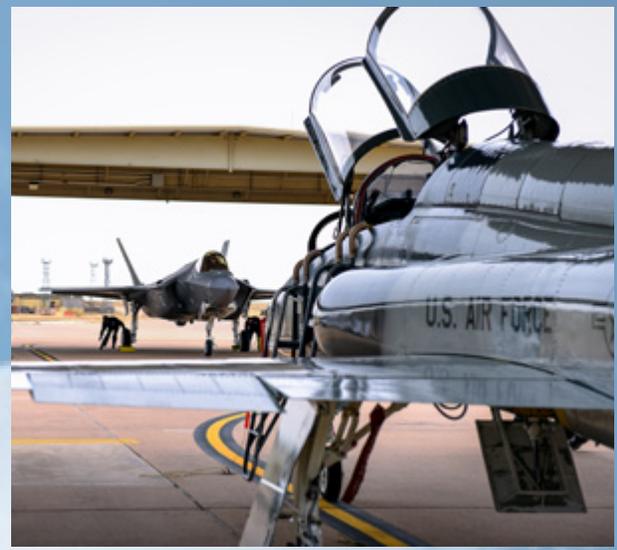




# SHEPPARD IN PHOTOS

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# WORD ON THE TWEET

#DYK for +50 years, the #B52 has been the backbone of the America's manned strategic bomber force, capable of dropping the widest array

Laying down a runway in the Sahara is no small feat for @USAFCENT Red Horse #Airmen, who are getting the job

What other job offers a view like this? It takes a steady hand and a good eye to align a fuel line between two fast-mov-



Have content for The Herd? Submit requests by close of business Wednesday.

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## EVENTS

**Free Bowling**  
Monday through Friday  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
South Lanes

**Glass Fusing**  
Today  
5-7 p.m.  
Bldg. 430

**Canvas Creations**  
Jan. 11 at 6-9 p.m.  
Feb. 7 at 12-3 p.m.  
Feb. 8 at 6-9 p.m.  
Bldg. 430

**Kids Chopped Night**  
Jan. 11  
6-10 p.m.  
Youth Center

**24th Annual MLK, JR Basketball Tournament**  
Jan. 19-20  
8 a.m.  
Levitow and Pitsenbarger Fitness Centers

**Texas Rangers Caravan**  
Jan. 24  
2-3 p.m.  
Bldg. 430

**Parents Night Out**  
Jan. 26  
6-11 p.m.  
Youth Center

**Football Party**  
Feb. 3  
Doors open 1 hours prior to kick off  
Sheppard Club



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## SAFETY CORNER

### The Dangers of Driving with Cloudy Headlights

by Mike Seekamp,

82nd Training Wing Safety Office

Have you looked at the headlights on your vehicle(s) lately? New research from AAA reveals that clouded or yellowed headlights generate only 20 percent of the amount of light that new headlights do, leading to dangerous nighttime driving conditions. This decrease is caused by sunlight damage to protective plastic coatings, resulting in discoloration that considerably diminishes the headlight's ability to provide adequate light on dark roadways. With 50 percent of crashes occurring at night, AAA urges drivers to check their headlights for signs of deterioration and invest in new headlights or, at a minimum, a low-cost service to boost the safety of driving after dark.

"Walk through any parking lot and it is evident that deteriorated headlights are a problem for most vehicle owners," said Greg Brannon, AAA's director of Automotive Engineering and Industry Relations. "Headlights on the road in the U.S., even when new, don't produce a sufficient amount of lighting, so any reduction in performance is a real safety issue."

#### AAA Recommendations

Routinely check headlights for signs of discoloration, such as a yellowed or cloudy appearance. If it's difficult to see the bulb through the lens, have the headlights replaced or restored as soon as possible.

Replacement and restoration services are available at most repair shops. Do-it-yourself restoration offers some savings for consumers, is relatively simple, and provides a sufficient improvement in light output (up to 70% improvement).

Make sure headlights are properly re-aimed to maximize forward lighting performance and minimize glare to oncoming and preceding motorists.

