



192D TACTICAL FIGHTER GROUP

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VIRGINIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD



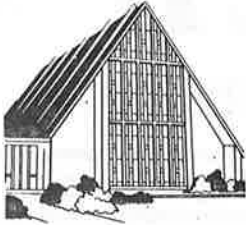
26th Year, No. 12 Byrd IAP, Sandston, Virginia December 1982



HAPPY NEW YEAR

Sunday Services

Sunday 0830 - General Protestant
 0915 - Mormon
 1300 - Catholic Mass



Your Chaplain is available to you and your family 24 hours a day. Do not hesitate to call him if you think he can help or assist you in any way. His telephone numbers are: "A"-387, "C"-66, or 737-0635 (Home) and 737-1527 (Church).

Employers to be cited for Guard support

The first Pro Patria award for promoting employer support of the Guard and Reserve was presented to John H. Batten of Racine, Wisconsin, at a Pentagon ceremony in September. The Pro Patria award, named for the Latin expression, "for the nation," is the Defense Department's top recognition for American employers whose personnel practices assist employees to remain active in National Guard and Reserve training programs.

If you're a Guard member or Reservist and have a boss who fully supports your service commitments and activities, you may nominate him or her for an award from the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. In addition to the Pro Patria award, there are two other certificates awarded by both the national Committee and individual state committees.

Letters of nomination must explain why the employer deserves the award and must identify the service member's unit and include the commander's name and address.

Send the letter of nomination to:
 "My Boss is a Pro"
 NCESGR Awards Officer
 1735 N. Lynn St.
 Suite 206
 Arlington, VA 22209

BG William E. Haymes, Sr (Retired) (right) was inducted into the Virginia Aeronautical Historical Society Aviation Hall of Fame, during the Fifth Annual induction ceremony, November 20, 1982, in Fredericksburg, Va. General Haymes is standing with David P. Payne of Richmond, Virginia, another recipient. Credited with being the architect of the modern Virginia Air National Guard, General Haymes was that organization's leader during the period it went through several major reorganizations and during the time it went from piston-engine planes to jet fighter aircraft. A native of Danville, he joined the Virginia Army Guard in 1938, earned his pilot's wings in 1943 and went on to fly combat missions in two major wars. He later served as chief of staff of the Virginia Air Guard and as assistant adjutant general for Virginia before retiring in 1981 as the Virginia Air National Guard's first general officer.



Miscellaneous information

All requests for tuition assistance for the Spring Semester at four year colleges and Winter Quarter at two year colleges must be submitted to the Base Career Advisor, MSG Gary S. Brooks, Rm 4, O&T Bldg.

Effective 1 Jan 83 the coat (blazer style) and slacks will become a mandatory clothing item for enlisted women. The semibox style coat may still be worn until a phase-out date is announced.



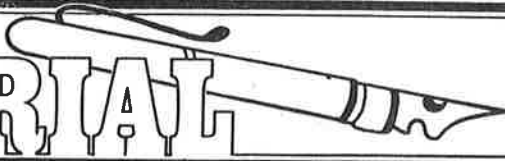
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 COLD DRINK MILK COFFEE

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 SWEET POTATOES GREEN PEAS
 ****SALAD BAR****
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 BREAD BUTTER
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 COLD DRINK MILK COFFEE

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EDITORIAL



Thanks very much

2115 Grantham Drive
Mechanicsville, Virginia 23111
November 1, 1982

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Dear National Guard Members:

Words cannot express the deep gratitude for giving so much of yourselves to our family. We are deeply touched at the love, concern and friendship extended to us in this crisis.

As we put all our faith and trust in God, please continue to keep our family in your prayers.

Once again, I wish to thank all of you for all the support, prayers and friendship that you have so freely given to my family and me.

Yours very truly,

Tsgt. James L. Dobbins
Security Police

Football weather spurs softball chatter

Sounds funny to talk about softball when we haven't even had the first snow of the year, but when you take a close look, Spring is really not that far off.

Plans are now in progress to:
**Form the team(s) for 1983.

**Play in several local tournaments.

**Play in the 6th Annual Northeast Softball Tournament, June 18-19, Barnes Airport, Westfield, Mass.

**Play in the 18th Annual Air National Guard Tournament, August 26-28, Metro-Atlanta Al Bishop Softball Complex.

**Begin fund raising to help with the registration and tournament fees.

- Can you help? Yes!

