



# Newsletter



Publisher Melissa Connell Volume No. 1  
2-11 FA FRG News

Issue No. 3

Date: Aug 2004

## **FROM IRAQ :** Note from Battalion Commander

Once again, Greetings from Iraq, to all of the "On Time" family, wherever you may be. We are fully into the summer heat here now. In July we are averaging 115 degrees during the day. Most of the Iraqi people have certainly slowed down their daytime activities and have become more visible in the early evening time. We of course are looking forward to seeing July and August pass by so that we move back into the cooler part of the year. We look forward that once August is completed, we have past the half waypoint of our operation here in Iraq. I'm sure that makes all of you very happy. It certainly is on the minds of all the soldiers. The soldiers are working so hard here that time is going by very fast.

On 12 July, the Battalion was part of a Brigade Formation in which we were presented and now authorized to wear the 25<sup>th</sup> ID Patch as a Combat Patch on our right sleeve. A great reward for a job well done! A lot of sacrifice goes into being awarded this distinguished patch. You are just as much of this patch as we are. Your job back home has been monumental and admirable at the highest level. I'm so proud of you all. You have made it easy for my men to be focused on their jobs here and have certainly been a part of our soldiers being safe through clear vision and focus.

The Commanding General's Policy is to get as many soldiers on R&R as possible. We do have a merit list here which we decide who is the most eligible for R&R. That has been published and is available at all you from your FRG Leaders. We currently have a lot of soldiers on R&R. Unfortunately, A Battery, currently on a mission south of our current location, could not have anyone take leave because of operational needs for that specific mission. However, as soon as they come back from their mission, that will be

soon, A Battery will be the priority and majority of soldiers on leave.

We were fortunate to see MG Olson as he came to Iraq to visit the soldiers of the Brigade. He spent the day with the "On Time" Battalion on 13 July. We had a very good visit with the Commanding General and he wanted to pass along to all the family members on how proud he is of how well you are doing back home.

As you know, we did transition Sovereignty to the Iraqi people on 30 June. Things seem to be going very well in our Battle-Space. I'm sure you are not seeing the good news stories that come from Iraq on the news. Our soldiers couldn't be doing a better job for the people of Iraq. They have made such a positive impact on the citizens here it's hard to put into words. I'm sure you will be hearing about them for years. Your Spouses are America's Heroes and mine. Truly inspirational!

I'm sure most of you have heard from your spouses about the monumental generosity of Mrs. Janet Brady (Mother of PFC Landers) and all the support she has given this Battalion. Not only have she sent boxes to every single soldier in this battalion by herself, but she has Girl Scouts, High Schools, and just great friends of hers to send us support and packages. She is this Battalion Best Friend. We are all looking forward to seeing her when we return.

Be proud of your Husband's duty here, we are doing things that are making history, and they are making positive memories that will last a lifetime. Please take care of each other back home; your husbands need to know you are keeping strong and that you can raise issues with each Battery FRG group. Take Care and God Bless the "On Time Battalion".

LTC Joseph Connell  
LTC, FA  
Commanding

## Note from CSM

Aloha from FOB Warrior: The "On Time Soldiers" and Leaders are all doing great. Morale and Motivation is high. We have been very busy this month, and everyday is getting better. Some Soldiers on FOB Warrior are having their personal Internet connectivity installed in their living quarters.

We continue to encourage you to write both letters and emails to your deployed love ones. Communication is one thing that keeps the Soldiers going. Another thing that keeps them going is to know that their families are being taken care of.

We held our monthly SGT/SSG Promotion Board on June 12<sup>th</sup>. SPCs Kinere, Mikles and CPL Hammond were recommended for promotion to Sergeant. SGTs Leisure and Lemus were recommended for promotion to Staff Sergeant.

The "On Time" Battalion continues to lead the way in reenlistments. Congratulations to the following Soldiers who reenlisted in June. From Hawgs SSG Figueroa, SGT Delgado, SGT Jackson, SPC Emanuel, and SPC Dailey. From Bulldogs SPC Patterson. From Cougars SSG Ofosu, SSG Williamson and SPC Kinere.

The Rear Detachment Staff and Family Readiness Groups have been doing a tremendous job helping support our families. Thank you for saluting the "On Time Soldiers" and supporting our families. All the "On Time Soldiers" continues to keep you in our thoughts and prayer.

