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COMMANDER'S CORNER

Knights,

DEFEND, MOBILIZE, FIGHT! Our recent strategic alignment officially made these three words our wing mission. We liked it because it's simple. It distills down all that we do to what's important. **DEFEND this base, MOBILIZE for combat, and take the FIGHT to the enemy.**

Each of us has a part to play in our intertwined unit missions. As the DoD reshapes our focus on lethality, I know that we've already got a head start because we are mission oriented, and laser focused on readiness. So, this UTA, all your efforts must be motivated by our ongoing mission to **DEFEND, MOBILIZE, and FIGHT!**

And though I'm confident in our abilities...I am also cognizant of how busy reserve life can be. Some of our wing is deployed, others are preparing to do so, and still others are training hard to support our in-garrison missions. All occurring while we continue our TASKORD guidance to be **READY NOW** for a myriad of taskings.

Admittedly, it's a lot. And it can be incredibly stressful for Airman and families alike, especially as many of us voluntarily travel long distances and give up valuable time with our families to serve. I can never say thank you enough. Thank you for volunteering each time that come to duty. We need your best each time you show up.

But your family deserves your best too. So, I challenge you to find happiness away from work. Take care of yourself and your family. Prioritize them as well. I spent much of the long weekend flying with my son. Flying offers us joy together and a sense of peace that we can find nowhere else. I'm thankful we have the chance to do it often.

My charge to each of you is to **DEFEND, MOBILIZE, and FIGHT** every minute you are here. Focus on lethality! But when you get home, recharge and find your peace. It's that balance that makes us stronger!

See ya' at the UTA,

-Col Bailey





452d Air Mobility Wing Strategic Plan 2025 – 2028

S N A P S H O T

MESSAGE FROM THE 452 AMW EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP

The Strategic Plan presents our mission, vision, priorities and supporting goals for transforming and integrating the way we generate combat-ready forces to combatant commanders ensuring we are prepared for the challenges of Great Power Competition. The plan aligns Wing Strategic direction, focus, goals, metrics and actions with those of 4AF, AFRC, CSAF, SECAF and SECDEF, reinforcing our readiness to compete and prevail in this evolving global landscape. It assigns accountability and responsibility to the Wing, both vertically and horizontally, supporting our UEI, exercise and training plan to ensure we are fully capable of meeting both current and future strategic demands.

MISSION: *Defend, Mobilize, Fight!*

VISION: *Driving Operational Discipline & Empowering Airmen to Lead in Great Power Competition*

- PRIORITIES:**
- 1. Generate Lethality*
 - 2. Strengthen Readiness*
 - 3. Develop NextGen Airmen*
 - 4. Empower Innovation*

PRIORITIES – WITH SUPPORTING GOALS

Priority 1: Generate Lethality

Goal 1.1: Optimize METs compliance

Goal 1.2: Achieve 100% AFFORGEN certification

Goal 1.3: Defend access to critical infrastructure

Goal 1.4: Project National Power onto/through/from March Field

Priority 2: Strengthen Readiness

Goal 2.1: >90% Total Force Medical Readiness (TFMR), <10% PMR

Goal 2.2: 100% Physical Fitness Assessment compliance

Goal 2.2: Maximize/Execute available duty statuses (less than 1% FY fallout)

Goal 2.3: >75% Wing Training Efficiency

Priority 3: Develop NextGen Airmen

Goal 3.1: Enforce standards, champion accountability

Goal 3.2: Encourage Airmen/Families to seek out help and mentorship

Goal 3.3: Fully employ the Key Support Liaison program

Goal 3.4: Retain/recruit to full manning

Goal 3.5: Audit/Level UMDs monthly

Priority 4: Empower Innovation

Goal 4.1: Balance risk and opportunities at all levels

Goal 4.2: Execute Continuous Process Improvement

Goal 4.3: Improve Cross Functional Collaboration

Goal 4.4: Promote innovation opportunities and accomplishments

Goal 4.5: Conduct a collaborative Strategic Alignment and set a clear Vision with Goals

Top 3 News

MARCH ARB

FEB EDITION

Calling All SNCO

As one of the largest reserve bases with over 3.5K Air Force reservist assigned here (not to include our sister services), March is uniquely positioned to make a very significant and positive impact. We

invite you to participate! We are seeking your talents, skills, and resources more than your time because we know how crucial your influence and contributions are. Fortunately, there are lots of upcoming projects and opportunities this 2025 for you to be a part of. Join us, bring your expertise, and help make a difference!

