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WASHINGTON, DC

**April 4, 2008**

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**This is in response to you July 22, 2006 Freedom of Information Act request for a information from the Air Force Entertainment Liaison Office.**

**The attached documents are provided to you in response to your request. However, portions of the documents are exempt from disclosure. The authority for these exemptions are in Title 5, United States Code, Sections 552 (b)(5) and (b)(6). Exemption (b)(5) permits an agency to withhold inter-and intra-agency correspondence under the deliberative process privilege. Exemption (b)(6) protects personal information that if disclosed, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.**

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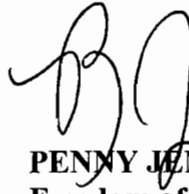
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The undersigned is your action officer and can be reach at (703) 696-7270.

Sincerely

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**PENNY JENKINS**  
**Freedom of Information Act Specialist**

**Attachment:**  
**Responsive document**

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SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (3 Oct 05)

5. ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON OFFICE

A. *New Initiative/Project:* N/A

--**Untitled David Self Project (Fox)** Imagine Television has requested to film the Delta IV launch (5 Oct) or Titan IV launch (19 Oct) at Vandenberg AFB for a one hour drama in development at Fox. The show will be a sci-fi show in a JPL environment. Imagine Television produces such shows as "24" and "Arrested Development" and is a division of Ron Howard and Brian Grazer's Imagine Entertainment. Vandenberg is working the request.

-- "**America's Funniest Home Videos**" (ABC-TV) Provided guidance to PA Director of the George Marshall Center for European Security (Mr. Ron Elliott), regarding a television appearance by an Air Force staff member. Lt. Col. Mike Lakos submitted a videotape of a humorous incident that occurred during his last promotion ceremony to the ABC-TV show "America's Funniest Home Videos." During the ceremony Col. Lakos' young son dropped a piece of cake which he then promptly picked up from the floor and presented to Col. Lakos' commander who pretends to eat it. The show wants to fly Col. Lakos from Germany to LA for taping. We advised him to obtain his commander's permission; complete the off duty employment form and be on leave. The show wants him to appear in uniform.

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B. *Update on Ongoing Projects:*

-- "Test Pilot" TV Series.

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-- "**Kingdom**" (Universal Studios) Proposed military depiction with C-17 and honor guard. We provided producer C-17 flying hour costs which may scuttle our participation. He objects to the daily minimum activity charge, which in the case of the C-17 amounts to a minimum of \$21,600.00 per day whether the plane flies or not. **The producer is now taking his concerns to DoD.**

-- "**Trading Spaces**" (The Learning Channel Cable). Producers from Trading Spaces conducted a tech scout Friday, 30 Sep. They would like to host a musical concert at the McGuire

as a way of showing their support for men and women in uniform. Services squadron and Armed Forces Entertainment are reviewing the proposal. The base has received nine qualified applications of 4 people each as potential candidates for the show. Filming dates at McGuire AFB, NJ are 1 – 5 Nov.

--“Angel From Montgomery” (Paramount) [REDACTED]

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--“Flight 93” (Universal Pictures) Michael Bronner, investigative journalist working for Universal Pictures/Lawrance Gordon Productions, had interviews scheduled at USNORTHCOM at Peterson AFB, CO and completed interviews at NEADS in New York. We’ve given Mr. Bronner approval to receive a copy of time-position data of Flight 93 that crashed in Pennsylvania on 9/11 from the 84th Radar Evaluation Squadron at Hill AFB. Mr. Bronner is going to send written treatment to Phil Strub and SAF/PAYE by Tuesday. The project is titled “Flight 93.”

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-- “Silo 13” feature film. [REDACTED]

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-- Comic Book Industry CLT. One-day tour to McGuire AFB took place 29 Sep. SAF/PANC took the lead on planning. SAF/PAYE attended to brief the 19 participants on support services available, gave mission brief, showed office video, and acted as a second escort.

--**Xtreme Simulations International (XSI) Company** is currently working a flight simulation game for the PC. We received comprehensive and thorough game treatment, requesting AF support in the form of use of AF symbol, use of photos and stock footage of aircraft, 1 aircraft manuals and research visits to Nellis and Laughlin. General Council will work with the local JAGs for those AD and Guard individuals working with XSI and has given SAF/PAYE the go ahead to work on this game.

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--**Transformers: The Movie**. Received call from location manager on Dreamworks film directed by Michael Bay to be released July '07. Working with Edwards PA and the co-located Air Force Research Lab and Palmdale's Plant 42 for site visit some time in October.

**C. Other Issues:**

-- **Civic Leader Tour**. Itinerary and details arranged for 8-10 Nov. Raptor-focused trip to Edwards AFB, Marietta Lockheed Martin Plant and Tyndall AFB, except airlift -- 4<sup>th</sup> Air Force at March ARB say they can support, but awaiting aircraft type and details. Sent out second round of almost 100 new invitation letters. Lt Hodge conducted scouting trip to Marietta, GA, and Lockheed Martin plant, and Panama City and Tyndall AFB, 25-27 Sep., met POCs and checked out hotels/restaurants and facilities.

--**Edwards Air Show** – Sent Air Force Flight Test Center Protocol approximately 15 industry names for invites to Edwards' Air Show and Open House 22-23 Oct. Worked with AFFTC Protocol to send approx 15 invitations to Tony Shaloub, and other cast/crew from "Monk" that had expressed interest in coming during filming there.

-- **Air Force Entertainment Industry Liaison Board**: Meeting set for 13 October. Three members have RSVP'd attendance and one other can not come that day, but will stop by for an office call at another date.

**D. Closed Projects: N/A**

**6. PERSONNEL ISSUES (leave, TDY)  
(PAY-E)**

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[REDACTED]

**Quarterly Awards:**

[REDACTED]

**OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PAYE)**

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SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (11 Oct 05)

5. ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON OFFICE

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B. *Update on Ongoing Projects:*

--"Test Pilot" TV Series. Research visit being conducted today at Edwards AFB for potential new TV series. [REDACTED]

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**D. Closed Projects:**

-- **Gumball 3000** – Edwards AFB PA referred a producer whose project involves music and entertainment stars going on a “Cannoball-like” race from Las Vegas to Los Angeles. They asked if they could “race” on Edwards runways. According to the producer, the event would be on MTV and maybe made into a feature. **SAF/PAYE declined support as not enough AF involvement to warrant it at this time, plus the race plans to end at Playboy mansion.**

**6. PERSONNEL ISSUES (leave, TDY)  
(PAY-E)**

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**Quarterly Awards:**

E6 - **OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PAYE)**

[REDACTED]

SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (17 Oct 05)

5. ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON OFFICE

*A. New Initiative/Project: N/A*

-- **Air Force Entertainment Liaison Board:** Held a meeting today with the group of civic leaders that advises SAF/PAYE. This was the first time the board has met since Lt Col Clutter arrived. We briefed the board on current projects, introduced new staff members and asked for boards help with Strategic Plan for 2006.

*B. Update on Ongoing Projects:*


--**Transformers: The Movie.** Lt Hodge from SAF/PAYE escorting location scout visit to Palmdale's Plant 42 and the Air Force Research Lab on Edwards 18 Oct. Conducted similar visit to Nellis and Creech AFBs 14 Oct

--**"Flight 93" (Universal Pictures)** Michael Bronner, investigative journalist working for Universal Pictures/Lawrance Gordon Productions, conducted interviews at NORAD with the Deputy commander, Canadian General Findlay who commander in Cheyanne Mountain on 9/11, and a civilian who was a commander at the time of the attacks. Lt Col Jeff Dishart represented OASD/PA. **Phil Strub feels it may be time to begin discussions on possible official support for the film. A casting company in UK is conducting a search for Airmen at RAF Mildenhall and RAF Lakenheath as background extras for air control center scenes. The company will place ads in base newspapers this week.**

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### **C. Other Issues:**

-- **Civic Leader Tour.** RSVPs due this week -- **21 Oct.** Itinerary and details arranged for 8-10 Nov. Raptor-focused trip to Edwards AFB, Marietta Lockheed Martin Plant and Tyndall AFB, except airlift -- 4<sup>th</sup> Air Force at March ARB say they can support, but awaiting aircraft type and details. Sent out third round of approx. 70 invitations – making calls to people who were invited but did not yes or no RSVP.