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



## **63RD ANNUAL UNIVERSITY KIWANIS PANCAKE FESTIVAL**

- Volunteers needed to cook, serve, drinks, crowd control, bus tables for approximately 14,000 attendees
- Saturday, Jan. 26, 2019, 6 a.m.-6 p.m. at the Bridwell Ag Barn near the MPEC.
- Volunteers should dress according to the weather, because there is no heat in the building.
- For more information please contact Phil Brooks at 940-228-0420 or email at pbrooks817@aol.com

## **HUMANE SOCIETY OF WICHITA FALLS**

- Seeking energetic volunteers to interact and exercise with second chance dogs and cats who are waiting to be adopted to their new FURR-ever home
- Seeking volunteers with special skills in general facility maintenance (electrical, carpentry, HVAC, etc.)
- Seeking volunteers who are interested in helping to update and manage the Humane Society's Facebook and other social media
- For more information please contact Cheryl Miller at 940-855-4941 or email director@humanesocietyofwichitacounty.org/If you are interested please text Paul Cancino at 915-274-9869/Stop by any time Monday thru Saturday 11 a.m.-6 p.m.: 4360 Old Iowa Park Road Wichita Falls, Texas, 76305.

## **SPECIAL OLYMPICS POLAR PLUNGE**

- Seeking energetic volunteers for teams and volunteers, Feb. 2, 2019 at Boomtown Bay in Burkburnett
- Volunteers for point of contacts from now until Feb. 1, 2019
- Volunteers for Teams Feb. 2, 2019 at 8 a.m.
- For more information please contact Tech. Sgt. Justin McKee at 940-676-5897 or email at justin.p.mckee.mil@mail.mil

## **COWBOY TRUE, ARTS COUNCIL WICHITA FALLS AREA**

- Volunteers needed for traffic and parking assistance, March 29th and 30th at the Bridwell Ag Center.
- Contact Jerry Smyers at 940-631-2589 for more information.

## **AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMITTEE**

- Volunteers to help with planning events and activities
- Enhance cross-cultural and cross-gender awareness
- Promote harmony, pride, teamwork, and esprit de corps among military members, families, and civilians.
- For more information, contact Tim Hart at 940-733-5103 or email tim.hart.1@us.af.mil

## **FAITH REFUGE**

- Volunteers needed for the local homeless shelter for women and children and various projects.
- For more information, contact Sherry Hill at 940-322-4673/2017

## **AIRMEN AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (A2D2) VOLUNTEERS**

- Volunteers to cover CQ duty, drivers and escorts
- Friday and Saturday nights; volunteer shifts are from 10:30 p.m.-2:30 a.m.
- Located at Sheppard Lodging for CQ duty and on-call for drivers and escorts. email SheppardAADD@us.af.mil

## **SATURDAY BUILD DAYS**

- Help build a home for a local family
- Every Saturday - 8 a.m.-noon, 1-4:30 p.m.
- Located at designated Habitat Build site
- Scope of work will change each weekend as we complete stages of construction. For more information contact Dan at 940-716-9300 or volunteer at [www.vol-habitat@habitatwf.com](http://www.vol-habitat@habitatwf.com)

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



## WICHITA FALLS COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

- Concerts held throughout the year volunteer times: WFCO rehearses Monday nights at 7 p.m.
- We welcome all musicians (especially strings).
- Formal auditions are not required. Good rehearsals mean good performances although we realize not everyone can attend every rehearsal, we do require a sincere level of commitment.
- To sign up or for more information email [WFCCommunityOrchestra@gmail.com](mailto:WFCCommunityOrchestra@gmail.com) or visit [www.wichitafallscommunityorchestra.com](http://www.wichitafallscommunityorchestra.com)

## PRODUCE EXPRESS BAGS

- Help to assemble fresh produce for distribution
- Any Tuesday or Wednesday; Volunteer Times: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Located at 1230 Midwestern Parkway
- For more information email [betsilujan@wfafb.org](mailto:betsilujan@wfafb.org). To sign up call 940-766-2322 or email [wendellgriffin@wfafb.org](mailto:wendellgriffin@wfafb.org)