Have a Great Summer!

CSM Joe K. Zanders  
CSM, USA  
Command Sergeant Major

## "HAWGS"

Dear Family and Friends of the HAWGS

First and foremost, the 1SG Kucic and I are truly thankful for all the unwavering support we are receiving. Each and every one of us can go to sleep each night with ease knowing that our families are being taken care of.

On 28 June 04, Iraq has become a Sovereign Nation. We are all proud to know that we did our part to liberate the people of Iraq from Saddam Hussein Dictatorship. Not a day goes by with out sincere thanks to our soldiers from the liberated people of Iraq. It is inspiring to hear soldiers respond with comments such as "I was just doing my job as an American Soldier".

The HAWGS continue to set the standard in Border Security through out the country of Iraq. With the sovereignty of the Iraqi government, we are filling an advisory Role to the Iraqi Border Patrol (IBP). Our battery leadership communicates with senior community and military leaders providing guidance and mentorship. Team Leaders, SSG Elliot, Scott and Angelle have advised and mentored senior ranking Iraqi Border Patrol Battalion Commanders. Their teams have earned the reputation as being experts in military tactics and border security in their eyes.

Congratulations to CPL Hammond, SPC Miklas, SPC Jordan and Guy for successfully passing the Sergeant Promotion Board and to SGT Bray for passing the Staff Sergeant Board. SGT Figueroa, Jackson, and Covington have recently earned the promotion to Sergeant and are excelling as our newest Non-Commissioned Officers. SPC Koepke has been recently promoted to Specialist for his outstanding performance of duty. Way to go HAWGS!

On top of all the hard work our HAWGS are doing, our time here has been a learning experience too. Recently, some soldiers visited the Kurdish Memorial in Halabja, which memorializes over 5,000 Kurds that were murdered on 16 MAR 88 by Saddam Hussein. We were asked what our thoughts were after seeing photographs of the atrocity. One soldier spoke up and said exactly what he felt "It just made me sick and I am glad to see that Saddam will be brought to justice".

The HAWG Change of command was held on 29 June 04. The soldiers of HHS/2-11 FAR looked sharp and performed magnificently! CPT Tim Schmitt reminisced on his time as the commander and thanked all the soldiers and families for their continued support.

It is our pledge to support the families of HHS/2-11 FAR to the best of our ability. Please feel free to email me to address any issues or concerns.

[scott.greenblatt@us.army.mil](mailto:scott.greenblatt@us.army.mil). We are all looking forward to a safe and sound return to our loved ones. Once again, thank all of you for your unconditional support.

CPT Scott Greenblatt / HAWG 06  
1SG David Kucic / HAWG 07

## “Gator’s”

Spouses, Family Members and Friends,

Aloha to everyone in the Gator Family! This month we welcome two new members to the Gator family. On June 5th, SGT Hochmuth and his wife Cecil welcomed James P. Hochmuth II into the world. PFC Crowe and his wife are now the proud parents of Karly Ann Kuuipo Crow on June 24th, a big congratulations goes out to these proud parents.

For the past few weeks the Gators have been operating as two independent platoons. In late June CPT Thomas lead 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> howitzer sections and half of the Fire Direction Center (FDC) south on a mission for 2nd Brigade Combat Team (2BCT). 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> howitzer sections and along the other half of FDC continued on with our mission of providing fire support to 2BCT.

CPT Thomas reports they are doing just fine down south and are making do with the heat and living conditions. He says temperatures have hit nearly 150° F. Recently they have been improving their living conditions and force protection. SGT Mays is working hard to provide supplies and materials and improve the quality of life. Mail comes to Kirkuk first, but we make sure it gets on the way south as soon as possible.

In Kirkuk it is usually about 100°F during the daytime but will drop almost 30° at night. It is very dry and we haven’t seen rain in a long time. We are doing a great job of dealing with the heat; we haven’t had single heat injury or heat casualty.

1SG Beard is continuing to make our Command Post building better by coordinating for contracts and services. We have had considerable electrical work done and we are waiting to have the entire building rewired in the next few weeks. We also plan to clean up, fix up and paint more

of building during the next few weeks. We are working to get as many showers and latrines of our own up and running. And just in case anyone forgot we were a Field Artillery battery we moved two captured Iraqi howitzers out in front of the CP.

