



Presidents' Day Weekend Safety

USAREUR Training Holiday Weekend, 13 – 16 February 2015

Team 21, Presidents' Day commemorates US presidents, past and present. This year, it also falls on the weekend of traditional parades that mark the end of the "Fasching" period in Germany – the German equivalent to Mardi Gras. There are numerous activities/festivities from 12 to 17 February. Watch out for intoxicated pedestrians while driving, especially in cities where parades are held. Trains and train stations may be crowded with intoxicated people since they are used by many for transportation to and from Fasching events. Please take a few moments to review the safety reminders below.

Safe Driving. Expect the unexpected and remember that defensive driving is our best protection against accidents due to unforeseen/adverse situations and other drivers' errors. Assess risks before taking long car trips and evaluate the use of public transportation.

Winter Sports. Don't be overconfident; always use caution. Never engage in sporting activities for which you're not physically ready. Always use all recommended safety equipment when participating in sporting activities.

Alcohol Consumption. Use the 0-1-2-3 strategy for responsible drinking. Have designated drivers and never drive while under the influence of alcohol or drugs. Be aware that Polizei significantly increase their checks for DUI around Fasching events.

Use the buddy system, watch out for one another, and intervene if necessary. We must continue to proudly wear our individual professionalism VE3ST! Values, Enthusiasm, Endurance, Excellence, Stewardship, and Teamwork at all times.

Enjoy the long weekend. We need you to return to work healthy and accident free!

FIRST IN SUPPORT-READY STRONG!

*BE AMBASSADORS
of GOOD will AND
Act with Dignity,
RESPECT & Honor
HAVE FUN!*

John R. O'Connor
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Major General, USA
Commanding

21ST TSC READY STRONG PRINCIPLES

INDIVIDUAL'S PROFESSIONAL VE3ST

VALUES

ENTHUSIASM

ENDURANCE

GLOBALLY RESPONSIVE,
REGIONALLY ENGAGED

SET THE THEATER

LOCATION AND RELATIONSHIPS MATTER
ENHANCE SUPPORT TO THE JOINT FORCE
FOSTER MULTINATIONAL TEAMS
INTEGRATE INTERORGANIZATIONAL
PARTNERS
PROVIDE ESSENTIAL CAPABILITIES AND
CAPACITY

MISSION COMMAND POSTURE

LEVERAGE EXPEDITIONARY HEADQUARTERS
FOSTER INITIATIVE AND ADAPTABILITY
CONDUCT HIGH OPTEMPO OPERATIONS
SEIZE OPPORTUNITIES
CAPITALIZE ON HUMAN ABILITY
ENCOURAGE RESPONSIBLE DECISION
MAKING

EXCELLENCE

STEWARDSHIP

TEAMWORK

STAY READY,
LIVE RESILIENT

MAINTAIN READY TEAMS

DEVELOP COMPETENT, INNOVATIVE
LEADERS
STRONG TEAMS THROUGH REALISTIC
TRAINING
DEVELOP SITUATIONAL UNDERSTANDING
INNOVATIVE SELF-DEVELOPMENT
OPPORTUNITIES
IDENTIFY AND MANAGE RISK

ENHANCE PERFORMANCE

BEHAVIORAL - EMBRACE ADVERSITY
EMOTIONAL - REMAIN OPTIMISTIC
MENTAL - RECOVER, ADAPT TO CHANGE
PHYSICAL - MANAGE CONDITIONING
SPIRITUAL - BUILD INNER STRENGTH
FAMILY - SAFE AND SUPPORTIVE



END STATE

READY AND RESILIENT SOLDIERS, CIVILIANS, AND FAMILIES
REGIONALLY ENGAGED, TRAINED, AND WELL LED UNITS
ADAPTABLE, INNOVATIVE, AND PROFESSIONAL TEAMS