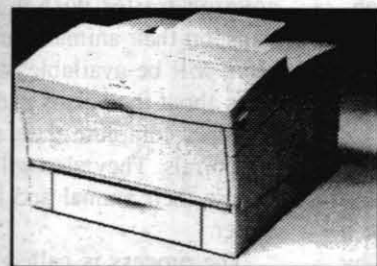


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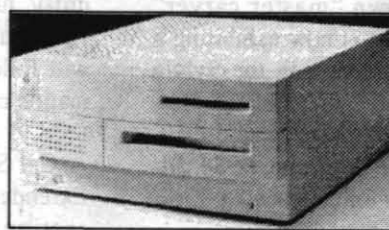
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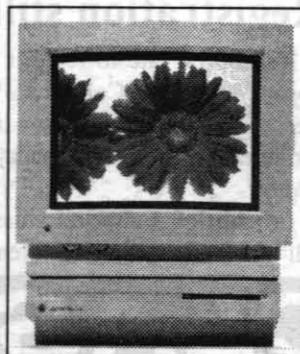


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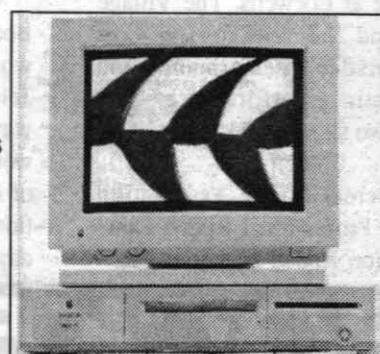
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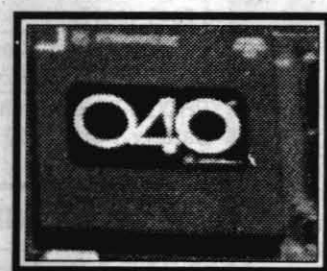
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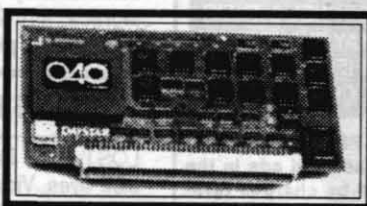
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NAWCWPNS Mission Planning Lab to open July 1

Multi-function facility makes efficient use of Division resources

By Barry McDonald
Editor

Television coverage of Desert Storm showed the world the effectiveness of smart weapons—in particular, the Tomahawk Land Attack Missile. What the world didn't see was the extensive and complex mission planning associated with those attacks. The experience gained in Desert Storm emphasized the need for development of integrated mission planning systems.

"While Tomahawk and other smart weapons were extremely effective, allied forces had the luxury of time during Operation Desert Shield, prior to initiation of hostilities, to conduct the required mission planning," said Dr. Ron Atkins, head of the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division Mission Planning Office.

To address emerging new requirements for advanced mission planning systems, China Lake initiated the development of a strategic plan for mission planning some three years ago. The NAWCWPNS Integrated Mission Planning Steering Group was established in August 1991.

In June of 1992, Atkins' Mission Planning Office was established, with responsibility for establishing a NAWCWPNS mission planning strategy; development of mission planning road maps; development of strategies for integrating pre-launch planning into current and future weapon systems (including tactical and attack aircraft); and establishment of mission planning facilities to support mission planning RDT&E efforts.

On Thursday, July 1, the NAWCWPNS Mission Planning Laboratory will celebrate its grand opening with a ribbon cutting and open house. The facility will implement a major component of the strategic plan.

The group's charter defines mission planning as "any activity that supports the preparation of a naval strike plan with emphasis on strike weaponry, from target aimpoint measurement through route planning, weapon trajectory and time of flight, target scene prediction, strike optimization, mission effectiveness and transfer of mission data to either aircraft or weapons."

The charter goes on to include the components of the planning process: "strike effectiveness, assessment, and methodology; weapons coordination/selection; targeting/weaponceering; architectures (information interchange protocol); imagery exploitation; target recognition/mensuration; strike component integration; mission rehearsal; and environmental assessment.

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TAMPS—Terry Ashton, Code C2813, takes a break from a course on another application to practice what he learned last month on the Tactical Aircraft Mission Planning System, the Navy's standard mission planning system. All existing and future systems will have to be compatible with TAMPS.

Exchange civilian employees, Ernie Andrews and Fran Lemieux, receive first NAWS CO's Awards

At his retirement ceremony in March, Command Master Chief Billy Keeler went out of his way to specifically thank them for their service to the enlisted personnel at Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake. Now Capt. B.J. Craig, NAWS CO, has recognized that service by honoring Ernest Andrews, Navy Exchange auto mechanic, and Fran Lemieux, a sales associate at the Uniform Shop, with the first presentations of the NAWS Commanding Officer's Award.

Nominated by Lt. James J. Anderson, Navy Exchange Detachment Officer-in Charge, both civilian employees were completely surprised at the ceremony held on June 2.

"The 'keystone' to Ernie's widespread reputation of being an honest man who provides the best service at the best price is his personal concern and respect for every customer," Lt. Anderson, wrote, in part, in Andrews' nomination letter.

"As a result of his professionalism, Ernie was recommended for the Auto Mechanic of the Quarter Award to the Better Business Bureau."

In the citation accompanying the award, Capt. Craig wrote that Andrews is willing to go beyond the call of duty to provide the best possible service. "You understand the time and financial constraints of the military family and only fix what needs to be fixed," the CO wrote, in part. "Every military family deserves a person like you in their corner."

Andrews has worked at the Navy Exchange Gas Station for ten years, coming from a background with a local General Motors dealer and previous ownership of his own station and garage in Carlsbad, Calif. Factory trained on a number of different makes, Andrews performs all, but the

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Clarence J. Renne Awards presented

Two members of Ordnance
Systems honored for contributions
to improvement in department

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Human Resources team receives award

Consolidation of two
departments worthy of
NAWCWPNS recognition

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Department employees help ailing co-worker

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Department lends help to
Alvina Quintanilla

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Thurs	90	52	15	45-13%
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Sat	87	64	25	—
Sun	87	61	32	—
Mon	85	47	13	54-15%
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Fri	99	65	21	44-12%
Sat	91	58	11	—
Sun	106	55	12	—
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Tues	106	62	24	42-11%



China Lake Calendar

Thursday, June 17

•Grand opening of the Career Transition and Placement Center, 1 p.m., trailer behind Training Center

Friday, June 18

•Navy Marine Corps Relief Society 5K Fun Run/Walk, 7:15-7:55 a.m. check-in time, 8:00 start

Wednesday, June 23

•SOLE meeting, 11:30 a.m., Seafarer Club

Friday, June 25

•Marine Aviation Department Car Wash, 8 a.m., Corner of Nimitz Avenue and Lauritsen Road

Thursday, July 1

•Grand opening of NAWCWPNs Mission Planning Lab, 1:30 p.m., old dispensary complex

Wednesday, July 7

•Old-fashioned Country Farewell for Capt. Cook, 6 p.m. Administration Building lawn

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The Commanding Officer's Desktop



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QUESTION

I have a concern about the parking situation at Michelson Laboratory. There is widespread illegal parking in both on the west and east parking lots. Examples of illegal parking include vehicles parked in unmarked spots at the ends of parking rows and vehicles parked in spots labeled for "30 min" and "2 hr" for extended periods of time. This includes government vehicles parked in these time-limited spots for days on end. I have personally observed Navy vehicles parked in the 30-minute and two-hour spots for several days at a time! I have also noticed that most of the illegal parking is repeated by the same vehicles. What is hard to understand is that there are plenty of parking spaces available only a short walk away.

I have contacted the Michelson Laboratory coordinator to complain, but they don't seem to care about this situation. My most significant concern is that I called the China Lake Police and they would not come and ticket these vehicles. The day I called the police someone had nearly run into my vehicle when I was leaving the parking lot because illegally parked cars were causing visual and maneuvering restrictions. I do not understand this attitude. I was under the impression that the California Vehicle Code was enforced on this station. I was also under the impression that the China Lake Police officers were professionals and would respond to this type of request. Needless to say, my current personal opinion of and respect for the China Lake Police is quite low at this point.

ANSWER

As we are well aware, a parking problem exists at Michelson Laboratory. I have personally observed empty parking spaces within walking distance to Michelson Lab and encourage their use. I have talked with the China Lake Police and I believe that any call for service is answered and not ignored. If they are called for parking violations, they will respond and contact the driver of the vehicle and either have the vehicle moved (a warning) or issue a citation, whichever is deemed appropriate. Navy/Command-approved instructions and the California Vehicle Code are enforced aboard the Station. The Michelson Laboratory Coordinator Office also deals with parking problems brought to their attention; usually by calling the violator's department head. The Navy vehicles in question do, in fact, get parked in timed zones due to other less courteous drivers parking in their spaces. In the future, the China Lake Police will be called to report unauthorized vehicles parked in their spaces. Violators will be dealt with appropriately. Also, I encourage all drivers aboard the base to extend common courtesy to other drivers. The laws are there to make life a little more organized and predictable for all of us. Please call the China Lake Police if you believe a violation has occurred.

Tickets on sale for Capt. Cook's old-fashioned Country Farewell

Tickets are now on sale for the old-fashioned Country Farewell planned for Capt. Douglas W. Cook, Vice-Commander of the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division. The party is planned for 6 p.m. July 7 on the front lawn of the Administration Building. The admission price of \$10 includes a barbecue dinner and beverage. Tickets are available at the Public Affairs Office located in Room 1051 in the Administration Building.

Capt. Cook will be relieved of duties by Capt. Roger K. Hull July 6. After detaching from China Lake Capt. Cook will report to the Naval Air Systems Command in Washington, D.C.

Pages From The Past

June 17 & 24, 1983

Gerry Schiefer, Bill Porter and Paul Homer officially opened the Electronic Warfare Operations Center at Randsburg Wash. . . Capt. K.A. Dickerson will relieve Capt. J.J. Lahr as NWC Commander next Tuesday. . . Capt. Grace M. Hopper is the guest speaker at next week's IEEE meeting. . . Pierre St. Ammand earned a listing in the "Who's Who in the World" book once again. . . NWC took third in the MDISL softball tournament.

June 15 & 22, 1973

James Colvard, former Range Department division head, was selected as technical director at the Naval Weapons Laboratory, Dahlgren, Va. . . Dick Fulmer, Darrell Walker and Gary Burgner of NWC joined NASA scientists to develop a new, low-cost turbojet engine. . . The Rocketeer won third place in the 1972 Federal Editor's Association Blue Pencil competition. . . Ben Husten ended a long career in fuze development. . . Carl Heller, Dennis Burge, Robert Westbrook, Don Peterson, Robert Joy and Russ Huse will attempt to climb Peru's highest peaks.

June 14 & 21, 1963

NOTS Commander Capt. Charles Blenman welcomed President John Kennedy to China Lake. . . Capt. Charles Riley reported to NOTS as the new Public Works Officer. . . NASA used Randsburg Wash and other NOTS sites to test the new Gemini space capsule ejection system. . . Clyde Campbell is the new manager at the Station Pharmacy.

June 17 & 24, 1953

Commander Albert J. Fidler, senior medical officer, was killed in a car crash south of Kramer Junction. . . NOTS Commander Capt. Paul Stroop turned ground for a new recreation building on Blandly Ave. . . Seaman Dennis Murphy, now at NOTS, first put on a uniform at age 15 when he joined the Army and saw combat action in Korea two years ago. . . Dr. E. St. Clair Gantz was elected chairman of the local chapter, American Chemical Society. . . Eleven NOTS employees shared \$510 in BeneSugg Awards.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Ridgecrest's own "master carver" William S. McEwan is now exhibiting a selection of his sculpture in the Sylvia Winslow Exhibition Gallery of the Maturation Museum. This show ends July 7. Admission to the museum is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

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Sara Edmunson, Christine Hudson, Mark Loewen and Bonnie McKenzie again join vocalists from Point Loma Nazarene College to present "Music of the Night." This musical production, benefitting the Burroughs High School Music and Drama departments, will be held at 8 p.m., June 17-19 at the Burroughs Lecture Center. A matinee is set for Saturday, June 19, at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are on sale at Loewens, The Village Book Shelf, and The News Review. Cost is \$8 for Thursday's performance and Saturday's matinee performance. Cost for the other two shows is \$12.

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The Ridgecrest Rodeo Association will present a Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association Rodeo Friday and Sat-

urday, June 18-19, at the Desert Empire Fairgrounds. A dance in Mesquite Hall will follow Saturday's rodeo. For information call Hap Ross, 375-4285.

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Cal State Bakersfield's Division of Extended Studies will be offering two sections of "Canoeing: Lake Tahoe/Truckee River." Section One is set for Sunday through Tuesday, July 11-13 and Section Two will be Thursday through Saturday, July 15-17. Emphasis is placed on basic canoeing skills instruction. The cost of \$120, due by July 2, includes canoe rental, paddles, camping fees and lifejackets. For more information, call 805-664-2441.

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STUDENT ASSISTANCE—One of the first jobs students in the Job Training Partnership Act Program had to do upon arriving at the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake was to pick up their badges at the Visitor Center. Completing the paperwork is NAVWS China Lake Security Assistant Jan Lasell. Students arrived Monday to begin the nine-week-long work experience program. This is the 15th year China Lake has supported the JTPA Program.

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A match has a purpose

By Lana Aguilera
Fire Division

A tool is an object that has a specific purpose. Implicit in this definition is the idea that the tool should be used only for its intended purpose. By presenting the match to your child as a tool, you teach the responsible use of fire and lessen the chance that curiosity may cause your child to play with matches, risking fire and serious burns.

The match is a tool whose purpose is to light candles, start a fire in the fireplace or light an outdoor grill. Tell your child it's OK to strike matches and use fire, but only under safe conditions and only in the presence of a parent or responsible adult.

Teaching about fire this way helps to eliminate one of the motivations for juvenile match play — curiosity about fire. Fire, like the match, becomes a tool to be used — instead of a toy to be played with.

This method is preferred to the traditional message of "Don't play with

matches." Teaching that "a match is a tool" lets the child learn about fire in a controlled setting. Teaching that "a match is a tool" makes fire an everyday part of the child's world.

"Match is a tool" training should begin with an explanation of the concept at an early age when parents believe the children learn and follow safety rules. This should be reinforced with hands-on experience in the safe lighting and handling of matches. Remember to keep matches, cigarette lighters and the like strictly out of children's reach before that time.

Show the child how to light, hold and blow out a match — then have the child demonstrate the behavior, time and time again. Multiple repetitions in a single session will further drive home the message that matches have a valuable function and that the skill must be practiced with an adult.

Match education can be the beginning of a healthy attitude toward fire that lasts a lifetime.

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On June 1, after 25 years in the Navy, ADC Donald D. Berry, retired from Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake in a ceremony at the Seafarer Club.



ADC Donald D. Berry

Before reporting to China Lake in June 1991, ADC Berry saw duty at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.; AD "A" School, Naval Training Command, Millington, Tenn.; Attack Squadrons 212, 27, 122 and 22, all at NAS Lemoore; Training Squadron 25, NAS Beeville, Texas; NAS Cubi Point, Republic of the Philippines; Naval Recruiting District, Glenview, Ill.; Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-5), China Lake; and Fighter Squadron 51, NAS Miramar.

During his career Chief Berry earned many decorations and honors. Among the extensive list of medals and ribbons are the Navy Achievement Medal with two gold stars, a Navy Unit Commendation, Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation with three bronze stars and two awards of the Battle "E."

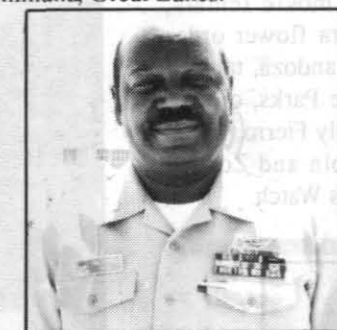
During his stay at China Lake ADC Berry served as Hot Line Division chief and SAR/Helo Division chief.

"Your extraordinary knowledge of virtually all areas of aviation maintenance and administration combined with your inspirational leadership style have inspired all who have had the fortune to serve with you," wrote Capt. B.J. Craig, NAWS CO, in part, in the letter of appreciation.

June 11, AEC (AW) John T. Sewell retired from VX-5 in Hangar 1, after 22 years of service. Sewell began his military career with a four-year stint in

the U.S. Air Force, achieving the rank of sergeant before being honorably discharged. He joined the Navy in August 1975, going to basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes.

"Showing a determined desire for education and self-improvement," wrote Capt. Garth A. Van Sickle, VX-5 CO, in the letter of appreciation, "you rapidly progressed to the rank of Chief Aviation Electrician."



AEC John T. Sewell

During his career, AEC Sewell had tours at Training Squadron 10 at NAS Pensacola, Fla.; Attack Squadron 115, aboard USS Midway, at Yokosuka, Japan; Instructor Duty AEI School, NATTC, Millington; and Electronic Countermeasure Squadron 132, NAS Whidbey Island before coming to VX-5.

Among numerous medals and ribbons, his major awards include the Navy Achievement Medal, Navy Unit Commendation, Meritorious Unit Commendation and three awards of the Battle "E."

Also retiring from VX-5 this month was AMH1 (AW) Warren M. Scott, who said farewell to the squadron yesterday afternoon at the Seafarer Club. Entering the Navy in July 1973, Scott attended basic at Recruit Training Center, Orlando, Fla. Before coming to VX-5 he had tours at Reconnaissance Attack Squadron Five (heavy), NAS Key West; NAS, Pensacola; Attack Squadron 93, aboard USS Midway, Yokosuka; Naval Reserve Center, Macon, Ga.; NAS Sigonella, Sicily; Strike Fighter Squadron 106 at NAS Cecil Field, Fla.; and USS Nimitz at Naval Station Bremerton, Wash.

His awards include the Navy Unit Commendation, Meritorious Unit Commendation, Battle "E," and four awards of the Good Conduct Medal, among other medals and ribbons.

MILITARY NEWS

MAD car wash set June 25

On Friday, June 25, the Marine Aviation Detachment will sponsor a car wash at the parking lot on the corner of Nimitz Ave. and Lauritsen Rd. beginning at 8 a.m.

"Donations" will be accepted for vehicles washed, with the proceeds going to local charities and to help defray some costs associated with the Marine Corps Ball.

Cars will be vacuumed, windows washed inside and out and the exterior washed. A basic vehicle safety inspection may also be made.

Parking is limited but arrangements can be made for dropping off vehicles and picking them up later. For more information, call the MAD at 939-6601.

Two-year enlistments to end

By BUPERS Public Affairs

Washington (NNS) — To improve stability for general detail (GENDET) sailors and their commands, the Navy will eliminate two-year first enlistments by the end of 1994.

Two-year enlistments, will be replaced by three-year enlistments. Sailors will be allowed to strike for a rating. If qualified they also may be offered basic skills training upon reenlistment. Sailors who successfully complete basic skills training will be advanced to Petty Officer Third Class.

