



# SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 11 January 2019

## TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **Fukushima 50//Kokokawa Corp//Filming 28 Jan @ Yokota Air Base:** Film about group of employees at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant following the earthquake and tsunami on 11 March 2011—to highlight Air Force participation in Operation Tomodachi, specifically airlift operations from Yokota Air Base. Scout is scheduled for 18 January 2019 and the actual filming will begin on 28 January 2019. MSgt Wilson and Ms. Watson to support base PA during production from 16 Jan to 29 Jan.
- **WOMEN**, a MIX66 production for HBO, continues to film documentary episode featuring (b) (6) (amputee pilot who returned to active duty) **at Davis Monthan AFB through 4-16 January.** Filming focused on (b) (6) on duty as a C-130 pilot, at home and re-creation of her boating accident—expect positive/heroic coverage of this Airman in wide release later this year.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- **Rachael Ray show to feature homecoming reunion between Airman and family.** This project was initiated after Airman proactively reached out to the program — PAON is supporting the production while PAYL will draft PAA. Expect filming to occur 23 Jan in NYC.
- **Project officers met with (b) (6) ncy,** on 11 Jan regarding orientation flight opportunities in support of SAF/PAY & Thunderbird engagements at Super Bowl LII. Mr. Young offered to connect PAYL staff with additional clients in music and film departments to assist PAY team with connecting to relevant social media/pop culture influencers.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

- (b) (4)
- Meeting 10 Jan with producer for (b) (4) to discuss logistics of DOD support and the PAA. Awaiting next big meeting with writers and full team later this month.
- Last Full Measure: reached out to production company regarding screening in advance of a proposed Pentagon engagement. Production company still has not gotten all stakeholders in order to release the film and are researching when a screening might be able to take place in February.

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- *First Man* releases on DVD/Blu-Ray/streaming Tuesday 15 Jan.
- *Safer Skies*, a documentary on bird avoidance (set against backdrop of "Miracle on the Hudson" anniversary) to air on Smithsonian Channel, Tuesday 15 Jan.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- Behind the Wings//Wings over the Rockies Air & Space Museum//Film 17 Oct @ Minot AFB – Production team for museum funded web-series, possible distribution to Rocky Mountain PBS. Going to Minot to film B-52 operations, inside cockpit, take-offs and landings, and interview pilots. Rough Cut Reviewed. **Air Date TBD.**
- Safer Skies//Arrow Media for Smithsonian Channel// Filmed 17-18 Sept @ JBSA-Randolph Program on bird strikes and the science of BASH programs is set to release with the 10 year anniversary of the Miracle on the Hudson. JBSA-Randolph selected for filming because of the comprehensive and high-tech measures in place there to ensure pilot safety from bird strikes. Rough Cut Reviewed. **Air Date in Jan 2019.**

- **Blue Sky Metropolis: The Aerospace Century in SoCal**//Peter Jones Productions (KCET/PBS)
  - **Scheduling SMC/CC interview for 7 Feb at KCET studios**
  - Coordinating with AFGSC historians for archival materials. Awaiting further requests from the production team and rough cuts to review.

- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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  - [REDACTED]

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- Project officer to meet with (b) (4) [REDACTED] Day on 14 Jan to discuss 2019 collaborations.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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- **7 Little Johnstons**, a series revolving around a family of “little people” in North Carolina requested permission to film a segment on one of the characters running in the **Museum of Aviation marathon at Robins AFB, Georgia**. Base and MAJCOM approved of the positive, fitness-focused community event. PAYL to accomplish PAA, local base PA to assist in one-day shoot during the race festivities.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- **Madame Secretary**, a TV program about a female Secretary of State, contacted PAYL for USAF Hurricane Hunter depiction. After reading script and consulting with producers, it was determined minimal support needed — to accomplish phone call this week to describe technical details/dialogue...no further support warranted.

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **AMC's Ride** featuring **Norman Reedus** // *Airs Spring 2019*
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- **Open World**//Marvel Studios//releases 08 March, 2019 (Edwards)
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- **Speed**//Curiosity Stream//Air Date TBD
- **Wild Refuge: Alaska**//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
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## PROJECTS NSTR

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- **Eye Witness:** a series on disaster response to focus on sinking of SS El Faro and USAF Hurricane Hunters who helped locate the wreckage. After contacting 403d Wing, PAYL determined no Airmen were involved in the effort, request closed...NSTR.

## MISCELLANEOUS

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- **Pristine Seas/Ascension Islands Project** — sent formal declination to producers regarding USAF support to the project this week due to lack of USAF depiction in the film.
- **Junkyard**, a low-budget film set in 1981 Afghanistan requested to film at Kirtland AFB in February. PAYL determined the Air Force depiction was minimal, script lacked proper messaging and distribution was questionable — as such, support was declined.

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

3-16 Jan: (b) (6)

16-29 Jan: (b) (6)

### LEAVE:

19 Feb: (b) (6)

9-11 Jan: (b) (6)

18-26 April: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

NSTR

### PCS/Other:

(b) (6) in review by Director, to be forwarded to PAY this week (due 13 Feb)

(b) (6) — depart PAYL approximately 19 Feb

(b) (6) (terminal leave start...effective 1 May)

Retirement Award for (b) (6) — submitted to SAF/PAY



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## TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
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- ***The Last Full Measure/Rosa Entertainment Productions:*** Film focused on the Medal of Honor heroics and long-delayed award process for CMSgt Pitsenbarger to **premiere in Los Angeles – tentatively scheduled for Thur 16 Jan prior to the Fri 24 Jan theatrical release.** The event is expected to be at the local American Legion Hall in Hollywood and a number of Airmen/Soldiers will be invited to attend in uniform. The film has been screened previously in Washington DC, Hurlburt Field, Lackland AFB, Kirtland AFB, Edwards AFB and the USAF Museum. Tentative plan is for local Airmen and PJ representatives to attend once formal invites are received.

## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]
- (b) (4) //Netflix – Filmed in Summer 2019 and December 2019 (B-team shoot) for a Winter 2020 release on Netflix. New cuts continue to be released and reviewed by PAYL. **Depiction of Guam/Andersen AB/Airmen remains overwhelmingly positive and festive in nature.**
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

#### PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- (b) (4)  
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[REDACTED]
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

#### LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

#### IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- Project officers spoke with (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]
- Project officers met with (b) (6), producer at (b) (6) on 22 Jan to discuss potential

PAYL historical support to (b) (4) The historical series has been greenlit by Apple TV+ and is described as (b) (4) The series expects to start filming before the end of the year, likely in the UK. Next steps: (b) (4)

- Project officers meeting with (b) (6) of the (b) (6) on 24 Jan to discuss current projects and opportunities for collaboration.

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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- (b) (4)

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Inside Incredible Inventions**//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
- **Studying Hungry**//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- **Wild Refuge: Alaska**//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- **Fukushima 50**//KADOKAWA Corp //Releases March 2020
- **Operation Christmas Drop**//Awaiting RC – releases on Netflix Holiday season 2020
- **Rob Riggle: Global Investigator**//Discovery//Awaiting rough cut
- **The Tomorrow War**//Paramount//Awaiting rough cut – releases in theatres Christmas 2020
- **Gathering Storm**//NatGeo//Awaiting rough cut

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- Disney plans to unload its Captain Marvel F-15 Static Display as early as Feb 26. The 144th Fighter Wing is working with both the 309th Aerospace Maintenance and Regeneration Group and the Air Force National Museum to obtain permission to receive and setup the F-15 on base at Fresno, CA.
- A South Dakota hockey team, **Rapid City Rush**, is hosting a military appreciation day with participation from Ellsworth AFB. An airman's motivational talk will be developed into social media and video content.

## MISCELLANEOUS

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- N/A

## PERSONNEL

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TDY:

(b) (6)

LEAVE:

MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

PCS/Other:

N/A





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### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **Fukushima 50//KADOKAWA Corp//Filming 28 Jan @ Yokota Air Base** Completed one-day filming at Yokota Air Base, Jan 28. Utilized the helicopters from the 459<sup>th</sup> Airlift Squadron and a conference room located in the USFJ/5AF building for filming locations. Shooting included 4 scenes, 3 locations, 30 Air Force and civilian extras with a crew of 100 people. Release date TBD.
- **Last Full Measure** (film focused on Pitsenbarger MoH): PAYL Director screened the film for propriety prior to on-base screenings later this spring. Producers are working to host a screening at the AFA conference in February, then move to several select Air Force locations (Hurlburt, AF Museum, Lackland, etc). Public release date is still TBD, but is looking like April/May 2019. The depiction of Air Force heroism is laudatory and accurate, with the few instances of bureaucratic infighting and post-Vietnam PTSD cases largely overshadowed by the positive message of bravery and sacrifice.
- SAF/PAYL was on hand to assist in the production of the AFRS Women-focused television commercial featuring dozens of female aircrew at Edwards AFB on Friday 1 Feb. Despite dense fog the morning of the event, filming was a success—final product should be ready to screen later this month.
- PAYL escorted producers and showrunner/writer of upcoming (b) (4) series to Edwards AFB on Jan 24. (b) (4)  
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- **Team to meet with producers of (b) (4) on 7 Feb** to discuss filming locations and support timeline. Film is set to commence filming in May, will debut on (b) (4) during holiday season 2020. Plans are currently split between Guam and Hawaii as primary filming locations.

### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- Several AMARG-focused projects were recently declined due to lack of funding and distribution. Producers sought “letters of intent” and footage to attempt to sell projects—none of the productions seemed viable at this point—nonetheless, PAYL offered tours and research assistance should the teams want to learn more about aircraft life cycle maintenance and the mission of the AMARG.
- **In-person meeting with (b) (4) on 12 Feb** to discuss relevant projects and opportunities for collaboration. (b) (4) and several other high-profile projects.



## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- **Safer Skies**, a documentary on bird avoidance (set against backdrop of “Miracle on the Hudson” anniversary) aired on the Smithsonian Channel, Tuesday 15 Jan. DVD copies en route to SAF/PAY.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- **Blue Sky Metropolis: The Aerospace Century in SoCal**//Peter Jones Productions (KCET/PBS)
  - **Scheduling SMC/CC interview for 7 Feb at KCET studios**
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- (b) (4) a scripted Christmas romantic comedy for (b) (4) set against the backdrop of OCD. Second draft of script provided to PAY. Production could film May-July; awaiting logistics plan and budget but could be filmed in Guam. **Meeting 7 Feb to determine way ahead.**
- **Wahlburgers//44 Blue Productions for A&E// Film late-Feb at Nellis & Ramstein**
  - Reality show on Wahlberg burger joint and the family behind it.
  - Latest News: Requesting to film with Thunderbirds at Nellis and to show Wahlburgers location under construction on Ramstein AB. Currently coordinating support and determining production needs.
- (b) (4)  
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- **Behind the Wings//Wings over the Rockies Air & Space Museum//Film 17 Oct @ Minot AFB** – Production team for museum funded web-series, possible distribution to Rocky Mountain PBS. Going to Minot to film B-52 operations, inside cockpit, take-offs and landings, and interview pilots. Rough Cut Reviewed. **Air Date TBD.**

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## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

05-06 Feb: (b) (6)

### LEAVE:

19 Feb: (b) (6)

18-26 April: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

NSTR

### PCS/Other:

(b) (6) with PAY for review and completion

(b) (6) — depart PAYL approximately 21 Feb (RNLTD changed to 22 Feb)

