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Ellis assists in promotion of ESGR

Mr. Dick E. Ellis, Executive Director of the National Committee for ESGR, visited Hawaii, January 19 through 25. Us time here was spont providing guid-ance and visibility of the local ESGR program. For the Hawaii National Guard, Mr. Ellis directly contributed to the success of three major events, the ESGR luncheon in Hilo, the Hawaii Army National Guard Dining-In, and the Pro Patria Award Luncheon.

On Tuesday, January 21, Mr. Ellis and the Hawaii ESGR committee attended a South Hilo Rotary luncheon. The primary purpose of the event was to honor community leaders and business persons for their support of the Guard and Reserves. A total of 22 certificates of appreciation and two State Chairman awards were presented. Both, Brigadier General Edward V. Richardson and Brigadier General Irwin K. Cockett, Jr., attended the luncheon and assisted in presenting five Air Guard certificates

and six Army Guard certificates respectively. The Hilo Guard units were well represented, especially the 2nd Batalion, 299th Infantry Brigade.

On Thursday, January 23, Mr. Ellis was the guest speaker at the Hawaii Army National Guard Dining-In held at Honolulu International Country Club. Almost 250 Army Guard members attended this exciting event, which included the traditional punchbowl ceremony, toasting, and lineage recitation. Mr. Ellis captivated this audience with his wit, humor, and Pentagon insight.

On Friday, January 24, Governor George R. Ariyoshi received the "Pro Patria", also known as the National Chairman's award, at a luncheon cosponsored by the Hawaii (ESGR) committee and Armed Services Committee of the Hawaii Chamber of Commerce at the Hilton Hawaiian Village. Mr. Ellis was the guest speaker and made the

actual presentation of the award to the Governor.

"Pro Patria" is a Latin expression meaning "For Country." The award recognizes the patriotism of the recipient who has demonstrated support of national defense by adopting personnel policies which make it easier for employees to participate in the Reserve or National Guard.



SUPPORTING SERVICE-Governor George R. Ariyoshi receives the PRO PATRIA Award from Dick E. Ellis, Executive Director for the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. (Photo by Stephen Lum, HIPAO)

receive F-15 in Summer 1987 HANG to

On February 5, 1985 the Air Force announced proposed changes in the tactical force structure of the Air Force Reserve and Air National Guard. The Hawaii Air National Guard's 24 F-4C (Phantom) fighter aircraft will be replaced by 24 F-15 (Eagle) aircraft in the summer of 1987, which will greatly enhance Hawaii's air defense system for the people of Hawaii. The F-15 is recognized as one of the finest fighter aircraft in the world today. Its superior acceleration, range, weapons and avionics will enable the Hawaii Air National Guard to intercept, identify and destroy, if necessary, potential hostile aircraft at a greater distance from our shores. According to Major General Alexis T. Lum, State Adjutant General, "The aircraft represents a monumental leap for Hawaii's air defense and will provide National Guard Bureau and our Hawaii

a greater level of protection for the State of Hawaii. Hawaii has a definite need for this expanded capability and the Hawaii Air National Guard has demonstrated its ability to put the F-15 to the best possible use for our State and Nation."

Air National Guard's unique air defense mission and its outstanding accomplishments. Over the next decade, several other Air National Guard units will be programmed for the F-15 aircraft as part of the modernization of the reserve forces.

The conversion of the F-4C to F-15 aircraft will result in a slight increase in full-time and military manning for the 154th Composite Group, Hickam AFB, Hawaii. Some on-board personnel will be affected by the conversion. They will be reassigned and trained for new duties since the F-15 is less labor intensive to maintain than the F-4C because of improved technology and requires only one pilot to perform its mission. The F-4C currently requires both a pilot and a weapons system officer to perform its mission. However, no existing personnel will be laid off since the overall manpower authorization will be slightly increased, as previously mentioned.

Hawaii Air National Guard, 3rd Guard unit to receive F-15's

The Hawaii Air National Guard becomes the third Guard unit in the nation to be programmed for the F-15s, following the 159th Tactical Fighter Group, New Orleans, Louisiana, and the 116th Tactical Fighter Wing, Dobbins AFB, Georgia. Hawaii's early selection for force modernization can be attributed to the very strong support received from Pacific Air Forces and the

As part of the conversion from the F-4C to F-15 aircraft, the Hawaii Air National Guard will be upgrading and expanding its facilities at Hickam AFB to accommodate the new aircraft at an estimated cost of \$8.2 million. An additional \$15.2 million of improvements,

\$23.4 million in facilities upgrading & expansion improvements

unrelated to the conversion, will be made to accommodate other facility needs of the Hawaii Air National Guard at Hickam AFB.

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Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum The Adjutant General

The next few years will be exciting ones for the Hawaii National Guard. The Hawaii Air National Guard will be converting from their present aircraft, the F-4C Phantom, to the F-15 Eagle. The Hawaii Army National Guard's 29th Infantry Brigade will be converting from its current divisional brigade configuration to a separate infantry brigade with all supporting elements.

Although both of these changes are exciting and will upgrade the capabilities of our primary Army and Air Guard units in Hawaii, the changes will also cause a considerable number of problems. These will vary from some of our drill status individuals having to convert their military specialities and change units to full time employees having similar problems which will affect their employment status.

At the command and staff level, we are working hard in the planning process to assure that the adverse impacts will be kept to a minimum. However, I must ask for the cooperation, patience and understanding of each member of the Hawaii National Guard to make these two significant changes happen as smoothly as possible. I have cited only the two major actions and I am sure, those of you affected, know of many other imminent changes. I want to assure you that each action will be handled with the same attention to detail and people concerns as the two major conversions pointed out.

We have other concerns that will also have to be dealt with in the next few years. The overshadowing situation is one you have all heard of and that is the Gramm Rudman Law which imposes significant budget restraints. There are possibilities of reductions in authorized strength in units, reduced funding of operations and maintenance, curtailment of deployments and many other constraining actions that may impact on us. However, it is premature to predict exactly what we in the Hawaii National Guard can expect. I will keep the senior commanders and their staffs informed of any contemplated actions contributable to budget cuts and restricted funding.

Gommand Notes

I am sure as you think of the effects of budget cuts on the active component Army and Air Force, you must recognize the obvious need for reduction of spaces in the standing forces. This will mean a continued shift of missions to the Guard and Reserve components. Consequently, it becomes more essential that we work toward attaining the highest level of readiness possible while on reserve status.

This will require a committment on the part of each of us. Commanders must assure every training opportunity is made available, NCO's must do what they do best in the training of subordinates and every soldier or airman must take advantage of the opportunity to learn and excel in their military skills. We need to make sure all training is well-planned, supported, supervised, and critiqued. We can accomplish much in preparing for mobilization (the mobilization we all hope will never come) by including all levels of the command in training and additionally, educating spouses and families where possible.

I know we always talk about readiness and most people think of this as preparing for war. In fact, this is what we are doing but really with another motivating factor. The readiness of our military forces actually equates to the effectiveness of this very same force as a deterrence to war. Well equipped and trained forces in a high state of readiness have always provided countries throughout history with the leverage necessary to affect efforts toward world peace.

Consequently we, each officer and service member, must be committed to doing our utmost to meet the challenges of our future in the Hawaii National Guard. I know I can count on all of the Hawaii National Guard members and their families to assist in meeting our responsibilities and objectives.



SELECTIVE SERVICE REMINDER FOR GUARDSMEN

On January 29th, Governor George R. Ariyoshi signed a proclamation declaring February 1986 as Selective Service Registration Awareness Month in Hawaii. The Governor urges all young men in our islands, upon reaching their 18th birthday, to fulfill their obligation by registering with the Selective Service System.

The registration requirement was established by the Military Selective Service Act and Presidential Proclamation No. 4771 of July 1980 mandated resumption of peace-time Selective Service registration. The program is vital to national defense and more than 15 million men have already registered.

In Hawaii, over 57,000 men have signed up and approximately 7,500 to 8,000 men turn 18 each year. Many young men who are now serving or have served on active military duty, or are members of the National Guard or Reserve, may not be aware of their legal Reagan has signed a new law that will deny appointment to Federal jobs to men who have not registered with Selective Service.

The Selective Service System reached an important milestone in the registration of young men on January 1, 1986. On that date, men who were required in 1980 to register with Selective Service will be or have turned 26. Selective Service does not have the authority to accept registration of men after they turn 26. Men who failed to register will have permanently forfeited their right to certain Federal student aid and job training benefits as well as Federal employment.

Men age 18 to 25 who have not yet registered should register promptly to avoid prosecution and/or loss of benefits.

