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HIGH-ANGLE TRAINING

By Lorin T. Smith

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IRON HORSE STATE PARK, near North Bend, Wash. – “Ready main! Ready belay! Pull them up!” bellowed Aaron Orr to the Soldiers positioned directly below him, awaiting orders to hoist up two Soldiers suspended 30 feet below the craggy cliff face. Soldiers holding the blue and orange cords representing the main and belay ropes began heaving both the rescuer and the rescued back up the mountain – all part of what professionals call high-angle rescue.

About 60 enlisted Soldiers from Madigan Army Medical Center spent a week in August at Iron Horse State Park near North Bend, Wash., learning the ins and outs of high-angle mountain rescue procedures to prepare hospital Soldier-medics for the rigors of saving lives in the violent terrain of Afghanistan. The 1,600-acre park is snuggled within the Cascade Mountains, and is a scenic rock-climbing venue for local hikers, climbers and recently, Madigan Soldiers. The rolling hills and steep drop-offs at Iron Horse offered the perfect atmosphere for Remote Medical International employees to provide an orientation to these Soldiers in high-altitude rescue training. Remote Medical International provides lessons in wilderness first aid and specializes in mountainous rescues that are more than an hour away from standardized medical care. “Every course we teach has no urban element to it,” said Matthew Griffin, an account manager with RMI.

And Griffin would know what these Soldiers can expect if they are deployed to Afghanistan – he’s been there three times. A former officer with the 2nd Battalion, 75th Rangers Regiment at Fort Lewis, Griffin has fought enemy insurgents deep within the hills and valleys that make up the majority of Afghanistan’s landscape. “(Afghanistan) has the most violent terrain I have ever seen in my entire life,” he said. According to Griffin, vertical rescue skills offered by RMI aren’t traditionally taught in the medic school house at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio. With many of the Afghanistan casualties occurring on uneven and elevated ground, Soldier-medics doing their jobs to save troops without proper training can become casualties themselves. “So that’s why we are trying to teach and reinforce these skills – to save as many lives as possible,” he said.

Orr, 28, from Olympia, Wash., also spoke about how dangerous Afghanistan’s topography was during his deployment. Skinny roads side-winding

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A soldier with the Afghan national army walks past a Marine 7-ton truck, Sept. 8, in Helmand province, Afghanistan. ISAF forces in Regional Command South joined together to resupply Marines and Afghan soldiers currently serving within the Helmand River Valley.

ISAF members join together to resupply Southern Afghanistan

By Cpl. Aaron Rooks

HELMAND PROVINCE, Afghanistan – Members of the International Security Assistance Force in Regional Command South joined together, Sept. 8, to resupply Marines and Afghan soldiers currently serving within the Helmand River Valley.

Members of Camp Shorabak’s Afghan national army and their U.K. mentors integrated with a Marine convoy from Camp Leatherneck to Forward Operating

Base Dwyer with the goal of delivering building supplies and mechanical parts to their respective comrades.

The convoy, led by Truck Platoon 2, General Support Motor Transport Company, Combat Logistics Regiment 2, Marine Expeditionary Brigade-Afghanistan, consisted of 40 vehicles, ranging from 7-ton trucks loaded down with metal containers to

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A convoy of vehicles waits to continue their push from Camp Leatherneck to Forward Operating Base Dwyer, Sept. 8, in Helmand province, Afghanistan. The Marines of GSMT Company are used to traveling to FOB Dwyer for resupply missions.

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A soldier with the Afghan national army tightens a bolt underneath his vehicle, Sept. 8, in Helmand province, Afghanistan. Members of Camp Shorabak's Afghan national army and their U.K. mentors integrated with a Marine convoy from Camp Leatherneck to Forward Operating Base Dwyer with the goal of delivering building supplies and mechanical parts to their respective comrades.

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small pickup trucks operated by the ANA.

Gunnery Sgt. Steven Baker, motor transport platoon sergeant, Truck Platoon 2, described the mission as unique because it was the first ever joint operation between the U.K., U.S. Marines and ANA within the brigade's area of operations in Helmand.

The Marines of GSMT Company have grown accustomed to traveling to FOB Dwyer for resupply missions that can take up the better part of a day. For this trip, they expected the timeline to nearly double due to the large number of vehicles and the possibility of mechanical problems.

