



	Max	Min	Peak Gusts
Thurs.	89	48	31 knots
Fri.	81	48	17 knots
Sat.	80	42	20 knots
Sun.	84	38	14 knots
Mon.	90	42	11 knots
Tues.	85	43	21 knots
Wed.	77	59	25 knots

All measurements are made at Armitage Airfield.

Community Events

More than a yard sale! Bigger than a garage sale! Larger than a swap meet! The Annual Crusade Against Cancer Yard Sale will be held from April 29 through May 1 at 312 West Ward (one-half block east of Albertson's) in Ridgecrest. A convection oven will be raffled off and items like motorcycle parts, exotic baskets, furniture, clothes, luggage, console stereo, gas hot water heater and much, much more will be on sale at great savings to the buyer. All proceeds go to the Indian Wells Valley American Cancer Society.

Volunteers are needed to help with the sale. Tables are also needed so smaller objects can be spread out and seen. People wishing to volunteer time or who have a table or two they are willing to lend for a few days should call Rose Varga at 446-3939.

An appeal for garden contest prizes is being made to members of the Chamber of Commerce and all business owners by the Desert Planters of Ridgecrest. The contest is in recognition of the 25th anniversary of the City of Ridgecrest, as well as the 25th anniversary of the Desert Planters membership in California Garden Clubs, Inc.

Divisions of the contest include public and private gardens viewed from the street, including a Constitution garden (planted in red, white and blue). It is hoped businesses will donate pens, pencils, litter bags or whatever, so each entrant is sure to win some useful items. Businesses wishing to participate are invited to call Alice Hirsch at 375-2107 for an application.

On Saturday, April 30, at 7:30 p.m., LL & Company will present "The Miner Incident" at Furnace Creek in Death Valley.

The production was written by Linda Lou Crosby and is based on "true rumors" about the Randsburg area in the 1890s. Journey back to the days of the Old West when Randsburg sported floozy houses, mining establishments, and some of the most wonderful characters this side of the Rockies.

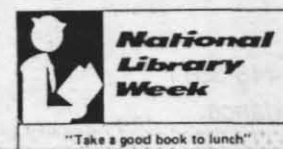
The melodrama is western-style, good old-fashioned fun, complete with yeas and boos and popcorn to throw at the villains. Will the evil Priscilla DePiugh take Sweet Daisy's home? Will the sneaky Bodkin Pittstick outwit our hero, True Blue Drew? Who will claim the deed to Granny Winslow's store? Come to the melodrama in Death Valley and find out.

For information about tickets and camping facilities at the Furnace Creek Ranch, call Dorothy Saitz at 375-1417 (evenings and weekends).



MELODRAMA MADNESS
— Our hero, Drew Johnson, (left), played by Bob Pruett, is not very pleased about the presence of villains Bodkin Pittstick (Robert Lupei) and Priscilla DePiugh (Dorothy Saitz) during "The Miner Incident," an LL & Company production presented in Death Valley on April 30.

Photo by Griff Davies



Movies

FRI.-SUN.	"WALL STREET" Starring Michael Douglas and Charlie Sheen (Drama, rated R, 126 min.)	APR. 15-17
WED.	"SPACEBALLS" Starring Mel Brooks and Rick Moranis (Comedy, rated R, 96 min.)	APR. 20
FRI.	"BABY BOOM" Starring Diane Keaton and Sam Shephard (Comedy, rated PG, 111 min.)	APR. 22

Starting Times: Matinee / 2:00 pm Evening / 7:00 pm
Box Office Opens: Matinee / 1:30 pm Evening / 6:30 pm

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Displays of aerobatic skills part of air show

By Steve Boster
Rocketeer Editor

Civilian pilots of three 1940s vintage aircraft will help open the air show portion of tomorrow's (Saturday) Celebration of Naval Aviation at the Naval Weapons Center (NWC). John Helton in his Piper J-3 Cub, John Collver flying his SNJ-5 Texan Trainer and Greg Vusovich in a Waco UPF-7 biplane will give aerobatic demonstrations.

While gates to the Center swing wide for the public at 9:30 a.m., the air show does not start until noon. This gives visitors more than two hours to find parking places, look at the static displays and find a good vantage point for two hours of aviation highlighting the day's action.

After test parachutists from the Aerosystems Department's Parachute Test Operations Branch open the show by bringing in the U.S. flag at

noon, the civilians will take to the air.

Helton, of Boulder, Colo., flies a 1941 Clip Wing Piper Cub. This aircraft, one of thousands used to train pilots during World War II, is put through maneuvers by Helton which are very different from what the original pilots did. His bag of tricks includes aileron rolls, snap rolls, tail slides and, on special occasions, inverted spins and dead stick landings. Helton has logged thousands of

hours in military fighter aircraft and in commercial airliners.

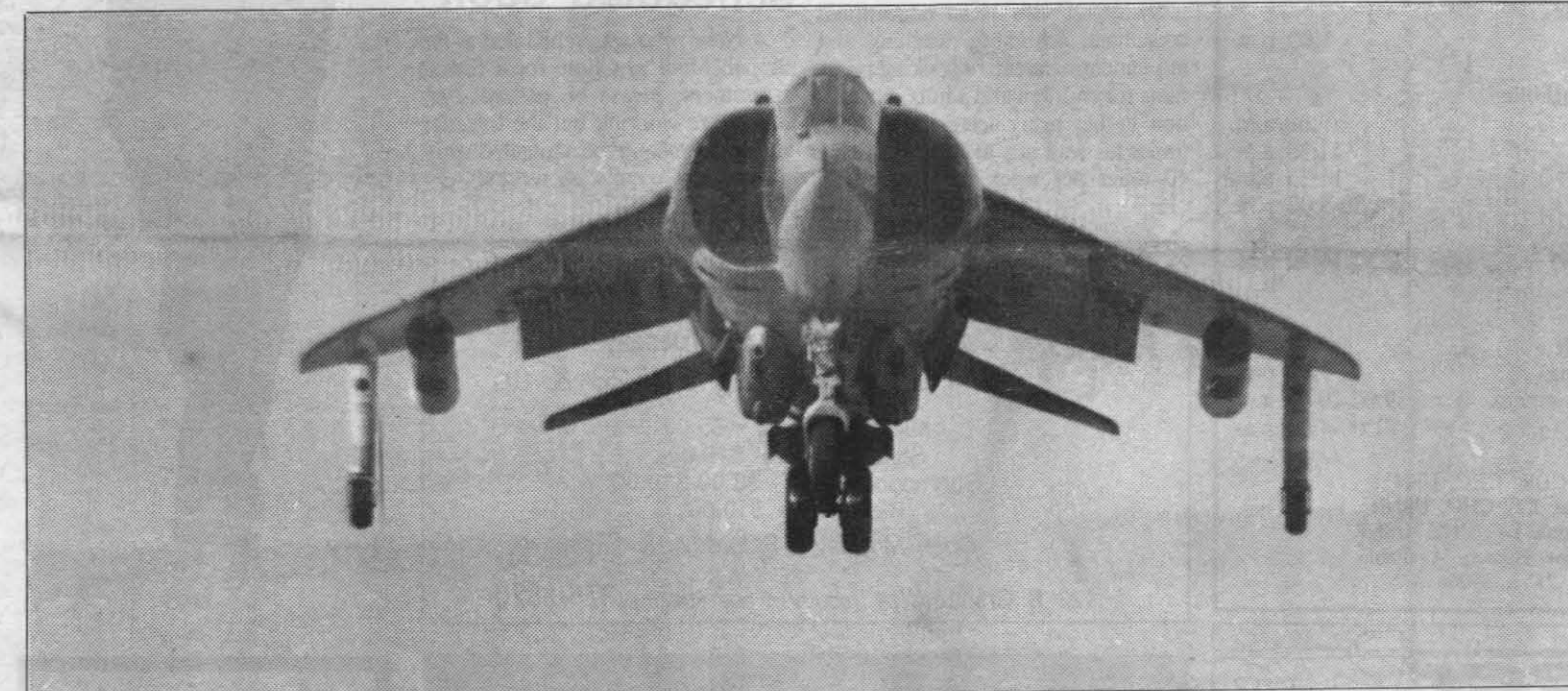
The Texan, flown by Collver, was built in 1944 and performed as an advanced trainer at the Marine Corps Air Station El Toro. This aircraft was part of the Japanese Self-Defense Force from the 1950s until it was retired in 1974. In 1979 it was brought back to the U.S., restored to its original condition and colors.

Collver has flown the SNJ in shows

for the past six years, performing in front of more than one million people over the years. His exhibition includes barrel rolls, tight climbing spirals and inverted flight, all with a full air show smoke system. Speeds range from 60 to 230 knots, and the aircraft will be as low as just 50-feet off the ground.

When the 1940 Waco UPF-7 takes off, the air show audience will step

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HARRIER SHOW—One of the most crowd pleasing elements of tomorrow's air show at the Naval Weapons Center will be a demonstration by Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-5) of the AV-8B Harrier.

The Vampires' Harrier will show off its ability to stop on a dime, turn in a circle while hovering, and take off and land in a near vertical mode. VX-5 is joining three civilian aerobatic pilots and the Blue Angels.

Show:

Sierra Flyers plan demo

Members of the Sierra Flyers Model Airplane Club will demonstrate radio-controlled model airplanes during the Naval Weapons Center's (NWC) Celebration of Naval Aviation tomorrow (Saturday) at Armitage Field.

The demonstrations begin at 9:30 a.m. and will end at 11:30 a.m. The flight area is south of the main air show area. Visitors can see radio-controlled aerobatics and pylon racing demonstrations.

Rocketeer readers can find details about tomorrow's activities along with information on Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-5) and the Blue Angels in the special Air Show Section included today's paper.

New plating shop offers service

Once more China Lake's engineers and scientists have a complete printed wiring board facility ready to meet their needs on-board. The plating shop is used primarily to prove designs in circuit boards and stripline or microwave antennas.

Bill Vuono, who designed the new plating facility layout in the Engineering Department's Soldering Technology Branch, says the new shop is now checked out and ready to handle all the Center's printed circuit needs in-house again.

The original plating shop began in the machine shop almost two decades ago as a "dishpan operation" to make small quantities of circuit boards and other materials that could be used to prove design or theory. Once proven, the design could then be given to industry for larger scale production. The facility expanded as technology changed to yield a higher quality product throughout the years, but the technical interaction with Center personnel still continues.

Jerry Hopper, who heads the plating

shop, notes that "We can be in direct touch with the engineer. If we experience any difficulties in working with the design, we can inform the engineer of the problem areas, get those solved and get on with the work within hours. When a circuit board of antenna design is given to commercial operators, all they can do is what they are told and there's apt to be a lengthy delay before the problem is solved."

The work of the shop was proving so valuable to the Center that a much enlarged facility was planned, with

the new shop to be built in the Engineering Laboratory. In 1984, however, before the new building was constructed, the plating shop burned in the early hours of a weekend morning in a fire caused by an electrical malfunction.

Vuono says that to continue to serve the Center's engineers and designers, a contract was quickly let with a circuit board facility in the Los Angeles area, and items that needed to be plated were either sent down by

Federal Express or were actually driven down by personnel from the plating shop on an emergency basis so that delays would be minimal.

During this time, Vuono designed, and was responsible for, the procurement of the present plating system.

After the new systems were received, some modifications were necessary to the exhaust system of the facility prior to installation. Once the units were installed, Rick Breitengross, an engineering technician responsible for equipment operation, was instrumental in the process.



Divine Services

Protestant	
Sunday Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
Sunday School (September thru June)	9:00 a.m.
Bible Study (East Wing)	
Wednesday 11:30 a.m. (September thru June)	
Thursday 6:15 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast	
7:00 p.m. Officers' Christian Fellowship	
Christian Military Fellowship	
Islamic	
Jumaa Prayer (Friday in Annex 4)	1:00 p.m.
Roman Catholic	
Sunday Mass	9:00 a.m.
Communion Service (Monday)	11:35 a.m.
Daily Mass (Tuesday thru Friday)	11:35 a.m.
Confession (Friday)	4:30-5:00 p.m.
Confession (Sunday)	8:15-8:45 a.m.
Religious Education Classes (Sunday)	10:30 a.m.
(September thru May)	
Jewish	
Weekly Services (Friday - East Wing)	7:30 p.m.
Adult Hebrew Lessons (Saturday in Annex 4)	9:00-10:00 a.m.
Sabbath School (Annex 4)	1:00-4:00 p.m.

