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Above are Reese's E-6 selectees: from left front row, Davenport, Armstrong, Porter, and Trout; back row from left, Bustos, Durben, Jacobs and Karben. Not pictured is Gonzalez.

## Nine staff sergeants selected for promotion

promotion to technical sergeant.

The E-5s to be promoted are: William Armstrong, 64th Dental Squadron; Martin Bustos, 54th Flying Training Squadron; Lynne Davenport, 64th Medical Operations Squadron; Jeffery

Nine Reese staff sergeants were selected for 64th Operations Support Squadron; Stephen Jacobs, 64th Civil Engineer Squadron; Scott Karban, 64th Aerospace Medical Squadron; Donald Porter, Jr., 64th Mission Support Squadron; and Robert Trout, 64th

According to military personnel flight officials here, Durben, 64th Services Squadron; Mario Gonzalez, 97 were considered for promotion by the technical

sergeant selection board. Reese's promotion rate was 10.31 percent.

In Air Education and Training Command, 7,189 staff sergeants were eligible and 835 were selected for an 11.61 percentage rate. Air Force-wide, 54,163 were eligible, 6,086 were selected, for an 11.2 per-

## JSUPT Class 96-06 pins on wings today

## Fifth AF Reserve officer to receive Order of Sword speaks at graduation

Twenty-four Joint Specialized Undergraduate Pilot Training students receive their pilot wings today during a ceremony at 9:30 a.m. in the Simler Theater.

Retired Maj. Gen. James Wahleithner, who has served in both active duty and reserve capacities, is the guest speaker. All base personnel are invited to attend.

Reserve in February 1990, Wahleithner's last assignment was Commander of Air Force Reserve's Fourth Air Force, McClellan AFB, Calif. As commander, he was responsible for command supervision of over 26,000 reservists in Air Force Reserve tactical and strategic airlift missions in the western United States as well as all

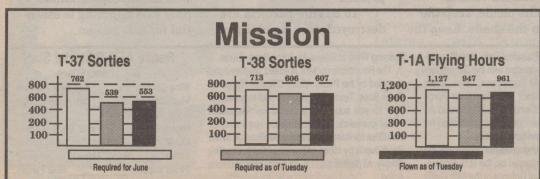
tions and weather reconnaissance mis-

Wahleithner enlisted in the Air Force in September 1952 and entered the aviation cadet program at Lackland AFB, Texas, in July 1953. He received his commission and pilot wings in October 1954. He spent the remainder of his active duty tour at Laredo AFB,

Before he retired from the Air Force reserve combat rescue, special opera- Texas, as an instructor pilot flying T-33 jet trainers.

The general separated from active duty in October 1957 and joined the Air Force Reserve program and had assignments as a pilot, instructor pilot and operations officer for the 440th Tactical Airlift Wing in Milwaukee.

> He was recalled to active duty in (continued on Page 7)



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# 64th MDG makes changes to clinic operations Primary care, flight medicine clinics merge Monday

by Master Sgt. Ken Loftis NCOIC, Primary care

On Monday, the primary care and flight medicine clinics will merge to create one clinic, the primary care/flight medicine clinic.

All beneficiaries, including flyers and their family members, requiring outpatient care will be seen at the formerly-named primary care clinic desk.

This merger brings about several changes in clinic operations.

☐ The hours for the late clinic have been modified. Primary care, flight medicine and pediatric clinics will operate a late clinic on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

☐ There will be no late clinic on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays; the clinic will open at 7:30 a.m. but close at 4:30 p.m.

☐ The hours of operation for all ancillary services such as pharmacy, radiology, and laboratory sections will also change to these new hours.

☐ All clinical operations will continue to be closed on weekends, holidays, and goal days.

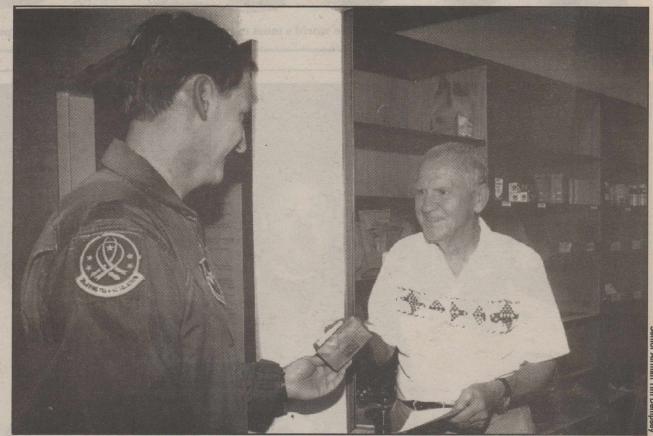
☐ Sick call hours will remain unchanged.

☐ There will be two technicians available during "off duty hours" to provide emergency ambulance response, flight line coverage, and primary care manager telephone contact.

