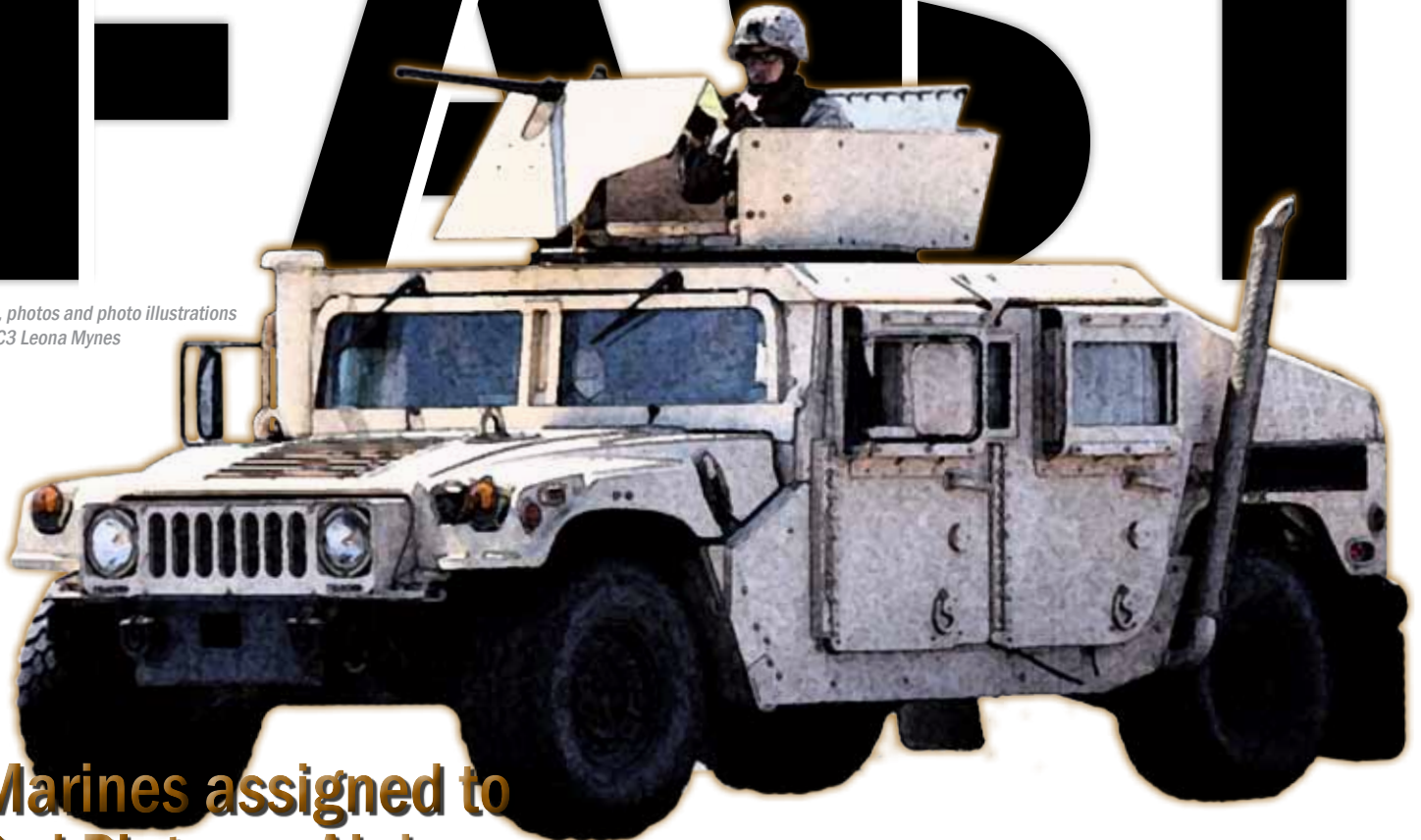




TRAINING HARD, TRAINING

FAST

Story, photos and photo illustrations
by MC3 Leona Mynes



Marines assigned to 3rd Platoon, Alpha Company, Fleet Anti-terrorism Security Team (FAST) of Norfolk, Va., are only a few weeks into their deployment to Guantanamo Bay.