Registration takes only five minutes at any post office. Failure to register is a felony, punishable by a fine of up to

U.S. Savings Bond Campaign

The 1986 U.S. Savings Bond Campaign will be from March 15th to May 15th. Mr. Wallace Aoki of the Department of Taxation has been appointed by Governor George R. Ariyoshi as Chairman of this year's State Government campaign.

U.S. Savings Bonds are an attractive means of savings and an excellent investment in our nation. A convenient and totally secure means of saving regularly, an added incentive is that the interest earned on bonds is exempt from state income taxes and can be deferred from federal taxes. Under the variable rate feature, the market-based interest rate for Series EE Bonds issued between November 1, 1985, and April 30, 1986, is 8.36 percent for their first semi-annual interest period. The average variable rate was 9.69 percent since November 1982.

This feature, combined with the traditional benefits of safety. State tax exemptions and deferred Federal taxes make U.S. Savings Bonds an excellent investment. During March and April you will have an opportunity to join the Payroll Savings Plan. One of your Departmental Coordinators will be contacting you to explain the details of the U.S. Savings Bond.

SGLI coverage raised

Effective 1 January 1986, the maximum Serviceman's Group Life Insurance (SGLI) coverage was raised to \$50,000. This means a \$0.08 per \$1,000, for a maximum monthly cost of \$4.00.

The increased coverage and subsequent monthly cost are automatic unless the service member selects, in writing, less than the full amount.

If the service member has previously declined or selected a smaller amount, he/she must again, in writing, decline or select a smaller amount and turn it in to his or her unit administrator.

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responsibility to register with Selective Service. Additionally, President Ronald \$250,000 and/or up to 5 years imprisonment.

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-----A Spotig HARNG has first physician's assistant

By Staff Sgt. Dennis Fujii, 117th **PAD HARNG**

Two years of military training have paid off for Dennis Alvaro, 229th Medical Company. He recently received a commission as a Chief Warrant Officer 2 (CWO2) and is the first physician's assistant in the Hawaii Army National Guard.

For CWO2 Alvaro, stepping into a new job with new responsibilities and rank is an exciting and challenging experience. Alvaro, a 13 year veteran with the Hawaii Army National Guard, left Hawaii in 1983 as a Sergeant First Class. Prior to his departure, Alvaro was Ward Master and a backbone of the 229th's operations.

Schooling for his new position took him to Texas. His first year was spent at Shephard Air Force Base and his last year of medical schooling was spent at

Brooke's Army Medical Center in San Antonio.

A graduate of St. Louis High School, CWO2 Alvaro attended the University of Hawaii and graduated as a registered nurse. With his recent education and training, Alvaro will work under a doctor, make diagnosis for patients under their care to include start treatment and begin medication.

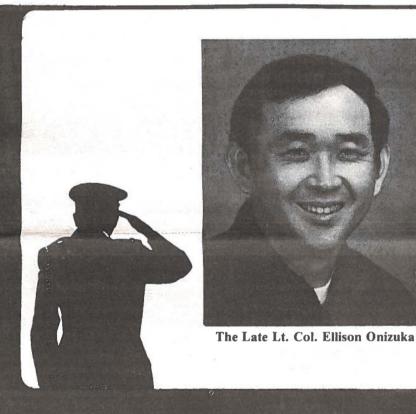
When asked how he got started Alvaro said, "Back in 1983, the 229th was reorganized and a newly created position physician's assistant became available." Wanting to further his education, Alvaro applied for schooling.

In addition to his promotion and new skills, Alvaro is presently awaiting his Hawaii certification and will be able to work full-time as a civilian physician's assistant, also.



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WARRANTS A PINNING-Chief Warrant Officer 2 Dennis Alvaro, 229th Medical Company, HARNG, receives his bars from Lt. Col. Robert W. Barrett, ARNG, FIAC, AHS and Mary Alvaro, his mother, at graduation ceremonies in Ft. Sam Houston, Texas U.S. Army photo)



Shuttle Remembrance

Statement of Governor George R. Ariyoshi

The terrible tragedy that occurred to the space shuttle Challenger and those on board. . . is a tragedy for the nation and the world.

My thoughts at this time focus immediately on their families, especially the family and friends of Astronaut Ellison Onizuka of Kona, many of whom were at Cape Canaveral. . .

Ellison's mother, Mitsue, his wife, Lorna, and their two children are in great need at this time, and our aloha and sympathy go out to them during this extremely difficult period.

The people of Hawaii also join me at this tragic time in expressing our deepest feelings of compassion and sympathy, for the family and friends of the others who were on board the Challenger.

Ellison visited us one year ago in Hawaii.

He inspired us with his courage.

He lifted our spirits and made all of us in Hawaii very proud.

He instilled in us a sense of tremendous accomplishments, a sense that we can achieve if we apply ourselves.

He was a leader and a father and a husband.

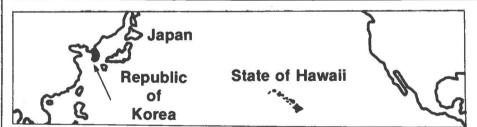
Hawaii will not forget Ellison Onizuka.

HARNG soldiers to participate in Team Spirit '86 exercises

By Capt. Bud Bowles, HQ STARC, HARNG

Hawaii Army National Guard soldiers will leave for Korea in March to participate in the largest military exercise held annually in the free world-"Team Spirit '86."

Team Spirit is held annually as a joint exercise between various full time and reserve elements of the U.S. Armed Forces and the Republic of Korea (ROK).



work with the Eighth U.S. Army Public Affairs unit.

Twenty six members of the 487th Field Artillery will serve as artillery controllers and damage assessment personnel in various areas of Korea with their

The purpose of the exercise is to increase the defensive posture of ROK and U.S. support forces through training in combined/joint operations, to include the reception, staging, employment and redeployment of out-of-country augmentation forces.

Team Spirit will also exercise, train, and evaluate participating commanders, staffs and forces in the techniques and procedures for the defense of the Republic of Korea.

The Army Guard soldiers are members of various Army Guard units: Headquarters, Headquarters Detach-

ment; 487th Field Artillery; 159th Maintenance Battalion; 117th Public Affairs Detachment; the Scout Platoon of the Combat Support Company, 2nd Battalion, 299th Infantry; and various elements of the 29th Infantry Brigade. Over 125 soldiers will be going to Korea as part of their two-week annual training.

Fifteen members of the 159th Maintenance Battalion will comprise a battalion headquarters for the 905th Maintenance Company, a reserve unit from California. The Guard members will provide command and control for the maintenance company as they provide

direct support maintenance at Camp Humphries, Seoul.

The Hawaii Army National Guard's 12th Personnel Service Company will send five members to work with their "Capstone" unit, the Regular Army's 8th Personnel Command. They will help with logistics support in Yongsan, the military base next to Seoul.

Twenty-four soldiers from the Scout Platoon of the 2nd Battalion on Hawaii will perform annual training in Korea as an element of the regular Army's 25th Infantry Division.

The entire 117th Public Affairs Detachment (ten Guard members) will home base at Camp Humphries.

Twenty five soldiers will augment the Army's 25th Infantry Division units, while 44 soldiers will perform duties as exercise controllers for WESTCOM.

Participation by Hawaii Army National Guard units and soldiers is a programmed activity under the U.S. Army Overseas Deployment Training Program. All costs for the training are funded by the National Guard Bureau in Washington.

Team Spirit is a regularly scheduled training exercise. The first Team Spirit exercise was conducted in June, 1976. This will be the 11th exercise in the Team Spirit series and is comparable in size but of shorter duration than Team Spirit '85.

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More than 350 children participated in the American Lung Association's "Superkids Plus" competition at the Hawaii Army National Guard Armory in Hilo on February 15, 1986.

Members of the Hawaii Army National Guard's (HARNG) 2nd Battalion, 299th Infantry, 29th Brigade, volunteered their time in preparing the Big Island's armory field and officiating events for the various "Superkids" competitions. It was the sixth year that HARNG has been involved in this community service project.

"The parents of the children were impressed with HARNG's organization of the event," said Mrs. Amy Hamane, Hawaii Branch Director for the American Lung Association and head coordinator of the event.

The fund raising event, with it's theme "Kids helping Kids," was open to all Big Island children between the ages of 6 thru 12. The children obtained monetary pledges which will support community education programs relating to smoking of tobacco and marijuana, lung disease, tuberculosis, and an annual summer program for kids with asthma.