I am happy to report that R&R leave has started back up again and is going well. The Gators will begin sending soldiers on leave in August when we expect CPT Thomas to return. At that time the Gators will be first in priority for battalion. With luck we should be able to get quite a few soldiers a chance to go home.

This past month has shown us why A Battery is so special. LTC Connell calls us his “go to Battery”. Our NCOs and Soldiers continue to step up and perform. The Gators simply won’t take “No” for answer. They continue to find answers to our challenges and overcome problems. I’m proud of all of them. No matter where we are Hawaii, Thailand or Iraq the Gators, get the job done!

Andrew R. Johnston  
1LT, FA  
Fire Direction Officer

Gator for Life!

## “Bulldog’s”



Photo: B Battery Change of Command

Family and Friends:

The month of June has to be the most interesting and exciting month for the Bulldogs of Bravo Battery since we arrived and until we redeploy home. The Bulldogs

began the month with the Change of Command from CPT Steven Carpenter to CPT Brad Culligan. On the eve of the Change of Command ceremony, the Bulldogs fired the Battery's 2000<sup>th</sup> round in theater. Truly sending CPT Carpenter out with a bang. The following day the ceremony was held, and the Battery looked great, honoring CPT Carpenter's service to the battery and welcoming me, CPT Culligan. As your Battery Commander I am looking forward to the exciting challenges and rewarding moments that lie ahead.

Approximately 7 days later Fire Supporters from B Company, 1-27 Infantry, conducted a live fire training exercise utilizing AH64 Apache Helicopters and their Company Mortars firing on abandoned military vehicles from the previous regime's military. SSG Shilling from Bravo Fire Support Team utilized our brand new Light weight Laser Rangefinder/Designator to designate the target for the Helicopters. The Apache pilots acquired the Target illuminated by SSG Shilling and fired a Hellfire laser guided missile. The missile locked onto the laser beam and destroyed the target vehicle. This marked the first ever use of the LLDR to designate and destroy a target by anyone in the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division.

Among other changes 1LT Heatherly has moved to assume duties of the Fire Direction Officer for 1LT Pittman who has now become the Battery Executive Officer. The Bulldogs, are still conducting exciting missions as well as continuing to train. 2<sup>nd</sup> Platoon began a series of firing multiple rounds at a target with different trajectories resulting in all rounds hitting the target at approximately the same time. 1<sup>st</sup> Platoon continues to fire missions in support of Task Force 1-27 Infantry, "Wolfhounds," and is beginning to send soldiers along with civil affairs missions to visit local towns and villages. Having just come from working the Civil Affairs side of this campaign I can assure you that those soldiers involved will quickly find it is the most rewarding part of being deployed here in Iraq.

Probably most important to you at home is the resumption of the Rest and Recuperation program! 1SG Matzen and I are doing our best to try and ensure as many Bulldogs as possible get the chance to come home or at least go on one of the 4-day passes to Lake Dokkan, or the beach in Qatar. At the close of June we will have sent over 25% of the Battery on pass or leave.

Lastly, one of the reasons this month has been so interesting is as most of you know the end of the month brings the end of the Coalition Authority and the beginning of Iraqi sovereignty. The Bulldog Fire Support Teams that have been working civil affairs projects and issues will begin transitioning to a less direct approach and work as more of a consultant to the local cities and towns. We are all interested in the issues and interesting situations these changes will bring. As Bulldogs, we will face every issue and situation, and together, we will tackle each one.

Thank you for supporting your Bulldog Soldier, every ounce of support is appreciated by all of us!

CPT Brad Culligan  
Bulldog 6

### "Cougar's"

The Cougars are doing exceptionally well. We are living and working in three primary locations. The Battery Headquarters is located in Dibis, and the Battery Fire Direction Center is located in Altun Kapri. The Gun Sections are split between these two cities. The Fire Support Platoon recently moved from Kirkuk to Najaf. The supply section is also located in Kirkuk where they work with the logistics team to help keep us ready for any mission. The Cougars in Dibis and Altun Kapri have been busy learning and using the skills of motorized infantry units.

