

440th Airlift Wing Combat Airlifter

July 12-13, 2014

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Commander's message

Last week we lost a true American hero – Louis Zamperini. For those who don't know his story, Mr. Zamperini was a world class runner and a member of the 1936 United States Olympic team. Following the Berlin Olympics, Mr. Zamperini set a collegiate record running the mile in 4:08. He graduated from the University of Southern California in 1940 and joined the Army Air Corps in September 1941. Mr. Zamperini was commissioned as a second lieutenant and qualified as a B-24 Bombardier assigned in the Pacific Theater.



On May 27, 1943, his B-24 crashed into the Pacific Ocean during a search and rescue mission. Lieutenant Zamperini, Lieutenant Russell Phillips and Sergeant Francis McNamara were the only three of eleven crewmembers to survive the crash and egress the sinking aircraft. The three crewmembers huddled together in a life raft awaiting rescue. However, search and rescue forces did not have an accurate position for their aircraft and the three crewmembers remained adrift for days. They survived on birds and fish they were able to catch and water from frequent rain showers. They endured shark attacks and strafing from Japanese aircraft. On day 33, Sergeant McNamara died. Lieutenants Zamperini and Phillips endured for another 14 days. On their 47th day at sea, the two were captured by Japanese Naval Forces off of the Marshall Islands and became prisoners of war.

Early in his captivity, one of the Japanese guards recognized Lieutenant Zamperini as an American Olympic athlete and specifically targeted him. Lieutenant Zamperini endured relentless abuse and torture for the next two years. In August of 1945, following the Japanese surrender, Lieutenant Zamperini was repatriated and returned home to Southern California.

Following his return home, Louis was welcomed as a hero. He befriended a number of Hollywood celebrities and became well known in Southern California. He married Cynthia Applewhite and, with the war behind him, his future looked bright. However, Louis suffered from PTSD. He was drinking heavily and taking his anger out on his family. His wife drew up divorce papers, but then decided to give him one last chance. She would stand by him if he would attend an event with her. Louis and Cynthia went to see a young evangelist named Billy Graham speak. Louis was taken with Reverend Graham and they became friends. With Reverend Graham's help, Louis was able to conquer his demons and turn his life around. He went on to become a missionary, author, motivational speaker and the founder of Victory Boys Camp for wayward youth. He and Cynthia raised two children and were married for 55 years, until her death in 2001. Louis continued his inspirational work until his death last week at the age of 97.

As we approach Wingman Day, I want you all to consider the life of Louis Zamperini and how he survived against immeasurable odds. Spending 47 days at sea in a life raft without food and water, and brutal treatment as a POW are experiences almost unimaginable to us. Physically, he survived. But, as tough as he was, there was no way Louis would survive spiritually, mental and emotionally if he tried to go it alone. He needed the help of his wife, Cynthia, and his friend, Billy Graham. They were his wingmen.

Thankfully, many of us will never have to endure experiences like those of Louis Zamperini. However, that does not minimize the challenges we do face. When faced with these challenges, like Louis, no matter how tough you are, you should never go it alone. This weekend you hear a lot about resources available to you– PHAP, Military One Source, Military Family Life Consultants –which I encourage you to use. However, your closest and most valuable resources are the people you live and work with every day – your wingmen. Get to know them, rely on them and don't be afraid to reach out to your wingmen. Louis Zamperini did.

Thanks for all you do.

