

We are currently operating in HPCON BRAVOPLUS - See page 13 for additional details

In an effort to provide you with information regarding the mandatory COVID vaccination and what it means to request exemption, we will be hosting 5 vaccination briefing sessions on Saturday, 2 Oct. in the SFS Auditorium.

If you have not received your vaccination, this is a mandatory session for you. You will have the opportunity to ask questions from our panel of experts and address your concerns.

- -0800-0900 APS, AES, AW Staff
- -0930-1030 ASTS, AMXS
- -1100-1200 CES, CS, FSS
- -1230-1330 LRS, MXG Staff, MXS
- -1400-1500 SFS, OSS, AS, MSG Staff

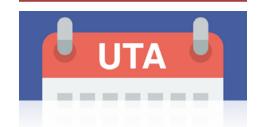
Have you wondered how the various AFSC's fit together to make up the overall mission?

Join the Chiefs for a Global Vikings AFSC Tour 2021 Saturday, 6 Nov from 1000 - 1300. Additional details can be found on page 11 below.

To sign up, see any Chief on base or visit:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4EADAC23ABF8C34-chiefs

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Interested in utilizing Tuition Assistance? Want to learn more about Education Benefits available?

TA 101 BRIEF

For the October UTA only, the Tuition Assistance
Briefing that is normally held on Saturdays has been
move to Sunday @ 1400 in the same location
(Building 852, Room 215). If you have any questions
or concerns, please email the Force Development
Office at
934.base.training@us.af.mil

Held in Building 852 Rm 215. No registration required.

Contact the Force Development Office for more information at 612-713-1600 or 934.base.training@us.af.mil

*Attendance Mandatory Prior to using Tuition Assistance

Customer Service Hours:

Testing hours:

Fridays testing will be @ 0800 Saturday of the UTA testing will be @ 0800

 $^{*}\mbox{If}$ you have any questions or concerns please get with SMSgt Amber Knight or Mrs. Gina Johnson at ext. 1600

Finance Customer Service hours:

- FM customer service will be provided from 0700-1100 and 1200-1600 on Saturdays for the remaining FY 21 UTAs. Customer service will be provided from 1130-1530 on Sundays of the UTAs. Sundays 0700-1130 will be closed for unit training (white space).
- 2. Org boxes for MilPay and Travel Pay are: a. 934AW.FM.MILITARY_PAY@US.AF.MIL b. 934AW.FM.TRAVEL_PAY@US.AF.MIL
- 3. POCs for MilPay and Travel Pay customer service inquiries for the remaining FY 21 UTAS are David Cox at 612-713-1411 and Tami Nelson AT 612-713-1404.

MPF & ID Section hours:

Primary UTA only Sat 0800-1100 & 1200-1500 Sun 1300-1500

Weekdays by appointment only. Click the following link to book your appointment: https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/#/

PIN resets/CAC Unblocks will be "Walk-Ins".

DFAC Food hours:

Breakfast 0600-0700 Lunch 1100-1230

AAFES Shoppette Customer Service hours:

0900-1500 on Sat & Sun of the UTAs

Royal Hot Plate hours:

0700-1400 on Sat & Sun of the UTAs

Services Club Bar & Grill hours:

1530-2200 on Fri & Sat of the UTAs

The AFI Explore App is Available

AFI Explorer for iOS and Android allows you to browse and search updated Air Force Instruction publications quickly and efficiently.

Use the advanced search function to find the specific AFI you are looking for. Favorite your most frequently referenced publications and manuals.

By syncing with the e-publishing website for the latest version of each publication, AFI Explorer provides the most recent guidance updates as soon as they become available. This application currently provides access to all departmental publications for the Air Force and to all publicly releasable MAJCOM supplements.

As I continue to update the application with additional features, please use the built-in feedback option in the app to share you thoughts, suggestions, and concerns

You can also email me at: w walker@icloud.com

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Android Download Link

iOS Download Link

Military Ball 2022

Do you love planning events? Are you great with advertisements? Do you have skills in photography or videography?

Are you a musician?

Then we need you! Join the Military Ball Committee and let your talents shine. Meetings are held Saturday of each UTA 0900-1000 in the Wing Training Room.

