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CDC construction, traffic rerouting discussed at village mayors' meeting



Photo by Prudence Siebert/Fort Leavenworth Lamp

Garrison Commander Col. Duane Mosier explains why traffic rerouting during the initial phase of the new Child Development Center on Hancock Avenue is necessary Oct. 16 at the village mayors meeting at the Frontier Conference Center.

Iowa-Hancock intersection closes Oct. 21, Hancock Gate to open Oct. 28

by Prudence Siebert/Editor

Changes to regular traffic patterns with the upcoming closure of the intersection at Iowa and Hancock avenues and the temporary opening of Hancock Gate during the initial phase of the new Child Development Center construction were among the main topics briefed on and discussed at the monthly village mayors' meeting Oct. 16 at the Frontier Conference Center.

Garrison Commander Col. Duane Mosier explained why the traffic rerouting — that will happen as the path of Hancock Avenue is adjusted and the CDC footprint is created — is necessary for the needs of the construction vehicles and the safety of the community.

“So they are going to do all of the road work first to get that out of the way and be done; (they are) planning to do that across win-

ter so that most people won't be outside riding bikes and being really disturbed by the closure of that intersection, in hopes of having it open in the spring and well before summer surge and the moving patterns of PCS and everything from the summer,” Mosier said.

After that, the intersection will reopen as the CDC construction continues.

“They'll be able to concentrate on the grounds away from those roads for the rest of that project,” Mosier said. “The front end is a little bit disruptive, but for the long-term good.”

Mosier stressed that having the long-closed Hancock Gate open to accommodate construction and rerouted traffic is a very good thing.

“There will be a number of ways that traffic can get through the installation around that intersection,

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Directorate of Public Works workers Jason Land and Chantz Trapani implement traffic adjustments and stop sign realignments Oct. 10 to accommodate upcoming construction for the new Child Development Center at the intersection of Hancock Avenue, Sheridan Drive, and 5th Artillery Road.

The changes are as follows:

- Southbound traffic on Sheridan Drive will now stop at 5th Artillery Road.
- Northbound traffic on Hancock Avenue will now stop at the curve where 5th Artillery Road and Sheridan Drive intersect with Hancock Avenue.
- The intersection of Hancock Avenue, Sheridan Drive and 5th Artillery Road will now allow for two-way traffic.
- 5th Artillery Road to Hancock Avenue is now the primary route.

Photo by Sean Bergosh/Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Office

AT A GLANCE

■ Munson Army Health Center is offering **WALK-IN FLU SHOT CLINICS** for TRICARE beneficiaries ages 6 months old and older from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 17, noon to 4 p.m. Nov. 1, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 6 and noon to 4 p.m. Nov. 15 at the Frontier Conference Center. DoD ID cards are required for patients 10 years old and up.

■ To volunteer to help with the **NATIONAL PUBLIC LANDS DAY TREE PLANTING PROJECT** at 9 a.m. Oct. 19, meeting at Merritt Lake parking lot, RSVP

to michael.n.bass.civ@army.mil.

■ Munson Army Health Center's **TRUNK OR TREAT** event is 5-7 p.m. Oct. 24. See page B12 for more information.

■ The Family Advocacy Program's **BREAK THE SILENCE GLOW WALK**, with trick-or-treating, is at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 24 starting at the Resiliency Center. Call 913-683-2537 for more information about the free event.

■ The free **FORT LEAVENWORTH HAUNTED TOURS**, presented by Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation and the Friends of the Frontier Army Museum, start at 6 p.m. Oct. 25 and Oct. 26 at the Old U.S. Disciplinary Barracks. The tours on Oct. 19 are sold out, but volunteers are still needed for the three tour dates. See page B2 for more information and the QR code to sign up.

■ See the **POST NOTES** (B section) for more notices and upcoming events.

Editor thanks contributors

COMMENTARY

by Prudence Siebert
Fort Leavenworth Lamp Editor

Lamp celebrates 1st anniversary as FMWR activity

This October marks one year since the *Fort Leavenworth Lamp* Army community newspaper transitioned from a longtime civilian enterprise no-cost-to-the-government contract publication (October 2000 to Sept. 30, 2023) to a Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation activity, which is still overseen by the Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Office.

What was once a mixed civilian-soldier-contractor staff — consisting of an editor, photographer, multiple reporters and a production assistant — has been reduced to just me, the lone “Lampie,” and thus I am now responsible for all of those roles.

As much as I would like to be able to be everywhere, it just isn’t possible, and so coverage of the community has required the assistance of public affairs professionals and volunteers.

THANK YOU to all of the contributors who have submitted photographs, stories and commentaries for publication in the *Lamp* over this past year. Your assistance in helping tell Fort Leavenworth’s story is greatly appreciated!

All-Stars

• The Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Staff

Garrison Public Affairs Officer Scott Gibson, Operations Chief George Marcec, Department of the Army Photographer Stephanie Mahone and Social Media/Public Affairs Specialist Sean Bergosh are a wonderful team to work with. I appreciate their willingness to jump in to help cover events, to share content, and be the wonderful co-workers/friends that they are every day.

• Army University Public Affairs Officer Sarah Hauck and Munson Army Health Center Public Affairs Officer Maria Christina Yager

Hauck and Yager are talented and dedicated public affairs professionals who contribute content to the *Lamp* nearly every week, including this week’s issue. They are always helpful and come through for me when I need help covering assignments at the Command and General Staff College and MAHC, and they often contribute high quality content without any prompting as well.

Regular contributors

Additional contributors who have shared multiple photos and/or stories over the past year include Jason Bortz, Combined Arms Center Public Affairs; Peter Grande, U.S. Disciplinary Barracks historian; Melissa Kreitzer, Army spouse; Dan Neal, Army University Public Affairs; Randi Stenson,

Mission Command Center of Excellence Public Affairs; Tisha Swart-Entwistle, Combined Arms Center - Training Public Affairs; Taylor Wead, Combined Arms Center Public Affairs; and Mark Wiggins, Command and General Staff College Foundation.

Volunteers

Lamp coverage has also been assisted by a few volunteers, including Dani Lander, who offered to help write while she lived at Fort Leavenworth and has continued to write occasional *Lamp* articles since her family PCSd to Germany a few months ago; Pfc. Kalisber Ortega Santiago, who has been shadowing and volunteering as a photographer and reporter to gain some on-the-job training to hone her journalism skills; and Colbie Fairley, 2024 summer intern in the Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Office.

To volunteer to assist with event coverage and other tasks, apply for the “Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Assistant” position on the Volunteer Management Information System at <https://vmis.armyfamilywebportal.com/volunteer/opportunities>.

Additional contributors

Other community members who have earned a byline by contributing content (excluding command messages, press releases, wire news and file photos/stories, which are also appreciated but not listed here) have included the family of Sharon Adams, Dr. Patrick Armistead-Jehle, Lt. Col. Craig Arnold, Shannon Arnold, the family of Lois Arter, Neil Bass, Monica Bassett, Judy Bauer, Jeanne Boetig, Melissa Bower, David Bornn, Sgt. 1st Class Dakotah Bradley, Jessica Brushwood, Christopher Burnett, Sgt. Steven Casselman Jr., James Castle, Matthew Dixon, First Judicial District CASA Association with Dan Billquist, Katrin Fuller, Madison Fuller, Mike Fuller, Karly Gadell, Ruie Gibson, Lt. Col. Joshua Goldfarb, Thomas Gonzales, Maj. Christopher Hart, Willis Heck, Elizabeth Helm-Frazier with Carlton Philpot, Deb Henley, Tiffany Herring, Megan Hunter, Brittney Jackson, Merideth Kendall, Karen Kirk, Henry Knudsvig, Tristen Lang, Marina Lemanua, Ricarda Lowe, Melanie Marcec, Joel Marquardt, Macy Marxman, Loren Mayr, Tracy McClung, Staff Sgt. Robert Navaarrizon, Samantha Odle, Mark R.W. Orders-Woempner, Pin-Ups For Vets with Shane Karns, Maj. Ben Pimpl, Matthew Price, Marisa Ranney, Philip Reynolds, the family of retired Chaplain (Col.) Gary “Sam” Sanford, Cathy Schrankel, Zak Schulte, Katie Skrmetta, Staff Sgt.

Joshua Stiles, Janet Walther, Chaplain (Col.) Sean Wead, Alex Wiley, Ken Wilson, Rhonda York, Tiffany Zink and Taylor Zumbusch.

In addition to all of these contributors, I am grateful for my “go-to people” at the various organizations across post and in the area, who are consistently helpful, let me know about upcoming events, and respond quickly to my requests for information.

I am also grateful to the members of this community who candidly share their stories each week. I am blessed to be part of this community.

Recent Lamp history

The *Fort Leavenworth Lamp* celebrated 50 years of publication in 2021. The Frontier Army Museum staff marked the occasion with the exhibit “News at Fort Leavenworth,” viewable online at <https://frontierarmymuseum.stqry.app/en/story/152326>.

After having already reduced the number of printed pages due to decreased advertising sales during the pandemic, the last print issue of the *Fort Leavenworth Lamp* rolled off the presses on May 26, 2022, and the first fully digital version was posted online the next week on June 2, 2022.

I thought it important to provide an archivable product each week, rather than just posting stories at web links that disappear as soon as a content management system is updated or other changes are made, and so I have continued to produce “old school” newspaper layouts that are archivable, downloadable, printable and easy to read in an “e-zine” format.

The latest issue of the *Lamp* is available at <https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/about/news>, where an archive of the past year’s issues can also be found. New issues post at the link on Thursday mornings, and a direct link to the latest issue of the *Lamp* is also posted on the Fort Leavenworth Garrison Facebook page each Thursday.

The *Lamp* can also be delivered directly via e-mail by sending a request to usarmy.leavenworth.id-training.mbx.pao-inbox@army.mil to be included in the weekly distribution.

Send event information for promotion and potential coverage, as well as any story ideas and questions to ftlvlampeditor@gmail.com.

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SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

by Staff Report

The *Fort Leavenworth Lamp* is one of the primary ways to get information to the community.

Contact the *Lamp* with story and photo opportunities to allow the editor to cover or assign coverage. Story and photo submissions are appreciated when the editor is unable to cover. E-mail submitted materials to ftlvlampeditor@gmail.com.

Please consider the following when submitting any content for publication in the *Lamp*. All material sent to the *Lamp* is edited or rewritten for journalistic, local and Associated Press style, as well as clarity, grammar, spelling and length. Placement in the paper is determined by the *Lamp* staff.