□ Routine and wellness checkups still require scheduling an appointment by calling the central appointment desk at 3245.

☐ Acute or same day appointments will be made by the primary care/flight medicine clinic at 3515.

☐ All children under the age of six should be seen by a pediatrician or pediatric nurse practitioner when possible. Appointments in primary care/flight medicine for these patients should only be



Capt. Roger Lyle, 35th Flying Training Squadron, picks up a prescription from Art Walkowiak at the pharmacy.

booked when no pediatric appointments are available.

The 64th Medical Group remains committed to providing you with quality care responsive to your needs. With the loss of personnel, there will also be a decrease in available appointments. Early planning is essential when scheduling routine and wellness visits.

Make your appointments early as possible in order to help ensure there is no delay in care or

treatment. "Space A" slots will be fewer than in the past and those signed up for "space A" will have a greater chance of not being seen.

We strongly encourage our retired beneficiaries to establish themselves with a civilian medical provider. The TriCare service center can assist you at 885-2999.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Master Sgt. Ken Loftis or Capt. Allen Schultz at 3515.

## Improperly packing food can cause bacteria to grow in hot weather

by Airman 1st Class
Carlos Perez
Public health services

There are always ants at a picnic.

You can see ants and avoid them, but it's not possible to see, taste or smell dangerous bacteria that can cause illness if food is mishandled.

With hot, sunny weather, more people become ill with flu-like symptoms from foodborne bacteria, which grows and multiplies faster in hot temperatures. Food transported without an ice source or left out in the sun at a picnic will not stay safe for long. Keep in mind the "danger zone" is between 41 and 140 degrees Fahrenheit. With this temperature range, bacteria multiply rapidly.

Follow these tips for packing a safe picnic basket:

\* Try to plan just the right amount of foods to take. It eliminates worrying about the storage or safety of leftovers.

\* Clean preparation is essential. Wash hands with soap and clean work areas; be sure all utensils are clean before preparing food.

\* Use an insulated cooler with sufficient ice or ice packs to keep the food at or below 41 F. Pack food from the refrigerator straight into the cooler.

\* Do not put the cooler in the trunk. Carry it inside an air conditioned vehicle

\* At the picnic, keep the cooler in the shade. Keep the

lid closed and avoid repeated openings.

\* Use a separate cooler for drinks so the one containing perishable food won't be constantly opened and

\* When handling raw
meat, remove from the cooler
only the amount that will fit
on the grill. Eating raw or
undercooked ground beef is
not recommended since
harmful bacteria could be
present.

\* To be sure bacteria are destroyed, cook hamburgers,

ribs, sausages and any type of steak to at least 160 F, or until the center is no longer pink. Cook ground poultry to 165 F and poultry parts to

\* Don't partially grill extra hamburgers to use later.

\* When taking food off the grill put it on a clean plate, not on the same platter which held the raw meat.

Remember, bacteria can be present in most food as well as on people's hands. Safe food handling is essential for safe picnics.

# Printed for people like ...

Staff Sgt. Arlene Madarang 64th Operations Support Squadron



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## "Tweet" soars for last time at Reese

by Bill Tynan Chief, Public affairs

An era ended at Reese Monday when two members of the 35th Flying Training Squadron flew the final T-37B "Tweet" student training sor-

Lt. Col. Jerry Free, 35th Flying Training Squadron commander was the instructor pilot for the flight. Capt. Pat Testerman was the student pilot.

The training flight began with a little more interest than normal as instructor pilots and other members of joint specialized undergraduate pilot training class 97-04 sat in on the preflight briefing. As the crew stepped from the 35th FTS to a flightline taxi, they passed a group of individuals, representing a potential reuse client, who were deplaning at base operations to begin an orienta-

tion tour of the base.

A few more spectators than usual paused in their work routines along the flightline to watch the crew's progress to prep T-37 56546 for a 10:30 a.m. take off.

By 11:45 a.m. about two hundred interested spectators had gathered around base operations to welcome the returning crew and stage an informal ceremony marking the end of the T-37 era of pilot training at Reese. Col. Kodak Horton, 64th Flying Training Wingvice commander, congratulated both pilots and presented Testerman with a special certificate designed to commemorate the final student sortie. Both pilots received a traditional hosing down from a fire truck located nearby, "In order to symbolically mark and celebrate the end of 36 years of faithful service by the T-37 training Air Force and now Navy pilots," said Horton.



From left, Free and Testerman prepare for the final "Tweet" sortie Monday. The T-37 arrived here in 1960.

"It's a momentous but sad day for Lubbock," commented Free after the flight. "It is one of the first big steps we are taking to close the training program here at Reese. We have had a great training tradition here in Lubbock. Lubbock has supported us greatly over the years. I feel fortunate to have been able to be the squadron's last commander. We had beautiful weather and light winds...a great day."

