

# Blood drive scheduled for Thursday

## Event vital in light of anticipated letdown in donations

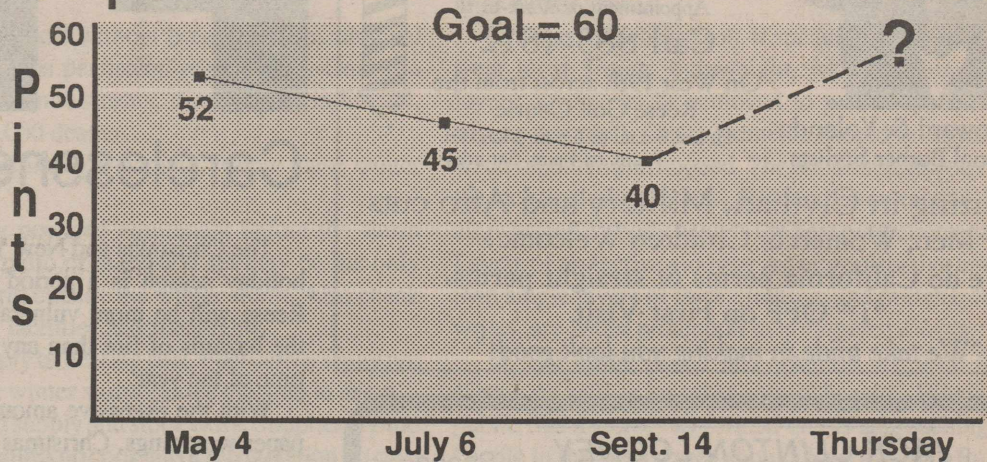
In an effort to meet the need for blood during the holiday season, Reese has scheduled a blood drive from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday at the Mathis Recreation Center.

"Blood donors are often in shorter supply during this time of year for two reasons," said Cheryl Keefer of United Blood Services in Lubbock.

"People who might normally volunteer to give blood become so busy with family activities, traveling and shopping that they forget to donate. Businesses also tend to be more reluctant toward sponsoring drives at this time because their employees are busier than usual."

Although some people are willing to roll up their sleeves and give the "gift of life," many still do not understand the importance of just one pint of blood. The idea of "I'll give only if somebody I know needs it" does not necessarily tell the whole story. In reality, blood must already be available when it is needed, because of the time involved for testing,

processing, labeling and distributing. Each donation may be processed into as many as four components. Therefore, one donation may save or sustain many lives.



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The goal for Reese's drive is 60 pints. For details or to make an appointment for a specific time, please contact MSgt. Gary Siegel, Reese blood drive officer, at 6041.

# DOD working to raise blood bank

By Army MSgt. Mary A. Peterson  
American Forces Information Service

The Department of Defense Armed Services Blood Program Office has begun its worldwide drive to collect 225,000 pints of universal donor Group O blood to freeze and pre-position in strategic overseas and continental U.S. storage areas.

The ambitious initiative is a joint military/civilian-contract effort expected to take five years to fulfill.

Pre-positioning frozen blood is a readiness issue and was approved in 1985 as part of the Military Blood Program 2004 — a 20-year plan to bring that aspect of medical readiness into the 21st century, said Maj. Michael J. Ward, chief of blood program modernization of the Armed Services Blood

Program Office.

"The advantage of pre-positioning frozen is that it will be immediately available to take us through the first period of a war. In the early days of a conflict, we know we can't gear up our donor centers in the states and get it collected, processed and shipped to meet immediate blood requirements," Major Ward said.

"Liquid blood is good for 35 days; frozen blood storage is licensed by the Food and Drug Administration for 10 years, and within the military we have data that shows we can use it up to 21 years," he added.

DOD awarded a \$3.9 million contract to the American Red Cross and the Oklahoma Blood Institute to collect a portion of the required amount to reach the goal.

"We collect 200,000 units of blood a year in peacetime and now have added an additional 45,000 units a year," Major Ward said. "With acquired immune deficiency syndrome and other factors, donations are down nationwide. It's increasingly difficult to meet our peacetime requirements."

Additionally, collecting specifically Group O blood for freezing cuts the donor population in half, Major Ward said. All frozen blood will be the universal Group O so that it can

be transfused into any recipient. "People with Group O blood make up about 45 percent of the population. We'll not, however, turn people away, because we can always use anyone's blood for sustaining our installation medical needs," the major said.

To meet the storage objective, each service has been assigned an annual quota based on population and its internal ability to collect and process blood. "The Army has the lion's share with the requirement to collect 25,000 pints per year, while the Navy and Air Force are each required to collect 10,000," Major Ward said.

"The Army will collect, process and freeze 20,000 units using internal resources," he said. "The remaining 5,000 and the 10,000 units assigned to the Air Force will be procured by the contracted organizations." The Navy will handle its requirement internally.

The Red Cross and the Oklahoma institute will solicit donations from selected military installations in the United States. Not all military installations have blood program facilities, Major Ward said. He expects the contracted organizations to target those installations and densely populated posts.

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With the excessive amounts of paper wrappings, Christmas trees, lighted candles, decorations, electrical wiring and overcrowding of social gathering places and homes, fire safety becomes a high risk both at home and in the work place. The following guidelines have been provided to help Reese members eliminate the risk of fires over the holidays:

### Christmas trees

□ Cut a growing tree or buy one that has not dried out from prolonged storage. The bigger the tree, the greater the hazard.

□ Place the trunk of the tree in water until you are ready to bring it inside.

□ Prior to setting up the tree, saw off the trunk, making a long diagonal cut across the base of the tree. This will allow maximum moisture intake and help prevent drying out. Keep the tree in water while inside.

□ Trees should be provided with substantial base supports and placed in the coolest part of the room. Never place them close to space heaters or directly in front of heat ducts.

□ Artificial trees also need care during the selecting and handling process. Plastic and metalized trees can burn. Those with built-in electric systems should have the Underwriters' Laboratories label. Metal trees are not a fire hazard, but may be a shock hazard. Use only indirect lighting with them.

### Decorations & wrapping

□ Use noncombustible materials where possible. Untreated cotton batting, flock and paper ignite easily and burn intensely.

□ Don't use polystyrene foam for candle holders or other decorations where candles are used. It is highly combustible.

