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WEEKLY WARRIOR

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Whiteman Hot Topics

Do you have any questions about the goings on at Whiteman Air Force Base? If so, please reach out to the 509th Bomb Wing Public Affairs Office via email at 509.bw.pa@us.af.mil.

Q: Can we get a “Crossfit area” on base?

A: We currently have designated a “Warrior Athlete Readiness Pad” behind the new tennis court as an outdoor functional fitness area. Although it has been underutilized and lacks the necessary equipment, plans are in the works to improve it. We’ve submitted a \$16,000 resurfacing project on the fiscal year 16 unfunded requirements list. Once funded, the existing old tennis court surface will be replaced with an acrylic and silica sand formula (similar to a tennis court, but with a different color) to serve functional fitness. The equipment purchase plan includes: five-seven tires of various sizes for tire flipping, four plyo-boxes, two web agility ladders, four slam balls, four lifting rogue sandbags, two conditioning ropes for rope-based battling, and one war hammer to be used with a sledge hammering target box. All of these improvements are designed to support self-directed functional fitness.

Q: How come, as a base, we don’t have varsity football but have a basketball team?

A: We currently do not have a varsity football program due to lack of interest from the base population. However, customers who are interested in expanding sports opportunities, such as leading a

varsity football startup, should contact the Fitness Center Manager’s office at (660) 687-5493, who can help identify the requirements, community interest and logistics of setting up a team.

Q: What’s the status of the firing range/solutions to the contaminants issue?

A: Safety and Bioenvironmental Engineering (BE) have given approval for the Whiteman firing range to conduct the M9 pistol qualification courses. We have implemented some changes to ensure our combat arms instructors will not have any overexposure in the current facility. Those controls limit instructors to firing only four days per week; furthermore, they are only allowed to operate on the range for four hours per day. We have reduced class sizes so that only 14 firing points are used on the range. Instructors are required to have a dedicated uniform for the range and we have been directed to develop uniform change-out and laundry procedures for the instructors. There are changes required for any students firing on the range for M9 as of Nov. 24, 2015

Q: What will happen to the old bowling alley?

A: The old facility will be torn down. The new Bowling Center will offer sixteen state-of-the-art lanes, party rooms, game room, pro-shop, indoor and outdoor seating, as well as, expanded kitchen capacities to better serve our customers. The new facility is expected to open in several weeks.

DoD continues lodging expansion

By 509th Comptroller Squadron Staff Report

On March 18, 2016, the DoD will continue its expansion of the Integrated Lodging Program Pilot (ILPP) by integrating the ability for travelers to book Public-Private Venture lodging properties in Defense Travel System (DTS).

Public-Private Venture lodging (also referred to as “privatized”) is lodging located on or near military installations that was once owned and operated by the government, and is now operated by a commercial lodging company. The Army’s Privatized Army Lodging (PAL) program is one of DoD’s largest Public-Private Venture programs and will be integrated first into DTS.

Per the Joint Travel Regulations (JTR) (para. 1265), travelers are directed to first use Public-Private Venture lodging when on temporary duty (TDY) to a military installation at an ILPP site, if government

lodging (DoD Lodging) is not available. If privatized lodging is available and not used, reimbursement is limited to the amount the government would have paid if used.

To integrate privatized lodging, the lodging reservation module in DTS will be modified to include a “Govt – Privatized” Tab. This new second tab will appear after the Govt-DoD Lodging tab, and before the “Commercial-DoD Preferred” lodging tab. DTS will route travelers to privatized lodging when TDY to a military installation and DoD lodging at the TDY location is not available. If privatized lodging is available and not used, DTS will display a pre-audit and limit lodging reimbursement to the amount the government would have paid if used.

If TDY to a non-pilot location, use of privatized lodging is not required by the JTR, however, DTS will still display a pre-audit and automatically limit the traveler’s lodging reimbursement when

declining available privatized lodging. In this instance, an Authorizing Official may not limit lodging reimbursement to the amount the government would have paid if privatized lodging was used. To claim proper lodging reimbursement, the traveler should select Reason Code L10 (Not required, IAW JTR) and enter “JTR does not require Privatized lodging use when not TDY to an ILPP location” as a justification on the Pre-Audit Trip screen, then adjust the lodging per diem allowances on the Per Diem Entitlement Detail screen.