With great respect,
Brig Gen Jim Scanlan

UTA Schedule

| TIME | EVENT | LOCATION | OPR |
|-----------------|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| SATURDAY | | | |
| 0630-0700 | SIGN IN AS DIRECTED (Core hours 0700-1600) | UNIT AREAS | Unit UTAP Monitors |
| 0700-0800 | MDS Prep for physicals | | |
| 0730-0830 | MSG/CC Call | Pope Theater | |
| 0730-0900 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | Unit Health Monitors |
| 0800-0930 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0800-1130 | Passports | Bldg 285 | |
| 0800-1130 | Newcomers Orientation | | |
| 0800-1600 | CATM AFQC | | |
| 0800-1600 | Physicals (by Appt): | Bldg 399 | Unit Health Monitors |
| 0830-1000 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0900-1000 | Supervisors Safety Training | Bldg 735, Rm 211 | |
| 0900-1200 | RAB Office Hours | Bldg 378, Rm 13D | |
| 0930-1030 | 3SOXX IHT | Bldg 306 | |
| 1000-1200 | Career Advisory Meeting | Bldg 306, Rm 201F | |
| 1030-1200 | HRDC Meeting | Bldg 306 | |
| 1100-1230 | CGOC Meeting | Bldg 730 | |
| 1230-1430 | A&FRC Office Hours | Bldg 110 | |
| 1300-1430 | UTMs | Bldg 306, Rm 009 | |
| 1300-1500 | JAG Services | Bldg 306 | |
| 1300-1500 | Pre-separation VA briefing | A&FRC | |
| 1300-1530 | FSS Service | Bldg 306 | |
| 1300-1530 | ID Cards | Bldg 285 | |
| 1300-1530 | FM Mil Pay & Travel Service | | |
| 1300-1630 | Mask Fit Testing | Bldg 513 | Mr. Geigher x7932 |
| 1330-1500 | PLT Training | | |
| 1400-1530 | CMSgt Batman Retirement | Bldg 753, 2nd Flr | |
| 1430-1530 | UDM Training | Bldg 900 | |
| 1500-1600 | CCAF Graduation | 95 AS Auditorium | |
| 1600-1630 | SIGN OUT AS DIRECTED | UNIT AREAS | Unit UTAP Monitors |

| SUNDAY | | | |
|---------------|--|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 0630-0700 | SIGN IN AS DIRECTED (Core hours 0700-1600) | UNIT AREAS | Unit UTAP Monitors |
| 0700-0800 | MDS Commanders Call | | |
| 0715-0845 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0730-0830 | AW/CC Call: MSG, AW staff, MDS | Pope Theater | |
| 0745-0915 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0800-0930 | CPR Training for PLTs | Combat Control School | |
| 0800-1100 | CDC/PME testing | Bldg 306, 1st Floor | |
| 0800-1230 | MDS follow-up appts & shots | | |
| 0800-1500 | Veterans Benefits Briefing | A&FRC | |
| 0800-1600 | CATM AFQC | | |
| 0815-0945 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0830-1230 | Mask fit testing | Bldg 513 | SSgt Geigher |
| 0845-0945 | AW/CC Call: OG, MXG | Pope Theater | |
| 0845-1015 | Fit to Fight testing | Hercules Gym | |
| 0900-1000 | Gp/CCs brief AFRC/CC Wingman info | | |
| 0900-1200 | Financial Management Open (military pay & travel) | Bldg 315 | |
| 0900-1200 | RAB Office Hours | Bldg 378, Rm 13D | |
| 0930-1500 | Force Support Squadron Services | Bldg 306 | |
| 0930-1500 | ID Cards | Bldg 285 | |
| 1000-1100 | OG/CC Assumption of Command | Bldg 738 | |
| 1000-1130 | Wingman Day Small Group Discussions | | |
| 1100-1200 | Supply CBRNE | | |
| 1200-1430 | Unit Wingman Day Team Building Exercise | | |
| 1200-1500 | CDC/PME Testing | Bldg 306, 1st Flr | |
| 1230-1430 | CPR Training for PLTs | Combat Control School | |
| 1300-1400 | SORTS/ART Brief | Bldg 900 AFQC | |
| 1300-1430 | Unit Lodging Reps | Bldg 306 | |
| 1300-1530 | Financial Management Open | Bldg 315 | |
| 1300-1530 | MDS In-House Training | | |
| 1500-1600 | Unit Time with Airmen to close out UTA | | |
| 1600 | Show time for Patriot Pope Flight | PAX Terminal | |
| 1600-1630 | SIGN OUT | UNIT AREAS | Unit UTAP Monitors |
| 1700 | UTA Airlift Departs | Pope Field | |

Vacation Safety

Each year the Air Force loses members due to fatalities that occur during “leisure” activities. Taking a minute to Google safety considerations before your planned activity is a very simple way to keep you and your loved ones out of harm’s way.

A quick search on “Beach Safety” brings up links, videos, and recommendations on surviving rip currents, the meanings of colored beach flags, differences between swimming in oceans and pools, assessing swimming skills of your children, and everything from sun protection to forecasts on surf zones and rip currents.