Airman & Family Readiness Center

<u>Director:</u> Kelly Wilkinson 612-713-1567

Office Hours: M-F: 0900-1500 UTA's: 0900-1500

> **HOT** **FREE**

Back Packs & School Supplies Available August UTA!!! (Bags Provided)

Sat & Sun at the CAC 0600-0730, 1030-1300

Building 728, Door D Sat & Sun, 1400-1530 10-12 Aug, 0930-1130

FREE
Bauer Youth
Athletic Wear

Building 728, Door D Sat & Sun, 1400-1530 10-12 Aug, 0930-1130



Save the Date!

A&FR Center Open House

3 October 2021, 1100-1400

Hot Apple Cider, Treats and More!!

Are you facing a financial hardship?

Contact the A&FRC for assistance. FREE Meal Kits & Grants Available!

Thrift Savings Plan

Sunday Aug 8, 2021

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SFS Classroom

Attendance: All are welcome to attend, no sign up needed.

Our 934 AW Personal Financial Counselor, Mr. Jay Brunkhorst, will be briefing on how to make your Thrift Savings Plan (TSP) work for you. Middle River Veterans Outdoors is organized for the sole purpose of providing no cost outdoor recreation opportunities for any and all veterans. http://mrveteransoutdoors.com/. To participate in one of Middle River Veterans Outdoors events all you need is the appropriate fishing or hunting license, seasonal outdoor clothing and the desire to have a great time in the company of other veterans. Food, ammunition, bait, blinds and other supplies are furnished. They also have guns and fishing gear for those that need them.

- September, 11 2021 Youth Waterfowl Hunt 20 Spots Available
- \bullet September, 18 2021 Disabled Veterans Goose Hunt 20 Spots Available Proudly sponsored by "MN Disabled American Veterans Chapter 7"
- October 14th-17th, 2021 Deer Hunting 10 Spots Available Proudly sponsored by "MN Disabled American Veterans Chapter 41"
- November, 2021 TBA Pheasant Hunting in South Dakota

To be considered for any of these events please complete and return the application at least 20 days prior to the event. You can find an application at http://mrveteransoutdoors.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Event-Application-1.pdf

Call (218) 686-0889 or email mrvetsod@wiktel.com if you have any questions.

Important Forms:

Air Force Physical Fitness Screening Questionnaire (FSQ) available here.

934th AW SO Mission Videos are live!

Would you like to know more about other units within the 934th Airlift Wing?

Check out the AMXS Mission Video here!
Check out the 27APS Mission Video here!
Check out the CES Mission Video here!
Check out the MXS Mission Video here!

*Links work off-network

Scholarship Resources Megalink!

Are you or a famliy member going back to school?

<u>Click here</u> to check out this amazing list of scholarship opportunities for active duty, reservists and veterans!

Community Resources Megalink!

Looking for military resources in your community?

<u>Click here</u> to check out this amazing list of resources for active duty, reservists and veterans!

Going...Going...GIAD

By Maj. William-Joseph Mojica

MINNEAPOLIS-ST PAUL AIR RESERVE STATION, Minn. -- Several members of the 934th Airlift Wing participated in the 7th annual Girls in Aviation Day event hosted by Women in Aviation International at the Jet Linx & Flying Cloud Airport in Eden Prairie, Minn., Sept. 25.

After the 2020 event was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic, participating in this year's event was something the wing's Reserve Citizen Airmen looked forward to.

"This was my third year participating in the event and my first year organizing volunteers on behalf of our wing," said Master Sgt. Robert Lee, 934th Logistics Readiness Squadron acting first sergeant and this year's military contingent point of contact. "Having the opportunity to get other units involved presented a few challenges with COVID, but the benefits of being able to bring our members and have Air Force Reserve representation was great. I really want to increase our wing's involvement moving forward for many reasons including increasing our diversity and inclusion with future Airmen and professionals."

Girls in Aviation day is a free event for youth to learn about career opportunities in aviation and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math according to a KSMP interview held with Stephanie Goetz, vice president of women in aviation Stars of the North.

