

The SHEPPARD SENATOR

Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, home of the 82nd Training Wing and 80th Flying Training Wing

In the news

Base to hold safety fair

Today is Safety Day. The 82nd Training Wing Safety Office has scheduled several events. Vince and Larry Crash Test Dummies will be at the main gate from 7-7:30 a.m., then they'll go to Sheppard and Tower Elementary Schools. The Sheppard Safety Day Fair is scheduled from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the community center. A military working dog demonstration will take place at 11:30, and awards will be presented at 2:30 p.m. For more safety information, visit the safety office's Web site, <https://webi.sheppard.af.mil/82rsafety/default.htm>, or call 6-2008.

Burkburnett baseball to host military appreciation night

The Burkburnett Blacksox Baseball team will host a military appreciation night Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the Henderson Baseball Field on Kramer Road. Military members get in free with their ID card. Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, will throw the ceremonial first pitch. The Sheppard Honor Guard will present the colors, and Senior Airman Larry Frey, 82nd Medical Operations Squadron, will sing the national anthem.

Officers club to hold brunch

The officers club will hold a brunch Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The cost for members is \$11.95 and the cost for nonmembers is \$14.95. Membership pays! The cost for children ages 6-12 is \$5.95. Children under 5 eat free. All ranks are welcome.



Photo by 2nd Lt. Ellen Harr

Taking a swing

Mr. Daniel Pirrie, Wind Creek Golf Course pro shop staff member, takes a swing out on the course. Both the clubhouse and the course itself were renovated over the winter. For more information on recent improvements to the golf course and programs available there, see Page 14.

SECAF, CSAF send Memorial Day message

By Dr. James Roche and Gen. John Jumper

Secretary of the Air Force and Air Force chief of staff

This Memorial Day, as the flag gracefully soars to the top of the flagpole then solemnly lowers to half-staff, the loss of great Americans who have fallen in our country's battles weighs heavily on our hearts.

Memorial Day is our time to salute their sacrifices and remember their dedication to duty. We remember their humanity, dignity and nobility. We remember their laughter, their tears and their determination to serve a grateful nation.

This Memorial Day is indeed somber because members of our ranks have recently fallen in battle. They are the mothers and fathers of children who will forever mourn their absence, the sons and daughters of parents who grieve their death, the husbands and wives of spouses who yearned for their return, and heroes to us all. Their sacrifice is fresh in our minds as we pay tribute to their memory. They served valiantly to secure freedom for millions who have never tasted the liberties we enjoy every day. Our nation's humble tribute this Memorial Day is a small measure of our enduring gratitude for their service.

From the Revolutionary War to the ongoing Global War on Terrorism, each generation that has answered our nation's call to arms has served with honor. Those who serve in our military are a part of a long tradition of sacrifice; those who give their lives are the standard-bearers for us all.

As is our earnest obligation, we accept the mantle of responsibility to uphold freedom from our fallen comrades and march forward, forever mindful of their sacrifice. God bless all who have gone before and made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom. And may God continue to bless each of you and our great nation.



Team Sheppard Training 2003



82nd Training Wing: 25,872 students trained to replenish America's combat capability

80th Flying Training Wing: 75 combat pilots trained for the NATO Alliance



Action Line 6-2000, action.line@sheppard.af.mil



Photo by Mr. Mike McKito

Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, accepts a \$1,000 check from Mr. Jerry Bettenhausen, Work Services Corporation president. The money is to help purchase new furnishings for the Sheppard Heritage Center.

The 82nd Training Wing's Action Line is your direct line to me for any concerns and suggestions you have.

I am personally involved in every reply, and I am committed to making Sheppard Air Force Base a better place to live, work and play.

Before you call the Action Line, however, I ask that you give your chain of command or other base agencies an opportunity to work your concerns. If you still do not receive a satisfactory response, call me at 6-2000, or send an e-mail to

action_line@sheppard.af.mil. Please include your name and telephone number.

Those concerns with a wide impact at Sheppard may be published in *The Sheppard Senator*.

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Posting cab fare at visitors center

Question: I recently transported several sergeants from billeting to the visitors center, so they could catch a cab to the airport. They related to me that coming into Sheppard they were charged anywhere from \$5 to \$9 for a trip from the airport to the visitors center. One sergeant said it cost him \$15 to get from the mall to the base.

My suggestion: we post the cab fares at the visitors center, so our military members know how much trips to the airport, bus station and mall are supposed to cost them.

Answer: Great idea! We've compiled the below list of price estimates for various destinations, starting from the base visitors center. Keep in mind that these prices are only estimates. We will print this sign to be posted at the visitors center.

Pedestrian crossings

Question: It has come to my attention from driving along D and E Avenues in the vicinity of Bldg. 716 and Chapel 810 that a potentially hazardous condition may exist at the two pedestrian

crossings on these streets.

- Some conditions I have observed:
 - The posted speed limit along these streets is 35 mph.
 - Occasional pedestrian traffic does exist at these crossings.
 - Both crossings have one sign on the right side of the right lane.
 - The crossings are not adequately lighted for night visibility.
 - The markings on the pavement are faded due to vehicle traffic.
- Some possible suggestions to consider:
 - Reduce the speed limit to 25 mph along these streets.
 - Repaint and reflectorize the crossing markings on the pavement.
 - Install a second sign on the left side of each street at the crossing.
 - Install another sign to warn motorists of a pedestrian crossing ahead.
 - Install a "press button to cross" pole with a caution or stop light on each side of each street to allow safe crossing for pedestrians.

Answer: We recognize that parking in base housing is an issue. To this end, we are working on plans to construct additional designated parking spaces in the housing areas. Security Forces have been instructed to pay particular attention to situations where vehicles parked in base housing present an unsafe situation.

In the meantime, for housing areas where no marked parking spaces exist, parallel parking along the edge of roads is permitted with the following restrictions: not on the grass or other seeded area; within 15 feet of a trash dumpster, intersection, or fire hydrant; or within 25 feet of a crosswalk.

Additionally, your concern has been forwarded to the Installation Safety Council and Traffic Working Group for their action.

project to be designed and awarded by the 82nd CES saber section This project has been funded, and you will see construction in the near future. Thanks for your concern about the safety of Sheppard personnel.

Parking on both sides of Orion

Question: I live on Orion and driving up and down the street has become a nightmare. People parking on both sides of the road is a wreck waiting to happen. When driving up and down the road, it is hard to see the other cars that are coming. What, if anything, can be done to solve this situation?

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Cab Fares

	BUS	TAXI
Sikes Senter Mall	\$1	\$15
Municipal Airport		\$6
Hamilton Building	75¢	\$9
Lucy Park	75¢	\$10
North WalMart		\$7
Lake Wichita		\$18
Kickapoo Airport	75¢	\$14
Midwestern State University	75¢	\$15
Memorial Stadium	75¢	\$16
La Vista Golf Course		\$7
Iowa Park		\$21
Burkburnett		\$23

82nd Training Wing commander

Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr.

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Memorial Day time to pause, remember

By Gen. Donald Cook

Commander, Air Education and Training Command

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas — Each year before Memorial Day, officials representing the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund hire workers to inscribe additional names on the black, granite memorial in Washington D.C. This year, the name Donald S. Carson, a staff sergeant who died from injuries due to an aircraft accident in Thailand in 1963, was added.

Sergeant Carson's name is just one of 58,235 inscribed on the monument — a tribute to just one of many conflicts in which Americans have died while fighting for freedom and democracy around the world.

