

2012 TORCH CALENDAR

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T-6A Texan II



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T-38C Talon



Fighter/bomber trainer

T-1A Jayhawk



Airlift/tanker trainer

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Joining the FIGHT CLUB



Col. Creig A. Rice, AETC director of safety

Our Air Force has been at war for the past two decades, starting with Desert Storm 21 years ago and continuing most recently with Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom. In Air Education and Training Command, we train the world's best Airmen. Many of them enter the fight very soon after they complete our training programs. Ensuring these Airmen are ready for the "Fight Club" is one of the most important tasks we do. Losing just one Airman to a preventable mishap is an unacceptable loss and reduces our combat capability and our ability to take the fight to our enemies.

The culture of safety in our Air Force is at an unprecedented high. Since Desert Storm, we have seen flight mishaps reduce by more than 50 percent. Not only are we doing better at reducing how much "iron we bend," but we have also seen a dramatic reduction in how many fatalities we have in aviation mishaps. In 2002, the

secretary of defense mandated that the Air Force reduce its mishap rates by 75 percent. The Air Force lost 22 Airmen and 19 aircraft to aviation-related mishaps in 2002. As of the middle of September 2011, two Airmen have died in aviation-related mishaps and seven aircraft have been destroyed across the Air Force.

As much progress as we have made in mishap reduction, we still have a long way to go. As the "First Command" we set the culture for our Airmen. In basic military training, we introduce risk management. At specialized undergraduate pilot training we teach flying safety and operational risk management. At every formal training course, we reinforce mishap prevention. All of these "blocking and tackling" skills

build the foundation for combat capability for our Air Force, ensuring we are ready when the fight happens.

This year's calendar is dedicated to those Airmen who are in the fight and showcases the aircraft they fly, fix and support with dynamic aerial photography from around the world — starting with the cover photo illustration of the F-35A Lightning II, our newest member of the "Fight Club."

Inside, it also shows the role that AETC plays in growing these young warriors and the path our flyers take to get there. And finally, the back cover is dedicated to those Airmen doing the air advisor mission in Iraq and Afghanistan. Many are AETC instructors and go "TDY" for a year to help build other nations' Air Forces, instilling pride and professionalism.

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Additionally, the calendar features daily, weekly and monthly safety observances to help you plan your mishap prevention strategies for 2012. For your convenience, the calendar also includes federal holidays, paydays, family days and Julian dates, along with a pull-out poster displaying an 18-month calendar.

We take our charge to grow young Airmen very seriously, instilling the skills they need to operate successfully, and the skills to do so smartly, with an eye toward mishap prevention. A crusty old fighter pilot once told me, "If it's tactically sound, it's inherently safe"; this adage still rings true. Our Air Force continues to engage in the fight overseas, and we in AETC safety continue the fight to reduce mishaps.



F-22 RAPTOR

by Petty Officer 2nd Class Kyle Steckler

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T-38C Talon

by Tech Sgt. Samuel Bender



T-6A Texan II

by Master Sgt. Jeffrey Allen

AETC TRACK TO THE F-22
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for fighter assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C. They then attend a Raptor lead-in course in the F-16, followed by the F-22 Raptor.

JANUARY



B-1B LANCER
by Andy Dunaway

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T-38C Talon

by Tech Sgt Matthew Harman



T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt Matthew Harman

AETC TRACK TO THE B-1B
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for bomber assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then are trained in the B-1B Lancer.

FEBRUARY



A-10 THUNDERBOLT II

by Tech. Sgt. Jeff Walston

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<p>4⁰⁶⁴</p> <p>► Save Your Vision Week (4-10)</p> <p>► National Patient Safety Awareness Week (4-10)</p>	<p>5⁰⁶⁵</p> <p>► National Sleep Awareness Week (5-11)</p>	<p>6⁰⁶⁶</p>	<p>7⁰⁶⁷</p> <p>► Tornado Drill Day</p>	<p>8⁰⁶⁸</p> <p>► Full Moon</p>	<p>9⁰⁶⁹</p>	<p>10⁰⁷⁰</p>
<p>11⁰⁷¹</p> <p>► Check Your Batteries Day</p> <p>► Daylight-saving Time Begins</p>	<p>12⁰⁷²</p> <p>► Organize Your Home Office Day</p>	<p>13⁰⁷³</p>	<p>14⁰⁷⁴</p>	<p>15⁰⁷⁵</p> <p>► Military Payday</p>	<p>16⁰⁷⁶</p> <p>► Civilian Payday</p>	<p>17⁰⁷⁷</p> <p>► St. Patrick's Day</p> <p>► Buzzed Driving Is Drunk Driving Awareness Day</p>
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T-38C Talon

T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt. Matthew Hammen

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 Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for fighter assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then attend introduction to fighter fundamentals in the T-38C. Then they are trained in the A-10 Thunderbolt II.