"The reason we put this on is because we want to introduce more girls to aviation as a career, a hobby, a love, or an adventure," said Goetz. "The thing about why this is so important is that roughly only 6% of pilots are female [and] we want to increase that number. It creates a diversity of thought [and] a diversity of perspective."

In addition to traditional careers people think of with aviation, the 934th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron also had flight nurses available to speak to their role as medical aviators.

"I was honored to represent the AE community and share how we help our fellow service men and women, and their families all over the world," said 1st Lt. Myra Costello, 934 AES flight nurse. "I was thrilled with the response that we received from the children and their families. As a first time participant it was also great to talk to other women in aviation and see the pursuit that have been made over the years."

Girls in aviation day is aimed at encouraging female participation in STEM and aviation related careers. Although the event is geared for girls ages 8-17, everyone is welcome to attend.

"It's a fun event and watching the kids' faces when answering their questions and seeing their inquisitiveness was incredible," Lee mentioned.

According to their website, "Since 1990, Women in Aviation International (WAI) has been dedicated to the encouragement and advancement of women in all aviation career fields and interests. Forming in 2014, Stars of the North became the 97th chapter of WAI, located in Minneapolis, Minnesota."

"This is an opportunity for them to say 'I can do this, why not me," Goetz said.

Girls In Aviation Day 2021 - 25 September 2021





2021 Enlisted Promotions

October

SMSgt – SCHROEDER, JEREMY – 934 MXS SMSgt – HAGER, STEVEN – 934 CES

MSgt – JOHNSON, MICHAEL – 934 FSS MSgt – JUAN, ROGELIO – 934 ASTS

TSgt – ALEXANDER, CORY – 934 MXS
TSgt – GRATES, MATTHEW – 934 LRS
TSgt – JOSEPH, BIANCA – 934 FSS
TSgt – LUNDBORG, MADISON – 934 FSS
TSgt – RILEY, URIAH – 934 OSS
TSgt – VANG, GARY – 934 ASTS
TSgt – WEISS, MATTHEW – 934 SFS
TSgt – WESTFALL, ZACHARY – 934 LRS

SSgt – FORTMAN, SAMANTHA – 934 AES SSgt – LINDEBERG, JODI – 934 ASTS SSgt – MILES, TRISTEN – 934 CES SSgt – PERRAULT, MICHAEL – 934 MXS SSgt – PRZYBYLSKI, JOSHUA – 934 SFS SSgt – ZALAVARRIA, KARLA – 934 AW

SrA – CASTILLO, TONATHIU – 934 CS SrA – GUENTHER, TYLER – 934 LRS SrA – JACKSON, NAKHEERA – 934 OSS SrA – KLEINSCHMIDT, ALEX – 934 SFS SrA – OLADEINDE, AYODEJI – 934 MXS SrA - RIES, ABIGAIL – 934 FSS

A1C - KARNQUEE, KELVIN - 934 LRS

Amn – CARNEY, PIERCE – 934 AMXS Amn – MAKANA, JOSHUA – 934 AW

Welcome Newcomers!

<u>October</u>

CAPT WIPF, SARA - ASTS 2LT MYERS, RILEY - AS 2LT SCHMIT, MARK - AES SSGT BOLEN, JOSHUA - MXG SSGT BURZYNSKI, ANDREW - MXS SSGT CONNELLY, CHRISTOPHER - ASTS SSGT PAULUS, ANGELA – APS SSGT PETERSON, TYLER - APS SSGT REED, CODY - AMXS SSGT SCHUETTE, ZACKERY - SFS SSGT TWOHIG, GRACE - OSS SRA CZYZ, RYAN – CES SRA EMERSON-BROWN, ALEXANDRIA – SFS SRA FLIPPO, PATRICK - CES SRA RANSEEN, KIM - AW-FM SRA ZALAVARRIA, KARLA – AW-FM A1C FLUETTE, ERNEST - CES A1C HUNTLEY, JOHN - SFS A1C SCHRODER, DESTIN - MXS AMN SMITH, JAQUAYA - LRS AMN TILLERY, AVERY - SFS

Award Winners!

