



COMMANDERS COMMENTS



Acknowledgement & Respect

By Col Mark Chidley Commander, 132d Wing

On June 1, 1954, Congress passed an amendment to change the name of Armistice Day to Veterans Day so November 11th could become a day to honor American veterans of all wars, and not just those of World War One. Later that fall, President Eisenhower issued a proclamation stating that on November 11th "let us solemnly remember the sacrifices of all those who fought so valiantly, on the seas, in the air, and on foreign shores, to preserve our heritage of freedom." This holiday is about each of us currently serving at the 132d Wing, and all those who proceeded us in uniform. It is a day to acknowledge our sacrifices and pay respect to all of us willing to defend our country with our lives. I encourage you to participate in a Veterans Day event and to humbly accept the thanks of your fellow citizens.

Another opportunity to recognize the members of the 132d Wing will happen on Saturday morning of November Drill when we will acknowledge many of our fellow Airmen for their accomplishments over the past year during the Annual Awards Ceremony. It is the one time a year that the entire Wing gathers in one place as a team and I genuinely look forward to it. I will also hold a commander's call after the awards ceremony to recap the events of FY19 and discuss our vision for FY20. Please be in your seats by 0715, and unless you are on mission, this is an old fashioned mandatory event. So please be prepared to enjoy it!

Hopefully everyone is also aware that Saturday night is our Second Biennial Wing Military Ball. Over 450 people have signed up for the event at the Sheraton Hotel at 1800 50th Street in West Des Moines. The Social Hour starts at 1730 and the fun runs until 2200. Our planning committee has done a great job putting this together and it should be a great time. Please come ready to have fun, and just as importantly, with a plan to get home if you are drinking. Don't make a bad decision that can have disastrous consequences for you, or worse yet, another driver. The final event over drill is the Medical Group's Frequent Deployer lines. If you don't know when you are scheduled to process through, please check first thing on Saturday.

Finally, thank you to everyone who participated in the Resiliency Tactical Pause events so far this fall. Your feedback is appreciated. This is another part of our continuing effort to increase all of our ability to bounce back from hard situations. We all have stuff going on in our lives outside of work, on top of the stress of our jobs, which can sometimes seem unmanageable. Please keep looking left and right and in the mirror and then help each other get help when we need it. Thank you for serving strong at the 132d Wing.

Have a great drill weekend! And remember to fall back an hour for Daylight Savings on Saturday night!

**On the cover: Maj. Gen. Ben Corell the Adjutant General, looks at one of the Domestic Operations display's during a base tour October 24, 2019, at 132d Wing Des Moines, Iowa.

(Photo by Staff Sgt. Michael Kelly)



EVENTS AND SOCIAL MEDIA



Friday 1600, TSgt Ashley Malone Promotion to MSgt, MDG Classroom

UTA Weekend Events - Saturday

- 0730, 132d Wing Annual Awards Ceremony & Commanders Call, West hangar (inplace at 0715)
- 1500, Catholic Mass, Chapel
- 1500, MSgt Charles Chardoulias Promotion to SMSgt, Snake Pit Classroom
- 1530, MSgt Mathew Ernst Promotion to SMSgt, Defender Classroom
- 1730, 132d Wing Military Ball, Sheraton Hotel West Des Moines

UTA Weekend Events - Sunday

- 1100, Protestant Worship, Chapel
- 1400 & 1500, Wellness Class, BX Cardio Room



132d Wing member explains equipment to Maj. Gen. Ben Corell during a DOMOPS tour October 24, 2019, at 132d Wing Des Moines, Iowa. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Michael Kelly)

Show off your 132nd Wing pride by following us on our different social media accounts. Tag us in appropriate photos and like ours. It's a good way to see the past and present and knowing events for the future. Don't forget your OPSEC rules.