Three-year enlistees also will continue to be entitled to Montgomery GI Bill College Benefits. When first introduced, the two-year enlistment gave personnel the ability to qualify for Montgomery GI Bill College Benefits while serving a short time. More than 30,000 personnel have enlisted under this program since the summer of 1990.

The two-year enlistment has had its drawbacks, however. By the time the sailors completed boot camp, apprenticeship training and unit indoctrination, they were typically left with less than 18 months of regular service. With fleet input, the Bureau of Naval Personnel decided that the three-year enlistment program will provide the Navy with a more stable GENDET workforce.

Wants to be dental officer

Dentalman Jesse Rock named Sailor of the Quarter for Naval Dental Center

Named Junior Sailor of the Quarter for the Naval Dental Center, Long Beach, Calif., DN Jesse Rock received a letter of commendation from the center's commanding officer, Capt. K.J. Davis, in a ceremony at the Branch Dental Clinic May 25. DN Rock is serving as a dental technician at the Branch Dental Clinic aboard the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake.

"Versatile and dependable, Dentalman Rock has contributed 100 percent effort to and dental care specialty assigned," the CO wrote, in part. "His diligent efforts inspired all who observed him and contributed significantly to the accomplishment of Branch Dental Clinic, China Lake's mission."

Born in San Pedro, Calif., DN Rock was raised for 12 years in Mexico. He came into the Navy June 27, 1990 at the age of 22. After graduating from high school and working as a longshoreman

in the Los Angeles Harbor, he decided he wanted to get into the medical field and thought joining the Navy might be the ticket.

The recruiter didn't have anything to offer in the "medical" field per se, but did have openings for dental technicians. Rock took the offer and is very pleased with the decision. His goal, now, is to become a dentist.

He's been attending basic required courses at Cerro Coso Community College since arriving at China Lake in February 1991.

"When my enlistment ends in 1996," he said, "I plan to go to school full time, at UCLA or Loma Linda, get my degree in dentistry and come back into the Navy as a dental officer. I think it will be kind of neat to come back in as a dentist and maybe see some of the same people I knew as a technician."



Photo by Terry Pascarella

NEX Video Store hosts 400 during Customer Appreciation Party

Last month, staff from the Navy Exchange Video Store at the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake said "thank you" to their customers by throwing a Customer Appreciation Party. Cake, soda, balloons, giveaways, a clown and a raffle were part of the festivities. All movies were reduced to 99 cents.

"The party was very successful," said Lt. James Anderson, NEX officer-in-charge. "Throughout the day, over 400 customers participated in the party. We were very happy that so many people were able to stop by and enjoy them-

selves. We wanted to thank our customers for their undying support to the Video Store. Without their loyalty we would not be as successful as we have been."

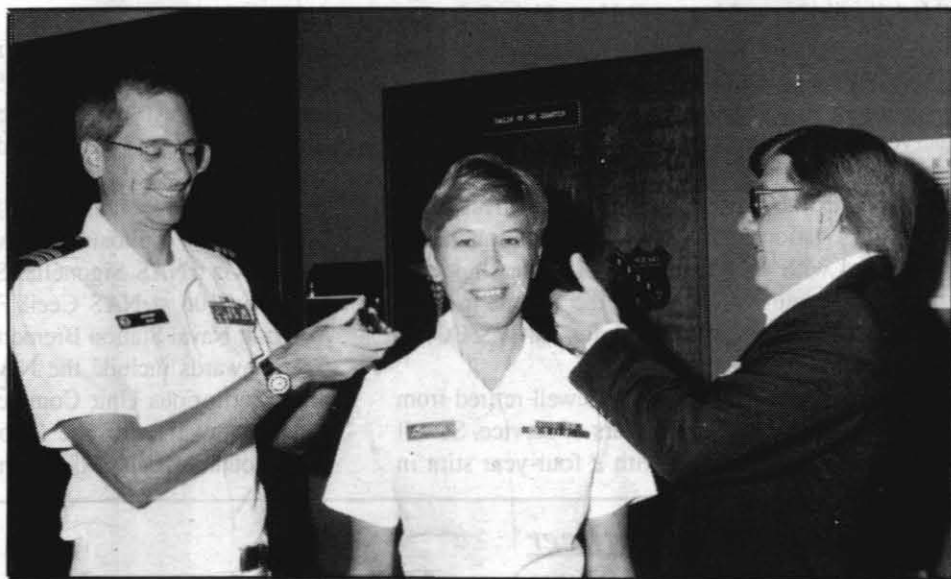
Winners for the drawings were: Avery Greene, \$66 worth of movie rentals; Dale Manning, Teleflora flower order worth \$35; Charlotte Mandoza, tank of gas worth \$25; Cheleste Parks, oil and lube worth \$18; and Molly Fierro, Karen Manning, Emelin Lincoln and Zosima Dancel each won a Guess Watch.

The NEX Video Store, 446-5804, is open Monday through Thursday from noon to 8 p.m. and Friday and Saturday from noon to 9 p.m.

All movies are \$2. The Ten-Dollar-A-Month Club allows a member to rent eight movies any time during that calendar month for only \$10.



NEX THANK-YOU—Patrons enjoyed a party with all the trimmings, including a clown, as an expression of gratitude from the Exchange Video Store.



MOVING UP—New commander, Maureen A. Kusnierek, senior nurse at the Branch Medical Clinic, was promoted to her new rank on June 1. Helping LCDR Stephen A. Kent, clinic OIC, with shoulder boards is the commander's husband, Richard Kusnierek.

Chapel

By Lt. J. David Alicea, CHC, USNR
Assistant Command Chaplain



Living is an art

An artist cannot be continually wielding his brush. He must stop at times in his painting to freshen his vision of the object, the meaning of which he wishes to express on his canvas. Living is also an art. We dare not become absorbed in its technical processes and lose our consciousness of its general plan.

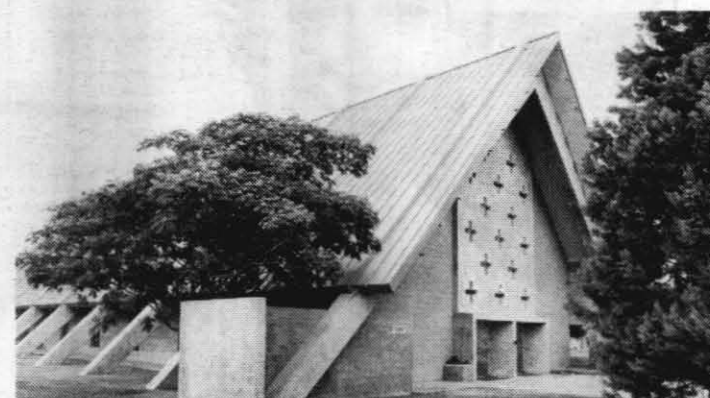
Have you ever thought about it? Do you have a plan in your life? How do you perceive your future? Do you think that life is weird? These and many other questions may arise in your life. Jesus once said to his disciples: "I have come that they may have life, and have it abundantly." Living abundantly means to feel accomplished in life.

You have set a goal and achieved it by your efforts. Living abundantly is to feel that you are heading somewhere in this life. Living abundantly is feeling that you love somebody and care for him or her. Living abundantly is to understand the true mission in life which is to feel God's love in your heart and be an

instrument of sharing that grace of life. That is why living is an art. It is so pitiful to see many miss the point of life, wasting their potential of life, grasping the claws of drugs and alcohol. It is like circling in a dead end street. Drugs will blind your vision of life; and alcohol will create a mirage, a mirage of a false oasis which will take you to the castle's of sands that will be destroyed by the waves of reality.

There are nine requisites for contented living: health enough to make work a pleasure; wealth enough to support your true positive needs; strength to battle with difficulties and overcome them; grace enough to grow and forgive in life; patience enough to toil until some good is accomplished; charity enough to see some good in your neighbor; love enough to move you to be useful and helpful to others; faith enough to make real the things of God; hope enough to remove all anxious fears concerning the future.

Living is an art!



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Jumaa Prayer, Friday (1002 Blandy) 1:00 p.m.

Attention teenagers!

Youth Center plans variety of activities

To help combat summer boredom, the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake Youth Center is planning a variety of activities for teenagers in the Indian Wells Valley. All events are limited to youth 12 to 17 years of age, unless otherwise stated.

On June 24, teens will be able to "Rock-n-Bowl" at Hall Memorial Lanes from 7 to 9 p.m. In addition to the top 40 music and plenty of bowling, the snack bar will be open for munchies.

On June 26, the Youth Center will host a "Splash Dance" from 9 p.m. to midnight at the Youth Center. Cost is \$3 per person. In addition to dancing to the music by the DJ Gary "Hollywood" Hilbert, from KRAJ, there will be door prizes and plenty of munchies.

During the summer months, the pool is good place to hang out. But it is also a place where accidents happen, and knowing CPR might make a difference. The Youth Center will sponsor a "Community CPR" class from 6 to 9 p.m. June 28 in the Children's Center's conference room (located on Blandy Ave.). This event is limited to those 13 years of age or older. Cost is \$3 per person.

"Teen Swim Night" is slated June 30 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Solar Park Pool

(next to the Seafarer Club). Cost is \$3 per person.

On July 8, teenagers can enjoy "Skate Night" at the Youth Center from 7 to 10 p.m. Cost is \$3 per person, or \$2 if skates aren't needed. Music, skating and munchies will highlight the evening.

From 9 p.m. to midnight on August 6, the Youth Center will sponsor "Flash Wars," where participants will head out with polaroid cameras to take pictures according to a list given to them by Youth Center personnel. The first group back with completed photos wins. It's a scavenger hunt with a twist. Cost is \$3 per person.

The "End of Summer Dance" is slated August 21 from 9 p.m. to midnight at the Youth Center. The DJ will be Gary "Hollywood" Hilbert. Cost is \$3 per person.

A trip to "Magic Mountain" will be held August 25. The group will leave the Youth Center parking lot at 7 a.m. Cost is \$30 per military dependent and \$35 for Department of Defense dependent. Space is limited to 25 people, so early registration is recommended.

The Youth Center staff wishes everyone, from infants to adults, a fun and safe summer.

Youth Toy Bowling League can help amuse kids this summer

Keeping the children amused during the summer months can be a chore. To help make the chore a little easier, Hall Memorial Lanes is offering a Youth Toy Bowling League this summer for children 3 to 10 years of age.

This non-sanctioned, just-for-fun league, will play on Fridays, beginning June 25, until August. Cost is \$5 per child per week. At least 15 children must be registered to start the league and entries are due by June 18.

Use safety precautions when cycling

With warm, sunny weather beckoning people outdoors, more and more bicycles appear on streets and paths.

Just a few street-wise and common sense habits by cyclists and motorists alike can make the road a safer place, said safety experts. In many states and other countries, a bicycle is considered a vehicle, and cyclists must follow the same laws as motor vehicles. Among other things, said safety experts, this means travel with traffic and obey all traffic signs.

Wear a helmet in case of spills, and make sure the bicycle is visible during dusk and dark by using front and rear lights or reflectors.

Cyclists should always watch for vehicles making right turns. Cyclists

should carry briefcases and other packages in a backpack or in a basket. To increase visibility, cyclists should wear light-colored clothes. Pedestrians always have the right of way.

Motorists can help ensure cyclists safety also. Cyclists may travel at 20 miles per hour or faster, and it takes space to control a bicycle. When passing around cyclists, motorists should allow enough room before pulling back over. Before making a right-hand turn, motorists should check the right-hand blind spot for bicycles.

Bicycles are a high-dollar, easily transported target for thieves. Cyclists should register their wheels with the installation or local police department.

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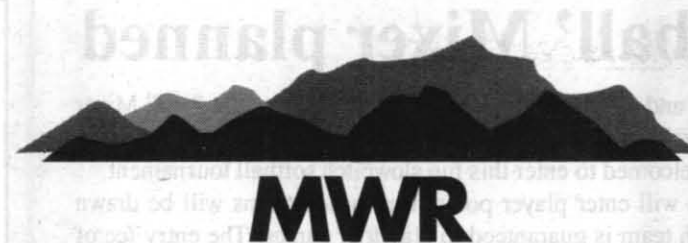
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Registration is now being accepted for the NAWS China Lake stables

Military and Department of Defense personnel can now house their horses at the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake stables. Rental prices per stall, per horse are \$30 for military personnel and \$50 for DoD personnel.

The owners of the horses will be responsible for feeding and taking care of their own horses.

Reservations for the spaces are being accepted at the Station's bowling center, Hall Memorial Lanes, located across from the ball fields on King Street. Applicants must bring with them proof of insurance, a certificate of health for the horse and proof of ownership.

The China Lake stables have been closed for the past three years due to budget constraints, noted John Piroksa, coordinator for renting the stables. Through self-help projects by the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department Maintenance Branch, the stables have been repaired and are ready for use.

A committee, made up of everyone who is boarding horses at the stables

and headed by LCdr. Joseph A. Gattuso, will be responsible for policing and maintaining the area in the future, noted Piroksa. "This is a new concept," Piroksa said. "The people who use the stables will be in charge, with LCdr. Gattuso having the final say. If they think a horse isn't being taken care of properly, the committee can vote to have the horse removed from the stables. If people aren't taking care of their spaces properly, they can be told to remove their horses."

Proper maintenance of the horses' food is a prime requirement, Piroksa said. If the food isn't properly maintained, rats, spiders, snakes and lizards could become a real problem. It will be up to the committee to make sure the food is properly maintained.

In addition, the horses will be checked once a month for sanitary conditions and health by the military veterinarian who visits the Station.

The China Lake stables are located off North Inyokern Road just south of "B" Mountain. All spaces will be rented out on a first-come, first-served basis.

Family Night: Every Thursday evening at China Lake Community Pool

Every Thursday evening is Family Night at the China Lake Community Pool. "From 7 to 9 p.m., every family member can enjoy swimming, pool games and great barbecued burgers or hot dogs," states Erica Freeman, the new aquatics coordinator.

Early birds can show up for recreational/lap swimming from 5 to 6 p.m.,

and parents can lap swim from 6 to 7 p.m. while the children eat dinner or take their swimming lessons.

Family night admission prices are \$4 for military families, \$5 for Department of Defense families and \$6 for all others. Dinner prices are \$3 for hamburger, chips and a soda and \$2.50 for a hot dog, chips and a soda.

Father's Day bowling marathon set

Hall Memorial Lanes will present a Father's Day Special Men's Handicap Six-Game Marathon Sunday, June 20, at 1 p.m.

Prizes will include an 16 lb. official "Bud" ball, 15 lb. Sumo ball, a double ball bag, a Robby's leather wrist protector, a single ball bag and a Robby's vinyl wrist protector.

The entry fee is \$20 per entry, with \$10 going for lineage fee and \$10 for the prize fund. Entries must be turned in by June 18 and at least 20 entrees must be received for this event to take place.

Entry forms are available at Hall Memorial Lanes aboard the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake.

Hall Memorial Lanes has new hours

Summer bowling hours will be in effect at Hall Memorial Lanes from June 19 through August 1. Monday through Friday hours will remain from

11 a.m. to 8 p.m., but the bowling center will only be open from 4 to 9 p.m. on Saturdays and closed Sundays. For more information, call 939-3471.

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most major engine repairs. For a number of years he also taught auto mechanics to high school students in the local ROP program.

Normal hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, but he works Saturdays occasionally, "depending on the needs of the customers," he said. "I try to fit their schedules...except on Sunday—that's church day—and my wife, Charlene, just wouldn't go for that."

In his off-duty he enjoys spending time with three grandchildren, Heather, Jacob and Ryan, the offspring of his "middle" child, Michelle Noel. He also serves as a Cub Scout den leader.

And another pastime is participating in reenactments of the 1849 fur trade era. He is a member of the Breckenridge Buckskinners, and they and other groups get together for shooting competitions using antique black

powder firearms. But they also dress the part. "I really enjoy it," he said. "I hand sew my own leather powder bags and pants and make other period gear."

His oldest child, Sheryllyn, is married to a second class petty officer in the Navy, John Kidwell, and they are stationed at NAS Oceana, Virginia Beach, Va. His youngest, Kevin, is a seaman stationed aboard USS Gridley, homeported in San Diego.

In nominating Fran Lemieux, Lt. Anderson wrote, in part, "The secret to Fran's success is that she prides her-

self in taking a great personal interest her job and 'HER' customers. Fran consistently demonstrates that pride by providing quick, reliable and professional service to every single customer, regardless of rank." The nominating letter also noted that Lemieux helped to consolidate and relocate the Uniform Shop to the main Exchange store.

"During the two years you have worked in the Uniform Shop, you have built an outstanding reputation," Capt. Craig wrote in the citation, in part. "You truly understand the needs of the military member, and that understanding is what makes you a great asset to China Lake." The citation included that Lemieux has produced sales 18 percent over plan and has achieved an in-stock average of 95 percent.

Lemieux is a retired registered nurse, who spent a total of 27 years in that profession—16 of them at Massachusetts General in Boston. Upon moving to California in 1962 she worked for three years at St. Luke's Hospital in Pasadena and then at Huntington Memorial before she retired in 1973 and moved with her husband, Donald, to Bishop where he worked at the Union Carbide Plant in Round Valley.

They moved to the Indian Wells Valley in 1985 when Donald took a job at Sierra Sands Unified School District, and then, when he was disabled in 1990, Fran went back to work. She started at the NEX in May of that year and transferred to the Uniform Shop in February 1991.

Lemieux's son, David, works locally as a construction contractor.

She spends her free time knitting and doing counted cross stitching. She prides herself in her quickness in that endeavor, too. "In just two weeks before Christmas last year," she says. "I knitted two sweaters for a couple of friends of mine."



Photo by Terry Pascarella

WELL DONE!—NAWS Commanding Officer, Capt. B.J. Craig congratulates Ernie Andrews, Navy Exchange mechanic, and Fran Lemieux, of the NEX Uniform Shop, after presenting them with the first NAWS China Lake Commanding Officer's Awards.

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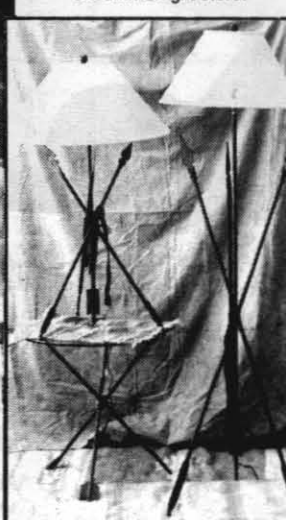


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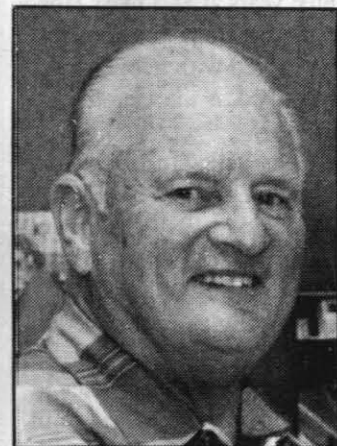
Ordnance Systems honors two with Clarence Renne Award

By Peggy Shoaf
Staff Writer

In a special ceremony attended by friends, co-workers and relatives, Jack R. Thompson and William Styer were named the newest recipients of the Clarence J. Renne Award May 27.

