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Photos By Staff Sgt. Adora Medina

Staff Sgt. Terrance Avila, 201st BSB, is served Christmas lunch at the FOB Fenty dining facility, Dec. 25.



(From left to right) Sgt. Jamaal Mitchell and Sgt. Patricia Williams, pose for a picture with Santa's reindeer on Christmas day at the FOB Fenty dining facility.



Major General Jeffrey Schloesser, commander of the 101st Airborne and CJTF-101, interacts with TF Duke noncommissioned officers as he goes through the holiday serving line at the FOB Fenty dining facility on Christmas day.

Troops celebrate Christmas in Afghanistan

Story by Staff Sgt. Adora Medina
3rd BCT, 1st ID, PAO

Spending the holidays in a warzone, miles from home can be a challenge, but Task Force Duke Soldiers, currently deployed to Afghanistan, found a way to bring the Christmas spirit to Forward Operating Base Fenty.

To mark the beginning of the holiday season, a tree lighting ceremony was held in the dining facility two days before Christmas, and as Christmas neared, many preparations took place to ensure a festive experience for the troops at FOB Fenty, down to the holiday décor.

"It is by far the best decorating I've seen in my two combat tours, it was magical and reminded me of what the holidays are like back home," Staff Sgt. Mytsuko Diaz, TF Duke Soldier and El Paso, Texas native, said. For a second I had to remind myself that I was still in Afghanistan."

The decorations included a life-size nativity scene, numerous Christmas trees and ice sculptures. There was even a live Santa Clause who greeted troops as they left the holiday serving line with a traditional Christmas feast to include turkey, ham, roast and all the trimmings.

"The traditional meal is important because it gives Soldiers something to talk about when it comes to their own traditional Christmas dinners. Cpt. Genelle Lee, TF Duke Soldier and Detroit, Mi, native said.

Lee explained how something as simple as a favorite Christmas dessert can spark conversation between Soldiers and go on to build camaraderie within the unit.

Officers and noncommissioned officers from TF Duke and TF Outfront volunteered to serve the troops as a way of boosting moral during the holiday season.

"I see good chow as a form of edible morale," Lee said. "Soldiers eat it and feel good."

Lee, who was one of the volunteers, enjoys serving chow for the most part because Soldiers really

appreciate it and it gives her the chance to interact with the Troops.

"Sometimes I [serve chow] when it's not Christmas and sometimes I [serve] when chow is not extraordinary, it's a good way to talk to Soldiers," Lee said.

The Christmas luncheon continued on into Christmas dinner, to accommodate everyone's schedules, so that all Soldiers could partake in the holiday chow while having the opportunity to attend company-level activities and Christmas services.

To give Soldiers from all walks of life a chance for reflection and prayer, several services were held throughout the Christmas day. During an early morning service, a dance group, called the Women of Praise, performed a choreographed dance for those in attendance.

"I believe that we have reached people through dance that may not have gotten to know God any other way," Sgt. 1st Class Yolanda Williams, Women of Praise dancer and St. Louis, MO native, said. "This just goes to show that even in time of war, dancing in Afghanistan is a great testament to the power of praise."

As Christmas came to an end for Soldiers at FOB Fenty, the holiday season was just beginning for their families back home in the states. And as Soldiers phoned their loved ones to wish them a happy holiday they were able to share their holiday experience with their family.

"One of the big things about being out here is the moral issue. Everyone misses their family, everyone misses their kids, but being able to spend Christmas in a family oriented environment like this is a great way to boost the moral," Sgt. Felix Rios, 4th finance Management Detachment Soldier, and Bronx, NY native, said.



1st Lt. Michelle Campos serves Christmas lunch to TF Duke Soldiers at the FOB Fenty dining facility, Dec. 25. Officers and noncommissioned officers volunteered to serve Christmas lunch and dinner to the troops on Christmas day.



Spc. Dorothea Bunting Newburgh, NY native, dances with the Women of Praise during a Christmas service at FOB Fenty. Women of Praise is inspired by the women in the Bible who praised God through dance.



Senior noncommissioned officers of TF Duke, 201st Brigade Support Battalion, pose for a picture with Santa at the dining facility at FOB Fenty, Afghanistan, Dec. 25.

Medics teach life-saving techniques



Photos by Spc. Brandon Sandetur

ANA Soldiers learn how to properly perform a traction splint during medical training with 201st BSB Soldiers.

*Story By Pfc. Charles Wolfe
3rd BCT, 1st ID, PAO*

Working with the Afghan National Army soldiers 16 hours a week, the medics with 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, are providing instruction on a multitude of crucial life-saving techniques.