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NWC's Wellness Corner

Learning to walk

Interested in walking for wellness? If so, plan to attend one of the walking for wellness seminars on Tuesday (April 19) in Room 1000D of Michelson Lab. Sponsored by the Naval Weapons Center's (NWC) Wellness Program Office, Robert J. Sweetgall, noted author, walker and speaker, will present two seminars, at 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m., and conduct a class for walking leaders at 12:30 p.m.

Sweetgall walked 11,208 miles in 1984-85, visiting all 50 states, coming as close to NWC as Victorville.

In his seminars, Sweetgall will talk about the benefits of walking, walking off weight, cardiovascular risk and walking for stress management.

Since 1981 he has walked more than 21,000 miles, given about a thousand news interviews and spoken to more than 140,000 people about walking and cardiovascular health.

Sweetgall now is an educational consultant, designing, teaching and implementing creative walking programs for children and adults. In addition to his many lectures, he continues his walking, averaging at least 40 miles per week.

Clinic fitness test scheduled soon

Anyone who was scheduled at the Branch Medical Clinic for a fitness assessment, please be patient. Personnel are working out the logistics and people should be contacted with in the next couple of weeks.



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1981 Plymouth Voyager, License #1CIB657, 8 passenger, \$2995. Valley Auto Sale, 446-7971.

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1985 DODGE RAM 150 custom, Am/Fm stereo, tilt, custom racks, \$8500. 375-4173 evenings.

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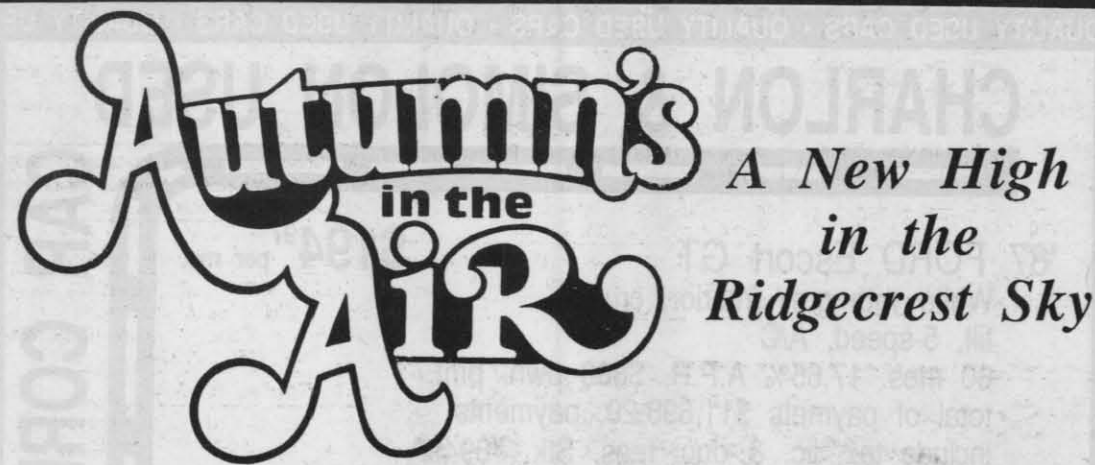
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The Skipper Sez...

QUESTION

I work in Building 02336, in the Supply Complex. Captain, this building is presently undergoing an upgrading on the outside of the complex — new block walls, new landscaping, etc. This facility is extremely run down and is not properly maintained. The women's restrooms are atrocious; the heating system may or may not work on any given day; the cooling system blows a fine powdered dust whenever it is operating; the floors are dirty, the tiles are cracked and missing, which creates a safety problem; the windows are filthy; and in most rooms we have a half of a restroom. Some rooms have sinks, others have exposed pipes, medicine cabinets, etc. There are probably many more areas we could discuss, but this gives you an idea of the situation. We feel that the monies being spent upgrading the outside of the complex would be better spent upgrading the inside of the building. We are always being visited by contractor personnel, government agencies and the general public. We don't feel we make a very favorable impression with the facility in which we work. Thank you for allowing me to express my opinion.

ANSWER

The exterior work being done in front of Buildings 2336 (Supply) and 2335 (Personnel) is part of a Center-wide beautification/landscaping plan. Other areas being worked on at the present time are both sides of Inyokern Road from the Main Gate to the traffic circle. This work is part of a long-range plan to combine low-maintenance landscaping with improving the general appearance of the Center.

Building 2336 has undergone several upgrades recently, including new cooling, carpeting, painting and modular furniture. Replacement of exterior doors and windows is also underway.

Unsafe conditions, poor housekeeping, or requests for changes to work sites should be brought to your supervisor's attention so appropriate corrections can be made.

All China Lakers, including military personnel, civilian employees and their dependents, are invited to submit questions to this column. Such queries must be in good taste and pertain to matters of interest to a large segment of the China Lake community. Answers to these questions are directly from Capt. John Burt. Please call NWC ext. 2727 with your question and state whether you are a military member, civilian employee or dependent. No other identification is necessary. Since only three or four questions can be answered in the Rocketeer each week, anyone who would like to ensure getting an answer to a question may leave name and address for a direct contact, but this is not required otherwise. There is no intent that this column be used to subvert normal, established chain-of-command channels.



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JUNE 6-10



ANNUAL AWARDS— The vote is in. All branch and division heads in Code 31 cast ballots for recipients of the Fiscal Year-87 F/A-18 Weapons System Support Activity (WSSA) Awards. The honorees in the front row (left to right) are Michael Cash, Michael Tenzycki and Frank Bachinski. Standing in the back row (left to right) are Margaret McMahon, Gregory Lundin and Kenneth Trieu. Cash was Branch Head of the Year, Lundin was Outstanding Performer of the Year, and the others were Teammates of the Year.

Meritorious Service:

Don Gahn saluted for work on HARM program

On April 8, Capt. John Burt, Naval Weapons Center (NWC) Commander, presented Don Gahn with the Navy Meritorious Civilian Service Award. Gahn is head of the Test and Evaluation Branch in the Electronic Warfare Department.

In making the presentation, Capt. Burt stated he "wanted to recognize Gahn's many years of good work for the Navy on the High-Speed Anti-Radiation Missile (HARM) program. HARM is one of those things near and dear to my heart. Being an aviator with

some combat experience, I appreciate that HARM is designed to protect us when we are out doing our job."

In the award letter, Capt. Burt noted, "Your planning and execution of the unique testing required to verify interface designs for the HARM system are particularly noteworthy. Each aircraft has an essentially unique interface to each of the HARM variants, and proper system operation must be verified in the several operational modes. You have continually invented,

conceived and adapted the hardware and test conditions to successfully integrate the HARM system in these aircraft."

After receiving the award, Gahn emphasized he has worked with a great team. "China Lakers turn to and do a good job. The honor belongs to everyone who helped me along the way."

Capt. Burt also presented Gahn with a lapel pin for his jacket. "That is," noted Capt. Burt, "if you are one of those rare China Lakers who wears a coat!"



NAVY AWARD — Capt. John Burt presents the Navy Meritorious Civilian Service Award to Don Gahn, Electronic Warfare Department, in recognition of outstanding performance demonstrated during 15 years of federal service. Photo by Cary Brady

Three perform flying vintage aircraft types

(Continued from Page 1)

back nearly 50 years in aviation history and experience the kind of show their parents or grandparents might have seen at an air show, "barnstorming."

Vusovich is from Torrance and has toured the nation giving aerobatic demonstrations and rides in his Waco for the past five years.

This particular aircraft was restored in 1968 and rebuilt again in 1983. It is powered by a seven-cylinder 200 Continental radial engine.

Following these performances, Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five's (VX-5) demonstration section will take off for a 30-minute exhibition of Navy and Marine Corps tactical aircraft capabilities.

In past performances by VX-5, the AV-8B Harrier and the AH-1 Cobra helicopter provided the top thrills for the crowd. This year, simulated weapons deliveries by the aircraft will be complete with small smoke and flame ground bursts provided by personnel from NWC's Explosive Ordnance Disposal Detachment in the Range Department.

Ending the day's show will be nearly an hour of precision flying by the Blue Angels, the U.S. Navy's Flight Demonstration Squadron. The Blues bring basic flying maneuvers, taught to all Naval Aviators, down to eye level in close formation and high speed.

In addition to the air show, many aircraft from the current and past U.S. Armed Forces inventory will be on static display throughout the day. Many NWC departments and area defense contractors will have exhibits set up in Hangar Three showing current and past projects.

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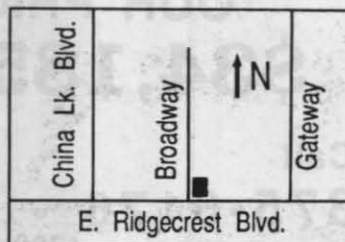
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Rents:

Center housing costs adjusted starting May 1

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The rental increase, when combined with the utility increase, is an average of 3.3 percent when compared to 1987 rates.

Active duty military personnel assigned to public quarters are not affected by the change.

Type	Shelker Rent	Utilities	TOTAL
SOQ (4)	\$895.80	\$219.60	\$1,115.40
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JOQ (Front Terrace) 1 Bath (3)	443.40	146.10	589.50
JOQ (Rear Terrace) (2)	461.10	120.30	581.40
JOQ (Front Terrace) (2)	414.60	117.00	531.60
MOQ (3)	551.70	171.30	723.00
Hill Duplex (3)	456.30	144.60	600.90
Hill Duplex (2)	348.30	138.00	486.30
Wasp Circle (3)	429.00	173.40	602.40
Joshua	507.30	150.30	657.60
Yucca (4) (Convertible)	512.40	142.20	654.60
Tamarisk (4) (Convertible)	465.90	138.00	603.90
Juniper (3)	461.70	130.80	592.50
Old Duplex (3)	481.50	143.70	625.20
Old Duplex (2) (Dining Addition)	379.20	119.40	498.60
Old Duplex (2)	345.60	114.60	460.20
Old Duplex (1)	280.50	83.40	363.90
Motel Apartment (1) With	299.40	54.60	354.00
Motel Apartment (0) With	238.20	48.30	286.50
Motel Apartment (1) Without	285.90	54.60	340.50
Motel Apartment (0) Without	224.70	48.30	273.00
Old Apartment (1)	249.00	60.60	309.60

Frederickson's work earns him Commander's Award

Charles Frederickson received the Commander's Award for Excellence in Mission Support last Monday morning. Frederickson was recognized for his "continued and outstanding commitment to quality contract source selection."

In making the presentation, Capt. John Burt, Naval Weapons Center Commander, noted this was an area of particular interest to him, the awarding and administering of contracts that are fair to both parties and give the Navy what it wants for the price.

Capt. R. A. Dropp, NWC Supply

Officer, in nominating Frederickson for the award, noted his "continuing interest and support of the acquisition community has resulted in publication of the *Formal Source Selection Handbook for Major Weapons Systems*, one of the most current, useful and comprehensive guides available on the subject anywhere in the Department of Defense."

This handbook, noted Capt. Burt, "will assist technical personnel to conduct source selections which result in selecting the offeror that will provide the greatest value to the gov-

ernment and not just the lowest price. Contract source selection is the first step in achieving our goal of awarding enforceable contracts at a fair price which can then be aggressively administered."

Frederickson's work, commented Capt. Dropp, has been a direct contribution to continued mission excellence at NWC. Without his commitment to sharing his experiences for the benefit of others, the value of all the effort behind the handbook would have been limited to only a few individual programs.



IEEE hears Roquemore on volcanos

At lunchtime on Wednesday, April 20, in the Drydock Room at the Enlisted Men's Club, Dr. Glenn R. Roquemore, head, Applied Geoscience Research Office, will be the speaker for The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc. His topic will be the predictability of volcanic eruption on the Island of Hawaii.

Lunch will be 11:30 to 11:55 p.m. and the program will be from 11:55 to 12:45 p.m.

Volcanic eruptions are predicted with great accuracy on the Island of Hawaii. Scientists from the Applied Geoscience Research Office were invited on two occasions to experience first-hand the wind-down of a prior eruption, the inception of a new eruption, and then the aftermath data collection phase of the eruption. This experience will be described and the change of morphology in an aging volcano will be explored.

Dr. Roquemore received his BA degree in 1974 and his MA degree in 1976, both in geology from the California State University at Fresno. He went on to receive his PhD in geology and geophysics from the University of Nevada at Reno.