Understanding the hazard you face, regardless of the activity, and knowing how to safely deal with it should help make your leisure time more enjoyable. Take charge of your own safety: Get ahead by staying informed!

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“Knowledge is Power.” --Sir Francis Bacon (1597)

FY2015 UTA Schedule

October 2014

Primary: 18-19 Oct

December 2014

Primary: 6-7 Dec
Alternate: 13-14 Dec

February 2015

Primary: 21-22 Feb

April 2015

No UTA (12-13 Mar)
EXERCISE: 18-19 Apr

June 2015

Primary: 6-7 Jun

August 2015

Primary: 8-9 Aug

November 2014

Primary: 15-16 Nov

January 2015

Primary: 10-11 Jan
Alternate: 24-25 Jan

March 2015

Primary: 14-15 Mar
MOBEX: 12-13 Mar

May 2015

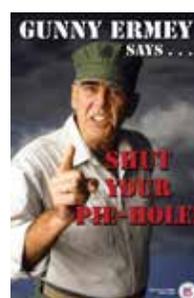
Primary: 2-3 May

July 2015

Primary: 11-12 Jul

September 2015

Primary: 19-20 Sep
Alternate: 12-13 Sep



Protocol's Corner

Did you know –

- 1.) The flag of the United States of America should only be displayed from sunrise to sunset, unless the flag is illuminated.
 - 2.) The American flag should not touch the ground.
 - 3.) When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting from a window, balcony, or a building, the union should be at the peak of the staff unless the flag is at half staff.
 - 4.) When the flag is displayed over a street, it should be hung vertically, with the union to the north or east. If the flag is suspended over a sidewalk, the flag's union should be farthest from the building.
 - 5.) When an American flag is displayed from the same flagpole with another flag, (state, community, or society) the U.S. flag must always be on top.
 - 6.) When the American flag is flown with the national banner of other countries, each flag must be displayed from a separate flag pole of the same height. Each flag should be the same size. All flags should be raised and lowered simultaneously. The flag of one nation should not be displayed above the flag of another nation. International law forbids a nation's flag to be flown above any other nation's flag during peacetime.
 - 7.) The American flag is flown at half-staff during a period of national mourning. When flown at half-staff, the flag is first raised to the top of the pole for a moment and then lowered to half-staff. At the end of the day, the flag should then be raised again to the top of the pole and then lowered.
 - 8.) If the flag is displayed against a wall it can be hung either vertically or horizontally. The flag's union (the stars) should be at the top, to the flag's own right, and to the observer's left.
- The United States flag is one of the nation's most widely recognized and used symbols. Many people understand the American flag to be a symbol of the individual and personal liberty set forth in the Declaration of Independence. Be sure to keep in mind these etiquette tips and guidelines if you decide to hang an American flag during your Independence Day celebrations. Give Old Glory the respect she deserves.

Passports

The Passport office will be open on Saturday, 12 Jul, 0800-1200 in bldg 285, first floor.

If you have any questions regarding the process please contact Mr. Gerald Jacobs at gerald.jacobs.1@us.af.mil or your UDM.

Drug Demand Reduction

As of March 2014, until otherwise notified, the new location for members to report for drug testing will be the Troop and Family Medical Clinic (Knox Clinic); the address is 2864 Woodruff Street. Directions to this clinic can be obtained from your First Sergeant.

Airmen are required to update their medical records with any new prescriptions for anything they may receive while not on duty. You do NOT need an appointment to make this update; just bring the prescription bottle or a copy of the prescription as soon as possible to Bldg 399 for medical staff to update the record. For DDR purposes, this pertains to meds pre or post surgery or other procedures requiring any pain meds. If a member is selected for drug testing and tests positive, a current prescriptions is a mandatory requirement for the medical record.

If you have any questions regarding this policy ask your First sergeant or DDR at (910)394-3994 during the UTA.

During the month, members may call Chief Chesley at 910-394-1650 with any questions about your prescription(s). If members are considering taking OTC products, or nutritional supplements always read the label for the ingredients.

Airman's Advisory Council

There will be no AAC meeting for the month of July. Our next AAC meeting will be held Sunday, 10 August from 0900-1000, Building 308, Basement Room #009. August UTA's topic will focus on executive council member nominations for the FY 2015, and their duties/responsibilities.