**Big Brothers, Big Sisters** 940-767-2447 or [wfinfo@bbbstx.org](mailto:wfinfo@bbbstx.org)

**Children's Aid Society** 940-322-3141

**Christmas in Action** 940-696-9393

**Faith Mission** 940-723-5663

**Faith Mission Donation Center** 940-766-0705

**Faith Refuge** 940-322-4673

**First Step** 940-723-1646

**Food Bank** 940-766-2322

**Sheppard AFB Thrift Shop** 940-676-3173 or DSN 736-3173

**Habitat for Humanity** 940-716-9300

**Patsy's House** 940-723-1646

**Boys and Girls Club of Wichita Falls and  
Burkburnett** 940-322-2012

**Read 2 Learn January Jones** 940-235-1009  
or [jbjones@wfishd.net](mailto:jbjones@wfishd.net)

**Salvation Army** 940-687-2051

**Wichita Falls Adult Literacy Council** 940-  
766-1954

**Wichita Falls Area Food Bank** 940-766-  
2322 [terrymorton@wfafb.org](mailto:terrymorton@wfafb.org)

**Wild Bird Rescue** 940-691-0828 or  
[paige29072@yahoo.com](mailto:paige29072@yahoo.com)

**Whispers of Hope** 940-696-8044

# News Notes



## Public affairs streamlining multimedia work order process

- Support for graphics, video and command information products will begin once an AF IMT 833 is submitted to public affairs by email to 82.trw.pav@us.af.mil. Products approved for public affairs support include still photography, motion photography, audio, video, photo and broadcast journalism products, and graphics as well as news and feature articles to be published on the Sheppard Air Force Base public website at [www.sheppard.af.mil](http://www.sheppard.af.mil).
- Requesters must complete items 7-12, 16-22, and 24 on the AF IMT 833. Work will not be authorized until the requester completes each field as required. This is to ensure the public affairs staff has the most accurate and descriptive information needed to successfully complete the request.
- Customers needing official photos can call the photo studio at 940-676-6620 or 940-676-2732 to schedule an appointment. An AF IMT 833 will be filled out electronically during the appointment.
- The AF IMT 833 can be downloaded [here](#) or by going to the Public Affairs page on the Sheppard AFB public website. Call 940-676-7239 for more information.

## Child Development Center and School Age Care payment changes

- Effective Jan. 7, 2019 cash and checks will no longer be accepted as a form of payment for the Child Development Center and School Age Care payments. The approved method for payment processing will be through Orbital. Please see the front desk to fill out an authorization form. For more information please contact the CDC at 676-2038 or the Youth Center at 676-5437.

## LRS Staging Area

- There is no DRMO or RIPL capabilities on base. DLA Disposition Services has left Sheppard.
- LRS Staging Area: Bldg. 2135, do not stop, drop and run. Call for an appointment at 940-676-4934/6540
- Will provide wood skids and securing material.
  - Accepted Assets: Serviceable furniture, LRS requires 60-day lead for large quantity of one item/ more than one room of furniture and anything with an NSN.
  - Not Accepted Assets: Unserviceable or broken furniture. Dismantle and recycle appropriate assets and place rest in dumpster.
- Customer responsibilities are: schedule an appointment, deliver assets to staging area, provide manpower, purge all assets that require it, and provide certification.
- Civil Engineer Recycling Center accepted assets are: solid wood and metal. Contact your facility manager for a complete list of assets.

## Finance Office Hours

- The Finance Office will be closed for training every third Wednesday of the month beginning on Jan. 16, 2019. Customer service hours on those days will be 1-4 p.m. As a reminder, customer service hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, with Tuesdays from 4-6 p.m. reserved for our AiT population. For more information call 940-676-4866.

## Summary Court Officer

It is with deep regret that we announce the untimely demise of Senior Airman Zachary Shane Montgomery of the 80th Operations Support Squadron, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas 76311. Maj. David N. Andrews, duty phone 940-676-5617 or 940-676-4948, has been appointed Summary Court Officer. All claims for or against the deceased's estate must be submitted to the Summary Courts Officer, 80th OSS/ADO 940-676-5617.