□ Dispose of gift wrappings promptly. Place them in a metal, covered container.

### Lighting

□ Use only electrical lighting sets which bear the UL label. Make-shift and unlabeled materials seldom meet safety standards.

□ Check lighting sets for frayed cords, loose connections and broken sockets. If damaged, don't use them.

□ Be sure the fuse in the circuit serving the tree and other lighting is not over 15 amperes. Cord sets with a fuse in the plug are recommended providing they are UL approved.

□ If extensive holiday wiring is planned, call a competent electrician. Don't try to do it yourself unless you are qualified. For outdoor lighting, use only sets listed for outdoor use and bearing a UL label.

□ Make certain that all tree and other indoor holiday lighting are unplugged before retiring or leaving the house or facility.

□ Don't use multiple electrical receptacles for lighting. They could overheat and cause a fire.

### Public Places

□ Observe the flameproof decoration rules. Check with the fire chief if in doubt.

□ Limit groups of people to the number approved for your facility.

□ Make sure that exit facilities are not blocked or obscured by decorative materials, cables, or other obstructions.

□ Don't use lighted candles or other open flame devices for decorative purposes.

□ Ensure that sufficient fire extinguishers are in place and accessible prior to the start of a program or activity.

□ Make a thorough fire prevention inspection prior to closing. Ask the fire department for guidance.

### Fire safe gifts

□ Avoid pyroxylin plastic toys and dolls. Toys operated by alcohol, kerosene or gasoline are especially dangerous. They may upset and set fire to children's clothing, the tree or house.

□ Electrical toys should be listed by Underwriters' Laboratories to show they have met shock and fire hazard standards.

### Safety reminders

□ Don't allow smoking near the tree or amidst decorations and wrappings. Have plenty of large, safe ashtrays around and use them.

□ Supervise small children playing near the tree. Keep matches, lighters and candles out of their reach.

□ Above all, have a fire emergency plan.

Select alternate escape routes out of every room. If fire strikes, clear everyone out, then call the fire department. If you attempt to fight the fire ensure you have an open exit route.

□ When in doubt on fire prevention matters, call the fire department. (ATC news release)

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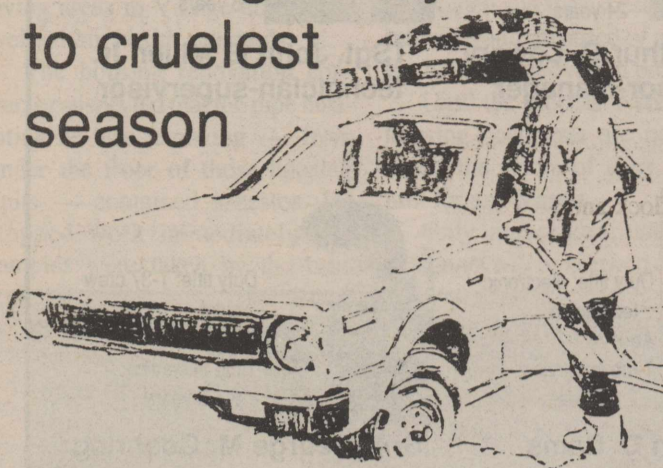
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# Winter

## Planning is key to cruelest season



# Burp

## Overeating and excessive spending share some common traits

By Capt. Russell Roberts  
Reese Accounting and Finance Office

Very similar to a "burp," which is caused by over-feeding your hunger wants, a "BRP" (Budget Restructuring Program) is caused by over-feeding your consumer wants.

BRP was created as part of the Air Force Aid Society's package of financial assistance programs. Its purpose is to provide financial assistance to members who are coping with long-term budget deficits caused by financial mismanagement, loss of income, relocation expenses or extraordinary bills.

Both financial mismanagement and burping actions cause

By Sgt. David Wallace  
Reese Disaster Preparedness Branch

Winter storms — snow dumping, ice-covering, blood-chilling paralyzers of cities, which trap travelers, take lives and destroy property.

Winter storms can kill without breaking climatological records. Their danger is persistent year to year. During a three-decade stretch, snowstorms, directly and indirectly, caused more than 3,000 deaths.

To keep from becoming a statistic, follow these winter storm safety rules:

- ☐ Check battery powered equipment before the storm arrives. A portable radio or television set may be the only contact with the world outside the winter storm. Also check emergency cooking facilities and flashlights.
- ☐ Check the supply of heating fuel. Fuel carriers may not be able to move if a winter storm buries the area in snow.
- ☐ Check the food supply and stock extra. Supplies should include food that requires no cooking or refrigeration, in case of power failure.
- ☐ Prevent fire hazards due to overheated coal or oil burning stoves, fireplaces, heaters or furnaces.
- ☐ Stay indoors during storms and cold snaps unless in

peak physical condition. If going outside is necessary, avoid overexertion.

☐ Use caution shoveling snow. It is extremely hard work for anyone in less than prime physical condition, and can bring on a heart attack — a major cause of death during and after winter storms.

☐ Dress to fit the season. If spending much time outdoors, wear loose fitting, lightweight, warm clothing in several layers; layers can be removed to prevent perspiration and subsequent chill. Outer garments should be tightly woven, water repellent and hooded. The hood should protect much of the face (including mouth). Remember, entrapped, insulating air, warmed by body heat, is the best protection against cold. Layers of protective clothing are more effective and efficient than single layers of thick clothing, and mittens, snug to the wrists, are better protection than fingered gloves.

☐ The terms watch and warning are used for winter storms, as well as for other natural hazards. Watch alerts the public that a storm has formed and is approaching the area. People in the alerted area should keep listening for the latest advisories over radio and television, and begin to take precautionary measures. Warning means a storm is imminent and immediate action should be taken to protect life and property. (Some material courtesy of Department of Commerce)

discomfort and can only be relieved by time or assistance from an outside source. Unfortunately, a Roloids is not going to provide the same relief for the financial burden as it does for the gastroenteritis.

Some causes of the "financial burps" include excessive credit card balances, several loans, loss of employment and large purchases for items such as furniture or jewelry. There are numerous types of charge accounts, but the one that really cases the need for a "BRP" is the financial charges acquired from purchasing a car or truck. In addition to the automobile payments, a person must also endure insurance payments, which in many cases can add an additional \$100 per month.

