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WE REMEMBER

Commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War

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It speaks to the complexity of America's time in Vietnam that, even now, historians cannot agree on precisely when the war began. American advisors had served there, and died there, as early as the mid-1950s. Major combat operations would not begin until the mid-1960s. But if any year in between illustrated the changing nature of our involvement, it was 1962.

It was January, in Saigon. Our Army pilots strapped on their helmets and boarded their helicopters. They lifted off, raced over treetops carrying South Vietnamese troops. It was a single raid against an enemy stronghold just a few miles into the jungle -- but it was one of America's first major operations in that faraway land.

In March, we recognized the 50th commemoration of our war in Vietnam. We honor each of those names etched in stone in Washington, D.C. -- 58,282 American patriots. We remember those buried in cemeteries all across Arkansas. We salute all who served with them. And we stand with the families who love them still.

For years we've gone to cemeteries around Arkansas, and to monuments in our nation's capital to be with them once more. And in the simple things left behind -- offerings, mementos, and gifts -- we get a glimpse of the lives they led. The blanket that covered him as a baby. The baseball bat he swung as a boy. A wedding ring. The photo of the grandchild he never met. The boots he wore, still caked in mud. The medals she earned, still shining. And, of course, some of the things left have special meaning, known only to the veterans -- a can of beer; a packet of M&Ms; a container of Spam; an old field ration -- still good, still awful.

It's in these places that we feel the depth of their sacrifice. And here we see a piece of our larger American story. Our Founders -- in their genius -- gave us a task. They set out to make a more perfect union. And so it falls to every generation to carry on that work. To keep moving forward. To overcome a sometimes painful past. To keep striving for our ideals.

And when an American does not come back -- including the 1,589 Americans still missing from the Vietnam War -- let us resolve to do everything in our power to bring them home. This is the promise we fulfilled in 2012 to the Meroney family of Fayetteville, Ark. Forty-three years after he went missing, Army Captain Virgil Meroney, III, came home, and he finally rests in peace.

Some have called this war a scar on our country, but here's what I say: As any wound heals, the tissue around it becomes tougher, becomes stronger than before. And in this sense, finally, we might begin to see the true legacy of Vietnam. Because of Vietnam and our veterans, we now use American power smarter. We honor our military more. We take care of our veterans better. Because of the hard lessons of Vietnam, borne by all those who served, America is even stronger than before.

And finally, on this anniversary and in all the years to come, let's remember what binds us as one people. This is important for all of us, whether you fought in the Vietnam War or fought against it, or whether you were too young to be shaped by it. It's important that our children understand the sacrifices that were made by our troops in Vietnam; that for them, this is more than just a name in history books. It's important that we know the lesson of a gift often left at a memorial or tombstone.

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WORKING ON THE BUSH FUNERAL TRAIN DETAIL

BY SENIOR AIRMAN KAYLA EDWARDS
189TH AIRLIFT WING

“Chance of a Lifetime”



Having served in the Arkansas Air National Guard as a member of the 189th Services Flight for the past 19 years, a police officer with the North Little Rock police department for more than 16 years, and a Special Agent with Union Pacific for the past 3 years, Master Sgt. Shana Cobbs knows a thing or two about commitment to duty. Recently, her job as a special agent with Union Pacific provided her with a unique opportunity to participate in a special assignment that she says she feels that she was uniquely prepared to handle.

Cobbs was one of the agents assigned to provide security for the President George H.W. Bush funeral car train while it was in Spring, Texas. The motorcade transporting the remains of the 41st president left Houston, and arrived at the Union Pacific Railroad Westfield Auto Facility in Spring, Texas, on Dec. 6. Cobbs' duties included

securing the Westfield site and Locomotive No. 4141, the George Bush Locomotive, prior to the arrival of the motorcade. Cobbs explained that she had been preparing for the detail for awhile prior to its final execution.



“I live and work out of Arkansas, but I'd made several trips to Spring, Texas, in recent months to prepare for this event. [Locomotive] 4141 has been ready to transport President Bush for awhile,” Cobbs stated.

As a Union Pacific Special Agent, Cobbs' job is to investigate threats of terrorism and derailments, theft of property, handle trespassers and vandalism, and provide overall security on

railroad properties. Cobbs acknowledges that her experience as a police officer qualified her for the job, but her military training has also proven useful as well on numerous occasions.

“My military experience has definitely helped me in my career. Learning how to adapt and overcome is an important part of being a military member,” she stated.

Cobbs recognized the opportunity to participate in the funeral detail as a remarkable chance to take part in a historical event.

“These types of events don't come along very often, and it was an honor to be a part of such an important moment in history,” she said. *“I appreciate Union Pacific for allowing me the opportunity, and I would be honored to participate in something of this magnitude again.”*

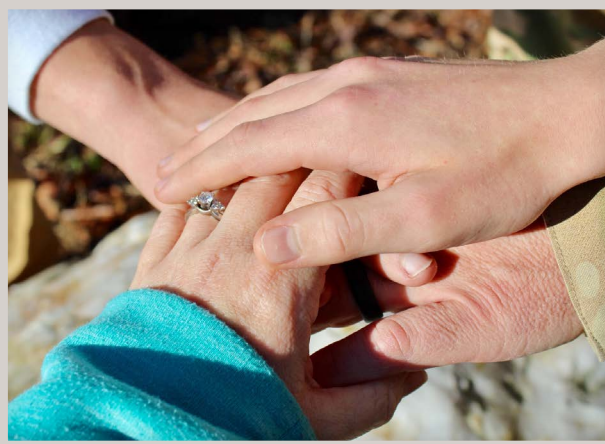
After arriving at the Westfield facility in Spring, former President Bush's remains were transported by the George Bush 4141 to College Station, Texas, where he was interred. The George Bush 4141 was unveiled in 2005 during a ceremony near the George Bush Presidential Library and Museum located on the Texas A&M University campus in College Station. The train had been stored and maintained at a facility in North Little Rock since 2010.

According to the Union Pacific website, the George Bush 4141 locomotive is traveling to various Union Pacific facilities around the United States to give employees a chance to view it firsthand, but no public displays are planned.



Be Our Family's Best

By Sherri Brack



It's another early Saturday morning and the house is full of activity. Packing of lunches is underway for the road trip to the out-of-town gymnastics meet, before the soccer tournament at the other side of the state. One kid has a fever, and another is attempting to make a volcano for his science fair project on the brand-new rug. Oh, and it's drill weekend. So, the Guardsman is out the door with a quick kiss and "I love you," just as the dog throws up on the kitchen floor. Can anyone relate?

In times like these do you ever have a fleeting thought, "Is this really our best?" Maybe not in the moment, but later, can you choose to all laugh about it? Perhaps that's the sign that you're being your best - as a family. We can get through those moments and find humor on the other side of it - together. And know that we're not alone.

Here are some tips from family members who have "been there, done that", and are still striving to be their best as an Arkansas National Guard family.

Nici Brasfield is a mom of four and wife of 14 years to Army Maj. Noyal Brasfield. She says her household must have, "Open and thorough communication. When I say that, I mean everyone in the family. Even my 6-year old needs to know what's going on with Daddy, what he's doing, and where he's going."

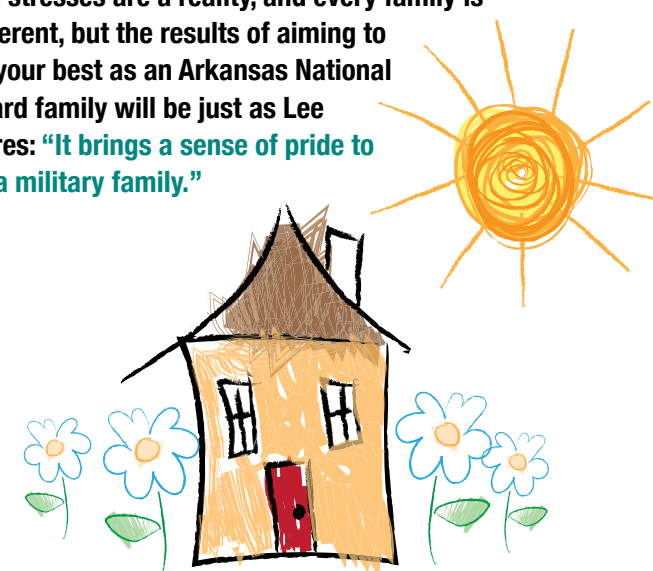
"Be together even when you can't be," recommends 16-year old Brandon Lee, youngest son of Chief Warrant Officer Brandon Lee. "Just be in constant contact. Even a five-minute video call can help."

Retired Army Sgt. Maj. Denise Johnson grew up in a National Guard family. At one point she served in the same unit with her father and two brothers. Her mother received Spouse of the Year and she even married a Guardsman, retired-Command Sgt. Maj. Clayton Johnson. She says, "Family members don't always fully understand what their Guard member does. It really helps to have a good awareness of their role in drill, for example, so that when there is a deployment, there's a better understanding."

Brasfield adds, "It can help a family if they are knowledgeable of the channels available to them. Personally, I have to be in the know, so that's why I volunteer here or there. I spend time with other wives. You have to make your own family readiness even before talk of a deployment."

To incorporate Guard life and family life together, "Reach out to your extended Guard family," Johnson encourages. "Lean on one another. Be aware of Soldiers and their families, so you can be there when they need it. Look out for each other."

The stresses are a reality, and every family is different, but the results of aiming to be your best as an Arkansas National Guard family will be just as Lee clares: "It brings a sense of pride to be a military family."