Each year we set aside a day of remembrance for our fallen comrades like Sergeant Carson. Their sacrifice spans generations. On May 26 this year we will commemorate Memorial

Day to remember all we have gained and lost in our nation's wars.

Much has happened since last year's somber day. Our Armed Forces have just participated in an amazing campaign in Iraq, ending decades of tyranny against that country's people. As we celebrate their liberation, let's take the time to remember the cost of that victory as more than 100 men and women gave their lives and hundreds more were injured.

We're also mourning those who made the ultimate sacrifice in other parts of the world. People like Airman 1st Class Raymond Losano, who was killed during a firefight April 25 near the Pakistan border. He died fighting in the War on Terrorism.

As in every war throughout history, each of these fine Americans had a family back home, praying for their safe return. We can only hope their families are comforted by the knowledge their loved ones died in a noble

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Gen. Donald Cook

effort.

Memorial Day is a well-deserved extended weekend for most of our service members, but as you spend this time with family and friends I urge you

to take a moment to reflect and remember those who have fought in wars past and those currently serving in far-off places. Honor them by always remembering.

Memorial Day marks beginning of 101 critical days of summer

By Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr.

82nd Training Wing commander

The "101 critical days of summer" safety campaign, Memorial Day through Labor Day, begins Monday.

This year's campaign runs through Sept. 1. Experience shows a significant increase in off-duty mishaps between Memorial Day and Labor Day. It's a time when we start thinking about kids being out of school, summer vacations and increased outdoor activities.

In addition, the "on the road again" fever adds exposure that we haven't involved ourselves in since last Labor Day. This is the time when we need to place extra emphasis on the personal well-being of our families and ourselves. We must make safety awareness a part of our everyday lives — on and off duty.

Unfortunately, this is also a time when some of us tend to put safety on the back burner, allowing vulnerability to mishaps. The following suggestions will help make this critical time of year safer.

If you plan on taking a vaca-

tion, allow yourself plenty of time to plan out the trip ahead of time. Remember, fatigue is a major cause of highway accidents. Get enough rest before you leave, and don't start a long-distance drive after you've just completed a full duty day. One very important step is to stop and rest every two to three hours when traveling long distances. Remember, we want you to "arrive alive."

One way to avoid injury this summer is to constantly assess your activities and take steps to ensure your work and play environments are free of obvious hazards. Before beginning any sporting activity, prepare by stretching your muscles and slowly increasing your heart rate. Don't become another mishap statistic; know your limitations.

Summer events and social gatherings often lead to alcohol use that affects behavior and judgment. If you indulge, be responsible and don't drink and drive. Supervisors must take time to stress safe practices to their workers. Ensure each member is aware of the increased risks associated with



Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr.

the 101 critical days of summer. Special emphasis should be given to younger members who may not have the experience to deal with some situations.

No matter what you plan to do this summer, I encourage you to prepare for this high-risk season. Don't let inattention, speeding, alcohol, fatigue or failure to use seat belts ruin your or your family's summer. Practice risk management in every activity. Think before doing. Have a safe and enjoyable summer.

Chief master Sergeant of the Air Force sends Memorial Day message

By Chief Master Sgt. Gerald Murray

Chief master sergeant of the Air Force

America remembers. We remember the names and faces of fallen heroes of past and current wars, and we honor them by setting aside a day to memorialize their sacrifice. This sacred tradition binds us together as a nation that lives in freedom today because of those who died in battle yesterday.

This Memorial Day, many Americans will visit the graves of loved ones who died for their country — a father, husband, son, brother, mother, daughter, sister, wife. The flowers they bring and the thoughts they think will bring back joyful memories, and the pain of loss.

Others will attend Memorial Day services not because they lost a loved one, but in gratitude for the

freedom they enjoy because of the heroes willing to fight and die to preserve it.

As airmen in the U.S. Air Force, take time this Memorial Day to remember your recently fallen brethren who laid down their lives in the Global War on Terrorism and in Operation Iraqi Freedom:

- Maj. William Watkins
- Maj. Gregory Stone
- Capt. Eric Das
- Tech. Sgt. John Chapman
- Staff Sgt. Scott Sather
- Staff Sgt. Patrick Griffin

— Staff Sgt. Jacob Frazier

— Senior Airman Jason Cunningham

— Airman 1st Class Raymond Losano

You carry the torch these brave Americans lit. Continue to carry it proudly. As a nation, and as comrades in arms, it's important that we remember.

AETC policy of traveling in blues resumed

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas (AETCNS) – Air Education and Training Command has returned to its previous policy of members wearing their military uniforms when on official travel, the command announced May 15.

The requirement was suspended March 18 at the outset of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The policy, originally enacted April 29, 2002, has been reinstated.

According to the policy, airmen of all ranks in AETC will wear a blue service uniform, with either a short- or long-sleeve shirt including tie or tab, when traveling on temporary duty at government expense in the continental United States. Members have the option of wearing the lightweight blue or leather jacket.

The policy contains the following exceptions, and people may wear civilian attire when:

-- Members with a confirmed flight upgrade under the Congressionally approved frequent-traveler benefits program. Members are reminded they may not accept on-the-spot upgrades when in uniform.

-- Conditions, such as long trips with extended layovers, would result in a less than professional appearance.

The uniform wear policy will also be reconsidered based on the continuing threat when in Force Protection Condition Charlie or higher.

Before traveling overseas, people must consult the Department of Defense Foreign Clearance Guide for uniform wear travel restrictions and should comply accordingly.



Photo by Ms. Sandy Wassenmiller

Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, and Col. Ralph Jodice, 80th Flying Training Wing commander, cut the cake together at the Armed Forces Day cake cutting ceremony.

Armed Forces Week concludes

By Ms. Lynn Gonzales

Base public communication

Armed Forces Week concluded Sunday.

The theme for this year's Armed Forces Week was "A Force for Freedom."

The week included four events and activities: Armed Forces Week sports challenge, the Armed Forces Day cookout, a multi-service parade and the Armed Forces Day cake-cutting ceremony.

During the sports challenge, several tournaments took place. An Armed Forces volleyball tournament was held at the south fitness center. Then, an Armed Forces softball tournament took place May 16 through Saturday at Field 1.

There were three Armed Forces Week events on May 16.

A cookout started at 4 p.m. and ran through 8 p.m. at the community center. There were outdoor activities and a disc

jockey.

The Armed Forces Day cake-cutting ceremony was held at the community center at 3:30 p.m. Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, and Col. Ralph Jodice, 80th Flying Training Wing commander, cut the cake.

Then, the multi-service parade was held at 4:30 p.m. on the parade grounds. A mayoral "Armed Forces Day" proclamation was presented.

Asian Pacific Islander month continues

By Airman 1st Class

Pamela Lampert

Base public communication

The events of Asian Pacific Islander month continue here through the end of May.

The base library is scheduled to hold a story time on Asian Pacific Islander culture Tuesday from 10:30-11 a.m.

The Asian Pacific Islander Committee has also planned a luau May 30 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at the enlisted club ballroom and Bunker Hill pool.

Dress for the event is casual or native attire. The luau will include cultural dancing, a martial arts demonstration, a limbo contest, door prizes, post-event swim time and many different types of food.

The luau menu includes sushi rolls, red rice, lumpia, Thai beef curry, pansit, yaka tori, chicken adobo, stir-fried vegetables with oyster sauce, kimchi, sum tum and roasted pig.