Marine deployments to Guantanamo present young platoons with challenges—their leaders alternate platoons between guarding the base's perimeter fence line and conducting intense pre-deployment training.

Marines spend one week completing security surveillance watches in the 40-foot tall Marine Observation Post towers, searching the mountainous landscape between the base and Cuban territory for intruders and suspicious activity. When not guarding the fence line, they train.

Training for FASTs in Guantanamo

instills within them skills they will need for forward-deployed life in areas of U.S. concern or interest worldwide, where these Marines guard national assets, bases, ships undergoing refuel periods, and in some cases, U.S. embassies.

On April 12, 51 Marines and one Navy corpsman learned to operate convoys while under attack, patrol areas alertly to ensure their safety and security, and inspect vehicles for contraband at check points. This training can save lives and contribute directly to mission capability.

"This training is going to play a role every day [that they're for-

Navy to convene Enlistment Retention Board

Approximately 3,000 Sailors will not be retained

MC3 Leona Mynes
NS Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Public Affairs

The Navy announced April 14 that it will conduct a focused enlisted retention board (ERB) in August for 31 specific ratings, and will not retain approximately 3,000 Sailors as a result of the ERB, according to NAVADMIN 129/11.

"The Navy is conducting ERBs because the Navy has received an all-time high of reenlistment and retention," said Navy Counselor 1st Class Wayne Saffle, the Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, command career counselor. "Based on today's economy and job security, Sailors are opting to 'stay Navy' vice separation."

The NAVADMIN explains that the Navy is currently overmanned in the 31 ratings subject to ERBs. Perform-to-Serve quotas are limited for these ratings, which in turn limits the number of well-performing Sailors who can re-enlist within their rate.

"Programs like Perform-to-Serve and selective reenlistment bonus have been effective tools at optimizing and stabilizing our force strength," said Chief of Naval Personnel, Vice Adm. Mark Ferguson. "Retention behavior, coupled with the shift of 6,800 billets back to sea and development of our capabilities in key areas, such as ballistic missile defense (BMD), cyber and information dominance, has necessitated the establishment of the enlisted retention board to meet congressionally mandated end strength and to rebalance the force."

The board will review the records of selected third class petty officers (E-4) through senior chief petty officers (E-8) in the 31 overmanned ratings with between seven and 15 years

of cumulative service as of Oct. 1 2011, and will be conducted in two independent phases: Phase I will review E-4 to E-5 Sailors and will convene Aug. 22, 2011. Phase II will review E-6 to E-8 Sailors and will convene Sept. 26, 2011.

The board will exclude Sailors whose soft expiration of active obligated service (EAOS) date is in 2012 because they will be considered in PTS.

The board will also exclude those who advanced to their current paygrade in the last four advancement cycles, are nuclear qualified, Joint Special Warfare Command enablers and those currently enrolled in the Navy's Safe Harbor program.

"All Sailors should ensure their Official Military Personnel File (OMPF) is up to date," said Saffle.

"After reviewing their OMPF, personnel in those [31] rates on Guantanamo will have an opportunity to convert to an undermanned rating."

Sailors approved for conversion before the board convenes will not be subject to the ERB.

Application procedures for rating conversion will be published on or before May 1 and the applications shall received on or before June 15.

Sailors not selected for retention will be required to separate by June 30, 2012, but qualified Sailors will be afforded the opportunity to compete for a Selected Reserve (SELRES) quota through their PTS.

Sailors separated by this board will also have access to the Navy's transition assistance programs which includes the Transition Assistance Management Program (TAMP), employment assistance, relocation assistance for members stationed overseas, and other benefits for members who are involuntarily separated.

Members will also be eligible for involuntary separation pay.

"The decision to establish this board was made after careful consideration, and

will allow Navy to keep our very best Sailors in these overmanned ratings, improve advancement opportunity, and enable PTS to maintain this balance into the future," said Ferguson. To read the ERB announcement, NAVADMIN 129/11, visit <http://www.npc.navy.mil>.

