

80th Fighter Squadron Newsletter

NOVEMBER 2016

COMMANDER'S WORDS

The weather has officially turned from hot to cold. Frost on our windshields here in the beginning of November. With that said, the flying weather has been good and we are plugging through upgrades. MQT will continue to take a lot of our flying lines and we expect this to continue throughout the next year.

Our Spring VML assignments came out. Stun and Tact will follow TAOS up to Eielson as aggressors. Trip Grace will be off to Luke to transition to the Twin Tail Lightning II. Strobe is off to Holloman to teach at the B-Course and Cash will be flying Black Jet T-38s at Langley.

With the Thanksgiving and Christmas season on us, I'd like to say a special thank you to all of our Juvat families around the world. Your support of our military guys and gals never waivers and continues to allow us to live the dream as Juvats!

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NOV EVENTS

- 10 Nov: Fairwell (Bolt/Spawn/Kramer)
- 11 Nov: Veteran's Day (no work)
- 17 Nov: Training Day (no fly)
- 18 Nov: CT Brunigans
- 23 Nov: Ops/MX Thanksgiving Meal
- 24 Nov: Bruni's Turkey day (TBD)
- 30 Nov – 6 Dec: Vigilant Ace 17-1 (wg exercise)

LONG TERM

- 26 Dec: No Work
- 18 Jan -15 Feb: No Notice Exercise Window



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Birthdays (Tact Hickle – 14 Nov, Rebel Emerson – 14 Nov, Slick Hainline – 22 Nov, Cass Thompson – 23 Nov, Mr. Cherf – 30 Nov)

INBOUNDS

- Mr. Mullin – Dec
- Mr. Scott – Jan

UPGRADES COMPLETE

- Cass Thompson– MQT

NOVEMBER PAIN TRAIN

- Flight Lead Upgrade: Beast, Slick, Outlaw
- Instructor Pilot (IP) Upgrade: Stun / Tact
- MQT: Deebel / Cherf / Mitchell / Engelhardt

JUVAT SWAG

- Contact Digs Graves for RMOs, T-shirts, Mug orders, etc.

ACRONYM CORNER

- FAC(A) – Forward Air Controller (Airborne)
- MQT – Mission Qualification Training

**HAPPY
THANKSGIVING!**