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Reserve Forces Policy Board visits the State DoD

The Honorable Will H. Tankersley, Chairman of the Reserve Forces Policy Board (RFPB), thirteen general office board members, and fourteen board-staffers visited the Department on Sunday, May 18. The RFPB advises the Secretary of Defense as to the need for new legislation and policies affecting the requirements, role, training, and administration of the Reserve Forces. It evaluates proposals by its members or other agencies for changes to existing laws. The RFPB is the only formalized means by which the Secretary of Defense brings into consultation the non-active duty reservists. The Board renders an Annual Report which the Secretary of Defense transmits to the President and Congress.

During the Sunday morning visit, the Board was provided the State Department of Defense briefing and comprehensive Army and Air Guard briefings that included war-time roles, mission, employment, and mobilization. The briefings were followed by an executive session in which 12 major issues affect-

ing the Guard were presented. The issues and subsequent discussion covered the saturation of reserve component units in Hawaii, medical coverage needs during inactive duty training, junior officer interisland travel, the New GI Bill, the Federal civil service retirement system for post-1983 civilian hires, benefits for retired guardpersons who retire before they attain age 60, extension of educational assistance, improvements to the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve program, modernization of Air Guard communications equipment, the Army Guard's education standards, and more flexibility for the Army Guard management of full-time support personnel resources. All of these issues were of keen interest to the Board members.

Hawaii National Guard commanders and key personnel attended the briefings and executive session. All shared in this learning experience which marked the first time that members of this Board have made a visit to a National Guard



THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD—The Honorable Will H. Tankersley, Chairman of the Reserve Forces Policy Board, presents Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum, State Adjutant General, with a plaque commemorating the visit of the Secretary of Defense's advising board on the non-active duty reservist. (HIPAO photo)

organization. Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum, State Adjutant General, called the visit an "unqualified success." He states, "Their [RFPB] visit to the Pacific area affirms the importance of the role of reserve forces in the Pacific military strategy and gives significant meaning to our contribution to the overall mili-

tary effort. In a sense, we were the standard bearer of the National Guard units throughout the country. I believe that the comments of the Board members and their staff bear favorable testimony to our success in projecting a positive impression upon the entire Reserve Forces Policy Board."

Federal Week in Hawaii highlights at the Hilton

On Tuesday, May 27, the Honolulu-Pacific Federal Executive Board held the 30th Annual Awards Luncheon at the Coral Ballroom of the Hilton Hawaiian Village. This event served as the highlight for "Federal Week in Hawaii." The Governor had proclaimed the period, May 25 through May 31, as the week to recognize the contributions of the Federal community. "Federal Week in Hawaii" was designed to focus on the dedication and services of Federal personnel.

The State Department of Defense nominated four individuals in various categories to recognize their outstanding service.

Nominated for Federal Employee of the Year was Chief Warrant Officer Roy H. Okano, U.S. Property and Fiscal

Office (USPFO). Mr. Okano contributed significantly to expanding automation within the USPFO for Hawaii and the Hawaii Army National Guard (HARNG).



Okano



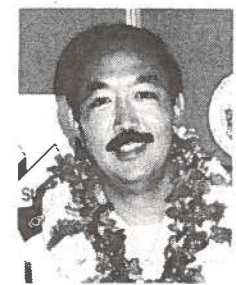
Tomita

Nominated for Federal Supervisor of the Year was Mr. Ray T. Tomita, USPFO. Mr. Tomita epitomized the ideal Federal supervisor. He is a supervisor with a high sense of duty who con-

tinually puts forth his best efforts in an attempt to achieve the highest standards of performance and who gives unselfishly of his personal time.

Nominated for Enlisted Service member of the Year was Sgt. 1st. Class Dennis Y. Yoshino, HARNG. Sgt. Yoshino is the administrator of HARNG's \$1.2 million incentive program, which currently has 1,640 participants. He has built the program and made immeasurable contributions to ensure that it functions effectively.

Nominated for Military Officer of the Year was Chief Warrant Officer Earl R. Young, HARNG. Mr. Young is the State Aviation Safety Officer for the HARNG. He has flown over 10,000 hours and is largely responsible for the Army Guard's excellent safety record.



Yoshino



Young

He manages a program that includes 92 aviators, 143 crew members and over \$44 million in equipment.

Although the departmental nominees were not selected in their respective categories, they proudly represented the department and were recognized for their outstanding service and accomplishments. Congratulations and thanks to the nominees!

Command Notes



Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum
The Adjutant General

The summer months are here again, and traditionally it is a very hectic period. It is the time for annual training (AT) for both the Air and Army National Guard units. This is the time when the individual and section skills learned during inactive duty training will be put into team practice. This is the culmination of all training for the year. The 29th Infantry Brigade, scheduled to reorganize into a separate infantry brigade on September 30, 1986, will configure into this organization with the various support and service elements for AT 86. This will be a real challenge as the Brigade will train in the reorganized structure. The

201st Combat Information Systems Group will undergo an operational readiness inspection. The 154th Composite Group will conduct gunfire out of Kaneohe and continue the conversion program in preparation for the arrival of the F-15.

All of these activities will require total and complete planning. Every minute must be used effectively and every opportunity should be taken to train as teams. All the officers and noncommissioned officers (NCOs) must aggressively manage AT training to ensure attainment of training goals. The NCOs are the key ingredient to make it all work.

An area that always requires command emphasis is safety. I urge everyone to be "safety conscious" this summer . . . both on the job and during off-duty hours. I also call on all supervisors, commanders, safety officers and NCOs to take the necessary steps to ensure that safety is placed at the top of their list of priorities.

Another area of concern is caring for our people. We need to increase our strength in the Hawaii National Guard.

Recruiting is only half the battle in terms of maintaining high personnel strength levels. We are losing vital people through expiration of term of service (ETS), or unsatisfactory attendance, resignation, and non-ETS reasons. We need to direct more attention and effort to caring for our people which will result in a better retention rate. We need to foster a working environment to boost morale and make our people feel like they are a part of the team.

I look forward to a successful and productive annual training period.

In looking at past events, I am most satisfied with two major happenings—the recent tsunami warning and the Reserve Forces Policy Board visit. These accomplishments are indicative of the high caliber of professionalism, competence, dedication, and leadership of Civil Defense and the Hawaii National Guard.

The tsunami warning has come and gone without any disastrous consequences. The event provided an opportunity for all concerned to put into

actual practice what we had planned for. There were a few minor problems, but corrective actions have been implemented. For me, the most satisfying experience of this event was to know that, at the critical time when the waves could have hit, all of the civil defense team and the Hawaii National Guard stood ready for the worst. I salute all the departmental personnel involved with the tsunami warning for their outstanding devotion to duty.

The recent visit of the Reserve Forces Policy Board to the Hawaii National Guard was a tremendous success. This was the first time ever that the members of this board have visited with a National Guard organization. I was extremely proud of the Hawaii National Guard and appreciate all the effort that went towards the success in projecting a positive impression upon the board.

I am pleased with the overall achievements of our department and our continued willingness to exert the extra effort to get the job done right. I look forward to the continued positive attitude and professional actions by members of our Department of Defense team.

Military News

Act 173, Liability claims

Act 173, a law enacted by the 13th Legislature of the State of Hawaii and signed by Governor George R. Ariyoshi on Saturday, May 17, 1986, amends the law to exclude from the State Tort Liability Act tort claims arising from National Guard activities under Title 32 and appropriately makes the Federal Tort Claims Act the exclusive remedy.

The claims excluded are in times of war or when the Hawaii National Guard is engaged in Federal service.

HTLV-III Screening

The Hawaii Army National Guard's (HARNG) two-year program for screening of Human T-Lymphotropic Virus Type-III (HTLV-III), the Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) virus, begins June 1, 1986. In HARNG's report to the National Guard Bureau (NGB), screening will span through January 30, 1987.

The program will be implemented using a national civilian contract negotiated by the Army Surgeon General. Administrative procedures are coming from NGB. Policy guidance will be issued by the NGB upon approval of the Department of the Army policy by the Secretary of the Army.

Retirement Survey

A survey is being conducted to determine the number of eligible federal technicians, both competitive and excepted, who desire early retirement, also to include resigning their membership in the Guard.

The survey is in response to legislation introduced, which if enacted, would permit early retirement of federal employees (technicians) during the period July 1 through December 31, 1986.

Under the provisions of the proposed legislation, a technician would be eligible to retire at any age with 25 years of service, age 59 with 20 years of service, age 55 with 15 years of service, or at age 57 with 5 years of service. The individual's annuity would be reduced by two percent for each year under age 55.

The Support Personnel Management Office is conducting the survey and compiling the results.

Opened Container Laws

WHILE DRIVING

HRS Chapter 291-3.1

No driver shall drink from or have in possession an opened liquor container while driving on public streets, roads, or highways. Effective June 16, 1981.

Penalties:

A violation may result in a fine up to \$1,000, a jail term up to one year, or both.

WHILE A PASSENGER

HRS Chapter 291-3.2

No passenger shall drink from or have in possession an opened liquor container in a motor vehicle on public streets, roads, or highways. Effective June 16, 1981.

Penalties:

A violation may result in a fine up to \$500, a jail term up to 30 days, or both.

STORAGE OF OPENED CONTAINER

HRS Chapter 291-3.3

Opened containers of liquor should be stored in the trunk or other area not occupied by drivers or passengers if there is no trunk. A utility or glove compartment is considered an area occupied by the driver and passenger. Effective June 16, 1981.

Penalties:

1st offense - up to \$100

2nd offense - up to \$200 within one year of 1st offense.

