



THE HERD

Sheppard AFB, TX
January 22, 2016



TAX CENTER TO OPEN FEB. 1

Hours of operation will be Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The tax center will also be open Thursdays from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. for AiTs and MTLs.

[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO](#)



VEHICLE SHIPPING AND STORAGE NOTIFICATION

Storing or shipping your vehicle? Recent vehicle recalls have given the opportunity to emphasize that vehicles with outstanding safety or operational recalls may or may not be accepted for shipment or storage. Vehicle owners can verify if their vehicle has a recall notice at the following link:

<https://vinrcl.safercar.gov/vin/>

Service members can also contact their servicing VPC to determine if their particular vehicle will be accepted for shipment or storage. Owners must prove documented proof from a certified mechanic/dealership authorized by the manufacturer to perform recall notice repairs, or a print-out from the SAFECAR website showing no unresolved recalls on their vehicle. Further guidance may be received by contacting your Personal Property Section at 676-5499.

Enlisted executive is 'Wingman of Choice'

SHEPPARD AIR FORCE BASE, Texas -- Staff Sgt. Crystal Cordroch, 82nd Mission Support Group enlisted executive and native of Thousand Oaks, California has been in the Air Force for nine years and is the Commander's Wingman of Choice for the week of Jan. 19 - 25, 2016.

Most significant accomplishments:

"The most important decision I have ever made was to join the Air Force, and it turned out to be the best thing I ever did because it led me to my most significant accomplishment, which was becoming a wife and a mom," Cordroch said. "I can truly say the Air Force has changed and affected everything in my life and I will always be grateful and continue to serve with integrity first, service before self, and excellence in all we do."



(U.S. Air Force photo/Senior Airman Kyle Gese)

"I am just your typical Air Force Staff Sergeant," Cordroch continued. "I enjoy my job and I enjoy my free time even more. I have had a great life and enjoy doing a wide variety of activities. On my free time I love to work out, run, read, sleep, and hang out with my family."

Commander's Comments:

"Staff Sergeant Cordroch not only takes charge with much of the administrative actions and efforts within the MSG, but also backs up everyone else in the office and makes sure everything runs smooth," said Lt. Thomas Denninghoff, 82nd MSG executive officer. "She has only been in the office for a short time, and received minimal changeover training due to her trainer's deployment training, but she has already mastered the technicalities and eccentricities of the databases and processes we must work with. She holds the six squadrons in the MSG accountable and on track with their assigned responsibilities to ensure that the 82nd MSG Warriors are always in good shape and position to support all of Team Sheppard."

Website issues and repairs

If you are unable to view any links on our new website, press F5 to refresh your browser. It may take a couple of times to take effect, but F5 will allow the Armed Forces Public Information Management System to refresh the temporary internet files on your browser. Thank you for your patience as we work to get our new website running smoothly.



UPCOMING EVENTS

NFL Sunday Ticket
Every Sunday
12 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Sheppard Club

82d TRW Annual Awards
Jan. 22 | 6 - 8 p.m.
Sheppard Club

Sheppard Chiefs Induction
Feb. 25 | 6 p.m.
Sheppard Club





FSS EVENTS

T-Ball, Baseball & Soccer Registration

Jan. 25 - Feb. 12 | 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Madrigal Youth Center

Take Me Out to the Ballgame

Jan. 29 | 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Sheppard Club

Cupcake Wars

January 29 | 6:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.
The Commons

Texas Rangers Winter Caravan Visit

January 29 | 3 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.
The Commons

Summit Climbing Gym Trip

January 31 | 9:30 a.m.
Outdoor Recreation

Super Bowl 50 Party

February 7 | 5:30 p.m.
Sheppard Club

Go to www.82fss.com for more!



"I was the closest person to the insurgents." Bronze Star recipient tells his story. <http://1.usa.gov/1ZOtFNS> #USAF



This week in 1982, the Air Force signed its first B-1B production contract with Rockwell International.



The #USAF hits milestone with delivery of first four attack aircraft to Afghan air force. 1.usa.gov/1JWcEKn



Watch pararescuemen jump from an HH-60 Pave Hawk at 12,000 ft. Yup, that happened bit.ly/1RSW9lu #AirForce #video

16E8 PROMOTION CYCLE FILE FREEZE

Applicable to: FSS CCs, MPS Chiefs, MPS Supts and MPS Promotions Data

This message is to remind Military Personnel Sections that the 16E8 Central Evaluation Board will convene Jan. 25 - Feb. 12, 2016. AFPC will freeze the WAPS promotion file effective Jan. 20, 2016. Any data that is updated in MilPDS after Jan. 20 for the 16E8 promotion cycle will not reflect on the member's Data Verification Record. If an individual's eligibility status changes or an update is required to a member's DVR after Jan. 20, the MPS must contact AFPC via email at Enlisted Promotions. Please use email subject line "16E8 DVR Update Request."

In order for EPRs and Decorations to be reviewed by the 16E8 Central Evaluation Board, they must be made a matter of record in ARMS no later than Jan. 20. Please note that AFPC/DP2SPP Enlisted Promotion is not the OPR for EPRs or Decorations. EPRs and Decorations must be processed through the virtual Personnel Center application. Additionally, the Decorations Section will accept decorations mailed to ARMS.

AFPC Points of Contact:
Enlisted Promotions, HQ AFPC/DP2SPP, DSN 665-2362
Evaluations, HQ AFPC/DP2SPE, DSN 665-2571
Awards & Decorations, HQ AFPC/DP1SP, DSN 665-2516

INITIATING REPORTS OF SURVEY (ROS)

IAW AFMAN 23-220, Chapter 5 Reports of Survey are required to be initiated within fifteen days from the date of the discovery of the loss. This includes IT equipment, equipment items, COMSEC, vehicles and all other accountable property. If circumstances preclude adherence to these time limits, this information must be provided to the ROS program manager so that the ROS file can be properly annotated. If you have any questions on ROS please contact Ms. Ritchie at 676-6545 or Mr. Thierolf at 676-3318.



