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Stray cat population booming on post

Redstone veterinarian says microchip ID's may be required

By BETH SKARUPA
Staff writer

Shari Hall witnessed a disturbing scene a few months ago. The Redstone Arsenal resident looked out her window and saw a cat run up a tree and then fall out as two dogs chased after it. The cat ran into a hole and could not be coaxed out, even after the dogs were taken away by their owner.

The cat was just one of the many strays Hall has seen on the Arsenal recently. A high stray population consisting mostly of feral cats is becoming an increasing problem here. Capt. John Harvey, post veterinarian, warned that microchipping may become mandatory if the stray cat population continues to grow.

Microchipping is a procedure where a microchip containing identification information is inserted with a needle beneath an animal's skin between the shoulder blades. It allows the vet clinic to identify the owners of animals found on post.

An animal picked up on post with no tags or microchip becomes government property if it is not claimed after three business days. The vet clinic then has the authority to put it up for adoption, send it to the Humane Society or put the animal to sleep.

"If a cat's brought to us we try not to put it down, especially if it is a healthy, young cat," Harvey said. "We post photos of the

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Photo by Sandy Riebeling

FOUND A HOME— These stray cats recently were adopted from the vet clinic.

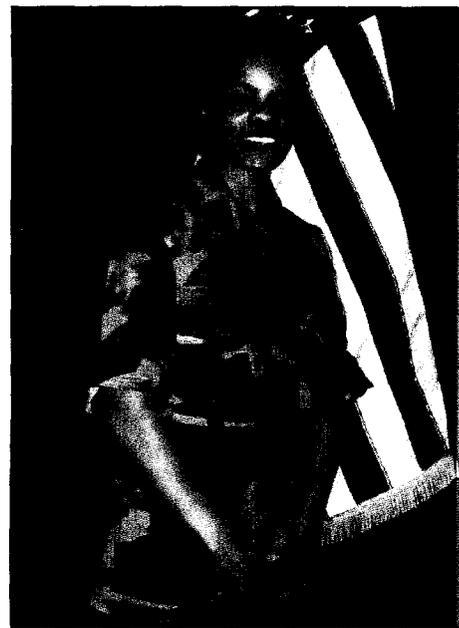


Photo by Sandy Riebeling

OH SAY CAN YOU SEE— SFC Gloria Dorsey has gotten a lot of attention since performing the national anthem at the Ordnance Ball in March. She is scheduled to sing the anthem for the Huntsville Stars June 14 as part of the celebration marking the Army's 225th birthday.

Ordnance soldier has blast singing national anthem

By SANDY RIEBELING
Staff writer

SFC Gloria Dorsey has big dreams, but they aren't what you would guess for this beauty pageant and talent show winning soldier.

"I want to be a nurse," Dorsey, HHC 59th Ordnance Brigade S-1 supervisor, declared. "There are so many children and elderly that need help. That's what I want to do when I get out of the Army. It's where my heart is."

Most of her fellow soldiers find that surprising, especially after they've heard her perform the national anthem during military ceremonies at Redstone. Surely, with a voice so sweet and pure, her future is in music, or is it?

"I love to sing, but I'm a very religious person," Dorsey said. "I don't sing in clubs unless it's a military function and I only sing at events where I feel comfortable."

Dorsey, 39, didn't grow up singing in church, or singing anywhere for that mat-

ter. It wasn't until she began her military career in 1979 that she considered stepping out into the spotlight.

"My sister, Neese, kept encouraging me to get out there and sing," Dorsey said. "She's in the Air Force and sings at least

Shortly after Dorsey arrived in May 1999 for her second tour at Redstone, she had another opportunity to sing. But it wasn't to please a crowd, it was to honor the memory of fellow soldier, SSgt. Jennifer Gamble, who drowned in a flash flood.

"Each time I sing the national anthem it touches me in a way that's hard to describe. It makes me proud to be in the armed forces. It brings new meaning to what the flag represents."

— SFC Gloria Dorsey, HHC 59th Ordnance Brigade

three times a month for ceremonies. So, when I was stationed at Fort McClellan back in 1980, I entered the Miss Ebony of Fort McClellan Pageant and won third. It was so much fun and it felt outstanding to win third."

That was just the beginning. Dorsey has entered and won pageants around the world. She sought out opportunities to perform the national anthem for fellow soldiers and civilian groups alike. And she always sings a cappella.

"I sang a gospel song," Dorsey said. "It was a privilege to be able to honor a fellow soldier that way."

Soon her peers began to take an interest in her talent, asking questions about when and where she had performed and when she would sing again.

"I got a lot of support from my friends and supervisors, CSM (Larry) Taylor, MSgt. Russell Clemons, Sgt. Maj. (Steve) Edmiston," Dorsey said. "They were really

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Commissary shopping a privilege

This letter is in regard to the recent removal of the ID checker at the post Commissary.

As a commissary patron I had no objections to the removal of the ID checker at the commissary because the ID cards would be checked by the cashier to ensure that only authorized personnel make purchases. I also liked the idea of being able to bring a guest into the store, because I didn't like leaving my visiting friends and relatives out in the car or waiting in the lobby for me. However, I've been noticing a great abuse of this system that is being ignored by the commissary management.

I was in the store about one week ago, waiting in line and observed the following situation. There were three ladies in line. One showed her ID card, then told the cashier that she has three separate orders. The cashier then asked if the other two ladies had ID cards and they said no. The cashier told the lady that she can't have separate orders. The lady got mad, called for the head cashier and complained about the policy. The head cashier told the cashier to go ahead and check her out with the separate orders. The orders were done separately and the first order was paid by the ID card holder, the second order was paid by the non-ID card holder, by handing the money to the ID card holder, who in turn handed the money to the cashier, and the same thing was done by the third non-ID card holder.

This is an outright violation of non-authorized patrons making a purchase and authorized by the management.

Another day I observed an authorized patron (by himself) attempt to make two separate orders and was told by another cashier that he can't do it. He got angry, but combined the items for one purchase. He then went and got the commissary manager, complained, then the manager told the cashiers that the policy is no longer in effect and persons can separate orders.

I have also seen commissary employees who have no privileges make purchases.

I served 20 years in the Army, and worked hard for the privilege of shopping at the commissary. And now I see people who never served a day, buying items and at times items are not available because some unauthorized patron got the last one—this is especially true during case lot sales.

Please forward this to the proper office for review and comment. I would like a response from the appropriate person who this gets forwarded to for action and would like to know what rules are in effect for shopping at our commissary.

Michael A. Powell
Retired staff sergeant,
Madison

Editor's note: Lee Wainwright, commissary director, provided the following response. "The new ID check policy is a Department of Defense policy approved by the Commissary Operating Board, made up of general officers representing all military services. The purpose of the policy is to make your commissary more "customer friendly" and is the direct result of commissary patron requests for change. It is built upon a foundation of trust and integrity. Authorized patrons should value their commissary benefit and not abuse it.

"Managers and employees of your local commissary are charged with the responsibility to implement and to a certain degree enforce the policy. Our basic responsibility is to ensure that the patrons understand it. We do this by questioning customers about things that appear to us to be an abusive practice and provide them with a copy of the DeCA director's letter explaining the policy. If a discussion or problem arises from this approach, the cashier has been instructed to call a manager. Based on what the customer tells the manager, a decision is made to allow an order to be split, for example. If we feel that the circumstances warrant it, our only 'enforcement' action is to report the suspected abuse to the installation commander.

Bank thanks military community

We just wanted to take this opportunity to send a sincere thank you to MSgt. William Loew, support operations NCO-in-charge, and his staff for their kindness and generosity in providing/setting up the large tent for the Relay for Life event. We thank the military communi-

ty for all of the support it has offered in past years and we look forward to working with you all again in the future. Many thanks from SouthTrust Bank.

Rena Anderson, Beth Brooks and Connie Metoyer,
SouthTrust Bank

Area wild with color

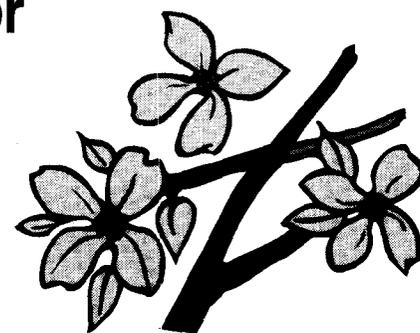
Drive though the NASA area daily and am enjoying the wildflowers that have been planted this year.

What a great idea! I hope everyone takes the time to drive by...you can see them around the rocket display on Rideout, going west by the picnic area on Martin Road, and, my favorite, on Fowler Road between Rideout and Dodd.

Beautiful displays!

I'd like to find out who had this wonderful idea and more about the project.

Does anyone know a point of contact?
Althea J. Critchlow
AMSAA-RSA



Editor's note: The credit goes to Sheila Cloud, director of the Center Operations Directorate at Marshall Space Flight Center.

Korean War veterans deserve thanks

As our nation celebrated the 50th anniversary of the Armed Forces Day on May 18 and observed Memorial Day on May 29, I would like to pay tribute to our nation's "unsung heroes"—the veterans and those on active duty who provide us the benefit of democracy, liberty, and freedom of religion, press and speech as well as freedom after speech. One particular group of veterans that deserve our special remembrance, recognition and respect for fighting in a "forgotten war" 50 years ago is the Korean War (June 25, 1950 to July 27, 1953) veterans.

Just because not many news media were allowed at the frontline to report the war for security reasons did not necessarily mean the Korean War veterans did not suffer as much pain and hardship as the veterans in other wars. Even

though they were ill-equipped with weaponry, equipment and logistics (as a result of drastic cuts made in America's defenses then), and ill-informed with intelligence, the Korean War veterans fought with valor, and a sense of duty and honor through the intense heat of the summer and intense cold of the winter against the numerically superior combined forces of the North Korean People's Army (NKPA) and Chinese Communist Forces (CCF) soldiers armed and provided air cover by the former Soviet Union.

