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Marne Team completes Army Ten-Miler



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Third Infantry Division mascot, Rocky poses with Lt. Col. Jose Aguilar (bottom right), Hunter garrison commander; Lou Carreas (bottom left), former president of the Fort Stewart chapter of Association of the United States Army; and Brazilian Soldiers from the Brazilian Army Ten-Miler team. Look for the full story in next week's Frontline.

Alter ego: Army spouse skates for Roller Derby Team

Randy Murray
Fort Stewart Public Affairs

By day, they're prim and proper stay-at-home moms, teachers, college students, waitresses, reporters, even scientists. But in the afternoon and on weekdays, these gentle ladies don their roller skates, pads, helmets and uniforms then hit the rink – and as many of their opponents as possible. Julie "Souxsie Skoolyard" Harrison, Army spouse and member of the Savannah Derby Devils, was looking for something physically challenging and fun when she joined the Devils four months ago.

"I wish I had done roller derby during my husband's two (previous) deployments," Harrison said, speaking of her 4th Infantry Brigade Combat Team husband, Staff Sgt. Scott Harrison's previous deployments with the 3rd Infantry Division. "I did run the Army 10-Miler last year, but I was looking for something just as physical but fun."

The mild-mannered military mom found a good workout and fun with roller derby, a sport very popular in the 1970's that has seen resurgence in recent years. In fact, a new movie about Roller Derby, "Whip It," directed by Drew Barrymore, was released Oct. 2. As trailers for the movie show, roller derby players don't have to be the big,

muscular, rugged types. Harrison said her husband and their 7-year-old son, Dean, are proud of her choice to become a "rollergirl" and love watching her rough it up on the rink.

"We have girls that weigh not even a (150 pounds) soaking wet, but they're quick on their feet, and when they hit you, you just cringe," Harrison laughed and pointed to bruises. "Once the adrenaline gets going, you don't see faces on the other team. You just see targets."

Harrison said the Devils consist of 28 ladies at this time. To score points, five members at a time work together to score points and prevent the other team from scoring. One designated skater, called a jammer, starts well in the back of the formation with the opponent jammer. The formation is led by another designated team member serving as a pivot. The pivot's job is to set the pace and inform her three blockers when a jammer is trying to get through the formation. It's the blockers' job to block the rival team's jammer from getting through or around the formation and assist their own jammer in getting through because she gets a point for every girl she passes. Blockers are allowed to bump or block opposing players with their own bodies, but Harrison said they're not allowed to elbow or use their fists to stop another player.

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Stewart TKD student promoted to Red Belt

Philip Konz
Child and Youth School Services

Inspiring excellence in the community's youth is a constant goal to strive for with the Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Child and Youth School Services. It is special treat when children enrolled in any of the SKIESUnlimited programs achieve a major milestone within the program.

Josh Bones, 9, of the Fort Stewart Youth Services Taekwondo class, obtained the prestigious rank of Red Belt during a promotion ceremony held at the School Aged Services building, Sept. 29. The Red Belt is a level of proficiency comparatively few students achieve on their quest to acquire the coveted Black Belt.

Josh's list of achievements include Best Poomse (Forms) Award for September 2009; Best Kicker Award for June 2009; Student of the Month for June 2007 and July 2009; Most Improved

Student for February 2008 and September 2008; Outstanding Student for the Month for March 2009; and Outstanding Student of the Year for 2007 and 2008. Additionally, Josh has earned numerous first, second and third place trophies and medals for the sparring and forms competitions in the six different tournaments in which he has participated.

Although Josh's past accolades are many, he still faced a rigorous physical and mental test to earn his new belt. During the test, Josh had to perform eight different forms, numerous combinations and jumping kicks, board breaking, self defense, and various sparring techniques.

Additionally, he had to write four essays on topics such as board breaking techniques, the generation of power, leadership, and what he is doing to prepare himself for his future. Josh's tremendous performance during the test was an inspiration to all in attendance.

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CYSS offers youth intro to golf, personal development

Child and Youth School Services

Child, Youth & School Services has partnered with the First Tee program to bring an exciting opportunity to youth at Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield through golf.

First Tee wants to introduce young people to the game of golf and, more importantly, promote character development and life-enhancing values through the game.

The First Tee program is offering free six-week sessions to CYSS

youth, ages 5-18.

Currently we have 15 slots per age group at each installation available.

To sign up or register please stop by the CYSS Central Registration offices located, building 443 on Fort Stewart at 767-2312; or building 1286 at Hunter Army Airfield, 315-5425.

For more information about SKIESUnlimited programs at Child, Youth & School Services, call Amber Vega, Instructional Program Specialist at 767-6071.

Tominac Pool closed today

The Tominac Fitness Center Indoor Pool will not be available to community members from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., today. The Coast Guard will be utilizing the pool for annual training.