1st Quarter Winners

AMN: SrA Zachary Glanz AS NCO: TSgt Hayden Lundborg CS SNCO: SMSgt Chantell Haider AMXS CGO: Capt Daniel Tate AS Innovation: COVID POD Team ASTS

FEB Civilian Servant of the Year Awards

Customer Service: Tiffany Logan MXG
Excellence Beyond Expectations: Kirsten O'Brien ASTS
Unsung Hero: Bradley Mortenson ASTS
Leadership: Jonathan Polos ASTS
Innovation: Brent Voss MXS



Congratulations to SrA
Laura Sachwicz for being
recognized by the 22
AF/CCC for outstanding
contributions during Rally
in the Rockies



New Health Promotion Courses

By Eric Neal, Wing Exercise Physiologist

Do you struggle with weight management? If you do, I understand your pain. My struggle with weight management is the reason I obtained degrees in Exercise Physiology and Human Nutrition and Foods.

I have developed 6 videos and provided a library of information to assist you with your goals for a healthier life at https://afrc.eim.us.af.mil/sites/934aw/934AWG/Fitness/SitePages/Home.aspx or by visiting Air Force Connect App with 934 AW as your favorites within the Fitness Folder.

The videos Exercise 101, Nutrition 101, Sleep Optimization, and the trilogy of videos for Advanced Nutrition & Exercise 601: Calories In, Calories Out; Diets; and Exercise, Sleep, Hormones, and Homeostasis

can be found within Multimedia or Fitness Folders of 934 AW on Air Force Connect App.

The app also provides a library of information to include workouts, diets, and research articles. In addition a handout for overhead squat assessment is provided that can be used as a virtual tool to send me for Functional Movement Screening with follow up on spreadsheets that are also provided to improve muscle imbalances.

To take advantage of a functional movement screening or if you have any questions in regards to any of the videos, please contact eric. neal.4@us.af.mil

Cardiovascular intervention is now available at https://eric-s-be-well.thinkific.com/courses/cardiovascular-intervention and more courses will be added in the future.

Exercise of the Month

Rockport 1 Mile Walk

By Eric Neil

Many of you are aware the Air Force expects to be offering options on what they will be performing for cardiovascular endurance and muscular endurance at some point in time next year. The cardiovascular options that were determined as options are the 1.5 Mile Run, 20 meter High Aerobic Multi-shuttle Run (HAMR), and Rockport 1 Mile Walk.

I would recommend testing out each option to see how many points you would score before making a decision on which option you would choose. I have done this myself at different points in time over the past couple of years. At the time I tested the 1.5 mile run vs 20 meter HAMR, my HAMR score equivalent time was 42 seconds faster than my 1.5 Mile Run. I recently performed two 1 Mile Rockport Walks to compare against 1.5 Mile Run and found while walking at a brisk speed, but not my fastest my estimated VO2 max was about the same between the 1 Mile Rockport Walk and 1.5 Mile Run, but when I walked as fast as I possibly could with a slight forward lean and a lot of arm swing my estimated VO2 for 1 Mile Rockport Walk surpassed my estimated VO2 for 1.5 Mile Run by 4.75 ml/kg/min.

Based on my experience, I learned I score better on the Rockport 1 Mile Walk Test when walking as fast as I can compared to the other options. This might not be the case for everyone and that is why should test it out in advance to see what is best for you. The 1 Rockport 1 Mile Walk Test is based on a formula that uses gender, age, weight, heart rate, and time. Time is the biggest factor in this formula as I learned from my experimentation. To plug in values, do a search for Rockport 1 Mile Walk Test Calculator and choose the calculatorpro.com site to see where you stand. You will also need a heart rate monitor and the heart rate you will plug in to the formula is heart rate displayed at end of 1 Mile Walk. Once you have all the tools you need, start practicing with the correct form ensuring one foot is on the ground at all times and see if your VO2 max is higher on Rockport 1 Mile Walk Test or 1.5 Mile Run.

