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Subject: LOA Kanaloa Chapter meeting minutes (View HTML)

Aloha All,

First off I'd like to thank the following Ladies and Gentleman for their attendance at yesterdays LOA meeting:

Col Mike Arceneaux
Col Joseph Martin
Mr. Brian Gomes
Capt Nena Myers
Capt Mike Lasher
Capt Melinda Santos
Lt Ammon Hennessee
Lt Joseph Sillaman

I'd also like to thank the following members for calling in:

LtCol Jeff Spann // Currently on Leave
Capt Chris Dupuis // Currently TDY
Lt John Hays // Task saturated at work
Capt Cleve Rodriguez // Unable to make it
Capt Mark Klohr // RTB from Deployment and spending time with family

For the rest of the membership, sorry you couldn't make it and we look forward to seeing you next time!

Meeting minutes:

First out of the gate, introductions/announcements were made introducing the new LOA Council:

VP: Capt Chris Dupuis
Secretary: Lt John Hays
Treasurer: Capt Nena Myers

Next, with the 2010 LOA Conference right around the corner, 11 Oct-14 Oct, Lt Ammon Hennessee briefed us on the latest and greatest concerning the C-17 ride already in the works to get us there and back in style. Right now there will be 90 seats available for the trip out and 130 seats available for RTB with departure scheduled for the evening of Saturday the 9th of Oct and RTB Scheduled for the 15th or 16th. TBD. Right now the quick turn item is the Mission Essential Personnel (MEP) letter that Ammon has volunteered to draft up to get us all on board the plane. For that he'll need your name, rank, SSN. He needs this information by 14 Sept to ensure it makes it through all the wickets so don't delay if you plan to attend to

conference and want to take advantage of the ride. More details to follow as we get closer and things start to solidify. Ammon's contact info is as follows: Ammon.Hennessee@hickam.af.mil, phone number: 448-6487.

Col Mike Arceneaux gave us a brief on the latest 21A/M DT Board and provided some valuable insight to what the team is looking for and looking at as they go through their deliberation process. He also brought to light that selection to the USAF Advanced Maintenance and Munitions Officer School (AMMOS) will no longer be through packages, as it's been in the past, but will now be conducted through a review of individual records. In other words "All in" just like LCBP.

With an eye to the future, the assembled members talked about future activities our LOA chapter might be interested in. Some of those activities included, fund raisers, some ideas for community involvement, tours and academic lessons at future meetings. There were a lot of great ideas thrown around but there's diffidently room for more. Please, if any of you have ideas you'd like to have considered shoot them to me or any of the other council reps and we'll make sure they get socialized at the next LOA Kanaloa Chapter meeting.

FYI. if any of you are curious, the LOA web site is: <http://www.loanational.org/> and the LOA Kanaloa Chapter website is: <https://www.loanational.org/chapters/index.php?id=17>. Our Chapter website is still being updated.

Next LOA Kanaloa Chapter meeting is TBD. right now we're looking at a Luncheon at the officers club. If any of you have any questions please shoot me an email or give me a call.

V/R,

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