The 724 STG understands that our success is built on the foundation of strong and resilient families. Therefore, we spend an exceptional amount of energy to provide both resources and opportunities for our family members. The following storyboards are a few examples of what our team of experts assemble for our families throughout the year:

**STG FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE**

- **Mission:**
  - Who: STG Active Duty, Personnel, and Family
  - What: Father Daughter Dance
  - When: 10 June
  - Where: Southern Pines, NC

- **Results:** The Father Daughter Dance was held at a local golf resort. The event had around 75 attendees, which included a mixture of dads and daughters. The event included dinner, dancing, a dance lesson from a dance instructor, photo booth with props, candy bar, prize drawing, and a limbo contest. The event received positive feedback from both the dads and daughters, who left with smiles on their faces.

- **Significance:**
  - The Father Daughter Dance provided support and appreciation to our families, all while strengthening father daughter bonds. Attendees were able to develop peer-to-peer relationships. The daughters were able to have a night that focused on them. Military children make huge sacrifices. This event focused on the value of the father daughter bond, and the appreciation for their sacrifices. Research shows the value of a strong father daughter bond may help children in developing resiliency and other positive developmental traits.

**STG KIDS’ CHRISTMAS PARTY**

- **Mission:**
  - Who: STG Active Duty, Personnel, and Family
  - What: Kids’ Christmas Party
  - When: 09 December
  - Where: Southern Pines, NC

- **Results:** The Kids’ Christmas Party is a time for the unit to come together and focus on the kids, who sacrifice the most. We had around 175 attendees. The event included 6 craft tables, hosted by the spouses, which consisted of a sugar cookie decorating table, 4 gingerbread houses to decorate, ornaments crafting tables, abag decorating table. The children were able to decorate these items and take them home as keepsakes to remember the event. Each child had a chance to visit with Santa, his elves, and receive a present.

- **Significance:**
  - The Kids’ Christmas Party was held to develop and strengthen peer-to-peer relationships, build mutual support groups, boost camaraderie, strengthen community ties, and show appreciation for the daily sacrifices our families and children make.
We are strong because our families are strong!