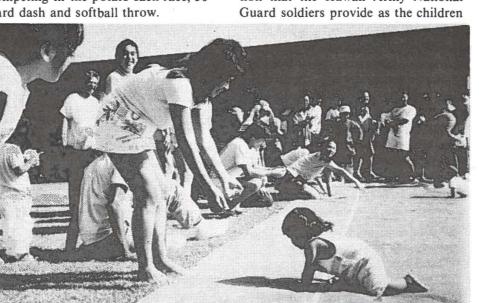
The "Plus" in this year's "Superkids Plus" was an adult four-mile run, a bazaar, and a cookie baking contest that featured Hilo's most imaginative and delicious baked confections. This year's events featured for the first time a baby crawling event. The race included babies up to the age of twelve months.

All the proceeds of the competition and bazaar will further the Hilo chapter's goal towards the prevention and control of lung diseases.

Chaplain Walter Kai blessed the Big Island competition, which began with the adult fun run, followed by children competing in the potato sack race, 50yard dash and softball throw. Prizes were given to the winners in the individual age contest.

The day's overall winner was Tanya Kamau, Waiakeawaena Elementary School. She received a free trip to Honolulu for herself and one parent, courtesy of Aloha Airlines.

Mrs. Hamane said, "The parents have always been impressed with the efficiency and organization of the event and the appreciated loving and kind attention that the Hawaii Army National Guard soldiers provide as the children are helped through the events. We are grateful for the continued support furnished by the Hawaii Army National Guard. Without their tremendous support we could not expand these worthwhile events."



THE LONGEST YARD—Mrs. Lani Eugenio Coakley of Kohala gives her 11 month old son, Kaaloa, final coaching as he crosses the finish line during the Baby Crawl competition. He took first place in the event. (Photo by 1st Lt. Angela E. Murray, 117th PAD, HARNG)



THE PAYOFF—Manaiakalani Kalua of Hilo collects a \$10 pledge from his grand-uncle, Staff Sgt. Joseph Kalua, HARNG. (Photo by 1st Lt. Angela E. Murray)

HNGEA - a proud name, a dedicated service. The Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association was formed and organized as the Hawaii National Guard NCO Association on July 16, 1964. On May 9, 1973 the Hawaii National Guard NCO Association opened the membership to both the Army and Air National Guard enlisted ranks and the name was changed to the Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association (HNGEA).

HNGEA has been active for more than 13 years, improving benefits and lobbying for Guard related issues for our Guard members as well as for our retirees. We strive for more and modern equipment for the National Guard, better incentives to attract and retain qualified personnel, better benefits for the retirees and for improvement of the Survivors Benefits. Programs cannot be translated into legislation without a united voice of all National Guard members. HNGEA serves as that voice, and as part of the Association you can be heard. There are still many issues and concerns being discussed and lobbied with our State Legislature.

Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association by: SSgt. Jan K. N. DeRego, HANG, HNGEA President

> Awards Program (honoring retirees) Clothing Allowances Discount Buying Lists (quarterly issue) "Puali Koa" (quarterly issue)

All those who share the interest and concerns of the Army and Air National Guard are eligible to join this great Association. Membership is open to all ranks (E1 through E9 and the membership drive is conducted from July 1 through June 30 of each year. HNGEA offers the following types of membership 2) Associate Membership 3) Honorary Membership.

When you become an annual member of HNGEA, you also become an annual member of the national organization, EANGUS. A total of three dollars of your annual dues is forwarded to the representing National Guard members from every state and is charted in all 50 states and 4 territories. Hawaii's Tech. Sgt. Bertram Narita (202 CISF/HANG) serves as Area 7 Director-Chairman, our representative between HNGEA and EANGUS.

Our goals are to promote and maintain the professionalism of the enlisted members of the National Guard, motivate members' participation in the business of the Association, increase membership 15%, work more closely with the officers association (HNGA), work closely with the NCO Academy Graduate Assn. and membership involvement. We need your support to set new goals and your interest to gain new benefits for our past, present, and future Guard members and their families. Join HNGEA today. Your membership is important to us as we hope it is important to you.

are welcome to attend this membership meeting to voice your opinions and ideas. More information will be forthcoming.

HNGEA Executive Council

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HNGEA, through many great and dedicated leaders from past to present, was instrumental in the acquisition of benefits such as:

Scholarship Program (members & their dependents)

State Tuition Waiver (UH & Community Colleges) \$500 State Tax Exemption

Group Insurances

National treasurer and you become a member of two organizations.

A little background of EANGUS. The Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the U.S. (EANGUS) was conceived in 1970 when a group of enlisted members of the National Guard met in Deadwood, South Dakota to consider ways and means to make the Guard a more potent arm of national defense. From that start, an aggressive effort began both nationally and in separate states to achieve this common objective. The formal organization of EANGUS followed in September 1972 when 23 states received charter memberships. Since that time, EANGUS has developed into a national organization The HNGEA Council has outlined future events:

March - Fundraiser

The Council will be needing your support in our "Scholarship" Fundraiser. We'll be coming around with the all new, first time "McDonald French Fries" coupons.

May 9, 10, 11 - HNGEA Annual Membership Meeting

The 14th annual HNGEA membership meeting will be held on the island of Maui. Flyers have been distributed to all HANG and HARNG units. Members

HARNG Councilmen

Isayas Santa Ana, CSM/Oahu (retiree) Stanley Medeiros, MSG/Maui Wendell Hatami, SFC/Hilo Wayne Lewis, SFC/Oahu Tom Chock, SFC/Oahu James Sugiyama, SFC/Oahu Norvin Olivas, PSG/Kauai Robert Stinson, SSG/Oahu Karl Robello, SSG/Oahu

Bertram Narita, TSG, HANG - Area 7 (EANGUS) Chairman and Director illan Educat

IMPORTANT

REMINDERS

Check-In Time: If you used the New GI Bill (Chapter 106) last semester and are using it this semester, do not forget to contact the college/university VA Counselor. You are required to inform the campus VA Counselor each semester/term in which you are attending college under the New GI Bill. If you don't, your classes and academic status will not be certified and reported by your school to the VA Regional Office. Without such action, you will not receive your monthly VA payments. CON-TACT THE CAMPUS VA COUN-SELOR!

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

Tuition Waiver to the New GI Bill: Many of you who are currently using the Tuition Waiver Program (TWP) could and should be using the New GI Bill (NGIB). The TWP does not pay you for attending college; the NGIB does. If you are a resident of Hawaii and attending a campus of the University of Hawaii, you will collect over the course of a semester enough money to pay for your tuition and still have some leftover for books and other fees. HOWEVER, if you are considering switching from the TWP to the NGIB, do it now! Beginning with the 1986-87 Fall semester, tuition rates at all UH campuses will increase over the next four years. Get on the NGIB so that you can take advantage of the current low rates. When the tuition gets too high (and the PUPUKAHI will keep you informed), you can always switch back to the TWP. CONVERT!

Tuition Waiver Program a continued success in Spring '86

The Tuition Waiver Program for the Fall 1985 semester had 475 Hawaii National Guard members participating. This total is the highest number of Guardspersons to participate in any given semester since the inception of the program in the Fall of 1980.

This semester's 475 total breakdown represents 257 Army National Guard and 218 Air National Guard personnel. Eighty eight percent of this semester's participants are in grades E-1 to E-5 and 77 percent have between one t six years of service.

The total number of individual Guardspersons who have participated in the Tuition Waiver Program since Fall 1980 (11 semesters) is 1,596 (836 HARNG and 733 HANG). Of this total, 23 percent have indicated that the program was an incentive for enlistment, while 12 percent indicated that they reenlisted to take advantage of the program.

Continued success of the Tuition Waiver Program is assured through strong Hawaii National Guard participation.

POINTS OF CONTACT

The Community Colleges of the University of Hawaii are a way to continue your education. Located throughout the State, they offer a variety of vocational and undergraduate college programs at an affordable rate. If you are considering a community college, here are key people who can help you:

- Honolulu Community College: 847 Dillingham Blvd., Honolulu, HI 96817.
- · Academic & Career Counseling: Dr. Annie Yamada, Counseling Coordinator, 845-9115.
- New GI Bill: Mr. Ronald Kaneshiro, VA Counselor, 845-9218/9278.
- Tuition Waiver: Ms. Janie Worrall, Admissions & Records Coordinator, 845-9118.
- Conversion of Military Experiences: Ms. Janie Worrall.

Kapiolani Community College: 620 Pensacola St., Honolulu, HI 96814 or 4302 Diamond Head Rd., Honolulu, HI 96816.

- Academic & Career Counseling: Mr. Ike Matsumura, Counselor, 531-4654 ext. 282/264.
- New GI Bill: Dr. Jerry Lamb, Office of Assessment & Information Service Coordinator, 531-4654 ext. 250.
- Tuition Waiver: Mr. Mike Wong, Fiscal Officer, 531-4654 ext. 274.
- Conversion of Military Experiences: Ms. Lydia Leong, Admissions & Records Coordinator, 531-4654; or, Dr. Salvatore S. Lanzilotti, LEAP Coordinator, 737-8254.