Cost for the luau is \$12 per person.



Photo by Mr. T. R. Steele

Members of the Asian Pacific Islander and Hispanic Heritage Committees serve up cultural dishes in the Taste of Culture Cookoff at the community center April 30.

Chapel to hold Couples Ministry Spring Retreat

Protestant Religious Education will hold the annual Couples Ministry Spring Retreat Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the south chapel. The retreat will focus on teaching the four principles of how couples communicate with one another. There will be a continental breakfast and romantic lunch. The event is free, and the base community is invited to attend and be blessed by guest speakers Rev. Vincent and Dianne Lewis of Denver, Colo. To RSVP or for more information, call Mrs. Jan Taylor at 6-8321.

Family support center sponsors essay contest

The base family support center is sponsoring an essay contest in honor of Military Spouse Appreciation Month. Essays on the topic, "What Being a Military Spouse Means to Me," must be submitted by 10 a.m. on Thursday to the family support center at Bldg. 796 on I Avenue. Prizes will be awarded to the top five essays. The writer of the winning essay will receive a \$100 gift certificate to the commissary, and the essay will be published in the

June 6 edition of *The Sheppard Senator*. The other four finalists will each receive a \$30 gift card. For more information, contact Ms. Tanya Hawks, family support center, at 6-4358.

Manpower office to have lunch and learn

The 82nd Training Wing Manpower Office will hold a lunch and learn Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the officers club. The topic will be priorities and leadership for success. The guest speaker will be Mr. John Bridgman, the author of a book on principles of success for business. Contact Tech. Sgt. Kevin Keehnen at 6-7317 for more information.

JETS to hold pump-a-thon

The Sheppard Junior Enlisted Troops Service will hold a pump-a-thon at the shoppette by the base exchange on May 30 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This pump-a-thon will support JETS, JETS Airmen Against Drunk Driver Volunteers and the base NCO induction ceremony to be held in August. JETS is a tri-service organization geared toward the grooming of Sheppard's airmen basic to technical sergeants. For

more information about this fundraiser or the JETS organization, contact Staff Sgt. Nonika Allen at 6-6931.

AETC policy mandates driving with headlights

Air Education and Training Command's policy to drive with headlights on during periods of inclement weather regardless of the time of day is now in effect. For more information about safety policies, call the 82nd Training Wing Safety Office at 6-4149.

Registration for ASCS seminar starts

Recruitment for the next on-base Air Command and Staff College 11-month seminar is now underway. People who are eligible include major or major selectees of all service components and civilians who are GS-11 and above. Interested personnel can enroll in this seminar until the organizational meeting that will be during the week of Aug. 4. Individuals should complete the enrollment application and enroll early to ensure their course materials arrive prior to the first seminar meeting. Enrollments should be at the education services center

prior to July 2 to ensure materials arrive in time. Visit the education services center in Bldg. 402, Room 306, to complete application and enroll or call 6-6231 for more information.

ERAU summer registration underway

Registration for the Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Summer Term is currently underway and will continue through May 30. The term dates are June 2 to Aug. 1. Visit the office or call 851-6458 for further information regarding application and course schedules.

MGIB transfer option still available

The MGIB transfer option test period for the Air Force test program ends Sept. 30. The test program allows officers and airmen with designated critical skills and years of service the opportunity to transfer up to half of their MGIB benefits to their spouse and/or children. Up to 18 months of MGIB educational benefits may be transferred. To take advantage of this transfer option, eligible members must decide and make a declaration of choice. They must

complete a DD Form 2366-2 with the education services center and appropriate military personnel flight activities before the test period ends. For more information, visit the education services center in Bldg. 402, Room 306, and talk with a guidance counselor, or call 6-6231 to make a Friday appointment.

Summer hours change for MSU

Midwestern State University's Sheppard office in Bldg. 402, Room 340, will be operating at different hours until Aug. 22. The office will be open 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday. The office will be closed on Fridays. Contact Ms. Delores Jackson, MSU military outreach coordinator, at 855-4491 for more information.

Vernon College changes to summer hours

Vernon College will change their on-base administrative office hours for the summer until Aug. 15. The office will be open Monday through Thursday from 7:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m. and will be closed on Fridays. Call 855-2203 for more information.

Student Activities

Happenings on base and in the community

Student center events

Every Monday, 6-8 p.m. - jam session, bring your own instrument/equipment, free.

Every Tuesday, 5-9 p.m. - Video Night in the pub, free.

Every Wednesday, 7-9 p.m. - Variety Dance Night in the pub. Listen to Latin, hip-hop and R&B music, free.

Every Thursday, 7-9 p.m. - Karaoke Night, free.

Every Friday and Saturday, 7 p.m.-1 a.m. Club BDU dance, \$3 per person.

Every Sunday, 3-5 p.m. - billiards tournament in the ballroom, \$2 per person.

Hours of Operation

Monday-Thursday: 10:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Friday and Saturday: 10:30 a.m. to 1 a.m.

Sunday: Noon to 10 p.m.

Holidays: Noon to 8 p.m.

Red River Café Hours of Operation

Wednesday and Thursday: 4:30-10 p.m.

Friday and Saturday: 11 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Sunday and Holidays: Noon to 9 p.m.

Club BDU to celebrate Memorial Day with special dance

The student center will hold a special Club BDU Memorial Day dance Sunday from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. There will be DJ music for hours of dancing. Call 6-7659 for more information.

Center to show cards, collectibles

A cards and collectibles show will be held on the first Saturday of every month from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the student center. The next one is June 7. The show is free. For more information, call 6-7659.

Chapel events

Sheppard chapels offer a variety of programs for student enrichment:

Saturday

All students are invited to the "Solid Rock Cafe" held each Saturday at the south chapel. Dinner is served at 5 p.m., and a variety of scheduled activities take place from 3-9 p.m.

Sunday

Students are invited to the north chapel at 5 p.m. on Sundays for Bible study, an informal get-together with refreshments and student-led music, ending with athletic activities at the north fitness center.

Community center events

Free table tennis classes offered

Free classes are held every Monday and Friday. Professional tournament instructors are available. For more information, call 6-3866.

Community center to hold pool tournament

Pool tournaments are held every Saturday at 2 p.m. The fee is \$2 per person. There will be first- and second-place trophies. Call 6-3866 for more information.

Center provides free video night

The community center has a free video night every night beginning at 5 p.m. with the big screen TV at the lounge on the second floor.

People can watch a movie of their choice from a wide selection. For more information, call 6-3866.

Other events Dining facilities celebrate birthdays with dinner

Students who are having a birthday this month and are on subsistence in kind are invited to celebrate their birthdays on the Friday of their choice for dinner. Contact the cashier to pick up a birthday card registration form.

Students should indicate their entree choice and when they want to celebrate. Students can contact the dining facility manager/supervisor, or call 6-2080 for more information.

For movie show times and general activities at Services facilities, see Sheppard Scenes on Page 16.



Courtesy photo

Street sheets

Students from the 364th Training Squadron race a bed they decorated in a past Memorial Day celebration. This year's Memorial Day Bash will take place Monday in the central park, located on the north side of the student center. The event will be open to all non-prior service students. For more information, call 6-2491.

Sgt. Looksharp says...



