



2024 QUARTER 2 MAGAZINE



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CMSgt Kristin Thompsons Farewell

As the seasons shift from the frosty embrace of winter (well, mildly nippy for Southern Alabama) to the vibrant renewal of spring, I find myself reflecting on my personal journey as a servant leader to the remarkable men and women of the 42nd Force Support Squadron. It has been a privilege to be part of an incredible mission that touches the lives of countless families, making lasting memories and fostering a sense of belonging. In my role as your Senior Enlisted Leader, I have been honored to serve alongside phenomenal individuals dedicated to supporting military members and their families.

Together, we have worked tirelessly to ensure the well-being and happiness of those we serve, striving to make each interaction meaningful and memorable. As I look back on the memories we have created and the lives we have touched, I am filled with gratitude for the opportunity to be part of such a meaningful mission. The moments shared, the challenges overcome, and the bonds formed have left an indelible mark on my heart, reminding me of the power of service and the strength of community.

As I prepare to transition to new horizons, I do so with a satisfied heart, knowing that the mission will continue and that things will only get better. I am grateful for the lessons learned, the friendships forged, and the experiences shared. To the men and women of the 42nd Force Support Squadron, I extend my deepest thanks for their unwavering dedication, their tireless commitment, and their boundless compassion.

As the seasons change and new beginnings unfold, I am filled with hope and optimism for the future. Though my time with the 42nd Force Support Squadron may be coming to an end, the memories we have created and the impact we have made will endure. Thank you for allowing me to be part of this incredible journey.

CMSgt Kristin Thompson

APRIL

8 | Kids Bowl Free

Gunter Lanes • April - September
Monday - Wednesday • 11am-2pm
Thursday & Friday 11am-2pm
Register through Kids Bowl Free app.
Children bowl free for 2 games.

2 | National Grilled Cheese Day

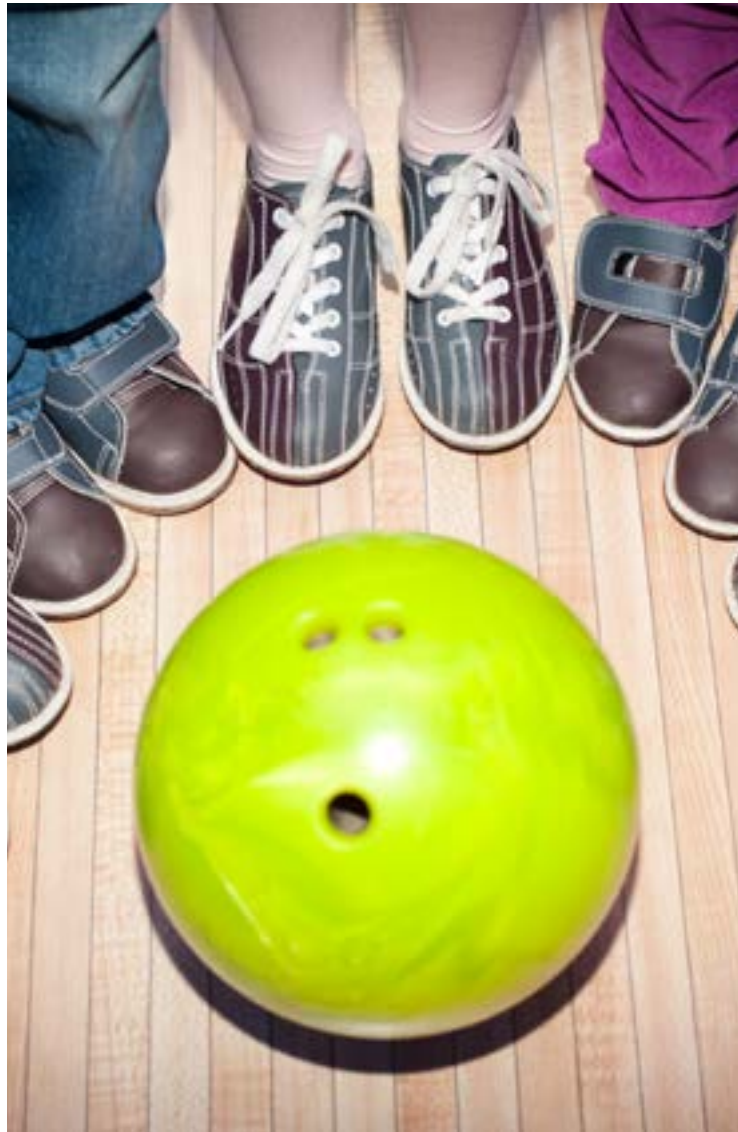
Range 42 • All Day
Celebrate National Grilled Cheese Sandwich day by enjoying a grilled cheese 50% off.
Download the LifeAtTheMax app to redeem.

