

THE

TITAN QUATERLY

THE OFFICIAL COMPANY NEWSLETTER OF HHC, 62d EXPEDITIONARY SIGNAL BATTALION

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The **TITAN QUATERLY** is the official company newsletter for Headquarters and Headquarters Company (HHC), 62d Expeditionary Signal Battalion (ESB). Information presented here is considered unclassified.

From the Company Commander

Titan 6

Titan Family and Friends,

It gives me great pleasure to present the 2nd quarter edition, fiscal year 2015 edition of the *TITAN QUATERLY*. Since our last edition, we have worked very hard in training, RESET, and personnel readiness. We have bid farewell to many of our fellow Soldiers as they moved on to new assignments and have welcomed new *TITANS* as we establish new teams.



As we begin a new year, our goals for the next quarter are clear: take care of Soldiers and their Families at all times, provide superior service to the battalion staff and expeditionary signal companies (ESC), and improve personnel and equipment readiness. Over the next quarter, our event calendar will be full with training, equipment RESET, missions and family events. I appreciate all the hard work we have accomplished and look forward to achieving more as we move forward.

CPT Brandon C. Brim, Company Commander

From the First Sergeant

Titan 7

Titan Soldiers and Families,

First and foremost I would to thank all the Soldiers, Noncommissioned Officers and Officers for their dedicated support during my first seven months on the job. I would also like to thank the spouses for supporting the Soldiers. Going forward into the next year, I look forward to making the organization better. The upcoming training exercises will give us a unique glimpse into our deployability and readiness. The next month bring us an opportunity to be inspected by the battalion Headquarters on company operations.

I will continue to provide purpose, direction and motivation in order to build unit cohesion and esprit de corps. I look forward to developing the NCOs to become better leaders as they continue to develop our junior Soldiers. It is an honor and privilege to serve you. NCOs lead the way!

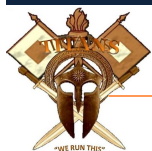


1SG Carlos D. Corbin, Company First Sergeant



We Run This!





Upcoming Events

February 2015

5 FEB 2015:	6 Mile Foot March
12 FEB 2015:	6.5 Mile Foot March
13-16 FEB 2015:	President's Day
17-20 FEB 2015:	PK Sports Week
17-27 FEB 2015:	BN STAFFEX
24 FEB 2015:	FRG Meeting
26 FEB 2015:	7 Mile Foot March

NOTE: The time and location for the FRG meeting will be published and posted on the company's Facebook page.

March 2015

5 March 2015:	7 Mile Foot March
6 March 2015:	Training Holiday
9-13 March 2015:	Range Week
19-20 March 2015:	TNG Holiday
26 March 2015:	8 Mile Foot March
31 March 2015:	CBRN Training

NOTE: There are two TNG holidays in March. Submit your pass/ leave request as soon as possible.

PLEASE NOTE:

There will be times where training/ mission requirements will dictate a change to the established training schedule. We will do our absolute best to keep you informed of any changes that occur. We ask for your understanding and patience as we train to support our Nation when called upon.

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TAX CENTER

FREE TAX SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO ALL ACTIVE DUTY SOLDIERS, RETIREES, AND THEIR FAMILIES

The Fort Hood Tax Center, Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, III Corps and Fort Hood is located in Building 13, on Support Ave. General hours of operation are 0900-1700 Monday through Friday with extended hours until 1900 on Thursday's.

The Tax Center operates from 20 January 2015– 15 April 2015. Both Federal and State income tax preparation is provided. Services are provided on an appointment only basis. Please call (254) 288-7995 or (254) 287-3294.



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No DUI of Killeen was founded as a non-profit organization on 28 October 2014 as a service for all Bell County citizens. Their goal is to develop and integrate a program that is designed to create a simple and effective solution to reduce D.U.I.'s and D.W.I.'s within the Bell County and Fort Hood area.



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Company Halloween Fun Run

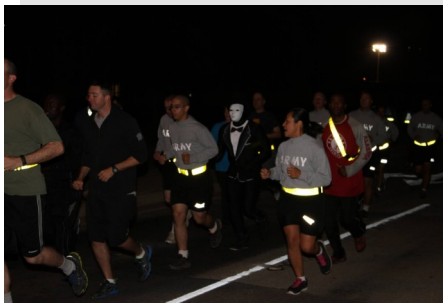
On Halloween 2014, the company held a Halloween Family Fun Run. Soldiers and their Families were encouraged to participate by wearing their favorite costume. The run was a great opportunity to involve our Families in our daily physical fitness regimen with a Halloween twist. We thank all Soldiers and Families for their participation and look forward to next year's run!



Company Soldiers and their Families after the run



Soldiers posing immediately after the run



SFC Pineda calling cadence



Running down Support Ave



Company Chili Cook Off

The company held a chili cook off in October 2014. The purpose of the event was to invite Families, build morale, and allow Soldiers to relax during the lunch hour. Six Soldiers submitted their chili recipes, but SFC Minor's turkey beef chili won 1st Place! SFC Minor was presented a \$25 gift certificate to Chili's for winning first place, but donated the gift card back to the company for the junior Soldier that makes that largest improvement on their APFT.



1SG Corbin presents SFC Minor the 1st Place prize



PV2 Williamson enjoying the chili cook off



Soldiers and Families



SPC Manley, SFC Pineda, and SPC Figueroa



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Thanksgiving Meal

The week before Thanksgiving, our 92G (Food Service Specialist) Soldiers worked hard at the West Fort Hood Dining Facility to present an outstanding meal for the Thanksgiving holiday. Our Soldiers (SGT Morton and PV2 Rayner) as well as other Soldiers in the Messenger Battalion were very meticulous in their efforts to make sure that all visitors were provided with a outstanding dining experience.

