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Photo by Staff Sgt. Gordon Beecroft

#### On the cover :

Pictured is a barrel of the A-10 Thunderbolt II's 30mm Gatling gun barrel located on the forward nose section of the aircraft's fuselage.

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## Meet our people

Staff Sgt. Anita Collins, 111th Logistics Readiness Squadron, issues new uniforms to a servicemember during the March UTA.

Sergeant Collins lives in Washington, D.C., and has been a member of the 111th Fighter Wing for four years. When she's not in uniform, Sergeant Collins works as a program analyst for the Peace Corps Headquarters. Sergeant Collins's future goals include continuing her education and attending law school. In the meantime, she enjoys traveling, exercising and relaxing.

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## Upcoming changes for Comm on the horizon

By Lt. Col. Claudia Malone  
111th Comm. Flight Commander

There's truth to the statement: "The only thing you can count on is change." In the Air National Guard, the Base Communications units are undergoing changes that are revolutionary not only for our customers but also for our unit members, and in the way we will perform our jobs in the future.

The first change will affect the way in which our customers receive service. Most are familiar with the Communications "Help Desk" – a number you call for technical support. Some are familiar with our "Plans Shop" – an office which handles major communications projects and all of the system purchases and replacements (Life Cycle Management). The short-term change taking place combines these two entities. The Help Desk and Plans functions are being temporarily consolidated into a Client Service Center (CSC). The CSC will consist of a Communications Focal Point (CFP) and a group of Client Support Technicians (CSTs). The CSC will be located in Bldg 320, Room 241, but the telephone number will be the same as our former Help Desk number: ext. 1679. The CFP has new requirements to more carefully track the creation of trouble tickets, distribute them to CSTs or other Production Work Centers for resolution, and to create status reports. Once the CFP function has matured, Plans will revert back to its traditional role: managing major projects.

The other area of the CSC, the CSTs, will change as well; however, this change will create a challenge for timely resolution of customer trouble tickets. In approx. nine months, the current CSTs in the Communications Flight are changing AFSCs, leaving only enough positions in the CSC to operate the CFP. Resolution of communications problems called into the CFP will be farmed out to individuals from within the Communications Flight and additional duty CSTs from within the Wing who have been granted Administrative privileges. The lack of CSTs in the Communications Flight is very unfortunate and is going to affect all of us. The Air Force established a ratio of 1:150 (CST to customer) for adequate Communications customer service; i.e., for every 150 customers in the Wing, there

should be one CST.

The second change will be the one that affects the majority of the members of the Communications Flight. The Air Force has added "Cyberspace" to those air and space domains in which we fight. The way we fight in air, space, and now, cyberspace, is through defense, attack, and exploitation. The fight is led from the Air Force Space Command (AFSPC) at Peterson AFB, Co. AFSPC already established network attack and exploitation squadrons, but in terms of network defense, the Air Force is a bit further behind. AFSPC and our NGB/A6 staff have recognized that the ANG Communications units are in a unique position to provide a large amount of that network defense capability for the Air Force.

Over the next few months, the first of several ANG pilot units will be attending training to learn some of the tools for our new network defense mission: port scanning, vulnerability testing, and signature file reviews, to name a few. The name of the game will be to prevent hackers from successfully gaining access to our networks, where malware can be downloaded and damage can be inflicted. Over the next few years, the ANG Communications Flights will adjust to take on this mission, and the majority the Communications Flight personnel will be learning some new skill sets and becoming better prepared to provide "defense at the edge" – to better ensure the availability, confidentiality, and integrity of the information systems that we all rely on.

We have some challenges, but also some opportunities facing us in the Communications Flight. No doubt—we need to solve the problem of lack of an adequate quantity of trained CSTs to handle customer trouble calls. At the same time, we will be evolving to provide security for the systems used by the Wing's warfighters. This will be a balancing act but with the support of our wise senior leaders, it's an act I'm confident the talented Airmen and NCOs in the Communications Flight can handle successfully.