Road Warrior

A Road Warrior is a Guardsmen who makes extraordinary efforts to make it to drill.

Senior Officer Candidate David Harris

Officer Candidate School, 233rd RTI

BY OC CHARLES DAVIS



Blue Springs, Mo., a suburb of Kansas City, to North Little Rock is a 413-mile trip. It takes at least six hours to drive with no stops. One can supposedly tell exactly where the midwest ends and the south begins on this trip. Neosho, Mo. is the exact point. Driving through Arkansas, the scenery is trees, the mountains of the Ozarks, and large lakes and rivers. However, further north from the Arkansas and Missouri border, the scenery becomes plains. Fields go on for miles, with power lines being the most visible thing on the highway. A big fat bowl of nothing, according to Senior Officer Candidate David Harris, who travels this route every month for drill.

Harris grew up in Arkansas and joined the Arkansas National Guard while he was lived in Arkansas. He went to college at the University of Arkansas, however, he had to move out of state for work. He's a producer with KCTV, a CBS television station in Kansas City. "It was a big opportunity to take that next step in my career," said Harris.

Driving to drill doesn't seem like it would be a daunting task if one live close to where one drills, but for those who live out of the state, it can be quite a task to prepare not only for the weekend but for the drive.

"I work from 4:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. However, on drill weekends my boss helps me out with a travel day. So Thursday, I get off work and go get my haircut normally first thing." Harris, who is getting ready to begin phase 3 of

Officer Candidate School, said. "After I gather my gear and do a last minute check on my OCS homework, I spend a little time with my wife, namely because she won't see me again until Monday afternoon."

What keeps Harris in the Arkansas National Guard instead of interstate transferring is his dedication to the organization that has helped him be his best and build him into the soldier he is today. "There's a couple of reasons, but the most important is Arkansas is my home state. I was raised here, I went to school here and I joined the Army National Guard here," said Harris. "I joined the Arkansas National Guard when I was 19, and I like to remind myself that it was Arkansas' NCO's that 'raised' me when I was a private, took care of me in Afghanistan, and mentored me when I got my stripes."

While in OCS, there have been many physical challenges to face during each drill weekend. Having to drive a six hour trip back home after exhausting training can be rough. "Before OCS, it wasn't that bad. However, once we started doing nine and 12-mile ruck marches in OCS, I was a little sore after the trip," said the Houston Astros fan. "When I get home on Sunday, I sleep like crazy. I typically take Monday off from work and act like a kid all day. I play video games, watch SpongeBob, and maybe make it over to the gym to soak in the hot tub."

Harris is expected to finish OCS and commission in September, where he plans to branch Aviation. "I'm excited about my future as a career captain." Said Harris, who surely has the dedication to go far in the Arkansas National Guard.

If someone from your unit is making extraordinary efforts to be a come to drill let us know. They might be our next Road Warrior.

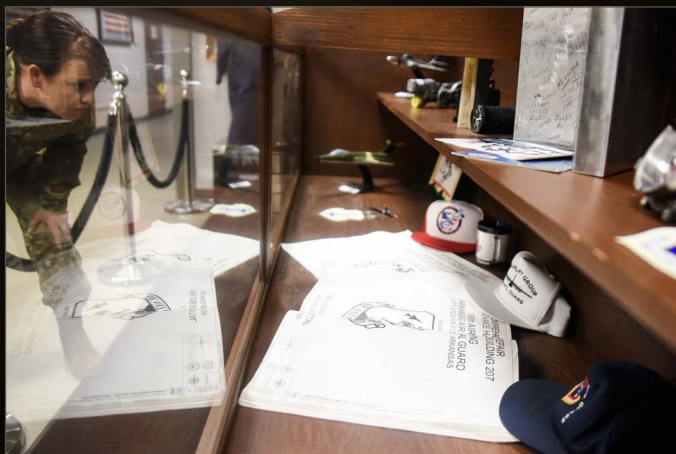


HISTORY OF THE 189TH MAINTENANCE GROUP

Uncovered

by Tech. Sgt. Jessica Condit, 189th Airlift Wing Public Affairs

The 189th Airlift Wing has a long history of different mission support over the years. As changes within the wing occurred, the 189th Maintenance Group rolled with the punches and changed its processes, as well. With all the changes over the course of the wing's history, the process was told visually through photos, graphic designs and objects that came into play and became obsolete as the years went on.



Walking into the maintenance hangar, one will find their self in the "ice cream parlor." The main foyer has a plethora of maintenance memorabilia that defines the group over the ages and showcases the men and women who dedicated their military career to ensuring the aircraft they supported were

fit and ready to fly. Photographs and pieces of aircraft long since gone adorn the walls and fill display cases for visitors to view. Some pieces might make one wonder how maintainers were so successful in the past when one compares the tools of yesteryear to the tools used now.

Along with the displays and pieces of history adorning nearly every wall and hallway, the group established a heritage room designed to encourage maintenance camaraderie and boost morale. The project eventually included an in-house gym, which meets all the legal criteria for use. According to Senior Master Sgt. Connie Laughlin, a 189th Maintenance Group budget analyst, the gym has a consistent flow of users on the many different shifts that maintenance covers.

"It went from just being something of a small little closet, to being a room. The idea was to boost morale while displaying our maintenance heritage," said Laughlin. "With the way that maintenance works, we have multiple shifts. Due to maintenance quick response on last-minute maintenance requests, the needed specialists needed to be here. The solution was to create an environment where they could work out, eat their meal and take breaks without leaving their place of duty."

Using downtime, several maintainers worked diligently to ensure they covered the span of the wing's maintenance history, to include the role played in World War I to present. Uniforms



Staff Sgt. Andrew Diel, a 189th Maintenance Squadron electrician stands beside a flag rescued by a member of the 189th Airlift Wing during Hurricane Katrina operations in Louisiana. Diel is the president of the Maintenance Heritage Association and played a key role in the development of the heritage room at the maintenance hangar.

(U.S. Air National Guard photo by Tech. Sgt. Jessica Condit)

were donated to the group by current and former members of the wing, as well as, tools and aircraft pieces that have long gone out of commission.

"For me, coming to a new unit that's already established and finding out where you fit in is a big deal," said Staff Sgt. Tracie Winston, a 189th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron crew chief. "The unit I came from, was kind of the same way. There wasn't much there, so I started taking pictures every drill, then I'd put a collage on the wall. It was a way to look back and remember things. When I got here, I started doing the same thing and realized how interesting the history of the 189th AW was."

For Laughlin and Winston, one motivation was to instill a sense of belonging in the new or younger Airmen who are coming to the group. They wanted to ensure that these Airmen were written into the history of the wing and maintenance, and knew they had the opportunity to do so with the new project being created. They also hoped to bring back a family atmosphere for the Airmen and their families.

"Hopefully this will help them see the importance of what they do when they come into work or walk out to the flight line," said Winston. "We still want to work on getting collages and current pictures of these Airmen so two or three years from now, they

can say 'oh I remember doing that, I remember that person,' and it will be relevant to them as well."

Full from end to end with photos, Laughlin and Winston sat in their office for hours sorting through old boxes of negatives and prints that could be used to add to the heritage display. After selecting photos, they went through the tedious task of hanging selected photos and identifying people and places long since gone. Winston expressed how interesting and unique it was to see history connect as she dug further and further into the group's past.

Future plans include extensions of the heritage assemblage that focus on the Arkansas Air National Guard in museums such as the Jacksonville Museum of Military History and the Arkansas National Guard history museum at Camp Robinson. Laughlin explained the importance of displaying the Air Guard's history in the predominantly Army and Marine Corps museums.

"As we leave this unit, my hope is that we will be able to pass the torch onto a new group of people who will continue to work on this project," said Laughlin. "This new generation, they cannot fathom the idea how much different this whole wing used to be. The more each generation sees of the past, the easier it will be for them to keep it going."

SEASONAL ALLERGIES

NIP THEM IN THE BUD

RELIEVE SEASONAL ALLERGIES WITH THESE TRIED-AND-TRUE TECHNIQUES.
BY MAYO CLINIC STAFF

Spring means flower buds and blooming trees — and if you're one of the millions of people who have seasonal allergies, it also means sneezing, congestion, a runny nose and other bothersome symptoms. Seasonal allergies — also called hay fever and allergic rhinitis — can make you miserable. But before you settle for plastic flowers and artificial turf, try these simple strategies to keep seasonal allergies under control.

Reduce Your Exposure To Allergy Triggers

To reduce your exposure to the things that trigger your allergy signs and symptoms (allergens):

- Stay indoors on dry, windy days. The best time to go outside is after a good rain, which helps clear pollen from the air.
- Delegate lawn mowing, weed pulling and other gardening chores that stir up allergens.
- Remove clothes you've worn outside and shower to rinse pollen from your skin and hair.
- Don't hang laundry outside — pollen can stick to sheets and towels.
- Wear a pollen mask if you do outside chores.

Take Extra Steps When Pollen Counts Are High

Seasonal allergy signs and symptoms can flare up when there's a lot of pollen in the air. These steps can help you reduce your exposure:

- Check your local TV or radio station, your local newspaper, or the Internet for pollen forecasts and current pollen levels.
- If high pollen counts are forecasted, start taking allergy medications before your symptoms start.
- Close doors and windows at night or any other time when pollen counts are high.
- Avoid outdoor activity in the early morning when pollen counts are highest.