26 | Karaoke Night

Range 42 • 6pm - 10pm

30 | National Tie Dye Day

Maxwell Club • 5:30pm
Learn to Tie Dye!
Bring a clean garment to participate.
Scan to register.



MAY

4 | May The 4th Be With You

Range 42 • 5pm • \$5 entry
Celebrate May the 4th with a Star Wars Movie Night and Costume Contest.
Drink specials and food available for purchase.

18 | National Armed Forces Day

Gunter Lanes • 3pm-9pm
Shoe rental free

18 | Beach Volleyball Tournament

Mid-Bay Shores • 2pm-4pm
Register your team of 6-8 by May 16th
by calling (850) 897-2411
Refreshments & Snacks provided

31 | Decorate Your Own Focaccia

Maxwell Club • 5pm-6:30pm
\$5 per person • R4R Event
Free entry for Deployed Affected
Scan to Register

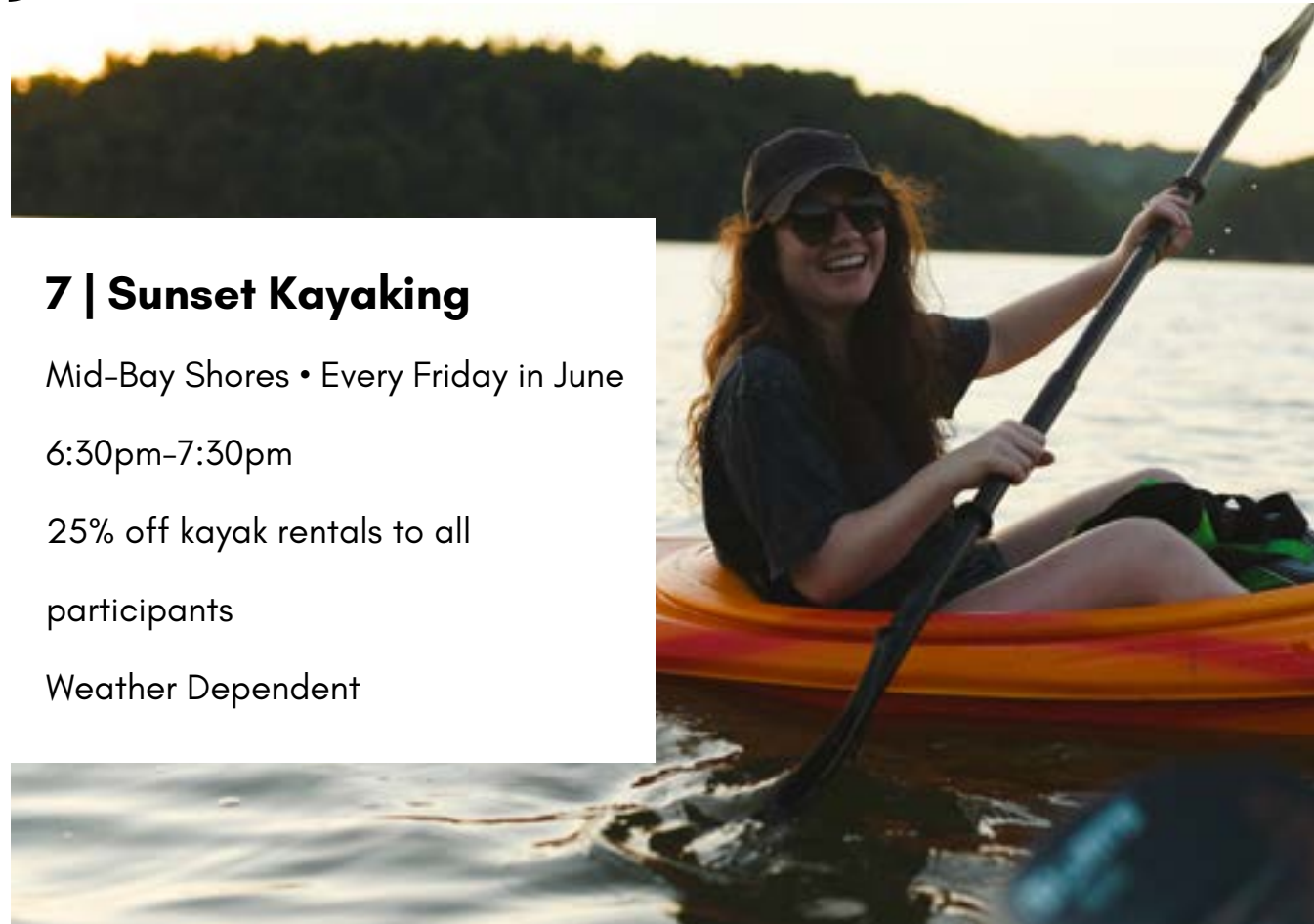


14 | Mid-Day Yoga

Maxwell Club
11:30am-12:10pm
\$5 per person
Free Entry for Single Airman
and Club Members.
Scan to Register



JUNE



7 | Sunset Kayaking

Mid-Bay Shores • Every Friday in June

6:30pm-7:30pm

25% off kayak rentals to all participants

Weather Dependent



18 | National Onion Ring Day

Gunter Lanes • 3pm-9pm

