



(U.S. Air Force photo by Jerry Penner)

SSgt. John P. Elskamp is greeted by his wife Melda and children when he returned to Pope Tuesday from rotation at RAF Mildenhall, England. The 40th Tactical Airlift Squadron began their return Tuesday from a 65-day deployment to Europe in support of NATO forces there. All members were expected to be back by Monday.

Toys, money needed

3rd MAPS 'adopts' injured girl as Christmas child

By A1C. Andrew Knef

Members of the 3rd Mobile Aerial Port Squadron are trying to make the Christmas of one Fayetteville family beset by personal tragedy just a little brighter.

Six-year-old Latoshia Elliott, the victim of a head-on auto crash Sept. 27, lies in a coma at Cape Fear Valley Hospital in Fayetteville.

Latoshia was one of eight passengers in a car driven by her uncle which was struck by an oncoming vehicle that veered over the center line on Highway 24. Although the driver of the oncoming car was killed at the scene, Latoshia was the most seriously injured of the passengers in the Elliott vehicle.

Lt. Col. Roger C. Reutershan, 3rd MAPS commander, announced his squadron has officially adopted Latoshia as their 1981 Christmas child.

The Recreation Center will serve as the primary point of collection for monetary donations or Christmas toys on Latoshia's behalf.

"She's improving," said Latoshia's mother, Mrs. Mary Elliott. "She still doesn't respond but the doctor thinks she may be able to hear us. I think she can hear my voice anyway."

"Hopefully she'll be awake by Christmas then it will be the best one I ever had."

Latoshia must be turned every two hours to prevent bed sores. Part of her skull was removed to relieve pressure on the brain. Doctors say Latoshia's

condition is improving slowly and are trying to arrange for her to return home for Christmas.

Although she doesn't drive and must depend on rides for transportation, Mrs. Elliott spends every day and some nights at the hospital. She is a single parent and says the accident has placed a financial hardship on the family.

"I never went through anything like this," said Mrs. Elliott. "I hope I never will have to again."

First Lt. Jim Gray first heard about the accident while driving in his car. He later visited Latoshia at the hospital.

"When Lieutenant Gray came into the hospital with flowers, he just made my day," Mrs. Elliott recalled.

Lieutenant Gray passed on the story of Latoshia to his commander, Colonel Reutershan, who came up with the idea of making Latoshia the 3rd MAPS Christmas child.

"Obviously here is a little girl that had nothing to do with the tragedy she is involved in," the colonel said. "All 3rd MAPS is doing is trying to help the family get through the holiday."

The commander said that the squadron has already presented Mrs. Elliott with \$50 and a few Christmas toys and plans to contribute more. He added that squadron people plan to visit Latoshia as she continues to recover.

Anyone wishing to visit Latoshia may do so in room 502 at Cape Fear Valley Hospital. Checks should be made payable to Latoshia Elliott in care of 3rd Mobile Aerial Port Squadron.

96.4

Pope's high reliability rate continues through November

With an overall controlable reliability rate of 96.4 for ontime takeoffs, Pope once again led the way in the Military Airlift Command for November.

These figures are based on 907 departures with 39 delays. Despite one squadron having deployed to RAF Mildenhall on rotation, Pope had the most departures of any wing in the command.

Pope reliability rate Nov. 1-30

Aircraft type	Departure	Delay	Early	controlable rate
Enroute C-5	18	2	8	94.4
C-130	204	5	8	97.5
C-141	184	12	70	95.1
Home C-130	79	3	6	96.2
Training C-130	411	16	10	96.5
Total	907	39	105	96.4

As compared to other MAC bases

McGuire	Departures	Reliability	Norton	Departures	Reliability
Total	511	86.8	Total	366	86.8
Travis			Little Rock		
Total	480	86.4	Total	686	88.3
Dyess			McChord		
Total	440	96.1	Total	186	87.2
Rhein-Main			Charleston		
Total	468	83.7	Total	554	89.1
Dover			Clark		
Total	368	88.0	Total	269	91.0

At a glance

Black history play rehearsals begin

Rehearsals begin Dec. 19 at the Base Theater at 8 a.m. for the Black History Week youth night.

The boys and 10 girls from 5-8 years old are needed to perform the main acts. The children will be taught any singing, dancing and modelling as required by the parts. Young people are also needed to be emcees, ushers, ect. To register a child for the program, contact Linda Nicholas, 394-4741; Mary Clark,

394-2437; or Barbara Jetter, 864-1643. The child's full name, age, sex, parent's name and telephone number will be required.

DUIs

Year to date 69
Dec. 1-8 2

71

Dining hall closes for remodeling

Building 717, The Airlifter Inn, will close after the midnight meal, Dec. 18, for renovations scheduled to be completed in July, 1982.

