

THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

Louis S. Zamperini
 Olympian - 1936 Berlin Olympics
 Captain - U.S. Army Air Forces
 Prisoner of War - Kwajalein & Japan
 Motivational Speaker
 Humanitarian
 Role Model

Captain Louis S. Zamperini
"Be Hardy!"

A standout athlete Louis Zamperini at age 19 was the youngest distance runner on the 1936 U.S. Olympic team. He subsequently established national and world collegiate records for the mile run while a student at the University of Southern California.

Drafted in 1941, Lt. Zamperini trained as a B-24D bombardier with the Army Air Forces, transferring to Hawaii in November 1942. On 27 May 1942, having survived raids on Wake Island, Makin, and Nauru, and the Japanese attack on Funafuti, the "Green Hornet" crew volunteered for a return mission off the coast of Palmyra. As engines failed, the plane crashed into the Pacific. Of the 11 men on board, only three survived the crash: Lt. Zamperini, pilot 1st Lt. Russell Phillips, and tail gunner SGT Francis McNamara. McNamara died at sea, but Zamperini and Phillips survived 47 days on the open ocean despite storms, shark attacks, and enemy strafing. Drifting 2,000 miles, they landed in the Marshall Islands on 13 July. Transported to Kwajalein, then known as "Execution Island," Zamperini was detained in the cell which had held the nine Marine Raiders captured on Makin. "Zamp" and "Phil" survived 42 days on Kwajalein before being moved to a secret interrogation center and Prisoner of War camps in Japan where they were tortured and enslaved. They remained POWs until the end of the war - August 1945.

Suffering from severe PTSD, Zamperini found a route to recovery and a new calling through the sermons of Rev. Billy Graham. Zamperini has toured the world speaking of his experiences and the powers of hope and forgiveness and actions. Louis Zamperini continues to be an inspiration to us all.

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U.S. MILITARY VETERAN ERIC MONK, LEFT, AND CAPT. HARDY TEMONEY II SLICE CAKE AT THE USAG-KA 246TH ARMY BIRTHDAY COMMEMORATION JUNE 14.

JESSICA DAMBRUCH

RONALD REAGAN BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE TEST SITE MISSION ANNOUNCEMENT

A RANGE OPERATION IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 21 - 25. DAILY CAUTION TIMES ARE 8:30 P.M. THROUGH 2:30 A.M. IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS OPERATION.

DURING OPERATIONS, NOTICE TO MARINERS and NOTICE TO AIRMEN CAUTION AREAS WILL EXTEND INTO THE OPEN OCEAN NEAR THE KWAJALEIN ATOLL AND SURROUNDING AREAS.

THE MID-ATOLL CORRIDOR WILL BE CLOSED FROM 4:01 P.M. JUNE 17 THROUGH ACTIVITY COMPLETION. THE CAUTION AREA EXTENDS FROM THE SURFACE TO UNLIMITED ALTITUDE.

SEE THE MAPS BELOW OF THE CLOSED AREAS. QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO REAGAN TEST SITE (RTS) MISSION SAFETY OFFICE AT (805) 355-2014.

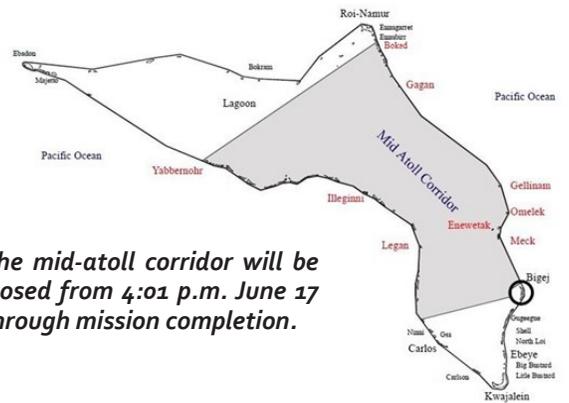
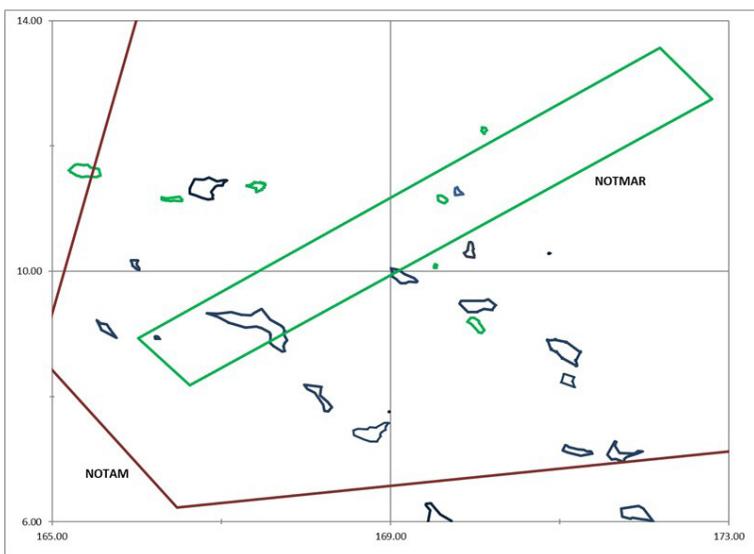
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The mid-atoll corridor will be closed from 4:01 p.m. June 17 through mission completion.

PRESIDENT BIDEN SIGNS JUNETEENTH NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE DAY ACT



This week, U.S. President Joseph Biden signed the Juneteenth National Independence Day Act to officially commemorating June 19—or Juneteenth—as a federal holiday. The annual observance marks the end of slavery in the U.S. To read Biden’s ceremonial address, visit <https://www.whitehouse.gov> or click the presidential seal.

Learn more about the rich history of Juneteenth, visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture online at <https://nmaahc.si.edu/blog-post/historical-legacy-juneteenth> or by clicking the Smithsonian icon.



THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS

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USAG-KA CELEBRATES 246TH ARMY BIRTHDAY

BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

“Hooah” and happy 246th birthday to the U.S. Army.

U.S. military veterans in the Kwajalein community joined active duty Army personnel and family members at the Zamperini Cafeteria for a special cake-cutting ceremony June 14.

The Army birthday observance is an opportunity for Soldiers to share traditions with new personnel while celebrating a rich heritage more than 200 years in the making. The Army was founded June 14, 1775, when the Continental Congress authorized one-year enlistments for riflemen in the 13 American colonies.

In preparation for the event, Kwajalein Dining Services employees decorated the dining facility with green camouflage décor and baked a large sheet cake bearing the official insignia of the Army and USAG-KA Command.

After more than 200 years, the Army family still works together to keep its traditions strong. Following a welcome from Command Sgt. Maj. Ismael Ortega, diners learned he was not about to dispense with tradition.

“First, we are going to sing,” he said.

Together, all raised their voices to sing the first verses of “The Army Goes Rolling Along.”

Traditionally, Army birthday cakes are sliced by the most senior and junior Soldiers in a command. However, USAG-KA Commander Col. Jeremy Bartel opted to build camaraderie with a new tradition. He invited the veteran with the earliest date of initial entry into military service to step forward and take his place.

Together, Capt. Hardy Temoney II and U.S. military veteran Eric Monk took up the ceremonial sabre and made the first slice toward another year in Army history.

Now, that’s the way to celebrate a birthday.

1) U.S. military veteran Eric Monk and Capt. Hardy Temoney II slice the Army birthday cake. 2) USAG-KA Command Sgt. Maj. Ismael Ortega holds the ceremonial Army sabre. 3) Temoney, an officer in the USAG-KA Directorate of Logistics, is among the garrison’s most recently arrived Army personnel. 4) Personnel from Community Bank, the U.S. Army and veterans pose for a photo at the Zamperini Cafeteria.



U.S. ARMY PHOTOS BY JESSICA DAMBRUCH

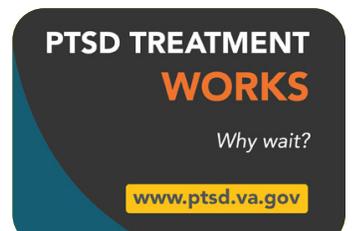
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JUNE WITH
THE ARMY
FAMILY**



SAFETY MONTH



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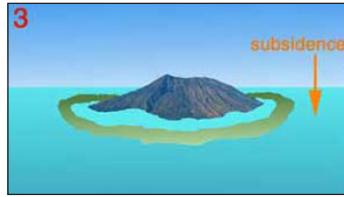
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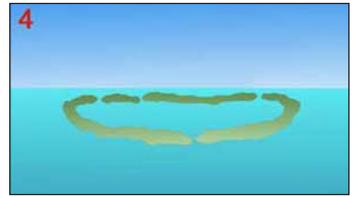
Active Volcano



Fringing Reef



Barrier Reef



Atoll

A 165 MILLION YEAR JOURNEY

KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS ARCHIVE

By Jordan Vinson

If you recently moved to Kwajalein Atoll, you now live and work amid one of the planet's largest lagoons, encircled by one of the planet's largest coral atolls.