Leeward Community College: 96045 Ala Ike St., Pearl City, HI 96782.

- Academic & Career Counseling: Mr. Katsugi Tamanaha, Head Counselor, 455-0274/0233; or, Dr. Edward Colozzi, Career Counselor, 455-0238.
- New GI Bill: Mr. Harod Hayashi, Registrar, 455-0219/0291.
- Conversion of Military Experiences: Mr. Katsugi Tamanaha.

Windward Community College: 45-720 Keeaahala Rd., Kaneohe, HI 96744.

- Academic & Career Counseling: Counseling Office, 235-7413.
- New GI Bill: Mr. Charlie Heaukulani, Registrar, 235-7432.
- Conversion of Military Experiences: Mr. John Baker, Student Services Director, 235-7466.

Kauai Community College: 3-1901 Kaumualii Hwy., Lihue, 96766.

- Academic & Career Counseling: Counseling Office, 245-8345/8261/8257. -
- New GI Bill: Mr. Eric Chu, Counselor, 245-8257. •
- Tuition Waiver: Mr. Earl Nishiguchi, Acting Student Services Director, 245-8313.

Conversion of Military Experiences: Not Offered.

- Maui Community College: 310 Kaahumanu Ave., Kahului, HI 96732.
- Academic & Career Counseling: Counseling Office, 242-1242/1224/1269/1278/1272.
- New GI Bill: Mr. Richard Ross, Registrar/Financial Aid Officer, 242-1277. .
- Tuition Waiver: Mr. Richard Ross. •
- Conversion of Military Experiences: Counseling Office.
- Hawaii Community College: 1175 Manono Street, Hilo, HI 96720.*
- Academic & Career Counseling: Counseling & Testing Center, 961-9312.
- New GI Bill: Mr. James DeMello, VA Counselor, 961-9353.
- Tuition Waiver: Admissions Office, 961-9414; or, Records and Registration Office, 961-9685.

• Conversion of Military Experiences: Admissions Office.

Note: Hawaii Community College is under the University of Hawaii-Hilo and the above POCs are from UHH.

If you are still unclear as to whom might best assist you or if you are having difficulties in returning to school, do not hesitate to call the HARNG POC: CPT Michael C. K. Wong, Civilian Education Officer, 3949 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, HI 96816-4495, or telephone number: 737-2295.





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NA KUHINA NUI =Wives' Auxiliapy

The first event of the new year for the Na Kuhina Nui O Na Koa Hawaii is The Adjutant General's Wife's Luncheon. It will held on Saturday, March 22, 1986, at the Hale Koa Hotel from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. All members (active and inactive) are urged to attend this very important meeting.

Other events planned are a visit to United States Commander in Chief, Pacific Command (USCINCPAC) at Camp H. M. Smith in April; a retreat at the beautiful Kalopa State Park on the island of Hawaii on June 6, 7 & 8; and a surprise speaker from Washington, D.C., to address the members at the Hawaii National Guard Association (HNGA) conference on June 28 at the Turtle Bay Hilton Hotel.

The Auxiliary is once again awarding two scholarships to two deserving high school seniors. The application period closed on February 28 and an announcement of the recipients will be made at a later date.

Plan to attend all the events as important topics regarding the Soldiers & Sailors Relief Act Benefits, entitlements, insurance, Champus & Champ VA program, mobilization, and other interesting information will be discussed. The Auxiliary has planned another full year of vital events that will prove beneficial to all participants. is a sublice of the t

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TWO + TWO = TREE—Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum, State Adjutant General (third from the left) assisted by Jim Corey, State Civil Defense Vice Director, Brig. Gen. Irwin K. Cockett, Assist and AG, Army, and Brig. Gen. Edward V. Richardson, Assitant AG, Air, plant a kukui nut tree commemorating the 150th anniversary of the Hawaii Sugar Planter's Association and the 100th anniversary of the Japanese Immigration to Hawaii. Over 300 trees were planted on Kauai, Oahu, and Hawaii by the Department of Defense as part of "a million trees of Aloha" project co-chaired by First Lady Jean Ariyoshi and Mr. John Buyers, President of C. Brewer and Company. (Photo by Stephen Lum, HIPAO)

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Story and photos by Staff Sgt. Stephen Lum, 117th PAD,

It was early Friday morning, December 27, 1985. . .out in the open spaces at the 25th Infantry Division Air Assault School, Schofield's East Range. . .the air was cool and crisp. . .the skies were clear. . .then through the trees they came. . .over well worn dirt paths. . .by the busloads. . .clouding the air with dust. . .it was only the beginning.

The Hawaii Army National Guard's (HARNG) Recruiters. in cooperation with the Roosevelt High School JROTC Ranger Club, hosted the Third Annual Ranger/Field Training Exercise (FTX). Over 160 high school students, from 10 schools (Roosevelt, Kaimuki, Kalani, Farrington, Waianae, Radford. Punahou, Kamehameha, St. Louis, and Damien) participated in the 3-day activity.

The event was coordinated by Sgt. First Class Julienne Thomas, HARNG Recruiter, and Master Sgt. Howard Noe. U.S. Army, retired.

The schedule included: a safety briefing, setting-up camp physical fitness testing, survival courses, night road march Ranger Stakes on a 10-mile course, map reading, arm/hanc signals, radio/communications, obstacle course, survival/cover/concealment, first aid, rope bridge crossing, patro orders, and rappeling.

Motivation, teamwork, self esteem, and discovery of new capabilities were the goals of the 28 support personnel. The fol-



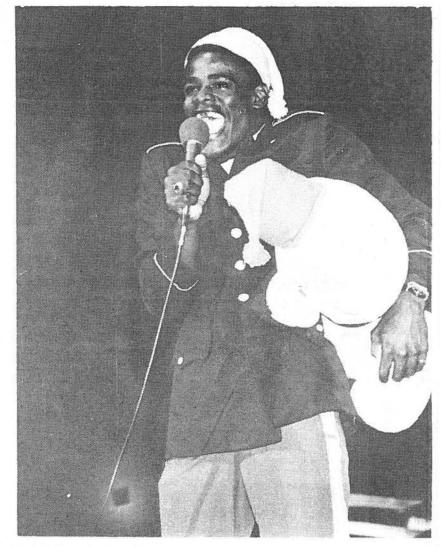
ROYAL SALUTE—HANG Royal Guard members present the colors during the Christmas Concert opening.



ALL IN THE FAMILY-The HANG Ohana performs preconcert music for the early arrivals to the Neal S. Blaisdel Concert Hall.

Christmas Concert '85 Highlights

Photos by Sgt. First Class Wayne Iha, 117th PAD, HARNG





LI'L DRUMMER BOY-Sgt. Clarke Bright, 111th Army Band, HARNG, gives a youngster a few tips on rhythm and beat.

MY TWO FRONT TEETH-Pvt. 2 John L. Bryan, 111th Army Band, HARNG, solos a Christmas classic.

ruiters: show 'em the ropes

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lowing HARNG Recruiters and HQ, STARC personnel were members of the all volunteer staff: Staff Sergeants Kaye Rivera, Leighton Siu and Vernon Watanabe and Sergeants Larry Stuart, Aaron Lanet, and William Keahi.

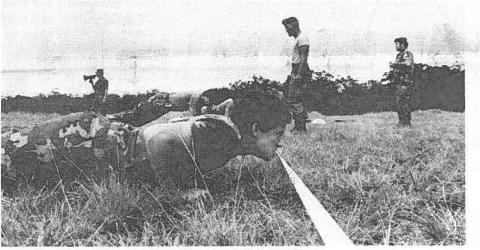
The succussful weekend concluded with closing/award ceremonies attended by Maj. Roy Yamashita, HARNG Recruiting and Retention Manager, who cited the importance of programs like the JROTC Ranger FTX to the Army Guard recruiting efforts.



JUST A LITTLE MORE HERE—Staff Sgt. Vernon Watanabe applies comouflage to a JROTC participants face, while instructing a class on concealment.



STANDING PROUD-Members of HARNG Recruiters office and other support personnel stand in formation during awards presentations and the Third Annual JROTC Ranger FTX.



ONE MORE PUSH-UP—Sgt. First Class Julienne Thomas (in the background with loud speaker) shouts out encouragement to high school JROTC cadets, as they complete their physical fitness activity.



DON'T STOP-Staff Sgt. Leighton Siu keeps count of the number of sit-up the JROTC ranger completes.