Should you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions, feel free to contact us.

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Company Grade Officer Council

I just want to say thank you for the opportunity to be the CGOC president. Because of all of you we went from no council at all at this wing, to hosting the first wing combat dining in, which was a huge success and generated over \$1000 for our council. Part of that money was used on our first CGO mixer last night, and part was used to fund a rock wall at the wing picnic (another huge hit). We also coordinated the first EPR/OPR writing class and had such great feedback that we are hosting a decorating writing class during the July UTA. We have proven that CGOs lead the way in this wing!

In order to continue our progress we need a strong group of CGOs leading the council and these elections are a perfect chance to help make the CGOC even better than last year (not to mention it's a great OPR bullet). I challenge any lieutenant and/or captain to run for office, we are in need of a new president, vice-president, treasurer and secretary. Please submit your names to Maj Kelly ASAP but NLT COB 12 July and we will vote via email on 13 July.

A big congrats to our council members that made major. We will be counting on you in the future as advisors and mentors. Thank you all again and look forward to your nominations.

PII Violations

Lately the 440 AW has been experiencing unencrypted Personnel Identification Information violations. Please follow the below steps when sending and/or storing PII.

Mark:

PII must always be properly marked. When you print PII, you use FOUO marking and cover sheets. The same is true in cyberspace. We mark our PII emails with 'FOUO' in the Subject line, and drop the Privacy Act statement in the message header. Markings alerts the recipient that they are now in possession of PII and their responsibility to handle it appropriately.

Encryption:

When sending PII via email, it must be sent as an encrypted email, period. If you can't encrypt the PII, then you are unable to transmit that PII properly. Encryption ensures only the authorized recipients view the PII, and that it has not been modified during transmission.

Share Drives/MICT:

When uploading PII information in Share drives ensure folders have access control restrictions and never upload PII into MICT.

Protect PII!

Quarterly Awards

Nominate your deserving Airmen, noncommissioned officers, senior noncommissioned officers, first sergeants, company grade officers, civilians wage employees, civilian program specialists (GS-1 through GS-11), civilian program manager (GS-12 and GS-13) and civilian senior manager (GS-14 and GS-15) for quarterly awards.

The 1st quarter nomination packages are due to the TSgt Alisha Feagin NLT April 8, 2014. Please take the time to recognize the hard work and outstanding accomplishments of your Airmen and civilians.

Award Period

1 JAN-31 MAR (1ST QTR)
1 APR-30 JUN (2ND QTR)
1 JUL -30 SEP (3RD QTR)
1 OCT-30 DEC (4TH QTR)

Nomination Package Due

APR - 1st Tue after UTA
JUL - 1st Tue after UTA
OCT - 1st Tue after UTA
JAN - 1st Tue after UTA

Selections will be made the UTA after nomination packages are due.

Top 3 Council

Due to Commanders Call and Wingman Day, the 440 AW Top 3 Council meeting for Jul has been canceled. The next meeting will be on 10 Aug, 1130-1230 in the OG/AES training classroom (Bldg 730/Rm 160).

Elections are fast approaching; please submit all nominations to SMSgt Stacy Beckner. The list of candidates will be announced at the August meeting and ballots will be made available to all active members at that time.

If you have any questions or concerns you would like addressed at the next meeting, please email the 440 AW Top 3 Council.

Thank you,
Top 3 Council Executive Officers

Deserving Airmen Program

The 440 AW is having the Deserving Airmen Commissioning Program (DACP) Board during the July 2014 UTA. The program is designed to commission deserving Airmen to fulfill valid, non-rated, line officer unit vacant positions. Package Checklists may be picked up at 440 FSS/FSMPD.

All packages are due to 440FSS/FSMPD (Career Development) NLT June 1, 2014.

College transcripts must be received by the 440 FSS/FSMPD NLT June 20, 2014.

Official AFOQT scores must be added to the completed package NLT July 9, 2014.

Late submissions will not be accepted.

POC: MSgt Nunez 910-394-4480; Maureen.Nunez@us.af.mil

Dining Facility for UTA

This UTA please utilize the 525th BFSB DFAC only. This applies to all meal card and cash customers.

