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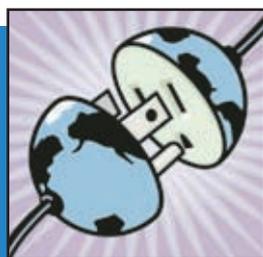
Patrick Air Force Base/Cape Canaveral Air Force Station, Fla.

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Breast Cancer Awareness



Staff Sgt. Jeannette Harris, left, and Ms. April Saucedo, both with the 45th Mission Support Group, work a display recently at the Base Exchange where they educated the public about Breast Cancer Awareness Month, which is celebrated every October.

“Early detection and self examinations are the key to beating this dreadful disease,” said Sgt. Harris.

The National Cancer Institute, a component of the National Institutes of Health, estimates that, based on current rates, 12.7 percent of women born today will be diagnosed with breast cancer at some time in their lives.

Photo by John Connell

‘Wingman Day’ set for October 30

By 45th Space Wing
Public Affairs

Brig. Gen. Edward L. Bolton, Jr., commander, 45th Space Wing, has announced that Friday, Oct. 30 will officially be designated as “Wingman Day.” Unit commanders will spend the day getting to know their people and reinforcing

the concepts of the Wingman as part of the enduring Air Force culture.

Base residents and guests are reminded that many services will either be closed or severely impacted due to the day-long activities and they should make plans now to avoid any problems.

“Wingman Day” will kick off with an 8 a.m. Commander’s Call at the Base Theatre, where Gen. Bolton will speak and then introduce the guest speaker, Ms. Veraunda Jackson, who will give a presentation entitled “Sex Crime Prevention: Taking Care of Your Wingman.”

During each of their “Wingman Day” activities, Gen. C. Robert Kehler, commander, Air Force Space Command, said each wing under his command should emphasize team building, communication and interaction, as opposed to training or presentation of material.

He also mandated that all Space Command wings will complete their Wingman Day activities before the end of the calendar year.

“This day offers a pause in the day-to-day mission focus of Airmen in order to solidify relationships, get to know peers in a

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The 45th Space Wing would like to welcome Gen. Norton C. Schwartz, CSAF, and members of the 317th Veterans Group



Year of the Air Force
Family



We are used to 'making a difference'

By Brig. Gen.

Edward L. Bolton, Jr.

Commander, 45th Space Wing

As we talked about a couple weeks ago, the Air Force has designated 2009 as the "Year of the Family."

I believe the word "family" has a meaning much bigger than the six letters that make it up. In my mind, the word "family" extends to the community in which we live, as well as our personal and Air Force families that impact our daily lives.

Tomorrow is "Make a Difference Day." Last year alone, more than three million cared enough about their communities to volunteer on that day, which is celebrated each year on the fourth Saturday of October.

This isn't a "new" concept to the men and women of the 45th Space

From The Top

Wing. Just a few weeks ago, more than 125 people turned out from Patrick and the surrounding areas and helped "make a difference" by picking up more than 6.5 tons of trash from the Patrick Air Force beaches.

But you don't need a hundred or more folks to make a difference. Maybe you can organize a small neighborhood potluck dinner to welcome that new family who just moved in, or lend moral support to the spouse who is holding down the home front while their spouse is serving in harm's way overseas.

And let's not forget the families who have sons or daughters serving overseas as well. We are all one big family.

Maybe you and a few friends can

clean up the playground area - get the neighborhood kids together and teach them what it means - and feels like - to give back to something bigger than yourself.

Maybe you can call a local nursing home and ask about stopping by to talk with some lonely vet, all the while remembering that we have two ears and one mouth for a reason. Bring the entire family; teach the kids what it's like to give back to people bigger than ourselves too.

One week from today we will be taking a break here at the wing from the usual routine to celebrate a base-wide "Wingman Day." I expect big things from you then as well.

I feel that way because our Patrick family has the knack for stepping up to the plate, without being told to do so from the dugout.

And more often than not, they hit it right out of the park.

Perfect teamwork; fill in the gaps

By Lt. Col. Erik Bowman

Commander,

Commander, 45th LCSS

"Perfection is the Standard." You may have heard that phrase before. But to be honest, I have a problem with that statement myself. Every time I look in the mirror, it's painfully obvious that "perfect" is not my middle name.

So how can we reconcile the requirement for perfection, with the fact that we all make mistakes sometimes? My answer is that although we make mistakes, we should never be satisfied by that. We should always strive for perfection.

The Inspector General was very good at pointing out our imperfections. But rather than be discouraged, I saw people fixing minor problems like typos in training records during pre-IG Staff Assistance Visits, getting that

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missing bomb threat card where it was supposed to be within minutes of being cited by an inspector and providing reams of documentation in minutes to answer every challenge that was thrown our way.

Yes, mistakes are made. But our attitude toward correcting the problem and making sure it doesn't happen again, no matter how minor, is what really impresses.