MSgt Elizabeth Madueno
452 AMW Top Three President

January Hot Items

- Dues are \$30 due by Feb UTA
Cash Only
- Top 3 Booth at the Air Show, we are looking for volunteers!
- We invite our joint sister services to attend our Top 3 and meeting of the minds gathering!
- Media Team
- True to the Core nominations.

February Hot Items

- VIP Speakers: Retired CMSgt Octavio Ortiz
- Fundraising Events.
- Top 3 Positions still available: Secretary
- Air Show Booth: Volunteers and Merchandise.
- Summer kickoff event.

True To The Core Winners!

December



Richard Lopez, TSgt
452 MSG

TSgt Richard Lopez skillfully managed all administrative functions for a 1,200-member Mission Support Group while single-handedly processing over 300 personnel actions with zero delays. He enhanced the 452 AMW mission readiness by resolving critical pay discrepancies, directly supporting uninterrupted operations across seven squadrons

January



Suyapa M. Castrocompton, SrA
752 AMXS

SrA Castrocompton volunteered to fill a critical CSS vacancy, ensuring operational continuity. She improved admin processes, cleared EPR backlogs, and expedited orders, boosting unit productivity and compliance. Castrocompton embodies Air Force Core Values and played a key role in the 452 MXG resiliency event, lifting morale for 700+ Airmen. She also led a fundraiser, raising \$500 to support an Airman who suffered a loss due to crime. Her compassion and kindness positively impacted the affected family.

February



Jeremy Glunt, TSgt
452 AMXS

Sgt Jeremy Glunt from the 452 AMXS exhibited great Service Before Self values while protecting the community during a very challenging time. While working for the El Segundo Police Department, responded as platoon lead to directly supervise a 5-man team through heavy smoke, significant 3rd damage and wind debris to clear blocked roads for emergency services and evacuees. He kept his team on task and remained committed to safeguarding communities under extreme conditions.



Wednesdays 1400-1500
UTAs 11:00-1200
Drop off day Mondays @14:00-14:30

True To The Core (TTC) application is a tool for any SNCO assigned to March ARB to recognized Airmen (AB- to TSgt) that consistently exceed AF Core Values/Standards. Submissions are to be NLT COB of Sunday UTA for the following month that you wish the member to be considered for the award. Current/Qualified members will cast a vote for each month's winner via the 452 AMW Top 3 GroupMe before following UTA.

Scan the QR code below for application.



THE FIRE WITHIN

CAPT. CALLIE HEWITT

Irvine, CA - "The Southland continues to burn tonight..." The reporter's somber voice echoes into the home I share with my husband in Orange County, California. I watch news footage of my old neighborhood swallowed whole by the beastlike fire dubbed, like so many others, The Palisades Fire. The landmark home of the late actor and humanitarian, Will Rogers, burned to ash along with the old movie and television sets in the area. Powerless, I text U.S. Air Force Master Sgt. Wendy Day of the 452d Air Mobility Wing Public Affairs office, to which I am a Public Affairs Officer. I ask if March Field Fire and Emergency Services will be dispatched to help. After a quick conversation via text message I call Chief Kile Stewart, Chief of March of March Field and Fire Emergency Services.

California Air National Guard unit based at March ARB. Pagan's past work in the field has won Air Force-level awards; on the drive North, we discuss the balance between news and art in our chosen mediums. But our conversation fades as we begin to smell the ash that falls like bizarre snowflakes around the truck.

On-scene is Chief Michael Goodman, Chief March Field Fire and Emergency Services, who soon becomes a sherpa and translator, of sorts, to us as we embed with arch Fire Engine Nine team. Our engine consists of four people: firefighters and engineers. Each certified to fight fires in both urban and wildland fires, we learn later they volunteered to dive into LA County's darkest days. Each bring the hope that their work will save others from experiencing the devastating loss already experienced by too many.