Directions to the facility are as follows:

Exit Pope AAF through the Reilly Rd gate. After passing through the Butner Rd intersection, look for Ricketts Rd on the left (before the railroad tracks). Travel down Ricketts Rd and the first facility on the left is the DFAC. The hours of operation are Brunch 0930 - 1300 and Supper 1600 - 1730. The DFAC phone number is 396-8063.

As a reminder, all enlisted personnel are required to have a unit issued meal card in order to receive a meal at no cost to you and your military ID.

Kevin S. Smith, SMSgt, USAFR (ART)
Superintendent, 440 FSS/FSV
Pope AAF, NC
COML: 910-394-1574
DSN: 424-1574

100% BAH Validation

BAH Validation/Recertification is required for all reserve military members claiming dependents to include military married to military. As a wing, we have completed approximately 16% of our goal. If BAH Validation is not completed, member will be changed to single rate BAH with no retro payment and an audit of pay record to ensure no overpayment.

Please see your unit admin or CSS Form 594s. Forms and instructions have been provided to the units.

The schedule is as follows:

July 12 UTA, 0900-1100 OG bldg 738; 1300-1500 53rd APS, bldg 764

August 9 UTA, 0830 – 1100: 440 MS Group and Wing Staff Agencies; Wing Conf Rm

September 20 UTA, 0800 – 1100: 440 LRS, Bldg 700, Conf Rm; 1300-1500 MXG, bldg 753

If you have any questions, please contact Ms Connie Baker at 394-1600 or Ms Gerry Jones at 394-1409.

Exec Tip of the Month

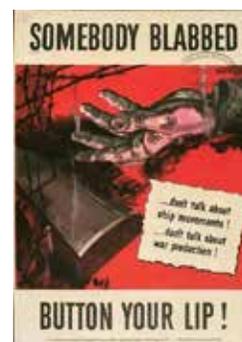
Common mistakes found on evaluations:

- Information on report does not match the shell or MilPDS
- Missing space after dash at beginning of bullet
- Bullets can only be a minimum of 2 lines with sub-bullets being one line
- Uncommon acronyms are used but not spelled out
- Implied promotion recommendation on OPR's
- Check marks are used instead of "X's"
- Misspelled words
- Signed before the close-out day or no signatures at all
- Time requirements on referral EPR's - AFI 36-2406, Para 1.10
- Incorrect signature block
- Non-EAD or AGR is not stated in the Organization, Command, Location, and Component block (Sec I, Item 5)
Example: 440th Airlift Wing (AMC) Pope Army Air Field, NC (Non-EAD or AGR)
- Feedback date is outside of Reporting Period
- Unauthorized PME bullets (Must receive an award, Levitow, Achievement, etc)

For further guidance refer to AFI 36-2406.

Contact information

Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency SFS: 910-394-2800/2808
Chaplain: 910-394-5458
Safety: 910-394-8387
Military Equal Opportunity: 910-394-3961
IG: 910-394-1798
ESD: 910-396-4444, DSN: 945-2900
Services Customer Support: 910-394-1056/1574
Military Pay: 910-394-1600/1909/1409/1332
Travel Vouchers: 910-394-1412
MPF Customer Service: 910-394-4480/4447/4477
Patriot Pope/Airlift Support: 910-394-7152/6152
IHG Army Hotels: 910-396-7700
Wing Public Affairs: 910-394-5533
Fitness Questions: 910-394-4287
Command Post: 910-394-9000
Pope Fitness center hours
Monday-Friday 5a.m.-10 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday 7 a.m.- 3 p.m.
For more information, call 394-2671.



SARC News

Sexual assault is a crime of motive and opportunity. Ultimately, there is no surefire ways to prevent an attack but there are some things to help reduce the risk of being assaulted in social situations:

1) When you go to a social gathering, go with a group of friends. Arrive together, check in with each other throughout the evening, and leave together; 2) Trust your instincts. If you feel unsafe in any situation, go with your gut. 3) Don't leave your drink unattended while talking, dancing, using the restroom, or making a phone call; 4) Don't accept drinks from people you don't know or trust; 5) Watch out for your friends, and vice versa; 6) If you suspect you or a friend has been drugged, contact law enforcement immediately. If you or someone you know has been affected by sexual assault it's not your fault.