Our American and United Nations Forces prisoners of war during the Korean War suffered great unspeakable agony by the insidious attempts of the NKPA and CCF to alienate them from the country of their birth by inhumane

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Safety day message loud and clear

AMCOM workers see images from accidents

By SKIP VAUGHN
Rocket editor

The pictures were graphic. Charred hands. Blistered bodies. This is what can happen to accident victims.

Chuck Nowlin had warned his audience before showing the slides during the fourth annual AMCOM Safety Awareness Day program May 23 at Bob Jones Auditorium. Nowlin, a former infantry aviator, was severely burned when his helicopter was shot down during the Vietnam War.

"You may want to go home tonight and make your place a little safer so you don't end up like one of these burn victims," he said. Then the video images delivered his

message to the 400 or so people in the darkened auditorium.

Nowlin suffered third degree burns to 35 percent of his body when his Hughes OH-6 helicopter was downed by small arms fire Dec. 19, 1970 in Vietnam. He was a helicopter scout pilot with the 1st Brigade of the 101st Airborne Division.

Taken to the burn ward at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, he was unconscious for three months and blind for three more months. He underwent numerous surgical procedures and two and a half years of hospitalization. Nowlin returned to full flight status in the Army and continued to fly until retiring in 1994. He resides in San Antonio where he is a consultant and lecturer.

"I truly love soldiers and I truly love the people who take care of soldiers.

Because what you did was save my life," Nowlin said, referring to the helmet and gloves that prevented even more serious injury when he was shot down.

Karen Tarica, the other guest speaker on the program, is a reporter and news anchor on WHNT-TV 19. She described the Vials of Life, an effort to provide medical information on individuals to emergency responders. Personal medical information is outlined on a checklist which is

put into a vial stored in the top shelf of the individual's refrigerator door at home. The free items are available at Wal-Mart pharmacies in northern Alabama and southern Tennessee. The vials can provide information on the individual, such as allergies, for emergency responders.

"It saves valuable seconds when they are treating you," Tarica said.

"Accidents are going to happen," she said. "We just have to be prepared for them."

10th Mountain Division soldiers support Avenger system testing

While participating in live target acquisition and tracking, a logistics demonstration, technical manual validation and verification, and a maintenance demonstration, nine soldiers from 3rd Battalion, 62nd ADA, completed soldier testing of the Slew-to-Cue (STC) equipped Avenger system recently.

The 10th Mountain division soldiers were trained as operators and maintainers to support the ongoing STC Production Verification Test (PVT) here on Redstone Arsenal.

STC is an Avenger upgrade that accepts digital external radar cues and

automatically slews the Avenger turret to place an aerial target directly into the gunner's sight.

This capability will speed engagement by significantly reducing gunner search time.

PVT will support a full production decision and material release for initial fielding to the first digitized division at Fort Hood, Texas.

The experience gained here will be used again at Fort Drum, N.Y., in support of the Joint Contingency Force Advance Warfighting Experiment to be held later this year. The Avenger air defense system is managed at Redstone Arsenal.



Photo by Skip Vaughn

SAFETY SPEAKER— Marlene Cruze, executive director of the Acquisition Center, talks with Chuck Nowlin who was a guest speaker at AMCOM Safety Awareness Day. Nowlin, a former infantry aviator, was severely burned when his helicopter was shot down during the Vietnam War. During his presentation he wore a wig which he removed to show the full effect of the third degree burns which covered 35 percent of his body.

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treatment, tortures, degradation, threats, brainwashing, deprivation of sleep and food, and massacre.

It was the indomitable spirit, courage, devotion, sense of duty, and hard work of the Korean War veterans that inflicted heavy casualties to the CCF that launched two great spring offensives with 250,000 men and 27 divisions into the attack along a 40-mile front north of Seoul on April 22 and May 10, 1951. By May 20, 1951, the Korean War veterans halted the CCF and NKPA offensive and were in good position to retake the offensive and sweep the CCF from Korea. Yet, the Korean War veterans were ordered by politicians in Washington to maintain its defensive posture, thus rul-

ing out battlefield victory.

We need to remind our politicians (through correspondence and voting) and educate our younger generations what the Korean War veterans had to go through during the Korean War and what lessons to be learned so that they will not repeat the same mistakes made by other politicians in the past but have the common sense to let the military win future battles and wars swiftly when diplomacy fails by not imposing restriction on how the military achieves victory, and not announcing publicly what our military will not do in the prosecution of a war or conflict. Thanks to all the veterans for their sacrifice, and the democracy, liberty, freedom, and prosperity we enjoy in America today!

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Huntsville

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Safety course smorgasbord offers something for everyone

Missile and Space Intelligence Center sponsored training for workers, community

By SANDY RIEBELING
Staff writer

It wasn't supposed to be a whole week of safety programs.

"It started out as a couple of things for safety day," Robert Thompson, safety and health officer, Defense Intelligence Agency, Missile and Space Intelligence Center, said. "But then things started to snowball and we ended up with a whole lot of events and called it Safety Awareness Week."

The week's events began on a high note for the organization as they were presented with two awards from the Aviation and Missile Command's safety office for their efforts in obtaining a weather siren. MSIC, along with the folks from the Redstone Technical Test Center and NASA, were able to fund the \$26,000 weather siren placed near their organizations on the Arsenal, where there was no previous warning siren. Thompson also received a personal award for the effort.

"Safety is a big deal around here," Thompson said. "We planned the week so that there was something for everyone. Some people may not be interested in boating but they might like a course on severe weather. We are having both, along with a lot of other activities."

One of the biggest events for the week was the Boating Basics Safety Class, taught by the Coast Guard Auxiliary for two nights. On the second night, a licensing agent was available to issue permits to those who passed the course. Individuals could then take their permits to the local Bruno's and get a new license.

"It was perfect timing, really," Thompson said. "Just in time for Memorial Day weekend when a lot of people go boating. That goes for a lot of our courses, like road rage for people traveling over the



Photo by Sandy Riebeling

EMERGENCY TRANSPORT— A medical team from Huntsville Hospital provided an up-close look at the Med-flight Helicopter used for patient transport within a 200-mile radius of Huntsville. Paramedic Stiles Clarke talks to Robert Thompson about the capabilities of emergency response.

holidays."

A representative from the Sheriff's Department provided a presentation on crime statistics and prevention, including safety tips for traveling and how to protect the home while on vacation. The Channel 19 weather group talked about severe weather and preparedness. The employees were also treated to a demonstration of the military's working dogs K-9 unit.

On Thursday, John Kinzer, executive director of the Huntsville Emergency Medical Services Inc. and two paramedics Steve Trentham and Dave Button talked to a crowd of about 100 on what to expect during an ambulance transport as well as tips on emergency situations.

"Don't wait," Kinzer said. "My advice to people with chest pains is don't wait. Call us. We'll come out and take a look. We're not going to drag you kicking and screaming to the hospital but we can tell you if you need to go to the hospital."

Huntsville Hospital's Med-Flight Helicopter also landed for a tour of the unit and the services that they provide. The team giving the presentation and answer-

ing questions included Stiles Clarke, paramedic; Diane Sparks and Sandy Cross, nurses; and Richard Melis, pilot. Med-Flight covers a 200 mile-radius around the Huntsville area.

"With just the 75 or so in the crowd, a couple of people had family or friends that at one time relied on us to get them where they needed to be," Clarke said. "One woman even said that we'd saved someone's life that she knew."

To cover health related issues, MSIC invited Bobby Taylor, director of the Wellness Center, to come and provide information on fitness and the opportunities available on the Arsenal.

"Not all of our employees can come to all of the events," Les Stamps, chief, program management office, MSIC, said. "The schedule of events and types of events are varied enough so that everyone can find something. Robert is the real safety professional in the office and because he's here, we can put more emphasis on safety issues. We rely on a good working relationship with AMCOM's safety office and they have been good to us but we try to do our part here for the work force."

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Road rage growing rapidly in today's fast-paced world

By SKIP VAUGHN
Rocket editor

It's so easy to point the finger at the other driver. It's always his fault any way, right?

So why not cut him off? Why not tailgate him? Why not make him get out of his car so you can settle this?

Well, friend, you're part of the problem.

It's called road rage. And it's becoming more prevalent in today's fast-paced world. Statistics show that incidents of road rage increased nearly 7 percent each year in the 1990s. The National Foundation for Traffic Safety studied 10,000 incidents from 1990-96 and found that 218 people were killed from road rage and 12,610 were injured.

"Road rage can happen to all of us," Sgt. Melynda Dugdale, of criminal investigations, Provost Marshal Office, said.

More and more drivers have started acting out their anger when they get

behind the wheel. After they've been cut off, tailgated or slowed down by a vehicle in front of them, these angry drivers can commit incredible acts of violence—including assault and murder.

"It's nothing new. We just have more cases of it now," Dugdale said. How can you avoid becoming the victim of an aggressive driver? Dugdale offers the following suggestions:

- Don't offend by cutting off, driving slowly in the left lane, tailgating or making gestures.

- Don't engage with the other driver. Steer clear, avoid eye contact, and get help if necessary.

- Adjust your attitude. Forget about winning the situation; and put yourself in the other driver's shoes. If you think you have a problem, ask for help.

"The ones that are really scary are the ones that enjoy it," Dugdale said of aggressive drivers and road rage. "It's a form of recreation for them."

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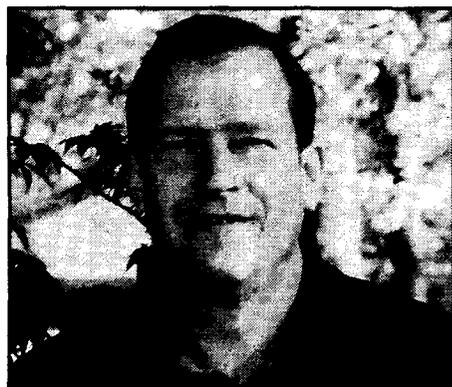
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Redstone Boy Scoutmaster remembered as solid citizen



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CLEMENT W. "PITTS" HALUPKA

Cotton Row Run volunteer dies after jogging two-miler with his sons, other Scouts

By SKIP VAUGHN
Rocket editor

The first sign of trouble was the unmistakable wail of the ambulance siren near the finish line of Monday's annual Cotton Row Run.