--**Edwards Air Show** – Base Protocol Office has received approximately 10 RSVPs for 22-23 Oct. event. Anthony Santa Croce, “Monk” producer, is scheduled to present a prop from the episode recently filmed there to the Air Force Flight Test Center museum.

-- **JCOC and NSF nominations** – Working with PANC on 2006 JCOC and NSF nominations.

*D. Closed Projects:*

--**The Tyra Banks Show (UPN)** – Supported episode featuring simple makeovers of three active duty Air Force women from Los Angeles AFB **will air 17 Oct. SAF/PAYE will provide a media memo.**

**6. PERSONNEL ISSUES (leave, TDY)**

(PAY-E)

Leave: [REDACTED]

Quarterly Awards: [REDACTED]

OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PAYE)

[REDACTED]

## SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (24 Oct 05)

### 5. ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON OFFICE

#### *A. New Initiative/Project:*

-- **Fear Factor (NBC):** The 89th Airlift Wing at Andrews AFB has two NCOs selected for an all-military "Fear Factor" shooting 5 – 10 Dec 05 (Show is not supported by AF or DoD). The show's using 2 person male/female teams competing against other military members from various branches. SAF/PAYE provided 89 AW/PA with guidance for off-duty participation, stressing the Airmen must not give the impression of official Air Force support.

--**"David Letterman Show"** (CBS): Prompted by a humorous AFPN story from Minot AFB, Mr. Davis coordinated a "pitch piece" to the show with SAF/PANM. A1C Dustin Easton of the 5BW/EOD flight is a champion bird caller. One of his specialties is "calling" turkeys. In light of the pending holiday, we thought Mr. Letterman might be amused enough to invite the airman to the show for a demonstration.

-- **Wild Blue.** Currently reviewing a motion picture script by Keith Cahela that features F/A-22 Raptor. Mr. Cahela and producer Andrew Wald plan also to attend PAYE CLT.

#### *B. Update on Ongoing Projects:*

-- **"Trading Spaces" (TLC).** The cable show features two families who "swap" homes and do simple make-overs of a single room in each other's house. The Air Force is allowing Banyan Productions to film in military family housing at McGuire AFB, NJ. The 305 AMW/CC rejected participation by an officer/enlisted team and directed he wants an all-enlisted team. PA and Banyan Productions went to the number two people on the audition list, consisting of a SSgt-TSgt and MSgt-daughter team. MSgt Schneck will travel to McGuire for filming dates of 1 – 5 Nov.

--**"Flight 93" (Universal Pictures)** Story of United Airlines Flight 93 which crashed in Pennsylvania 9/11. The film is directed by Paul Greengrass (Bloody Sunday, The Bourne Supremacy). The focus is on a real-time account of the events aboard the aircraft and at NEADS and FAA control centers. Phil Strub appointed PAYE as lead for this project. MSgt Schneck and 1Lt Danner are the project officers. RAF Lakenheath given approval to support a possible location scout. Reviewing list from director of potential DoD support, including background extras, shooting at Otis Air National Guard Base, MA, F-15s, etc.

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--**Transformers: The Movie.** Working with Edwards PA for follow-up scouting trip to the base, hopefully for mid-to-late Nov.

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--**Edwards Air Show** – Anthony Santa Croce, “Monk” producer, participated in the opening ceremony. He presented a doll used as a prop in the episode filmed at Edwards AFB. They will display the doll at the Air Force Flight Test Center Museum.

-- **JCOC and NSF nominations** – Working with PANC on 2006 JCOC and NSF nominations.

-- **Bullet Background Paper:** Regarding SAF/PA reorganization. Owed to SAF/PAY this week.

*D. Closed Projects:*

**6. PERSONNEL ISSUES (leave, TDY)**

(PAY-E)

Leave: N/A

TDY: [REDACTED]

SARC Training: [REDACTED]

PT Training: [REDACTED]

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## SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (31 Oct 05)

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-- **Wild Blue.** [REDACTED]

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**SAF/PAYE Weekly Activities Report (7 Nov 05)**

**5. ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON OFFICE**

***A. New Initiative/Project:***

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--"Flight Surgeon" TV Series aka "Test Pilot". Deborah Pratt, Chris May and Janet Ashikaga presented their flight surgeon television series pitch to John Wells Productions and received a very favorable and interested response. The concern is that it's so late in the pitch season the networks won't have the money or the time slot for the series. The recommendation from the production company is to hold off until the 06 pitch season for a show to air in 07.

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**Weekly Report for 14-18 Nov 2005**

**PANE (Los Angeles)**

CLT WRAP-UP – Drafted proposed thank you letters for SAF/PAD to send to bases and key players who supported tour as well as guests who participated in last week's F/A-22 Awareness tour.

"KINGDOM" – Working with AMC and executive producer who wants to use a C-17 in feature film about US and Saudi law enforcement agents battling terrorism in Saudi Arabia.

AFA NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM – Director attending 18 Nov Symposium and ball/introducing Entertainment Industry DV to AFMC/CC and AFSC/CC.

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"FLIGHT 93" (A&E) – Read script, provided story suggestions and obtained SAF/PA approval to provide stock film footage of two F-16 aircraft. Storyline is very similar to the Universal Studios feature film project by the same title (above). This television movie will be broadcast on A&E 30 Jan 06 at 2100. Project was directed by Peter Markle whose feature credits include "Bat-21."

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"FLAGS OF OUR FATHERS" – Received request this week for information of on reimbursement rates of C-17 in potential support of this Clint Eastwood feature film based on James Bradley's book of the same name. Provided guidance received from AMC (same guidance as was given to "Kingdom"). Awaiting further information.

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"FIGHTER OPS" (XSI) – PC video game based on the AF pilot training program. Working with Laughlin AFB to for research visit. Several active duty and guard members are assisting the company in developing the game.



"HOME OF THE BRAVE" – North by Northwest productions requested location scout to Fairchild AFB. Since Army and DOD are not inclined to support this production at this time, SAF/PANE has advised Fairchild PA not to support other than release of existing AF photos.

TED NUGENT MUSIC VIDEO – Request for Airmen to participate in new music video was submitted to recruiting service. RS was informed SAF/PANE had to review the request, lyrics and video treatment. Awaiting further information.

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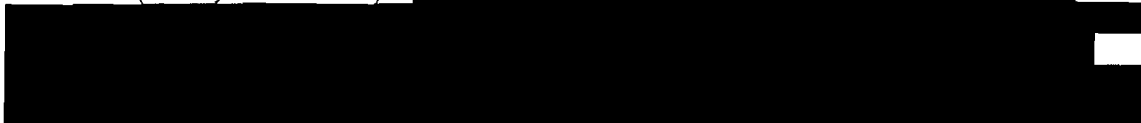
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"REGENESIS" (Global TV Network) – For an episode of weekly Canadian TV drama series we cleared the name of Gen. Brian Coffey and gave verbal uniform guidance. The show features scientists solving epidemic/disease issues. Gen. Coffey will be depicted positively.

"A GIRLS WAR" (Lifeline TV) – Writer Pam Marley requested contact with female service members from all branches for script assistance on how women bond in a joint military environment. Awaiting written proposal.

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DISNEY VISIT – The director, deputy director and chief of motion picture/TV liaison paid a "courtesy call" on Mr. Bruce Hendricks, President of Production, Walt Disney Studios this week. Hendricks is responsible for the actual physical production of all Disney/Touchstone movies. We worked with him previously on "Armageddon" and "Pearl Harbor."