Lying at the heart of the Ralik Chain (the western, or "sunset," chain) of the Marshall Islands, Kwajalein Atoll sits at a point roughly equidistant to Honolulu, Japan and northeast Australia. It's at least a 2,000-mile swim to the nearest significant landmass, which in our case happens to be Australia. You're at eight degrees and some change, or about 500 miles north of the equator.

The atoll itself, like all 29 atolls comprising the RMI, is what remains of a shield volcano that once extended from the top of the Pacific Plate at the floor of the ocean up through the surface of the ocean. Born out of volcanic eruptions occurring thousands of feet below the Pacific Plate between 165 and 76 million years ago, this seamount grew and grew. Finally, when it peaked out of the surface of the ocean, it became an island, reaching the first transformative stage of atoll formation.

Exactly how far it extended above the water's surface is hard to say. Did this island look like a mountain, like Mauna Kea in Hawaii, which tips the charts in the Pacific Ocean at more than 13,000 feet in height? Or did it resemble current-day Kosrae or Pohnpei, both of which reach just over 2,000 feet in height?

"We really just do not know," says Dr. Curt Storlazzi, a research geologist and oceanographer with the USGS' Pacific Coastal and Marine Science Center. "Because the base of the atoll is 50-80 kilometers across, it could have been really big. We just don't really know."

Regardless of how high the island stuck out of the water in its pre-atoll state, it

provided a large base close to the water's surface for coral to latch onto and grow. That surface proximity is important. It is one of the most essential requirements for coral growth, providing cozy, nutrient-rich real estate close enough to the water's surface to allow the coral animals to pull in energy from the sun, sustain themselves, grow and reproduce.

When did coral reefs first begin forming around this volcanic island? Dr. James Hein, a long-time USGS scientist specializing in marine mineral deposits, does have an answer: roughly 56 million years ago. From that point onward, individual coral colonies began to form along the perimeter of the island and grow into larger colonies, eventually merging together around the island perimeter into a contiguous mass of coral animals, which we call a fringing reef. This is the second major transformational stage in atoll formation. According to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, it can take 10,000 years for a fringing reef to form around an island. If those conditions remain favorable, the reef will continue expanding throughout the next 100,000 years, the agency states.

Contrasting with the expansion of the reef along its perimeter, the island landmass eventually began to undergo its own transformation. As the Pacific Plate slowly crawled across the Earth's mantle, the position of the large Kwajalein volcanic island became more and more distant from its source of volcanism (aka a hot spot). It was this hot spot that had spewed the magma out of the planet's mantle, through the lithosphere and into the ocean to form the volcanic seamount and island, says Storlazzi. The greater the distance from the hot spot, the more the local region of the Pacific Plate sank. And the more it sank, the more the volcanic island subsided downward and receded away from the reef around it.

As this large island subsided, a veritable moat of seawater filled the growing gap between the landmass and the reef, forming a barrier reef, the third major transformative step in the atoll formation process.

Fast forward until the landmass subsides completely below the ocean, and you're left with a thin necklace of coral reef. This is an atoll, the final step in the process.

An obvious question does come up at this point: If the volcanic landmass subsides over time, why hasn't the coral reef subsided along with it, pulling it below the ocean's surface?

Actually, it has—sort of. What one has to remember is that a coral reef is vastly different from a volcanic seamount, chiefly in the fact that the reef is a conglomeration of living lifeforms. In an island's case, if geologic forces pull it below the water or erode it away to the surface, that landmass has no choice but to go along for the ride. A reef, on the other hand, consists of millions and millions of coral animals, which may reproduce and continually grow, building on top of one another in an attempt to remain at the surface where the sun's energy is strongest. Because it's a living entity, the coral reef making up Kwajalein Atoll was able to react to its changing depth in the water over time. The rocks, sand and other stuff making up the volcanic island simply could not.

Currently, the seamount formerly comprising this island reaches a height that is only about 200 feet below sea level. Atop it lie layers of very old, dead coral colonies, which have subsided below about 160 feet, the greatest depth at which coral typically can survive. Atop those dead colonies lie the living coral colonies that have yet to subside below the rough 160-foot kill point. As the seamount continues to subside, bringing the coral along with it, new coral colonies continue to grow near the ocean surface, piling up on top of dead reef sections subsiding below. The process continues today.



MARSHALLESE WORKFORCE TOWN HALL MEETING U.S. ARMY GARRISON - KWAJALEIN ATOLL

June 25, noon - 1 p.m.
at the Island Memorial Chapel

Please bring your questions concerns
and compliments to USAG-KA leadership
and let them know how they're doing.



U.S. SPACE AND MISSILE DEFENSE COMMAND HISTORY

BY SHARON WATKINS-LANG, USASMDG HISTORIAN

While flying 500 feet over Washington in a hydrogen balloon, on June 17, 1861, Thaddeus Lowe sent a message to President Abraham Lincoln.

“Sir, I take great pleasure in sending you this first dispatch ever telegraphed from an aerial station.”

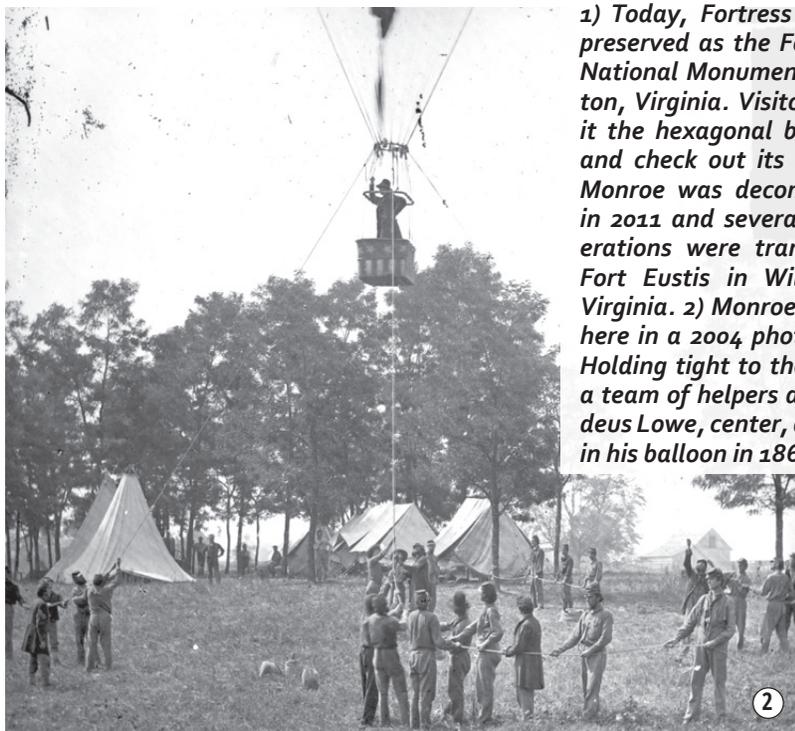
With the advent of the Civil War a number of ardent balloonists volunteered their services to the Union and Confederate Armies. Few of the Army leadership were receptive to the concepts of aeronautics. Nevertheless, several aeronauts provided a service to the Union Army, which eventually organized the group as the group as a civilian Corps of Aeronautics. Their services varied from meteorological reporting to reconnaissance and communications.

For two weeks in 1861, John LaMountain scouted Fortress Monroe, Virginia, from an altitude of 1,4000 feet, in his tethered balloon. He located the hidden Confederate camp and filed detailed reports and diagrams on camp locations, troop movements and enemy strengths. Thaddeus Lowe, the first regular Union balloonist, directed artillery fire at Fort Corcoran, Virginia, and other engagements.

Lowe telegraphed his observations to gunners and sent periodic progress reports to Washington. Balloon Corps flights diverted valuable Confederate resources to camouflage and deception activities, to include Quaker guns, dummy artillery pieces. The volunteer balloon corps ended in 1863, however, as the balloonists became disenchanted with army procedures which rarely employed their services. Confederate aeronauts were hampered in their efforts by the Union blockade. Their balloons, on occasion made from silk dresses, were often captured by the Union forces.



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1) Today, Fortress Monroe is preserved as the Fort Monroe National Monument in Hampton, Virginia. Visitors can visit the hexagonal bastion fort and check out its moat. Fort Monroe was decommissioned in 2011 and several of its operations were transferred to Fort Eustis in Williamsburg, Virginia. 2) Monroe is pictured here in a 2004 photograph. 2) Holding tight to their tethers, a team of helpers assist Thaddeus Lowe, center, as he floats in his balloon in 1861.