When someone takes a real close look at the payment schedules arranged by the creditors and discovers that a good

portion of the payments being made by them goes just for interest for which no tangible good or service is received, there is no doubt in the examiner's mind why there's the need to "BRP." A financial doctor will, no doubt, prescribe a good does of "financial management."

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# Reese names top maintainers

Most of the talk in the 64th Flying Training Wing Maintenance Complex over the last several months has been about the conversion. However, while the day-to-day operations in the complex may not have held much of the spotlight, that doesn't mean the wing's maintainers stopped providing the quality work they are known for.

Eight members of the wing maintenance community have been cited for their exceptional efforts in keeping the wing flying. They have been selected to represent the wing in competition for the Air Training Outstanding Aircraft Maintenance Personnel Awards.

If successful at ATC, they'll go on to represent the command in the running for the Air Force's Lt. Gen. Leo Marquez Award.



**Lt. Col. Robert T. House**  
field grade manager

Duty title: wing maintenance control officer  
Age: 40  
Time in service: 17 years



**1st Lt. Christopher Cook**  
company grade manager

Duty title: propulsion branch OIC  
Age: 26  
Time in service: 4 years



**CMSgt. Arthur C. Lowery**  
supervisor-manager

Duty title: T-38 branch chief  
Age: 41  
Time in service: 24 years



**TSgt. John E. Miller Jr.**  
technician-supervisor

Duty title: Task oriented training asst. NCOIC  
Age: 28  
Time in service: 8 years



**Sgt. William W. Selby**  
technician

Duty title: aerospace ground equipment repairman  
Age: 25  
Time in service: 4 years



**Floyd M. Taylor**  
civilian-manager

Duty title: aircraft electrical systems mechanic foreman  
Age: 37  
Time in civil service: 11 years



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**Stephen D. Sams**  
civilian-technician

Duty title: electronic technician  
Age: 24  
Time in service: 2 1/2 years



**SrA. George M. Goehring**  
crew chief

Duty title: T-37 crew chief  
Age: 24  
Time in service: 2 1/2 years

## Local news

### SPS recovers items

The 64th Security Police Squadron has recovered the following lost/abandoned property: a man's Air Force ring, four bicycles, a knife and a necklace.

Anyone who wants to claim the property should call the SPS Investigations Section at 3999.

### Safety offers tip

Auto accidents are the No. 1 killer of children age 1-5 in the country, and 64th Flying Training Wing Safety Office is urging wing members to use caution when riding with their children.

Safety advises parents not to hold children in their laps

when driving; put them in an approved car seat. If they are too big for a car seat, they should wear a seatbelt.

### Honor guard plans fundraiser

The Reese Honor Guard has a Christmas fundraiser planned. The elite unit will take orders for candy canes with personalized messages beginning Monday. Orders can be placed with any guard member, and they can be delivered to anyone on base. Each order will be \$1, and a portion of the proceeds will go to the Reese Chapel Holiday Food Fund.

In addition, honor guard representatives will be in the Reese Main Exchange Dec. 15-17 to take orders. Anyone who wants to order by phone should call 3738.

### Vehicle competition held

Vehicles from throughout the wing were inspected Dec. 8 during the annual Pacer Wheels competition, held to recognize the units which give the best care to their vehicles.

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# Asbestos removal planned

By Capt. Michael Keller  
Reese environmental coordinator

Some asbestos has been found under the floors in Reese Village. However, the USAF Hospital Reese Bioenvironmental Engineering Section has determined that the living areas in Village houses are well within health standards.

The housing renovation contractor suspected that the pipe insulation he was removing — from under the floor of those housing units — contained asbestos. He stopped work immediately and samples were taken by the base

bioenvironmental engineering lab. The laboratory analysis confirmed the contractor's suspicion that the pipe insulation contained asbestos. This involves only those pipes under the floor.

To correct this problem, an asbestos removal contract is being negotiated and the asbestos will be removed and disposed of as part of the housing renovation project.

Until the process is completed, housing occupants are not to go under the floors of their housing unit for any reason.

Only authorized and trained personnel will be allowed under the

floors to accomplish maintenance or repairs until the asbestos is removed.

The insulation on the pipes forms no hazard to residents. However, untrained individuals working under the houses could brush the insulation, causing small asbestos particles to be released into the air, creating a hazard to themselves and those around them. Again, the living area of each house well within health standards.

Anyone with questions concerning this situation should call me at 6202 or the bioenvironmental engineering section at 3327.

# Asbestos can be harmful if not handled properly

By Sgt. Kimberly Nelson  
staff writer

What is asbestos?

Asbestos is a fibrous mineral that is used for fireproofing, electrical insulator, building material, brake linings and chemical filters. It can also be found embedded in roofing materials. In its most common form, asbestos is a chalky-grey fibrous material.

Inhalation of asbestos fibers in the air is the main way asbestos can affect a person's health. There are two diseases caused as a result of inhalation of those fibers. The first is known as asbestosis — an accumulation of fibers in the lungs that irritates the lungs and presents a mechanical breathing disorder.

Asbestosis is the result of person's heavy exposure to asbestos over a long time period. The second, and more serious disease is lung cancer. The cancer may be caused by small amounts of inhalation and will not appear until years after the actual exposure to the asbestos. "There are usually no immediate effects, but the delayed effects may be severe," said Maj. William Moore, chief, Reese Environmental Health Section.