A TOAST TO THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE HAWAII ARMY NATIONAL GUARD-Members of the head table raise their glass at the HARNG Dining-In. Standing are Col. Paul Nakamura, Deputy Adjutant General, Maj. Gen. Alexis T. Lum, the State Adjutant General, Dick E. Ellis, Executive Director of the National Committee for ESGR, Col. Gerald Silva, HARNG Chief of Staff, Maj. Gen. Claude M. Kicklighter, Commander, 25th Infantry Division, U.S. Army, and Brig. Gen Irwin K. Cockett, Commander, HARNG. (Photo by Master Sgt. Kin Lo, 117th PAD, HARNG)

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.

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Lieutenant Colonel: Robert A Broderick, HHD 1549th Maintenance Battalion

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- Kirkor K. Merdjanian, 154th Tactical Hospital
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- Steven K. Morita, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
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- Roselina B Vendiola, 154th Resource Mangement Squadron
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- Irvin Y. Yoshino, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

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Master Sgt. Gary K. Fujii, 154th Consoli-

Master Sgt. Stanford T. H. Lum, 154th

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Master Sgt. Jose V. Motas, 169th Aircraft

Master Sgt. Melvin W. J. Wong, 154th Re-

Master Sgt. Allan Y. Yamaguchi, 169th Air-

Tech. Sgt. Wilfred S. Shimata, 169th Air-

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By Capt. Ken Takeyama, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Major changes in the Hawaii National Guard's disciplinary procedures have been taking place as a result of quiet developments in the legal field.

The bottom line for the Army and Air Guard soldiers is that they can now face extra duties, restrictions, fines, and even jail as punishment for acts of misconduct.

Traditionally, administrative punishments such as counseling. reprimands, and discharges were the only means available for commanders to maintain discipline and punish misconduct.

In many cases the informal sanctions such as counseling were too mild, while discharging an otherwise good soldier for an isolated act of misconduct was too severe.

The solution to this problem was the development of a military criminal justice system similar to that maintained by the active military services.

Now, in addition to the traditional administrative sanctions, commanders will also have flexibility to impose nonjudicial punishment (commonly known as "Article 15's") and, where necessary, courts-martial.

The basis for the Hawaii National Guard's criminal justice system is:

- 1- The enactment by the Hawaii State Legislature of the Hawaii Code of Military Justice (HCMJ) officially codified as chapter 124A of the Hawaii Revised Statues; and
- 2- The adoption of rules to implement the law, which were adopted by the State Department of Defense as chapters 7-1 to 7-9, Hawaii Administrative Rules.

At the center of these developments has been a small group of officers and enlisted people who comprise the Judge Advocate General's (JAG) Corps sections of the Army and Air Guard under the supervision of Maj. Wayson W. S. Wong.

As substantial a change as the criminal justice system constitutes for the Guard as a whole, its development has been a time of even greater change for the JAG sections.

Traditionally, JAG attorneys in the Guard were involved primarily in advising commanders and providing counseling and instruction to soldiers on various subjects.

In the future, JAG officers may find themselves serving as prosecuting and defense attorneys in criminal cases.

Since 1983, the Army and Air JAG sections have devoted a significant portion of their duty hours to:

- Researching, staffing, and drafting the rules which implement the HCMJ;
- 2- Developing proposals to fine tune and streamline the procedural aspects of the system to make it operate more efficiently; and
- 3- Developing training programs for commanders and soldiers concerning the requirements and contents of the law and criminal justice system.

It is in this third area, the training programs, that most if not all of you will come into contact with during the coming months.

This is important for everyone because the legal machinery is already in place. Prosecutions legally can begin at anytime.

One aspect of the training program is gearing the commanders and personnel who will be administering the criminal justice system.

This instruction involves the "nuts and bolts" of the system's procedures,

Hawaii Military Code of Justice: How it affects you

such as the steps to follow in bringing charges against a person, or to impose nonjudicial punishment.

The second aspect is a videotape providing instruction on certain provisions of the HCMJ which are required by law to be explained to all Guard units each year.

Briefly the topics in the training videotape generally include;

- 1 Criminal offenses under the Hawaii Code of Military Justice;
- 2- Additional offenses under the "general article" which allows the punishment of "disorders and neglects prejudicial to the good of the state military forces."
- 3- Apprehension;
- 4- Nonjudicial punishment; and
- 5- The courts-martial system.

Persons interested in reviewing the full text of the HCMJ or implementing rules should contact their unit commanders where a copy will be made available for you to examine.

Finally, it is important to note that the adjutant general has made it clear that the criminal justice system is to be used only as a last resort, when informal methods have failed.

The Hawaii National Guard has not court-martialed anyone in the past, and does not look forward to doing so in the future unless it is absolutely necessary. Don't do anything to make it necessary.

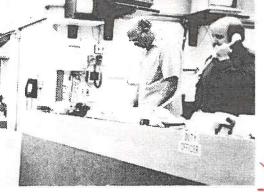
Simulated Tsunami scenario

6:00 a.m., January 29, 1986. While island residents are waking to a new day, a tsunami charts a course for Hawaii. An earthquake in the Kamchatka Peninsula measuring 8.2 on the Richter scale has triggered this tsunami (tidal wave) which will reach island coastal areas in about six hours. A day begun like any other is soon to escape the ordinary...

This is the scene that greeted civil defense officials on that Wednesday morning. It was only a test, but easily could have been the real thing. Although the Islands have not felt the devastating effects of a tsunami for over twenty years, tsunamis can strike at any time as the result of a Pacific Region earthquake. With wave heights ranging from a few inches to over a hundred feet, tsunamis travel thousands of miles at speeds up to 600 miles per hour, reaching coastal waters in a matter of hours. Wave arrival time is even more critical when a tsunami is generated locally by an earthquake occurring along the Hawaiian Chain. Time, then, is measured in minutes, giving little or no warning. Throughout the world tsunamis have been known to take lives and destroy property. It is a threat taken seriously by civil defense officials. The January 29 exercise was staged to test statewide readiness in the event of the real thing. Over a hundred individuals from federal, state, county and private agencies



allied to emergency response took part in the six-hour test. While county-level disaster response exercises are held periodically, the simulated tsunami alert was the first scheduled in some time which involved full state and county participation.



Oahu and the Neighbor Islands just as they would be in an actual alert. This element of surprise was intentional, signaling a pace that wouldn't let up for the next six hours. DISASTER PREPAREDNESS—State Civil Defense personnel (left to right) Norm Lamb, Bob Yoder, and Dr. Pararas-Caryannis gather information on statewide preparations for the "tsunami". (SCD photo)

Officer Colonel Louis Miranda reported in to coordinate the anticipated support requested of HNG units throughout the State.

As the exercise progressed, the Pacific Tsunami Warning Center issued a tsunami warning for the State, whereupon HNG Liaison Officers reported to county Emergency Operating Centers — HARNG Lt. Col. Henry Hara in Hilo; HANG Lt. Col. Owen Ota in Lihue; HARNG Maj. Duncan Thompson in Honolulu; and HARNG Capt. William Vogt on Maui.

There is good reason. Full-scale exercises take time to develop. Although they are "paper" exercises, a great deal of thought and care goes into their execution. The tsunami scenario, for example, was eight months in the making. Exercise/Training Officer Frank Apel went to great lengths to achieve the realism required to produce the desired results. Tailored to each county, Apel's scripts drew upon local situations and resources, providing a testing ground that nearly paralleled a real tsunami alert. Taking the exercise a step further, the date and time were unannounced. Participants were called in to Emergency Operating Centers on Under Apel's guidance as exercise coordinator, State Civil Defense staff were dispatched to county civil defense agencies to oversee the outcome. Using scripts already in place, staffers controlled both pace and situation. As might typically surface in a real tsunami alert, Emergency Operating Centers were beseiged by reporters, phone calls, and never ending crises. Exercise participants were kept extremely busy.

Soon after the start of the exercise, Major General Lum, wearing his other hat as State Civil Defense Director, appeared at the Diamond Head Crater Emergency Operating Center. Shortly after his arrival, HARNG Chief Plans As the simulated tsunami alert drew to a close, controllers and participants alike turned to the task of evaluating the outcome. Over the next few months, results will be weighed against existing emergency operations procedures to make adjustments and improvements where needed.

DS: the Guard is handling the crisis

"By the turn of the century five percent of the world's population will be exposed to the AIDS virus if the trend continues," said Lt. Col. Patrick Aiu, Hawaii Army guard flight physician. "Thirty percent of those people will come down with AIDS...and currently, half of those who get AIDS die from it."

AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome) has become a major national health concern. There is no cure for the deadly disease and it is spreading rapidly.



It is an infection caused by the Human T-Lymphotropic Virus Type III (HTLV-III) virus which is the helper-T cell. That cell regulates our immune system and protects us from various infectious agents and some cancers.

