

## SPORTS &amp; FITNESS B SECTION

**On Post****Basketball/Cheerleading**

Sign up for Youth Basketball and Cheerleading, ages 7 to 18. Sports fee is \$20 for first child, \$18 for each additional child and they must be registered members of Youth Services. Physicals are required.

For more information call 352-5851.

**Tae Kwon Do lessons**

Tae Kwon Do is available for children and adults.

Classes are held for beginners from 5 to 6 p.m., intermediate 6 to 7 p.m. and teen and adult 7 to 8 p.m., each Tuesday and Thursday at the Fort Stewart Youth Services Center, Building 7338, Austin Road, Bryan Village next to the shoppette.

The cost is \$30 per month, \$30 for uniform and \$30 for testing fee, belts are included. For more information, call Child and Youth Services at 767-2312.

**Golf Course**

Taylor's Creek Golf Course offers Senior Blitz on Thursdays with a 9 a.m. tee off. The course also offers a Dogfight Tournament at 7:30 a.m. and Men's Blitz at 1 p.m. on Saturdays and Men's Blitz at 1 p.m. on Sundays.

**Consultations at Newman**

The Newman Physical Fitness Center now offers free personal training consultations. Consultations consist of health screenings (body fat assessments), exercise prescription and nutritional counseling. Consultations will be given on an appointment basis only.

**Marne tournaments**

A 9-pin, no-tap tournament will be held the first Saturday of every month at Marne Lanes.

Sign up starts at 6:30 p.m. Bowling starts at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15 per person.

Cash prizes will be awarded. The tournament is sponsored by the Fort Stewart Women's Bowling Association. For more information, call 767-4866.

**Hunter Gym floor repair**

Hunter Gym is closed for floor repair until further notice. The intramural basketball season will begin when the floor is finished.

**Skeet and trap range**

Join in the fun each Thursday evening (except holidays), 5 to 8 p.m. for open shooting. Cost is \$3 per round of either skeet or trap.

Range can be scheduled for special events and parties. For more information, contact Roy Rogers at 767-2771.

**Outdoor rentals**

For parties, events and fundraisers check out the New Moon Bounce, kids' football games, golf game and money machine. For more information call 767-2841.

**Off Post****Red Cross golf tourney**

The Savannah chapter of the American Red Cross will hold the 12th annual Swing for Relief golf tournament at the South Bridge Golf Club Feb. 26 at noon and Feb. 27 at 9 a.m. Play one day or both, \$400 per four-person team or \$100 per individual. Fees include cart, green fee, goody bag, food beverages and prizes. Benefits will go to the Red Cross and help provide free relief for disaster victims.

Entries can be sent to the American Red Cross, Savannah Chapter, P.O. Box 9987, Savannah, Ga., 31412 or by calling (912)651-5309. You can also visit the web site at [www.savannahredcross.org](http://www.savannahredcross.org).

If you're interested in having your sports articles, commentaries or briefs posted in The Frontline, call 767-3440, or fax at 767-5979. Deadline is noon on Fridays.



Spc. Jacob Boyer

Kenneth Joliette shoots a jump shot during the HHC, 3/69 Armor Panthers' 46-31 loss to the MEDDAC/DENTAC Bulldogs Jan. 13.

## Bulldogs roll over Panthers, 46-31

Spc. Jacob Boyer

Staff Writer

Carlos Skinner scored 12 points in the second half to lead the the Medical Department Activities/Dental Activities Bulldogs basketball team to a 46-31 win over the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment Panthers Jan. 13 at Newman Physical Fitness Center.

In addition to leading the way on offense, the 6 foot, 9 inch center pulled down several key rebounds on both sides of the floor. Hasahnn Reynolds backed up Skinner's effort with 11 points of his own in the losing half.

"Whenever the defense would collapse on one of us, the other one got open," Skinner said. "We were constantly open for a pass or a free opportunity (to score)."

The Bulldogs opened up an early 12-7 lead in the first half, but the Panthers drew them back in with a few key buckets at the end of the half to close it to 14-11.

The game got even closer early in the second half when 3/69's Cedric Mitchell put in a lay-up to make it a one-point game, but that would be as close as it would get. MEDDAC/DENTAC scored 14 unanswered points over eight minutes

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to take a commanding 15-point lead. Skinner sparked the run when he tipped in his own rebound. He followed that with a lay-up, and the Bulldogs did not look back.

Skinner scored six points and Reynolds scored seven during the run, which ended when Isaiah Middleton put in a lay-up with less than six minutes to play.

Reynolds was fouled on the subsequent play and hit one of his two shots from the line. After the Panthers failed to score, Reynolds put in a lay-up despite being fouled again. He hit the bonus to stretch the lead to 32-15, MEDDAC/DENTAC's biggest of the night.

"We played pretty good compared to our last game," Reynolds said. "We're coming along great early in the season."

Most of MEDDAC/DENTAC's scoring came from the foul line after that. Reynolds was 4-for-6 from the stripe.