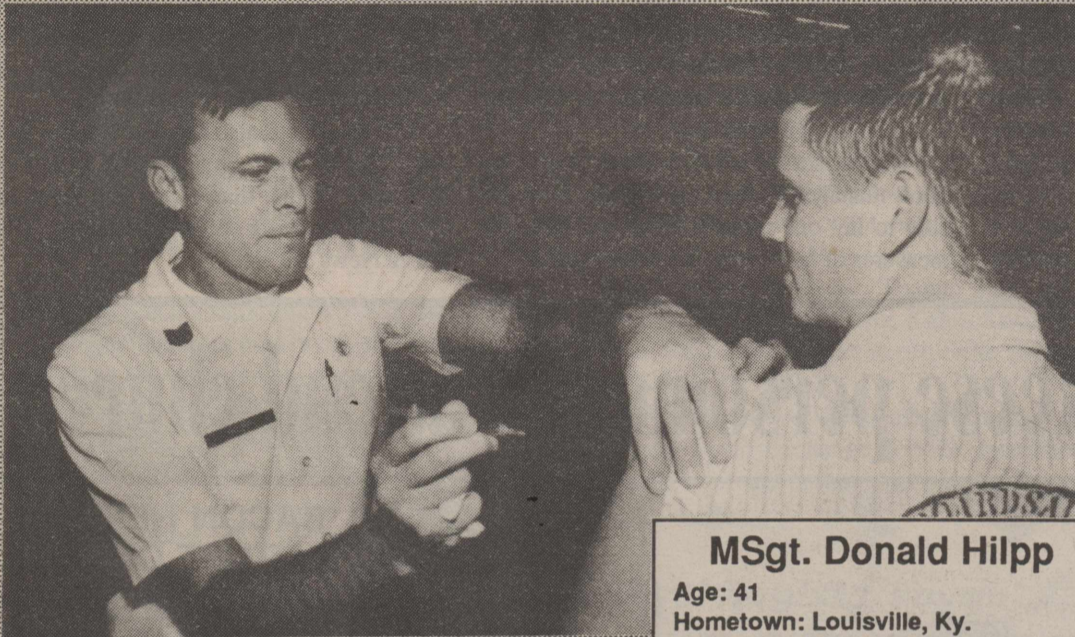
Asbestos is a safe substance when it is sealed off in a manner that prevents escape, the major said. But, if it is broken loose from the seal, it can escape into

the air and become a hazard to anyone who breathes it. "Asbestos is not a magic gas that seeps out to attack you. It is a fiber that if dislodged from its permanent condition can be harmful," Major Moore commented.

"If someone comes in contact with asbestos or suspects its presence," Major Moore said, "the most important thing to do is not to tamper with it in any way." The next step is to call the Reese Bioenvironmental Engineering Section, at 3327, for advice and possible testing of the suspected area. If it is evident that asbestos does exist and is in a form to cause possible hazards to health, it must be carefully removed by certified asbestos workers."

The risk of asbestos in the workplace is carefully monitored by bio-environmental engineers. Everyone whose work place could expose them to asbestos must be properly trained and equipped to perform the required tasks safely.

The asbestos filled insulation around the pipes under the Reese Village units is in the process of being removed. "This is because, as with many things, after long periods of time the insulation has become old and could begin to fall apart," the major commented.



(Sgt. Greg Spraggins)

## Reese mission maker

MSgt. Donald Hilpp, USAF Hospital Reese, gives a wing member a flu shot. Sergeant Hilpp is one of the many people at Reese whose dedication and professionalism make mission accomplishment a reality.

## MSgt. Donald Hilpp

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# AF hiring freeze not to affect ATC

There is no immediate need to impose hiring restrictions at Reese and other Air Training Command bases and activities, says ATC's director of civilian personnel.

According to Luther McDaniel, the decision follows Air Force notification to major commands of potential shortfalls and possible cuts in the fiscal 1990 civilian payroll. However, each command was given discretion in applying hiring limitations, he said.

"To ensure maximum flexibility at the operating level, local commanders are being

allowed to manage within their individual budgetary constraints," Mr. McDaniel said. "This allows each commander to tailor measures to local conditions without hampering individual mission requirements."

Mr. McDaniel said budget figures for ATC are still tentative, though it appears fiscal 1990 funding "will be sufficient to avoid a hiring freeze. It will require close management attention to civilian employment levels, and it assumes there will be no additional major cuts in funding."

Romeo Garcia, Reese civilian personnel officer, explained that budgetary conditions at Reese are being carefully monitored by the base Civilian Employment and Cost Management Committee, and decisions on future hiring restrictions will be made as needed.

Because of the Air Force notification, some Air Force activities are adopting a "one for four" replacement rate for hiring employees from outside the Air Force. Mr. McDaniel said for every four vacancies, only one position may be filled with an employee new to

civil service or from another federal agency.

However, normal recruitment actions to fill positions with Air Force employees at the local base or from another Air Force base would continue as usual, Mr. McDaniel said.

The Air Force specifically excluded certain categories of positions from the one-for-four hiring restrictions. Centrally funded career program positions such as training specialists, budget analysts and engineers are not affected, Mr. McDaniel added. (Adapted from an ATC News Service story)

# Tomorrow's workplace moves into the home

Certain Air Force employees could soon be liberated from long commutes in bumper-to-bumper traffic and see their productivity increase by doing away with office distractions.

The Flexible Workplace Project, or Flexiplace, a pilot program, allows civilian employees to work at home up to three days a week in almost any job not requiring physical presence at the duty station.

The Flexiplace Test Program could last up to six months, but Ellen Tunstall, a personnel plans officer at Air Force headquarters, said officials should have a fairly good idea of how the program is working in about 90 days.

With fewer phones ringing and people talking and moving around a worker, Mrs. Tunstall said that officials believe there will be an increase in productivity. For supervisors, working at home would be more conducive to plowing through those stacks of paper.

Official, however, are warning against using Flexiplace as a total solution to child care. "To be a full-time mom or dad and at the same time a full-time worker, probably will not be feasible," Mrs. Tunstall said.

Flexiplace has also been seen as the solution to the problem of sick leave. Mrs. Tunstall said, "Rather than be on sick leave full time, they can work out of their homes." (Air Force News Service)

Supervisors of home workers have to be good managers," she said. "They must be able to lay out specific tasks and develop measures of how work is accomplished."

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# Command news

## Philippines travel restricted

All travel to the Republic of the Philippines has been restricted until further notice, according to an emergency action message received by the Reese Consolidated Base Personnel Office.

The restrictions applies to military members, dependents and civilian employees, and it does affect permanent-change-of-station travel.

Also, people in the area who are on leave or on a temporary-duty assignment from the Philippines should remain in place until further notice, according to CBPO.

For additional information, call 3514.

## CMSAF urges single rooms

Getting single rooms for dormitory residents is CMSAF James Binnicker's top priority.

The chief reiterated this concern in an address to the major command directors of engineering and services, who gathered Nov. 13-17 for the annual Worldwide Engineering and services Conference.

"I've seen beautiful barracks," he said, "and I still call them barracks to make a statement. These are beautiful buildings, but they have two adults living in rooms together."