We also talk about launch being an unforgiving business. It takes a thousand miracles for a launch to occur, and only one mistake to make it all go wrong. How can we succeed in this business if we make any mistakes?

The answer is by working as a team. Your wingman should be able to cover you, compensate for your mistakes and fill the gaps in your knowledge.

Even though we all make mistakes, together we are perfect. I see this on console on launch, where everyone pitches in to prevent errors from occurring. I see this in mission assurance, where we help make sure the contractors don't miss a step or do something wrong in launch and space vehicle processing. I see this in daily life, where my wife or son remind me to do something I'd forgotten.

As a leader, I don't look for individuals to be perfect. Instead I look for a team of people with a common mission focus, where each individual takes every mistake they make as an affront to their personal pride, and who help prevent and correct the mistakes others inevitably make.

That is an attitude that breeds success. And I'm proud to say that is what I see in the 45th Space Wing every day. Keep it up, and keep striving!

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Tops in Blue World Tour '09

45th Force Support Squadron

Join Tops in Blue as they present "To Dream," an action-packed adventure of music and dance that invites audiences to follow their dreams, whatever they may be.

Tops in Blue, the premiere entertainment showcase of the U. S. Air Force will perform at the King Center for the Performing Arts in Melbourne Sunday, Nov. 1 at 7:30 p.m. The performance is free. Auditorium doors open at 7 p.m. for active duty personnel and at 7:15 p.m. for all others.

This year, Tops in Blue continues its long-standing tradition of "family entertaining family" by showing us what has made Tops in Blue a "must-see" event every year for over half a century.

You'll hear hot Latin sounds, All-American country music, and hits from the top of the charts. You'll experience the great music from your favorite movies and Broadway shows.

Combine all that with the dazzling lights, costumes and precision choreography for which Tops in Blue is known

worldwide, and you can look forward to a show that's sure to please everyone.

Tops in Blue '09 keeps 56 years of touring tradition by visiting all bases throughout the United States and more than 25 foreign countries. Their aggressive tour schedule spans more than 120 locations and also includes entertaining forward-deployed troops in various locations in Iraq, Qatar, Afghanistan and Kuwait.

The Tops in Blue '09 Tour is proud to be sponsored by Coca-Cola and AT&T.

This is Coca-Cola's sixth year of financial support, while AT&T has sponsored the Tops in Blue program for 18 consecutive years.

This year's Tops in Blue team is indeed a reflection of the "Best of the Best." Representing a wide variety of career specialties, they are an elite group of the most talented non-professional entertainers from throughout the Air Force.

These enthusiastic



Photos by Chris Kraus



active-duty airmen display the pride, patriotism and dedication felt by all Air Force personnel around the world.

The show is guaranteed to energize hearts and souls and remind each of us that we stand proudly for America, its people

and its music. Don't miss this powerful and unforgettable show.

For more details, call 321-494-5676 or

visit www.topsinblue.com.

(No federal endorsement of sponsors is intended.)

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Combined Federal Campaign – ‘Now is the Time!’

Charitable contributions fell nationwide for the first time in 21 years in 2008 despite a sharp spike in demand for services such as food banks and homeless shelters. We can help reverse that trend in 2009.

By Maj. Robert Russell
CFC Project Officer

There are only seven days remaining in the 45th Space Wing Combined Federal Campaign for YOU to make a difference!

Through generous contributions from Patrick AFB/ Cape Canaveral AFS personnel and mission partners we are on our way to the \$190,000 goal for the wing. Thank you to the many people who have made life-changing donations.

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Our jobs here in the 45th Space Wing are relatively stable

compared to the rest of the nation.

As you know, Brevard County alone is not out of the woods with recent layoffs from the Cape security contract, ULA, and future layoffs from the shuttle program. Earn your bragging rights today so when those telemarketers call you at dinner time tonight you can say “I already gave to CFC”!

The following real-life stories for this week, from agencies here in Brevard County, illustrate the impact that your CFC contributions have on the lives of your neighbors.

After 20 years, Bill was recently laid off by a local auto dealership. At 67, he needed help getting his job skills up-to-speed so he could find meaningful work again.

Seeking assistance for the first time in his life, Bill found a CFC

agency that offers job training along with emergency food assistance.

Unfortunately, Bill is not alone in the struggles he faces. More than 12 percent of our local residents (60,000 people) report being “food insecure,” a term that describes the need to make the choice between buying food or paying the month’s rent or mortgage.

At 92, Trudi had progressed from an assisted living facility to living with her son and daughter-in-law. Legally blind, she found herself feeling isolated and alone even in the warmth of her son’s welcoming home. Her daughter-in-law became concerned and began to look for assistance. She found a CFC agency that provides adult day care and immediately enrolled Trudi.