"PC attire will not be worn to base facilities such as the post office, dining facilities and the base exchange, but is authorized to and from the gym. Airmen in phase III or higher may wear clean PC attire with civilian clothes. Ref: AETCI 36-2216/2AF Sup 1, para 6.8.13.1."



Courtesy photo

Members of the Air Force Band of the West's Dimensions in Blue jazz ensemble perform at a recent concert. The group will give a free concert at the Burkburnett Friendship Park Amphitheatre Saturday from 7-8:30 p.m. They will perform a variety of music, including the classics of Duke Ellington, Count Basie and Woody Herman, and the more contemporary sounds of Rob McConnell, Bob Mintzer and Frank Mantooth.

Dimensions in Blue to perform in Burkburnett

By Ms. Lynn Gonzales

Base public communication

Dimensions in Blue, the Air Force Band of the West's jazz ensemble, will perform a concert Saturday from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Burkburnett Friendship Park Amphitheatre.

The free performance is open to the public.

The jazz ensemble will perform a wide variety of music ranging from the classics of Duke Ellington, Count Basie, and Woody Herman, to the more contemporary sounds of Rob McConnell, Bob Mintzer, and Frank Mantooth.

The group performs in high schools, colleges and media-sponsored tours throughout Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Louisiana. They have

been featured at the Texas Jazz Festival, the Texas Bandmasters Association Convention, the International Association of Jazz Educators Convention, the Corpus Christi Jazz Festival, the Galveston Jazz Festival and San Antonio's Fiesta in Blue.

Dimensions in Blue will feature Tech. Sgt. Don Marchand, trombonist and band leader, who has performed with Burt Bacharach, Natalie Cole, Bob Hope, The Four Seasons and the Nashville Contemporary Pops Orchestra.

The group's twelve musicians perform an average of 100 performances annually, entertaining more than 500,000 people and logging over 20,000 miles of travel each year.



Courtesy photo

Sheppard members receive the Pitsenbarger Award at the Community College of the Air Force graduation April 25.

Sheppard members receive Pitsenbarger Award

Eight Sheppard members were awarded the Pitsenbarger Award at the Community College of the Air Force graduation on April 25.

The award included a \$400 check for each person.

The winners are Staff Sgt. Ruben Alaniz, 365th Training Squadron; Staff Sgt. Jeffrey Andrews, 362nd Training Squadron; Staff Sgt. Timothy Fogleman, 82nd Security Forces Squadron; Staff Sgt. Gerardo Herrera, 365th Training Squadron; Tech. Sgt. Albert Peinado, 383rd Train-

ing Squadron; Staff Sgt. Christian Price, 365th TRS; Tech. Sgt. Douglas Scalf, 381st Training Squadron; and Mr. Donald Stroud, 362nd TRS. *(Courtesy of the base education office)*

Sheppard chaplain recognized by AETC

A Sheppard chaplain received major command-level recognition recently.

Chaplain (1st Lt.) Robert Schobert, base chapel, was named Outstanding Company Grade Officer in the 2002 Air Education and Training Command Chaplain Service annual awards.



Courtesy photo

Country star

Chris Cagle, a country music star, will perform June 14 at Sheppard's Centennial Air Power Celebration, the air show and open house commemorating the Wright Brothers' first flight. Katrina Elam, an up and coming country western singer, will open the concert. In addition to the concert, the celebration will feature a variety of aerial demonstrations and activities throughout the open house weekend June 14-15, including a show on Sunday by the Air Force's premier aerial demonstration squadron, the Thunderbirds.

For more information about the air power celebration, watch for coverage in *The Sheppard Senator*, or check out www.sheppard.af.mil/airshow.

Officers' spouses' club awards scholarships

The Sheppard Officers' Spouses' Club awarded ten college, junior college and vocational bound student scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 each on May 14.

The recipients were Katheran Pritz, Heather Cummings Wagner, Elizabeth Nacol, Joseph Yehle, Amy Wenk, Brent Howard, Gregory Morgan Rose, Anna Delozier, Susan Rueschenberg and Keri White.

In addition, Krystal Blankenship was selected to receive a \$1,000 grant from the First Command Educational Foundation Scholarship. *(Courtesy of the officers' spouses' club).*



Photo by Mr. T. R. Steele

The officers' spouses' club scholarship winners pose with Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, and Col. Ralph Jodice, 80th Flying Training Wing commander, at the officers' spouses' club awards reception May 14.

13 senior airmen graduate Airman Leadership School Class 03-E

By Ms. Lynn Gonzales
Base public communication

Thirteen Team Sheppard airmen graduated from the Airman Leadership School Class 03-E May 2.

Senior Airman AnnaMaria Brown, 82nd Medical Operations Squadron, earned top honors with the John L. Levitow Award.

The John L. Levitow Award is presented to the student who exceeded all academic standards and demonstrates leadership ability, teamwork, attitude and military bearing.

Senior Airman Larry Bandy, 82nd Communication Squadron, earned the Leadership Award.

The Leadership Award is given to the student who, according to the ALS flight chief, makes the most significant contribution to the overall class success.

Michael Indence, 366th Training Squadron, was awarded the Academic Achievement Award.

The Academic Achievement Award denotes excellence as a scholar. It is awarded based on the objectives and performance evaluation scores for the class. Other graduates were Senior Airmen Georgianna Alvarez, 372nd Training Squadron; Herbert Bates Jr., 82nd Civil Engineer Squadron; Adam Bauernfeind, 80th Operations Support Squadron; James Booker, 82nd Security Forces Squadron; Bemelis Brundidge, 82nd Mission Support Squadron; Amanda Burns, 364th Training Squadron; Travis Guthmiller, 80th OSS; Edward Jordan Jr., 82nd CES; Brandi Martin, 82nd MSS; and Justin Nacol, 361st Training Squadron.

101 Critical Days of Summer

Tip of the Week - Safe habits easy to learn, practice

By Ms. Charlan Towsley
82nd Training Wing Safety Office

Are safe habits easy to learn? There are several safe practices and conditions that impact a person's safety attitude. How do people tell if they're safety conscious? A person's answers to the following questions will determine the level of safety consciousness. - Do I read labels before using chemicals? Usually, once in a while, or never - Do I use the right equipment for my task, even when it takes longer? Usually, once in a while, or never - Is my home equipped with a fire extinguisher designed for the proper requirement?

Yes or No - Are emergency phone numbers posted where all employees and family members can easily find them? Yes or No - Do I ensure that electrical cables and wires are in good condition? Usually, once in a while, or never - Do I disconnect plugs from outlets by pulling on the plug, not on the wire? Usually, once in a while, or never - Do I stay focused on the task at hand? Usually, once in a while, or never - Do I report a situation that might be dangerous when I see it? Usually, once in a while, or never Remember to change the things within your control and help keep yourself, your fellow workers and your family members safe.

Soundoff

What do you like best about the newly remodeled Wind Creek Golf Course?



"I like the whole atmosphere of the golf course, especially the clubhouse and snackbar." ~ Staff Sgt. David Krishner, Peoria, Illinois Air National Guard



"The greens are much nicer. The grass is about a hundred times better than last year thanks to the new irrigation system." ~ Tech. Sgt. Michael Muraco, 361st Training Squadron



"I like the new atmosphere in the clubhouse. It was too dark before. Now you can really see." ~ Mr. John Galloway, Air Force retiree



"I like the remodeled snackbar and clubhouse. Plus, the new sprinkler system is great." ~ Tech. Sgt. Clifford Jones, 364th Training Squadron



Golf carts are available to rent at Wind Creek Golf Course.