In Dibis, the Cougars are doing great things. A June 18, 2004 *Hawaii Army Weekly* article featured the Cougars at the opening of the Kharabrud Village Clinic and groundbreaking for the Kharabrud Village School. Both are projects that were planned by the Cougars. We have another school under construction in Teuweleh Village. The Cougars are also building a water tank in and laying water pipes to Selam Village. On June 19<sup>th</sup>, soldiers in Dibis took charge of the scene of an attack on Department of Defense Contractors near Kirkuk and restored order. On June 28<sup>th</sup>, the Cougars held a ceremony to transfer authority for the Dibis Government to the Mayor and City

Council. The Dibis Cougars also located and destroyed several enemy ammunition locations making the area safer for everyone. The soldiers in Dibis got to take part in Air Assault Training and fly in Blackhawk helicopters. New force protection walls have been constructed at the Dibis Patrol Base making our location that much safer. We have a gym, a maintenance bay, and a new kitchen currently under construction to improve the quality of life for the soldiers. We recently painted the soldier barracks inside and out and renovated the swimming pool at the house. The pool was ready for the Dibis 4<sup>th</sup> of July Bash.

The Cougars in Altun Kapri call themselves Outlaws. The Outlaws of Altun Kupri have been working hard for the last month training and equipping the Iraqi National Guard and Altun Kupri Police. They are equipping the ING with additional vehicles, weapons, and radios. This month construction has started in Altun Kupri on a new ING barracks, perimeter wall, dining room, and arms room. SPC Waskul was selected to be CSM Zanders' Driver. We are very proud of him. The transition of authority went very smoothly in Altun Kupri, and the mayor and city council have been doing well running the city under our supervision. They continue to do projects to help the people of the Altun Kupri, Shwan, and Qarah Anjir districts. They are purchasing a city bus for Altun Kupri, finishing the construction of government buildings in Shwan, and purchasing water trucks for Qarah Anjir. The Outlaws were featured in the 1<sup>st</sup> ID "Information Operations play of the week" for their work with the Altun Kupri and Qarah Anjir Women's Unions. They are about halfway through the Altun Kapri patrol base soldier quality of life renovations, which will add three more rooms and expand the bathroom and kitchen. They recently completed the force protection improvements, placing barriers around the patrol base, greatly increasing the security. The month of June has been a good one for the Outlaws and we continue to work with the community to build a free and stable Iraq.

The Fire Support Platoon has been working extremely hard. A Company was in Daquq, but most of the platoon spent June in Kirkuk. Most of the Cougars were enjoying the ability to catch up with the Fire Support Platoon, but they moved again! This time

they moved from Kirkuk to Najaf and Kufa. We think there is a rule that the Golden Dragons are not allowed to stay anywhere for more than three weeks. The fact that the Golden Dragons moves around so much is just more proof of what a great job they are doing. When the Multi-National Forces get in trouble, they call the Golden Dragons and the Cougar Fire Support Platoon. The platoon has logged over 9,000 miles on their tour of Iraq. The platoon has been working with the Air Force on a number of missions. An Najaf is a much different city from the one they knew 2 months ago. Things are calm, and Iraqi Police and Iraqi National Guard have assumed responsibility for security in the area. The Golden Dragons are conducting business much the same way they did in Tuz. The Golden Dragons will be conducting a relief in place with the 11<sup>th</sup> Marine Expeditionary Unit. They have phones, Internet, and air conditioned tents. For the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, they were treated to a BBQ lunch and dinner. Right of the Line!

The Cougars welcomed five new soldiers this month, PVT Kelly, PVT Conley, PV2 Whitford, PV2 Zaremba, & PFC Poulson. Newly promoted soldiers in July included Staff Sergeant Maiava, Specialist Barnhill, & PV2 Estrada. This month we are very proud of SSG Ofosu and SPC Kinere who both reenlisted for 6 years. We have a number of Headquarters Hawgs and Alpha Battery Gators living and working with Cougar Battery. Cougar Battery has bestowed honorary Cougar Status upon 1LT Baldwin, SFC Thompson, SSG Ortega, SGT Jackson, SGT Poulson, SPC Tritchler, SPC Coles, SPC Jordan, & PFC Rackley. We have two new births. SGT & Samatra Gable have a new baby girl. 1SG & Elfrieda Rumell's 7lb, 2oz baby girl, Darlene Amulina, arrived on June 12th.