JOB WELL DONE - Capt. John Burt presents Charles Frederickson with the Commander's Award for Excellence for Frederickson's work in the publication of a new acquisition guide.

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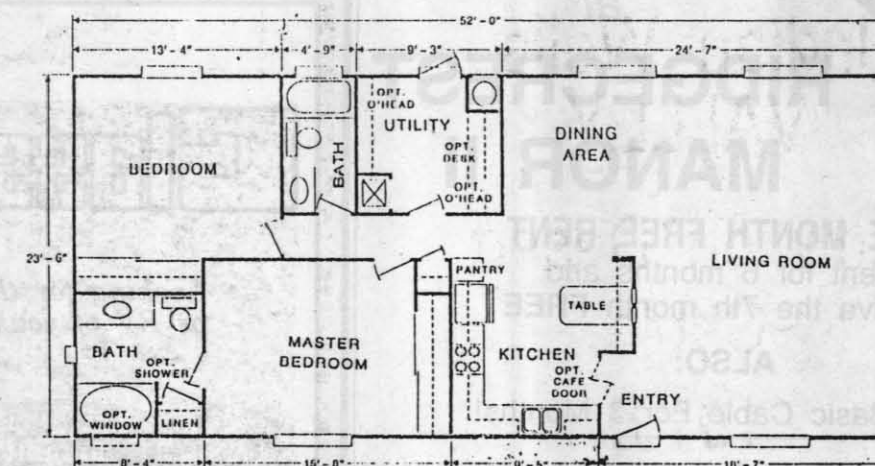
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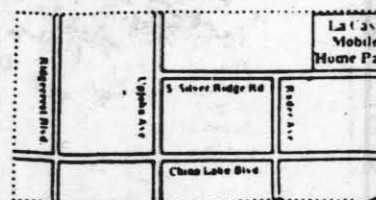
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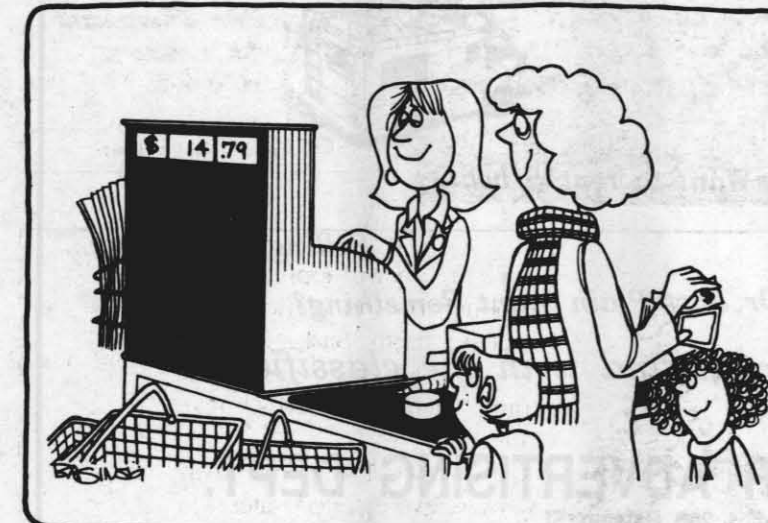
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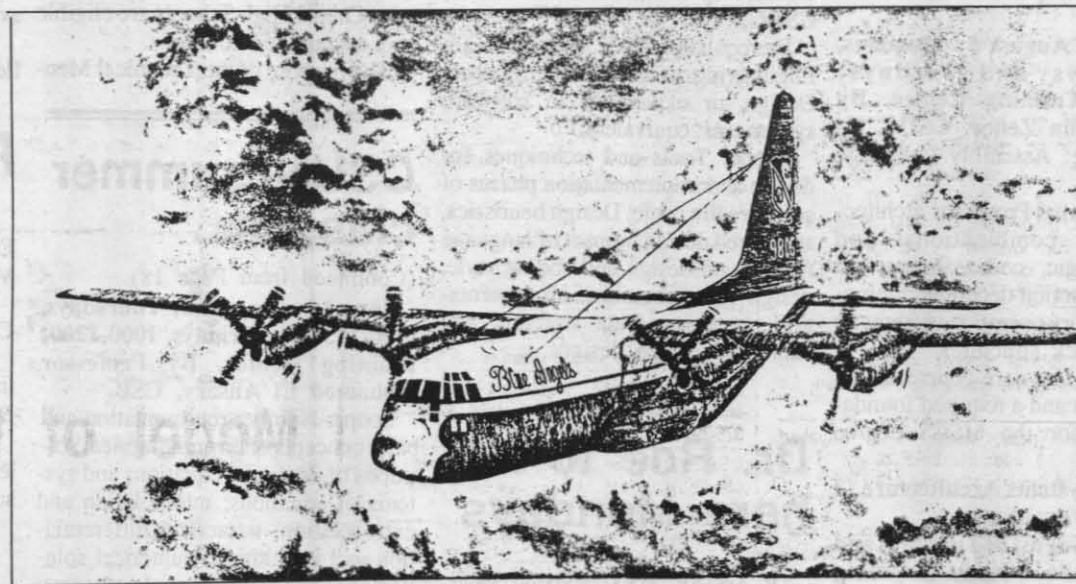
In the course of a complete show season, the Blue Angels fly more than 140,000 miles. In order to support such an effort, the necessary personnel and equipment are transported via the Squadron's permanently-assigned Lock-head C-130 "Hercules."

The Hercules was designed and first produced in the 1950s for use as a high-payload/utility work horse whose airlift exploits have become legendary. The C-130 is able to haul payloads greater than 20 tons quickly into and out of rough, unimproved strips as short as 4,000 feet.

The C-130 used by the Blue Angels is manned and flown by an all Marine Corps crew assigned to the Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron. "Fat Albert," as it is affectionately known to the squadron, has flown the equivalent of 85 times around the world in support of the Blue Angels. An air show load normally consists of 25,000 pounds of highly-sophisticated equipment, 40,000 pounds of fuel, and a highly-specialized maintenance crew.

With a crew of five, Fat Albert can cruise at a speed of 320 knots, or about 370 miles per hour at 27,000 feet. It is fully equipped with the latest electronic instruments, weather radar and a Doppler navigation system. Four Allison turboprop engines, which produce more than 16,000-shaft horsepower, provide the C-130 with more than required takeoff and cruise capability. On occasion, Fat Albert will demonstrate the Jet Assisted Takeoff (JATO) capability of the C-130 in which eight rockets are attached to the sides of the aircraft. By using this method, the aircraft is able to take off and climb at an angle of 45-degrees nose up to an altitude of more than 1,000 feet. The maneuverability and short-field assault capabilities are also demonstrated by 60-degree angle of bank turns, a high-speed, low altitude pass and a short-field landing ending with reversing the propellers to back the aircraft up on the runway.

The United States Marines Corps currently operates four squadrons which use the KC-130 for world-wide operations in support of Marines.

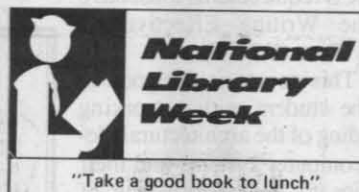


The primary mission of the KC-130 is aerial refueling of jet aircraft; a secondary mission is to provide logistical support throughout the Marine Corps.

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'Five fallacies of regulation'

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The Five Fallacies of Regulation
In the post Korean War period, a consultant was asked to "review a six-foot pile of regulations" and recommend changes to help the Army improve its logistic support capabilities.* Here are excerpts from his report:

"Your entire management approach is wrong. You have created this mountain of regulations on the basis of four assumptions. Each and every one of the four is wrong. And, if they were right, your fifth and most important assumption about the way you are running your field establishment would be wrong...."

"First, you have assumed that there is a single best way to do everything that is required at your field stations. The range of things on which you have acted under this assumption is completely incredible and covers everything from how to operate a tank

repair shop to how to nail boxes and kill rats. The first assumption is wrong. There is no single best way to do each of those things.

"Your second assumption is that you have people at the head office smart enough to find out what the best single way is for each of the subjects covered. This assumption is wrong. There are probably not any best solutions and if there were, you couldn't possibly organize the resources capable of finding out what they are from assignment to a Washington office.

"Your third assumption is that these 'best solutions,' once found, can be described in the stilted language of Army regulations...."

"Your fourth assumption is that your field installation commanders will blindly comply with all the trivial detail in this library of regulations, and that compliance can be audited by a large body of field inspectors. Unfortunately, some will probably try to make all of their decisions 'by the book' but the Army has enough

mature executives so that there will be some who will say 'to hell with the book'...."

"...Your fifth and most important assumption is that you are managing your field plants and stations in a way that would make them completely responsive to the demands of the Army at war. If you run these operations with men who are no more than robots who have to look up all their answers in a book, they cannot be expected to respond to any of the demands on them 'when the balloon goes up'...."

The authors reported no particular "happy ending" to this story. That's because the Model Installation Program hasn't blossomed yet. Let's continue sending in those MIPs in order to prove to the "Washington bureaucrats" that there are other ways of doing business.

*The Harvard Classics take up only five feet of shelf space.

By the MIP Office

New SECNAV takes oath

Washington (NNS) — William L. Ball, III, was formally sworn into office March 30 as the 67th Secretary of the Navy in a ceremony attended by President Reagan at the Old Executive Office Building here.

White House Chief of Staff Howard H. Baker, Jr., administered the oath of office to Ball. The new SECNAV told those gathered he had just visited USS Coral Sea (CV 43), returning from a six-month deploy-

ment to the Mediterranean Sea, and found sailors renewed by the spirit and dedication brought to the Navy by President Reagan.

The group applauded when Ball told President Reagan "as befits a ship that so reflects the accomplishments of this president in office, the nickname given to the Coral Sea is the 'Ageless Warrior.'"

The president announced his intention to nominate Ball for Secretary of

the Navy on Feb. 23. Ball was confirmed by unanimous Senate vote.

A native of Belton, S.C., Ball attended public schools in Spartanburg, S.C., before enrolling at the Georgia Institute of Technology. Following graduation in 1969, he was commissioned as a regular Navy officer. He served three years aboard USS Sellers (DDG 11) followed by three years at the Navy Department in Washington.

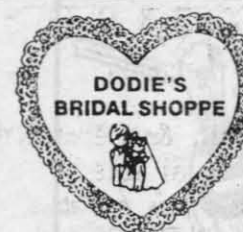
SAME visits K-M

On Tuesday, April 5, the China Lake Chapter, Society of American Military Engineers (SAME) got a tour of the Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation, Searles Lake Operations at Trona. The tour included an inspection of new plant construction and an excursion onto the lake bed.

According to a reprint from Kerr-McGee Corporation's company magazine, the dry lake is rich in geologic history and mineral wealth.

Developing these chemical riches are more than a thousand Kerr-McGee employees who operate and support the company's Argus, Trona and Westend facilities in the valley. The plants' combined annual production of 1.5 million tons of chemicals provides glass, ceramics, detergents, and other end products vital to the nation's economy.

There was a picnic lunch at Valley Wells at the conclusion of the tour.



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CAREER ENDS—Senior Chief Petty Officer Raymond A. Wetzel retires and is congratulated by Capt. K.E. Allen, Commanding Officer of Enlisted Personnel at the Naval Weapons Center. The aviation structural mechanic senior chief ends his career after 21 years on active duty. He has been at NWC since September 1985.



Military News

Military families offered better health benefits with CHAMPUS

Military families in California and Hawaii will have more health care choices and will save money under the new CHAMPUS Reform Initiative which begins on Aug. 1.

In this test project, CHAMPUS-eligible families may voluntarily use special networks of health care providers to get primary, preventive and other medical care. They will save money through discounts and limits on the cost of both inpatient and outpatient care. And, they won't have to file claims under the new programs.

CHAMPUS Prime will feature preventive care, low fees for routine visits to the doctor (free for families of some lower-ranking enlisted personnel) and upper limits on the cost of inpatient care. Families will have to enroll in CHAMPUS Prime and use a designated network of providers.

CHAMPUS Extra offers the same benefits as the regular CHAMPUS program, but with discounts on cost-sharing and limits on the cost of inpatient care. It requires use of specified providers, but there's no requirement

to enroll, so this system can be used on a case-by-case basis.

Also, families will have easier access to needed health care through a "health care finder" at each military hospital in the two states. The health care finder will help eligible persons get appointments or referrals, either at military medical facilities or with civilian providers, whichever is most appropriate.