Testerman reported mixed feelings. "It was nice to be selected for the last flight. It's just a pretty good feeling to know I've finished with this phase of pilot training. I really enjoyed flying the T-37. I'm happy to be continuing my flying training. We flew a low level over West Texas and made a couple of beautiful landings. It was a great flight. I'll miss the aircraft."

The students in class 97-04 begin the final phase of their training in the T-38 with the 54th FTS and the T-1A with the 52nd FTS. The class is scheduled to graduate Jan. 24, 1997, and that day will signal the complete end to flying training at Reese.

Members of the 35th FTS will spend the next few weeks flying the remaining 20 plus T-37s to other bases. The squadron will inactivate on July 31.

The T-37 arrived at Reese in September 1960 and students began training in the "Tweet" in March 1961. The plane's arrival enabled students to move through preflight, primary and basic, or advanced flying training without leaving Reese. Since that time every Reese graduate, approximately 12,000 in number, has begun the journey to pilot wings by flying the T-37.



Testerman brings T-37 56546 in for Reese's final student landing.

## Barber hails Reese members' focus on mission

Sgt. Annette Barber of Reese Monday.

"It's a beautiful base — it's wellkept," continued Air Education and Training Command's senior enlisted advisor to the commander, Gen. Billy Boles. "Despite closure coming up,

"It's an oasis," said Chief Master morale is high, and people here are focused on the mission. They're optimistic that they're going to get appropriate assignments, and that Air Force needs come first."

> Barber's visit was packed full of base facility tours, including the hospital,

> > logistics, security police, civil engineer complex, operations group, communications command and post. The focus however, was talking with people.

As she travels throughout the command, Barber said she used to hear things like happen to me?"

'How's this going to impact our mission and how can we help?'," she said.

The command is helping its troops through an emphasis on a variety of quality of life programs, according to the chief. Housing and other renovation and construction plans are on the priority list as well as:

Exploration of education certification and licensure programs: "It will make people better prepared to perform the mission, and when they retire or separate, they will be 'marketable'," Barber said of the possible civilian-equivalent certification. "Our goal is to not only enhance the mission, but do something for the enlisted force."

Happy Landings and sponsorship programs: The chief remarked that AETC bases are aggressive and innovative with both of these quality of life programs, which focus on people "What's going to new to the services or new to a base.

Mentoring: "Call it what you want "Now, it's - call it coaching, role modeling,

mentoring, whatever — it's big on my list," she said and explained the twopart concept.

"It's supervisors getting back to basics and taking care of their people. Secondly, it's teaching each other - on a daily basis — and developing each other professionally and preparing for the future.

"Airman can do that, NCOs should do it, and senior NCOs must do it," said Barber of mentoring. "It's going to be a smaller force. We need to make sure we're ready."

The chief said the biggest challenge to that readiness is making sure all of the enlisted members are fully qualified to perform their mission. Keeping up with technology and revising training curriculum will help ensure troop readiness.

"We are the first command. Every Air Force member starts here. We want people to walk into their units ready to perform."



Barber meets Dawn Warner and other members of the medical lab.

### Ruby's Lounge

(885-3156)

**Today:** Social hour begins at 4:30 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres and beverage specials. Shuffleboard tournament with prizes at 7 p.m. Variety Disc Jockey begins at 9 p.m.

Saturday: Lounge opens at noon. Sunday: Lounge opens at noon. Monday: Lounge opens at 3 p.m. Tuesday: Lounge opens at 3 p.m.

Wednesday: Lounge opens at 3 p.m. Taco night from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Free for members

Thursday: Lounge opens at 3 p.m. with 30 minute beverage special.

### Reese Chapel

(885-3238)

Catholic services: Mass -- Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:30 a.m., Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 9:45 a.m. Confessions -- Saturday from 4:15 to 4:45 p.m. and weekdays by appointment. Religious education -- 11 a.m.

**Protestant services:** Sunday worship 11:15 a.m. Sunday school -- 9:45 a.m.

For information on other worship opportunities in the local community call 3237.

#### Library

(885-3344)

New fiction! John Grisham's "The Runaway Jury" and Judith Krantz's "Spring Collection."

Rock-N-Bowl in July: Read a book, write a report and receive a free game of bowling.

Story Time is Mondays from 11 to 11:45 a.m. for children ages three to six. Registration is required.

Carol's Video Picks-'O-the-Week: Family entertainment -- "Babysitters Club: The Movie;" Adult -- "Crimson Tide;" Cartoon -- "Berenstain Bears Learn About Strangers." Storytelling videos also here!

## Auto Skills Center (885-3142)

Hours of Operation: Tuesday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursdays from 12 to 8 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The center is closed on Sunday, Monday and holidays. The center is open goal days from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July: Free safety inspections offered.

## Equipment Rental (885-3141)

**Equipment rental:** The center has reduced rental fees for the summer on a variety of equipment including camping equipment, pop-up trailers, gardening tools and camcorders with tripod.