SPECIFIC RATINGS SUBJECT TO ERB:

* = Rates on NS Guantanamo Bay

- Aviation Boatswain's Mate Fuels (ABF)
- Aviation Machinist's Mate (AD)
- Aviation Electrician's Mate (AE)
- Aerographer's Mate (AG)
- Aviation Structural Mechanic (AM)
- Aviation Support Equipment Technician (AS)
- Aviation Electronics Technician (AT)
- * **Aircrewman Mechanical (AWF)**
- Aircrew - Tactical Helicopter (AWR)
- * **Aircrew - Avionics (AWV)**
- Aviation Maintenance Administrationman (AZ)
- * **Builder (BU)**
- * **Construction Electrician (CE)**
- * **Construction Mechanic (CM)**
- Engineering Aide (EA)
- Electrician's Mate Surface (EMSW)
- * **Equipment Operator (EO)**
- * **Electronics Technician, Surface Warfare (ETSW)**
- Fire Controlman (non-Aegis) (FC)
- * **Gas Turbine Systems Technician, Electrical (GSE)**
- * **Machinist's Mate, Surface Warfare (MMSW)**
- Mineman (MN)
- Machinery Repairman (MR)
- * **Operations Specialist (OS)**
- Parachute Rigger (PR)
- * **Personnel Specialist (PS)**
- * **Religious Program Specialist (RP)**
- Ship's Serviceman (SH)
- Sonar Technician Surface (STG)
- * **Steelworker (SW)**
- * **Utilitiesman (UT)**

You might not be as prepared as you think

How many of you realize that we were a nose-hair away from not receiving a full pay-check today? How many were gripped with fear last week at the prospect of not receiving a full pay-check today?

Many who I talked with about the possible Federal government shutdown expressed feelings of frustration and helplessness. Often when world events knock on our doors, our brains seize with apprehension and we are unable to react to the situation. While we had no input on the debate in Washington, D.C., there are tools that each of us should have been using to manage your lives whether the government pulled the plug or not.

If you hadn't received your paycheck today, what condition would your finances be in? Would you have had enough money to pay the bills? How about food for you and your family? The Navy/Marine Corps Relief Society was ready to provide rapid turnaround loans for living essentials. But what about money for your cable, telephone, credit card or car payments? How would you pay for the 'non-essential' expenses?

The answer is to have an emergency savings fund with enough money to sustain your budget for about three months. You might ask, "Isn't an emergency fund for natural disaster type of emergencies?"

For me, if I don't have the money to grab a delicious meal at the galley, it is an emergency!

The first step to establishing an emergency fund is to know how much money you need for your monthly financial responsibilities, commonly referred to as a spending plan.

If you have questions about preparing a budget, the Fleet and Family Support Center has experts that will assist you and won't charge a cent for it. (Call 4141.) The money you don't spend on bills, groceries and necessary expenses should go into your savings account.

Now that you have your monetary ducks in a row, how did you learn about the possibility of a Federal government shutdown?



It seem like events happening around the world are millions of miles away and that these events have no effect on our daily lives. The reality, however, is that events that happen around the world affect us here in GTMO. Had you not gotten paid today, would you be affected?

Information is critical in managing any crisis. If you have no idea what is going on, how can you possibly react and make good decisions?

There is a ton of good information that is put out locally. Do you know how many seats are available on this week's rotator flight? I know, I know... you're not leaving this week... but what if you suddenly had to? Pay attention to official information on the roller channel, in the Gazette, in the Plan of the Week, or at quarters with your Chief

and department head. You never know when these sources will have critical information to help in your decision making.

When was the last time you watched the news? There are constant happenings worldwide that can affect us. I recommend that you check out a news website, watch the evening news or tune in to a radio news program. I'm not suggesting that everyone should be scouring the news 24/7, but unless you enjoy being blind-sided, it is imperative to stay informed.

And while we're on the topic of being informed, what did you tell your family last week about the possible government shutdown? I know I hated the phone call I made to my wife (who manages our money), telling her that we might see a slight dip in our normal income. It's important that our families understand what's going on and how it could affect them. Would you rather your loved ones receive accurate information from you or questionable information through the grapevine?

Fortunately, the Federal government didn't shut down. Hopefully the effect a shutdown would've had on us was eye-opening.

Crisis almost came to us in the form of a political meltdown this time, but who knows what life is going to throw our way next.

To quote an excellent Radio GTMO advertisement: "Take charge! Stay informed! Be prepared!"

