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Commander's Comments



Chief Master Sgt. Wayne Raymondo: Big Changes in Professional Military Education | Two very important changes to enlisted force development are about to occur. First, the Air Force is about to revolutionize Enlisted Professional Military Education (EPME). EPME-Next completely transforms the delivery of EPME. MORE...

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102nd Weathers Hurricane Sandy On Monday Hurricane Sandy hit the east coast, leaving many areas devastated. While Massachusetts largely escaped the damage, the Massachusetts National Guard and the 102nd Intelligence Wing were ready to act no matter what happened and gained valuable experience in the process. MORE...



Otis Teen Leads by Example | The life of a teenager in a National Guard family can be filled with unique experiences that others may never know. To engage these young adults and enable them to make the most of their experiences, the Teen Council was formed. MORE...



Combined Federal Campaign Kicks Off It's that time of year again when Airmen are encouraged to donate to the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC). The CFC is a charity campaign to raise money for non-profit organizations providing health and human service benefits around the world. This year's theme is, "Give a little, help a lot." MORE...



Otis Servicemembers Recieve Complimentary Dental Care | A four-person civilian dental team treated approximately 120 servicemembers at the 102nd Medical Group (MDG) building here Oct. 13-14. The dental examinations, which were conducted by Logistics Health dental professionals and funded by the National Guard Bureau, have been conducted twice a year each of the past four years. MORE...



Smoking Cessation November 15th is the 37th annual Great American Smokeout. It is a day to encourage smokers to make a plan to quit the habit. Are you going to join in this year? MORE...

Airman in the Spotlight



Airman In The Spotlight: Staff Sgt. Iason King |

By Senior Airman Jeremy Bowcock

Staff Sgt. Jason King has been a Supply Management Journeyman for the 102nd Logistics Readiness Squadron for the past year. Before that, King spent five years at the 267th Combat Communications Squadron. If you need training equipment or deployment items, he is the man to see. MORE...

Announcements

COMMANDERS CUP

The Commander's Cup event for the month of November will be flag football. Each team must have at least 5 members to qualify. The site for this event will be the field next to the Camp Edwards Gym. The show time will be 1530 with a 1600 start time. For more information contact dennis.swift@ang.af.mil

NEW 72-HOUR AIRLINE RESERVATION CANCELLATION POLICY

Beginning October 1, 2012, any travel authorization that includes domestic air travel must be approved and ticketed at least 72 hours in advance of the scheduled flight departure to avoid airline reservations from being cancelled. This new policy applies to domestic City Pair and non-contract government flights that are either booked through DTS or through a Commercial Travel Office (CTO).

Travelers making travel plans within 72 hours of departure must have their authorization approved and tickets issued within 24 hours of creation to avoid cancellation. If making plans within 24 hours of departure, authorizations must be approved and ticketed at least 6 hours prior to flight departure time to avoid cancellation.

If your airline reservations are cancelled, your Commercial Travel Office will notify you by email or phone. For more information, including a list of frequently asked questions, go to: www.defensetravel.dod.mil.

CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday - December 8, 2012 - 12:00pm to 3:00pm Aerospace Dining Facility, Otis ANG Base

Please sign up your children by Wednesday Dec. 5th at the Airman & Family Program Office, Bldg. 158 Rm. 221. Or by contacting Erin Creighton at Erin.creighton@ ang.af.mil or 508-968-4855. Parents will need to drop off a wrapped gift for each of their children with the child's name on it (please try to keep it around \$10) by December 7th in Bldg. 158, Rm. 221.

Party includes activities, games, food, a visit from Santa & more

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