Exceptions

• The above sections do not apply to the living quarters of a trailer or camper.

• HRS 291-3.4 - In PUC Certified 1-7 passenger motor vehicles for hire, the sections concerning passengers and storage of opened containers do not apply so long as there is a barrier between the driver and passengers which prevents the passing of intoxicating liquor. In these cases only, passengers may consume liquor. Effective May 10, 1985.



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Air Guard

Nellis and Clark deployments

By Maj. Jamie Bury, HANG

On Friday morning, May 30th, the Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG) deployed eight (8) F-4C aircraft to the RED FLAG Exercise at Nellis Air Force Base, Las Vegas, Nevada. This deployment was very special in that it was the "Last, Great, Hoorah" deployment planned for the HANG's Weapon Systems Operators (WHIZO's) and the HANG's durable, but aging, F-4C Phantom Jet Fighters!

For the second time, the HANG demonstrated to the mainland Tactical Air Forces the many varied (and famous) skills acquired in the air-to-air environment during its 10-year-plus operation of the F-4 Phantom.

Approximately 115 HANG members deployed (including 33 aircrews, over 20 crew chiefs, and other maintenance and

support personnel). The Detachment Commanding Officer was Col. Ritchie Kunichika, with the deployment details being planned by Project Officer Maj. Pete Pawling.

RED FLAG is the Air Force's premier tactical combat exercise providing realistic and demanding readiness training in a simulated combat environment. Each two-week RED FLAG period is a stand-alone exercise designed for increasing levels of intensity with a "building block" approach for aircrews.

The HANG aircrews have "geared up" in Hawaii during the past few months, flying and practicing their air-superiority tactics in a low altitude, high threat, limited communications environment. While at RED FLAG, the HANG F-4C Phantom jets and their crews conducted their simulated, combat sorties at very high speeds, over

a dangerous, mountainous and desert terrain located at the military range complex in Nevada.

For the first time, the HANG deployed its F-4's using the newly-acquired high performance, centerline fuel tanks. This new feature enabled our fighters and aircrews to possess a posi-

tive five (5) "G" capability immediately after take-off (along with other improved flying and handling characteristics).

All HANG fighter aircraft and their supporting personnel and equipment are scheduled to return to Honolulu in June, two weeks later.

HANG Engineers build character

Members of the 154th Civil Engineering Squadron (154th CES), Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG) deployed to Clark Air Force Base (AFB), Philippines, in May. The contingent included 54 enlisted personnel and two officers (including two enlisted from the 154th Resource Management Squadron).

The 154th CES was involved in four construction projects for the 3rd Civil Engineering Squadron headquartered

at Clark. In addition, the troops worked with the Clark AFB Security Police in constructing the Consolidated Base Armory.

Senior Master Sgt. Rodney Correa, 154th CES, said, "The experience provided practical 'war skills' training and also gave some of our people of Filipino ancestry a chance to explore their roots, especially in light of the recent changes that have been going on in the Philippines lately."

F-15 Eagles Update

By Lt. Col. Jerald K. Aoki and Capt. Wayne P. Wakeman, HANG

The 154th Composite Group's (154th COMPG) F-15 conversion committee is on schedule with their plan for coordinating and managing the upcoming changeover. Members of the committee chaired by Lt. Col. Jerald Aoki and assisted by Capt. Wayne Wakeman, include personnel from operations, maintenance, support area Headquarters, Hawaii Air National Guard.

A Site Survey Team, made up of experts who have handled F-15 conversions for the active Air Force and two other Air Guard units, completed their study in December 1985. Interim measures that would allow a timely conversion, with as little change to the daily operation, were implemented. Portable facilities were built or acquired to support supply function and the engine machine shop and will eventually be replaced with permanent facilities.

Many experts from the many functional areas nation-wide made up the Site Activation Task Force (SATAF). They wrapped-up a week of conferences in April, which identified possible problems the 154th COMPG may face if other alternatives to these problems were not considered.

The SATAF team's four-part visit identifies (ID's) possible problems;

follows-up and ID's any new items; ID's training equipment, resolves any last minute problems and finalizes any schedules; and, if needed, a fourth visit to clean-up any last minute items or problems.

Topics of the first SATAF were getting the actual aircraft tail numbers of the F-15's coming from Tyndall Air Force Base (AFB), Florida, and the supply ordering process.

Scheduling is proceeding for home and away schooling (as long as eight months), construction in the maintenance shops, and preparations to receive equipment and supplies.

Two F-15's will arrive in March and April of 1987. There will be "hands on" maintenance trainers, with a Field Training Team joining them shortly to conduct retraining classes. In the months to follow, starting in July through the end of 1987, operational F-15's will be arriving. The aircrews will be attending F-15 pilot upgrade training beginning in March also, at either Tyndall AFB, Florida, or Luke AFB, Arizona.

After the majority of the pilots are fully qualified, an evaluation will be made to determine the combat capabilities.

The conversion will require additional effort from all functional areas. We can look forward to more academics, working in interim facilities, and using new equipment.



THIS IS IT—Members of the 201st Air Traffic Control Flight, Hawaii Air National Guard show off their new training facility. (U.S. Navy photo)

New HANG facilities at Barbers

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the 201st Air Traffic Control Flight's, Hawaii Air National Guard (201st ATCF, HANG), new Communications-Electronics Training Faculty were conducted on April 25, 1986 at Barbers Point Naval Air Station, Oahu. This year also marks the 20th Anniversary of the unit's formation and federal recognition.

201st ATCF's 20th

Over the past 20 years the primary mission of the 201st ATCF has been to provide terminal air traffic control services to the U.S. Air Force. This mission involves the rapid deployment of mobile ATCF equipment, personnel and supplies to support air traffic

control operations anywhere in the world.

In addition, the 201st ATCF has supported the State mission by providing needed equipment and personnel during natural disasters. In 1982, the unit actively participated in the Hurricane Iwa relief effort by providing trained personnel and emergency generators to Barbers Point and the Island of Kauai.

In order to continue to accomplish their mission, new facilities were vitally needed to adequately protect wartime equipment and supplies, and to provide air traffic control and maintenance training areas for personnel. The construction of this \$2.4 million building will serve to significantly improve the 201st ATCF's mission capability.

25th Anniversary of the 150th AC&W

The 150th Aircraft Control & Warning (AC&W) Squadron, Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG), at Kokee Air Force Station, Kauai, will be celebrating its 25th Anniversary on October 11, 1986 with a luau at Kekaha, Kauai. General Chairman is Senior Master Sgt. William "Buddy" Crowell of Kekaha (right) who reviews his committee organization with Lt. Col. Owen Ota, Squadron Commander (seated, left).

It was 25 years ago, in early 1961, that the radar facility at Kokee became operational. At that time, the unit was Detachment #1 of the 109th AC&W Squadron, HANG, from Oahu. It was not until October of 1961 that the unit became officially recognized as the 150th AC&W Squadron.

Former members and retirees from the 150th AC&W Squadron should set aside that date in October and plan to attend this celebration. See you on Kauai in October!





Wives' Auxiliary

Luncheon 'n Luau

Members of the Na Kuhina O Na Koa Hawaii elected their 1986 Officers. They are: **Elaine Young/President, Geraldine Rodrigues/Vice President, Eileen Tamura/Recording Secretary, Kathy Abe/Corresponding Secretary, and Diane Kaimura/Treasurer.**

On June 28, 1986, both the Wives' Auxiliary and the Hawaii National Guard Association will hold their meetings at the Turtle Bay Hilton. Mrs. Betty Kicklighter will speak about experiences when her husband was mobilized with his troops. Maj. Walter Kinoshita, Recruiting and Induction Officer, Hawaii Army National Guard, will explain survivor benefits, the soldier/sailor relief act, and other important topics of note. Following the luncheon, Mrs. Sunny Corey (Auxiliary member) will demonstrate what can be done with flowers (all are asked to bring along a pair of scissors to cut stems and wires).

September 6, 1986 is the date of the Third Annual Scholarship A'ha'aina, the Wives' Auxiliary fund drive luau. The hardworking committee, chaired by Regina Dowson, is finalizing the details. The event, which promises to be one you would not want to miss, will be held at the beautiful Heeia State Park on the Windward side. There will be lots of ono Hawaiian food and entertainment at two settings—4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Monies derived from this event will go to the scholarship fund. Two deserving dependents receive scholarship awards each year. Cost is \$25 per head. We are depending on your support to make this another successful event.

This year **Sherilyn Fukuji** and **Douglas Y. Abe, Jr.** received the scholarship awards.



Fukuji



Abe

Sherilyn is the daughter of Kathy and Tech. Sgt. Cliff Fukuji, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron, Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG). She is graduating from Iolani High School with a 3.4 GPA. Sherilyn has maintained the grade point despite a host of extracurricular activities at school and after school volunteer work. She did volunteer work as a candy striper for the Hawaii Epilepsy Society at Kapiolani Women's and Children's Hospital and tutoring at Ala Wai Elementary School. She's been accepted at several colleges, but has not decided which to attend.

The proud parents of secondtime awardie Douglas are Mary Kathy and Master Sgt. Douglas T. Abe, Sr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, HANG. He is maintaining a 3.5 GPA at the University of Hawaii. His busy schedule includes squeezing in disc jockey work at KZOO radio station on Fridays and Sundays, working at the 442nd office judo practice, and being a junior advisor for the Moanalua High School Japanese Club.

Keep striving higher!