JCOC NOMINATIONS – Submitted 7 nominees to PANC for April 23-29 Joint Civilian Orientation Conference:

John Cusack (<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0000131/>)

Peter Berg (<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0000916/>)

Steve Saeta (<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0003251/>)

Andrew Wald (<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0906993/>)

Bill MacDonald (<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0906993/>)

Hank Cohen, CEO of TriFecta Entertainment

Steve Cron, prominent L.A. defense lawyer

AU/PA REQUEST FOR NARRATOR– AU PA is seeking a celebrity narrator (Denzel Washington) for JROTC recruiting videos produced by AUTV. Provided AU/PA with Mr. Washington's contact information.

COMMANDER IN CHIEF (ABC) – Stargate Visual Effects is building an Air Force One model for the show. Requested information on the number of windows. Sent inquiry and awaiting response.

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Weekly Report for 16 Dec 2005

PANE (Los Angeles)

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**"TRANSFORMERS"** (Dreamworks) – Met with director Michael Bay (*Armageddon*, *Pearl Harbor*) and producer Ian Bryce (*Better Watch Out*, *Spider Man*) yesterday to discuss potential Air Force assistance to "Transformers." A big budget, live action sci-fi movie, the storyline is based on the popular Hasbro toy line/cartoon series. We discussed several opportunities to highlight Air Force personnel, operations and equipment. Anticipate a completed script late January 06.

**"LIBERTY"** (Touchstone Pictures) –

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**"FLIGHT 93"** (Universal Studios) – We signed the Production Assistance Agreement last week. Selected technical advisors (Maj Fox and 1Lt Powell) from NEADS. They, along with Lt. Col. Clutter and MSgt. Schneck traveled to Pinewood Studios, London for 12-16 Dec filming of NEADS scenes.

**"CASINO ROYALE"** - (Sony/Columbia Studios) – While in London for filming of "Flight 93" we met with the new James Bond feature film director Martin Campbell at Pinewood Studios. During the visit we discussed our services and what the Air Force can bring to this major feature film. Mr. Campbell was receptive and we're hoping to highlight a weapons system or Air Force mission in the next Bond film. We worked with Campbell previously on a project, not yet produced, titled "Night Witches."

**"KINGDOM"** (Universal) - Conducted research visit to March ARB 1 Dec to view C-17. Working with AMC. This feature film about US and Saudi law enforcement agents battling terrorism in Saudi Arabia will star Jamie Fox. Awaiting script revisions and official letter requesting support. Air Force scenes tentatively scheduled to be filmed in Phoenix in August 2006. Dates from Luke AFB for location scout have been forwarded to the production company

**DEJA VU"** (Disney/Touchstone) –

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**"UNTITLED THUNDERBIRD FEATURE FILM"** – Huntley Ritter of Stafford Films is interested in optioning the life rights of Capt Malachowski to produce a feature film on her life and the Thunderbirds. Ritter's producing partners are Anny Luly and Jim Brubaker. Forwarded request to ACC to present to leadership and Capt Malachowski. Awaiting decision on whether or not to press ahead with negotiations

**"TED NUGENT SPIRIT OF THE WILD"** (Outdoor Channel cable) – Received request via Air Force Recruiting Service to film Security Forces members for use in the show's opening credits. After reviewing episode, the request was denied.

**"THE GUARDIAN"** (Disney) – Received approval from OASD/PA to film at Barksdale AFB. Filming is tentatively scheduled for 11 and 14 January 2006. Waiting to sign DOD production agreement. Pre-production meeting with the second unit is currently scheduled for 16 Dec. We're currently in negotiations with Disney over the DoD Production Agreement.

**"FIGHTER OPS"** (XSI) – PC video game based on the AF pilot training program. Working with Laughlin AFB to for research visit. Several active duty and guard members are assisting the company in developing the game.

**"QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY"** (Bravo) – Received query on process to request support of an episode. Previous episodes highlighted a Marine and a National Guardsmen. Request is to do a home/personal makeover for an Air Force family preparing for the return of their deployed husband/son/brother. Production company needs prospective candidates to live within 25 mi of NYC. We informed them there are no Air Force base's within the mile limitations, but provided them with information on advertising in base papers should they decide to look outside that radius.

**"COMMANDER IN CHIEF"** (ABC) – Stargate Visual Effects is building an Air Force One model for the show. Requested information on the number of windows. Sent inquiry and awaiting response.

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Weekly Report for 22 Dec 2005

PANE (Los Angeles)

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**"FLIGHT 93"** (Universal Studios) – Northeast Air Defense Sector scenes were shot last week at Pinewood Studios in London. Currently working to film F-15 scramble sequences at Otis ANG or Langley AFB.

**"UNTITLED WILFORD HALL TELEVISION SERIES"** – [REDACTED]

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**"TRANSFORMERS"** (Dreamworks) – Provided producer Ian Bryce requested possible Air Force character depictions and deployed airbase scenarios. Production is shut down until after the holidays, anticipating further conversations, scouting requests and a script in January.

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**DEJA VU**" (Disney/Touchstone) – Opened negotiations with producer Jerry Bruckheimer's company for support of major film about a government agent's travel back in time to save a woman from being murdered. Denzel Washington will star. Director is Tony Scott ("Top Gun," "Crimson Tide"). Producer has invited us to read the script and suggest ways to expand AF depiction. Producer's intent is to do some filming at Edwards AFB in early 2006. Awaiting the script.

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**PANE SRTAT PLAN 06** Inputs close out this week.

**SAF/PANE CIVILIAN ADVISORY BOARD:** Director sent a note to board this week, recapping office activities and proposing next board meeting for 26 or 27 Jan.

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Weekly Report for 30 Dec 2005

PANE (Los Angeles)

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**“COMMANDER IN CHIEF”** (ABC) – Stargate Visual Effects is building an Air Force One model for the show. Requested information on the number of windows. Sent inquiry and awaiting response.

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Weekly Report for 6 Jan 2006

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*A. New Initiatives:*

“**TSgt JAMIE DANA**” – The story of TSgt Jamie Dana and her dog Rex has the potential to be made into a feature film or movie of the week. After her story aired on NBC Nightly News several weeks ago, we have pitched her story to an executive at Disney, an executive at Keystone Pictures and writer Ross LaMann. In addition, TSgt Dana has been contacted directly by an interested party. Through her local PA office and first sergeant, we have provided guidance on her potential participation in entertainment productions. In addition, we have made initial contact with TSgt Dana directly and are waiting to hear back from her. We would like to meet with her one-on-one to provide guidance regarding the entertainment industry.

“**DÉJÀ VU**” (Touchstone/Disney) – [REDACTED]

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“**UNTITLED TUSKEGEE AIRMEN FILM**” (Lucas Films) – [REDACTED]

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**2005 CLT REUNION DINNER** – Holding 23 Feb reunion dinner with guests from our Nov F/A-22 Hollywood Awareness tour at Edwards and Tyndall AFB, and Lockheed Martin’s Marietta, GA, production plant.

*B. Update on Ongoing Projects:*

**"TRANSFORMERS"** (Dreamworks) – Met with director Michael Bay (*Armageddon*, *Pearl Harbor*) and producer Ian Bryce (*Tears of the Sun*) before the holidays. Steven Spielberg is executive-producing the big-budget, sci-fi movie based on the globally popular Hasbro toyline and cartoon series. Facilitated location scout visits to Edwards AFB, the collocated Air Force Research Lab and Palmdale's Plant 42, and Nellis and Creech AFBs. They have also expressed interest in scouting Kirtland and Davis-Monthan AFBs, and the AMARC in Tucson. Expecting the script late Jan.