Base golf course, *swings* into summer

By 2nd Lt. Ellen Harr

Base public communication

After 46 years at Sheppard, the Wind Creek Golf Course is sporting a new look.

Although the 18-hole course has been here for almost half a century, it now has a newly remodeled clubhouse and new irrigation system. The clubhouse offers golfers a snack bar, which serves breakfast and lunch, a full-service pro shop and an adjacent driving range.

"Everything is new here. From end to end on the inside, the whole pro shop is new from top to bottom. We have all new furnishings, including more upscale mahogany wood and new point of sale computers to help us better serve our clients," said Mr. Edward Galvan, golf course manager. "The clubhouse snack bar was very dark before. Now we have a different look – new furnishings, many lights and televisions hung to create a sports bar atmosphere."

According to Mr. Galvan, the changes to the course itself are subtle in nature.

"As a whole, the course has maintained its character. However, we were able to finish a \$1.7 million irrigation system to improve the playing surface," he said. "We actually use less water, and we have more control to place water where we want it. We use effluent water, so we have all the water we need available to us."

The Wind Creek Golf Course also offers a driving range that features a new sunshade to protect golfers from the summer heat.

"It helps you stay out of the sun quite a bit," said Mr. Galvan. "Even when it gets extremely hot, you will be cool enough to hit balls on the driving range."

Fees for the golf course are scaled based on rank and can be paid on a daily or yearly basis. The Wind Creek Golf Course also offers monthly TDY passes, two types of advance green fee plans, golf carts, club rentals, junior rates and guest passes.

The Wind Creek tree logo is also new. It's based on a tree that can

be found on the 12th hole of the course.

"You'll find the new logo on everything from clothing to golf repair tools, balls, golf bag labels and towels," said Mr. Galvan. "Everything is available through our pro shop, along with new services, such as club re-gripping and digital swing analysis, which allows us to study an individual's swing and recommend the proper clubs."

In addition to the many services offered by the pro shop, the snack bar offers an expanded menu.

"Our menu has changed a lot. We have nine different combo meals – everything from Philly cheese steak to salads and wings, fresh juices for breakfast and a cappuccino machine."

The clubhouse begins serving breakfast at 7 a.m. and remains open until 4 p.m. during the summer, but hours change seasonally. Combo meals include French fries and a beverage.

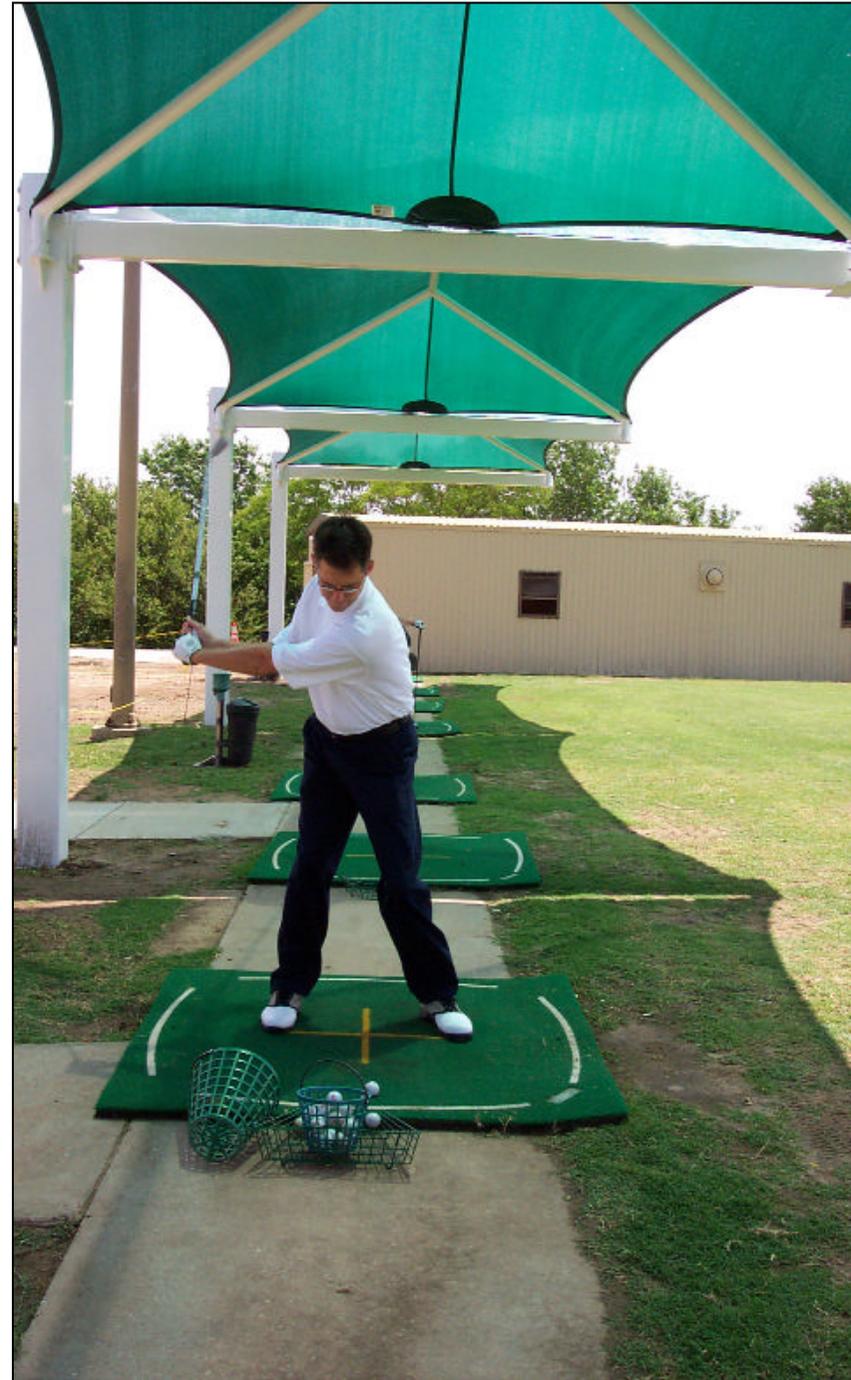
The Wind Creek Golf Course also offers golf instruction to all levels of golfers and has three golf pros on staff. Two popular golf programs for beginning golfers are the AETC-sponsored Golf 101 and Youth Golf programs.

"In Golf 101, we get people who don't know anything about the game into golf. We teach them from the moment they come into the parking lot until the time they walk off the course," said Mr. Galvan. "We show them everything and make them more comfortable on the course."

Sign-ups for the Youth Golf program begin June 2. The program is for children ages 6 and older and will take place in July. There are separate sessions for children without previous experience and children who have participated in the past. Registration fees are \$54.95 for first-time participants and \$25 for children who have participated before. The fees include a week of instruction, clubs and bag for first-timers, shirt, hat and tournament play.