PROMOTIONS, ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES



Arrival

TSgt	Richmond, Matthew	ISRG	17-Oct-19
SSgt	Norris, Gary	ISRG	4-Oct-19
SSgt	Collogan, Kelsey	SFS	2-Oct-19
SSgt	Genz, Tyler	ATKS	15-Oct-19
SSgt	Lucas, Justin	ISRG	28-Oct-19
SrA	Arens, Sara	ATKS	1-Oct-19
AB	Seitz, Margaret	ISRG	5-Oct-19
AB	Mundil, Joseph	LRS	3-Oct-19
AB	Howe, Chase	ATKS	18-Oct-19

I AM AN A**Departure** AIRMAN. My Mission is to fly, fight, and win.

Lt Col	Opp, Bradley	ATKS	30-Sep-19
Lt Col	Winekauf, Tonja	MDG	9-Oct-19
SMSgt	Starmer, Rebecca	CF	30-Sep-19
MSgt	Nielsen, Stanley	COS	31-Oct-19
MSgt	Boozell, Curtis	ISRG	30-Sep-19
MSgt	Becker, Brian	CES	9-Oct-19
TSgt	Rogers, Lawayne	LRS	27-Sep-19
TSgt	Curtis, John	233 IS	1-Oct-19
TSgt	Rousseau, Joshua	MSG	25-Oct-19
SSgt	Nelson, Ross	SFS	19-Aug-19
SrA	Oetker, Zachary	LRS	1-Oct-19

Promotion

Maj	Niewenhuis, Brandon	24-Oct-19
Maj	Shupe, Eric	24-Oct-19
TSgt	Larue, Cory	15-Oct-19
TSgt	Kelly, Jonathan	15-Oct-19
SSgt	Merrifield, Scarlett	15-Oct-19
SSgt	Schuette, Kattie	1-Nov-19
SSgt	Hayes, Matthew	1-Nov-19
SrA	Pfiefer, Trenton	1-Nov-19
SrA	Brooks, Cory	1-Nov-19
SrA	Brown, Joshua	1-Nov-19



DFAC MENU



Main Line Short Line Saturday Saturday Ribs Chicken Sandwich BBQ Pulled Pork Guacamole Mac N Cheese Onion Rings Corn Mix Veggie Dessert Dinner Rolls Brownies Sunday Assorted Pies Turkey Ham Sunday · Mashed Potato w/ Gravy Stuffing Chili Dog Corn French Fries Green Bean Casserole Italian Wedding Soup

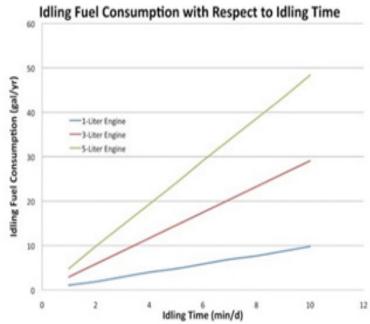


ENVIRONMENTAL



Sometimes you really want to let your car warm up





For all the rest of the time, it only takes 30-60 seconds for the fluids to warm up enough to drive. A better (and faster) way to warm your vehicle is to simply drive off slowly. City ordinances limiting vehicle idling are becoming more common. Reducing idling has benefits for air quality, public health, and it saves money.



SAFTEY



November Safety Focus Area

Winter Safety Tips

- Take it slow and stretch out before you begin.¹
- · Lift with your legs, not your back
- · Push the snow rather than lift it
- If your blower jams, turn it off before removing the jammed snow.¹
- Refuel your snow blower when it is off, never when it is running!



¹-<u>nsc.org 2dnr.state.mn.us</u>

Winter Driving
Safety Tip 1:
Don't wait
until winter's
in full swing
to get your car
checked!

- · Get your car checked out BEFORE the first snow fall.
- To avoid carbon monoxide poisoning make sure you move your vehicle out of the garage when you start it.
- Make sure to have a survival kit in your vehicle in case you get stuck somewhere.
- Keep your gas tank above half full.
- If at all possible avoid driving in a storm. If you can, wait it out till the storm has passed.
- Increase your following distance to 8-10 seconds and accelerate and decelerate slowly.
- If possible, try not to stop while going uphill.
- You can find more safety tips at nsc.org.