A crowd of runners who had finished the 10K race parted to make way for the

medics working feverishly on a man who had collapsed. They tried CPR and everything else they could to revive him. There was no response.

They wheeled the stretcher outside to the waiting ambulance that would take him to Huntsville Hospital. A bystander asked the race director, Ray Moses, for the man's name.

"Clement Halupka," Moses said. Could it be Halupka of Redstone Arsenal, the Boy Scoutmaster? Moses confirmed that he was in fact a Scoutmaster.

Clement W. "Pitts" Halupka, 50, had

suffered a heart attack after jogging the two-mile fun run with some of his Scouts, including his two young sons. He and the Scouts had handed out water at the aid station at the four-mile mark during the 10K. They joined in for the two-mile fun run afterward. Halupka was walking with an armful of T-shirts for the race volunteers when he collapsed in the parking garage.

He was pronounced dead later that morning in the emergency room.

Halupka was an avid jogger who worked at Redstone as chief of contract

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Pets of residents must be registered with vet clinic

Strays

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strays we have for adoption on the hospital's website and sometimes we get photos in the newspaper."

If a stray animal is vicious, it will be put down. The vet clinic tests for two common diseases, feline leukemia and the feline form of AIDS that is FIV. Diseased cats are dangerous because they can infect other people's pets if they scratch or fight them.

"It is better to put those cats down," Harvey said. "If you see a stray cat or

animal, contact the MPs. We do not have enough manpower at the clinic to pick up stray animals, but they are brought to us. We also provide the MPs with tranquilizers for the animals if necessary."

If the stray animal is friendly, it will be spayed or neutered and put up for adoption. However, no animal can be kept indefinitely at the veterinary treatment facility. A week usually is the most time a stray cat or dog can be held there. Hall said she does not like taking stray cats to the vet clinic because they have to put them down. She suggested calling the ARK to help place friendly strays since

they do not put the animals to sleep. The ARK can be reached at 851-4088.

"Don't get a cat and just leave it. It's a commitment, a full-time commitment ... people think cats will survive on their own, but they won't," Hall said. "There's a stray cat I've seen around that will only eat cat food, it won't eat garbage or anything. If it doesn't get fed it will die."

The increasing stray cat population is a concern because some skunks and raccoons on post may carry rabies and pass it on to the cats. If a pet is bitten by one of these animals, it may bring rabies home to the family.

One of the signs of rabies is fearless-

ness. Normally a raccoon will run away from humans. If raccoons do not run away, it is difficult to know if they have rabies or if they are no longer afraid of humans because someone has been feeding them.

"If you're putting out food for stray cats, just be sure you're feeding cats. The danger is if you are inadvertently feeding raccoons or other animals," Harvey said.

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OMMCS stands up for Safety Stand Down Day

By Sgt. SHARON McBRIDE
Staff writer

Watch out for snakes, don't drink and drive, practice safety when lighting the old barbecue. These were just a few of the safety messages given to Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School soldiers and civilians during Safety Stand Down Day, May 23.

"I've learned quite a bit today," PFC Kenneth Cowart of Headquarters and Alpha Company, 832nd Ordnance Battalion, said. "Like don't mess with the wildlife."

During the day-long event OMMCS soldiers and civilians were treated to classes on lawn mower safety, boating safety, barbecue safety, bicycle safety, heat injury prevention and household safety to name a few. A demonstration by HEMSI Search Dog Unit and a Jaws of Life demonstration helped to spice things up for attending OMMCS personnel.

And local law enforcement agencies were on hand to answer all types of questions.

"I'm now familiar with the local traffic regulations and other local ordinances around here," Cowart said.

It's all part of safety awareness—an important factor for all who live and work on RSA to make summer and the upcoming holidays a safe and enjoyable experience.



Photo by Sgt. Sharon McBride

IS IT ALIVE?— PFC Kenneth Cowart, Headquarters and Alpha Company, 832nd Ordnance Battalion, checks out a pickled version of one of the many varieties of snakes to watch out for in the local area. Safety awareness, to include dealing with wildlife, was emphasized during OMMCS' Safety Stand Down Day.



Photo by Sgt. Sharon McBride

PUT IT OUT— Curtis Cherieek with the Redstone Arsenal Fire and Emergency Service demonstrates how to put out a fire hazard with a fire extinguisher for a group of OMMCS soldiers. OMMCS held a Safety Stand Down Day, May 23.



Photo by Sgt. Sharon McBride

GOOD DOGGY— Maximum Destruction, a search dog with HEMSI Search Dog Unit, a local search and rescue organization, gets a few pets from SSgt. Drayton Gilyard, a Basic NCO Course student at the NCO Academy, during one of the many safety briefings held at OMMCS Safety Stand Down Day.



Photo by Sgt. Sharon McBride

HOOK ME UP — Paul Meyer, with the HEMSI Search and Rescue team, demonstrates High Angle Rough Terrain rescue equipment to a group of OMMCS soldiers. HEMSI was among the many local safety organizations present at OMMCS' Safety Stand Down Day.

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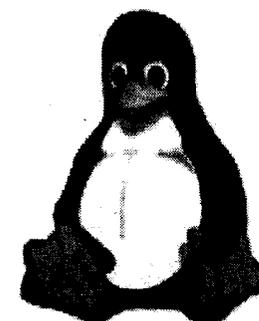
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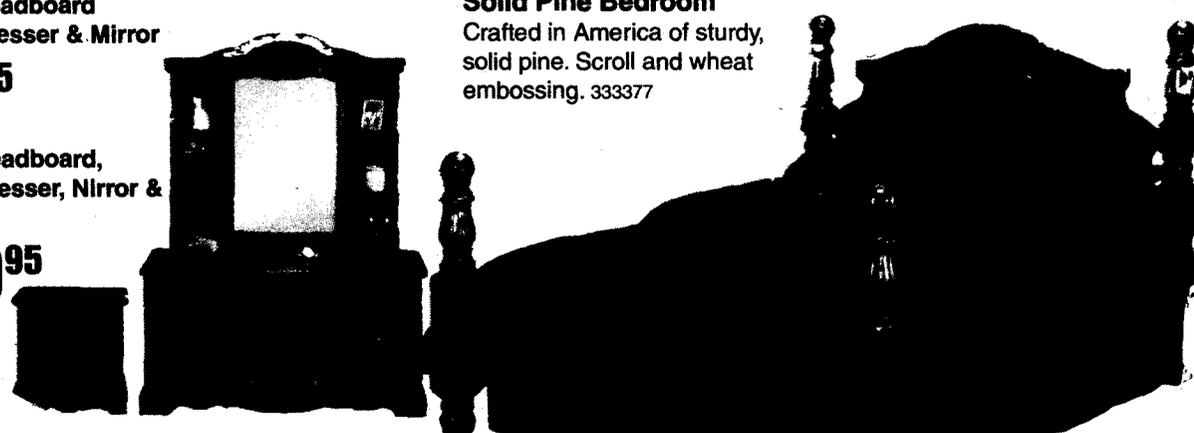
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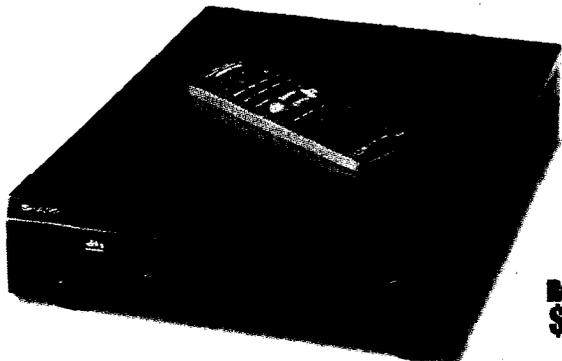