The dining hall will be completely remodeled, in the southern plantation style, according to Food Service Officer, Mr. R.H. Kanmerer. Planned renovations include new windows, refrigeration and "Casablanca" fans.

Current plans call for work to begin on the Hercules Inn dining hall when the Airlifter Inn is completed in July.

The following holiday schedule will be in effect for the Hercules Inn: Dec. 19-Jan. 3 no carry out service will be available. The in-flight kitchen will maintain normal operations.

Dec. 19-Jan. 3 except Christmas day

Breakfast Lunch Dinner
5:30-8:30 a.m. 10:30-1 3-6 p.m.

Midnight breakfast Midnight snack
11 p.m.-1 a.m. 11 p.m.-1 a.m.

Christmas Day schedule

Breakfast Lunch and Dinner
5:30-8 a.m. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Midnight breakfast Midnight Snack
11 p.m.-1 a.m. 11 p.m.-1 a.m.

After Jan. 4 the Hercules Inn will resume its normal schedule of

operations including carry out service.

Pope AFB—"We put the Air in Airborne"

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Briefs

Career potential seminar

The best strategies and latest knowledge for changing careers will be the subject of a seminar Jan. 12 in the Traffic Safety Classroom (Bldg. 180), 1-4 p.m.

The program will help develop career self-reliance and avoid costly mistakes in up-coming career decisions, according to Dr. Keener M. Smathers, a Ph.D. career consultant, business executive and educator, will conduct the seminar.

Subjects to be covered include techniques for assessing your best skills, your most transferable skills and determining the job you want, how to make contacts that lead to jobs, the best approaches to the job interview, writing resumes and negotiating pay. A

take-home guidebook offers other resources.

Comptrollers meet

The Sandhills Chapter of the American Society of Military Comptrollers met Nov. 17 at the Pope Officers' Club.

Lee Neuhring was the guest speaker. The American Society of Military Comptrollers is a professional organization of members interested in the fields of finance, accounting, audit, budget, cost, management, economics and manpower. Guest speakers from the military and civilian communities educate the membership in aspects of resource management during the monthly meetings.

For more information, contact 1st Lt. Peggy Dionne, Ext. 2581.



Mystery gifts

Jean Kennedy and SrA. Karen Hoylman, Suggestion Office, check out the large mystery boxes which Santa Claus left in the Base Suggestion Office. The gifts have no names on them but are known to be valued at \$100. They will be given to the person who makes the most eligible suggestions between Dec. 1-23 and to the 100th suggestor this month. Other gifts are waiting for all suggestors. (U.S. Air Force photo by Dave Davenport)



(U.S. Air Force photo by Sally Pender)

Col. Jerry Angell, 317th Combat Support Group commander, and 2nd Lt. Rosemarie Brotchie, chief of Quality Force run volksmarch course

Volksmarch attracts 80 people

About 80 people took part in the Tarheel Trampers' first Volksmarch here Dec. 5-6.

Walkers included, Col. Jerry Angell, 317th Combat Support Group commander, Col. Thomas Stiles, 317th CSG deputy commander, several Boy Scout groups and three people from Virginia.

Volksmarchers had a choice of traveling either a 10 or 20 kilometer course which started at the base Bowling Center. After completing the noncompetitive walk, participants received commemorative medals.

Pope's first introduction to Volksmarching was June 6-7 when 50 people turned out for Global I, an Air Force sponsored event.

Since then, the Tarheel Trampers have formed and been sanctioned by the American Volksmarch Association and the International Federation of Popular Sports in Germany.

The club is free and the first meeting will be in late January. The Trampers are planning another volksmarch for May and Global II will be in September.

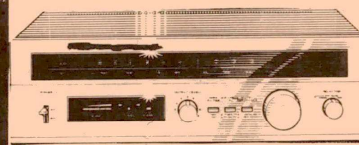
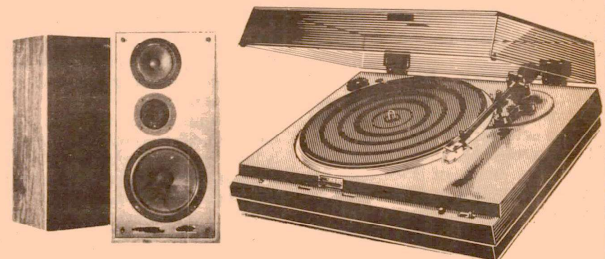
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Editorials

Tax dollars versus Air Force resources

By Lt. Col. Guy D. Knight

Have you ever sat down and mentally traced the long trail from the taxes you pay to the resources that you use each day in performing your job?

When you complain about the taxes you pay, do you ever think about how you can save some of the items your taxes buy?

It is human nature to complain and

it has become just as natural to consider Air Force resources as an unending supply.