MARSHALLESE PHRASES

While living in the Marshall Islands, you will have many opportunities to interact with members of the Marshallese community and learn about their culture. Learning the Marshallese language is not only recommended to strengthen communication and relationships. It also shows an appreciation of cultural diversity while guests in our host nation. Here are some everyday Marshallese phrases to practice:

Hello/Goodbye = Iokwe (Yokwe old spelling)

Hello everyone = Iokwe aolep

How's life? = Ej et am mour?

And you? = Ak kwe?

Good afternoon = Iokwe in raelep

Good evening = Iokwe in jota

What's your name? = Etam?

My name is () = Eta in ()

Thank you = Kom'mool

Thank you very much = Kommoool tata

You're welcome = Kon Jouj

Excuse Me/I'm sorry = Jolok bod

You're excused = Ejolok

Goodbye = Iokwe!

See you later = Bar lo eok

Good luck = Jeraamman ñan kwe

Anytime = Aolep Ien

Do you understand? = Kwömelele ke?

I understand = Imelele

I don't understand = Ijab melele

What time is it? = Jete awa?

How much? = Jete wonaan?

How old are you? Jete am iio?

I'm thirsty = Imaro

Yes = Aet

No = Jaab

Good = Emman

Bad = Nana

Happy = Monono

Enno = Tasty

So so = Ebwe

Crazy = Bwebwe

Stop = Bojrak

Go = Etal

TRY THESE OUT

Kwöj etal ñan ia?

Where are you going?

Ij etal ñan Sunrise Bakery.

I am going to Sunrise Bakery.

In et / in ta?

To do what?

In Möñä jonoul tonaaj.

To eat 10 donuts.

Kwe bwebwe ke?

Are you crazy?

Jab. Ejabwe joun tonaaj enno!

No. One tasty donut is never enough!



THIS WEEK IN KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS HISTORY

NAVY MEN EMERGE FROM CHAMBER AFTER 5 DAYS BREATHING 100% OXYGEN

Pt. Mugu, Calif., -- Joseph F. Prucino, Hospitalman Second Class, USN, and Billy Lee Scronce, Training Devices Operator Second Class, USN, both 24, have emerged from the low pressure environmental chamber at the U. S. Naval Missile Center here after five days of breathing 100% oxygen.

The two men, both volunteers for the test entered the chamber at 10:00 a.m. Monday. They have been isolated at a simulated altitude of 34,000 feet.

According to Navy Medical personnel in attendance at the test chamber, both men are in excellent health and spirits and have suffered no ill effects from the experiment.

During the test Prucino wore the Navy's Mark IV full pressure suit and subsisted on a special-protein liquid food substitute. Scronce was dressed in norman pilot's clothing and ate regular Navy food.

The internal pressure in the oxygen-filled chamber was 3.5 pounds per square inch as compared with 14.7 pounds per square inch of atmosphere at sea level.

Objectives of the test were to subject the participants to physiological and psychological factors experienced by pilots and to obtain information for future Navy design planning.

June 19, 1961

600 PEOPLE ATTEND ZEUS OPEN HOUSE

ON BEHALF OF COL. M. R. COLLINS AND THE ENTIRE STAFF OF THE ARGMA, PFO AND THE NIKE ZEUS SYSTEM CONTRACTORS, WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL WHO MADE THE OPEN HOUSE ON SUNDAY 18 JUNE SUCH A SUCCESSFUL EVENT. EVENTS LIKE THIS TAKE A GREAT DEAL OF COOPERATION FROM MANY AGENCIES AND WITHOUT SUCH COOPERATION SUCH A TASK COULD NOT HAVE BEEN DONE.

IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO LIST INDIVIDUAL NAMES OF PEOPLE WHO CONTRIBUTED THEIR TIME AND EFFORT TOWARD THE OPEN HOUSE, HOWEVER, IT IS FITTING THAT WE MENTION A FEW WHOSE NAMES DID NOT APPEAR IN THE OPEN HOUSE BROCHURE WHICH WAS DISTRIBUTED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE TOUR. NAMELY TCT BUS DRIVERS ABELARDO BENITEZ, WM. BESTANENTE, JAMES JAHOILUA AND MIKEY NAKOMA. PMZ DRIVERS GEO TAGALICUD AND HERMOGENES NATIVIVAD. THESE MEN DID A WONDERFUL JOB OF TRANSPORTING THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE TOUR.

AND APPRECIATION GOES FORTH TO OUR STATION WAGON DRIVERS AND GUIDES: AL GARDNER, GUS BAYLES, JOHN WACKERMAN DAN JONES AND BILL GALLOWAY, AND ABLY ASSISTED BY OUR DISPATCHER RALPH HENNION.

THE FOLLOWING TOUR GUIDES WERE ADDED TO THE TOUR, TOO LATE TO HAVE THEIR NAMES APPEAR IN THE BROCHURE AND WE WANT TO THANK ALL OF THEM BOB PORTH, CHAS. SANDERS, MACK LANDIS AND HAROLD LLOYD.

FOR THE ASSEMBLING OF THE BROCHURE, WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THE ART WORK DONE BY OLLIE DAVIS, OF TCT AND RONNIE CENTER OF WECO. PREPARING AND ASSEMBLING OF THE BROCHURE WAS A LABORIOUS TASK OF MANY PERSONS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION, HOWEVER, WE MUST THANK THEM ALL FOR THEIR TIRELESS EFFORTS.

IT WAS ESTIMATED THAT APPROXIMATELY 600 ISLAND RESIDENTS WENT THROUGH THE TOUR AND WE TRUST ENJOYED BY ALL. ANY ONE INTERESTED IN OBTAINING THE OPEN HOUSE BROCHURE SUCH AS THE ONE RECEIVED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE TOUR MAY BE OBTAINED BY COMING TO THE ARGMA PFO, IN THE JTO BLDG.

DON'T FORGET THE CAMERAMA SUNDAY 25 JUNE 1961. THIS WILL BE ANOTHER EVENT YOU WILL WANT TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR.

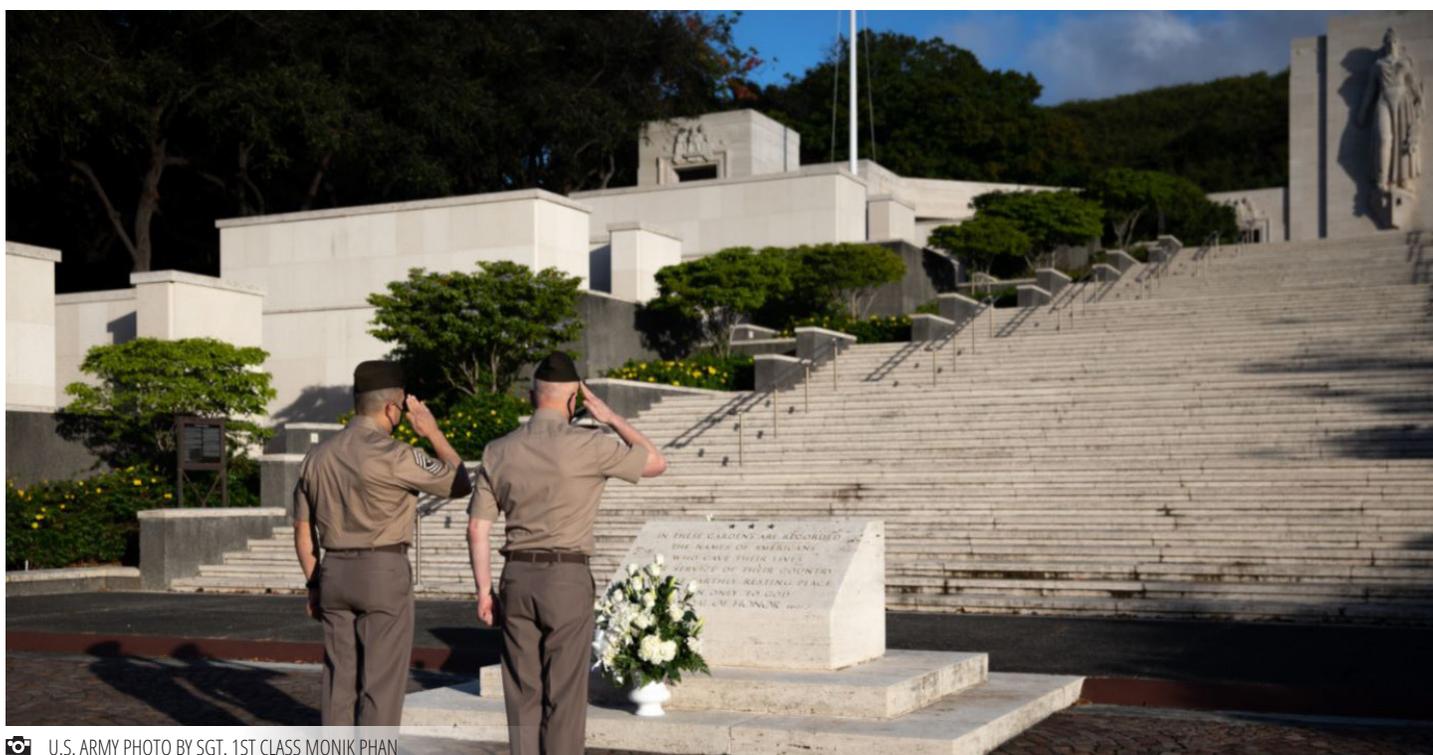
C. FREDERICK KLEIS, CAPT.
TOUR COORDINATOR