**"THE GUARDIAN"** (Disney) – We will sign the production agreement for this feature film today. Set up at Barksdale AFB is scheduled 10-11 Jan, first unit filming 12 Jan and second unit filming 13 Jan. Capt Danner will be TDY to Barksdale 9-13 Jan. We have invited AFNews and the Pentagon Channel to cover the Air Force's support of this Coast Guard film. We have also set up a meet and greet, tentatively scheduled for 11 Jan between the senior base leadership and director Andy Davis, Executive Producer Peter MacGregor Scott and actors Kevin Costner and Ashton Kutcher.

**"UNTITLED WILFORD HALL MEDICAL TV SERIES"** – [REDACTED]

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**"FLIGHT 93"** (Universal Studios) – The studio cancelled plans to film F-15s at Otis ANG Base, MA and F-16s at Langley AFB, VA next week. The director is unsure of the shots he'd like for the project and wants to wait and see what he'll need.

**"KINGDOM"** (Universal) – Currently working potential location scout sometime this month to Luke AFB as potential location to film C-17 scenes in this feature film starring Jamie Foxx. Still working costs of C-17 and waiting for current version of the script.

**"FIGHTER OPS SIM"** (XSI) – Set up a research visit to Laughlin AFB for developers of this PC based video game. Research visit will focus on pilot training at LAFB and will include still and video photography as well as sound recordings. XSI is working the SAF/PAN on licensing for the game. XSI currently has active duty and Guard members working on the game development.

**"USAF PILOT TRAINING – ROAD TO THE THUNDERBIRDS"** (iEntertainment) – [REDACTED]

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**"NOESIS"** (Independent) – This low-budget production has requested to shoot at Vandenberg AFB, CA. The producer would like to film a missile launch. Conducting a script review.

**"THE FENCE"** (Independent) – [REDACTED]

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*C. Other Issues:*

**SAF/PANE OFFSITE** – Have scheduled an office offsite for 18-20 Jan at Vandenberg AFB. Purpose of the offsite is to focus on 2006 Strategic Plan/Calendar and goals for 2006, and team-building.

**CONGRATULATORY LETTER** – Sent a congratulatory to 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox studio executive Peter Rice who has been appointed to head up new division, which will produce films for teens and young adults – same demographics we try to recruit. Included an office brochure, a link to our website and requested a meeting to pitch him potential Air Force story ideas.

***D. Closed Projects:***

**“COMMANDER IN CHIEF”** (ABC) – Provided uniform guidance for Security Forces saluting POTUS as she boards Air Force One, SF guarding plane, and the flight attendants on the aircraft.

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**OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PAYE)**

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### SAF/PANE Weekly Activity Report As of (13 Jan) 2006

#### LA ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON FIELD OFFICE (PANE)

##### a. Movies/Films/TV

###### *New:*

- **"JIMMY STEWART: BOMBER PILOT:"** Contacted Starr Smith, author of the biographical book that details the late Hollywood actor's rise from E-1 to colonel and combat leader during World War II. Queried Mr. Starr about whether there were plans to turn the book into a movie script, and let him know that we would be interested in considering support for such a project. Sent a letter to Mr. Smith on 12 Jan, expressing our interest, which he will forward to his agent in New York. Also sent info on a new agency in Hollywood that specializes in turning books into movies. (Note: Mr Smith is a former intel officer from Stewart's unit in WW II and later served as a Public Information Officer, setting up radio interviews for general officers advocating the potential benefits of a separate Air Force).

- **"WHY I SHOULDN'T BE ALIVE" (THE DISCOVERY CHANNEL)** – 920 RQW/PA, Patrick AFB, FL, contacted our office for guidance about a request received from Darlow-Smithson Productions. The company wants to use an idea about a rescue, which was pitched by the commander of the 306<sup>th</sup> RQS at Davis-Monthan, AZ. The program is about people who have been in situations where survival was unlikely, but somehow managed to survive. We provided guidance to 306<sup>th</sup> RQS/CC and instructions for the company to work directly through our office for support.

- **"WHEEL OF FORTUNE" (MERV GRIFFIN ENTERTAINMENT)** – Request for US Air Force Academy cadets in its upcoming "College Week" shows. Auditions are next month, 22 – 24 Feb 06 in Denver, CO. Taping of the episode is 25 Mar 06, also, in Denver. This is a recurring request and we've received positive exposure for the Air Force from past participation. We recommended approval and had no objections to cadets appearing, in uniform, on the show. We sent our input to Mr. John Van Winkle at USAFA/PA.

###### *Update/Ongoing:*

- **REX** – Working potential movie/entertainment projects regarding TSgt Jamie Dana and her military working dog Rex, both were severely injured by IED in Iraq last June. Presented national pitches to screen writer Kristen Hanson at Keystone Entertainment and independent writer Ross LaManna. Producer/writer Paul Huebl, who claims to have ties to Kelsey Grammer's company, Gramnet Productions at Paramount, has contacted TSgt Dana directly, expressing interest to buy her story. We have provided guidance through PA at Peterson and plan meet with TSgt Dana on 25 Jan to provide further guidance and determine her level of interest.



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- **"The Guardian" (Disney)** - First unit filming at Barksdale AFB was completed 12 Jan. A meet and greet between senior leadership and wing agencies was also conducted with Andy Davis, director; Peter MacGregor-Scott, Executive Producer; Tripp Vinson, Producer; and actors Kevin Costner and Ashton Kutcher. Filming was covered by 2BW/PA and the multi media center to be sent to AFNEWS. 2BW/CC and 8AF/CC have both indicated they're pleased with filming and conduct of the production company staff. Second unit filming will be conducted today. In the film, scheduled to be released fall 06, Barksdale AFB will remain the name of the base with a USCG tenant unit.

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"THE FENCE" (Independent) - [REDACTED]

- **"Unnamed Wilford Hall Medical Series"** - Writers Marilyn Osborn and Jeff Eckerle will visit WHMC week of 30 Jan to research characters and background for a potential television series by producer Barry Rosenbush.

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- **"USAF PILOT TRAINING - ROAD TO THE THUNDERBIRDS"** (iEntertainment) - Received marketing plan for this PC/Xbox 360 based video game from Lt Col (ret) Wild Bill Stealey, who is a 1970 USAFA grad. He is currently working with SAF/PAN on licensing issues. Awaiting request for support in order to begin supporting the game development.

- **"Fighter Ops Sim" (XSI)** - Research visit for this PC based video game is scheduled at Laughlin AFB 24 Feb.

*Closed (After Action): N/A*

- **"COMMANDER IN CHIEF"** (ABC) - Provided uniform guidance for two scenes that involved AF personnel. Producer overruled costume designer's request to have someone from our office on the set (saying he would wait until there was more significant Air Force portrayal in the script - we'll work on that).

b. Other

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*New:*

- **COMBAT AIRMEN THEME CLT, June 14-16:** Will visit Lackland and Randolph: Agenda to include Basic Military Training "warrior week;" pararescue training and combat medicine at Wilford Hall. Will ask actor Kurt Russell (served six years as enlisted Airmen in ANG) to lead the tour, along with senior Air Staff rep.
- **SAF/PANE BOARD** – Meeting changed to 27 Jan to accommodate members who could not attend 26 Jan. Will seek input on Strategic Plan for 2006.
- **F-22A CLT Reunion Dinner** – Planning to have a reunion dinner with participants in the Nov 2005 Civic Leader Tour, which went from Edwards, to F-22 plant in Georgia to Tyndall and back. The dinner is an attempt to continue to build AF awareness for former CLT participants and give them an update on the F-A 22 program. Dinner will be 23 Feb at Palominos.

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- Working with AFNEWS/SC to resolve ongoing e-mail access problems.