Parents Night Out

Madrigal Youth Center
ages 5 - 14 years
\$20 Members - \$24 Non-Members

Give Parents A Break

Child Development Center
ages 6 weeks - 5 years
\$20 per child

January 23 • 6pm - 11pm

YP Youth Center, Bldg 196
676-5437 for more info
www.82fss.com

CDC CDC, Bldg 195
676-2033 for more info

82ND AIRBORNE AIRBORNE
FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON

The Heroes at Home Financial Event

A Financial Educational Event with Guest Speaker

Elle Kay

Be ready to spend some time in a high energy fun filled learning atmosphere complete with music, humor and great door prizes!



For your convenience, there will be 2 presentations:

Sheppard Base Theater

Wednesday, February 10
6:00pm-9:00pm

Thursday, February 11
9:00am-11:00am

- ◆ Budgeting
- ◆ Credit
- ◆ Retirement
- ◆ Heroes at Home



THE USAA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION



Single Parent Event

Biblically-Based Intense Sessions
If You Have Base Access You can Attend

Lunch & Childcare Provided (0-13)

30JAN16: 0800-1300

Location: Church at Sheppard

RSVP: <http://tinyurl.com/30JanSPR>

\$25 Deposit Due at RSVP, Returned at Event
Contact SRC @ 676-0014 for Questions

Get Personal Development Credit on Leadership Pathways
<https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/6sr7p3mm/>
Ctrl F. Search by Event Date





Upcoming Opportunities

Texas Alliance for Minorities in Engineering

- Volunteers needed to assist with upcoming TAME Divisional Meet
- Date/Time: January 23
- Location: Midwestern State University

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: Contact Gwenna Gallenberger at GGallenberger@wfsd.net

Reading Initiative

- Volunteers needed to start up a reading initiative with both Sheppard Elementary and John Tower Elementary
- Date/Time: TBA
- Location: TBA

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: Contact TSgt Joshua Hickman at 676-5464 or joshua.hickman@us.af.mil

Click here to see the volunteer postings on the Sheppard Website.

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

Texas Blood Institute Volunteer Receptionist

- Volunteers to help with reception at our center in Wichita Falls
- Date/Time: Center Hours Tuesday - Thursday 8:30am to 6pm, Fridays 8am to 5pm and Saturday 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- Flexible and willing to work with around schedules
- Location: Wichita Falls Center 3709 Gregory Street Ste. 109 Wichita Falls, TX 76308
- Looking for multiple volunteers to fill different time slots to get all times covered. Must be 14 or older

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: Call or Text Nikki at 580-583-9698 or email at nbeverly@obi.org , you can also apply online at www.txbi.org/volunteer

Texas Blood Institute Community Blood Drives

- Volunteers to help with Donor Sign-in and refreshments at the blood drive and marketing prior to the drive
- Date/Time/Location: Various
- TBI has Blood Drives in your community several times a year and we are looking for volunteers to help ensure they are a success. Must be 14 or older to volunteer

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: Call or Text Nikki at 580-583-9698 or email at nbeverly@obi.org , you can also apply online at www.txbi.org/volunteer

Airmen Against Drunk Driving (AADD) Volunteers

- Volunteers to cover CQ duty, drivers, and escorts
- Date/Time: Friday and Saturday nights; AADD volunteer shifts are from 2230 - 0230
- Location: Sheppard Lodging for CQ duty and on-call for drivers and escorts

TO SIGN UP/ GET MORE INFO: E-mail Alexander.Nunez@us.af.mil or Dontaye.Taylor@us.af.mil

Saturday Build days

- Help build a home for a local family
- Date/Time: Every Saturday - 8am till 12 p.m., 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Location: Habitat Build site
- Scope of work will change each weekend as we complete stages of construction

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: Dan at 940.716.9300 or vol-habitat@habitatwf.com

Wichita Falls Community Orchestra

- Date/Time: Concerts throughout the year volunteer times: WFCO rehearses Monday nights at 7 p.m. at the Fain Instrumental Hall at MSU (Teepee Street).
- We welcome all musicians (especially strings) and administrative volunteers.
- Formal auditions are not required. Good rehearsals mean good performances and although we realize not everyone can attend every rehearsal we do require a sincere level of commitment.

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: WFCCommunityOrchestra@gmail.com

WEBSITE: www.wichitafallscommunityorchestra.com

Produce Express Bags

- Help to assemble fresh produce for distribution
- Date/Time: Any Tuesday or Wednesday Volunteer Times: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Location: 1230 Midwestern Parkway
- If anyone would like to fill out paperwork in advance, we can email that out, please request at betsilujan@wfab.org

TO SIGN UP/GET MORE INFO: 940-766-2322 or email wendellgriffin@wfab.org

Big Brothers, Big Sisters (940)767-2447 or wfinfo@bbbstx.org

Boys and Girls Club of Wichita Falls and Burkburnett (940)322-2012

Children's Aid Society (940) 322-3141

Christmas in Action (940) 696-9393

Faith Mission (940) 723-5663

Faith Refuge (940) 322-4673

First Step (940) 723-1646

Food Bank (940) 766-2322

Habitat for Humanity (940) 716-9300

Patsy's House (940) 723-1646

Read 2 Learn January Jones at (940)235-1009 or jbjones@wfsd.net

Salvation Army (940) 687-2051

Wichita Falls Adult Literacy Council (940) 766-1954

Wichita Falls Area Food Bank (940) 766-2322 or terrormorton@wfab.org