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or

Any Wives' Auxiliary Member

Hawaii's Hurricane Season Starts

June marks the start of the Hurricane Season, which for Hawaii runs through November. Hurricanes are a recurring threat and are known to pass dangerously close to the Islands. While our community has been extremely lucky, over the years, there have been numerous near-misses. Hurricane Dot brushed Kauai in 1959 and Iwa caused \$234 million in damages to Kauai and Oahu in 1982. So there is a real reason to take hurricanes seriously. 1985, for example, saw four hurricanes enter Hawaiian waters.



It is impossible to guess what the 1986 Hurricane Season has in store for us. But there are things you can do now at the start of the season to lessen the impact of a hurricane.

State Civil Defense recommends stocking up or replenishing basic emergency supplies to tie you and your household over. Refer to the checklist provided in the **State Civil Defense Emergency Checklist** publication (available at State Libraries on Oahu and the neighbor islands). The information provided shows you what you need to

have on hand to deal with disruption of everyday conveniences. Keep the checklist handy for a ready guide in making early emergency preparations. Don't forget the information provided in the front of your telephone directory! Making this effort will pay off when it really counts. . . saving time. . . inconvenience. . . maybe even your life!

For more information on hurricanes, see your local civil defense agency (on each island, e.g. Oahu Civil Defense) or the National Weather Service Forecast Offices.

HANG 1985 Safety Awards

Hawaii Air National Guard once again led the Air Guard units in the number of safety awards for calendar year 1985. They will receive nearly half of the safety awards to be presented at the NGAUS (National Guard Association of the United States) Convention.

The following is a list of the 1985 National Safety Council Awards that the Hawaii Air National Guard units will receive:

Award of Honor

154th Composite Group, Hickam Air Force Base (AFB), Oahu

Award of Commendation

169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron, Wheeler AFB, Oahu

150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron, Kokee, Kauai

201st Combat Information Systems Group, Hickam AFB, Oahu

201st Combat Information Systems Flight, Wailuku, Maui

201st Combat Information Systems Squadron, Hilo, Hawaii

202nd Combat Information Systems Flight, Hickam AFB, Oahu

Presidents Award Letter

199th Weather Flight, Wheeler AFB, Oahu

201st Air Traffic Control Flight, Barbers Point Naval Air Station, Oahu

202nd Air Traffic Control Flight, Barking Sands, Kauai



Civilian Education

By Capt Michael C. K. Wong
HARNG Civilian Education Officer

COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

Degree: Master of Business Administration (MBA).

Institution: Chaminade University of Honolulu.

Degree Requirements:

- * Complete the specified 30 semester hours of graduate level course work.
- * Maintain cumulative 3.0 Grade Point Average (GPA).
- * Maintain satisfactory student status.

Remarks:

- * 5-year period to complete above requirements.
 - Leave of absence/interruption of studies possible upon request and justification.
- * MBA program based on accelerated evening sessions.
 - 4 accelerated terms per year (Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer).
 - 11 weeks per accelerated term.
 - Each MBA course offered:
 - During weeknights,
 - After working hours, and
 - One night per week.
 - At Chaminade campus or its satellite campuses, e.g., Army Education Centers.
- * \$150 per semester hour or \$450 per class.
 - ACES can provide either 75% or 90% tuition assistance to qualified HARNG soldiers based on command priorities and availability of funds.

For more information as to Chaminade's MBA program or how the HARNG can assist you in expanding your opportunities through continued education, call: Capt. Wong, Civilian Education Officer, at 737-2295.

LET'S TALK MONEY!

When the cost of books, supplies, activity charges and parking fees is more than you can personally afford, continuing your college education even with the educational assistance of the Tuition Waiver Program or the New GI Bill or the Army Continuing Education System (ACES) does not seem that appealing. However, there is a way in which you can obtain added financial assistance by being a soldier of the Hawaii Army National Guard.

How? By obtaining a Federal student loan (such as the Guaranteed Student Loan, National Direct Student Loan, or PLUS Loan) and participating in the Guard's **Student Loan Repayment Program**.

* **IF YOU** secure an eligible student loan (up to a maximum of \$10,000) from a financial institution or a college financial aid office, either:

- For your own college education (undergraduate/graduate);
- or
- To finance the college education of your legal dependents;

* **THEN** the Guard through the Student Loan Repayment Program (SLRP) may repay your educational loan for you. For qualified enlisted personnel, the Hawaii Army National Guard will repay an eligible student loan at a rate of 15% or \$500 (whichever is greater), plus related loan interest, for each year of qualifying service.

What makes the Student Loan Repayment Program interesting are the following considerations:

* Unlike other offered incentives, the SLRP is open to all qualified enlisted personnel regardless of their rank or years of service.

* It is also the only educational benefit provided by the Guard which can be applied to your dependents. With

The Army Continuing Education System

(ACES) . . .

a "new" educational opportunity offered to qualified soldiers of the

Hawaii Army National Guard



- * Education programs from high school completion to graduate degree; and
- * Tuition assistance (TA) for part-time studies:
 - 100% TA for high school completion,
 - 90% TA for qualified enlisted personnel (E-5 to E-9) pursuing a college degree,
 - 75% TA for other qualified HARNG soldiers (regardless of rank) continuing their education;
- * Testing services:
 - Credit-by-examination — CLEP, DANTES, etc.
 - College entrance examinations — SAT, GRE, etc.

INTERESTED? ACES tuition assistance now available for 1986-87 Fall semester and accelerated night term — but — on a limited basis. **CALL NOW:** Capt. Wong, Civilian Education Officer, 737-2295.

the rising cost of a college education, those of you who are paying for your children's college education should seriously consider this option.

* Lastly, there is nothing to prohibit you from using the SLRP in conjunction with the benefits of the Tuition Waiver, the New GI Bill, or ACES.

With proper planning, it is possible to obtain a **cost-free** college education while serving in the Hawaii Army National Guard.

Check with your unit for more details as to what is required of you to participate in the Student Loan Repayment Program.



HNGEA

Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association

by: SSgt. Jan K. N. DeRego, HANG,
HNGEA President

The 14th Annual Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association (HNGEA) Membership Business Meeting and Banquet was held on the lovely Valley Island of Maui, May 9-11, 1986. Chairing the event were Master Sgt. Stanley Medeiros, HHC 1/299 Inf, HARNG and Master Sgt. Alva Frias, 201st CISF/Maui, HANG. They planned an outstanding weekend of events . . . Maui No Ka Oi!

The Membership Meeting was held at the Maui Hukilau Hotel and presiding was President/Staff Sgt. Jan DeRego (HANG), introducing fellow officers: Vice President/Master Sgt. Wayne Soma (HANG), Treasurer/Command Sgt. Maj. Mitsuo Hasegawa (HARNG), Secretary/Master Sgt. Ken Enoki (HANG), Past President and Parliamentarian/Sgt. Maj. George Cho (HARNG), and EANGUS Area Direc-

tor/Tech. Sgt. Bertram Narita (HANG).

Minutes of the 13th Annual Membership Business Meeting, held in Hilo last year, were read by the Secretary. An update of the treasurer's report was read by the Treasurer. 1986 Membership Chairmen Master Sgt. Wayne Lewis (HARNG) and Sgt. Al DeRego (HANG) reported 1029 from HARNG and 624 from HANG.

Highlights on the HNGEA By-Law were by Chairman Sgt. 1st Class Tom Chock (HARNG), who dedicated his time and effort in changing the operation of the Association from Fiscal year to Calendar year. This change will allow the Executive Council sufficient time to experience and cohesively organize a meaningful representation of our State at the EANGUS conventions on the mainland, normally held during the

summer. In addition, it will eliminate many Fiscal problems that our local Treasurer experiences working with EANGUS and whereas the membership drives can begin on a Calendar year basis. It was a unanimous 2/3 vote to change the proposed amendments to the HNGEA By-Laws. Four resolutions were passed by the membership body and the 1987 Elections were held during new business. The 1987 Executive Council will be printed in the July HNGEA "Puali Koa" newsletter.

The Banquet was held at the Maui Palms Hotel/Longroom. The Master of Ceremony was Rev. Gus Fuentes, who did an excellent job that evening. The outstanding list of speakers included the Honorable Mayor Hannibal Tavares (Mayor of Maui County), Brig. Gen. Edward Richardson (Assistant Adjutant General, Air, and HANG Commander), Col. Lloyd Sodemani (HHC, 1/229th Inf, HARNG, Commander), and Maj. Louis Macknik (201st

CISF/Maui, Commander). All the speakers touched on concerns of the National Guard, such as retention, morale, and terrorism. It is delightful to know that these special gentlemen do support the enlisted personnel and the HNGEA.

HNGEA's future event will be August 6-9, 1986, EANGUS Convention, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Please support HNGEA's newest project, the "Keiki I.D. Club." Do it because you love your keiki.

Congratulations to Leimoni Bacalso, Oahu, and Patricia Franklin, Hilo, both HANG dependents, on keeping up with their studies and qualifying to receive the second half of our 1985 HNGEA Scholarship Award.

In closing, I ask that we all get involved and support our Association. With your help and positive attitude, we cannot fail. Serving as your HNGEA President is a pleasure and I serve with humility, dedication and devotion.

HARNG Reorganization '86

By Capt. Bud Bowles, HARNG

The Hawaii Army National Guard (HARNG) will start a major reorganization on September 30, 1986. The reorganization will affect the 29th Infantry Brigade (29th Inf Bde), changing it from a divisional Brigade to a Separate Infantry Brigade (SIB). The Headquarters Installation Command (HIC) will become a troop command.

