students specials — show your UBU card and bowl for \$1.50 per game any time, shoes included.

Plan a fund raiser — make money for your organization and have fun doing it.

KATRINA KANTINA

Editor's note: Located in the marina building overlooking Biloxi's Bay. Contractors welcome. For more information, call 377-2219.

All ranks invited — snacks, beverages and music.

Monday madness lunch buffets — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. \$6 for members, nonmembers add \$2. Lunch specials include dessert and iced tea. Buy nine and your tenth lunch special is free. Monday, lasagna, corn, salad and garlic bread; June 15, cabbage casserole, green beans and salad; June 22, hot wings, barbecue wings, mac-and-cheese and salad; June 29, pot roast, rice with gravy, green beans and salad.

Air Force Clubs scholarship contest — participants must submit a 500 word essay on “The High Cost of Freedom” by July 1. For more information log onto <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on the link for Katrina Kantina.

Red beans and rice — 5-7 p.m. Tuesdays, \$1 a bowl.

Catering — let our professional assist you with planning weddings, holidays, birthdays, official functions and other special occasions. Club membership is not required.

LEGENDS CAFÉ

Editor's note: Located inside Vandenberg Community Center. For more information, call 377-2424.

Dine-in or take-out — serving lunch and dinner. Pool table. Salads, baskets, sandwiches, pizza, etc.

Baseball special — two hot dogs for \$2, available all summer.

Lunch special punch card — buy nine lunch combos or buffets and your tenth is free.

Wednesday lunch buffet, \$6.95 — includes iced tea or fountain drink. Free play on the juke box during lunch. Wednesday, spaghetti with meat sauce, assorted pizza bar, garden fresh salad, green beans almandine, garlic bread, and chocolate and vanilla pudding with topping; June 17, beef brisket, country style mashed potatoes, gravy, buttered whole kernel corn, dinner rolls with butter, garden fresh salad, and homemade bread pudding; June 24, tacos, taco salad, hard and soft shells, Mexican corn, Spanish style rice, refried beans, tortilla chips, shredded cheese, onions, salsa, shredded lettuce, sour cream, and peach cobbler.

Rotisserie Chicken — Tuesdays and Thursdays get a half chicken for \$3.50, or a whole chicken for \$7 (chicken only). Lunch special, \$6 for half chicken or \$10 for whole chicken includes one side item and a roll.

Catfish buffet, \$8.95 — work Fridays includes iced tea or fountain drink. Free play on the juke box during lunch. Golden fried catfish, hush puppies, cheesy mac-and-cheese, southern style greens, creamy cole slaw, dinner rolls with butter, tartar sauce, fresh lemons and peach cobbler.

MCBRIDE LIBRARY

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2181.

“Playaway” — the first self-playing digital audio book is half the size of a deck of cards, and the simplest way to listen to digital content on the go. It comes with the audio content already pre-loaded. Using clearly marked buttons, “Playaway” gives listeners the ability to move back and forth within or between chapters and alter the speed of a narrator's voice. It even has an automatic bookmark feature that remembers where you left off. Simply pop in a battery, plug in almost any type of headphone, and enjoy.

Free wireless Internet — ask at the front desk.

Chief of Staff professional military reading list — titles available for checkout from the special book collection.

On-line Card Catalog — search for books (print and audio), DVDs, CDs, VHS, magazines, periodicals and more, log on to www.keeslerservices.us and click on the link for McBride Library, then the link for our on-line catalog.

Overdrive audio online book program — individual or family accounts can be set up to allow download/playing of full length audio books on a personal computer. They work for 10 days; some can be burned to a CD. Ask at the front desk.

Free Rosetta Stone on-line language learning subscriptions — learn any of 30 foreign languages including Spanish. Ask at the front desk for instructions.

Available for use — two large meeting rooms, audio room, typing room and children's library.

Paperback swap — one for one, must be in good condition and of same genre.

Student research help — 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays. Basic information about how to access, search, locate and save/use information in Ebsco and Gale Group online data bases. Call for individual or group appointments.

OUTDOOR RECREATION AND MARINA

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-3160.

Marina slips — overnight and monthly available.

Father's Day special — June 21, free rod and reel rental for fathers.

Horn Island day trips — 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays following nonworking Fridays, weather permitting. \$30 including a barbecue grill, charcoal and ice. Bring food, drinks, sun screen, and fishing equipment. Minimum 15. Group rates.

Back bay fishing trips — \$20, call for date and time..

Deep Sea Fishing Trips — nonworking Fridays and Sundays. \$75 including everything you need to fish. Bring food and beverages. Minimum 10, maximum 22 people.