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• **Photographs:** Thumbnails that might appear OK on social media are generally not large enough for publication in the *Lamp* as they reproduce poorly. Full-size, original photo files that are 1 MB or larger in size are preferred. Files should not be altered in any way — leave any adjustments for exposure, cropping, etc. to the *Lamp* editor.

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Include complete outline/caption information by identifying everyone in the photo by first and last names, as well as rank, unit assigned to and/or title, as relevant. The date and location the photo was taken, action depicted and the name of the photographer need to also be included.

• **Editorials/commentaries:** Readers are welcome to share their opinions with the *Lamp*’s audience. Letters to the editor and commentaries are welcome. Letters must be signed and include a daytime telephone number. Names may be withheld from publication, if requested.

A letter to the editor is also a great way to provide an event summation and thank organizations and individuals who helped ensure the event’s success.

• **Focus on Fort Leavenworth:** The *Lamp* has a limited scope and is targeted at the internal Fort Leavenworth audience, not the general public. The internal audience includes military members, family members, civilian employees and retirees. Articles should be relevant to a substantial portion of this audience and are generally limited to on-post events and the people who live or work on post. Off-post events are only covered if there is significant effect on Fort Leavenworth personnel, if the event is given special command emphasis, or if there is significant command-authorized participation by military personnel.

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Fort Leavenworth Fire Department hosts Fire Prevention Week Open House

Fort Leavenworth Fire Department Firefighter Luis Fuentes helps 7-year-old Piper Carpenter, second-grader at MacArthur Elementary School, extinguish the fire in the live-fire trainer during the Fort Leavenworth Fire and Emergency Services open house during Fire Prevention Week Oct. 10 at Station No. 2. The annual event, which corresponds with Fire Prevention Week, offered attendees tips on fire safety, food and beverages, the opportunity to play in a bounce house and climb in a fire truck, and information from post organizations including Army Community Service and the Army Substance Abuse Program.

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ABOVE: Five-year-old Niklaus Cornett chants "Get out of my way" as he pretends to drive the dual-purpose "Squad 1" hazmat/rescue truck during the open house Oct. 10 at Fire Station No. 2.

LEFT: Sparky the Fire Dog (portrayed by Firefighter Daniel Camiro) greets 2-year-old Daniel Mercer during the Fort Leavenworth Fire and Emergency Services open house Oct. 10 at Fire Station No. 2. The annual event, which corresponds with Fire Prevention Week, offered attendees fire safety tips, food and beverages, the opportunity to play in a bounce house and climb in a fire truck, and information from post organizations including Army Community Service and the Army Substance Abuse Program.



Fort Leavenworth Fire and Emergency Services personnel and Fort Leavenworth community members pause for Retreat during the annual Fire Prevention Week open house Oct. 10 at Fire Station No. 2. The Directorate of Emergency Services estimated that more than 350 families attended the open house.

Local AUSA Family Forum Watch Party



Army Community Service staff members and others present for the Warfighter and Family Forum III "Army Senior Leader Fireside Chat" watch party use their phones to scan the screen for the Mentimeter App QR code for real-time feedback as the forum begins, broadcast Oct. 15 from the Association of the U.S. Army's annual meeting in Washington, D.C., to the ballroom of the Frontier Conference Center at Fort Leavenworth. Local viewers were also able to text questions for the panelists to Melissa Kreitzer, Henry Leavenworth AUSA Chapter vice president for family programs and Fort Leavenworth Army spouse, who attended the AUSA forum in Washington, D.C.



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Garrison Command Sgt. Maj. Vanessa Sun, Garrison Commander Col. Duane Mosier and Special Troops Battalion Commander Lt. Col. Michael Johnson listen to panelists Secretary of the Army Hon. Christine Wormuth, Chief of Staff of the Army Gen. Randy George and Sergeant Major of the Army Michael Weimer during the Warfighter and Family Forum III "Army Senior Leader Fireside Chat" watch party Oct. 15 at the Frontier Conference Center.

CSA recognizes top articles of year at AUSA Annual Meeting, Exhibition

by Sarah Hauck/Army University Public Affairs

WASHINGTON — Chief of Staff of the Army Gen. Randy George has recommended more than 30 articles to the force over the last year.

Three of those were recognized at the 2024 AUSA Annual Meeting and Exposition Oct. 14 as exemplary pieces in support of the Harding Project.

The authors shared their experience with professional writing, co-authoring and motivating soldiers to write.

George thanked each of the authors and representatives of the writers helping strengthen the profession with their articles, reemphasizing the need to continue sharing lessons learned to inspire transformational change.

"Sharing the lessons learned with your peers and subordinates (is one) of the many amazing things we have going on around our Army," he said. "I also think about how tough it is for things to stay up to date, especially with how fast the world is evolving. I know we can do that when we're sharing lessons back and forth among professionals. That's a really important thing."

"**Techcraft on Display in Ukraine**" by Command Sgt. Maj. Dennis A. Doyle, Command Sgt. Maj. Brian Hester and Capt. Ronan A. Sefton was originally published in *War on the Rocks*.

The article demonstrates how soldiers are adapting to technol-

ogy for battlefield advantage, which, according to George, is a key lesson as the Army continues to transform.

Lessons learned from the Ukraine-Russian conflict and Ukraine's ability to use resources and technology at their disposal to find battlefield success sparked the idea for the article, Doyle explained.

"There is innovation happening across the force, and we want to generate conversation around that," he said. "We talk about leading change across the Army. This is about actually breaking through that barrier and making change happen in an organization."

Laying out guidelines for creating organization change, the article generates the "fight now" mentality and how to use technology to win the next and near battle.

"**Enabling Maneuver in Large-Scale Combat Operations**" by Sgt. Maj. Shane Short was published in the *Army Communicator*. Capt. Vincent Kirk, Harding fellow at the *Army Communicator*, assisted Short in the publishing process of this CSA's top article of the year.

The article underscores the importance of communications in warfare and need for signal soldiers to think beyond technology and integrate maneuver elements.

"(Short) wanted to emphasize that Signal leaders are not prepared by doctrine and training to step into the tactical world and ac-



U.S. Army photo by Staff Sgt. Derek Hamilton

Writers who penned articles of the year for the Harding Project speak to the audience during the "Strengthening the Profession Through Writing: CSA's Recognized Articles of the Year" panel event Oct. 14 at the annual AUSA meeting in Washington, D.C.

tually influence commanders and their movements," Kirk said.

He explained how a more intensive use of lessons learned and practical understanding of Signals' role in combat can make Signal leaders more effective.

Getting back to the basics at the core of Signal was also emphasized throughout Short's piece.

"**Drink, Think, Link: Guiding Online Mentorship**" by Lt. Col. Erik Davis and Lt. Col. Nicholas Frazier, was published as a *Military Review* online exclusive article.

Mentorship in the Army has changed with a dampening of alcohol use, lower desire to spend time even in the vicinity of the of-

fice after hours and increased use of technology.

The article highlights how informal online membership can enhance professional development, especially in today's interconnected world.

"Good units have formal professional development programs but great units have informal ones," Frazier explained.

Classic mess calls have all but disappeared; however, the desire for mentorship has not.

Mentorship and development doesn't have to be formal, Frazier said. Using conversations over a map in the field or on an airplane is all that is needed to build connection.

The panel was moderated by

retired Lt. Col. Joe Byerly, founder of From the Green Notebook website. Panelists shared how to destroy common barriers to writing, specifically among the enlisted, importance of patience and time for writing, and overall how the Harding Project is improving the sharing of ideas and innovation to make purposeful change within the Army.

Read the articles of the year at <https://www.armyupress.army.mil/Resources/CSA-Recommended-Articles/>.


Watch the full panel discussion at <https://www.dvidshub.net/video/940161/ausa-2024-strengthening-profession-through-writing-csas-recognized-articles-year>.

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but the most important piece of what we are doing is that because of that closure, and because we were looking at the routes of the dump trucks ... and vehicles that have to travel in that area to do work, we decided to strike a deal with tenant units on the installation to give us, the Garrison organization, borrowed military manpower," Mosier said, referring to soldiers who will be temporarily helping man Hancock Gate for the next six to eight months.

The re-closure or continued use of Hancock Gate will be re-evaluated at that time, with assessments of traffic and manpower needs and options.

Beginning probably the week of Oct. 28, Hancock Gate will be open 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday during the initial stage of the CDC construction. The Iowa-Hancock intersection will be fenced off starting Oct. 21 as construction equipment begins to arrive.

Unified School District 207 Director of Military Support Amanda Nonnemaker said the traffic rerouting will also affect some bus routes, but once those new bus routes are established, they will continue for the rest of the school year, barring any other changes. She urged the community to be mindful of speed limits and pedestrians, including children walking to and from school, around those work zones.

"For our students who ride a bike or walk to school, please emphasize the importance of practicing caution and avoiding areas impacted by the construction site. We must also be mindful of changes to stop sign orientation at the intersections of Iowa Avenue/5th Artillery (near the entrance to MacArthur Elementary School) and 5th Artillery Road/Sheridan Drive/Hancock Avenue (near Hancock Pool)," Nonnemaker wrote in an e-mail message following the meeting. "New bus routes began on Oct. 14 for (Leavenworth High School) students and Oct. 15 for USD 207 students. At this time, we intend for these routes to remain as such for the remainder of the 2024-25 school year. We appreciate your patience as we continue to discover the full impacts and new traffic patterns."

Munson Army Health Center

Medical Department Activity Commander and Munson Army Health Center Director Col. Jolanda L.J. Walker briefed the village mayors on the recent uptick in strep cases, urging everyone to wash their hands and practice other good hygiene safety measures. She gave dates and details about upcoming walk-in flu shot clinics (see At a Glance notice on page A1 and clinic flyer on page B12), including the option for beneficiaries to attend the flu shot clinic during Retiree Appreciation Day Oct. 28, if needed, (see RAD flyer on page B1). Walker reminded the mayors that Dec. 2 is the deadline for children registered with Child and Youth Services to receive their flu shots. She told them of the availability of free COVID tests by mail (see page B12), noting that MAHC does not yet have COVID vaccinations available, and that the MAHC Pharmacy has ready-made cold packs available for the upcoming

season that beneficiaries can pick up.

Housing

Zac Lay, installation emergency manager, said that one of the big issues with old housing and cold weather is freezing pipes. Residents are asked to check the pipes in their homes often to avoid damage caused by freezing and bursting pipes, and they should leave their heat on when away to help avoid the problem. Outside hoses should be removed to avoid freezing issues as well.

