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New lodging policy begins March 1

Effective March 1, members who show up to lodging as a walk-in, without a reservation for the scheduled UTA, will still receive accommodations; however, the member will be responsible for paying for the room with their personal funds.

Welcome home 512th SFS

A 13-person security forces team returned home on Valentine's Day, following a sixmonth deployment to Kirkuk Regional Air Base, Iraq. While deployed, five of the 512th Security Forces Squadron members worked flight operations and eight of them worked Raven B missions, which are affiliated with Unmanned Aerial Vehicles.

Civilians have new feature in My Biz

A tab in My Biz allows civilian employees to update and view their completed certifications and licenses through the self-service module in the Defense Civilian Personnel Data System. Employees can see the updated information in their personnel records instantaneously and on their career brief the following day.

Activate Sittercity membership for free

Military families now have free access to an online net-



Photo by Master Sgt. Veronica A. Aceveda

Eye of the storm

Dr. Bill Johnston (right), Wesley College president, and Tony DePrima, city manager of Dover, take a closer look at a weather instrument called a dropsonde, during a Hurricane Hunters tour Feb. 19. Dr. Johnston is one of 19 civic leaders from Dover and surrounding areas, who participated in the 512th Airlift Wing's Civic Leader Tour to Dobbins Air Reserve Base, Ga., and Keesler Air Force Base, Miss. Tour-goers learned how reservists fly into the center of storms or hurricanes and release the dropsonde, which collects data in direct support of the National Hurricane Center.

work of caregivers who can assist with everything from babysitting to dog walking; activate membership by going to http://www.sittercity.com/dod.

Wing events

Recently, some wing events were postponed due to inclement weather. Here's a glance at the wing's events calender now:

- March 6, Senior NCO Induction Ceremony,
- April 10, Awards Banquet,
- May 1, Commander's Call.

Communication is key to success

Maj. Cathy Anderson

512th Mission Support Squadron commander

The key to success in your organization is communication. Do you communicate effectively within your squadron by keeping communication simple but crystal clear? I'm a huge fan of communicating too much information as opposed to communicating too little. Read the full commentary at http://www.512aw.afrc.af.mil/news/story.asp?id=123191643.



"We all want to be informed."

Maj. Anderson512th MSS commander