Spanning through first aid and beyond, the training seems difficult, but the Afghans' enthusiasm helps the medics guide their students through its challenges.

"We taught them Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TC3), what you might refer to as the 'medic's Bible,'" said Sgt. Troy Galvan, a medic with the 201st Brigade Support Battalion. "We try to use that as a foundation for these guys, because if they can do all the stuff in TC3 then they should be able to sustain life."

The instruction parallels the Combat Lifesaver course every U.S. Soldier is required complete, but the training medics are providing moves beyond the limits of CLS, covering skill sets commonly found among Emergency Medical Technicians in the U.S.

"The training is exactly the same thing U.S. Soldiers receive, but as medics we can go into the EMT aspect of certain things. It consists of a lot of stuff ... anything you can think of that can happen out there, we're teaching them," Galvan said. "We can do a lot more IV [Intravenous solution] therapy or traction splints, things you would never do in CLS."

By the end of the course, the ANA Soldiers will have learned an invaluable skill set: saving a life. After the long days of training and strenuous lessons, Galvan says he has the utmost faith in his students' ability to perform.

"I think we're contributing a lot to the future of Afghanistan," Galvan said. "If I can do a little part in training these guys, I'll do that, and I'll keep doing it until we leave here."



Two Afghan National Army Soldiers practice the basic steps of managing the airway of a trauma victim during a 30-day course on emergency first aid.



Sgt. Troy Galvan, 3-1 medic and San Antonio, Texas native, shows an ANA Soldier how to care for a trauma patient's breathing during a 30-day course on emergency first aid.

Mission continues through winter season



*Col. John Spiszer
3rd BCT, 1st ID, Commander*

We brought in the winter season but we have really not showed down and have continued our Counterinsurgency operations, Voter Registration in Nangarhar and Laghman, Operation Lionheart, Winter Operations Campaign, welcoming a new Agribusiness-Development Team and the Advance party of 1st Battalion, 32nd Infantry, as well as celebrating the Christmas Holidays.

The winter weather has come through at least a little and the snow peaked mountains of Afghanistan are quite beautiful. As we enjoy the scenic views, we are pushing forward to provide support in whatever way feasible for Voter Registration in Nangarhar and Laghman, where the bulk of the population resides, (about 3 million people) which started this month.

We continued Operation Lionheart conducting complimentary operations and intelligence sharing with Pakistani's Military and their Frontier Corps, in order to prevent enemy activity along the border of the Federally Administrated Tribal Area, or FATA, region of Pakistan.

We also conducted several operations to disrupt and eliminate enemy activity within our N2KL (Nangarhar, Nuristan, Konar and Laghman) region in conjunction with CJTF-101's Winter Campaign with our Afghan National Security Force partners to keep the pressure on the enemy and prevent his preparations for the next fighting season. We also conducted deliberate clearing operations through several of our IED hotspots in order to safeguard movement throughout the AO. The Advanced Party for 1-32 IN arrived from Fort Drum and they will be reinforcing the border of Konar and Nangarhar province.

We also took some time to celebrate the Christmas Holiday. We had a tree lighting ceremony in the dining facility here at FOB Fenty prior to Christmas, put up several decorations including a life-size nativity scene, numerous Christmas trees and ice sculptures. There was even a live Santa Claus who greeted troops as they left the holiday serving line with a traditional Christmas feast to include turkey, ham, roast and all the trimmings. To give all Soldiers a chance for reflection and prayer, several services were held throughout the Christmas day and the Chaplains were busy traveling

the AO prior to and on Christmas so everyone could worship as they desired. In addition, SGM Wells and I went out to COP Lowell in the Kamdesh District, and spent Christmas there with the troopers and also pinned an ARCOM for Valor on SSG Coderellis.

Last but not least, I would like to take this time to acknowledge the great bravery and professionalism of CPT Robert Yllescas, 6-4 CAV, who served his Soldiers and his country with outstanding passion and skill but lost his life due to wounds sustained from an improvised explosive device. He lost his fight on 1 December at Bethesda with his family around him. We would also like to honor the following troops who received the Bronze Star Medal for Valor: 1LT Steven Benedetti, SPC Johnathan Call, SSG Jacob Gradick, 1SG William Stone from 1-26 IN. In addition, the Army Commendation Medal for Valor was presented to: SGT Josiah Champion, SSG Charles Coderellis, SGT Zackary Filip and SFC Shawn Tiarks from 6-4 CAV.

Finally, thanks to all the Families for their support of us here in Afghanistan.

No mission too difficult, no sacrifice too great. Duty First!