Leigh Brown, assistant community director for Fort Leavenworth Frontier Heritage Communities, said notices of guidebook violations are being distributed, and that those residents who receive them have three attempts to remedy the problem before more serious action is taken.

Brown said the FLFHC offices will be closed Oct. 17 for a day of service so that employees can volunteer with the Leavenworth Mission Food Pantry

and Leavenworth County Humane Society.

Brown said dogs running loose in housing areas has been a recurring issue. If anyone feels threatened, by animal or human, Military Police should be contacted. If residents know who the dog belongs to, FLFHC should be notified to connect with the owner and/or make other arrangements to deal with the dog, if needed.

Additional briefings included upcoming USD 207 events; AAFES holiday hours (9 a.m. to 6 p.m. up to Dec. 24), open positions, and lobby vendor opportunities; many upcoming Army Community Service events and initiatives (see the Post Notes "B" section of the *Lamp*), and some winter weather information, including that Fort Leavenworth doesn't close because of snow, but there could be a determination made for maximum teleworking and the closure of snow gates to temporarily eliminate use of slick roads.

FORT LEAVENWORTH CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



Starting Oct. 21, construction on the new CDC will close Hancock Ave. from the construction site at 190 Hancock Ave., through the intersection of Hancock and Iowa Aves. Northbound Hancock traffic will detour east or west at Kansas Ave. Traffic to the Housing Office/Community Center will enter from Iowa Ave.

Starting on or about Oct. 28, heavy equipment traffic will begin servicing the construction site. To ensure the safe, orderly influx of this increased construction traffic, Hancock Gate will be open temporarily for all inbound and outbound traffic, M-F, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Motorists will encounter changes in stop sign orientation at the intersections of Iowa Ave./5th Artillery Rd.; and 5th Artillery Rd./Sheridan Dr./Hancock Ave. (circled on map).

Fort Leavenworth Garrison Public Affairs Graphic



Photos by Prudence Siebert/Fort Leavenworth Lamp

ABOVE: Garrison Command Sgt. Maj. Vanessa Sun, Garrison Commander Col. Duane Mosier and Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation Director Glenn Hewitt listen to briefings by post organizations and discuss topics including the upcoming construction of a new Child Development Center on Hancock Avenue during the village mayors' meeting Oct. 16 at the Frontier Conference Center.

LEFT: Zac Lay, installation emergency manager, talks with village mayors about winter weather procedures for clearing roads, school closures and more and stressed the importance of checking pipes in post housing during cold weather to reduce the risk of frozen pipes and to discover burst pipes, should that occur, before a lot of damage is done during the monthly mayors' meeting Oct. 16 at the FCC.

In anticipation of winter weather, Unified School District 207 will be sending out a test of the Skylert messaging system, along with the district's winter weather policy, to ensure all families are receiving alerts before winter weather hits.



MAHC, local university strengthen partnership

by Maria Christina Yager/Munson Army Health Center Public Affairs Officer

Leaders from Munson Army Health Center visited nearby University of Saint Mary Oct. 4 to discuss existing partnerships and future opportunities.

"We have a training agreement between Munson Army Health Center and the University of Saint Mary, Division of Nursing. The training agreement includes clinic training opportunities for students pursuing the master of science in nursing family nurse practitioner degree," said Tim Stevens, MAHC's deputy to the commander for quality and safety.

Military spouses living on post are among the nursing division's student population, so supporting a rotation at MAHC is a convenient option that helps grow the profession and supports military families.

"The feedback we got was great, and our students had nothing but praise for the experience at Munson," said Karen Kidder, Nursing Division director at the university.

During the visit, MAHC team members were invited to the university's medical simulation lab. The lab features six high-fidelity training manikins that can closely mimic human body functions. These devices, like those used by the Army, are controlled remotely by an instructor to simulate real life medical scenarios.

"We used similar devices at the (Military Simulation Training Center) at Fort Cavazos," said Lt. Col. Gwendolyn O'Keefe, MAHC's deputy commander for nursing. "During training events, soldiers were evaluated on their ability to provide life-saving care in a high-stress, simulated combat environment. These scenarios help them build the muscle memory and confidence to perform these skills down-range."

MAHC recently stood up its own simulation lab, which is used to provide required combat medical training for soldiers, and CPR, first aid and AED training for units on post.

"We can provide most requirements locally for our medics and (licensed practical nurses), but we are always looking at ways to complete the circle without sending our medics to other posts if we don't have to," said Capt. Andrew Ingalls, Medical Company commander.

Munson Army Health Center supports Fort Leavenworth and the Combined Arms Center through readiness, wellness and healthcare for service members, retirees and their families.



Photos by Maria Christina Yager/Munson Army Health Center Public Affairs

Capt. Andrew Ingalls, Medical Company commander at Munson Army Health Center; Lt. Col. Gwendolyn O'Keefe, MAHC deputy commander for nursing; Karen Kidder, Nursing Division director at the University of Saint Mary; and Tim Stevens, MAHC deputy commander for quality and safety, speak in the university's medical simulation lab Oct. 4 in Leavenworth.



LEFT: Officials from Munson Army Health Center visit with University of Saint Mary representatives to discuss existing and potential partnership opportunities Oct. 4 in Leavenworth. MAHC currently provides clinic training opportunities for university students pursuing a master of science in nursing family nurse practitioner degree.

BELOW: Capt. Andrew Ingalls, Munson Army Health Center, Medical Company commander, shows Tim Stevens, MAHC deputy commander for quality and safety, a class photo from Ingalls' nursing school graduation from the University of Saint Mary during a visit to the university Oct. 4 in Leavenworth.



Karen Kidder, Nursing Division director at the University of Saint Mary, speaks with Medical Company Commander Capt. Andrew Ingalls, Munson Army Health Center Deputy Commander for Quality and Safety Tim Stevens and MAHC Deputy Commander for Nursing Lt. Col. Gwendolyn O'Keefe Oct. 4 at the university in Leavenworth. Officials from MAHC visited the nearby university to discuss existing and potential partnership opportunities.



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Frontier Freedom 5K/10K draws record participation

by Mark H. Wiggins/CGSC Foundation

More than 180 people participated in the Command and General Staff College Foundation's third annual Frontier Freedom 5K/10K Run/Walk Oct. 13 on Fort Leavenworth.

As in each previous year, the race started and finished in the loop of the Frontier Army Museum, but this year the event included both a five-kilometer and a 10-kilometer race.

• In the 5K race, Roj Abdi from Fort Leavenworth won the top overall male prize with a time of 20 minutes, eight seconds.

• Lisa Jewell from Shawnee, Kansas, took the top female finish in the 5K with a time of 21:49. • In the 10K race, Zach Valentine from Avon Lake, Ohio, seized the top place overall and first in the men's division with a time of 39:44.

• Amanda Dopson from Overland Park, Kansas, took the top female prize in the 10K with a time of 48:04. She finished in 10th place overall.

The race wound through the streets of Fort Leavenworth, along the bluffs overlooking the Missouri River, past many of the historic homes and buildings, and back to the museum. The 10K race route included a loop inside the Old U.S. Disciplinary Barracks and continued on the road toward the new confinement facility to a turn-around point. The 10K route drew many comments about the challenge of the hills along the way.

The race participants hailed from 15 different states and included some family groups pushing



Photo by Mark H. Wiggins/CGSC Foundation

Runners push off from the starting line at 9 a.m. for the Command and General Staff College Foundation's third annual Frontier Freedom 5K/10K Run/Walk Oct. 13 outside the Frontier Army Museum.

strollers and others running with their dogs. The CGSC Foundation designed the Frontier Freedom 5K/10K as a family-oriented event with so participants can be serious competitors or just out as a fun time with family and friends getting some exercise.

"As always, we want to thank our sponsors for

helping make this event possible," said CGSC Foundation President/CEO Lora Morgan. "We set the bar even higher this year with more than 200 registrations. This is a great event that draws participation both from on-post and the greater Kansas City area."

Morgan added that the annual race has helped

build awareness for not only the CGSC Foundation, but also for CGSC and Fort Leavenworth. The museum was open throughout the event to welcome the runners and their families and provide them an opportunity to learn about the rich history of Fort Leavenworth.

Morgan thanked all the

volunteers who helped make the race a success, especially Ralph Erwin and Tom Gray, both former instructors at CGSC.

Funds raised from the Frontier Freedom 5K/10K will support the education and welfare of U.S. and international students, staff and faculty at CGSC.

For full results of the

race, visit <https://runsignup.com/FrontierFreedom> and click on the "Results" menu item.

Visit the CGSC Foundation Flickr album for pre-race and race photos at <https://flic.kr/s/aHBqjBNb6M> and division winner photos at <https://flic.kr/s/aHBqjBN-fqS>.

Pet of the Week

Photo by Prudence Siebert/Fort Leavenworth Lamp

Adult male apricot-point Siamese cat Goku is currently available for adoption at the Fort Leavenworth Stray Facility. Neuter surgery, microchipping and vaccinations are included in his adoption fee.

Visit www.FLSF.petfinder.com for pet profiles, e-mail fortleavenworthstrayfacility@gmail.com for an adoption application, and call 913-684-4939 for more information.

The Fort Leavenworth Stray Facility, at 510 Organ Ave., is open 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and by appointment for pre-approved adopters. Call 913-684-4939 to schedule an appointment. Military affiliation is not required to adopt from the Fort Leavenworth Stray Facility.

Volunteers are needed to help cover pet care shifts, walk dogs, clean kennels and more. Foster homes for adoptable pets are also needed. To apply to volunteer with the Fort Leavenworth Stray Facility, enter ZIP code 66027, then search for "stray animal facility" at <https://vmis.armyfamilywebportal.com/>.

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OCTOBER 17, 2024



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Online: <https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/about/news>

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**THURSDAY
OCTOBER 17**

Arts & Crafts Studio:

Kids Mess Monster Art

11AM - 12PM

Info: (913) 684-3373

**FRIDAY
OCTOBER 18**

• BOSS Movie Post Theater:

Scooby-doo Zombie Island

Haunted Classic (PG)

7PM

**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 19**

• Haunted Homes Tour

6PM • Post wide

• Little Weenie Pumpkin Fun

Shoot • 9AM

Brunner Range

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

WORKSHOP & WORKOUT!

Join the Family Advocacy Program for a WEEKLY Workshop & Workout for Domestic Violence Awareness Month!

11:00a.m.-12:30p.m.
Every Saturday in October!