Today, Trudi is happier than she ever



Photo by Chris Calkins

Combined Federal Campaign continues through October 30. Now is the time to contribute and make a difference in the lives of families in your community.

thought possible. She is able to talk, share and even dance with others who are experiencing similar situations in their own lives.

“If it wasn’t for this agency, my quality of life would be awful. Being around others makes me feel good. It’s never boring there!” There are more than 15,000 seniors living with Alzheimer’s or dementia in Brevard, but only

10 adult day care facilities with 454 spots to help their families care for them.

So don’t forget – the 2009 CFC runs through Friday, Oct. 30. There are more than 2,500 charities, like the ones making a difference above, dedicated to making our community, our nation, and our world a better place.

CFC also supports you - one in four

federal employees or their dependents will benefit from CFC this year!

Please consider the tremendous impact even \$5 a month can provide in these difficult economic times – “Now is the Time”!

For more information about the Combined Federal Campaign contact your unit key worker or this year’s project officer, Maj. Robert Russell at 853-4793.



Photo by Chris Kraus

Wikipedia tells us: “The traditional military definition of a “Wingman” refers to the pattern in which fighter jets fly. There is always a lead aircraft and another which flies off the right wing of and behind the lead. This second pilot is called the “Wingman” because he or she primarily protects the lead by “watching his back.” The idea behind the wingman is to add the element of mutual support to aerial combat. A wingman makes the flight both offensively and defensively more capable by increasing fire power, situational awareness, attacking an enemy threatening a comrade, and most importantly the ability to employ more dynamic tactics.” The Wingman concept is applicable to all Air Force people and is a force multiplier!

Brig. Gen. Edward L. Bolton, Jr. said he wants commanders to use the “Four Dimensions of Wellness Model” as a way to solidify relationships. One of those dimensions is physical fitness.

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more meaningful way, examine the unit climate and troubleshoot problems. It should also reacquaint Airmen with Wingmen principles and revitalize our commitment to being great Wingmen,” Gen. Kehler said.

Gen. Bolton said he wants commanders to use the “Four Dimensions of Wellness Model” as a way to solidify relationships. Those

dimensions are: physical, emotional, social and spiritual.”

“I want leaders all across the wing to take the time to find out what makes their Airmen tick. I want you to talk with them, ask them for their feedback,” Gen. Bolton said.

“Ask them what they think we are doing well and ask them if there is anything we can do better for them, or for their families,” he said.

In addition to the one-on-one relationships, Gen. Bolton said units last year planned team building activities in and around the local communities.

And that’s a good thing, he said.

“Public service projects in the private sector benefit not only the Wingman philosophy, but helps those in our communities who are less fortunate,” he said.

Reduce Space, Reduce Waste ... Save Energy

By Lt. Col. Brian D. Weidmann
Commander, Civil Engineer Squadron

Since October is Federal Energy Awareness Month, I would like to inform the 45th Space Wing

community on how the Civil Engineer Squadron is working to reduce the Wing's energy use.

New federal requirements mandate the Wing reduce its energy intensity by three percent per year for

10 continuous years (from 2005 to 2015). Accomplishing this task by 2015 will potentially result in annual energy savings of \$9 million.

To achieve this goal, 45 CES is actively pursuing projects

and initiatives that improve both the Wing's infrastructure and energy efficiency. These initiatives include:

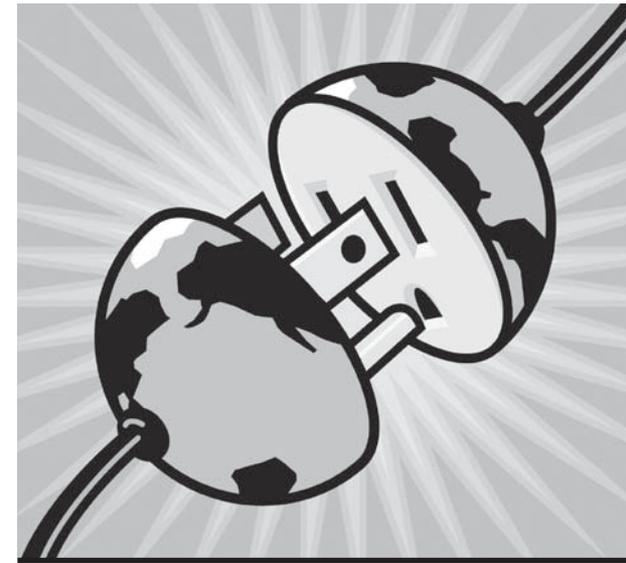
- accomplishing energy projects to retrofit lighting, replace inefficient chillers and boilers, provide small solar panels and install ground source heat pumps;
- purchasing energy star equipment;
- installing energy management control systems (EMCS);
- educating personnel on energy awareness; and
- optimizing facility space by consolidating operations and efficiently utilizing facilities.

CES is also charged with supporting the Air Force strategic goal to reduce facilities and infrastructure footprint by 20 percent by the year 2020.