Keep Indoor Air Clean

There's no miracle product that can eliminate all allergens from the air in your home, but these suggestions may help:

- Use the air conditioning in your house and car.
- If you have forced air heating or air conditioning in your house, use high-efficiency filters and follow regular maintenance schedules.
- Keep indoor air dry with a dehumidifier.
- Use a portable high-efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filter in your bedroom.
- Clean floors often with a vacuum cleaner that has a HEPA filter.

Try An Over-The-Counter Remedy

Several types of nonprescription medications can help ease allergy symptoms. They include:

- **ORAL ANTIHISTAMINES.** Antihistamines can help relieve sneezing, itching, a runny nose and watery eyes. Examples of oral antihistamines include loratadine (Claritin, Alavert), cetirizine (Zyrtec Allergy) and fexofenadine (Allegra Allergy).
- **DECONGESTANTS.** Oral decongestants such as pseudoephedrine (Sudafed, Afrinol, others) can provide temporary relief from nasal stuffiness. Decongestants also come in nasal sprays, such as oxymetazoline (Afrin) and phenylephrine (Neo-Synephrine). Only use nasal decongestants for a few days in a row. Longer-term use of decongestant nasal sprays can actually worsen symptoms (rebound congestion).

- **NASAL SPRAY.** Cromolyn sodium nasal spray can ease allergy symptoms and doesn't have serious side effects, though it's most effective when you begin using it before your symptoms start.

- **COMBINATION MEDICATIONS.** Some allergy medications combine an antihistamine with a decongestant. Examples include loratadine-pseudoephedrine (Claritin-D) and fexofenadine-pseudoephedrine (Allegra-D).

Rinse Your Sinuses

Rinsing your nasal passages with saline solution (nasal irrigation) is a quick, inexpensive and effective way to relieve nasal congestion. Rinsing directly flushes out mucus and allergens from your nose.

Look for a squeeze bottle or a neti pot — a small container with a spout designed for nasal rinsing — at your pharmacy or health food store. Use water that's distilled, sterile, previously boiled and cooled, or filtered using a filter with an absolute pore size of 1 micron or smaller to make up the saline irrigation solution. Also be sure to rinse the irrigation device after each use with similarly distilled, sterile, previously boiled and cooled, or filtered water and leave open to air-dry.



Interested In Alternative Treatments? Consider These:

A number of natural remedies have been used to treat hay fever symptoms. Treatments that may help include extracts of the shrub butterbur and spirulina (a type of dried algae). However, the benefits and safety aren't clear.

Some people claim acupuncture can help with seasonal allergy symptoms. There's some evidence that acupuncture works, and there's little evidence of harm.

Talk to your doctor before trying alternative treatments.

When Home Remedies Aren't Enough, See Your Doctor

For many people, avoiding allergens and taking over-the-counter medications is enough to ease symptoms. But if your seasonal allergies are still bothersome, don't give up. A number of other treatments are available.

If you have bad seasonal allergies, your doctor may recommend that you have skin tests or blood tests to find out exactly what allergens trigger your symptoms. Testing can help determine what steps you need to take to avoid your specific triggers and identify which treatments are likely to work best for you.

For some people, allergy shots (allergen immunotherapy) can be a good option. Also known as desensitization, this treatment involves regular injections containing tiny amounts of the substances that cause your allergies. Over time, these injections reduce the immune system reaction that causes symptoms. For some allergies, treatment can be given as tablets under the tongue.



WARLORD WORK PROJECT

REVITALIZES TRAINING GROUNDS

BY SENIOR AIRMAN KAYLA EDWARDS, 189TH AIRLIFT WING

The 189th Civil Engineering Squadron works hard to maintain the buildings and structures on the Guard campus of Little Rock Air Force Base. Typically, the Airmen assigned to the 189th CES focus on repairs, maintenance, installations, and improvement projects to ensure the longevity of the wing's assets. However, recently when the 19th CES reached out to request some additional skilled hands for a major project to renovate structures and clear nuisance foliage at Camp Warlord, the 189th CES accepted the task.

1st Lt. Brandon Teel, 189th deputy base civil engineer, explained the importance of the project and how the 189th CES came to support the base effort to revitalize Camp Warlord.

"This project was a top priority for the [19th CES] but they needed some additional support to get it completed within the timeframe that they had been given," Teel said.

Renovating Camp Warlord, Little Rock Air Force Base's austere simulated deployed training environment, is part of a larger Air Force mission to revitalize readiness training and ensure Airmen are prepared for deployments. Over the past several years, the training area has not seen much use or upkeep, which led to deterioration of some facilities and necessitated an overhaul.

Master Sgt. Tyler Peterson, 19th CES water fuel systems maintenance noncommissioned officer in charge, outlined the plan for project completion and noted that the 189th CE would be providing the bulk of the labor hours for it.

"When everything is done, all of the cabins will have new metal roofs, as well as, cleaned and repainted interiors. Updates will be made to the quality-of-life standards in the bath houses and there will be a real-world medical staging area, as well as a Wing Inspection Team staging area," Peterson explained.

Sergeant Peterson also talked about the contributions that the Airmen from the 189th CES were making to the project. Although the project was initiated through the 19th CES, it was immediately clear the active-duty squadron could use some help to meet its goals.

"We've estimated 3,500 labor hours for the Camp Warlord project to completely restore it for usage, in addition to the new capabilities that we are adding. The 189th is providing approximately 2,500 of those labor hours," said Peterson.

After a series of meetings and planning sessions, the work flow for the project was determined and the teams assembled to make it all happen.

Part of the project also included clearing brush and nuisance foliage that's grown up around the property to provide a better training area for security forces personnel to practice anti-terrorism and force-protection measures. Additionally, the plan also included adding a single pallet expeditionary kitchen pad to allow a services flight to train using a field kitchen, as they would in a deployed environment.

"This project is meant to serve the entire base," said 1st Lt. Colin Biery, 19th CES engineer. "Once this is all complete, it will be available for any of our Team Little Rock partners to use for training."

Not only did the Camp Warlord project provide a much-needed renovation to the base's deployment training grounds, it also gave the Airmen of the 189th CES the opportunity to learn new construction skills.

"This is one of the great things about being in the Guard," Teel explained. "We get experience doing all aspects of construction on a project like this. We're jacks-of-all-trades in that aspect."

As the 189th CE Airmen worked toward achieving the TLR goal, they also gained construction experience they can apply to their upcoming deployment. About 65 percent of the 189th CE Airmen assigned to the Camp Warlord renovation have been tapped for deployment this fiscal year.

"Gaining the knowledge and skills here to do multiple tasks helps prepare our Airmen for what they may need in a deployed environment and even in future missions that we may be tasked with completing," said Senior Master Sgt. Bill Catton, 189th CES emergency management superintendent.

Beyond the initial renovation project, the base is also planning to expand the grounds of Camp Warlord, adding new roads and training areas to create a better simulated training environment, Biery explained.



German POWs at Camp Robinson, WWII

BY RAYMOND SCREWS

Not long after the United States entered World War II in December 1941, American began to capture enemy troops. There became a need to house POWs and many were brought to American shores. Camp Joseph T. Robinson was selected, and was one of 142 major German POW sites in the US. The peak month for enemy POWs in America was in May 1945, with 425,871 captured soldiers, with 371,683 of those being Germans. This was also the peak month for Nazi POWs housed in the United States.

In the United States, POWs were from German, Italy, and Japan, but a high majority were from Hitler's military. In fact, very few Japanese POWs were brought to the US. The first month that POWs were brought to America was May, 1942, with 32 Germans and 1 Japanese soldier. The Camp Robinson German POW Camp opened in August 1943 and the last POW left in June 1946. Besides Germans, the Post POW camp probably held a few Italians.



Besides The Camp Robinson POW camp, other major POW sites in Arkansas were at Pine Bluff Arsenal, Camp Chaffee, Camp Dermott, Camp Monticello, and Camp Jerome, where one of the two Japanese Internment Camp was located. The Camp Robinson site is located in a valley north of the far end of the airfield runway, in the current TA-03. The Camp Robinson POW site housed around 3,000 German soldiers, many captured in North Africa as part of Rommel's Army. Camp Robinson was also the administrative center for several POW work camps in the central and southern area of the State, which housed an additional 7,000 POWs. In addition, about 1,000 worked in the Robinson POW camp, and the works camps of which it was responsible. Many of the workers were Guards in the military.

The Camp Robinson POW camp was 300 acres, and was the most important POW camp in Arkansas. None of the building from the POW Camp remain, but many foundations are visible including several of those that were part of the guard towers. The Arkansas National Guard Museum Foundation is attempting to create an interpretive heritage trail for walkers and bikers at the site. In 2004, an Archaeological investigation was conducted at the site. The POW camp was recommended eligible for nomination for the National Register of Historic Places.

German prisoners of war interned in the
Camp Robinson War Prison Internment Camp
spend their spare hours building replicas
of old German castles. These tiny buildings
are made of small stones chipped to form
and held together by clay mortar.
Camp Jos. T. Robinson, Arkansas
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German prisoners of War unit/for the
signal to began eating. The Mess Hall
in the Camp Robinson Prisoner of War Intern-
ment Camp are staffed by the prisoners.
Camp Jos. T. Robinson, Arkansas. 9/23/43.
Photo by T/4 Rudolph Krakora.
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MMCT OFFERS NEW TRAINING ASSET FOR 154TH TRS

BY SENIOR AIRMAN KAYLA EDWARDS, 189TH AIRLIFT WING

The 189th Airlift Wing recently acquired a new training asset that will continue to prepare the members of the wing and its students to fly, fight, and win.