To Reserve Your Spot Call or Text 913-683-2537

600 Thomas Ave.
Bldg. 198
Room 157

FORT LEAVENWORTH 2024 RETIREE APPRECIATION DAY & HEALTH FAIR

SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER 2024
LEWIS & CLARK CENTER
REGISTRATION STARTS AT 0800
OPENING PROGRAM STARTS AT 0900
VENDORS/ID CARDS OPENS AT 1000

MUNSON ARMY HEALTH CLINIC WILL HOST A HEALTH FAIR
FLU SHOTS (IF AVAILABLE) FOR TRICARE BENEFICIARIES
HANCOCK LODGE – CANCER SCREENING

THE POST EXCHANGE AND COMMISSARY WILL HAVE SPECIALS DURING THE DAY.

SUPPORTING OUR MILITARY RETIREE COMMUNITY IS OUR HONOR AND TOP PRIORITY. STAY INFORMED OF ALL BENEFITS FOR RETIREES BY GOING TO:

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WE WELCOME YOU TO THIS YEAR'S EVENT!

<https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/index.php/nav-fort/all-services/retirement-services-office>

****60 YEARS OF HONORING RETIREES****

BOSS presents HAUNTED CLASSICS!

4 FREE movies for October Hallows!

Post Theater/ Grant Ave
Movies start at 7pm
Must show your DoD ID at the door!

It's spooky season! Creepy cinema classics abound!

- Oct 4**
Beetlejuice PG 90min
Starting off with everyone's favorite wise guy, Beetlejuice will bring you back to 1988! Strap in, grab a zagnut, it's showtime!
- Oct 11**
Addams Family Values PG 94min
Calling all Morticias and Gomez! Snap your fingers along with this kooky classic from 1993!
- Oct 18**
Scooby-doo Zombie Island G 77min
"Ruh-roh Raggy! Zombies!"
Jump into the Mystery Machine and travel back to 1998 to solve a mystery with Scooby and the gang!
- Oct 25**
Hocus Pocus PG 96min
Run amok, amok, amok with the Sanderson sisters in this 1993 cult classic!

Prepackaged snacks and drinks can be purchased at the snack bar. No outside food or drink are authorized. The snack bar is cash only.
For all movie children 12 and under MUST be accompanied by an adult.
For more info call 913-684-3373

TRICK or TREAT

Friends of the Frontier Army Museum

18 OCT 5-7 PM

History • Fun • Candy

Frontier Army Museum
100 Reynolds Ave, Fort Leavenworth

Ages 12 and under

Let us know you're coming

VOLUNTEER

Trick or Treat at Frontier Army Museum
Friday, October 18 | 1700-1900

Sign up to be a Candy Stop in the museum

Each stop will have a few lines to share about the history in the nearby exhibits

NOTICES

■ Anyone with DEBTS OWED TO OR BY THE ES-TATE OF CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER 4 WILLIAM D. DICKINSON must contact Maj. Matthew Schenaker at 913-684-9452, 540-623-6040, or matthew.w.schenaker.mil@army.mil. CW4 Dickinson passed away Sept. 20.

■ SMITH LAKE HAS BEING DRAINED again to allow for a repair to the outlet structure that was leaking. The repair should be completed in a few weeks, the structure closed, and with rain or snow, filled again in December or January.

■ SIDEWALK REPAIRS in housing areas are underway. For more information, visit the Fort Leavenworth Garrison Facebook page or contact the Frontier Heritage Communities Maintenance Team at 913- 651-3838.

■ Phase 1 construction of the GRANT PARK IMPROVEMENT PROJECT has begun. Phase 1 includes a concrete walking path with park benches, four pickleball courts with a covered area between the courts with picnic tables, a tennis court, a soccer field, lighting and barbecue grills. Construction is anticipated to be complete by May 2025. See the Sept. 19, 2024, issue of the

Fort Leavenworth Lamp for more information. Archives and the latest issue are available at <https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/about/news>.

■ Leavenworth Unified School District 453 has created a form at <https://www.usd453.org/saysomething/> WHERE SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY CAN BE REPORTED for review/investigation by district administrators. Ensuring public safety is a shared responsibility. Report suspicious activity to local law enforcement or a trusted authority.

Break the Silence
Glow Walk
 For Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Join Fort Leavenworth's Army Community Service for a powerful and illuminating evening dedicated to raising awareness of Domestic Violence.

October 24
 6:30pm
 @ The Resiliency Center

Stand in solidarity with Survivors as you walk the route, stop at interactive stations, hear their stories, and learn how you can support those affected by Domestic Violence.

Participants are encouraged to wear purple to represent the collective strength of our community in breaking the silence surrounding Domestic Violence. The walk will begin and end at the Resiliency Center with participants visiting stations along the route.

FREE and no registration required. Call 913-683-2537 for more information.

FORT LEAVENWORTH MWR SPOOKTACULAR OCTOBER CALENDAR

MONDAY OCTOBER 21
 Family Fun Day at the Golf Course:
 Kids golf for FREE with paid adult
 7:30AM - 5:30PM
 Info: (913) 651-7176

TUESDAY OCTOBER 22
 There is still time to volunteer to be a Zombie at this weeks Zombie Run!

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 23
 Arts & Crafts Studio:
 Pumpkins and Picasso
 1PM - 3PM
 Info: (913) 684-3373

THURSDAY OCTOBER 24
 ACS Break the Silence
 Glow Walk for DVAM
 Starts at 6:30PM
 Resiliency Center

FRIDAY OCTOBER 25
 • BOSS Movie Post Theater:
 Hocus Pocus (PG) • 7PM
 • Haunted Homes Tour
 6PM • Post wide

SATURDAY OCTOBER 26
 • CYS Halloween Fun Run
 8AM • FREE • Resiliency Center
 • Zombie Fun Run
 6PM

MUNSON ARMY HEALTH CENTER
TRUNK or TREAT
 5-7 P.M., THURS., OCT. 24

Haunted House - Bounce House
 Indoor Trick or Treat Area

Volunteers/Candy Donations Welcome

Email geteria.n.hunter.mil@health.mil to sign-up up a trunk!

YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS Halloween FUN RUN
 SATURDAY, OCT 26

Registration 8:00am - 8:45am
 Run Begins 9:00am

The Resiliency Center
 600 Thomas Ave

Participants under 12 will receive a Participation Medal, a Free Treat Bag, and entry into the Child and Youth Center Trick or Treat Zone!

Participants under 8 years old must run/walk with an adult 18+. Participants may run or walk the 1k or 5k event.

CALL 913-684-7525 / 7526 FOR MORE INFO

FREE!
 VOLUNTEERS ENCOURAGED

HARROLD YOUTH CENTER
MANSION OF CHILLS
 ENTER IF YOU DARE

HAUNTED HOUSE

45 BIDDLE BLVD
 OCT 31
 6PM - 8PM

\$5 PER PERSON
 \$15 PER FAMILY

RECOMMENDED FOR AGES 10 AND OLDER
 Use Parental discretion for younger Children.

For more information call 913-684-5118

MWR PRESENTS WITH SUPPORT FROM THE FRIENDS OF THE FRONTIER ARMY MUSEUM
FORT LEAVENWORTH HAUNTED TOUR
 Oct 25 & 26

Starting at 6:00pm
 Old USDB
 310 McPherson

Tours are approximately an hour and thirty minutes long and cover 1.35 miles.
 Be prepared to walk!

Four groups are limited to 30 people or less. Groups will be spaced 15 minutes apart.

Open to the general public ages 13 and up.
 Non DoD ID card holders must have a Visitor's Pass to gain access to Ft. Leavenworth.

FREE EVENT!
 Please do not provide billing information.

The past is dying to meet you... leavenworth.armymwr.com

COMBINED ARMS RESEARCH LIBRARY
READ & TREAT STORYTIME

OCTOBER 31ST (W) 10AM

IN THE LIBRARY ATRIUM BY THE MAIN STAIRCASE

PLEASE COME DRESSED UP, THERE WILL BE A TRICK-OR-TREATING OPORTUNITY AFTER STORYTIME!

FORT LEAVENWORTH HAUNTED TOUR
 19 OCTOBER 2024
VOLUNTEER

- Storytellers
 - You are the tour! Help bring history to life
- Tour Guide
 - Keep tour groups moving along in a timely manner
- Tour Tails
 - Keep tour groups together
- Misc Tour Assistance
 - Check-in, parking, set up, clean up

Tour on Oct. 19 is SOLD OUT but volunteers are needed!



Trunk or Treat

Friday - October 25th

5 pm - 7 pm

Post Exchange Parking Lot

Come visit the Commissary's booth for your goodies!

HOWL-O-WEEN PET COSTUME PHOTO CONTEST

DRESS YOUR PET IN THEIR FAVORITE HALLOWEEN COSTUME FOR A CHANCE TO WIN UP TO \$500

2 GRAND PRIZE WINNERS RECEIVE A \$500 EXCHANGE GIFT CARD.

8 RUNNER UP WINNERS RECEIVE A \$250 EXCHANGE GIFT CARD.

ROYAL CANIN 2023 GRAND PRIZE WINNERS

Steven S. Fairchild AFB

Gabriel O. Ramstein AFB

Enter October 1 - 31, 2024 at shopmyexchange.com/sweepstakes

HALLOWEEN COSMIC BOWLING

Oct 26
 6pm - 9pm
 \$10

Come out and have a fantgastic time at the Strike Zone! This special is so ghoul-d, it's scary!

Enter the costume contest to win fa-BOO-lous prizes!

- Kids Category
- Adult Category
- Overall Wackiest

For more information call 913-651-2195

Soldier and DoD Civilian Political Activity

do's

- ✓ Register to vote. Visit fvap.gov for more information.
- ✓ Vote in person or via absentee ballot.
- ✓ Use voting assistance office for help and information.
- ✓ Like a Facebook page or follow a social media account of a political party or candidate.

don'ts

- ✓ Wear uniform at political campaign or election event.
- ✓ Post or make direct links on social media to a political party, candidate, campaign, group or cause.
- ✓ Suggest others like, friend or follow a political party, candidate, campaign, group or cause.