Service members to receive full mid-month pay

Jim Garamone
Armed Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON (NNS)

All service members will receive their full mid-month pay they have earned in their April 15th paychecks, Pentagon officials said April 11.

"Basically, all active duty and reserve service members will receive full mid-month pay on the 15th of April," Pentagon spokesman Marine Col. Dave Lapan said. "It may be in two separate payments, but on the 15th everyone will receive their full allotted pay."

Confusion arose about the April 15 payday due to the threatened closure of the U.S. government last week. Administration and congressional leaders came to an



agreement that ended that action late on April 8.

Officials urge service members to check their end-of-month leave and earnings statements carefully. The normal end-of-month statements will be posted to accounts on April 22.

The finance and accounting service has restored access to all leave and earnings statements, net pay advice or advice of pay for service members on the MyPay website.

"The most-current advice of pay will still only show the partial payments for April 1-8," the finance service posted

on its website. "This will allow us to make sure we can still process pay for April 9-15 and take steps to ensure it is in bank accounts on the 15th."

REGULATION DID-YA-KNOW Sexual assault adversely affects not only the victim and family members of the victim, but also interferes with the efficient operation of the command in accomplishing its mission, and if the offender is a Sailor, it diminishes the reputation and prestige of the military service in the civilian community ... sexual assault is morally repugnant and incompatible with the high standards of professionalism and personal discipline required of members of the Naval Service.

Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Instruction 1752.4 Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program

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Fleet Anti-terrorism Security Teams prepare for forward-deployed life

FAST • Continued from page 1

ward deployed],” said Marine Capt. Issac Olvera, platoon commander of 3rd Platoon, Alpha Co., FAST. “Every time they do a patrol overseas, they’ll use this training. What they’re rehearsing is patrolling tactics used when doing mounted and dismounted patrols dealing with [roadside bombs].”

Olvera has been on two deployments to the Middle East, where convoy operations, foot patrols and vehicle checkpoints are essential to the Marines’ survival and mission success.

“This training affects how we patrol in Afghanistan or Iraq,” said Olvera. “Of course, the specifics of combat vary according to where you are, even from region to region within the country, but the principles of combat are all the same.”

Training for FASTs is essentially the same as infantry Marines, but when FAST Marines signed their enlistment contracts, each took a 12-month extension on their enlistment to undergo the training and readiness it takes to guard national assets.

“Their duties are in every sense the same as duties of infantry Marines,” said Olvera. “The training is equally as intensive for FAST Marines and fleet Marines, but the mission focus is different. The guys in the fleet are getting ready to forward deploy to Iraq or Afghanistan or go on a Marine Expeditionary Unit deployment, whereas FAST Marines are more focused on security missions.”

When FAST Marines complete their training on Guantanamo, they will most likely deploy overseas. In the past, FAST Marines have deployed to several countries after Guantanamo, including Bahrain and Japan.

“Later on in our platoon life, we could be tasked to do security at a shipyard, guarding the Navy’s nuclear assets,” said Olvera.

But for now, the Marines are focused on guarding the base and building their skills for prospective future missions.

“We’re a relatively young platoon, but we’ve adjusted to the GTMO mission and we’re trying to enjoy our time deployed here,” said Olvera.



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Jacksonville International Airport USO to change operating hours

MC3 Leona Mynes

NS Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Public Affairs

Beginning May 1, the United Services Organization Welcome Center in Jacksonville International Airport will be open from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Military and military families living in Guantanamo Bay can use the USO's Welcome Center in the airport to get coffee, beverages, snacks, internet access, wireless computers, cell phones, information, and referral services for overnight lodging and transportation during the time they wait for a flight to their destination.

"Greater Jacksonville Area USO's Welcome Center at Jacksonville International Airport provides home-away-from-home support to our active duty traveling military and their families from the Northeast Florida and Southeast Georgia area," said John Shockey, the executive director of the Greater Jacksonville Area USO. "We are located on the lower level between the baggage areas."

The center will be opened additional hours, if required, to support military operations throughout the year, said Shockey.

"We will continuously monitor our hours of operation and adjust as necessary to meet the needs of our military personnel and families," said Shockey.