June 17, 1961



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U.S. ARMY PHOTO BY SGT. 1ST CLASS MONIK PHAN

Maj. Gen. Tom Solhjem, U.S. Army chief of chaplains, and Regimental Sgt. Maj. Ralph Martinez, the Chaplain Corps senior enlisted advisor, salutes the war memorial at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific May 11 at Punchbowl Crater in Honolulu. They visited the ceremony to honor the memory of the nation's military veterans and learn about previous chaplains that have sacrificed their lives during the wars.

ARMY CHIEF OF CHAPLAINS VISITS HAWAII'S "PUNCHBOWL"

EXTERNAL REPORT

By Sgt. 1st Class Monik Phan,
U.S. Army Pacific Public Affairs

Maj. Gen. Tom Solhjem, U.S. Army chief of chaplains, Regimental Sgt. Maj. Ralph Martinez, the Chaplain Corps senior enlisted advisor, and their spouses visited the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific May 11 in Honolulu.

Solhjem and Martinez cemetery visit was to honor the memory of the nation's military veterans and learn about previous chaplains that have sacrificed their lives during the wars.

"We have three competencies in the Chaplain Corps," said Solhjem. "We nurture the living, we care for the wounded and we honor the fallen."

Together, Solhjem and Martinez laid a bouquet of white flowers, provided by U.S. Army Pacific, at the base of the memorial.

Solhjem mentions that visiting the National Cemetery of the Pacific is a reminder to Service Members and civilians of the sacrifices that others have made.

Following the bouquet laying, Natalie Rauch, the memorial's facilitator, explained the names engraved on the stones, recognized by the American Battle Monuments Commission, are Service Members that were missing in action, lost or buried at sea during World War II, Korean War and the Vietnam War.

She distinguished five names of chaplains that served during the wars. As she told each family's story, she held up portraits of each chaplain.

"This is simply amazing," Solhjem said, "Natalie Rauch has done an excellent job in guiding us and helping us understand some of our history of the chaplains who've gone before us and made the ultimate sacrifice."

Rauch also included the story of her father, Airforce Col. Warren L. Anderson, an F-4 Phantom pilot during the

Vietnam War, who is still missing.

"There's value in telling your story," Rauch said. Because she shared her story on social media, she was able to meet other family members with Service Members that are still MIA.

One of the chaplains she distinguished, Capt. Joseph E. Kapaun, a chaplain for 8th Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, had special recognition amongst all the other chaplains. His name was colored in gold and had a star engraved next to his name.

This signified that he was a Medal of Honor recipient. His remains have been recently been found and will be transported to his family. Soon a bronze star will be placed by his name signifying his remains have been recovered and identified.

"Today, we were able to see the marker for Chaplain Kapaun, who's a medal of honor recipient," he said, "He's one of our seven Chaplains who received such distinction who is interned here."

"Kapaun was a prisoner of war and was an inspiration for the Soldiers to

keeps their hopes up during the Korean War," Rauch said.

"What you do and what you bring, as far as the Chaplain Corps, is to restore hope and keep hope alive during captivity, while you're deployed or wherever you may be," Solhjem said.

Martinez explains that it is important to visit the memorial to learn the history and legacy of the men and women who sacrificed their lives in reference to defending the country.

Following up the stairway, they visited the chapel that rests on top of the hill. Alongside the hill, they walked down the "Heroes Walk" memorial pathway to commemorate the Army Chaplain Corps' memorial marker. Solhjem and Martinez also laid two leis, provided by U.S. Army Pacific, on the marker.

"Today is just a poignant reminder of the sacrifices of those who have gone before us and that we stand on the shoulders of the freedom that they purchased by laying down their lives," Solhjem said.

"There's value in telling your story."

—Natalie Rauch, facilitator,
National Memorial Cemetery
of the Pacific

Did you Know?

The National Cemetery of the Pacific—also called the Punchbowl, for the crater it occupies in Honolulu—maintains an active historical outreach program to share information about the history of the site, development of memorials and notable individuals laid to rest within the crater. To learn more about the NCA, please visit <https://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/nmcp.asp>.





ARMY IN THE PACIFIC

U.S. ARMY PHOTO BY MASTER SGT. LEKENDRICK STALLWORTH

25th Infantry Division Lightning Academy Air Assault instructors conducted a rooftop insertion during a Fast Rope Insertion/Extraction System and Special Patrol Insertion/Extraction System Master course on May 26, 2021, at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. Throughout this course, these students were taught how to rig, inspect and deploy Soldiers fast-roping 20 feet above a rooftop, or suspended 100 feet below the helicopter while 200ft above the ground. With these skills, the FRIES/SPIES Masters can deploy Soldiers anywhere in the combat zone no matter how treacherous the terrain may be.



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

KWAJALEIN - YUK THEATER

Saturday, June 19
"Dumbo"

(PG) 113 min.

Eva Green, Colin Farrell

Struggling circus owner Max Medici enlists a former star and his two children to care for Dumbo, a baby elephant born with oversized ears. When the family discovers that the animal can fly, it soon becomes the main attraction—bringing in huge audiences and revitalizing the run-down circus. The elephant's magical ability also draws the attention of V.A. Vandevere, an entrepreneur who wants to showcase Dumbo in his latest, larger-than-life entertainment venture.

Sunday, June 20

"Breaking In"

(PG-13) 88 min.

Gabrielle Union, Ajiona Alexis

Shaun Russell takes her son and daughter on a weekend getaway to her late father's secluded, high-tech vacation home in the countryside, but the family soon gets an unwelcome surprise when four men break into the house to find hidden money. After managing to escape, Shaun must now figure out a way to turn the tables on the desperate thieves and save her captive children.

Monday, June 21

"Thank You for Your Service"

(R) 109 min.

Miles Teller, Haley Bennett

Sgt. Adam Schumann tries to readjust to civilian life after returning home from the war in Iraq. Fellow soldier Tausolo Aeiti must deal with the aftermath of a bombing that left him with a traumatic brain injury. Will Waller searches for normalcy after surviving several explosions, while Michael Emory must deal with the effects of a sniper's bullet to the head. With memories of the battlefield still lingering, the soldiers soon begin their long journey to physical and emotional rehabilitation.

Saturday, June 26

"Yellow Rose"

(PG-13) 95 min.

Eva Noblezada, Dale Watson

Yellow Rose is a 2019 American-Filipino musical drama film chronicling the bitter-sweet struggle of one Filipina's quest to be a country music star.

Sunday, June 27

"Smurfs: The Lost Village"

(PG) 90 min.

Demi Lovato, Danny Pudi

Best friends Smurfette, Brainy, Clumsy and Hefty use a special map that guides them through the Forbidden Forest, an enchanted wonderland that's filled with magical creatures. Their adventure leads them on a course to discover the biggest secret in Smurf history as they race against time and the evil wizard Gargamel (Raiin Wilson) to find a mysterious village.

Monday, June 28

"Long Shot"

(R) 165 min.

Charlize Theron, Seth Rogan

Fred Flarsky is a gifted and free-spirited journalist who has a knack for getting into trouble. Charlotte Field is one of the most influential women in the world—a smart, sophisticated and accomplished politician. When Fred unexpectedly runs into Charlotte, he soon realizes that she was his former babysitter and childhood crush. When Charlotte decides to make a run for the presidency, she impulsively hires Fred as her speechwriter—much to the dismay of her trusted advisers.

ROI - C-BUILDING

Saturday, June 19

"The Mountain Between Us"

(PG-13) 112 min.

Idris Elba, Kate Winslet

Stranded on a mountain after a tragic plane crash, two strangers must work together to endure the extreme elements of the remote, snow-covered terrain. Realizing that help is not on the way, they embark on a perilous journey across hundreds of miles of wilderness, pushing each other to survive and discovering their inner strength.

Sunday, June 20

"Nobody"

(R) 92 min.