Snow peaked mountains of Nuristan Province, Afghanistan. (Photo by Sgt. Charles Brice)

Connecting Afghanistan with neighboring countries



Photo courtesy of Maj. Patrick Dillinger

After working at the fiber optic connection point, the Afghan locals rest near the Russian fighter jet from the previous war. The locals are taking an interest in the project, because it will benefit them in the long run.

*Story by Sgt. Charles Brice
3rd BCT, 1st ID, PAO*

Times can be difficult in a generation torn with war, and broken or non-existent communication in rural warzones, like Afghanistan, makes things more challenging.

3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, is working with the locals to install an international ring of communication that will span throughout Afghanistan and connect to its neighboring countries.

"With our satellites stretched to their limits, by fighting on two war fronts, the fiber ring will completely overhaul the current communication system by allowing the new system to flow very fast and efficient," Maj. Patrick Dillinger, Woodbridge, Va. native and 3-1 communication officer, said.

This new system will bring a more efficient way of communicating to allied forces and build a foundation for the people by giving them the means to communicate with the world at a much faster rate.

"The fiber ring extends outward from Bagram Airfield [Afghanistan] coming across all the major areas of operations and will end back at BAF," Dillinger said. "Then the fiber ring will extend its arms outward to its neighboring countries to expand the reach of communication."

With the fiber ring set in place, US Forces and its allies will be able to keep in touch with everyone within their area of operations without a line of sight, while improving on the existing technology set in place.

"Fiber Optics communication is one of the most reliable networks to depend on while fighting the war in Iraq and Afghanistan," Dillinger said. "My job is to keep the command group of Task Force Duke connected to higher up [headquarters] and to have a system that will carry the next generation through future battles."

The way fiber-optic communication works, is by sending information from one place to another through pulses of light from an optical fiber.

"There are a lot of key players that came together on this project to make it happen, it's not just US Forces that's backing this project," Dillinger said. "Also, the locals are taking an interest in the national fiber ring, because they see what they can receive in the coming future for communication."

1st Sgt. Howard Charles, 3-1, Special Troops Battalion and a native of Alexandria, Va., threw himself head first into the management of construction, because of the importance of the project.

"The fiber ring will allow us to reach out to networks that are beyond our capability. I think it will bring in the tool to help them [Afghan locals] see what is out there," Charles, senior communication noncommis-

"Fiber Optics communication is one of the most reliable networks to depend on while fighting the war in Iraq and Afghanistan,"

**Maj. Patrick Dillinger
TF Duke Communication Officer**

sioned officer, said. "This system is the first of its kind in Afghanistan. This will make leaps and bounds for ISAF and the government of Afghanistan."

Dillinger also agrees that installing this system will make communicating better with the outside world and give US Forces the edge in communicating with our troops.

"This is ground breaking work for a historical change in this country," Dillinger said.

Complacency is not an option in our operations

*Sgt. Major Jeffrey Wells
3rd BCT, 1st ID, Ops SGM.*

We can not let complacency take over our operation here in AO Duke. The success of our mission depends on a Soldier that is fit and whose performance is not degraded by complacency.

Dealing with complacency starts in the planning phase of every mission both tactical and non-tactical, and continues throughout mission execution until our return home. This also includes negligent discharges.

While it is expected that

there will occasionally be a negligent discharge, what has been unexpected and intolerable is the rate our task force has experienced NDs.

Negligent discharges are a clear reflection of a unit's training, discipline and its complacency. It must become part of our unit's culture to always be aware of one's personal weapon.

Weapons must always be on safe, muzzle awareness must be constantly exercised, and Soldiers must always be accountable for their weapons.

We need to get rid of complacency and get everyone in the



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**Sgt. Major Jeffrey Wells
TF Duke Operations Sgt. Major**

habit of checking their weapon to ensure it is on safe!

Commanders and supervisors will be sensitive and responsive to the individuals to influence safe mission accomplishment.

Ultimately, individuals are responsible for, and the best judge of, their own physical and mental preparedness and complacency to accomplish the mission successfully and safely.

KalaGush Shoedrive

*Changing the future of Afghanistan
one small step at a time*



Photos by Spc. Casey Ware

Nuristan Provincial Reconstruction Team hands out shoes and socks to the local children every Friday at Forward Operating Base Kalagush.



An Afghan boy tries on a new pair of shoes while recently visiting Forward Operating Base Kalagush.

Soldiers Donate school supplies on Christmas Eve



Photos by Air Force Capt. Dustin Hart

Members of the Nangarhar Provincial Reconstruction Team and Chaparhar Police Mentor Team meet with village elders at a school in Terelay Village, Chaparhar District, Dec. 24.

