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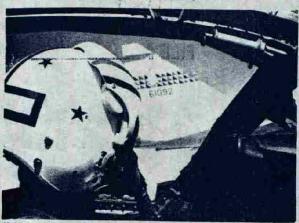


PILOTS RECEIVE FLIGHT SAFETY AWARD FOR ACCIDENT FREE FLYING
(see "Awards" story inside paper)

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the best wanted list, with personnel of a list about every area of

1-102 pilot trainees are needed too, so the sky's the limit in so far as job opportunities are concerned. Friends and relatives are among the most productive sources of Guardsmen and women -- so bring them in and give them a look at the Guard.



"LE REALLY MOVE OUR TAIL FOR YOU!"
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GUARDSMEN ARE ELIGIBLE FOR

HDODEA INSURANCE PLAN

As a Guardsman, you are entitled to participate in the Hawaii Department of Defense Employee's Association (HDODEA) group life insurance plan by joining as an associate member for a one-time fee of \$2.00. The enrollment period has heen extended through April 30.

The program is not a drill status insurance program; it is good year around. In addition to low cost, you are eligible for distribution of reserves reimbursed to HDODEA by the insuring company.

There are plans for \$10,000 and \$20,000 coverage with quarterly premiums (according to age) ranging from \$3.99 to \$15.78.

For an application for membership, contact HDODEA Director, SMSgt Art Lee at 449-5547.

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TOP GUARDSMEN RECEIVE AWARDS

Brig. Gen. Valentine Seiferman presented Sgt. Leslie K. Matsuura the HANG Airman Award for outstanding performance and he recognized SMSgt. Toshio Oshiro and MSgt Delbert D. Dandurant as Distinguished Graduates of the Air National Guard NCO Academy during an awards ceremony and formation attended by families and friends.

Hawaii Air National Guard Flight Safety awards were presented to the following Guard pilots for completing 1,000 hours of accident-free flying:

> Lt. Col. Kurt E. Johnson Lt. Col. Harold Nagai Lt. Col. Gerald K. Sada Maj. George E.M. Joy, Jr. Maj. Marlin L. Little

Guardsmen with over 20 years of service in the Hawaii National Guard were awarded appropriate bars:

25 Year Service Bars Maj. Norman C. Ault, Jr. Maj. John H. Beaumont OMSgt. Libert E.N.F. Yap MSgt. Calvin Y.K. Chong MSgt. Samuel Paccaro

20 Year Service Bars Capt. Kenneth M. Okinishi SMSgt. Toshio Oshiro TSgt. Leslie I. Nakashima SSgt. Frank Tavares

GUARDSMEN EARN COLLEGE CREDITS

WASHINGTON, D.C. (NGAUS) -- Air Guardsmen may now be earning college credits for their technical and occupational specialty through arrangements made with the Community College of the Air Force.

The National Guard Bureau recently announced the CCAF has been accredited by an institution of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and is offering transcripts that may apply toward Liberal Arts degrees.

Base Education Services Officers

have further details.

DON'T BE A LITTERBUG!



SPRING CLEAN-UP WEEK 5-11 MAY 1974

COMEAT SUPPORT SQ. STILL IN GREAT NEED OF MORE PERSONNEL

Things haven't changed much since the last strength report for the CSS. The squadron is still in need of a number of personnel to fill positions in the following areas:

SECURITY POLICE
GROUND COMMUNICATIONS
ADMINISTRATION
LOOD SERVICES

'kere information on the available positions can be obtained from the the office on the second floor of the hangar, makai side.

If you are in an over-manned unit and would like to retrain, or have a friend that would make a good Guardsman, contact the CSS for help.

SPRINGTIME IS CLEAN UP TIME!

MSgt. Bernard Kim (supply) reports that this year's Hickam AFB clean up campaign is themed, "Springtime is clean up time", and starts on May 5 continuing until the 11th. A slogan contest will be held with prized for individuals and organizations. More on that later.

Everyone is urged to clean up his shop or area and especially to remove junk and bulky items. Collection point for these items will be back of the Supply Building and deadline for hauling will be May 9. Look for the colorful signs and get rid of your junk!

SUPPLY SQUADRON REPORTS NEWS

TSgt. Frank Yamamoto and SSgt Sherman Dang are presently in Washington, D.C. pulling duty at the ANG Logisitcs Readiness Center in the Pentagon. They are working with other ANG personnel keeping track of NORS (Not Operationally Ready - Supply) items for all ANG units. TSgt. Frank Montizor and SSgt. Paustino Rivera just returned from their tour in the Pentagon. TSgt. Kalfred Chang is just finishing his stint there.

TSgt. Douglas Abe is in attendance at Lowry AFB, Colorado completing his requirements for the Supply Inspector course.

Capt. Gerald T. Morihara was promoted to Major effective 22 March 74 pending Federal recognition. He is the drill status Management Officer for the Supply Squadron and is the latest recepient of the James Y. Sato Memorial Award.

MAJOR MANAGEMENT CHANGES

Major John Oshiro has assumed the position of air technician Management and Procedures Officer as of 4 March. His promotion followed the promotion of Lt. Col. Paniel K.C.Au to the Chief of Supply and Services. Capt. James K. Lummura, a former drill status officer, became the technician to propose the management Officer on 1 Apr.