The Clarence J. Renne Award recognizes significant contribution to the maintenance, upkeep, improvement or operations of the Ordnance Systems Department operating plant at the China Lake site of the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division.

"Without its operating plant, the Ordnance Systems Department could not perform its mission. Therefore, the operation, maintenance and upkeep of the plant's extensive facilities, major process and support equipment, machinery and facilities is imperative," said Daniel A. Goss, head of the department.



Jack Thompson

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Thompson was nominated for the award by James C. Baldwin, head of the Propellant Technology Branch. In the nominating letter, Baldwin noted Thompson had a number of contributions to the improvement of the Ordnance Systems Department's facilities and equipment.

One of his contributions was modernization of the 150-gallon propellant mixer instrumentation and control systems. According to Baldwin, Thompson worked with a Comarco engineer to develop a new, modern control system that is more efficient, reliable, user friendly and visually attractive. "Mr. Thompson provided valuable input to the design phase of the project," wrote Baldwin, "and then accomplished a large portion of the assembly, check-out and trouble shooting effort to complete this installation ahead of schedule. The engineer involved in the project (Jim Embree) has stated that the project could not have been completed as efficiently as it was without Mr. Thompson's participation."

Baldwin also credited Thompson's training and experience with the prompt, efficient installation of cabling for the computer Ethernet System and noted Thompson was the primary person involved in the updating of the data measurement and recording systems at the Ballistic Test Laboratory. Thompson was also given credit for his contributions to the alterations to Building 52, which included providing suggestions for space utilization and helping in the demolition and reconstitution of the building on items beyond the scope of the rehab contract.

Thompson joined the China Lake team in 1971 as a gas/heating mechanic at Public Works. In 1983 he joined Ordnance Systems as an electronic technician.

This is his first Clarence J. Renne Award and he said it was the best thing that could happen to a person. "It shows your work is being recognized," he said, "and that's a good feeling. The people who have received the award in the past are people I have always respected. That makes it better for me, that the other recipients are of such top quality."

William Styer

This year, for the first time in the department's history, one of the awards was given posthumously. Teresa Styer, widow of William Styer, accepted the award on her husband's behalf.

Styer, who worked in the Project Engineering Section as a mechanical design engineer from January 1992 until his death on Nov. 6, was nominated for the award by John M. Robbins, head of the Propulsion Systems Division. "Although his tenure was short," Robbins wrote in his nominating letter, "it was enough time for Bill to establish a respected reputation throughout the department for being professionally competent, easy to work with and an energetic team player."

Robbins noted Styer quickly familiarized himself



POSTHUMOUS award is presented to the widow of Bill Styer, Teresa Styer by Ordnance Systems Department Head Dan Goss.

'Badball' Mixer planned

On June 26 and 27, the Softball Classics will hold a "Badball" Mixer at the Leroy Jackson Park softball fields. All adult male or female participants are welcomed to enter this fun slowpitch softball tournament.

Participants will enter player pools from which teams will be drawn randomly. Each team is guaranteed to play four games. The entry fee of \$5 per individual is due by June 20. All entries received before the deadline are guaranteed a spot on a team.

Entries may be submitted up to game time Saturday, June 26, but may not be accepted if teams are full (max. 14 participants per team).

For more information or entry forms, contact Del R. Kellogg at 375-3152 (after 5 p.m.); Blimpie Sandwiches and Salads at 446-6969; John's Pizza-Pasta & Ice Cream at 375-4407; or Ridgecrest Parks and Recreation Department at 371-3741.

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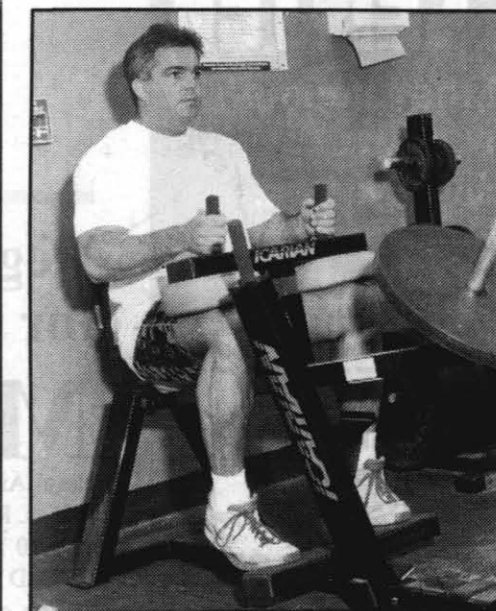
As the weather warms and more Californians go fishing, state wildlife officials urge anglers to be alert for research tags on fish they catch. The tags, many of which bring rewards, should be sent to the Department of Fish and Game where they will help in research projects.

California anglers can collect a \$5 reward—sometimes \$10 or \$20—for returning a tag to the Department. During 1992, more than \$23,400 was paid to anglers for redeemed California fish tags. Not all tags entail rewards, but those that do say so.

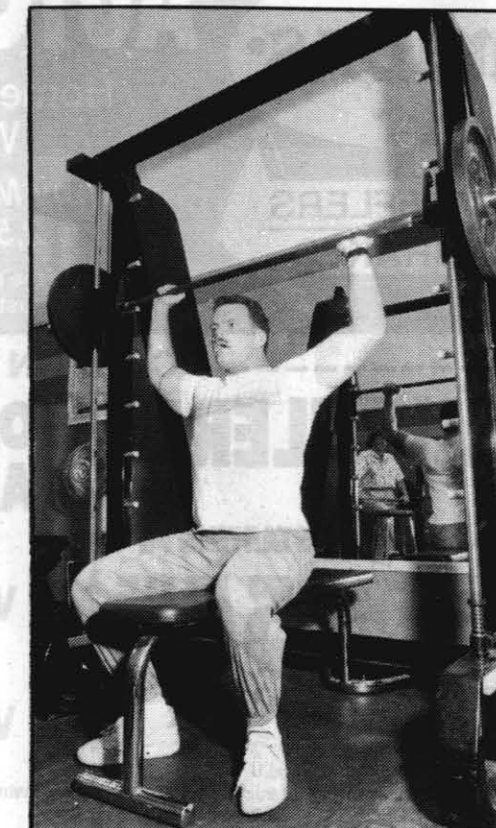
In 1993 fishing tag locations include Clear, Don Pedro, Folsom, Oroville, Shasta and Trinity lakes, and a number of Los Angeles urban fishing waters. Research projects are underway at these bodies of water.

Ultimately, the research pays off for anglers in better fishing.

Gym receives new weight equipment



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Board members test machines

AME2 Peter Fonte demonstrates the Seated Calf Machine, while AMH2 Jim Waltson tries out the new Smith Machine. Both machines, from Icarin Fitness Equipment, are located in the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake Gymnasium Weight Room.

Fonte and Waltson are members of the Weightroom Advisory Board, who meet once a month to make weightroom recommendations on rules, new equipment and so forth.

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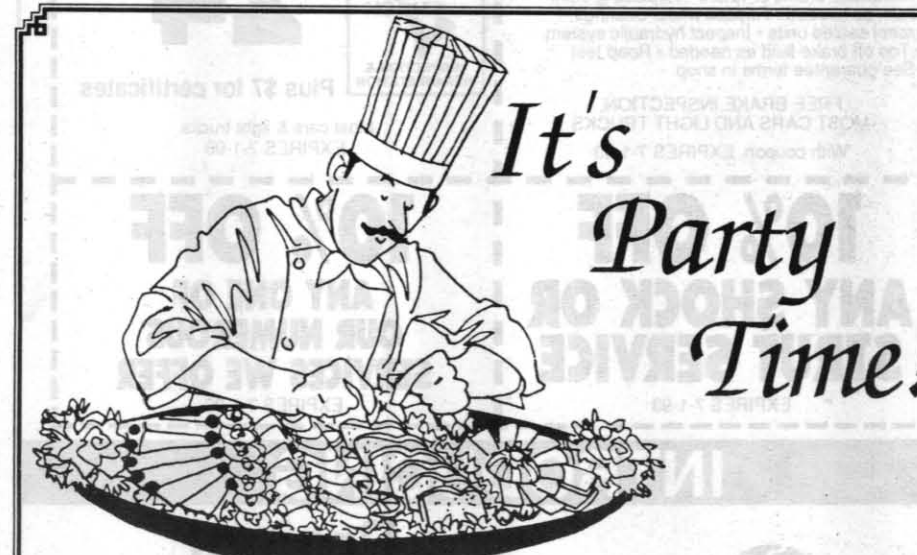
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SPORTS

Basketball competition over

Ball Hawks take title

By Carl Norlund
Sports Correspondent

In a hotly contested game, the Ball Hawks defeated Benchmark 56-54 to win the championship of the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake 1993 Basketball Season.

The Ball Hawks raced to a 29-19 lead by the end of the first half. Benchmark fought back in the second half, tying the score at 51-51 with 1:17 left in the game. Daryl Brown then hit two free throws to give Benchmark the lead. With only 47 seconds left in the game, John Willhite hit a short jumpshot and was fouled. A successful free throw put the Ball Hawks back on top 54-53.

Willhite then blocked a shot by Brown to protect that slim margin.

With just seconds remaining, Tony Leonard hit two free throws for the Ball Hawks, while Terry May made only one of three free throws for Benchmark, leaving the team in second place.

Leading scorers for the Ball Hawks were Leonard with 16 points, Keith Haywood with 15 points and Willhite who tallied 10 points. The Ball Hawks league record was nine wins and one loss.

Benchmark high scorers were Brown, with 15 points (including three three-point shots), and Tyrone Finney and Leslie Lewis, who tossed in 12 points each.

During the regular season 11 teams went head-to-head, with the top four teams advancing to the playoffs. Third place went to VFW, while Wonderbread took fourth.

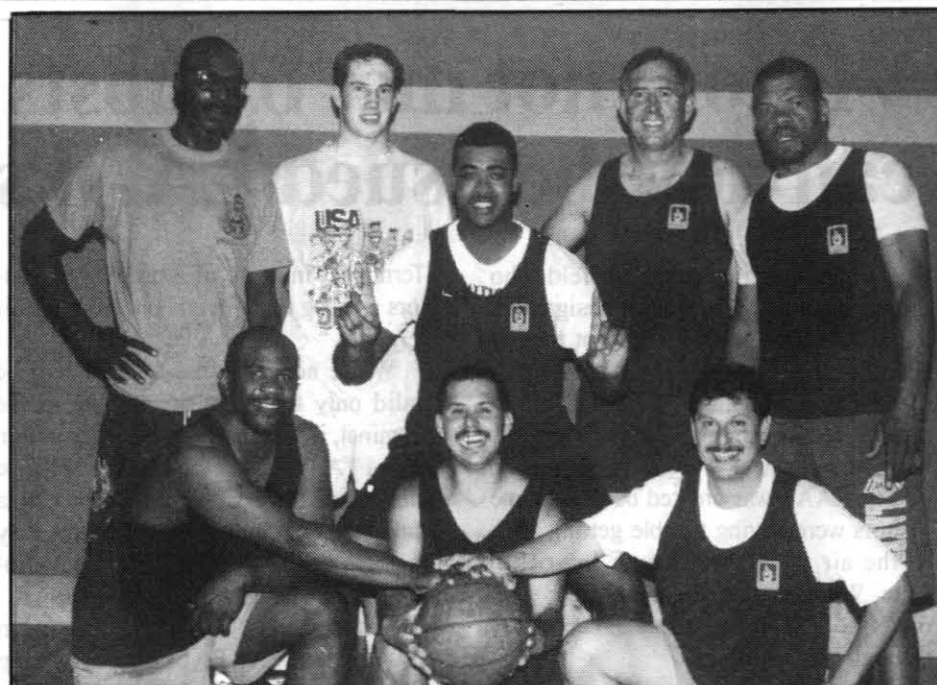


Photo by Karen Rivers

1993 BASKETBALL CHAMPS are (back row, l to r) John Willhite, Rob Stark, Tony Leonard, Bob Stark, Keith Haywood, (front row, l to r) Steve Blanche, Shawn Sailas and Walter Deluna.

NMCRS plans 5K Fun Run/Walk

On June 18, the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society will host a 5K Fun Run/Walk. The course will begin and end at the intersection of McIntire and Dibb roads. Check-in time is 7:15 to 7:55 a.m., with the race starting at 8 a.m.

Cost is \$5 per person, and all money

raised will be used to benefit the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society.

Volunteers are still needed. People who don't want to run but would like to help the society out can call AC1 Cody or OS2 Gray at 939-5050 to volunteer to help out.

with department policies, personnel and operating capabilities and took a personal interest in bettering the plan.

The projects assigned to him, Robbins stated, which were typically the largest and most complex in the section, were always timely and accurate. "Because of his belief in utilizing the practical experience of the shop craftsmen and implementing their ideas into his designs, they (the craftsmen) also developed a sense of ownership, which helped the construction phase of his designs to go smoothly," Robbins wrote.

"Several projects, which Bill designed and managed, will be part of the department's operating capability for years to come," noted Robbins. Some of these projects include the large fluid energy mill and related air compressor system, control systems for the ovens in Buildings 553 and 559 and the chilled water capability for the 30-gallon mixer.

"Bill's untimely passing took away valued capabilities," wrote Robbins. "His accomplishments in the 11 months he was with us are deserving of recognition through this award."

Background

The second purpose of this award is to provide a means of paying continuing tribute to Clarence J. Renne, who served as head of the department's Process Systems Division from 1962 to 1980, noted Goss. During that time, Renne was responsible for promulgating policy on the number and type of structures and equipment necessary to accomplish the department's mission and for assuring that the plant was ready and safe for project use. This award pays tribute to Renne's leadership, vision and persistent efforts over the years in assuring the department's capital facilities and equipment were properly maintained; long-range facilities/equipment needs were systematically planned; facilities/equipment design, installation and fabrication met exemplary standards; and logistics support for the department's operations was always available when needed, Goss explained.

Since Renne became the first recipient of the award in 1980, 14 other China Lakers, including Styer and Thompson, have added their names to this elite group.

VX-5 plus VX-4 equals VX-9

Test squadrons to merge at China Lake by April 1994

Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-5), located at the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake, and Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Four (VX-4), located at Naval Air Weapons Station Point Mugu, will be disestablished in April 1994 to form Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Nine.

The new squadron will be a tenant command of NAWS China Lake, with a detachment of F-14 aircraft remaining at Point Mugu until further studies are completed. The phased approach to consolidation will begin with the movement of three F-18 aircraft to China Lake this fall. These F-18s, and the approximately 50 military personnel associated with the aircraft, will be moved to China Lake during September.

By April 1994, with the establishment of VX-9, an additional 30 to 50 administrative personnel could be moved to the China Lake site.

Capt. Garth Van Sickle, Commanding Officer

of VX-5, noted that this restructuring effort, under Commander Naval Air Force U. S. Pacific Fleet, brings the squadron mission in line with the future needs of the fleet. Weapon systems and platforms will be multifaceted and no longer strictly specialized to one mission area. This new direction merges air-to-air and air-to-ground operational testing into one squadron.

Navy operational test and evaluation squadrons represent the "end-user" the fleet-and are the final evaluators of aircraft systems and weapons prior to fleet introduction.

This merger is not part of the Base Realignment and Closure Commission considerations currently in progress. It is a move by the Navy to better use resources in a period of drawdown. Questions concerning the restructuring should be directed to the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake Public Affairs Office, 939-3511.

Call your congressman on VIC line

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DAWIA update...

New Briefing Video
The director of the Acquisition Career Management Office has released a 40-minute DAWIA training video. This video is designed specifically for new acquisition workforce members and those individuals who were unable to attend the official acquisition workforce briefings held last fall and earlier this year. It may also serve as a refresher for those who attended the initial training. This video may be checked out through the Learning Center, Code C622, Room 100 of the Training Center. (See Tammy Berry.)

Training & Travel
When acquisition workforce employees receive confirmation of DAU training, in addition to giving a copy of the confirmation to their supervisor it is necessary that they also send a copy to Code C622.

Acquisition workforce employees who attend off-site DAWIA training are reminded that within 60 days after travel they must submit their settled travel claim to the Navy Career Management Center, as stated in Part II Authorization for Travel Funds of the DON Travel Request/Authorization form. This is the "Travel Voucher Summary" (computerized form) employees receive from Travel after submitting their Travel Voucher (DD Form 1351-2). The settled claim may be mailed to: Department of the Navy, Navy Technical Training Support Group, Navy Career Management Center, Code 016, P.O. Box 2033, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055-0784, or faxed to DSN 430-4675. The commercial fax number is (717) 790-4675.

To receive DAWIA training credit, acquisition workforce employees who have attended acquisition courses are asked to complete a DD Form 1556 (off-Center Training Request) and send it to Code C622. This form should indicate "FCO" (for credit only) at upper right of form. Supervisory signatures are not required.

Your Environment

By Janice Kaspersen
Technical Information Department

Air pollution. We generally think of car exhaust, industrial smokestacks, and smog—irritants that are found outdoors—as the major sources. But less-obvious indoor pollutants lurk in homes and offices, given off by furniture, clothing, cleaning products and everyday office supplies. In an office environment especially, the toxins in many of these products can cause what has come to be known as "sick building syndrome," a generic term used to describe the headaches, nausea, congestion, eye irritation and rashes that plague up to 20 percent of employees.

Removing all pollutants from your workplace is probably impossible; too many everyday items emit some form of toxin. For example, formaldehyde is found in plywood and particle board, carpeting, foam insulation, paper products and many household cleaners. Benzene is found in synthetic fibers, inks, oils, plastics, gasoline, tobacco smoke and some detergents. Trichloroethylene is found in fabrics that have been dry cleaned, varnishes, lacquers, inks and some paints and adhesives. But cleaning the air of these pollutants may be simpler than you think—ordinary house plants can do the trick.

Tests conducted by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and independent researchers show that two green plants for every 100 square feet of floor space can remove more than 80 percent of pollutants. Most plants produce oxygen and absorb carbon dioxide during photosynthesis and thus gen-

House plants offer more than decoration

erally clean and improve the air for humans. But plants also specialize—specific varieties tend to remove particular pollutants. To counter formaldehyde-containing products, the most effective varieties of plants are Boston fern, philodendron, azalea, ficus, dieffenbachia, spider plant, schefflera, corn plant, bamboo palm, orchid, chrysanthemum and golden pothos. Benzene is absorbed by the Gerbera daisy, English ivy, chrysanthemum, Marginata, peace lily and Warnekeii dracaena. These last four also absorb trichloroethylene.