Cougar Battery has been busy recertifying the howitzer sections. The training will continue through July. Our Hummers are sporting the new blast doors making our job much safer. All is well here. We want to thank the Family Readiness Group for the wonderful care packages and for all of the support you give us. We miss everybody at home very much. We are looking forward to singing Aloha 'Oi to Iraq and returning to our Ohana. Please don't hesitate to contact me for any reason at [Whitney.Campbell@us.army.mil](mailto:Whitney.Campbell@us.army.mil). Cougar Pride!

## FAD:

Eyes of Thunder!

Although day-to-day operations offer little variation in our routines, section chiefs are planning and soldiers are executing great training events to maintain proficiency and take advantage of opportunities only available here in Iraq. Additionally, our team is finding ways to enjoy down time and relax.

Earlier this week, the Headquarters Element conveyed to FOB Gaines' Mill to assist one of the radar sections with a problem. While there, we re-familiarized all of our men with the M249 machine gun, the M16 rifle and the M9 pistol. The range is just a section of the FOB that engineer's burned in with high dirt walls. We drew pictures, taped them to old metal containers and set them up at the end of the enclosed area. Then we fired at our personalized targets. The best part of the training event was firing the M249s while they were mounted on the back of our gun trucks. This is a fun way to improve our marksmanship and ensure that everyone is ready for every situation. Today, the radar sections focused their Sergeant's Time Training on emplacing the Claymore Mine. The Claymore produces a violent blast of shrapnel in whatever direction the device is aimed and armed. This is a common skill for all soldiers, but rarely does a unit have the ability to fire several live Claymore Mines to reinforce the training. Reports from Gaines' Mill indicate that the day was awesome!

On July 6<sup>th</sup> SPC Bish reenlisted for three years and a guaranteed assignment at Fort Gordon in Georgia. Oh, and he received a \$5000 tax-free bonus. What better place to reenlist than in the heart of Iraq on the radar site that these men have put so much sweat into building so strong. It was a proud day for SPC Bish, but also for our team as one of our best decided to continue to selflessly serve our great nation.

SPC Bish will be joined at Fort Gordon by CPL (P) Crayton . . . I challenge the best part of the reenlistment package! CPL (P) Crayton has worked as our supply sergeant for almost a year now. Finally last Saturday, he passed the promotion board and was

selected for promotion to Sergeant. Well deserved!

Over the past couple of weeks, soldiers have continued to move around the battle field. 1SG Ferrell returned from Kuwait early this week. The training he participated in will provide our battalion a valuable new capability. I'm glad that we could be part of this new Army system . . . Top's happy to be back in Kirkuk away from the hotter temperatures, stronger sand storms and unairconditioned tents! SPC Kitt returned from R&R at home in Hawaii. He wouldn't stop talking about his son and the time spent with his wife. He was so upbeat! SPC Arnold will head back to Iraq soon, SPC Gulley just left for Hawaii and SPC Bish will depart this week for home. The R&R Program is definitely back on track . . . I hope we continue to push so many men home for a well-earned vacation from Iraq.

For the Fourth of July holiday, the radar sections and maintenance section threw a BBQ at the end of a FOB Competition Day. The day began with a relay race in which SGT Kelsey led the way. He cut over a minute and a half off the team's total time. SPC Ski and SSG Price dominated the marksmanship competition. SGT Reagan benched his body weight 24 times to help the team to a championship. Everyone else supported the fighting teammates. The festivities closed with a BBQ at the radar house. Other men, in other units chose to celebrate the day the wrong way. Our men chose to do the exact right thing and added to the reputation of the Eyes of Thunder! These are incredible men, doing incredible jobs in service to this nation. They understand the value of freedom and brotherhood. I am proud of each man.

Thank you for every prayer, letter, box and thought you have shared with our team. We are very lucky to have such strong backing. As we near the halfway point, I hope that we continue on this perfect path and arrive home safely in the early part of next year.

Respectfully,  
CPT Adam Wojcik  
25 Field Artillery Detachment Commander

## **A note from Chaplin Manning**

### Overhaul During the Long Haul

Chaplain Bill Manning

*“Let us run with perseverance the race marked out before us.”* Epistle to the Hebrews 12:1

According to my calculations (I was a C-student in math) we have approximately 220 somewhat days left on this excursion into the wilderness. God willing, we will return home in early 2005 just in time to catch the island’s winter surf fest. Can’t wait!