Titan Soldiers and their Families took time out of their busy schedule to support their fellow *Titan* colleagues at the West Fort Hood DFAC. More than 25 *Titan* Soldiers and their Families visited the dining facility for the excellent food and welcoming atmosphere. Many Soldiers stated that the food was great and visiting the dining facility was a great way to start the Thanksgiving holiday.



Soldiers enjoying the delicious Thanksgiving meal



December Holiday Potluck

On 17 December 2014, the company held a December Holiday Potluck for all the Soldiers and their Families. This event was held the week before the start of the holiday block leave schedule. Soldiers and their Families cooked over 20 dishes to share with each other. SFC Pineda's banana pudding was the most requested dish. We would like to thank Mrs. Webster (SGT Webster's spouse) as well as other Soldiers and Family Members who made this event an outstanding success.



PFC Jang and his spouse



SFC Morgan enjoying the festivities



SPC Morales and his son



SGT Webster and his Family



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Event Photos



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III Corps Holiday Observances

WLC Graduation

December 2014

SPC Evans (CL)
SPC Ebel (CL)
SPC Urbina

(CL) Commandant's List

The Baby's Here!

SPC Blake (25Q) and her husband, Mr. Matthew Blake welcomed their new baby boy Logan Ryan into the world on 12 December 2014! Congratulations!



T-Shirt Contest

We are looking for a new Company t-shirt design! We are calling all artist (Families are welcomed to participate) to design a Company t-shirt. The first place designer will get his/ her t-shirt for free!

The deadline for artist submissions is 5 March 2015.

Facebook Page

Like our Company Facebook page! Look us up by typing in "HHC, 62d ESB" on Facebook!

III CORPS HOLIDAY OBSERVANCES

October 2014	FY2015	April 2015
S M T W T F S		S M T W T F S
1 2 3 4	** (3) FHTX Training Holiday	1 2 3 4
5 6 7 8 9 10 11	Training Holiday (10)	5 6 7 8 9 10 11
12 13 14 15 16 17 18	Columbus Day (13)	12 13 14 15 16 17 18
19 20 21 22 23 24 25	** (6) FHTX Training Holiday	19 20 21 22 23 24 25
26 27 28 29 30 31		26 27 28 29 30
November 2014		May 2015
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9 10 11 12 13 14 15	Veterans Day (11)	10 11 12 13 14 15 16
16 17 18 19 20 21 22	Thanksgiving Day (27)	17 18 19 20 21 22 23
23 24 25 26 27 28 29	Training Holiday (28)	24 25 26 27 28 29 30
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December 2014		June 2015
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7 8 9 10 11 12 13		7 8 9 10 11 12 13
14 15 16 17 18 19 20	Training Holiday (26)	14 15 16 17 18 19 20
21 22 23 24 25 26 27	Christmas (25)	21 22 23 24 25 26 27
28 29 30 31	FHTX Holiday Schedule (20 DEC-4 JAN)**	28 29 30
January 2015		July 2015
S M T W T F S		S M T W T F S
1 2 3	Training Holiday (2)	1 2 3 4
4 5 6 7 8 9 10	New Years (1)	5 6 7 8 9 10 11
11 12 13 14 15 16 17	(3) Independence Day (Obsv)	12 13 14 15 16 17 18
18 19 20 21 22 23 24	(6) Training Holiday	19 20 21 22 23 24 25
25 26 27 28 29 30 31	Training Holiday (16)	26 27 28 29 30 31
	Dr Martin Luther King Jr Day (19)	
February 2015		August 2015
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8 9 10 11 12 13 14	Training Holiday (13)	2 3 4 5 6 7 8
15 16 17 18 19 20 21	President's Day (16)	9 10 11 12 13 14 15
22 23 24 25 26 27 28		16 17 18 19 20 21 22
	[(24) CENTEX Start of School (assumed)]	23 24 25 26 27 28 29
March 2015		30 31
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1 2 3 4 5 6 7	[(11) III Corps--in celebration of the 97th birthday of III Corps (16 MAY 1918)]	
8 9 10 11 12 13 14	Training Holiday (6)	
15 16 17 18 19 20 21	[CENTEX Spring Break (16-20)]	
22 23 24 25 26 27 28	FHTX Training Holiday (19)** (4) Training Holiday	
29 30 31	FHTX Training Holiday (20)** (7) Labor Day	
	**Senior Commanders free to establish the Christmas/New year's holiday period and training holidays in MAR/APR 2015 consistent with local school calendars.	
September 2015		
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Battalion Commander's Priorities

Priorities set the sequence in which actions are to be accomplished in order to ensure mission success. The battalion commander has selected the following priorities:



Command Climate and Prevention of SHARP



Personnel and System Readiness



Leader Development



Accountability



Company Commander's Priorities

Each organization has a vision which includes specific goals and priorities which support the long range plan and day to day decision-making efforts in an organization. The company commander has selected the following priorities:



Command Climate and Prevention of SHARP



Personnel and System Readiness



Leader Development



Accountability of Personnel and Equipment



Resilient Soldiers and Families



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Book Review

"Start with Why" is an outstanding book that outlines why some people, organizations, groups, etc. are more successful, innovative, creative and influential than others.

The author (Simon Sinek) explains the importance of how thoughts, actions, and communication are important to understand the most important aspect of why we and others strive to accomplish anything in life— **WHY**.

This is an outstanding book for any young, aspiring, and dedicated leader.