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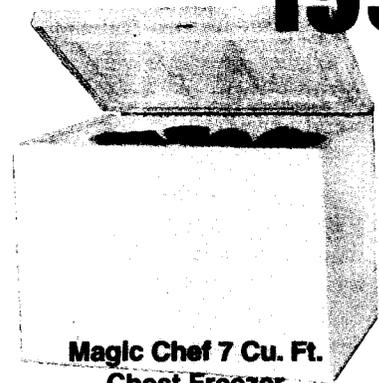
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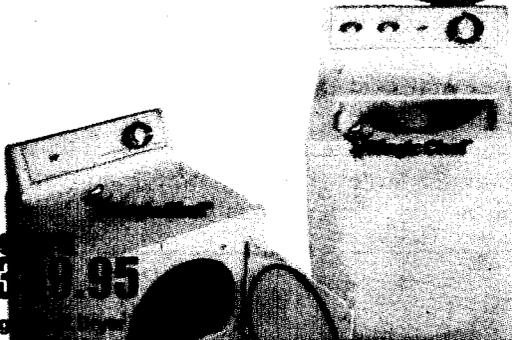
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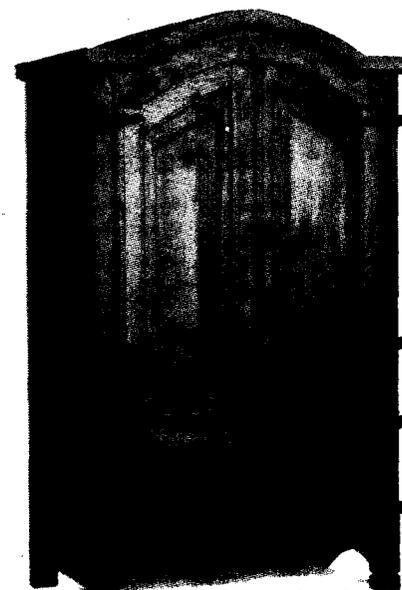
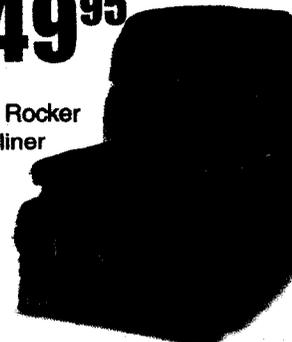
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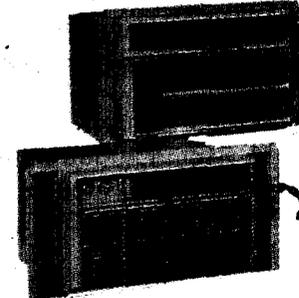
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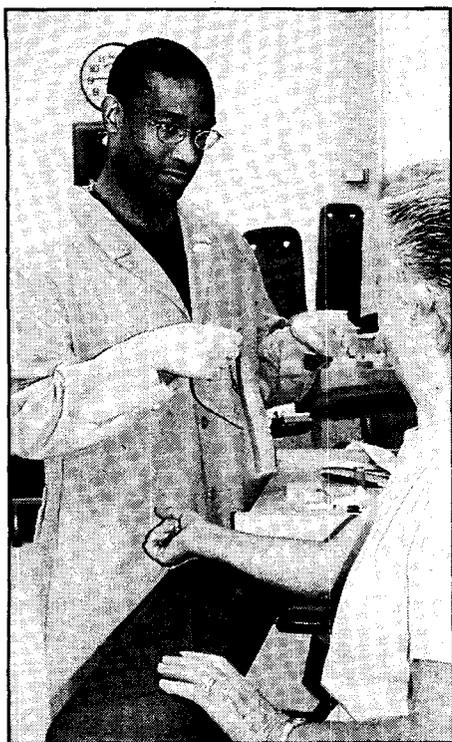


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EASY AS 1, 2, 3— No matter whether it's drawing blood or competing for soldier of the month, Spec. Arvin Dewberry makes it look easy. Patient Peggy Young doesn't have any complaints. She especially enjoys Dewberry's Eddie Murphy laugh.

Post soldier of month is a a three-time winner

By SANDY RIEBELING
Staff writer

May's win makes three years in a row for the soldier from Cowpens, S.C.

For the third time in three years, Spec. Arvin Dewberry has been named soldier of the month for Redstone Arsenal. Dewberry works as a medical laboratory technician at Fox Army Health Center.

"It was great to win it again," he said. "All the prizes were wonderful and I'm grateful to the sponsors. But I'm still going after it. I'm still striving to be Post Soldier of the Year."

Being named Redstone's May Soldier of the Month was only one of the good things that happened to Dewberry in May. He's also celebrating the birth of his third child, Daija, this month.

Dewberry, 24, joined the Army in 1995. Between basic training, combat medic course and medical laboratory technician training, he spent nearly two years in school and arrived at Redstone in May 1997 as his first duty station.

The training gave Dewberry a little more than an education. Combat medic training was where he met Karen, his wife, who was also a soldier. The couple married four years ago. Dewberry has three children, Yelana, 7, Jevante, 16 months and Daija, three weeks.

Redstone has been a good tour for Dewberry and his family but he's hoping for an overseas tour sometime during his career. Italy is his favored choice but Germany would be good, too.

"I'm going for a career in the military," he said. "I want to go back to college and earn a degree in cytology (biology of cell structures), but it may take a while. There are only a few schools around here that offer a degree in that major. Until I can do that, I'll be going to college to work on my minor in computer science."

Ironically, Dewberry joined the Army because he was tired of college. The youngest of eight children, he thought the military would be a good career for

him. His parents were a little sad at first, Dewberry said, because now they had two sons in the military. His brother, Jon, is a Marine.

"But they cheered up," he said laughing. "Now they are making it a goal to visit everywhere we are stationed. They've already been here for a visit."

Spare time activities for Dewberry, first and foremost, is spending time with his family. Beyond that, he plays on the Medical Department Activity softball, flag football and basketball teams. He also enjoys collecting comic books, a hobby he shares with Yelana.

"We're taking the family to Florida this year— Disney World, Universal Studios and Sea World," he said. "Karen's parents live close to there so it will be a family visit, too."

Winning the soldier of the month competition entitles Dewberry to another travel adventure.

"All the post soldiers of the month winners are invited to D.C. for two weeks during the AUSA convention," he said. "I've been there before and it was a great experience. I'm looking forward to going again this year."

Ordnance soldier sings anthem a cappella

Dorsey

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supportive, telling me what a great gift I have."

"She has an excellent singing voice," MSgt. Russell Clemons, 832nd Ordnance Battalion, said. "Her rendition of the national anthem is one of the best a cappella renditions I've ever heard. She's an outstanding singer and if she weren't such a great soldier, I'd say she missed her calling but she really didn't because she's still singing. I wouldn't be surprised to see her name on a record label someday."

Dorsey has kept herself busy with singing engagements for military ceremonies and still has some on the calendar, including performances for the Huntsville Stars game June 14, the Soldier and NCO of the Year luncheon July 15; and she has

even been requested to travel to Fort Sill, Okla., for the Ordnance Training Detachment's first dine in Sept. 15.

"Each time I sing the national anthem, it touches me in a way that's hard to describe," Dorsey said. "It makes me proud to be in the armed forces. It brings new meaning to what the flag represents."

"I feel like I've been given a God-given talent and every time I use it, it shows Him how much I appreciate it. I want to share it with others."

When Dorsey isn't serving on duty or serving through her talents, she spends time with her sons, Marcus, 17, a recent graduate of Butler High School, and Kawamaine, 10, who attends Williams Elementary School. "They are my life," she said.

Dorsey is set to retire from the Army in August 2001, enjoy life with her boys in Madison and pursue her nursing career.

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Army Recruiting Company enlists new commander

By Sgt. SHARON McBRIDE
Staff writer

With the symbolic changing of the company guidon, the Army Recruiting Company Huntsville gained a new commander May 19.

Capt. Gregory Haywood replaced Capt. Benny Shepard in an 11 a.m. ceremony at the Recreation Center.

"I look forward to working with you," Haywood said. "I plan on giving 100 percent daily ... and remember to be all we can be every day."

Haywood's last assignment was as the division air defense coordination officer and Bravo Battery commander for the 3rd Battalion (Airborne), 4th Air Defense Artillery Regiment at Fort Bragg, N.C.

Haywood's awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal (two oak leaf clusters) and the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal.

"Thanks for all your hard work," Shepard said in his farewell remarks.

"Your hard work is the reason the company is where it is now. Thank you for your dedication," he said to a large crowd of friends, family and fellow recruiting members. "Always strive forward and never fall back. Make yours first place and second will always fall to someone else."

Shepard's past assignments include working as the assistant division air defense officer for the 2nd Infantry Division and the assistant operations officer for the 5th Battalion, 5th Air Defense Artillery Regiment at Camp Stanley, Korea. He assumed command of the Army Recruiting Company Huntsville on July 1, 1998.

Shepard's awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal (one oak leaf cluster), the Recruiting Gunners Badge, Senior Jump Wings and the Ranger Tab.



Photo by Sgt. Sharon McBride

MEETING THE TROOPS— Capt. Gregory Haywood, left, the new commander of the Army Recruiting Company Huntsville, talks with members of his unit after assuming command.

Patriot Project people presented awards

Patriot Project Office presented the following awards May 9:

Certificate of Service— Joyce Marion (20 years), Martin Belgrave (15 years)

Letter of Appreciation— Rita Perry

Promotion Certificate— Ollie Toney, James Bradt

On the Spot Award-- Regeana Henderson

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Richardson, William Grimmitt, Timothy Richmond, Joyce Marion, Patricia Brewer, Margaret Tipton, Margaret Battle, Steven Coley

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Mon, June 5	4 P.M.-11 P.M.	The Land, 7-10 P.M.
Tues, June 6	4 P.M.-11 P.M.	The Land, 7-10 P.M.
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Army Audit Agency and CIC join forces to train analysts



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FACILITATING FACTS— Army Audit Agency's Information Technology Team member Christine Spencer, standing, helps a student during the database management class held in the Corporate Information Center's electronic meeting room May 2-4.

By **BETH SKARUPA**
Staff writer

Army Audit Agency wanted to teach a course. Logistics Support Activity management analysts wanted to take the course. When Army Audit had trouble finding a room large enough to accommodate all those interested in taking the course, the Corporate Information Center stepped in and offered its electronic meeting room.

"Even though they are not in the teaching or training business, CIC offered the room without hesitation. It was such a spirit of cooperation, helpfulness and sharing," Erwin Marsch, a member of the Information Technology Team of the Army Audit Acquisition Management Directorate, said.

Because CIC volunteered the use of the electronic meeting room, Army Audit was able to provide database management training to 35 auditors and management analysts May 2-4 at Redstone Arsenal.

"The CIC facility was just marvelous," Marsch said. "It is by far one of the most technologically advanced facilities I've ever seen in my life and I've been associated with information technology since 1985 in the Army."

The electronic meeting room is one of the largest rooms of its kind at an Army installation in the world. It has state-of-the-art equipment and can accommodate up to 56 people at separate workstations all networked together.

"It has been used in the past with large groups when necessary," Ruth Ann Hammond, project manager for electronic meeting systems, said. "After all, it is an AMCOM facility."

CIC provided Army Audit with technological support for the course so that everything ran smoothly. Marsch attributes the course's success to CIC's support ensuring that there were no technological failures or "blue screens" to disrupt the training.

Originally, the "Basic Access for Auditing" course was developed to teach the basic skills necessary for auditors to use Microsoft's Access database management program to the best advantage. The course teaches only those parts of Access that an auditor needs to know to do the job of auditing.