The Multi-Mission Crew Trainer, or MMCT, is a non-motion flight simulator that was designed to help meet flight crew training requirements while saving money and time. One of the main reasons that the MMCT was requested by the National Guard Bureau was to manage training requirements and mission readiness while dealing with the reality of budgetary constraints and personnel issues, explains Kevin Hubble, QuantaDyn MMCT Contractor Operator Maintenance Support manager.

“The Air National Guard looked at what could be done to keep people trained and proficient in their jobs in the C-130 flying world, and this solution works,” he stated.



The MMCT can be configured to reproduce any number of conditions, such as selecting different locations, aircraft configurations, weather patterns, and emergency conditions.

Not only does the MMCT work for flight crew members who are already proficient, but it can be utilized to train new students, as well.

Hubble explained that the MMCT is set up to go from A to Z and can be used to train a flight crew member at any level of expertise.

“You could take a brand new flight crew member who maybe hasn’t had enough time on the plane to get his or her checklist discipline completed and bring them into the simulator for a series of training events to fine-tune their skills,” he said.

Conversely, the MMCT could also be used by a seasoned flyer who needs to reacquaint themselves with the controls and refresh what he or she already knows. This is especially true for drill-status pilots, who would likely see a great benefit utilizing the MMCT. Many of the pilots assigned to the unit who are traditional Guardsmen work for civilian airlines in a full-time capacity. Having a readily available simulator to use as a quick refresher before a check ride can provide another level of comfort for those individuals and reacquaint them with the Herc before flight.

“Flying a Boeing 737 isn’t quite the same as flying a C-130H, so if they’re flying that aircraft for the majority of the month, it’s nice to have this trainer available, so they can jump in for even an hour to get their mind back into the mode of the C-130,” said Hubble.

Financially, the MMCT is a more cost-effective option for Air National Guard units. The initial cost for a full-motion simulator is somewhere between \$12 to \$14 million dollars, plus operating costs and employing staff to manage it. The initial cost of the MMCT is a quarter of the cost of a full-motion simulator and all that’s needed is someone who is instructor operating station trained to generate all of the training scenarios needed. From an operational perspective, the MMCT also provides a level of scheduling flexibility that does not exist with the full-motion simulators that are operated on Little Rock Air Force Base.

“Availability is a big advantage, and the operating costs are minimal compared to a full-motion simulator,” said Hubble.

While the MMCT is ideal for individuals who want to work on check-ride preparation and systems-knowledge reinforcement, it will also be particularly useful for instructors to build on the knowledge that students have about the C-130H when they come to the schoolhouse.

Hubble, a retired flight engineer who spent 30 years in the 109th Airlift Wing in the New York Air National Guard, acknowledges that the MMCT would have been a valuable training asset during his years in the Guard.

“Our unit had a very specific mission set with the [LC-130] Skibird, and this tool would have been worth millions of dollars to us. It could have potentially taken anywhere from eight to 12 months of training and compressed it into less than six,” said Hubble.

Master Sgt. David Long, 154th TRS instructor flight engineer, currently manages the MMCT and is optimistic about its value to the 189th AW.

“It’s open for our operators to use any time. I’ve created a guide, so that anyone can come in and run a training program independently,” Long explained.

Having the MMCT opens the door for a plethora of opportunities for the wing. Not only does it provide an opportunity for 154th TRS members to refresh their knowledge, but it also gives students the opportunity to see something they haven’t experienced yet.

“Sometimes it can be difficult to explain what they’ll see while they’re flipping through their books. Instructors can bring them into the [MMCT] and this is the aircraft,” Hubble stated. “There’s not much that you can do in the MMCT that you can’t replicate on the aircraft and vice versa.”

Hubble also talked about other real-world training opportunities that exist with the MMCT. Eventually the goal is for every ANG unit that flies the C-130 to have an MMCT onsite. The trainer is designed to link with other MMCT units throughout the Air National Guard, making it possible for crew members to fly missions with Airmen at other units, without ever leaving their respective bases.



PROMOTIONS

39TH IBCT

PV1 ADAIR BREANA MARIE
PV2 ADAMS HOLLY VICTORIA
PV1 ALBARRANGUADARRAMA ALEXA
PV2 ALLEN ARIC ETHAN
PFC ANDERSON ALEXANDRA KIMBERLE
PV2 ANDRADE JENNIFER SANTOS
SPC ANDREWS MATHEW AUSTIN
SPC ANDREWS ZACHARY THOMAS
SGT ANOLFO ERIC MICHAEL
PFC AREVALO KEVIN OMAR
PV1 ARMSTRONG DONOVAN MICHAEL
SPC ARTHUR CHRISTIAN HUTSON
PV2 BAILEY LAKIN WINNIE
PV2 BAKER MICHAEL ALAN III
PV1 BAKER TIFFANI MICHELLE
PV2 BALMACEDAHERNANDEZ SAMUEL
SPC BARBER ETHAN ZECHARIAH
PV1 BAREFIELD ASHLEY NICOLE
PFC BARNES CARTIERA JERMARIE
PV2 BARRANCO BRAXTON CHARLES
SPC BAUGHTMAN JACOB CHANDLER
PV1 BEASLEY DEVEN SANCHEZ
PV2 BEAUDIN DAWSON PEYTON
PFC BEAVO NEWTON RAY
SGT BECK JON ROBERT
SPC BELL ROBERT TYLER
PFC BELL SAMUEL RICHARD
PFC BETTS HUNTER LANDON
PV1 BIBLE BRENDEN RAY
PV2 BISHOP CHRISTOPHER TYLER
PV2 BISSITTWALTERS STEPHEN KYLE
PV1 BITTLE MASON ANDREW
PV1 BLACKWELL MALIK PRESCOT
PFC BLAIR JACOB DAKOTALEE
PV1 BLAND NATHANAEI ETHAN
PV1 BLEVINS DEVIN CHARLES
SPC BOATMAN REBECCA ANNETTE
SPC BOLYARD JED LUCAS
SPC BOURGOIN WESLEY ALLEN
SPC BOZARTH DAVID ADAM
PFC BRADEN LILY MAY
PV1 BRANSCUM JACOB AARON

PV2 BRAZIER ABBY MARIE
SGT BREWER KIMBERLY NICOLE
PV1 BRIDGES MATTHEW PAUL
PV1 BROOKSHIRE JESSE JOHN
PFC BROWDER MARVIN LD
PV1 BROWN CHLOE ABRIANA
PFC BROWN HERMAN DUJUAN JR
SPC BROWN KIONA ALIS
SPC BROWN MICHAEL LEE
PV2 BROWN NATHAN JAMES
SPC BROWN RUSSELL BRYAN
PFC BRYANT DAKOTA WAYNE
PFC BRYANT JACOLBY KARON
SSG BUNTING ERIC DURAN
PV2 BURGESS DUSTIN ANTHONY
PV1 BURGOS JOSE ANTONIO III
PV1 BURKS JEFFERY WAYNE
PV1 BURSON TERRA KATE
PV1 BUSBY BLAKE JORDAN
SSG BUTLER JOHN TIVARESS
PV2 BUTLER JOHN TIVARESS JR
SPC BYRD SAMUEL WAYNE
SGT CAFFEY MIKYL CHARLES
2LT CALVERT DAVID JACOB
SPC CAMACHO ALAN HUAPEO
PFC CAMPBELL EMMA RENEE
PV2 CANADA JOSHUA WAYNE
SPC CARLSON GUNNER TY
PV1 CARPENTER AUSTIN BEDFORD
PV1 CASTILLO ANTHONY DEWAYNE
SGT CASTLEBERRY PAUL NEIL
SPC CEJA MELISSA MONIQUE
SGT CHANDLER MAGAN ANNETTE
SPC CHANEY DAVID LUKE
SGT CHARLESTON JASMONIQUE ANTIO
PV1 CHAVIS CONNOR BENJAMIN
PV1 CHILDS JUAMIA QUINTINAANGEN
PV2 CHISM WILLIAM LOUIS
PV2 CHRONISTERMCMINN CREEDANCE
SGT CLARK JACOB D
PV1 CLIFTON TAYLOR MAE
PV2 CLUBB HAYDEN MATTHEW
PV1 COFFMAN DARIAN ARNOLD
PFC COLES MARKEAVIUS JAMES

PV1 COLLINS JOSHUA JAMES
PV2 COLLINS SHEA AUSTIN
SSG COOK JOSHUA OWEN
PFC COOK LAUREN OLIVIA
SPC COOK THOMAS KADE
PFC COTHAM BRADLEY ALLEN
PV1 COVEY NATHANIEL JEREMIAH
PV1 COWLEY COLBY LYNN
PV1 COX JOSHUA LUKE
PV2 COX VINCENT AUSTIN
PFC CRAWFORD DANIEL LEE
PV2 CRISEL BRIEANNA MARIE
SGT CRONCE SARAH ELLEN
SSG CUDE GARRETT DANIEL
PV1 CUDE RYAN MICHAEL
PV1 CUSICK ISABELLA JOCEE
SPC DARE CODY ANDREW
PV1 DARR JACKSON WAYNE
PFC DAVENPORT CODY LANE
PV2 DAVIS JESSE RAY
PV2 DELGADO IVAN JOSUET
PFC DELONG AUGUST LEE
PFC DENTON TRAVIS WADE
SPC DEPRIEST LANE STEVEN
PFC DIAL RANDALL LINDALE
PV1 DICKSON KADEN SCOTT
PV2 DISHMAN KYLE JEREMIAH JR
PV2 DITO PIERO III
SGT DIXON DEVIN ALEXANDER
PFC DOBBS GARRETT LEE
PV2 DOCKERY KAMERON DEVAUGHN
PFC DODSON LEXIS ANN
PFC DOMINGUEZ ANTHONY JR
SPC DONAHO BRANDON T
PFC DORSEYGISH MICHAEL DAVID
SGT DOSSEY JESSE DALTON
PV1 DRAKE DEVIN LEE
PFC DUBOIS CAITLYN CORINNE
SFC DUBOISE JAMES BENNETT
SSG DUNCAN AUSTIN LANE
PV2 DUNCAN DILLON JACOB
SGT EASTERLY ERIC CHRISTOPHER
PFC EDWARDS DAYTON LEE
PV2 EDWARDS JUSTIN GRANT