For more CHAMPUS information, call the health benefits advisor at the Naval Weapons Center Branch Medical Clinic.

Navy fighting harassment

All commands required to combat sexual harassment

Washington (NNS) — All Navy people will soon be learning lots more about what sexual harassment is and how to combat it.

Before July 1, each Navy command will conduct training on the recognition and prevention of sexual harassment as directed by NAVOP 035/88.

Sexual harassment can take the form of promises or threats to force sexual favors. It can be offensive

jokes and demeaning comments or physical contact of a sexual nature. Sexual harassment is detrimental because it creates an intimidating, hostile or offensive environment.

Those who are sexually harassed, the NAVOP says, should make it clear he or she is offended. Repeated incidents should be reported immediately to a supervisor or the next senior person in the chain of command who is not involved. If the matter isn't get-

ting resolved through the chain of command, the Navy Inspector General's Fraud, Waste and Abuse Hotline can be used. The hotline number is Autovon 288-6743, commercial (202) 433-6743 or toll-free 1-800-522-3451.

NAVOP 035/88 directs COs to make their people aware of grievance procedures and the hotline number and conspicuously display both at commands.



AIRFIELD PLAQUE—Visitors arriving at Armitage Field now see the plaque dedicating the field to Lt. John M. Armitage as they enter the air terminal. Lt. Armitage was assigned to the then Naval Ordnance Test Station when he was killed while testing the Tiny Tim aircraft rocket on Aug. 21, 1944. ABH2 Harry Calistro (left) and ABH2 Jesse Dias, assigned to the Aircraft Department's Flight Support Division, check out the new location for this plaque dedicating the field in honor of Lt. Armitage. Photo by PHAN Cary Brady

Change in CSUC schedule

There has been a change to the Cal-State Chico summer schedule previously advertised. CSCI 270: Systems Design will NOT be taught. In its place will be CSCI 311: Software

Design. Please refer to "California State University, Chico Computer Science Summer Classes" in this publication or call Cecil Webb, NWC ext. 2648, for more information.

CSUC sets classes for the Computer Science Program

The following classes are being offered this summer for the Cal-State Chico Computer Science Program (bachelor's and master's degrees). To enroll in these classes, submit a Training Request & Authorization Form (NAVWPNCEN 12410/73) via department channels to Code 094. Registration will be held in class at the first class meeting. Deadline for enrolling is 10 calendar days before the starting date of the class.

CSCI 171: Computer Architecture (3 units)

June 12 - August 5; Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; 1130-1320; Training Center. By Professor John Zenor, CSUC.

Prerequisite: Assembly Language Programming.

Scope: Internal Processor architectures, basic combinational and sequential logic, codes, instruction sets and instruction decoding, memories and memory operation, arithmetic units and stack structures.

Note: This is a core course for all BSCS options and a required foundation course for the MSCS degree program.

CSCI 172: Systems Architecture (3 units)

June 14 - August 4; Tuesdays and Thursdays; 1610-1850; Training Center. By Professor John Zenor, CSUC.

Prerequisite: CSCI 151: Algorithms and Data Structures and CSCI 171: Computer Architecture, or equivalent. Those taking the course to satisfy BSCS requirements must have passed the Writing Effectiveness Screening Test (WEST).

Scope: This course is designed to provide the student with a working understanding of the architectural elements of computer systems and their relationships to the performance of both the systems and applications software. Topics include the design environment; the architecture of central processors, channels and peripherals as it relates to the total system structure; the impact of problem definition on system hardware, soft-

ware and application; bandwidth computations, performance evaluation, system trade-offs and alternative architectures.

Note: This is a core course for all BSCS options and a required foundation course for the MSCS degree program.

CSCI 311: Software Design (3 units)

June 13-August 3; Mondays and Wednesdays, 1610-1850; Training Center. By Professor John Zenor, CSUC.

Prerequisite: CSCI 210: Software Engineering or CSCI 270: Systems Design, or experience in software systems or equivalent.

Scope: Tools and techniques for design and implementation phases of software life cycle. Design heuristics, structured design, impact of language features on design and coding style, design representations, implementation strategies. Data structure and data flow driven designs.

Dr. Roe to be here Mondays

Dr. Arnie Roe of Cal-State University Northridge (CSUN) will be on Center on Mondays through May 9 to advise prospective students about the new external degree program to be offered by the school in systems engineering.

Sophomores! Apply now for the Mentor program

Applications will be accepted for the Naval Weapons Center's (NWC's) Technical Mentor Work Experience Program beginning March 28 through May 2. Students who are interested and who qualify for the program should fill out a resume and a SF-171 which can be obtained from the high school they are now attending. Students should currently be sophomores so that they will be juniors when they enter into the two-year program.

Students who were selected last fall for the program have been working at NWC under the guidance of technical personnel on a variety of challenging projects to prepare them for eventual employment at NWC as technicians, scientists or engineers.

Although most students of the program are from Burroughs and Trona High Schools, pupils from Mesquite, Immanuel Christian and Calvary Chapel High Schools are eligible and encouraged to apply.

The purpose of the Technical Men-

tor Program is to provide students interested in science and engineering an opportunity to gain work experience under the guidance of a professional employee. This work experience will give students a first hand understanding of scientific methods and a chance to work in a professional atmosphere in order that they may develop and nurture their personal interests. These assignments could include routine operation of laboratory equipment, scientific measurements and data reduction, instrument maintenance, computer operations, or field surveys.

To qualify, a student must demonstrate mathematical or scientific aptitude or interest. Minority, disadvantage and female high school students are especially encouraged to apply. Sons and daughters of NWC employees may be appointed to the program only if there are no other eligible and available candidates.

While details of the training are flexible, junior students could expect

to spend four to six hours per week in unpaid work experience during their first semester in the program and eight to 10 hours per week during their second semester. The summer between the junior and senior year will be spent in full or part-time paid employment at NWC. During the senior year, students will work 10 hours per week and receive both pay and work experience credit for that time. Upon graduation, students may continue working throughout their college years under the same appointing authority, or they may be eligible for NWC's two or four-year cooperative education training programs. The ultimate goal of the program is placement of qualified individuals in scientific, engineering or technician positions at NWC.

This program is administered by the Personnel Department. Heading the program is Judi Farmer of the Equal Employment Opportunity Office. Students who are interested in the program should notify their school's student advisor.

CSUN summer Personnel development classes...

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June 16 - August 5; Thursdays, 1700-1930 and Fridays, 1000-1200; Training Center. By Professor Mohamed El Ansary, CSB.

Scope: Number representation and basic concepts of error; numerical solutions of nonlinear equations and systems of equations; interpolation and extrapolation; numerical differentiation and integration; numerical solution of ordinary differential equations; and approximation methods.

EXCEL MACROS FOR THE MACINTOSH (16 hours)

May 4-5; 0800-1600; Training Center. By Al Goettig

Prerequisite: Six month experience using Excel spreadsheets on the Macintosh.

Intended Audience: Very experienced Excel users who have written some Excel Macros.

Topics:
• Absolute and Relative

References:

• Command Macros;
• Function Macros;
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Presentation Methods: Workshop. Note: All students should bring their own working copy of the Excel software for use in class.

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Early registration is scheduled for CCCC

Cerro Coso Community College has established early registration for fall courses on May 24 through 26 for continuing students. Fall schedules, which should be released by Cerro Coso approximately May 4, will be available in the Training Center lobby.

The Center will pay full tuition for employees enrolled in courses provided under the Naval Weapons Center (NWC)/Cerro Coso Contract. If courses are job-related or will strengthen contributions to the Center's mission, tuition will be paid directly to the college by Code 094.

Employees interested in attending Cerro Coso classes and having the Center pay the tuition should submit a DD Form 1556 (Request, Authorization, Agreement and Certification of Training and Reimbursement) via department channels to Code 094.

If a course is not directly job-related, along with the DD Form 1556 submit NAVWPNCEN 12410/66 (Academic Enrollment Justification) and NAVWPNCEN 12410/68 (Individual Development Plan) describing how the course fits into the overall career plan and how attendance in the

course will strengthen contributions to the Center's mission.

Anyone not yet a California resident should include a statement from the appropriate supervisor indicating the negative impact to NWC of postponing the training until residency is established.

Code 094 will return the approved DD Form 1556 to applicants. It must be taken to Cerro Coso at the time of registration for NWC to pay tuition.

A DD Form 1556 is not required for co-op students. Co-op students should inform the registrar they are NWC co-op students when they register.

Requests for tuition support (DD 1556) must be received by CLOSE OF BUSINESS May 17 so that they may be processed and returned in time for registration. Those received after that date will be returned and employees will either have to pay the tuition themselves or wait until fall semester to register and resubmit the request for tuition support. Employees who pay tuition will not be reimbursed.

Anyone wanting more information on Center tuition support should call Cecil Webb, NWC ext. 2648.

Proficiency test set

On May 26 the English Writing Proficiency Test will be given to undergraduate and graduate students of Cal-State Northridge (CSUN). CSUN students should take the exam as soon as application for admission has been approved. Undergraduate students must pass the exam before graduation. This test must be passed before the student is granted unconditional status as a master's

candidate.

Graduate students must attain unconditional status before earning more than 12 units of academic work acceptable towards the master's degree. The exam fee is \$12. Checks must be made payable to California State University Northridge.

Contact Cyndi Jones, NWC ext. 2648, to arrange to take the exam.

CSUC writing exam set

On April 25, a writing examination will be administered to graduate students participating in the computer science external degree program through Cal-State University Chico at the Naval Weapons Center. Those planning to graduate within the

next year, and those who have not already satisfied the requirement, should take the exam.

To make arrangements for the exam, contact Cyndi Jones at NWC ext. 2648.

CSUN looking for instructors

California State Northridge (CSUN) is looking for instructors to teach courses offered through the CSUN external degree program on Center. The courses expected to be offered during the 1988-1989 academic year are listed below. Individuals interested in teaching one or more of these courses who have at least a master's degree, are asked to forward their resumes to Cecil Webb, Code 094, by May 6.

Courses to be offered are: AM 316 — Engineering Dynamics; EE 465A — Electronics II; IE 511 — Robotics: Fundamentals and Applications; ME 509 — Numerical Methods in Engineering Systems; EE 505 — Random Processes; EE 558C — Advanced Topics in Radar; EE 360B — Linear Systems II; EE 468 — Fundamentals of Control Systems; ME 501B — Seminar in Engineering Analysis; and EE 568B — Digital Signal Processing II.

Other courses being offered are: EE 569B — Optimal Control; ME 580 — Flight Vehicle Performance; AM 575 — Theoretical Mechanics; EE 355 — Theory of Digital Systems; IE 427 — Mechanical Properties of Materials; EE 459 — Microprocessor Systems; IE 405 — Engineering Decision/Risk Analysis; and IE 501 — Engineering Statistics.

For more information please call Webb at NWC ext. 2468.

Advisor to be here April 28

Professor Bill Rivers of Cal-State University Northridge (CSUN) will be on Center Thursday, April 28, to advise current and prospective students about the external degree program offered by the school in mechanical engineering.

CSUN has external degree programs in electrical engineering, applied mechanics and mechanical engineering at the Naval Weapons Center (NWC) which lead to a master's degree. CSUN also has an external degree program in electrical engineering which leads to a bachelor's degree.

Those who wish to see Professor Rivers are asked to make an appointment by calling Cyndi Jones, NWC ext. 2648.

CSUN plans summer engineering classes

The following classes are being offered this summer for the Cal-State Northridge Engineering Program (bachelor's and master's degrees). For enrolling in these classes submit an on-Center Training Request (NAVWPNCEN 12410/73) via department channels to Code 094. Registration will be held in class at the first class meeting. Deadline for enrolling is 10 calendar days before the starting date of the class.

EE 360A: Linear Systems I (3 units)
June 2 - July 29; Thursdays, 1430-1700 and Fridays, 0730-1000; Training Center. By Professor Prabhakar, CSUN, (818) 885-3609.

Prerequisite: Engr. 25: Electrical Circuits or equivalent.
Scope: A systematic development of linear system response models in both the time and frequency domains. Concentrates on continuous system models. Techniques developed include Laplace transform, Fourier analysis, impulse response, convolution, and state variables for continuous linear systems.

Text: *Linear Systems: Time Domain and Transform Analysis*. O'Flynn and Moriarty. Harper and Row, 1987.

Note: This is a core course in the BSEE program. The course is a foundation requirement for the MSEE program.