Lt. Col. Aiu attended a seminar in October at Walter Reed Army Medical Center which gave an update on the military actions taken by the military to combat AIDS in the armed forces.

Awards

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

Lt. Col. Richard T. Murakami, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Hawaii National Guard Commendation Medal:

Master Sgt. Harold S. Hirayama, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster): Col. Leonard R. Howard, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Army Achievement Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):

Master Sgt. Benjamin Almadova, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1) Sgt. 1st Class Marcelino O. Sagon, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1) Currently, the military is testing all new inductees for AIDS at all entry stations, including those entering the Hawaii National Guard. Blood samples from new recruits are taken and sent to a lab on the mainland for testing. Those recruits who test positive are disqualified from service.

... the spread of AIDS is not the only problem.

Preventing the spread of AIDS is not the only problem. The incidence of AIDS in the general public is doubling each year; but for every case of AIDS, there are 100 persons who have a less severe disease called AIDS Related Complex.

About 1.3 million people have a symptomatic of ARC infections in the US, including 1,000 to 3,000 soldiers in the U.S. Army. From 5 to 30 percent of those infected may progress to the more severe stages.

The virus has been found in tears and saliva, but it is actually transmitted through sexual contact, blood transfusions or shared contaminated needles. There are not documented cases of anyone developing AIDS through nonsexual personal contact in normal circumstances. Transmission is not limited to homosexual contact; the majority of cases in the Army appears to have been contracted through heterosexual contact. As many as 30-40 percent of the prostitutes in some brothels in Western Europe were found to be infected with AIDS according to DA officials.

AIDS presents medical problems for the military. One concerns the need to protect the current blood supply. All blood in the US Army is now screened for the HTLV-II Antibody.



Another military problem is that, many patients infected with AIDS cannot tolerate certain virus vaccines, such as smallpox. So the screening of recruits for AIDS is done before immunizations are given. AIDS victims may also be more likely to develop exotic of very severe diseases while serving overseas.

The Army is currently studying ways to reduce the threat of transmitting the HTLV-III and other blood borne infections in the field, should the need for a blood transfusion using blood from another soldier occur. The technology required to screen blood for AIDS is presently too sophisticated for field use.

"Don't worry about getting infected through blood transfusions in Hawaii," said Aiu. "Since the summer of 1985, all blood has to be tested for AIDS."

Currently the best way to control this epidemic is to ensure that all military personnel understand the AIDS problem, know how to avoid becoming infected, and understand what will happen if they do become infected.

Air Guard drug testing in April

Be advised that in order to ensure a quality force to maintain the safety, security, morale, health and welfare of our personnel, every effort should be made to identify personnel that have chosen to use drugs as a part of their lifestyle. To assist in this identification, the Air National Guard will implement a drug testing program beginning April 1.

Commanders having knowledge that

an individual is using drugs will place the individual into duties that will not affect the safety and welfare of personnel and base assets.

Personnel apprehended and proven to be a drug abuser will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis and will be meted punishment commensuratory with the severity of the offense. Punishment could include administrative separation.

Air Force Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):

- Chief Master Sgt. Walter T. Furuyama, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Chief Master Sgt. George H. Oshiro, 154th
- Combat Support Squadron Master Sgt. Simanu Afoa, Jr., 154th Con-
- solidated Aircraft & Warning Squadron Master Sgt. Galen A. Nakahara, 202nd
- Combat Information Systems Flight Master Sgt. Roy S. Yamasaki, 202nd Com-
- bat Information Systems Flight Staff Sgt. Iris D. Torres, 154th Combat
- Support Squadron

Air Force Commendation Medal:

- Maj. Winfred T. Inouye, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
- Maj. Ian H. Komenaka, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
- Capt. Blaine I. Izuka, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Chief Master Sgt. Melvin Kauahi, 150th
- Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
- Chief Master Sgt. David J. Pontes, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Senior Master Sgt. George I. Hayashi, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

Capt. Kathleen F. Berg, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

- Senior Master Sgt. Henry Arthur, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Master Sgt. Valentine O. Wong, Jr., 154th
- Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. Fred F. Iwasaki, 169th Aircraft
- Control & Warning Squadron Tech. Sgt. Glenn S. Suganuma, 202nd
- Combat Information Systems Flight Sgt. Randy P. Canoy, 202nd Combat In-
- formation Systems Flight Sgt. Steven T. Nakano, 154th Resource
- Management Squadron Staff Sgt. Samson J. Achuela, 169th Air-
- craft Control & Warning Squadron Staff Sgt. Anthony J. Seyko, 154th Con-
- solidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Humanitarian Service Medal:

- Col. Ernest T. Shima, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Lt. Col. Jiro D. Arakaki, 201st Combat In-
- formation Systems Group
- Lt. Col. Melvin C. Morris, 201st Combat In-
- formation Systems Group Capt. Galen R. Yoshimoto, 201st Combat

Master Sgt. Donald T. S. Kim, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

- Master Sgt. David Leynes, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight
- Master Sgt. Harvey K. Maeda, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight
- Master Sgt. Walter T. Nishihara, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
- Master Sgt. Roy D. Paniku, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
- Master Sgt. Hiroyuki Tahara, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
- Master Sgt. Francis T. Takara, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight
- Master Sgt. Edwin C. Tolentino, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
- Tech. Sgt. Lowell J. Agena, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight
- Tech. Sgt. Moses K. Akana, 201st Aircraft Traffic Control Flight
- Tech. Sgt. Albert L. Antonio, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight
- Tech. Sgt. Leslie T. Asada, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Tech. Sgt. Phillip H. C. Chee, 202nd Com-
- bat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Dennis C. Dalen, 201st Aircraft

Army Achievement Medal:

Capt. John R. Penebacker, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. Maj. Benjamin O. Yamamoto, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. 1st Class Harry C. Miller, Jr., HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. 1st Class George M. Morinaga, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. 1st Class George S. Takeuchi, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. 1st Class William Y. C. Yim, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Staff Sgt. Arnold R. Galacia, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Staff Sgt. Obed K. Keanaaina, HQSTARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Staff Sgt. Allen J. Torres, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. Dean M. Hiramoto, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Sgt. David T. Kiyuna, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1) 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Master Sgt. Harold S. Hirayama, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Tech. Sgt. James M. Kawamura, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Tech. Sgt. Elmer R. Looney, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Mary Lou F. Nishioka, 154th Combat Support Squadron Tech. Sgt. Alexander K. Palama, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. Lawrence T. Taguma, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Tech. Sgt. Daniel M. Tengan, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Air Force Achievement Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster):

Staff Sgt. Bernice K. Pharr, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Air Force Achievement Medal:

Maj. Richard T. Abe, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Information Systems Group 1st Lt. Wayne K. Katayama, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Chief Master Sgt. Walter T. Furuyama, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Chief Master Sgt. Clement M. Oshiro, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron Senior Master Sgt. Roy M. H. Chee, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Senior Master Sgt. Delos W. H. Chow, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Senior Master Sgt. Melvin Y. Masuda, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron Senior Master Sgt. Masayuki Mitsuda, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron Senior Master Sgt. Leo S. Nakano, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Senior Master Sgt. Edgar H. Takabayashi, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight Senior Master Sgt. Maximo P. Valenzuela. 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Master Sgt. Robert J. Finley, 201st Combat Information Systems Group Master Sgt. Ronald M. Hasegawa, 202nd

Combat Information Systems Flight

Traffic Control Flight Tech. Sgt. Kenneth I Johnson, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Reuban S. Kaneshiro, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Shigemi S. Kuranaga, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight Tech. Sgt. Guy T. H. Lee, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Ronald S. Matsumoto, 201st Aircraft Traffic Control Flight Tech. Sgt. Bertram T. Narita, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. S ... Nolan T. Omi, 202nd Aircraft Traffic C trol Flight Tech. Sut. Warren S. Oshiro, 201st Aircraft Traffic Control Flight Tech. Sgt. Ernest Y. Ota, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight Tech. Sgt. Frankedado Paiste, 202nd Air-craft Traffic Control Flight Tech. Sgt. Raymond K. Peters, 202nd Air-craft Traffic Control Flight

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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**

Lieutenant Colonel: Robert A Broderick, HHD 1549th Maintenance Battalion

Major:

Glenn Y. Kobayashi, 229th Medical Company

Captain:

Glenn Kaneda, 299th Medical Company Benedict Franks-Ongoy, HHD, 159th Maintenance Battalion

Jeffrey Weller, 1293rd Aviation Company (Cbt. Spt.) (-Det. 1)

First Lieutenant:

Kan Fung, Company B, 1st Battalion, 299th Infantry

Michael Nakahara, 292nd Supply & Service Company

Second Lieutenant:

Leonardo S. Jamias, HHB, 1st Battalion, 487th Field Artillery Calvin Okazaki, HQ STARC, HARNG (-

Det. 1) Rae Ann Valdez, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

Chief Warrant Officer 3:

Charles S. Nekoba, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1) atch to 298th Engineer Detachment.