## **Around Reese**

## Simler Theater (885-4888)

#### **NOW SHOWING**

Today: "Fargo," (R) 7:30 p.m. In a small North Dakota town during the frigid winter of 1987, a wimpy car salesman, deep in debt, hires two lowlifes to kidnap his wife so he can intercept the ransom money, paid by his wealthy father-in-law. When botched plans result in homicides, a local police chief solves the case.

Saturday: "Flirting with Disaster," (R) 7:30 p.m. Mel Coplin, with the help of an adoption agency, tracks down his birth parents. His overbearing but loving adoptive parents feel threatened by Mel's desire to meet his parents.

Sunday: "The Quest," (PG-13) 6:30 p.m. Starring Jean-Claude Van Damme and Roger Moore. A New York City pickpocket spends his time eluding the police and winds up on a freighter to the Far East. The only way he has to get home is to enter a fight.

Ticket price for adults is \$1.50 and \$1.25 for children under 12 years old.

All movies begin promptly as scheduled.

#### Caprock Cafe

(6027 - voice / 6028 - menu)

**Today:** Lunch — Country Style Steak, Savory Baked Chicken, Ground Beef Cordon Bleu. Dinner — Sukiyaki, Onion -Lemon Baked Fish, Fried Chicken.

Saturday: Lunch — Swedish Meatballs, Roast Veal, Chicken Enchiladas. Dinner — Beef Stew, Grilled Ham Steaks, Creole Fish Fillets

Sunday: Lunch — Grilled Top Sirloin Steak, Parmesan Fish, Sweet&Sour Pork. Dinner—Chili Macaroni, Braised Liver, Roast Turkey.

Monday: Lunch — Roast Beef, Turkey A La King, Szechwan Chicken. Dinner — Spinach Lasagna, Hamburger Yakisoba, Roast Turkey.

Tuesday: Lunch — Beef Ball Stroganoff, BBQ Ham Steaks, Ginger Basted Sole. Dinner — Beef&Cheese Manicotti, FF Fish Portions, Herbed Baked Chicken.

Wednesday: Lunch — Spinach Lasagna, Ground Beef Cordon Bleu, BBQ Spareribs. Dinner — Beef Pot Roast, Fish Almondine, Chicken Cacciatore.

**Thursday:** Lunch — Parmesan Fish, Grilled Liver, Southern Fried Chicken. Dinner — Chili Macaroni, Roast Fresh Ham, Tuna Noodles Casserole.

## Skills Development Center (885-3787)

Reese souvenir T-shirts available in various designs. The center also has framed photos and prints and reduced prices on wood furniture sets and displays.

Custom framing and color prints by John Ficklin (T-1A, T-37B, T-38A) also available.

#### Reese Club

(885-3466)

**Today:** Short Order Line from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Smokin' Hole opens at 4 p.m. Social hour with free hors d'oeuvres and beverage specials at 5 p.m.

Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed

Monday: Short Order Line from 11 a.m.

Tuesday: Texas BBQ Buffet from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$3.95.

Wednesday: Short Order Line from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Smokin' Hole opens at 4:30 p.m. Taco Night from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$2 for members and \$5 for nonmembers. Thirty minute drink special.

Thursday: Chicken Fried Steak from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$3.95. Smokin' Hole opens at 4:30 p.m.

Reese Club Delivery: Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Eat in or carry out. Call 3466 for lunch delivery service until 1 p.m. No evening delivery available.

#### Youth Center

(885-3820)

Friday: Preteen Dance from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Teen Dance at 8 p.m.

**Mondays:** Three-on-three basketball for ages 10 to 18 from 5 to 8 p.m.

Tuesday: Fire Department demonstration behind the center at 2 p.m.

Thursday: Closed for July 4th.

## Child Development Center (885-3541)

Fridays: Splash Day (weather permitting) for toddlers from 2 to 2:30 p.m., age two from 2:30 to 3 p.m. and ages three to five from 3 to 3:30 p.m.

Saturday: Give Parents a Break Respite Care Program from 6 to 10 p.m.

Wednesday: Base fitness center field trip from 9:30 to 10 a.m.

#### Bowling Center Crock Pot Specials (885-6555)

Monday: Chicken Fried Steak with Mashed Potatoes with Cream Gravy and Small Salad and Roll. Cost is \$3.50

Tuesday: Lasagna, Small Salad and Garlic Toast. Cost is \$3.

Wednesday: Fried Rice, Lumpia and Pork Chow Mein with Hard Noodles. Cost is \$3.25.

Thursday: Two Tacos, Tamales and Refried Beans. Cost is \$2.95.

Friday: Fried Catfish, French Fries, Small Salad and Roll. Cost is \$3.25.

## *ITT* (885-3787)

Ongoing: Six Flags Over Texas tickets are available. Tickets are good for Six Flags in Arlington, Fiesta Texas in San Antonio and AstroWorld in Houston. Season passes are \$43 and one-day tickets are \$23.