"We bring everything so that the infantrymen and other units can function," said Cpl. A. M. Peterson, one of Baker's motor transport operators with Truck Platoon 2. "We bring the ammo and everything else. Time is of the essence because of this. If we can't

get the gear to where we are going in a timely manner, the unit waiting for the supplies will have to run with the bare minimum instead of what they need."

Irregular stops occurred within the first few hours on the road as the convoy tackled the challenging terrain. But the push continued, with ANA soldiers quickly reacting and repairing their vehicles, returning to the road unscathed each time.

"The convoy was great!" Baker said. "It went a lot better than I ever expected it to."

The Marines of GSMT Company will now wait at FOB Dwyer for their ANA partners, who continued on another leg of the convoy to another location in the Helmand River valley. Baker applauded all who were involved in the convoy for the amount of success they achieved, saying he hopes the return home to Leatherneck and Shorabak will go as smoothly as the journey south.

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Surgical residency receives full ACGME accreditation

81st Medical Group

KEESLER AIR FORCE BASE, Miss. — Keesler's 81st Medical Group, which boasts the largest Air Force surgical training residency program, has received full ACGME accreditation as a joint training platform.

The program was evaluated by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education, the governing body for all United States physician medical training programs, in April 2009.

The surgical residency received full accreditation from the ACGME to proceed with training four general surgeons each year for five years of general surgery residency.

"This marks one more major milestone in Keesler's post-Katrina recovery and return to pre-Katrina operations," said Brig. Gen. (Dr.) Dan Wyman, 81st MDG commander. "It also exemplifies the spirit of our Gulf Coast Joint Venture and cooperation between the services and the VA.

"This provides a unique and highly robust training platform with resident experiences in the three military services, the VA, a civilian institution, as well as an overseas location, where we care for our wounded warriors.

"The program is unparalleled and we believe it will serve as a major element in recruiting and producing the next generation of outstanding military surgeons."

According to Col. Martha Stokes, 81st MDG director of graduate medical education, the surgical residency was electively closed following Hurricane Katrina in 2005 and re-established in July 2007. The program was restructured in 2008 under the leadership of Program Director Lt. Col. (Dr.)

Valerie Pruitt to include integration with the Naval Hospital in Pensacola, Fla., 96th Medical Group at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., and the Biloxi Veterans Affairs Medical Center.

The surgical residents also perform specialty rotations at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, Brooke Army Medical Center Burn Unit in San Antonio and Landstuhl Regional Medical Center in Germany. Colonel Pruitt noted this training platform enforces and sets a clear understanding of the functioning of the joint service environment and reflects the current operational environment.

"The Keesler Medical Center general surgery residency brings an individual into the military and promotes the Air Force core values and expectations as an officer," Colonel Pruitt said. "Contrary to civilian surgical residency programs where the emphasis is on molding individuals into surgeons, the military residency program emphasis is on molding individuals into surgeons who work in a joint-service team environment to support the war fighter under any theater command."

"In this program, having 20 future Air Force surgeons who get to know each other and not only work together but also within all branches of the military, creates a continual knowledge base on a personal and professional level. This training platform lends to creating camaraderie among the future surgeons and continual professional relations promoting informational sharing among all levels of residents and active military surgeons."

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through mountains filled with Soldiers maneuvering large vehicles or dismounted enemy chases across pock-marked terraces are just a couple of the challenges Soldier-medics might face in trying to do their jobs in the Middle Eastern country. This is why he is grateful Madigan and Fort Lewis are working together through the Medical Simulation Training Center to create a multi-million dollar training facility to prepare service members for upcoming deployments. The building will allow for scenarios like high-angle rescue training, moving patients through buildings or room-clearing, he added.

Staff Sgt. D.J. Hux, 29, from West Monroe, La., said

that the high-angle rescue allowed Soldiers like him to work on the necessary combat skills that a hospital environment can't always keep current. "We spend so much time in the hospital; it's nice to get back into what we're trained to do," Hux said, who deployed to Iraq for 15 months from 2007 to 2009.

Master Sgt. Mark Branton, 46, from McComb, Miss., helped facilitate the week-long training for the Soldiers, sponsored by the Madigan Foundation. He plans on finding more avenues and opportunities to get as many Soldiers out of the medical center and into different training events to maintain their combat effectiveness when they deploy downrange.