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**c. Personnel Issues**

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SAF/PANE  
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As of (20 Jan) 2006

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a. Movies/Films/TV

*New:*

- **DOOLITTLE RAID PITCH** -- "Made successful contact with Doolittle Raiders organization, requesting to meet with some of the surviving members before or at the 64<sup>th</sup> reunion to discuss pitch idea for feature film. Steve has also made the same request through the Raiders Official Website. Target priority is Steven Spielberg, George Lucas, Clint Eastwood. Thomas Casey, Business Manager for Doolittle Tokyo Raiders Association, asked that we submit a letter, spelling out our intentions. He said the group is still "whirling" from terrible and inaccurate coverage from Disney's "Pearl Harbor" movie in 2001, and are very skittish about movie/documentary proposals. We will submit the letter next week.

- "BEHOLD NOW BEHEMOTH" (SONLIGHT FILMS) [REDACTED]

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- "ABOVE AND BEYOND" (Pitch) -

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- "DANCING WITH THE STARS" (ABC) - Received a request to support a background segment for the live episode scheduled to air 9 Feb. Celebrity Stacy Keibler (WWE) and professional dancer Tony Dovolani will dance the Jive. The background story will focus on the Jive being popularized by U.S. service members during WWII. Segment would be filmed with the team dancing in front of Airmen, in the spirit of a USO show. The team would also teach the Jive to Airmen and meet and greet the men and women in uniform. Currently coordinating the request with Los Angeles AFB.

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- **"USAF Pilot Training Road to Thunderbirds" (iEntertainment)** – Coordinating request for support of this PC based flight sim game. Working with DVIC, AETC/PA, ACC/PA and Thunderbird PA to supply (if possible) photos and video of training and Thunderbird aircraft, research visits to Laughlin and/or Vance,

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- **Academy Projects** – As a result of the USAFA lifting the moratorium on film and TV projects, we have reengaged with producers Mike Greene and Lee Rafner regarding their series proposal titled "Mavricks." We also alerted major film producer Mace Neufeld that the Academy is now interested in taking a second look at a proposal he plans to pitch ABC-TV. We are arranging meetings with all parties to discuss further. SAF/PANE POC is Mr. Chuck Davis (310) 235-7522

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- **"USAF PILOT TRAINING – ROAD TO THE THUNDERBIRDS"** (iEntertainment) – Received marketing plan for this PC/Xbox 360 based video game from Lt Col (ret) Wild Bill Stealey, who is a 1970 USAFA grad. He is currently working with SAF/PAN on licensing issues. Awaiting request for support in order to begin supporting the game development. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

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- **"Fighter Ops Sim" (XSI)** - Research visit for this PC based video game is scheduled at Laughlin AFB 24 Feb. Trip was cancelled due to weather. Working alternate dates. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

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- **"AFGHAN KNIGHTS" (PARADOX FILMS)** – Received official request for support. Two copies of script submitted to Phil Strub, OASD/PA. Story about ex-Navy SEALs who are hired to protect an Afghan warlord. Following an F-22A air strike on their unauthorized caravan through Taliban territory, they flee into a cave haunted by the ghost of Genghis Khan. Conducted script review. Requested assistance from 9 RW, Beale AFB and AFSOC/PA. POC MSgt Schneck, SAF/PANE, (310) 200-7663.

### *Closed (After Action): N/A*

- **JIMMY STEWART: BOMBER PILOT:** Contacted Starr Smith, author of the biographical book that details the late Hollywood actor's rise from E-1 to colonel and combat leader during World War II. Queried Mr. Starr about whether there were plans to turn the book into a movie script, and let him know that we would be interested in considering support for such a project. Sent a letter to Mr. Smith on 12 Jan, expressing our interest, which he will forward to his agent in New York. Also sent info on a new agency in Hollywood that specializes in turning books into movies.

### **b. Other**

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- **AL HURRA NEWS CHANNEL** Arabic TV network Pentagon reporter Joe Tabet requests an interview to discuss relationship between military and Hollywood. We consider at an opportunity to engage an important Arabic audience. Will coord with OASD/PA for strategic themes and messages.

- **"Inside the Industry" (PBS)** – This industry program airs in LA and Orange Counties and gives insight to the industry. Working on an SAF/PANE episode with interviews by Lt Col Clutter to market the office and services provided. Producer would also like to film SAF/PANE members on set of a project for episode B-roll. POC, Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7523

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- **"COMMANDER IN CHIEF" (ABC)** – Received request for technical assistance writing script for upcoming episode involving a bomber that goes down armed with nuclear weapons. Aircraft and weapons will ultimately be recovered. Responded to list of research questions from writer Tom St. George. POC Capt Mary Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **REX** – TSgt Jamie Dana, 21 SFS, has agreed to consider entertainment productions about her life story and her working dog Rex. Currently working appearance on The Animal Planet Report, scheduled to film in NY 21 March. Also pitched appearance on The Late Show with David Letterman and waiting for a response from the human interest or Top Ten bookers. Meeting with David Friendly and Laura Hopper on a potential feature film has been postponed. Working alternate dates for end of March. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"TRANSFORMERS"** (Dreamworks) – Film directed by Michael Bay (*Armageddon*, *Pearl Harbor*) and produced by Ian Bryce (*Tears of the Sun*), with Steven Spielberg as executive-producer, is planned for a 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend, '07, release. Held teleconference with OSD/PA and Army Entertainment Liaison Office to finalize script notes. Completing final scrub of joint notes for forwarding to OSD/PA and submission to production. Expecting request for DoD support approved soon. Received initial "wish list" from production on locations/aircraft requested. Lt Hodge, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7524

- **DOOLITTLE RAID** -- "Sent letter to Doolittle Raiders organization, requesting to meet with some of the surviving members before or at the 64<sup>th</sup> reunion to discuss pitch idea for feature film. Business Manager for Doolittle Tokyo Raiders Association, called on 30 Jan and extended invitation for Lt Col Clutter to attend the re-union. The historian for the organization called on 31 Jan with information about a potential script. Reviewed script from Stephen Bonds. It has potential. Received permission this week to mention it in our pitch to potential producers.

- **"UNNAMED WILFORD HALL MEDICAL SERIES"** – 

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- **"KINGDOM"** (Universal) – This feature film stars Jamie Foxx. Still working costs of C-17 and waiting for current version of the script. Due to high cost of the C-17 aircraft, the production company has postponed the scout visit to Luke AFB, as the aircraft is cost prohibitive. Currently working SSS to work the project as flying training for the aircrew, thus alleviating the cost, with the exception of per diem for the air crew.

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If approved for official support, this film is tentatively scheduled to shoot at Luke AFB 7-8 Aug 06. A scouting trip to Luke AFB has been requested and a C-17 orientation flight on training mission is scheduled for 23 March. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

- **"FLIGHT 93" (NBC Universal/DVD Documentary)** – Researcher Michael Bronner held on-camera interviews with pilot and load master on C-130 mission from MNANG on 9/11/01. Last weeks he interviewed pilots at Otis ANG Base, MA. Recorded first video featuring military members for documentary to be released on movie's DVD and possibly distributed by network in Europe. POC MSgt Schneck, SAF/PANE, (310) 200-7663.