MARCH



C-17 GLOBEMASTER III

by Tech. Sgt. James L. Harper Jr.

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APRIL



F-16 FIGHTING FALCON

by Scott Wagers

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FIGHT CLUB



T-38C Talon

by Tech. Sgt. Matthew Hanen



T-6A Texan II

by Tech. Sgt. Matthew Hanen

AETC TRACK TO THE F-16
 Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for fighter assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then attend introduction to fighter fundamentals in the T-38C. Then they are trained in the F-16 Fighting Falcon.

MAY



HH-60G PAVE HAWK

by Staff. Sgt. Christopher Boitz

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<p>3¹⁵⁵</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Sun Safety Week (3-9) ▶ National Tire Safety Week (3-9) ▶ National Rip Current Awareness Week (3-9) 	<p>4¹⁵⁶</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Full Moon 	<p>5¹⁵⁷</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ World Environment Day 	<p>6¹⁵⁸</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Running Day 	<p>7¹⁵⁹</p>	<p>8¹⁶⁰</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Civilian Payday 	<p>9¹⁶¹</p>
<p>10¹⁶²</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Flag Week (10-16) 	<p>11¹⁶³</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Food Safety Week (11-17) 	<p>12¹⁶⁴</p>	<p>13¹⁶⁵</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Flag Day ▶ Army Birthday ▶ Honor America Days (through July 4) 	<p>14¹⁶⁶</p>	<p>15¹⁶⁷</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Military Payday 	<p>16¹⁶⁸</p>
<p>17¹⁶⁹</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Fathers Day 	<p>18¹⁷⁰</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Ride to Work Day: Share the Road with Motorcycles 	<p>19¹⁷¹</p>	<p>20¹⁷²</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ First Day of Summer 	<p>21¹⁷³</p>	<p>22¹⁷⁴</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Civilian Payday 	<p>23¹⁷⁵</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Public Service Day
<p>24¹⁷⁶</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Lightning Safety Awareness Week (24-30) ▶ National Mosquito Control Awareness Week (24-30) 	<p>25¹⁷⁷</p>	<p>26¹⁷⁸</p>	<p>27¹⁷⁹</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Prevention of Eye Injury Awareness Week (through July 4) 	<p>28¹⁸⁰</p>	<p>29¹⁸¹</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Military Payday 	<p>30¹⁸²</p>

FIGHT CLUB



UH-1H Huey

by Senior Airman Tony Jennings



T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt. Samuel Bender

AETC TRACK TO THE HH-60G
 Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for helicopter assignments are assigned to the helicopter track and train in the UH-1H and TH-1H Huey. After getting their wings, new pilots then are trained in the HH-60G Pave Hawk.

JUNE





AC-130U GUNSHIP

by Staff Sgt. Julianne Showalter

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29 ²¹¹	30 ²¹² ► International Friendship Day	31 ²¹³	► UV Safety Month ► National Grilling Month ► Cell Phone Courtesy Month ► Eye Injury Prevention Month ► Prescription Awareness Month ► National Teen Safe Driver Month ► Bereaved Parents Awareness Month ► Disaster Education and Awareness Month ► National Fireworks Safety Months (June-July)		<p style="text-align: center;">JUNE</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>S</th> <th>M</th> <th>T</th> <th>W</th> <th>T</th> <th>F</th> <th>S</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>4</td> <td>5</td> <td>6</td> <td>7</td> <td>8</td> <td>9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10</td> <td>11</td> <td>12</td> <td>13</td> <td>14</td> <td>15</td> <td>16</td> </tr> <tr> <td>17</td> <td>18</td> <td>19</td> <td>20</td> <td>21</td> <td>22</td> <td>23</td> </tr> <tr> <td>24</td> <td>25</td> <td>26</td> <td>27</td> <td>28</td> <td>29</td> <td>30</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	S	M	T	W	T	F	S						1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	<p style="text-align: center;">AUGUST</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>S</th> <th>M</th> <th>T</th> <th>W</th> <th>T</th> <th>F</th> <th>S</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>5</td> <td>6</td> <td>7</td> <td>8</td> <td>9</td> <td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11</td> <td>12</td> <td>13</td> <td>14</td> <td>15</td> <td>16</td> <td>17</td> </tr> <tr> <td>18</td> <td>19</td> <td>20</td> <td>21</td> <td>22</td> <td>23</td> <td>24</td> </tr> <tr> <td>25</td> <td>26</td> <td>27</td> <td>28</td> <td>29</td> <td>30</td> <td>31</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	S	M	T	W	T	F	S					1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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T-1A Jayhawk

T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt Matthew Hamen

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AETC TRACK TO THE AC-130U
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for airlift and tanker assignments are assigned to the airlift/tanker track and train in the T-1A Jayhawk. After getting their wings, new pilots are trained in the AC-130U Gunship.