There is a catch, though. The plants must be healthy and actively growing, and office plants are often neglected. Not only the leaves but also the roots, soil and microorganisms living in the soil help clean the air. To get the most from your plants, aesthetically and environmentally, it helps to prune dead or diseased foliage, clean the leaves with warm water and mild soap or a commercial leaf-cleaning product, provide adequate light, feed the plants regularly (more often for plants in bright light than for those in dim) and repot plants as needed in a lightweight potting mix to ensure that the plants aren't rootbound and the soil is not compacted.

For more information on plants and the environment, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Plants for Clean Air Council, 12200 Sunrise Valley Drive, Suite 150, Reston, VA 22091. PCAC is a non-profit organization.

Visitors not met by hosts can now be issued LAAPs

Visitors arriving at the airfield who do not have the correct letter designators on their badges and who are not met by sponsors with Special Area Access Passes (SAAPs) must now request Limited Area Access Passes (LAAPs) from air terminal personnel.

The LAAP was created because some visitors were having trouble getting back to the air terminal through Lauritsen Gate. Without area designators "A," "F" or "N," or a SAAP, personnel cannot get through Lauritsen Gate.

The new badges are yellow instead of blue or beige with a Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division logo in place of the photograph and the words "Air

Terminal" in place of a nickname. Visitors will log them in and out from the air terminal.

While normally the LAAPs will be valid only from Lauritsen Gate to the terminal, if visitors have business within areas "A," "F" or "N," they will be allowed to travel directly to their China Lake point of contact, at which time they must be issued a SAAP with the appropriate letter designator.

Visitors must remember to return LAAPs and SAAPs before departing China Lake.

For additional information contact John Hammonds at 939-3721.

Recycling aluminum cuts down 90 percent of energy, 95 percent of associated air pollution

Washington (NNS) — Americans produce 154 million tons of garbage annually — enough to fill the New Orleans superdome from top to bottom twice a day, every day of the year. At least half of this trash is recyclable.

For example, aluminum comes with a lifetime guarantee. It can be melted

down and reused an unlimited number of times. Recycling a can, for example, saves 90 percent of the energy used to make new aluminum, and cuts down 95 percent of the associated air pollution. And don't forget that you can recycle aluminum foil, pie tins, TV dinner trays and other all-aluminum items.

Employees urged to take part in annual Security Poster Contest

It's time again for the Security Poster Contest, and the Security Education Office is urging everyone to get out their pencils, pens and crayons to whip up an entry.

Submit original ideas or artwork to Security Education, Code C84301. The winner will receive a \$200 cash award. All participants will receive recognition and will be helping the Department of the Navy Security Awareness Program,

noted Linda Hall, head of the office. Deadline for submittals is June 30.

The contest is open to all Naval Air Weapons Station/Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division China Lake employees only.

Posters will become the property of the Department of the Navy and, when published, will become public domain. For more information, contact Security Education at 939-2216.

Public Works recognizes work by Childers Construction Company

Childers Construction Company was recently given a letter of appreciation from Capt. James R. Williams, Public Works Officer at the Naval Air Weapons Station China Lake, in recognition of the excellent work the company has performed at NAWS China Lake. Capt. Williams presented the letter to Terry Childers, president, and Mike Goodwin

of the Oklahoma firm, at the NAWS China Lake Public Works Department office on April 14.

According to the letter, for the past three years the company has filled more than 200 delivery orders in support of Public Works and the Station's construction, alterations and repair programs under an indefinite quantity contract.

Deadline for July 1 issue of The Rocketeer is June 24

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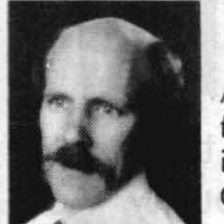

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May brings first 100-degree temperatures to China Lake

Warm temperatures highlighted May's weather, notes the report from the Range Meteorology Office at the China Lake site of the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division.

The monthly mean temperature was nearly two degrees warmer than normal. In addition, for the first time in the 1993 summer season, the temperature reached 100 degrees Fahrenheit. The temperature equaled or exceeded 90 degrees Fahrenheit on 14 days, with 95 degrees or higher temperatures on three of those days.

Measurable precipitation occurred May 16 from thunderstorms that moved over the southern end of the Indian Wells Valley. Armitage Field recorded 0.32 inch of precipitation, while IOB only recorded a trace. Trace amounts were

also recorded on May 1, 6 and 15.

The sky was mostly clear for nine days of the month, partly cloudy for seven days and mostly cloudy for two. Visibility was lowered by haze on May 2, 23 and 24, while blowing dust and sand affected visibility on May 3.

What's in store for July? According to the report, July normally brings mostly fair skies and hot afternoon temperatures. This is the month that is normally the hottest month of the year, with readings topping 100 degrees on an average of 24 days. The mean relative humidity is about 28 percent, and normal rainfall is almost a quarter of an inch from afternoon showers. Prevailing winds are from the south-southwest at 6.4 knots.

NAWCWPNS forms available by computer

Forms on Macintosh

Even though the Phase II Appletalk Zone has been renamed CL MAINSITE, China Lakers can still pick up Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division forms, using the same steps as before.

Telefax/teletypewriter cover sheet

China Lakers are required to use higher authority forms before creating their own versions. Therefore, the OF

99, Fax Transmittal Memo, will be used in place of all telefax/teletypewriter cover sheets being used at all NAVAIR NAWCWPNS sites. Cover sheets being replaced include NAWCWPNS CL 2015/2, teletypewriter transmission cover sheet, and NAWCWPNS CL 2015/4, fax transmittal memo.

The appropriate cover sheet, OF 99, is available at Telmart.

Video Listings

KNID

NOTE: Navy Channel 17 continues to highlight China Lake's 50th Anniversary with historical film each programming evening. Watch for NOTS Newsreels in upcoming weeks, scheduled at 5:55 p.m. after Navy News.

Monday-Friday, June 21-25

5:30 p.m.: Navy News
5:55 p.m.: Historical Film: NOTS Newsreels, #11, 1959

6:10 p.m.: Boy and His Crane

6:37 p.m.: The Circle of Food Safety

Monday-Friday, June 28-July 2

5:30 p.m.: Navy News
5:55 p.m.: Historical Film: 299 Foxtro
6:06 p.m.: Inside Corporate America

6:34 p.m.: California's Natural Resources series 1-3

TVIS

Programs listed below will be available for viewing on Channel 3 in all FOTS-equipped conference rooms throughout the Station. Those without access to such rooms can see the programs at Michelson Laboratory "Little D" conference room. A room will also be made available in the Training Center for each program — the room number will be posted in the lobby. Note: We have obtained a subscription to distribute CNN Headline

KNID & TVIS

News over the TVIS. CNN Headline News can be seen workdays from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Channel 1.

Tuesday, June 22

8:30 a.m.: IEEE: Optical Digital Computing

11:30 a.m.: Wellness: Relaxation Video

1:00 p.m.: MacAcademy: Filemaker Pro Part 3 of 3

3:00 p.m.: The Twelve Steps of Step Programs

Thursday, June 24

8:30 a.m.: Speed is Life with Tom Peters

9:45 a.m.: Wellness: Behavior Change Strategies

10:00 p.m.: Safety Awareness

11:15 a.m.: Wellness: Relaxation Video

1:00 p.m.: MacAcademy: Powerpoint

3:00 p.m.: Empowerment: Even Eagles Need a Push

Tuesday, June 29

8:30 a.m.: IEEE: Emerging Technologies

11:30 a.m.: Wellness: Relaxation Video

1:00 p.m.: MacAcademy: MS Word 5.0 Part 1 of 3

Thursday, July 1

8:30 a.m.: Wellness: HIV/AIDS in the Workplace

11:30 a.m.: Wellness: Relaxation Video

1:00 p.m.: MacAcademy: MS Word 5.0 Part 2 of 3

3:00 p.m.: Discovering The Future The Business Of Paradigms

Chapel and various groups join to create memorial for crash victims

By Peggy Shoaf
Staff Writer

When two China Lakers were killed and seven injured in the crash of a Navy-leased MU-2 aircraft at Edwards Air Force Base last year, the community banded together to offer comfort and aid to the injured and their relatives and the relatives of the two military men who died.

While the injured have recovered and have gotten on with their lives, there was still a void in Kelly Garnett's life. Kelly is the widow of Lt. David Garnett, one of the two servicemen who died in the crash. Though Kelly is now a resident of Ridgecrest, her husband's grave is in Texas, his home state.

Kelly wanted a special place for her four children to be able to come to remember their father and a special place she could use to pay her respects. She also didn't want Garnett or AEAN Lorenzo Rodriguez, the other serviceman who died in the crash, to be forgotten, even though the Rodriguez family is no longer in the area.

So, members of the Oasis Garden Club of Indian Wells Valley, the Art Department from Cerro Coso Communi-

ty College, Johnson Controls and the All Faith Chapel helped Kelly create a memorial to her husband and Rodriguez.

On June 1 two Bradford pear trees, donated by the Oasis Garden Club, were planted in the lawn on the west side of the All Faith Chapel. The trees were planted with the help of volunteers from Johnson Controls. Beside each tree is a ceramic tile, made by art students from the college, stating each man's name and date of death.

On June 4, the trees were dedicated as memorials to Lt. Garnett and AEAN Rodriguez. The chaplain who officiated the memorial service May 18, 1992, Lt. Gerald L. Goodman, officiated. Lt. Goodman (USNR-R) is now the minister of the First Baptist Church in Ridgecrest.

Lt. Goodman reminded the people attending the service that trees are symbols of life and a reminder that God is the giver and taker of life.

"These trees are reminders of how precious and significant the lives of Lt. Garnett and AEAN Rodriguez have been," Lt. Goodman said. "The (Garnett) children can watch the trees grow and as they get older, they can stand in the shade and remember the significance of their father's life."



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REMEMBERING Lt. David Garnett and AEAN Lorenzo Rodriguez, friends and family attended the dedication ceremonies of the two pear trees planted in memorial to the two victims of the MU-2 aircraft crash last year.

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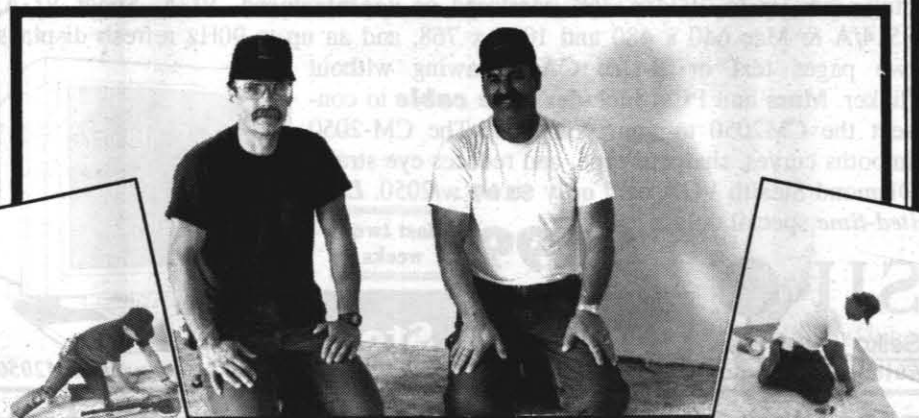
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Human Resources Department staff honored for successful integration of two departments

By Peggy Shoaf
Staff Writer

On April 28, 10 Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division Human Resources Department employees received the NAWCWPNS Team Award for successfully integrating the Human Resources departments from Point Mugu and China Lake into one department serving NAWCWPNS.

Receiving the award from China Lake were Don Shibley, deputy director of the department; Ed Rockdale, head of Labor Relations/Employee Relations Division; Don Summer, point of contact for Manpower & Personnel Data Systems Division; Richard Cracraft, head of China Lake's Operations Division; Vicki Munro, point of contact for Human Resources Development Division; and Sue Prasolowicz, head of staff.

The Point Mugu recipients were Arlene Black, point of contact for Labor Relations/Employee Relations Division; Bob Mason, head of Manpower & Personnel Data Systems Division; Judy Eveleth, head of Equal Opportunity Employment Division; and Ruth Boyle, head of Point Mugu's Operations Division.

"I would like to express my sincere appreciation to you for your outstanding professional services in the successful integration of two major Human Resources departments into a single

effective operation," noted RAdm. William E. Newman, NAWCWPNS Commander. "Your accomplishments have been recognized outside the NAWCWPNS area as a success story for other installations to emulate."

Eva Bien, head of the combined department, nominated the team for the award. "Since I was named the Human Resources director in late 1991, these 10 of the original 12 managers have worked hard at bridging the cultural differences of the two organizations," she wrote in her nominating letter. "While it may seem that HR offices perform the same functions in the same manner, there are great variations in how the functions are performed. These 10 managers have worked hard at remaining open-minded in selecting the 'best of both worlds' in reviewing organizational structure, operating philosophy, program management, procedures and processes."

Bien praised the workers for recognizing that not everyone could be a



POINT MUGU Team Award winners were (l to r) Arlene Black, Ruth Boyle, Bob Mason and Judy Eveleth. Eva Bien (second from left), director of the NAWCWPNS Human Resources Department, nominated the group for the award for effectively integrating two Human Resources departments into one NAWCWPNS Human Resources Department.

division head in the new organization and for supporting the ones who were selected. Both groups worked hard to build an organization that would be better than either of the two predecessor organizations. "From the very beginning," Bien wrote, "it was recognized that the overriding concern was that the whole organization move together as a team in supporting the new NAWCWPNS organization."

This philosophy was carried down to the rest of the employees, and the spirit of cooperation was obvious throughout the department, Bien stated. It was logical and obvious to everyone if they couldn't support each other, they couldn't effectively support NAWCWPNS.

To emphasize the success of the integration, Bien noted that the new department has been audited with on-site visits by the NAVAIR Inspector General, the Navy Personnel Management Evaluation Team and the Office of Personnel Management.

"All have commented on the successful and effective integration of the two offices," Bien said. "In fact, both Navy and OPM have requested that the ingredients of this successful integration be documented for publication to other offices facing similar situations."

Some of the accomplishments of the Human Resources team have included reducing 10 divisions down to five; achieving a 20 percent reduction of personnel, including functions transferring in and out; consolidating several programs, such as awards, drug testing and professional recruiting into programs managed from a single site for the entire NAWCWPNS; consolidating training classes and programs, including joint contracting; integrating Equal Employment Opportunity into the entire department; successfully expanding the Demonstration Project to the Point Mugu and White Sands sites; implementing an alternate work schedule with a single common day off at both major sites; and substantial success in encouraging out-placements, including early retirements, alternative placements and the finding of new jobs for unfunded personnel through in-placement.

"This is not a complete list of the activities this very motivated and effective team has undertaken," Bien wrote, "but provides a glimpse of the scope and complexity of the ongoing transition efforts."



CHINA LAKE Team Award winners included (standing, l to r) Ed Rockdale, Don Summer, Richard Cracraft, (sitting, l to r) Vicki Munro, Sue Prasolowicz and Don Shibley.

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she will be able to return to work full time, as the type of cancer she had is very rare. "It only hits Asian/Pacific people," she said. "So the doctors don't know how long it will take for me to recover."

While all trace of the cancer is gone at this point, Quintanilla said she is still recovering from the massive radiation treatments she received to eliminate the cancer. Due to its location near the brain, surgery wasn't an option.

Quintanilla has missed almost a year of work due to her illness. She readily admits she doesn't know how she could have survived without the support she has received from her family, co-workers and God. She said she especially appreciated her family's good friend, Alice Forbes, who took care of the children while she was undergoing treatment.

"I was so amazed with the help

everyone gave me," she said. "I almost cried with the way they supported me. I don't think I would have gotten the same treatment if I was somewhere else. China Lake people are unique. They are just like family, especially my co-workers. Even the supervisors and top management are really concerned about their employees. That makes me feel good; not only me, but my family, too."

Quintanilla lives with her husband, Alexander, and three of their seven children, Suzanna, Melissa and Alex Jr.

She joined the China Lake family in 1982. She left China Lake in 1988 to go to Japan, but came back in 1990. "Out of all the places I have lived, Ridgecrest/China Lake is the best place," Quintanilla said. "You might not know the people, but they are still willing to talk to you and help you out when needed."

Plastic rings on six-packs can be made safer by cutting them

Washington (NNS)—The plastic rings that hold six-packs together can be a hazard to birds and marine life. The plastic rings wind up in the ocean when they're left on beaches, dumped into rivers along with tons of other garbage, or are blown into the water from seaside

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Safety Sense

By Dena Christison
Safety Office

A recent minor mishap should remind us all to be aware of the hazards of being in the vicinity of yard or lawn maintenance work. A service member was traveling eastbound on Blandy Avenue with his passenger window open when a small rock struck him on the cheek. Apparently, yard/lawn maintenance personnel, utilizing a "weed-eater," caused a small stone to be "thrown" into the air, passing through the open passenger window of the car and striking the service member in the face. No serious injury resulted, but the potential was there.

Supervisors for the yard/lawn maintenance personnel stated employee safety training is a continuous on-going program. Personnel operating "weed-eaters" and "blowers" are continually reminded to watch out for pedestrian and vehicular traffic. During those times where a pedestrian or motorist might be affected

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by the operation of these tools, the contract employee is to stop until the pedestrian or motorist is out of harm's way.

We must all be aware, however, that during these operations a risk exists to any pedestrian or motorist in the vicinity. As a pedestrian, it is important that you make sure the operator of these pieces of equipment are aware of your presence or detour around the operation. As a motorist, if you see yard maintenance on the road edge ahead, consider a detour or have your windows rolled up. Remember, glass is replaceable.

"Weed-eaters" are a very handy and efficient tool, but can be dangerous if precautions are not taken. The operators of these devices will try to operate them as safely as possible, but as a pedestrian or motorist, we must do all we can to keep ourselves out of harm's way.

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Department employees pitch in to help co-worker

By Peggy Shoaf
Staff Writer

When employees in the Procurement Department, Division 4, discovered a co-worker, Alvina Quintanilla, was battling with cancer early last year, they quickly rallied behind her.

At the beginning of Quintanilla's fight against cancer, division personnel knew she needed more than encouraging words. She needed help. "She's the main support of her family," said Annie Cooper, the division's staff assistant. "Her husband is on disability and she has children at home to support. To top it all off, her husband suffered a heart attack during this time. We wanted to do what we could to help lighten her load."

So to raise money to ease her financial cares, the division held two money raising events, a garage sale and bingo. Between the two events, more than \$1600 was raised.

To help her emotional burdens, in addition to the cards co-workers sent to her regularly, Procurement Department employees gave the family food and gift certificates to tide them over during the holiday season. "One lady even donated

a Super Nintendo game for the children," Cooper said.

People inside and outside of the department donated items for the garage sale, which was held at Barbara Peterson's house.

The bingo game, held at the Elks Lodge, was arranged by Beverly Parsons, another Procurement Department employee.

"It (helping Quintanilla) was definitely a department project," said Jeanne Angle, a Division 4 employee. "Everyone (from management on down) participated in one way or other."

Employees also donated annual leave in Quintanilla's name to the Leave Donor Program. Between her family in San Diego and Mare Island, and her co-workers and customers at China Lake, Quintanilla figures she received about 1400 leave hours.