Recreational equipment for rent — For price list, log on to <http://www.keeslerservices.us>, click on the outdoor recreation link.

Deep sea fishing charters — \$750 for first 10 people, \$50 for each additional person. No license required. \$100 deposit.

“UBU” Special — show your UBU card and get 10 percent off all rental equipment.

“UBU” weekend special — show your UBU Card and rent a 3500 Trek, seven-speed bike, \$5 for the weekend (Friday-Sunday).

Fishing camps in Delacroix, La. — rent one of two travel trailers, \$50 a night. Maximum four per trailer. Call for details.

Fish of the month contest — largest bass in June wins a \$100 savings bond. Minimum three participants.

Retail store — cold drinks, snacks, fishing equipment, bait, sun screen, Mississippi hunting and fishing licenses, and more.

INSTANT PAYBACK!

Air Force Clubs Membership Campaign
June 15 through Aug. 15

SSgt Naomi Keen
Air Force Club Member
and 2009
Tops in Blue Vocalist

Join Now & Receive:

- Discounts on club meal purchases
- Cash back on everything you buy
- 2% on base
- 1% off base
- 0% intro rate for six months
- Three months free dues*

Club Members Are Eligible To Win:

- Super Bowl Trip Giveaway
- College Scholarships

Air Force Club membership MasterCard® gets you cash back on everything you buy! Pick up an application at the Katrina Kantina or on line at www.afclubs.net.

Plus 200 Members win \$250 by completing an on-line survey at www.afclubs.net!

CHASE **AIR FORCE SERVICES CLUBS**

*Currently no dues are charged at the Katrina Kantina.

BAY BREEZE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

MORE THAN JUST BRAGGIN' RIGHTS!

JUNE 13-14

PRIZES! DRAWINGS! GIVEAWAYS!

\$55 for members **\$80** for nonmembers

Cookout, refreshments and beverages both days.

HOLE IN ONE AWARDS!

- Hole #12 - 2009 Pontiac G8
- Hole #10 - Atlantic City Trump's Golf Links Vacation
- Hole #17 - five-day, four-night vacation at a Fairmont Resort
- Hole #3 - Trip to Tour Academy in Florida

Individual stroke play by flight. Tee times by flight. To sign up, call 377-3832 by Monday.

MANDAL PONTIAC-BUICK-GMC Sponsor of Hole in One Awards.

ARTS AND CRAFTS CENTER

Editor's note: Preregistration is required for all classes. Register at craft sales, Building 5904. Space is limited. For more information, call 377-2821.

Specials

Tailgate flea markets — Saturdays, set up at 8 a.m., sales are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tables \$15 on day of sale. Register by 4 p.m. Fridays and pay \$10 and get a parking space.

Summer arts youth camp — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. \$25 weekly including all materials. June 9-11, trash to treasures art from recyclables; June 16-18, wood-working; June 23-25, scrapbooking and card making; July 7-9, make beach bags and sand art; July 14-16, make wind chimes; July 21-23, woodworking, July 28-30, scrapbooking and card making.

Gifts to go — get a décor mug filled with goodies; a variety available for \$10 each. Some products reduced up to 50 percent.

Multi-crafts shop

Editor's note: Potter's wheels, ceramic molds, air brushing, and tools are available for use in the shop.

Father's Day personalized card making — 5:30-7 p.m. today. \$5 per person.

Jewelry making — 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday and June 18 and 20. \$25 including materials. Learn wire wrapping and tooling.

Bob Ross painting — 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 13 and 27. Wet on wet technique on a 16x20-inch canvas. \$65 including supplies and light refreshments.

Birthday personalized card making — 5:30-7 p.m. June 18. \$7 per person.

Scrapbooking — 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. June 20. \$20 including materials.

Pottery — June 20. \$40 including instruction and supplies. Call for time.

"UBU" special — UBU card holders get 10 percent off all items in the crafts resale store.

Frame shop

Beginning framing — 12:30-4 p.m. June 12 and 26. \$30 per person. Bring your favorite photograph or art work, no larger than 11x14-inches.

Custom orders — Our staff will customize all work according to individual orders. We can also coordinate framing awards with engraving shop accessories. Customized shadow boxes make great retirement gifts

Auto hobby shop

Editor's note: Indoor and outdoor stalls and lifts available. For more information, call 377-3872.

Collection site — for privately owned vehicle oil, antifreeze, transmission and brake fluids. No tires or batteries.

Tire service/air machine — coin-operated, available 24-7. Located at the vacuum station.

Vehicle storage lot — store your vehicle with us when going TDY.

24-hour coin-operated car care — vacuum station and car wash featuring foamy brush wash, high pressure rinse, wax, towelettes and Armorall.

