Priority Topic of the **Week:** **Windows 10 Migration**	**Windows 10 Migration** In accordance with the Department of Defense mandate, the Air Force must complete the Microsoft Windows 10 migration by March 31, 2018. **Any operating system not upgraded by the deadline will be denied access to the network.** Windows 10 is not compatible with many systems currently in the Air Force inventory, resulting in the need to replace a significant number of computer hardware. **How to tell if you need Windows 10** • Press and hold the Windows Key then "R" on your keyboard • Type "winver" then press OK or Hit Enter • A screen will show what version of Windows you have **What do I need to do?** • Manually back up your data to a shared drive or DVD discs • Make a list of any special computer software or hardware the technician will need to install • Be patient, the installation will take 1-2 hours to complete **Windows 10 Features** The Windows 10 migration is critical to Air Force Readiness. It introduces a number of new security features; making it the most secure Windows version to date. The security features allow software patches to install faster, making it less obtrusive to Airmen while its ability to counter emerging cyber intrusion makes the networks safer. This will have a positive security impact on the protection of DoD and special access programs, mission systems, as well as strategic, tactical, and research, development, testing and evaluation systems. Base and organizational leadership must ensure Communication/Cyber Squadrons are provided all the support and availability necessary to guarantee successful installation. **Additional Information** Windows 10 Training, Tips & Features
Topics of Interest	• AF seeks 2018 noms for 12 Outstanding Airmen of the Year Award (AFPC) • Air Force FY19 budget addresses great power competition (AF.MIL) • Air Force outlines future of bomber force (AF.MIL)
Monthly Observance	**FEBRUARY IS BLACK HISTORY MONTH** **(click link for additional information)**