If you want to play--contact Buddy Evans, X-368 or Bobby Lamb X-306. Also, this UTA we will be selling raffle tickets at \$1.00 for a Kerosun 9,600 BTU home heater. Drawing to be held Sunday afternoon.

That's right, you'll have a chance to win a home heater while supporting the team that did the unit proud in the 1982 Nationals at Jacksonville, FL.

More detailed information will be in the January Vanguard.

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Civil
Engineering
Deployments

Prime Beef Trng
Eglin AFB, FL
8-12 Jan 83

Field Training
Biloxi, MS
12-22 Jan 83

STAY WARM BUT STAY SAFE

With the rising cost and ebbing supply of energy, wood burning stoves and space heaters have enjoyed a new surge in popularity. Families have rediscovered the soothing old fashioned fragrance of a wood fire. But for the family's safety, it's important to take some old fashioned precautions.

The first word of advice from U.S. Fire Administration officials is to buy only safety-listed equipment. Frequent checkups and cleaning are also a must. A dirty or neglected heater is a critical fire hazard. The following tips are essential for staying safe while staying warm:

- Use only the fuel expressly designed for your individual heater.
- Store gasoline and other flammable liquids outside your house.
- To prevent deadly fumes, be sure it is properly vented to the outside.

- Leave plenty of space on all four sides of your heater.
- Keep far away from curtains, beds and other furniture.

STOVE & SPACE HEATERS

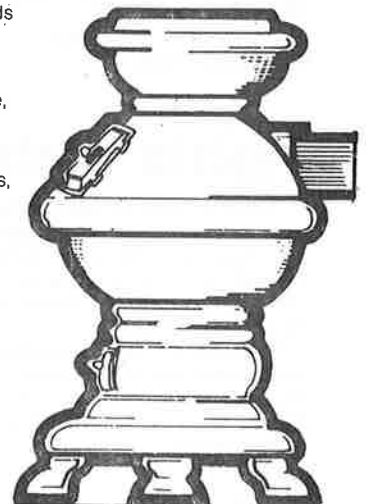
- If your heater has an open flame, place a screen around it to stop sparks.
- Keep young children away from space heaters. Their clothes, especially nightgowns, can be sucked up by the heater's draft and catch on fire.

ELECTRIC HEATERS

- Check the wiring capacity of your house. **Don't** overload your circuit or an extension cord.
- Do not use in your bathroom or touch when wet.

OLD HEATERS

- When refueling avoid overfilling. It could cause a flare-up.
- Never fill while it's burning.



PROMOTIONS

Our congratulations go to the following personnel who were promoted to the grades indicated during the months September, October and November:

HEADQUARTERS, VaANG
CPT MORGER, SALLY N.

192D TAC CLINIC
TSG BELLE, BRENDA C.

192D CIVIL ENGINEERING FLIGHT
TSG LANE, VIRGIL W.

192D TACTICAL FIGHTER GROUP
TSG CLARK, SHERYL D.
A1C BENNETT, LINDA S.

192D WEAPONS SYSTEMS SECURITY FLIGHT
SRA ESTES, ROBERT E.

192D CONSOLIDATED ACFT MAINT SQDN
SRA ANDREWS, STEVEN D.
SRA DYER, DAVID J.
A1C BROWN, RONALD W.

192D COMBAT SUPPORT SQUADRON
1LT BARKER, BERNARD R.
SRA WENCK, PATRICIA C.
A1C MARTIN, VALERIA L.

ENLISTMENTS

The following personnel were enlisted into the Virginia Air National Guard during the months of September, October and November:

192D TACTICAL FIGHTER GROUP
CPT BEAM, THOMAS R.
CPT WYANT, ROBERT L. JR.

192D CONSOLIDATED ACFT MAINT SQDN
SSG JOYCE, WILLIAM K.
SSG TRESSLER, DNAIEL C.
SGT MEADORS, REX M.

192D CIVIL ENGINEERING FLIGHT
SGT SLACK, WILLIAM E. JR.