Anyone who is remotely aware of the ever increasing fight for resources in personal and government life should be concerned about protecting and conserving what we get. Unless you have a double standard, you should apply the same standards concerning your job environment as you do in conducting your home life.

How do you react when someone steals from your home? How do you react when someone wastes your food or utilities? How do you feel when someone abuses your car or tools that you have loaned them?

Now—How do you react when similar things happen at work? Can you apply that same thinking and concern to your Air Force responsibilities?

There has always been efforts to

eliminate fraud, waste and abuse, but now there is an increased interest to achieve this goal because of the continued decrease of resources.

The Air Force continues to lose considerable resources through fraud, waste and abuse as evidenced by security police reports, legal cases, management reports, etc.

It is not only for the security police, OSI and commanders to enforce our standards, it has been proven in every situation from the preservation of democracy to sporting events that when every member of the team participates the job is accomplished easier and quicker.

Are you doing your part? It is easy to take the cynical approach that our little part will not have any effect but that will not help us in any way.

There are as many ways to lose money, supplies, people and time as

the imagination can come up with, but it takes people to do the damage and people can stop the loss.

Are you aware of any way that you can reduce fraud, waste or abuse?

Ask the questions: Is this contributing to the mission in the best way possible? Would I do it this way if it was my money/resources?

It may be realistically impossible to completely eliminate all fraud, waste and abuse; but if we would only take the time to analyze our operation, we would certainly recognize some potential savings. After all, it is your tax dollars.

If you have any ideas or actions to report, consult your supervisor, commander or the Inspector General. All Operational Readiness Inspections and Management Effectiveness Inspections now include a fraud, waste and abuse conference period.

Holidays heighten fire risk

The approach of the holiday season brings an increased fire hazard from Christmas trees and associated items,

according to Base Fire Department officials.

They advise that extra care should be taken in the purchase, installation and use of decorative materials. The information below will help to reduce the potential for accidental fires around the home or work area.

- Decorations and wrapping should not be left to accumulate in the home.

- Do not use lighted candles around your Christmas tree.

- No type of electrical lights should be used on aluminum Christmas trees.

- Make certain all tree lighting is off before retiring for the night.

- Avoid using multiple sockets as they could overload the circuit.

- If purchasing a natural tree, make certain it is fresh and green. Place the tree in a cool location with its base in water.

Before setting the tree in water, make a fresh cut diagonally across its

base.

- The tree should never be positioned near a radiator, warm air duct, fireplace, television set or other heat producing source.

- Be careful about combustible decorations. Cotton, paper and angel hair are highly flammable.

- Do not run drop cords under the carpet or staple to walks or baseboards.

Continuing enthusiasm

By Col. Albert A. Gagliardi Jr.
Fairchild AFB, Wash.

While returning from a conference, I found myself on a commercial airliner with about 75 recent graduates from the Basic Military Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

I was impressed.

The young enlistees looked sharp in

their Air Force uniforms, and their attitude was nothing less than infectious. As I was also in uniform, virtually all greeted me with a "Good morning, sir." Their enthusiasm was evident as they were off to their technical schools and future Air Force careers.

As I sat on the airplane, I began to reflect on my own relatively recent assignment at Lackland when I used to watch the "rainbows" arrive. The young recruits are often called rainbows because of the multicolored clothes they wear upon arrival at BM-TS. I thought of the remarkable

change that occurs from day one to the day they pass in review for graduation.

What happens to some of them? Where does their enthusiasm go? Why do some get behind the eight ball and are eventually discharged? Is it their fault or does much of the fault lie with us?

As commanders and supervisors, do we demand high standards? Do we show concern and interest in their problems? Do we command respect? It's too easy to greet them when they arrive and pass on all the negatives and ways to beat the system.

Are we positive? Do we tell them the good things about the Air Force? Do we explain problems and how we should work constructively to remedy them? Do we teach them that often there are things we personally dislike but must accept?

I firmly believe that if you give young Americans something to shoot at, they'll hit it. However, if you give them nothing to shoot at, they'll hit that, too.

I think they're ready. Are we?

You're going to have a rotten day when...

- Your birthday cake collapses from the weight of the candles.

- You turn on the news and they're

showing emergency routes out of the city.

- Your twin sister forgot your birthday.

- You wake up and discover your waterbed broke and then realize you don't have a waterbed.

- Your car horn goes off accidentally and remains stuck as you follow a group of Hell's Angels on the freeway.

- Your boss tells you not to bother to take your coat off.

- The bird singing outside your window is a buzzard.

- You wake up and your braces are stuck together.

- You walk to work and discover your dress is stuck in the back of your pantyhose.

- Your blind date turns out to be

your ex-wife.

- Your income tax check bounces.

- You put both contact lenses in the same eye.

- Your pet rock snaps at you.

- Your wife says, "Good morning Bill" and your name is George.

Courtesy of (que Pasa).