As part of these DTS changes, the titles of the lodging tabs in the reservation module will change to more clearly describe the type of lodging available on each tab.

The Defense Travel Management Office offers several resources to help you better understand the ILPP and these associated DTS changes. Go to <http://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/site/lodging.cfm> to view FAQs, a user guide, and more.

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The deadline for article submissions to the Warrior is noon Friday. If a holiday falls on Friday, the deadline then becomes 4 p.m. Thursday. Articles will be published on a space-available basis. Submissions does not guarantee publication.

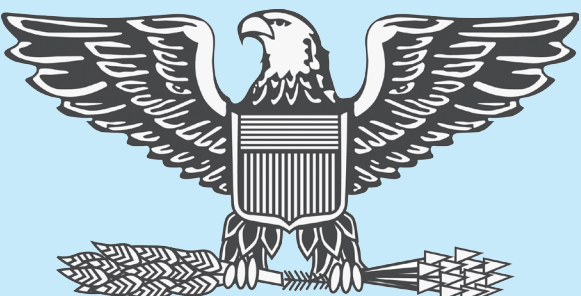
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Congratulations to our Col. selects

Team Whiteman,

Please join us in congratulating Whiteman’s newest Colonel selects! This represents a significant milestone for these officers and is a great testament to their character and leadership.



Lt. Col. Jeffrey Carter
509th Security Forces Squadron Commander

Lt. Col. Robert Makros
13th Bomb Squadron Commander

Lt. Col. Paul Connolly
509th Bomb Wing Staff Judge Advocate

On the cover

U.S. Air Force photo/
Senior Airman Joel Pfiester

U.S. Air Force Senior Airman Adam Sweet, a crew chief from the 393rd Aircraft Maintenance Unit, prepares to marshal a B-2 Spirit while deployed at an undisclosed location in the U.S. Pacific Command area of operations March 10, 2016. Bomber crews routinely deploy to maintain a high state of readiness and crew proficiency while integrating capabilities with key regional partners.

NEWS BRIEFS



U.S. Air Force Eagle Eyes provides service members and civilians a safe, discreet and anonymous option to report criminal information, counterintelligence indicators or force protection concerns.

To submit a web tip go to <http://www.tipsubmit.com/WebTips.aspx?AgencyID=1111> or the AFOSI web page at <http://www.osi.af.mil>

How to report an anonymous tip using a smart phone:

1. Use the smart phone app
2. Manually select an agency
3. Choose USA then Federal Agency then select AFOSI

4. Create a passport, select New Tip and fill out the form with as much information as possible.

How to report an anonymous tip VIA text message:

Text "AFOSI" plus your tip information to 274637 (CRIMES)

Air Force Housing website

Visit www.housing.af.mil to find your new home with the Air Force. This website serves as a one-stop shop for Airmen and their families to obtain information about the housing options and support services available to them at Air Force bases worldwide.

Stealth Lounge

If you are a young Airman, let the Stealth Lounge make your time at Whiteman more fun. Stop by after work to play some pool, darts, foosball, or the newest games on Xbox One or Playstation 4. The lounge opens at 4 p.m. during the week and noon on weekends. There is free dinner every Friday at 4:30 p.m. There are also free premium snacks and Wi-Fi. Come for the free stuff, stay for the fun and friends.

Please like the Stealth Lounge on Facebook to stay up to date on special events and tournaments.

Found property

Keys, wallets, bicycles, jewelry and other items have been turned in as found property to Security Forces Investigation Section. To inquire about lost property, go to building 711, room 305, or call Detective Steven Scott at 660-687-5342.

WEATHER

Today	Saturday
Cloudy	Mostly Sunny
Hi 50	Hi 50
Lo 36	Lo 43
Sunday	Monday
Sunny	Sunny
Hi 53	Hi 62
Lo 29	Lo 34

Celebrating the Annual Prayer Breakfast

Story and photos by
Airman 1st Class Michaela Slanchik
509th Bomb Wing Public Affairs

Celebrated on the first Thursday of every February, the National Prayer Breakfast in Washington, D.C., began in 1953 by presidential mandate from Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The event aims to bring U.S. leadership together to recognize shared moral and spiritual values.

