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## Air Force sports seeks male, female softball players

The Air Force is looking for men and women for 2019 Air Force Softball Trial Camps. The men's camp is at Eglin AFB, Florida, and the women's is at Hurlburt Field, Florida. Both camps are July 25 – Aug. 11. Applications are due no later than June 3 for coaching staffs and June 10 for athletes. Active-duty, guard and reserve members can apply through the APPTRAC system.

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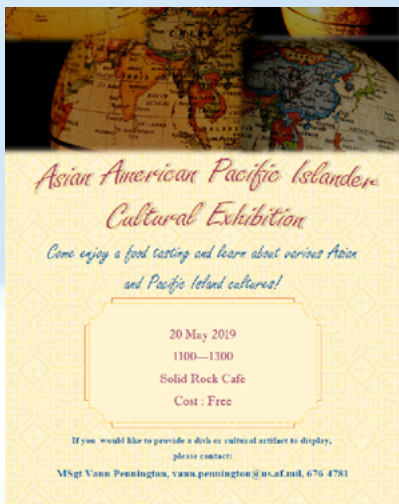


## Texas native earns ACE award

By Airman 1st Class Madeleine E. Remillard

Through hard work and dedication, Airman 1st Class Stiphany Y. Cumbal, 363rd Training Squadron maintenance management production apprentice course student and Texas native, earned the prestigious ACE award. The award is given to Airmen who maintain a 100% average throughout the entire 33-training-day course.

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## Police Week May 13-17 2019

**Tune into Sheppard AFB's Facebook on updates and events honoring those who protect and serve.**



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## WORD ON THE TWEET

[@GenDaveGoldfein](#) hosted an unveiling ceremony of a newly created display at the Pentagon to honor the 20th anniversary of the successful

They have been known by many names: cops, police, security forces, guardians of the gate & defenders. Read how the @RAFMildenhall SFS #Airmen accom-

[@AirNatlGuard](#) showcases global reach in #Greenland. Read below for more info. @CTNationalGuard <https://www.dvidshub.net/news/320780/>



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## SAFETY CORNER

### 2019 Air Force Fall Prevention Focus

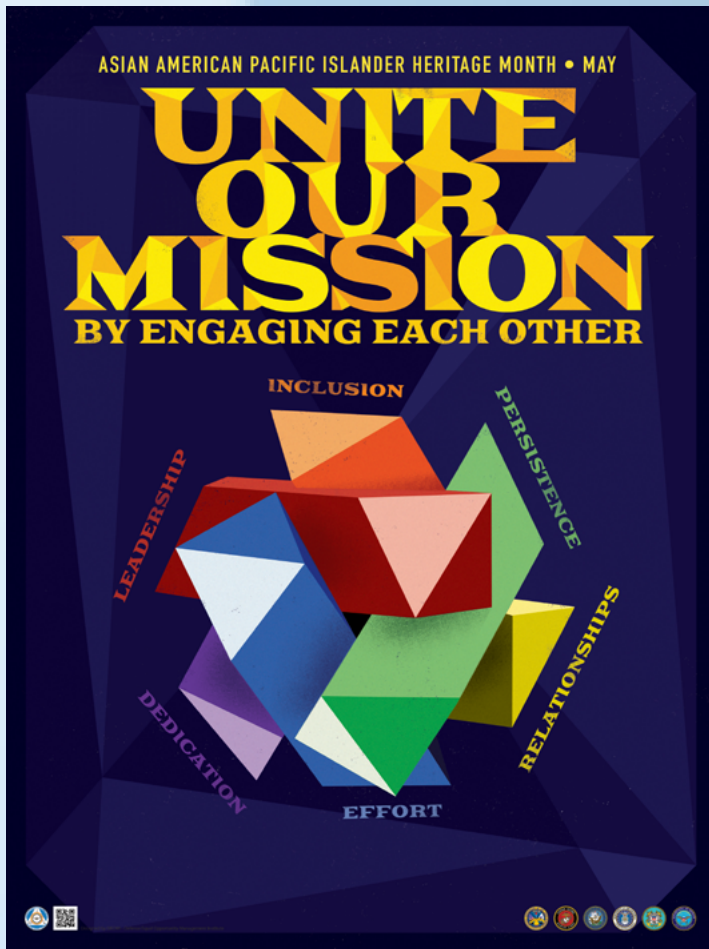
by Derek Sonnier  
82nd Training Wing Safety Office

One Airman lost to a fall mishap is one too many. Since 2013 there have been 24 fatalities and permanent disabilities caused by on and off-duty falls in the Air Force. That's one of the many reasons we are passionate about fall prevention. For the sixth year in a row, we are partnering with OSHA to highlight fall hazards and prevention measures. Take some time out to participate using this year's Air Force theme, "The Right Way!"