A sign from above

By SrA. Tanya L. Lairamore

While driving around base in the last few weeks, you may have noticed a large sign with a picture of an odd-looking thermostat on it.

Just in case you were wondering, the sign is designed to show us how well we're doing on energy conservation this winter.

The thermostat dial is divided into a positive (green) and a negative (red) side. As long as the arrow on the dial is

pointing to the green side, we're doing O.K. If it moves over to the red side—well, just try harder.

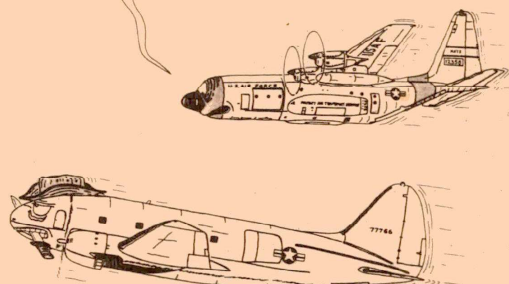
Right now the little arrow is over on the green side. At the last accounting, Nov. 30, we had used 10.8 percent less heating fuel than last year at this time. Two weeks before that, we were 12 percent over last year's usage.

Energy usage is figured every two weeks and is adjusted according to how cold the weather has been. Then it is compared to last year's figures and the result is posted on the sign. The sign is moved around base to various prominent locations so that everyone gets a chance to see it.

If everybody pitches in and saves energy, in the spring we'll get our just reward. If over a five-month period from November-March we use 10 percent less heating energy than last year, there will be a big party for everybody on base.

So, keep up the good work. Keep a watch out for the energy use sign and let's have that party this spring.

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Play to be staged in January

Pope Players rehearse 'Butterflies Are Free'

By A1C. Andrew Knef

The Pope Players are deep in rehearsals for their next production, *Butterflies Are Free*, to be staged sometime in January.

The bitter-sweet comedy, by Leonard Gershe, is about a young blind man's struggle to establish independence from his domineering mother while experiencing his first emotional relationship with a young actress.

Cast members are D.J. Aylor as Don Baker, Gena Antley as actress, Jill Tanner, Michael Betts as Ralph Austin and Maggie Davenport as Mrs. Baker.

The play's director Robbie Salak said that the Pope Players' biggest need is for technical people to help with stage handling, lights, costumes and sets.

"These people are just as important to the success of a show as the actors,"

Ms. Salak said. "I know that there are many people on this base that have been involved in high school or college productions. If we could generate some interest we could put out a product that the whole community would be really proud of. We need people in all fields of little theater."

Ms. Salak believes that the cast for *Butterflies Are Free* is the strongest yet for a Pope Players production.

"Acting-wise it's going to be a super strong cast," she said. "We have a solid core of people but we are lacking in technical expertise."

Ms. Salak believes strongly that the Pope Players can be a valuable cultural resource for the whole Pope community, given sufficient support.

"This is something that is needed on base. You don't have to be terribly experienced to take part, you just have to have the desire to help."



(U.S. Air Force photo by A1C. Andrew Knef)

Gena Antley (from left), D.J. Aylor, Michael Betts and Maggie Davenport rehearse *Butterflies Are Free*

Service groups help holiday travelers

As service members make holiday travel plans, service organizations are ready to unspool travel snags, answer questions and provide temporary rest stops, Military Traffic Management Command officials report.

The United Service Organizations, Inc., maintains courtesy lounges around the country for service members moving through airports. Lounges are located in Atlanta; Chicago; Cleveland; Columbus, Ohio; Philadelphia; San Francisco; Seattle; St. Louis; and Washington, D.C. Overseas lounges are available in Honolulu and Frankfurt, West Germany.

Some lounges offer baby-sitting, nursery and interpreting services. The Honolulu lounge also provides sleeping facilities for stranded travelers.

USO information desks are available at airports in Colorado Springs, Colo.; Los Angeles; Oakland, Calif.; Orlando, Fla.; Andrews AFB, Md.; and Seoul, South Korea. Hours of operation vary, but most are open during heavy traffic hours.

The Service Members Center, Inc. of Minneapolis is located at the ticketing center at Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport, on a 24-hour-a-day, year-long basis. The center offers free services, including refreshments, game room and sleeping area.

Members with problems in scheduling local transportation, shortage of funds, or expiration of leave time may get help at the military information desks located in most major U.S. air terminals. Members may also seek assistance from the nearest military installation, regardless of branch of service.

The American Red Cross, Traveler's Aid and various other USO centers listed in local telephone directories are also available to assist military travelers.

Service members are encouraged to report excellent service or travel deficiencies to the Military Traffic Management Command on DD Form 1341. The forms are preaddressed, postage prepaid and available at local installation transportation offices.