Please note this list is not comprehensive. For complete guidance, see <https://dodsoco.ogc.osd.mil//ETHICS-TOPICS/Political-Activities/>



HARROLD YOUTH CENTER New After School Classes OCTOBER 2024

MONDAY
ZUMBA
HARROLD YOUTH CENTER GYM
4:00-4:50
October 7, 21 & 28th

TUESDAY
Weight Lifting and Strength Training
Gruber Fitness Center / 9th-12th Graders / Transportation Provided
4:00-4:50
Oct 8, 15, 22, & 29

WEDNESDAY
Guitar Lessons with Mr Ron
4:00-4:50 at Harrold Youth Center
Oct 2, 16, 23, 30

THURSDAY
AUTO CRAFT
Learn to change a tire, change the oil and other basic maintenance
Auto Craft Center / 9th-12th Graders / Transportation Provided
4:00-4:50
Oct 3, 10 & 24

The following classes are **FREE** for registered members
For more information call 913-684-5118

Fort Leavenworth

Career & Education Fair

5 November, 10 am to 2 pm
Frontier Conference Center

Open to Active Duty, Guard, Reserve, Retirees, Veterans, Family Members, Contractors, & DOD Civilians

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For information call the Transition Assistance Program at 913-684-2227 or email usarmy.TAP.leavenworth@army.mil

Hosted by: Transition Assistance Program & the Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation Directorate

Scan our QR codes & follow us on Facebook & LinkedIn for upcoming events & information

OCTOBER 18-20
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WAR & TECHNOLOGY

Fort Riley Museums

Fort Leavenworth Multicultural Families FRIDAY FUN DAY

Fridays @ The Resiliency Center Room 106
9:30am - 11:00am

Friday Fun Days are all about exchanging ideas and customs, learning about US Military lingo and traditions, navigating life in the Midwest, and making connections with each month's themed activity!

2024 - 2025 FRIDAY FUN DAY CALENDAR

September 13 Munson Walk-thru	January 2025 No meet up! Enjoy your Holidays!	May 9 Farewell
October 11 Pumpkin Carving	February 7 Valentine's Day Traditions	June 27 Potluck
November 8 Thanksgiving Potluck	March 7 Spring Weather in Kansas Moving With Kids	July 18 Education Fair
December 13 White Elephant Gift Exchange Holiday Traditions	April 9 Easter Traditions	

Friday Fun Day is FREE! Registration is not required.
Call 913-684-2830 for more information
leavenworth.armymwr.com

Blood Drive

KNOW YOUR WORLD PRESENTATIONS 2025

	POLAND	18 SEPTEMBER 2024
	FIJI	30 OCTOBER 2024
	PAKISTAN	29 JANUARY 2025
	ECUADOR	19 FEBRUARY 2025
	ANGOLA	26 MARCH 2025

Presentations Start at 1545 in Eisenhower Auditorium and Streamed Live on the CGSC Facebook Page
Open to the Public [ALL ARE WELCOME] to Attend or View Online
All IMS WILL Attend//Presenting IMS' Section Expected to Attend

Fort Leavenworth

Wednesday, Nov. 6th
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Frontier Chapel
625 Thomas Avenue

Prepare to donate

- ✓ Eat well and hydrate
- ✓ Bring a photo ID
- ✓ Fast good and complete fast
- ✓ Weigh 15% or less with potential donors from
- ✓ Meet minimum weight requirements

Appointments are preferred. Book your appointment today at savealifenow.org/group, enter Group Code: BK or scan the QR code at right. For additional details, please contact Wendy Eisele at weisele@cbckc.org or 816-351-1128.

Medical eligibility questions? Please call 800.688.0900.

877.468.6844 - savealifenow.org

LEAVENWORTH COUNTY VETERANS DAY PARADE

November 11, 2024
10:30 am Downtown Leavenworth, KS
Staging begins at 9 am

Go to www.lvetsparade.com or scan the QR Code on the right for Parade Entry Submissions

VETERANS DAY

"Serving Our Nation - Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow"
105th Annual Parade

REGIONAL SFE designation by U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado, and Oklahoma)

INSTALLATION FALL CLEAN-UP

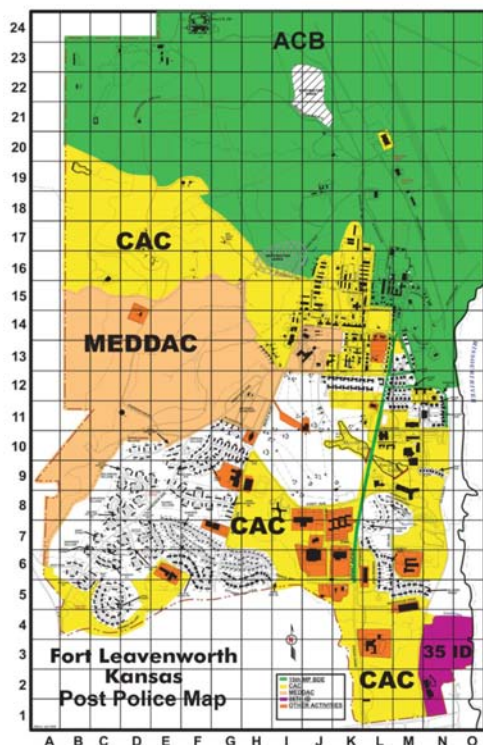
Community partners, civilians, and family members residing on Fort Leavenworth are requested to participate in an installation-wide clean-up to free the post of debris, waste, and environmental hazards. The CAC Subordinate Organizations, Garrison and Tenants are required to support.

OCT. 28 - NOV. 15

SINGLE SOLDIER QUARTERS AND ALL INSTALLATION OFFICES: **OCT. 28 - NOV. 1**
HOUSING AREAS: **NOV. 4-8**
UNIT AORS (MAP): **NOV. 12-15**

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Invest in your marriage this year!

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Each Date Night begins with a faith-based marriage enrichment presentation. Then couples are released to go out on a date and further discuss the topic together. Children will remain safely supervised by childcare professionals at Frontier Chapel (6-10 pm or pick up kids earlier)!

For more information and to register scan the QR code or call 913-680-7336

Catholic Women of the Chapel

CWOC meets Thursdays at 9:00am in the Pioneer Chapel Activity Room

NEW

CWOC Evening Meeting
Thursdays, 6:00-8:00pm at Pioneer Chapel, Room 142

LEARN MORE >>

Find our complete calendar on Facebook 'CWOC Fort Leavenworth'

Combined Arms Research Library

STORYWALK®

StoryWalk® was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and has developed with the help of Rachel Senechal, Kellogg-Hubbard Library

New story out each Monday

Read the Story

Take a Nice Walk

Enter into the book drawings

Thank you to the CGSC Foundation for sponsoring this event!

MWR presents:

SENSORY STORY TIME

Every 3rd Tuesday of the month
9:30 am - 10:30 am
@ The CARL Library

FREE and open to all DoD ID holders! All ages are encouraged to join!
POC 913-684-2871 / 2838

STORYTIME @ THE LIBRARY

Join us!

- Held in the Children's Room
- Every Tuesday @9:30a.m.
- Family Storytime (Open to all ages)
- Storytime with stay & play after

CARL LIBRARY

October 2024

The CARL's Community Events Calendar

The Ike Skelton Combined Arms Research Library
913-758-3001
follow us on Facebook: @CombinedArmsResearchLibrary
*Activities are subject to change

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Closed Sundays	StoryWalks(R)	Storytime@0930				
	7 StoryWalks(R)	8 Storytime@0930	9	10	11	12
	14 CLOSED FOR COLUMBUS DAY	15 Sensory Storytime @ 9:30am	16	17	18	19
	21 StoryWalks(R)	22 Storytime@0930	23	24	25	26
	28 StoryWalks(R)	29 Storytime@0930	30	31 Read & Treat Storytime @ 1000		

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Wednesday, October 30, 2024 at 5:30 PM CDT

Speaker Series: "Contribution to Victory: Western University and its role in World War I"

100 Reynolds Ave, Fort Leavenworth, KS, United States, Kansas 66027

The Department of Military History

presents

A Confused Heap of Facts

Craving more history content? Long drive on a 3-day weekend and need a break from true crime? Lawn needs to be mowed (again) and your gym playlist isn't the right vibe?

A Confused Heap of Facts might be just what you need! It is a podcast hosted by the CGSS Dept. of Military History, where your professors discuss topics in military history, ranging from antiquity to the present.

Broad-Gauge Gossips

Broad-Gauge Gossips podcast interviews DMH professors, allowing you to learn more about their research interests.

With over 90 episodes, covering a broad variety of topics and time periods, there's sure to be some something to scratch that history itch from the comfort of your couch, car, or lawnmower; no book required! Available at Apple with the QR codes above, or wherever you get your podcasts.

Dental Assistant Training Program

American Red Cross Fort Leavenworth Dental Clinic Command

INTERESTED IN THE DENTAL ASSISTANT TRAINING PROGRAM?

The Dental Assistant Program is a combination of classroom and hands-on basic education and clinical skills. The program is designed to provide the skills necessary for volunteers to become employed at a Dental Treatment Facility (DTF). Please note, employment is not guaranteed.

This is a valuable training opportunity where dental trainees MUST commit to a six (6) month period required for completion. First 2 weeks in lectures then rest of the 22 weeks in clinic hands-on experience.

Training day is from 0720-1600 Monday - Friday

- Must have valid DoD sponsored ID card
- Retiree or family member of active/guard/reserve retired with regular post access privileges.
- Must be 18 years old or older prior to start of program.
- High School Graduate or GED.
- Candidates must have or be willing to complete BLS training and vaccination requirements prior to start of program.
- There is no cost for those accepted.
- Candidates will be chosen based on application, essay, and individual interviews.
- Applications accepted, and interviews conducted now through 15 Dec 24
- Training begins on 3 Feb 25
- Contact American Red Cross today for an application packet!

START HERE FOR A GREAT OPPORTUNITY

American Red Cross
Jason.Ramlow@redcross.org
Phone: (816) 536-0108

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Free Dental Assistant Training

- Brought to you by the American Red Cross & the Ft. Leavenworth Dental Clinic Command
- 2 weeks lectures and 22 weeks chairside on the job clinical training (1000 hours total). All done as a volunteer.
- Must be military ID holder, HS grad, and age 18+ to apply.
- Training will be at Smith Dental Clinic, 520 Pope Ave.
- Applications available now and interviews held now through 15 Dec 24. Training begins on Monday, Feb. 3rd, 2025.
- Call the Red Cross at 816-536-0108 or email: Jason.Ramlow@redcross.org for an application.