EE 465B: Pulse and Digital Circuits (4 units)

June 2 - July 29; Lecture on Thursdays, 1500-1800 and Fridays, 1030-1230; Training Center. Laboratory on Thursdays,

1900-2200; Cerro Coso Community College. By Professor Robert Burger, CSUN, (818) 885-3891.

Prerequisite: EE 355: Theory of Digital Systems, EE 360A: Linear Systems I and EE 365: Electronics I, equivalent, or consent of instructor.

Scope: Models of electronic nonlinear devices and their analysis. Design of waveshaping circuits. Design of logic gates and multivibrator circuits; astables, monostables, and bi-stables. Design of analog-digital circuit interfaces. Study of integrated circuits, devices and their properties: DTL, TTL, CMCS, ECL, IIL and others. MSI and LSI technologies.

Text: *Pulse, Digital and Switching Waveforms*. Millman and Taub. McGraw-Hill, 1965.

Note: This course is a senior elective in the BSEE program.

ME 472: Thermal Power Systems (3 units)

May 31 - July 26; Mondays, 1530-1830 and Tuesdays, 1030-1230; Training Center. By Professor Tim Fox, CSUN, (818) 885-2187.

Prerequisite: ME 390: Fluid Mechanics or ME 470: Thermodynamics II, equivalent, or consent of instructor.

Scope: An analysis of propulsion systems, spark-ignition, compression-ignition, gas turbine engines, ram-jets and rockets. Thermodynamic cycle and combustion system analysis. Consideration will be given to environmental pollution effects of combustion engine cycles.

Text: *Mechanics and Thermodynamics and Propulsions*. Hill and Peterson. Addison-Wesley, first edition.

Math 477: Numerical Analysis (5 quarter units)
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POW medal

DOD sets a hotline for vets

A toll-free 800 telephone line has been established to handle questions about DOD's newest medal, now being issued to those who were prisoners of war during America's armed conflicts.

Former POWs or their next of kin can call 1-800-873-3768 for more information on the award. All services will begin issuing the medals soon.

The medal also has brought another story to the fore: the fire that destroyed Army and Air Force records at the National Personnel Records Center in St. Louis.

The July 12, 1973 fire destroyed about 80 percent of the records of Army personnel discharged between Nov. 1, 1912 and Jan. 1, 1960. It also destroyed about 75 percent of the records of Air Force personnel (those with last names Hubbard through Z) discharged between Sept. 25, 1947 and Jan. 1, 1964.

For former POWs to receive the new medal, they have to present proof they were prisoners of war and their service was "honorable." The fire will make this tougher for most veterans who were prisoners of war during World War II and Korea, when the most American POWs were taken.

There are alternate sources of military service data. Veterans have documents in their possession that can be used to "rebuild" their service records. Separation documents are especially useful. These categorize the type of discharge a veteran received, awards and sometimes a list of the veteran's units.

Veterans also may have medical records in their possession. These can be used to rebuild records, especially if the veteran is being treated for an injury or disease that started when he was a prisoner of war.

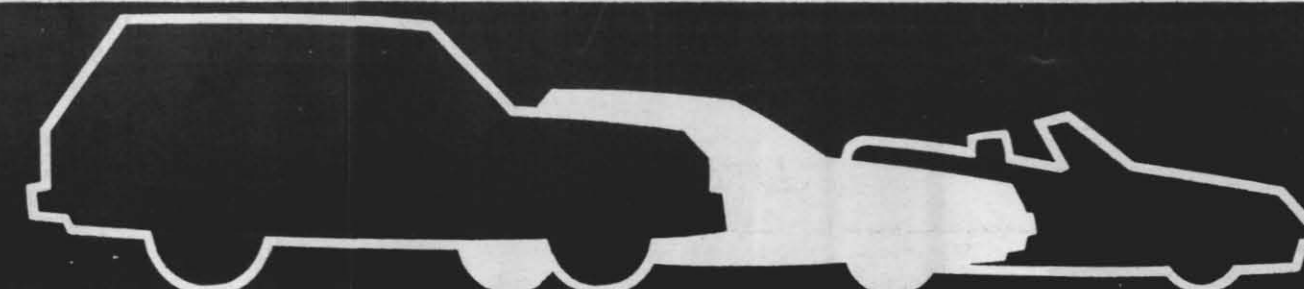
The Veterans' Administration has records of vets if they or their families filed claims before July 1973. These, too, can be used to rebuild records at the National Personnel Records Center, as can information from state adjutants general and state veterans' offices.

Finally, National Personnel Records Center officials themselves can use other materials at the center to rebuild records such as the morning reports, payrolls and military orders.

To begin reconstructing the records, officials at the center need information from the veteran. This includes full name used during service, branch of service, approximate dates of service, service number, place of discharge, last unit of assignment and place of service entry.

Officials say veterans who qualify and ask for the medals will receive them; however, checking the records — and rebuilding some of them — will add time to the process.

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TOP SAILOR—AG2 Danny Persiani uses the computer terminal to check on a weather forecast. Petty Officer

Persiani is Sailor of the Quarter for the China Lake Detachment, Naval Oceanography Command. Photo by PHAN Gary Brady

Outstanding sailor picked

Aerographers Mate Second Class (AG2) Danny Persiani was honored by the China Lake Detachment, Naval Oceanography Command, as the Sailor of the Quarter for the first quarter of 1988.

AGC G.A. Dillie, Officer in Charge, said Petty Officer Persiani was a valuable asset to the command. "Since your arrival onboard you have been the command leading petty officer.... You further enhanced your value by applying yourself to learning the many techniques and procedures used throughout the Naval Oceanography Command and became proficient in numerous jobs normally assigned to more senior personnel."

Petty Officer Persiani has been in the Navy for more than five years and at China Lake since June 1983.

As the unit's leading petty officer, his duties have included briefing pilots and aircrews on weather conditions they are likely to encounter after leaving Armitage Field. He also issues regular forecasts and relays worldwide weather conditions to pilots who call for information.

Chief Dillie also noted AG2 Persiani, as a supervisor and counselor, displayed "the compassion, awareness and professionalism of a model leader."

The Sailor of the Quarter and his wife, Veda, have one son, Jason, age eight.

Petty Officer Persiani will now compete with other Naval Oceanography Command sailors from the San Diego area for further honors this year.

Travel ribbon cutting set

Wednesday morning the Naval Weapons Center's (NWC) Recreational Services Department will celebrate the official SATO/Leisure Travel Office grand opening with a ribbon-cutting ceremony set for 9 a.m.

The office, in Bennington Plaza next to the Information Ticket and Tour Office, will continue the celebration the rest of the day with various prizes for customers and visitors.

NEX readies sale

Patrons of the Navy Exchange (NEX) on board the Naval Weapons Center can look forward to the Home and Garden Sale starting here on April 19.

Also coming soon is the annual Mothers' Day Sale, April 26-May 8. Patrons are encouraged to visit the NEX and see what's available for Mothers' Day.

Anglers can take advantage of the Fish-O-Rama Sale starting April 26.

Appointments are being accepted for front-end alignment work at the Auto Service Garage. This service is available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Personalized Service section in the NEX retail store has TeleFlora service available and has a selection of flowers to be purchased there.

Women:

Thousands of new posts could become available

The military services could open some 13,500 new billets to military women as a result of recent decisions made by Secretary of Defense Frank C. Carlucci.

David J. Armor, principal deputy assistant secretary of defense for force management and personnel, announced the opening of the jobs as well as other policy initiatives during a news conference at which a task force report on women in the military was released.

Carlucci accepted the task force's recommendations to allow Marine Corps women to serve as embassy guards. Also, Air Force women can serve in heavy engineering jobs in the Red Horse and Mobile Aerial Port squadrons. He also endorsed the Navy's decision to open some 9,600 new jobs on crews of land-based EP-3 reconnaissance aircraft and combat logistics ships to women. About 2,600 Air Force billets and 1,300 Marine Corps billets are involved.

The Army had already opened its heavy engineering jobs to women and was not asked to open any specific areas to them. However, Carlucci ordered the Army to review its combat-risk rule to see if it could open more job specialties.

DOD also asked the other services to apply a risk rule to evaluate which jobs to open to women. According to the combat-risk rule, the task force report stated, "Non-combat units can

be closed to women on grounds of risk of exposure to direct combat, hostile fire, or capture, provided that the type, degree and duration of risk is equal to or greater than that experienced by associated combat units (of similar land, sea or air type) in the same theater of operations."

The task force began its work in October 1987 following a Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services report alleging sexual harassment in the Navy and Marine Corps. Armor said the task force found that sexual harassment remains a problem in all services.

To remedy that, Carlucci ordered the military departments to reaffirm policies against sexual harassment and to hold the entire chain of command accountable for enforcing those policies. He also told the services to have backup reporting systems for women to use when they believe their commander is not responding to their complaints.

Carlucci also called for improved education and training programs to stop sexual harassment. In addition, he backed the task force's recommendations to improve leadership development for women officers and review assignment policies to improve the use of women officers. Finally, he asked that obstetrical and gynecological care for military women be more available.

American Forces Information Service

SSN for kids

Many parents today are applying for Social Security numbers for infants soon after they're born. The reason: A Social Security number is necessary before putting any interest or dividend-earning assets under a child's name.

When applying, two documents are needed—evidence of a child's age and citizenship (a birth certificate is preferred), and proof of identity, such as medical records or a passport.



Promotional opportunities

Applications for positions listed below are being accepted from Department of Navy employees currently working at NWC and from eligible employees of attached activities who are permanently assigned to NWC. This group includes employees with career or career conditional appointments; employees with permanent Veterans Readjustment Act (VRA) appointments; temporary employees with reinstatement eligibility; and handicapped employees with Sch. (A) continuing appointments (who may be referred separately when they apply). Also included are spouses, with competitive status, of civilian sponsors hired by a DOD activity within NWC's commuting area. Applications from other groups will be accepted when specified in an advertisement. Vacancies are subject to restrictions imposed by the DOD Priority Placement Program. Applicants must meet all legal and regulatory requirements including minimum qualifications requirements by the closing date of the advertisement. Evaluation of applicant's qualifications will involve using at least two assessment measures (e.g., work experience, annual performance assessment rating and narrative, education, training, performance assessment and awards). Spouses of military sponsors apply at Room 231, same address as shown below.

HOW TO APPLY: Submit the following: a current application, SF-171 or other Personnel Department pre-approved form; and a copy of your most recent annual performance assessment narrative (note: a copy of your performance plan should be attached if the annual performance narrative description does not clearly state the tasks/duties performed). A supplemental narrative which relates your qualifications to each knowledge, skill or ability (KSA's) as cited in the advertisement is always desirable and may be required if stated in the vacancy announcement. Write the title, series, level (grade), and announcement number on all application materials. Not submitting the annual performance narrative may adversely affect your evaluation scores. Prior to submitting your application, complete Cover Sheet Form 1233/42, available at the reception desk. Make sure your address, phone number, etc. are current, correct and that all forms are complete and accurate. If information is missing, your qualifications may not be fully and completely rated. Additional information cannot be submitted after the closing date of the announcement. A current date and an original signature in ink on the last page completes the application. Civilian Spousal Program Eligibles must submit a copy of their sponsor's PCS orders with each application.

Application materials are accepted, and blank forms are available, at the Reception Desk, Room 100, Personnel Department, 505 Blandy. Announcements close at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, one week after the opening date of the announcement, unless otherwise specified. Applications received after 4:30 p.m. on the closing date will not be considered. Applications are retained in an announcement file and cannot be returned or filed in personnel folders. The Naval Weapons Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer; selections are made without discrimination for any non-merit reason.

No. 12-004, Operations Research Analyst, DP-1515-2/3, Code 128 - This position is located in the Weapons Planning Group, Coordinated Warfare Group. The incumbent will be involved in analysis studies and long range planning efforts covering a wide range of subjects. Typical duties involve: support of headquarters Corporate and Strategic planning efforts in Naval Aviation; technology base and seminar wargaming; support of local Center efforts in Corporate and Strategic planning; and investigating weapon requirements. The results of these efforts are reported both in writing and oral presentations. **Job Relevant Criteria:** Ability to gather relevant information to create analytical models and to draw useful and supportable conclusions; ability to communicate orally; and ability to communicate in writing. Some familiarity with operations research costing, programming and military operations and tactics is helpful. This position could be filled from a broad range of engineering and scientific disciplines. Must be able to obtain and maintain a secret clearance. Promotion potential to DP-3.

