



Congratulations to Tyndall's Airey NCO Academy graduates

(The following technical sergeants graduated from the Airey NCO Academy Feb. 15.)

Sherman Alford	325th FW	Richard Peterson Jr.	AFNORTH
Andre` Ancic	372nd TRS Det. 4	Lamar Ramsey	AFNORTH
Sean Biscornet	325th MSS	Shawn Rodgers	325th AMXS
Patrick Bowman	325th MOS	Jamain Rouse	325th CES
William Deaville	325th CS	Stoney Sellers	325th OSS
Mark Estorga	325th AMDS	Sherri Stanfill	SEADS
Ashley Flemming	325th MXS	Scott Stevens	325th AMXS
Natalie Hall	SEADS	Reginald Wagle	325th MXG
George Johnson Jr.	325th AMXS	Michael Wahl	372nd TRS Det. 4
Jenifer Lash	325th CONS		
James Million Jr.	325th AMXS	Distinguished Graduate	
Heath Mooney	823rd RHS	Joseph Trenholm	325th CES
April O'Brien	325th MXG		



Steve Wallace

Stepping it up

Brig. Gen. Tod Wolters (center), 325th Fighter Wing commander, and Col. Marc Luiken (right), 325th Mission Support Group commander, participate in the fourth annual Step Up Florida Run Feb. 16. The relay event consisted of a three-mile run and 12-mile bike ride starting at Bonita Bay and ending in Mexico Beach. Step Up Florida is a statewide initiative promoting physical activity and healthy lifestyles for Florida's citizens and visitors.



Airman 1st Class Anthony Hyatt

Up in smoke

Terry Walter, 325th Civil Engineering Squadron wildland fire program manager, monitors a control burn near the Enlisted Club Feb. 15. Control burns are being conducted in several areas on base in effort to increase fire safety and improve wildlife environments. By burning periodically, the threat of unpredictable, disastrous wildfires is reduced and ecological rejuvenation occurs, providing a better environment for Tyndall's 46 federally protected and endangered plant and animal species.

Checkertail Salute

Tech. Sgt. Jon Werner



Airman 1st Class Anthony Hyatt

Sergeant Jon Werner receives the Checkertail Salute Warrior of the Week award from Brig. Gen. Tod Wolters, 325th Fighter Wing commander.

Sergeant Werner assisted in the F-22 Raptor integration here. He reduced man hours by 40 percent in the F-22 automated Form F program. Sergeant Werner also supervised more than 8,000 inspections, providing leadership with timely maintenance information.

Duty title: Quality assurance evaluator
Hometown: Williamsburg, Iowa
Time on station: Seven years
Time in service: Fifteen years and six months
Hobbies: Outdoor recreation and playing with my children
Goals: Finish Community College of the Air Force degree and make master sergeant
Favorite thing about Tyndall AFB: The beaches
Favorite movie: "Armageddon"
Pet Peeves: Not respecting the U.S. flag or the military
Proudest moment in the military: When my son was born, the Air Force helped out with his long hospital stay.

The Checkertail Salute is a 325th Fighter Wing commander program designed to recognize Tyndall's Warrior of the Week. Supervisors can nominate individuals via their squadron and group commanders. Award recipients receive a certificate, letter from the commander and a one-day pass.

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Staff Sgt. Anthony Fountain, 325th Operational Support Squadron, correctly guessed the Feb. 16 "Identify This" as an odometer. Congratulations Sergeant Fountain, come claim your prize!



Lisa Norman

A prayer of hope

Chaplain David Cooper, Air Forces North chaplain, gives a prayer for the nation during the National Prayer Luncheon here Feb. 15 at the Officer's Club. The luncheon featured guest speaker Chaplain Howard Stendahl, Air Education and Training Command chaplain. Chaplain Stendahl spoke on fearless hope and encouraged those in attendance to "look forward to what we hope for and not what we fear."