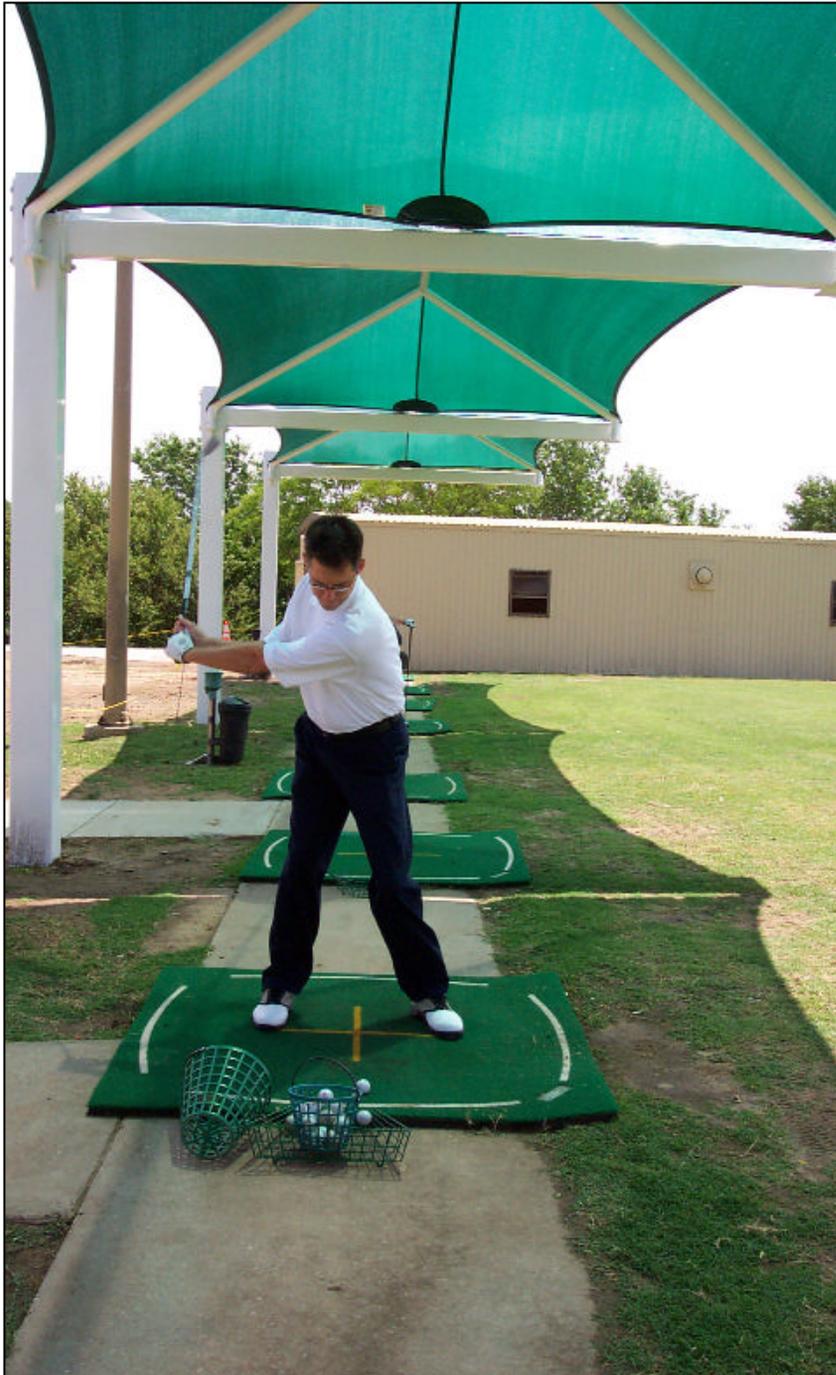
"It's a really good program," said Mr. Galvan. "This will be our third year participating, and we hope to have 100 kids participate in our junior program this summer."

For more information on the Wind Creek Golf Course and upcoming tournaments and programs, contact the pro shop at 6-6369.



Mr. Daniel Pirrie, Wind Creek Golf Course pro shop staff member, hits a few balls on the driving range. The driving range is now equipped with new sunshades to protect golfers from the summer heat.





Photos by 2nd Lt. Ellen Harr

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Capt. Rainier Tanglao, 82nd Communications Squadron, and his daughter Janelle eat lunch in the golf course snack bar.



The Wind Creek Golf Course has undergone several renovations recently.



Staff Sgt. Brad Boland, 365th Training Squadron, takes a swing.

General activities

Free movie showings to play at base theater

The base theater will have free showings of the movie "The Italian Job" Saturday at 9 p.m. and Sunday at 7 p.m. Tickets are required. The movie stars Mark Wahlberg as Charlie, the head of a robbery crew that stages a traffic jam in order to steal back a safe filled with gold that had been stolen by a double-crossing associate, played by Edward Norton. Donald Sutherland plays the pivotal role of Charlie's mentor and father to Charlie's love interest, Stella, played by Charlize Theron. Seth Green plays Lyle, a computer whiz who is part of Charlie's crew, and Franky G. and Mos Def also star as members of the crew. See "At the Flicks" box for a complete list of movies and showtimes.

Lake Texoma to rock Memorial Day weekend

Sheppard Annex Lake Texoma will have a Memorial Day weekend celebration Saturday from 8 p.m. to midnight. The Double Shot band will perform in the lodge from 7-11 p.m., playing a variety of music including the 50s, country and 70s rock. The bar will also be open. Call (903) 523-4613 for more information.

Dining halls to have Memorial Day lunch special

Dining halls 516, 726 and 1368 will have a Memorial Day lunch special Monday from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. For more information, call food service at 6-7226.

Give Parents a Break Program to hold session in June

The Give a Parents a Break Program is being held at the child development center the first Saturday of every month from 1-5 p.m. The next session is June 7. Those eligible to use the program include parents of children 6 weeks through 5 years old whose spouse is deployed, on extended TDY or required to work extended shifts. Also included are those parents who have been experiencing extenuating family circumstances such as the birth of a baby, serious illness of a family member, death in the family or extended illness of a family member. Register two weeks in advance or call to check on availability. The last day to register is the Wednesday before the Saturday session. Call 6-2038 for more information or dates.

Club activities

Dart tournament to hit enlisted club

The enlisted club will hold a dart tournament Tuesday starting at 7 p.m. A minimum of 10 people will compete. For more information, call 6-2083.

Officers club to offer two-for-one prime, wine

The officers club will serve a prime and wine meal today from 5:30-8 p.m. The meal includes two 10 oz. ribs with two glasses of wine. Cost for members is \$16.95, and cost for non-members is \$19.95. Membership pays! All ranks are welcome. Call the officers club at 6-6460 for more information.

Enlisted club now closed on Sundays

The enlisted club is now closed on Sundays. For more information, call the enlisted club at 6-2083.

Officers club to serve King Neptune buffet

The officers club will serve a King Neptune buffet May 30 from 5:30-8 p.m. All ranks are welcome. Cost is \$16.95 for members and \$24.95 for non-members. Membership pays! Call the officers club at 6-6460 for more information.

Base clubs to close for Memorial Day

The officers and enlisted clubs will be closed Monday for Memorial Day. They will reopen during normal hours May 27. Call 6-6460 or 6-2083 for more information.

Officers club has daily lunch specials

The officers club has daily lunch specials Monday through Friday. Cost is \$5.95 for members and \$7.95 for non-members. Membership pays! On Mondays, they serve a country lunch. Tuesday is Italian. Wednesday is Texas style. Thursday is Mexican, and Friday is seafood. Call the officers club at 6-6460 for more information.

Upcoming trips, show ITT planning upcoming trips in June

ITT is planning several trips for the month of June. Call 6-6210 for more information about any of these trips.