Offer locker in LifeAtTheMax App

Free upgrade of onion ring combo purchase



MAXWELL CLUB

FRIDAY'S

2PM - 7PM

Monthly Drink Specials

APRIL

Naughty Peep



Cotton Candy Margarita

MAY

BeerRitas • Micheladas



Your Flavor Margarita

JUNE

Electric Smurf



Brazilian Lemonade

YOUTH

APRIL



19 | Ice Cream Social

Maxwell Youth Center • 4pm-5pm
Members: Free • Non-Members: \$5.00
A variety of flavors and topping will be provided.
Make your own ice cream.
Scan to Register



12 | Purple up door Decorating Contest

Post your decorated door from April 8-11
Winner announced April 12 by 1pm
Winner will pick up prize at Maxwell Youth Center

19 | Family Game Night

Gunter Youth Center • 6pm - 7:30pm
Free for members and their family members

22 | Summer Swim Team

Registration start date: April 22
Registration end date: May 17
Member \$100.00 • Non-members \$115.00
Price includes: league fee, team swim suit, team t-shirt, and swim cap

26 | Blast from the Past 70s Lock-in

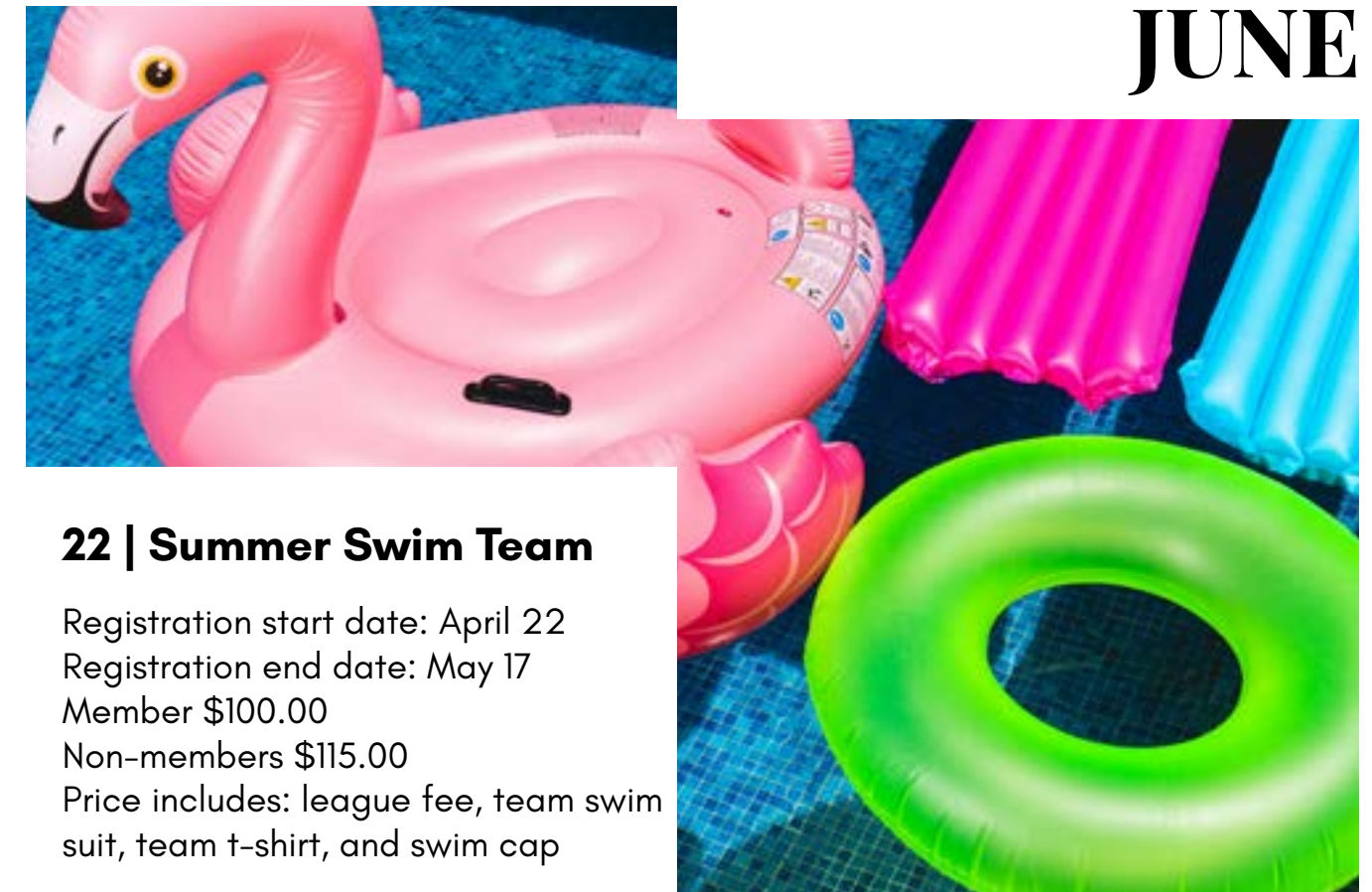
Gunter Youth Center • 6pm - 7:30pm
Free for members and their family members