"My free throw shooting improved a lot since the last game," he said. I was a little horrendous then."

Antonio Presley and Aaron Hawkins led an unsuccessful surge on 3/69's part, scoring five points apiece late in the game.

Bulldog coach Jose Santiago said his team started cold, but came alive in the second half.

"Our defense started playing a lot more aggressively in the second half," he said. "The rebounds were the key to our fast breaks. That's where we scored a lot of our points. If we play every game like we played the second half, we'd be awesome. We have to keep playing aggressive defense. It's the key to turnovers and scores."

Skinner said he was impressed with his team given their lack of practice.

"It's early in the season, and we're still trying to learn to read each other," he said. "We play the best we can right now given our lack of practice. The main thing is to go out there and have fun. You can't take any of this too seriously."

## Soldiers win singles in Armed Forces Bowling Championships

Tim Hipps

Army News Service

LAS VEGAS — The two youngest Soldiers in the tournament stole the individual spotlight in the 2004 Armed Forces Bowling Championships contested Jan. 6-8 at Castaways Hotel, Casino & Bowling Center here.

Spc. Casey Collins, 25, of Camp Carroll, Korea, and 1st Lt. Michele Barksdale, 26, of Fort Jackson, S.C., won the men's and women's Armed Forces singles championships.

For the first time ever, the Armed Forces Championships were contested in conjunction with the 2004 USA Bowling National Amateur Championships, which determine the 16 members of Team USA. Although the pairing in three daily flights eliminated the intensity of head-to-head competition between servicemembers, the military bowlers expressed delight in competing alongside the best amateur bowlers in America.

Collins won the Armed Forces men's singles title with an eight-game total of 1,693 and best game of 256. He finished 79th overall in the USA Bowling National Amateur Championship men's field of 141 bowlers. The top 32 made the cut to contend for spots on Team USA.

"There's no doubt in my mind that I can make Team USA, too," said Collins, grandson of a retired Army colonel whose family has owned bowling centers around Fort Bragg, N.C., for more than 50 years. "I will

be back."

Barksdale prevailed in Armed Forces women's singles with an eight-game total of 1,612 and best game of 246. She finished 86th among 101 women in the three-day USA Bowling National Amateur Championships.

Daughter of retired Army Capt. William Barksdale, who barnstormed through many bowling alleys between battle stints in Vietnam and jumping from planes in Thailand, Michele has been hanging around the lanes with dad since she was 3.

From age 14 until 24, however, she quit bowling and dedicated her athletic abilities to basketball. After a successful career at Pemberton Township High in New Jersey, she made the Army women's post basketball team at Yongsan, Korea.

While lifting weights, Barksdale sustained three herniated disks in her lower back that prevented her from running and jumping. So she returned to her first athletic love and finished second in the 8th Army Bowling Tournament in Korea. Before long, she had earned a spot on the veteran-laden All-Army women's bowling team.

"I remember when Casey and I first came in (to All-Army bowling camp) and we were the youngest," Barksdale recalls. "They were saying things like: 'We have bowling shoes older than y'all.' So it really feels good to beat them all."

"We may be the youngest, but we're the winners."



Courtesy photo

First Lt. Michele Barksdale of Fort Jackson, S.C., wins the women's singles division of the 2004 Armed Forces Bowling Championships in Las Vegas with an eight-game total of 1,612 points.

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Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Bessie Lowery (1,607) was second among Armed Forces women in singles, followed by Air Force Chief Master Sgt. Bobbi Boutwell (1,555) and Army Chief Warrant Officer Joyce Dawson (1,530) of Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Johnny Bryan (1,680) was second among Armed Forces men in singles, followed by Air Force 1st Lt. Rickie Bannister (1,662) and Army Chief Warrant Officer John Wilson (1,619) of Fort Belvoir, Va.

Sgt. 1st Class Ken Reynolds of Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, and Sgt. 1st Class Don Oglesby of MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa, Fla., took fourth place in Armed Forces men's doubles.

Reynolds was Army's most consistent male bowler of the week, finishing tied for 62nd in the USA Bowling National Amateur Championships with a 24-game total of 4,682 (195 average). Dawson led the Army women in 70th place in the USA Bowling National Amateur Championships with a 24-game total of 4,334 (180.5 average).

After helping Army to third place in Armed Forces women's team competition Tuesday and finishing 10th in Armed Forces women's doubles and 23rd in Armed Forces mixed doubles on Wednesday, Barksdale figured she had nothing to lose by relaxing in singles competition on Thursday.

"It was the last day; I was like 600 pins down; and I wasn't making Team USA," she explained. "So I just went

out and had fun. I figured out what was wrong and I fixed it. I just needed to relax and bowl my game.

"There was no pressure until the final game when my teammates started saying: 'If you have a good last game, you should win singles,'" Barksdale recalled. "The ball got heavy then."