Nicholas G. Rutgers, III, Detachment, 1, 1293rd Aviation Company (Cbt. Spt.)

Kenneth K. Yamada, 1293rd Aviation Company (Cbt. Spt.) (-Det. 1)

Chief Warrant Officer 2:

Tony Antonelli, 1293rd Aviation Company (Cbt. Spt.) (-Det. 1)

Gardner A. Brown, Troop E (Air) 19th

Cavalry Roy H. Okano, HQ STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)

HAWAII AIR NATIONAL GUARD

Senior Master Sergeant, E-8:

Kenneth M. Morimoto, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Dennis M. Rocha, 201st Aircraft

Tech. Sgt. Clifford Tsuyama, 202nd Air-

Tech. Sgt. Harold T. Uyeda, 202nd Aircraft

Tech. Sgt. Bernaldo E. Villanueva, Sr.,

Tech. Sgt. Kent K. Yamauchi, 202nd Air-

Staff Sgt. Anthony B. Acain, 202nd Aircraft

Staff Sgt. Douglas W. Brandt, 202nd Air-

Staff Sgt. Andy Dumbrique, 202nd Aircraft

Staff Sgt. Mary Angla K. Kamauoha, 202nd

Staff Sgt. Hiram K. Keliikoa, 201st Combat

Staff Sgt. Elizabeth K. Lopez. 202nd Air-

Staff Sgt. Dwight M. Miura, 202nd Combat

Combat Information Systems Flight

Information Systems Squadron

craft Traffic Control Flight

Informations Systems Flight

Traffic Control Flight Staff Sgt. Ainsley H. Hori, 202nd Aircraft

202nd Combat Information Systems Flight

Traffic Control Flight

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craft Traffic Control Flight

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craft Traffic Control Flight

Melvyn M. Taira, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Raymond M. Takahashi, Headquarters,

Hawaii Air National Guard

Master Sergeant, E-7:

- Stanley S. Kayatani, 202nd Combat Information Systems Flight
- David C. F. Leong, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Randal K. H. M. Lum, 154th Consolidated
- Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Louis S. niau, 150th Aircraft Control &
- Warning Squadron Edward T. Omine, 201st Combat Infor-
- mation Systems Flight
- Francis M. F. Quitazol, 101st Combat Information Systems Flight

Technical Sergeant, E-6:

Claesen Apo. 154th Civil Engineering Squadron

- Richard A. Ching, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Norman P. Eclarin, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Geraldo Gapol, Jr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Alton M. Kajikawa, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
- Carl J. Martin, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Rodney A. H. Medeiros, 154th Resource Management Squadron
- Kirkor K. Merdjanian, 154th Tactical Hospital
- Irwin Yoshino, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Steven K. Morita, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Reuben C. Ramos, 154th Resource Management Squadron
- Roselina B Vendiola, 154th Resource Mangement Squadron
- Bernard K. H. Wong, 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron
- Irvin Y. Yoshino, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

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- Staff Sergeant, E-5: Kapena R.R. Akau, 201st Air Traffic Control Flight
- Jeanne M. Anderson, 199th Tactical Fighter Squadron
- Clement Bak, Jr., 201st Combat Informations Systems Flight

Senior Master Sgt. Francis H. Shinsato,

Master Sgt. Daniel Blancaflor, 154th Con-

Master Sgt. Gary K. Fujii, 154th Consoli-

Master Sgt. Stanford T. H. Lum, 154th

Master Sgt. Paul T. Miyasaki, 169th Air-

Master Sgt. Jose V. Motas, 169th Aircraft

Master Sgt. Melvin W. J. Wong, 154th Re-

Master Sgt. Allan Y. Yamaguchi, 169th Air-

Tech. Sgt. Wilfred S. Shimata, 169th Air-

Lt. Col. Paul P. Sequeira, 154th Composite

Chief Master Sgt. Stanley S. Honda, 169th

Master Sgt. Douglas Y. Abe, Sr., 154th

craft Control & Warning Squadron

Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

solidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

dated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

craft Control & Warning Squadron

craft Control & Warning Squadron

craft Control & Warning Squadron

Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Control & Warning Squadron

source Management Squadron

25 Years of Service:

Group

- Mark A. Bustin, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Jeffrey S. Camara, 154th Combat Support Squadron
- Jayson J. Ching, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Anthony J. Denault, 154th Resource Management Squadron
- Philip J. Ferreira, 201st Combat Information Systems Flight
- Arthur K. Kaai, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Anthony L. Kepaa, 154th Civil Engineering
- Squadron Donald T. Ogasawara, 150th Aircraft Con-
- trol & Warning Squadron Morris K.M. Pabingwit, 201st Aircraft
- Control & Warning Squadron Jocelyn B. Shimura, 169th Aircraft Control

& Warning Squadron Cedric J. Taylor, HQ, 154th Composite Group

Sergeant, E-4:

- Nathan R. Enriques, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
- Galen K. Higa, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Management Squadron
- Karl J. Kaneshiro, 154th Tactical Hospital Troy F. Matsumura, 154th Consolidated
- Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Alexander M. A. Medeiros, 154th
- Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Senior Airman, E-4:

20 Years of Service:

Aircraft & Warning Squadron

craft Traffic Control Flight

154th Tactical Hospital

Tactical Hospital

15 Years of Service:

Fighter Squadron

cal Hospital

cal Hospital

- Kirk K. A. Adams, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Kathy J. Balocon, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Joseph D. Briones, 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron
- Michael A.K. Cadang, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Jason A. F. Caires, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Dewey J. B. Delacruz, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Pamel B. L. Hiu, 154th Combat Support Squadron
- Angela L. Ho, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Robert K. kahalewai III., 154th Security **Police Force**
- Maurice M. K. Kim, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Yolanda L. Mendigorin, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Maj. Thomas B. Chang, 154th Consolidated

Master Sgt. Melvin M. Ige, 154th Consoli-

Master Sgt. George J. Kawaguchi, 169th

Master Sgt. Harvey K. Maeda, 202nd Air-

Master Sgt. Gerald T. Minami, 154th Tacti-

Master Sgt. Mitchell K. Shimabukuro,

Master Sgt. Herbert T. Takeuchi, 154th

Master Sgt. Stanley K. Tsukamoto, 154th

Tech. Sgt. Henry K. J. Chang, 154th Con-

Tech. Sgt. Robert Y. L. Chun, 154th Tacti-

Lt. Col. Michael H. Tice, 199th Tactical

Maj. Eric S. Kanja, 169th Aircraft Control

solidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

dated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Aircraft Maintenance Squadron James S. K. Pestana, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Stuart T. Saito, 154th Consolidated Aircraft

Ronald T. Mori, 154th Consolidated

Josephine G. Morita, 154th Consolidated

Maintenance Squadron Burt L. Sakata, 150th Aircraft Control &

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Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

- Warning Squadron
- Stanley J. Souza, Jr., 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Airman First Class, E-3:

Rolando M. Aganon, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Euwell K. Babb, 169th Aircraft Control &

- Warning Squadron
- Ray A. Batungbacal, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Jamie L. Coffey, 154th Tactical Hospital
- Rowan K. N. Escuadro, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Martin Esposito, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Alexander A. Keaunui, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron
- Yihwa Riemer, 154th Resource Management Squadron
- Paul W. Schrader, 154th Civil Engineering Squadron

Hans R.K. Tandal, 154th Security Police Force

Management Squadron Tanya U. Halemano, 154th Resource

Lance K. H. Hanaoka, 154th Consolidated

Jason H. Higashionna, 199th Tactical

Alvin K. Ikeda, 150th Aircraft Control &

Paul S. Kim, 154th Consolidated Aircraft

Charles S. K. Koga, 154th Consolidated

Gerald S. Oshiro, 154th Consolidated

William W. Robertson, 154th Consolidated

Magaret B. K. K. K. Soon, 199th Tactical

Kelly A. M. Sunaoka, 154th Resource

Maj. Stephen R. Berg, 169th Aircraft Con-

trol & Warning Squadron Maj. Peter V. Yanagihara, 169th Aircraft

Control & Warning Squadron Capt. Alexander J. Fadrowsky III, 154th

Master Sgt. Harold Hirayama, 201st Com-

Master Sgt. Jack W. Uhrig, 154th Consoli-

Tech. Sgt. Gaylen E. Benanua, 154th Con-

Tech. Sgt. Wendell K. P. Chung, 169th Air-

Tech. Sgt. Mial M. Cintron, Sr., 154th

Tech. Sgt. Roger A. Davis, 169th Aircraft

Tech. Sgt. Russell F. Harada, 154th Combat

Tech. Sgt. Lester G. C. Ho, 154th Combat

bat Information Systems Group

solidated Aircraft Maintenance

Combat Support Squadron

Support Squadron

Support Squadron

Control & Warning Squadron

dated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

craft Control & Warning Squadron

Airman, E-2: Carole A. M. Fukuda, 154th Resource

Management Squadron

Fighter Squadron

Warning Squadron

Fighter Squadron

10 Years of Service:

Tactical Hospital

Management Squadron

Squadron

Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Staff Sgt. Rodney T. Nishida, 201st Combat Informations Systems Flight