Chief Binnicker said that his 7-year-old son, Mike, has a bigger bedroom than two F-15 crew chiefs who must share 180 square feet between them. "This is the same situation we had 30 years ago, and that's simply unconscionable," the chief added.

He described a senior airman he met during a visit to Patrick AFB, Fla. The man had built and was the sole person responsible for a sophisticated piece of test equipment. "Here was a young man who was obviously going places in the Air Force, who had built this thing that I could hardly comprehend. And do you know what he told me? He said all he wanted was a private room," Chief Binnicker explained.

"It's imperative that we change this rule before we get to the 21st century. We're setting our young people up for failure, not for success," he said in closing. (Air Force News Service)

## Supplement hazardous

The non-prescription food supplement L-tryptophan or products that contain this supplement have been suspended from sale.

L-tryptophan has been associated with more than 287 cases nationwide of a syndrome characterized by intense eosinophilia (a blood condition) and associated weakness, joint pain, swelling of the arms and legs, fever and skin rash.

This over-the-counter food supplement is sold in tablet and capsule form and is frequently seen where

ever vitamins or other food supplements are sold. It has been used by some people for sleeping difficulty, premenstrual syndrome, stress, depression and alcohol and drug abuse. It has also been reported to be popular among weight lifters and body builders. Persons taking L-tryptophan should discontinue its use unless otherwise directed by a physician.

To report instances of human injury related to this supplement, call AUTOVON 444-2962/2963 or (215) 952-2962/2963. (Air Force News Service)

## Water machine refunding

Owners of the Norelco clean water machine may be eligible for a full refund for the machine and any filters that they may have purchased, according to the Federal Trade Commission.

As part of the settlement of a false advertising class-action suit, Norelco has agreed to provide \$2.5 million to be used to pay refunds to persons who purchased this product. While this settlement agreement is subject to final court approval, it is open to all consumers who have purchased a Norelco clean water machine, whether or not they still own the machine.

Consumers who want more information on the settlement or the claim form they need to request a refund should write to: "Dianne Nast, ESQ.; Lead Counsel for Plaintiff Class; Kohn, Savett, Klein and Graf, P.C.; 1101 Market street, Suite 2400; Philadelphia, Pa. 19107."

This refund is not being administered by the Army and Air Force Exchange Service, therefore, anyone seeking information should refer their questions to Ms. Nast.

## Physiologists sought

Pilots who are captains or majors can apply to be rated aerospace physiology training officers.

A degree in biology or some related science is desired. Selected officers will attend a seven- to nine-week course at Brooks AFB, Texas, next summer.

Most officers chosen will be assigned to locations with flying positions after training. For details, call Lt. Col. Dave Lewis, Bolling AFB, District of Columbia, at AUTOVON 297-1858.

## Meal surcharge waived

The surcharge for the Christmas meal in military dining halls has been waived by Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney.

Locally, the waiver applies to active-duty members and their families assigned to Reese; retirees and their guests will be allowed to eat the holiday meals at the Caprock, but will have to pay the surcharge, according to Reese food service officials.

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# Toys for Tots

## Putting the meaning of gift-giving back into Christmas

By Sgt. Kimberly Nelson  
staff writer

It was 5:30 a.m. Christmas. Billy awoke and wiped the sleep from his brown eyes. Excited about what day it was, he tumbled quickly out of his bed and hurried toward the stairway in the tattered slippers and pajamas he had outgrown two years ago.

The lack of heat in the house had little effect upon him, as the excitement of this long-awaited moment seemed to set his frail body aglow. Inside, he burned with the heated passion only a child would know on Christmas Day.

As he reached the doorway to the living room, he paused. "What if there's nothing there?" he thought to himself, remembering past Christmases. The flame inside began to flicker and a slight chill ran through him.

Cautious, he entered the room. Approximately six feet away stood a crooked, near-bald evergreen. Draped around the tree was a chain of tin foil and colored paper ornaments, all of which he had made in kindergarten. On top was an angel with wings spread, yellowed and old looking.

Hesitant to what he may find under the tree, he knelt down, clasped his hands together and

whispered, "Dear Santa, I've done my best to be a good boy this year." A small tear formed in the corner of his eye. "I know it wasn't that you forgot me in the past... it's just that you didn't have enough toys to go around. But maybe this year you had enough?"

The tear, once nestled in the corner of his eye, broke away, setting a course down his pale cheek. With one last glint of hope, he peered under the tree.

Off to the far-back corner, wrapped in gold and silver with a big red bow on top, lay the most beautiful present he had ever seen. The embers inside of him developed into a fury of flames as he lunged for the package, almost knocking the tree over.



On the package was a gift tag hand inscribed in big letters, "Merry Christmas."

In tiny letters at the bottom, unnoticed by the boy, were the words "Toys for Tots."

Now that the holiday season is in full swing, our thoughts tend to focus on Christmas shopping and gift giving.

The 1958th Communications Squadron, in con-

junction with the Marine Corps Reserves, is seeking donations of new and good used toys in support of the Toys for Tots Program. This program provides toys to needy children that otherwise may go without any for Christmas.

According to TSgt. Robert Wilks, Reese Toys for Tots representative, the program was begun in 1947 by Marine Corps Reserve Col. Bill Hendricks and has since evolved into a nationwide campaign, complete with benefit concerts, sporting events, corporate involvement and celebrity support.

Through his contacts as a Warner Brothers executive and with the Advertising Club of Los Angeles, Colonel Hendricks was able to initiate a publicity campaign that, in the past, featured such notables as John Wayne, Angie Dickenson, Charleton Heston, Henry Winkler, William Shatner, Bob Hope and Danny Thomas. This year the celebrity chairman is Pee Wee Herman.

"To place emphasis on the uniqueness of each community, the program is tailored to fit local needs," Sergeant Wilks said. "Anyone who knows of a Reese child who may be going without a toy this year can submit that child's name and address to the Reese Toys for Tots Committee, and a gift will be delivered."

Toys for Tots donation boxes are located in unit orderly rooms and public access areas around base.

There will also be a Toys for Tots donation pick-up from 9 a.m. to noon Dec 16, in Reese Village. Residents who do not wish to donate should leave their front porch light on. Any help in collecting or distributing these toys is welcome. For more information, call Sergeant Wilks at 3195 or MSgt. Manny Ferrand at 3529.