This effort is rooted in the Air Force's initiative to focus on mission critical infrastructure and divert resources away from excess, obsolete and under-utilized infrastructure.

To meet this goal, CES is working on space consolidation and building demolition plans in accordance with the Wing's strategic plan.

For example, we've incorporated requirements to ensure



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the efficient use of facilities in CES's new Infrastructure, Operations and Maintenance Service (IOMS) contract at the Cape.

The IOMS contractor InDyne, Inc. has developed a space reduction plan that contains detailed facility use assessments and specific recommendations for consolidation of their footprint.

The InDyne plan can serve as a model for the remainder of the Wing to meet the Air Force initiative to reduce facility space and energy consumption.

By optimizing space

allocation and reducing the Wing's facility footprint, CES is simultaneously working to achieve the Air Force's energy reduction and facility consolidation goals.

To date, we are exceeding the energy reduction goal by almost four percent. With your help, we can continue to exceed our energy and facility reduction requirements. Please contact the CE Energy Management Office at 853-0925 (CCAFS) or 494-7198 (PAFB) with your questions or suggestions on how better to reduce Wing energy use and costs.

Thanks for helping.

Halloween Fire Safety Tips from PAFB Fire Department

• **Buy only costumes, wigs and props labeled flame-resistant or flame-retardant.**

If you are making your own costume, choose material that won't easily ignite if it comes into contact with heat or flame. Avoid using billowing or long trailing features. If your child is wearing a mask, make sure the eye holes are large enough so they can see out.

• **Provide children with lightweight**

flashlights to carry for lighting or as part of their costume.

• **Dried flowers, cornstalks and crepe paper are highly flammable.**

Keep these and other decorations well away from all open flames and heat sources, including light bulbs and heaters.

• **It is safest to use a flashlight or battery-operated candles in a jack-o-lantern.**

If you use a real candle, use extreme

caution. Make sure children are watched at all times when candles are lit. When lighting candles inside jack-o-lanterns, use long fireplace-style matches or a utility lighter. Be sure to place lit pumpkins well away from anything that can burn including trick-or-treaters, doorsteps, walkways and yards.

• **Remember to keep exits clear of decorations, so nothing blocks escape routes.**

• **Tell children to stay away from open flames.**

Be sure they know how to stop, drop and roll if their clothing catches fire. (Have them practice stopping immediately, dropping to the ground, covering their face with hands, and rolling over and over to put the flames out.)

• **Use flashlights as alternatives to candles or torch lights when decorating walkways and yards.** They are much safer

for trick-or-treaters, whose costumes may brush against the lighting.

• **If your children are going to Halloween parties at others' homes, have them look for exits and plan how they would get out in an emergency.**

• **Did you know? Decorations are the first thing to ignite in more than 1,000 reported home**



fires each year.

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Cuban Missile Crisis Anniversary

By Mark C. Cleary
45th SW History Office

On October 22, 1962, Patrick AFB, along with the rest of America's defense establishment, went to an increased state of military readiness under Defense Condition 3 (DEFCON 3).

The condition was prompted by what became known as the "Cuban Missile Crisis" after Soviet ballistic missiles were detected in Fidel Castro's island nation. Before the crisis ended on November 6, 1962, our military forces achieved nearly maximum readiness under DEFCON 2.

Nationwide about 340,000 military personnel, thousands of aircraft, and hundreds of ships and smaller vessels were mustered to deal with the crisis. Strategic Air Command (SAC) placed approximately 600 B-52 bombers on strategic alert, and Tactical Air Command (TAC) deployed almost 1,000 aircraft of all types.

The Navy deployed 180 ships and hundreds of aircraft to blockade Cuba, and the Aircraft Carrier Enterprise led a force "ready to defend" our base in Guantanamo,

Cuba. The following highlights provide an indication of how the crisis affected folks locally.

Two squadrons of F-106 Delta Dart interceptors from Selfridge, Michigan, and Langley, Virginia, began arriving at Patrick AFB around dusk on October 22nd. All 36 aircraft were in position before midnight. As of 6:00 p.m. that night, Patrick was in DEFCON 3, and command posts and crash rescue forces at Patrick and the Cape went into around-the-clock operations.

The Melbourne Times reported 11 F-106 aircraft were on the ramp at Patrick the following morning, gassed, loaded, and ready to go. Thanks to cooperation from the Florida Highway Patrol, spectators and gawkers on State Route A1A moved along, and traffic was back to its normal 50 miles per hour flow by the end of October.

Though one report suggested a space launch was postponed on the 23rd and 24th to avoid making the crisis any worse, a Titan II was launched from the Cape on October 26, 1962 to



Courtesy Photo

October 18, 1962: White House photograph of President Kennedy meeting with Soviet foreign minister Andrei Gromyko and Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin – in which JFK does not reveal he knows about the missiles, and Gromyko asserts that Soviet military assistance is purely defensive.

carry out a radiation study.