No. 12-005, Computer Scientist, DP-1550-1/2/3, Code 1232 - This position is located in the Weapons Planning Group, Simulations Branch. The incumbent is responsible for maintenance and support of Code 12 in the data base management

software development. Responsibilities include identifying computing and software needs; furnishing technical information to users on the operation of the supported data base. **Job Relevant Criteria:** Knowledge of military specifications, instructions and software; knowledge of life cycle development and operational support of software; knowledge of FORTRAN 77, "C" and assembly language programming; knowledge of the Perkin-Elmer 3200 computer system, running under Xelos; working knowledge of the UNIFY data base management system; and ability to communicate both orally and in writing. Must be able to obtain and maintain a secret clearance. Promotion potential to DP-3.



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Personnel News & Notes

Reassignment opportunities

This column is used to fill positions through reassignment only. For this reason, the Reassignment Opportunity Announcements are separate from the Promotion Opportunities column in the Rocketeer. Applications will be accepted until the date stated in the announcement. Employees whose work history has not been brought up to date are encouraged to file an SF-171 or 172. All applicants must meet minimum qualification requirements established by the Office of Personnel Management. Information concerning the recruitment and placement program and the evaluation methods used in these reassignment opportunities may be obtained from Personnel Management Advisors (Code 096 or 097). Applications should be filed with the person whose name is listed in the announcement. The Naval Weapons Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

No. 31-018, Interdisciplinary (Electronics Engineer/Aerospace Engineer/Mechanical Engineer / General Engineer/Physicist), DP-855/861/830/801/1310-2/3, Code 3146 - This position is in the A-6/AH-1 Avionics and Weapons Integration Branch, System Integration & Evaluation Division, Aircraft Weapons Integration Department.

The incumbent will be accountable for verifying and validating weapons control functions throughout the avionics subsystems of the A-6 Intruder aircraft. The position falls within the category of systems engineering management. Duties will include development of weapons control requirements, analysis of avionics systems and subsystems to assure optimum weapon control performance, evaluation of contractor testing, and coordination of technical information amongst sponsors, aircrew personnel, other NWC organizations, contractors, and other government agencies. Frequent contact will be required with the above for technical information exchange and coordinated participation in A-6 development and testing activities. Experience with electronics pertinent to weapon systems, avionics systems, and real-time multiple processor systems desired. Experience with software/firmware engineering and structured analysis/design techniques applied to definition of software requirements and systems integration desired. Experience with one or more modern weapon systems (e.g. HARM, HARPOON, MAVERICK, AMRAAM, etc.) is preferred. Applicant must be able to communicate, both orally and in writing, to work effectively with others, and to work independently in multiple diverse assignments. To apply, send an updated SF-171 to D.L. Watt, Code 3146, NWC ext. 5264.

Secretarial opportunities

This column is used to announce secretary positions for which the duties and job relevant criteria are generally similar. Secretaries serve as the principal clerical and administrative support in the designated organization by coordinating and carrying out such activities. Secretaries perform numerous tasks which may be dissimilar. Positions at lower grades consist primarily of clerical and procedural duties and, as positions increase in grades, administrative functions become predominant. At the higher levels, secretaries apply a considerable knowledge of the organization, its objectives and lines of communication. Depending on grade level, typical secretary duties are implied by the job relevant criteria indicated below.

Applicants will be rated against four or more of the following job relevant criteria: (1) ability to perform receptionist and telephone duties; (2) ability to review, track, screen and distribute incoming mail; (3) ability to review outgoing correspondence; (4) ability to compose correspondence and/or prepare non-technical reports; (5) knowledge of filing systems and files management; (6) ability to meet the administrative needs of the office; (7) ability to train clerical personnel and organize workload of clerical staff processes; (8) ability to plan and coordinate travel arrangements; (9) ability to maintain and coordinate supervisor's calendar and to arrange conferences.

Unless otherwise indicated, applicants for branch secretary will be rated on elements 1/2/3/5/8; division secretary applicants will be rated on elements 1/2/3/4/7/8/9; Program Office secretary applicants will be rated on elements 1/2/3/4/5/8/9; and department secretary applicants will be rated on elements 4/7/8/9. A SUPPLEMENTAL FORM IS REQUIRED AND MAY BE OBTAINED IN ROOM 100 OF THE PERSONNEL BUILDING.

No. 12-006, Secretary (Typing), GS-318-2, Code 1205 - The incumbent provides secretarial support to the Special Security Office, Weapons Planning Group. Must be able to obtain and maintain Top Secret Clearance. Promotion potential to DG-2.

NWC recruiting for a NSAP director's job

The Naval Weapons Center (NWC) is currently recruiting for a Naval Science Assistance Program (NSAP) director's position. The following describes the tasks and functions to be performed. Applicants interested should submit a completed SF-171 to Nedra Duysen (Code 09), Room 202, Personnel Building, by close of business April 25. Administrative questions should also be directed to Duysen at NWC ext. 2434.

Supervisory General Engineer, GM-801-15; Duty Station: White Oak, Silver Spring, MD - As director of DNL's NSAP program, the incumbent manages program efforts designed to provide responsive technical support from the Navy laboratory community to Naval operational forces. This support consists both of senior technical personnel who serve as science advisors and laboratory representatives to operational commands and fiscal resources that allow the

rapid application of laboratory technology to critical fleet problems. Will have managerial responsibility for identifying potential funding resources and establishing program policies and reporting procedures. Responsible for recruiting and preparing personnel for NSAP assignments and evaluating fleet-submitted problems with appropriateness of NSAP support, requiring continual interface with senior management officials in OPNAV, SPAWAR and throughout Navy laboratory community.

Candidates must meet all eligibility requirements for the GS-800 series in accordance with X-118 qualifications standards, including a bachelor's degree or the equivalent in experience and education in engineering coupled with at least three years of professional engineering experience, including at least one year at a level of difficulty comparable to the next lower grade.

Instructors needed!

California State University, Bakersfield (CSB) is looking for instructors to teach courses offered through the CSB external degree programs on-Center. Individuals who would like to be considered to fill possible instructor needs in one of the following academic course areas, and have at least a master's degree in a relevant field of study, should forward their resumes to Cecil Webb, Code 094, by May 2.

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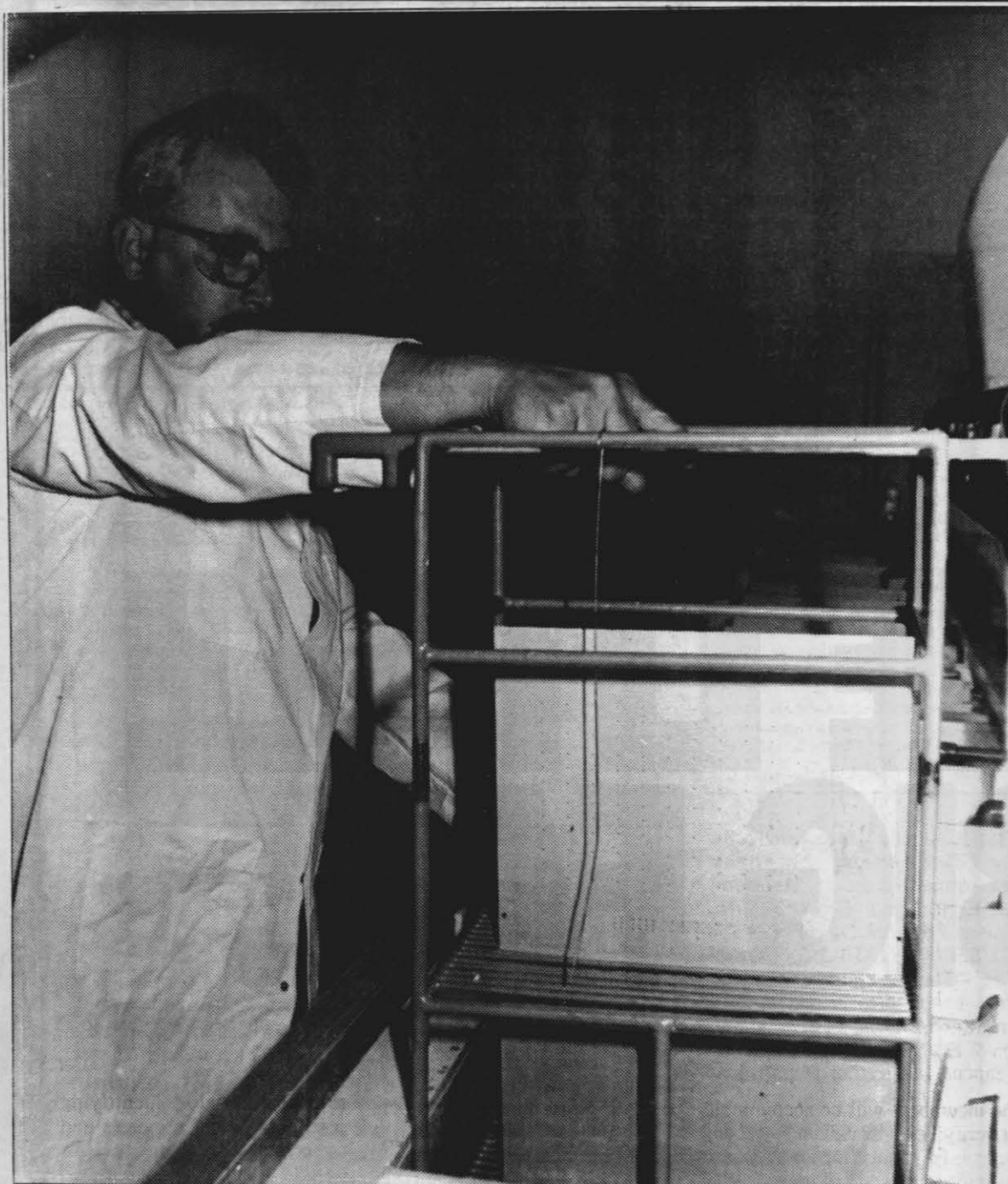
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PLATING WORK—Jim Smith, a plating technician in the Engineering Department's plating shop, pulls some plates out of the chemical bath.

Plating shop . . .

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tal in providing the final link necessary for the plating shop operation, and connecting the necessary peripheral equipment.

"It's great to have the capability here again," said Vuono, "especially since our new shop is state-of-the-art and much larger to handle increased business."

An engineer or designer who wishes to use the services of the plating shop brings in the artwork to the controller in Room 2050 of the Engineering Laboratory. The controller, Chris Rios, verifies all pieces are there, the size needed, what base materials are desired and how many units are necessary. This artwork can be either done by hand or, more frequently in recent years, be something designed on a computer aided design/computer aided manufacturing (CAD/CAM) system.

Since all boards must meet military specification (MIL SPEC) standards, and the computer programs used for the CAD/CAM are set up to ensure the design meets such standards, human errors are reduced, says Vuono. This is essential in the manufacturing of multilayer circuit boards.

The Quality Control Branch (Code 3643) then inspects the artwork to ensure the product will conform to the MIL SPECS.

The laminate is then cut, mounted

on the drill and holes are drilled by the numerically controlled machine programmed by use of paper or mylar tape. Next comes a two-step plating process to provide electrical continuity from layer to layer. First is an electroless copper process, which is a chemical reduction process occurring in the holes and then an electroplating process, which utilizes current to achieve the required plating thickness. These processes are controlled by Jim Smith, the new plater for the group.

After that, the photographic image of the circuitry is reproduced on the plated board, and after being exposed through the cleaning tanks, tin/lead plating is electrodeposited on the circuitry surface. The photographic resist is then removed, and the copper from the boards is etched where the resist had been. A reflow operation then fuses the tin/lead electroplate, boards are trimmed to exact size, and once more go to the Quality Control Branch for inspection for conformance to the MIL SPECS. After a final cleaning, they are ready for delivery to the customer.

"We all feel comfortable now that our shop is fully able to give the customer a quality product," says Vuono.

"All" currently includes, beside Vuono (a chemist and metallurgist), Jerry Hopper, Chris Rios, Rick Breitengross, Jim Smith, Colin Collins and Dennis Wegener.

Christman gives talk for Historian Society

"Notes and Anecdotes on the Navy's Arrival in Indian Wells Valley" will be the subject of a talk given by Al Christman at the Historical Society of the Upper Mojave Desert meeting on Tuesday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will take place at the Maturango Museum.