TKD student of the month announced

Derek Payne
Child and Youth School Services

During the summer months, many families throughout the Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield community turned to the Child and Youth School Services SKIESUnlimited program for activities to continue the development of their children. Now fall has arrived, bringing additional activities into the lives of the community. This is a transitional period, whereby the carefree days of summer are traded for structured school attendance, homework, and tests.

However, summer was not a time of rest for the students enrolled in the SKIESUnlimited Taekwondo program. These students trained throughout the summer, participating in activities to learn the martial art of Taekwondo. Each month, the Fort Stewart Youth Services Taekwondo class holds its Student of the Month ceremony at the School Aged Services building on Fort Stewart to recognize and reward the

students for their outstanding accomplishments and achievements.

For September, students receiving promotions to their next higher belt levels for their hard work and dedication were: Yellow Stripe Belt - Charlie Conger, 9; Yellow Belt - Lucas C. Skinner, 8; Orange Belt - Hannah V. R. Payne, 8, and Christian T. Touchet, 10; Green Belt - Joshua I. R. Davis, 12, and Javier Gonzalez-Rodriguez, 10; Purple Belt - Jared Hazel, 10; and Red Belt - Joshua T. Bones, 9.

Earning the coveted Student of the Month Award for September was Javier Gonzalez-Rodriguez, 10, for demonstrating hard work, discipline, determination, and enthusiasm.

Outstanding Student Awards were presented to Terri Brown, 10, Lucas Skinner, Brea Guidry, 11, and Scott Wilson, 13, for their commitment, effort, and contributions to the class.

Receiving this month's Best Poomsea (Forms) Award was Josh Bones for performing all of his forms in an exemplary manner.

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Photos by Staff Sgt. Scott Harrison

ABOVE: Julia "Souxsie Skoolyard" Harrison (center, red jersey), Army spouse and member of the Savannah Derby Devils, performs a "booty block" to prevent an opponent's jammer from getting by her and scoring a point during a recent roller derby bout.

RIGHT: Half of the red team of the Savannah Derby Devils waits for the call to action during a recent competition. From left (roller derby names listed): Lana Luck, Bellatrix LeRage, Julia "Souxsie Skoolyard" Harrison, Annamistic, Rambling Rose, Disasstris, Ira Fuse (2), ReAnn Forcer, and Tsu Legit-2quit.



"I spent a lot of time in the penalty box when I first started playing," she said. "We don't do any of those crazy moves like (World Wrestling Entertainment). There's no fist fighting either, but we do hit hard, and we leave lots of bruises."

Harrison said she joined the Savannah Derby Devils during "boot camp" in June and said there will be another boot camp in June next year. She came to boot camp with an Army spouse friend, who never joined the team because her husband was reassigned to Germany. Chief Warrant Officer Melissa "Chain Gun Melly"

Huber, is an Apache pilot, but she hasn't been able to train or compete with the team lately due to her upcoming deployment.

Harrison said the Devils practice three days a week at the Garden City gym. Anyone interested in trying out to be a roller girl or those just wanting to watch good girls get mean can go to www.savannahdevils.com. All contact and schedule information is on the Web site.

"You don't even have to know how to skate," Harrison concluded. "You just have to have the heart to do it and be willing to have fun."

Rocky Conference

Team	Wins	Losses	Win Pct.
1t. 1/76 FA	5	0	1.000
1t. 632nd MAINT CO	4	0	1.000
3t. A Co. 26th BSB	4	1	.800
3t. B TRP, 6/8 CAV	4	1	.800
5. A Co 4-3 BSTB	2	1	.666
6. CO 3/15 IN	3	2	.600
7. HHB 1/41 FA	6	4	.555
8. A Co 1/41 FA	5	5	.500
9t. DINING FACILITY	2	4	.333
9t. HHC 1st BDE	3	6	.333
11. G 1/41 FA	1	7	.125
12. B Co. 1/41 FA	1	8	.111

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Marne Conference

Team	Wins	Losses	Win Pct.
1t. 92nd ENG	2	0	1.000
1t. HHC 2ND BDE	3	0	1.000
1t. 92ND CHEM	2	0	1.000
4t. 24th ORD CO	2	1	.666
4t. HHG USAG	2	1	.666
6t. WTU/MEDDAC	1	1	.500
6t. 549th MP CO	2	2	.500
6t. 1/64 AR	2	2	.500
9t. DIVISION STB	1	3	.250
9t. 984th EN BN	1	3	.250
11. A CO 3/7 IN	1	3	.250
12t. 15ASOS	0	3	.000
12t. 554th EN CO	0	4	.000

Atlantic Conference

Team	Wins	Losses	Win Pct.
1t. A Co. 703rd	3	0	1.000
1t. A Co. 3D BSB	3	0	1.000
3. B Co. 3/15 IN	2	1	.666
4t. 3 SB	0	3	.000
4t. HHC 1-30 IN	0	3	.000
4t. C Co. 703rd	0	3	.000