Help is available through the following resources:

Ms. Karen Smith, SARC/Behavioral Health Specialist: 910 394-4551/7272

Maj. Elenah Kelly, SAPR Victim Advocate: 910 394-1452

Take care of yourself and others - Visit AFRC.WingmanToolkit.org today!

Orientation Flights

Familiarization/Orientation flights are intended to give our members an opportunity to fly on a C-130 and see the mission they support first hand. This is open to Active Duty, Reserve, and DoD civilians.

Flights are scheduled for 1100 takeoff/1300 land on July 11 and 1300 takeoff/1500 land on July 12. There will be 40 seats available for each flight.

Please contact your commander, chief, or supervisor if interested in participating.

Yellow Ribbon

The Yellow Ribbon (YR) Program promotes the well-being of reservists and their families by connecting them with resources before and after deployments. It began in 2008 following a congressional mandate for the Department of Defense to assist reservists and National Guard members in maintaining resiliency as they transition between their military and civilian roles. Each year, the Air Force Reserve program trains 7,000 reservists and family members in education benefits, health care, retirement information and more.

The next YR events will be held:
25-27 Jul in Orlando, FL
22-24 Aug in Daytona Beach, FL

Can't attend an event but would love some resources? Check out this link: <http://www.everyoneservesbook.com/video> This website has short videos that help service members and their families in coping with various cycles of deployment. They address almost every emotion and struggles that families can deal with before, during and after a deployment.

For more info on YR resources or eligibility please contact your YR rep: Capt. Joya Gamara at yellow.ribbon.pope@us.af.mil or DSN 424-2388.

Global Address Listing Updates

Got changes to your contact information in the GAL? Tired of trying to look up someone's phone number in Outlook only to find it's not correct or missing?

Users can now go to the ESD Portal to determine how to keep their information current:

Step 1: Go to <https://esd.us.af.mil>

Step 2: Click on View/Update My GAL

Step 3: Follow instructions to update your information for the corresponding GAL Field

My GAL has become the Enterprise standard for end users to update Global Address List information. Effective 05 May 2014, per NOTAM 2014-121-003, the Enterprise Service Desk (ESD) will no longer be accepting NIPR GAL update tickets that could be serviced using View/Update My Gal on the ESD portal.

Any tickets received prior to 05 May 2014 will be worked according to ESD policy, however any tickets received on or after 05 May 2014 will be updated with instructions to use View/Update My GAL and canceled.

AF Ball Blue Diamond Moments

The AF ball committee is hoping to hear from you!

This year's birthday ball is all about Airmen and their "Blue Diamond" moment. Whatever the circumstances, blue diamond moments are those that make you proud to wear the uniform and happy to be a part of the team. Maybe your blue diamond moment was the day you graduated from basic training or the day you interacted with the local population while serving overseas or maybe it happened while in the middle of an especially challenging mission/exercise/inspection. Maybe your blue diamond moment happened when a wingman went above and beyond to support you during a tough time in your life or maybe it happened when you helped a fellow Airmen pull through their own tough times.

There are no rules or standards for choosing your blue diamond moment, but once you've had a chance to think about it, please contact Maj. Lisa Ray or Mr. Adam Luther. Our goal is to record approximately 45 minutes of these blue diamond moments that will be posted to the website and projected at dinner that evening.

Thanks so much, and we can't wait to see what you guys come up with!!!



Promotions

Airman to Airman 1st Class

Phillip J. Armstrong, 440 MXS



Airman 1st Class to Senior Airman

Joseph D. Applewhite, 440 AMXS

Colby B. Drake, 440 SFS

Jordan S. Henderson, 440 FSS

Ledwan S. Ingram, 440 AMXS

Robin B. Klus, 36 AES

Mesut C. Koroglu, 440 AMXS

Sashenka Rodrigues De La Rosa, 440 MDS

George H. Stewart Jr., 95 AS



Senior Airman to Staff Sgt.

Edward J. Arquette, 440 SFS

Aurelia R. Copeland, 440 AW

Terry L. Samuels, 53 APS



Staff Sgt. to Tech. Sgt.

Kayla M. Barrickman, 440 CF

Javin W. Morton, 440 AMXS



Tech. Sgt. to Master Sgt.

Barbara B. Holmes, 440 OSS



Newcomers

The 440th Airlift Wing welcomes the following Airmen to the family!

