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## PORTLAND DEPLOYMENT

by Maj. Warren Shibuya

Forty members of the 154 Combat Support Squadron, 154 Security Police Flight and the 150 AC&W Security Police unit deployed to the Portland ANG for 12 days of crosstraining from Feb. 14-25. The deployment was hosted by the 142 FIG and provided excellent cross-training experiences in the CBPO, food services, administration, to ning, security police, photo lab and transportation.

Hawaii Guard members worked side-bys.de with their functional counterparts in accomplishing the daily 142 FIG work. They were able to learn how to operate new machinery and adopt to a new operating environment. Close working relations were developed resulting in evenings shared with Portland ANG families.

Aside from working hard, our Hawaii contingent was treated, on the weekends, to tours through the Columbia River Gorge, Mt. Hood, Timberline Ski Resort (training site of the USA Olympic Ski Team) and the northern Oregon coastline.

The Columbia River Gorge tour included a visit to a salmon hatchery operated by the state of Oregon. Thousands of salmon fingerlings are born at the hatchery, raised and released into the Columbia River to improve the quality of sports and commercial fishing. The salmon's unique ability to mature in the Pacific Ocean and return and spawn in the river encourages state and commercial salmon hatcheries.

Another Columbia River highlight was rip to the Bonneville Dam hydro-electric facility where visitors saw salmon fish ladders and the operation of a lock.

The Multnomah Falls was a breathtaking treat. For many HANG folks it was their first experience with snow and black ice. The Oregon Museum of Science and Industry offered hands-on computer based gravitational, static electricity, geometric and mathematical relationship and medical displays. Members also visited the Oregon Zoo.

Much of the HANG fun on this deployment resulted from situations presenting themselves unexpectedly. For example, our ski "guru" (best dressed and most equipped skier) Stanford Dobashi wound up observing the finer control skills demonstrated by Clifford Chun, Art Kunimitsu and Rodney Tokuda. Gervin Miyamoto did not quite adopt to the 27 degree weather as well as Charlie Chang did with his single sweatshirt. Lester Ho, Steve Takashima and Jackie Jakahi's love for Domino pizza may have diminished now due (Continued on page 2)

## C-130 BLESSED



Brig. Gen. Edward V. Richardson, Commander, HANG, speaks at the blessing of the 154th Composite Group's new C-130 during February's Sunday UTA. The blessing was conducted by Pastor Charles Yabui from Ka Hale Hoano O Ke Akua Church. (pictured at right)



The Hawaii Code of Military Justice came into force on February 11, 1985; it applies to all Hawaii National Guard personnel in a State Duty Status. The Code deals with Military offenses which hinders the promotion of good order and discipline. Throughout this year, all HANG personnel will be educated as to the intent and implications of this Code.

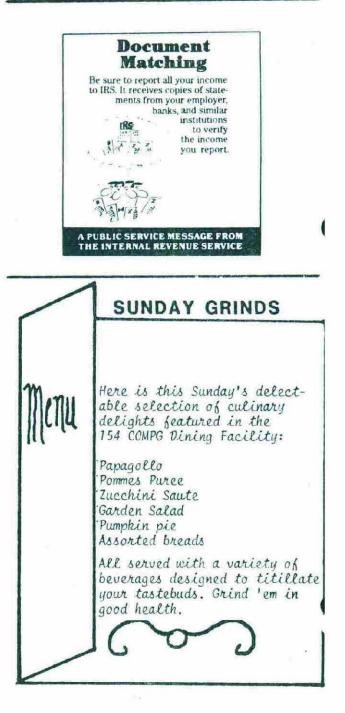
This Code has been mandated to promote military justice and will not be used as substitute for positive leadership and responsible management. In our effort to maintain a quality force, the significance of discipline has played an active role in setting our standards of command. We, in effect, have set the the requirement to live by a set of rules which govern our conduct. The Code serves as a tool to the Commander to maintain respect for the established rules of military life; if puishment must be utilized, the Code defines the limits of prosperity and fairness in administering punishment.