#### Fall Prevention Tips

- Clean up all spills immediately
- Stay off freshly mopped floors
- Secure electrical and phone cords out of traffic areas
- Remove small throw rugs or use non-skid mats to keep them from slipping
- Keep frequently used items in easily reachable areas
- Wear shoes with good support and slip-resistant soles
- Arrange furniture to provide open walking pathways
- Keep drawers and cabinet doors closed at all times
- Install handrails on all staircases on both sides
- Remove tripping hazards (paper, boxes, books, clothes, toys, shoes) from stairs and walkways
- If you have young children, install gates at the top and bottom of stairs (unlatch the gate in order to pass – don't climb over them)
- Ensure adequate lighting both indoors and outdoors
- Remove debris from exterior walkways
- Adjust gutter downspouts to drive water away from pathways
- Periodically check the condition of walkways and steps, and repair damages immediately
- Never stand on a chair, table or other on wheels

Source and additional information: [https://cs2.eis.af.mil/sites/10178/Pages/Focus2.aspx?SEG\\_Tags=FP\\_Focus\\_2019](https://cs2.eis.af.mil/sites/10178/Pages/Focus2.aspx?SEG_Tags=FP_Focus_2019)



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**Contact: SrA Matthew Graves**  
for more information on  
events and ways you can participate



# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



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

- Volunteers to cover CQ duty, drivers and escorts
- Friday and Saturday nights 2030 - 0030
- Drivers and Escorts: Will get a call from CQ at 2030 to verify they are still available to be a driver or an escort. When CQ receives a request for a ride, CQ will call both driver and escort. Driver will pick up escort first, and then pick up requester.
- For CQ: CQ will be at Sheppard INN by 2030 and get an AADD binder from Sheppard INN front desk. The binder has a list of volunteers (driver and escorts) and procedures for CQ. Food will be provided at Sheppard INN for CQ volunteers.
- If you are interested in volunteering please contact HWANG, JAEBEOM SrA USAF AETC 82 CPTS/FO to schedule your shift!

## **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](mailto: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.

## **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

## **THE UPSIDE**

- Volunteer group to assist families who have children with Downs Syndrome.
- Monthly meetings are held with guest speakers to provide information on their services.
- Parents can share experiences with other parents
- For more information email [misti@theupsideWF.org](mailto:misti@theupsideWF.org) or visit the website [www.theupsidewf.org](http://www.theupsidewf.org)

## **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](mailto:www.vol-habitat@habitatwf.com)

## **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)

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## **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@wfid.net](mailto:jbjones@wfid.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



## **Military Testing Services Temporary Closure 1-17 May, CDC and limited FAA test dates still available**

The base testing office will be conducting WAPS examinations during 1-17 May. During this period all military testing will be off-line including: DLPT, DLAB, AFCT, AFOQT, EPME, etc. CDC EOC Exams will continue as normal. Specific FAA exams will be administered on the following Fridays 10 and 17 May. All normal testing operations should resume after the WAPS testing cycle has ended on 17 May.

## **2019 CCAF Spring Graduation Ceremony**

This year's Spring Graduation Ceremony will be on 21 May at 1400 hrs. The ceremony will take place in building 1900 NCOA large auditorium.

## **Time to prepare for EOY process**

Although it feels like we just closed out Fiscal Year 2018, the current fiscal year closeout will hit you before you know it. Unit resource management and mission requirement owners should begin working with the 82nd Contracting Squadron as soon as possible to start building their End-of-Year requirement list. If you are aware of a requirement, it is never too early to begin preparation and coordination with your local contracting and finance offices. In fact, the earlier you are prepared, the more likely your chances are to receive additional funding for requirements prior to end of year should funding come down. The earlier a requirement is identified, the earlier the acquisition process begins, the greater the likelihood of success to create more positive opportunities for your organization to achieve project goals and objectives. Units are encouraged to have their requirements completed and submitted by June 17, 2019.

## **Recruitment & Cross Training**

Are you thinking considering cross training? If you find yourself at a career crossroads, and are interested in learning more about the Manpower career field, give us a call or stop by, we will be glad to discuss it with you further. If you possess a strong desire for outside the box thinking, are currently in a balanced or over-age AFSC, and in the grades of E-4 through E-7, with 4-to-15 years of service, you might be qualified for this opportunity. Contact Jim Getchell at 676-4935 to find out more.

## **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.

## **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.