For more information about the USO in Jacksonville International Airport, visit <http://affiliates.uso.org/jacksonvilleflorida/default.cfm?contentid=686>.

Belly dancing fitness class



PHOTO BY HEIDI LOWERY

Maria Trias, Betsy Seitz, Karis Stanback, Yen Pino, Ramak Sydlo, Vanessa Welle, Nerilu Ann Trias, Rose Digo, Suzanne Maatook, Ashawn Campbell, Traci Walker, Herminia Diaz, Nicole Mazzeo, Clay Ortiz, Al Elbanna, and Jacqueline Ruiz attended the belly dancing class on April 10. Belly dancing is offered at Denich Gym from 4 to 6 p.m. every Sunday.

processing month. Multiple fleet communication products highlighted the expiration date for these PTS quotas, guiding commands and Sailors to ensure they are utilized in advance of the expiration date.

On March 1, 2011, 16,502 Sailors were denied PTS approval in accordance with the NAVADMIN. Some Sailors failed to act on these quotas despite the multiple warnings the Navy put out emphasizing the quota expiration.

Sailors also have a personal responsibility to manage their careers and must keep in mind that if they don't use their quota within 13 months of approval, it will be offered to someone else who desires to re-enlist.

We are operating in a different environment now. Sailors are competing to stay Navy and can no longer sit on the fence and not make a decision,

particularly if they are in an overmanned rating.

If you have questions concerning your PTS, don't hesitate to e-mail the command career counselor's office at CCC@usnbgmto.navy.mil. We can help you with your application and advise you on any questions or concerns you may have about your career.

Speaking of careers, I want to remind everyone about the Seaman-to-Admiral (STA-21) program application submissions. The timeline for STA-21 applications is as follows:

May 1- Special request chits due to Career Counselor's office

May 30- Applications due to Career Counselor's office for review

TBD - Appraisal boards

July 1- Package postmarked and submitted to BUPERS

GTMO SHOPPER

READ ME: E-mail classified ad submissions to PAO-CLASSIFIEDADS@USNBTMO.NAVY.MIL. If sent to any other e-mail, it may not be published. Submit your ad NLT noon Wednesdays for that week's Gazette. Ads are removed after two weeks. Re-submit the ad to re-publish. The Gazette staff and NS Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, do not endorse or warrant any of the ads on this page. The Public Affairs Office has final editorial discretion on all content. Call MC3 Leona Mynes at 4520 with your questions or concerns.

VEHICLES

'05 green Toyota Sienna, PW/PL, A/C. \$4,000. Call 77621.

'94 Toyota Tercel, 2D, standard. \$1700 OBO. Call 72117/77009.

'92 Geo Tracker. 4WD, AC, 2D. Best offer. Call Rohon at 2345/90142.

'93 Ford Thunderbird. New tires, A/C, MP3 CD/CD player. 110k mi. \$1500 OBO. Call Eddie at 3395/78034.

'02 Volkswagen Passat. 58K mi. New front tires, battery. \$7,800 OBO. Call 84401.

'04 Tiburon w/ 58k miles, many extras, \$7,000 OBO. Call Brandon at 78486.

'96 Pontiac Sunfire 2DR, Cold AC. Good Running Condition. \$2,500 OBO. Call 58403.

MUSIC GEAR

Left-handed Martin Guitar, OOCKAE Black, w/ built-in tuner. Comes with 5 packs extra strings, picks, pro-winder all-in-one restringing tool, road runner solid guitar case. Call Mike at 75885 or 78447.

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Why Religion Matters / Huston Smith / ISBN: 978-0-06-067102-0 / \$5 / Call 78157.

World Religions / John T. Catoir / ISBN: 978-0-8189-0640-4 / \$5 / Call 78157.

YARD SALES

Saturday, April 16. 303 Marina Point. 8 a.m.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Whirlpool Heavy Duty washer (toploader) and dryer for sale - Like New condition. \$400 for Pair. Call 77349/9744.

Refrigerator. \$125. Call 77895 after 6 p.m. Cream-colored sofa/love seat. \$60 OBO.

White kitchen table, 3 chairs, bench seat. \$60 OBO. Call 77218.

Two matching wood end tables. Good condition. \$30 for set. Call 77178.