American Red Cross



STRONGHOLD DISTRIBUTION & HAPPY BOTTOMS

By Appointment Only

www.strongholdfoodpantry.org

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2 Open Pantry & Happy Bottoms 11:00 - 1:00	3	4	5
6	7 DONATIONS 12:00-2:00	8 Open Pantry & Happy Bottoms 11:00 - 1:00	9 CLOSED	10	11	12
13	14 CLOSED	15	16 Open Pantry & Happy Bottoms 11:00 - 1:00	17 Volunteer Orientation TBD	18	19
20	21 DONATIONS 12:00-2:00	22	23 Open Pantry & Happy Bottoms 11:00 - 1:00	24	25	26
27 Back to the Basics Cooking Series	28 DONATIONS 12:00-2:00	29 Volunteer Orientation TBD	30 Open Pantry & Happy Bottoms 11:00 - 1:00	31		

Stronghold Christmas Depot

- ★ Register a family in need
- ★ Donors & Sponsors Needed
- ★ Volunteer to Help

www.strongholdfoodpantry.org

Become a Sponsor

Businesses, organizations, and individuals can sponsor a child (1) or a family (multiple children) to shop Stronghold's Christmas Depot.

Too busy to shop? You can provide a financial gift that allows Stronghold to purchase toys and clothing for military children on behalf of you, the sponsor.

All donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.

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Hunger Buster Pack

POWERED BY: FTLV THRIFT STORE

Do you have a school aged child that could use a pack filled with breakfast, lunch, and snack goods to help them sustain a healthy active lifestyle over school break?

Bring your pack back for a REFILL or register online to pick up your pack.

STRONGHOLD FOOD PANTRY
More than a food pantry.

Make a donation

Donate new toys, books, art supplies, or clothing. These gifts will be carefully wrapped and gifted to military children.

If you are unsure of what to give, you can opt for a monetary donation that allows Stronghold to purchase gifts and items needed for military families.

All donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.

www.strongholdfoodpantry.org

Register a Family

Families, in need of additional support, can register to participate in this year's Stronghold Christmas Depot.

Families will have the ability to shop for their child's gifts with dignity and care. Limited availability (kids 18 and under).

ALL information shared will be kept confidential.

www.strongholdfoodpantry.org

Stronghold: Happy Bottoms Program

Powered by: Rapid Response Charities

Free Monthly Diaper Distribution

Email: contact@strongholdfoodpantry.org

STRONGHOLD FOOD PANTRY
More than a food pantry.

Ft. Leavenworth International Loan Closet

Located in the alley off McClellan & Kearny
Hours Vary, Check FB Page

Donations & Volunteers Welcome



FAMILY ADVOCACY PROGRAM



Mon- Fri 8:00 am-4:00 p.m. with limited hours Thrs 1-4:00 p.m. | 913-684-HELP (4357) / 2800

OCTOBER

Resiliency Center, 600 Thomas Ave, Building 198 ***ACS is closed for lunch from 1130-12:30pm daily***

Domestic Violence Awareness Month

NEW PARENT SUPPORT PROGRAM

*Call 913-297-3212/9704 to register for NPSP events

Stroller Walk

Tuesdays, 10:00am - 11:00am

Toddler Time

Wednesdays, 9:00am Resiliency Center Playroom

Story Time

Wednesdays, 10:00am Resiliency Center, Room 157

Play Morning

Thursdays, 9:00am - 10:00am & 10:00am - 11:00am Resiliency Center, Playroom

Breastfeeding Class

Oct. 7, 5:00pm - 7:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 157

Newborn Care Class

Oct. 21, 5:00pm - 7:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 157

Dad's Night Out

Oct. 23, 6:00pm - 8:00pm Restaurant TBD

Potty Training Class

Oct. 28, 5:00pm - 7:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 157

Mom's Night Out

Oct. 30, 6:00pm - 8:00pm Restaurant TBD



FAMILY ADVOCACY PROGRAM

*Registration Required for all FAP events

Scream Free Parenting

Oct. 2, 1:00-2:30pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Anger Management Series

Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 1:30-3:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Mom & Me Crocheting

Oct. 4, 1:00-3:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Workshop & Workout

Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, 11:00am-12:30pm Resiliency Center, Room 157

Co-Parenting Workshop

October 7, 14, 21, 28, 12:00-1:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 145 virtual options available

5 Love Languages

Oct. 9, 1:00pm- 2:30pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Navigating the Teen Years

October 16, 1:00-12:30pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Anger Management

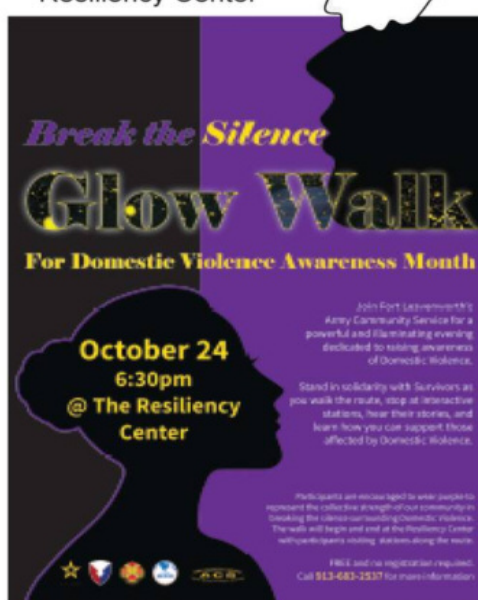
Oct. 17, 11:30am-1:00pm Resiliency Center, Room 145

Positive Parenting

Oct. 18 & 25, Microsoft Teams

Domestic Violence Awareness Glow Walk

Oct. 24, 6:30pm Resiliency Center



Wear Purple on Tuesdays in Support of Domestic Violence Survivors!



<https://leavenworth.armymwr.com/>

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facebook.com/FortLeavenworthFMWR

<https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/>

- Family Advocacy Program -

Victim Advocacy Program

1 in 3 women and 1 in 4 men have experienced some form of domestic violence by an intimate partner in their lifetime.

If you or someone you know is experiencing violence by an intimate partner, please reach out to the victim advocacy program at 913.683.2537

October DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
		Wear Purple Tuesdays!	Scream Free Marriage Class 600 Thomas Ave. DVAM Proclamation Signing 1:30pm 600 Thomas Ave.	DVAM Fact Domestic Violence Occurs Every 9 Seconds	Couples Activity! Go For a Walk With Your Partner	Workshop & Workout 11:00-12:30PM 600 Thomas Ave.
Domestic Violence Awareness Table at PX & Commissary						
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
DVAM Fact 1 in 3 Women Have Been in an Abusive Relationship	Anger Management Class 10-11:30am 600 Thomas ave. Rm. 145	Wear Purple Tuesdays!	5 Love Languages for Couples 1-2:30pm 600 Thomas ave. Rm. 145	DVAM Fact 1 in 4 Men Have Been in an Abusive Relationship	Couples Activity! Read 5 Love Languages with Your Partner	Workshop & Workout 11:00-12:30PM 600 Thomas Ave.
Domestic Violence Awareness Table at PX & Commissary						
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
DVAM Fact Intimate Partner Violence accounts for 15% of all Violent Crimes	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Wear Purple Tuesdays!	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Anger Management Class 10-11:30am 600 Thomas ave. Rm. 145	Couples Activity! Movie Night With Your Partner	Workshop & Workout 11:00-12:30PM 600 Thomas Ave.
Domestic Violence Awareness Table at PX & Commissary						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
DVAM Fact: Animal Abuse Increases Lethality in Relationships Where Abuse is Present	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Wear Purple Tuesdays!	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Break the Silence Glow Walk & Trick-or-Treat 6:00-7:30pm Resiliency Center 600 Thomas ave.	Couples Activity! Cook a Meal With Your Partner	Workshop & Workout 11:00-12:30PM 600 Thomas Ave.
Domestic Violence Awareness Table at PX & Commissary						
27	28	29	30	31		
DV Resource: National Hotline 1.800.799.7233 Local DV hotline 913-683-2537	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Wear Purple Tuesdays!	Co-Parenting Workshop 12-1:00pm 600 Thomas ave.	Family Activity! Trick-or-Treating! Happy Halloween!		
Domestic Violence Awareness Table at PX & Commissary						
Contact the Family Advocacy Program to Register for all classes listed above 913-684-2800						

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE EDUCATION AND SUPPORT GROUP

When:
November 7th and 21st
December 5th & 19th
January 2nd, 16th & 30th
February 13th & 27th
1:00PM-2:30PM

THIS GROUP IS:
- SAFE
- RELATABLE
- EDUCATIONAL
- RELEVANT
- CONFIDENTIAL

Where:
Resiliency Center
600 Thomas Ave
Room 145

FOR QUESTIONS CALL 913-683-2537

MOM & ME CROCHETING

Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6
1pm - 3pm
Room 145
600 Thomas Ave

Come on out and learn a new skill, or perfect an existing one! An instructor will be available to teach the basics.

"Stitch" together and bond with your kids! Supplies and snacks will be provided! Have a favorite yarn? You're welcome to bring it!

Please RSVP one day prior to class
Call 913-684-2808/2800

FREE! Ages 8+

UNITED STATES ARMY COMBINED ARMS CENTER AND FORT LEAVENWORTH SEXUAL HARASSMENT AND SEXUAL ASSAULT RESPONSE WORKFORCE

 Ms. Amanda Bouseigneur Lead SARC Amanda.bouseigneur.civ@army.mil Office: 913-684-2810 Cell: 913-704-9620 Bldg 197, 632 McClellan Ave	 For Assistance contact LTC Craig Arnold Hiring Underway Supervisory SARC	 SFC Jerri Osborne Team 1 SARC jerri.Losborne.mil@army.mil Office: 913-684-1698 Cell: 913-565-0741 Bldg 77, Room 1209, 290 Grant Ave	 LTC Craig Arnold Interim Supervisory SARC Team 2 SARC craig.d.arnold.mil@army.mil Office: 913-684-2818 Teams: 520-692-8849 Cell: 913-704-9604 Bldg 197, 632 McClellan Ave	 SFC Jacob Roach Team 3 SARC jacob.w.roach.mil@army.mil Office: 913-684-0956 Cell: 913-547-5075 835 Sabalu Rd	 For Assistance contact LTC Craig Arnold Hiring Underway Team 4 SARC
 Vacant Hiring Underway Team 1 Victim Advocate	 Ms. Nicole Hernandez Team 2 Victim Advocate Maureennicole.n.hernandez.civ@army.mil Office: 913-684-5230 Cell: 913-544-9243 Bldg 58, 614 Custer Rd	 Mr. Josh Belle Team 4 Victim Advocate joshua.p.belle.civ@army.mil Office: 913-684-0956 Cell: 913-680-5699 835 Sabalu Rd	 For Assistance contact the SHARP Hotline Hiring Underway Team 4 Victim Advocate		

We Have Realigned Under a New Installation Model

- Team 1 AAFES, ACS, AFC, ARI, CDID, Cemetery, CID, CPAC, DeCA, DES, DLA/DMPA, FMWR, LRC, MCCoE, MICC, Museum, NEC, PAO, RCI Housing, TDS/SJA, TRAC, USAFMSA, USAG HQ, USASMDIC, USD 207, and US STAG CMD.
- Team 2 CAC HQ, CAC-T HQ, MCTR, NSC, STB, TMD, 505th CCW and 500th/67th MP
- Team 3 ACB, MWJRCF, USDB
- Team 4 Army U, CGSC, Dental, DLI, MAHC staff, Patients, SAMS, SOf, TRADOC, Veterinarian, and Other Service Staff tenant personnel

Fort Leavenworth 24/7 SHARP Hotline
913-683-1443
DoD Safe Help Line
877-955-5247

Find us on Facebook WeCare App

Sexual Harassment Complaint Reporting Option
Formal | Informal | Anonymous
Sexual Assault Reporting Option
Restricted | Unrestricted
Retaliation Reporting Options
Command | IG | SARC | DoD Safe Helpline

#NotInOurArmy
As of 13 August 2024

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE



Mon- Fri 8:00 am-4:00 p.m. with limited hours Thrs 1-4:00 p.m. | 913-684-HELP (4357) / 2800

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EMPLOYMENT READINESS PROGRAM Offers job search assistance, job referrals, resume review and employment resources. Call to schedule one-on-one or register for classes.