"During your shopping sprees or as you clean out the closets in your children's toy boxes to make room for what Santa will be bringing this year, please remember those less fortunate children around the local area who may not get to enjoy a toy this Christmas without your support," Sergeant Wilks concluded.

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<p>doing good things for people</p>  <p><b>this week</b></p> <p><b>Dec. 8 - 14</b></p> <p>Information provided by Becky Pillifant, MWR Publicity</p>	<p><b>Today</b></p> <p><b>Physical Fitness Center</b> Call the fitness sports line, at 6019, for current sports events and standings.</p> <p><b>Mathis Recreation Center</b> Base talent contest planning meeting at 5 p.m. in the TV room.</p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> Colorama, 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Jody Maxx from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. in the lounge. Civil engineering Christmas party. Mamma Reesione's will be closed for the evening meal.</p> <p><b>Officers' Open Mess</b> Mini prime rib from 6 to 9 p.m. Resource management Christmas party.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> 10 percent off all mugs with photographs printed, available in the xpress shop.</p> <p><b>Auto Hobby Shop</b> Radiator flush \$19.95, includes up to one gallon of antifreeze. For an appointment, call 3142. Engine analyzer available \$25. Appointment: call 3142.</p>	<p><b>Saturday</b></p> <p><b>Mathis Recreation Center</b> Antique shop hop 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> Red-pin bowling all day.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Jody Maxx from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. in the lounge.</p> <p><b>Officers' Open Mess</b> Hospital Christmas party. Dining room closed.</p> <p><b>MWR Logistics</b> Turn in aluminum cans and glass jars or bottles from 10 - 11:30 a.m. at the intersection of Mitchell and George Streets in base housing. Aluminum is 33 cents per pound, glass is one cent per pound.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> Lighted Christmas cactus class at 11 a.m. Old World Santa painting class, 2:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>Youth Center</b> Martial arts, 1 p.m. Free movies at 4 p.m., every Saturday.</p> <p><b>Base Theater</b> Free movies for children: "Cinderella," 11 a.m.; "Santa Claus The Movie," 1 p.m.</p> <p><b>Child Development Center</b> Open from 6 p.m. to midnight. Reservations.</p>	<p><b>Sunday</b></p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> Unlimited bowling from noon to 6 p.m., \$5.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Casual lounge open from noon to 8 p.m.</p> <p><b>Officers' Open Mess</b> DO Christmas party.</p> <p><b>Mamma Reesione's</b> Hours of operation: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday; 5 - 8 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 5 - 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday; and 5 - 8 p.m., Sunday and holidays.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> Open from noon to 6 p.m. Frame shop custom cuts mats and frames.</p> <p><b>Auto Hobby Shop</b> Mechanic and body repair specialist on duty.</p> <p><b>Youth Center</b> Candy games, 3 p.m.</p>
	<p><b>Monday</b></p> <p><b>Mathis Recreation Center</b> Discount tickets for the Fox/Mann theaters are available for \$4.</p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> Intramural league 5:15 and 7:45 p.m. Turkey shoot during all league bowling. Strike in the 3rd, 6th and 9th frames and win a turkey, \$1 per chance.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Lunch served from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> During renovation, the wood shop is closed.</p> <p><b>Youth Center</b> Martial arts, 4:30 p.m. Drawing contest theme "Christmas Spirit"</p> <p><b>Child Development Center</b> Decorate rooms for Christmas.</p>	<p><b>Tuesday</b></p> <p><b>Mathis Recreation Center</b> Information, ticket and tour office has discount tickets for Sea World; adults \$17; children \$14.50.</p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> Lubbock law enforcement league, 5 p.m. Holiday bowling parties, call 3116.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Games night and club card drawings at 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.</p> <p><b>Officers' Open Mess</b> Dinner served from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday and 6 - 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> Holiday T-shirt and apron classes from 4:30 - 6 p.m. Costs \$5-plus supplies. Ceramic pieces for firing are being accepted at Bldg. 124.</p> <p><b>Auto Hobby Shop</b> New undercoating service available \$125, all materials included. For an appointment, call 3142.</p> <p><b>Youth Center</b> Checkers tournament, 5 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Wednesday</b></p> <p><b>Bowling Center</b> New Year's Eve bowling party, for details call 3116. Mixed couples league, 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>Enlisted Open Mess</b> Music by request from 7 - 11 p.m.</p> <p><b>Officers' Open Mess</b> Fried chicken special served family style every Wednesday. "Over the hump day" special: free tacos from 5 - 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>Arts and Crafts Center</b> Southwest vase class from 5 - 7 p.m., cost is \$10 plus supplies.</p> <p><b>Auto Hobby Shop</b> Pre-holiday oil change \$12.50. For appointment call 3142.</p> <p><b>Youth Center</b> Arts and crafts make Christmas cards, 4 p.m.</p> <p><b>Child Development Center</b> Parents health seminar and question and answer session, 7 p.m. Canned food drive, children can bring one can.</p>