Bob Odenkirk, Christopher Lloyd

Hutch Mansell fails to defend himself or his family when two thieves break into his suburban home one night. The aftermath of the incident soon strikes a match to his long-simmering rage. In a barrage of fists, gunfire and squealing tires, Hutch must now save his wife and son from a dangerous adversary—and ensure that he will never be underestimated again.

Saturday, June 26

"Breaking In"

(PG-13) 88 min.

Sunday, June 27

"Thank You for Your Service"

(R) 109 min.



LIVE MUSIC ANNOUNCEMENT

MON-LA MIKE BAND

Live at the Ocean View Club

Saturday, June 26
from 6 - 9 p.m.

Sit back, relax and enjoy one of the Marshall Islands' most famous bands.

Enjoy specials on beverages. For more information, contact MWR at 5-3331.



The Kwajalein Ukulele Club is open to ukulele enthusiasts of all ages and skill levels. Bring your uke and join us for a strum-along each Friday in CRC room 6 from 6 - 7:30 pm.

This club is free for everyone. Join the mailing list to receive updates and sheet music: kwajukeclub@gmail.com.



USAG-KA DINING GUIDE

ISLAND DINING FACILITIES

CAPT. LOUIS. S. ZAMPERINI CAFETERIA - KWAJALEIN

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| TUESDAYS - SATURDAYS* 5:30 - 8 a.m. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. 4:30 - 7 p.m. | SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS* 6:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. 4:30 - 7 p.m. | MONDAYS* 6 - 9 a.m. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. 4:30 - 7 p.m. |
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*Families are welcome to dine at the Zamperini Cafeteria on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Sundays and Mondays.

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

CAFE ROI - ROI-NAMUR

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| TUESDAYS - SATURDAYS 5:30 - 8 a.m. 10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. 5 - 6:45 p.m. | SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS 7 - 9 a.m. 10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. 5 - 6:45 p.m. | MONDAYS 6 - 8:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. 5 - 6:45 p.m. |
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DINING DOWNTOWN

SUNRISE BAKERY

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

SUNRISE BAKERY PIZZA KITCHEN

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

Monday, 5 - 9 p.m.

Don't forget about the late-night menu of rotating specials at the Roi-Namur Outrigger Club and Ocean View Club. For more information, please see the "Bars and Clubs" page.

AAFES - KWAJALEIN DINING LOCATIONS

AMERICAN EATERY

Located at the Kwajalein Dock Security Checkpoint

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

ANTHONY'S PIZZA

Located at the AAFES Food Court

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

BURGER KING

Located at the AAFES Food Court

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

SUBWAY

Located at the AAFES Food Court

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

CYS JUNE SPOTLIGHT

U.S. ARMY GARRISON-KWAJALEIN ATOLL CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

Visit USAG-KA CYS on Facebook for pictures and information about our events and programs. <https://www.facebook.com/USAGKACYS/>.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Baru Classroom

Baru classroom: Fridays are Water Play Days for infants and young toddlers. Saturdays are Water Play Days for toddlers. Please send your child with water clothes, dry clothes, a towel and swim diaper (if needed).

Bako Classroom

Tuesdays - STEAM Swim Day. Please send your child with water clothes, dry clothes, a towel and swim diaper (if needed).

Wednesdays - STEAM Functional Fitness

Thursdays - STEAM Library

Important Dates

June - 19 - Doughnuts with Dad

SCHOOL-AGE CARE

Summer Camp runs through Aug. 7, Tuesday through Saturday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Register in Central Registration.



June 22 - June 26
Color Wars



June 29 - July 2
Pirates and Mermaids



July - 6 - July 10
STEM Express



July 13 - July 17
Sports Hall of Fame



July 20 - July 24
Harry Potter



July 27 - July 31
Space and Beyond



Aug. 3 - Aug. 7
Mini City

NAMO WETO YOUTH CENTER

Tuesdays

Closed

Wednesdays

Water Wednesday - 12:30 p.m.
Tremendous Trivia - 4:30 p.m.

Thursdays

Movies with Popcorn - 4 p.m.

Fridays

Frappaccinos - 4 p.m.

Saturdays

Smoothies - 3:30 p.m.
MIT LL Beaver Works Summer Institute - RMI - 4 - 6 p.m.

Sundays

MIT LL Beaver Works Summer Institute - 4 - 6 p.m.
Surprise - 6 p.m.

YOUTH CENTER SPECIAL EVENTS

June 20 - Darts with Dads
4 - 5:30 p.m.

June 23 - Water Wednesday -
North Point Rapids, 12:30 p.m.

June 24 and 25 - UPS Road Code
3 - 6 p.m.

June 27 - Henna Tattoos
6 - 8 p.m.

June 30 - Water Wednesday
Glass Beach - 12:30 p.m.



Join the reading challenge this summer at the Grace Sherwood Library

Get ready to read around the world. This fun activity runs through July 28 and is open to all Kwajalein children finishing grades K - 6.

Enjoy travel-themed story time and crafts every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., and a reading challenge and weekly scavenger hunt for readers in grades K-6.

Enter for the chance to earn prizes in each age group (grades k-1, 2-3, 4-5, and 6) for the most books and/or pages read.

To participate, pick up reading logs at the GSL, fill them out and

return them to a library staff member.

June 23: Australia and the Pacific

June 30: North America

July 7: South America

July 14: Africa

July 21: Europe

July 28: Reading celebration

For more information, call the MWR desk at the Grace Sherwood Library at 5-3331 or 5-3332.

REMINDER

CYS CLOSED JUNE 19

All CYS programs are closed Saturday, June 19 in observance of the Juneteenth holiday.

Programs at the Child Development Center, SAC Summer Camp and the Namu Weto Youth Center will resume for normal hours of operation following the holiday.



MWR FITNESS CLASSES

MWR instructor Allena Childress, center, leads a Zumba workout hour during MWR Memorial Day weekend festivities at Brandon Field. Check out the monthly class schedule below for ways to plug into an island fitness program.

Unless otherwise noted, all classes are held in CRC Room 7 and are subject to change without notice. All classes require an MWR fitness pass. Passes can be purchased at the MWR Desk in the Grace Sherwood Library. For more information, please call MWR at 5-3331.

Yoga

Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 p.m. in CRC Room 7

Water Aerobics

Tuesday and Thursday at 9:15 a.m. at the Adult Pool

Zumba Toning

Wednesday at 9:15 a.m. in CRC Room 7

Zumba Dance

Wednesday and Saturday at 6 p.m.; Friday at 9:15 a.m. in CRC Room 7

Spin

Tuesday at 6:40 p.m.; Thursday and Saturday at 5:30 a.m.



RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Members of the Island Memorial Chapel Catholic congregation participate in an evening service.

Contact the Island Memorial Chapel office at 5-3505 for more information about religious services and activities on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Services

Sundays at 10 a.m. in CRC Room 1.

Please contact Conrad Acosta at 5-2965 for more information.

Protestant Services

- Sundays at 8:15 a.m. in the small sanctuary and 11 a.m. in the main sanctuary.
- Kingdom Kids children's program meets during Protestant services at 8:15 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Catholic Services

- Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in the IMC main sanctuary.
- Weekdays at 5:15 p.m. in the IMC chapel offices
- Saturdays at 5:30 p.m. in the IMC small sanctuary.
- Children's program meets Sundays during the 9:15 a.m. Catholic Mass.

Activities

Men's Bible Study meets Thursdays at 5:45 p.m. in the chapel conference room.

Ladies' Bible Study meets 9:15 a.m. Thursdays at Qtrs. 405-B Taro. Contact Sally Bulla at 5-9804 for more information.



BARS AND CLUBS

Contact MWR at 5-3331 for updates, activities and events about the garrison's bars and clubs.

COUNTRY CLUB

Birthday Bash.

Come celebrate island birthdays with MWR every third Sunday from 6 - 9 p.m. Enjoy complimentary shuttle service available from the Ocean View Club every 30 minutes from 5 - 9 p.m.

Saturday. Enjoy happy hour and play Uno every Saturday at 6 p.m.

Brunch.

Country Club Brunch typically meets on the first Sunday of the month from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., though times and dates may vary for special brunch events (please check out a special event menu for June 20 brunch below). Enjoy a variety of sweet and savory brunch foods. Cash only; monthly prices and menu items are subject to change. No reservation required. Seating is limited. Shuttle service available every 30 minutes. Customer pick-up is in front of the Food Court starting at 10 a.m. There is a 45-minute time limit per table.

Juneteenth Brunch.

Join MWR in June for a special edition of Sunday brunch in celebration of Juneteenth at the Kwajalein Country Club on June 20 from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. No reservation is required for this event. Cost of meal is \$25, cash only.