The reorganization means an eventual gain of 250 positions which will increase the Guard's strength from about 4,000 to 4,250 members, according to Maj. Claude Ishida, Readiness Officer, HARNG.

The strength of the 29th Bde will jump from its current membership of 2123 to 3206 members. The HIC membership will drop from 1512 to 689 members.

The 29th Inf Bde will reorganize into 29th SIB on September 30, 1986, retaining the Headquarters, Headquarters Company (HHC), two infantry battalions (plus one Army Reserve battalion), and the field artillery battalion. The brigade will gain a support battalion, an engineer company, a ground

calvary troop and a signal detachment. All brigade units with the exception of the signal detachment will come from existing HARNG units.

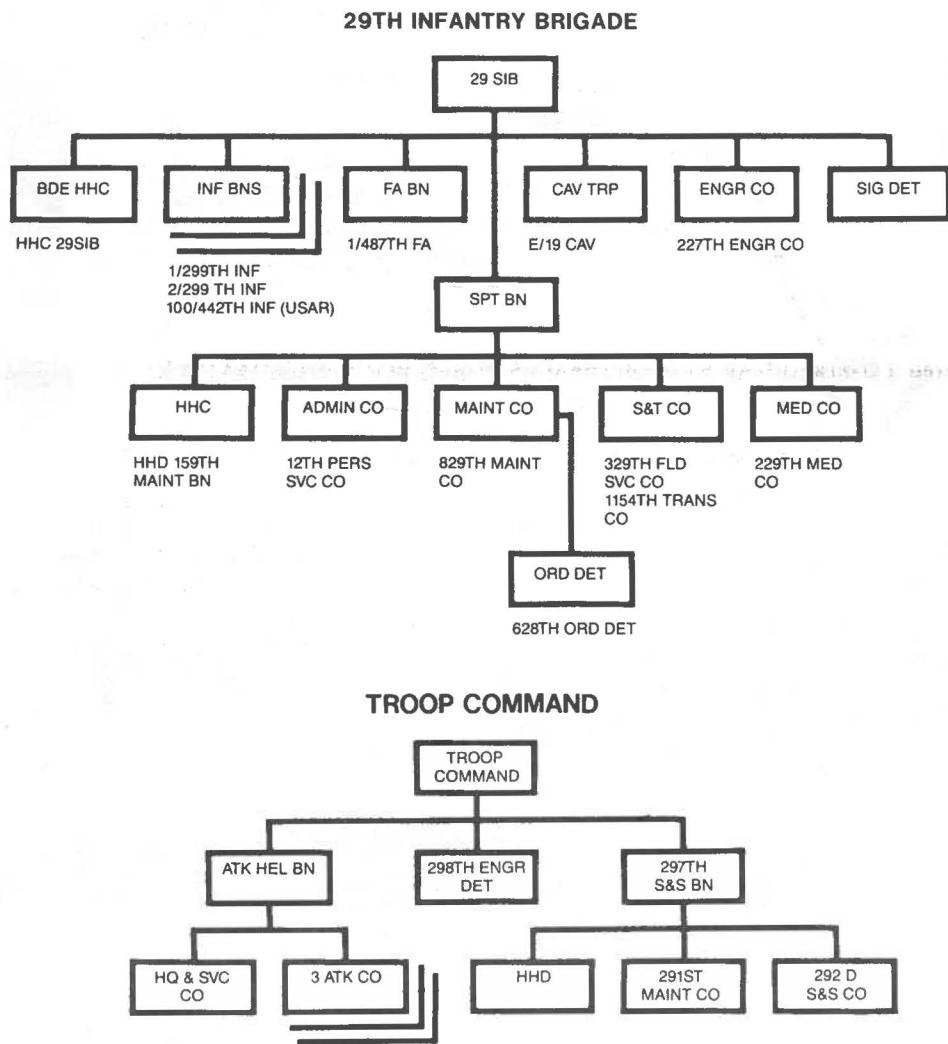
The balance of HIC units will reorganize into the Troop Command on October 2, 1986. The major revision will be the activation of the 193rd Aviation Battalion (Attack Helicopter), comprised of aviation elements of the 1293rd Aviation Company and Troop E.

The HIC Troop Command will then consist of the 297th Supply and Service Battalion, the 193rd Aviation Battalion, and the 298th Engineer Detachment.

Headquarters State Area Command (HQ STARC) will also be affected by the reorganization. Positions in Detachment 1, HQ STARC, and several augmentation will be reallocated to sections in HQ STARC.

The reorganization will be coordinated by the HARNG, 29th Inf Bde, reorganizational transition committee, which will be responsible for preparing, updating, and executing the HARNG action plan.

The following are wire diagrams of the reorganization.

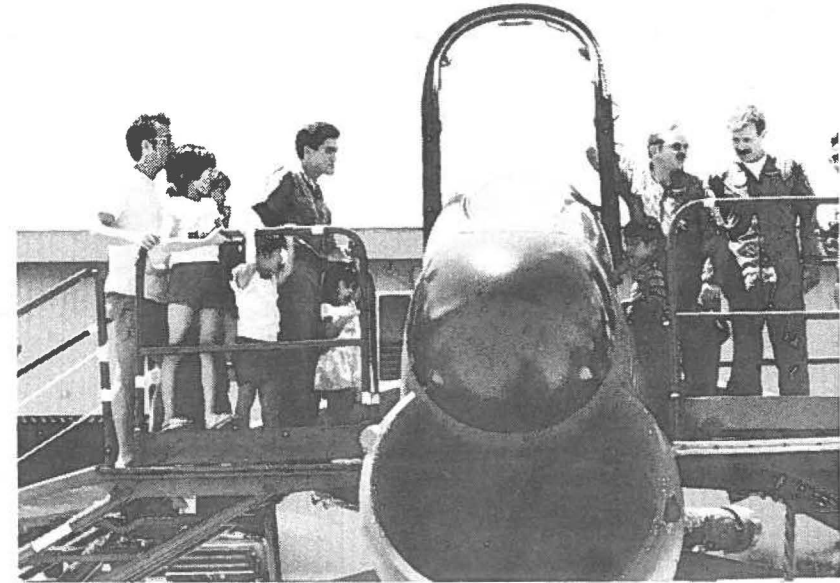


Hawaii National

May 17th has come and gone, but the memories of all the military equipment and aircraft still linger in the minds of the young and old visitors to the Armed Forces Day events at Hickam Air Force Base, Oahu, and General Lyman Field, Hilo.

At Hickam, more than 35,000 people celebrated Armed Forces Day. The Hawaii National Guard made its presence known with many impressive

static displays. The Hawaii National Guard (HARNG) pr TOW System, TPQ 36 Ra Howitzer, Combat Enginee heavy equipment, field bak bread for all), and an AH-1S (copter. The Army Guard recr their modular display to attr sters to consider the Guard. T Air National Guard (HANG the F-4C Phantom jet and several flyovers throughout th



Members of Hawaii Air National Guard's 154th Composite Group show the F-4C Phantom jet at Hickam Air Force Base. (HANG photo)



Hawaii Air National Guard Recruiters participate in Hawaii Military Week at Tamarind Park. (HIPAO photo)

Chamber of Commerce

Governor George R. Ariyoshi proclaimed May 9th through the 18th as Hawaii Military Week. The purpose of Hawaii Military Week was to increase the awareness within the civilian community of the contributions made to the quality of life in Hawaii by the military people and their families. Sponsors of this event were the Chamber of Commerce, the Military Affairs Council, and

the Bank of Hawaii. The first event of the week Opening Ceremony and Reception on Monday, May 5th, at the Capitol Rotunda. Mrs. Momi Lum, wife of the State General, gave an address titled "Pioneers of the Pacific" from ancient times until today. The Hawaii Air Guard's Royal Guard partic

Community Service

1154th Keeps on transporting

By Pfc. Susan Miller-Young, 117th PAD, HARNG

The Hawaii Army National Guard assisted the Hawaii Community Action Program in distributing Federal surplus food products to 36 locations on the island of Oahu on May 3, 1986.

The 80 Army National Guard truck drivers from the 1154th Transportation Company, commanded by Capt. Ronald F. Doo, delivered 4,544 cases of milk and 2,277 cases of honey.

The distribution posts were open from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and 78,000

lbs. of honey and 10,000 lbs. of powdered milk were distributed to 26,000 families in one day. These surplus distributions, usually including cheese, powdered milk, and rice, occur about three times a year.

"The distribution process is an enjoyable break from military training," said Doo, "but it also gives the men practice at driving trucks and meeting schedules." Recalling an observation made by HCAP Coordinator, Tom Higa, Captain Doo said, "It usually takes eight

days to do what we did in one day because of our vehicles and manpower."

The site at Aala Street had one Army truck loaded with 125 cases of milk and 62 cases of honey. Specs. 4 Rodney G. Ezuka of Moiliili and Ricardo D. Walsh of Waianae were assisted in unloading the vehicle by six civilian volunteers supervised by Tovia Fatu. "Not too bad today," Fatu said, "last time we came, the line was around the block."

"You should see the rice line; it takes all day . . . all day!" exclaimed Specialist Walsh.



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Guard holds heads high in Honolulu 'n Hilo

Air Guard recruiters invited visitors to their recruiting van.