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Top of the Rock Run results

Sept. 26

10K

10K Teams

1. HHC 92nd Engineers, 8:18:09
2. HHD 385th Military Police, 8:56:59
3. B Troop, 6/8Cav., 9:36:06
4. YCA, 11:11:33

10K Overall

1. William Morgan, 37:16
2. Matvey Vikhrov, 37:36
3. Juan Hernandez, 38:36

10K Female

1. Michelle Staton McCart, 41:13
2. Sarah Patrick, 43:12
3. Danielle Thunderhawk, 45:08

10K Age groups

Male 1-14

1. John Berger, 1:15:21

Male 15-19

1. Melvin Green, 55:45

Female 15-19

1. Deja Patterson, 1:18:10

Male 20-24

1. Robert Morris 42:20

Female 20-24

1. Janet Martini, 48:33

Male 25-29

1. Walter Spangler, 38:58

Female 25-29

1. Jennifer High, 53:19

Male 30-34

1. Javier Maldonada, 45:54

Female 30-34

1. Margart Van Houten, 51:06

Male 35-39

1. Augustus Bostick, 40:31

Female 35-39

1. Susanna Bartee, 58:54

Male 40-44

1. Jose Aguilar, 42:36

Female 40-44

1. Loyra Folmar, 53:20

Male 45-49

1. Garth Peterson, 45:02

Female 45-49

1. Monica Lopez, 52:18

Male 50-54

1. Kent Smith, 52:32

Male 55+

1. Robert Henning, 1:05:56

Female 55-59

1. Taunya Moore, 1:17:53

5K

5K Overall

1. Andrew Lopez, 18:51
2. Cesar Garcia, 20:30
3. Richard Jenkins, 21:58

5K Female

1. Tara Ochoa, 22:52
2. Michelle Lartigue, 23:09
3. Samantha Gonzales, 23:36

5K Age groups

5K Age Groups

Female 1-14

1. Jocelyn Aguilar, 24:07

Male 1-14

1. Joey Aguilar, 22:10

Female 15-19

1. Alicia Torres, 25:35



Courtesy photo

The 92nd Engineer Battalion won the 10K race at the Top of the Rock Run with a combined time of 8:18:09, Sept. 26. The members of the winning team were Matvey Vikhrov, Philip Robinson, Jason Mathy, Ron Patterson, Janet Martini, Michael Obringer, Colby Larson, James Schultze, Elizabeth Costello and E.J. Marreo.

Female 20-24

1. Abbie Cucolo, 40:35

Female 25-29

1. Rachel Cerritos, 29:13

Male 25-29

1. William Erwin, 23:43

Female 30-34

1. Jennifer McKay, 28:10

Male 30-34

1. Kevin McKay, 28:10

Female 35-39

1. Mina Wasylishin, 26:12

Male 35-39

1. Brian Schaap, 28:26

Female 40-44

1. Cathrine Allen, 25:59

Male 40-44

1. Verdis Hall, 24:36

Female 45-49

1. Jacqueline Cassidy, 25:31

Male 45-49

1. Juan Serrano, 29:18

Male 50-54

1. Kenneth Lonon, 23:54

Male 55+

1. Maurice Masferrer, 34:16

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As Josh wrapped his new belt around his waist and a confident smile formed across his face for he knows that the Red Belt is merely a milestone in the even harder quest to reach his ultimate goal of wearing a Black Belt.

Josh Bones and his Family are just one of the many fantastic Families within the Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Child and Youth communities who are part of the Child and Youth

School Services SKIESUnlimited program.

If you are looking for milestones in the lives of your Family, make contacting the Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Child and Youth School Services and signing up for any of the SKIESUnlimited programs the first milestone on your list. Just remember, outstanding achievement is gained through participation.

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Recognized with this month's Best Kicker Award was Emerald Eberenz, 9, for performing all of her kicks and kicking combinations in an exceptional manner.

Certificates of Achievements for demonstrating tremendous effort and/or making significant improvement in TKD class were presented to Hannah Payne, Crissy Wright, 8; Annemarie Gulley, 9; and Makayla Christie, 8.

Students celebrating birthdays during the month were Nathaniel Barnette, 8; Alycia Jones, 6; Jacob Warren, 9; Braxton Jordan-Eller, 12; and Victoria Wheeler, 17.

September proved to be another fabulous month for the students and Families of the Fort Stewart Youth Services Taekwondo class. Transitioning from sum-

mer to school is an exciting yet stressful period for children. Employing the lessons learned such as the "Top 10 Rules" and the martial arts "Aims to Achieve" help make experiencing a new grade, new friends, and even new subjects a positive experience for students of the Taekwondo class.

The skills, knowledge and accomplishments the children learn and achieve while involved in any of the Child and Youth School Services SKIESUnlimited programs will help them with the most important transition of all - from childhood to adulthood. It is imperative that we give our children the necessary tools for this transition. The Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Child and Youth School Services SKIESUnlimited program is here to help your Family. Get your Family involved today.