"We cut out all the 'bells and whistles,' we don't even teach how to do charts," Marsch said. "We took a program made for everybody, pulled out the necessary information and trimmed it to a very, very intensive three-day course."

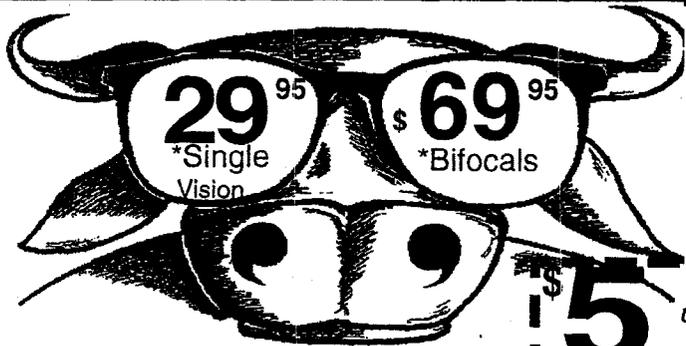
The course has been taught to Army auditors throughout the United States. Classes have been held in Huntsville as well as in Detroit, Mich.; Fort Bragg, N.C.; Fort Meade, Md.; St. Louis, Mo., and Alexandria, Va.

Marsch customized the course for management analysts when he found out several people from LOGSA were interested in taking it.

"Auditing really is management analysis and LOGSA deals with the analysis of logistical data every day. In a lot of ways, we're a lot alike," Marsch said. "Access has a lot of things that are not required for management analysis. Management analysts are interested in the data — the numbers — and how to get the data out in a management data form."

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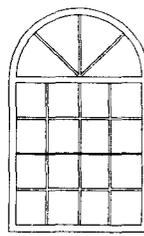
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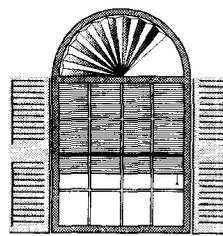
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Vaccinate your computer against virus attack

By DAN O'BOYLE
For the Rocket

Well, the world made it over the Y2K hump, but nobody thought that in the fifth month of the new millennium something called the "Love Bug" would be so devastating.

Indeed, computer security and attacks from cyberspace have taken on more significance than anyone ever would have believed.

Not surprisingly, therefore, assuring the security of information systems and data has quickly become priority No. 1. Although caught off guard by the "Love Bug," there are some basic, common sense procedures and safeguards that Team Redstone computer users can use to assure information security.

These procedures become even more important as experts now widely acknowledge that hackers will continue to try and exploit vulnerabilities.

The "Love Bug" plague of May 4 not only has produced some valuable lessons learned, but also has re-invigorated the application of fundamental cyberspace protection and attack prevention techniques. Specifically:

- Never share or tell anyone your password.

- Do not open e-mail or e-mail attachments bearing unfamiliar sender/subject lines.

- Do not open e-mail or e-mail attachments when you get three or more with the same message header.

- Update your anti-virus at least every two weeks.

- If you suspect a virus, unplug your network connection, but do not turn your system off, sometimes that will activate a virus; contact your organization's information systems security officer.

As the world learned on May 4, a computer virus, such as the "Love Bug," can replicate itself and spread quickly by attaching to files and moving from user to user.

Viruses can destroy files and reformat or destroy hard drives.

McAfee and Norton anti-virus programs work by identifying signatures or fingerprints in a virus. Each virus has a different signature. The anti-virus program software scans and searches for signatures or fingerprints in a computer's hard drive or floppy disk.

McAfee and Norton can detect known viruses, but they did not detect the "Love Bug" as its signature or fingerprint was not known.

Governor recognizes soldiers for doing the right thing

By SKIP VAUGHN
Rocket editor

Alabama Gov. Don Siegelman had to feel safe in a dining room full of servicemembers from throughout the state.

It was the annual "governor's luncheon" sponsored by the Alabama National Guard on May 17 at Gunter's Air Force Base Annex in Montgomery. An estimated nearly 100 servicemembers attended, including Redstone's command sergeant major, soldier of the year for 1999, and drill sergeant of the year for 2000.

Twenty-six of the top enlisted performers for the past year received individual certificates signed by Siegelman.

"Outstanding," CSM Roscoe Johnson said of the event. "Because it gives you an opportunity to see other outstanding soldiers in other branches of service. Plus it gives you an opportunity to see future leaders of the service because it had ROTC and JROTC and one of the prep

schools."

Accompanying Johnson were Sgt. Gerson Ramirez, Redstone soldier of the year, and SSgt. Harold Mitchell, drill sergeant of the year.

"It's a great opportunity for the soldiers to be recognized especially from all branches of the service," Ramirez said. "They had all branches of the service over there."

Ramirez, a member of MEDDAC, is a medical equipment repair technician.

A Huntsville native, Mitchell is a drill sergeant at Bravo Company, 832nd Ordnance Battalion.

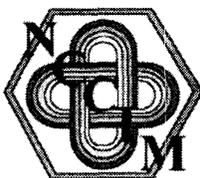
"I thought it was very good," Mitchell said of the luncheon. "Anytime soldiers can get recognition of the governor of the State of Alabama, if they deserve that recognition, I think it's great. It's always good to have people doing the right thing getting recognition for the things that they do."



Photo by Dave Farlow

Depot worker...

Pedro Perez, center, served in the Navy during World War II and has worked at Corpus Christi Army Depot, Texas since 1973. Helping celebrate his 50 years of service May 8 are Col. Mitch Dockens, depot commander, and Sydney Hutchins.



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Marines clear tilt-rotor V-22 Ospreys for flight

By JIM GARAMONE
American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON— The Marine Corps will resume flying its V-22 tilt-rotor Osprey aircraft. Officials said on May 9 that an examination of data from the crash last month that claimed 19 lives did not indicate any mechanical or software failures.

Marine Lt. Gen. Fred McCorkle, Marine Corps deputy chief of staff for aviation, told reporters at the Pentagon that investigators are focusing on a condition called "power settling."

"The data show that the mishap aircraft was in a high rate of descent at a relatively low forward air speed," McCorkle said. "This can result in a loss of lift on the rotor system. Power settling is a condition which can be common to all helicopter flight and is now the main focus of the investigation."

The MV-22 crashed during a noncombatant evacuation evaluation mission April 8. The Osprey was one of four flying from Marine Corps Air Station Yuma, Ariz. It crashed at Marana Airport near Tucson.

Commandant of the Marine Corps Gen. James Jones made the decision to resume flights and will be aboard the first V-22 to carry passengers. Gen. Michael Ryan, Air Force chief of staff, asked to

accompany the commandant. Marine Corps officials estimate the flight will occur in two to three weeks.

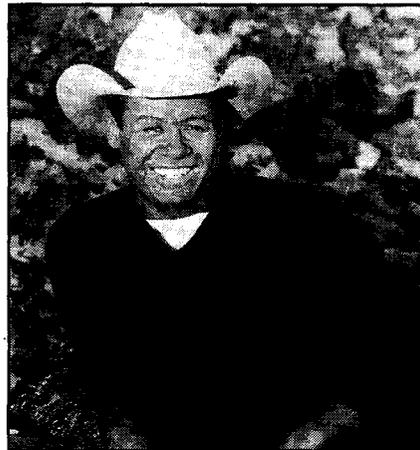
"The commandant is confident our MV-22 Osprey aircraft are fully airworthy," McCorkle said. The Marines will begin flying the engineering, manufacturing and development test aircraft first. EMD aircraft are instrumented and flown by test

pilots who determine the parameters and limitations of the aircraft's flight envelope.

The Marines will phase in flying the production version MV-22s. Initially, Ospreys will fly with only essential people and then begin ferrying passengers again. McCorkle said the aircraft has performed more than 40 troop-lift missions, carrying more than 700 troops during ear-

lier evaluation flights.

McCorkle said the board continues to investigate the crash. The board will look at effects there may have been from aircraft flying near each other, the winds aloft at the airport and other factors that could have caused the crash. The Marines have four Ospreys now and will take delivery of another shortly.



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Country crazy concert...

The Springfest 2000 concert finale promises to be a boot-stompin' good time featuring Neal McCoy and the Kentucky Headhunters. McCoy was named Entertainer of the Year in 1998 by the TNN/Music City News County Awards and continues to perform to sellout shows around the country. "Life of the Party" is McCoy's latest album. The Kentucky Headhunters are back on the country music scene after a lengthy renovation of their house of hits, probably most remembered for the band's signature song, "Dumas Walker." Advance Springfest concert tickets and nine-day passes are on sale now at several locations on post. For more information call Morale, Welfare and Recreation at 955-7399.

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Pizza party...

Wanda Thomas, of South Central Civilian Personnel Operations Center, enjoys a pizza party which celebrated CPOC's reaching its production goal for this year in just 10 months and 19 days. The production goal was 600 closed recruitment actions each month or a year-long total of 7,200 closed recruitment actions for the year which began July 1, 1999. This represents a combination of merit promotion and new employee recruitments for the South Central region. CPOC also reached its production goal for May of 600 closed recruit actions in only 23 days.

OMMCS' own join Ordnance hall of fame 2000

By Sgt. SHARON McBRIDE
Staff writer

In a special induction ceremony held recently at the home of the Ordnance Corps, two former leaders of the Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School had their names added to the Ordnance Corps Regimental Hall of Fame.

Retired CSM Charlie Miller II and Ken Carroll, both of whom contributed greatly to OMMCS, were honored at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., May 11 during the Ordnance Week 2000 celebration.

Miller's long and distinguished military career began in 1961, with several assignments as a trainer and leader for OMMCS. He capped his 30-year Ordnance career by serving as the OMMCS command sergeant major until his retirement in 1991.