Our Engine Nine team is one of five engines that make up Strike Team 650A from Riverside County. Through the power of mutual aid agreements, March Fire, as we are dubbed, is one of more than dozens of fire organizations in 650A from Riverside County. Through these agreements citizens of Riverside County can sleep tight. Currently, 650A has deployed to multiple fires in LA County, and is headed by Battalion Chief Craig Sanborn from Cathedral City Fire Department, California.



THE FIRE WITHIN

CAPT. CALLIE HEWITT

A hush continues over Tech Sgt Pagan and I as we follow Engine Nine through the Altadena neighborhoods in support of fire suppression efforts of the Eaton Fire. It's a bizarre snapshot of life in the city as we pass restaurants, historical Spanish revival architecture from the 1920s, carwashes and auto shops. It's as if the ash were ice that had frozen a day-in-the-life of the residents of the neighborhood.

Less than a month ago this area, colloquially named "Christmas Tree Lane", was celebrating the high holidays. Indeed, we find homes that still have holiday lights hanging from burnt out roofs, implying the families that lived there only had plans to take the decorations down, not evacuate to a shelter nearby. It hardly seems like the United States, let alone the affluent area of Altadena, I'd grown up nearby.

Engineer Ruben Anaya, Firefighter March Field Fire and Emergency Services, allows me to follow behind him as he and the team do tactical patrols through the rubble of various residences. I look down at my feet as I step over signed yearbook photos, half burnt pages of someone's music workbook, and remnants of a family's life. Anaya warns of "Widow Makers," a term for trees that have been weakened by fire structurally that will suddenly fall, so I remember to also keep looking up.

We pass a garage of burnt classic cars, and Capt. Brandon DuBois, of March Field and Fire Services, hisses in regret at the loss of beauty. The team finds various embers and rushes to put them out lest they gain purchase and become a second beast to fight. It seems to me the men from Engine Nine are like the mortal warriors from the old tales, fighting a chimera monster. An ember flickering at the base of a small tree stump initially instills as much fear as a little mosquito but leave it to fester and a ravenous beast of fire swallows' acres of land; it's fury indiscriminate of whether it be wildlands, forest or urban streets.

Engine Nine's weapons are axes, firehoses, coordination with other teams but the true weapon they possess is the stubborn determination to win mastery over the beast. It's something primal, internal, and unmatched by any force seen by Earth. It's a deeper fire found within.



THE FIRE WITHIN

CAPT. CALLIE HEWITT

Despite the challenges, McMillan has found ways to thrive, leaning on supportive leaders and adapting his priorities as needed. Where people of a nation rally together lie not their weaponry or tools, it's the people themselves that become the force. It's ultimately the reason the United States Air Force began the Reserve; the power of everyday people, when united in a common cause, can move heaven and earth. Today, they unite across uniforms to save, preserve, or keep the Eaton Fire at bay. I have no doubt that ultimately these warriors will not only keep the fire at bay but gain ground on it, ultimately subduing it. When they do, I will be thinking of Chief Michael "Mike" Goodman, Capt. Brandon DuBois, and the firefighters: Ruben Anaya, Dakota Christensen, and Jack Cools.

U.S. Air Force Col Bryan Bailey, Commander, 452d AMW, March ARB, visits the team in the field and repeats Fred "Mr. Rogers" Rogers' quote: "Look for the helpers. You will always find people who are helping." The team, dirty and in the middle of the rubble, sigh in relief at Bailey's words. They've been working twenty-four-hour shifts and yet are somehow hungry to do more. His words, a reminder that they are the helpers, and members of the community won't ever be able to fully express their gratitude. But it's there.

Engine Nine continues tactical patrol, driving through affected neighborhoods looking to ensure every ember is extinguished and I follow wishing the world can see what I see. Another instance of the dedicated people of the March ARB answering their community's call, helping in quiet yet stubborn determination, to make life better. Not asking for thanks, reluctant for attention and walking together with partners from Cathedral City, Murrieta, Canyon Lake, and Idyllwild, each ready to answer the call.