*Lt. Col. Claudia Malone*

# COMMAND CHIEF'S PERSPECTIVE

## *Community College of the Air Force (CCAF)*

There is a college that has no traditional classrooms, dorms or libraries, but has more than 300,000 students registered. This college has sixty-seven degree programs available, each student can have an individual degree plan and all course work may be done online when and where you choose. The college I am referring to is today's Community College of the Air Force (CCAF). CCAF has changed to meet the mission and the educational needs of our 21st century Airmen.

The Community College of the Air Force is the only college system solely for enlisted members. CCAF programs are designed to provide students with knowledge, skills and theoretical background for enhanced performance as technicians and noncommissioned officers.

Enlisted Airmen become CCAF students as soon as they report for basic training. Those of us that have transferred to the Air National Guard from other branches of the services also become CCAF students upon joining the Air National Guard. Instant enrollment in CCAF emphasizes the importance our Air Force places on enlisted education. The value of education is underscored on active duty with the requirement for Airmen to acquire a CCAF degree in order to be promoted to E-8 or E-9.

Certification programs for the trades are an integral part of the CCAF degree program. An Air Force Crew Chief may receive an associate degree and a Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Airframe and Powerplant certification for training and work experience attained in the Air National Guard. Many other certification programs are associated with the CCAF degree program.

Studies show that most Airmen join the Air Force for the educational benefits. CCAF offers a means to acquire an associate degree while you are gaining valuable work experience. Achieving a CCAF associate degree may lead you to a baccalaureate degree. It is my opinion that all Airmen should take advantage of this great opportunity and benefit.

The Air University Associate-to-Baccalaureate Cooperative Program (AU-ABC) became active in 2008. With AU-ABC, Airmen can now apply their Community College of the Air Force credits toward a

Bachelor's degree from a variety of universities and colleges. This can be accomplished through the Air Force Virtual Education Center which links you to the new AU-ABC program.

The vision of the Air Force is to provide distance learning and baccalaureate degree opportunities to all Airmen. The Air University's near-term goal is to provide enhanced educational opportunities for our enlisted force. The Air Force Portal acts as the gateway to the AU-ABC program which allows students to do everything online.

I encourage all Airmen to apply for their CCAF degree. This includes those Airmen that already have degrees from other institutions. As noted above, a CCAF degree is required for promotion on active duty. It is not a requirement for promotion in the Air National Guard but that may change.

In closing, I would like to ask that if you do have a degree from another institution that you have it entered into your records. Over the last few years there has been a drive to have the enlisted educational levels recorded. Recording your degrees may be helpful when it is time for promotion and it provides valuable statistics for the Air National Guard on enlisted educational levels.

### **Editor's notes:**

For more information on updating your civilian education degree, contact Senior Master Sgt. Steve Beckage at (215) 443-1312 or email [stephen.beckage@ang.af.mil](mailto:stephen.beckage@ang.af.mil).

For additional information pertaining to specific CCAF and AU-ABC degree programs available to Airmen, visit: [www.au.af.mil/au/ccaf/](http://www.au.af.mil/au/ccaf/)



**Command Chief Master Sgt.  
Ralph C. Braden**

# Guardsmen activate Emergency Operations Center

By Tech. Sgts. Jonathan E. White and Elisabeth A. Matulewicz  
111th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

An Emergency Operations Center (EOC) tabletop exercise was held here Mar. 7 where Wing members, who are subject matter experts in their field, responded to simulated scenarios. The EOC was activated and the guardsmen counteracted criminal, terrorist and hazardous materials threats.

If an actual incident does occur on or off base, the installation commander can choose to activate parts or all of the EOC. The EOC serves as the central command center for monitoring and coordinating all responses. It's staffed around the clock and uses the Incident Command System (ICS) to maintain constant situational awareness.