Menu

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| Crab legs | Sausage |
| Greens | Bacon Cornbread dressing |
| Macaroni and cheese | Scalloped potatoes |
| Potato salad | Fried chicken |
| Waffles | Sauteed vegetables |
| Grits | |
| Biscuits and gravy | |

Shuttle service will be provided from the food court to the Country Club from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Contact MWR with questions at 5-3331.

OCEAN VIEW CLUB

Wednesdays. Raise your glass and toast Wednesday at happy hour from 5 - 7 p.m.

Saturdays. Enjoy fun activities like game nights, karaoke, theme nights and live music.

Mondays. Enjoy Monday meal deals on Men's Night from 5 - 7 p.m.

SHUTTLE SERVICE

MWR offers shuttle service to and from the Country Club every 30 minutes from 5 - 8 p.m. Saturdays. For more information, contact Nikeya Lagrone at 5-9205 or 5-3331.

OUTRIGGER CLUB

Check with MWR for meal specials and activities at the Outrigger Club by calling 5-3331.

CLASSIFIEDS

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

HELP WANTED

To research and apply for government employment opportunities on U.S. Army Garrison-Kwajalein Atoll and worldwide, visit usajobs.gov. Done hiring? Write to kwajalein.hourglass@dyn-intl.com to remove your help wanted listing.

Truestone, an AKIMA company, seeks a telephone operator. For more information about this position and to apply, please click the URL below to visit https://akima.ta-leo.net/careersection/akimallc_cs/jobdetail.ftl?job=TRU01055&tz=G-MT-05%3A00&tzname=.

Substitute teachers wanted. Kwajalein School System seeks student-centered adults available from 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. to serve as substitute teachers or teacher aids. Contact Paul Uhrenp for more information at uhrenp@kwajalein-school.com or 5-3601.

USAG-KA Child and Youth Services seeks a Lead Preschool Teacher. Send your resume to CYS Coordinator Dr. Stephanie McCutcheon at stephanie.mccutcheon@dyn-intl.com.

USAG-KA CYS seeks a Sports and Fitness teacher. This position is unaccompanied. Requirements: Earned undergraduate degree in physical education, recreation or related field with six months' experience in a sports program or two years in a similar program with individual and team sports. Send resumes to stephanie.mccutcheon@dyn-intl.com and apply online at WRSSrecruiting.com, requisition ID: 2101305.

Community Bank seeks a part-time Banking Center Service Specialist, or teller. Submit applications and resumes to www.dodcommunitybank.com. Contact Rita Pyne at 5-2152 for more information.

Nan Inc. seeks a qualified quality control manager and site safety and health officer. To apply, visit www.nanhawaii.com and contact Clint Ueatari or Kevin Short at 5-2632, 5-1260 or 5-2998.

Tribalco seeks experienced and highly motivated senior, mid- and junior network technicians to join their team. Apply via <http://www.tribalco.com/jobs.html>.

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

Amentum seeks qualified candidates for various positions. Current open positions on USAG-KA include administrative services, data analysts, education services, aviation and airfield operations, marine operations and public works, among others. To apply, contact your local HR representative.

USAG-KA Child and Youth Services is hiring coaches. No experience necessary. All children of head coaches play for free. Visit Central Registration or call 5-2158 in Building 356.

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Wet and Wild Summer Sports Fun for CYS Kids. Get ready to have some splashy fun in the sun. CYS is planning summer sports fun for kids aged 2 to 5 years. Events will take place June 23 and 30 from 5 – 5:30 p.m. Registration costs \$25. Contact Central Registration with questions at 5-2158.

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



Kwajalein Golf Association Presents the Coral Open. Sunday, July 11 and 18. Register at the Vet's hall Saturday, July 10 at 4 p.m. or by emailing Suzanne Bussey suzanne.wells711@icloud.com or Shelly Benkert at shellybenkert@yahoo.com.

Walk-up registration is not permitted on event day. Registration fee is \$60 for members and \$80 for non-members. Tournament tee times vary between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. Format: 18 holes per Sunday, course rules apply.

Prizes are awarded per flight and on second date. U.S. Golf Association handicapping rules apply. Carts are allowed for exempt individual players only –not for whole team. Coral Open shirts will be provided. Enjoy hotdogs and brats on both tournament days. The clubhouse cash bar will be open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Water and select adult beverages will be provided.

Contact Suzanne Bussey suzanne.wells711@icloud.com or Shelly Benkert at atshellybenkert@yahoo.com for more information or to register.

Father's Day Darts Battle. Adults vs. Teens. Sunday June 20 from 4 - 5:30 p.m. at Corlett Recreation Center Room 6. This free event is open to teens in grades seven through 12 and adults. Register at the Namu Weto Youth Center. For more information, contact Central Registration at 5-2158.

Family Movie Night. June 27 at 7 p.m. in the main sanctuary at the Island Memorial Chapel. Bring your friends, drinks, snacks and enjoy fresh popcorn provided by the IMC as they watch "Small Group."

Summer Softball Tournament. Team Registration is open until July 3. Tournament dates are July 13 through Aug. 4. Teams require a

minimum of eight players. Only 16 teams will be eligible to play. Cost of registration is \$50. Register and pay participation fees in the Grace Sherwood Library, Bldg. 805. Questions, call 5-3331.

Inner Tube Water Polo Tournament. Tournaments run June 22 through 29. Cost of registration is \$50. Space is limited. Register and pay participation fees in the Grace Sherwood Library, Bldg. 805. Questions, call 5-3331.

Roi Sand Volleyball Tournament. Sunday, July 4 at 4 p.m. Register your three-person team with Roi MWR by June 30. Team registration fee is \$15. Contact Rick at Roi MWR at 5-6580.

HOURS OF OPERATION

The George Seitz Elementary School Office will be open Tuesday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and closed during lunch until August. The Kwajalein High School office will be closed until Aug. 6. Call 5-3601 or email uhrenp@kwajaleinschool.com with school questions.

Self Help is located in Bldg. 1791. Hours of operation are Monday, Wednesday and Friday - 9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Visit Self Help to pick up tools to complete a number of household maintenance and up-keep projects.

Kwajalein Furniture Warehouse. To schedule deliveries and pickups of Family Housing or BQ furniture please call the Army Housing Office at 5-3450.

Small Boat Marina Summer 2021 Hours of Operation are now through Oct. 31 from 8 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Questions? Call the Small Boat Marina at 5-3643.

NOTICES

Alcoholics Anonymous open meetings are Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the REB, room 213.

Ongoing Smoking and Tobacco Cessation. Please call EAP at 5-5362 or make an appointment with a physician.

Tobacco Use on USAG-KA. Smoking permitted only in designated smoking areas. All smoking and cigarette butt receptacles must be at least 50 feet from entrance of facilities. USAG-KA Policy Memorandum 600-8 sets forth specific policies designed for the protection from the negative impact of tobacco use. Smoking cessation programs are available. Contact Mary Beth Dawicki at 5-5362 or Marybeth.Dawicki@international-sosgs.us.

Register with the Grace Sherwood Library. The new card catalog system is ready and Grace Sherwood Library staff need your help. Please visit the library to sign up for an account to begin checking out books. Information needed includes the following: ID badge,

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quarters number, mailbox number and email address. Individual and family accounts are available. Contact the Grace Sherwood Library with questions at 5-3331.

PCS'ing with a Pet. Depending on your final destination please notify vet services to discuss travel planning for your pet(s) during the recommended timeframes below: CONUS, 45+ days prior to PCS; Honolulu and Guam, three to six months prior to PCS; and other countries, six months or more prior to PCS. If you plan to PCS in the next six months, contact Kwajalein Veterinary Services at 5-2017 to ensure your pet is up to date on annual diagnostics and vaccinations. For more, email the Kwajalein vet tech at kwajaleinveterinaryclinic@internationalsosgs.us.

Electric bikes are not allowed on the garrison per USAG-KA Regulation 56-4. You are authorized use of the bike on USAG-KA if you disconnect the motor. For more information, contact the PMO at 5-3530.

TRAINING

USAG-KA CYS Caregiver Class. Learn how to be an expert caregiver. This free class meets June 24, 25 and 26 from noon to 3 p.m. at the Namu Weto Youth Center. Participants must attend all three class days/ For more information, contact Central Registration at 5-2158.

Building Manager Evacuation Coordinator Training (Required for all managers by AR 420-1). Kwajalein training occurs on the first and third Wednesdays of each month beginning at 10 a.m. in the Religious Education Building. Roi-Namur training occurs on the second Wednesday each month at 9:30 a.m. at the C-building. Call 5-3364 to register.

COUNSELING SERVICES

Chapel Counseling Services. The IMC chaplains are available for appointments on Roi-Namur and Kwajalein. Contact the Chapel office at 5-3505 to schedule a meeting. Discussions are kept private. Confidentiality belongs with the client.