Because she is only working part time right now, for health reasons, Quintanilla noted she is still in need of leave hours. Without the additional hours, her income is reduced to those hours she actually spends in the office.

Quintanilla said she is unsure when

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CARING co-workers, Annie Cooper, Sandy Berry, Barbara Person, Beverly parson, Barbara hall and Jeanne Angle gather around Alvina Quintanilla (center) as they celebrate her return to work after being absent for a year with cancer.

China Lake and Ridgecrest sign technology transfer agreement

Navy and city of Ridgecrest officials have joined forces to promote technology transfer at the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division and in the city. RAdm. W.E. Newman, NAWCWPNS Commander, and Ridgecrest Mayor Kevin Corlett signed a formal agreement to provide access to marketable defense technology.

The memorandum of understanding (MOU) extends technology transfer to the city and entrepreneurs who are part of the city's new incubator program to promote small business.

Under terms of the MOU, NAWCWPNS will disclose selected technologies believed to be marketable and enter into separate agreements with individual businesses to develop the technology. The individual agreements will provide access to scientific and technical personnel and limited access to laboratories.

Rear Admiral Newman said, "this is another good step we're taking toward

technology transfer."

The agreement with the city brings local government under an umbrella already used by industry and the academic world through the Federal Technology Transfer Act. This act opened some developments at federal laboratories to business and other agencies to improve the economic, environmental and social well-being of the country.

For its part, the city and the Ridgecrest Redevelopment Agency have purchased the old city hall on Balsam Street to house the incubator program. The incubator center itself will help provide in-kind matching funds for federal grants aimed at developing new businesses and technology transfer.

Mayor Corlett said at the signing ceremony, "It's important to the community and this has the full support of the city council. This represents a new era of partnership between the city and the Navy."



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JOINING FORCES — Ridgecrest Mayor Kevin Corlett watches as RAdm. William E. Newman, NAWCWPNS Commander, signs the memorandum of understanding that will extend technology transfer to the City of Ridgecrest. Under the terms of the understanding, NAWCWPNS will disclose selected technology believed to be marketable and enter into separate agreements with individual businesses to develop that technology. The individual agreements will provide access to scientific and technical personnel and limited access to laboratories.

Mammography unit will be on-site in July

Employees of the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division and their spouses are invited to participate in SAFESCREEN, an on-site mammography screening program arranged by the China Lake Wellness Program. A mobile mammography unit will be in

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
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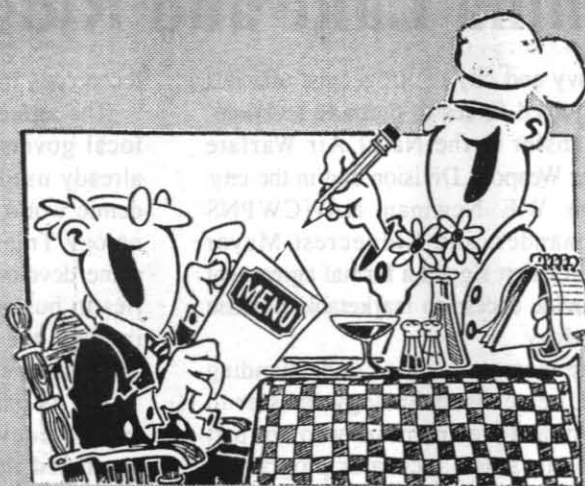
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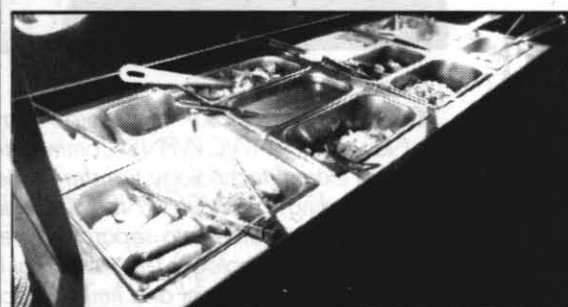
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MISSION PLANNING from Page 1

Since mission planning is so important in the success of smart weapons, it has become a significant driver in the design of future weapon systems, according to Atkins. More timely, flexible and efficient mission planning is required to support current and future weapons development. The laboratory provides the tools to focus on exploiting emerging technologies to address these critical issues.

The Navy has adopted the Tactical Aircraft Mission Planning System (TAMPS) as the standard system with which current and future naval weapons systems must be compatible. RAdm. John A. Lockhard, program executive officer for Tactical Aircraft, has recently signed a memorandum encouraging all weapons and aircraft programs to "migrate" their mission planning systems to the new TAMPS baseline system being developed by PMA 233, the TAMPS Program Office.

"This is truly a NAWCWPNS effort," said Frank Armogida, head of the Weapons Simulation and Data Analysis Branch (Code C2811) and steering group member. "It includes people from Point Mugu and China Lake from a number of different departments and directorates. Since there is a variety of weapons, aircraft and project offices that will be required to develop mission planning modules to interface with the core TAMPS, Sterling (Haaland, deputy commander for R&D) said, 'Let's consolidate our efforts in mission planning rather than having each group taking an individual approach.'"

The new Mission Planning Laboratory is equipped with the latest state-of-the-art mission planning equipment, both hardware and software, a suite of Sun Sparc-2 workstations for mission planning module development, including an extensive set of software development

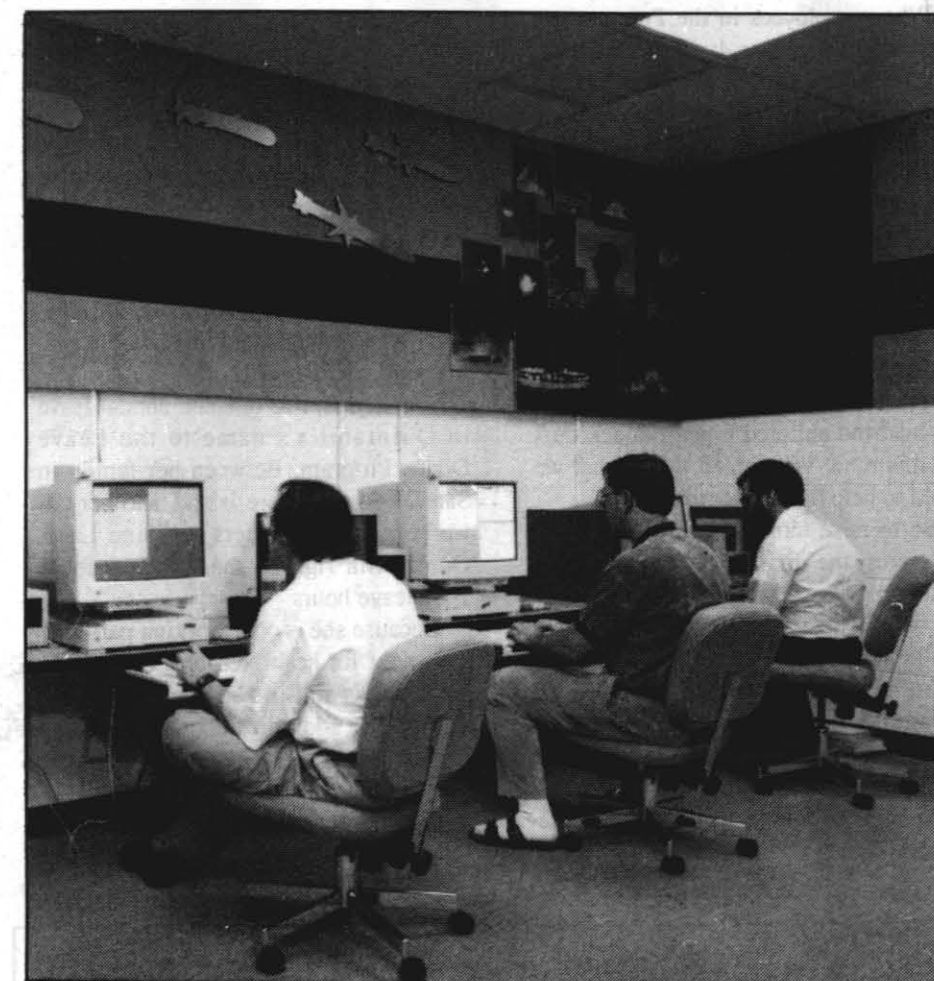
tools, Silicon Graphics- and Sun-based imagery exploitation systems and an ashore Tactical Aircraft Mission Planning System. The lab is configured to support the functions required to meet the mission planning development needs of current projects at NAWCWPNS and will be available for future planning efforts. Weapons and aircraft programs such as the Joint Standoff Weapon (JSOW), Joint Direct Attack Munition (JDAM), Standoff Land Attack Missile (SLAM), High Speed Anti Radiation Missile (HARM), F/A-18 and other programs will have access to and benefit from use of the mission planning resources of the laboratory.

The laboratory is situated next to and networked to Fidler Laboratory (the old dispensary building on Lauritsen Rd.), supporting mission planning/targeting development activities being conducted at the remote site. Networking to the Targeting Laboratory in Lauritsen Laboratory will be completed soon. Future plans are to network the lab with the Core TAMPS Development Laboratory at Point Mugu and other remote sites at China Lake and Point Mugu.

Gary Gillen (Code C2144), F/A-18 mission planning engineer, said, "The networking of the two laboratories will assure close integration of Mission Planning Modules being developed at China Lake with the new Core TAMPS system being developed at Point Mugu." The facilities at China Lake and Point Mugu will be integral to, and essential in, the development of the next generation mission planning systems for the Navy.

Looking at the big picture, the Navy's mission planning should one day be tied to that of the other services. "The ultimate goal," Atkins said, "is that the Battle Group Commander will be able to access and assess all his offensive resources on one screen and integrate the

TECHNICAL HIGHLIGHTS



STUDENTS from a variety of NAWCWPNS departments learn how to use an electronic warfare and weapons effectiveness modeling application in the development suite, which includes six Sun Sparc-2 workstations, prior to the Mission Planning Laboratory's grand opening.

plans of action of all of them. The Mission Planning Laboratory will be an important resource as the Navy's mission planning community strives to achieve this ideal."

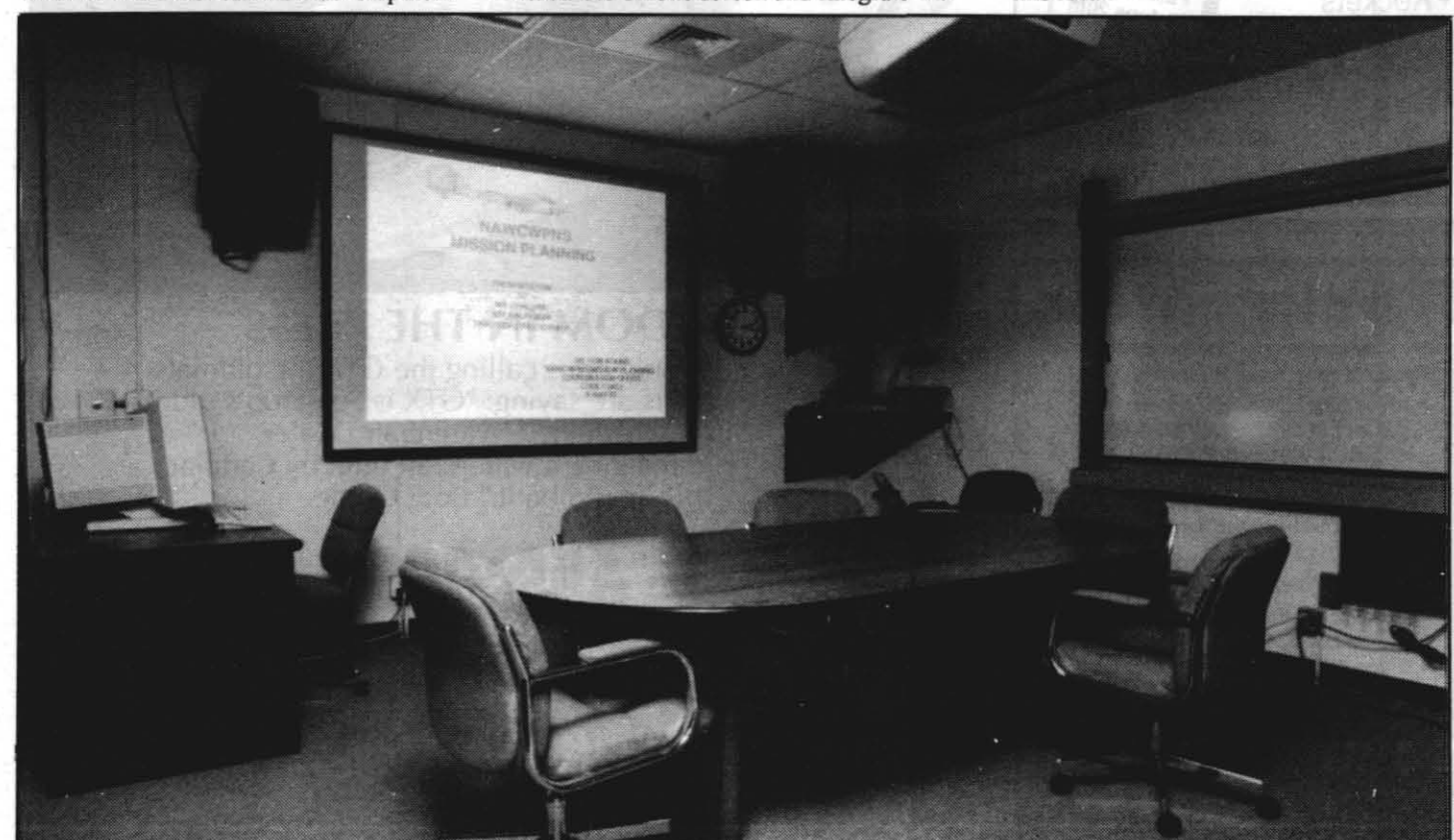
Following the ribbon cutting ceremony at 1:30 p.m., July 1, Lt. Dennis Johnson, who oversaw installation and integration of the lab's equipment, along with Atkins, Armogida and other mission planning team members, will host an open house at the lab, Building 02475. Demonstrations of the various technologies available to users will be given to visitors from 2 to 4 p.m.

Access to the lab is through the security gate at the entrance to the Fidler Lab complex. "Escorted Visitor" badges will be available at the Visitor Center at the main gate for people from off Station. Escorts will be available at the entrance to the complex to get visitors to and from the Mission Planning Lab. For further information, contact Annette Fournier, 939-1187.

CONFERENCE ROOM

is networked to the laboratory's planning and modeling systems so that groups can work together on mission planning functions in real time.

Photos by Terry Pascarella



the NAWCWPNS product line and interested in learning about the Navy S&T process and programs. For more information, contact the incumbent Rene Lemonnier at DSN 226-8431; the previous incumbent Bob Byrne at 939-0420; or Bob Schwartz, Head, Technology Advancement Group (C025) at 939-3241. Apply by submitting a current SF-171 to C6201 (Saundra, Bldg. 2335, Room 202; 939-2434 or DSN 437-2434) by COB Thursday, 1 July.

Technology Analyst, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations (OP-N911)—Participant will be assigned a variety of duties planned to broaden perspective of Navy and DOD technology base management, strategies, defense policies, planning and the budgeting process; will be involved in long range planning, helping develop the Science and Technology Planning Guidance (STPG) and the Global Surveillance/Precision Strike/Air Defense Advanced Technology Demonstrations (ATD); and will have direct interface with senior personnel in OSD (OUSD (R&AT), other DOD agencies, OPNAV, all SYSCOMS, ONR, and industry. In addition, the incumbent will participate in strategic planning through activities such as technology base guidance, war games, and Fleet exercise results, and will assist in managing the execution of high pay-off/high risk Research and Development (R&D) projects that support air, surface, and

subsurface platforms in priority warfare areas. This includes selection process for new fiscal year starts and support of Navy proposals in multiagency competition. This assignment requires a highly motivated senior-level scientist/engineer/analyst/manager familiar with S&T programs, systems design methodology, Fleet operations, and the research, development, and acquisition process. A security clearance at the Secret level is essential. For more information, contact the incumbent Harold Brooks at DSN 224-4480; the previous incumbents Don Gay at 939-4550 or Frank Markarian at 939-7206; or Bob Schwartz, Head, Technology Advancement Group (C025) at 939-3241. Apply by submitting a current SF-171 to C6201 (Saundra, Bldg. 2335, Room 202; 939-2434 or DSN 437-2434) by COB Thursday, 1 July.

CHINA LAKE

No. C024-005-PB-93, Secretary (Typing), DG-318-3, Weapons and Tactical Analysis Center (WEPTAC), C0243—Area of Consideration: NAWCWPNS, China Lake. **Opening Date:** 6-10-93. **Closing Date:** 6-17-93. **Selecting Official:** Larry Lincicum, 939-2353. **HRD Contact:** Pat Baczkiewicz, 939-8108. **Permanent Change of Duty Station Expenses**

Authorized: No. Summary of Duties: Provides secretarial support to the Division. **Quality-Ranking Factors:** Ability to perform receptionist and telephone duties; prioritize, schedule workload and calendar; deal effectively with all levels of personnel up to and including Flag-level, both on-Center and Headquarters level; train clerical personnel and organize workload of clerical staff processes.

No. C21-029-KN3, Secretary (Typing), DG-318-3, Avionic Facilities Division of the Aircraft Weapons Integration Department, C211—Area of Consideration: NAWCWPNS, China Lake. **Opening Date:** 6-17-93. **Closing Date:** 6-24-93. **Selecting Official:** K. W. Grant, 939-5651. **HRD contact:** E.

Moldenhauer, 939-2393. **Permanent Change of Duty Station Expenses Authorized:** No. Full performance level: DG-3. **Summary of Duties:** The incumbent provides secretarial and administrative support to the Head, Avionic Facilities Division. Duties also include providing direction and guidance to secretarial and clerical personnel of the division. **Quality-Ranking Factors:** Ability to maintain and validate the C21 Computer Accreditation Fact Sheet Data Base; prioritize workload; deal effectively with all levels of personnel and contractors; skill on the Macintosh II; knowledge of FileMaker Pro software and the Navy correspondence and secretarial procedures. The incumbent must be able to obtain and maintain a Secret clearance.

NOTE: The previously advertised announcements listed below may be read in the 3 June issue of the HRD Bulletin. Any questions regarding these announcements may be addressed to Ana Anderson at 939-3241.