(b) (6) retirement ceremony 9 March (terminal leave start

11 Mar...retirement effective 1 May)

Retirement Award for (b) (6) — submitted to SAF/PAY



## SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 15 March 2019

### TOPLINE COMMENTS

- (b) (4) film officially greenlit by (b) (4) Awaiting new version of script. At this time, production anticipates a key scout of Guam last week of April with filming on Andersen AFB, Guam in mid-to-late May through June. Anticipating three weeks of filming at Andersen AFB and one day of filming at JBPHH, Hawaii. All details subject to change with final script.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- SAF/PAYL team met with the unit production manager for the upcoming (b) (4) series. Producer indicated that the series has received a production start date of July 2019. It is anticipated that for the first season the series may want to film at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station to capture space launch depiction (likely in LATE FALL). Additionally, series producers may seek out SMEs, historical guidance and background locations. (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- **Captain Marvel** surged to \$455M worldwide in its debut weekend, marking the **sixth best global opening of all time and the highest opening female-fronted film of all time**. As of this writing, the film has hit \$550M worldwide and is projected to gain another \$60-70M in its second weekend. Domestically, the film has already surpassed the total grosses of *Captain America: The First Avenger*, *Thor*, and *Ant-Man*.
- **Moving with the Military** PAYL Director received email originating from Mrs. Pence's office from military spouse, Maria Reed, who hosts "Moving with the Military". A TV (web-distributed) home makeover show that provides home makeovers exclusively for military families. She wants to work with AF families at Tyndall in June. The program is heavily sponsored with products highlighted throughout the episode. After consulting with OSD PA, we will advise SAF PA of the legal concerns surrounding endorsements involved with this program and proceed accordingly.
- **Last Full Measure** (film focused on Pitsenbarger MoH): Public release date is still TBD (likely May), but producers are moving forward with **base-level screenings at the National Museum of the Air Force, Hurlburt Field, Lackland AFB and Edwards AFB**. The depiction of Air Force heroism is laudatory and accurate, with the few instances of bureaucratic infighting and post-Vietnam PTSD cases largely overshadowed by the positive message of bravery and sacrifice.

## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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- Several AMARG-focused projects were recently declined due to lack of funding and distribution. **Producers sought “letters of intent” and footage to attempt to sell projects — none of the productions seemed viable at this point** — nonetheless, PAYL offered producers opportunities to go on publicly-available tours and future research assistance should the teams want to learn more about aircraft life cycle maintenance and the mission of the AMARG.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED] An internal AF conference call to discuss security and OPSEC concerns is scheduled 19 March 2019 with key leaders.

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- **Behind the Scenes w/NHL player Victor Hedman**, filmed Jan 2019 at McDill AFB. Profile featured USAF personnel and interactions with Airmen. Segment aired on NBC Sports Network, Rogers (Canada) & NHL Network + NHL Socials. (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- **Thai Cave Rescue Documentary//Passion Pictures for NatGeo** – Production is requesting an interview with (b) (6) [REDACTED] USAF member who participated in the rescue. Working with AFSOC to determine member’s availability—*likely to be interviewed in London, UK in the next 10-14 days.*
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

- **Diesel Brothers**, a reality show airing on Discovery Channel, filmed at Hill AFB on Feb 27th. Engagement focused on the local celebrities filming a SAPR public service announcement at the base. Awaiting Rough Cut, air date TBD.

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- (b) (4)

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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- Media Coverage of the Captain Marvel film release has been overwhelmingly positive. PAYL responded to three media queries directly — TheWrap.com, LA Weekly and Air Force Times. Air Force Times released a positive review, while TheWrap.com and LA Weekly chided the military for a “history of sexual assault” and “military boosterism” in online articles (articles were more ‘opinion’ pieces and would not be considered ‘news’ by most readers).

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## PROJECTS NSTR

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- **LATEST FOIA REQUESTS STATUS:**

Request re: **Civic Leader Tours**: Reviewed, sent to PAY for processing

Request re: **First Man**: Reviewed, sent to PAY for processing

Request re: **Captain Marvel**: Records retrieval completed, to be sent to PAY for processing week of 18 March

- **A slew of projects were recently declined—quick synopsis FYSA of these requests:**

- (b) (4), military-themed film about US Army vet with PTSD was declined due to lack of Air Force depiction and limited distribution.
- (b) (4) who is creating a documentary to accompany the release of her “comeback story” book, sought military support for the production. PAYL referred her to USO and Wounded Warrior groups as the production was seeking a USO-type tour to meet veterans and not a true film request.
- (b) (4), requested access to Elmendorf AFB to produce a television program focused on “sinister forces in the region” and missing aircraft/persons in Alaska. Due to the subject matter and conspiracy-theory nature of the production, as well as, lack of Air Force depiction the production was declined.
- (b) (4) sought access to Luke AFB to film a fictional story of a Chinese-American fighter pilot training at the base. She later battles Chinese Air Force and bombs mainland China. Due to limited distribution, subject matter and pre-production nature of the film—declined.
- (b) (4). The storyline focused on an aspiring musician who “survives on heists to support their dreams of making it as a rap artist.” The scene requested focused on the rap artist sneaking onto Nellis AFB in order to impress his friends....due to limited distribution and subject matter, the request was declined.
- **Junkyard**, a low-budget film set in 1981 Afghanistan requested to film at Kirtland AFB in February. PAYL determined the Air Force depiction was minimal, script lacked proper messaging and distribution was questionable — as such, support was declined.
- (b) (4) access to Davis-Monthan AFB/AMARG to hunt for ghosts. Based on the questionable existence of ghosts and lack of return on investment for the unit, the production support request was declined.
- (b) (4), requested access to film Cheyenne Mountain/NORAD to discuss the engineering and construction of the facility. Due to OPSEC and overall security concerns, the request was declined.

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

14-18 Mar: (b) (6)

17-30 Mar: (b) (6)

2-5 Apr: (b) (6)

### LEAVE:

20-21 Mar: (b) (6)

15-19 Apr: (b) (6)

18-26 Apr: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6) – MPA duty

### PCS/Other:

(b) (6) ....signed/returned to SAF/PA

(b) (6) terminal leave started 11 Mar...Retirement effective 1 May

Retirement Award for (b) (6) — submitted to SAF/PAY



## SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT December 2019

### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]
- Official Air Force support to “**Wahl Street**” (a documentary series featuring Mark Wahlberg’s various business ventures) has been cancelled due to scheduling conflicts by the production company. As such, CMSAF will NOT appear in at Ramstein AB on 15 December during the opening of the Wahlburgers outlet and interview. Airmen will not appear in uniform or be interviewed during the documentary production. (AAFES/PA is handling the appearance on base for the BX food court event, but on-camera interviews by Airmen will not be allowed as not Production Assistance Agreement has been accomplished).
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### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]



(b) (4)