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Today Lunch	Dinner
Beef Noodle Soup Steamship Round Veal Steaks Deep Fat Fried Flounder Rice Pilaf Simmered Red Beans Stewed Tomatoes w/cROUTONS Green Beans w/margarine Natural Pan Gravy	Turkey or Chicken Noodle Soup Barbecued Pork Loin Baked Chicken Mock Filet Steak Buttered Noodles Cream Style Corn Peas w/carrots Southern Style Collard Greens Brown Gravy
<b>Saturday</b> Vegetable w/Beef Soup Roast Beef Stuffed Green Peppers Oven Fried Fish Fillets Noodles w/cheese & tomatoes Simmered White Beans Creole Wax Beans Brussels Sprouts Natural Pan Gravy	Vegetable w/Beef Soup Teriyaki Savory Baked Chicken Veal Cordon Bleu Cottage Fried Potatoes Glazed Carrots Corn on the Cob Brussels Sprouts Combo Cream Gravy
<b>Sunday</b> Chicken Vegetable Soup Tenderloin Steak Baked Meat Loaf Honey Glazed Cornish Hen Duchess Potatoes Savory Beans Carrots Amandine Tempura Fried Squash Mushroom Gravy	Beef Noodle Soup Swiss Steak Stroganoff Baked Stuffed Pork Chops Seafood Platter Savory Bread Dressing Corn on the Cob Creole Wax Beans Brussels Sprouts Superba Vegetable Gravy
<b>Monday</b> Vegetable Supreme Soup Chicken Fried Beef Patties Chicken Yakisoba Baked Halibut Steak Potatoes Au Gratin Simmered Black-eye Peas Corn on the Cob Asparagus w/margarine Cream Gravy	Turkey or Chicken Noodle Soup Chili Macaroni Savory Baked Chicken Roast Beef French Baked Potatoes Cauliflower Polonaise Broccoli Spears Mixed Vegetables Natural Pan Gravy
<b>Tuesday</b> Fish Chowder Roast Fresh Ham Simmered Corned Beef Fried Ocean Perch Paprika Potatoes Fried Cabbage Corn Pudding Club Spinach Brown Gravy	Beef Rice Soup Swiss Steak w/onions Grilled Salisbury Steak Baked Ham Buttered Noodles French Fried Eggplant Wax Beans Southern Fried Okra Brown Gravy
<b>Wednesday</b> Cream of Potato Soup Southern Fried Chicken Baked Ham Southern Fried Catfish Fillets Steamed Rice Southern Style Collard Greens Simmered Black-eye Peas Candied Sweet Potatoes Brown Gravy	Beef Noodle Soup Ginger Pot Roast Chipper Perch Honey Glazed Cornish Hen Scalloped Potatoes w/onions Mashed Potatoes Hot Spiced Beets Green Beans Natural Pan Gravy
<b>Thursday</b> French Onion Soup Beef Stew Baked Fish Portions Roast Turkey Mashed Potatoes Asparagus w/margarine Cauliflower w/margarine Peas w/margarine Turkey Gravy	Corn Chowder Ranchero Steak Pineapple Chicken Knockwurst w/sauerkraut Franconia Potatoes Glazed Carrots Brussels Sprouts Whole Kernel Corn Brown Gravy

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## STURON leading IM

Into the third week of intramural basketball, the 64th Student Squadron is still in front with their 3-0 record.

In the first game of Nov. 29, the 54th Flying Training Squadron lost to STUS 49-38. Andrew Jones led STUS with 16 points, and Stephen Saleck led the 54th's scoring with 14.

In game two, the 35th Flying Training Squadron defeated USAF Hospital-Reese 66-43, as three 35th FTS scorers went into double figures. Darin Middleton led all scorers with 20, followed by Rodney Green with 14 and Buck Buckholtz with 13. Derrick Mosley led Hospital's scoring with 14, followed by Phillip Thompson with 12.

In the final game of the night, the 1958th Communications Squadron defeated the 64th Organizational Maintenance Squadron 57-39. Joseph Kirby led the scoring with 21 points, followed by Warren Hilliard and Dave Fields with 12 each. McMurray led the OMS scoring with 15, followed by Mike Burrell with 14.

In the first game of Nov. 30, the 64th Field

Maintenance Squadron handed OMS their second defeat of the week, 48-29. Toby Tyler led the FMS scoring with 20 points. McMurray was high scorer for OMS with 12.

The second game featured a 58-32 Resource Management win over the 64th Security Police Squadron. Ray Timbers was high-point man for RM with 13, followed by Foley Riley with 11. Johnny Champion led the SPS with 14.

In the final game of the night, the 64th Mission Support Squadron defeated the Navy Goats 44-33. Tony Friday led the MSS scoring with 16, followed by John Wolfe with 13.

In the first game of Dec. 5, the 54th FTS defeated Hospital 66-44. Saleck scored 17 points, John Reidy, 16, and Kenneth Schreiber, 10. Mosley scored 15 for the Hospital, followed by Perry Hohman with 10.

In the second game, the Navy Goats defeated the 35th FTS "B" team, 54-37. Tal Metzgar led the 35th's scoring with 13.

## IM basketball standings

(as of Tuesday)

### National League

Comm	3	1
CES	2	1
MSS	2	1
54FTS	3	2
35 FTS "A"	3	2
SPS	0	3

### American League

STUS	3	0
FMS	3	1
RM	3	1
GOATS	2	2
OMS	1	4
Hosp	1	4
35 FTS "B"	0	4

The final game of the evening, 35th MSS vs. STUS, was rescheduled.

## Sports shorts

### Bench press championship set

Reese will hold a bench press championship at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Mathis Recreation Center.

Trophies will be given for first, second and third place in all divisions. The divisions are men's lightweight (under 165 pounds), middleweight (165-184 pounds), heavyweight (185 pounds and up) and female (all weights).

Late entry fees of \$20 are being accepted today and Saturday. Fees are payable to the Reese Physical Fitness Center.

For more information, contact A1C Todd Hamilton or SSgt. Randy Pratt at 6020/6021.

### IM basketball action

The following intramural basketball games are scheduled for the coming week in the Reese Physical Fitness Center:

**Tuesday** — SPS vs. HOSP, 6 p.m.; CES vs. OMS, 7 p.m.; FMS vs. RM, 8 p.m.

**Wednesday** — RM vs. CES, 6 p.m.; OMS vs. SPS, 7 p.m.; HOSP vs. COMM, 8 p.m.

**Thursday** — STURON vs. 35th FTS "A," 6 p.m.; Goats vs. 54th FTS, 7 p.m.; 35th FTS "B" vs. MSS, 8 p.m.

### Sportsline available

Wing members can learn the latest on base sports by calling the Reese Physical Fitness Center Sportsline at 6019.

The line has information on intramural standings and scores, upcoming sports events and Commander's Trophy standings.

### Rattlers downtown action

The Reese Rattlers men's basketball team will take on "Bad Company" at 9 p.m. Wednesday in Lubbock league action. The game will be played at MacKenzie Junior High School, 5402 12th St.

The Lady Rattlers hoopsters will square off against "No

Frills" at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Hutchinson Junior High School, 3102 Canton St.

### Coaches, officials needed

Air Training Command is looking for individuals to serve as officials for men's and women's basketball. The command also needs coaches for their men's and women's basketball teams.

For details, call the Reese Physical Fitness Center at 3207 by Jan. 2.

### Racquetball played in Vegas

The ninth annual Military Racquetball Tournament will be held Feb. 4-9 at the Showboat Hotel in Las Vegas.