## **News notes**

#### AAFES announces new hours

Effective Saturday, the base exchange laundry and dry cleaners' hours of operation are weekdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and closed on Sundays and holidays.

Alterations can be done Mondays through Thursys from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and missidays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. There is no alteration service on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays.

Also effective Saturday, The Eatery snack bar in the base exchange mall will permanently close.

#### Commissary sites holiday hours

The commissary will be closed July 4 in observance of the Independance Day holiday, and will reopen July 5 at 7 a.m. for the mini mart and 9:30 a.m. for regular shopping hours.

#### Court-martial convenes in July

A special court-martial is scheduled to convene at 8:30 a.m. July 8 in the legal office courtroom, Bldg. 230.

All court-martial proceedings are open to the public, however spectator seating is extremely limited. Admittance to the court will be on a first come basis. Start times for the court-martial are subject to change at the discretion of the military judge. Family members for any victims and the accused have priority as long as they are not expected to be called as witnesses for the prosecution or defense.

Contact Staff Sgt. Jureka Smith-Hightower at e legal office, 3505, for more information.

## Housing office sends move out reminder

All dormitory and housing residents are reminded to give the housing office a 30-day notice for moving out. All quarters must be clean for final inspection. To schedule a pre-final and final inspection of quarters, contact the housing office at 3913.

Residents are also reminded to clean furnace filters, check smoke alarm and carbon monoxide detector batteries every month. Questions about this can be directed to housing maintenance at 3047.

#### Free math tutorial services available

Jesse Day is available to tutor South Plains College students in math Mondays through Thursdays from 11:45 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. There is no charge for this service. Day can also help students prepare for the math section of the Texas Academic Skills Program test.

Scheduled appointments will be given priority, although walk-ins are allowed. Call 885-3048 to sign up. Math videotapes are also available for checkout.



Nuts-n-bolts

Harry Machin, auto skills center employee, tightens bolts to adjust front-end alignment on Col. Edward Delulio's van during the June safety inspection program. The center will continue free safety inspections throughout July.

## Military leave: use it or lose it

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas (AFNS) — Commanders and supervisors should encourage all members to use their accrued leave exceeding 60 days before Sept. 30 or risk losing it, say Air Force Personnel Center officials here.

Congress intended for service members to use leave as it is earned for rest and respite from arduous duties and for personal needs.

Servicemembers may accrue up to 60 days leave, but accrued leave exceeding 60 days at the end of the fiscal year is lost unless special leave accrual applies.

Special leave accrual is authorized in restrictive circumstances where normal leave is prohibited. For example, members serving in a hostile fire or imminent danger pay area for at least 120 continuous days who have received this pay for four consecutive months automatically qualify for special leave accrual.

Servicemembers who deployed for at least 60 cumulative days during the fiscal year in response to a national emergency, crisis, or security operation may apply for flight for more information.

restoration of lost leave through command channels. Servicemembers who served in a hostile fire or imminent danger pay area for less than 120 days may also

Special leave accrual is not granted for manning shortfalls regardless of the cause. Base closures, permanent change-ofstation turbulence and manning shortages caused by deployments or temporary duty are not a basis for special leave accrual.

Call the military personnel

#### Y97 force reduction programs announces F

RANDOLPHAIR FORCE BASE, Texas (AFNS) — As a further sign the largest portion of the Air Force drawdown is complete, the service is offering its smallest ever force reduction program for fiscal1997.

Only an officer program is needed with no enlisted incentive program being offered. As with the 1996 program, the only financial incentive program offered is early retirement and not the Voluntary Separation Incentive benefit or Special Separation Bonus.

To meet its fiscal 1997 force reduction targets, the Air Force only needs 850 officers to separate compared to the 1,200 officers and 1,100 enlisted members in fiscal 1996. Of the 850, just over half, 430, are needed to take early retirement while the rest of the losses will be achieved through active duty service commitment waivers and the

limited use of time-in-grade and commissioned-service-time waiv-

Members eligible for the early retirement program can submit their applications to the Air Force Personnel Center through servicing military personnel flights beginning July 1. Contact the separations unit of the military personnel flight at 3420 for details and eligibilty criteria.