CHIEF'S ON LEADERSHIP

MSGT WENDY DAY

Chief Master Sergeant Tasha Barnes of the 452nd Force Support Squadron has spent decades serving in the United States Air Force, learning, mentoring, and leading with a style rooted in responsibility, resilience, and growth. Her journey and philosophy reflect what it truly means to be a leader.

“For me, leadership comes with a lot of responsibility,” Barnes shared. “It’s about taking risks, learning from failures, and maintaining a positive attitude. Every failure is a lesson on what not to do.” She believes that leadership isn’t just about making decisions but also about paving the way for others. Mentorship, she explained, is an essential part of the process, ensuring that the next generation is prepared to lead.

Feedback is another cornerstone of Chief Barnes’ leadership philosophy. Early in her career, she rarely received the feedback she needed, which shaped her commitment to providing constructive guidance to others. “It’s so important to set expectations and give consistent feedback,” she explained. “It doesn’t always have to be formal; even a quick conversation in the hallway can go a long way in helping someone grow.” For her, feedback is about fostering growth and helping Airmen excel in their careers.

Throughout her career, Barnes has relied on mentors to help her navigate challenges and opportunities. She fondly recalled the impact of Chief Thornton Bachi, a former command chief at the wing.

“She was motivating, hardworking, and always encouraging,” Barnes said. “Mentors are vital because they provide guidance when you’re not at your best or need advice from someone who’s been in your shoes.” After 30 years of service, she credits mentorship as a key factor in her success, emphasizing its importance for every Airman.

Looking to the future, Chief Barnes encourages Airmen to embrace continuous learning and personal growth. “Even as a chief, I’m still volunteering for courses and conferences,” she said. “Never stop seeking knowledge, both personally and professionally, and be open to opportunities outside your comfort zone. You never know where they might lead.”

Reflecting on her career, she offered a simple yet powerful piece of advice: “Keep learning, keep growing, and always look for ways to improve yourself and those around you. That’s how you lead and excel.”

Chief Barnes embodies the Air Force’s values of integrity, service, and excellence, setting an example for others to follow. Her dedication to mentorship and growth leaves a legacy for the next generation of leaders to carry forward.



COMMISSIONING BOARD RESULTS

It is with great pride that we announce the results of the Non-EAD Airman Commissioning Board, held January 11-12, 2025. This board was established to identify Airmen who embody the leadership, dedication, and potential required to serve as commissioned officers in the Air Force Reserve.

Commissioning as an officer in the Air Force is a significant milestone. It represents a transition from enlisted service to a role that demands greater responsibility, strategic thinking, and a commitment to leading and inspiring others. This achievement reflects not only the individual's hard work but also their readiness to meet the challenges of leadership head-on.

After careful deliberation, the following Airmen were selected for commissioning:

- **SMSgt Chris Wietecha- Security Forces Officer**
- **MSgt Andrew Carothers- Maintenance Officer**
- **MSgt Anahi Ledezma- Warfighter Communications Operations Officer**
- **MSgt Benjamin Kruah- Security Forces Officer**
- **MSgt Michelle Spurlock- Logistics Readiness Officer**
- **TSgt Kristain Brown- Force Support Officer**
- **TSgt Jonathan Welsher- Civil Engineer Officer**
- **SrA Moussa Seck- Force Support Officer**
- **SrA Sebastian Kaestner- Logistics Readiness Officer**

This selection process was conducted by an esteemed panel of 452 AMW leaders, whose dedication and expertise ensured a thorough and fair evaluation of all applicants. The Non-EAD ACP Board was comprised of the below members:

- **Col Biren Oberoi- 452 AMW/CD (Board President)**
- **Lt Col Ryan Hutter- 452 MXS/CC**
- **Lt Col David McManus- 452 SFS/CC**
- **Maj Edward Bobbett- 452 LRS/CC**
- **CMSgt Tiffany Yacomeni- 50 APS/SEL**
- **CMSgt John Brown- 452 FSS/SEL**

Please join us in congratulating these outstanding Airmen on this monumental achievement. Their selection is a testament to their dedication to service and their potential to make a lasting impact on the Air Force Reserve.