Tips I recommend and Key Takeaways

- 1. Avoid stimulants such as caffeine and nicotine as a higher heart rate has a negative impact on your score.
- 2. Lean slightly forward walking as fast as you can with a lot of arm swing.
- 3. Although heart rate is important for a better score, focus harder on your time as speed has a greater impact on your score.
- 4. Maintain a healthy weight as it is part of the equation for VO2 max calculation.
- 5. Preparation for Rockport 1 Mile Walk might be much easier on your body and a preferred choice.
- 6. You might have a lot of grit and have the ability to run a faster time than your estimated equivalent VO2 max from Rockport 1 Mile Walk.

934th Development Team News:

934 Airlift Wing now has a Development Team that will be coordinating numerous types of learning opportunities.

If you want to lead a discussion or if there is something you are interested in learning please contact:

MSgt Daphnee Powellbills - daphnee.powellbills@us.af.mil

SSgt Mathew Chalupa - mathew.chalupa@us.af.mil

SSgt Phillip Hanson - phillip.hanson.3@us.af.mil

SSgt Casey Lindsey - casey.lindsey.1@us.af.mil

A Message from Rita Shedd, DPH

Rita Shedd, LICSW, Director of Psychological Health

Office Phone: 612-713-1224 Air Force Cell Phone: 612-919-2683

Email: rita.shedd@us.af.mil.

Rita is available full time and all UTA days, to provide individual confidential counseling, stress management and referral for all Airmen and their spouses. Rita provides crisis intervention, command consultation and training for all psychological health issues. DPH Overview Video



OCTOBER 2021

LUNCH MENU 934TH COMMUNITY ACTIVITY CENTER BLDG, 807 PHONE 612.713.1655



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Hours of Operation Monday to Friday Lunch Holidays October 1 & 2 1530-2100					BAKED FISH BAR & GRILL	BAR & GRILL MURDER MYSTERY
3 UTA	4 MEATLOAF	5 SALISBURY STEAK	6 CREAMY CAJUN MAC AND CHEESE	7 CHICKEN KIEV	8 FRIED FISH	9 CLOSED
10 CLOSED	II CLOSED	12 BEEF STROGANOFF	13 CHICKEN KATSU	14 GRILLED HAM STEAK	15 BAKED FISH	16 CLOSED
17 CLOSED	18 CAJUN ROAST PORK LOIN	19 BBQ BRISKET	20 GARLIC BROWN SUGAR CHICKEN THIGHS	21 TACO SALAD	22 FRIED FISH	23 CLOSED
24 CLOSED	25 SWISS STEAK	26 ORIENTAL SPECIAL BEEF BULGOGI	27 WHITE CHEESE CHICKEN LASAGNA	28 BBQ RIBS	29 BAKED FISH	30 CLOSED
ROO Halloween	Check Out Our Lunch Menu On-line @ http://934thservices.com/services-club All Items Available To Go! Ask For Details or Call Ahead! JOIN US SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2021 @ 1700 MVRDER MYSTERY and SCAVENGER HUNT SIGN UP with Junalyn Lowry 612-713-1660 or email junalyn.lowry@us.af.mil					

If you are on Title 10 or Title 32 orders, your kids may be eligible for a \$300 grant for extracurricular activities such as swimming, dance, hockey, etc. See below for more information.

Our Military Kids, Inc. (OMK) is a non-profit organization that supports military children (ages 3 - 18) by funding sports, arts, and other extracurricular activities while a parent is deployed overseas with the

National Guard (or Reserve) or recovering from severe injuries sustained in a post-9/11 overseas mission. Participation in these activities helps military children cope with stress and build self-confidence during an

otherwise difficult time in their lives. In coordination with NGB-J1, effective 27 July 2021, Our Military Kids, Inc, has expanded National Guard and Reserve eligibility for activity grants to Title 10 and Title 32

deployments/activations, made the required active duty time for eligibility cumulative within the prior 12 month period, and increased maximum grants awards under their Severely Injured Program. AGR orders, and Title 10/Title 32 orders for active duty training or inactive duty for training (schools, drill, annual training, etc.) are not eligible. See the press release here - https://www.ourmilitarykids.org/community2021/

DEPLOYED AND MOBILIZED NATIONAL GUARD OR RESERVE PROGRAM

OMK is now accepting applications for children of stateside activated National Guard or Reserve service members with Title 10 and/or Title 32 orders. This does not include AGR assignments or active or inactive duty for training.