Case No.	Title, Series, Grade	Close Date	Code	Ad Date
015-AA-93	Supervisory Contract Specialist GS-1102-12/13 or DP-1102-03	17 July	P6501	20 May
016-AA-93	Purchasing Agent GS-1105-08/09 or DG 1105-04	17 July	P652	20 May

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MORAL WELFARE AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT JOB OPPORTUNITIES

To establish a roster of eligibles to fill positions as they occur, applications (SF-171) will be accepted by the Moral Welfare and Recreation (MWR) Personnel Office, Bldg. 116, on a continuing basis for the positions listed below. Some positions that are filled through specific vacancy announcements will have the announcement numbers listed below. Interested individuals may apply for positions in Recreation, Hospitality, Child Development/Youth Services, Maintenance, and BOQ through the voluntary application file. Applicants must submit one copy of their SF-171 for each position (with job title identified) for which they wish employment consideration. As vacancies occur, qualified applicants will automatically be considered. Selection will be based on experience, performance evaluations, commendations, and qualifications for the specific positions.

NOTES

- Applicants must meet all physical and legal age requirements where applicable.
- Competition is restricted to U.S. Citizens and Legal Resident Aliens authorized to work in the U.S.
- SF-171s must be updated every 6 months; failure to update will result in removal from the file. Failure to respond to phone messages or written inquiries will result in removal from the file.
- Positions may be full or part time, flexible, temporary, day or night shift, or weekends. It is very important to indicate the number of hours you are willing to work in Item 15 of your SF-171.
- Incomplete applications will be returned, delaying consideration for open positions.
- NOTE: Applications are accepted for the positions listed below on a continuing basis unless a vacancy announcement number appears behind the job title.**

Maintenance Mechanic Specialist, NF-1101-03, #04-93—Maintenance Division, open until filled. Regular full time. Incumbent is responsible for managing maintenance mechanics and performing mechanical repairs and maintenance on gas and diesel equipment, machinery, vehicles, and related attachments, and to instruct and assist other mechanics and maintenance employees in those duties. Must be a high school graduate with at least 3 years of directly related experience in the workplace. Must provide record of proven capability and be able to read and understand repair manuals, diagrams, and illustrations. Must possess a current, valid Calif. driver's license. \$9 to \$12 per hour.

Greenskeeper Leader, NL-5003-06, #03-93—Golf Operations, open until filled. Regular full time. Incumbent leads greenskeepers in performing various duties to ensure the efficient operation of grounds, maintenance, and upkeep of golf course and surrounding areas. Must have leadership skills and experience in grounds upkeep and maintenance tasks and methods related to golf course maintenance. Must possess a current, valid Calif. driver's license. \$7.65 per hour.

Security Guard, NF-0085-10—Hospitality Facilities, open continuously. Flexible schedule, weekends and evenings. Maintains surveillance over facilities to safeguard against unauthorized patronage and theft. Responsible for the identification of patrons and the security of the buildings and grounds. Must be a high school graduate and at least 21 years of age. Must be able to pass a security check. \$6.22 per hour.

Food Service Worker, NA-7408-02, #19-91—The facilities are open continuously. Flexible hours up to 40 hours per week. Incumbent performs a variety of manual tasks in food and beverage preparation and food service for the Child Development Center. Previous food service experience preferred. Must be able to read and comprehend English. Knowledge of sanitation standards in handling and serving food is required. Must be able to qualify for a Food Handler's Permit. \$5.38 per hour

Cashier, NF-2091-01—Hospitality Division, open continuously, up to 40 hours per week. Responsible for operating a cash register according to standard cash control procedures, responsible for a cash fund, completing a daily activity report, and securing deposits of daily cash receipts. Performs other related duties as assigned. Previous experience as a cashier desired. \$5.69 per hour.

Recreation Aid, NF-0189-01—Various recreational facilities, such as the gym, youth centers, bowling center, beach motel, etc. Open continuously. Most positions are flexible schedule and \$5.69 per hour.

Waiter/Waitress, NA-7420-01—Hospitality Division, open continuously, flexible schedule, which includes days, evenings, and weekend work. Incumbent will be required to work lunches and special events at the Point Restaurant and the Surfside Facility, which offers receptions, parties, meetings, conferences, and other special functions. \$4.92 per hour.

Food Service Worker, NA-7408-01/02—Hospitality Division, open continuously, flexible schedule. Duties may range from bussing tables to assisting in kitchen to delivering pizza. \$4.92 and \$5.38 per hour.

Bartender, NA-7405-03—Hospitality Division, open continuously, flexible schedule. \$5.66 per hour.

Custodial Worker, NA-3566-02, MWR Facilities and Billeting, BOQ, open continuously. Must have 1 year of general work experience and the ability to operate commercial-type cleaning equipment. Flexible schedule, up to 40 hours a week. \$5.38 per hour.

The NAWCWPNS Announcements and Human Resources Department Information are published by the PAO and inserted in China Lake's "Rocketeer" and Point Mugu's "Missile" newspapers on the Thursday before payday. Copies of the insert are provided to the Albuquerque and White Sands sites. Personnel at all four sites may send items for the Announcements section to C08033, Attn: Barry McDonald, FAX 939-2796 (DSN 437-2796). Items included in the Human Resources Department Information section are provided by the Operations, Human Resources Development, and Employee/Labor Relations Divisions of the Human Resources Department. The deadline for all submissions is Wednesday at 1700, 8 working days prior to the alternate Thursday publication date. **NOTE:** All inputs **MUST** include the sponsor's code and phone number. Any questions or issues pertaining to this insert may be addressed to Ron Rogers at 989-3997 (DSN 351-3997), FAX 989-4388 (DSN 351-4388).



NAVAL AIR WARFARE CENTER WEAPONS DIVISION
ANNOUNCEMENTS



CHINA LAKE GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

NAVY MARINE CORPS
RELIEF 5K FUN
RUN/WALK

The Marine Corps Relief Society will hold a 5K fun run/walk on 18 June beginning at 0800. Check-in is 0715 to 0755. The course is the same as the MAD Dash 5K. The registration fee for all entries is \$5 and may be sent to AC1 Cody/OS2 Gray, C8712, Hangar 3. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Refreshments will be served, including fruit and Gatorade.

For more information call 939-5050.

TAMP OFFICE NEWS

Attn: Military Personnel—Are you quivering with questions about your new location? The Transition Assistance Management Program (TAMP) office has the answers for you! The Relocation Assistance Information System (RAIS) contains information about installations worldwide. RAIS can answer questions in 27 categories, such as spouse employment opportunities, child care, availability of on-base housing, cost of off-base housing, schools, and recreation. We also have a library of Welcome Aboard Packets from Navy installations at home and abroad for your perusal. RAIS is available at the mainside office, Bldg. 00001, Room 1017, and the airfield office, Bldg. 20002, Rooms 2125/2126. For more information, contact the TAMP Team at 927-1545 or 939-5894.

TRANSITION ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM WORKSHOP

Are you retiring from the military soon? Are you transitioning into the civilian world? The next Transition Assistance Program workshop will be 26-29 July. The workshop consists of resume writing techniques, how to conduct yourself at the interview, personal assessments, and negotiating job offers. A full day will be devoted to military information such as travel claims, moving arrangements, veteran's bene-

fits, educational benefits, Small Business Administration, and much more. For more information contact the TAMP Office at 927-3785 or 927-1545. **ATTENTION SPOUSES:** We want to extend a special invitation to you. The workshop will be held at the NAWS Conference Center on King Street.

ANALOGIC AP500 FLOATING
POINT ARRAY PROCESSORS

C2325 has three Analogic AP500 Floating Point Array Processors that are excess equipment.

For more information, call Greg Cote or Betty DeBold at 939-1576.

CAREER TRANSITION AND
PLACEMENT CENTER
OPENING

The Career Transition and Placement Center (CTPC) at China Lake will mark its official opening on Thursday, 17 June at 1300. Admiral Newman will officiate at a ribbon-cutting ceremony. The CTPC will offer a wide range of services to assist employees in finding a job elsewhere, transitioning to a new career, or retiring from Civil Service. These services include electronic bulletin boards with Federal job vacancies; software to assist in preparing SF-171s and resumes; skills assessment and career counseling; electronic access to information about opportunities in various career fields and jobs in the private sector; and retirement counseling. The CTPC will be open daily from 1300 to 1600. The center is located in the trailer behind the training center.

For more information contact Dee Quashnock at 939-8124

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
IN ENVIRONMENTAL
MANAGEMENT COMING

Beginning fall quarter, Cal-State University, Bakersfield (CSUB) will offer a certificate program in environmental management at China Lake. The certificate program will consist of four 5-quarter-unit

courses. CSUB bachelor's degree students in business administration may participate, using the courses as electives for an emphasis in environmental management under the General Business Concentration. CSUB master's degree students in administration may participate, using "500" level courses as electives in their program. The cost for the next academic year is expected to be \$400 per person per course. An information session on the program will be held on-site prior to the fall quarter and will be announced in the Rocketeer. To obtain a brochure on the program, call Cecil Webb at 939-0878.

WOMEN'S CENTER
INFORMATION RECEPTION

The public is invited to an information reception sponsored by the Women's Center, High Desert, Inc., on Wednesday, 23 June at 1800 at St. Michael's Parish Hall located at 200 Drummond Ave. Refreshments and hor d'oeuvres will be served, followed by informational presentations, sharing, and a question and answer period.

The Women's Center continues to provide a support network for the community and wants to share information concerning its programs with you.

For further information contact Cheryl Crook at 939-4752 or 375-4421.

MAMMOGRAPHY
SCREENING

The Wellness Program (C62206) will sponsor a mammography screening for NAWCWPNS/NAWS employees and their spouses. Valley Technological Services (VTS) will have their mobile mammography unit in front of the Administration Building (0001) on 9, 23, & 29 July. The cost of the x-ray exam is \$60. Participants must be 35 years old to participate unless referred by a physician. VTS is accredited by the American College of Radiology. To schedule an appointment call (800) 458-3385.

DESKTOP IV AWARD TO
HIGHLIGHT EDWARDS
AFB COMPUTER EXPO

The Desktop IV contract has been released from its protest period and has been awarded jointly to GTSI and Zenith Data Systems. The products on this schedule will be highlighted at the FOSE Information Technology Showcase (FITS) being held at Edwards AFB on Thursday, June 17 at Club Muroc from 1000 to 1500. The following is a schedule of events:

1000-1400	Demonstrations
1040-1100	"Desktop IV Update," by Zenith Data Systems
1100-1120	"Desktop IV Update," by GTSI
1145-1200	Edwards Microcomputer Users Group meeting
1200-1230	"Tips and Tricks: PC Tools," by Central Point Software, Inc.
1245-1315	"Intro to Pen-based Computing Applications," by GRiD
1400-1500	"Tips and Tricks: Microsoft Access," by Microsoft

Hands-on technical demonstrations from 1000 to 1400 will include over 20 exhibitors featuring the latest in hardware, software, and services, including GTSI, Verity, Innova, WANG, American Video Comm., Comp USA, Zenith, Government Micro Resources, Falcon Microsystems, Learnsoft, Central Point Software, GRiD Systems, Microsoft, and many more.

The event is free and open to all Federal and contractor personnel. Refreshments will be served.

For more information call Beth Buchanan, (805) 277-5855, or Mimi Howard, National Trade Productions at (714) 253-4673.

MACINTOSH SYSTEM 7.1
AND MAC TCP
SOFTWARE LICENSING

With the release of System 7.1, Apple discontinued its policy of allowing free distribution (no-cost copying of the floppies) by user groups and dealers. If you plan to

use System 7.1 on your Mac, you are obligated to purchase a copy (about \$90 for a complete package with documentation or \$37 for an update from System 7.0 or 7.0.1).

To reduce Center-wide costs, the Information Systems Department is investigating an immediate (by Thursday, 15 July) NAWCWPNS-wide site license for Macintosh System 7.1 and MacTCP 1.1.1.

Because the site licenses may not include reimbursement for already-purchased copies, we suggest you do not buy any additional copies at this time.

For more information contact Pat Connell, C633, 939-2615 or Chuck Jones, C6303, 939-1318.

PEER QUALITY ENHANCEMENT TEAM

The Weapons Systems Evaluation Directorate announces the new Peer Quality Enhancement Team. Nominate your peers. For further information call Pat Pilchard, 939-0881; Marilyn Louck, 989-0429; Terrain Ross, 989-0204; or Bonny Wright at 939-9062.

CSUC COMPUTER SCIENCE ADVISING

Dr. Orlando Madrigal of Cal-State University (CSUC), Chico will be at China Lake on 5 August to advise current and prospective students in the external degree programs in

computer science offered by CSUC. The programs lead to bachelor's and master's degrees. To make an appointment with Dr. Madrigal, call Denise at 939-2648.

SOCIETY OF LOGISTICS ENGINEERS MEETING

The Hi-Desert Chapter of Society of Logistics Engineers will hold a luncheon at the Seafarer

Club, CPO Lounge on Wednesday, 23 June. Lunch will feature pizza from Freddie's at a cost of \$5 per person. The meeting will include a Time-Life videotape presentation featuring the Stealth Bomber. The film will look at developments in aircraft concealment from WWII camouflage to the different approaches taken by the F-117A and the B-2. The film includes fly-

ing footage of the F-117A, B-2, YF-22, and YF-23, as well as many older aircraft from WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. The film also will show early clips of a Sidewinder uploading and the subsequent downloading of a target aircraft.

For reservations call Doug Whitnell, 446-7671, ext. 286; Bill Wilson, 375-4620; or Ken Dalpiaz at 927-1211, by Tuesday, 22 June.

RETIREMENTS

GEORGE GRAF

George Graf (C2945) is retiring after 27 years of Federal service. A farewell party will be held in his honor at El Charro's (back room) on Wednesday, 30 June at 1700. There will be no-host cocktails available. For reservations, presentations, or donations call John Crecelius at 939-4196 or Shari Jenkins at 939-4180.

RONALD A. PETTIT

Ronald A. Pettit (C2826) is retiring after 31 years of Federal service. A farewell luncheon will be held in his honor at the Carriage Inn on Wednesday, 7 July from 1130-1300. A buffet will be served at a cost of \$11.92 per person, including tax and gratuity. Payment is requested in advance. For reservations or gift donations contact Janice Schorr at 939-6275 by 30 June.

CAPTAIN JAMES R. WILLIAMS

Captain James R. Williams, Public Works Officer is retiring. His retirement ceremony will be held on 25 June at 0900 on the lawn in front of Building 0001. A reception at the Seafarer Club will follow the ceremony. Light refreshments will be served. A farewell party will be held in his honor on 22 June at the Seafarer Club. Hors d'oeuvres will be served, and there will be a no-host bar beginning at 1830. Tickets for the party will be \$6 per person. For reservations and presentations call Sharon Smith at 939-3412 by 18 June.

COMMANDER GIL BARON

Commander Gil Baron (C872) will be retiring after 37 years of naval service. An Aircraft Department farewell party/dinner will be held in his honor at the Officer's Club Barefoot Patio on 25 June at 1800. Dinner will include steak (grill your own), salad, baked potato, corn-on-the-cob, and rolls. The cost will be \$9 per person and will include a small donation toward a gift. A no-host bar, disc-jockey, and swimming pool will be available. For presentations or reservations contact Jean Winkler at 939-5197 or Lorraine Savoy at 939-5405 by 22 June.

POINT MUGU GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

either the Fitness Center or Jim Diderrich, the Wellness Program Manager, 989-3994.

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LABOR REPRESENTATIVE FOR BARGAINING UNIT EMPLOYEES

The exclusive Labor Representative for the bargaining unit employees of NAWCWPNS, Point Mugu is National Association of Government Employees

(NAGE).

The local R12-33 President is Louis W. Rogers; he is located in trailer 10073, or call 989-1374.

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (CEAP)

Getting help when you have a problem can be a problem. Do you know that there is someone you can talk to if you or someone in your family is having problems? There is no charge for CEAP services, which may be used before, during (on administrative leave), or after working hours. Family members, self-referrals, and supervisory referrals are welcome. The program is located in Bldg. 2-825 (University of La Verne). All interviews are confidential. For further information, call 989-7708 or 989-

8161. Ask for Martha or Bob.

LOCAL PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION TO HOST NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

The local Channel Islands Chapter of the International Test and Evaluation Association (ITEA) is hosting an annual national symposium entitled "T&E-Two Years After the Soviet Union" at the Hyatt Westlake Plaza in Westlake Village, Calif. from 30 November to 3 December. Unclassified papers are invited that will address such areas as changes in the T&E and training environment brought on by the demise of the Cold War, current trends in T&E, the tools and technologies required to test the systems of the future, and innovative ways to approach the testing challenges that lie ahead in a

OPERATIONS DIVISION NEWS

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Applications must be received at the Human Resources Department (HRD) Reception Desk, at any site, no later than 5:00 p.m. on the closing date of the announcement. Individual 171's must be submitted for each vacancy. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS ON APPROVED LEAVE, TDY, ETC. THE ENTIRE TIME THE ANNOUNCEMENT IS OPEN. Please make a copy of your SF-171 application for your own retention before you submit it. (Only applications with original signature and date will be accepted.) Submit a copy of your latest narrative performance assessment/appraisal of record with any application filed against a vacancy announcement. If the assessment/appraisal does not clearly state the tasks/duties performed, attach a copy of your performance plan. A supplemental narrative addressing your qualifications to each Quality-Ranking Factor (QRF) is highly recommended. This information will be used to identify "highly qualified" candidates to be referred for selection. Additional information will not be accepted after the closing date of the announcement. When multiple grade levels are advertised, applicants will only be rated for the lowest grade level they indicate on their SF-171 that they will accept and higher grade levels for which they qualify. Applicants may review the X-118 Qualification Standards at the China Lake Technical Library; at the Point Mugu Directorate/Department Resources Offices; or at any NAWCWPNS Human Resources Department Office.

AREA OF CONSIDERATION INFORMATION

Applications will be accepted from "current appointable employees" at NAWCWPNS and, unless otherwise noted in the specific announcement, the tenant commands with approved cross-service agreements. These include employees with career or career-conditional appointments; temporary employees with Veterans Readjustment Act (VRA) eligibility or reinstatement eligibility; handicapped employees serving on an excepted Schedule (A) appointment, VRA employees, and temporary employees within reach on an OPM certificate (or equivalent). If a tentative selection is made from tenant, VRA, or temporary applicants, the selection process cannot be completed until a waiver to the hiring freeze is approved by COMNAVAIR.