Red bathroom mat set. \$10 for Set. Please Call Diana at 2710.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Crate & Barrel dark chocolate leather sectional couch. 5 sections, light and easy to move. \$1600. Fair offers considered. Call 77475/9795.

Coffee table. \$20. Call Sam at 90562.

Two plastic outdoor chairs. \$10. Call Sam at 90562.

Small living room rug. \$30. Call Sam at 90562.

Small outdoor bench. \$30. Call Sam at 90562.

Workbench. \$25. Call 77895.

OUTDOOR REC

Men's golf clubs (full set) w/ bag - \$50. Call 78015 or 84158.

Girls purple 24" bike. \$25 OBO. Call 77621.

Red Diamondback Response Mtn bike. \$200 OBO. Call 79047 / leave message at 90562.

Brand new Spider paintball gun with two tanks and a mask. \$120 OBO. Call Sam at 90562.

Mini-motorcycle 49cc. \$150 OBO. Call Sam at 90562.

BOATS

Fish/Dive 25' Pontoon boat. 115 HP outboard. \$2,500. Call 77619.

ELECTRONICS

HP Notebook PC 500gb HD. 15" scrn. Windows 7. 3gb mem., wireless mouse, joystick. \$450 OBO. E-mail donwayne88@yahoo.com.

Xbox 360 Oblivion/Rainbowsix Vegas. \$10-\$15. Call 79587.

Various DVDs/TV Shows incl. Family Guy. Call 79587.

Xbox360 w/ HDMI, Controller, Power Brick. \$185. e-mail wadelowery@gmail.com/call 77207.

Karokie Machine / CD / radio player \$150. Please Call Diana at 2710.

PSP games \$20 each. Please Call Diana at 2710.

TV with DVD player \$200. Please Call Diana at 2710.

10" Sony Vaio. Very good condition. \$350 OBO. Call Sam at 90562.

5' Satellite with free to Air receiver and LNB. \$500 OBO. Call Sam at 90562.

Sony 20" TV w/DVD player. \$75. Call 77895.

LOST&FOUND

FOUND: Women's watch in Triple C parking lot. Call 2046 to describe and claim.

LOST: Wedding band with "DH to DH" engraved on inside. Call 4514.

FOUND: Wedding band found at JIDC car wash. Turned it over to security. Call 4105 to claim.

LOST: Blue Sony digital camera. Lost at the BBQ area next to the Windjammer Pool. Call Lisa at 4004/75847.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mini CHI. \$20. Call 79587.

Instyler Hair Straightner \$20. Please Call Diana at 2710.

Conair 2" Straightner \$15. Please Call Diana at 2710.

Legal BLOTTER

The information in this blotter was released by the Regional Legal Service Office detachment Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

APRIL 7 TIERRA KAY MINI MART
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a person locked in the building at location.

APRIL 8 BOQ
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of possible ordnance at location.

APRIL 8 BUILDING AV#34
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of leaking batteries at location. Environmental was already on scene and the building had been evacuated. Pwd arrived on scene and turned off the power to the batteries., the area was declared safe for entry, and all employees returned to the building.

APRIL 8 LEEWARD AIR TERMINAL
Patrolman received a report, in person, of damage to government property at location.

APRIL 8 GOLD HILL TOWERS
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a loud noise complaint at location. Patrolmen arrived on scene and instructed personnel to lower the noise and they complied.

APRIL 9 MARINE HILL
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of larceny of personal property at location. Patrolmen were dispatched.

APRIL 9 CUZCO BARRACKS
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a loud noise complaint at location. Patrolmen arrived on scene and instructed personnel to lower the volume of their voices and music and they complied.

APRIL 10 CAMP AMERICA HOUSING
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a loud noise complaint at location. Patrolmen arrived on scene and instructed personnel to lower the volume of music and they complied.

APRIL 10 TIERRA KAY HOUSING
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a loud noise complaint at location. Patrolmen arrived on scene and instructed personnel to lower the volume of their voices and they complied.

APRIL 10 SHERMAN AVE/NEX BUS STOP
Dispatch received a report, via radio, of a water main break at location. Patrolmen were already on scene. Burns and roe arrived on scene and shut off the water.

APRIL 11 C-POOL
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of damage to government property at location.