JULY

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TORCH



F-15E STRIKE EAGLE

by Airman 1st Class James Richardson

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<p>5²¹⁸</p> <p>► Friendship Day</p> <p>► National Stop on Red Week (6-11)</p>	<p>6²¹⁹</p>	<p>7²²⁰</p> <p>► National Night Out</p>	<p>8²²¹</p> <p>► Best Friends Day</p>	<p>9²²²</p>	<p>10²²³</p>	<p>11²²⁴</p>
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FIGHT CLUB



T-38C Talon

T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt Matthew Hammen

by Tech Sgt Samuel Berndt

AETC TRACK TO THE F-15E
 Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for fighter assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then attend introduction to fighter fundamentals in the T-38C. Then they are trained in the F-15 Eagle.

AUGUST



CV-22 OSPREY

by Tech. Sgt. DeNoris Mickle

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TH-1H Huey

by Lance Cheng



T-6A Texan II

by Tech Sgt Matthew Haman

AETC TRACK TO THE CV-22
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for helicopter assignments are assigned to the helicopter track and train in the UH-1H and TH-1H Huey. After getting their wings, new pilots then are trained in the CV-22 Osprey.

SEPTEMBER



C-5 GALAXY
by Staff Sgt. Suzanne M. Jenkins

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FIGHT CLUB

T-1A Jayhawk



by Tech Sgt. Samuel Bender

T-6A Texan II



by Tech Sgt. Matthew Harman

AETC TRACK TO THE C-5
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for airlift and tanker assignments are assigned to the airlift/tanker track and train in the T-1A Jayhawk. After getting their wings, new pilots then are trained in the C-5 Galaxy.

OCTOBER



F-35A LIGHTNING II

by Paul Weatherman

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FIGHT CLUB



T-38C Talon

by Tech. Sgt. Samuel Bendet



F-6A Texan II

by Tech. Sgt. Samuel Bendet

AETC TRACK TO THE F-35
 Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for fighter assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then attend introduction to fighter fundamentals in the T-38C. Then they are trained in the F-35A Lightning II.

NOVEMBER



B-2 SPIRIT

by Master Sgt. Cecilio Ricardo

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9 ³⁴⁴	10 ³⁴⁵ ► Human Rights Day	11 ³⁴⁶	12 ³⁴⁷ ► Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Crackdown (through Jan. 1)	13 ³⁴⁸ ► National Guard Birthday	14 ³⁴⁹ ► Civilian Payday ► International Civil Aviation Day ► Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day	15 ³⁵⁰ ► Bill of Rights Day
16 ³⁵¹	17 ³⁵² ► Wright Brothers Day	18 ³⁵³	19 ³⁵⁴	20 ³⁵⁵	21 ³⁵⁶ ► Civilian Payday ► Forefathers Day ► First Day of Winter	22 ³⁵⁷
23 ³⁵⁸ / 30 ³⁶⁵	24 ³⁵⁹ / 31 ³⁶⁶ ► Christmas Eve (24) ► AETC Family Day (24) ► Military Payday (31) ► New Year's Eve (31) ► AETC Family Day (31)	25 ³⁶⁰ ► Christmas	26 ³⁶¹	27 ³⁶²	28 ³⁶³ ► Full Moon	29 ³⁶⁴

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T-38C Talon

T-6A Texan II

AETC TRACK TO THE B-2
Undergraduate pilot training in the T-6A Texan II. From there student pilots heading for bomber assignments are assigned to the fighter/bomber track and train in the T-38C Talon. After getting their wings, new pilots then are trained in the B-2 Spirit.

DECEMBER

JOINING THE FIGHT PWB

“The Air Force has a long and proud history of air advising, including the current effort to rebuild the Iraqi and Afghan air forces. To support this vital endeavor, many Air Education and Training Command instructors deploy for a year to demonstrate the right way — and the safe way — to perform their missions. Using air advisors for building partner capacity is another airpower tool that the Air Force has available to combatant commanders.”

— Col. Craig A. Rice
AETC director of safety



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2012 TORCH CALENDAR



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