June 7 – Polar Ice and Gameworks at Grapevine Mills, \$43 per person. Register by June 3. Departs at 9 a.m. from the community center. Tour includes round trip transportation, ice skating at Polar Ice and \$30 game card for Gameworks. It will return to base at 7 p.m.

June 14 – Hurricane Harbor, cost is \$32 per person. Register by June 9. Departs at 8 a.m. from the community center. Tour includes round trip transportation and water park admission. It will return to base at 7 p.m.

June 28 – Six Flags Over Texas, cost is \$40 per person. Register by June 23. Departs at 7 a.m. from the community center. Tour includes round trip transportation and theme park admission. It will return to base at 8 p.m.

At the Flicks

Friday 6:30 p.m.

Chicago

Friday 9 p.m.

A Man Apart

Saturday 2 p.m.

Chicago

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

The Hours

Saturday 7 p.m.

Phone Booth

Saturday 9 p.m. (Free Show)

The Italian Job

Sunday 2 p.m.

Head of State

Sunday 4:30 p.m.

Phone Booth

Sunday 7 p.m. (Free Show)

The Italian Job

Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Basic

This schedule is subject to change without notice. For more information, call 6-4427.

Chicago (PG-13) – Renée Zellweger, Catherine Zeta-Jones – When Roxie kills her lover, she, like the infamous Velma, ends up in prison. Billy, the notorious lawyer, postpones Velma's court date to take on Roxie's case, and turns Roxie's crime of passion into celebrity headlines. The two women stop at nothing to outdo each other in their obsessive pursuit of fame.

Phone Booth (R) – Colin Farrell, Forest Whitaker – What do you do when you hear a ringing public

phone? You know it's a wrong number, but instinct forces you to pick it up. A ringing phone demands to be answered, but when Stu Shepard takes the call, he finds himself hurried into a tortuous game. Hang up, says the caller, and you're dead.

Head of State (PG-13) – Chris Rock, Bernie Mac – When a presidential candidate dies unexpectedly, Washington, D.C. alderman, Mays Gilliam, a complete unknown, is thrust into the international spotlight of presidential politics.

Chapel Schedule

Student programs

Tuesday, 11 a.m. and 4:15 p.m., chapel rope meeting, North Chapel

Saturday, 3-9 p.m., Solid Rock Cafe, South Chapel

Saturday, 3 p.m., Marriage Group, South Chapel

Sunday, 5 p.m., Sunday Evening Gathering, North Chapel

Catholic activities

Mass

Saturday, 5 p.m., North Chapel

Sunday, 9 a.m., North Chapel

Sunday, noon, North Chapel

Mon.-Fri., 11:30 a.m., North Chapel

Reconciliation

Saturday, 4-4:30 p.m., North Chapel

Protestant activities

Worship services

Sunday, 10:30 a.m., Inspirational Gospel Service, South Chapel

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Protestant Community Service, North Chapel

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Protestant Holy Communion Service, Hospital Chapel

Wednesday, 7 p.m., Adult Book

Study and Compline, Hospital Chapel
Religious education

Sunday, 9 a.m., classes for ages 3 to adult, Bldg. 962

Bible studies

Tuesday, 6 p.m., Protestant Bible Study, South Chapel

Thursday, noon, Protestant Bible Study, South Chapel

Thursday, 7 p.m., Protestant Women of the Chapel, Bldg. 962

Saturday, 6:30 a.m., Protestant Men of the Chapel, South Chapel

Second Saturday of month, 8 a.m., Protestant Men of Chapel breakfast

Lay-led faith groups

Islamic activities, Friday, 1:45 p.m., South Chapel

Jewish activities, call Maxine Simpson, House of Jacob Synagogue at 322-4177

Latter Day Saints, Sunday, 2 p.m., Hospital Chapel

Mystic Grove Pagan Study Group, call Kalista Thompson at 642-6855

Buddhist activities, call Terry Kelley at 6-4963 or 322-7389

For more information, call the base chapel at 6-4370

Centennial of Flight:

This week in air and space history

May 17, 1930 - Max Valier is killed in Berlin when a steel-cased rocket motor, fueled by kerosene/water mix and liquid oxygen, exploded while he was testing it. Valier conceived of a rocket powered space shuttle years before one was built.

May 17, 1974 - SMS-A: First geosynchronous weather satellite launched.

May 18, 1969 - Apollo 10 launched. The astronauts named their Command Module after the Charles Schultz comic strip character "Charlie Brown" and the lunar lander after his companion "Snoopy."

May 19, 1953 - Jacqueline Cochran became the first woman to break the sound barrier.

May 20, 1939 - The first North Atlantic airmail service is started by Pan American Airways between Port Washington, Long Island, the Azores, Portugal, and Marseille, France.

May 20-21, 1927 - Spirit of St. Louis: First nonstop solo flight across the Atlantic by Charles A. Lindbergh.

May 20-21, 1932 - Amelia Earhart becomes the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic.

May 22, 1906 - Patent No. 821,393 issued to the Wright Brothers on a Flying Machine.

May 23, 1965 - A press conference was conducted for Vietnamese Air cadets at Sheppard. The cessation of hostilities in Vietnam in April 1975 stranded 23 pilots from South Vietnam and Cambodia.



Today

1 p.m. ~ *The Sound of Freedom*: The Berlin Airlift

4 p.m. ~ Making of an Air Force Recruiter

11:30 p.m. ~ Making of an Air Force Recruiter

Saturday

3 p.m. ~ *Maj. Gen. John Regni*: Communication

9:30 p.m. ~ *The Sound of Freedom*

10:30 p.m. ~ Safety Hour

Sunday

2 a.m. ~ *Heloise*: Life and the Military

7 a.m. ~ The Mission and History of the Air National Guard

8 p.m. ~ *Maj. Gen. John Regni*: Communication

Monday

2 a.m. ~ *Heloise*

4:30 a.m. ~ *Maj. Jeff Johnson* speaks at Bring Your Child to Work Day

4:30 p.m. ~ *A Great General*: Hap Arnold

Tuesday

5:30 a.m. ~ Making of an Air Force Recruiter

7 a.m. ~ The Mission and

Daily Programming

Sheppard Today ~ 6 a.m., noon, 5 p.m.

Air Force News ~ 6:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Navy/Marine News ~ 8 a.m., 2 p.m., 7 p.m.

Army News ~ 8:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

History of the ANG

9:30 p.m. ~ Safety Hour

Wednesday

9 a.m. ~ *Maj. Johnson* speaks at Bring Your Child to Work Day

10 a.m. ~ *A Great General*

8 p.m. ~ *General Regni*

Thursday

10:30 a.m. ~ The Mission and History of the ANG

8 p.m. ~ Making of an Air Force Recruiter

4 p.m. ~ *The Sound of Freedom*

Sheppard Spotlight: 15 lines of fame

- 1. Name:** Ida McDonald
- 2. Rank:** Major
- 3. Organization and position:** 383rd Training Squadron, instructor supervisor, nursing service management.
- 4. Hometown:** Manning, S.C.
- 5. Married or single:** Married to Kent McDonald, major, U.S. Air Force.
- 6. Hobbies or favorite thing(s) to do in your free time:** Hiking, motorcycling, reading, shopping, painting and many outdoor sports.
- 7. Funniest childhood memory:** When I was two, I wanted to give my dad a dime and take his nickel because I thought bigger coins were always worth more.
- 8. Why did you join the Air Force?** I always thought there was more out there to conquer, and I love the idea of being a nurse and serving my country at the same time.
- 9. Why do you stay in the Air Force?** I would like to mentor

and groom our future leaders and set a good example by being the best officer I can be. I also like the unique travel experiences and retirement opportunities.

