The Patriot Express (PE) Information Sheet

- The PE has inbound flights that arrive every Monday and Wednesday as well as outbound flights that depart every Tuesday and Thursday.
- PE departure times <u>from</u> Seattle are early Sunday and Tuesday morning. For best results, connecting flights into Seattle need to arrive early afternoon on Saturday or Monday.
- It is important to know that there are strict show times for all outbound (Tues/Thur) passengers. Failing to meet the required show time will cause the passenger to miss their flight and in turn delay their travel arrangements.
- The Showtime for all <u>**Tuesday**</u> outbound passengers is **0830 hrs**. All passengers must be present at the Osan Passenger Terminal with all required paperwork by this time. Late shows will not be considered for travel.
- The Show time for all <u>**Thursday**</u> passengers is **0930** hrs. All passengers must be present at the Osan Passenger Terminal with all required paperwork by this time. Late shows will not be considered for travel.
- Early Bird Check-in is available on Monday and Wednesday for Official Duty Passengers on military orders. Check-in counters open up at **1050L** on Monday and at **1150L** on Wednesday. Baggage can be dropped off on these days as well as getting a seat assignment as early as up to 24 hours prior to mission departure.
- Passengers can contact Turumi Lodge (Osan Lodging, 784-1844) to get a room for the night prior to their departure flight.

Space-A Travel:

- To sign-up for Space-A (personal travel), send a copy of your leave form (DD Form 31 or equivalent) to <u>osanspacea@osan.af.mil</u> or fax a copy. The Osan AB Terminal will log you onto the Space-A list. For those who are on active duty, they must be on leave. Dependents or retirees can sign-up at any time. However, once signed up, the terminal will only keep names on the Space-A register for up to 60 days; unless the person departs on a flight from that terminal or the members leave has expired.

- No matter what means you used to sign-up (e-mail/fax) follow-up with the Osan Terminal to verify that all your information was received. In addition, ensure you print out a copy of the confirmation e-mail or fax form with the date and time stamp on it. This will verify your sign-up date. Note: Military Members must be on LEAVE status in order to sign up for a Space-A flight and must remain on leave for the duration of their flight.

- The day of travel ensure you have a valid Military ID card, your DA Form 31 or equivalent, a copy of an approved Environmental Morale Leave Form (if applicable) along with a copy of your original e-mail/fax sign-up with date/time stamp on it. The cost for Space-A is \$27.40 per person. The Osan AB Passenger Terminal only accepts Cash or Check only. NO ATM's are available and credit cards cannot be used for purchases at this time.

- All passengers are selected for travel on a first-come basis within a six-category system, resulting in a fair and balanced process. For dependents traveling without their sponsor, ensure they have proper identification along with all supporting documentation to include passports, command-sponsorship letter and EML letter. Retirees need their ID card and passport, if applicable, for the countries they are traveling to.

- If you have any questions or concerns about your Space-A travel, contact the Osan Passenger Terminal, at DSN: 315-784-1854, Comm: 011-82-31-661-1854 or 031-661-1854 from any cell phone in Korea. Fax: DSN 784-1126/1424, Comm: 011-82-31-661-1126/1424.
- For delayed missions please contact your servicing Commercial Travel Office (CTO) to rebook your flight connections from Seattle.

Area 1: Camp Casey: 730-4714, Camp Red Cloud: 732-7797 Area 2: Yongsan: 725-6173 Area 3: Camp Humphrey's: 753-6641 Area 4: Camp Carroll: 765-7277, Camp Henry: 768-6174

Patriot Express Survey:

If you or someone you know has taken the **Patriot Express** then please take our **survey**. We value your comments/suggestions and look for ways to help improve our processes.

Online survey: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Patriot-Express

Patriot Express Website:

For additional information please refer to the USFK Patriot Express Website <u>http://www.usfk.mil/usfk/hot-topic.patriot.express.470</u>

Shuttle Bus:

(Yongsan to Osan) Location: Dragon Hill Lodge / 1RC parking lot Show time: 1300, Departs at: 1400, every week on Mon/Wed

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