



In Brief

Basic Savings and Investment Classes

The Tyndall Airman and Family Readiness center is pleased to announce a new savings and investment class series called Investor University on Base. This will be a four session series, with an additional fifth class featuring home buying information. The first series of classes are scheduled to begin May 2, May 23, June 13, June 20, and July 18.

These classes will be held at the Education Center, Room 36, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

For information and to register, please call 283-4204.

Gulf Coast Horse Show and Music Festival

The Annual Gulf Coast Charity Horse Show and Music Festival will be held April 26-28 at Frank Brown Park. Admission will be free to all active duty military in uniform or with a valid military ID,



Lisa Norman

Academic scholarships were awarded by members of the Officers' Spouses Club to deserving Tyndall students during a ceremony April 17 at the Officer's Club. The OSC awarded \$13,000 as part of their annual scholarship program.

High School Students

- Christine Adams
- Kevin Meaux
- Dominic Beale
- Katelyn Merrell
- Sadie Wynne
- Samantha Brown

Military Spouses

- Jason Reatherford
- Jillian Angers
- Sandra Aguirre

College Students

- Tiffany Lake
- Daniel Beale

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SUPPORT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Students receive \$13,000 in academic support

AIRMAN FIRST CLASS ANTHONY HYATT
325th Fighter Wing/ Public Affairs

Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla. – What is a scholarship? To many students, a scholarship is the only thing that lies between them and a college education. Scholarships help students by aiding them with funding, which will allow them to further their education.

The Tyndall AFB Officers' Spouses Club presented \$13,000 in academic scholarships to students at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Officers' Club.

"The Officers' Spouses club gives out scholarships annually," said Kate Bobb, the president of the Officers' Spouse Club. Roughly 23 people applied for these scholarships.

Eleven selected students received scholarships ranging from \$250 to \$2,000.

To be eligible for an OSC scholarship, applicants must be active-duty military, Guard, Reserve, retired military or a dependent of a military or retired military member.

Col. Scott Davis, Vice Commander of the 325th Fighter Wing, was present to hand out the awards to the winners.

Among the 11 winners were six high school military dependents, three spouses of active duty personnel, and two military dependents who are current college students.

"Education is very important to me and I plan on going to the University of

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Checkertail Salute

Airman 1st Class Bryan Byrd



Herman Bell

Airman 1st Class Byrd, 325th Aerospace Medicine Squadron public health technician, received the Checkertail Salute Warrior of the Week award from Brig. Gen. Tod Wolters, 325th Fighter Wing commander

Airman 1st Class Byrd successfully led 28 food facility inspections identifying potential food safety hazards reducing the possibility of illness. He also volunteers in the community by dedicating time to the Seacrest Wolf Preserve and by supporting local veterans.

Duty title: 325th Aerospace Medicine Squadron public health technician

Hometown: Fayetteville, N.C.

Time on station: Six months, seven days

Time in service: 359 days

Hobbies: Hunting, fishing, working out and enjoying time with family

Goals: To finish my criminal justice degree

Favorite thing about Tyndall AFB:

The beaches and people

Favorite movie: Black Hawk Down

Favorite book: Any college book

Pet Peeves: Not giving at least 100 percent

Proudest moment in the military: Shaking Brig. Gen. Wolters hand and winning Checkertail Salute

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.

Tyndall home page boasts new link to upcoming events

Look for "Tyndall Announcements" under featured links on the home page to find out what's happening on base.



Identify this ...

Can you identify this object? If so, send an e-mail to editor@tyndall.af.mil with "Identify this" in the subject line.

Three correct entries will be chosen at random and drawn from a hat to determine the final winner. The prize can be claimed at the Public Affairs office.

Maj. Oscar Gibbs, 325th Aero-Medical Dental Squadron correctly guessed the March 30 "Identify This" as a fire suppression sprinkler head. Congratulations Major Gibbs, come claim your prize!



THE AIRMAN'S CREED

I AM AN AMERICAN AIRMAN.
I AM A WARRIOR.
I HAVE ANSWERED MY NATION'S CALL.

I AM AN AMERICAN AIRMAN.
MY MISSION IS TO FLY, FIGHT, AND WIN.
I AM FAITHFUL TO A PROUD HERITAGE,
A TRADITION OF HONOR,
AND A LEGACY OF VALOR.

I AM AN AMERICAN AIRMAN,
GUARDIAN OF FREEDOM AND JUSTICE,
MY NATION'S SWORD AND SHIELD,
ITS SENTRY AND AVENGER.
I DEFEND MY COUNTRY WITH MY LIFE.

I AM AN AMERICAN AIRMAN:
WINGMAN, LEADER, WARRIOR.
I WILL NEVER LEAVE AN AIRMAN BEHIND,
I WILL NEVER FALTER,
AND I WILL NOT FAIL.