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## Sheppard AFB and 818th MSAS: Stronger together

By Airman 1st Class Madeleine E. Remillard

Training, developing and inspiring warriors is Sheppard's mission, which goes hand in hand with that of the 818th Mobility Support Advisory Squadron out of Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, New Jersey; to organize, train and equip Airmen executing Air Force operations, strengthening alliances and attracting new partners.

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## 361st TRS student earns ACE award

By Senior Airman Ilyana Escalona

Airman 1st Class Daniel Hawkins, a South Carolina native and 361st Training Squadron aerospace propulsion apprentice went above and beyond during his training. Hawkins completed his training course with a score of 100% on all progress checks and block tests, earning himself the ACE award.

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Train, Develop and Inspire Warriors: Combat Capability Starts Here



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**Contact: SrA Matthew Graves**  
for more information on  
events and ways you can participate

## SAFETY CORNER

## PUBLIC HEALTH MOSQUITO SURVEILLANCE PROGRAM

by A1C Asia Brooks  
82nd AMDS Public Health Flight

Each year when the weather heats up, the Public Health Flight sets mosquito traps in different areas around the base. Female mosquitos require a blood meal to reproduce and are carriers of several types of illnesses. Therefore, Public Health performs surveillance activities to help identify possible vector borne diseases in the local area and determine what parts of the base with high mosquito activity can be targeted for mosquito controls including spraying and larva dunks.



## Gravid Trap



## CDC Light Trap



## BG Sentinel Trap

Each mosquito trap's location is chosen based on a variety of factors including the population at risk and specific areas that attract mosquitos. Mosquito traps are harmless to humans and pets. Do NOT touch it! The placement and set up of the traps are very crucial. The photos above show examples of our traps which may be seen hanging from a tree or in a bucket on the ground. Mosquitos are attracted to the carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) that humans and animals exhale. Therefore, Public Health uses dry ice (which releases CO<sub>2</sub>) as an attractant for the mosquitos which may appear to be "smoke" released from the traps.

Once the mosquitoes are caught, they are brought back to the Public Health office to be sorted then packed for shipping to the Medical Entomology Lab located at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. These mosquitos are tested for diseases such as West Nile, St. Louis Encephalitis and Western Equine Encephalitis. If there are any positive findings, Public Health will notify the local Wichita Falls-Wichita County Public Health District and relay the information to the proper authorities on base.

If you have any questions or concerns please call the Public Health Flight at (940) 676-1874/3052.

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



## AIRMEN AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (A2D2) VOLUNTEERS

- Volunteers to cover CQ duty, drivers and escorts
- Friday and Saturday nights 2030 - 0030
- Drivers and Escorts: Will get a call from CQ at 2030 to verify they are still available to be a driver or an escort. When CQ receives a request for a ride, CQ will call both driver and escort. Driver will pick up escort first, and then pick up requester.
- For CQ: CQ will be at Sheppard INN by 2030 and get an AADD binder from Sheppard INN front desk. The binder has a list of volunteers (driver and escorts) and procedures for CQ. Food will be provided at Sheppard INN for CQ volunteers.
- If you are interested in volunteering please contact HWANG, JAEBEOM SrA USAF AETC 82 CPTS/FO to schedule your shift!

## HUMANE SOCIETY OF WICHITA FALLS

- Seeking energetic volunteers to interact and exercise with second chance dogs and cats who are waiting to be adopted to their new FURR-ever home
- Seeking volunteers with special skills in general facility maintenance (electrical, carpentry, HVAC, etc.)
- Seeking volunteers who are interested in helping to update and manage the Humane Society's Facebook and other social media
- For more information please contact Cheryl Miller at 940-855-4941, email [director@humanesocietyofwichtacounty.org](mailto:director@humanesocietyofwichtacounty.org), connect on Facebook @hsowfc (main page) / @wichitafallspaws (volunteer/donation page), or stop by any time Monday thru Saturday 11 a.m.-6 p.m.: 4360 Old Iowa Park Road Wichita Falls, Texas, 76305.