## Easter Seals, Camp-I-Can campers thank Reese volunteers

Senior Airman Katenna Edwards, 64th Comptroller; Billy Jones, 64th Logistics Squadron; Tech. Sgt. Jimmy Rodgers, 64th LS; Laura Rodgers; Airman 1st Class Damon McTeer, 64th LS; Senior Airman MarieJulie Guerrero, 64th Medical Group; Danielle Fameree; Nicole Fameree; Cheryl Ortiz, 64th Mission Support Squadron; Amber Ortiz; Airman 1st Class Hollee Robinson, 64th

Easter Seals and the Camp-I-Can campers Operations Support Squadron; Senior Airman thank Reese and the following volunteers for Lee Smith, 64th Civil Engineer Squadron; Elsa their time and talents during the camp held June Summers, 64th MSS; Staff Sgt. L.D. Harper, 64th Security Police Squadron; Airman 1st Class Richard Sarkodie, 54th Flying Training Squadron; Airman Jeff Gill, 64th LS; Airman 1st Class Latrik Smith, 35th Flying Training Squadron; Master Sgt. Walt Lilley, social actions; Amanda Paulsen; Staff Sgt. Jureka Smith-Hightower, legal office; Paula Johnson, 64th MSS; Senior Airman Keith Anderson, 64th Contracting Squadron; Melissa Anderson; Senior Airman Malikan

Smith, 64th Services Squadron; Airman 1st Class Shirley Harris, 35th FTS; Senior Airman Brad Voorhees, 64th CES; Airman Jeffrey Schrader, 64th CES; Senior Airman James Miller, 64th CES; George Burns, 64th CES; Senior AirmanJay Burdick, 64th CES; Airman Jacob Chaulklin, 64th CES; Michael Guzman, 64th CES; and Tech. Sgt. Richard Owens, 64th SPS.

Special thanks also goes out to the bowling alley staff, fitness center staff and the Lockheed Martin Logistics Management staff, who set up static displays.



Trenton, III. College: Southern Illinois University Aircraft Assignment: KC-135, Kadena AB, Japan



Hometown: Orange Park, Fla. College: Florida State University Aircraft Assignment: RC-135, Offutt AFB, Neb.



Hometown: Brandon, Miss. College: University of Mississippi Aircraft Assignment: A-10, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.



Hometown: Spokane, Wash. College: Air Force Academy Aircraft Assignment: KC-135, Fairchild AFB, Wash.

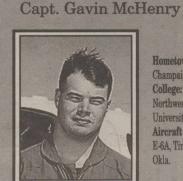
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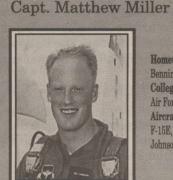
Hometown: Oakland, Md. College: West Virginia University Aircraft Assignment: C-5, Dover AFB, Del.



Hometown: Tampa, Fla. College: University of South Florida Aircraft Assignment: C-9 (C-141), Ramstein AB, Germany



Hometown: Champaign, Ill. College: Northwestern University Aircraft Assignment: E-6A, Tinker AFB, Okla.



Hometown: Bennington, Vt. College: Air Force Academy Aircraft Assignment: F-15E, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.

Capt. Michael Mongold



Hometown: Strabane, Pa. College: Air Force Academy Aircraft Assignment: C-5, Travis AFB, Calif.



Capt. Rick Thomas

Hometown: Annapolis, Md. College: Villanova University Aircraft Assignment: F-15, Tyndall AFB, Fla.



1st. Lt. Jason Vitas

Lt. j.g. Eric Remsen

Hometown: Silver Lake, Ohio College: Air Force Academy Aircraft Assignment: T-37 (C-17), Columbus AFB, Miss.



Hometown: Pagani, Italy College: Italian Air Force Academy

1st Lt. Anthony Rosello



Hometown: Chicago College: Loyola University of Chicago Aircraft Assignment: C-130, Louisville, Ky.



1st Lt. Adrian Spain

Hometown: Bronx, N.Y. Salem-Teikyo University Aircraft Assignment: E-6A Tinker AFB, Okla.



Hometown: Lazzara, Italy College: Italian Air Force Academy



2nd Lt. Alfonso Alberino

Hometown: Atlanta College: University of Georgia Aircraft Assignment: C-141, McGuire AFB, N.J.

2nd Lt. Catherine Barham



Hometown: Rome, Italy College: Italian Air Force Academy



2nd Lt. James Leavelle

2nd Lt. Shawn Vaughn

Ens. Dennis Drummond

Hometown: Troy, Ohio College: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Aircraft Assignment: A-10, Whiteman AFB,



2nd Lt. Mark Marshall

2nd Lt. Matteo Ferramola

Hometown: Camas, Wash. College: Central Washington University Aircraft Assignment: T-37 (C-141), Vance AFB, Okla.



2nd Lt. Michele Rega

Hometown: Torino, Italy College: Italian Air Force Academy

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2nd Lt. Davide Lanza



Sacramento, Calif. College: University of Southern California Aircraft Assignment: A-10, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.



Williamstown, N.J. College: Louisiana Tech University Aircraft Assignment: KC-135, Lincoln, Neb.



Orangevale, Calif. College: Stanford University Aircraft Assignment: KC-10, McGuire AFB, NJ.

