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## PILOT VOLUNTEERS

The Air National Guard has volunteered to assist the active Air Force overseas by providing pilots of F-102 Aircraft for limited periods of active duty. This proposal has been enthusiastically received by the Air Force.

Beginning July First, 32 or more ANG pilots will be placed on TDY for periods of from 90 to 180 days. They will be assigned to F-102 units in Germany, Holland, Okinawa and the Phillipines. The 199 FIS has volunteered to provide two pilots for this program initially. In a future issue, we will let you know which two HANG pilots are going to be involved in this and where they will be going.

## NEW DOC

There is a new Medical Officer in the 154th USAF Dispensary. He is Dr. Walter Young, who joins the Guard as a Captain. Captain Young recently completed two years of active duty with the Air Force at Chanute AFB.

Captain Young is an Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, and is going into private practice here in Honolulu. He is married, has two children, and lives in the Kaimuki area.

We extend our welcome and best wishes to Captain Young.

Now, about this earache I've been bothered with.....

## FIS NEWS

Lt. Robert P. Muller has left the 199th to go to school on the Mainland. He'll be attending an Arizona school, and has joined the 152nd Fighter Interceptor Squadron in Tucson, Arizona

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The 199th has also just gained a new member. Captain Harold R. Schatz joins the FIS as a pilot from the AF Res. He flew C-124s while on active duty with the Air Force until March, '67, so he will have to take F-102 jet training. In civilian life, Captain Schatz is a pilot with Aloha Airlines.

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Lt. Gelder W. (Bill) Lewis has been given a training slot for the summer. Lt. Lewis, who has been waiting quite some time for his number to come up, will be starting his F-102 training on the first of July. In addition to the pilot training, Bill will be taking some "husband training". He plans to be married later this month to Miss Louise Valentine.

## AIR GUARD AT WAR

The first Air National Guard unit to deploy to a war zone since World War II has arrived in South Vietnam. The 120th Tactical Fighter Squadron, Colorado Air National Guard, has become part of the 35th Tactical Fighter Wing. They arrived recently at Phan Rang.



PROMOTIONS

Congratulations to the following named officer and airmen, promoted recently to the grade indicated:

159 ACW Sq

Major Norman G. E. Chang

154 CAMRON

TSgt Randall K. H. M. Lum

SSgt George Y. Ganeko

SSgt Stanley C. S. Leong

SSgt Reynold Y. Kawamura

Sgt Lawrence A. Borges Jr.

Sgt Robert W. L. Char

Sgt Clarence K. W. Chong

Sgt James L. Copelan

Sgt Richard D. Ednie

Sgt Edward A. Garner

Sgt John C. Hill

Sgt Dennis W. K. Ho

Sgt Wade H. Jones

Sgt Ainsley K. Mahikoa

Sgt Gregory K. Y. Ng

Sgt Roy N. Nishino

Sgt Richard A. Rodrigues

Sgt Wallace K. Y. Wong

Sgt Galen M. Yamada

Sgt Takaie Yoshimoto

154 CSS

SSgt Thomas M. Conobre

SSgt Ronald S. Hirashima

Sgt Carl A. N. Wai

ALC Dennis H. Fujii

ALC Paul S. Hurley

ALC Albert S. Morgan Jr.

ALC Wayne Y. Tome

ALC Thomas R. Vierra

154 Sup Sq

Sgt Alan W. Hattori

Sgt Lawrence S. Takata

Sgt Leonard Y. Kimura

ALC Thomas T. Kusatsu

199 Wea Flt

Sgt Roy S. Karimoto

NEXT DRILL

The next weekend drill will be July 13-14. And, don't forget Summer Camp, which starts tomorrow at 7 A.M.

SPECIAL TRAINING COURSE

A familiarization and orientation course in the standard, base level supply system will be given during Camp. Technically, it is a computer course, given by the PACAF 6486th Supply Squadron.

Representatives of all HANG units will be attending the 20 hr. course, which will be given in the 154th Fighter Group AF Advisor's office. Course times will be from 9:30 to 11:30 A.M., and from 12:30 to 2:30 P.M. monday thru friday.

Anyone desiring more information on this course should contact Major Daniel Au today.

NO C-118....YET

We have been notified by the Chief, National Guard Bureau, that at the present time it is impossible to replace our C-54 with a C-118. However, the Bureau has been assured by the Department of the Air Force that our request will receive careful consideration in any future adjustment of C-118 Aircraft.

AWARDS

The following awards will be presented today:

HONOR GRADUATE

Ann James W. Perreira (CAMRON)

ECL COURSE COMPLETIONS

Major Richard S. Furuno (CSS)

Major Kurt E. Johnson (Hq)

CMSgt Robert D. W. Choi (CAMRON)

MSgt Hisao G. Yasunaka (CAMRON)

SSgt Wallace M. Akagi (Supply)

SSgt Stanley K. Orimoto (CAMRON)

WE CONGRATULATE ALL OF THE ABOVE OFFICERS AND AIRMEN!

REMINDER: Submit interesting news items from camp to Kukailimoku....  
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