Story By Air Force Capt. Dustin Hart
3rd BCT, 1st ID PAO, Nangarhar PRT

While people around the world make their final Christmas preparations, members of the Nangarhar Provincial Reconstruction Team, and Chaparhar Police Mentor Team, visited a school in the Terelay Village, of the Chaparhar district, Nangarhar Province, Dec. 24. to distribute clothes and school supplies.

The teams first met with several elders from the village allowing the elders to discuss the current conditions in Terelay, the surrounding villages and the district.

"One of the PRT's goals is to bolster education and healthcare within the Nangarhar province," said Maj. Gary Knoer, Nangarhar PRT, Civil Affairs team leader. "Our visit today helped us assess the village, school and the needs of the students. By building a school facility that can accommodate the students indoors instead of their current outdoor classrooms, children will be able to attend regardless of weather."

Knoer continued to say that improving the conditions in which Afghan children receive a quality education is vital to the long-term stability of the area.

"The education of this generation is very important for the future of the country," he said. "The elders in every village I have visited have expressed this need."

If the project is approved for funding, the PRT hopes to build more classroom facilities and a security wall for the existing school.

Following the meeting, the teams donated several boxes of school supplies, clothes and radios to the elders and school's leadership. The troops also visited a few of the outdoor classes in session to personally hand out some of the supplies.

"These missions have a profound impact on the overall operation here," Knoer said. "The people here are like parents anywhere in the world; they have one priority and that is the needs of their children. When we show them that we care for their children, the same as we would our own, it means more to them than any other thing we could give them."

Knoer said that conducting this mission during the holiday season made it that much more special for the teams.

"There is an extra special feeling doing things this time of year, because it's the time of year we are suppose to be giving," said Knoer, who spent last Christmas serving in Iraq. "I am sure that all of us here would rather be home with our families on Christmas. However, when we look back at our lives in 20-30 years, this will probably be the Christmas that will come to mind before all others."

The Nangarhar Provincial Reconstruction Team is responsible for assisting the provincial, district and local governments in Nangarhar Province with their governance, security and reconstruction efforts. The team is currently working on approximately 60 projects worth more than \$75.3 million in the province.



Children listen to teachers while attending an outdoor school in Terelay village in Chaparhar District. While the school has a few indoor classrooms, the majority of the students learn in front of chalkboards posted on the grounds outside.

Transportation specialist aims to further career

"I've always wanted to serve my country."

Spc. Adrienne M. Adams
1-26 Inf. Transportation
Specialist

Story By Spc. Brandon Sandefur
3rd BCT, 1st ID, PAO

Many join the Army for the thrill of firing powerful weapons or to take in a large bonus. Spc. Adrienne M. Adams, a native of Las Vegas, Nev., joined to serve her country and further her medical career. Adams is an 88M, a transportation specialist, for F. Company, 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, however, her duties in Afghanistan are different.

Adams is the personnel administrative clerk for F. Co. She processes and handles all the administration, legal and training paperwork for the company and works directly under the first sergeant, commander and company executive officer.

Adams initially joined the Army to further her medical career. With the Army's Montgomery GI Bill she would be able to complete school. She is currently taking medical classes and hopes to eventually reclass to a combat medic.

"I joined the Army to further my medical career through the GI Bill and being able [financially] to take college classes. I've always wanted to serve my country," Adams said.



Reclassing is on hold right now because she is deployed, but Adams has her goals in mind.

"I plan to get an A in all my college classes I'm taking right now and max out all my Army correspondence courses," Adams said. "By my fifth year in the Army I want to get my M6 which is the Army's version of a licensed practical nurse."

Before she joined the Army Adams had a job in the medical field. She worked as a state certified nursing assistant at a nursing home, taking care of the elderly.

Adams says she enjoyed the medical field and joined the Army to further that career with the opportunities the Army offers.

She initially said she didn't think she would like the Army, but now plans a long career in the service.

"I want to make a career of the Army," Adams said. "I want to go as far as I can as an enlisted Soldier. [Making] Sergeant Major would be good."

Her company first sergeant has been a big part of why she enjoys doing what she does.

"I want to thank 1st Sgt. Jose A. Rosario, a native of Puerto Rico, for everything he has done for F. Company," Adams said. "He turned our company into a real family and prepared me to become a non-commissioned officer and made me a better Soldier."

Cavalry works through muddy conditions



Photos By Spc. Charles Wolfe

A 6-4 Cav. Soldier drives a forklift through muddy terrain at a Forward Operating Base in Konar province, Afghanistan. Despite the conditions the cavalrymen are utilizing their resources to continue with standard operations.



