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512th Airlift Wing, Dover Air Force Base, Del.

Wing announces change to 2011 UTA schedule

There will not be a Unit Training Assembly in May 2011 due to conflicts with NASCAR and holidays; however, the 512th Airlift Wing will make up these days with three-day UTAs March 4-6 and July 8-10.

Sign-up for POW/MIA run

A 24-hour remembrance run starts at 4 p.m. Sept. 16 and ends at 4 p.m. Sept. 17. The minimum run block is 10 minutes. To sign-up, contact Senior Master Sgt. Patrick Lausier at (302) 677-5918.

Next NCOLDP dates released

Technical and staff sergeants as well as fast-track senior airmen who are interested in attending an NCO Leadership Development Course on base in the spring can call John Young, 512th Education and Training Office, at (302) 677-3517.

The dates for the classes are:

- Session 2011T4A is April 4-8 and April 11-15. The application deadline is Feb. 18.

- Session 2011T4B is July 11-15 and July 18-22. The application deadline is May 27.

These slots will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please note annual tour funds cannot be used for NCOLDP.

Deadline nears for wing's quarterly awards program

The 512th Airlift Wing Airman, NCO, Senior NCO, Company Grade Officer and Civilian of the Quarter Board will be Oct. 2 in Building 520. The deadline to submit nominations is Sept. 24. For more information, call Stanford Drummond, 512th Mission Support Squadron Awards and Decorations Section, at (302) 677-3507.



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Reservists ride in Amish Bike Tour

From left to right, Tech. Sgt. David Jackson and Lt. Col. Gretchen Kurlander, both 512th Logistics Readiness Flight members, and the colonel's son Austen Kurlander, 16, stand ready to begin a 50-mile cycling course through the backroads of Delaware Sept. 11 as part of Dover's 24th Annual Amish Bike Tour. The trio completed the event in 3 hours, 31 minutes. Read the full story at www.512aw.afrc.af.mil/news/story.asp?id=123221655.

AF officials increase deployment times

Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Norton Schwartz announced a change to the air and space expeditionary force rotational baseline from 120 to 179 days for the active component.

He said the revised construct will increase predictability and stability for affected Airmen and their families, while providing better support to combatant commanders by increasing continuity at deployed locations.

Because of the complexity of changing the baseline, officials said it will take until October 2012 before all deployments are six months. Read the full story at <http://www.af.mil/news/story.asp?id=123221320>.