"The EOC has both federal and state missions," Col. Anthony Carrelli, 111th Fighter Wing Commander explained. "In the federal sense, it replaces the SRC that was used in OREs and ORIs while performing training based on Base X scenarios. In terms of the state mission, the EOC is the nerve center for all of the Wing's coordination efforts to support the PA Task Force – East. It pulls all of our resources together to accomplish the oversight required to manage a major event."

"This was a training opportunity for us to gauge where we are against where we're headed," Lt. Col. Joseph Mezzatesta, 111th Mission Support Group Commander and EOC Director explained.

The EOC is equipped with state of the art technology like closed-circuit monitoring systems, phones, laptop computers, high definition televisions and video projectors, which facilitates the flow of information between base, local, and state agencies.

Participation in the EOC isn't limited solely to Wing Staff. All Wing members participate in EOC operations, directly or indirectly.

"It's important for all Wing members to ensure their contact information is current on the recall roster," said Col. Carrelli. "The historic snowfall of 2009-2010 is an example of how we can be tasked at anytime to perform the state mission. Although rare, we must be prepared to participate in state emergencies and disasters. In situations like this, anyone can be placed in a leadership role and called upon to assume duties in the EOC."

**Background:** After the Sept. 11 attacks, it became apparent to the Nation that a common incident management and response plan was needed where all response partners (governmental, nongovernmental and civilian) could communicate,

share resources and work along side one another. In 2004, the Department of Homeland Security developed the National Response Plan (NRP) that established a national, all-hazards approach to handle any domestic incident. Four years later, the NRP was replaced by the National Response Framework (NRF).

Built on the National Incident Management System (NIMS) and the ICS, the NRF facilitates response at any level (local, regional, state or national) and at any time. Its goals are to prevent, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate the effects of an incident, regardless of its cause, size, location or complexity.

In line with the NRF, there are 15 ESFs which can be activated in the EOC: (1) Transportation, (2) Communications, (3) Public Works and Engineering, (4) Firefighting, (5) Emergency Management, (6) Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing and Human Services, (7) Logistics Management and Resource Support, (8) Public Health and Medical Services, (9) Search and Rescue, (10) Oil and Hazardous Materials Response, (11) Agriculture and Natural Resources, (12) Energy, (13) Public Safety and Security, (14) Long-Term Community Recovery, and (15) External Affairs.

"The ESFs are staffed by highly knowledgeable individuals with decision-making authority for their function," said Colonel Mezzatesta.

Leaders should be asking, "Where's the next disaster going to happen?" said General Craig McKinley, chief of the National Guard Bureau, during a domestic operations workshop held last month. "They should be doing a constant self-assessment: Do we have the right equipment, the right training, the right supplies? We're the only organization that's built and resourced and equipped right now in this nation to do this kind of work."

Photo by Staff Sgt. Gordon Beecroft





# 111th Medical Group to fill vacancies



*The 111th MDG has two traditional guardsmen positions which they're looking to fill. Applicants must meet the requirements of ANGI 36-2005 in addition to the following requirements.*

## **Clinical Nurse:**

1. Registered Nurse applicants are exempt from the baccalaureate or higher degree requirement but must be a registered nurse with at least an Associate Degree in Nursing, which is accredited by a nationally recognized nursing accrediting agency. A Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) or higher, is required for ANG promotion and appointment to the grade of captain or above.

2. Registered nurse applicants must be a graduate of an associate degree or baccalaureate degree program in nursing, which is accredited by a nationally recognized nursing accrediting agency.

3. Applicant Packages must include:

- Resume (not a curriculum vitae or biography)
- Certified Transcript of College Credits

4. Note: The select candidate must attend the Commissioned Officer Training Course within 12 months of appointment.

5. Please submit candidate packages to Lt. Col. Preston Smith, Building 236, NLT **10 April, 1600 hours**. Applicants will be contacted on when to meet with the board. Contact Lt. Col. Preston Smith at (215) 443-1847 or [preston.smith@ang.af.mil](mailto:preston.smith@ang.af.mil) with any questions.