Carroll joined the OMMCS ranks as an instructor in 1962. For 22 years, Carroll instructed students, and more recently, in 1994, he served as the assistant commandant for OMMCS. Carroll retired in 1999, after completing 37 years of service for OMMCS.

"This year's induction was very special for me," Col. Stephen Taylor, OMMCS commandant, said. "Because I had the privilege of working with both of these individuals in past assignments."

To date, 238 individuals have been inducted in the Ordnance Hall of Fame, but this year's induction was one of the few times that individuals with strong OMMCS roots have been not only nominated but inducted as well.

"Their most notable contributions occurred while assigned to OMMCS,"

Taylor said. "And those contributions led to the recommendation for induction."

Miller and Carroll join a select group of individuals whose contributions transcend time and built the base for the present and future Ordnance Corps.

"During the course of many careers many individuals provide contributions to the Ordnance Corps, but few are selected for such an honor," Taylor said. "These two should be justifiably proud of taking their place among former Ordnance greats such as Maj. Gen. Frank P. Ragano, Brig. Gen. William J. Fiorentino, Lt. Gen. Ronald V. Hite, Maj. Gen. George E. Turnmeyer Jr. and Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt."

The Ordnance Hall of Fame began in 1969. Its members are honored with a permanent display in the Ordnance Museum located at Aberdeen Proving Ground.

America remembers service and sacrifices of Korean War vets

By JIM GARAMONE
American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON— Veterans of the Korean War are gearing up for the commemoration of the 50th anniversary of that conflict.

"They, better than most Americans, understand that 'freedom is not free,'" said retired Air Force Maj. Gen. Nels Running, director of the commemoration committee.

The phrase 'freedom is not free' is part of the Korean War Veterans Memorial in Washington that will be the focal point of ceremonies commemorating the start of the war. President Clinton will speak at the memorial June 25.

Running stressed the ceremonies are not a celebration. "Commemorate really means remember," he said. "We're going to recognize, honor and remember the service provided during the Korean War."

At the end of World War II, the Soviets occupied Korea north of the 38th parallel, while the United States occupied the south. The Soviets installed a communist government in the north; on June 25, 1950, North Korea's army stormed the border and easily overran the South Korean army.

President Harry S. Truman at first limited U.S. participation to sea and air units,

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Courtesy photo

Synergy forum II...

Robert Brown, the AMCOM webmaster, is the scheduled keynote speaker for the second Synergy Forum, June 22 from 9 a.m. to noon at building 5309, third floor, the electronic meeting facility. His subject is "Knowledge Management in the Government." For more information, call Jim McGraw 313-0851 or Cheryl Wise 313-0638.



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■ Cotton Row volunteer dies after jogging two-miler

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support detachment- South, assigned to the Intelligence and Security Command, Fort Belvoir, Va. He was Scoutmaster of Redstone Arsenal Boy Scout Troop 308.

"He was a great friend. We used to talk a lot," said Col. Doug Brouillette, director of intelligence and security for the Aviation and Missile Command and Redstone Arsenal. "He did a great job. Part of the job was protecting security of our information, and he did that very well."

Halupka, a Virginia native, was a retired Army major who had previously served in the Air Force. He and his wife Barbara had four children, including a daughter, Shannon, who turns 28 on May 31. Their two youngest sons, Peter, 11, and Paul, 15, were both with Halupka when he succumbed. Their oldest son, Nick, 26, is an Air Force first lieutenant stationed at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, Mont.

Monday was Halupka's 29th wedding anniversary. His granddaughter was born a few weeks ago to his daughter.

"He actually was a big reason for the success of the Boy Scouts here at Redstone Arsenal," Col. Christen Anderson,

command chaplain for AMCOM and committee chairman with Boy Scout Troop 308, said.

The 20-member troop had added eight boys within the last month. "It's really a growing troop and a lot of that has been Pitts' work, too," Anderson said.

Halupka died doing what he enjoyed, according to the chaplain. "He was working with his Boy Scouts and then he was running with his own boys. That's the last thing he did."

Retired Col. Gary Stewart, a committee member with Boy Scout Troop 308, had asked Halupka to become Scoutmaster seven years ago.

"He was a real solid citizen," Stewart said. "He was a good friend to certainly a whole generation of Boy Scout youth that went through our troop in the last seven years."

"He was just a very likable, dedicated guy. He was very friendly, very proficient as a Scoutmaster, very trustworthy."

It was the second death in the 21-year history of Cotton Row Run. Frederick Richards, who also worked at Redstone, collapsed and died while running the 10K in 1984.

Moses, race director for the past two years, went to the hospital Monday as did his wife, Alice. "It's very serious," he

said outside the emergency room. Later he learned that Halupka had died of cardiac arrest.

"The Scouts have supported the race for a long long time and we've profoundly appreciated their sacrifices," Moses said. "And our sympathies go

with the family. Our heart just goes out to them. And we wish we could do something to help but we don't know what it would be."

An estimated 1,500 runners competed in the 10K and about 700 participated in the two-mile fun run.

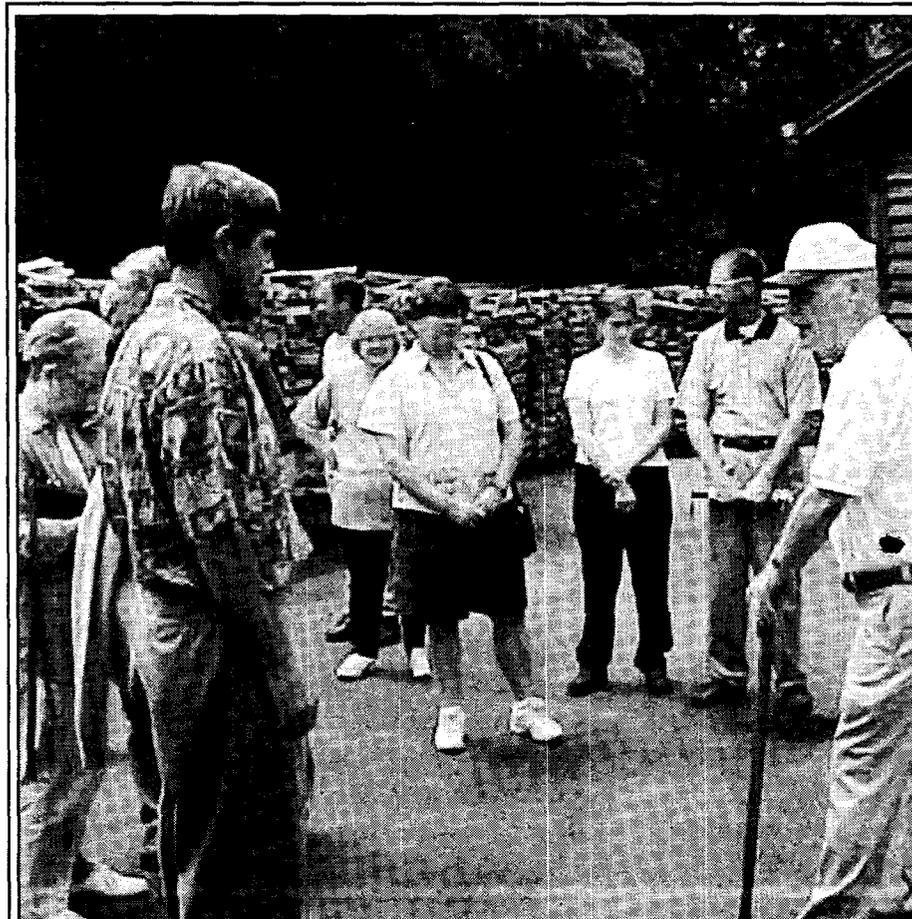


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Distillery tour...

Army Aviation Association of America, Tennessee Valley Chapter members and guests get a tour of Jack Daniels Distillery from Bill Sanders on May 20. Following the tour, the distillery hosted a barbecue, musical entertainment by their own band, and an opportunity to sample the Jack Daniels' products.



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Vipers dancer...

Desiree Henry, daughter of Ronald and Karen Henry, both retired NCOs, is a member of the Tennessee Valley Vipers' Dance Team. She is a junior at Alabama A&M University.

Korean War veterans prepare for 50th anniversary of conflict

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but soon was forced to call on U.S. Army ground units. By the armistice three years later, about 5.7 million American service members had served during the war. More than 33,667 U.S. service members died in battle with another 3,249 dying "of other causes."

The opening ceremony will set the stage for the rest of the commemoration, Running said. He expects up to 10,000 Korean War veterans and their families to attend. Former Ohio Sen. John Glenn, a Marine Corps veteran of the conflict, will represent all the veterans of the war. Defense Secretary William S. Cohen will also speak.

South Korean Ambassador to the United States Hong-Koo Lee will represent his country at the commemoration, as will representatives from the 20 other U.N. countries that fought alongside U.S. forces.

Getting the word out to Korean War veterans is a huge job for Running's committee. There are 1.2 million Korean War veterans still alive and the committee wants to reach them all and let them know America appreciates their sacrifices.

"Many of these men and women served during World War II, so they were



Photo by Jim Garamone/AFPS

SERVICE MEDAL— Korean War veterans are now authorized to receive the Republic of Korea's Korean War Service medal.

familiar with the service lapel pin given to veterans of that conflict," Running said. "Well, Korean War veterans never received that kind of recognition. We now

have lapel pins for them to wear similar to 'the Ruptured Duck' that World War II vets received."

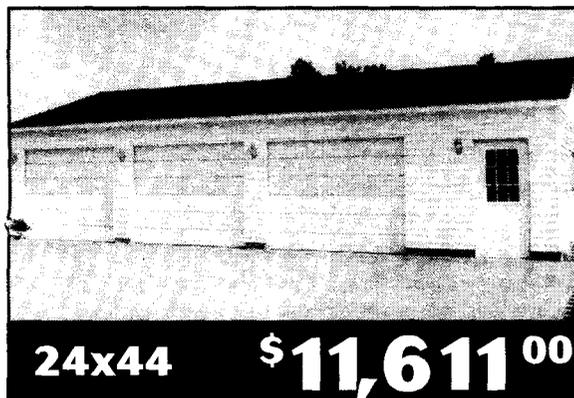
Korean War veterans are also authorized to receive the Republic of Korea's Korean War Service medal. On Aug. 20, 1999, Defense Secretary William S. Cohen authorized Korean War veterans to receive this foreign award.