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2nd Lt. Jay Wahleithner

2nd Lt. Diane Ridgley

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## Wings

## **JSUPT Class 96-06** graduates today

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with the 440th during the Cuban missile crisis and participated in Operation Sunshade, a then-classified deployment to MacDill AFB, Fla. In February 1969, he became operations officer of the 95th Tactical Airlift Squadron, and in 1970 he was assigned to the 434th Special Operations Wing, Grissom AFB, Indiana. He led a flight of eight A-37s from Grissom AFB to Puerto Rico in December 1971 for the first deployment of Air Force Reserve fighter aircraft out of the continental United States.

Throughout the 1970s, Wahleithner held several command positions including: the 910th Special Operations Group, Youngstown Air Reserve Base, Ohio; 508th Tactical Fighter Group at Hill AFB, Utah; 403rd Rescue and Weather Reconnaissance Wing, Selfridge Air National Guard Base, Mich; and the 349th Military Airlift Wing, Travis AFB, Calif.

In April 1981 the general was called xtended active duty as deputy to chief of Air Force Reserve, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Pentagon, Washington D.C. In April 1983 he was assigned to Bergstrom AFB, Texas, as vice commander of 10th Air Force and in May 1984 he was named commander, responsible for command supervision of all Air Force Reserve fighter units. He assumed command of 4th Air Force in May 1985. Wahleithner was appointed in 1986 by the Secretary of Defense to the Department of Defense Reserve Forces Policy Board and served three years.

In May 1989, he was presented the Billy Mitchell Memorial Award for Airpower Achievement by the Billy Mitchell Chapter of the Air Force Association, Milwaukee. That October, the general received the Order of the Sword from the Senior Noncommissioned Officers of the Air Force Reserve, making him the fifth officer in Air Force Reserve history to receive it.

A command pilot, Wahleithner has vn more than 10,600 hours in miliaircraft and over 3,000 hours as a civilian pilot. He has logged more than 5,700 hours as an instructional pilot.

Born on a farm near White Lake, Wis., the general is a 1969 graduate of the University of Wisconsin, with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He completed Air Command and Staff College in 1974 and Air War College in 1976.

He is married to the former Jacqueline Sattler of Cincinnati. They have 11 children.



Hughes operates a steamroller during a recent streat renovation on South Gilbert Avenue.

## Where the sweat meets the pavement

by Tech. Sgt. David Brown NCOIC, Public affairs

The asphalt is hot and sweat rolls off the brow. They use shovels and heavy equipment to get the job done. However, that's all in a day's work for two members of the pavements and equipment team from the 64th Civil Engineer Squadron.

Staff Sgt. Charmaine Regelman and Senior Airman James Hughes enjoy their job to the fullest extent. Seeing the world and learning about other people and the kinds of lifestyles they live are just a few of the reasons these two enjoy their jobs.

Regelman, the noncommissioned officer in charge of special projects in



(Graduate photos on facing page) Regeleman shovels asphalt on the road.

the P & E section, joined the Air Force to "see different parts of the world." She said she had seen enough of dairy farming in her hometown of Antwerp,

Prior to her assignment here, Regelman was assigned to the civil engineer squadron at Eielson Air Force Base, Alaska, where snow removal and heavy equipment operation is preva-

"When I came into the Air Force, I picked this career field," Regelman said. "I wanted to be a diesel mechanic but that career field wasn't open. So I had a guaranteed job in P & E. I love operating heavy equipment, so I was happy to get this kind of job.

"Hard work isn't a problem for me. In fact, I enjoy getting dirty because I know that I've done my job and done it right."

Regelman's goal in life is to be financially sound "before I retire." She stated that if given a job, she's going to give it her all making sure the job is done right the first time.

Hughes, here on his first assignment, has a different set of goals in mind for his career. That includes completing his bachelor's degree in kinesiology for coaching football and history. Currently attending South Plains College, Hughes wants to apply for an ROTC scholarship to complete his degree and become an officer.

The people he meets are Hughes' most notable points in P & E.

"I did this type of work, laying concrete, road work and heavy equipment operations in the summers and during high school," he said. "I got quite an education just meeting people. Whether operating heavy equipment, or just their backgrounds, I have learned a lot about how to deal and talk with others.

"Coming from Eastland, Texas, a small town of about 5,000 people, I never really got to see other ways of life. The security of a small town really shelters your viewpoint. I didn't have to worry about growing up in a troubled

Both Regelman and Hughes see life as a "game." One sees the game as fitting different pieces of the puzzle into the situation at hand. The other looks at it as learning to cope with different situations, and not letting troubled times "beat you down." They both attack life with all the energy they

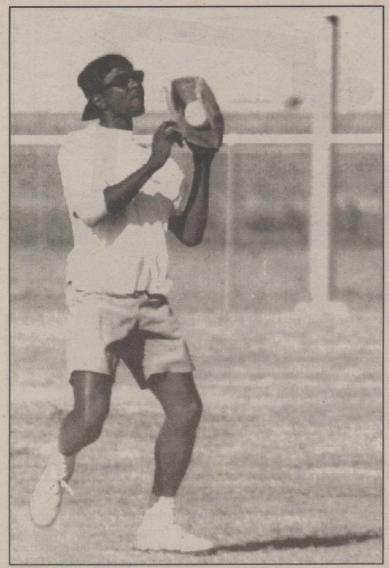
"In this game, there are going to be a lot of obstacles to overcome such as peer pressure, finances and studies," Hughes said. "You don't let it beat you and get you down."