## **Medical Service Corps Officer:**

1. Education: The following degrees are acceptable for application into the Medical Service Corps. The degree must be the exact title as listed below:

- Graduate degrees: Health Care Administration, Hospital Administration, Public Administration, Business Administration, Business Management, Information Systems Management, Finance, Accounting, Statistics, Marketing, Economics, or other business related equivalent as specified below.
- Undergraduate degrees: Accounting, Business Administration, Computer Science, Information Systems, Economics, Finance, Health Care Administration, Marketing, Business Management, Public Administration, Clinical or Health Systems Engineering, Operations Research or other business related equivalent as specified below.

- Other business-related degrees: If a degree is not titled exactly as indicated above, applicants may apply with a "business-related" degree. In order to apply under this provision, the degree must be closely related to a business field and applicant must have completed the administrative discipline courses within the related degree. Administrative discipline courses must include at a minimum five core classes: finance, accounting,

statistical analysis, marketing, and economics.

2. Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT)/Graduate Record Examination (GRE) Scores: GMAT/GRE scores from an examination taken within the last five years are required for all applicants.

3. Applicant Packages must include:

- Essay - no longer than one page answering the following two questions:
  - "Why do I desire to become an MSC Officer?"
  - "What do I have to offer the USAF and ANG Medical Service?"
- Performance reports for current/prior military
- Resume (not a curriculum vitae or biography)
- Certified Transcript of college credits

4. Please submit candidate packages to Lt. Col. Preston Smith, Building 236, by **May 15**. Applicants will be contacted on when to meet with the board. Contact Lt. Col. Preston Smith at (215) 443-1847 or email [preston.smith@ang.af.mil](mailto:preston.smith@ang.af.mil) with any questions.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sat, 10 Apr, 1500**

**Sun, 6 Jun, 0900**

**Sun, 6 Jun, 1030**

**Sun, 6 Jun, 1330**

**Sun, 12 Sep, TBD**

**Annual Retirement Ceremony**

**Family Day Events**

**Hometown Heroes Salute Awards Ceremony**

**"End of an Era" (End of Flying) Ceremony**

**Flight of Freedom Awards Ceremony**

**Bldg. 203 HQ Auditorium**

**Flightline Area**

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# Help wanted:

## School supplies wanted for SFS operation

Members from the 111th Security Forces Squadron deployed to The Transit Center at Manas, Kyrgyzstan, are asking their family and fellow Wing members to make donations to improve the quality of a local Kyrgyzstan school the unit has adopted.

The collection will take place from April 1 to May 16, and those who wish to take part in this effort are asked to bring the supplies to Building 219 on base. The donation point of contact is Tech. Sgt. Kenneth Gabor, 111th SFS, who can be reached at (215) 443-1293.

*Note: Stephanie Esposito, a reporter with WFMZ-TV 69 and wife of one of the 111th SFS members, Staff Sgt. Mark Esposito, has written several articles on how families cope with deployments. Her stories can be found at <http://www.wfmz.com/news/22592762/detail.html> and <http://www.wfmz.com/news/22604364/detail.html>.*



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**www.sapr.mil**

Local SARC (Maj. Christine Munch): (215) 443-1410

PA NG 24/7 SARC Hotline: (866) 922-9275

## New Gate Times

Navy Main Gate (on Easton Road) will be closed from 2200-1615 hours but open all other times.

The Air Force Gate (Easton & County Line Roads) will be open every day from 2200 - 1615 hours. It will also be open 0615 - 0815 hours, 1100 - 1300 hours and 1500 - 1745 hours on 111th FW work days.

Any questions concerning gate operation can be answered 24/7 by the Security Forces Desk at (215) 443-1077.

## Meet our people

Senior Airman Jackie Dowd, 103rd Fighter Squadron Aircrew Life Support, packs the helmets for the pilots before the 103rd Fighter Squadron's final deployment to Savannah, Ga.