We will continue to handle the resolution of problems through our "tried and tested" methods. Professional leadership especially through knowledgeable and fair NCO supervision remains the keystone of our military justice system. Errors in personnel disciplinary action at the first line of subervision have the adjudicating benefit of upper level review to insure a pervasive emphasis on justice for the individual. Being firm and fair is supportive of recognizing the priority we place on our mission and our personnel interests.

Next UTA 13& 14 April

PORTLAND DEPLOYMENT (cont. from Front Page) to overindulgence. Our "Captain Midnight" William Ramos saw most of Oregon from a crashed-out position on the bus. Our evening aerobics and jogging enthusiasts, Tracy Oyama, Alan Kawamura and Warren Shibuya were "arrested" by the Portland ANG Security Police for "suspicious trespassing." Actually they were politely told not to go running around the base at night.

All in all it was a beneficial and educational trip for all both from a professional and a recreational perspective.





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for information.

8:30 a.m. Hickam Harbor 8:30 a.m. Chapel One 10:10 a.m. Chapel Center (Sunday School) 11:15 a.m. Chapel Center 6:00 p.m. Chapel One Catholic 5:00 p.m. (Sat.) Chapel One 7:30 a.m. Chapel Center 8:30 a.m. Chapel Center 9:30 a.m. Chapel Center 11:30 a.m. Chapel Center (Sundays and weekdays) Jewish Contact Jewish Chapel, Pearl Harbor, 471-0050.



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## 169th NEWS Employee Recognized

Mr. Richard Sakamoto, Principal of McKinley High School, received a Department of Defense Certificate of Appreciation for support of the Hawaii Air National Guard at the HIROCC Building on Wheeler AFB during the 2 Mar 85 UTA.

The 169 ACWS presented the award on behalf of the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. Mr. Sakamoto was nominated for the award by Major Arthur I. Kimura, a science teacher at McKinley High School. The award is part of a national program to recognize supportive employers of Guardsmen and Reservists.

Major Kimura, a highly qualified and long time drill status unit air weapons controller, has obtained great support over the years from his boss in keeping up with his Guard requirements. This was quite evident during the unit's conversion to the new computerized air defense display systems in 1984. Maj Kimura was allowed much time off from his teaching job to learn and qualify on the new automated equipment. Because of Mr. Sakamoto's support and understanding, Major Kimura today continues to be one of the unit's mainstay air weapons controllers.

Our hats off to Mr. Sakamoto. His support is truly appreciated.

# If you need a drink to be social,

# that's not social drinking.

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... Congratulations to the squadron basketball team who won the State Basketball Championship, this is the 2nd year in a row. The tourny was held at the Tam Memorial Gym, Makawao Maui, Feb 22 through 24 .... The team beat 150th 51-25, 154 RMS 34-21 and 201st (Maui) 33-29. Team members were: TSgt Jimmy Pahukula Coach, Sgt Hal Hewett assistant .... Sgt's John Rodrigues team captain, Guy Fuentes, Rich Manois, Art Kaai, Gary Doane, Dale Zuttermeister, Jody Goya, MSgt Ken Morimotor, SSgt Norm Kaleo, SrA Mark Coulbourne and AlC Gary Hema...Sgt Guy Fuentes was selected by the tourny officials as the "Most Valuable Player" he also was selected on the tourny all star team, right on fellas ....

...More congratulations to: Recently promoted TSgt Larry Kauleinamoku and Sgt Aaron Kaneao and to Chief Sato's son, Allan, who recently beat the UH baseball team. Allan pitches for the Hawaii Pacific College baseball team.

...Another National Guard Marathon will be held at Lincoln, Nebraska, 5 May 1985, all interested Army or Air Guard runners contact TSgt Owen Iha at 488-6962 NLT 15 March 1985. Hawaii is alloted seven runners but may be able to accept two more places.....