NOTES

1. If selection is made below the full performance level, the selectee may be promoted to the next higher level(s) without further competition provided the following conditions are met: (1) OPM requirements are met, (2) management determines the incumbent is performing at the higher grade level, and (3) there is work at the higher grade level to justify the promotion. **PROMOTION IS NOT GUARANTEED.**
2. First time supervisors and managers are required to serve a probationary period of 12 months. Those who do not satisfactorily complete the probationary period will be returned to positions of no lower grade and pay than their former position.
3. **Drug Testing Designated Position.** Any applicant tentatively selected will be required to submit to urinalysis for illegal use of drugs prior to a final selection. The selection is contingent upon a negative drug test result and, thereafter, the selectee will be subject to drug testing under certain circumstances such as reasonable suspicion and after an accident. All individuals will have the opportunity to submit medical documentation that may support the legitimate use of a specific drug to a Medical Review Officer. An applicant's test result will be provided to the selecting official and servicing Human Resources office before a final selection is made. A verified positive drug test result of a current Department of Navy employee will also be provided to the employing activity/command.
4. **Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act (DAWIA) Designated Position(s).** PL 101-510 requires applicants to address Quality-Ranking Factor(s) relating to the DAWIA requirements.
5. **Merit Promotion Positions for Point Mugu Site Vacancies.** Applicants must meet all eligibility requirements (including, when applicable, time-in-grade, and qualification requirements) within 30 calendar days of the closing date of the announcement.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Selection will be made on a fully equal basis without discrimination. Selection will not be made on non-merit reasons such as race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, politics, marital status, physical handicap, or membership or non-membership in an employee organization. All vacancies are subject to restrictions imposed by the DoD Priority Placement Program (PPP). Selectees must hold or be able to obtain the appropriate security clearance. As of 1 August 1992, Mandatory Direct Deposit/Electronic Funds Transfer (DD/EFT) became the standard payment within DoD for pay of certain civilian personnel. Newly hired civilian personnel and employees (not currently enrolled) who are selected for competitive promotion, reassignment, transfer, etc., will be required to enroll in DD/EFT within 60 days.

MERIT PROMOTION VACANCIES

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No. 018-TS-93, (6) **Interdisciplinary (Computer, Electronics, Aerospace Engineer/Physicist/Mathematician/Computer Scientist, DP-854/855/861/1310/1520/1550-2/3, Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division, Aircraft Weapons Systems Directorate, Aircraft Weapons Integration Department, Software Systems Engineering Division, P224—Area of Consideration: NAWCWPNS. Opening Date: 05-20-93. Closing Date: 07-01-93. Selecting Official: Various Branch Heads, (805) 989-9010. HRD Contact: Terry Smith, (805) 989-3322. Permanent Change of Duty Station Expenses Authorized: Yes. Summary of Duties:** The incumbent provides system/software engineering for the design of mission avionics, mission support systems, and weapons control systems utilizing embedded computer; performs design studies, Engineering Change Proposal review, and definition of test requirements; and develops and integrates new or improved systems and subsystems (including hardware and software). **Quality-Ranking Factors:** Extensive experience in the integration of both hardware and software for a complex system with several major sub-components and establishment of requirements. Experience of real-time software designs with CMS-2M and/or ADA high-level languages. Experience in avionics, radar, and IRSTs systems in fighter aircraft and AYK-14, SBA-100, IBM and/or VAX mainframes. **This position is being readvertised to correct the closing date. Previous applicants need not reapply.** Notes 1 and 5 apply.

No. 383-001-PS3, (1) **Airplane Pilot, GS-2181-12 or GM-13*, Flight Test Office, Aerial Targets Division, Target Systems Department, Threat Simulation Directorate, P383—Area of Consideration: Appointable persons nationwide. Opening Date: 06-17-93. Closing Date: 07-19-93. Selecting Official: Capt. J.D. Dodd, (805) 989-8157. HRD Contact: Pam Stafford, (805) 989-3308. Permanent Change of Duty Station Expenses Authorized: Yes. Summary of Duties:** The incumbent serves as an airplane pilot of fighter-

type jet aircraft at the Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division. Acts as pilot of highly modified and standard configuration tactical jet aircraft for drone control or special programs. Manned flight tests are performed by the incumbent to evaluate new configurations and procedures, modified control systems, and maintenance actions. Typical flight tests may involve flying the aircraft outside of approved flight envelopes with the additional task of obtaining data points for test and evaluation. Flight profiles frequently require in-flight refueling and night over-water flights. Also, acts as out-of-sight controller during manned and unmanned aircraft and missile target operations. Responsible for training new pilots in tactical employment of the aircraft, post maintenance check flight procedures, and drone control operations. Assist in developing and carrying out ground and flight test plans. **Quality-Ranking Factors:** Knowledge of and the ability to fly fighter and/or attack jet aircraft. (This requirement must be met through experience as a military or civilian pilot flying fighter and/or attack jet aircraft.) Ability to assist in developing and carrying out ground and flight test plans. **Qualifications Required:** (1) Must have a current Commercial Pilot Certificate or an appropriate military rating, i.e., Standardization Evaluation and/or NATOPS qualified with current F-4 rating; (2) Valid Instrument Rating or Special Rating; (3) 1500 hours of total flight time. Flight time as pilot-in-command or co-pilot in aircraft of any weight or category is creditable for this requirement; (4) 250 hours as pilot-in-command, only flight hours as pilot-in-command may be credited; (5) 75 hours of night flying; and (6) 100 hours of the total flight time requirement must have been acquired within the last 12 months. **Notes:** *This position may be filled at the GS-12 or GM-13 grade level. If selection is made at the GS-12 grade level, the incumbent may be promoted to the GM-13 grade level without further competition, however, this is subject to approval of the high grade freeze waiver from NAVAIR. In addition, the following conditions must exist: (1) OPM requirements are met; (2) management determines the incumbent is performing at the higher grade level; and (3) there is work at the higher grade level to justify promotion. **PROMOTION IS NOT GUARANTEED. MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS:** Incumbent will be required to obtain or

possess a current first class medical certificate in accordance with FAA regulations at the time of appointment. **THIS POSITION IS A DRUG TESTING DESIGNATED POSITION. INCUMBENT MUST BE ABLE TO OBTAIN A SECURITY CLEARANCE.**

No. C63-005-CR3, **Supervisory ADP Resources Manager, DP-301-3, Federal Information Processing Resources Branch, Services and Support Division, Information Systems Department, Services and Information Directorate, C6331—Area of Consideration: NAWCWPNS. Opening Date: 6-17-93. Closing Date: 7/01/93. Selecting Official: Bill Ball (619) 939-4675, ISD. HRD Contact: Brenda Dunn (619) 939-2883. Permanent Change of Duty Station Expenses Authorized: Yes. Summary of Duties:** The incumbent is Head of the federal information processing (FIP) Resources Branch, C6331 which has five employees at Point Mugu and 17 employees at China Lake. The incumbent will need to spend two days per week at each site. The FIP Resources Branch is responsible for the development and administration of contract vehicles which efficiently and economically acquire FIP resources, such as contractor support, computers, peripherals, software, and maintenance (hardware and software) for the Weapons Division. The branch also develops the policy and manages the process for review, approval, and acquisition of FIP resources for NAWCWPNS. It guides Departments in the preparation of annual FIP Infrastructure Plans, defines appropriate life cycle management solutions, and ensures that records of approved acquisitions are audit ready. It administers the Weapons Division's FIPR approval authority and keeps department focal points apprised of changes in policy or procedures related to the FIP arena. The branch is teamed with the Comptroller Department to prepare and defend the annual Information Technology Budget. **Quality-Ranking Factors:** Technical-Ranking Factor: Interpersonal relations skills; ability to interface effectively with all levels of management within NAWCWPNS, NAVAIR, and NISMC; ability to use Total Quality Leadership techniques and the ability to promote outstanding customer relations; ability to build a climate of trust and high productivity with his/her employees; ability to

plan, communicate orally and in writing, and evaluate progress against the plan; ability to analyze complex instructions and regulations and develop policies that meet the requirements while providing maximum flexibility to NAWCWPNS managers. Supervisory Quality-Ranking Factor: Ability to perform as a first line supervisor as evidenced through experience and/or study in influencing and motivating others and applying EEO and affirmative action principles and practices. DAWIA Position: Incumbent is subject to completion of mandatory experience and training requirements for Level 3 Communications-Computer Systems Career field within 18 months of selection. Note 2 applies.

LONG-TERM OFF-CENTER ASSIGNMENTS

The following are 1-year assignments in Washington, DC, beginning in September 1993. Only DP-3s and DP-4s in series 801, 830, 855, 861, 1310, 1515, and 1550, with a minimum of 3 to 5 years' experience at NAWCWPNS are eligible to apply.

Staff Assistant, Office of Naval Research (ONR)—This is an NSTEP assignment in the Office of Naval Research, Technology Directorate, which is responsible for the execution management of the Navy's Science and Technology (S&T) accounts (6.2 and 6.3A). The participant will be assigned a variety of tasks associated with the development, evaluation, and transition of advanced systems concepts and technologies from within the Navy, DOD, other government agencies, and private industry. This assignment will enable the participant to work with and understand the following S&T programs: 6.2, Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR), Advanced Technology Demonstration (ATD), and the other 6.3A resource programs. Liaison with the other services' Research and Development (R&D) organizations is essential, as well as with Advanced Research Projects Agency (ARPA), Ballistic Missile Defense Office (BMDO), and the Department of Energy (DOE). This assignment can be held by a mid- or senior-level scientist/engineer/analyst/manager familiar with

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AVIONICS SYSTEM ENGINEERING (40 hrs.)

21-25 June; Monday-Friday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 6-2, Room 59. By: Attridge Electronics, Inc.

This course provides an overview of system engineering and its components as applied to avionics system development. Topics include introduction to system engineering, functional analysis, allocation, synthesis, detail design, test and evaluation, and system effectiveness factors. The aspect of system analysis includes modeling, the application of operations research methods, life-cycle costing, and logistic support analysis. Problem exercises are included to illustrate some of these concepts.

"C" PROGRAMMING: INTRODUCTION (40 hrs.)

19-23 July; Monday-Friday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: John Francis

Prerequisite: A good understanding of another high-level language such as Pascal.

This course introduces language declarations, control statements, procedures, functions, pointer, and Input/Output. Topics include debugging techniques, reverse engineering, and changing a current program to perform additional software tasks.

Presentation Method: Lecture and hands-on training.

AIRBORNE MULTI-MODE RADAR SYSTEMS (40 hrs.)

19-23 July; Monday-Friday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 6-2, Room 60. By: Quintech Corp.

Prerequisite: Students should have taken an introductory radar course. They should have sufficient mathematical background to understand the material. Some calculus and transform methods will be used.

This course describes modern multi-mode airborne radar principles, systems, and technology. Topics include airborne radar requirements, radar principles, airborne modes, signal processing, data processing, radar electronic warfare, modes and mode interleaving, and advanced radar technology.

OTHER TRAINING

CPR RECERTIFICATION (4 hrs.)

22 June; Tuesday, 0800-1200; Bldg. 6-2, Room 46. By: St. John's Hospital

Prerequisite: Current CPR Certificate. Participants are recertified in the following CPR techniques: one and two person CPR, and obstructed airway maneuvers in the conscious and unconscious adult and infant.

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR SUPERVISORS (formerly Personnel Management Workshop for Supervisors) (32 hrs.)

22-23 and 29-30 June; Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 0800-1630; Bldg. 6-2, Room 60. By: NAWCWPNS personnel

Prerequisite: Participants must be currently in a supervisory position.

Overviews will be presented on leave transfer, drug-free workplace, awards, clas-

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sification, merit promotions, reassignment, transfers, the PMA's role, affirmative employment, workers' compensation, Plan 210, TOL, DEMO, discipline/adverse actions, formal EEO complaints and labor relations, EEOC, Office of Command Counsel, FOIA, security, training, property administration, CEAP, employee relations, and safety.

Note: This course is mandatory for new supervisors.

FINANCIAL STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESSFUL RETIREMENT (10 hrs.) (WORKSHOP 2 hrs.)

23, 30 June and 7, 15 July; Wednesdays and Thursday, 15 July, 1600-1830; Surfside. By: Morgan and Morgan

Note: Participants will need to pay \$13.50 on the first night.

Workshop teaches what you should know about taxes, investments, and money management to maintain your lifestyle after retirement. Spouses are invited free of charge. To reserve your seat, call Paula Phillips 989-3981.

dBASE IV, INTERMEDIATE (8 hrs.)

28 June; Monday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Memory Company

Prerequisite: dBASE IV, Introduction. This class focuses on data management capabilities using set commands, creating complex reports, and creating turnkey systems using IBM-compatible computers.

dBASE III+, ADVANCED (8 hrs.)

29 June; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Memory Company

Prerequisite: dBASE III+, Intermediate. In this class you will create customized menu programs, design custom data entry programs, and develop and use multiple-file relational databases on the IBM-compatible computer.

CPR BASIC (8 hrs.)

29 June; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 6-2, Room 46. By: St. John's Hospital

This course covers the anatomy and physiology of the heart and lungs, risk factors, prudent heart living, and signs and symptoms of heart attack. Certification in the following CPR techniques: one and two person CPR, infant CPR, and obstructed airway maneuvers in the conscious/unconscious adult and infant.

CONTRACTING OFFICER'S TECHNICAL REPRESENTATIVE (24 hrs.)

29 June-1 July; Tuesday-Thursday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Auditorium. By: NRCC

Prerequisite: Restricted to COTRS, ACOTRS, NTRS, or POCs.

This course provides in-depth knowledge of roles in the acquisition process and specific duties and responsibilities of the COTR.

WORDPERFECT, ADVANCED (8 hrs.)

30 June; Wednesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Tectra Corp.

Prerequisite: Wordperfect, Intermediate. This class covers graphic capabilities, automatic indexing, creation/execution of macros, and special projects applications on the IBM-compatible computer.

WORDPERFECT, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

1 July; Thursday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Tectra Corp.

Prerequisite: Prior PC experience.

In this course you will learn basic operations of word processing, such as how to create, print, and save documents. You will also learn how to edit, modify, and enhance documents.

MANAGING EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE (16 hrs.)

7-8 July; Wednesday and Thursday, 0800-1630; Marriott Courtyard, Camarillo. By: PSI (Michelle Jackman)

Prerequisite: Participants must currently be in a supervisory position.

Participants will learn to recognize troubled employees and prevent potential problems, effectively coach and discipline, document behavior, improve employee morale, increase team cohesiveness, and cope with stresses and challenges difficult employees pose.

LOTUS 1-2-3, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

8 July; Thursday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Tectra Corp.

Prerequisite: Prior PC experience. This course teaches basic spreadsheet construction, building formulas, entering and editing data, and printing and saving data on the IBM-compatible computer.

MS DOS, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

12 July; Monday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: CATA, Inc.

This class introduces directories, file organization, and DOS commands, and explains standard hardware and applications on the IBM-compatible computer.

EXCEL, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

13 July; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 30. By: Master Trainers

Prerequisite: Prior Macintosh experience.

This class introduces basic spreadsheet construction, building formulas, entering and editing data, creating charts, printing, and saving data on the Macintosh computer.

LOTUS 1-2-3, INTERMEDIATE (8 hrs.)

13 July; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Tectra Corp.

Prerequisite: Lotus 1-2-3, Introduction. This course will present various Range commands, File commands, and Data commands. Participants will learn how to password-protect worksheets, change the default settings, and use table lookups on the IBM-compatible computer.

LONG RANGE CAREER AND RETIREMENT PLANNING (24 hrs.)

13-15 July; Tuesday-Thursday, 0800-1630; Marriott Courtyard, Camarillo. By: OPM San Francisco

Prerequisite: Career civil service status. This course gives mid-career employees an opportunity to assess financial, career, and retirement goals and make plans while planning can still make a significant difference. Topics include retirement benefits under CSRS and FERS, Social Security, legal and estate planning, personal value systems and goals, long-range financial planning, and developing a strategy for change.

dBASE III+, INTRODUCTION (16 hrs.)

14-15 July; Wednesday and Thursday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Memory Company

Prerequisite: Prior PC experience.

This class introduces database concepts and fundamental skills needed to create data base files, use command

dBase commands, and edit and modify files using the IBM-compatible computer.

CAREER TRANSITION WORKSHOP (16 hrs.)

14-15 July; Wednesday and Thursday, 0800-1630; Clocktower Inn, Ventura. By: Julie Streets (P622)

Students will be introduced to job change strategies used by successful people. A career decision model will be used to identify individual values, skills, interests, and accomplishments. Teaches job search strategies/techniques, networking, resume/SF171 preparation, marketing, and interviewing.

CPR RECERTIFICATION (4 hrs.)

20 July; Tuesday, 0800-1200; Bldg. 6-2, Room 46. By: St. John's Hospital

Prerequisite: Current CPR certificate. Participants are recertified in the following CPR techniques: one and two person CPR and obstructed airway maneuvers in the conscious and unconscious adult and infant.

MACDRAW, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

20 July; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 30. By: OVF Graphics & Assoc.

Prerequisite: Prior Macintosh experience.

This class introduces tools used to create objects, manage documents, use pen patterns, create slide presentations, etc. on the Macintosh computer.

CPR BASIC (8 hrs.)

27 July; Tuesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 6-2, Room 46. By: St. John's Hospital

This course covers the anatomy and physiology of the heart and lungs, risk factors, prudent heart living, and signs and symptoms of heart attack. Certification in the following CPR techniques: one and two person CPR, infant CPR, and obstructed airway maneuvers in the conscious/unconscious adult and infant.

dBASE IV, INTRODUCTION (16 hrs.)

27-28 July; Tuesday and Wednesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Memory Company

Prerequisite: Prior PC experience. Learn fundamental skills and concepts to create files, use common commands, edit, and modify files.

MS WORD, ADVANCED (8 hrs.)

28 July; Wednesday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 30. By: Computer Focus

Prerequisite: MS Word, Intermediate. Learn the advanced document processing features, including creating and manipulating long documents, customizing programs, document and menu defaults, creating columns using tabs, tables, and side-by-side format. Participants will create a newsletter and work with snaking columns, wrap text around graphics, and use section commands.

MS WINDOWS, INTRODUCTION (8 hrs.)

29 July; Thursday, 0800-1630; Bldg. 5-1, Room 23. By: Computer Focus

Prerequisite: Prior PC experience. Introduces basic functions and features; use the Program Manager to manage the running of applications, use the File Manager to manage files, disks and drives; and exchange information between applications on the IBM-compatible computer.

declining defense environment. Abstracts should include title, author(s), organizational affiliation, mailing address, daytime telephone number, and a short (less than 500 words) synopsis of the paper. Authors responding to this call for papers will be notified of their selection for a session presentation by 30 July. Abstracts should be sent to Don J. Zeleny, Technical Program Chairman, 121 North Linden Drive, Ventura, CA 93004, to arrive no later than 15 July. Persons from industry, government, and academia involved in areas such as test policy development, test planning, modeling and simulation, facility networking, quality assurance, and technology development and application are encouraged to attend. Registration forms and further information can be obtained by writing International Test and Evaluation Association, 4400 Fair Lakes Court, Fairfax, VA 22033-3899 ((703) 631-6220), or by calling Don Zeleny (805) 989-0244.

TRIP REDUCTION PROGRAM SPECIAL COMMUTER INFORMATION

Only employees registered in a county-approved Rule 210 Trip Reduction Plan/Program with an employer (e.g., NAWCWPNS, tenants, contractors) serial-numbered yellow Point Mugu carpool sticker are authorized to use the "Carpool Only" parking spaces on station. Registered personnel will use the "Carpool Only" spaces only on days when they are actively registered to use the parking spaces will be ticketed by the Security Department.