In the meantime, the 69th Armored Rifle Company, the 515th Transportation Company, the 168th Army Signal Company, and the first contingent of a Hawk anti-aircraft missile battery arrived at Patrick as part of the crisis deployment.

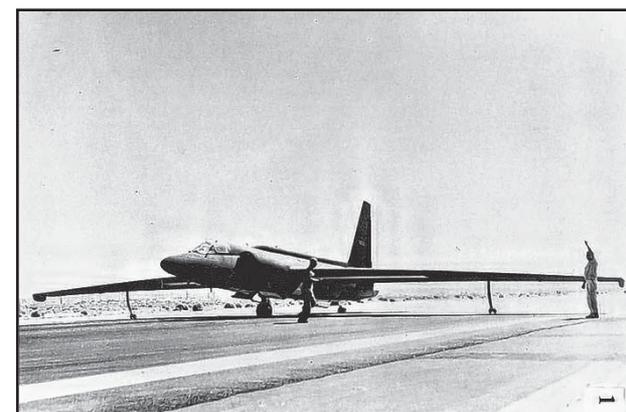
The first Hawk missiles arrived on October 30th, and a fully equipped medical station became operational at Cape Canaveral. Air Police patrol boats began

patrolling the Banana River opposite Patrick, and other patrol boats were positioned at Canaveral Harbor for around-the-clock surveillance of Port Canaveral and offshore areas.

More than 350 Pan American and RCA employees volunteered to carry out emergency work at the Cape if needed.

Patrick's Command Post returned to normal duty hours on November 6, 1962, but visiting units remained in place.

People and aircraft belonging to TAC



Courtesy Photo

The U-2 plane, circa 1962.

units began returning to their home stations from Patrick on November 22nd, and Army units began folding their tents on

December 4, 1962. A few F-106s lingered through December 9th, but the crisis was clearly over by that time.

Base Car Wash Gets Upgrade

Chris Kraus

45th Force Support Squadron

Is your car, truck or SUV starting to look a little dirty? Are those love bugs taking a toll on your vehicles paint job? Don't worry, help is on the way. That's because Patrick's Base Car Wash is getting a major upgrade.

Both sides of the car wash were shut down on October 7 to start installation of a totally new touch free car washing system - a G5 LaserWash.

The installation is made possible by a \$154K AFSPC Non-Appropriated Fund Grant. The new system will be able to wash every type of vehicle, as it does not require a floor treadle to activate the wash cycle and the side rails have been eliminated.

New signage will be customer friendly and will eliminate confusion, making the system much easier to use.

The projected completion date is late October and the reopening of the upgraded

facility will be announced soon.

"Once the new system is operational, patrons will be able to use their MasterCard or VISA credit and debit cards at the upgraded facility," said Ms. Nancy Wilberg, 45th Force Support Squadron's Arts & Crafts Director, who is also responsible for the car wash facility.

"Even if you do not have any cash on hand, you'll still be able to get a great wash for your privately owned, government or NAF vehicle. Everyone is welcome! GSA vehicle operators will be able to use the WEX card on the Laserwash side," Ms. Wilberg said.

Cost is only \$5, \$6 or \$7 for the top of the line wash and those prices are substantially lower than comparable off-base car wash facilities added Ms. Wilberg.

For more information about the upgraded car wash facility, call Ms. Wilberg at 494-4270.



Photo by Chris Kraus

Ms. Nancy Wilberg, 45th Force Support Squadron's Arts & Crafts Director, monitors the installation of the new G5 LaserWash at the Patrick Car Wash. The upgrade to the facility was made possible by a \$154 thousand AFSPC Non-Appropriated Fund Grant. Once operational, the system will be able to wash any type of vehicle and will accept credit and debit cards.

Forgiveness a force before a feeling

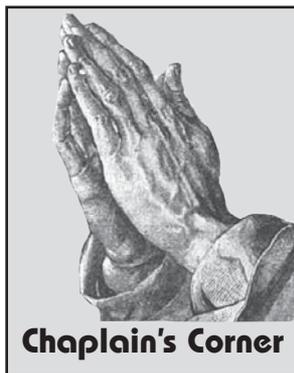
**By Chaplain
Mike Hendrick**

Are you willing to forgive? During seminary I worked for a woman named Pat. She taught me about forgiveness. It all began when her daughter started dating a 'shady' guy. This of course produced great fear. But having moved out of the house, Pat's ability to control and guide was lessened.

Within a couple of months the daughter decided to elope; within a couple of months the abuse began!

This continued for two years until one night the daughter accidentally killed herself in a car crash trying to escape the fury.

This notification crippled Pat's body with shock. Rage



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quickly consumed her. Grief and guilt fanned the rage into flames.

This continued for six months and resulted in strained relationships and unfortunately, a strained body.