Christman, a life member, founder and former director of the Maturango Museum, is a former Naval Weapons Center (NWC) employee (May 1951 to 1979). He left NWC for the position of Historian of Navy Laboratories and served in that capacity until 1982. Since 1983, he has been working part-time as an independent writer-historian. He is the author of numerous books, including *Sailors, Scientists, and Rockets: History of the Naval Weapons Center, Vol. 1* and co-author of *Grand Experiment at Inyokern: History of the Naval Weapons Center, Vol. 2*. Awards received

by Christman for extraordinary service to Naval history include the Superior Civilian Service Award and the Meritorious Civilian Service Award.

Christman will review interviews he had with the major officers and scientists involved in the establishment of the Naval Ordnance Test Station (NOTS) while researching *Sailors, Scientists, and Rockets* and his recollections of an unusual visit of his own to NOTS in 1944. Topics included in the talk will be personalities of the Station's founders; why Indian Wells Valley was selected; the original air and land searches; interfaces between Navy and Valley residents; relationships between Navy personnel and the CalTech scientists; unwritten history of early social life and the impact of the Navy on the Indian Wells Valley.

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Heritage Week committee seeks costumes, models

Ethnic costumes that reflect the diversity of our cultural heritage are being sought by the Entertainment Committee for the Center's American Heritage Week. The committee would also like to locate people willing to model these costumes briefly at International Day luncheon festivities on Tuesday, June 7, on the Administration Building lawn.

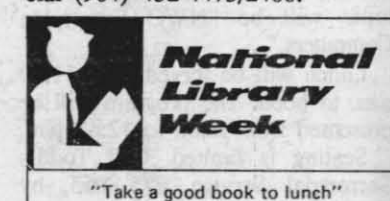
If you would be willing to lend such a costume (whether or not you are willing to model it), please call one of the members of the Entertainment Committee: Norman Alexander, NWC ext. 2614; Liz Babcock, ext. 3979; Bob Briley, ext. 1055; or Alice Pastorius, ext. 2313.

The Blues want help

Pensacola, Fla. (NNS) — Would you like to be one of the Navy's top "show" guns? Then apply to become a member of the Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron, or Blue Angels, organization.

The Blues want top-performing, physically-fit enlisted people in these ratings for the 1989 season: AD, AE, AK, AME, AMH, AMS, AO, ASM, AT, AZ and PR. They're also looking for YN's and four aviation rating chief petty officers.

Interested people with projected rotation dates between May 1988 and February 1989 who are completing sea tours or have less than a year of shore duty are encouraged to call the Blue Angels' Chief Kessenger at Autovon 922-2466/4475 or commercial (904) 452-4475/2466.



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ANYONE CAN HELP—Jimmy Hill, representing the handicapped youth of the Indian Wells Valley, is encouraging participation in the Kiwanis Club's Walk America Walkathon on April 30. A victim of cerebral palsy, Jimmy must rely on a wheelchair or walker to get around. The son of Mrs. & Mrs. James Hill, he is seen holding pre-registration forms for the Walk America event. The forms, with the names of sponsors and entrants, record how much is being pledged to the fight against birth defects for each kilometer walked by an individual on April 30. The walk begins at 9 a.m. from East Kern Regional Park. Forms and pledge sheets are available at the Center Gym or any real estate office in the valley. Photo by PHAN Cary Brady

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BLM expects rough fire season for desert area

Drought conditions and an abundance of dry grasses throughout the California desert region have prompted the Bureau of Land Management to open the 1988 fire season on all public lands within the California Desert Conservation Area a month earlier than normal.

Under fire season restrictions, all fireworks are prohibited on all Federal public lands in the CDA and all campfires will be prohibited outside of developed recreation sites.

Permits for campfires and barbecues will be required in the high

desert areas of Kern, Inyo, San Bernardino and Los Angeles counties. This includes the Sierra Nevada foothills near Antelope Valley, the Inyo-Panamint Mountain areas near Death Valley and the entire East Mojave National Scenic Area.

"This could be one of the worst fire seasons in years," commented Richard Franklin, district fire management officer. "Millions of dollars could be saved if we can prevent fires or catch them when they are small," he added.

Red Cross offers class

On April 21, an instructors' training course in First Aid and CPR will be offered by the American Red Cross in Lancaster.

Candidates must hold a current

card in subject of interest. Deadline for registering is April 19.

To register or to receive more information, contact the American Red Cross, 44746 N. Beech Ave., Lancaster, CA, (805) 948-4729.



YOSEMITE SPRING—Upper and lower Yosemite Falls in Yosemite National Park are at or near peak spring flows as melting snow in the Sierra Nevada feeds the spectacular falls. While the waterfalls are peaking early, the summer crowds have not yet arrived in this popular national park. Mid-week visits before June will continue to be largely peaceful even in Yosemite Valley. Photo by Steve Boster

Be prepared for sun

With warm weather here and the Blue Angels Air Show scheduled for tomorrow (Saturday), personnel at the Naval Weapons Center's Branch Medical Clinic want to warn readers about potential dangers from sun and heat.

They recommend wearing

proper clothing, eye wear and sunscreen, as well as bringing and drinking lots of fluids. Also, the very young and the elderly are especially susceptible to the possible hazards of sunburn, heat cramps, heat exhaustion and heat stroke.

Have fun, but come prepared!

IEEE has TD speak

On Tuesday, April 26, Gerald R. Schiefer, Technical Director, Naval Weapons Center (NWC), will be the speaker for the China Lake Chapter of the IEEE Computer Society at El Charro Restaurant (backroom). His topic will be "NWC Future in Computers."

Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to noon. The program will be presented from noon to 12:45 p.m.

Seating is limited. Call Todd's Secretarial Service, 375-8055, by April 22 for reservations.



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Aerospace buffs will be in for an unforgettable experience, as they can examine ultra-modern aircraft and space systems and witness thrilling

air shows and races.

Highlighting this event will be an appearance from the Air Force Thunderbirds and the Canadian Forces Snowbirds.

This will be the first time in 14 years the Thunderbirds have performed in San Diego.

The Canadian Forces Snowbirds, counterpart of the U.S. Air Force's

famed Thunderbird aerobatics team, will bring an international flavor to the show. The Snowbirds are scheduled to perform the weekend of May 13-15.

Also performing at the Expo will be some of the best of the nation's aerobatics teams and aerial stuntmen. Their feats range from taking off and flying and landing an airplane upside

down to snatching a ribbon from the ground with a rudder wire while in inverted flight only a few inches above the runway.

"Team America," four pilots with more than 47 years of aviation experience and 23,000 hours of flight time, will perform their 18-minute aerial extravaganza, "A Salute to America." Discount tickets may be purchased

in advance at the Information, Ticket & Tour office in Bennington Plaza for \$5.50. Children seven and under will be admitted free of charge. These discount tickets are good for active duty, reserve, retired military and dependents, and DOD employees. At the gate, tickets will be \$6 for active duty personnel (IDs required) and \$12 for all others.

Air service to Inyokern

Effective May 1, 1988, Wings West Airlines, doing business as American Eagle, will provide service to Inyokern from Los Angeles and Bakersfield. Passengers will be able to make convenient same terminal connections to/from both American Airlines flights and other American Eagle flights in Los Angeles. Among the services provided will be pre-reserved seating and advance boarding passes.

American Eagle will serve the market with Fairchild Metro III airliners. These pressurized state-of-the-art aircraft have a seating capacity of 19 and cruise at 320 miles per hour.

Product show hosted by IBM

International Business Machines Corporation (IBM) will host a product show at the Enlisted Mess on Tuesday, April 19, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Several models of the new IBM Personal System/2 family will be on display and available, depending on demand, to test customer programs.

There will be a presentation at 10 a.m. and again at 2 p.m. on the 9370. The 9370 is the rack-mounted, entry level computer in IBM's family of mainframe computers. At 9 a.m. and again at 1 p.m., there will be a presentation of the RT (Risc Technology) computer. The RT is IBM's high-power engineering workstation which runs AIX, the IBM UNIX (TM AT&T) offering.

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SAVING MONEY — A01 D. Nelson, a member of the Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-5), is returning an overdue library book to his wife, Verdie, which costs money; however, during National Library Week, April 17-23, the Center Library is suspending fines. No fines will be charged for overdue items returned during this week. Help the Center Library clear the overdue file. Their goal is nothing overdue by April 23!

National Library Week celebrated

April 17 marks the beginning of National Library Week. Like the USO, the Center Library is a home-away-from-home for men and women in uniform. Often the library is one of the few places where off-duty personnel can settle down in a quiet atmosphere and write letters, read magazines and newspapers, play chess or just browse through the library's collection.

The library's services are major elements in the educational, informational and professional programs of the Navy. The library functions as an integral part of the military community, serving as a resources center in providing library materials and related services to stimulate professional growth and personal development, to supplement formal training programs and assist with off-duty education and to contribute to the constructive use of leisure time.

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Seamen's libraries are not new in the American Navy; in fact, they date from the earliest years of the service. The first seaman's library was placed aboard an American vessel in 1821. These books were turned over to the Brooklyn Navy Yard in 1824 to become the nucleus of the first shore-based seaman's library.

This year's National Library Week slogan is "Libraries Speak Your Language." No matter what the reader's interest, the Center Library is dedicated to providing the information needed.

The Center Library's collection includes over 42,000 books, 115 magazines, 13 newspapers, chess sets and over 1,300 record albums. All the reader has to do to share in this wealth of knowledge is to register for a library card.

The Center Library is open to all military and civilian personnel and their dependents from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday; and 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Sundays. The Center library is closed on Saturdays.

By Elizabeth Shanteler
Head, Center Library

DECUS meeting held April 20 on Center

This month's Digital Equipment Computers Users' Society (DECUS) will be held on Wednesday, April 20, at Lauritsen Lab in Conference Room 2 from 1 until 3 p.m.

There will be two presentations given at the meeting. The first one will be by Jerry Jusek from Systems Industries. Jusek will be overviewing the company and presenting some of their products such as their version of the "Exabyte," the "Magatape" and dialog equipment they have

available.

The second presentation will be on hard disk storage in the marketplace. A representative from the local Honeywell Office will talk about their VLDS disk drive that uses standard VHS video cartridges.

Anyone having questions concerning this meeting or DECUS in general, should call Randy Morris, DECUS Lug Chairman, at NWC ext. 5498 or Linda Wilson, DECUS Lug Program Coordinator, at NWC ext. 5127.

Housing Office requires notice

All family housing and bachelor civilian occupants are required to give the Housing Office a minimum of 30 days notice that they intend to vacate quarters. An Intent to Vacate Notice must be filled out by the tenant assigned to the unit and be on file with the Housing Office at least 30 days prior to departure.

A pre-termination and final inspection will be scheduled at that time, allowing enough time between appointments for the contractor to write up the house for rehabilitation. Personnel transferring or terminating on short notice should advise the Housing Office immediately upon receiving orders or termination notice.

Cooperation in this matter will enable the Housing Office to help make departures from housing as effortless as possible.

CSB plans events to recognize secretaries

By Peggy Shoaf
Editorial Assistant

This is the end of a two-part series describing the events planned for Secretaries' Week (April 25-27). This section describes the speaker and events planned for National Secretaries' Day, April 27.

Various events are planned for National Secretaries' Day. Jennifer Mitchell, a registered dietician, will talk about "Dietary Guidelines for Americans," focusing on women's issues. Mitchell has a master's degree in nutrition and currently teaches nutrition classes for Cerro Coso Community College. She is a former exercise instructor and has been a clinical dietician for hospitals in the past. Mitchell will talk in the Management Center at Michelson Lab from 7:45 until 8:30 a.m.

From 8:45 until 9:30 a.m. in the Management Center at Michelson Lab, Janette Roberts, director of Community Connection for Child Care, will discuss child care options. The Community Connection for Child Care is part of a network of resource and referral agencies in California whose major purpose is to gather information on child care available in the community and give this information to parents. It is Roberts' intent not to recommend a certain type of arrangement or specific program, but rather to acquaint her listeners with all available choices so they may make informed decisions regarding the care of their children.

Charla Green will talk about financial management from 9:45 until 10:30 a.m. in the Management Center. Green is a management analyst at the Naval Weapons Center (NWC) and has been on Center since February 1985. She is currently in charge of the MIPI Program Office. Green was recently nominated by NWC and selected to the Women's Federal Executive Program. She is currently

working towards an advanced certificate in financial management.