ADP/FIP HARDWARE MAINTENANCE

The FIP Resources Branch (C6331) has a Center-wide contract that includes Point Mugu for remedial and preventive maintenance of Hewlett Packard ADP hardware and attached peripherals. This contract is not mandatory; it is available to provide primary or alternate service support.

Contractor: Telos Field Engineering
Contract Number: N68936-93-D-0109

Current Period of Performance: 1 June 1993 through 31 May 1994
Contractor receives call from Trouble Desk.

Cost: \$40 per hour plus parts/material with a 2-hour minimum

There is a 6.5% surcharge for administering the contract.

An estimate may be requested before the work is done—the 2-hour minimum will apply. Customers may request field modifications sponsored by the OEM. Any repairs with parts costing over \$1000 each must be approved in writing by the Technical Monitor, Martha Faron. Any upgrades to existing equipment must be approved by the Technical Monitor before the work can be done.

To obtain service on this contract, contact China Lake Trouble Desk at FTS (619) 499-2084. You must provide the following information: model number, serial number, bar code, a brief description of the problem, contact/requester, phone number, job order, location of the equipment, and your code.

Questions or problems may be directed to Martha Faron (C6331), DSN 437-3395, or Jeff Perdue (P6331) 989-4068.

NOTE: OPEN TO PERSONNEL AT ALL FOUR SITES

NAVAL AVIATION EXECUTIVE INSTITUTE (NAEI) FY93 EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Program Manager: Paula Phillips, 989-3981, FAX (DSN) 351-4388

NAEI courses are designed for GM-13/Lieutenant Commanders and above assigned to the Naval Air System Command. Program costs are funded by NAEI. Travel and per diem expenses of nominees are funded by their organization. If the course is residential, lodging and meal costs are provided by NAEI. Nominations must be submitted on an NAEI form which may be obtained from the program manager listed above at Code P622. Please note that a DD-1556 form is NOT REQUIRED. Nominations must be submitted to Code P622 prior to the NAWCWPNS deadline dates below.

COURSE TITLE COURSE DATES DEADLINE DATE TO CODE P622

The Washington Arena 13-17 September 93 28 June 93

Location: Washington DC area

MWR FACILITIES AND SERVICES

The Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department invites all Active Duty Military, DOD civilians/contractors and their dependents and guests to participate in activities at their facilities.

Facility	Building	Phone number
MWR Administration	116	989-7509
Auto Hobby	2-8	989-7353
Beach Motel	774	989-8407
Bowling Center	16	989-7667
Camarillo Community Center	1078	484-5414
Child Development Center	2-23 & 17	989-7481
Family Home Care	115	989-5897
Gymnasium/Fitness Center	16	989-7728/8317
Golf Course	152	989-7109
Golf Course Snack Bar	153	989-7769
Information, Tickets & Tours	112	989-8349
Library	221	989-7771
Mugu Community Center	126	989-7580
Mugu's Pizza/EM Lounge	112	989-7747/7391
MWR Personnel	116	989-8070
Picnic Pavilion		989-8407
The Point/CPO Lounge	115	989-7517/8570
Publicity/Marketing	116	989-8067
Recycling	325	989-3081/3082
San Nicholas Island	MWRSNI	989-2224
Surfside Facility	5-3	989-7792/7507
Surfside Snacks/Gear Issue	774	989-8407
Swimming Pool	217	989-7788
Theatre	114	989-8249
Warehouse/Maintenance	223	989-7835



Human Resources Department Information

The Human Resources Department (HRD) Information section is intended to provide timely HRD information to NAWCWPNS personnel. Any questions or issues pertaining to this section may be addressed to Ron Rogers, P622, phone (805) 989-3997 (DSN 351-3997), FAX 989-4388 (DSN 351-4388).

EMPLOYEE/LABOR RELATIONS DIVISION NEWS

LEAVE DONORS NEEDED

The employees listed below have been approved as leave recipients under the Leave Transfer Program. These employees have exhausted annual and sick leave because of personal or medical emergencies and anticipate being in a leave without pay status for at least 80 hours. Employees who wish to help a leave recipient may donate annual leave to the employee by submitting a completed OP Form 630-A (Request to Donate Annual Leave to Leave Recipient). This form is available at Administration Offices at Point Mugu and Shop Store (Tel-Mart) at China Lake. Forms for Point Mugu may be mailed to P621 and forms for China Lake may be mailed to C621. For additional information please call Maria Martinez at (805) 989-3222 or Cindy Smith at (619) 939-2018.

CHINA LAKE

Melvin (Randy) Mather, Math Technician, C2955

Melvin had multiple surgeries following complications from a decubitus ulcer and infected bone. He was hospitalized and is indebted for leave.

Sandra Rowan, Secretary, C834

Sandra had surgery and is in need of leave.

Marjorie McGinnis, C3243

Marjorie was hospitalized for a severe bi-polar disorder and is not yet able to return to work.

Arthur Owens, Operations Research Analyst, C0242

Arthur had surgery for a progressive spinal disease and is indebted for leave.

Darlene Herbstreit, Math Technician, C2818

Darlene had a heart attack and is off work.

David Leverett, Ordnance Equipment Operator, C3223

Dave underwent major back surgery and is indebted for leave.

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Leah Blixit, P344

Leah underwent surgery and is in need of leave donations.

Sally Byrd, P623

Sally underwent knee surgery and is in need of leave donations.

Dorla Goodrich, P363

Dorla is undergoing radiation treatment for her illness.

Brenda Stover Passano, P2234

Brenda underwent major surgery and is in need of leave.

Camilla (Kim) Sullivan, P625

Kim is on leave for chronic sinus disease and is in need of leave.

Melody Dates, P004B

Melody underwent major surgery and is in need of leave.

Nadine Foley, Personnel Data Management Assistant, C6261

Nadine had surgery and is now recovering at home.

Majorie Hunter, Secretary, C0231

Majorie is undergoing surgery on both hands for carpal tunnel syndrome.

Laura L. Geer, P235

Laura has complications of early pregnancy and is in need of leave.

Daniel Kelly, P38521

Daniel is undergoing medical care and is in need of leave.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT DIVISION NEWS

ON-BOARD TRAINING COURSE SCHEDULE

Nomination forms and course confirmation procedures to attend on-board training courses (unless otherwise noted) are outlined in the NAWCWPNS FY93 Spring and Summer Schedule Training Catalog. To obtain a copy of the nomination form (On-Board Training Request NAWCWPNS 12410/2) contact your Administration Office. For further assistance, at Point Mugu, contact Paula Phillips, P622, at (805) 989-3981, and at China Lake, contact Dorothy Wiederholt, C622 at (619) 939-2359. Nomination forms should be submitted as early as possible to preclude courses being cancelled due to insufficient enrollment. NAWCWPNS employees may attend training at any site with supervisory approval and on a space available basis. Preference will be given to employees at the site where the training is conducted. On-board training courses are presented at no cost to NAWCWPNS employees.

CHINA LAKE COURSES

SCIENTIFIC, ENGINEERING, AND TECHNICAL TRAINING

The following informational briefs will be given by Intel on Thursday, 24 June, at the Training Center. To reserve a space call 939-2359.

Prerequisite: General background in computer architecture.

0800-0900

SIGNAL PROCESSING WITH THE INTEL PENTIUM PROCESSOR IN MILITARY APPLICATIONS

Present day implementations of general-purpose microprocessors have performance numbers approaching the fastest digital signal processors (DSPs). This course examines how the Pentium

Processor, with superscalar integer execution capabilities and fast floating-point performance, can be applied to numerically intensive military applications like signal processing, imaging, and terrain mapping.

0915-1015

MILITARY I860 OVERVIEW

The Intel i860 architecture family integrates all aspects of advanced computer architecture onto a single chip. It balances integer, floating-point, and graphics performance, making it ideal for numerical applications like imaging and signal processing. This course provides an overview of the architecture along with details about the superscalar execution capabilities of the i860.

1030-1130

DESIGNING A MILITARY EMBEDDED SYSTEM USING THE INTEL486 DX2 MICROPROCESSOR

The Intel486 family of microprocessors has assumed a leadership role in a wide variety of markets. This course gives an overview of the Intel486 and demonstrates a sample of an embedded Military Intel486 CPU design. Embedded processor design issues such as task switch times, interrupt latency, exception handling, and O/S support are discussed.

OTHER TRAINING

CAREER COUNSELING

Non-Payday Fridays; Cerro Coso Counselors; Trailer behind Training

Center

One-on-one career counseling is available at the Career Transition and Outplacement Center located in the white trailer behind the Training Center. The counselor will be able to help with career decision making, resume writing, and education counseling. Various programs, inventories, and assessments are available. For more information about the services available or to schedule an appointment call 939-0873.

BASIC GRAMMAR REVIEW (8 hrs.)

22 June; Tuesday, 0800-1600;

Training Center. By LaNelle Thompson

Whether we are writing a proposal to sell an idea, a letter to solve a problem, or a memorandum to organize a meeting, we want results from that effort. Unless writing is presented correctly, the message will not

have a chance to get through. The objective of this workshop is to help that person who needs a refresher course in the mechanics of written expression and usage, but does not have time to return full time to a classroom for that update. Upon completion of the class, students will identify the improvement they made in applying their knowledge to topics covered during the course.

To enroll call Pat at 939-3159.

EXPLORING MEN'S ISSUES: HEROES AND IDENTITY (2 hrs.)

22 June; Tuesday, 1300-1500; Training Center. By: Bob Huey and Betty Miller

This class will discuss the models of masculinity that have evolved in our society—how they are used for everything from selling cigarettes to fighting a war. A video will provide examples of the impact of role models on men in today's society. Supervisors will gain a better understanding of men in crisis in their work group. Individuals will have a better insight into personal issues affecting themselves and others. Both men and women are encouraged to attend.

To enroll call 939-2468.

HIV/AIDS IN THE WORKPLACE (3 hrs.)

23 June; Wednesday, 1300-1600; Training Center. By: COSAA/Gloria Delgado, et al

This course meets the annual refresher requirement for supervisory safety. The course will address the problems associated with HIV/AIDS in the workplace, including confidentiality, universal protection, and employee/employer rights. It will provide information for both supervisors and employees, and will discuss federal and state laws regarding HIV/AIDS and confidentiality.

Enrollments are on a walk-in basis. POC is 939-2468.

DEALING WITH DEPRESSION (2 hrs.)

29 June; Tuesday, 0900-1100; Training Center. By: Katy Mectenber, Desert Counseling Clinic

Participants in this class will be knowledgeable of the symptoms of depression; be aware of options to cope with depression; be skilled in using personal tools to move toward resolution of the depressive experience; and learn to effectively interact with people in the workplace who appear depressed.

Enrollments are on a walk-in basis. POC is 939-2468.

EXCEL MACROS (16 hrs.)

30 June-1 July; Wednesday-Thursday, 0800-1600; Training Center. By: Al Goettig, Consultant

Prerequisite: Experience with complex spreadsheets and at least a brief exposure to Excel's macro capability or an understanding of spreadsheet structure and applications in combination with basic skills with a programming language such as Basic, Fortran, Pascal, etc.

The course will cover procedures for developing macros for use with Excel spreadsheets. File and window management techniques, interactive macros, looping procedures, and input data checking techniques will be covered. The approach used will be to develop macros to perform specific tasks. Individual elements of the macro language will be discussed in the context of the specific task being considered. Discussion of overall design of multiple spreadsheet systems and the possible uses of macros will also be included.

To enroll call 939-0870.

WORD ON THE MACINTOSH, BEGINNING (16 hrs.)

6-9 July; Tuesday-Friday, 1300-1630;

Training Center. By: Daryl Vaughn, C622

Prerequisite: Macintosh skills (create folders, launch applications, use clipboard). Intended Audience: Beginning users of the Word program on the Macintosh.

In this course you will learn to use the Microsoft Word program to create documents; move text between files using the clipboard and glossary; add, change, and delete text; format using font and format; use the spell checking facility; and paginate, print, and save documents.

To enroll call 939-0870.

GRAPHICS ON THE MACINTOSH (16 hrs.)

12-13 July; Monday-Tuesday, 0800-1600; Training Center. By: Olivia Francis, OVF Graphics

Prerequisite: Basic knowledge of the Macintosh operating system.

This course is a brief overview of several graphics programs on the Macintosh. Using a combination of demonstrations and some hands-on Macintosh work, the student will learn to identify the different features of the programs. In this course you will learn the difference between Paint, Pict, Tiff, and Postscript; the use of various graphic documents in an application; getting graphics into the Mac; using a paint and a draw program; using a postscript drawing editor; what to do with your graphics documents; and graphic format resolutions.

To enroll call 939-0870.

ADVANCED THRIFT SAVINGS PLAN: PLUS INVESTMENT TECHNIQUES AND MUTUAL FUNDS (4 hrs.)

13 July; Tuesday, 1230-1630; Training Center. By: Charla Green, Consultant

This course is for all CSRS and FERS employees who are eligible to participate in the Thrift Savings Plan. It will be useful for those who are already contributing to the plan but wonder how TSP fits into a larger retirement investment program.

To enroll call 939-2468.

FRESHSTART STOP SMOKING PROGRAM (4 hrs.)

13, 20, 27 July & 3 August; Tuesdays, 1500-1600; Training Center. By: Fred Shaughnessy

Kick the smoking habit with the FRESH-START Program. The American Cancer Society's program (4 sessions) will help you stop smoking by providing you with information and strategies to direct your own efforts to stop smoking. The workshop will be led by a facilitator trained by the American Cancer Society.

To enroll call 939-2468.

GENADMIN MESSAGE PREPARATION (4 hrs.)

20 July; Tuesday, 0730-1130. Training Center. By: H2 Enterprises

This course is based on information obtained from Naval Telecommunications Users Manual, NTP-3. The purpose is to understand the background and contents of the GENADMIN Naval Message Format. Participants will learn why the U.S. Armed Forces shifted to GENADMIN format, when and how to use mandatory and optional SETs and FIELDS. Message requirements as outlined in Naval Telecommunications Users Manual, NTP-3 will be reviewed. Many hints and tricks will be covered that can be used on a daily basis.

To reserve a space call 939-3159.

FOCUSING STRESS TO MAINTAIN HIGH PERFORMANCE (16 hrs.)

20-21 July; Tuesday-Wednesday, 0800-1700; Training Center. By: Bob Huey

This workshop is for all employees and supervisors. It gives practical tools to deal with current stress issues. The objective of

the class is to be empowered by stress instead of overpowered by it by learning to identify your key stressors induced by events and people. Tools will be practiced in order to better tolerate specific problems, to discover solutions, and to build long-term stamina.

To enroll call 939-2468.

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE/EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (2 hrs.)

21 July; Wednesday, 1300-1500; Training Center. By: Bob Fitzpatrick and Bernie Maki, C621

This class is designed to provide employees with general information about the Drug Free Workplace Program and the Employee Assistance Program. Subjects include drug testing policy and procedures, typical drug abuse behaviors, the role of the Employee Assistance Program at China Lake, and a general question and answer session on substance abuse.

To enroll call Pat at 939-3159.

INTRODUCTION TO UNIX OPERATING SYSTEM (16 hrs.)

26-29 July; Monday-Thursday, 1230-1630; Training Center. By: Noble N. Nkwocha, C6343

Prerequisite: General computer knowledge (IBM-PC, Macintosh, or VAX).

This introductory course in Unix will cover the basic ideas and features that novice and intermediate users need in order to use the Unix system effectively. While the course emphasis will be on standard Unix, the hands-on experience will come from a Sun Work Station. Upon completion of this course, the student will have working knowledge of the Unix Operating System, the Unix Operating System Kernel and Shells, the Unix file System, and some of the most useful Unix Utility Programs. (Please note that a sequel to this class, Advanced Concepts in Unix will be offered if there is a sufficient interest).

Deadline: 12 July

HOW TO READ NIF 009 (4 hrs.)

27 July; Tuesday, 1230-1600; Training Center. By: Larry Wailes, DFAS-CL, Code XEAG

This course is designed to help you read and understand one of the most important reports produced by the Center's Defense Business Operating Fund (DBOF) financial system. This course covers the basic DBOF concepts of cost center, accounting shop, job order structure, labor acceleration, stabilized rates, and applied overhead. The job order transaction cycle (commitment, obligation, accrual, and cost) is covered for labor; inventory issues; DES orders and contracts for material, services, and equipment; travel; cost distributions and transfers; and bad charges.

To enroll call Pat at 939-3159.

EQUIPMENT CUSTODIAN (3 hrs.)

28 July; Wednesday, 1300-1600; Training Center. By: Debra Schlick, Code C05E1

This course is designed to familiarize Equipment Custodians with accountability for plant and minor property. It will also provide assistance and guidance in the use of Equipment Management forms. It will help Equipment Custodians to understand their duties and responsibilities regarding equipment and accountable assets.

Management responsibilities from equipment acquisitions through useful life and ending with proper disposition will be covered in this course. Also, a way of accessing CERMS through ACC2 network will be explained and a guide handed out.

To enroll call Pat at 939-3159.

SECURITY CLASSES

SECURITY OVERVIEW (4 hrs.)

22 June; Tuesday, 0730-1130; Training Center. By: Linda Hall, C84301

This course is designed to provide employees with a brief security overview of information security, personnel security, operations security, computer security, and security education. The class will include short films on safeguarding and marking classified information, and the foreign intelligence threat.

To enroll call 939-2216.

SECURITY FOR SCIENTISTS, ENGINEERS, AND TECHNICIANS (8 hrs.)

7 July; Wednesday, 0730-1630; Training Center. By: Linda Hall, C84301

Intended Audience: Scientists, engineers, and technicians whose duties involve access to classified or unclassified technical information.

This course will provide information and exercises in classification, distribution statements, classified meetings, author's responsibilities, personnel security, and OPSEC. A brief discussion of computer security and COMSEC will be held.

To enroll call 939-2216.

CUSTODY CONTROL POINT (CCP) PROCEDURES (8 hrs.)

25 July; Wednesday, 0730-1630; Training Center. By: Linda Hall, C84301

Prerequisite: Security for Clerical and Administrative Workforce.

This class is for all custody control points and alternates. It will include a discussion of CCP responsibilities, duties, and procedures. This "hands-on" class will cover secret document control, accountability procedures, custodial responsibilities, transmittals, marking/wrapping/addressing packages, reproduction, and distribution.

To enroll call 939-2216.

408.7: TYPES, APPLICATION AND STRUCTURING OF CONTRACTS (36 hrs.)

29 June -14 September; Tuesdays, 1700-2000; Training Center. By: Martha Slayton, 939-9664, UCSB

Prerequisite: X408.1: Elements of Government Contract Administration, or consent of instructor.

Intended Audience: Participants in the certificate program in Government Contract Management.

Course Description: Review of various types and forms of government contracts. Includes choice or type of contract in view of the work statements and risk factors, how each type of contract works, contract structure and special requirements for administration. Attention is given to incentive and award-fee contracts.

Text: Instructor will sell text at cost (approximately \$25) the first night of class.

Enrollments are on a call-in basis. To enroll call Denise at 939-2648.