MAY



10 | Esports Gaming Night

Join us for an Esports gaming night
Gunter Youth Center • 6-7:30pm
Ages 9 and older
Members: free • Non-members: \$5
PS5, XBOX, PC, Nintendo Switch, & Arcade Games



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JUNE



DREAMWORKS LAND

At Universal Orlando Resort, there's a new place to play for the whole family where you can have fun with your favorite characters from Shrek, Trolls and Kung Fu Panda. Welcome to DreamWorks Land, the colorful new land at Universal Studios Florida. Meet Shrek and splash in his swamp. Scream with laughter on the Trollercoaster. Learn kung fu with Po. Plus, ignite your sense of wonder with the new live show, DreamWorks Imagination Celebration.

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HANGAR 42 & RICKENBACKER'S

Featured Drinks

APRIL

Shaken Espresso

Choose your own Syrup



MAY

**Strawberry
Lemonade Acai**



JUNE

**Caramel
Macchiato**



APRIL

**1/2 off tent
camping
sites**

\$5 per site



JUNE

**25% off
Kayak
Rentals**

**Every Friday
of June**



HOURS OF OPERATION

Hours subject to change without notice • Most 42 FSS facilities are closed on Federal holidays

BOWLING

Gunter Lanes • 416-3186
 Monday-Wednesday: 11am- 2pm
 Thursday-Friday: 11am-9pm
 Saturday: 3-9pm

COFFEE SHOPS

Hangar 42 • Gunter Annex • 239-8040
 Monday-Friday: 6:30am-1pm
 Proudly serving Starbucks® Coffee
 Rickenbacker's T&G • Maxwell • 953-7662
 Monday-Friday: 6:30am-1pm
 Proudly serving Starbucks® Coffee

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

Gunter • 416-3185
 Monday-Friday: 6:30am-5:30pm
 Maxwell • 953-6667
 Monday-Friday: 6:30am-5:30pm

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL FLIGHT

Civilian Personnel Section • 953-7339
 Monday-Friday: 8am-3pm
 Closed Thursday
 NAF Human Resources • 953-7005
 Monday-Friday: 8am-3pm
 Closed Thursday

CLUBS & LOUNGES

Maxwell Club • 953-7820
 Office: Mon-Fri: 8am-12pm
 Catering: 312-0516
 Range 42 Bar & Grill • 953-5885
 Monday-Tuesday: 10am- 3pm
 Wednesday - Saturday: 10am-8pm
 Bar opens at 3pm Wednesday-Saturday