The Secretaries' Day luncheon will begin at 11 a.m. at the Chief Petty Officers' Mess with Donna Eller-Jones as guest speaker. Eller-Jones specializes in providing management and supervision training to government clients. She is a former supervisor and manager in California State government and understands well the developmental needs of supervisors and managers. Eller-Jones has a master's degree in Organization Development and for the last ten years has conducted training courses for over 9,000 employees, supervisors and managers. Eller-Jones instructs the NWC Introduction to Supervision course and says Ridgecrest is her second home. She has been coming to NWC for the last four years and, to date, has conducted sixteen one-week courses in supervision at NWC. The title of her talk will be "Men and Women Working Together: Do We Speak the Same Language?"

Following Eller-Jones' talk will be a luncheon consisting of a salad bar for \$3.85 or a hot buffet for \$5.50.

The final speaker for National Secretaries' Day and Secretaries' Week will be Len Leritz, a consultant, who will talk about "Power and Influence" from 1 until 4 p.m. at the Chief Petty Officers' Mess. Leritz is a researcher in developmental psychology and management theory and has developed a unique and practical theory called Generative Management. He is also an organizational development consultant, a human resource consultant, and a management trainer. Leritz has also written a book, *No-Fault Negotiating*, to help people get more of what they want. He is recognized as a national leader in negotiation.

All functions require a ticket for admittance. The only ticket costing money will be for the luncheon. Tickets are now available from the department secretaries.



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FOUL BALL — This player got a piece of it as Indian Wells Valley Baseball begins its season. Games will be played throughout the week on the Kerr-McGee diamonds in Ridgecrest and the China Lake diamonds on King Street (across from the Bowling Alley) at various times. The Pintos begin at 5 p.m., Mustangs at 5:30 p.m., Broncos at 6 p.m. and Ponys at 6:30 p.m.

Local BLM sets outings

Activities are offered for visitor information by the Ridgecrest Resource Area Office of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM).

On Sunday, April 17, at 8 a.m., there will be a photo trip. Meet at the BLM office in Ridgecrest. Visitors need to provide their own transportation; a high-clearance vehicle is recommended. Visitors should also bring a hat, water, a sack lunch and their camera.



Celebrity net tourney scheduled for April 25

Cerro Coso Community College and the Fire Mountain Foundation have announced this year's twelfth annual "Celebrity Tennis Tournament" is on Saturday, April 25. This tournament is held each spring by the Fire Mountain Foundation as a fundraiser to assist them in supporting the courses, programs and

services of Cerro Coso Community College.

Individuals interested in entering this fun-filled event may do so for a donation of \$25.

The event begins promptly at 9 a.m. on Cerro Coso's tennis courts.

For more information call the college at 375-5001.

Basketball final standings

Listed below are the final standings for Intramural "A" and "B" League basketball.

For the "A" League: Oak Specialties earned the title of winner with seven wins and one loss. I Don't Cares came in second with six wins and two losses. VX-5, in third place, had two wins and six losses. Last, but not least, Mad Marines had one win and seven losses.

For the "B" League: Texins came out on top with seven wins and one

tie. Dec Wrek's had second place with six wins and two losses. Bud Shooters, in third place, won five, lost two, and tied once. Pearson's earned fourth place with five wins and three losses. NWC-Ops and Brew Bros. tied for fifth place with four wins and four losses. Pucci's ended up in seventh place with three wins and five losses. D'Allens, in eighth place, had one win and seven losses. Ric Lakers came in last with zero wins and eight losses.

The group will travel to the Trona Pinnacles in the morning, then to Darwin Falls in the afternoon. BLM staff and volunteers will assist visitors in taking pictures of these two unusual desert sights. Space is limited, so call and make reservations.

On Saturday, April 23, and Sunday, April 24, at 1:30 p.m., there will be a Eureka Dunes hike. The hike will leave from the BLM trailer, usually parked in the picnic area on the northwest side of the dunes. Visitors wishing to go on this hike should bring sturdy hiking shoes, a hat and water. The hike can last two or three hours.

On Saturday, April 30, at 10 a.m., there will be a tour to Darwin Falls leaving from the BLM office. Visitors need to provide their own transportation, lunch, sturdy hiking shoes and water. The group will drive to the Darwin Falls parking lot, hike to the falls, eat lunch and return.

To confirm these activities or for more information, call Fred Coe, visitor information specialist, at (619) 375-7125, or write to United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, Ridgecrest Resource Area, 112 East Dolphin Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555.

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Scores are tight in games held on Center last week

Fourth week of play for the Recreational Services Department's Youth Soccer teams saw three tied games and many close, hard-fought ones.

Division 1

Coyotes 2, Owls 1

First goal of the season for the Coyotes was made by David Rollingston with Patrick Coughlin kicking in the winning point. Matthew Hessler did a good job advancing the ball, Chris Canterbury took a ball in the face and Blake Harden made the lone score for the Owls.

Express 1, Apollos 0

Team playing, and a goal by Chris Peters, ended in victory. Jeff Walden, Steve Jensen, Victor Jensen and Josh Amerod played exceptionally well in the win. Beth Behr, James Fujiwara and Jeff Muhn played well against the Express.

Eagles 2, Cobras 0

Strong kicking by the Eagles and good playing by Andy Pape, Shiloh McCormick, Warren Mayer, Rory L'Hommedieu, Brett Thomsen and Cristi Oliva won the game. Jonathan Ford and Jim Orozco knocked in the winning goals. Curtis Allen, Chris Bailey and Andrew Hernandez couldn't bring down the Eagles.

Division 2

Jets 3, Sounders 0

Goals by Jason Ford, Scott Fuller and Nicholas Ford, and good defense by Doug Speegle, David Jensen and Mark Kuz, paid off with a win. Gary McKenzie, Jeremy Ellingson, Cheryl Wiegert and Justin Agee just couldn't prevent the Jets from scoring.

Diplomats 3, Roughnecks 0

Good defensive plays, moves by

Mike Hobson, Cherise Muhn, Megan Roseman and Nathan Turner, along with two goals by Mike Hobson and one goal by Shawn Shaffer, allowed the win. Scott Lloyd, Sylvia Cramond and Galen Hollins made it tough for the Diplomats.

Kicks 6, Bullets 1

Neil Covington led the Kicks with five goals. Chris Potten knocked in one goal, and plays by Robert Barney, Chris Potten and Sean Glasco secured an easy win. Good defense by Jimmy Powers and numerous shots at goal weren't enough in the loss.

Whitecaps 4, Tornados 4

In this closely-fought game, Glenn Conrad, Andy Dubois, Danny Harley and Katy Robert (with an assist by Daniel Hartley) each booted in one goal for the Whitecaps. Good defensive kicks by Christina Davis and Donovan Coughlin held the Tornados at bay. Vasken Haroutunian made all four goals for the Tornados.

Rockets 5, Cougars 0

Three goals by Aaron Knecht and a goal each by David Prince and Salvador Rameriz led to an easy win. Kate George and Mark Steinmetz kept busy by helping to keep the Cougars scoreless. Efforts by Robby Tomlinson, Jason Mahoney and Robert Lawson couldn't stop the Rockets.

Division 3

Lancers 3, Sockers 0

Tiffany Marshall, assisted by Hugo Montes, knocked in one goal and Mike Ogren, assisted once by David Renner, bounced in two goals to win the game. Greg Solem and Tim Howell played an aggressive defensive game in the win. Moves by Tommy

Fuller, Sean Waldron, Sam Muhn and Jason Maxwell weren't enough in the loss.

Stings 4, Strikers 1

Fast moves by Ryan Lilly resulted in three points and Hayden Wilson kicked in one goal for the Stings. Sabrina Albritton and Matt Hill had great plays in the win. Good offense by Jim Cribb and a goal by Travis Caddell weren't enough for the Stings. Mike Degeus and Scott Tosti are the most-improved players for the Strikers.

Drillers 3, Earthquakes 1

Well-executed moves by Mike Rodman, Seth Rivers and Paul Underwood, along with two goals by Kevin Self and one goal by Tom Foisy, ended in victory. Mary Miller and Sean Kajiwara blocked many tries by the Earthquakes. Lone goal for the Drillers was made by Joe Ernst.

Division 4

Whitecaps 0, Rogues 0

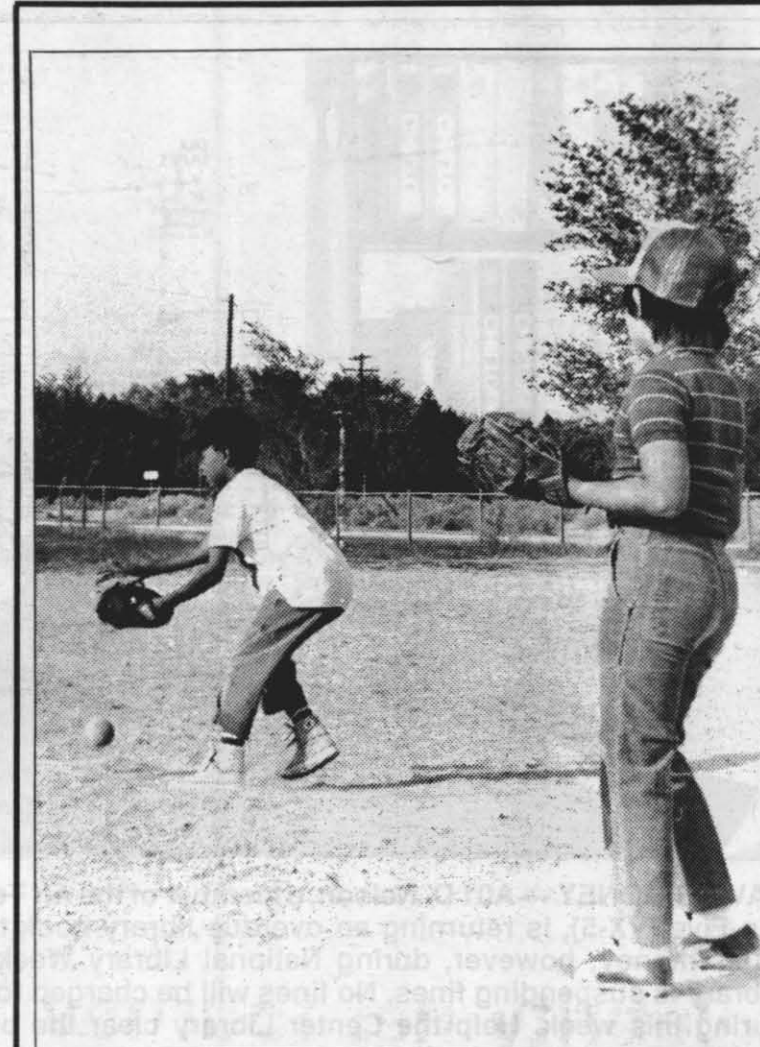
Great defensive play by Dean Barnett and Ashley Fortune kept the Rogues scoreless. Saves by John Haynes and good moves by Brendan Weimholt, Mike Leary, Steven Sticht, Aaron Schwartz and Tommy Watt kept the Whitecaps scoreless in this exciting game.

Whitecaps 2, Fury 0

Scott Wilson earned the winning goals and good defense by Dean Barnett and John Keller helped shut out the Fury. Team effort and hustles by Mike Graves, Matt Thatcher, Phil Johnson and Tim Seufert fell short.

Only one score sheet was turned in for the following game:

Fury 1, Rogues 1



OOPS, HE MISSED — This Bobby Sox player is preparing for the big game. Bobby Sox Softball (girl teams and boy teams) begins its season April 18 with opening day ceremonies beginning at noon on Saturday, April 23. Interested girls or boys (ages 6 to 16) can still register to play. Simply stop by the Bobby Sox's booth which will be at the airfield (next to Hangar II) tomorrow (Saturday) during the Celebration of Naval Aviation Air Show or call Irene Wagner, player-agent, at 375-3412 or Marge Schaefer at 446-2271.

Inyokern Road Run to be held May 1

Entries are now being accepted by the Over the Hill Track Club for the 14th annual 10-mile Inyokern Road Run to be held Sunday, May 1.

The race will start at 8 a.m. at the intersection of Highway 395 and Old 395 south of Ridgecrest, and features a slightly downhill course.

Registration fees are \$8 for members of the OTHTC and \$10 for non-

members until April 15. Late entries (after that date) will cost an additional \$2 and there'll be a three-week delay on T-shirts for late entrants.

Awards will be made for open winners and age-groups for both men and women, with age group awards based on the pre-registration count.

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