In Hilo, more than 3,000 visitors converged on General Lyman Field in observance of Armed Forces Day. Maj. Nelson Kunitake, HARNG Aviation Facilities Commander, coordinated the efforts of the Hawaii Army and Air National Guard, Veterans of Foreign Wars/Post 9749 and the Hilo Civil Air Patrol to host the best ever Armed Forces Day in Hilo. HARNG displayed

aircraft, heavy equipment and weapons. HANG showed the F-4C Phantom jet, the C-130A Hercules cargo aircraft, and communications equipment. This year, Big Island residents experienced a strong showing by the active Army, Navy, Marines and Air Force. All the participants should be proud of their efforts in expressing the professionalism, skills, gallantry, and uncompromising devotion to duty characteristic of the Guard and the Armed Forces.



Youngsters check out the Hawaii Army National Guard's AH-1S Cobra helicopter on Armed Forces Day at Hickam Air Force Base. (Photo by Capt. Bud Bowles, HARNG)



Hawaii Army National Guard Recruiters show what the Army Guard is all about at Tamarind Park. (HIPAO photo)

celebrates "Military Week"

the procession and retirement of colors. A reception was held after the ceremony at Washington Place for invited guests. An Awards Luncheon was held at the Sheraton-Waikiki Hotel on May 15. Twelve selected personnel from their commands (outstanding representatives) from all services were guests of the Chamber and local businesses and on Friday, May 16, there was a mini-

parade in downtown Honolulu which climaxed at Tamarind Park of Bishop Square with a band concert by the 25th Infantry Division and the Drum and Bagpipe Corps of the Brigade of Gurkhas from Hong Kong. Both Army and Air National Guard recruiters provided displays and Miss Carole Kai served as the mistress of ceremonies for this event.



A Hawaii Army National Guard, 29th Infantry Brigade soldier shows a youngster the operation of the jeep mounted TOW anti-tank weapon. (Photo by Capt. Bud Bowles, HARNG)



A soldier of Hilo's 29th Infantry Brigade, Hawaii Army National Guard, instructs a youngsters in sighting the LAW weapon. (Photo by Maj. Gregg K. Kakesako, 117th PAD, HARNG)



National Guard airman show his son the "new" F-15 Eagle aircraft the ANG photo)



A New Mexico Guard pilot points out basic functions in the cockpit of the A-7 Corsair jet to interested youth. (HANG photo)

Sports

"Winded" Hawaii Guard runners winners at Lincoln

Lt. Col. (Doc) James D. Gallup, Air Surgeon, Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG), 1st Lt. Shirley A. Schmitt,

Occupational Health Nurse, Hawaii Army National Guard (HARNG), and Staff Sgt. Melodie A. Esposito,

HARNG, led a team of 16 Hawaii National Guard men and women to the National Guard Bureau Marathon

Trials held for the third year at Lincoln, Nebraska, on May 4, 1986.

For the third consecutive year, Doc Gallup took top honors in the Masters division (50-55 years) and once again a place on the 1986 All-Guard Masters Team (men over 40/third position on a 17-man squad). He also placed 24/male overall and 13/National Guard Male.

Running in her second Lincoln Marathon, Lt. Schmitt finished first in the women's 40-44 years division, first National Guard female, and third female overall. She leads the 10-person All-Guard Women's Team.

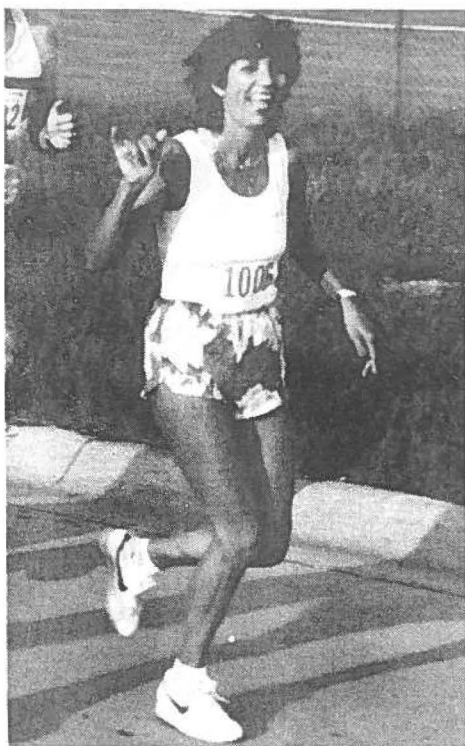
Sgt. Esposito finished third in the National Guard female 30-34 years division.

This year's plague was the "killer" winds, which averaged 25 mph (gusting up to 40 mph). It slowed times and tested the resolve of the almost 500 Army and Air Guard runners.

The wind had the peculiar quality of "always changing direction so that you were facing into it all the time," said Lt. Schmitt.

Gallup and Schmitt qualified for the All-Guard Team. They will participate in the Marine Corps Marathon, November 2, in Washington, D.C.

Hawaii's 16-member team captained by Lt. Schmitt finished 13th overall (with a total time of 9:16:39).



WIN (D) BREAKER—1st Lt. Shirley A. Schmitt, Hawaii Army National Guard, flashes the "shaka" sign after finishing 3:11:50.6, for 1st Place Woman NGB Runner. She set a new Lincoln Marathon record this year for women 40-44 age bracket. (Nebraska National Guard photo)



1986 HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD MARATHON TEAM and their finishing times: Kneeling (l-r) Staff Sgt. Wade M. Kaneshiro (HARNG/4:17:52.1), Sgt. Bobby Sambrano (HARNG/4:52:25.0), Sgt. Thomas Parel (HARNG/3:29:18.3), Chief Warrant Officer George C. Oshiro (HARNG/4:00:29.8), Sgt. Keith T. Arakaki (HARNG/3:23:00.7), Tech. Sgt. Owen K. Iha (HANG/3:50:33.3), Maj. Delbert M. Nishimoto (HARNG/3:16:13.1). Standing (l-r) Staff Sgt. David M. Ogura (HARNG/3:51:32.3), Stagg Sgt. Melodie A. Esposito (HARNG/4:38:30.6), Spec. 4 Roy K. Naki (HARNG/ did not finish), Spec. 4 Scott L. Casey (HARNG/4:44:46.5), 1st Lt. Vince A. Morikawa (HARNG/5:12:00.0), 1st Lt. Shirley A. Schmitt (HARNG/3:11:50.6), Lt. Col. James D. Gallup (HANG/2:48:35.6)

1986 HNG Tennis Tournament triumphs

Tennis balls flying through the air in every direction, but in control, kept the spectators' heads moving at the 5th Annual Hawaii National Guard Tennis Tournament held at the Pearl Harbor Sub Base courts (for the third year) on May 31, 1986. This year four of the 64 entries were women. Event chairman Lt. Col. Chris Jay, HANG, cited the growing interest and the new format (mixed Army and Air teams) as the keys to a successful tournament.

This year's participants were all winners, especially the following leading rackets:

Class A/B

1st Place-Sgt. 1st Class Max Velasco (292nd Supply and Service, HARNG) and Staff Sgt. Gary Sutor (154th Civil Engineering Squadron, HANG)

2nd Place-Tech. Sgt. Ronald Giosun (154th Civil Engineering Squadron, HANG) and Spec. 4 Kyle Kaneshiro (Headquarters Installation Command, HARNG)

Class C

1st Place-Master Sgt. Stanley Shinato (169th Air Control and Warning Squadron, HANG) and Staff Sgt. Vernon Nakasone (1293rd Aviation Company, HARNG)

2nd Place-Master Sgt. Larry Mun, (HHD, 159th Maintenance Battalion, HARNG) and Staff Sgt. Jose Madrid (201st Combat Information Systems Group, HANG)

Novice

1st Place-Capt. Ed Agner (326th Air Division/active Air) and Chief Warrant Officer Allen Sakamoto (12th Personnel Company, HARNG)

2nd Place-Staff Sgt. Craig Iwase (154th Resource Management Squadron, HANG) and Spec. 4 Dennis Molina (12th Personnel Company, HARNG)



Hawaii National Guard Class A/B tournament players (HIPAO photo)



Hawaii Army National Guard Class C and novice tournament players. (HIPAO photo)



Hawaii Air National Guard Class C and novice tournament players. (HIPAO photo)



TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE MEMBERS—(l-r) Chief Warrant Officer James Lum/HARNG Master Sgt. Larry Mun/HARNG, Mrs. Charlene Jay, Lt. Col. Chris Jay/HANG. (HIPAO photo)

487th's freestyle wrestler competes in New Zealand

Story and photos by 1st Lt. Angela E. Murray, 117th PAD, HARNG

The Hawaii Army National Guard's 487th Field Artillery has a new Fire Direction Center Chief, 23 year old Sgt. Robert W. Leshner, who also happens to be an Olympic Freestyle wrestler. The former Waianae High School graduate competed at the Oceanic International Games in Auckland, New Zealand, with top wrestlers from nine countries in May.

"He has not only competed in all of state competitions, usually taking first place, but he coaches kids at Waianae High School two hours a day, five days a week. He really gives back to the sport," said Thomas J. O'Neil, Chief of Physical Activities for Schofield Barracks.

"I like to work with the kids," explains Leshner. "I enjoy teaching them to do their best in one-on-one competition. What I really want to show them is that becoming good takes time and that you can gain from your losses."

"I ought to know," continued the 5'10", 180.5 lb. open division weight class athlete. "During my first year, I couldn't win a single match."

By his senior year, Bob Leshner was the first four-year wrestler from Waianae and placed third in the State of Hawaii. Now, he's going international, but believe it or not, wrestling is not the priority for Sgt. Leshner.

"It's just lucky that this game doesn't interfere with my other plans," explains Leshner in a serious tone. "There is no doubt in my mind that if it did, I wouldn't go."

So, what is it that captures the devotion of the 487th's star wrestler that he would 'take a bye' on international competition?