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MENU PLANNER

The Diet Center Menu Planner is for dieters who are interested in total nutrition as well as losing excess weight. All the recipes featured here are formulated for dieters on our Reducing Program.

Women need 46 grams of protein and men need 55 grams

STUFFED CHICKEN BREASTS

4 skinned and boned chicken breasts (Four, 4-oz. servings)
1 recipe Sage Dressing

Pound breasts until flat. Place 1/2 recipe of dressing in the center of each breast and roll up. Wrap each breast in foil. Bake for 50 minutes at 350°.

Yield: 4 servings. Each serving = 1 protein and 1/2 bread serving.

SAGE DRESSING

4 Wassa Brod Crackers (Lite Rye)

1/2 cup water (or more)

2 tsp. onion, minced

2 tsp. mushrooms, minced

2 tsp. celery, minced

Dash of sage, buttery flavor salt, and pepper

Crush crackers. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Dressing should be reasonably moist but not sticky.

Yield: 4 servings. Each serving = 1/2 bread serving.

"FRENCH-STYLE" GREEN BEAN MEDLEY

3 cups "French-Style" green beans

1 cup mushrooms, sliced

1 tsp. onion, minced

Buttery flavor salt, pepper and garlic powder to taste

In a heavy pot, combine all ingredients and simmer over low heat, steaming vegetables until tender.

Yield: 4 servings. Each serving = 1 cup cooked vegetable.

NOTE: Diet Center suggests you use fresh or frozen foods rather than canned.

JELLED APPLE-BERRY SURPRISE

1/2 cup frozen strawberries

1/2 cup frozen raspberries

1/2 cup frozen blueberries

1/2 cup diced apples

1/2 cup lemon juice

2 pkgs. unflavored gelatin

1/2 tsp. nutmeg

Dash of artificial sweetener

Thaw frozen fruit and reserve juice. Add to juice enough water and lemon juice to equal 4 cups liquid. In a medium-size pan, sprinkle unflavored gelatin over the 4 cups liquid. Let stand 2 minutes. Heat gently until all gelatin is totally dissolved. Cool slightly. Stir in fruit, nutmeg and sweetener. Pour in 2-cup mold and refrigerate until firm.

Yield: 4 servings. Each serving = 1/2 fruit serving.

BRAN APPLE MUFFINS

1 egg

8 tbsp. unprocessed bran

1/2 cup water

1 small apple, grated with peel

Dash of cinnamon, nutmeg

Dash of artificial sweetener

1/2 tsp. vanilla

Put egg and water in blender, blend until frothy. Add remaining ingredients and blend well. Spray 4 muffin cups with Pam and fill with batter. Bake at 350° for 15 minutes.

Yield: 4 servings. Each muffin = 2 tbsp. bran and 1/2 fruit serving.

STRAWBERRY PARTY DRINK

2 cups frozen, unsweetened strawberries

2 cups mineral water, chilled

1/2 cup fresh lime juice, chilled

1 tsp. artificial sweetener (or adjust amount to taste)

Place chilled mineral water, chilled lime juice and artificial sweetener in blender. Add frozen strawberries and blend at high speed.

Yield: 4 servings. Each serving = 1/2 of 1 fruit serving.

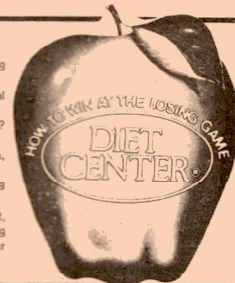
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DIETER'S CHECKLIST

If you are considering any reducing diet, you should use the following checklist in evaluating it.

1. Does the diet focus on changing eating habits, or just a rapid, initial weight loss?
2. Does the diet have a basic balance of carbohydrates, fats and proteins?
3. Does the diet allow enough food choices to prevent monotony?
4. Can the diet be adjusted to your personal needs (i.e., hypoglycemia, pregnancy, children)?
5. Does the diet provide you with guidelines for nutritional, lifetime eating habits?

Does the reducing diet that you have chosen follow these guidelines? If not, for the sake of your health, we suggest you re-evaluate your current reducing program. Remember, before beginning any diet, you should consult your personal physician.



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Bocompani wins yard of year for second year in succession

For the second year in succession TSgt. and Mrs. Peter Bocompani have been named winners of the yard of the year competition for the Hillcrest housing area.

Col. Jerry Angell, 317th Combat Support Group commander, presented American flags and special achievement awards to each of the winners in the three housing areas.

Other winners were SMSgt. and Mrs. Lacy R. Leffel, 65 Provider Circle from the Cardinal Heights area and Maj. and Mrs. Kenneth Snyder, 25 Globemaster, from the Officers' housing area.

These occupants were chosen for their exceptional efforts in maintaining their grounds surrounding their quarters in the military family housing area.

The Bocompani's agreed that more attractive incentives had increased the

level of competition in all the neighborhoods on base.