10. Date arrived at Sheppard: June 15, 2002.

11. Most rewarding aspect of your job: Passing on tools of leadership and knowledge to new nurse managers and watching them grow and learn even in the few weeks we have contact with them.

12. Favorite book or movie: The Bible.

13. What is your dream vacation? Going back to our honeymoon spot in Belize for several weeks.

14. If you could be anyone for one day, who would you be? Myself with 60 consecutive days of approved leave to catch up on some work and hobbies.

15. Most prized possession: My health and spiritual well being.



Maj. Ida McDonald



Photo by Master Sgt. Jeffrey Szczehowski

Pass the test

Brig. Gen. Arthur Rooney, Jr., 82nd Training Wing commander, participates in routine demand reduction. The importance of military readiness and the drug testing program's integrity mandates that no member be exempt from testing. The Air Force Drug Testing Program is a deterrent to illegal drug use. It is a program that contributes significantly toward the goal of a drug-free Air Force. Lack of cooperation can result in action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

Be smart. Don't drink and drive.

MSU interns join Team Sheppard

By 2nd Lt. Ellen Harr

Base public communication

Interns from Midwestern State University are joining Team Sheppard for the first time during May and June.

Students from MSU will spend 80 to 150 hours on base working with Air Force personnel. They will not be paid for their work, but they will earn college credit.

"Our goal is to give these students only hands-on, productive time in the field while they're here at Sheppard," said Mr. Ernest France, a program analyst in the 82nd Training Wing plans office.

Students will focus on graphics and computer training.

"They're helping create the software that will help train Air Force personnel," said Dr. Catherine Stringfellow, associate professor of computer science at Midwestern State University. "I believe the internship provides the students with a good real-world experience. They are able to work in the field and work with a team."

The 782nd TRG will host many of the interns.

"In the 782nd's Instructional Technology Units we are looking for various kinds of talent," said Mr. Kyle Russell, an instructional systems specialist for the 782nd TRG. "Our first two interns are totally different. One is a fine arts major and will be developing graphics used in our training projects. The other intern is a comput-



Photo by 2nd Lt. Ellen Harr

Mr. Kyle Russell, 782nd Training Group and Mr. Jeffrey Wilson work to develop a form using Freehand, an illustration program.

er science major and will be involved in the development process of our training projects."

"I hope to gain work experience, of course, and to learn some new things," said Mr. Jeffrey Wilson, a student majoring in fine art at MSU and an intern at the 782nd TRG. "I think the internship will help me learn new software and I'll be able to use new tools with what I already know."

Interns will be working at the 882nd TRG, as well.

"The 882nd TRG is thrilled to be hosting interns from MSU. We're excited about the opportunity to show both students and faculty what we do here in the Air Force's Medical Schoolhouse. We're using cutting-edge technologies in our training that most people would never imagine could be found in an Air Force classroom," said Maj. Craig Stanaland, chief

information officer for the 882nd Training Support Squadron.

"Equally important is the chance to have college students, the same age as many of our newest airmen, give us their perspective of our programs," he said. "We're entering a new millennium in medical training and working cooperatively with MSU is a great idea for both institutions."

For more information about the interns, contact Mr. France at 6-6676.

82nd Services Division launches Golf 101

Beginners class introduces students to basics

By Master Sgt. Jeff Szczechowski

Base public communication

A group of about one dozen men and women participated in the 82nd Services Division's Golf 101 at Sheppard's Wind Creek Golf Course beginning May 5.

When they finished the two-week course on May 16, they had a better understanding of the game and learned some valuable lessons on how to properly strike a golf ball.

For \$15, attendees received eight hours of instruction from Wind Creek golf course assistants Mr. Chris Scott and Mr. Kris Tackitt. The course, geared toward people with little to no experience in golf, taught the basics: everything from golf course etiquette, the rules of the game, and how to keep score, to pitching, putting, driving and hitting out of a sand trap.

"The whole idea of Golf 101 is to get more people interested in golf and to teach beginners the right way to play, as far as etiquette, technique and proper swing," said Mr. Scott.

Both golf course assistants also pointed out that golfers should try to enjoy themselves when out on the course.

"Another aspect that we really try to emphasize is for people to have fun when they're playing," said Mr. Scott.

The final day of Golf 101 featured a tour of the Wind Creek course. The class was able to play two holes, and according to Mr. Scott, received another lesson in golf course etiquette as they did.

With a group of faster-playing golfers right behind them, the slower-playing Golf 101 class moved aside and let the faster moving group "play through."

Mr. Scott said good golf course etiquette makes the game more enjoyable for everyone out on the course.

On the last day of class, the student golfers provided feedback to Mr. Scott and Mr. Tackitt. They said they were impressed with the instructors and the excellent greens fees, the cost of playing a round of golf at Wind Creek.

Perhaps most telling, though, was the consensus feedback that everyone had fun.

The next Golf 101 class is scheduled for Aug. 18-29. Instead of the Monday, Wednesday and Friday classes beginning at 9 a.m., Mr. Scott said they will start at 5 p.m. to give people who couldn't make the morning classes a better chance to attend.

For more information about the Wind Creek golf course and Golf 101, including an upcoming summer youth program, call the pro shop at 6-6369.

To place
an ad in *The
Sheppard
Senator*, call
767-SOLD.

Sports



Courtesy photo

Pushin' it

Students from the 364th, 365th and 366th Training Squadrons compete in the pushup competition during the first 782nd Training Group Warrior Day on May 10. More than 1,000 airmen competed in six combat related skills, such as the rucksack run, grenade toss and stretcher carry.

Skeet League standings

Week # 6

<u>Team</u>	<u>Score</u>
82 Comm 'B'	48.908
Raytheon	48.667
382 TRS 'B'	48.292
360 TRS	48.100
82 CES	47.942
782 TRG	47.875
82 Comm 'A'	47.708
383 TRS 'A'	47.525
362 TRS	47.133
382 TRS 'A'	46.517
365 TRS	45.667
364 TRS	45.083
882 TRG	44.542

Sports Shorts

South lanes to hold Colorama Tournament

A Colorama Tournament will take place at the south lanes Saturday at 7 p.m. The cost is \$13 per person. Call 6-2170 for more information.

Pool season to begin

Base pool passes are now on sale at Bldg. 2117. Passes for individuals cost \$35, and family passes cost \$65. Swim season starts May 30.

Daily fees:

16 years and older – \$2 per person
4 - 15 years – \$1 per person

Pool hours:

Main pool

May 30 – Open for the summer
Monday - Friday – 1 - 7:45 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday – noon - 7:45 p.m.

North main closed on Tuesdays

South main closed on Thursdays

For more information, call 6-6494.

Bunker Hill water park

May 30 – Open for the summer
Thursday - Tuesday – noon - 7:45 p.m.

Wednesdays – closed

For more information, call 6-4161.

Capehart pool

May 30 – Open for the summer
Saturday - Wednesday – noon - 7:45 p.m.

Thursdays and Fridays – closed
For more information, call 6-4281.

Water aerobics:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday – noon, 5 and 6:15 p.m.

Call 6-7491 for start dates.

Lap swimming:

May 19 - Sept. 26, Monday - Friday – 10:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.