Airman Dowd is from Doylestown, Pa., and has been with the unit for three years. She is currently employed as a temporary technician and although the unit will no longer maintain a flying mission, Airman Dowd plans to continue a career in the the Air National Guard.

In her spare time, Airman Dowd maintains a healthy lifestyle through regular exercise.



Photo By Tech. Sgt Tyrone Mitchell



# 111th Fighter Wing provides staging ground for CAP training

Story and photos by Staff Sgt. Julie Parker  
111th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

More than 90 Civil Air Patrol (CAP) cadets and their senior leaders arrived early morning March 27 to begin a two-day training program which would test their leadership skills and challenge them to work as a team.

CAP is a volunteer civilian auxiliary of the Air Force. CAP cadets range in age from 12 to 20 years of age. CAP has three primary missions: aerospace education, emergency services and cadet programs.

Best known for its members' work in search and rescue and disaster relief missions, CAP is expanding its role in the 21st century to include an increasing number of homeland security operations and exercises. CAP also performs counterdrug reconnaissance missions at the request of law enforcement agencies and can do radiological monitoring and damage assessment. CAP members undergo rigorous training to perform these missions safely and cost-effectively.



The cadets stand at attention during their graduation ceremony from their weekend training at the 111th Fighter Wing.

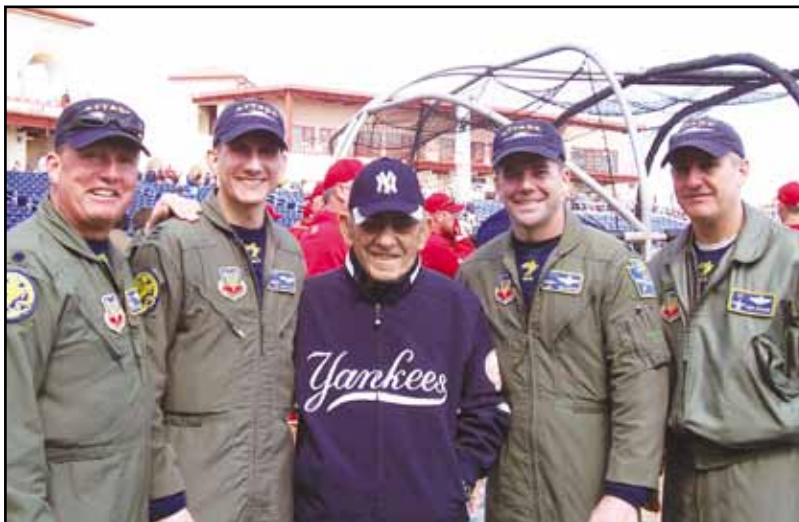


The cadets line up in their respective flights to report to their squadron commander.



Tech. Sgt. Kevin Watson speaks to a group of CAP cadets on the benefits of military training. Both he and Master Sgt. Jack Hill, recruiters with the Wing, were responsible for coordinating and executing the event.

## ...Take me out to the ball game ...



Several A-10 pilots from the 103rd Fighter Squadron pose with New York Yankees Hall of Fame catcher Yogi Berra, center, before the Philadelphia Phillies face the New York Yankees in a spring training baseball game Mar. 4 at Brighthouse Field, in Clearwater, Fla. The members will be performing a three-ship A-10 flyover during the opening games.

Shown left to right: Lt. Col. Scott "Spartacus" Hreso, Capt. John "Monkey" Howley, Lt. Col. William "Griff" Griffin and Col. Howard "Chip" Eissler.



# In memory of Vincent Russo

## Courtesy of the Intelligencer

Vincent Russo of Warminster passed away Tuesday, March 2, 2010, at Abington Hospice at Warminster in Warminster. He was 69.

He was born Feb. 17, 1941 in Brooklyn, N.Y., a son of the late Frank Maranto and Margaret Maranto. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five



siblings: Anthony Russo, Gennaro Russo, Carlo Russo, Vincent Russo, and John Russo; and one aunt, Theresa Russo, all of Brooklyn.