Nearly every military and civilian community across America, as well as other countries, has established their own annual prayer breakfast.

On March 11, 2016, the Chapel Corps of Whiteman Air Force Base, Missouri, held this year's celebration at the Mission's End club. The theme, "Your life matters and could change the course of history," celebrated the accomplishments our Airmen achieve every day.

Guest speaker, U.S. Army Col. Douglas Mastriano, an instructor at the U.S. Army War College, Department of Military Strategy, Planning and Operations, shared a story about U.S. Army Sgt. Alvin York, a World War I (WWI) Soldier and Medal of Honor recipient who changed the course of history.

As a teenager, York drank heavily and was told he would never amount to anything. After finding his faith in 1914, he changed his life for the better. In 1917, he received his draft notice for the U.S. Army. In October 1918, York assumed command after his platoon was fighting in Argonne Forest, France, and the platoon leader was lost to enemy fire. By his heroic actions, York and his platoon took control of a machine-gun nest and the German forces surrendered.

Mastriano spoke of how York was the perfect example of how to turn your life around for the better and change history.

"You do matter," said Mastriano. "You may have been told lies when you were young, such as 'you'll never amount to anything' – maybe from your parents, your teachers or your peers. People may have beat you down and told you lies; don't let it defeat you."

Mastriano stressed the importance of holding on to a strong moral character and how character can shape your future and potentially your military career.

"Work on your character muscle," said Mastriano. "Our core values in the Air Force and Army are all about developing that character muscle in our Airmen and Soldiers. When you have that muscle built, who knows, you might change the course of history."

Mastriano said he believes the National Prayer Breakfast is an important tradition to continue because it refocuses people back to their roots and could inspire someone to alter the course of history.

"America is worth fighting for," said Mastriano. "I've served 30 years for the sake of this country and its forefathers. We need to continue to do the right thing and keep America great."

The nation's premier bomb wing remembers the importance of spiritual resilience as its members reflect on the legacy of the men and women who served during WWI.



U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Michael Hodges, a 509th Bomb Wing staff paralegal, left, and his wife, Jill, play music together before the National Prayer Breakfast at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., March 11, 2016. The National Prayer Breakfast is an annual event started in 1953 by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in order to recognize America's moral and spiritual values.



Members of the Whiteman Honor Guard prepare to present the colors at the National Prayer Breakfast at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., March 11, 2016. Every year, the National Prayer Breakfast has a different theme. This year's theme was "Your life matters and could change the course of history."



U.S. Army Col. Douglas Mastriano, an instructor at the U.S. Army War College, Department of Military Strategy, Planning and Operations, speaks to members of Team Whiteman during the 2016 National Prayer Breakfast at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., March 11, 2016. Mastriano spoke about why every life matters and shared a story about a soldier during World War I who changed the course of history.

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We're saving a seat for you.

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Adults - \$6.25

SUNDAY, MARCH 20 • 3 p.m.

Hail Caesar (PG-13)
Adults - \$6.25, children - \$4.00

Beat the Boss

The Beat the Boss program is a monthly PT test competition between 509th Bomb Wing units that will recognize outstanding teamwork and devotion to fitness at the squadron level. Active duty 509th Airmen who score the same or higher than the commander's score of 95.4% will earn a one-day pass and those who score a 100% win a one-day pass and a commander's coin.



Airman 1st Class Robert Patton • 509th Security Forces Squadron • 95.9%

Senior Airman Justin McCaleb • 509th Civil Engineer Squadron • 100%

Airman 1st Class Abel Johnson • 509th Civil Engineer Squadron • 95.7%

Staff Sgt. Tate Ashton • 509th Medical Operations Squadron • 98.8%

Tech. Sgt. Aaron Bradley • 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron • 97.9%

Airman Basic Hilbert McDougal • 509th Security Forces Squadron • 95.5%

Senior Master Sgt. Robert Tibi, II • 509th Munitions Squadron • 97.1%

Senior Airman Jeffery Colmyer • 20th Reconnaissance Squadron • 97.5%

Staff Sgt. Isaac Tankel • 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron • 97.3%