## FAITH REFUGE

- Volunteers needed for the local homeless shelter for women and children and various projects.
- For more information, contact Sherry Hill at 940-322-4673/2017

## THE UPSIDE

- Volunteer group to assist families who have children with Downs Syndrome.
- Monthly meetings are held with guest speakers to provide information on their services.
- Parents can share experiences with other parents
- For more information email [misti@theupsideWF.org](mailto:misti@theupsideWF.org) or visit the website [www.theupsidewf.org](http://www.theupsidewf.org)

## SATURDAY BUILD DAYS

- Help build a home for a local family
- Every Saturday - 8 a.m.-noon, 1-4:30 p.m.
- Located at designated Habitat Build site
- Scope of work will change each weekend as we complete stages of construction. For more information contact Dan at 940-716-9300 or volunteer at [www.vol-habitat@habitatwf.com](mailto:www.vol-habitat@habitatwf.com)

## WICHITA FALLS COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

- Concerts held throughout the year volunteer times: WFCO rehearses Monday nights at 7 p.m.
- We welcome all musicians (especially strings).
- Formal auditions are not required. Good rehearsals mean good performances although we realize not everyone can attend every rehearsal, we do require a sincere level of commitment.
- To sign up or for more information email [WFCCommunityOrchestra@gmail.com](mailto:WFCCommunityOrchestra@gmail.com) or visit [www.wichitafallscommunityorchestra.com](http://www.wichitafallscommunityorchestra.com)

## PRODUCE EXPRESS BAGS

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



- Help to assemble fresh produce for distribution
- Any Tuesday or Wednesday; Volunteer Times: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Located at 1230 Midwestern Parkway
- For more information email [betsilujan@wfafb.org](mailto:betsilujan@wfafb.org). To sign up call 940-766-2322 or email [wendellgriffin@wfafb.org](mailto:wendellgriffin@wfafb.org)

**Big Brothers, Big Sisters** 940-767-2447 or [wfinfo@bbbstx.org](mailto:wfinfo@bbbstx.org)

**Children's Aid Society** 940-322-3141

**Christmas in Action** 940-696-9393

**Faith Mission** 940-723-5663

**Faith Mission Donation Center** 940-766-0705

**Faith Refuge** 940-322-4673

**First Step** 940-723-1646

**Food Bank** 940-766-2322

**Sheppard AFB Thrift Shop** 940-676-3173 or DSN 736-3173

**Habitat for Humanity** 940-716-9300

**Patsy's House** 940-723-1646

**Boys and Girls Club of Wichita Falls and  
Burkburnett** 940-322-2012

**Read 2 Learn January Jones** 940-235-1009  
or [jbjones@wfid.net](mailto:jbjones@wfid.net)

**Salvation Army** 940-687-2051

**Wichita Falls Adult Literacy Council** 940-  
766-1954

**Wichita Falls Area Food Bank** 940-766-  
2322 [terrymorton@wfafb.org](mailto:terrymorton@wfafb.org)

**Wild Bird Rescue** 940-691-0828 or  
[paige29072@yahoo.com](mailto:paige29072@yahoo.com)

**Whispers of Hope** 940-696-8044





## Recruitment & Cross Training

Are you thinking considering cross training? If you find yourself at a career crossroads, and are interested in learning more about the Manpower career field, give us a call or stop by, we will be glad to discuss it with you further. If you possess a strong desire for outside the box thinking, are currently in a balanced or over-age AFSC, and in the grades of E-4 through E-7, with 4-to-15 years of service, you might be qualified for this opportunity. Contact Jim Getchell at 676-4935 to find out more.

## Finance Office Hours

The Finance Office will be closed for training every third Wednesday of the month beginning on Jan. 16, 2019. Customer service hours on those days will be 1-4 p.m. As a reminder, customer service hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, with Tuesdays from 4-6 p.m. reserved for our AiT population. For more information call 940-676-4866.

## Public Affairs streamlining multimedia work order process

- Support for graphics, video and command information products will begin once an AF IMT 833 is submitted to public affairs by email to 82.trw.pav@us.af.mil. Products approved for public affairs support include still photography, motion photography, audio, video, photo and broadcast journalism products, and graphics as wells as news and feature articles to be published on the Sheppard Air Force Base public website at [www.sheppard.af.mil](http://www.sheppard.af.mil).
- Requesters must complete items 7-12, 16-22, and 24 on the AF IMT 833. Work will not be authorized until the requester completes each field as required. This is to ensure the public affairs staff has the most accurate and descriptive information needed to successfully complete the request.
- Customers needing official photos can call the photo studio at 940-676-6620 or 940-676-2732 to schedule an appointment. An AF IMT 833 will be filled out electronically during the appointment.
- The AF IMT 833 can be downloaded [here](#) or by going to the Public Affairs page on the Sheppard AFB public website. Call 940-676-7239 for more information.





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