192D COMBAT SUPPORT SQUADRON
CPT ALLEN, JEFFREY R.
SGT BUSCHBAUM, PATRICIA L.
AB HASH, TERRI L.

Typists wanted

Administrative specialists have a chance to perform their annual training at the I.G. Brown Professional Military Education Center Library at McGhee Tyson Airport in Knoxville, Tenn.

The library needs typists to help with administrative work. Interested airmen may contact Maj Lawrence Cousins, Ext 301, for further information.

Incentives available

Again this fiscal year, the National Guard Bureau has given the state funds to encourage the enlistment of non-prior service individuals into critical vacancies and funds to encourage the reenlistment or extension of enlistment of current VaANG members.

The non-prior service enlistees will receive a \$1,000 enlistment bonus as follows:

**\$500. upon award of the 3-skill level AFSC.

**\$125. on the 2nd & 3rd enlistment anniversary.

**\$250. on the 4th enlistment anniversary.

The reenlistment/extension bonuses are paid as follows:

YEARS SVC AT ETS	PAID UPON		PAID EACH YEAR	MAXIMUM BONUS PAID
	6 YRS REENL	3 YRS EXT		
UND 6	\$900		\$150	\$1800
UND 8 & OVR 6	\$900	\$450	\$150 \$150	\$1800 \$900
UND 9 & OVR 8	\$450	\$450	\$150 \$150	\$900 \$900

Col Coke, Group Commander, will review bonus AFSC requirements quarterly and has designated the following DAFSCs as bonus eligible until further notice:

NPS ENLISTMENT DAFSC	REENLISTMENT OR EXTENSION	
	DAFSC	DAFSC
462XOB	23152	571X0
553X0	29150	63150
622X0	42355	64550
	462XOB	64551
	462X0	70250B
	54231	73234
	55235	

Additional information on the ANG Incentives Award Program is available in the Base Career Advisor's Office, Room 4, O&T Building.



Allen named

It has been announced that Captain Jeffrey R. Allen has joined the 192d Tactical Fighter Group on 13 November 1982 as the new Group Legal Officer replacing Major Learned Barry who has been appointed legal officer for the Adjutant General.

Cpt Allen comes to the Group after four years of active duty as a Judge Advocate with the United States Army at Fort Stewart, Georgia. While at Fort Stewart, he served with the 24th Infantry Division (Mechanized) as a trial defense counsel.

Cpt Allen received his BA from the University of Virginia in 1975 and his law degree from the University of Richmond in 1978. He is currently practicing law in the litigation section in the firm of Michie Hamlett, Donato and Lowry located in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Anyone seeking legal advice during drill weekends should feel free to contact Cpt Allen whose office is located in Room 211 of the main hangar. You may arrange an appointment by calling Ext 88.

Enlisted panel to hold annual meeting

The Air National Guard/Air Force Reserve Enlisted Advisory Panel will host its 20th meeting on 16-17 February 1982.

The panel provides all enlisted personnel the opportunity to express their views and participate in the formulation of policies and programs affecting their future in the Air National Guard. Originators of agenda items should determine to the best of their ability that all submissions require policy determination and are in the best interest of the Air National Guard.

All Air National Guard enlisted

personnel are invited to submit recommendations and suggestions for the panel's consideration by 9 December 1982. Recommendations should be sent to:

- Resident Secretary
ANG/AFR Enlisted Advisory Panel
ARPC/CVR
Denver, CO 80280

Upon panel approval, recommendations are forwarded to the Director of the Air National Guard. A status and/or disposition report will be provided to ARPC to the originators of each submission following the conclusion of the panel meeting.

OPSEC Update gets letter

By LTC GEORGE DAVIS

The 192TFG has concluded another very successful year. All personnel can justly be proud of the numerous accomplishments: completing the A-7D conversion, a very successful ORI, a Red Flag deployment and several support deployments. At this time there are less than 40 individuals who need to pass the OPSEC test, which we started in October.

As usual, the activities of this unit have not gone unnoticed. While we have come a long way in improving our OPSEC procedures, it is quite obvious that there is still room for improvement. I would like to share this letter with you. Please note the date and consider what has taken place since it was written.