He was a loving father and husband and is survived by his wife, Melanie Russo of Warminster; one son, Sean Russo and his wife, Nina, of Quakertown; one daughter, Tiffany Russo of Warminster; one grandson, Giacomo Russo of



Quakertown; and seven siblings: Josephine Vasquez, Agnes Dones, Anna Impigliazzo, Susan Zimmerman, Ferdinand Russo, Albert Russo, and Gaetano Russo, all of Brooklyn.

Mr. Russo was a [facilities technician] at the Willow Grove Air Force Base, and a member and faithful usher for Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church.

Vince's vision for many years was to restore The Lost Grotto in Warminster. He poured many hours of time and energy into making sure it was brought back to its former glory. The Lost Grotto was a very passionate project of his.

### Editor's note:

*The 111th Fighter Wing would like to offer its deepest condolences to Mr. Russo's family and friends. Vinnie has been a familiar face to our Wing since 1999 and will be sorely missed.*

## Meet our people

Tech. Sgt. Evan Kent, 270th Engineering Installation Squadron Airfield Systems Technician, installs a ladder rack on a cable assembly that will be used in training.

Sergeant Kent lives in Philadelphia, Pa., and has been with the unit for six years. His future goal is to complete his associate's degree from the Community College of the Air Force then go on to obtain a bachelor's degree in Technical Management from DeVry University.



Photo by Tech. Sgt. Tyrone Mitchell

## TOP ACHIEVERS

Senior Airman  
Jason Bacchus

Senior Airman Jason Bacchus, 201st RED HORSE Squadron, Det. 1, was named Distinguished Graduate upon completion of USAF Food Services/ Diet Therapy Course. The award is given in recognition of a distinguished graduate for superior academic achievement and high standards of leadership, teamwork and character.

## Security Forces First Sergeant awarded for outstanding duty

Senior Master Sgt. John Lyon, First Sergeant of the 111th Security Forces Squadron, recently returned from a deployment from Qatar. He was assigned to the 379th Air Expeditionary Wing, known as the Grand Slam Wing, is one of the largest, most diverse expeditionary wings in the Air Force. They provide combat airpower and support for the Global War on Terrorism in Operations Iraqi Freedom, Enduring Freedom and the Joint Task Force Horn of Africa. The wing and its associate units operate more than 100 aircraft, making the base a large hub for humanitarian airlift activity while providing mission-essential combat power, aero medical evacuation and intelligence support for three theaters of operations.

Sergeant Lyon volunteered for AEF 7/8 and was assigned as the first sergeant of the 379th Expeditionary Aircraft Maintenance Squadron. The squadron had over 500 Airmen taking care of a multitude of airframes. The fast-paced and continuously rotating environment of Airmen from all bases and components is the reason the Grand Slam Wing received the Meritorious Unit Commendation while he was deployed there. Sergeant Lyon was also awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal (first oak leaf cluster) for his outstanding achievement and dedication to duty as a first sergeant for the Airmen he served during this deployment.



## Family Readiness Group information:

### HERE'S TO THE HEROES

Under the Here's to the Heroes program, any active duty, activated or drilling reservist, or National Guardsman and up to three direct dependents are entitled to one, free single-day admission to a variety of amusement parks during 2010. Dependents may take advantage of the offer without their service-member, though an adult must accompany minor dependents, and dependent ages 10 and over must present valid dependent I.D.

This offer is valid for one complimentary single-day admission per person, per year, during the regular operating schedules at one of the following: SeaWorld Orlando, San Diego, or San Antonio, Busch Gardens Tampa Bay or Williamsburg, Sesame Place, Water Country USA, Adventure Island. For more information, visit [www.herosalute.com](http://www.herosalute.com).

## Child care available to military members

Child care is being offered for qualifying military members through various agencies. For more information on agencies offering these services, visit the following links:

[www.naccrra.org/MilitaryPrograms/operation-military-child-care.php](http://www.naccrra.org/MilitaryPrograms/operation-military-child-care.php).