Regelman approaches life like a puzzle. "I think life is a game. It's a matter of what pieces you put into it. Once the game is established, there are always new pieces that need to be input."

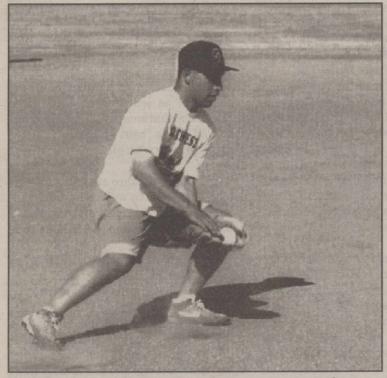
To emphasize this, Regelman indicated that because she is a female in a "male-dominated" career field, she wasn't going to let the "male thing" get her down.

"I had to overcome that feeling," she stated. "I added my own piece of the puzzle. I'm going to jump in and help get the job done. Yes, I'm a female, but I'm not afraid to get dirty doing my job."

Whether it's resurfacing South Gilbert Avenue, hammering away at other civil engineer projects or just getting an education for future success, both Regelman and Hughes put their attitudes aside to get the job done right, even if it's all sweat and dirt.



Jay Jones, 64th SVS, catches an easy infield fly ball Monday against the 64th LS. The 64th LS won the game, 14-3.



Ramon Guerrero, 64th CS, fields a hard hit grounder at shortshtop.



Mary Gates, 64th CS, stretches for an off-the-mark throw to force the runner out at first base Monday. The 64th CS went on to beat the 64th SPS, 11-10, in the Co-Rec Softball League.

## New league "field" with excitement

64th CS fends off 64th SPS, 11-10, in Co-Rec. softball

story and photos by **Senior Airman Tim Dempsey** Editor

In an interesting twist in the Co-Recreational Softball League, the 64th Communications Squadron held off the 64th Security Police Squadron, 11-10, Monday.

Both teams played the game with seven defenders instead

The bats were hot for the 64th CS in the first inning as they jumped out to an early 7-3 lead.

In the top of the second inning, the 64th CS added to its lead by scoring four more runs, increasing its lead to 11-3.

However, the 64th SPS didn't get down as it ripped off five runs in the bottom of the inning to close the score, 11-8.

The defense picked up for

the 64th SPS as they held the 64th CS scoreless in the top of the third inning. The 64th SPS offense hopped on the team's defensive momentum and added another two runs.

The game was called after the third inning because of the time limit. The 64th CS held off the 64th SPS, 11-10, to preserve the victory.

In the next game of the night, the 64th Logistics Squadron pounded the 64th Services Squadron, 14-3, in five

The game was close through the first two innings as the 64th LS took a 3-1 lead. Both teams' defense held the offenses scoreless in the first inning. In the second inning the 64th LS scored three runs while the 64th SVS scored one.

In the top of the third inning, the bats heated up for the 64th LS. The team had seven runs cross home plate 11 hits.

The defense of the 64th LS allowed only the hits in the bottom half of there inning and one run. The 64th LS led 10-2.

In the fourth inning, the defense stepped up for both teams as each scored one run.

The 64th LS added three more runs in the top of the fifth inning. In the bottom half, the 64th SVS was held scoreless and the game ended at the time limit with the 64th LS winning, 14-3.

In one other game played Monday, Lockheed Martin Logistics Management defeated the 64th Medical Group 6-3.

#### Co-Rec standings

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64th LS	5-0
64th CS	2-1
LMLM	2-2
64th MDG	2-2
64th SVS	1-3
64th SPS	0

## Sports update

#### Fitness center holds racquetball clinic

There will be a free fundamentals of racquetball clinic today from 4:30 to 6 p.m. in the fitness center.

The clinic will cover rules, stroke mechanics, serve and return, positioning and shot selection.

The instructor will be Jim Therrell, certified by the Professional Association of Raquetball Instructors. He has 20 years of teaching experience, two years playing on the pro circuit and was Instructor of the Year at the U.S. Olympic Training Center.

For more information call the fitness center at

#### Aerobic classes offered

The fitness center offers free aerobic classes from Intramural swim meet set 11 a.m. to noon and 4:45 to 5:45 p.m. Monday through Friday. Classes are also held from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

#### ritness center scheaules a fun run

The fitness center has scheduled an 8.2 mile fun run Saturday. Runners need to meet at the Reese Beach at 8 a.m.

There will be an intramural swim meet coaches meeting Monday at 1 p.m. in the family support center conference room.