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- (b) (4) – Filmed in Summer 2019 in Guam. Production company is sending a B-Team to gather select shots from the real (b) (4) event December 2019. PAYL is supporting the filming of these final inserts, but overall production is nearly complete. **The office did review the rough cut of the film in November — the depiction of Guam/Andersen AB/Airmen is overwhelmingly positive and festive in nature.**
- (b) (4)
- (b) (4)

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- New episodes of **Air Warriors** on the Smithsonian Channel are being produced. The series has previously filmed episodes focused on a single military aircraft from each of the branches of the military (and previous generation/historical aircraft). New episodes are simply re-edited versions using previously-shot footage. For example, an upcoming episodes is about “Dog Fighters” and showcases various fighters throughout history. PAYL will review the episodes as they are completed per existing PAAs, expected release in early 2020.
- **The Price is Right** filmed a “military appreciation episode” on 3 December to air later in the month. An unknown number of military members from all branches attended the taping in a non-supported capacity. No word on which military member may have won the Showcase Showdown.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- NSTR

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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- (b) (4) has reached out to PAYL to discuss 2020 engagements at military bases in Europe. A list of ideas has been generated and discussions are ongoing—expect a repeat of past live broadcasts featuring joint forces interacting with the sports-themed program.

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Inside Incredible Inventions**//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
- **Studying Hungry**//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- **Wild Refuge: Alaska**//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- **Fukushima 50**//KADOKAWA Corp //Releases March 2020
- **Operation Christmas Drop**//Awaiting RC – releases on Netflix Holiday season 2020
- **Rob Riggle: Global Investigator**//Discovery//Awaiting rough cut

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- N/A

## MISCELLANEOUS

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- N/A

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

(b) (6) [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED])

### LEAVE:

(b) (6) [REDACTED]

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

(b) (6) [REDACTED]

### PCS/Other:

Inbound – (b) (6) [REDACTED]  
Inbound – (b) (6) [REDACTED]



# SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 17 May 2019

## TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- **BIG: Discovery Science documentary** hosted by Richard Hammond (from the Amazon Prime program The Grand Tour) focused on large engineering feats, requested filming of C-5 Galaxy to showcase the science behind the massive transport aircraft. **Filming to take place at Dover AFB July 22-26** and feature maintainers, isochronal inspection facility and C-5 aircrew discussing the incredible engineering, upkeep and capabilities of the aircraft.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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- **First State, First Step: Delaware to the Moon:** Documentary on the history and development of the space suits used in the Apollo 11 Mission. The production co. wants to interview Doug Lantry, curator/historian at Wright-Patterson AFB Museum and film items in the Space Exhibit scheduled to be on display the month of July. **Interview and B-roll will take place one day in July TBD.**
- (b) (4)
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- (b) (4)

#### PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- **The Untold Story of Skunk Works** premieres on **History Channel Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 9pm.** This episode was partially filmed at Plant 42. Much of the footage obtained during filming was not used in the final cut due to Lockheed and the production company being unable to come to a formal agreement. However, some Air Force imagery did make the final cut of the program.

#### LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4)
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- **Motor Trend World's Greatest Drag Race 9** – Production requested access to Vandenberg AFB for third year in a row. PAYL investigating possibility of filming at Vandenberg, Beale AFB, or March ARB. *Films in August 2019.*
- (b) (4)

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- (b) (4)
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## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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NSTR

### AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- [Inside Incredible Inventions](#)//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
- [Where's Angel?](#)//History Channel//Releases late 2019
- [Studying Hungry](#)//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- [Wild Refuge: Alaska](#)//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- [Memphis Belle](#)//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date TBD
- [Skunk Works](#)//History//airs Jun 9, 2019
- [Armstrong](#)//Tin Goose Films (theatrical release via Gravitas Ventures)//releases Summer 2019
- [Shifting Gears with Aaron Kaufman](#)//Pilgrim Films//Discovery//awaiting rough cut// 2019
- [Fukushima 50](#)//KADOKAWA Corp //Awaiting rough cut
- [Wahlburgers](#)//44 Blue Productions for A&E// Air date TBD
- [Jay Leno's Garage](#)//Original Productions for CNBC//Awaiting rough cut
- [Weather Channel/Thai Cave Rescue Profile](#)//Awaiting rough cut

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- Declined to support Jennifer "JWOWW" talk show due to format concerns (pay-for-appearance) and other conflicts
- Declined to support SIEBEN TV (Germany-only) documentary regarding Thule AFB due to OPSEC concerns, narrative considerations and lack of US distribution
- Declined to support Lavender House documentary "exploring relationship between climate change and mental health" due to dubious scientific claims, no U.S. distribution and specious link to "Hurricane Hunters"

## MISCELLANEOUS

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### LATEST FOIA REQUESTS STATUS:

#### COMPLETED (at PAYL LEVEL):

**2018-04225:** Re-scrubbed following JA review....re-sent docs to SAF/PAY on 15 May (via mail)

**2019-02400:** Documents collected/reviewed/submitted to PAY in April (uploaded by Maj Good)

**2019-03039:** Documents collected/reviewed/submitted to PAY 21 May (via mail)

**2019-00023:** Documents collected/reviewed/submitted in March (AFSOC referral)

**2019-03412:** No Documents/not-applicable

#### IN PROCESS / PAYL ACTION REQUIRED:

**2019-02398:** (AFRS Referral to PAYL)....received documents/pending review to be completed by 31 June

**2019-03243:** (Flyover docs).....researching/collecting....to be completed by 31 June

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

27 May - 4 July: (b) (6)  
10 June - 24 June: (b) (6)  
11 June - 14 June: (b) (6)  
18 June - 30 June: (b) (6)  
18 June - 21 June: (b) (6)  
22 July - 26 July: (b) (6)

### LEAVE:

24 May: Military Family Day  
24 May: (b) (6)  
30 May-June 5: (b) (6)  
29 July - 8 Aug: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6) - MPA Duty  
30 Sept-31 Dec: (b) (6) - MPA Duty (requested mandays)  
(b) (6): 2019 IMA Duty TBD  
(b) (6): 2019 IMA Duty TBD

### PCS/Other:

Inbound - (b) (6) 3 Jun - 12 Jul  
Inbound - (b) (6) RNLTD 31 Jan 2020)



# SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 26 July 2019

## TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- (b) (4) filming completed at Andersen AFB, Guam. Production company is still undecided on whether they need to obtain additional B-Roll during actual operation December 2019. Film scheduled to debut Christmas 2020 on (b) (4)

- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- **BIG: Discovery Science documentary** hosted by Richard Hammond (from the Amazon Prime program The Grand Tour) focused on large engineering feats, requested filming of C-5 Galaxy to showcase the science behind the massive transport aircraft. **Filming to take place at Dover AFB July 22-26** and feature maintainers, isochronal inspection facility and C-5 aircrew discussing the incredible engineering, upkeep and capabilities of the aircraft.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- **First State, First Step: Delaware to the Moon:** Documentary on the history and development of the space suits used in the Apollo 11 Mission. The production co. wants to interview Doug Lantry, curator/historian at Wright-Patterson AFB Museum and film items in the Space Exhibit scheduled to be on display the month of July. **Interview and B-roll will take place 19 Aug.**



- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- *Armstrong* documentary biopic on Neil Armstrong released on July 12th in select theaters and all major on demand platforms for rent or purchase. The film features narration by Harrison Ford and footage obtained of the North American X-15 on display at NMUSAF.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- **Motor Trend World's Greatest Drag Race 9** – Production team behind Motor Trend's original content is set to return to Vandenberg AFB for the third year in a row. This year's drag race will feature 12 of the latest production supercars going head-to-head in ¼ and ½ mile sprints. Creative to center around innovation and space as a contested domain. *Films August 2-4, 2019...* distribution on YouTube and MT OnDemand. Potential distribution internationally and on cable television via Discovery Networks.
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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### NSTR

#### AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Inside Incredible Inventions**//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
- **Where's Angel?**//History Channel//Releases late 2019
- **Studying Hungry**//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- **Wild Refuge: Alaska**//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- **Memphis Belle**//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date TBD
- **Shifting Gears with Aaron Kaufman**//Pilgrim Films//Discovery//Airs 22 July// 2019
- **Fukushima 50**//KADOKAWA Corp //Rough cut scheduled 7 Aug 2019
- **Jay Leno's Garage**//Original Productions for CNBC//Awaiting rough cut
- **Weather Channel/Thai Cave Rescue Profile**//Awaiting air date

#### PROJECTS NSTR

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- Declined to support Jennifer "JWOWW" talk show due to format concerns (pay-for-appearance) and other conflicts
- Declined to support SIEBEN TV (Germany-only) documentary regarding Thule AFB due to OPSEC concerns, narrative considerations and lack of US distribution
- Declined to support Expedition Unknown (Discovery Channel) due to AF mission doesn't fit premise of show (conspiracy theory) with possible negative AF depiction. They "wanted to use Hurricane Hunters to help explain the approach to the Bermuda Triangle"

#### MISCELLANEOUS

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##### LATEST FOIA REQUESTS STATUS:

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#### PERSONNEL

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##### **TDY:**

22 July – 26 July: (b) (6)

24 July – 26 July: (b) (6)

02 Aug – 04 Aug: (b) (6)

05 Aug - 9 Aug: (b) (6)

**LEAVE:**

29 July—8 Aug: (b) (6)

31 July—6 Aug: (b) (6)

16-25 Sep: (b) (6)

**MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:**

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6)

30 Sept-31 Dec: (b) (6) (requested mandays)

(b) (6) IMA Duty *(to perform at SAF/PA)*

(b) (6) IMA Duty TBD

**PCS/Other:**

Inbound—(b) (6)

Inbound — (b) (6)



## SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 1 August 2019

### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- (b) (6)  
[REDACTED]
- **World's Greatest Drag Race 9:** MotorTrend TV to film at **Vandenberg AFB on 3-4 Aug.** Unscripted program to feature a number of performance vehicles from around the world and depict aspects of the Space mission at Vandenberg AFB during the annual event — production is expected to reach millions of recruiting target audience.
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]
- **BIG: Discovery Science** documentary hosted by Richard Hammond (from the Amazon Prime program *The Grand Tour*) focused on large engineering feats, **filmed Dover AFB C-5 Galaxy aircraft, Airmen and maintenance operations July 22-26** to showcase the science behind the massive transport aircraft.
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]
- (b) (4) **filming completed** at Andersen AFB, Guam. Production company is still undecided on whether they need to obtain additional B-Roll during actual operation December 2019. Film scheduled to debut (b) (4).

### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]
- **First State, First Step: Delaware to the Moon:** Documentary on history/development of space suits used in the Apollo 11 Mission. The production co. wants to interview Doug Lantry, curator/historian at Wright-Patterson AFB Museum and film items in the Space Exhibit. **Interview/B-roll will take place 19 Aug.**
- **ESPN “First Take” LIVE at Davis-Monthan AFB:** The ESPN morning program will film a **LIVE morning broadcast (date TBD: expect 8 November)** to honor veterans and showcase Air Force operations at Davis-Monthan AFB. **A base scout** to determine overall narrative, locations and vignettes/bumpers (short video stories and segments before/after commercial breaks) with ESPN executives is **scheduled for 22 August**. **PAY to assist in coordinating CMSAF schedule for potential on-camera attendance.**

- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- ***Blue Sky Metropolis* aired 1 August** on PBS Southern California, and PBS streaming platforms (likely to air nationwide in the near future). Documentary series outlines how aerospace industry shaped Southern California culture and became central to the history (and future) of air and space technology. Link: <https://www.pbssocal.org/programs/blue-sky-metropolis/preview-ymhw6a/>
- ***Armstrong* documentary biopic on Neil Armstrong** released on **12 July** in select theaters and all major on demand platforms for rent or purchase. The film features narration by Harrison Ford and footage obtained of the North American X-15 on display at NMUSAF. Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fbvuciKeBgw>
- ***Shifting Gears with Aaron Kaufman*** released on **22 July** on Discovery Channel. Episode was filmed at Davis-Monthan AFB, AMARG and Arizona ANG F-16 unit. Focus of the episode is “aircraft regeneration” and engine performance following a “hush house” demonstration and orientation flight.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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### NSTR

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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### NSTR

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Jay Leno's Garage**//Original Productions for CNBC//Awaiting rough cut
- **Weather Channel/Thai Cave Rescue Profile**//Awaiting air date

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- N/A

## MISCELLANEOUS

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- *Last Full Measure* screening: production company to sponsor an on-base showing of the film at Edwards AFB during annual blood drive/Wingman Day in late August.