"We would like to give those medals to all 1.2 million veterans and the families of veterans who have died," Running said. He said DoD is working out a certification process, and the Korean government is shipping an initial 150,000 of the medals to start the awards process. Distribution to all eligible veterans is expected to take about four years, he said.

To date, almost 2,000 communities have signed up to honor their veterans. "This grass-roots support is what we need to reach the veterans," Running said. "You know, I walked into a local book store and asked the clerk for the books on the Korean War. There were books on the Civil War, books on World War II and Vietnam. There was one book on Korea.

"Many of the veterans of the war call it 'the Forgotten War,'" he continued. "We want to ensure these Americans to understand we honor their commitment to freedom and the sacrifices they made. That's what this commemoration is all about."

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Catch the hiss when Vipers visit Redstone Arsenal

BY MARGARET BANISH-DONALDSON
For the Rocket

Football fans may want to work up a premium appetite to go with their enthusiasm for Tennessee Valley Vipers' game against the Jacksonville Tomcats on June 10. The Vipers are in the National Conference and the Tomcats are in the American Conference. As of May 20, the teams were tied for third place in the league standings.

Employees and their families at Redstone Arsenal will have a chance to meet members of the Vipers, a professional indoor football team, the cheerleaders "Snake Charmers" dance team, and coaching staff at the PX from 3-6 p.m. June 6.

Debbie Donius from the Civilian Welfare Fund Council will be selling tickets for \$8 that day for the game. Tickets are also available at the Rustic Lodge from

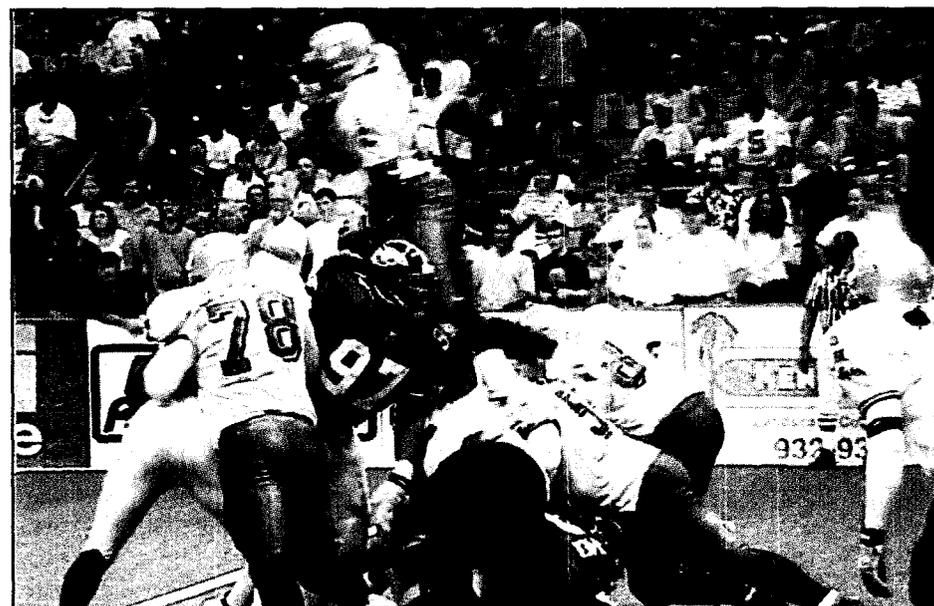
Valerie Carey at 955-6739.

Indoor football is a smaller version of the game everyone loves. It has caught on in Huntsville because Alabama is traditionally a football state, according to Ashley Balch, media and public relations director of the Vipers.

The rules for indoor football are basically the same as outdoor football, but have a few basic differences. The first thing you will notice is indoors there are eight players instead of 11 on the field. Six players have to play both offense and defense. There is no punting in indoor football.

The indoor field is much smaller. It is 50 yards long and 28 yards wide, whereas outdoors the field is 100 yards long and 50 yards wide. The field also has nets on each end behind the goal posts indoors.

The team is owned by Art Clarkson and coached by Tom Luginbill.



Courtesy photo

GAME ACTION— Members of the Tennessee Valley Vipers arena football team will visit the Post Exchange on June 6.

Wigington successfully defends post golf championship

BY SKIP VAUGHN
Rocket editor

Last year John Wigington shot his best two rounds of golf ever and won the post championship.

This year Wigington, an Air Force

colonel, didn't have as good a weekend. But he still won the post championship May 20-21.

He had a 76-76 for a 152 which represents eight over par for the 36 holes. Thirty-two active duty servicemembers com-

peted at Redstone Golf Course.

"I just didn't have it all together this time," Wigington said laughing. Last year he shot a 72-71 for one under.

"I think I played one stroke better than my average both days," he said of this year's results. "I have a five handicap. When you're an amateur, it's probably OK to shoot your average. So I felt pretty good about it."

Wigington, 48, is director of the Missile and Space Intelligence Center. The Gainesville, Ga., native arrived at Redstone in August 1998.

SSgt. Jay Walton, an instructor in the

Electronics Training Department at Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School, finished second with 77-78-155.

"It was a well run event and it's one event that more active duty members need to take advantage of because it is a good deal," Wigington said. "I thank MWR (Morale Welfare and Recreation) for putting on this annual event."

"It went very well," Mary Russell, assistant manager for Redstone Golf Course, said. "We had a little bit more people participate than last year. I think we only had like 20 last year, so it's grown a little bit."

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peted in the tournament.

Delta Company also won the Commander's Cup golf championship May 19 at Redstone Golf Course. Three teams were tied for first at 8-under-par; and Delta won the deciding drawing. The Marines finished second and unlucky Headquarters and Alpha placed third. Eighteen teams competed in the four-man scramble.

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Dependents golf tournament

The Redstone Arsenal Ladies Golf Association has been selected to play host to the 39th annual Military Dependents Tournament, Sept. 10-14. Legal female,

adult dependents (18 years or older and an amateur golfer) of active duty, retired, Reserve component or deceased service personnel of the five U.S. armed forces are eligible to apply. The field is limited to the first 160 applicants with the lowest handicaps who return their entries by June 1. Contestants are required to show a

valid military ID card when registering. All contestants compete in an Open Division that has been pre-flighted according to handicaps. There is a separate Queens Flight for women 70 and older. Play will be 54 holes of stroke play and the champion will be the contestant with the lowest gross score for the tournament, regardless of the flight in which she plays. Also, a low net winner over the field will be recognized. For tournament applications and more information call Fran Sullivan, tournament director, 883-8804 or Marie Maksimowski, tournament chairman, 881-2924.

Vipers players

The Tennessee Valley Vipers arena football team players, cheerleaders and coaches will be at the Post Exchange on June 6 from 3-6 p.m. Discount tickets will be available for the next home game June 10 for \$8. Register to win an autographed Viper jersey or football and other Viper souvenir items. For more information, call Mary Ann Meyer-Schuck of the Civilian Welfare Fund council 313-3395.

Ten-miler tryouts

Tryouts for Redstone Arsenal's team in the annual Army-Ten Miler will be held 7 a.m. July 29 and Aug. 12 beginning and ending at Sparkman Fitness Center. The team is to consist of eight members including up to five military plus coach Skip Vaughn and assistant coach Alexander Steel. Eligible persons include military, Army civilian workers, military family members, and Army civilian family members. They should be stationed here through December. The Army Ten-Miler is Oct. 15 in Washington, D.C. For more information, call Vaughn 876-1500 or Steel 876-3867.

Youth golf clinic

Redstone Youth Sports is offering a Youth Golf Clinic beginning June 6 which will continue every Tuesday and Thursday. See Announcements on page 20



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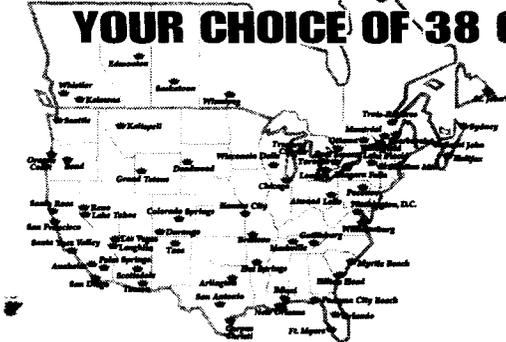
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Springfest 2000, a nine-day festival at the Redstone Activity Field, starts this Friday at 5 p.m. and continues until June 10. There will be food, fun and live entertainment nightly. For ticket information, call 830-2582 or 876-4531.

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from 9-11 a.m. for four weeks. Play days will begin after the seventh lesson every Thursday at 7:30 a.m. throughout the summer. The cost is \$25 and the deadline to register is June 2. Space is limited so sign your child up today. Call 876-2255 for more information.

Miscellaneous

Technical/business symposium

The 16th annual Technical and Business Exhibition and Symposium (TABES 2000) continues through Thursday at the Von Braun Center. Sponsored by the Huntsville Association of Technical Societies, this is an international symposium addressing critical issues in business, defense, space and environment. For more information, call 882-1221.

Mr. Man premiere

The 10th annual "Mr. Man Premiere," a presentation of S.B. Productions, will be held in August at Redstone Arsenal. Selected men will compete in style, finesse, performance and personality for the title of Mr. Man. All contestants will be escorted and assisted by female models. For more information, call Samuel Brown 233-4702 or pager 650-7736.

MILPO closed

The Military Personnel Office (MILPO) will be closed Thursday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in honor of the departing Adjutant General, Maj. Karen Peterlin.