For overseas or stateside missions of 90-179 days (cumulative within 12 months), each child (ages 3-18) is eligible for ONE (1) grant up to \$300 for one extracurricular activity.

For overseas or stateside missions of 180+ days (cumulative within 12 months), each child (ages 3-18) is eligible for TWO (2) grants up to \$300 each for the same or different activities. Each grant requires a separate application.

SEVERELY INJURED PROGRAM

Children of severely injured service members and Veterans in treatment are eligible to apply for a \$300 activity grant every six months for a maximum of FIVE (5) grants per eligible child, which includes one FLEX grant that may be used at any point during the military parent's recovery. Each grant may be used for the same or different activities.

For more information, please visit www.ourmilitarykids.org or contact Michelle Criqui at mccriqui@ourmilitarykids.org

Lodging During UTA Weekends

DISCUSSION: Unit POCs will need to ensure we have Automated Lodging Reservation System (ALRS)compliance by all 934th members that require lodging while preforming Military Duty. Effective immediately North Country Lodging staff are no longer allowed to make any off base lodging reservations. All calls to schedule or cancel lodging rooms on or off base will be referred to use the ALRS phone line or APP. There should not be any scheduling calls to the lodging front desk as the member will just be referred to use ALRS. Those members who fail to make their lodging reservations in time will be essentially on their own to find lodging for the UTA at their own expense. Lodging reservations can be made three months in advance. All UTA lodging reservations must be made via ALRS (use the App for IDT status only and the phone numbers for mixed statuses) NLT 2200 the Sunday prior to the primary or alternate UTA. All cancellations are the responsibility of the member, and if they do not cancel they are responsible for all charges incurred. See below for some vof the language that is in the approved 934th Airlift Wing Instruction dated 6 August 2019. The POC for UTA lodging related issues will be SMSgt Joshua Jarchow.

- 1.4. Lodging reservations are required to be made no later than 2200 hours the Sunday before each Unit Training Assembly (UTA). If the reservist has not made lodging reservations by that time/day, they will not get lodging provided at government expense. Extenuating circumstances will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis by 934 AW/FMC and 934th Force Support Squadron (FSS) Sustainment Services Flight Chief. Any specific questions regarding entitlements associated with the local commuting area should be referred to 934 AW/FMC.
- 2. Responsibility. It is each member's responsibility to make and cancel reservations using ALRS
- 2.3. Reservist will: 2.3.1. Contact their unit lodging monitor requesting approval for lodging (initial time only). If approved, reservist will make, change and cancel all lodging reservations using ALRS by calling (612)713-5631/5632/5633/5634 or 800-872-3235 and follow instructions.

- 2.3.3. Know the status they will be in prior to making the reservation.
- 2.3.3.1. Inactive Duty for Training (IDT): 934 AW will pay lodging cost. This consists of presenting an AF Form 40A, Record of Individual Inactive Duty, when performing a rescheduled UTA/Readiness Management Period (RMP) or a 934 AW Form 2, AFTP/AGTP Lodging Certification when performing Additional Flying Training Period (AFTP) or Additional Ground Training Period (AGTP). For RMPs, AFTPs and AGTPs, the reservist is authorized lodging only if their report/release time requires them to travel between 2400-0600 hours
- 2.3.3.2. Active Duty for Training (ADT): Reservist on orders will pay and be reimbursed via a travel voucher.
- 4. Off-Base Quarters. Reservists lodged in off-base quarters will: 4.1. Be directed to off-base lodging by ALRS when making their reservation if on-base lodging is full. Reservists may go directly to the commercial hotel. Coming to base lodging is not required for either arriving or departing.
- 4.2. Present military ID card at check-in. 4.3. Be lodged one person per room. 4.4. Present payment for any deposits required by the hotel. A credit card is required to cover any miscellaneous costs incurred by the reservist (i.e. movie rental, room service, etc.) 4.5. Checkout and return key to hotel desk by posted hotel checkout time. Sign all forms at the hotel desk. Untimely checkout may incur additional expenses paid at time of checkout.
- 5. Walk-In Policy. Per AFI 34-135, Air Force Lodging Program, reservists are required to make advanced reservations. Reservists who walk-in without making reservations may still utilize government quarters, however, the unit of assignment will not pay for lodging of reservists who fail to comply with this directive. (EXCEPTIONS: New recruits, reservists returning from long deployments, etc.) It is the unit lodging monitor's responsibility to ensure that all reservists are aware of and in compliance with this policy.