PV1 EKWONYE PRESTON CHUKWUDI
PV1 ELLIOTT BROOKLYNN MCKENZIE
PFC ELMORE GARRETT BLAKE
PFC ERBY ELIJAH CHRISTIAN
PFC ESPINOZA DANIEL JR
SSG EVANS DERRICK VAN
PV1 FALQUEZAROSEMENA JUAN AGUST
PV1 FARMER JAYDA SHAVEY
SSG FIELDS JOSEPH DEAN
PV2 FITZGERALD DOMINIQUE SHAJUA
PV1 FLORES CHRISTIAN ALEXANDER
SSG FLOYD TANNER LYNN
SPC FORD ARIANNA SIMONELARAE
PV2 FOUST JACOB VAN
PFC FOWLER JAYDEN JOSHUA
PV1 FRANKLIN WAYLON JAMES
PV2 FRAZIER JOHNNIE CHARLES
PV2 FRENCH KESHAWN DEUNDRE
PV1 FROST ROBERT LYNN
SGT FURR CHAS AARON
SPC GIGER WILLIAM RYAN
PV2 GILLIAM JIYA ANN
PV2 GIPSON KALEN RASHAD
SGT GLOVER TAVORIS DANIELO
PV1 GOEHLER JACOBY AUSTIN
PV2 GOLDSBY RIAN MARLO
SGT GOWENS JOSEPH WILLIAM
PV1 GRANT CAMERON BLAKE
SGT GREGORY MARVELL
PV1 GWYNNE TYLER JORDAN
PFC HACKNEY AARON JAMES
PFC HALE BAILEY ANNE
PV1 HALL JUSTIN DYLAN
SPC HANNA CHARLES NICHOLAS
SGT HARGETT AMANDA RENEE
PV1 HARRIS ALEXIS HAYLEY
SPC HARRIS DARRIUS DIONTE
PV1 HARRIS MEGAN STARR
PV1 HARRIS STEPHEN WILLIAM
PFC HARRISON FORREST GAGE
PV1 HARRISON HUNTER THOMAS
PV2 HARTSFIELD HOLDEN AARON
PV2 HARWELL DAVID SHANE JR
PFC HENDERSON IASHIA SHAMIR



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PV1 HENDERSON IZANAE NATAYIA
SGT HENDRICKSON KEASEEM DAVID
PV2 HENDRIX ETHAN BENJAMIN
PV2 HENTHORN BRENDEN MICHAEL
PFC HERNANDEZ JESUS ALEXIS
PFC HICKEY BRENDON RAY
PFC HIGGINS KEVONN MARKIST
PV2 HILL JAYLEN JEREALL
SGT HISEK AARON TAYLOR
PV1 HOLLOWAY DMIRYON LEDELL
SPC HOLLOWAY LATREY MARQUISE
PFC HOLMES DEVIN LEWIS
SGT HOMAN CONNER JACE
PV1 HOOPER LOGAN ANDREWLEWAYNE
PV1 HORBES ANDREW NICHOLAS
PV1 HOUSER JACKSON RAY
PV1 HOWARD ERVILEANA EURSHAUN
PV1 HUCKABEE PHILIP AUSTIN
PFC HUGGINS JAMIE LYNN
SGT HUGGINS JASMINE ALAYTRION
SGT HUGHEY DANIEL JACOB
PFC HUNT TYLER JASON
PFC HUTCHINSON CHRISTINE NICOLE
PFC INGRAM PARKER DYLAN
PV1 JACKSON DAKOTA LYNN
PV1 JAHRLING ZACHARY EDWARD
2LT JAMES ANTHONY MAXWELL
PV1 JEFFERSON ANTUWAN JR
PFC JEFFERSON MILTJA KEHRA
SGT JOHNSON JOHN MICHAEL
SGT JOHNSON JOSEPH BULLY
1SG JOHNSON KENNETH
PV2 JOHNSON RANDEKA TERANIQUE
PV1 JOHNSON SAMUEL NAKIAH
SPC JOINER WINTER ROOK
PFC JONES BRYCE HUNTER
PV1 JONES KENNETH RAY JR
PFC JORDAN ARYION LAURICE
PFC JORGENSEN CALEB RICHARD
SPC JOSENBARGER CURTIS E JR
SPC KAPETANIS JORDAN NICOLAUS
SGT KELLY KEVIN COLTON
SPC KERLEY KRISTOPHER KEVIN
SFC KING AUSTIN MORGAN

PV1 KING CHRISTINA ACHANA
PFC KING COURTNEY DEHAVEN
PFC KING NATHAN DEE
SGT KING SAMUELLE LEE
SGT KIRKMAN TRISTAIN BLADE
PV2 KIRKPATRICK JOSHUA HAGAN
PV1 KNIGHT MICHAEL WILLIAM
PV1 KNIGHT TRENT ALLEN
PV1 KNOX BRANDON KALIKOKUAOKALA
SPC KOOTZ PETER JOSEPH
PFC LABOUT VICTOR KIMO
PV1 LAGOS BRYAN OMAR
PV2 LAMB DAYTON NEIL
PV2 LEA JAVIER DEQUAN JR
SGT LEACH KANNON RYAN
PV1 LEE KEVIN LAMAR JR
PFC LEHMANN DAVID CLARK
PFC LERMA ALEJANDRO
PFC LEWIS ADAREUS CHARLES
PV2 LOCKHEART DADRIAN RASHAD
PFC LOPEZ RODRIGUEZ ANTHONY ROBE
SPC LOWRANCE ZACHARY DALE
SPC LUPER KENNETH MICHAEL
SPC MALONE TEMARA JOY
SGT MANGRUM ASHER REGGIE
PV1 MANN NEVLYN ASHLEY
PV1 MARKS LONDON GARCIA
PV1 MARTIN DESIREE LYNN
PV1 MARTIN JASMINE ROSE
SSG MARTINEZ DANIEL JERMAINE
PV2 MARTINEZ HECTOR
PV1 MATHIS MATT WILLIAM
PV2 MAYS ISIAH DAVION
PV2 MCALLISTER DALLAS JAY
SGT MCARTOR CHARLES FRANK
PV2 MCCAIN BOBBY JAMES
SSG MCCORMICK ZACHERY AMON
PFC MCDORMAN NATHANIEL STERLING
PV1 MCELWEE TREVOR JERONE
PFC MCGEE BRANDON LAYNE JR
SPC MCHARGUE NATHANIAL ALEXANDE
PV1 MCINTOSH CHLOE NICOLE
PV2 MCKINLEY JACKSON THOMAS
SGT MCKINLEY JOSEPH EDWARD



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1SG MCMILLAN MARKHAM JESSIE
PV1 MCMULLAN WILLIAM ETHAN
SPC MCMUNN CALEB SETH
SPC MCNEELY JAKAAL TYRONE
PV2 MCWILLIAMS JACOB RYAN
SPC MEALER HUNTER WADE
PFC MEEKS BRANDON MICHAEL
SFC MICHELI KEVIN DEWRIGHT
SPC MILLER CHANEL DENISE
SGT MILLER STEVEN CAMPBELL
PFC MINOR OMAR JAMIL
PV2 MITCHELL MONTEY DRAKEJAWELL
PFC MOFFETT MICHAEL ALLAN JR
PFC MOHR MATTPHEW ALLEN
MAJ MONTGOMERY JASON DANIEL
PV2 MOORE CARTER MICHAEL
PV1 MOORE DEMETRIUS XAVIER
SPC MOORE KINDLE MORGAN
PV2 MORDAHL MARCEL ANDREW
SGT MORGAN CODY EDWARD
PFC MORRIS JACCOB HUNTER
PV1 MORRIS ROBERT AXELL
PV2 MOSELEY CHASE ALEXANDER
PFC MOSELEY TROY HUGH III
PFC MURILLO AMALIA MARICELA
SPC MURPHY JEROME THOMAS
SFC NEELY HOUSTON GARRETT
PFC NEFF CORBIN TAYLORCOOK
PV2 NEWCOMB CHRISTOPHER ANDREW L
SGT NEWMAN MICKEY CARL JR
PV2 NEWMAN TYLER JAMES
PFC NICHOLS JOSHUA WILLIAM
PV1 NORMAN ASHTON LAMAR
PV1 NORRIS ROMAIAH TREMAIN JR
SPC NORTH DILLON JOHN
PV1 OBRIEN KYLER ELDON
SPC ONEAL KYLE WARD
PFC OWNEY KAYALA NICHOLE
PFC PACHECO CRISTIAN DAVID
PV1 PALACIOS EMILY GISELE
SGT PANTOJAALCANTAR ERICK
PV1 PARCHMAN MATTHEW WYATT
SPC PARSON RICKY JOE II
PV1 PATE STEPHEN ALEX
PV2 PAZ JOANA GUTIERREZ
PV2 PEARCE CONNOR SAXON
PFC PEARSON ETHAN RAY
PFC PEARSON KATHRYN MARGARETLEN
SFC PERKINS ANTHONY DANIEL
SGT PERRY RICHARD LANE
PV1 PETTIBONE AUSTIN RYAN
PFC PHAM JACKIE PHU
PV1 PHILLIPS HUNTER WAYNE
PV2 PHILLIPS TATYANA LAFAYE
PV1 PHILLIPS TIMOTHY JAMAL
PV2 PICKLESIMER STEPHANIE ANN
SPC PINA CHRISTOPHER RYAN
PFC PIPKIN TREVOR LAYNE
PV1 POOLE HALEY ALEXISRACHELLE
SGT PRICE TREBEK IKEIDRICK
SGT PRINE BLISSANNE
PFC PROKOPEK ADAM ALEXANDER
PFC QUINN PIERCE ANTHONY
SGT RANKIN ROBERT WALKER
PFC RAYMOND CYRIL JAEON
PV1 RECENZIZ ADOLFE ANGEL
PFC REEDER ANDREW COLE
PV1 REES ALEXANDER MAITLAND L
SSG REEVES JACOB ADAM
PV1 REYES RODRIGO VIDAL
PV1 RICE NIA TYKYNDRA
PFC RICE TAYLOR NIKOL
PFC RICHARD JAMARCUS ZARCHEAUS
PV1 RICHARD RAVEN DENISE
SPC RICHARDSON LANDYN SHANE
PFC RODRIGUEZBARRAGAN OSCAR
SPC ROLLAND JOHN BRANDONRAY
SGT ROLLINS MACKENLIE
PV1 ROTA AARON JUDE
SPC ROWE JQUAN DUNAIL
PV2 RUCKER TRISTA LYNN
PV2 RUNIONS ABIGAIL PAIGEEVA
PV2 RUSSELL BRYKE BRYDON JR
SGT SANDERS DARROYL RAYMOND
PV1 SANDERS JONATHAN MJ
SPC SANDERS SOUKSAVONE NOI
PV1 SCHOOLEYWILLIAMS BRADEN ALA
PV1 SCHOOLEYWILLIAMS JADYN ALEX