Senior Airman Grace Murphy • 509th Security Forces Squadron • 98.1%

Airman 1st Class Dane Sharpe • 509th Security Forces Squadron • 96.6%

Tech. Sgt. David Owens • 509th Operations Squadron • 95.5%

Senior Airman Edward Whiteside • 509th Security Forces Squadron • 100%

Staff Sgt. Jessica Gibson • 509th Maintenance Squadron • 96.6%

Master Sgt. Michelle Caldwell • 509th Force Support Squadron • 95.7%

AMXS Airman receives Chief's Choice Award



U.S. Air Force photo/Airman 1st Class Jazmin Smith

U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Austin King, an instrument and flight control systems journeyman assigned to the 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, receives a Chief's Choice award at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., March 11, 2016. During the first-ever, no-notice operational readiness exercise at Whiteman, King helped repair a landing gear conduit by replacing a 50-pin connector, which led to generating aircraft under the standard time for Air Force Global Strike Command. During the past year, he also volunteered over 100 hours through opportunities like collecting 1,000 pounds of trash and debris through the Adopt-A-Highway program and coordinating three fundraising events as the dorm council president.

THINK SAFETY

Sleep
Fact #1

SLEEP SUPPORTS RESILIENCY

Studies show that sleep deficiency alters activity in some parts of the brain. If you're sleep deficient, you may have trouble making decisions, solving problems, controlling your emotions and behavior, and coping with change.



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Whiteman Weekly Warrior

Celebrating Women's History Month



U.S. Air Force Tech Sgt. Clarissa Pruismann, a common configuration implementation program monitor assigned to the 509th Security Forces Squadron (SFS), right, conducts an inspection with Airman First Class Victoria Fox, a plans and publications specialist assigned to the 509th SFS, to ensure squadron sections are in compliance with Air Force Instructions at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., March 15, 2016. Pruismann is responsible for inspecting 64 items throughout SFS.

Rank/Name: Tech. Sgt. Clarissa R. Pruismann
Job: 509th Security Forces Squadron
Inspection Program Monitor

Question: How do you as a woman in today's total force military find strength from those women that came before you?

Response: I find strength through other women I come in contact with in the military by witnessing their strong will and motivation to succeed. Most of the women I interact with are Tech. Sgts and above lately and honestly making it to those ranks takes a lot of resilience and that

alone gives me strength.

Question: What woman inspires you and why?

Response: I have several women that inspire me and the reasons why they inspire me are because they don't fear correcting people or doing what's right to avoid not being liked. They also inspire because most of them are moms and find ways to juggle their busy works schedules, home life and still manage to find time to help others.

Question: What will be the biggest challenge for the generation behind you?

Response: I think the biggest challenge for the generation behind me is developing a thick outer shell. That isn't

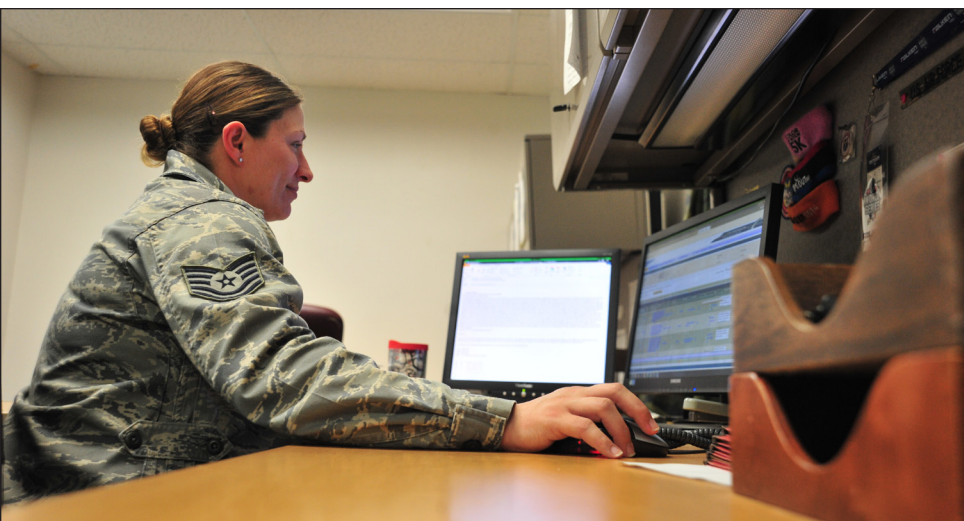
just for the female generation but also the male generation. I feel that they will not get the strong structure that is needed.