Reply to

ATTN of: CPSU/KGB

7 November 1982

Subject: Letter of Appreciation

To: 192d Tactical Fighter Group - OPSEC Monitor

1. In celebrating the 65th Anniversary of our Great October Socialist Revolution, the staff of the KGB would like to take this opportunity to congratulate your unit on a most successful year. Your progress has been followed with a great deal of interest. We were disappointed to learn that the 192TFG will soon be assigned 24 aircraft. We had hoped one of the other units would be getting the additional A-7Ds.
2. Since being elected to the ten-man Secretariat in June, I am no longer KGB chairman. However, since units like yours have enhanced my position in the government, I wish to express my appreciation for your efforts. Also, I would like to assure you that my replacement, Vitaly Fedorchuk will be just as anxious to hear from you as I was. During the past fifteen years, I have enjoyed the many challenges, while serving as Chief of the KGB, however, the needs of the state always come first.
3. We never have any problems getting our field representatives to spend some time in the Richmond/Sandston area. Some of them even like it better than the Las Vegas area. I understand your people had a quite successful Red Flag exercise. Too bad they couldn't have done as well in the casinos.
4. The results of your recent OPSEC tests are quite impressive (906 passed), however, we question some of your figures. We also understand that a few of your officers and NCO's did not pass the test on the first attempt. Despite an active OPSEC program, it is obvious that some of your personnel do not practice sound OPSEC procedures, as we still receive vast amounts of information concerning your deployments, exercises, unit status, and numerous other problems confronting your unit. I am sure you are aware that it only takes a few people to furnish us with all the information which we need. If you would like some advice on how to handle these people, you may consider some of our methods, which have worked quite well. As you are aware, we have very few dissidents or anti-government demonstrators in the Soviet Union.
5. As we begin another era in the Great October Socialist Revolution, I will not be working as closely with your unit, as in the past, however, let me assure you that Comrade Fedorchuk will be closely monitoring the activities of your unit. He and his staff will look forward to hearing from you during the months ahead.
6. In closing, I would like to thank everyone who has helped the great cause of world socialism, by furnishing information to the KGB staff. My successor will continue to listen - so keep talking.

Your Comrade,

Y. V. ANDROPOV
Former Chairman, KGB



The 192d Color Guard and Rifle Team recently participated in dedication ceremonies presenting a F-105 monument to the City of Hampton's Air Park Museum.

Representing the unit were MSG's Herbert Childress, Charlie Udriet, Edward Smith, John Johnson; and TSG's James Stanley, Raymond Bassetti, Robert Taylor and Robert Curtis.

Accident reporting

By MSG MICHAEL WOODY

A major accident is one involving nuclear/chemical weapons, biological agents, components, materials, agents or other dangerous materials. A major accident is differentiated from those day-to-day emergencies and accidents which are routinely responded to by assigned base emergency forces. It is an accident causing extensive damage and or personnel casualties. It may also be of such magnitude or unusual circumstances as to reflect adversely on the guard.

Any individual who discovers or is made aware of a major accident should ensure that one of the following agencies is notified by the most rapid means available:

**Command Post Ext 400 -36

**Fire Dept Ext 317 -17

**Security Police Ext 320 -37

These agencies have the means and established procedures to ensure that the information is passed over the primary and secondary crash nets, alerting the necessary response agencies.

The individual who discovers the accident/incident should alert other personnel in the area of the situation so that immediate evacuation of the area can be accomplished. Personnel who are notified to evacuate or who are within a 2000 foot radius of the accident/incident site should evacuate immediately; preferably upwind or as directed by security police. Only those personnel directly involved in containment, suppression and or rescue operations will remain inside the 2000 foot cordon.

Sports

Safety points emphasized as hunting seasons opens

By SSG LARRY HARRIS

As winter approaches, many men and women will devote their free time to hunting. This is an enjoyable sport, but one that carries with it many responsibilities. Hunting safety may seem to be a trite subject, but as long as there are hunting accidents it cannot be emphasized enough. Below are 13 concepts basic to hunting and firearm safety. They are not to be viewed as comprehensive, but rather as a practical introduction to the responsibility that hunting entails.