"We would keep our place up anyway," Sergeant Bocompani said. "We really enjoy it. On weekends the children help with the weeding."

"Pope is a highly visible place," added the non commissioned officer in charge of emergency services. "When dignitaries tour Pope they always come through the housing areas. It's nice to have the housing areas looking as good as the rest of the base."

Sergeant Bocompani credits his wife for keeping their yard in top shape.

"A housing area like this can go downhill fast if people don't keep their yards up," said Mrs. Bocompani. "The homes here are very modern compared to those on most bases. We like to do our part."



Yard of year

Col. Jerry W. Angell, 317th Combat Support Group commander, presents the special achievement award for yard of the year to TSgt. and Mrs. Peter Bocompani, Jr. and their daughter, Natalie. (U.S. Air Force photo by Dave Davenport)

Impact aid loss causes tuition bills

While some school districts may be hoping to collect tuition from federal dependents to make up for impact-aid cuts, Air Force legal officials say the Department of Defense will fight to protect its people.

Threats to charge tuition to federal dependents persist, legal officials say. Some school districts, motivated by cuts in federal impact aid and sometimes assisted by state laws, have started collecting information on the legal residence of the parents of school-aged children. A few have even established tentative tuition rates and notified parents. The rates range from one dollar to several thousand dollars.

In the Pope-Fort Bragg area, no tuition bills have been sent out, but school boards have gathered preliminary information regarding residency for billing, according to Maj. Harmon Massey, base staff judge advocate.

Secretary of Defense, Caspar W. Weinberger has restated his position that "no soldier, sailor, airman or Marine will be forced to pay tuition for the public school education of his or her dependents. The Department of Defense will take every possible measure and use all available legal steps to prevent the imposition of any tuition charges."

At the request of the Defense Department, the Department of Justice has filed suit against the State of Virginia and two of its local school boards over plans to charge tuition under a new state law.

"Should members receive bills for tuition, they should bring them to the Base Legal Office," said Major Massey.

Holiday space a travel

People traveling by military space available flights during the Christmas season should be sure to pack a uniform in their luggage, according to Passenger Service officials.

Military Airlift Command does not require that a uniform be worn by space A travelers, but other commands do require a uniform for their flights. During the Christmas season when more military people are traveling by space A, the likelihood of having to take a hop from another command increases.

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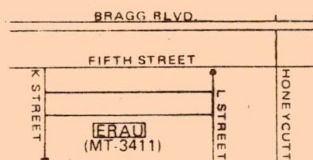
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These are 4 credit hour courses offered as specified electives towards an Associate in Professional Aeronautics Degree. Courses are oriented toward the experienced but unlicensed military aircraft mechanic.

For further information call the Resident Center at 436-3188/5005, or visit it



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Happenings

Cinema schedule

Friday: Under The Rainbow (PG) 7:30 p.m. Special agent Chevy Chase is pitted against the German and Japanese high commands, 1,000 midgets, and much more in this outrageous comedy caper.

Saturday: Where Time Began (G) 2 p.m. In 1898 in Hamburg, Germany, professor Kenneth More is browsing in an old book store when he finds a coded map written in Old English.

Hardly Working (PG) 7:30 p.m. Jerry Lewis is a free-spirited circus clown who finds himself unemployed at middle age when the circus closes down.

Sunday and Monday: Eye of the Needle (R) 7:30 p.m. The tale of a deep-cover German spy during WWII.

Tuesday: The Incredible Shrinking Woman (PG) 7:30 p.m. Lily Tomlin stars in this contemporary comedy as Pat Kramer, a sublimely happy suburban housewife whose perfect existence is suddenly jolted with the unsettling news she is becoming smaller each passing day.

Wednesday: The Howling (R) 7:30 p.m. Dee Wallace is a courageous TV news reporter who has a nervous breakdown and goes to a California rest resort with her husband. They discover the resort is inhabited by werewolves.

Thursday: Endless Love (R) 7:30 p.m. Newcomer Martin Hewitt plays the midwest high school student whose all-consuming love affair with beautiful Brooke Shields affects everyone around them.

Officers Club

Friday: Prime rib special in the Dining Room from 6-9 p.m. Live entertainment in the lounge from 8 p.m.-midnight.

Saturday: Ladies night. Two-for-one steak dinner from 6-9 p.m. All beverages 80 cents. D.J. in the lounge from 8 p.m.-midnight.

Sunday: A la carte breakfast from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Monday: Shrimp platter special from 5:30-9 p.m.

Tuesday: Boneless breast of chicken special from 5:30-9 p.m.

Thursday: Mongolian barbecue from 5:30-9 p.m.

Youth Center

Friday: Pre-teens 50's dance from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Saturday: Teen dance with live band from 7-11 p.m.

Monday: Movies for pre-teens from 3:30-5 p.m. Free popcorn will be served.