Counseling Available. Schedule an appointment with the Employee Assistance Program by calling Mary Beth Dawicki at 5-5235 or emailing marybeth.dawicki@internationalsosgs.us. Information shared in appointments is confidential. As an alternative to in-person meetings, phone consultation or virtual meetings are available utilizing a HIPAA compliant platform. Call 5-5362 for more information.

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTICES

Recycle Safely. Please ensure that all aluminum cans are separated from household trash to prevent damage to the island incinerator. Doing your part keeps our island clean. For more information, contact DI Environmental at 5-1134.



E-wareness Stormwater Sampling and Analysis

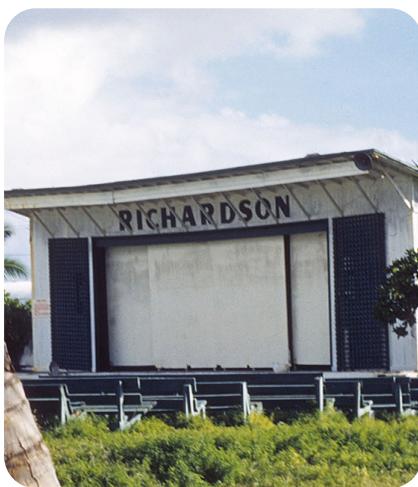
REPORT / ENVIRONMENTAL

Stormwater samples are collected every year on Kwajalein to monitor the quality of water going into the ocean and lagoon.

ISCO or Sigma samplers are staged at selected storm drain locations. Please do not disturb them. If you have any questions, call Amentum Environmental at 5-1134.

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Construction at Rich Theater

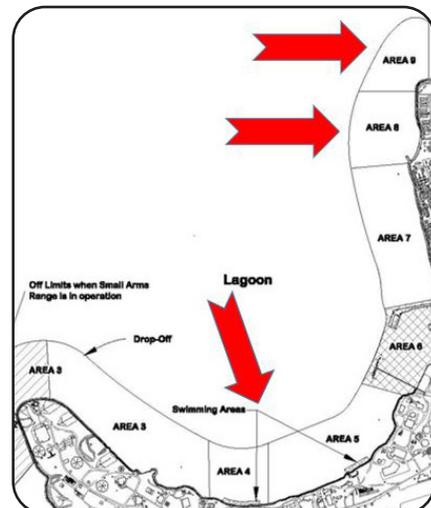
REPORT / ENVIRONMENTAL

U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 4, Detail Marshall Islands will continue work at the theater foundation from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Please adhere to the caution tape and safety barriers around the site and keep the area clear.

Special thanks to NMCB 4 for rebuilding a Kwajalein community landmark. Please contact Deirdre Wyatt-Pope at 5-1442 with any questions.

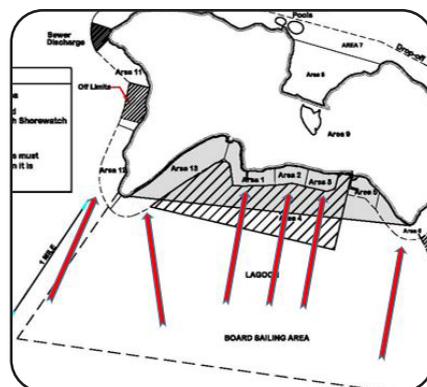
SWIM SAFETY

Check out the maps below to reacquaint yourself with where it is okay to swim around Kwajalein and Roi-Namur. Forward any questions to USAG-KA Safety at 5-1442 or FMWR at 5-3400.



KWAJALEIN

- The highlighted areas are the only unrestricted swimming areas at Kwajalein (Coral Sands, Camp Hamilton, Emon Beach and North Point).
- Flotation device recommended 100 feet from shore and required more than 300 feet from shore.
- Buddy system or shore watch is required.



ROI-NAMUR

- The highlighted areas are the only unrestricted swimming areas at Roi-Namur (Areas 1, 2, 3, 6, 12 and 13).
- Flotation device recommended 100 feet from shore and required more than 300 feet from shore.
- Buddy system or shore watch is required.

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YOU ARE IN,
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USE ARMA, HELP USAG-KA REPORT MAINTENANCE ISSUES



All routine service order requests for bachelor quarters and Army Family Housing are to be reported through ArMA. Reporting jobs using ArMA provides residents with the ability to send pictures and have permanent records of their issues

Register for your account and submit tickets at <https://www.armymaintenance.com>

For ArMA questions, contact Scott Hill at 5-0133 or michael.s.hill86.civ@mail.mil

IMPORTANT

To report emergency service order requests, call 5-3550.

Examples:

1. major water leaks
2. loss of all AC
3. no operational toilets
4. Inoperable appliances, plumbing, smoke detectors or door locks.

UNITED AIRLINES POLICIES FOR DEPARTURE

Customers at Kwajalein's airport boarding United Airlines flights need to present the items described below:

Customers with a negative test result need to present written or electronic documentation which clearly indicates:

- **Customer name.** (The customer name and any other personal identifiers must match the customer ID).
- **Date the test was taken.** Test must be taken within three calendar days of flight.
- **Type of test.** The CDC rule requires a viral test, which means a molecular COVID-19 test (such as PCR or LAMP) or antigen test.
- **Results must state "negative,"** "SARS-CoV-2 RNA not detected" or "SARS-CoV-2 antigen not detected." A test marked "invalid" is not acceptable

Customers who have previously tested positive must present written or electronic documentation, dated within the last 90 days, of recovery from COVID-19 after previous infection.

This should be in the form of a positive viral test result and a letter on official letterhead that contains the name, address and phone number of a licensed healthcare provider or public health official stating that the passenger has been cleared for travel.

All United customers must also comply with the following requirements:

Presentation of a disclosure and attestation form. The form can be found on the CDC website and will also be available at the departure airport. Customers are encouraged to print and complete the form prior to arriving at the airport.

Check-In. All international originating customers will be required to check-in with a Customer Service representative to verify digital or paper documentation. This mirrors the process we've set up within the U.S. for many international destinations.

Failure to Comply Will Result in Boarding Denied. Customers who do not show proof of a test or refuse to test prior to travel will be denied boarding. Denied boarding compensation will not be paid. Customers in this situation shall be offered a refund or rebooked for a later date at no additional charge.

OUTBOUND COVID TEST AND FLIGHT REQUIREMENTS

FLIGHT REQUIREMENTS

No Covid-19 flight test is required if flying on the ATI or United Airlines if you are flying with official government orders.

- All other UA passengers must have a negative Covid-19 test one to three days before traveling.
- This testing requirement is mandated by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

GETTING YOUR COVID-19 TEST

To schedule a test on Kwajalein, call the Kwajalein Hospital at 5-2224.

- Tests cost \$125.
- Please bring a copy of your UA flight itinerary to testing.

The Kwajalein Hospital is not a trusted partner for Hawaii. All travelers extending stay in Hawaii must verify safe quarantine requirements with the State of Hawaii's Safe Travels site. All destinations and hotels have their own Covid testing and documentation requirements.

It is the responsibility of the traveler to verify requirements before travel.

OUTBOUND UNITED AIRLINES PASSENGERS WITHOUT GOVERNMENT ORDERS

Passengers will visit the Kwajalein Hospital on the last hospital business day before their flight departs.

- Testing hours: 9 - 11 a.m.
- Results pick-up time is 4 p.m. on the day of testing. The Kwajalein Hospital closes for the weekend at 4:30 p.m. No test results will be given after 4 p.m.

These CDC requirements do not change or impact the state of Hawaii's testing requirement or quarantine procedure.

NOTE: These documentation requirements do not apply to customers flying from U.S. territories such as Guam to the mainland.

PCS'ING WITH A PET

Depending on your final destination please notify vet services to discuss travel planning for your pet(s) during the recommended timeframes below:

- **CONUS - 45+ days prior to PCS**
- **Honolulu and Guam - Three to six months prior to PCS**
- **Other countries - Six months or more prior to PCS**

If you plan to leave Kwajalein within the next three to six months, please reach out to Kwajalein Veterinary Services at 5-2017 to ensure your pet is up to date on annual diagnostics and vaccinations.

For more information, email the Kwajalein vet tech at kwajaleinveterinary-clinic@internationalsosgs.us.

RMI TRAVEL BAN APPLIES THROUGH JUNE 30, 2021

RMI NOVEL COVID-19 UPDATED INTERIM HEALTH TRAVEL ADVISORY & RESTRICTIONS ISSUANCE 26: AS OF MAY 31, 2021

An extension of the total suspension of international travelers coming into the RMI via air travel will continue until June 30, 2021.