Col. John Simmons, commanding officer of Combat Logistics Regiment 2, Marine Expeditionary Brigade-Afghanistan, presents the NATO Medal and Afghanistan Campaign Medal to 21 Marines, Aug. 31, at Camp Leatherneck in Helmand province, Afghanistan. The Marines receiving the medals traveled from Iraq in early July to temporarily reinforce Combat Logistics Company 151, CLR-2, MEB-Afghanistan.

Logistics marines recognized for Iraq, Afghanistan service

CAMP LEATHERNECK, Helmand Province, Afghanistan — Leaders from Combat Logistics Company 151 and Combat Logistics Regiment 2 recognized 21 Marines Aug. 31 for their service in two different combat zones.

The Marines, who were awarded the NATO Medal and Afghanistan Campaign Medal, traveled to Helmand province, Afghanistan in early July after serving in Iraq's Al Anbar province for more than four months while assigned to Combat Logistics Battalion 4, 2nd Marine Logistics Group (Forward).

According to 1st Sgt. Charles Hutto, CLC-151 first sergeant, the logistics company from CLR-2, Marine Expeditionary Brigade-Afghanistan, came to Afghanistan with a smaller than normal

staff, but soon realized that certain conditions required more maintenance Marines.

A harsher-than-expected environment, coupled with damage caused by combat operations, led MEB-Afghanistan leaders to conclude additional assistance was needed, and they turned to Marines serving in Iraq for support.

"The Marines who came from Iraq allowed us to push a larger percentage of our Marines out to the forward operating bases as maintenance teams," Hutto said. "This helped prevent units from being forced to send their gear all the way back to Camp Leatherneck."

Col. John Simmons, the commanding officer of CLR-2, expressed gratitude to the Marines of CLB-4 for the assistance they were able to provide during a time when the operational tempo was at its peak.

The Marines from CLB-4 that were sent here are trained in all facets of maintenance, with expertise in vehicle, generator, heavy equipment, electronics, and weaponry maintenance.

Some of them even joined those of CLC-151 on trips out to various forward operating bases and combat outposts during their time in the brigade's area of operations.

"We were stoked," said Elkton, Md., native Cpl. Kevin Delancey, a generator mechanic who came from Iraq. "This is the hot spot for the action right now. This is where everyone in the Marine Corps wants to be."

Jewish New Year a time for reflection of inner self

By CPL. AARON ROOKS

CAMP LEATHERNECK, Helmand province, Islamic Republic of Afghanistan – Sgt. Dan Wavle, a helicopter mechanic with Marine Aircraft Group 40, said he will focus more on effective leadership. Lt. Col. Scott Stimpson, the intelligence officer of MAG-40, said he will place more emphasis on family and others vice himself.

Wavle and Stimpson joined other Jewish Marines with Marine Expeditionary Brigade-Afghanistan here Sept. 18 at sundown to celebrate the Jewish New Year of 5770.

Formally known as Rosh Hashanah, which translates to “head of the year,” the Jewish New Year marks the beginning of a process of introspection and self repair. The process leads to promises for better thoughts and actions.

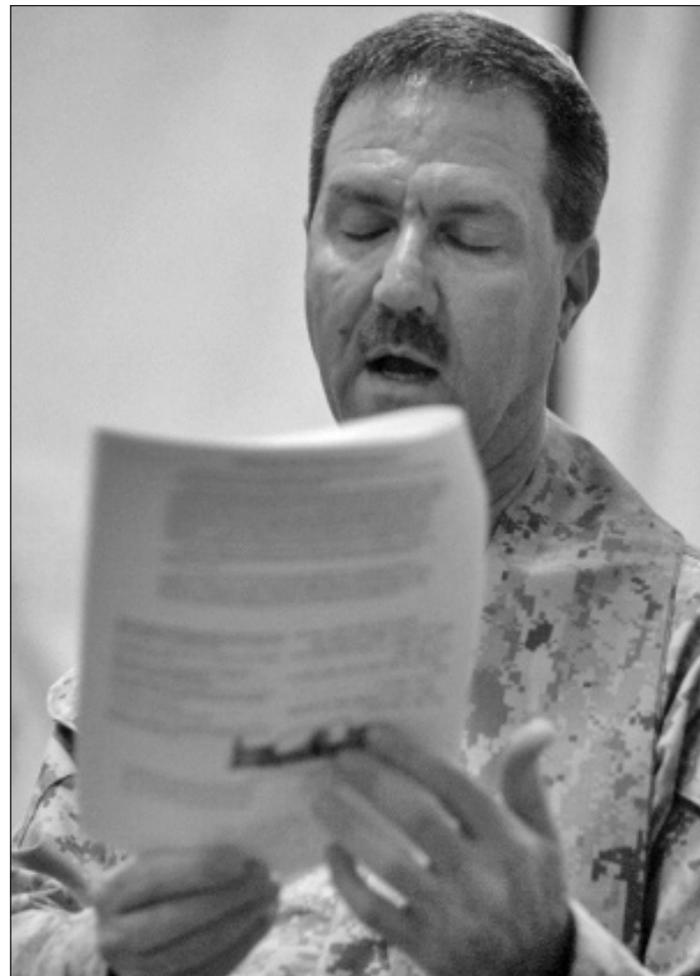
The process of reflection and repentance takes place over a 40-day period beginning about four weeks before Rosh Hashanah, at the start of the month known as Elul on the lunar Jewish calen-