CHIEF'S CORNER



132d ISRG Fulfills Wing Commanders Initiative!

By Chief Master Sgt. James Holwegner

Fifteen Airmen of the 132d Intelligence Surveillance Reconnaissance Group took leave on Friday afternoon, October 18th, to volunteer at the Mid-Iowa Council Fred Maytag II Scout Center in Des Moines, Iowa. The team performed landscape work for the Maytag Center in preparation for winter, removing old mulch, weeds, fabric and then covering the areas with new mulch.

"It looks great and was very timely as we had a regional training event here on Saturday where just under 100 people from surrounding states came," said Dan Maier, Mid-Iowa Council Camp Director.

The Scout Center provided the material and tools for this event and the 132d ISRG provided the labor. The Maytag Center services the surrounding 20 counties, has 20 thousand users per year and the Mid-Iowa Council supports over 20 thousand scouts.

"Volunteering for the scouts is important to me because the boy scouts program does so much for the community and it is rewarding to be able to help them out when they need it," said Airman 1st Class Teara Jones, 132d ISRG.



(Pictured Left to Right-Front Row: SMSgt Corey Wade, TSgt John Molitor, TSgt Dereck Bolles, SrA Justin Streif, A1C Tom Zimmer, A1C Teara Jones, Capt Justin Wiebbecke, (Back Row) SMSgt Ken Bailey, CMSgt Jim Holwegner, MSgt Jason Wonderlich, MSgt Steve Edwards, MSgt Marc Ortiz, SMSgt Jake Hermanson, MSgt Keith Harms, SMSgt Chris Sprott)





Friday, Nov 8th, 2019 3rd Annual Veteran's Day CLEP-a-thon!

Earn FREE College credit!
This event is open to all Iowa ANG members

To sign up, contact the Education Office:

SMSgt Gary Burch (515) 261-8536 gary.l.burch4.mil@mail.mil

Testing Location:
Purdue University Global
Urbandale Campus
4655 121st Street
Urbandale, IA 50323





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DRILL STATUS GUARDSMEN POSITION

132 Wing Des Moines Air National Guard Base, Des Moines Iowa

Must be a current member of the

132d WING

132d Force Support Squadron

Student Flight NCOIC

3F251

Staff Sergeant (E-5) or promotable SrA (E-4)

Application deadline:

3 November, 2019

Application Checklist:

-ASVAB minimum M: A: 62 G: E:

-Able to obtain SECRET Clearance

-P: 3 U: 3 L: 3 H: 3 E: 3 S: 3

Ability to speak distinctly.

-Will be required to attend E3ALR3F231 01A1 school at Keesler AFB (35 academic days)

Enlisted position – Packet to include ASVAB/AFCT scores, military and/or civilian resume, and letter of recommendation.

Send completed packet to:

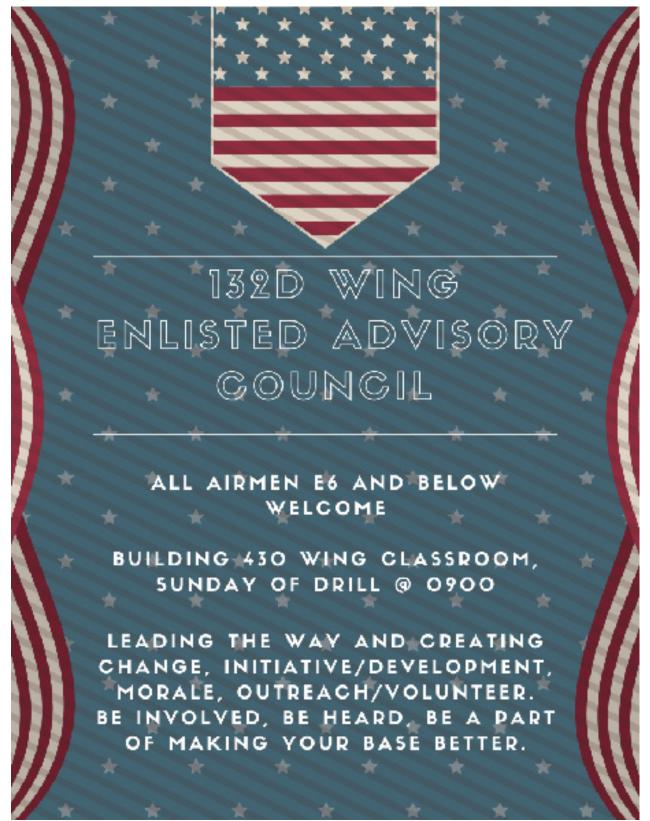
gary.l.burch4.mil@mail.mil

You will be notified of your qualification status and possible interview times via your Primary E-Mail address provided

For additional job specific questions please contact the appropriate local subject matter expert.











Career-Broadening Opportunity:

132d Wing

There is a First Sergeant opportunity in the 232d Intelligence Squadron (Currently held by MSG Brenda Safranski).

If you are interested in being a First Sergeant please familiarize yourself with AFI36-2113 and submit the following:

The Package should be turned in to Chief Lawrence by EOD 03 November 2019:

- Letter of Intent
- RIP
- Fitness report
- Resume

Notables:

MSG or TSG promotable to MSG by the close of the vacancy announcement Must attend the FSA (First Sergeant Academy) within 12 months of assignment. SNCOA and the CCAF or equivalent degree is required per AFI 12 months after FSA graduation and 18 months respectively.

Must have or be able to attain for 36 months or retainability

First Sergeant Regulation 36-2113

3.2.15.1. For initial application, the member must have scored 80 or above on last two fitness tests, or 90 or above on most recent fitness test, no failure on any portion within the last 12 months or exemptions from any component. Note: No current PT exemptions; except deployment and/or pregnancy. Deployed members will have a current complete assessment prior to attending the FSA

If you have any questions please contact Wing 1st Sergeant SMSgt Warren Page at 261-8205/ warren.g.page4. mil@mail.mil or contact Chief Lawrence at 261-8204/ richard.c.lawrence10.mil@mail.mil

The board will be held over December Drill, location and time TBD







AIR NATIONAL INGSS (NGEAP) DEADLINE DEC.1st

MUST complete all steps:

- Go to the iowacollegeaid.gov
- 2. Click on financial aid
- Hover over Scholarships and Grants (blue box),
 a.Click on Iowa National Guard Service Scholarship
- 4. Complete both FAFSA and IFAA applications!





No verification form needed!!!

Title 32 Federal Technicians and AGR members are eligible for INGSS, but priority will still be on DSGs. Everyone MUST apply prior to the deadline to be considered.

INCOMPLETE OR LATE REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!!

Always On Mission





DES MOINES BUCCANEES

HOCKEY CLUB

MILITARY APPRECIATION NIGHT

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 7:05PM

Buccaneer Arena 7201 Hickman Road, Urbandale, Iowa



Free tickets to the game while supplies last!





WINGMAN SUPPORT TEAM IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!



FOUR POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

CHAIR VICE CHAIR SECRETARY TREASURER

OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE WING, ENLISTED, OFFICER AND COMMUNITY

ELECTIONS ARE HELD IN THE WING CLASSROOM, BLDG 430 AT 10:00 AM, NOVEMBER 3RD!

The 132d Wing trains, deploys, executes, and sustains operations in missions supporting our Nation, State and Community.







1-32D WING



**POLAR EXPRESS' CHRISTMAS PARTY

You are encouraged to wear your coziest pajamas to have a night of fun doing crafts, opening presents, enjoying cookies, a sing-a-long with Mrs. Claus, and pictures with the big guy himself, Santa!!!

- Gifts no more than \$20
- No bigger than 12 x12
- If have multiple children in a family write name, age, and bundle the family together
- All gifts have name and age.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6TH FROM 6:30 - 8:30 IN THE 132D WING HANGAR

Please bring gifts to the snake pit by Friday DEC 6th at 2:00pm