...We went spark da kine 154 fighta pilots escorting all the beautiful Miss Hawaii contestants on TV last week, and instead of watching their steps, da officers was watching da wahines..We also went spark da kine General Richardson and the Mrs also at the pageant, he was sitting down bolo head row...

... Chief Sato reported that he and his wife donated to the Nevada tax program while vacationing in Los Wages several weeks ago, and want to inform every one there will be a "Chili" sale from 13 April through 15 May, please kokua call him at 4492091 or 4495189 for tickets..... Oh yeah, encuse please, the funds will be utilized for the 1985 CAM squadron hanguet and not to replace his losses....

...Received word from one of our reporters that after the championship basketball game held on maui some of the players were given special kind of awards by fellow team members;

... The John Travolta award was given to Sgt Hal Newett for his enduring ability on the dance floor at one of the disco, Hal lost about  $\frac{1}{2}$  1b, just call bim slow motion...

... The Boy George Award was given to SSgt Norm Kaleo and his dancing partner whom everyone was shocked to find out that his partner turned out to be a what?? ... Now really...

...Sgt Gary Doane who thought the ear plug given to bim on the C-130 flight was chewing gum. Auwe and Auwee...No wonder he no can hear to well now....

... The Exercise Award went to Dale Zuttermeister for his possessed head hunter type of playing basketball... He went give the other guys his stink eye look....

FORE - The duffers, I mean the golfers about 70 will go to Molokai tomorrow to play at the Kalua Koi course...All golfers are to report at aircraft NLT 0500 am?, how good luck fellas..Not on the golf course but trying to get up early that is....

... MSgt Carl Wai did it again, another hole in one, this time on the 12 hole at Hickam, last year he had his first at the number 3, Navy Marine. good thing we were not playing "Skins", would have cost us 5 bucks per golfer....

...We want to welcome back home Aivman Jon Amorin who just returned from Lowry, attending the Munition maintenance course, if the name sounds familiar, Jon is the son of former guardsman Jaimi Amorin...Also welcome home Sgt Jorge Ochoa..Both Jon and Jorge were glad to be home getting away from the cold weather...

... Finally, want to thank all those who assisted me, this time it was equilibrium problem..Mahalo

...Glad to hear Chief Go's wife Judy is doing fine now...



## Secretary Orr Defends

#### Refirement System

WASHINGTON (AFNS) - "It's not lavish. It's a management tool we need," stressed Secretary of the Air Force Verne Orr. His statements are a retort to recent attacks on the military retirement system. Secretary Orr defended retirement pay, Feb. 7, in an interview with Air Force Radio News Service. He was reacting to charges made two days earlier by David A. Stockman, Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Mr. Stockman asked Congress to reduce military retirement pay, calling it a "scandal" and an "outrage." He also said Pentagon institutional forces are more converned about protecting their pay than the defense of the country.

Referring to Mr. Stockman's charges, Secretary Orr said, "Well, they hurt. And I think they were ill-advised and ill-informed.

"The públic has a great misconception of the retirement system," he said. The Secretary says he visits about one base per week and "The number one question raised on every base, every time, is about retirement."

And that doesn't come, as Mr. Stockman seemed to indicate, from Generals in the Pentagon protecting their own retirement. That comes from our airmen and NCOs out there on the bases who are concerned about all the talk," he continued.

"The average person does not retire with 50 percent of his pay. In the first place, the average person does not retire-only 13 percent of those who enter the military use the retirement system.

"They talk about it being 50 percent of pay," he said. "But we all know retirement is computed only on base pay and does not include allowances such as housing and subsistence. Now let's get it straight."