For more information about the Republic of the Marshall Islands Issuance 25, please contact the Commander's Hotline at 5-1098 or the US-AG-KA Host Nation Office at 5-5235.

QUARANTINE DELIVERY SCHEDULE

Effective Monday, June 14, the delivery drop-off schedule for quarantine goods has changed.

The new time for PX drop-offs is 2 p.m. on Mondays. There is no change to the Thursday Surfway delivery schedule. If you would like to send a care package or goods to a recipient in quarantine, please do the following:

- Package your goods securely
- Label goods with the name of the recipient
- Bring goods to the delivery team waiting at the PX and Surfway drop-off sites no later than 15 minutes before scheduled departure times

For more information, contact Amenum-DI Operations Manager Randal Navarre at 5-0773.



For questions about travel and USAG-KA quarantine, Contact your human resources department or call the Commander's Hotline at 5-1098.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

UNITED AIRLINES FLIGHTS

United Airlines has confirmed reinstatement of the full Island Hopper flight schedule. Please note that the travel ban for the Republic of the Marshall Islands is still in effect and all flights are subject to change.

For more information, please contact United Airlines reservations at 1-800-864-8331.

JUNE CHECK-IN TIMES

UA 155 - 3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
UA 154 - 10:45 - 11:15 a.m.

JUNE FLIGHTS

UA 155 - June 7/21 (HNL)
UA 154 - June 8/22 (GUM)

WEEKLY JULY-OCTOBER

Check-In Times
UA 155 - 3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
UA 154 - 10:45 - 11:15 a.m.

WEEKLY JULY-OCTOBER FLIGHTS

Mondays- UA 155 - (HNL)
Tuesdays- UA 154 - (GUM)

GUAM CUSTOMS AND QUARANTINE AGENCY FORM IS NOW ELECTRONIC

Effective June 15, the GUM Customs and Quarantine Agency form has transitioned to an Electronic Declaration Form.

All passengers and crew arriving and processing into the Guam International Airport Main Terminal will fill out the EDF on their mobile devices or desktop computers, 72 hours prior to their arrival into Guam.

United encourages everyone to take advantage of the 3-day eligibility window prior to boarding for a completely touchless entry process with Guam Customs. Links are as follows:

Mobile device link: <https://traveller.guamedf.landing.cards>

Desktop computer: <https://guamedf.landing.cards>

The EDF kiosks are accessible in Guam airport baggage claim area for passenger's convenience.

ATI FLIGHTS

ATI flights now occur on a twice weekly basis. Additional flights are for cargo movement. Check with your ATI flight representative to confirm check-in and flight departure times.

What does this mean for the community?

- Guidelines for incoming passengers remain the same
- Outbound passengers will have more opportunities to depart
- Travel remains official for duty only. Please note the RMI travel ban is still in effect

NEW ATI OUTBOUND SCREENING PROCESS

Effective Wednesday, June 23, the ATI medical screening process has changed.

- You must visit the hospital to complete your medical clearance on the last business day before your flight.
- Monday and Tuesday departures will be screened Saturday from 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

For more information, contact the Kwajalein Hospital at 5-2223.

UXO REMINDER

PUBLIC SAFETY ANNOUNCEMENT

Remember the three Rs of UXO: Recognize an item as possible Unexploded Ordnance. Retreat from the area of the UXO. Report suspected UXO immediately by notifying EOD (5-1433) or CPS (5-4445).

Provide the following information: Location (building #, GPS, landmarks, etc); Size (compared to common items - football, scuba cylinder, etc). Treat UXO like you would treat dangerous sea creatures.

Look but do not touch. For a detailed refresher, please attend the Island Orientation Briefing on the fourth Wednesday of every month.

Kememj R ko 3. Recognize (kile) juon kwopej bajok emaron Bokutan ak kein kabokkolo (UXO). Retreat (Jenliklik) bed ettolok im jab kepaak UXO eo. Report (Ripoot e) boktun ak kein kabokklok eo ien eo emokajtata non EOD ilo nomba kein (5-1433) ak CPS (5-4445).

Ken melele kein: Ia eo (nomba in ijo, GPS, kakolle in ijo, etc.); Jonan (jonan e ibben jet kain mweik - football, taan in turan, etc.). Tiljek kon UXO kein einwot am kojparok menin mour in lojet



ko rekawotata. Kalimjek wot jab jibwe. Non bar kakememj eok, eokwe joutj im koba lok ilo Island Orientation allon otemj.

USAG-KA WEATHER WATCH

RTS WEATHER STATION STAFF

WEATHER DISCUSSION: An active and widespread Intertropical Convergence Zone persists across Eastern Micronesia to finish out the work week. A disturbance within the ITCZ, centered near Pohnpei and Kosrae, will slowly move off to the west with weaker unsettled conditions continuing upstream affecting the atoll with widely scattered to scattered showers on Saturday.

These conditions will begin to settle for the weekend when light trade winds take over making for mostly dry weather. Light showers are possible Monday and for the beginning of the work week due to weak directional wind convergence

but anticipate a relatively dry period for the first half of the week.

SATURDAY: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers. Winds NE-E at 6-11 knots with higher gusts near showers.

SUNDAY: Mostly sunny with stray showers. Winds NE-E at 6-12 knots with occasional higher gusts.

MONDAY: Mostly sunny with isolated showers. Winds ENE-ESE at 7-12 knots.

EARLY NEXT WEEK: Mostly clear/sunny with isolated showers. Winds ENE-E at 8-13 knots with occasional higher gusts, mainly near showers.

| | SUNRISE SUNSET | MOONRISE MOONSET | HIGH TIDE | LOW TIDE |
|------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| SUNDAY | 6:31 a.m. 7:10 p.m. | 2:35 p.m. 2:04 a.m. | 12:03 a.m. 3.2' 12:16 p.m. 3.3' | 6:10 a.m. 1.0' 6:38 p.m. 0.5' |
| MONDAY | 6:32 a.m. 7:10 p.m. | 3:31 p.m. 2:50 a.m. | 1:08 a.m. 3.7' 1:26 p.m. 3.4' | 7:26 a.m. 0.6' 7:34 p.m. 0.2' |
| TUESDAY | 6:32 a.m. 7:10 p.m. | 4:29 p.m. 3:39 a.m. | 2:02 a.m. 4.1' 2:25 p.m. 3.5' | 8:27 a.m. 0.2' 8:24 p.m. 0.0' |
| WEDNESDAY | 6:32 a.m. 7:10 p.m. | 5:33 p.m. 4:33 a.m. | 2:50 a.m. 4.6' 3:17 p.m. 3.6' | 9:19 a.m. -0.2' 9:11 p.m. -0.2' |
| THURSDAY | 6:32 a.m. 7:11 p.m. | 6:38 p.m. 5:32 a.m. | 3:36 a.m. 4.8' 4:05 p.m. 3.6' | 10:08 a.m. -0.4' 9:55 p.m. -0.3' |
| FRIDAY | 6:33 a.m. 7:11 p.m. | 7:43 p.m. 6:34 a.m. | 4:21 a.m. 5.0' 4:51 p.m. 3.6' | 10:53 a.m. -0.6' 10:39 p.m. -0.3' |
| JUNE 26 | 6:33 a.m. 7:11 p.m. | 8:45 p.m. 7:39 a.m. | 5:04 a.m. 5.0' 5:35 p.m. 3.5' | 11:37 a.m. -0.5' 11:22 p.m. -0.2' |



Click the logo to visit RTS Weather online.



U.S. ARMY GARRISON-KWAJALEIN ATOLL CHANGE OF COMMAND



June 30, 2021
9 a.m. at the Fixed Wing Hangar, Bldg. 898
Bucholz Army Airfield



WE'RE HERE BECAUSE THEY GOT HERE FIRST.

HOW OUR NEWSPAPER GOT ITS NAME

THE SHOULDER SLEEVE INSIGNIA OF THE 7TH INFANTRY DIVISION CONSISTS OF TWO BLACK, EQUILATERAL TRIANGLES PLACED VERTICALLY ON A RED CIRCULAR DISC GIVING IT AN HOURGLASS SHAPE.

THE HOURGLASS OF THE INSIGNIA WAS CONSEQUENTLY USED IN THE TITLE OF THE ISLAND NEWSPAPER, THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS.

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GET THE WORD OUT. SEND ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMMUNITY UPDATES AND EVENT FLIERS TO KWAJALEINHOURLASS@DYN-INTL.COM WEDNESDAYS BY 5 P.M.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT USAG-KA PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICER MIKE BRANTLEY AT 5-4848.



CLICK THE 7TH INFANTRY DIVISION LOGO TO CHECK OUT PHOTOS FROM THE KWAJALEIN HOURGLASS ONLINE.