Let us all support them as they prepare to embrace the challenges and opportunities of this new chapter in their careers.

TEAM MARCH FIRST SERGEANTS: THE DIAMONDS THAT LEAD

“My job is people—every one is my business. I dedicate my time and energy to their needs; their health, morale, discipline, and welfare. I grow in strength by strengthening my people. My job is done in faith; my people build faith. My job is people—every one is my business.”

This is the U.S. Air Force First Sergeant's Creed. In the USAF, a First Sergeant is not a rank but a special duty held by Senior Noncommissioned Officers (SNCOs). Often referred to as the “first shirt” or simply “shirt,” this time-honored position is identifiable by a diamond insignia inside the chevron and a “1SGT” tab. First Sergeants serve as the cornerstone of their squadrons, responsible for the health, morale, and welfare of an entire unit. They are also entrusted with maintaining standards and ensuring discipline across the squadron.



At March Air Reserve Base, First Sergeants are an elite group. “Early in my Diamond career, Chief Ortiz was our Command Chief, and during one of our council meetings, he stressed the importance of our role,” shared 1st Sgt. Garcilazo from the 452nd Security Forces Squadron. “He said a unit can survive and operate without a Chief, but it will suffer without a First Sergeant.” This sentiment highlights the critical influence “shirts” have on their units, often setting the tone for their squadrons. While the role offers immense rewards, it is not without challenges. Several Team March First Sergeants recently shared their perspectives on the position.



TEAM MARCH FIRST SERGEANTS: THE DIAMONDS THAT LEAD

MSGT WENDY DAY

Accomplishments and Inspirations

When asked about her biggest accomplishment as a First Sergeant, 1st Sgt. Jessica Avila-Barnes from the 610th Air Operations Group said, “My biggest accomplishment has been to raise the morale of the office, unite us, and create a culture of acceptance, grace, and resiliency.”

For 1st Sgt. Ashley Schutz of the 452nd Maintenance Squadron, her reason for becoming a First Sergeant stemmed from personal experience. “I became a First Sergeant to give back to our members. Inspired by the amazing support I once received, I wanted to provide the same enriching experience to others.” She added, “Being a first shirt gave me the opportunity to explore various career fields outside of medical, witness the incredible work they do, and broaden my appreciation for all members of Team March.”

Currently deployed, 1st Sgt. Juan Morales from the 729th Airlift Squadron reflected on his role as a First Sergeant downrange. “As a shirt, I see the results of our hard work as Diamonds. I see how vital we are to the force. My biggest accomplishment so far is knowing my folks trust me with their issues so we can find solutions together.” He also highlighted the personal challenge of balancing the demands of the role with self-care. “It’s a 24-hour-a-day job, and taking care of yourself is vital.”

An Invitation to Lead

The role of a First Sergeant is both challenging and transformative. It offers SNCOs the opportunity to break out of their comfort zones, gain a deeper understanding of various Air Force Specialty Codes (AFSCs), and develop a broader perspective on the Air Force mission.

If you’re ready to take your leadership skills to the next level, expand your professional horizons, and make a lasting impact on the lives of Airmen, consider joining Team March’s First Sergeants. By wearing the distinctive Diamond, you’ll become a symbol of excellence, mentorship, and guidance.

For those up to the challenge, embodying the values of exceptional leadership, compassion, and dedication, reach out to any current First Sergeant to learn more about the application process. Becoming a “shirt” is more than a duty—it’s an extraordinary career opportunity to make a difference.



CFC CAMPAIGN FOR WILDFIRES

All,

The 452nd Air Mobility Wing (Air Force Reserve Command, March Air Reserve Base, CA), Wing leadership directed the activation of an AFPAAS event for wildfires impacting their personnel and families in the Southern California, Los Angeles area. GAOIC/Impacted Area: Total Force Airmen/Guardians and Family members in Los Angeles County, Riverside County, Ventura County and March ARB California.