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

02 Aug – 04 Aug: (b) (6)

### LEAVE:

29 July — 8 Aug: (b) (6)

31 July — 6 Aug: (b) (6)

16 Sept — 25 Sept: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6)

30 Sept-31 Dec: (b) (6)

(b) (6) to perform at SAF/PA)

### PCS/Other:

Inbound—(b) (6)

Inbound —(b) (6)



# SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 29 August 2019

## TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **9/11: Inside Air Force One (Where's Angel):** Premieres Sept 11, 2019 on the History Channel. Check local listings for times. This DoD supported two-hour feature documentary tells the story of 9/11 from a unique vantage point: inside Air Force One on its nine-hour journey from Florida to JB-Andrews on 9/11. Filmed at JB-Andrews late 2018.
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## KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
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- **First Flight, Last Flight:** Documentary about SR-71 Blackbird and aviators Bob Gilliland (1st Man to fly spy plane) and Ed Yeilding (set a transcontinental record in 1990). The doc will be narrated by Gary Sinise. Filmmaker wants to film the Blackbird and b-roll at Robins AFB museum only. **Tent Prod date 16 Sept.**
- **ESPN “First Take” LIVE at Davis-Monthan AFB:** The ESPN morning program will film a **LIVE morning broadcast (8 November)** to honor veterans and showcase Air Force operations at Davis-Monthan AFB. A **base scout** to determine overall narrative, locations and vignettes/bumpers (short video stories and segments before/after commercial breaks) with ESPN executives was executed 22 August. **ESPN plans to shoot live from the AMARG (“The Boneyard”)** to show off our nation’s preeminent airpower reservoir.
- (b) (4)  
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(b) (4) [REDACTED]

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- [REDACTED]

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]  
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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED].

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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NSTR

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Inside Incredible Inventions**//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
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- **Studying Hungry**//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- **Wild Refuge: Alaska**//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- **Memphis Belle**//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date TBD
- **Fukushima 50**//KADOKAWA Corp //Rough cut reviewed/Released date March 2020
- **Jay Leno's Garage**//Original Productions for CNBC//Airs Fall 2019
- **Weather Channel/Thai Cave Rescue Profile**//Air Date July 2019
- **Operation Christmas Drop**//Awaiting RC – releases on Netflix Holiday season 2020
- **Motor Trend WGDR 9**//Motor Trend Group//Awaiting RC – debuts Sept 2019

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- N/A

## MISCELLANEOUS

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## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

23-27 Sept: (b) (6) f)

### LEAVE:

26 Aug - 29 Aug: (b) (6)

11 Sept - 25 Sept: (b) (6)

30 Sept – 17 Oct: (b) (6)

### MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6)

1 Oct-15 Jan: (b) (6)

(b) (6) 2019 IMA Duty (to perform at SAF/PA)

### PCS/Other:

Onboard—(b) (6)

Inbound – (b) (6)



## SAF/PAYL PERIODIC ACTIVITY REPORT 3 SEPTEMBER 2019

### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **9/11: Inside Air Force One (Where's Angel): Premieres Sept 11, 2019 on the History Channel.** Check local listings for times. This DoD-supported two-hour feature documentary tells the story of 9/11 from a unique vantage point: inside Air Force One on its nine-hour journey from Florida to JB-Andrews on 9/11. Filmed at JB-Andrews late 2018, the film includes interviews with key military personnel on duty on 9/11 and White House officials.

- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

- (b) (6)  
[REDACTED]

### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

- **ESPN “First Take” LIVE at Davis-Monthan AFB:** The ESPN morning program will film a **LIVE morning broadcast (8 November)** to honor veterans and showcase Air Force operations at Davis-Monthan AFB. A base scout to determine overall narrative, locations and vignettes/bumpers (short video stories and segments before/after commercial breaks) with ESPN executives was executed 22 August. **ESPN plans to shoot live from the AMARG (“The Boneyard”) to show off our nation’s preeminent airpower reservoir. PENDING CMSAF availability — plan is to have senior representative open the Veterans’ Day-themed program.**

- **First Flight, Last Flight:** Documentary about SR-71 Blackbird and aviators Bob Gilliland (1st Man to fly spy plane) and Ed Yeilding (set a transcontinental record in 1990). The doc will be narrated by Gary Sinise. Filmmaker wants to film the Blackbird and b-roll at Robins AFB museum only. **Tent Prod date 16 Sept.**

- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- 9/11: Inside Air Force One (*Where's Angel*): Premieres Sept 11, 2019 on the History Channel (from Topline Comments)

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]
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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## MEDIA/OUTREACH MEETING REQUESTS RECEIVED

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- (b) (4) [REDACTED]

## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- **Motor Trend WGDR 9**//Motor Trend Group//Awaiting RC – debuts Sept 2019

## PROJECTS NSTR

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- N/A

## MISCELLANEOUS

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- N/A

## PERSONNEL

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### TDY:

23-27 Sept: (b) (6) [REDACTED]

12-18 Sept: (b) (6) [REDACTED]

### LEAVE:

16 Sept: (b) (6) [REDACTED]

11 Sept - 25 Sept: (b) (6) [REDACTED]

30 Sept – 17 Oct: (b) (6) [REDACTED]

**MPA/IDT/Total Force Support:**

04 Mar-30 Sep: (b) (6) (b) (6)

1 Oct-15 Jan: (b) (6)  
(b) (6) (to perform at SAF/PA)

**PCS/Other:**

Inbound – (b) (6)