Secretary Orr expects other attacks on the retirement system, but was encouraged by what Rep. William L. Dickinson, R- Ala., told him. Rep. Dickinson, ranking minority member of the House Armed Services Committee, told the Secretary that he knows of no intention to change the retirement system for people now on active duty. (AFNS)

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#### Congratulations to :

MSgt. Elpidio R. Tivera, 154 CE Flt.
MSgt. Jason K. Uota, 154 CE Flt.
TSgt. Larry W. S. K. Kauleinamoku, 154 CAM
TSgt. Gary W. F. Wat, 154 CSS
SSgt. Aaron D. K. Kaneao, 154 CAM Sq.
SSgt. Kenneth M. Nishibata, 154 CE Flt.
SFA Craig Arakaki, 154 CAM Sq.
AlC Yolanda L. Mendigorin, 154 CAM Sq.
AlC Josephine G. Morita, 154 CAM Sq.
Amn. Jon P. Amorin, 154 CAM Sq.
Amn. Norio M. Colipano, 154 CAM Sq.
Amn. Jay S. Fukumoto, 154 CSS
Amn. Ramon M. Quizon, 154 COMPG/DPM
Amn. Sheri K. Bermudez, 154 COMPG/DPMO

#### Hawaii Code of Military Justi

The Hawaii Code of Military Justice was recently adopted and is effective as of February 11, 1985. The scope of the Hawaii code includes military justice for Hawaii National Guard personnel as applied to mili tary offenses. Throughout 1985 all HANG pe sonnel will be briefed as to the implicatic of this new code. Training for military su ervisors will also be part of the inceptior of the code.

To understand the intent in the applications of the Hawaii Code of Military Justice, the General guidance statement from the Code is extracted:

"Military Justice is not and shall not be used as a substitute for military leader ship. Providing military leadership remain the responsibility of all officers and noncommissioned officers of the State Military forces. Guidance and counseling shall be given to any member of the State Military forces by the member's chain of command at the first sign of a disciplinary problem. The commanding officer of each unit shall establish informal procedures to deal with disciplinary problems. . . If the use of informal procedures fails to resolve the member's disciplinary problem, the Hawaii Code of Military Justice may be used."

We are currently arranging for a presentation of the Code during the April ancil lary training period.

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## ATTENTION All HANG Members 21-

The NCO Academy Graduates Association, Thapter 18, is seeking volunteers to assist at the annual Easter Seal Telethon, 30-31 March 1985. Duty Schedule:

SATURDAY, 30 MARCH 1985 1800-2400 Hours 4 People per 2 hour shift Duties: Message Runners Total Board Monitors

2200-2400 Hours 6 People Duties: Phone Bank Operators

SUNDAY, 31 MARCH 1985 1430-1730 Hours 14 People Duties: Phone Bank Operators 1430-1730. Also, Provide manpower to carry administrative equipment from the hotel to storage vans, 1630-1730 hours.

ur kokua for any of the above times 11 be greatly appreciated. Points 7 Contact: SMSgt Richard DeVeas Phone: 449-1518

> MSgt Iris Kabazawa Phone: 449-5669

NCO ACADEMY GRADUATES ASSOCIATION, CHAPTER 18

For the benefit of those of you who don't know about the NCO Academy Graduates Association:

The NCO Academy Graduates Association is comprised of graduates from an accredited NCO Academy or Leadership School.

Their purpose is to perpetuate the best traditions of the NCO Corps of the Air Natioal Guard of the United States, to promote and maintain morale, discipline and esprit de corps, and to encourage a feeling of good will and mutual understanding among the noncommissioned officer

a of the many ways the Association accomplishes the above is via community projects. The following is a list of Projects for Calendar Year 1985:

Easter Seal Telethon

21-27 Apr 85	Business & Industry Day (Employer Support) Knx, TN
9 May 85	American Cancer Society Bank of HI Night Collection
10-12 May 85 14-19 J	Hawaii Special Olympic Games
14-19 Jul 85	ANGNCOAGA 17th Annual Seminar Lincoln, Neb
19-21 Jul 85	Easter Seal Annual softball Marathon
27 Oct 85	Waimano Home Halloween Party
15-Oct-20Dec85	Waimano Home Clothing Drive
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For more information about the association and it's many events, contact SMSgt Richard DeVeas at 449-1518.