Maj. Edward Hassiepen III, 440 MXG

Tech. Sgt. Danny J. Canup, 53 APS

Tech. Sgt. Jeffry A. Jorincay Jr., 440 CF

Staff Sgt. Jennifer Bogenrief, 440 FSS

Staff Sgt. Micky D. Jolly, 36 AES

Staff Sgt. Sean M. McGee, 440 MXS

Staff Sgt. Timothy O'Shields, 440 AMXS

Senior Airman Brian D. McAteer, 440 SFS

Senior Airman Jeanne Rhude, 440 OSS

Senior Airman Taylor L. Schultz, 440 LRS

Airman 1st Class Andea A. Brown, 53 APS

Airman 1st Class Matthew A. Carpenter, 440 AMXS

Airman 1st Class Sarina J. Crowder, 440 LRS

Airman 1st Class Rebecca K. Fisher, 440 AW

Airman 1st Class Xavier T. Jackson, 440 SFS

Airman 1st Class Shaun J. McLean, 440 AMXS

Airman 1st Class Anthony Powell, 440 MDS

Airman 1st Class Dillion M. Qualls, 440 MXS

Airman 1st Class Elizabeth Sampson, 440 MDS

Airman 1st Class Jonathan Scott, 53 APS

Airman Kristin B. Kurtz, 440 AW

Airman Basic Taurus Whitely, 53 APS

Let these Airmen know you are glad they have joined our team.

PII
reference AFI 33-332

PII is any information about an individual that can be used directly, or in connection with other data to identify, contact or locate that person.

| stand-alone data | grouped data |
|---------------------------|--|
| Social Security Number | Driver's license number |
| Alien registration number | Medical information |
| Biometric identifier | Citizenship/immigration data |
| Financial account numbers | Passport number |
| | Full date of birth |
| | (with person's name or other unique identifiers) |

examples

440th Airmen get lessons on leadership

by Adam Luther

The 440th Airlift Wing graduated its second Noncommissioned Officer Leadership Development Course of 19 students, June 20, here.

The 10-day Air Force Reserve Command course is broken down into two phases; each phase begins with students being taught by college instructors who cover leadership theories and principles. Phases finish with military instructors applying what they have learned to a military environment.

“The military facilitators drive home the points learned from the civilian instructors: case studies, role playing, and student activities,” said course instructor Master Sgt. Ivan Yelverton. “It’s a very important course; students get a lot from it and definitely enjoy the military portion.”

During the course students learn the impact of poor leadership; identifying stress and how to manage it; team building and time management skills; and the difference between leadership and management to name a few of the topics studied.

Yelverton, an Airman with the 507th Air Refueling Wing at Tinker AFB, Oklahoma, explained that he has wanted to be a NCOLDC instructor since he graduated the class years ago. Instructors come from units throughout AFRC and travel around the country to teach NCOLDC. They are required to teach a minimum of four classes a year and depending on availability, most instructors try to teach more than that minimum.

“Students may not of had the opportunity to experience some of these things. So with the scenarios, we bring out things to provoke thought and make them think outside the box,” Yelverton said. “It’s rewarding when at the end of the class they have things they want to take back and implement. That’s probably the most rewarding; when you see the light bulb come on.”

Course graduates are from the 440th Security Forces Squadron, 95th Airlift Squadron, 36th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron, 53rd Aerial Port Squadron, 440 Force Support Squadron, and 440th Communications Flight. They will receive credits toward their Community College of the Air Force degree for completing the course.

Chief Master Sgt. Rocky Hart, 440th Airlift Wing Command Chief, was the guest speaker at the graduation ceremony. Hart commended the Airmen for their hard work and encouraged the class to take what they have learned and apply it to their career field.

“There are two types of people, I believe, in the world. There are folks that will run to a fire, run to an accident, run to a car crash, and run into battle. And those that watch,” Hart explained. “You’re not the ones that watch. The reason I can say that is because everybody had a shot at this class, but only a handful said ‘I’ll do it.’”

“You’re that person. The one that runs into a fire fight, the one that runs to a car accident and provides CPR,” said Hart. “You guys were the ones that said, ‘I’ll take this.’ Thank you for that.”

Noncommissioned Officer Leadership Development Course graduates

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