## SAF/PAYL WEEKLY ACTIVITY REPORT 19 October 2018

### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **FOX Sports' morning debate show Undisputed** has requested official USAF support for a segment for its Veteran's Day episode. The segment will involve on-air personality and former USC quarterback Matt Leinart training with Air Force members at Nellis Air Force Base. Details of support have yet to be finalized. AFELO is also scheduled to support ESPN's morning debate show First Take. Undisputed and First Take are the two top morning sports shows in the nation with a combined average viewership of ~700k.
- **Rising ESPN star Will Cain participated in an F-16 media flight at Luke AFB on Tuesday, 16 October** as a part of Air Force collaboration on ESPN First Take (scheduled to film live at Luke AFB on 9 Nov). Cain spoke highly of the experience during his 3-hour radio show on Thursday, 18 Oct and posted photos for his 16.6K followers on Instagram and 84K followers on Twitter. In addition, @theWillCainShow twitter is followed by 252.4K. Footage of his flight will appear on First Take
- **Netflix to screen the new series, "Medal of Honor," on 13 Nov 2018 at the US Navy Memorial Theater in D.C.** SAF/PAYL team provided script review, historical footage and on-site location advice for reenactment scenes. With archival footage and commentary from historians and military leaders, the series highlights the lives and experiences of eight courageous men who went above and beyond the call of duty. The US Air Force MOH recipient featured is CMSgt Richard Etchberger who was posthumously awarded the MOH for his heroics during the Vietnam War. The entire series will be on Netflix beginning 9 Nov.
- (b) (4)  
[REDACTED]

### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- PAYL team discussed AFWERX/Spark Tank reps the possibility of incorporating upcoming events in the **Shark Tank** update on the "GrypMat" (a silicone holder for aircraft maintainer's tools) invented by an Air Force Airman. Also under consideration is an appearance by CMSAF and/or VCSAF. The production is seeking an event to highlight the Airman-inventor's innovative design and provide a backdrop to discuss Air Force themes. **Working with AFWERX to confirm 14 December at Nellis AFB, film with Tom Burden and one of his Shark investors.**
- **Airstrike**, a Lionsgate film starring Bruce Willis, is seeking military locations for a screening for military members. Upon reviewing the film, PAYL determined the film did not work for suggested sites---seeking alternate venues for the production to screen the film.

### PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- The Air Force-supported **Hawaii Five-0** episode "A'ohe Kio Pohaku Nalo i Ke Alo Pali" airs Friday, **19 October at 9 PM on CBS**. The episode filmed at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam and depicted a



reverse dignified transfer of a servicemember as well as military funeral honors. The "Airmen" were portrayed by active-duty and reserve Airmen, Soldiers, Sailors and Coast Guardsmen, as well as civilian extras.

- **Captain Marvel Trailer Released on 18 September** – <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z1BCujX3pw8>
- **Last Man Standing** will periodically feature an Air Force character throughout this season (22 episode season lasting into Spring 2019).

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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- **Behind the Wings//Wings over the Rockies Air & Space Museum//Film 17 Oct @ Minot AFB** – Production team for museum funded web-series, possible distribution to Rocky Mountain PBS. Going to Minot to film B-52 operations, inside cockpit, take-offs and landings, and interview pilots. **Awaiting Rough Cut.**
- **Safer Skies//Arrow Media for Smithsonian Channel// Filmed 17-18 Sept @ JBSA-Randolph** Program on bird strikes and the science of BASH programs is set to release with the 10 year anniversary of the Miracle on the Hudson. **JBSA-Randolph** selected for filming because of the comprehensive and high-tech measures in place there to ensure pilot safety from bird strikes. **Awaiting Rough Cut.**
- **Mysteries at the Museum// Optomen Productions// Filmed 30 Sept @ Blackbird Air Park, Palmdale.** Production filmed an interview with an AF Flight Test Museum volunteer (and aviation enthusiast) at the museum owned park in Palmdale, CA. Program is on Air and Space Travel and the interview is on innovative Air Force designs and aircraft. **Awaiting Rough Cut.**
- **Expedition North// Metronome Productions for Danish TV// Filmed 8-13 August @ Thule AB, Greenland**
  - **Awaiting Rough Cut** and coordinating the repayment to 21 SW via DFAS EFT.
- **Where's Angel?//History Channel//Airdate 2019 (TBD)//JB-Andrews//Filmed with AF-1 (24 Sep 2018)**
  - Latest News: Documentary traces the steps of Air Force One on 9/11. Filmed 1-day at JB-Andrews AFB 24

- **(WO) MEN//MIX66 Productions//Filming early 2019//HBO**
  - The production changed course to now include profiles of women. SAF/PAYL provided a list of nominees to the production.
  - **Latest news:** The producers are interested in featuring (b) (6) (amputee pilot who is on active duty). Coordinating an initial meeting with producers and (b) (6). Visit tentatively scheduled for 29 Oct. Production does not expect to begin filming until early 2019 with an airdate TBD. Due to (b) (6) if selected to be featured, no filming would take place while she is deployed.
- **First Take//ESPN//Film Nov 9, 2018 @ Luke AFB, AZ**
  - First Take is a weekday morning program on ESPN. Hosts Stephen A. Smith and Max Kellerman (with guest athletes and commentators) debate professional and college sports issues and news. This would be a military appreciation episode leading into Veteran's Day Weekend.
  - **Latest news:** F-16 flight executed with on-air personality, Will Cain. Cain discussed the flight extensively on his ESPN radio shows before and after the flight.
- **Skunk Works//History//Film TBD @ Plant 42 (Palmdale, CA) and Beale AFB, CA**
  - Skunk Works, the aerospace division of Lockheed Martin, is responsible for creating the most innovative machines in modern history... the P-80 Shooting Star, the U-2, the SR-71 Blackbird, the F-117 Nighthawk. This two-hour special will reveal how, throughout history, the American military has utilized Skunk Works' innovation. The special is part of History Channel's "History 100" chronicling major events and notable figures from the past 100 years.
  - **Latest news:** Additional film dates TBD.
- **Blue Sky Metropolis: The Aerospace Century in SoCal//Peter Jones Productions (KCET/PBS)**
  - Coordinating with AFGSC historians for archival materials. Awaiting further requests from the production team and rough cuts to review.
- **Armstrong//Tin Goose Films (theatrical release via Gravitas Ventures)//Film 23 Oct @ NMUSAF**
  - A documentary film telling the life story of Neil Armstrong with unique access to his family, friends, colleagues, and never-before-seen archive footage. Intended to be "the ultimate account of one of the 20<sup>th</sup> century's most iconic, but misunderstood, figures."
  - **Latest news:** PAA signed. Production to film X-15 aircraft at NMUSAF on 23 October with NMUSAF staff supervision.
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- **Airmen from Vandenberg and Edwards AFB to appear as guest diners on a joint service tribute episode of MasterChef (FOX).** The episode filmed on Sunday, 7 October and is scheduled to air in December 2018.