Pat developed cancer. During her diagnosis, the physician recommended a counselor for the purpose of holistic treatment. She made an appointment.

During the first visit the counselor told Pat she needed to

develop a willingness to forgive, before her bitterness killed her.

This counsel thickened Pat's shields. She didn't want to forgive; she wanted retribution! At the same time, she hated what she had become and how it was affecting her family and friends. Desperate for renewed health and relationships she followed the counsel that involved verbalizing her willingness to forgive her son-in-law, daily.

For the first week it was almost impossible. She cried out to God for strength! In time this verbal routine became incrementally easier until one day little effort was required. This she credits to God's grace.

It was then her relationships started improving. It was then her body began

growing in strength. It was then she gave her son-in-law permission to seek forgiveness and healing for his guilt and shame—which he did!

What's the point? For me it's this: forgiveness is first a choice before it's a feeling.

If we wait upon feelings we may wait too long and forfeit too much. Maintaining a spirit ready to forgive is powerful medicine for mental, physical and relational health.

Or as one unknown author said, "To forgive is to set a prisoner free and discover the prisoner was you."

Are you willing to forgive?

Are you willing to reclaim life and freedom for your heart?

A spirit ready to forgive is the path ...



Catholic

Daily Mass (Tues.-Fri.) at 11:30 a.m. in the Seaside Chapel.

Saturday:

4 p.m. confession, 5 p.m. Mass in the South Patrick Chapel.

Sunday:

8:30 a.m. Mass in South Patrick Chapel, and 11:30 a.m. Mass in the Seaside Chapel.

Religious education classes:

10:15-11:15 a.m. at the Education Center for pre-K-6th grade.

Youth Ministry for 7th-8th grade, 10:15-11:15 a.m. at the Education Center;

Youth Ministry for 9th-12th grade, 6-8 p.m. at the Shark Center.

Protestant

Sunday:

9 a.m. - Traditional Worship in the Seaside Chapel.

11 a.m. - Praise and Worship Service in the South Patrick Chapel.

Wednesday:

5:15 p.m. - Family Night meal and study at South Patrick Chapel.

Jewish

For more information, contact Barry Chefer at 494-6063.

Islamic

Tuesday:

6-7 p.m. - Islamic studies, South Chapel, room 105. For Islamic worship services, contact Marvin Hagan at 254-6727 or the Islamic Society of Brevard County at 984-4129.

Events Calendar

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Sunday 18	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24
<p>Club Championship Golf Course</p> <p>Sunday Brunch 10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Football Frenzy 12:30 - 7 p.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p>	<p>Boater Safety Training 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Story Time 10 a.m.</p> <p>Library</p>	<p>27 ARES I-X FLIGHT TEST Bowling Center Special - \$1 Games 11 a.m. to Closing</p> <p>Teen Council 4:30 p.m.</p> <p>Youth Programs</p> <p>Families of Deployed Dinner 6 - 7 p.m. A&FRC</p>	<p>28 Karaoke 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Shark Hut</p>	<p>29 Commander/ 1st Sgt Breakfast 7:30 - 9:30 a.m.</p> <p>How to Start a Small Business Class 5 - 7:30 p.m. A&FRC</p> <p>Advanced Open Water Dive Class Starts Outdoor Recreation</p>	<p>30 WINGMAN DAY Boy's Night Out 7 - 9:30 p.m.</p> <p>Youth Programs</p> <p>Halloween Costume Party 7 p.m. Marina</p> <p>Glow Ball Night Tournament 10 p.m. Golf Course</p>	<p>31 Safe Boater Course 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Sailing Class 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Halloween Special 1 p.m. to Closing Bowling Center</p> <p>Harvest Fair 6 - 8 p.m. South Patrick Chapel</p>
<p>NOV 1 Sunday Brunch 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Football Frenzy 12:30 - 7 p.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p> <p>Latin Experience 2:30 p.m. The Tides</p> <p>Tops in Blue 7:30 p.m. King Center</p>	<p>2 Boater Safety Training 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Story Time 10 a.m., Library</p>	<p>3 Commander/ 1st Sgt. Breakfast 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. A&FRC</p> <p>Adoption Workshop 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. A&FRC</p> <p>Bowling Center Special \$1 Games 11 a.m. - closing</p>	<p>4 Air Force Sergeants Association (AFSA) Meeting Noon - 1 p.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p> <p>Karaoke 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Shark Hut</p>	<p>5 Surf, Turf or Bird 5 - 8 p.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p>	<p>6 Texas Hold'em, 5 - 10 p.m. The Tides</p> <p>Surf Fishing Class 5 - 9 p.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Moonlight Golf Tournament 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Teen Night 7 - 10 p.m.</p> <p>Youth Programs</p>	<p>7 Surf Fishing Class 7 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Safe Boater Course 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Sailing Class 12:30 -2:30 p.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Latin Explosion, 10 p.m. - 2 a.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p>
<p>8 Sunday Brunch 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.</p> <p>Football Frenzy 12:30 - 7 p.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p>	<p>9 Boater Safety Training 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Story Time 10 a.m.</p> <p>Library</p>	<p>10 Newcomer's Orientation Briefing 7:30 a.m. - noon A&FRC</p> <p>Bowling Center Special \$1 Games 11 a.m. - closing</p>	<p>11 VETERAN'S DAY Massing of the Colors BCC Cocoa Campus 3 p.m.</p> <p>3-Tank Open Water/ Nitrox Dive Trip Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Kamalu Annual Scramble 8 a.m.</p> <p>Golf Course</p>	<p>12 Bundles for Babies/ Newborn Care Class 6 - 8 p.m. A&FRC</p>	<p>13 10K Bike Time Trial 8 a.m.</p> <p>CCAFS Fitness Center</p> <p>Kid's Night Out 6 - 11 p.m. Youth Programs</p> <p>Latin Night 10 p.m. - 2 a.m.</p> <p>The Tides</p>	<p>14 Family Fishing Tournament 7 - 10 a.m.</p> <p>Outdoor Recreation</p> <p>Demo Day/ Swap Meet 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.</p> <p>Golf Course</p> <p>Wounded Warrior Luncheon 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.</p>
<p>To publish events of base-wide interest in future issues, e-mail missileer@patrick.af.mil</p>						