"School is my first priority," answers Leshner. "I joined the Hawaii Army National Guard in August of last year after having saved \$14,000 during my four years with the regular Army under the Veteran's Educational Assistance Program. Through my being a member of the Hawaii Army National Guard, my tuition to Leeward Community College is free. I am studying to become a mechanical engineer." He nodded his head, "That's my goal."

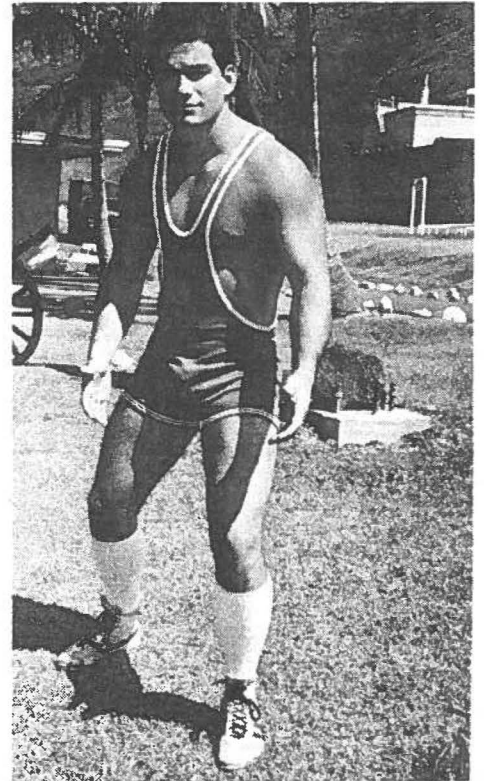
Planning and saving to bring his goal to reality, Sgt. Leshner was not one to "be pinned down" in his performance as a U.S. Army noncommissioned officer

(NCO) either. This son of Waianae distinguished himself by becoming an honor graduate and distinguished honor graduate in both his technical training as a fire direction chief computer operator and at the Army Primary NCO course at Schofield Barracks. Leshner became a U.S. Army Fire Direction Center section chief within 2½ years and attained the rank of Sergeant, E-5 within four years. He has been decorated with the Army Commendation Medal for distinguished and outstanding service.

"He is a credit to the 487th," said First Sgt. James M. Reis. "Leshner is a hard worker and NCO. He's been with us for less than a year but has contributed so much to the training and efficiency of the people in his section that he's been selected to face the promotion board. I wish we had more like him."

More like him is just what may be coming the first sergeant's way, given the spirit and tenacity of this Waianae High wrestling coach. Perhaps his students will see him as a strong influence and a model to emulate.

"If you've got the heart, you can make it," instructs Leshner. He's living testimony.



YOU'RE IN GOOD HANDS WITH...—Sgt. Robert W. Leshner, Battery A, 1/487th Field Artillery, Hawaii Army National Guard, is an Olympic Freestyle Wrestler when not attending Leeward Community College or Guard training.


HANG's Coach Okita Up for national award

Chief Master Sgt. Howard A. Okita, 154th Resource Management Squadron, Hawaii Air National Guard, began his coaching career at Kailua High School in 1977. After serving nine years as the Varsity Girl's Softball Head Coach, Howard has established himself as the most successful high school coach in the State of Hawaii . . . if not the nation.

Under his guidance, the Surfriders have established a 127 win/21 loss record. His teams have qualified for eight of the nine State Tournaments; won

seven Oahu Interscholastic Association (OIA) Windward District Championships and seven OIA Eastern Division Championships; five OIA League Championships; one State Runner-up; and won four State Championships. He was also named Honolulu Star-Bulletin Coach of the Year for 1984 and 1986.

As a result of his glowing achievements the Hawaii Athletic Association, in October of 1985, nominated Chief Okita for the 1986 National Coach of the Year Award. Congratulations to a great coach!



150th ACWSq Ahi Tournament

The 150th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, Hawaii Air National Guard, holds their 6th Annual Goodwill Ahi Tournament from June 11-13. The General Chairman is Master Sgt. Lester T. Matsushima. This fishing tournament originally began as "Matsu's dream" for the Hawaii Air Guard, which he has turned into reality & a popular annual event since 1980. Fellowship remains the main goal of the tournament. (Results will be in the next Pupukahi issue)

6th Annual

The Firing Line

Hawaii Guard marksmen out-sight competition

The Hawaii Army National Guard's (HARNG) combat pistol team from Headquarters, Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 299th Infantry (HHC, 2/299 Inf) in Hilo competed in the Sixth Army Combat Pistol Championship at Ft. Ord, California, on March 12-14, 1986. Hawaii's team outshot most of the six other participating Army Reserve and National Guard teams. In the final championship, Hawaii finished third.

Team members included Sgt. Herring K. Kalua, Sgt. William K. Mae, Capt. Wayne T. Nishijima, 1st Lt. Rodney T. Oshiro, Sgt. Floyd S. Tokusato, 1st Sgt. Yukimasa Tomono, and Staff Sgt. Roy M. Yamashita.

Two team members also distinguished themselves in individual competition among the 45 participants.

Tomono won the position phase of shooting and placed second in the "Excellence in Competition" match. Mae placed first, novice division, and second, novice division, in the overall individual championship.

Combat pistol shooting differs from other forms of precision pistol shooting. Only the .45-caliber "rack grade" service pistol is used. Silhouette targets are used instead of bullseyes. Shooters fire in various positions and under a variety of timed conditions. Even physical fitness is incorporated into the competition; immediately prior to the final team match, all team members must complete a timed, two-mile run while wearing all web gear and carrying their weapons.

HHC, 2/299 Inf, HARNG, congratulations on a performance well done and keep on target!



STRAIGHT SHOOTER—Dr. Kanemi Kanazawa, father of the late Eric Kanazawa, presents the Eric Kanazawa Memorial Trophy to Maj. Lance Okihara on behalf of Staff Sgt. Brian K. Uyehara, 210st Combat Information Systems Flight, Hawaii Air National Guard, the highest sharpshooter of the HANG Air rifle Tournament. (HANG photo)

People

Welcome aboard to the "new" faces and "old" faces in new places!

Up in the Crater, at the United States Property and Fiscal Offices (USPFO) are **Mrs. Lori E. Higa**, **Staff Sgt. Kiyoshi Arakawa** and **Sgt. Amy A. Kishimoto**.

Mrs. Lori Higa joins the USPFO staff from the U.S. Geological Survey as the military pay clerk (inputting, editing and processing data on the computer). She swims and reads for relaxation. Other interests are the Y.M.C.A. and animals. Lori's husband is **Cas Higa**.

Staff Sgt. Kiyoshi Arakawa took two steps forward and one to the right by leaving DAS-3 (Decentralized Automatic Supply) and joining the warehouse staff, where he receives items from the depot and local vendors and issues the items to the units. He's a drill status member of the 292nd Supply and Service Company, HARNG. Baseball, running and swimming fill part of his free time. "Yoshi" and his wife **Ruth** are the parents of **Mark** and **Joan**.

Sgt. Amy Kishimoto moves from HQ STARC (-Det. 1), HARNG, full-time to USPFO supply technician, while retaining her drill status position with the same unit as supply clerk. The new position brings "greater" responsibilities: record keeping of equipment within the State, non-expendable property reporting and annual reviews and reports to the National Guard Bureau and the Department of the Army. When time permits, she enjoys playing softball, swimming and tennis.

Back in Headquarters, HARNG G-1 are **Nolan M. Horimoto** and **Ms. Dorian Rodriguez**, and in G-3 **Mrs. Gaylene M. Yoneda**.

Nolan Horimoto comes to the department from Hickam Air Force Base Billing Office. His position, military personnel clerk (typing), duties include reviewing personnel records, publishing orders, and processing security clearance files. Extracurricular activities include participating or spectating sports, beach going, and gourmet dining.



Horimoto

Ms. Dorian Rodriguez is the G-1's secretary (typing), serving as his personal assistant and principal clerical and administrative support. Her services come via the Department of Social Services and Housing (Child Protection). Non-duty hours are spent bowling, playing racquetball, horseback riding, dancing and serving in the Naval Reserve as a Petty Officer Third Class.



Rodriguez

Mrs. Gaylene Yoneda was in the Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Marine Fisheries Service, Honolulu Laboratory (pew). G-



Yoneda

3's newest clerk-typist works for the Military Support Office section and, like more and more of the staff, she enters and assesses data on one of a variety of computers. In her leisure hours she works with her hands and feet in sewing, creative crafts, drawing, painting, playing piano and dancing. Gaylene's husband is **Stafford Yoneda**.

Sgt. Louis Kauakahi moves from the Service Battery, 1/487th Field Artillery, HARNG, to the HARNG Recruiting Office as an administrative specialist, responsible for correspondence, telephone switchboard, and other administrative duties. Volleyball and music (classical, Hawaiian, chamber and orchestral) fill off-duty hours not spent in the company of his wife **Lydia Kama-kawiwole** and daughter **Shayenne**.



Kauakahi

Spec. 4 Amelia Laureano is a tool and parts attendant at the Det. 1, HQ STARC, Wheeler Air Force Base facility. She enjoys a variety of activities, including painting, baseball, horseback riding, and community affairs, all this plus raising her 2-year-old son **Brian**.

Spec. 4 Naomi N. Annino is a maintenance record clerk for the Pearl City Maintenance Shop, where she keeps records and prepares forms/reports for submission to higher headquarters; in addition types forms and administrative correspondence. She spends most of her spare time with her sons **Branden**/4 years old and **Lowen**/10 months old, at the beach and just relaxing.