PV2 SCOTT AUSTIN MARLER
PFC SEIGRIST ELIJAH JOHN
PV1 SENIOR SKIE NIJAIH
PV1 SHARP CARSON RYLIE
SGT SHEPHERD MASON DAKOTA
PV1 SHUBURTE JAGGER DAVID
PFC SILVAR CHRISTIAN ELIJAH
PV2 SILVAS STEVEN MARK JR
SGT SIMS WILLIAM KALEB
PV1 SMITH ANDREW JERRY
PV1 SMITH JESSE MOSES
PV1 SMITH MILTON RAY
SFC SMITH NICKLAS SHANE
SPC SMITHGAMBLE NICOLE
PV2 SOUKKASEUM JONLEE
SPC SPARKMON JAYLON DEASHUN
SSG SPELLS JASON SCOTT
PV1 STAGGS TYLER LEWIS
CPT STANDRIDGE JULIO JULIAN
PV1 STARBUCK LASHAUN TERRELL
PV2 STARKS LAZASHANIC RENEE
SGT STEVENSON JOSHUA REMINGTON
PV1 STEWART ALYJAH VICTORIA
PV1 STEWART JON PIERRE
PV1 STODDARD JEFFREY LYNN JR
SPC STORMES JUSTIN SCOTT
PV1 STRUBLE DALTON MICHAELISAIA
SPC SUMMERSWOLFENBARGER WILLIAM
SGT SWAYZE CHANCE HUNTER
PFC SYKES JARED JAMES
PV1 TABRON KIERRA KRISTINA
PV1 TAYLOR ARIYALE TAYANA
PFC TAYLOR JOHNATHON MICHAEL JR
SFC TAYLOR KABE GRAISON
PFC TAYLOR ROBERT BUCHANAN
PV2 TAYLOR SEAN DAVID
PV1 TEAGUE JACKSON BRIAN
PFC TERHERST TAMARA JOANN
PFC THOMEN PHELAN CONNER
PV2 THOMPSON LUCAS GRANT
PV1 THOMPSON SARA BETH
SPC THRASHER REBECCA LEIGH
PV1 THROWER CHARLES SHANE II
PV1 THROWER MALIK TREYJUAN

PFC TIDWELL MICHAEL JEVONTE
PFC TILLERY JOSHUA AARON
PV2 TOMBLIN PAYTON PHILLIP
PV2 TOMLINSON WINSTON TYLER
PV1 TORGERSON AVERY JASPER
PFC TOSTON JACORRIOUS DAIVON
SGT TRAMBLE LYSANDER ONEAL
SPC TRAYLOR DAKOTA AUSTIN
SFC TREADWELL TIMOTHY LEMELLE
PV1 TRIVITT TRISTEN JOSHUA
SGT VALDEZ JUAN ASUNCION
SSG VANCE HUNTER BRENNON
PV2 VANG STEVEN NHIATOU
PV1 VIDIMOS HAILEY RENEE
SPC VILLEGAS MURPHY ALEXANDER
PV1 VINCESPRECIADO EMILIO JESUS
PV1 VONGKHAMCHANH ALAYSIA THANH
SGT VOSS DILLON RAY
PV1 WADE JEREMIAH LAFAYATTE
SGT WALDEN DALTON JAMES
PV1 WALKER BRYAN CHRISTOPHER
PV2 WALKER DONTARIO DEYVON
PV1 WALKER GAGE BRENNEN
PV2 WALTHALL IAN GABRIEL
PFC WANIEWSKI LEWIS GREY
PV1 WARD ASHTON RYANJONES
PFC WARE MALEEK DWAN
CPT WASHINGTON ISAIAH JIHAD
SPC WATKINS WILL FRANKLIN
PV1 WATSON KALEB GAVIN
PV2 WATSON NATHANIEL IAN
SPC WATTS DYLAN MICHAEL
PV2 WATTS JUSTIN HOWARD
PV2 WEAVER BENJIMAN FRANKLIN II
PFC WEBB JORDAN TYLER
SGT WEEKS BENJAMIN SCOTT
SGT WENGER BRYAN PATRICK
SPC WEST CALIHAN CHEVALIER
PV1 WETZEL DELLANEISHA NICOLE
PV1 WHITE JONATHAN CAIN
2LT WHITE SAMUEL AARON
SGT WHITEBANTILAN JENNIFER TERE
PV1 WHITEHEAD BRAVINA JOEAUNNA
PV1 WILLBANKS DYLAN PATTON



PROMOTIONS

SPC WILLHITE HOPE NICKOLE
SSG WILLIAMS TIMOTHY RUSS
SPC WILLIFORD STEPHEN MATTHEW
SGT WILSON MATTHEW KELLEY
PFC WINSTEAD DAVID JOSEPH
SSG WINTERS CODY ALAN
CPT WITHERSPOON BENJAMIN COLLIN
PV2 WOODS SETH ALLEN
PV2 WOOTTON JOSHUA DEAN
PV1 WRIGHT SAMANTHA KAY
PFC YARBERRY BRADLEY DAMON
PFC YORK TY EDWARD
PV2 YOUNG SHANELL LEANN
PV2 ZUNO JESUS DARIO

77TH CAB

PV2 ADAMS MARIAH ELISE
PV2 AINSWORTH EMILY GRACE
PV2 ALLMON JUSTIN DEWAYNE
PV1 BAKER LLOYD DAVID
SPC BANKS JALYNN JTYA
PFC BEASLEY BIANCA ROSHAY
PV1 BILLINGSLEY JANNA LARAY
PV1 BONDS JAYLEN ALEXANDER
SPC BROWN MICHAEL JOSEPH
PV2 BURNS AKALAH ARIONA
2LT BURRUS WILL JACKSON
MAJ BUTLER KAMARIOUS TERRELL
SGT CAMPBELL KENYA JENA
PV1 CARSTENSEN SANTIAGO LEEROY
SFC CLAGETT JERRY GERHARD
PFC CLEM MACKENZIE DANIELLE
SGT COLBERT TYRAH MICHELLE
SGT COOK JAMES CHARLES
PV2 CRATER OLIVIA JEWELCLEOPATR
SGT CRAWLEY DEVIN WAYNE
PV1 DALE CHENEL LASHA
PV1 DAVIS AMAURA JACQUEENETTE
SPC DUBOSE JEFFREY CHARLES
PFC EFIRD XAVIER DANIEL
PFC ELEY ANGEL DISHAE
SGT EMERSON EMILY ANGELICA
PV2 EPPERSON COLTON JAMES
PV1 FAIROW MALACHI LETAYANTWON
PV1 GALE ZOE NICOLE