DPFF EFA support operations will now include 2 Active AFPAAS events (RegAF, AFRC) for the Southern California Wildfires. The AFRC AIZO (M&FR Laison), March ARB and LAAFB M&FRCs have been alerted of the AFPAAS (AFRC) Wildfire Event to provide EFA support. DPFF and DPMWR will continue to monitor the wildfire events and provide assistance when needed. /R, Nate

1. AFPAAS Event Update (10 Jan 2025/1700hrs):

- RW25 AFRC Southern California Wildfire (March ARB, CA)
- Responsible M&FRC (AFPAAS Cases):
- March ARB M&FRC (POCs: Chief, Mrs. Briarly Wilson) LAAFB M&FRC (POCs: Flight Chief: Ms. Leah Goss, Readiness NCO: MSgt Soni Rawnani, Mr. Ed Terlaje)
- Families affected: 1,856, Assessed: 0, Needs Assessment Cases: 0
- Accountability: 1,042 of 4,185 (24.9% Mustered) as of 10 Jan 2025/1700hrs
- Urgent Needs: N/A

2. Air Force Aid Society (AFAS) Update:

- AFAS is standing by to assist eligible members on a case-by-case basis (may be approved as an interest free loan or grant) who may not be able to support the financial need of lodging, transportation, or food due to no GTC or not eligible under the LEO or JTR entitlements (Guard, Reserve, Retirees, Widows/Widowers).
- Applications can be submitted to AFAS online at [Team March](#).

• Did you know that in addition to making a monetary gift through the CFC, as Federal employees, we can also pledge volunteer hours? As a bonus, the monetary value of these pledged hours will be added to our fundraising total. Last year, more than 83,000 volunteer hours added \$2 million to the overall CFC results! Two things to keep in mind:

a. You can only pledge volunteer hours to charities that accept them (identified with a "hand" icon in the charity list).

b. If you want the charity to contact you about your volunteer pledge, you must release your contact information when you pledge. If you wish to remain anonymous, you will need to reach out to your charity regarding fulfilling your volunteer pledge.

EVENTS

Month of the Military Child



Free portraits for military children
Sunday, April 6, 2025 from 0900-1200

Uniformed personnel have priority for official military photos.
 No appointments required – must have base access.

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

"WE KINDLY REQUEST THE ASSISTANCE OF AT LEAST TWO MEMBERS EACH TIME WE ARE OPEN, AND CAN COMMIT ON A REGULAR BASIS. YOUR SUPPORT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!"

- Rounding up contributions
- Organizing household/clothing items
- Greeting members to sign in and providing help
- Displaying and Storing Donations

VOLUNTEERING AT THE AIRMAN'S ATTIC BUILDS SKILLS, SUPPORTS AIRMEN, EPB BULLET AND YOU CAN EARN THE MILITARY VOLUNTEER SERVICE MEDAL WITH 500 HOURS.
 MILITARY AND CIVILIAN VOLUNTEERS WELCOME!

Bldg 405
Hours of Operation:
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Interested?

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ALT POC:MSgt "Motivate" Davidson 786-238-5708

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Please Visit the Airman's Attic's photo booth.
Don't miss out!*

Valentine photobooth



Saturday 01 February 2025 & Sunday 02 February 2025

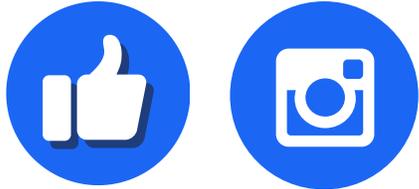
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FSS MONTHLY CALENDAR



MORALE, WELFARE, AND RECREATION (MWR) PROGRAMS

February 2025

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Details & Future Upcoming Events

FITNESS CENTER EVENTS

- Group Fitness Classes: Spin Class **MW 1100**, Mixed Fit **TTH 0600**, Yoga **Thursdays 1200**
- Lunchtime Pick-up Basketball **TTH, 1100**
- Lunchtime Pick-up Volleyball **TTH, 1100**
- Intramural Basketball Begins **Feb 25, 2025 1100 Gym**
- Heart & Sole 5K Run/Walk - **Feb 12 at 1100**, Meet across from the Base Tower.

