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Defense Supply Center Philadelphia Customer Conference/Food Service Symposium

The DSCP conference and the Marine Corps Food Service Symposium was held in Charlotte, NC 18 - 22 June. To those who were able to attend, LFS-4 would like to extend our appreciation. The symposium covered a wide range of subjects that provided the attendees insight on the future of the Marine Corps Food Service program. Topics of discussion included:

- Fielding of the Expeditionary Field Kitchen
- Future of CLS for the FFSS
- W.P.T. Hill Awards
- MNF-W Operations
- CIA Course and Vet Course
- Food Service Schools
- Sodexo and Natick Updates
- SysCom Programs
- Other items of interest

Due to the nature of the briefs it will not be posted to the LFS-4 Web page. If you require a specific brief, please contact Capt Kohler, Operations Officer, LFS-4.

MCFMIS Update

To date, all CONUS facilities have been completely migrated to Windows MCFMIS. Iwakuni and Hawaii, OCONUS commands, have also been migrated. Okinawa is scheduled to be completed by the end of July, and Fuji and Korea are scheduled to begin implementation in July.

Computrition has published two MCFMIS newsletters that have been distributed to commands with updated software

information. Please contact Ken Barnes if you have not received copies.

Due to security reasons, system support POC's have changed. Support issues should be addressed as follows:

MCFMIS users should continue to contact Ken Barnes (703-695-7662) and the Computrition help desk (800-222-4458) for all MCFMIS software support matters.

For problems connecting the MCFMIS website or Citrix password support, MCFMIS users should attempt to call the Primary Support Line during the hours posted. If the Primary Support line is not open or unavailable, users should then dial the Secondary Support Line below.

Primary MCFMIS Support Line: 703-695-8865
Open: Monday - Friday 6:30-17:00 (Eastern Standard Time), excluding holidays.

Secondary MCFMIS Support Line: 703-614-1721
Open: 24 hours a day

Change of Directors

As of 13 June 2007, Major Weeks, Director of the Food Service program, will stand relieved of his duties. Major Weeks is transferring to Camp Lejeune where he will be the II MEF, Food Service Officer. Major Weeks will be replaced by LtCol Sanabria. LtCol Sanabria will be checking aboard during the last week of July.

RGFSC Update

- Quality Assurance Surveillance Plan (QASP). Testing of the new QASP at Camp Pendleton commenced on 1 June 2007. Prior to CONUS-wide implementation, Government and Contractor representatives will conduct a review to incorporate lessons learned from the tests. CONUS-wide implementation is planned for FY-08.

- CONUS-wide Master Menu. Implementation of the new Master Menu is nearing completion. This menu contains new concepts such as demonstration cooking, and is designed to address the preferences and needs of today's young Marines and Sailors. Initial customer feedback of the new menu has been very positive. An initiative to standardize fast food

paper products is nearing completion, and an initiative to standardize the box lunch menus between the regions is in the planning phase.

- Upcoming RCO/RCOR/HQMC Working Group. The next working group is tentatively scheduled for September 2007 at Camp Pendleton. Please forward any requested agenda topics to the RCORs via your FSO/ACOR no later than 15 August 2007.

- Follow-on CONUS Food Service Acquisition. LFS-4 briefed the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Acquisition (DASN-ACQ) on 15 June 2007. This briefing addressed the history and background of the current RGFSC and objectives for the follow-on acquisition, in preparation for a formal presentation of the acquisition plan to the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research, Development and Acquisition (ASN-RD&A) in early-2008. The team will conduct a lessons-learned/strategy session at Camp Pendleton on 17 Jul 07, with RCO/RCOR/FSO reps. Please forward any requested agenda topics to your FSO/Tech NLT 13 Jul 07.