SFC GEORGE JASON DUANE
PFC GILBREATH CHARLES EDWARD
SPC GILES STANLEY DEVONE
CPT GONZALEZ BENJAMIN GEORGE
PFC GRAY SUSANNAH ELIZABETH
PFC GREENE SAMUEL ZACHARY
PV2 GREENWOOD ISAIAH LAMONT
PV1 HARPER ZANE THOMAS
SPC HART MATTHEW JARRYD
PV1 HENCE TIENESHA KEYLANA
PFC HORNE KIERAN DALE
SPC IKNER PAIGE ALEXANDRA
PFC JERNIGAN BLAKE PATRICK
SPC JOHNSON TRAVIS JR
SPC JONES JORDAN RESHAWN LAMAR
SGM JURJENS RAYMOND LESTER
PV1 KENNEDY DYLAN SCOTT
PFC LACKEY TAYLOR WAYNE
CW3 LANKFORD DANIEL EVAN
CW5 LASHBROOK JEREMY SCOTT
PFC MARSHALL BRIAN EVERETT JR
PV1 MAXWELL KELLY MORGAN
PV2 MCGRATH KIMBERLY MARIEANGEL
PV2 MEDINA RODRIGO ALEXIS
SPC MISENHEIMER DILLON CHASE
PV1 MITCHELL BENJAMIN ELI
SPC MITCHELL THOMAS LINDALL
SSG MONTGOMERY RYAN LUKAS
PV2 MORGAN ALEX COLBY
SPC MORRIS HARLEY JOE
SPC MOWDY COURTNEY NICOLE
PFC MUHAMMED ABDUL RAHMAN
PFC NICKSON MARIO TORREZ JR
PV1 PALMA JASON ALEXIS
PFC PETERS KAMRIN DEON
PFC PICKEL GAVIN LEE
SGT PIKER MICAH GENE
CW5 PYLANT BARRY EVERETT
PV1 RANKIN CHRISTOPHER WADE
PFC REED TRENTON RAY
PV1 RICE RAKEEM QUINTRELL
PV1 RIDDICK EMILY JADE
CPT ROBERTS MICHAEL GRAYSON
PV1 ROBINSON TAKYRA SAMONE



PROMOTIONS

PFC ROPER LUKE ERIC
SPC SEALY ALLISAN LATRESE
PV1 SHELLS BRAXTON DEIJON
CW3 SHELTON CORY RAY
PV2 SMITH QUOLONDON MALIK
PV1 SPILLER AUNDREAH MONIQUE
PFC STEWART SETH EDWARD
PFC STUART TY PARKER
PV1 TAYLOR DESTINY LATASHA
SPC TEAGUE COLEMAN AVERY
PV2 TRAVIS TREA LEE
PV2 WATSON AUSTIN TYLER
PFC WEAR ROCCO JIMI
1SG WHEELER MATTHEW AARON
SPC WHITE KAYLEIGH BRIANNE
SPC WILLIAMS ANDREW HARVEY
PV1 WILLIAMS HERNANDEZ MUSTAFA
SGT WOOD SLATON DEANE

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PV2 AGUILARRODRIGUEZ KATHERINE
PV1 ALLBRITTON JOSHUA CHRISTIAN
SGT ANDERSON DOMINIQUE DASHON
SPC AUST RYAN DAVIS
SPC BARKER TARLISHA SHANTE
CPT BAUM DANIEL JOSEPH
PV2 BAYIRD SPENCER DRAKE
SGT BERKSHIRE JUSTIN WENDELL
PFC BLANCO CHRIS ROMAN
SGT BOONE RODNEY EARL II
PFC BRINK EMMANUEL LEE
PFC BRINK LEIGHANN BROOK
PV1 BROOKS DESTINIE UNIQUE
PFC BROWN KENYONNA LASHAY
MAJ BROWNING KRYSTLE FLORINE
PFC CARLOCK JAMES ADAM JR
PV2 CARTER AMBER RENEE
PV2 CARTER NATHAN JARED
PV1 CHEATHAM MIKEASIA MONIQUE
PV2 CLARK ELEECIA MAYUNNA
PFC CLIFFORD ROBERT JAMES
PFC COLLINS CAMRON NOAH
PFC COLLINS TONYA JO
PV1 CONNER TY WAYLON
PFC COOPER MATTHEW CARLIN

PV1 COWLEY CHASE M
SPC CRAIG JUSTYN MIKEAL
PV1 DAVIS RODNEY KINTAY JR
PFC DEAN BRANDYN MIKEL
SPC DOBBINS KYLE MATTHEW
PV1 DOLSON ALLISON MARIE
PV1 DUNLAP JACOB WILLIAMDARWIN
PV1 DUNN CARDAJAH SHANTA
PV1 ENNIS DUSTIN RILEY
PV1 EVANS NATHAN KEITH
SGT EVANS WILLIAM CONRAD JR
SGT FLOYD ANTHONY SCOTT
SPC GARCIA LUIS FRANCISCO
SPC GARVIN AUSTIN LEE
PFC GEORGE MADISON LEE
SPC GILBERT TRISTAN ALLEN
CPT GLAUB ZACHARY COOPER
SPC GRAYHAM RYAN WESLEY
PFC GRISWOLD QUINEYIA DEONNE
PFC GUARDIOLA ADRIAN MICAH
PV1 HARDEN ANDREW DAWSON
PFC HARPER NAJE AYANNAH
SPC HARRIS KAHLIYAH SHARTESE
SPC HATFIELD CLAY JORDAN
SGT HENRICKSON MICHAEL GLENN
PV2 HILL KELLER DAVIS
PV1 HOYLE DAVID KEEGAN
PV1 HUDGINS MADISON LYNN
SGT IVY SHANE ANTHONY
SSG JONES BOBBY LYNN JR
SSG KENT NATHANAEL AARON
PV2 KILGORE JURON MARQUIESE
PFC LANDRETH WESSON JAMES
SPC LAWRENCE TYLOR JOSEPH
PV1 LOMAX HANNAH ELIZABETH
SGT LOTT BAILEY RENEE
PV1 LUNSFORD TONI LEIGH
PV1 LUPER EMILY JOANNE
MSG LUZZI ANTHONY CHRISTOPHER
PV1 MASON MARCUS MARTEL JR
SPC MCCARRELL BILLY JAMES
SSG MOORE ANDREW LAWRENCE
PFC MORALES DIAZ ALEXIS SALVADOR
PV2 MORING TYLER BRADLEY

PV2 MUELLER JUSTIN ALLEN
SGT MUSIC STEPHANIE LAWRIE
SPC MUSSA RYAN LEE
PV2 OTEY ERIC BONNELL JR
SPC PATE THOMAS EUGENE JR
PV1 PATTERSON NAOMI ROSEANN
PV2 PAYNE PAYTON MATHEWCOFFEY
SGT PERKEY AUSTIN DALE
PV2 PERKS TASHAUN ANTAWUN
PFC POLLARD ROBERT GAGE
PV2 QUALLS KYLA BROOKE
PFC QUINN JACKSON TJNATHANIAL
PV1 RALSTON MARQUALL TAVON
PV2 ROACH ALEXANDRA NICOLE
PV1 ROBINSON ZACKYLON MEYKEL
PFC ROMERO JESSICA ISABEL
PFC ROWELL KALEB ANDREW
PV1 RUSSELL GLENDA FAYE
SPC SCHLAFKE ASHLIN ABIGALE
PFC SCOTT CYRUS MAZKEY JR
SPC SEALOCK TAYLOR RAE
SPC SELLERS AARON MATTHEW
SPC SIMMONS CHASE MATTHEW
SGT SIMPSON MARCUS TYRONE
PV2 SLINKARD WILLIAM TELL
PV2 STACEY JESSE RAY
PV2 STINSON JEREMY DALE
PV2 STROUD KENNETH THOMAS
SGT SUCHLAND FORREST MCKINLEY
PFC SWINK CALEB BRADEN
PV1 TATE JAY DAVID
PFC THOMPSON MERLIN ROYCE
SGT THOMPSON NICHOLLETT MARIE
SPC TODD SAMUEL ZANE
PV1 TREESE JORDAN CALVIN
PV2 TROWBRIDGE JOSEPH MICHAEL
SGT VICKERS TAMARR RASHAY
SGT WHARTON MATTHEW ANTHONY
PFC WILLIAMS DEMARRIEN DEONTAE
PV2 WILLS JAMES ARTHUR IV
PV1 WILSON DIAMOND DESHAY
PV2 WILSON MAKAYLA RENEE
SGT WINFREY CHRISTOPHER TYLER
PV1 WOOTEN JOHNATHAN WAYNE

SGT WORD JEFFREY LONDON
PV1 YAUGER NATHAN ROBERT
142ND FAB
PFC ADAMS ROSE EMIRI
SFC ALBERTSON BARNNIE DUSTIN II
PV2 ALCOCER BRANDON
SGT ALTES KAMRON MICHAEL
PV2 ALVAREZDELCASTILLO CARLOS
SPC ARREAGA MARCO ANTONIO
PFC ASCENCIO ISRAEL ARIEL
PFC ATKINSON HUNTER MASON
SGT BAILEY MISTY NICOLE
PV1 BAMBURG FELICA DAWN
SPC BEAVER JOHN WESLEY
PV1 BEAVER KAYLEIGH DAWN
PV2 BELTRAMI CHELSEY LYNN
PV2 BIMBI LOUIS JOHN
SPC BLOUNT HAYLEE KATHERN
PFC BRANNON BENJAMIN HEATH
SGT BROOKS NICHOLAS WAYNE
PFC BROWN AUSTIN LEE
PV1 BRYANT JESSICA LYNN
SPC BURRELL JORDAN TAYLOR
PV2 BURTON DUSTIN CURTIS
PV1 CANTU JADE MARTINA
SFC CAPPs JOSEPH ALAN
PV2 CARRY JAYCE LEE
SPC CENTENO AARON MANUEL
PFC CHRISMAN MICHAEL RYAN
SPC CHRISTENBERRY DALTON SCOTT
PV2 CLARK AUSTIN ARMSTRONG
SPC CLARK COLLIN MICHAEL
PFC COOK JAMES CHRISTOPHER
PFC COOPER TAYLOR MORGAN
PFC COPELAND JOSHUA CLAYTON JR
SPC CRAWFORD CHRISTOPHER DAVID
SSG CRUM ANTHONY WAYNE JR
PV2 CRUZ JENNIFER CLARITA
SSG CULBREATH KENNETH WAYNE JR
PV1 DAVENPORT BENJAMIN AUSTIN
PV1 DERRICK BENJAMIN ALEXANDER
PV1 DIAZ ANGEL ENRIQUE
PFC DISNEY CONNOR MICHAEL
PV1 DONHAM WADE REECE