- **Undisputed//Fox Sports 1//Film 5-6 Nov @ Nellis AFB**
  - Fox Sports' top morning debate show Veteran's Day Episode. Hosts Skip Bayless and Shannon Sharpe (with guest athletes and commentators) debate professional and college sports issues and news in a similar format to ESPN's First Take. Requesting to film segment with on-air personality and former USC quarterback Matt Leinart training with Air Force members at Nellis Air Force Base.
  - **Latest news:** Coordinating details of support for a 5-6 Nov shoot. AFELO is also scheduled to support ESPN's morning debate show First Take on the same days.
- **Shifting Gears with Aaron Kaufman//Pilgrim Films//Film at AMARG, Davis-Monthan AFB and Eglin AFB date/time TBD:** Received approval to film F-16 regeneration mission at AMARG. Approval to film at Davis-Monthan's helicopter refueling mission and Eglin Air Force Base's McKinley Climatic Laboratory are pending approval.

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## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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## AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

- *AMC's Ride featuring Norman Reedus Filmed at Davis-Monthan Jan 24. Awaiting release date*
- *Tulsamerican B-24//Lone Wolf Productions//PBS Nova, 3rd Quarter 2018*
- *Roadtrip Nation//PBS Texas//Airing 2018*
- *Mystery of the Northern Lights//Discovery//program delivered to network end of July//Air Date TBD*
- *Sesame Street//HBO//Filmed April 6, 2018 @ Channel Islands AGS//Airs Spring 2019*
- *Inside Incredible Inventions//360 Production//National Geographic//Fall 2018*
- *Superpower Dogs//IMAX//Filmed April 24-25, 2018 @ Homestead ARB, FL//Premieres Spring 2019*
- *Open World//Marvel Studios//releases 06 March, 2019 (Edwards)*
- *Revolutions//PBS//Filmed May at Beale AFB//Airs TBD 2019 on PBS*
- *Studying Hungry//Starfish Media Group//Airs TBD*
- *Hawaii Five-0//CBS//Airs TBD (est. Nov)*
- *Speed//Curiosity Stream//Air Date TBD*
- *Wild Refuge: Alaska//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD*
- *Expedition North//Danish Public TV//Air Date TBD*
- *Mysteries at the Museum: Hindenburg Special//Travel Channel//Air Date TBD*
- *Memphis Belle//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date TBD*
- *Speed//Arrow Media for Curiosity Stream// Air Date Spring 2019*
- *Mysteries at the Museum (episode on Air & Space Travel) // Travel Channel/ Early 2019 Air Date*
- *Safer Skies//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date – January 2019*

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## PROJECTS NSTR

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- The Night Before Christmas//TBD//Christmas Eve 2018
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- Asteroid Impact 3D//IMAX//SUMMER/FALL 2018

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## PERSONNEL

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### MPA/IDT:

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### PCS/Other:

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### EPRs awaiting signature:

(b) (6) at SAF/PAY for review



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### TOPLINE COMMENTS

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- **ESPN “First Take” LIVE at Davis-Monthan AFB with CMSAF Wright on 8 Nov:** The ESPN morning program will film a **LIVE morning broadcast on Fri 8 Nov** to honor veterans and showcase Air Force operations at Davis-Monthan AFB in advance of the Veterans’ Day weekend.
- **Defending Japan:** Japanese-market documentary series will be featured during the Los Angeles Japanese Film Festival on **2 Nov**, including a screening and reception with Lt Gen (ret) Jerry Martinez, former USFJ commander. Warner Bros has invited a handful of military members to attend the screening and panel discussion — forwarded invitation to PACAF/PA for consideration.
- **Grit: featuring C-130 pilot Maj. Christy Wise:** Executive producers Michael Michelle (“ER,” “Dynasty—reboot,”) and Chris Jenkins (*Washington Post* Executive editor) of Mix66.com tell the story of Air Force Major Wise (call sign: Clock) in their series, “Mavericks.” Wise, lost her leg in a boating accident and was able to remain on active duty and is currently serving as a C-130 rescue pilot. See trailer at: <https://www.mix66.com/trailer>
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- **SAF/PAYL met with USMC Brig Gen Salene, USMC Communications Director on Wed 23 Oct,** to discuss increased USMC and MARSOC depictions in entertainment productions and ways the services might cooperate in future productions of joint operations. General Salene expressed his desire for increased USMC activity and enlisted the directors’ assistance in restoring Marine entertainment engagement.
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### KEY EVENTS/UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

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- **Rob Riggle: Global Investigator//Discovery** – A discovery reality series following former USMC PAO Rob Riggle as he investigates global phenomena. Rob will fly with T-Birds to learn about the effects of G-forces on the human body. **Films 29 Oct at Nellis AFB.**

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## PROJECTS AIRING / RELEASED

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- **Motor Trend World's Greatest Drag Race 9**, filmed at Vandenberg AFB this summer, premieres on YouTube, print, social, and Motor Trend OnDemand this week. Was Oct 15<sup>th</sup> -- pushed to later in week.

## LONG-TERM PROJECTS

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## IDEAS AND PITCHES

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### AWAITING AIR DATE/PUBLISH DATE

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- [Inside Incredible Inventions](#)//360 Production//National Geographic//TBD
- [Studying Hungry](#)//Starfish Media Group// Awaiting rough cut//Airs TBD
- [Wild Refuge: Alaska](#)//Animal Planet//Air Date TBD
- [Memphis Belle](#)//Smithsonian Channel//Air Date TBD
- [Fukushima 50](#)//KADOKAWA Corp / /Release TBD
- [Operation Christmas Drop](#)//Awaiting RC – releases on Netflix Holiday season 2020
- [First Flight, Last Flight](#)//Awaiting Rough Cut/air date

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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