Kirtland AFB 2017 Year of the Family/Community Action Plan

Purpose

The 2017 Year of the Family/Community Action Plan (YoF/CAP) will address significant community issues pertaining to quality of life and well-being. The Air Force Global Strike Command (AFGSC) Year of the Family (YoF) initiative will serve as a unifying theme. The YoF initiatives address the following broad areas: Care, Learn, Pray, Live, and Play. This is a working document which may be altered by leadership or IDS agencies, to ensure we “promote professional growth, wellness, safety, and morale of Team Kirtland.”

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1. **CARE** Shortfall – Family members do not receive adequate and timely information about support services.
   - **Goal:** IDS agencies will increase frequency and timeliness of contact with family members to enhance well-being.
     - a. Outreach to Families: Spouse Resiliency Course (6-7 Apr, Jun, Oct, POC:CSC), SuicideTALK for Teens Course (28 Apr, Aug, Oct, POC: CSC), Key Spouse Program (Monthly, POC: A&FRC), Kirtland AFB Community Support Coordinator Facebook (Weekly, POC: CSC)
     - b. Medical Group Initiatives:
       - i. “Coffee with Commanders” patient forum to discuss current issues/solutions to patient concerns. (Monthly, POC: MDG)
       - ii. Articles in “Nucleus” and Facebook. (Monthly, POC: MDG)

2. **LEARN** Shortfall – Albuquerque Public Schools (APS) struggle with low student proficiency and poverty.
   - **Goal:** IDS will support collaborations between KAFB and APS.
     - a. Kirtland Show & Tell Education Symposium (Albuquerque Public Schools Outreach Initiative) (2 Jun and Fall: POC: SLO/D&I/CSC)
     - b. KAFB School Partners/Adopt a School (2017-2018 School Year, POC: SLO)

3. **PRAY** Shortfall – Members cite workplace exhaustion as a frequent concern.
   - **Goal:** IDS will support spiritual growth, or living a life of purpose, as uniquely defined by each member.
     - a. FaithWorks – campaign to inform Airmen about the weight of evidence regarding the positive relationship between spirituality, religion, and health. (CAIB, 2 Mar, throughout the year in CC’s Calls, POC: HC)
     - b. Chapel worship/liturgies/rites/programs, to include the Airman Ministry Center “Gravity.” (Weekly, POC: HC)
4. **LIVE Shortfall** – Leadership and IDS Agency contact with Airmen who reside in base dorms is inadequate.
   **Goal:** Base leaders and IDS agencies will increase contact with base dorm residents.
   a. Base leaders and IDS agencies will engage with Airmen residing in the dorms via Health & Wellness walk-abouts, social events, and IDS agency visits. (Monthly, POC: 377 ABW/CCC, IDS agencies)

5. **PLAY Shortfall** – Members cite workplace exhaustion as a frequent concern.
   **Goal:** IDS will support social connections and recreation.
   a. Annual Summer Bash event (11 Aug, POC: FSS and IDS)
   b. Outdoor Recreation/Force Support Squadron programs: Movie Under the Stars (Various dates, POC: 377 ABW/CCC); Base Theater Reopening (1 Dec, POC: 377, POC: FSS)

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