Likewise, Collins, whose older brother Chris bowls on the PBA Tour, thought he put too much pressure on himself.

"I wanted it bad, really bad, to at least make the top 32 and try to make Team USA," Collins said. "That was probably part of my problem. I was pressing too much because mentally I'm halfway there. I will make Team USA and the PBA Tour someday because that's where I want to be. I'm going to catch a break somewhere."

## Newman Physical Fitness Center Aerobic Schedule

### Mondays

Latino Rhythm with Carmen (weights and tubing) 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Busy Feet Workout with Irma (cross training) 9 to 10 a.m.  
4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

### Tuesdays

Butts and Gutts with Carmen (weights and bars) 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Basic Training Workout with Irma (steps, body bars, weights, abdominal work, etc.) 9 to 10 a.m.

Cardio-Stepping 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

### Wednesdays

Caliente with Carmen (kick-boxing) 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Cardio Kick-boxing with Irma 9 to 10 a.m.

Step-Kicking with Irma (cardio kick-boxing/steps) 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

### Thursdays

Basic Training Workout with Irma (Tubes, body bars, hoola-hoops, exercise balls) 9 to 10 a.m.  
4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

### Fridays

"Master C" Workout with Carmen (Buns & thighs workout/cardio kicking) 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Killer Friday with Irma (kicking, stepping, hooping and weights, etc.) 9 to 10 a.m.  
4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

### Saturdays

Pick Your Poison with Asha 9 to 10 a.m.

# Marne Scoreboard



## Basketball

### 2003 Stewart Intramural Basketball League

#### Standings

#### Southeastern Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
Svc. Btry., 1/41 FA	7	0	1.000
A Co., 2/7 Inf.	6	1	.857
HCB, 1/41 FA	6	2	.750
B Co., 11th Eng.	4	2	.667
24th Fin. Co.	4	4	.500
B Co., 3/7 Inf.	3	4	.428
103rd MI Bn.	3	4	.428
C Btry., 1/41 FA	3	5	.375
3rd SSB	3	5	.375
631st Maint. Co.	2	4	.333
B Co., 703rd MSB	2	6	.250
B Btry., 1/9 FA	0	4	.000

#### Freedom Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
HHC, 3/7 Inf.	3	0	1.000
2nd Bde. DFAC	3	0	1.000
A Btry., 1/9 FA	1	0	1.000
A Btry., 1/41 FA	2	1	.667
226th DS	2	1	.667
C Co., 123rd Sig.	1	1	.500
HHC 3/69 AR	1	1	.500
C Co., 3/7 Inf.	1	2	.333
223rd/87th CSG	1	2	.333
15th ASOS	0	1	.000
B Co., 2/7 Inf.	0	2	.000
SJA	0	4	.000

#### Atlantic Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
HHC, 24th CSG	4	0	1.000
MEDDAC	3	1	.750
C Co. 1/39 FA	2	2	.500

HCB, DIVARTY	1	1	.500
HHC, 10th Eng.	1	1	.500
HCB, 3/69 Armor	1	2	.333
92nd Eng.	1	2	.333
HHC, 3ID	1	3	.250
B Trp., 3/7 Cav.	0	0	.000
HCB, 4/64 Armor	0	2	.000

#### Gulf Coast Conference

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
A Co., 3/7 Inf.	1	0	1.000
HCB 3rd FSB	1	0	1.000
B Co. 3rd FSB	0	1	.000
A Co., 3rd FSB	0	1	.000

#### Scores

#### Jan. 13

223rd 87th **49**, C Co., 3/7 Inf. **39**  
A 1/41 FA **37**, B Co., 2/7 Inf. **28**  
HHC 24th CSG **71**, HHC 3ID **24**  
92nd Eng. Bn. **2**, HHC 4/64 Armor **(Forfeit)**  
HCB DIVARTY **41**, C Co., 1/39 FA **36**  
A Co., 3/7 Inf. **44**, A Co., 3rd FSB **42**  
HCB 3rd FSB **2**, B Co. 3rd **(Forfeit)**

#### Jan. 14

A Co., 2/7 Inf. **62**, B Co. 11th Eng. Bn. **43**  
HCB 1/41 FA **57**, 631st Maint. Co. **56**  
103rd MI Bn. **67**, B Co. 3/7 Inf. **46**  
B Co., 703rd MSB **51**, C Btry., 1/41 FA **38**  
3rd SSB **55**, 24th Fin. Co. **46**

#### Jan. 15

MEDDAC **52**, 92nd Eng. Bn. **32**  
HHC, 24th CSG **61**, C Btry., 1/39 FA **36**  
HCB 3/69 AR **43**, HHC 3ID **35**  
C Co., 3/7 Inf. **42**, A 1/41 FA **37**  
HHC 3/7 Inf. **67**, 223rd 87th **62**  
2nd Bde. DFAC **70**, SJA **44**  
226th DS **42**, 15 ASOS **27**

**Got Scores?**  
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**staff at 767-3440.**