Engraving shop

Looking for a great going away gift? — We will customize your order of plaques, trophies, awards, mugs, writing pens, and etch glass items. Organizational name tags are our specialty.

WOOD SHOP

Editor's note: Hard woods and plywood in stock for sale. Stock includes walnut, oak, mahogany, pecan, maple, poplar, cypress and cedar.

Beginning intarsia — 10 a.m. Saturday and June 20. \$15 including materials. Intarsia is the art of piecing wood in a decorative pattern.

Advanced intarsia — 10 a.m. June 13 and 27. \$20 including materials and tool use.

Beginning woodworking — 5-7 p.m. Wednesdays. \$25 including shop use and materials. This class will certify you to use the equipment in the future.

FAMILY CHILD CARE

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-3189.

Child care slots — available now. Call for assistance in locating a provider.

Air Force Aid programs — pays for child care for volunteers working on base, and 20 hours of child care for technical sergeants and below who are making a permanent change of station in and out of the base. For eligibility and further guidance, call the airman and family readiness center, 377-2179.

Returning home care — for children ages 12 and younger. Up to 16 hours of care per child, per six-month period, is available to active duty members and Air National Guard and Air Force Reserve members returning to their home stations after deployments of a minimum of 30 calendar days in support of a contingency operation, and members returning for a two-week rest and relaxation leave.

Be your own boss — We're recruiting military spouses on and off base who wish to care for children in their homes. Providers are also needed to care for children with special needs including asthma, allergies, cerebral palsy and other physical impairments, and to work swing and evening shifts.

Expanded duty care — assists families in obtaining child care from licensed or affiliated providers when weekly parental workloads, due to extended duty hours, exceed the standard 50 hours of care a week that families are already purchasing in child care programs on or off base.

RESALE LOT

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-2821. Located on Tingle Avenue north of the 81st Security Forces Squadron building.

Buy, sell, trade — \$10 per month to place your vehicle on the lot, \$20 for recreational vehicles and boats. Registration, proof of ownership and insurance required. Register at the arts and crafts center's multi-craft shop 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. Must show proof of ownership and insurance.

VANDENBERG COMMUNITY CENTER

Editor's note: All events, except dances, are open to all Keesler personnel. For more information, call 377-4355.

Free pool tournaments — 7 p.m. Mondays 8-ball, Tuesdays 9-ball.

Free movie night — each Wednesday. Free popcorn.

"UBU" house party — 8-10 p.m. June 26. Students pick up a UBU card, or show your current UBU card, and become eligible for prizes and giveaways. Food and prizes given away every 30 minutes. Those joining the Keesler Club become eligible for additional giveaways. UBU card required.

Late night dances — 6:30-midnight Thursdays before nonworking Fridays, and Fridays and Saturdays. Nonprior service students only.

Birthday dance — 6:30-midnight June 19. Nonprior service students with June birthdays show identification and enter the dance free.

Nonprior service students web page — visit <http://www.keeslerservices.us> and click on Leon the chameleon for the "UBU" link to Services programs tailored especially for you.

VETERINARY SERVICES

Editor's note: located on 3rd Street, Building 0408. All animals in base housing must be registered with the vet office. For appointment call, 376-7495.

Eligible patrons — active duty, retirees, reservists and National Guard on active duty for more than 72 hours with orders may use the vet clinic.

Sick call — please call for an appointment.

Pet products — we can not write prescriptions to outside pharmacies for products we sell.

Safety notice — due to safety concerns, children age 6 and younger are not allowed in exam rooms.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Editor's note: For more information, call 377-4116. All children registered in a youth center program receive free membership.

Blast from the past — family dance 6 p.m. June 11 with music from the 1950s and 1960s. Dance instruction, burgers and shakes, and dance contests. Come dressed for the theme and be eligible for prizes. Adults \$5, free for kids. Preregistration appreciated.

School age and teen camps — now through Aug. 7. Registration continues until camps are full.

Co-ed basketball camp — 6-9 p.m. today through Friday for ages 5-14. \$25. Sign up today.

Red Cross baby sitting course — 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 27 for ages 11-15. \$45 payable at registration by June 11. Maximum 10 participants.

Volunteer coaches needed — for youth sports.

Keystone Club — 6 p.m. Mondays for teens. Games, snacks and fun.

Open recreation (free and supervised) — 3-6 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays. Boys and Girls Club programs, sports and recreation activities, arts and crafts projects, etc. Ages 9 and older sign themselves in at the front desk.

Military home schoolers — meet weekly.

Instructional classes — 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays. Ages 3 and older for dance, gymnastics, karate and children's theater. Guitar for ages 6 and older. All classes are \$50 per month.

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