Global Vikings AFSC Tour 2021



Have you wondered how the various AFSC's fit together to make up the overall mission?

This consists of a base tour that will include the Mission Support Group, Maintenance and Operations Groups and their various squadrons.

This is a great opportunity to meet other Airmen from around the base, build connections and learn about the mission.

WHEN: Saturday, November 6, 2021

TIME: 1000 - 1300

STARTING POINT: Wing Head Quarters | Building 760

OPEN TO ALL RANKS Lunch will be provided

SIGN UP OPTIONS:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4EADAC23ABF8C34-chiefs
• Find any Chief on base to signup

*NOTE: Prior to signup ensure you have supervisor approval





MURDER MYSTERY

2 OCTOBER 2021 @ 1700 HRS AT THE COMMUNITY ACTIVITY CENTER



\$10 PER PERSON - INCLUDES PIZZA, DRINKS (NON-ALCOHOL) AND MURDER MYSTERY

For more information contact
Rick PelzI at 612.713.1119 , rick.pelzI.1@us.af.mil (M-F) or
MSgt Crystal Rose Heinz at 612.713.1660, crystalrose.heinz@us.af.mil (UTAs)







934TH AIRLIFT WING STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

THIS PLAN ALIGNS WITH THE DIRECTION OF 22ND AIR FORCE, AIR FORCE RESERVE COMMAND AND SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE PRIORITIES.

Apr. 2021

MISSION

CITIZEN AIRMEN PROVIDING WORLDWIDE TACTICAL AIRLIFT AND COMBAT SUPPORT

VISION

GLOBAL VIKINGS- PREPARED FOR TOMORROW...READY TODAY

PRIORITIZE TRAINING

- FOCUS ON AFSC TRAINING & COMBAT SKILLS TRAINING
- PROVIDE
 PROFESSIONAL
 DEVELOPMENT &
 EDUCATION
 OPPORTUNITIES
- DEVELOP WING-WIDE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

MODERNIZE & REFORM

- ADDRESS LOCAL UNIT MANPOWER PROCESS
- DEVELOP UNIT MISSION BRIEFS
- MAXIMIZE WING STORAGE & SPACE
- STREAMLINE UNIT ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESS

PREPARE FOR FUTURE COMBAT

- ALIGN TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR FUTURE CONFLICTS
- PROVIDED
 OPPORTUNITIES
 TO EXERCISE FOR
 TOMORROW'S FIGHT
- ALIGN ALL MASTER TRAINING PLANS

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TAKING CARE OF RESILIENT AIRMEN

934TH AIRLIFT WING COMMANDER'S TENETS
BE PROFICIENT IN YOUR SKILLS
BE DEPLOYABLE IN YOUR MISSION SET
BE FLEXIBLE TO RESPOND TO TOMORROW'S FIGHT



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE AIR FORCE RESERVE COMMAND

28 SEP 2021

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

FROM: 934 AW/CC

SUBJECT: HPCON BRAVOPLUS Additional Measures for the Minn-St Paul ARS

1. Effective 28 Sep 2021, I am updating the installation Health Protection Condition (HPCON) BRAVO-PLUS measures IAW AFI 10-2519, *Public Health Emergencies and Incidents of Public Health Concern*. This is due to a recent increase in local transmission rates caused by spread of the Delta variant of the COVID-19 virus. This variant has increased transmissibility among both unvaccinated and vaccinated persons. The following instructions will be followed by 934th Airlift Wing service members, DoD civilians, contractors, families, and other individuals while on base.

