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## Increased flight operations at NAS Oceana and NALF Fentress

*Virginia Beach, Va.* – F/A-18 aircraft based at Naval Air Station (NAS) Oceana will continue to conduct intensive day and night flight operations through the first week of April 2015. These flight operations, which include Field Carrier Landing Practice (FCLP) conducted at Naval Auxiliary Landing Field (NALF) Fentress in Chesapeake, Virginia, are necessary for two Navy Carrier Air Wings and the Fleet Replacement Squadron (FRS) to complete required aircraft carrier pre-deployment and sustainment training. Night flight operations are expected to continue past midnight during this period.

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