APRIL 11 SECURITY HEADQUARTERS
Desk sergeant received a report, via walk in, of a lost identification card.

APRIL 11 SECURITY HEADQUARTERS
Desk sergeant received a report, via walk in, of a lost Joint Task Force identification card.

APRIL 11 TIERRA KAY HOUSING
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of larceny of personal property at location..

APRIL 11 DOCK OF THE BAY
Dispatch received a report, via 911, of a medical emergency at location.

APRIL 11 VILLAMAR
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a possible vandalism of property at location.

APRIL 12 WINDWARD FERRY LANDING
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of found ordnance at location.

APRIL 12 PEREZ ROAD
Dispatch received a report, via telephone, of a possible breaking and entering of a vehicle at location.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 15

Hop 8 p.m. (PG) 96 min
Big Momma's House: Like Father, Like Son - new! 10 p.m. (PG13) 108 min

SATURDAY, APRIL 16

Gnomeo and Juliet 8 p.m. (G) 84 min
Hall Pass 10 p.m. (R) 105 min

SUNDAY, APRIL 17

I Am Number Four 8 p.m. (PG13) 110 min
MONDAY, APRIL 18

The Roommate - last showing 8 p.m. (PG13) 92 min

TUESDAY, APRIL 19

Justin Bieber: Never Say Never 8 p.m. (G) 105 min
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20

Unknown 8 p.m. (PG13) 109 min
THURSDAY, APRIL 21

Diary of a Wimpy Kid 8 p.m. (PG) 90 min

COMMAND CAREER COUNSELOR'S NOTE

NC1 Wayne Saffie



Naval Station?" As stated in NAVADMIN 128/10, found on the Navy Personnel Command website, PTS is performance-based force shaping program designed to help the Navy keep "our best and brightest Sailors while shaping the Navy force to meet future requirements."

[The 411] on PTS

You may be asking yourself, "What is Perform-to-Serve (PTS) that's been buzzing around the Navy?"

PTS is nothing new to the Navy—it has been around since 2003.

The most frequently asked question I get is, "Who has to complete a PTS application?"

The answer is any E-6 and below who has less than 14 years of service, regardless of rate or Navy Enlisted Classification.

Per NAVADMIN 352/10, unused PTS quotas issued prior to Oct. 1, 2009, were considered valid until March 1, 2011, and that all other quotas would expire 13 months from the approved application

Any day in GTMO



PHOTO BY BM2 CHRIS PULLON

Members of Port Operations department anchor the utility boat GTMO 7 in the bay as their judges, including chief petty officers from Port Operations department, observe on April 8. The exercise was part of Port Operations Department's 2011 Boat Olympics, a morale and skill building event.

Navy Lodge manager honored for 40 years service

MCC (SW) Bill Mesta

NS Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Public Affairs

The manager of the Navy Lodge was recognized for 40 years of service to the Navy Exchange system on Naval Station Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, at the Navy Lodge, April 8.

Winston Lawrence, a native of Jamaica, was presented the Department of the Navy's Military Civilian Service award by Capt. Kirk R. Hibbert, commanding officer of NS Guantanamo Bay, Mark Good, the Navy Exchange store manager, and Don Mohlman, the Navy Exchange general manager.

The DON Military Civilian Award is the second highest award a civilian serving the Navy can receive.

The command frequently receives compliments from visitors who stay at the Navy Lodge, said Hibbert.

"Mr. Lawrence is personally responsible for the recognition we receive from our guests," said Hibbert.

Lawrence advises NEX leadership on facets of the NEX system on NS Guantanamo Bay, said Mohlman.

"He knows every manual reference that our system uses and all of the regulations," said Mohlman.



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Winston Lawrence receives the Department of the Navy Military Civilian Service Award at the Navy Lodge April 8. Lawrence was recognized for 40 years of service to the Navy Exchange.

Lawrence began working at the NEX in February of 1971.

"Under Mr. Lawrence's aspiring leadership, the Navy Lodge has made many improvements to existing programs and developed many others that benefit the Naval Station," said Good. "His technical knowledge of the Navy Lodge program and superior leadership where key factors in establishing a successful work relationship between the Navy Exchange, the naval station and the base's tenant commands."