dar. Jews consider the 10-day period from Rosh Hashanah to Yom Kippur as the most sacred time during that period. During “The Days of Awe,” as they’re known, Jews ask forgiveness from one another to God for their sins and the sins of their community.

“These are 10 days of reflection,” said Navy Cmdr. Joel Newman, the rabbi and chaplain who led the Rosh Hashanah service. “This is an opportunity for Jews to think about the past year and how they can improve as a person.”

Jews view Yom Kippur, which is known as the “Day of Atonement,” as the most solemn and important day of the Jewish holidays, Newman said. Most Jews will observe this holy day with a period of fasting and intensive prayer. God will then determine each person’s fate for the coming year.

“What will I do differently for the year to come?” said Col. Kevin Vest, the commanding officer of MAG-40, “well, that’s what I’m going to figure out over the next week.”



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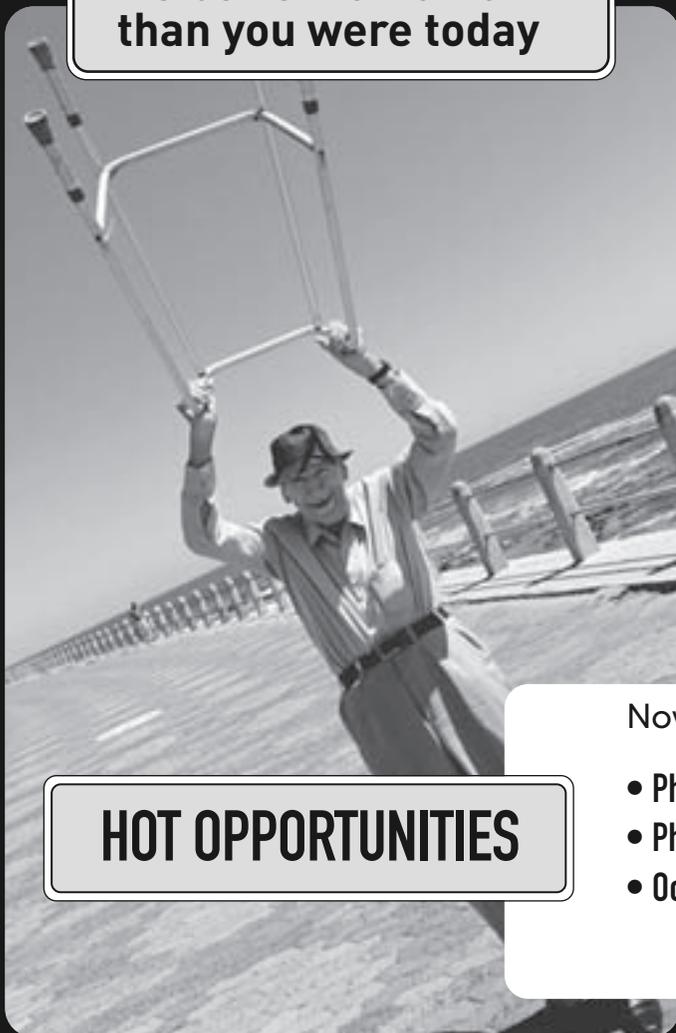
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