Question: What does it take to be a female leader?

Response: To me being a female leader really takes patience, stand up for yourself when others try to put you down, and also set the right example for those to follow.

Question: What do you do "like a girl"?

Response: One thing I do like a girl is let my motherly instincts take over sometimes when I'm around the airmen. Most of the airmen I worked with on flight called me flight momma.



U.S. Air Force Tech Sgt. Clarissa Pruismann, a common configuration implementation program monitor assigned to the 509th Security Forces Squadron, reviews a Management Internal Control Toolset (MICT) checklist prior to an inspection at Whiteman Air Force, Mo., March 15, 2016. MICT shows a breakdown for specific Air Force instructions for each section.



U.S. Air Force Tech Sgt. Clarissa Pruismann, a common configuration implementation program monitor assigned to the 509th Security Forces Squadron, briefs members of SFS on all compliances and discrepancies after concluding Management Internal Control Toolset inspections at Whiteman Air Force, Mo., March 15, 2016. The briefs are held monthly to inform squadron leadership on the unit's compliance with Air Force standards.

U.S. Air Force photos/Airman 1st Class Jovan Banks

B-2s conduct deployment into Indo-Asia-Pacific



A B-2 Spirit from Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., lands at an undisclosed location in the U.S. Pacific Command area of operations March 10, 2016. While in the Indo-Asia-Pacific, the B-2s will integrate and conduct training with ally and partner air forces and conduct a radio communications check with a U.S. air operations center.



U.S. Air Force Staff Sgt. Seth Calkins, a crew chief from the 393rd Aircraft Maintenance Unit, waits for a B-2 Spirit to taxi across the runway while deployed to an undisclosed location in the U.S. Pacific Command area of operations March 10 2016. U.S. Strategic Command routinely demonstrates its capability to command, control and conduct global bomber missions.



U.S. Air Force Senior Airman Adam Sweet, a crew chief from the 393rd Aircraft Maintenance Unit, prepares to marshal a B-2 Spirit while deployed at an undisclosed location in the U.S. Pacific Command area of operations March 10, 2016. Bomber crews routinely deploy to maintain a high state of readiness and crew proficiency while integrating capabilities with key regional partners.



A B-2 Spirit from Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., lands at an undisclosed location in the U.S. Pacific Command area of operations March 9, 2016. While in the Indo-Asia-Pacific, the B-2s will integrate and conduct training with ally and partner air forces and conduct a radio communications check with a U.S. air operations center.

U.S. Air Force photos/Senior Airman Joel Pfiester



HELP NAME AMERICA'S NEWEST BOMBER

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RECYCLE This Paper ... Think Green



Team Whiteman,

**We are celebrating Easter a little early
and we want you to join us!**

**This Saturday, March 19, 2016 from 1030 a.m.- noon
we will host our Annual
Easter Egg Hunt at the Ike Skelton Park.**

**Kids will have the opportunity to meet the
Easter bunny, search for eggs and have the
chance to walk away with one of our larger prizes!**

**This year, we are also excited to have the USO team
join us at the event serving
hotdogs, chips, and water while supplies last.
(No federal endorsement of sponsor intended)**

**Check out the event on our Facebook page to see what time
each age group will be starting.*

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WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 18 SISTERS IN ARMS-ROYAL OAKS
GOLF COURSE 1400

MARCH 30 CELEBRATION BREAKFAST-
MISSION'S END 0730-0845

MARCH 24 CGO/SNCO LUNCH & LEARN
PANEL- ROYAL OAKS GOLF COURSE
1100-1300

WORKING TO FORM A MORE PERFECT UNION:
HONORING WOMEN IN PUBLIC SERVICE AND GOVERNMENT



SCAN AND VIEW MOMENTS IN HISTORY



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