The State Maintenance staff has retained the services of **Randy Yamura** and **Donald L. Ah Nee**, who maintain areas in buildings 306A and 306.

Randy Yamura is retired from the culinary field (a fry chef). He enjoys participating in team sports like football, baseball and basketball. Beach-going and partying also share part of his leisure time, as well as spending time with the two most important people in his life, his wife **Dina Ann** and daughter **Tiare**, 2 years old.



Yamura

Donald Ah Nee is a man on the move. He's recently retired from a special forces airborne army unit, where he was a light weapons jumpmaster instructor. He spends his lunch hour running. Don's also active in racquetball, skydiving, scuba-diving and hiking. Quieter moments are shared with his family, wife **Sharon** and three sons, **Donald Jr.**/12, **Kaniela**/4, **Kamuela**/2, and daughter, **Crystal**/7.



Ah Nee

Lt. Col. Mike Tice fills the shoes of **Col. Raymond J. Moriguchi** as the Executive Support Staff Officer for

Headquarters, Hawaii Air National Guard (HANG).

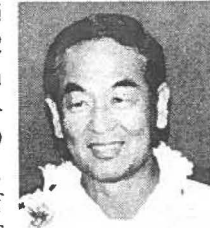
Lt. Col. Tice joins the staff as the Assistant Adjutant General, Air, Brig. Gen. Edward V. Richardson's "right hand," from the 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron, HANG, Hickam Air Force Base (AFB), where he was the Operations Officer since 1978 and the Air Technician/Flying Training Instructor since 1973.



Tice

Tice was born in Seattle, Washington, and moved to Hawaii in 1946 at age 3. He graduated from Punahou in 1961 and the University of Oregon in 1965. After enlisting in the Hawaii Air Guard in 1965, he attended flying school at Williams AFB, Arizona, and graduated in 1968. Tice lives on the Windward side where he enjoys water sports and automotive endeavors. He and his wife **Joanne** (who's a Maui girl) have two offspring: **Marc**/13 and **Kimberly**/8.

Col. Moriguchi departs after over 32 years of service with the Federal Government, including 29 years with HANG. He is a graduate of the University of Hawaii's Business Administration School and the Kauai Community College's Police Science School. HANG retained Moriguchi's services after a three-year stint with the active Air Force in 1957. He and his wife **Frances** will be able to enjoy his being home more often, and not off on a mission for the Air Force, the 150th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, or his noble headquarters leader. "His professional, faithful service and high standard of performance will be missed," said Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum, State Adjutant General.



Moriguchi

Maj. Louis S. Macknik assumed the duties as commander of the 201st Combat Information Systems Flight, Hawaii Air National Guard, Kahului, Maui, on May 1, 1986.

Maj. Macknik was born in Kingston, Pennsylvania, and graduated from Bridgeton High School, New Jersey. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Missouri. While attending the Air Force Institute of Technology, he received his Masters of Science degree in Engineering Space Physics and also his commission.

Macknik began his military career with the United States Air Force in 1964. Assignments have included serving as a Research and Development Physicist to System Engineer to Chief of Maintenance and finally as a Communications Electronic Engineer.

He returned to civilian life and began working for the Hughes Aircraft Company in May 1978. He started as a Systems Engineer and was promoted to Group Head of the Systems Group and later to the Assistant Section Head before leaving the company in mid-1979.

In July 1979, Maj. Macknik relocated to Maui, Hawaii, to work for his current

employer, the University of Hawaii, Lure Observatory, Kula, Maui, as Project Manager. He joined the Hawaii Air National Guard in July 1980 with the 201st Combat Communications Flight as its Chief of Operations and later was reassigned as the unit's Chief of Maintenance.

Macknik is an amateur radio operator and his hobbies include music, personal computing, and amateur astronomy. He is also active in the Maui Community Theater and the Maui Youth Theater.

He is married to the former **Sarah Zoll** and has three children, ages 14, 17, and 19.

Looking good

Sgt. Lawrence J. Sagaysay and **Sgt. Gordon K. Doo** of the HARNG Recruiting Office successfully completed the Primary Leadership Development Course (PLDC) conducted by the 25th Infantry Division. They were the first PLDC graduates from HARNG.



Sagaysay



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The one-month course required candidates to be in top physical shape, with emphasis on drill and ceremony and physical training (PT). The standards of the "sergeants basic training" were high. "You had to get along with over 60 people in the barracks. Everyone with the same first name 'Sergeant'," said Sgt. Sagaysay. He also recommended that future PLDC participants come with a wholehearted attitude, dedicating themselves to a successful completion. Sgt. Doo added, "Mentally prepare yourself and have a good sponsor to provide moral support."

Congratulations to both soldiers for a job well done!



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A PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Promotions

PROMOTIONS

Congratulations are in order for the following Hawaii Army and Air National Guard members who have either received promotions, appointments or federal recognition.

Officers do not wear their new rank until they receive federal recognition.

HAWAII ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel:
Bernard M. Watson, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Lieutenant Colonel:
Nelson M. Kunitake, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Lloyd K. Soretani, HHC, 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry
Duncan M. Thompson, Sr., HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Wayson Wong, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Eugene H. B. Young, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Major:
Michael J. Mangca, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Daniel R. Oshiro, 1293rd Aviation Company (Cbt. Spt.) (-Det. 1)

Captain:
Patrick E. K. Bailey, HHC, 1st Battalion, 487th Field Artillery
Donald T. Farrell, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Gilbert E. Johnson, HHD, 297th Supply & Service Battalion
Placido D. Valenciano, HHC 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry

First Lieutenant:
Robert G. Hill, III, HHC 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry
John Kakazu, 1154th Transportation Company
Dennis Kim, 829th Maintenance Company
Matthew N. Nagasako, Company C, 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry
Paul Quan, 291st Maintenance Company
David Shintani, HHC 29th Infantry Brigade
Vince A. Morikawa, HHC 29th Infantry Brigade
Paul S. Tamaribuchi, Company A (-Det. 1) 2nd Battalion, 299th Infantry
Dylan T. Quintinita, HHC, 1st Bn, 487th Field Artillery
Karen M. Wall, 292nd Supply & Service Company
Alika G. Watts, 291st Maintenance Company

Chief Warrant Officer 4:
Ronald Watkins, Troop E (Air) 19th Cavalry

Chief Warrant Officer 3:
Epedio Domingo, 12th Personnel Service Company
Robert C. Paoa, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Wendell A. Windham, 12th Personnel Service Company

Chief Warrant Officer 2:
Phillip Wright-Van Alst, 1293rd Aviation Company (CS) (-Det. 1)
David L. Ayling, Troop E (Air) 19th Cavalry

Warrant Officer 1:
Gardner Brown, Troop E (Air) 19th Cavalry
Wayne Y. Umeda, Troop # (Air) 19th Cavalry

HAWAII AIR NATIONAL GUARD

Lieutenant Colonel:
William N. Wright, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron

Major:
Blaine I. Izuka, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

First Lieutenant:
Kenneth T. Uyehara, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Senior Master Sergeant, E-8:
Felix Abear, HQ, 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Reginald K. Q. Chun, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Gregory C. Ing, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight
David L. Leynes, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight

Master Sergeant, E-7:
Bently K. Alama, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Gary Cera, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Jeffery S. Hamilton, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
Daniel Y. Komatsu, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Rodney K. Kuroiwa, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
George A. Sensano, 101st Combat Information Systems Squadron

Technical Sergeant, E-6:
George K. Akana, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Blossom P. Lee, Headquarters, Hawaii Air National Guard
Gary G. Mau, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Walter H. Pacheco, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight

Staff Sergeant, E-5:
Stephen W. H. Abear, 201st Air Traffic Control Flight
Rodrigo C. Academia, Jr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Balthazar R. Duldulao, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Ira Fernandez, 202nd Air Traffic Control Flight
Jarma F. Gilbert, 201st Air Traffic Control Flight
Harold M. Hewett, III, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
John C. Iacovazzi, 154th Resource Management Squadron
Gary S. Komoto, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
Joseph S. Rayray, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Gary W. Sutor, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
Mike J. Tsutaoka, 202nd Air Traffic Control Flight
Lawrence Wong, 202nd Air Traffic Control Flight

Sergeant, E-4:
Regina Aiken, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Mark A. Gibson, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Craig K. Katsuda, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Derrick M. Kusuda, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Jonathan K. Mun, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Kris S. Okazaki, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Kalani J. W. Pruet, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Larry L. Roper, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Theodore D. Salmon, Jr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Rene'e U. Tavare, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Dane K. Tsubota, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Richard K. Wells, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Gary Y. M. Wong, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Robert A. Villatora, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Senior Airman, E-4:
Clifford K. K. Afong, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
Zalen R. Arakaki, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Jeffrey P. Buss, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Robert U. Canez, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Paul Gunderson, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Lilinoe T. Grube, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Robert W. Hoggan, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Derek K. Leong, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Dana R. Paikai, 154th Security Police Flight
Jo Ann T. Rapoza, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Kenneth R. Said, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Richard K. Shoda, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
David M. Sone, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
James P. Sullivan, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Joyce A. Valdivia, 154th Resource Management Squadron
Steven W. S. Wong, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Airman First Class, E-3:
Jon P. Amarin, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Darryl Y. T. Chang, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Ronald J. Comeau, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Wyatt L. Copp, 154th Tactical Hospital
Scott M. Cummings, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Darren H. Eko, 154th Security Police Flight
Guy I. Hironaka, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Karen A. Imada, 154th Resource Maintenance Squadron
Lyndon B. Keliinui, 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Irenio A. Mateo, 154th Resource Management Squadron
Melvin T. Murakami, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Peter R. Oakes, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Wendell K. Reyes, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Edwin H. Sproat, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Airman (E-2):
Renee D. Chinen, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Edward T. Essman, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Renato B. Gabriel, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Matthew S. Hoapili, 154th Combat Support Squadron
Kevin H. Inouye, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
James A. Keanini, III, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Lyndon B. Keliinui, 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Darren R. Tominaga, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
Douglas T. Yamashiro, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Gina T. Transfiguration, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Awards

AWARDS

Members of the Hawaii Army and Air National Guard were recently presented with awards in recognition of their outstanding performance.