- **"AQUAMAN" (TV Pilot/Warner Bros TV)** – Tentative filming date at Homestead ARB, FL, has been changed to 27 March. This is pilot for possible new series on the new CW Network. Series will be based at a fictitious Tempest Key Joint Air Base with a multi-service command. Air Force depictions will include flightline sequences featuring the F-16s and a squadron of personnel conducting PT in the new Air Force PT uniform. Homestead has hosted location scouts. Navy is the leading agency. They will fly in two F-18 aircraft for the show from Key West NAS. SAF/PANE POC is Mr. Chuck Davis (310) 235-7522

- **"Bring Me Men" (Torchlight Entertainment)** – This is a dramatization of the experiences of the first female cadets to attend the Air Force Academy. To be co-produced by Frank Johnson whose credits include the CBS-TV series "Touched By An Angel," the project was written by retired Air Force Lt. Col. Charley Morrison. We've read the script and forwarded it to SAF/PAN and USAFA/PA. Anticipate preliminary USAFA visit in March. SAF/PANE POC is Mr. Chuck Davis (310) 235-7522

- **"UNNAMED TUSKEGEE AIRMEN FEATURE FILM" (Lucas Films) -** 

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- **USAFA Project** – Hosted a lengthy telephone conference 2 Mar 06 between producer Mike Greene and Academy spokesperson Johnny Whitaker regarding Green's TV series proposal titled "Mavricks." Mr. Green is updating his project for network "pitches." We are also coordinating a visit by Mr. Green to Edwards AFB where we will arrange interviews with Academy graduates about their experiences at the Academy and how they relate to their current professional and personal lives. SAF/PANE POCs are Mr. Chuck Davis and Lt. Christian Hodge (310) 235-7522

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- **"UNNAMED FEATURE FILM" (unnamed studio)** – Received a call from a post-production casting director looking to hire Air Force technical advisors for a "summer blockbuster from a major studio." The casting director is seeking to hire one or more individuals who can assist with dialogue and terminology of fighter pilots, commercial airline pilots, and/or has knowledge of NASA lingo. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523.

- **CARS (Pixar/Disney)** – Disney has requested Air Force support for premier of animated movie with NASCAR theme. The movie will premier 26 May at Lowe's Motor Speedway in South Carolina. The audience is expected to be 35,000. They have requested an AF flyover, parachute team and using movie on Air Force NASCAR at the Coca-Cola 600. Sent to PAYE for coord. SAF/PANE POC Mr. Chuck Davis (310) 235-7522.

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- **"USAF PILOT TRAINING – ROAD TO THE THUNDERBIRDS"** (iEntertainment) – Received marketing plan for this PC/Xbox 360 based video game from Lt Col (ret) Wild Bill Stealey, who is a 1970 USAFA grad. Working with DVIC, AETC/PA, ACC/PA and Thunderbird PA to supply (if possible) photos and video of training and Thunderbird aircraft, research visits to Laughlin and/or Vance, class syllabus, checklists, etc. Licensing issues being worked by Capt Schumann. Awaiting request for support in order to begin supporting the game development. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

- **"FIGHTER OPS SIM" (XSI)** - Research visit for this PC based video game is scheduled at Laughlin AFB 24 Feb. Trip was cancelled due to weather. Working alternate dates. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

- **"HALO VIDEOGAME COMPETITION" (Bungie Studios)** – Received a request to host a Halo 2 videogame competition at Camp Victory from Bungie Studios, a unit of Microsoft. Competition will be held during off-duty hours. Bungie Studios will supply all game consoles, controllers, monitors and technical support, as well as donate Xboxes for morale and recreation at the base. In exchange, Bungie is requesting airlift, lodging and tent to host the event. Working with Army Entertainment Office for feasibility/coordination through MWR or ASY. Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC, (310) 235-7523.

- **"AFGHAN KNIGHTS" (PARADOX FILMS)** – Received official request for support. Two copies of script submitted to Phil Strub, OASD/PA. Story about ex-Navy SEALs who are hired to protect an Afghan warlord. Following an F-22A air strike on their unauthorized caravan through Taliban territory, they flee into a cave haunted by the ghost of Gengis Khan. Conducted script review. Requested assistance from 9 RW, Beale AFB and AFSOC/PA. POC MSgt Schneck, SAF/PANE, (310) 200-7663.

### *Closed (After Action): N/A*

- **"JIMMY STEWART: BOMBER PILOT:"** Contacted Starr Smith, author of the biographical book that details the late Hollywood actor's rise from E-1 to colonel and combat leader during World War II. Queried Mr. Starr about whether there were plans to turn the book into a movie script, and let him know that we would be interested in considering support for such a project. Sent a letter to Mr. Smith on 12 Jan, expressing our interest, which he will forward to his agent in New York. Also sent info on a new agency in Hollywood that specializes in turning books into movies.

- **"THE GUARDIAN" (Disney)** – In an effort to give back to the men and women of Barksdale AFB who supported filming of "The Guardian", Kevin Costner and his band performed a non-publicity concert 22 Feb. The 14 song set took place at the enlisted club for 500 AF personnel. Disney sponsored food and drinks. POC Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7523

- **"THE STORY OF MY LIFE" (ABC)** – Reality TV show about terminally ill Lou Gehrig's disease patient whose last wish is to fly faster than mach 1 in an AF fighter. Brother-in-law of patient is F-15 pilot. Surgeon General concurred to support. SAF/PAN approved. Requested orientation flight from Edwards AFB. Mr. John Haire reviewing request with assistance of medical flight surgeon at base. After further review and discussion, this request has been denied. POC MSgt Schneck or Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7511.

- **"OPRAH"** – Twenty Airmen from the 437<sup>th</sup> AW attended as audience members for a show being held in the Charelston area. The show was a part of Oprah's "Live a Better Life" seminar series. None of the AF members in attendance were interviewed. There is no air date for this event, however portions of the seminar may appear in future "Oprah" episodes or DVD series. At the end of seminar, Oprah thanked the 437<sup>th</sup> AW for what they do every day and for the assistance the unit provided following Hurrican Katrina. POC Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7523

### **b. Other**

*New:*

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- **AL HURRA NEWS CHANNEL** Arabic TV network Pentagon reporter Joe Tabet requests an interview to discuss relationship between military and Hollywood. We consider at an opportunity to engage an important Arabic audience. Will coord with OASD/PA for strategic themes and messages.

***Update/Ongoing:***

- **COMBAT AIRMEN THEME CLT, June 14-16:** Planning for June visit but exploring moving to late Oct. or early Nov. based on Basic Military Training's ability to support in June. Planned agenda is to include Basic Military Training "warrior week;" pararescue training and combat medicine at Wilford Hall.

- **"Inside the Industry" (PBS)** – This industry program airs in LA and Orange Counties and gives insight to the industry. Working on an SAF/PANE episode with interviews by Lt Col Clutter to market the office and services provided. Producer would also like to film SAF/PANE members on set of a project for episode B-roll. POC, Capt Mary Danner, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7523

***Closed (After Action):***

- **F-22A CLT Reunion Dinner** – Held dinner for Nov. 2005 Civic Leader Tour participants. Modest turnout but had spirited conversations with the guests on possible AF depiction in video games and upcoming film projects.

- **BASE VISIT:** 30 SW/PA hosted an Air Force Entertainment Board Member, Lee Rosenberg, for launch of a Minuteman III ICBM, 15-16 Feb at Vandenberg AFB, CA. Mr. Rosenberg is a retired talent agent who represented Arnold Schwarzenegger, among other noted entertainers, producers, directors, etc. during his career. POC MSgt Schneck, SAF/PANE, (310) 235-7532.