Federal Employment
Oct. 9, 9:00am - 11:00am
Resiliency Center, Room 157

Follow us @Fort Leavenworth ERP on FB to find job announcements.

ARMY VOLUNTEER CORPS (AVC)

To register for a volunteer account or find volunteer opportunities visit:
<https://vmis.armyfamilywebportal.com/>



**CALL ACS TO REGISTER FOR CLASSES TODAY!
ALL EVENTS LISTED ARE FREE!**

<https://leavenworth.armymwr.com/>

HAPPY HALLOWEEN

SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES

Follow us on FB to find job announcements.
<https://www.facebook.com/FortLeavenworthSurvivorOutreachServices>

EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM (EFMP)
*Registration Required for EFMP events

EFMP Refreshing Conversations
Oct. 3, 10:00am -11:00am,
Resiliency Center

EFMP Playground Palooza
Oct. 8, 10:00am -11:00am
EFMP Playground

EFMP Recreational Bowling
for EFMP Families
Oct. 5, 12:00pm-2:00pm
Strike Zone Bowling Center

RELOCATION READINESS PROGRAM

In-Processing Brief Tuesdays,
9:00am - 10:00am Resiliency Center, Room 157

OCONUS Levy Brief Tuesdays,
10:00am - 11:00am Resiliency Center, Room 157

Multi-Cultural Families Friday Fun Day- Pumpkin Carving
Oct 11, 9:30am - 11:00am
Resiliency Center, Room 106

Hearts Apart Bowling for Families of Deployed Service Members
Oct. 5, 12:00pm-2:00pm Strike Zone Bowling Center

Lending Closet
Are you In/Out-Processing and need essentials? ACS has short-term basic items to help you get by.

- kitchenware
- cookware
- small appliances



ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF (AER) provides emergency assistance to active duty service members, their families, and retired service members.

For emergency financial assistance during normal duty hours, call the ACS main line, and after hours, weekend or holiday, call the American Red Cross Call Center at 1-877-272-7337.

Command/Troop Training is also available upon request.



FINANCIAL READINESS PROGRAM Offers appointments & classes by request on TSP, BRS/Continuation Pay, financial counseling, budgeting, retirement, major life events (marriage, divorce, new child, illness & more).

<https://leavenworth.armymwr.com/>

facebook.com/FortLeavenworthACS

facebook.com/FortLeavenworthFMWR

<https://home.army.mil/leavenworth/>

Employment Readiness Program Classes

ACS Classroom • Resiliency Center, 600 Thomas Ave.
Wednesdays • 12PM - 2PM*



Resume Writing:
Mar 20* • June 19* • July 17*
Aug 14* • Sept 25*
Evening Classes:
May 22 • Aug 14 - 5PM - 7PM
Registration required for evening classes



Federal Employment:
Jan 17* • Mar 6* • April 10*
May 8* • June 5* • July 10*
Aug 7* • Sept 11* • Oct 9* • Nov 6*
Evening Classes:
May 15 • Aug 7 - 5PM - 7PM
Registration required for evening classes

Scan QR Code for more info!

Interview Skills & Professionalism:
Feb 21* • May 22*
July 24* • Aug 21*

Classes are from 12PM - 2PM
Registration is required for evening classes only.
Open to DoD ID card holders.

For more info call:
(913) 684-2800



Playground Palooza!

**Every 2nd Tuesday from 9am - 10am
@ The EFMP Playground**
(through the month of October 2024)

Come out and get to know other EFMP Families while the kids play! Every month there will be a NEW and EXCITING activity for the kids!
Open to EFMP Families only.

Registration is required the Friday before the event.
Call **913-684-2871** or **913-684-2800** for more info

Activities*
May- Chalk Art
June- Art Easels
July- Popsicles
August- Bubbles
September- Juice Boxes
October- Pumpkin Decorating
*Subject to change

ACS Employment Readiness Program Menu of Services

One-on-one appointments and workshops to assist with:

- Career exploration and planning
- Skills and personality assessments
- Education and skills attainment
- Civilian and Federal resume assistance
- Employer referral and job search assistance
- Interview skills and professionalism

For more information, contact the ACS Employment Readiness Program Specialist
913-684-2835/2800

EFMP RECREATIONAL BOWLING

Every first Saturday of the month
12:00pm - 2:00pm
Strike Zone Bowling Center
165 Fourth St

Meet other EFMP families! EFMP Recreational Bowling is a fun way to socialize, and sharpen fine motor skills.

All ages welcome!
FREE for the entire family including shoes! Bumpers, bowling ramps, and lightweight bowling balls are available.

Pre-registration is required the Wednesday before the event.
Call **913-684-2800** for more info or to register

Need to talk to someone who "gets it"?
Come join your fellow EFMP Spouses for

"Refreshing Conversations"

Let's talk about the topics that impact our EFMP community!

Every first Thursday of the month
in the ACS classroom
@ The Resiliency Center
10:00 am - 11:00 am

Aug 1
Sep 5
Oct 3
Nov 7
Dec 5

TEAMS calls will be available starting August 1 from 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Enjoy light refreshments, a delicious drink of the month, and great conversation!

Please register by calling 913-684-2800 or 913-684-2871

ACS AND FAP PRESENTS: POSITIVE PARENTING VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS • 1:30PM - 3PM

ROUND 1: OCTOBER 18, OCT 25, NOV 1, AND NOV 8
ROUND 2: NOV 22, DEC 6, DEC 13, AND DEC 20
ROUND 3: JAN 10, JAN 17, JAN 24, JAN 31
ROUND 4: FEB 7, FEB 14, FEB 21, FEB 28
ROUND 5: MAR 7, MAR 14, MAR 21, MAR 28

THIS FOUR-WEEK COURSE IS DESIGNED TO HELP PARENTS DEVELOP NEW-FYTH DISCIPLINE STRATEGIES, BUILD STRONG RELATIONSHIPS, AND MEET THE NEEDS OF CHILDREN OF ALL AGES.

FREE AND OPEN TO DD ID CARD HOLDERS IN-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND MUST BE DONE THE DAY BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF TRAINING. PARTICIPANTS MUST ATTEND EACH DATE IN THE ROUND OF THEIR CHOICE.

INFO REGISTRATION: (913) 684-2800/2822

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE ACS

Real-Life Solutions for Successful Army Living

Victim Advocate Hotline: (913) 684-2537
Child Abuse Hotline: (913) 684-2111
SHARP Hotline: (913) 683-1443
Chaplain: (913) 683-1443
AER Assistance After Hours:
American Red Cross at (877) 272-7337

VOLUNTEER BASICS

JAN 10 • MARCH 15 • MAY 15 • JUNE 26 • AUG 26 • SEPT 4
ACS CLASSROOM • 600 THOMAS AVE.
TIME: 12PM - 1PM

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY? IF SO, THEN BE SURE TO CHECK OUT VOLUNTEER BASICS. LEARN ABOUT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES ON FORT LEAVENWORTH AND IN THE COMMUNITY. PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN THE BENEFITS OF VOLUNTEERING AND HOW TO PROPERLY LOG MOVIES INTO THE VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM (VIMS).

REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED. JUST SHOW UP.

INFO: (913) 684-2825

ACS New Parent Support Prenatal Classes

Childbirth Classes:
Series of three classes
January 8th, 22nd, 29th
March 4th, 11th, 18th
May 6th, 13th, 20th
July 15th, 22nd, 29th
September 16th, 23rd, 30th
November 4th, 18th, 25th

Newborn Care Classes:
February 12th
April 15th
June 10th
August 12th
October 21st
December 9th

Breastfeeding Classes:
February 5th
April 8th
June 3rd
August 5th
October 7th
December 2nd

Free for Expectant Parents!

600 Thomas Ave
Room 157
All classes are from 5 pm - 7 pm

Deadline for Registration is the Friday before the class. Pre-registration is required. Contact 913-297-3212

Come join us to learn the cues to look for when deciding to potty train! Learn valuable tips to get you started!

ACS New Parent Support Potty Training

Are you ready?

600 Thomas Ave
Room 157
2/26, 4/22, 6/17, 8/19,
10/28, 12/16
5 pm - 7 pm

Time to lose the diapers?

FREE For Parents of Children aged 0-4 years
Pre-registration Required
Deadline is Friday before class
Contact 913-297-3212

Stroller Walk & Talk

Meeting at
The Resiliency Center
600 Thomas Ave
Every Tuesday Morning
March - May
Oct - Nov
10am - 11am
June - Sept
9am - 10am

This is a FREE opportunity to meet other parents of small children, get healthy and socialize all while enjoying the walking paths of Ft. Leavenworth!

Offered to expecting parents and to parents of children through 3 years of age. Must bring your own stroller. Register the day before!

POC 913-297-3212

MOM'S NIGHT OUT

This NEW event is offered by ACS New Parent Support Program for Moms of young children to be able to get out of the house without the kids and meet other Moms at a restaurant. The focus of this event is to improve social connections and to learn about different parts of the town.

Jan 31 • Feb 28 • March 27 • April 24
May 29 • June 26 • July 31 • Aug 28
Sept 25 • Oct 30 • Nov 20 • Dec 11

Time: 6PM • Restaurants TBD

Childcare, food, and drinks are not provided.