DIGITAL RESOURCE CENTER

953-6484
 Monday-Friday: 11am-6pm
 Saturday: Noon-5pm

MILITARY & FAMILY READINESS CENTER

953-2353
 Monday-Friday: 7:30am-4:30pm

DINING FACILITIES

Gunter • Aviation Inn • 416-1011 or 416-1017
 Monday-Friday: Breakfast: 6-8am
 Lunch: 11am-1pm
 Dinner: 4-6:30pm
 Weekends/Holidays:
 Brunch: 10:30am-12:30pm
 Supper: 1:30-6pm
 Maxwell • Riverfront Inn • 953-5127
 Monday-Friday: Breakfast: 6am-8am
 Lunch: 11am-1pm
 Dinner: 5pm-7pm
 Weekends/Holidays:
 Breakfast: 5am-8am, Lunch: 10am-1pm
 Supper: 4pm-7pm

FITNESS & SPORTS CENTERS

24/7 Access Available
 Gunter Fitness Center & Annex • 416-1250
 Monday-Thursday: 5am-9pm
 Friday: 5am-8pm
 Saturday: 10am-4pm
 Sunday: 12-5pm
 Holidays: 10am-4pm
 Maxwell Fitness Center & Annex • 953-5953
 Monday-Friday: 5am-8pm
 Saturday-Sunday: 9am-4:30pm
 Holidays: 10am-4pm

FORCE DEVELOPMENT FLIGHT

Airman Leadership School • 953-2415
 Monday-Friday: 7:30am-4:30pm
 Career Assistance Advisor • 953-7829
 Monday-Friday: 7:30am-4:30pm
 Education & Training Services • 953-5959
 Monday-Friday: 8am-4pm

GOLF

Range 42 Driving Range
 Maxwell • 953-2209
 Monday-Tuesday: 10am-3pm
 Wednesday-Saturday: 10am-8pm

HONOR GUARD & MORTUARY AFFAIRS

Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm (After hours 24/7 at 953-7474)
 Honor Guard • 953-4545
 Mortuary Affairs • 953-3273

INFORMATION, TICKETS & TOURS

953-6351
 Monday-Friday: 10am-5pm

LODGING

University Inn • Maxwell • 953-2055
 Aviation Inn • Gunter • 416-2501
<http://af.dodlodging.net/property>
MANPOWER & ORGANIZATION FLIGHT
 953-7961
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday:
 7am-4pm
 Thursday: 7am-1pm

MILITARY PERSONNEL FLIGHT

Maxwell • 953-6489
 Monday, Tuesday, Friday: 8am-4pm
 Wednesday: 9:30am-4pm
 Thursday: 8am-12pm

OUTDOOR RECREATION

953-6144
 Monday-Friday: 10am-5pm
 Equipment Checkout • 953-6144
 Famcamp • 953-5161
 Vehicle Resale Lot • 953-6144

RECREATION AREAS

Lake Martin • (334) 538-7437
 Sunday-Saturday • 9am-4pm
 Mid-Bay Shores • (850) 897-2411
 Reservations • 953-3509
 Sunday-Saturday: 8am-5pm