Wednesday: Open house from 3-7 p.m.

Thursday: Arts & crafts for pre-teens from 3:30-5 p.m.

The Youth Center is taking registration for basketball. Anyone interested call Ext. 4512 or come by the center to sign up.

Rec Center

Friday: "Solar," an Air Force showcase presentation, will play variety music from 8 p.m.-midnight. The show is free.

Saturday: Free bus leaves at 9:30 a.m. for the convenience of Pope people who wish to see the Fayetteville Christmas parade which begins at 10 a.m. Advance sign-up is required.

Sunday: No Dungeons and Dragons, pool or pinocle tournaments due to the Catholic Christmas celebration which begins at 1 p.m.

Monday: A Star Trek episode, "Shore Leave" will be shown free at 8 p.m. Popcorn and punch will be served.

Tuesday: Rehearsal for the Christmas variety show will begin at 5 p.m.

Wednesday: Newcomers' orientation and new wives' welcome begins at 7:50 a.m.

Free Christmas variety show and family Christmas party starts at 6 p.m. Everyone on base is invited to watch the entertainment, participate in the games and enjoy the refreshments. This is jointly sponsored by the Recreation Center, Child Care Center, and Youth Center.

Thursday: Two football films, "Forever Football" and "Seconds to Play" will be shown free at the recreation center at 8 p.m.

Dec. 20 is the final date to enter the base level talent contest. This is the first step toward "Tops in Blue" and will be Jan. 7.

Single airmen may have Christmas gifts wrapped free at the Recreation Center every day from 4-6 p.m. until Dec. 23.

NCO Club

Friday and Saturday: Rick Diamond plays from 9 p.m.-1 a.m.

Sunday: Membership appreciation buffet from 1-5 p.m. Members and spouse or date free. Guests and children, 2 years old and up, at a nominal fee.

Wednesday: Appalachian band plays western music from 8 p.m.-midnight.

Black and white tokens must be redeemed by Dec. 31.

Tickets are now on sale for the New Year's Eve ball.

Free tickets for current members are available for green fees and golf carts at a reduced rate and for free bowling. Pick up the cards at the cashier's window.

Dial 497-6955 for menus and entertainment information.

Art show

An art show will be held at the Multi-Purpose Workshop, Bldg. 373, Sunday, Dec. 13 from 2-4 p.m. On display will be arts works from students of Bob Ray, local artist and Fayetteville Technical Institute instructor. A new class for beginner oil painting is scheduled to start Jan. 15 from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. For additional information call 394-4192.

Commissary hours

Following is the holiday schedule for the Fort Bragg commissary and Pope annex. Normal operating hours will be in effect except for Dec. 24.

	Main Store	Mallonee Village	Pope Annex
Dec. 23	open	open	open
Dec. 24	open (till 6 p.m.)	open (till 6 p.m.)	open (till 4 p.m.)
Dec. 25	closed	closed	closed
Dec. 26	open	open	closed
Dec. 27	open	closed	closed
Dec. 28	open	closed	open
Dec. 29	closed	open	open
Dec. 30	open	open	open
Dec. 31	open	open	open
Jan. 1	closed	closed	closed
Jan. 2	open	open	closed

FSU holds spring registration

The Fort Bragg-Pope Center of Fayetteville State University will conduct registration for term III and the Spring semester weekend and noontime programs at the University Center, Bldg. 2-1718 on Armistead Street.

The following schedule will be in effect:

	Term III
Pre-registration	Now-Dec. 18
Registration	Jan. 4-8
Late registration	Jan. 11-12
Last day to drop/add	Jan. 12
Term begins	Jan. 11
Term ends	March 9
Holiday	Jan. 1

	Spring Semester Weekend Program
Pre-registration	Now-Dec. 18
Registration	Jan. 4-9
Late registration	Jan. 15-16
Last day to drop/add	Jan. 16
Semester begins	Jan. 11
Semester ends	April 24
Holiday	None

	Spring Semester Noontime Program
Pre-registration	Now-Dec. 18
Registration	Jan. 4-8
Late registration	Jan. 11-12
Last day to drop/add	Jan. 15
Semester begins	Jan. 11
Semester ends	April 30
Holiday	None

Saturday opening

The Clothing Sales Store will be open for Saturday sales Dec. 12 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Police blotter

Nov. 26

12:20 p.m.--A technical sergeant reported that while operating his vehicle on Buntner Road, someone threw a rock from the housing area and struck his vehicle. The damage was minor.

4:52 p.m.--A technical sergeant reported that someone had entered his insecure quarters and removed several bottles of liquor.

8:55 p.m.--A Security Police patrol apprehended a person who had been barred from the base. He was detained at the Law Enforcement Desk until federal marshalls arrived.