Meritorious Service Medal:
Master Sgt. Francisco J. Tabar, (Ret.), HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)
Sgt. First Class Richard English, HHC 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry
Staff Sgt. Filemon M. Nanod, Detachment 1, Combat Support Company, 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry

Hawaii National Guard Medal for Merit:
Sgt. Maj. Sung Cho Kim, Headquarters Installation Command

Hawaii National Guard Commendation Medal:
Maj. Byron F. Nettrour, Jr., U.S. Army Readiness Group
Sgt. Maj. James H. S. Lee, HQ IX Corps (Aug), Ft. DeRussy

Army Commendation Medal (Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster):
Sgt. Maj. Ronald C. Fukuhara, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Army Commendation Medal:
Staff Sgt. William C. Jones, (Ret.), HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Army Achievement Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):
SSgt. Gerard N. K. Namba, Company A, 100th Battalion, 442nd Infantry

Air Force Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster):
Maj. Richard T. Araki, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Air Force Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):
Lt. Col. Richard C. Hastings, Jr., 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Lt. Col. George S. Kawamura, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Lt. Col. Paul P. Sequeira, Jr., 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Maj. Stephen R. Berg, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Capt. Mary E. Branan, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Chief Master Sgt. Walter T. Furuyama, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Master Sgt. Galen A. Nakahara, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Master Sgt. Roy S. Yamasaki, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

Air Force Commendation Medal:
Lt. Col. John S. Salter, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Lt. Col. Daniel Q. K. Stone, Jr., 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron

Maj. Myron N. Dobashi, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Maj. John M. Dudley, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Capt. Daniel A. Firestone, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Capt. Blaine I. Izuka, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Capt. Edwin A. Vincent, Jr., 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Chief Master Sgt. Harry M. Y. Awana, Jr., 154th Composite Group
Chief Master Sgt. Stanley S. Honda, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Chief Master Sgt. Kozen Kaneshiro, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Chief Master Sgt. Richard K. Senaha, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Senior Master Sgt. Ronald S. Aniya, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Senior Master Sgt. George I. Hayashi, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Master Sgt. Benjamin Pajardo, 1540th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Master Sgt. Jason K. Uota, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron
Master Sgt. Toshiyuki Watabayashi, 154th Tactical Hospital
Tech. Sgt. Douglas M. Kaeo, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Senior Master Sgt. Lewis K. Kono, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Master Sgt. Wallace M. Akagi, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Master Sgt. James M. Akamine, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Master Sgt. Harold S. Hirayama (Ret.), 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Tech. Sgt. Elmer R. Looney, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Tech. Sgt. Kenneth R. Sabog, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Staff Sgt. Ronald A. Fukumoto, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Air Force Achievement Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):
Maj. Jeffrey H. Nishimura, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Maj. Lance Y. Okihara, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight
Tech. Sgt. Roy H. Sunada, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Tech. Sgt. Rodney M. Tokuda, 154th Resource Management Squadron
Staff Sgt. Dennis K. Takeshita, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard

Air Force Achievement Medal:
Maj. Edwin E. Chung-Hoon, 154th Composite Group
Maj. Clarence N. Fukumoto, 154th Resource Management Squadron
Capt. Kathleen F. Berg, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Capt. Sanford S. Ching, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Capt. Harold H. Fujii, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron

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Training Schedule

ARMY & AIR NATIONAL GUARD TRAINING SCHEDULES

Listed below are the inactive duty training dates for all Hawaii Army and Air National Guard units. All dates are subject to change.

	July	August	September
HQ, STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)	12-13	23-24	13-14
Selective Service	12-13	23-24	13-14
Hawaii Military Academy	26-27	9-10	13-14
117th Public Affairs Det.	12-13	23-24	13-14
HQ Installation Command	12-13	23-24	13-14
298th Engineer Det.	12-13	23-24	13-14
HHD, 159th Maint. Bn.	12-13	23-24	20-21
12th Pers. Svc. Co.	12-13	23-24	20-21
291st Maint. Co.	12-13	23-24	20-21
829th Maint. Co.	12-13	23-24	20-21
628th Ord. Det.	12-13	23-24	20-21
HHD, 297th S & S Bn.	12-13	23-24	13-14
229th Medical Co.	12-13	23-24	13-14
292nd S & S Bn.	12-13	23-24	13-14
329th Field Svc. Co.	12-13	23-24	13-14
1154th Trans. Co.	12-13	23-24	13-14
Det. 1, HQ, STARC.	12-13	23-24	13-14
227th Engr. Co.	12-13	23-24	13-14
1293rd Avn. Co. (-Det. 1)	12-13	9	13-14
Det. 1, 1293rd Avn. Co.	12-13	9-10	6-7
Trp. E (Air), 19th Cav.	12-13	16-17	20-21
HHC 29th Inf. Bde.	12-13	16-17	6-7
HHC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
Co. A, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
Co. B, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
Co. C, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
CSC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
Det. 1, CSC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	12	16-17	6-7
HHC 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	12	9-10	6-7
Co. A, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	12	9-10	6-7
Co. B, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	12	9-10	6-7
Co. C, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	12	9-10	6-7
CSC, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	12	9-10	6-7
HHB 1st Bn., 487th FA	12-13	16-17	13-14
Btry. A, 1st Bn., 487th FA	12-13	16-17	13-14
Btry. B, 1st Bn., 487th FA	12-13	16-17	13-14
Btry. C, 1st Bn., 487th FA	12-13	16-17	13-14
Svc. Btry., 1st Bn., 487th FA	12-13	16-17	13-14
Headquarters, HANG	12-13	2-3	13-14
154th Composite Group.	12-13	2-3	13-14
201st Combat Info. Group	26-27	2-3	13-14
199th Weather Flight	12-13	2-3	6-7

Calendar

June 11-13, Wednesday-Friday
6th Annual Goodwill Ahi Tournament, 150th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, Hawaii Air National Guard

June 15, Sunday
First Annual Hawaii Army National Guard Warrior Fun Run.
The four mile run promoting physical fitness in the Hawaii Army Guard, is open to all HARNG members, their families and civilian personnel employed by HARNG. (Results featured in the next Pupukahi)



June 28, Saturday
Hawaii National Guard Association Conference at Turtle Bay Hilton, Oahu. Na Kuhina O Na Koa Hawaii, Wives' Auxiliary Luncheon at Turtle Bay Hilton, Oahu.

July 19-August 19
Hawaii Army National Guard Annual Training '86.

August 6-9, Wednesday-Saturday
EANGUS Convention, Boston, Massachusetts.

August 15, Friday
Admission Day

September 6, Saturday
Third Annual Scholarship A'ha'aina, the Wives' Auxiliary Fund Drive Luau at Hee'ia State Park. 4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

September 20, Saturday
State of Hawaii Primary Elections Voting Day

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Air Force Achievement Medals (cont'd)

Capt. Galen R. Yoshimoto, 201st Combats Information Systems Group
1st Lt. Stanley J. Osserman, Jr., 154th Composite Group
1st Lt. Daniel J. Tucker, 154th Resource Management Squadron
2nd Lt. Myles M. Moriguchi, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Senior Master Sgt. William M. Tabe, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Master Sgt. John W. Bandmann, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Master Sgt. Herbert H. Honjo, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Master Sgt. Herbert Y. Takeya, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Tech. Sgt. James H. W. Dang, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Tech. Sgt. Douglas M. Kaeo, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
Tech. Sgt. Gene K. Moriguchi, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Sherry L. Congleton, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Senior Master Sgt. Henry Arthur, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Master Sgt. Harold G. DeMello, Jr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
Master Sgt. Ralph M. Kaneshiro, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Master Sgt. Norman K. S. Kawamoto, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Master Sgt. James S. Oshiro, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Tech. Sgt. Joyce S. Akagi, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Tech. Sgt. Moses K. Akana, 201st Air Traffic Control Flight
Tech. Sgt. Bently K. Alama, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Tech. Sgt. Ronald S. Biho, 154th Combat Support Squadron
Tech. Sgt. Glenn S. Suganuma, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
Tech. Sgt. Vivian C. Toma, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard

Staff Sgt. Stephanie K. Y. L. Chow, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
Staff Sgt. Dennis K. Takeshita, HQ, Hawaii Air National Guard
Sgt. Randy D. Canoy, 208th Combat Information Systems Flight

20 Years of Service:
Master Sgt. Harvey K. Maeda, 202nd Air Traffic Control Flight

15 Years of Service:
Master Sgt. Harold S. Hirayama (Ret.), 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Tech. Sgt. David Murray, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

10 Years of Service:
Master Sgt. Harold S. Hirayama (Ret.), 201st Combat Information Systems Group
Tech. Sgt. David Murray, 201st Combat Information Systems Group



November 2, Sunday
Marine Corps Marathon, Washington, D.C.
Two Hawaii National Guard Entries.

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