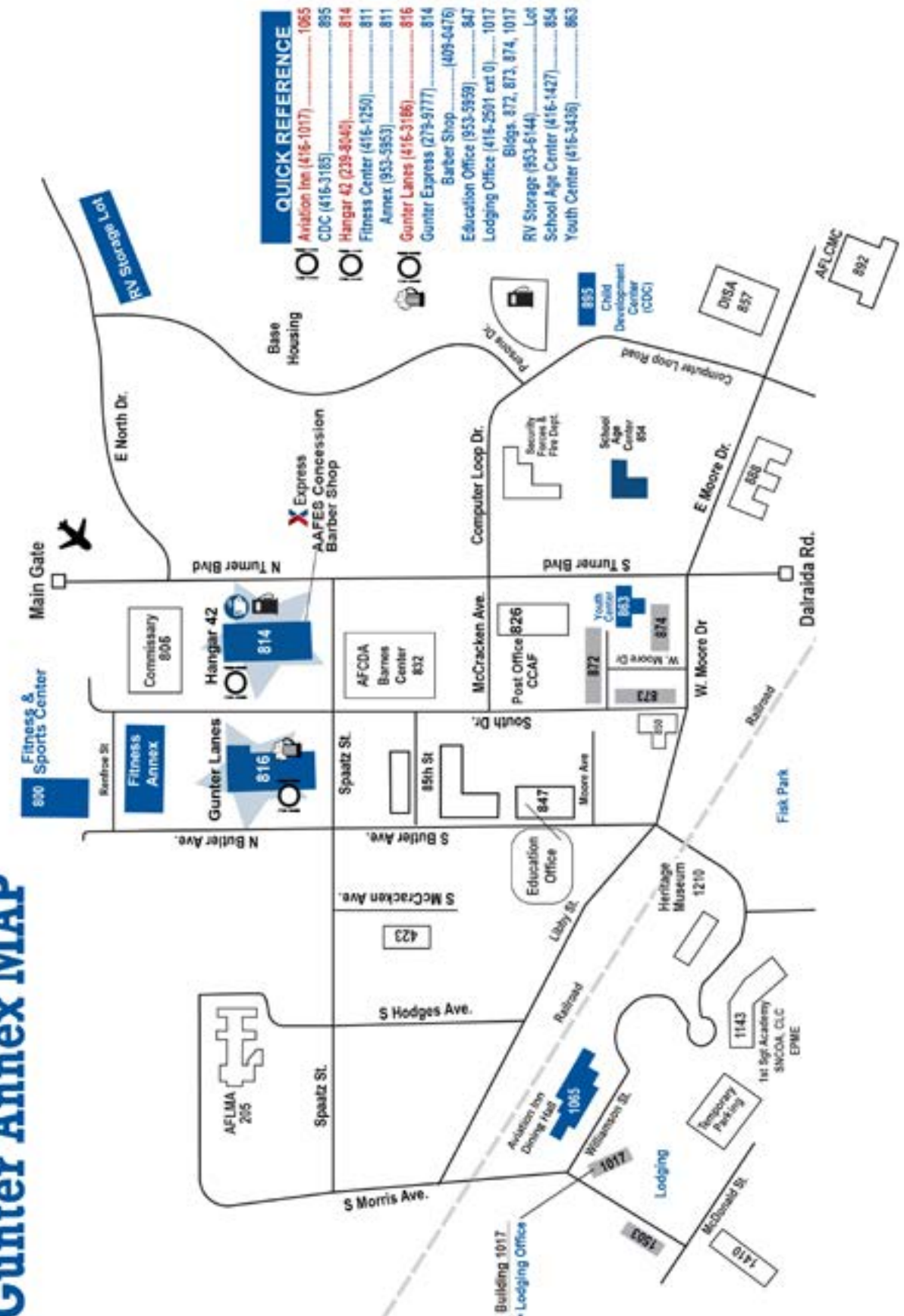
SCHOOL AGE CENTERS

Gunter • 416-1427
 Before School: Mon-Fri: 6:30am-8am
 After School: 3:30pm-5:30pm
 Summer: Monday-Friday: 6:30am-5:30pm
 Maxwell • 953-6292
 Summer: Monday-Friday: 6:30am-5:30pm
 Before School: Mon-Fri: 6:30am-8am
 After School: Monday-Friday: 2:30pm-5:30pm

YOUTH CENTERS

Gunter • 416-3436
 Monday-Friday: 12pm-5:30pm
 Maxwell • 953-6292
 Monday-Friday: 12-5:30pm

Gunter Annex MAP



Maxwell AFB MAP

QUICK REFERENCE

ABW HQ	804
AFRC (933-2353)	677
CDC (933-6667)	22
Civilian Personnel (933-7358)	804
Range Q2 (933-2269)	1461
Range Q2 Bar & Grill (933-5886)	
Outdoor Rv. (933-6144)	1461
ITT (933-4351)	1461
Domino's Pizza (933-9346)	1426
Education (553-5953)	501
Marketing (933-7411)	851
Exchange Food Court (253-6644)	6096
Fun Camp (553-5161)	1151
Family Child Care (933-6667)	22
Fitness Center (933-6503)	841
Reserv Guard & Workforce Affairs (933-3272)	842
Maxwell Club (933-7326)	144
MPF (933-6487)	804
NAF Personnel Office (933-7065)	804
Professional Development Center (temporarily moved to Bldg 947 see Guest Annex)	
(933-7125)	501
Resource Center (933-6484)	918
Recreater's TG (933-1862)	658
Beer Front Inn (933-5127)	658
RV Storage Lot (933-6144)	
University Inn (933-2365)	682
Bldgs 48, 47, 48, 45, 117, 119, 121, 579, 68A, 691, 1408, 1409	
Youth Center (933-6292)	1