Nov. 27

2:31 a.m.--Two airmen first class were apprehended by Fort Bragg military police for driving without a license, speeding and eluding apprehension.

12:50 p.m.--A colonel reported that he had found a bicycle in the wooded area adjacent to Globemaster Drive.

5:11 p.m.--A technical sergeant reported that someone had removed his son's bicycle from the carport of his quarters on Starlifter Drive. The bicycle was secured at the time.

9:17 p.m.--A master sergeant was apprehended in Fayetteville for driving under the influence after being involved in an accident.

Nov. 29

12:38 a.m.--A Security Police walking patrol notified the Law Enforcement Desk that someone had damaged property in Bldg. 284. Investigation resulted in the apprehension of an airman first class.

1:29 a.m.--The wife of an Air Force member requested assistance due to a dispute with her husband. The individual's first sergeant was contacted and assumed control of the situation.

11:55 a.m.--Two Army members were apprehended for use and possession of a controlled substance/marijuana when the Gate 3 sentry made a check of the individual's identification cards.

2:45 p.m.--The Gate 3 sentry apprehended a civilian employee for use and possession of marijuana when the individual was stopped for an identification check.

7:45 p.m.--A staff sergeant and an Army member's wife were apprehended for shoplifting at the Fort Bragg Main Exchange.

11:35 p.m.--An airman first class reported that someone had entered his secured room in Bldg. 282 and had removed his stereo, camera and various personal papers.

Nov. 30

5:17 a.m.--A sergeant reported that someone had damaged his vehicle which was parked in the lot of Bldg. 285.

3:03 p.m.--A chief master sergeant reported that someone had sprayed paint on his vehicle which was parked in the lot of Bldg. 289.

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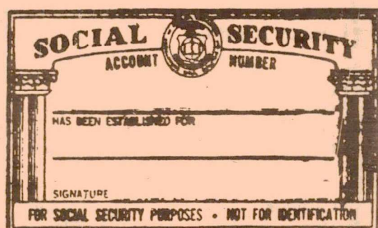
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Santa to visit Pope!!!



Old Saint Nick will take a pre-Christmas ride through Pope housing areas Dec. 12 at about 9 a.m. Afterward, he will go to the Youth Center from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. to greet all the children of Pope employees.

Mrs. Claus has checked his schedule and his elves have informed us that they will be taking reservations for Santa to visit all on-base children at their homes upon request. So, quick, call 394-2636 or 394-4512 to have Santa visit with you before he starts his Christmas ride.



Season's Greetings from
your MWR Staff

MWR Christmas Schedule

Gym

Dec. 24 Open until 5 p.m.
Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 Closed
Dec. 31 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Bowling Center

Dec. 24, 25 and Jan. 1 Closed
Dec. 31 Noon-11 p.m.

Pizza Parlor

Dec. 24 and 31 11 a.m.-10 p.m.
Dec. 25 6 p.m.-3 a.m.
Jan. 1 5 p.m.-3 a.m.

Youth Center

Dec. 21-23 and Dec. 26-30 1-8 p.m.
Dec. 24 1-4 p.m.
Dec. 31 1 p.m.-12:30 a.m.
Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 Closed
Dec. 24 Christmas party from 1-4 p.m.
Open to all youths

Arts and Crafts

Dec. 23-28 and Dec. 31-Jan. 4 Closed
Dec. 29 and 30 Open regular hours
Dec. 13 Art show 2-4 p.m.

Auto hobby Shop

Dec. 24-28 and Dec. 31-Jan. 4 Closed

Recreation Center

Christmas Eve Open till 6 p.m.
Dec. 25 Closed
Dec. 31 1-9 p.m.
Jan. 1 10 a.m.-11 p.m.
Dec. 24 Open house from 1-6 p.m.

Child Care Center

Dec. 25-27 and Jan. 1-3 Closed
Dec. 31 Open from 6:30 p.m.-2 a.m.

Library

Dec. 24 1-5 p.m.
Dec. 28-30 10-5 p.m.
Dec. 31 10-4 p.m.
Dec. 25, 26 and Jan. 1-2 Closed

Officers' Club

Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 Closed
Dec. 24 Will close at 4 p.m.
Dec. 31 Open till...

NCO Club

Everything open regular holiday hours except dining room which will be closed Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 and will close at 1 p.m. and Dec. 31. Open House scheduled Dec. 24 from 1 p.m.-1 a.m.

Golf Course

Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 Closed

MWR Supply

Dec. 24-26, 31 and Jan. 1 Closed

NCO Club package store

Dec. 24 8-11 p.m.
Dec. 25 Closed
Dec. 31 8-11 p.m.
Jan. 1 10-11 p.m.

Officer's Club package store

Dec. 24 10-9 p.m.
Dec. 25 Closed
Dec. 31 10-11 p.m.
Jan. 1 Noon-6 p.m.