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SPC DONOHEW BILLY JOE
PV1 DOUGHTY CALEB MICHAEL
PFC EAGLE KYLAR GARRETT
PV2 ECKART DAYLIN LEE
PFC EDGE LOGAN TAYLOR
PV2 ELDER JAMES ALLEN
PV1 ENGLAND BRAYDEN LYNN
PV2 FENG JINHUI
PV1 FOX BLAYTON WILLIAM
PV1 FRAMES JESSE JAMES
SPC GAMMILL TIMOTHY PENSE
PV1 GARCIA MALCOLM MALIK
PV1 GIBSON WILLIAM THOMAS
PV1 GOFF DYLAN DRAKE
PV1 GOMEZ ANA ROSIO
PV1 GREGORY HUNTER GARET
PFC GRIDER TANA ROCHELLE
SPC GRUBBS TREY ALLEN
PV2 GUZMANLOYOLA KATHERINE
PFC HALELYNCH RAYLON RASHARD
SGT HALL AUSTIN JACOB
SGT HARMON JUSTIN JAMES
PFC HEAD BENJAMIN MICHAEL
PV1 HELMICK AARON MICHAEL
PV2 HICKMAN PHILLIP WAYNE
SGT HILL RHETT AUSTIN
PV2 HOLCOMB JOHN ANDREW
PFC HOLLINGSWORTH CAYDEN MAKENZ
PV1 HOLT JERICA MICHELLEANN
SGT HOOD JARED EDWARD
PFC HOOVER MICHAEL DALE
PV1 ISAACKS CALEB LEVI
PV1 JAMES JESSE KEGANTHEODORE
PV1 JOHNSON ALEXANDER DALE
PV2 JOHNSON NATHANIEL RAY
PFC KEYLON TYLOR WAYNE
SSG KING BRANDON KYLE
PFC KONGPHOUTHAKHOUN DILFER
PV1 LONDON WESTON BURKECORDELL
PV1 LAWS TYLER RYAN
MSG LEE DAMON KARL
PV1 LEGGETT ISAIAH WILSHAWN
SGT LEWIS ANDREW ROBERT
PV1 LIANG MENG

PFC LONG JACOB DAVID
SPC LUFF LYNNNA MAE
SSG MARSH KYLE WAYNE
PFC MARSHALL COOPER LEE
PFC MARTINEZ LESLIE
PV1 MCCLAIN CARY DEMITRIUS IV
SPC MCCORMICK CHRISTIAN ZAINE
PV2 MCDONNOR ROBERT RANZE
PV1 MILLER KENDRA LEE
PV1 MITCHELL JACK THOMAS
SPC MITCHELL TRINITY ALISE
SPC MONK ERIC NEIL
PV1 MOSLEY MARCUS ANDREAL JR
PFC MULLIKIN BAYLIE NICOLE
PV1 NARANJO DANIEL ESTEBAN JR
PV2 NEAL TARIN LAMAR
PFC NGUYEN MICHAEL
SSG NOLAN TYLER GLYN
SGT OCAMPO NATANAEL ADAN
PV1 PEDRO GIOVANNI JALAL
PFC PIERSON MICHAEL BRYAN
PV2 PIERSON TRAE DELANO
PFC PIMENTEL DUSTIN CRISANTO
PFC RACE AUSTIN TROY
PV2 RAMIREZ BRYAN FRIAS
PV1 RAMIREZ JOSE ENRIQUE
SPC RAYFORD BRYNTEN AMANDA
PV1 ROBINSON AARON PATRICK
PFC ROBINSON PATRICK EARL JR
PV2 ROMINE JAKOB DUSTIN
SFC RUDELIS ELIJAH RYAN
PFC RUMSEY LOGAN WILLIAM
SFC RUSSELL CHRISTOPHER MICHAEL
PV1 SALAS MADISON E
PV2 SANCHEZ JUAN FRANCISCO JR
SFC SELBY DAVID CHARLES
SPC SEMICHE COREY JAMES
PV1 SHACKELFORD MATTHEW PHILLIP
PV2 SILVERIA MIGUEL JESUS
PFC SNYDER CHRISTIAN MICHAEL
PFC SPYCHALSKI PAIGE NICHOLE
PFC STALCUP ERIN BROOKE
SPC STARKEY DYLAN JACK
PV1 STEPHENS DILLAN SCOTT



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PFC SUTPHIN MICHAEL JAMES
PFC SWAFFORD RAEDIN LASHAY
PV1 TAYLOR RODERICK TORMETRIUS
SFC TEEL BRIAN LEE
PV1 TELLOPIEDRA DANIEL AARON
PFC THOMPSON LOGAN TY
PFC THONGKHAM ANDY PHETSANA
PV1 TURNER ANDREW JACOB
PV2 UNDERWOOD BRANDON LEE
PV2 VASQUEZLAZO LEONARDO
PFC VELARDE JAZMYNE LEANNE
SGM WAGNER MARCUS DWAYNE
SPC WALTERS JOSHUA CALEB
PFC WATKINS JOHN DAVIDRAY
PV1 WEBB KINLEY RAE
SPC WELLS JACQUELINE L
CPT WEYDERT JACOB DOUGLAS
PV1 WHELCHER ELISSA SUE
PFC WILEY MICHA SEAN
PV1 WILLADSEN SARA LYN
PV2 WILLIAMS DAVID AUSTIN
PFC XIONG CHELSEA MAI
PFC XIONG CHRISTOPHER
PV1 YACUBU FASILATU LAMISSI

FORT CHAFFEE JMTc

PV1 BRAZZEAL EMMA KATHRYN
PV2 CHANDLER JARVIS HULEN
PFC FITZHUGH MATTHEW DILLON
SPC PATTON ASHLYN MCKENLEY
SPC RODRIGUEZFLORES EBELY
PFC VELIZ ALEXIS NICOLEF

JFHQ

SSG BARBER DUSTIN FLOYD
CW4 CHARLES CORNELIUS
COL COX DANNY KEVIN
LTC DAVIS JAMES RICHARD
LTC DEAN TIMOTHY DON

CPT HALL CHANCE CHRISTIAN
SGT HARLAN JEREMY WAYNE
MSG HUGHLEYSADLER JESSICA ANN
MAJ HURST RICHARD AARON
MAJ LEAVITT DAYTON RANDALL
SGM MOSLEY LORINE MARIE
MAJ PATTERSON ELIZABETH ASHLEY
CW5 SLADE VICKIE ALFREDA
B G VINES KEVIN LEN
CPT WATSON TODD COOPER

NG MTC

SSG LEWIS JERRUN

MEDCOM

SGT BALLOU BLAKE MICHAEL
PFC BARRETT STEVEN RAMONE
SPC MILLER JOHN CADEN
MAJ PURCHASE CHRISTOPHER JOSEPH
SPC RANSBURG ANTWOINISHA N
SPC STRICKLIN ADAM ASHLEY

REC & RET CMD

PV2 TODD JESSE JEREMIAH
PV2 PUTMAN KIRZA AMELIA
PFC GILL JAMES MORGAN
PV1 DIAZ ETHAN TYLER

ROBINSON MTC

PFC BOWEN NICHOLAS ALEXANDER
SSG CLARK PATRICK RUSSELL
PV1 DOBBINS MARISA TIARA
SSG DODSON JACOB COTY
PFC DOSS DEASIA LANAY
PV1 FUENTES FRANKIE MATTHEW
PV2 HAYS IESHIA JADASOUZANNA
SPC HENDERSON DYANA LYNETTE
PV2 HUBANKS BRADLEY QUENTIN
PFC LEWIS DIAMOND LUCILLE
SPC MOORE TEVON TYRESE
SFC NELSON REGINA DICKERSON

SPC PORTER JAMAR DESHAUN
PV1 REED JEFF ALLAN
PV2 REYNOLDS JAMIE AUSTIN
PV1 TAYLOR ZACHARY MITCHELL
SGT WELLS MATTHEW SCOTT

189TH AIRLIFT WING

SSGT. COLLIER ALLYAH
SRA. LONG ASHLEY
MSGT. MAST CODY
MSGT. STURGIS EBONE
COL. JARA PAUL
BRIG. GEN. ROWLETT JAMES
SRA. BELL ZACHARY

188TH WING

MSGT. BAGBY SETH B
TSGT. BALDUCCI JOHNATHAN S
SSGT. BULLOCK ANNA L
SSGT. CAWTHON CONNOR
TSGT. CULP AUSTIN L
MSGT. CURD TIMOTHY W
LT. COL. GARVEY JAMES T
CMSGT. HARRELL NATHAN E
TSGT. JAMES JEREMY L
MSGT. KEY MORGAN B
TSGT. LOWDER KYLIE A
SSGT. MOELLERS MICHAEL W
SSGT. NEELEY COLTER J
TSGT. PASSEN JORDAN B
TSGT. RAGSDALE ROBERT
SMSGT. RAMSEY MICHAEL M
SMSGT. RITCHIE MICHAEL D
TSGT. RUSSELL AARON
TSGT. SCHEELER SHAWN M
SSGT. SHOFFNER KRISTOPHER S
LT. COL. STEWART JAMES B
TSGT. WILCOX SETH