**c. Personnel Issues**

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EF OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PANE)  
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**SAF/PANE  
Weekly Activity Report  
As of (17 March) 2006**

**LA ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON FIELD OFFICE (PANE)**

**a. Movies/Films/TV**

*New:*

- **"WHEEL OF FORTUNE"** – Provided uniform guidance to SSgt at Buckley for wear of uniform on game show. Show will be taped in Denver 24 March. Air date TBD. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"MONTEL WILLIAMS SHOW"** - Provided policy guidance to Whiteman AFB PA for an airman whose husband contacted the show and asked that they be considered to participate in a segment on solving marital problems. Both are AF members. Advised that they need commander's permission; be on leave and fill out the off duty employment. Wear of the uniform is not authorized. (POC Mr. Davis)

- **"BEYOND" (Fox TV Pilot)** –

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*Update/Ongoing:*

- **"SOLDIER I THANK YOU"** – Received request to film music video at Luke AFB. Song was written and will be performed by artist Jordan Leigh, whose brother served in the Army and was KIA in Iraq. Video will have joint service depiction. Hoping for premier on VH-1, MTV and BET Memorial Day weekend. 56FTW, SAF/PANE and SAF/PAN have approved request. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"HOME OF THE BRAVE"** – Received request from North by Northwest to do a location scout at Fairchild AFB for a possible location of this feature film. Working possible dates between base and production company. Script has been approved by Army and DoD for official support. Currently reviewing script for official AF support. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"TUGGER 2" (Genesis Orlando)** – Met with creator/producer Jeffrey Varab to discuss the second installment of this eight part animation series that features Air Force Thunderbird demonstration team. "Tugger" will be released in AAFES theaters in May and the commercial DVD release will follow 3 weeks later. "Tugger 2" features T-Bird city-by-city tour and is scheduled for a Christmas 2006 release -- first in AAFES theaters and followed by commercial theaters. Mr. Varab has requested a follow up research visit to Nellis, date TBD. Looking at creating Tugger PSAs for AAFES theaters and provided to AFRTS. Genesis Orlando has a fully restored 1947 Tugger Jeep painted in Thunderbird paint scheme for loan to AF on Thunderbird tour or for recruiting. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

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- "FUTURE FORCE" (Ascendant Pictures) [REDACTED]

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- DOOLITTLE RAID – Met with scriptwriter Stephen Bonds and production partner, Stephen Reuben. Agreed to forward script to one of our board members who has contacts with International Creative Management (ICM ), one of the largest talent and deal-making agencies in Hollywood. Mr. Bonds and Lt Col Clutter will attend 64<sup>th</sup> Doolittle Raiders reunion in Ohio. POC: Lt Col Clutter, (310) 235-7511

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- "UNNAMED REALITY TELEVISION SERIES" – [REDACTED]

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"OPRAH" – Looking at request for Airman Participation in an Oprah episode: SSgt Bonnie McKinley's successful weight loss and yoga therapy (stories featured in AFNEWS). This item was initiated from someone at DVIDS who saw the sergeant's story and tried to convince her to apply to be on the show. Oprah has not contacted SSgt McKinley. At this time, SSgt McKinley has not applied for the show. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

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- **“THE TRANSFORMERS”** (Dreamworks) – Sent SSS to Mr. Lebling recommending AF support. The project – if approved – will be filmed at Holloman AFB and the Army’s Whitesands Missile Range (March-June). Movie will have an Air Force character and requests to showcase USAF capabilities in joint-environment. Lt Hodge, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7524

- **“KINGDOM”** (Universal) – This feature film stars Jamie Foxx as counterterrorism agent working with Saudi Arabian partner. They have proposed using a C-17 from March ARB for positive depiction, and intend to pay for flying hours and crew per diem and lodging at Luke AFB, but can not afford to pay four-hour daily minimum activity rate (MAR). Trying to work with AMC/PA (Col Woodyard) to resolve. If approved for official support, this film is tentatively scheduled to shoot at Luke AFB 7-8 Aug 06. A scouting trip to Luke AFB has been scheduled for 17 March and a C-17 orientation flight on training mission is scheduled for 23 March. Capt Danner, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7523

- **“FLIGHT 93” (NBC Universal)** – Brian Thomas, stateside producer, requested aerial photography support utilizing F-16B for over-the-shoulder camera shot of pilot flying plane. Coordinated request through NGB, HQ ACC, and 119 FW (NDANG), but coordination would take too much time. Mr Thomas opted to shoot scenario in studio due to time constraints. Movie premieres in NY on 28 April. POC: MSgt Warren, (310) 235-7511.

- **JPAC TV Documentary and Dramatic Series:** –

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- **“Bring Me Men” (Torchlight Entertainment)** –

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- **“UNNAMED TUSKEGEE AIRMEN FEATURE FILM” (Lucas Films)** - Talked with Mr. Ron Bruington, Nat'l PR director for the Tuskegee Airmen. He will call next week to set up a meeting with us to discuss this potential film. Mr. Lucas had eight airmen out to his ranch to discuss their stories. He is currently looking for writers to write the script. Capt Danner, is POC (310) 235-7523

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- "AFGHAN KNIGHTS" (PARADOX FILMS) – Story about ex-Navy SEALs who are hired to protect an Afghan warlord. Reviewing revised script, received filming for request SAR helicopter shots. (DVIC, Global Hawk footage and opportune filming of SAR training). POC: Lt Hodge, (310) 200-7663.

*Closed (After Action):*

- "TAKEN BY FORCE" - Received request from Raul Contreras, set designer, for assistance with Air Force memorabilia for use in a scene. Provided him with back copies of Air Force Times, Airman Magazine and other AF-related periodicals, along with lithos from the AF Fine Arts Series. Also loaned him a model of an MATS aircraft. Toured the office to look at the various items AF personnel collect during their career. POC: MSgt Warren, (310) 235-7511

- "COMMANDER IN CHIEF" (ABC) – Received request for technical assistance writing script for upcoming episode involving a bomber that goes down armed with nuclear weapons. Aircraft and weapons will ultimately be recovered. Responded to list of research questions from writer Tom St. George. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

**b. Other**

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*Update/Ongoing:*

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- **ARMED FORCES ENTERTAINMENT CONF** – Lt Col Clutter to attend 27-30 March at Crowne Plaza Hotel in Arlington, VA. Plans to stop in Chicago enroute for morning visit with PANC office on 31 March.

*Closed (After Action):*

- **PENTAGON CHANNEL** – Request from MSgt Marchus for information on ABC Extreme Home Makover Ed/Homes for Troops combined effort. Needed find POC to get permission to use clip for an upcoming Pentagon Channel issue. Referred to Army office. POC: MSgt Warren, (310) 235-7511

**c. Personnel Issues**

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**OPR/EPR/Awards & Decs Status: (PANE)**

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Weekly Activity Report  
As of (24 March) 2006**

**4. LA ENTERTAINMENT LIAISON FIELD OFFICE (PANE)**

**a. Movies/Films/TV**

***New:***

- **Rex** – Steve Glick from International Creative Management called on 22 March with news that producer director John Kent Harrison is interested in making a movie about Rex and TSgt Dana <http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0006867/> We are waiting for him to contact the office for a request to set up a meeting. POC: Lt Col Clutter/Capt Danner
- **“UNACCOMPANIED MINORS” (Warner Bros.)** – Received request to use the Air Force Historical Society’s book, “The Air Force” as set decoration in this feature film with a holiday ’06 release date. Authorized the book’s use with a recommendation to have a cast member pick the book up and page through it. POC Capt Danner

***Update/Ongoing:***

- **“AQUAMAN” (TV Pilot/Warner Bros TV)** –



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- **“United 93” (NBC Universal)** – Viewed “rough cut” on 22 March at Universal Studios. Overall positive AF depiction, primarily of Northeast Air Defense Sector ops floor and Combat Air Patrol over Capitol building in moving closing of the movie. Movie premieres 25 April at Tribeca Film Festival in NY on 25 April. POC: Lt Col Clutter MSgt Warren, (310) 235-7511.
- **“SOLDIER I THANK YOU”** – Working to film music video at Luke AFB. Song was written and will be performed by artist Jordan Leigh, whose brother served in the Army and was KIA in Iraq. Video will have joint service depiction. Hoping for premier on VH-1, MTV and BET Memorial Day weekend. 56FTW, SAF/PANE and SAF/PAN have approved request. Working on production agreement and shooting date. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523
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a green light and planning to start pre-production there next week. The production hopes to start shooting in late May. Facilitated research trip to Edwards AFB for director Michael Bay and his top tier, saw F-22A, CV-22, C-17, expecting request for two-day shoot there in late June. Had costumers, props, writers and producer/director meet visiting Combat Controller and Pararescueman, discussed uniforms/equipment and went over script lines. Lt Hodge, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7524

