



KMC Child Safety Update

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Overview

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Details From 30 May Report

- **An 11-year-old boy reported an abduction attempt Wednesday evening around 4:30 p.m. on Vogelweh**
 - **Person of interest is described as:**
 - **White male with brown hair and a military style haircut**
 - **Wearing an Army Combat Uniform**
 - **Law enforcement cannot conclusively link this with previous cases**
 - **Air Force OSI and Army CID are jointly pursuing all leads**
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Actions Taken In Response To Report

- **Base locked down / outgoing traffic completely stopped**
 - **Law enforcement swarmed the scene**
 - **Leads from report immediately investigated**
 - **Ongoing actions by OSI and CID as we speak**
 - **Previously implemented safety measures and patrols continue**
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What This Means

- **What this means:**
 - **School is almost out – remain vigilant!**
 - **Heightened state of security & safety allowed quick response**
 - **Suspect's identity still unconfirmed**



Action Items Update – Part 1

- **Task 1:** **Examine/devise way-ahead for securing stairwell housing unit basements**
 - **Action:** Tallying doors/cost
 - **Status:** Open: Intent/Action/Timeline: Secure basements in stairwell housing to deny access to potential perpetrators All basement entry doors will be fitted with locksets and panic bars. Every resident will have keys to their respective basement door. Work has already begun; estimated completion date by 15 Aug 12.

 - **Task 2:** **Post briefing slides on Ramstein Livewire, Website & USAG-K website**
 - **Action:** Posted on Livewire and USAG-K website
 - **Status:** Closed

 - **Task 3:** **Send briefing slides to housing leaders/stairwell POCs**
 - **Action:** Slides emailed/sent to housing/stairwell leaders
 - **Status:** Closed
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Action Items Update - Part 2

- **Task 4: Confirm and post KMC Curfew Rules on Livewire Website and pass to USAG-K/PA**
 - **Action:** Posted on Livewire and USAG-K website.
 - 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. for all minors
 - A minor is 17 years old or younger
 - **Status:** Closed

 - **Task 5: Examine/study concept of implementing neighborhood watch program (block leader program w/tools to escort kids <7yrs old to/from bus/school)**
 - **Action:** The 86 SFS & 569 USFPS have built an information campaign to promote child safety and provide the tools for volunteers to implement neighborhood watch programs. SF will be doing biweekly radio spots and will disseminate emergency numbers, child escort information, tips on how and what to report with key info to gather, how to organize block watches along with SFS/USFPS phone numbers to get subject matter expert assistance. Campaign had 6 training events led by 86 SFS/569 USFPS on Ramstein and Vogelweh 29, 30, 31 May
 - **Status:** Closed
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Action Items Update - Part 3

- **Task 6: Examine/study feasibility of installing security cameras at strategic locations**
 - **Action:** Approved \$20K purchase of cameras to be used within the KMC
 - **Status:** Closed

 - **Task 7: Brief town hall slides during inprocessing of new service members**
 - **Action:** 86 AW: Slides added to Ramstein In Processing (RIP)
USAG-K: Slides added to In-processing slides
 - **Status:** Closed
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Action Items Update – Part 4

- **Task 8:** **For billeting/TLF residents, post child supervision matrix and the 5 W's of threat, increased vigilance needed and who to call if you have information**
 - **Action:** **86 AW: Detailed handout and child supervision matrix distributed to all current and new TLF residents - Notice also posted at the front desk at lodging USAG-K: Re-sent slides/matrix to unit commanders**
 - **Status:** **Closed**

 - **Task 9:** **Conduct top-to-bottom review of school access/security procedures**
 - **Action:** **DoDDS has implemented a comprehensive security program for the remainder of the school year and continues to review procedures**
Immediate action: Implemented limited points of entry (single at those schools where this is possible) and a requirement that students at the elementary school always travel to and from classrooms or other areas in pairs or greater numbers
 - **Status:** **Closed**
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Action Items Update – Part 5

- **Task 10:** **Conduct review of the past 3 years for similar incidents within the KMC**
 - **Action:** **Completed**
 - **Status:** **Closed**

 - **Task 11:** **Complete notification (slide briefing/child supervision matrix) to military affiliated/local worker population on base**
 - **Action:** **86 AW: Town hall slides provided to Ramstein 1 and 2 German Works Councils. Briefed at the Ramstein 1 Works Council Personnel Assembly on 16 May. USAG-K: Re-sent slides/matrix via official tasking to all units/agencies through OPS and installation coordinators**
 - **Status:** **Closed**
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Action Items Update – Part 6

- **Task 12:** **Confirm AAFES/DeCA have established lockdown procedures**
 - **Action:** AAFES and DeCA have established lockdown procedures
 - **Status:** Closed

 - **Task 13:** **Confirm the capability of mass notification systems and their potential to reach all units/tenants**
 - **Action:** 86 AW: Ramstein network users are notified via AtHoc which calls work, home and emergency phone number; emails sent to home and work, desktop pop-ups also sent USAG-K: phone contact is the primary contact means while a new capability is being fielded.
 - **Status:** 86 AW: Closed USAG-K: Closed
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Action Items Update – Part 7

- **Task 14 :** Remind parents to evaluate the safety of child care facilities that operate outside of established child family care processes (Military & Host Nation)
 - **Action:** 1. USAG-K Community Service and Family Advocacy Programs have begun briefing parents on all aspects of child safety and providing information at all on-post CDCs 2. At the semi-annual town halls, there will be an information booth covering child care options, supervision policy, curfew and other child safety topics 3. Completed: the 2 town halls, KA article and 2 “Lunch and Learn” sessions
 - **Status:** Closed
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Case Progress – Part 1

- **More than 500 interviews completed**
 - **Multiple “Stranger Danger” awareness briefings conducted**
 - **Tip line received 75 phone calls with information**
 - **Numerous persons of interest have been identified**
 - **Many have been eliminated from suspicion**
 - **Logical investigative leads remain**
 - **141 full records checks conducted**
 - **More than 2,080 man hours expended against case (Equivalent of 13 months of investigative time completed since January of 2012)**
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Case Progress – Part 2

- **National Center for Missing and Exploited Children is actively assisting with our Joint CID/OSI investigation**
 - **Based on developed leads through the reporting of suspicious activities and as the result of analytical efforts, “Persons of Interest” are continually being identified and removed from the investigative “Person of Interest List”**
 - **Victims were white females between 5 and 7 years old**
 - **Victims were alone or with one other person – no adults were present**
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What We Continue To Do

- **JOINT COMMUNITY POLICING:**
 - Systematic walking patrols around parks & basements
 - Bike patrols focusing on housing and school areas
 - Coordination with local Polizei investigators
 - **SCHOOL OUTREACH:**
 - DoDDS and School-Age Programs/CDC/FCC notified
 - Cross flow information to Army MWR/Child & Youth Services
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Need Your Help

- **Neighborhood Watch participation**
 - **Speak with your children**
 - Talk with your children to determine if anyone has approached them and asked them to go with them
 - **Actively supervise your children**
 - **Remain vigilant**
 - **Report suspicious activities to authorities**
 - Joint Task Force TIP line 0171 745 5382
 - Vogelweh Security Forces 0631 536 6060 or DSN 489 6060
 - Ramstein Security Forces 06371 47 2050 or DSN 480 2050
 - **No detail is too trivial**
 - Remember ANY information could assist in identifying a suspect
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Questions