As 6-4 Soldiers move about post their boots become cased in mud, making long trails of dirt with each step. The muddy terrain does not, however, disrupt operations as Soldiers continue on with their day to day tasks.



*Story by Spc. Charles Wolfe
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The Soldiers of the 6th Squadron, 4th Cavalry Regiment are battling a drawback of the Winter season; thick and murky, a deep coat of mud has blanketed the terrain of the squadron's area of operations.

Seated at the foot of mountainous snow caps, the combat outposts of Task Force Raider are an easy target for rain. As the weather worsens near the year's end, some areas of the respective posts are nearly impassable. A step in the wrong area can leave a Soldier standing in mud past his ankles, but clever, creative ideas have given them ways to continue operations without getting stuck in the mud.

The cavalrymen are utilizing their resources to combat the tough terrain, using whatever they can find around post to get around, or on top of, the trapping muck. Paths of wooden pallets serve as makeshift sidewalks, allowing Soldiers to move about post without becoming stuck in the marsh. Track-wheeled vehicles play a bigger role in everyday movement as their tough metal tread digs through the muck, replacing rubber tires and their smoother, slicker surface, which have more of a tendency to slide and sink in the mud, proving ineffective against the unforgiving conditions.

Just as the mud is a nuisance to maneuvering, it makes keeping the outposts clean a daunting task. As Soldiers move about post, their boots become cased in mud, making long trails of dirt with each step. Living quarters are swept several times a day to keep a neat appearance. Before the end of each day, everyone on post participates in a large clean-up effort, making sure walkways and halls are free of dirt and mud.

As the Winter season continues, the 6-4 Soldiers find more ways to work through the weather. From wading ankle-deep through the sludge to walking on wooden paths, the Soldiers' resourceful thinking has become their most powerful weapon to combat the Winter's wrath.

ISAF troops gain security stronghold in Maywand



Soldiers of 2nd Platoon Company A., 2-2 Inf. conduct a meet-and-greet with the tribal leader for a local village near COP Terminator in the Maywand District, Kandahar Province. Construction began on COP Terminator earlier this month. The outpost will be used to house members of the 2-2 INF while they conduct security operations in Maywand. (ISAF Photo)

*Photos and Story courtesy of
ISAF Public Affairs Office*

It's been a long two weeks for ISAF troops deployed as part of the U.S. Army's Alpha Company 2nd Brigade 2nd Infantry Regiment, as they have been working harder than ever to secure the southeastern portion of the Maywand District of Kandahar Province in southern Afghanistan. For the past two weeks, the 2-2 has maintained security without a roof to cover their heads while members of Bravo Company of the U.S. Army's 62nd Engineers Brigade constructed Combat Outpost Terminator.

"We used to work out of [Forward Operating Base] Ramrod," said Capt. Chris Brawley, Alpha Company Commander of the 2-2 which deployed out of Fort Hood, Texas, in July. "But this was to our disadvantage. We would patrol out

for a few hours and then head back to Ramrod which is close to 60km from not only the people we wanted to help, but also the people we wanted to help us."

Brawley explained that Terminator's location was selected because of the advantage it would give ISAF forces in deterring insurgents from using the nearby Arghandab River as a means of transport. Before the 2-2 security push, Brawley noted that the region was heavily used by insurgents for not only movement from Herat Province to the eastern portions of Kandahar by way of the river, but also to transport weapons and drugs.

"With Terminator in place, we can now prevent these kinds of movements," Brawley said. "Our next goal is to start working with local Afghans to not only protect them, but also to gain their trust."

Alpha Company First Sergeant, Christopher Kowalewski,

said in the first days of Terminator's construction earlier this month, a tribal elder from a local village paid a visit to the camp.

"He was in tears," Kowalewski recalled. "He said he was just extremely happy that we were here and that motivates us to do our jobs here as best we can. These people are depending on us."

Brawley said that although Terminator is more than 60 percent complete, he won't increase the number of patrols by his troops until construction is fully complete sometime in January. Brawley said, the presence of 2-2 is reflected in the moods and attitudes of the people in the local villages who were once too afraid to talk to us because we weren't able to maintain a constant presence.

In order to succeed down here, we need their help and they have already showed us they are more than willing to do that."

December Reenlistments

1st Battalion 26th Infantry Reg.

ABALAMA LANI NICK
 BARAJAS CHRISTIAN G
 BISHOP BRANDON KEITH
 BOYD DANIEL RAY JR
 CASBY JOSEPH CHARLES
 CHANDLER CARLOS CANTRELL
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