Anyone wishing to participate in this event should contact Reese Physical Fitness Center Director Jake Trevino at 3207 for more information. This is a permissive temporary-duty assignment, and is at no cost to the government.

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# 1990 Military pay chart

**Monthly basic pay table**

Pay grade	Years of service													
	- 2	2	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	26
<b>Commissioned officers</b>														
O-10	5916.30	6124.50	6124.50	6124.50	6124.50	6359.40	6359.40	6711.90	6711.90	6875.10	6875.10	7115.10	7115.10	7558.50
O-9	5243.40	5380.80	5495.40	5495.40	5495.40	5635.20	5635.20	5869.80	5869.80	6359.40	6359.40	6711.90	6711.90	6875.10
O-8	4749.30	4891.50	5007.60	5007.60	5007.60	5380.80	5380.80	5635.20	5635.20	5869.80	6124.50	6359.40	6516.00	6516.00
O-7	3946.20	4214.40	4214.40	4214.40	4403.40	4403.40	4658.70	4658.70	4891.50	5380.80	5751.00	5751.00	5751.00	5751.00
O-6	2925.00	3213.60	3424.20	3424.20	3424.20	3424.20	3424.20	3424.20	3540.30	4100.10	4309.50	4403.40	4658.70	5052.60
O-5	2339.10	2746.80	2936.70	2936.70	2936.70	2936.70	3025.50	3188.10	3402.00	3656.70	3866.40	3983.40	4122.60	4122.60
O-4	1971.90	2401.20	2561.40	2561.40	2608.80	2724.00	2909.70	3073.20	3213.60	3354.60	3447.30	3447.30	3447.30	3447.30
O-3	1832.40	2048.70	2190.30	2423.40	2539.20	2630.40	2772.60	2909.70	2981.40	2981.40	2981.40	2981.40	2981.40	2981.40
O-2	1597.80	1745.10	2096.40	2166.90	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20	2212.20
O-1	1387.20	1444.20	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10	1745.10
<b>Commissioned officers with over 4 years active duty as an enlisted member</b>														
O-3 E	0.00	0.00	0.00	2423.40	2539.20	2630.40	2772.60	2909.70	3025.50	3025.50	3025.50	3025.50	3025.50	3025.50
O-2 E	0.00	0.00	0.00	2166.90	2212.20	2282.10	2401.20	2493.00	2561.40	2561.40	2561.40	2561.40	2561.40	2561.40
O-1 E	0.00	0.00	0.00	1745.10	1864.20	1932.90	2002.80	2072.70	2166.90	2166.90	2166.90	2166.90	2166.90	2166.90
<b>Enlisted members</b>														
E-9	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2171.70	2220.50	2271.00	2322.90	2374.80	2421.00	2548.20	2796.00
E-8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1821.30	1873.20	1922.70	1972.50	2024.70	2071.20	2122.20	2246.70	2496.90
E-7	1271.40	1372.50	1423.50	1473.30	1523.40	1572.00	1622.40	1672.80	1748.70	1798.20	1848.30	1872.30	1998.00	2246.70
E-6	1094.10	1192.20	1242.00	1294.80	1343.10	1391.70	1443.00	1517.40	1564.80	1615.50	1640.10	1640.10	1640.10	1640.10
E-5	960.00	1044.90	1095.60	1143.30	1218.30	1268.10	1318.50	1366.80	1391.70	1391.70	1391.70	1391.70	1391.70	1391.70
E-4	895.50	945.60	1001.10	1078.80	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40	1121.40
E-3	843.60	889.80	925.50	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10	962.10
E-2	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80	811.80
E-1	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20	724.20
E-1-4	669.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chief of staff -- 8340.00 Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force -- 3398.70														
ODASD (FMLP) MMCPP (C)														
Note -- Basic pay is limited to 6500.00 by level V of the Executive Schedule														

## Raise (from page one)

and were not made available in the appropriations bill as approved by the conference. However, an increase in incentive pay has been authorized. The appropriation conferees noted that an increase in incentive pay may be effective in retaining pilots and they expect DOD to take the necessary actions to make funds available for the increased entitlement.

□ Reorganization of DOD health care to better manage medical care. The conference directed DOD to submit a reorganization plan by June 1. The plan would provide for reorganizing the various medical programs into a more centralized program, providing for more budget, staffing and programmatic accountability at the assistant secretary of defense for health affairs level.

□ Deactivation of a B-52G Stratofortress Squadron. The conferees agreed to the deactivation of the 60th Bombardment Squadron of the 43rd Bombardment Wing, Andersen AFB, Guam. The squadron will be deactivated by June 15, leaving two other B-52 squadrons to carry on the continental mission. Of those bombers leaving Guam, some will be retired and others may replace aging bombers in Strategic Air Command, according to a SAC message. In all, 14 B-52s will be retired.

□ Retirement of the SR-71 Blackbird Reconnaissance Fleet. Budget cuts and the high cost of the program led to funds not being appropriated for the SR-71 fleet and, according to a SAC statement, the program will be phased out over the next six months. The reconnaissance mission will be picked up by other existing systems, according to the SAC statement.

□ Continued funding of the Air Force and Air Force Reserve WC-130 Weather Reconnaissance Aircraft for fiscal year 1990. In addition, the conferees directed the Air Force and Reserves to develop a joint plan to use all 12 aircraft for a minimum of 1,600 hours of hurricane reconnaissance by Jan. 31. (Air Force News Service)

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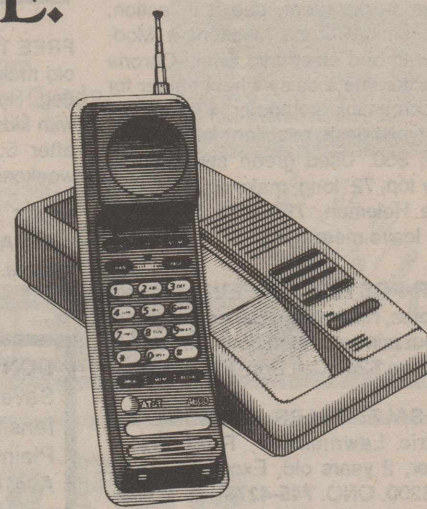
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