Airman & Family Readiness Center

The Airman & Family Readiness Center has a few upcoming classes and events in October that many will find invaluable: Families of Deployed Dinner, Tuesday, Oct. 27, from 6 - 7 p.m.; Commander/1st Sgt. Breakfast, Thursday, Oct. 29, from 7:30 - 9:30 a.m.; How to Start a Small Business Class, Thursday, Oct. 29, from 5 - 7:30 p.m.; and a Fundamentals of Interviews Class, Friday, Oct. 30, from 10 - 11:30 a.m. For more information and to sign up, call 494-5675.

Marina Hosts Active Duty Appreciation Night Tonight

The Manatee Cove Marina will host an Active Duty Appreciation Night tonight from 5 - 7 p.m. All active duty personnel stationed at Patrick AFB or CCAFS are invited to attend. There will be door prizes and marina volunteers will be serving up burgers and brats. Live music will be performed by Green Light. All members are encouraged to attend and show support to the troops. For more information, call 494-7455.

Youth Programs Hosts Annual Fall Festival

Youth Programs will hold their "At the Fair" Annual Fall Festival tonight from 5 - 8 p.m. There will be events and games for children of all ages, along with plenty of food and a costume contest, holiday cookie contest, build a scarecrow contest, face painting, bouncing and more. The event is open to all Patrick AFB families and their guests. For details, call 494-4747.

Teen Council

The next Teen Council meeting will be held at Youth Programs on Tuesday, Oct. 27, starting at 4:30 p.m. The council will be discussing programming and special events. Teens are encouraged to come by and discuss what activities would interest them and their friends. For more information, call 494-4747.

Boy's Night Out

Youth Programs will host the next Boy's Night Out on Friday, Oct. 30, from 7 - 9:30 p.m. for ages 9 - 12. This health, nutrition and fitness night for boys will feature cooking and sports and fitness challenges. The event is free for members. Non-members and guests pay only \$3. Sign up required by COB Thursday, Oct. 29. For more information, call 494-4747.

DoD Homeowners Assistance Program

You are invited to attend a Homeowners Assistance Program (HAP) presentation by the US Army Corps of Engineers.

The presentation will cover Members of the Armed Forces permanently reassigned during the mortgage crisis under the Expanded HAP Program. A question and answer period will follow the presentation. To accommodate as many military as possible, two presentations offered at the Base Theater.

First Presentation:

Thursday, Nov. 19, 9 - 10:30 a.m.

Second Presentation:

Thursday, Nov. 19, 6-7:30 p.m.

For Registration Call: 494-2594/6318 or email: angela.clarington@patrick.af.mil or renae.dewitt@patrick.af.mil or judy.vawter@patrick.af.mil

Registration Deadline: Friday, Nov. 13 (include desired presentation time)

NOTE: For more information on HAP, please refer to US Army Corps of Engineers website: <http://hap.usace.army.mil/>

Marina Halloween Costume Party

The Manatee Cove Marina will host their Annual Marina Halloween Costume Party on Friday, Oct. 30, starting at 7 p.m. Phoenix Entertainment will provide the music and Barnacles Grill will offer specials for the night. Prizes will be awarded for singles, as well as best couple and/or group. For more information, call 494-6455.

Harvest Fair at South Patrick Chapel

Looking for a safe and fun place for you and your children on Halloween night? The base chapel, partnering with Security Forces, 'In The Know', Commissary, and Pinnacle are coming together to sponsor an action-packed, candy-filled, fun-focused 'Harvest Fair' at the South Patrick Chapel in the South Patrick Housing Area.