#### **DD Form 1853**

Effective January 1, 1985, the only valid edition of DD Form 1853, "Authentication of Reserve Status for Travel Eligibilitv," is the form dated April 1, 1984. The previous editions of the form will no longer be accepted at passenger terminals. This is in accordance with IMC 84-1 DOD 4515.13R, Paragraph 2-12c.

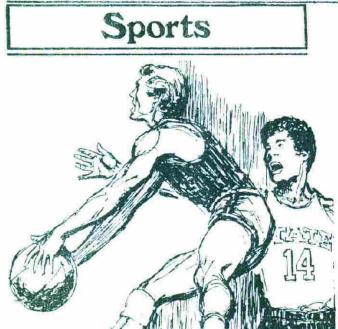
Post and base exchanges are now operating under the provisions of paragraph 2-14b (4)(ć), AR 60-20/AFR 147-14, dated August 1984. The regulation requires that exchange privileges must be used within 6 months from the date the entitlement was earned, as shown in either the Military Leave and Earnings Statement or Letter of Authorization.

SPECIAL.....SPECIAL.....SPECIAL

Special Olympics needs volunteers. District Games. Aiea High School.

March 9, 1985 (Saturday) 8:00am - 1:00pm Need your KOKUA. You don't have to be there the whole time. Do what you can, leave when you must!

Contact MSgt Wayne Soma at 449-6986 or 422-1481.



# CAM A HANG BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS!!

By: Sgt. James Williams

Using excellent coaching and raw athletic talent the CAM A team repeated as HANG State Charrions. This year they did not lose a game !~

Their march thru the tourney started Feb. 8 with the District playoffs. Here 11 teams battled for 3 slots in the state tourney held 22-24 Feb on Maui.

The three teams to emerge from the District playoffs were Cam A, 199 TFS, and 154 RMS. These teams combined at Maui with Hilo, Kauai, and Maui for the 6 team state tournament. The final placings were, 1st CAM A, 2nd Maui, 3rd 154 RMS, and Kauai 4th.

A five man all-star team was selected by the team coordinators. Don Almodova, Kauai; Guy Ruentes, CAM A; Chuck Manley, 199 TFS; Mike Soares, 154 RMS; and Gorospe, Maui. The coordinators also selected one individual as MVP of the tournament. He was to standout with exceptional all-around play and be a major contributor to his team. The individual selected unanimously was Guy Fuentes of Cameron A.

Congratulations to all these individuals. Congratulations go out to the CAM A team and everyone concerned for an outstanding tournament.

A full and complete report of the tou nament (including pictures) is forthcoming the next Kukailimoku, April 1985.



HANG STATE CHAMPS: CAM "A" (Kneeling left to right) John Rodrigues, Rick Manaois, Norman Kaleo, Harold Hewett Assistant Coach (Standing left to right) Ken Morimoto, Ar Kaai, Mark Colbourne, Dale Zuttermeister, Gary Doane, Guy Fuentes, Jimmy Pahukula-Co Jody Goya, Gary Hema.

HANG SOFTBALL TEAM

The Air National Guard Slowpitch Soft ball Tournament will be held in Cheyenne, Wyoming on August 23 and 24. MSgt Wayne Y Soma is the team coordinator and states, "this will be the first time that we will be entering a team" and solicits player to represent each unit within HANG. Capt. Gervin Miyamoto and SMSgt Cornwal Matsusak have been appointed to assist MSgt Soma. recent letter to all unit commanders reque the submission of two names (primary and a ternate) with the deadline of March 15.

#### HANG CANOE PADDLERS

There will be a meeting every Saturday Drill - 1630 hours at 154 CAM Sq, Materie Shop, beginning 2 Mar 85.

All interested paddlers, novice/advance are encouraged to attend. For more information contact Capt Joe Akim, 449-2862 or TSgt James Pahukula, 449-1201.