Meanwhile, to fill in those days of separation we are going to do what we do best. Wait and work. Persevere in hope of that great day of reunion and labor in God’s vineyard assigned to each of us.

Before I left I told you that this was going to be a great year and it has been. Over 25 million people, 12 million which are children, can now look forward to a better life and a better way thanks to you. This is an accomplishment that you and your families were not just spectators or cheerleaders, but active participants. My hat goes off to all of you.

I give thanks to God daily for all of you and the sacrifices you are paying to make this happen. It is not easy to live through the many negative experiences connected with a deployment. However, experience them we will, and by God’s grace we will pass through this valley a better people than we were before it.

As we approach the mid-point of this marathon course of separation and trials, I want to remind us all of a few things.

First, stay focused! There is an end state; there is hope. Work on the end state that you’ve mapped out: Money in the bank, deeper walk with God, better fitness, renewed relationships, new skills, home improvements, homecoming events, etc. Take charge of the things that you can control; leave to God the things that you can’t control.

Secondly, endure! Marathons are long and hard, just like deployments. You’ve got to be strong. So, do the things that make you strong and avoid the things that weaken you. Surround yourself with a personal diet of good and encouraging people, books, movies, and events. Avoid the negative.

Third, reach out and grow! Help others. That’s why God put us here for in the first place. Grow up. Maturity is an asset, not a liability, and it has nothing to do with age. Be a good example to others. And if you don’t know how, ask someone to help you learn.

Everyone is experiencing hardships during this deployment and that should give you joy. Hardships make us stronger. If we bear under and learn well the lessons that they teach us about ourselves, then we will live more productive lives to the benefit of our families, our nation, and our Lord.

You’re always in our prayers,  
Bill  
Chaplain

## **A note from your FRG:**

### Congratulations!! We have made it to the half way mark!!!

You should all pat yourselves on the back. Our spouses and family members are halfway home. You are all doing an outstanding job.

I hope you all had a wonderful 4<sup>th</sup> of July. Thanks to all of the “ON TIME” family members that came out to celebrate at Sills Field.



We are doing a great job towards our fundraising goal. We can’t wait for our

spouses and family members to return home and celebrate all of the hard work from all involved with the deployment. If you have any ideas on raising funds, please contact your battery FRG Leader.

Always remember the end of the hardship is insight! Let's all pull together to make the last few months easier and not harder.

Have a great month of August and a very safe Labor Day.

Melissa Connell

Battalion FRG Leader

### **Charlie Battery FRG**

Our next FRG meeting will be Wednesday, August 11th, 6:30 at the Tropics on Schofield Barracks. If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to give me, or your POC, a call. God bless!

Angie O'Bryan

## **Key Calendar of Event:**

### August

17th Deployment Town Hall meeting  
SGT Smith Theater 1830

### September

21<sup>st</sup> Deployment Town Hall meeting  
SGT Smith Theater 1830

## **What ACS has to offer?**

### Spouse's Night Out

Every Thursday night from 6:30 PM, all spouses of deployed soldiers are invited. Some of the upcoming events are

Free childcare is available for Blue Star Card holders by calling 655-3929 no later than 12:00 noon on the Tuesday prior to each Thursday night event.

Reservations can be made up to two weeks in advance!

**Floats & Flicks:** Enjoy an evening of swimming, activities, games, contests, inflatables, and hotdogs. Popcorn and a movie will follow in the field at approximately 8pm

August 7: HMR

August 21 : SB

**NEW** extended hours at Schofield ACS

Mon- Fri: 7:30am - 9 pm

Sat: 10am - 4pm

**NEW** Computer Lab Now Open:

Mon, Wed, Fri: 730am – 9 pm

Sat: 10am – 4 pm

Free access and on hand assistance

## **Notes to our Soldiers:**

- ♥ "Jon, we love and miss you so much. We are looking forward to having you home for good. Love always & forever, Stacey, Christopher and Krystal"
- ♥ We Love and Miss you so Much and hope to see you soon. Hang in there! It won't be to long from now.  
Love, Klarissa & Isaiah Monroe