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well Thursday. Anticipate 49FW decision on their ability to support next week. The Army and their White Sands Missile Range have given a green light and planning to start pre-production there next week. The production hopes to start shooting in late May. Facilitated research trip to Edwards AFB for director Michael Bay and his top tier, saw F-22A, CV-22, C-17, expecting request for two-day shoot there in late June. Had costumers, props, writers and producer/director meet visiting Combat Controller and Pararescueman, discussed uniforms/equipment and went over script lines. Lt Hodge, SAF/PANE, is POC (310) 235-7524

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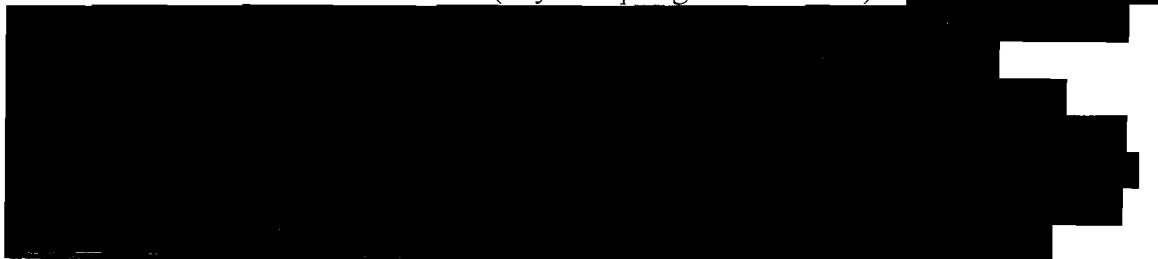
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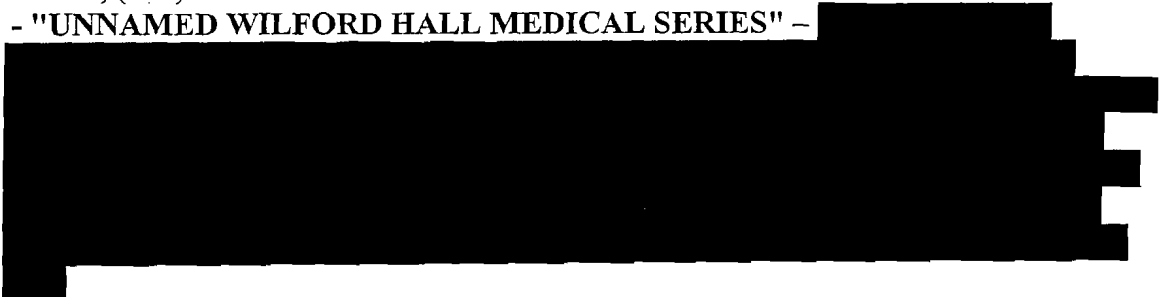
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- **"STARGATE SG-1 and Atlantis" (SciFi Channel)** – Stargate SG-1, season ten, and Stargate Atlantis, season two, are underway. Filming began week of 20 Feb; currently reviewing scripts. Requested episode for CSAF appearance, special showing for season premiere or 200<sup>th</sup> episode of SG-1 at Peterson AFB and cast/crew tour of CMAFB. Awaiting decision from show executives. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7511.

- **REX** – TSgt Jamie Dana, 21 SFS, has agreed to consider entertainment productions about her life story and her working dog Rex. Conducted research trip 29 March to Colorado Springs with producer David Friendly, who has submitted a spec article for Life Magazine. Article will be part of their weekly newspaper insert with a circulation of more than 12 million. He is also putting together a treatment for potential television

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- **"BRING ME MEN"** (Torchlight Entertainment) – [REDACTED]

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- **USAFA Project** – Hosted tele-conference 2 Mar 06 between producer Mike Greene and Academy PA Johnny Whitaker regarding Green's TV series proposal titled "Mavericks." Mr. Green is updating his project for network "pitches." Coordinated a visit by Mr. Green to Edwards AFB to interview Academy graduates about their experiences at the Academy and how they relate to their current professional and personal lives.

POCs: Mr. Davis and Lt. Hodge (310) 235-7522

- **"UNNAMED TUSKEGEE AIRMEN FEATURE FILM"** (Lucas Films) - Talked with Mr. Ron Bruington, Nat'l PR director for Tuskegee Airmen. He will call later to set up a meeting to discuss this potential film. Mr. Lucas had eight airmen out to his ranch to discuss their stories. He is currently looking for writers to write the script. Capt Danner, is POC (310) 235-7523

- **"ABOVE AND BEYOND"** (Pitch) – Writer/Creator Tom McCafferty requested to take actor/former defensive end Howie Long on base visit to Moody AFB or Hurlburt Field. The actor has signed for TV pilot, if production is picked up by a distributor (network). Objective is to get actor excited about the project. AFSOC/PA has stated its full support for this potential episodic series. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **JPAC TV Documentary and Dramatic Series:** – [REDACTED]

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- **"USAF PILOT TRAINING – ROAD TO THE THUNDERBIRDS"**

(iEntertainment) – Received marketing plan for this PC/Xbox 360 based video game from Lt Col (ret) "Wild Bill" Stealey. Working with DVIC, AETC/PA, ACC/PA and Thunderbird PA to supply (if possible) photos and video of training and Thunderbird aircraft, research visits to Laughlin and/or Vance, class syllabus, checklists, etc. Licensing issues are being worked by Capt Schumann. Mr. Stealey is currently speaking

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- **"FIGHTER OPS SIM" (XSI)** - Research visit for this PC based video game was scheduled at Laughlin AFB 24 Feb. Trip was cancelled due to weather. Requested to reschedule date at Laughlin and awaiting response. Request to visit Nellis was denied by the base and ACC. POC: Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"HALO VIDEOGAME COMPETITION" (Bungie Studios)** – Received a request to host a Halo 2 videogame competition at Camp Victory from Bungie Studios, a unit of Microsoft. They will supply all game consoles, controllers, monitors and technical support, as well as donate Xboxes. In exchange, Bungie is requesting airlift, lodging and tent to host the event. Working with Army Entertainment Office for feasibility/coordination through MWR or ASY. POC: Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523.

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- **"MAIL CALL" (HISTORY)** – Received request to show new ADU on this docudrama series. Informed producer the uniform wasn't available yet and referred them to Keith Lebling for future requests. POC: Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

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- **"THE BACHELOR" (ABC)** – Received request to help find the next bachelor for this reality television series. The casting director would like to find a fighter pilot as possible candidate. Due to the time commit a show like this requires, we recommended a guard or reserve candidate. Sent the request to the Fresno, CA fighter unit for consideration. Time for applicants has passed. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

- **"WHEEL OF FORTUNE"** – Provided uniform guidance to SSgt at Buckley for wear of uniform on game show. Show will be taped in Denver 24 March. Episode aired May 2. POC Capt Danner, (310) 235-7523

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- **ARTISTS ASSISTANCE-** Assisted Brooklyn NY based exhibition design firm locate photos and career information on deceased CMSgt. Duane Hackney. The Chief, an Air

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- **CARE PACKAGES** – In response to the research trip to Balad in support of the Wilford Hall Medical series, writer Jeff Eckerle is working to send care packages from popular television series cast and crew. The first of what is hoped to be several packages will go out this week and includes inputs from "Lost (ABC)," "Grey's Anatomy (ABC)," and "The Jazz Mini Series (PBS)."

*Closed (After Action):*

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- **"THE LAST FULL MEASURE"**: 

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- **"CLOSING THE RING"** – 

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- **"CLOSING THE RING"** –

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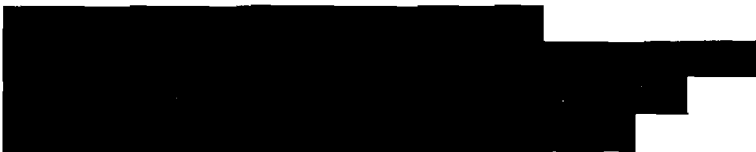
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--**UNTITLED F-16 FEATURE FILM** – [REDACTED]

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