It will include games, prizes, air castles, food, and of course tons of candy! Mark your calendars now for Saturday, Oct. 31, from 6 - 8 p.m. Security and safety will be enhanced by our very own SFS 'Pumpkin Patrol.' We look forward to seeing you! If you have any questions please call the base chapel at 494-4073.

Bowling Center Specials

The Rocket Lanes Bowling Center will feature the following Halloween Special, Saturday, Oct. 31, from 1 p.m. to closing - bowl three games and pay for only two (no sharing games). For more specials, call 494-2958.

Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Lobster Fest and Tour

The Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Foundation will be sponsoring a tour of the lighthouse along with a lobster fest on Saturday, Nov. 7 from 3 - 7 p.m. on the grounds of the lighthouse.

Brig. Gen. Edward L. Bolton, commander 45th Space Wing, will be the guest speaker, along with his wife, Patricia. Honorary hosts of the event will be Mayor Rocky Randels, Dr. Maxwell King and Port Commissioner Ralph Kennedy.

There will be lobster and fixings, beverages and desserts. Live music will be provided and door prize drawings will be held.

Members pay \$15 and non-members pay \$39 (includes eight-month membership).

Mail reservation check by Wednesday, Oct. 28 made payable to the Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Foundation, P. O. Box 1978, Cape Canaveral, FL 32920; or payment may be made using PayPal on the Foundation's website at www.CapeCanaveralLight.org, no tickets will be available at the door. Include your e-mail address to receive confirmation of reservation.

Homestead Air Show

The Wings Over Homestead Air Show is right around the corner and Homestead ARB has compiled a thrilling list of performers for its first air show in over 18 years. The free event is on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 7-8, get more details at www.wingsoverhomestead.com.

Valiant Air Command Veteran's Day Open House

On Veteran's Day weekend, November 7 - 8, there will be an Open House at the Valiant Air Command (VAC), located at 6600 Tico Road in Titusville. Admission is free for any military, active or retired, and all Brevard County residents, with ID.

The museum will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Hot dogs and drinks will be available and parking is free.

For more information call 268-1941, or visit the website at www.vacwarbirds.org.

Moonlight Golf Tournament

Come out to the Manatee Cove Golf Course and have some fun under the moonlight on Friday, Nov. 6. Our Moonlight Golf Tournament kicks-off with a 6:30 p.m. shotgun start. Format is four-person teams, select shot, with two 9-hole events. You can make up your own teams. Entry includes golf, cart, prizes, Night Golf course package, and two (2) glow balls. Cost is only \$27 for Annual Pass players, \$29 for Annual Fee players, and \$32 for all others. Save \$5 by signing up before Friday, Oct. 30. Sign up cutoff is Tuesday, Nov. 3. No refunds after this date. For more information, call 494-GOLF.

Kamalu Annual Scramble

The Manatee Cove Golf Course will hold the Kamalu Annual Scramble on Veterans Day, Wednesday, Nov. 11, with an 8 a.m. shotgun start. Format is four-person scramble. You can form/play with your own foursome. Cost is only \$30 for Annual Pass players, \$33 for Annual Fee players and \$40 for all others. Save \$5 by signing up before Wednesday, Nov. 4. Beer and soda will be provided after completion of play. Sign up in the Pro Shop. Sign up cutoff is Monday, Nov. 9 at 1 p.m. For more information, call 494-GOLF.



Manatee Cove Golf Course

494-GOLF

Golf Extravaganza Demo Day and Swap Meet

Come out to the Manatee Cove Golf Course and test drive all the latest equipment on Saturday, Nov. 14, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. This is also your opportunity to clean out your closet. Bring in your new, used or antique golf clubs, bags, putters or memorabilia to sell, trade or just show off. There are a limited number of table spots available in the golf lounge, so reserve a spot early.

As always, Demo Day will feature all the big name brand equipment including Cobra, Titleist, Callaway, Odyssey, Bridgestone and Ping. Clubs will be on sale for special orders taken during this one-day event.

This sale will not be repeated until next spring.

Other sale items include some in-stock merchandise marked down to 50 percent off retail.

As a special treat, John Adams from The Fix will be on-site to provide muscular therapy for quick and permanent relief of frozen shoulder, carpal tunnel, tennis elbow or soft tissue damage caused by an improper golf swing. For more information, call 494-GOLF.

Civ/Mil Tournament

There will be a Civilian/Military Tournament on Saturday, Nov. 21, with an 8 a.m. shotgun start. Call 494-GOLF for details.

Thanksgiving Weekend Pro Shop Sale

Take advantage of the great deals at the Thanksgiving weekend Pro Shop Sale. Buy one item at regular price and get a second item of equal or lesser value at 25 percent off. Buy two items at regular price and get a third item at 50 percent off. For more information, call 494-GOLF.