1. DECIDE TO BE SAFE. Safety doesn't just happen. You have to make up your own mind to be safe. Learning these 13 steps--or any set of rules--doesn't make a bit of difference. Being safe is a state of mind, and it is up to you to adopt that state of mind.
2. BE FAMILIAR WITH YOUR WEAPON. Of all your hunting equipment--your gun is the most important--and the most lethal. Know what kind of ammunition your gun uses, wrong ammunition can become lodged in the bore, making it possible for the gun to explode when correct ammunition is fired.
Always practice with a new or unfamiliar gun before taking it hunting. Know how it shoots. Not only is this measure safe, it also will give you a better chance of scoring.
A recent trend has been a "back to the basic" approach to hunting. Bow hunting, crossbows and slingshots have become increasingly popular, exotic and deadly. Every precaution which relates to a firearm can also be applied to these weapons.
3. WEAR PROPER CLOTHING. Dress so that you will be comfortable. Dress warmly, but take into consideration the amount of walking you'll be doing. Red and orange fluorescent clothing is a good idea, but avoid white articles of clothing during deer season. That white handkerchief or cap can easily be mistaken for the tail of a deer.
4. KNOW WHERE YOUR COMPANION IS. Decide ahead of time what direction each of you will cover. Also, be sure to determine when and where you will meet. Planning like this will prevent you from competing with each other and will also be a precaution against getting lost.
5. KNOW WHAT YOU'RE SHOOTING. Again, this is very important. Never shoot at a noise. Make sure you know what is making a noise. Likewise, don't shoot at an unusual movement unless you can tell it is game. Also, the absence of red or orange clothing does not mean that a movement or noise is not made by a person. Some hunters do not wear fluorescent clothing.
6. TREAT YOUR GUN AS IF IT WERE LOADED. "I didn't know it was loaded" is a feeble excuse. If you don't know whether a gun is loaded or not, check. Even if it is unloaded, still treat it as if it were. Don't ever play around with a gun or handle it carelessly. Open the action before handing the gun to your companion. When resting or eating, unload the gun. When duck hunting, never set a loaded gun down in the bottom of the boat.
7. WATCH THE MUZZLE. Be careful where you point your gun! Never point it at a person, dog, car or anything that you don't want to shoot. Likewise, always make sure that your companion doesn't point his muzzle at you (or anybody else).
8. USE THE SAFETY. The safety isn't on a gun to look pretty. Keep

10. DON'T DRINK WHEN HUNTING. This goes without saying. Drinking and hunting are as dangerous a combination as drinking and driving.
11. IN FALL, THE WATER IS GOLD. When you're duck hunting, it's easy to fall into the water from your boat or the duck blind. If you get wet, you must change clothes. The combination of cold and wet can cause hypothermia before you dry out.
12. DON'T FALL OUT OF YOUR TREE STAND. Don't laugh, it's happened. Several years ago, a hunter dropped his gun from the tree. When the gun struck the ground, it fired and badly injured the hunter.
13. USE YOUR HEAD. This is really the same as no. 1, but it is a fitting conclusion. Nearly all hunting accidents can be avoided--all it takes is being careful and taking time to think.



"Duck!"

it on until you are ready to fire. Also, keep your finger off the trigger until you're ready to shoot.

9. BE CAREFUL WHEN SMOKING OR COOKING. Fire is as dangerous as it is useful. Dry wood and leaves are a fire hazard. Double check to make sure that your cigarette butt or that fire is completely out.

Exercise: Don't overdo it if you're over forty

If it's been awhile since you've exercised regularly, take it easy. Start off slowly and carefully. You're going to have to build yourself up gradually.

BEWARE OF RISKS

Shortness of breath, irregular heartbeat, faintness, dizziness and chest pain are all warning signals. If they occur, stop exerting yourself and get a check-up. Aside from the chest, heart pain can also be felt in the neck, middle of the back, all along the inside of the arms to the wrists and in the upper stomach area. It usually comes with exercise and stops with rest.

WARM UP FIRST

Start your daily exercise with a 10 to 15 minute warm-up. Your planned exercise program should begin at a slow pace and gradually increase over a period of several weeks. Heavy exercise one day alternating with mild exercise the next is recommended.

EAT SENSIBLY

Even on a diet, your meals should include foods essential to good health, such as proteins, carbohydrates, fats, minerals and vitamins. A combination of crash

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New Years Eve Dance music by Karmel. Party Favors,
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