BACKSTREET GRILL/HAP ARNOLD CLUB EVENTS

- Social Hour at Sally's! Every Wednesday: **Open at 1600. Food at 1730**
- **Chef's Choice of the Week NOW AVAILABLE!** Apps also available! (Wings \$14; Chicken Strips \$7; Mozzarella Sticks \$7; Fries \$3)
- Sally's Alley Open **UTA Friday Jan 31 & UTA Saturday Feb 1 at 1600, Food at 1730**
- Grab & Go Food Options **NOW AVAILABLE**
- Come try one of our flavored coffees with a fresh baked pastry; Coffee (12oz) **\$2.50**; Assorted Muffins **\$3.50**; Scones **\$3.00**; Doughnut or Doughnut Holes **\$4.75**
- Black Bean Burger & Veggie Burger **NOW AVAILABLE!**
- Karaoke Night at ACEs at **1700. Apps also available!** (Pizza \$11; Wings \$14; Chicken Strips \$7; Mozzarella Sticks \$7; Fries \$3)
- **Backstreet Lunch Special of the Month:**
 - The Cali (Vegetarian) Deli Sandwich: Avocado, tomato, sprouts, cucumber, cream cheese, and red onions **\$8.00**
 - The Celtic Deli sandwich: Turkey, cucumber, red onions, tomato, sprouts, and cream cheese **\$8.50**
- Special Soul Food Dish offered every Friday at Backstreet Grill leading up to the **Soul Food Buffet** at Backstreet Grill **February 28th at 11:00am -1:00pm**

- Valentines Lunch on **Feb. 14th at 11:00 am to 1:00 pm; RSVP (951) 902-7851.**

Offering a choice of:

- Chicken Cordon Blu with Rice Pilaf, Steamed Broccoli, and a Hawaiian Roll
- Pitte Steak with Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Steamed Broccoli, and a Hawaiian Roll
- Both dishes will come with a Heart Shaped Desert and a glass of glass of Champagne
- Valentines Day Singles Social in Sallys **Feb 14 at 1700** with live music, great drinks, and loads of fun
- Big Game Watch Party **Feb 9 at 2:30PM in Aces.** Come join in for the food, drinks and loads of fun (Food offered: Pizza; Wings; Chili Cheese Nachos; Sliders (BBQ Pork or Hamburger); Brats or Hot Dogs; Pretzels with cheese)
- Sallys Summer Block Party **June 7th**

OUTDOOR RECREATION/ITT EVENTS

- Outdoor Recreation is offering Disc Golf at **lunch time.**
- Outdoor Recreation is also offering **low cost Disc Golf Rentals**
- Now taking Sign-ups for June BBQ competition
- Now taking Sign-ups for June Corn hole Tournament
- ITT is currently selling the 2025 Disneyland Salute Tickets for **Military Members**

New NAF Positions AVAILABLE

Fitness Center, Cashier, Cooks, Bartender, ODR
Scan QR code for more details!



MARCH FSS EVENTS



Heart & Sole 5K



FEB 12 | 1100

Across the Base Tower

Sign up: Startbooking.me/452Fitness

FITNESS CENTER

FOR MORE INFORMATION

951-655-2284

ACES BAR

FOR MORE INFORMATION

951-655-4920

FEB 9 ACES BAR 1430



FOOD

DRINKS

WATCH PARTY

Valentines Day Lunch

Feb 14th • 1100 – 1300
Hap Arnold Club Atrium

Choice of dinner for two, dessert, and glass of Champagne

RSVP to cell number (951) 902-7851

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Soul Food Buffet

Feb 28 • 1100-1300

BBQ Ribs, Herb Roasted Chicken, Homemade Fried Chicken, Breaded Fried Catfish, and much more!