2. Personal Precautions

- a) IAW SECDEF guidance *Updated Mask Guidelines for ALL DoD Installations and Other Facilities* (28 Jul 2021), all personnel, regardless of vaccination status, must wear a mask indoors around others, as community rates exceed substantial (50 cases per week per 100k population). When rates drop below substantial, persons who have been fully vaccinated against COVID-19 (14 or more days from final dose of approved vaccine) are not required to wear a mask around others and are not required to maintain social/physical distance when working with others. All personnel will comply with DAF Guidance on Use of Masks, date 28 Jul 2021, or subsequent published guidance.
- b) All personnel must maintain social/physical distancing of 6 feet between others to the maximum extent possible regardless of vaccination status.
- c) All personnel will continue to practice good respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene practices. Hand sanitizer stations will be utilized at entrances to buildings. Units may choose to sanitize commonly touched surfaces following the US Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidance.
- d) Customer facing facilities may continue to install/utilize physical barriers between staff and customers.
- e) Units will continue to use CDC recommended personal protective equipment where applicable.

3. Base Access and Attendance

- a) Base access is not restricted due to HPCON measures, except during UTAs. Base access during UTAs is limited to personnel on-duty.
- b) Common areas and shared base facilities will remain open, but must ensure social distancing of all occupants.
- c) Gym facilities will remain open. When masks are required on the installation, personal indoor fitness may be conducted without a mask with appropriate distancing of >6 feet. Indoor team fitness is not permitted. Outdoor personal or team fitness may be conducted without a mask.
- d) Food facilities will be open for indoor or outdoor dining with 6 ft physical distancing and takeout. Personnel should eat in areas on base where 6 ft of distance can be maintained between others.
- e) UTAs will occur in-person, but social distancing should be maintained by all present. Commanders are strongly encouraged to divide their personnel and utilize telework as required to maintain social/physical distancing of personnel in crowded areas.
- f) Personnel will complete the pre-UTA screening questionnaire prior to arriving for a UTA.

- g) Group events/meetings are limited to less than 50 persons without Grp/CC approval and will not exceed 100 persons without Wing/CC approval. All present must adhere to social/physical distancing regardless of vaccination status. Commander's Call may occur for groups up to 100 persons that can maintain social distancing. Larger social events may occur with Wing/CC approval.
- h) Commanders are highly encouraged to use modified shift schedules to limit crowding of personnel.
- i) Telework may be allowed by Commanders when there is no degradation to training or mission requirements.
- j) Unvaccinated vulnerable individuals and those living with unvaccinated vulnerable individuals as defined by the CDC may be at increased risk during a UTA. Commanders are encouraged to explore alternative options that meet mission requirements (telework, rescheduled UTA, etc.).
- 4. Illness reporting and COVID-19 exposures
 - a) 934 AW personnel must report an acute COVID-19 illness to Public Health at 612-713-1608/1609 or ASTS at 612-713-1676.
 - b) Individuals diagnosed with COVID-19, whether vaccinated or unvaccinated, will not present to the installation until isolation is completed IAW recommendations from Public Health or their local health department.
 - c) Individuals with an influenza-like illness will not come to the installation unless they have a negative COVID-19 test, whether vaccinated or unvaccinated, and will contact Public Health or ASTS.
 - d) Unvaccinated individuals who have a known exposure to someone with COVID-19 or an influenza-like illness within 10 days will contact Public Health or ASTS prior to coming to the installation.
- 5. Installation partners may follow their Major Command's (MAJCOM) HPCON guidance for operations within their facilities as required, but are encouraged to align with 934th Airlift Wing guidance.
- 6. The installation Public Health Emergency Officer (PHEO) Maj William Wilson can be contacted at 612-713-1691 (office), <u>william.wilson.76@us.af.mil</u> (email), or during emergencies at 513-253-7542 (cell).
- 7. The installation Public Health Officer (PHO) Ms. Chayo Smith can be contacted at 612-713-1608 (office) or chayo.smith.1@us.af.mil.
- 8. The health and safety of installation personnel is my top priority. Public Health will continue to monitor disease trends, to include new COVID-19 variants, and will continue to make recommendations to change HPCON levels as required throughout the duration of the pandemic.

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