Staff Sgt. Vicky A. Ramos. 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight

Staff Sgt. Ted T. Takahashi, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Sgt. Jerry K. Kabazawa, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight

Sgt. Elmer A. C. Lum, Jr., 201st Combat Information Systems Squadron

Sgt. Charles H. Remata, 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight

Lt. Col. Paul S. Mori (Ret.), 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Lt. Col. Vincent H. Nishina (Ret.), 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight

Master Sgt. Francis W. DeCosta, Sr., (Ret.), 202nd Aircraft Traffic Control Flight

30 Years of Service:

Chief Master Sgt. Harry M. Y. Awana, Jr., 154th Composite Group Senior Master Sgt. Howard H. Hironaka, 154th Composite Group Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Warning Squadrou Master Sgt. Anatalio Cabrido, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Master Sgt. Raymond N. Choy, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Master Sgt. Gerald K. L. Chun, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Master Sgt. Russell K. Ganiko, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Master Sgt. Paul J. Kealoha, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Master Sgt. Maurice Lardizabal, Jr., 150th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Master Sgt. Francis A. Leandro, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. Stewart A. Green, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron Tech, Sgt. Errol T. Inoue, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. George I. Kaneshiro, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. Raymond 1. Kaneshiro, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. James M. Yamada, 169th Air-

Capt. Sanford S. Ching, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Master Sgt. Harold Hirayama, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Master Sgt. John K. L. Wahinekapu, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron Tech. Sgt. Wendell K. P. Chung, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Raymond Imbo, Jr., 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. David M. Murray, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Tech. Sgt. Steve I. Nakayama, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Michael M. Nishimura, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Earle F. Oshio, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Stuart J. Terai, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Joel A. Nakagaki, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Carl Tonaki, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Tsutomu Ige, 154th Tactical Hospital

Tech. Sgt. David M. Murray, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Tech. Sgt. Jon S. Iwashita, 154th Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Reginald W. T. Lee, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Tech. Sgt. David M. Murray, 201st Combat Information Systems Group

Tech. Sgt. Alvin F. Tanaka, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Patricia A. Ganaban, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. George C. Lumives, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Wayne R. Miyashiro, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Robert F. Pascua Sr., 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Gregory T. Suenaka, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Staff Sgt. Carl Tonaki, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Sgt. Darrel Y. Fujii, 169th Aircraft Control & Warning Squadron

Training Schedules

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.

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	April	May	June
HQ, STARC, HARNG (-Det. 1)	12-13	3-4	21-22
Selective Service	12-23	3-4	21-22
Hawaii Military Academy	12-13	3-4	7-8
117th Public Affairs Det	12-13	3-4	21-22
HQ Installation Command	12-13	17-18	21-22
298th Engineer Det.	12-13	17-18	21-22
HHD, 159th Maintenance Bn	19-20	17-18	7-8
12th Pers. Svc. Co.	19-20	17-18	7-8
291st Maint. Co	19-20	17-18	7-8
829th Maint. Co	19-20	17-18	7-8
628th Ord. Det	19-20	17-18	7-8
HHD, 297th S & S Bn	12-13	3-4	21-22
229th Medical Co.	12-13	3-4	21-22
292nd S & S Bn	12-13	3-4	21-22
329th Field Svc. Bn.	12-13	3-4	21-22
1154th Trans. Co	12-13	3-4	21-22
Det. 1, HQ, STARC	19-20	3-4	21-22
227th Engr. Co	19-20	3-4	21-22
1293rd Avn. Co. (-Det. 1)	19-20	2-4	21-22
Det. 1, 1293rd Avn. Co.	5-6	2-4	21-22
Trp. E (Air), 19th Cav.	5-6	24-25	28-29
HHC 29th Inf. Bde.	26-27	17-18	21-22
	5-6	2-4	
HHC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.			21-22
Co. A, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6 5-6	2-4	21-22
Co. B, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.		2-4	21-22
Co. C, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	2-4	21-22
CSC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	2-4	21-22
Det. 1, CSC, 1st Bn., 299th Inf	5-6	2-4	21-22
HHC 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	2-4	21-22
Co. A, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	3-4	20-22
Co. B, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	2-4	21-22
Co. C, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf	5-6	2-4	21-22
CSC, 2nd Bn., 299th Inf.	5-6	3-4	20-22
HHB 1st Bn., 487th FA	11-13	3-4	21-22
Btry. A, 1st Bn., 487th FA	11-13	3-4	21-22
Btry. B, 1st Bn., 487th FA	11-13	3-4	21-22
Btry. C, 1st Bn., 487th FA	11-13	3-4	21-22
Svc. Btry., 1st Bn, 487th FA	11-13	3-4	21-22
Headquarters, HANG	5-6	3-4	21-22
154th Composite Group	5-6	3-4	21-22
201st Combat Info. Systems	5-6	3-4	21-22
201st Combat Info. Systems Flight	5-6	3-4	21-22
202nd Combat Info. Systems Flight	5-6	3-4	21-22
201st Air Traffic Control Flight	5-6	3-4	21-22
202nd Air Traffic Control Flight	5-6	3-4	21-22
199th Weather Flight	5-6	3-4	21-22
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March, 12-15

1986 Sixth Army Area Reserve Components Small Arms Championships, attending the Combat Pistol Matches at Ft. Ord, California will be the HHC, 2nd Bn, 299th Inf, HARNG.

March 22, Saturday

Adjutant General's Wife's Luncheon sponsored by the Hawaii National Guard's Women's Auxiliary, Na Kuhina O Na Koa Hawaii. 11:30 a.m., Hale Koa Hotel, \$8.00. Checks made payable to: Na Kuhina. Mail to the treasurer: Mrs. Diane Kamimura, 836 16th Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816. DEADLINE: March 17.

April 6, Sunday

154th Composite Group Family Day, all members and family members are invited.

April 7 — June 1986

HNG Oahu Volleyball Championship (Open/Mixed) at the 487th Field Artillery Armory Gym (22nd Ave.). Call Capt Leslie I. Bise, HQ, 297th S&S Bn, for information on team play and schedule of matches at 622-1751 or 621-9100.

June 28, Saturday

Hawaii National Guard Association Conference, Turtle Bay Hilton, Oahu.



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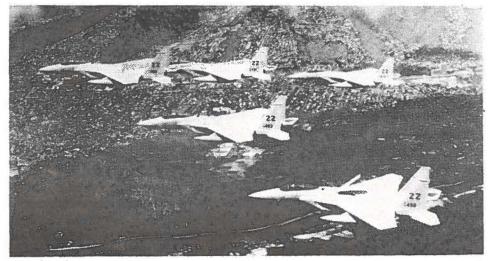
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HANG F-15's (Eagles) — continued from page

This conversion from the F-4C to the F-15 will be the fifth aircraft conversion for the Hawaii Air National Guard over the past four decades. Brigadier General Edward V. Richardson, Hawaii Air National Guard Commander, stated, "Since 1956, we have provided 24-hour air defense for the State of Hawaii and our people. With strong support from the Pacific Air Forces, we have worked hard to continually upgrade our people's training, our tactics and our equipment to deny any potential adversary an undue advantage. General Robert W. Bazley, Commander in Chief, Pacific Air Forces, and the late General Jerome F. O'Malley deserve

much of the credit for modernization of Hawaii's air defense system. Their support and recognition of the Hawaii Air National Guard's accomplishments contributed directly to our early conversion to the F-15. The F-15 is the world's premier fighter aircraft and, combined with our outstanding aircrews and support personnel, I feel that the Hawaii Air National Guard will have the best air defense force for years to come. This conversion has added significance to all



the men and women in the Hawaii Air National Guard as we celebrate our 40th anniversary in serving Hawaii's people and our Nation."

EAGLES OVER HAWAII-U.S. Air Force F-15's flyover Diamond Head. (U.S. Air Force photo)

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