BACKSTREET GRILL - UTA MENU & NEW MONTHLY SPECIALS

UTA MENU

UTA HOURS (SAT & SUN)

Breakfast 0530-0900
Lunch 1100-1330
Dinner (Sat ONLY) 1600-2000

BREAKFAST AT BACKSTREET COUNTER TOP SERVING LINE

Price\$12.15
Drinks **Choice of (1)**
Coffee, tea, 1% milk, or orange juice

Bacon/Turkey Bacon or Sausage Patties
Scrambled Eggs

Home Fried Potatoes

Pancakes or French Toast
Will alternate Sat & Sun

Wheat toast, Asst. Cereals and Oatmeal
Choice of (1) Assorted Muffin
Choice of (1) Orange or Apple

LUNCH AT BACKSTREET COOKED TO ORDER MENU

Pound of Wings\$17.95
Choice of Sauce: Barbecue or Buffalo (Hot)
With **Choice of** Side Salad, Freedom Fries,
or Onion Rings

8 Oz. Hamburger or Cheese Burger ... \$15.95
Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato and Onions
With a **Choice of** Side Salad, Freedom Fries,
or Onion Rings

Philly Cheesesteak Sandwich \$18.00
Grilled Onions, Peppers and Mozzarella Cheese
With a **Choice of** Side Salad, Freedom Fries,
or Onion Rings

Grilled Chicken Sandwich..... \$15.00
Kaiser Roll with Lettuce, Tomato, Onion & Cheese
With a **Choice of** Side Salad, Freedom Fries,
or Onion Rings

Grilled Chicken Salad
with Dinner Roll \$15.95

Orders come with

Dessert Choice of (1)
Chocolate Cake, Carrot Cake, Chocolate Brownie
Drinks **Choice of (1)**
1% Milk, Coffee, Snapple, Fountain Drinks.
Choice of (1)
Orange or Apple

DINNER AT BACKSTREET COOKED TO ORDER MENU

Salisbury Steak \$18.00
Served with your **Choice of** French Fries or Mashed
Potatoes and Gravy, Seasonal Mixed Vegetables, and
Garlic Bread

Grilled or Crispy Chicken Salad \$15.95
Served with Garlic Bread

Sweet and Sour Chicken Breast..... \$16.95
Served with Rice Pilaf, Seasonal Mixed Vegetables,
Hawaiian Dinner Roll

12" Medium Assorted Pizza \$14.00
Pepperoni, Sausage, Supreme, or Cheese

Personnel signing AF-79 Orders come with.

Dessert Choice of (1)
Chocolate Cake, Carrot Cake, Chocolate Brownie
Drinks **Choice (1)**
1% Milk, Coffee, Snapple, Fountain Drinks
Choice of (1)
Orange or Apple

BOTTLED BEVERAGES

Juices
Orange Juice.....\$2.50
V-8 Splash or Kiwi.....\$3.00

Snapple
Kiwi • Mango • Diet Peach.....\$3.00

2% MILK\$2.00
BOTTLED WATER.....\$2.00
MONSTERS.....\$3.00

FOUNTAIN DRINKS

Small - \$2.00 • Medium - \$2.50 • Large - \$2.75

• Iced Tea • Powerade
• Fanta Orange Soda • Iced Tea
• Fruit Punch • Fanta Orange Soda
• Lemonade • Fruit Punch



NEED A QUICK
PICK-ME-UP?

SPECIALTY COFFEE & PASTRIES
NOW AVAILABLE
AT BACKSTREET GRILL

Caffe Latte • Cappuccino • Café Vanilla • Mocha • French
Vanilla • Hot Chocolate • Espresso • Black Coffee • Flat
White • Assorted Muffins • Scones • Donuts • Donut Holes



**GRAB
& GO**

Breakfast

- Croissants (Egg, Cheese, Bacon, or Sausage)
- Doughnut Bites
- Parfaits

Lunch

- Croissants (Ham or Turkey)
- Sandwiches (Ham or Turkey with Cheese)
- Wraps

*Items subject to change

**Valentines Day
Singles Social at Sallys**

Feb 14 AT 1700
With live music, great drinks, and
loads of fun

STOP ON BY OR ORDER AHEAD
FOR SOME DELICIOUS GRUB!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

951-655-3663

SCAN QR FOR FULL MENU