Inspector general visit

Training and Doctrine Command Inspector General (IG) will visit the Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School (OMMCS) June 12-15 to conduct an Assistance Visit. During this visit, the team will accept Inspector General Action Requests. IGARS are one-on-one sessions, which allow the military and civilian members of the command, family members, and retirees a chance to voice concerns directly to the TRADOC inspector general. IGAR sessions will be held noon to 1 p.m. June 13-14 at Vincent Hall, building 3301, room 111. A sensing session will be held from 6-7 p.m. June 14 at the Recreation Center auditorium, building 3711, to allow family members and retirees a chance to voice concerns about issues they feel are important. For more information, call MSgt. Paul Ewertz 842-6850.

Springfest 2000

Mark your calendars for Springfest 2000, June 2-10 on the Redstone Arsenal Activity Field. This fun-filled festival features

unlimited carnival rides plus live entertainment nightly including a finale evening on June 10 featuring Neal McCoy as well as the Kentucky Headhunters. Free parking and lots of fun for the entire family. The nine-day fest pass is \$25 and includes local entertainment nightly, unlimited rides, free parking concert with Neal McCoy and the Kentucky Headhunters. Concert day only ticket for June 10: advance price \$15; gate price \$17, includes entertainment. Tickets are available at the Redstone Officers' and Civilians' Club 830-2582, and the Recreation Center 876-4531, or off post at Geico Direct, 6210-C Old Madison Pike, 837-0551. Advance tickets are also available from your Civilian Welfare Fund representative.

Synergy forum

Scheduled speaker for the second Redstone Arsenal Synergy Forum is Robert Brown, the AMCOM webmaster. His topic is "Knowledge Management in the Government" The forum will meet June 22, from 9 a.m. to noon, in the EMS Facility in building 5309, third floor. Additional speakers include Gerald Tucker, AMCOM IDE PM; Natalie Van Dam, Information Management Officer, Aviation PEO; and Rebecca Pratcher, chief, AMCOM Strategic Planning Office. The purpose of the Synergy Forum is to promote an exchange of ideas regarding how we do our jobs. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Jim McGraw 313-0851 or Cheryl Wise 313-0638.

Resource managers

The American Society of Military Controllers will hold its installation of officers luncheon at 11:30 a.m. June 8 at Trinity Personal Growth Center, Airport Road. Cost is \$9 for members, \$10 for non-members. For reservations call Janet Siersma 955-3890.

PX news

Effective June 5, the One Stop will conduct a 60-day test of Monday through Fri-

day opening hours. The new opening hours will be 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday; and 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday.

Sergeants major

The Sergeants Major Association will hold its monthly meeting June 15 from 6:30-7:30 in the morning at the Radisson Suite Hotel, South Memorial Parkway. For more information, call Sgt. Maj. Marvin Whitted 842-2879.

Nutrition program

The Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) nutrition program will screen military families and issue vouchers today and June 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the New Parent Support Program Playhouse. The Playhouse is located at 1220-B Lacrosse Drive. Appointments may be made by calling Army Community Service 876-5397. The assessment usually takes from 45 minutes to an hour. For more information, call Mary Breeden or Virginia Dempsey 876-5397. Eligibility for WIC is based on nutritional needs and limited income. Families who already qualify for Medicaid, food stamps, or Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) probably qualify for WIC. Income qualifications for military families are determined by base pay and do not include housing and other allowances.

Union meeting

AFGE Local 1858 will hold its monthly meeting at 4:30 p.m. June 12 at building 3202 (union office). All employees are invited. For more information, call 876-4880 or 881-7430.

British motoring society

North Alabama British Motoring Society (NABMS) is a club dedicated to learning more about and preserving British motor vehicles. It meets the first Tuesday of each month at the Old Greenbrier restaurant starting at 6:30 p.m. The club sponsors an annual Father's Day Car Show in
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Decatur's Colonial Mall; and this year's show is June 16-18. Last year's show had 38 cars. The club is also local sponsor for the national Drive Your British Car Week held May 20-28.

HHC AMCOM commander

Headquarters and Headquarters Company AMCOM will hold a change of command ceremony at 9 a.m. June 16 in the Recreation Center, building 3711. Capt. Aaron Bryant will relinquish command to Capt. James Coe. A reception will follow. The public is invited.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be held June 12-16 from 9-11:30 a.m. at Bicentennial Chapel. Registration is under way for children who have completed preschool and will be 5 before Sept. 2 through those who have just completed sixth-grade. The theme this year is "2000 Ark Avenue: God's Great Get-Together." Register in the chapel's room 14 weekdays and room 15 on Sunday. For more information, call Patty Wilson 876-6874.

Thrift shop job

The Thrift Shop has an opening for afternoon cashier. Hours are 12:30-4:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. every other Friday, and alternate first Saturday of the month from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Applications can be picked up at the Thrift Shop during business hours Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call management 881-6992.

AMC briefing

The AMC VISION 2010 briefing to the work force, with Gen. John Coburn, commander of Army Materiel Command, will run from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 25 in the Bob Jones Auditorium.

AUSA dinner

Association of the U.S. Army, Redstone-Huntsville Chapter will hold its general membership meeting celebrating the Army's 225th birthday, Flag Day and the installation of officers for 2000-2001 at 6

p.m. June 14 at the Officers' and Civilians' Club. Scheduled speaker is Maj. Gen. James Darden, commander of 87th Division Exercise, Birmingham. Cost is \$20 per person. To RSVP call Linda Etheridge 722-4578 or John Rogers 726-6370.

Deputy post commander

Redstone Arsenal Support Activity will hold a change of command ceremony at 9 a.m. June 23 at the Bob Jones Auditorium. Col. Steven Hamilton will relinquish command to Col. Brent Swart. All members of Team Redstone are invited.

Catholic community

Our Lady of the Valley, Catholic community at Bicentennial Chapel announces the following: Rosary is recited daily at 11:30 a.m. mass; and a communion service is held Monday through Friday at noon. A mass will be held this Saturday at 5 p.m., and Sunday at 9:15 a.m.

Intelligence center jobs

Entry-level applicants for engineering positions with the Missile and Space Intelligence Center must apply under Vacancy Announcement No. 99-IO/ELP. This announcement is located at the Defense Intelligence Agency website address: www.dia.mil. The announcement is open indefinitely and is used to fill positions at Redstone, Washington, D.C., and other DIA duty locations.

Quarterly retirement ceremony

The Quarterly Post Retirement Ceremony will be held July 20 at 4 p.m. between buildings 5303 and 5304 at the Sparkman Center Parade Field. Military retirees who wish to participate in the ceremony should call MSgt. William Loew, RASA Support Operations, 876-2819 by July 5.

Communication council

International Training in Communication will hold its quarterly council meeting June 17 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Holiday Inn at Madison Square Mall. For reservations, which are required, call Ira Smith 852-3376 by June 5.

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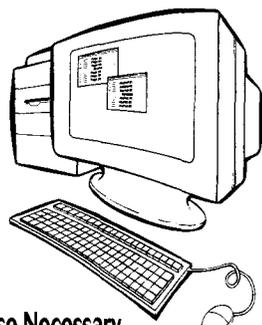
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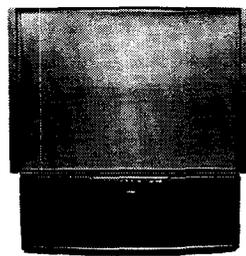
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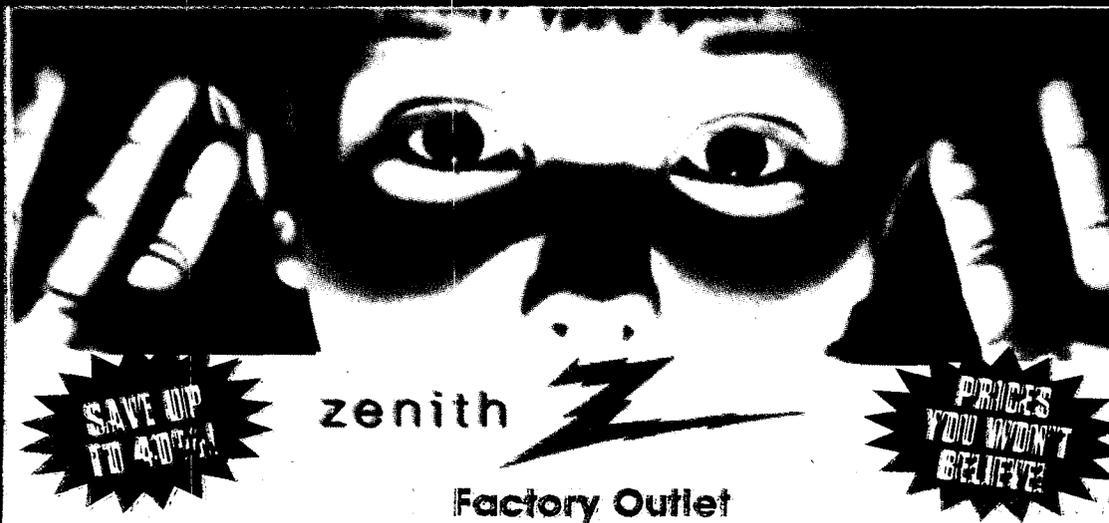


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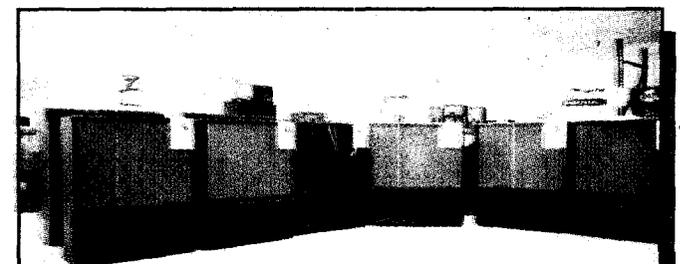


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