[www.militaryonesource.com/MOS/Tools/MilitaryRecreationMWR/YMCAProgramMWR/YMCARespite-ChildCare.aspx](http://www.militaryonesource.com/MOS/Tools/MilitaryRecreationMWR/YMCAProgramMWR/YMCARespite-ChildCare.aspx).

# MOVING UP MOVING IN MOVING OUT

## PROMOTIONS

### To 1st Lt

Carl J. Thompson II 111th FW

### To Senior Master Sgt.

Stephen Beckage 111th FSS  
Rick C. Tressler 111th MXG

### To Tech. Sgt.

Joshua J. Aduddell 111th MXS  
Nathan A. Gretzinger 111th MXS

### To Staff Sgt.

Jonathan D. Gill 201st RHS, Det. 1  
Sean Hodges 111th LRS

### To Senior Airman

Benjamin F. Rivell 111th CF  
Jared T. Tobolski 111th CF

## ENLISTMENTS

Tech. Sgt. Christopher B. Ward 201st RHS, Det. 1  
Staff Sgt. Robb McKnight 201st RHS, Det. 1  
Senior Airman Joshua Cabrera 201st RHS, Det. 1  
A1C James Derbyshire 201st RHS, Det. 1  
A1C Ibn Omar Spence 201st RHS, Det. 1

## EXTENSIONS

Master Sgt. Robert Peifer 270th EIS  
Tech. Sgt. William Leggett 111th FSS  
Staff Sgt. Daniel Dawson 201st RHS, Det. 1

## RE-ENLISTMENTS

Master Sgt. Wendy Turner 111th LRS  
Tech. Sgt. Martin Peterson 111th SFS  
Staff Sgt. Tania Kennedy 270th EIS  
Staff Sgt. Christine Kohler 111th FSS  
Staff Sgt. Corey Pierce 270th EIS  
Staff Sgt. Dustin Unger 111th AMXS  
Staff Sgt. Sheika Wilcox 111th LRS  
Senior Airman Alfred Mardt 201st RHS, Det. 1

Master Sgt. Scott M. Hamilton 111th MXM 23 Years  
Master Sgt. Catherine A. Miller 111th MDG 25 Years  
Tech. Sgt. Johnnie H. Lewis 111th LRS 33 Years

## UTA WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Protestant Service will be held at 8:30 a.m. in Building 320, Room 228. An additional Protestant Service will be held at 10:30 a.m. in Building 203, Room 203.

Catholic Service will be held at 10:00 in Building 203 Auditorium.

The Chaplain's Office is located in Building 203, Room 204-205 on the second floor and can be reached at (215) 443-1534.

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### FY 10 UTAs:

10-11 April 2010  
15-16 May 2010  
5-6 July 2010  
10-11 July 2010  
7-8 August 2010  
11-12 September 2010

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### TAKE A LOOK!

Photos from unit events are updated and posted on Y: drive at Y:\111fw Shared\Photos



# Congratulations!



*to Senior Airman Jermaine  
Graham, 111th Medical Group,  
and his wife Mendy, on their new baby,  
Mya Anne Graham  
born March 7 at 6 lbs, 5 oz.*

*to Staff Sgt. Matt Heller, 111th  
Maintenance Squadron, and his wife  
Jennifer, on their new baby,  
Jacob William Heller  
born Feb. 25 at 7 lbs, 7 oz.*



## Statewide News:

View newsletters of our sister units:

193rd Special Operations Wing  
"The Scope"

<http://www.193sow.ang.af.mil>

171st Air Refueling Wing  
"Tanker Times"

<http://www.171arw.ang.af.mil>

Pa. Guardians Magazine

<http://guardians.aqppublishing.com>

## National News:

On Guard Magazine

Published every Jan., April, July, Oct.

<http://www.ngb.army.mil/news/theonguard>

Airman Magazine

Published bi-monthly and now  
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