For Moms with children 0-3 years old.

Info: (913) 297-3212 or (913) 684-2800

DAD'S NIGHT OUT

Dad's Night Out is offered by ACS New Parent Support Program for Dads of children 0-3 years of age to get out of the house without the kids and meet at a restaurant. The focus of this event is to improve social connections and get to learn different parts of town.

Jan 24 • Feb 21 • March 20 • April 17
May 22 • June 12 • July 24 • Aug 21
Sept 18 • Oct 23 • Nov 13 • Dec 4

Time: 6PM • Restaurants TBD

Childcare, food, and drinks are not provided.

For Dads with children 0-3 years old.

For more info: (913) 297-3212 or (913) 684-2800

SCREAM FREE Parenting

ACS Conference Room 145
600 Thomas Ave
From 1:00 - 2:30pm
June 5, July 10, Aug 7,
Sept 4, Oct 2, Nov 6
Dec 4

Feeling frustrated? Overwhelmed? Let us help you focus on staying both calm and connected with your loved ones. We'll work together to find the tools to revolutionize your relationships with your children.

This class is recommended for parents with children aged 5+.

FREE
Open to all DOD ID holders 18+
leavenworth.armymwr.com

Call to register (deadline is day before training)
913-684-2811 / 2808

ACS Family Advocacy New Parents Support Program Presents

Toddler Time Playgroup

- Free toddler play group.
- Open to ages 2-3 years old with adult.
- Offers an introduction to preschool routines, explores educational concepts, and builds social skills through hands on experiences and activities.

Wednesdays @ 9:00am

Located at the Army Community Service Resiliency Center
600 Thomas Ave. Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Registration required call or text 913-297-3212 or 913-297-9704

ACS Family Advocacy New Parents Support Program

Play Morning
Thursdays from 9-11:00 a.m.
Ages 3 months - 3 years with Guardian • Resiliency Center

Free play group for ages 3 months - 3 years and their parents/guardians.

Enjoy a large play area with interactive activities, toys and crafts to develop gross and fine motor skills. Play with other kids, meet other parents and learn about healthy childhood development.

Army Community Service | Resiliency Center | 600 Thomas Ave. | Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
Registration required, cut off is day before event (913) 297-3212 or (913) 684-2800

5 Love Languages of Teenagers

Do you ever feel like you and your teen are speaking another language?

The "5 Love Languages of Teenagers" class is geared toward caregivers that want to communicate with their teens in a way that everyone feels heard, understood, and most importantly loved.

ACS Classroom 145
Feb 14, May 8, Aug 14, Nov 13
1-2:30pm
FREE

Open to all DOD civilians, active duty, and retired military that are caregivers raising teens
Call to register (deadline is day before class)
913-684-2822 / 2808

ACS Family Advocacy New Parents Support Program Presents

Storytime!

Free
Open to ages 3 months - 3 years old with adult.

Join us for storytime to use our imagination and develop a love of books

Storytime fosters early literacy skills, language development, and social growth.

Every Wednesday @ 10:00 am

Located at the Army Community Service Resiliency Center
600 Thomas Ave. Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Registration required call or text 913-297-3212 or 913-297-9704

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913-684-2822 / 2808

Financial Readiness Milestone Training

Are you financially prepared for what life throws your way? Let us help! We offer free Financial Readiness Training on a variety of subjects.

Some of the topics we will discuss:

- Pre-Deployment Post-Deployment PCS
- Marriage Divorce
- Vesting in TSP
- Promotion First Child
- Continuation Pay
- Disabling sickness/injury/condition

Held monthly every 2nd & 4th Thursday @ 0900am - 1100am. Bldg 198 Room 157

INFO: 913-684-2852 / 2800

Anger Management Course
The Resiliency Center Room 145

Our 8 week Anger Management Course will teach you a new tool every week to stay cool and collected in even the most difficult of settings.

Each week will have real world scenarios, instant feedback, and an opportunity to apply each newly acquired skill in a group setting.

Feeling lost in the storm? We can help.

Round 1: 1:30pm - 3:00pm	Round 2: 1:30pm - 3:00pm
October 3, 10, 17, 24	January 9, 16, 23, 30
November 7, 14, 21	February 6, 13, 20, 27
December 5	

FREE and open to all DOD ID card holders 18+
Deadline to register is the day before the first day of training. Participants must attend each day in the round. Virtual Attendance is available through TEAMS.
Call 913-684-2808 / 2822 for more info

ACS FAP Presents:
5 Love Languages for Couples

January 10 • July 10 • October 9 // 1:00PM-2:30PM
ACS Classroom 145

The 5 love languages couples focuses on the strengthening the connections while learning the core patterns when speaking or giving love to others, and how love is received. Learn how to stay connected, translate love languages and improve relationships.

Deadline to register is day before each class.
FREE and open to DoD ID card holders 18+.
For more info: (913) 684-2811/2808

Scan the QR Code for more info about FAP.

LET'S PLAY!

NEW FOR 2024!
ADULT SPORTS
Doubles Pickleball League

Player's Meeting
 Wednesday Oct 23
 5:30pm @ Gruber Fitness Center
 Letters of Intent due COB Wednesday Oct 30

Harney Sports Complex
New to Pickleball?
 That's okay! This fast growing sport is described as a hybrid of tennis, badminton, and ping pong. It's played on a badminton sized court with a net, hard paddles and perforated plastic balls. There may be less running than tennis, but don't let that fool you! Players can burn serious calories during just 30 minutes of play!

Games
 Mondays & Wednesday 5:30pm - 8:30pm
 Harney Sports Complex

League play starts
 Wednesday Nov 6 - TBD
 League awards are given for regular season champions, tournament runner-ups, and tournament champions.

Open to Active Duty, DOD Civilians, Retirees, Dependents, and Contractors working on Fort Leavenworth that are 18+
 Call 913-684-3224/ 5136 for more information

2024 FT LEAVENWORTH CAC GOLF SCRAMBLE SERIES

April through October; last Friday of each Month

\$50 Members; \$60 Non-Members; Includes all Fees, Range, Lunch, Beverages, Tee Gift and Prizes.
 Lunch and Driving Range Open at 1200; Shotgun start at 1300*
 *July & August 1200 start
APR 26, MAY 31, JUN 28, JUL 26, AUG 30, SEP 27, OCT 25

Trails West Golf Course // 306 Cody Rd
 To register or for additional information call 913-651-7176

FUN SHOOT
 Brunner Range
1st Saturday of the Month
Jan 6 - Dec 7 2024
 Feb 3, Mar 2, Apr 6, May 4, Jun 1, Jul 6, Aug 3, Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2,
 Registration is required and can be done the day of the event from 9AM-10:30AM.
 Space is limited so register early.
 Rental guns and shells are available or bring your own.
 Prizes and awards distributed at the end of each shoot.
Info: (913) 651-8132
701 Sheridan Drive

TURKEY TROT SK

16 NOVEMBER 2024 - 0800
HARNEY SPORTS COMPLEX

INDIVIDUAL \$20 - FAMILY OF 3 \$40
REGISTER BY NOV 14 TO GUARANTEE A T-SHIRT

REGISTER AT THE RESILIENCY CENTER
 406 THOMAS AVE, BLDG 116 - ROOM 22E
 OR AT HARNEY OR GRUBER GYMS

SAME DAY REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 0600
AT HARNEY SPORTS COMPLEX

1ST PLACE IN EACH AGE DIVISION WINS A TURKEY!

MEDALS: 1ST-3RD in each age division (male & female)
 Ages 8-12, 13-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+

WEIGHTLIFTING

First Class is Free!

Learn proper Olympic Lifting technique and how to safely resistance train. Programming is designed to increase Muscle Mass, Strength, and Power. Resistance training has been shown to increase bone density, metabolic rate, cognition, reduce fat accumulation, lower risk of heart disease, and so much more. Start enjoying the benefits!

CLASSES MEET MON, WED, FRI 9:00-10:15 AT HARNEY GYM
\$10 DROP IN RATE OR \$75 MONTH

FOR MORE INFO, (913) 684-2190

913 WEIGHTLIFTING

FUNCTIONAL FITNESS CLASSES

CLASSES
 Monday - Friday
 9:00-10:15am
 Harney Gym
 185 Fourth Street
 Fort Leavenworth, KS

ABOUT
 Classes are designed to increase strength, power, speed, agility, and aerobic capacity by Olympic lifting, weight lifting, gymnastics, and plyometrics. This class is ideal for beginners and elite. Get healthier, get stronger, live longer. Enjoy professional programming in a supportive, encouraging environment.

PRICING
 Monthly rates
 3x week \$75
 5x week \$85
 Drop in \$10

For more info:
949-291-0386

A WOMEN'S ONLY FREE JIU-JITSU SEMINAR
 WITH **COACH DON CASTRO**

NOVEMBER 2ND (Saturday)
Beginner / Advanced Women
FREE JIU-JITSU SEMINAR
1130 - 1230
GRUBER FITNESS CENTER

REGISTRATION IS LIMITED
SIGN UP EARLY
 POC: 254-346-7156

CLOTHING:
 Appropriate Gym Attire
 Gi / No Gi Attire recommended

Starting August 19th, 2024

Fort Leavenworth Group Fitness Classes

GRUBER FITNESS CENTER - 200 Reynolds Ave. - 684-5120
 Mon-Fri: 0500-1800, Sat and Sun: 0800-1700

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
0530			Spin (Karyn)			
0930		Zumba (Lydia)		Zumba (Lydia)		
1200						
1630	Hot Yoga (Kim)	Zumba (Lydia)	Power Cycling (Kim)	Zumba (Lydia)		
1730			Power Yoga (30min) (Kim)			

HARNEY SPORTS COMPLEX - 185 Fourth St. - 684-2190
 Mon-Fri: 0500-1800, Sat and Sun: 0800-1700

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
0800						
1630		*Power Cut (Kim)		*Power Cut (Kim)		

*Power Cut classes are held in the Bubble Gym

Single Ticket For \$5.00
10 Tickets For \$45.00
20 Tickets For \$80.00

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<https://leavenworth.armymwr.com>

Independent Instructor Class Schedule

Gruber Fitness Center

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu Beginner 1830-1930	Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu Beginner 1830-1930	Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu Beginner 1830-1930	
	Advanced 1940-2040	Advanced 1940-2040	Advanced 1940-2040	

1 x a week - \$60 2 x a week - \$75 3 x a week - \$85 Drop in \$20
 First class is FREE! Must have 24 hour access to gym. Classes are 18+ Register in person

Harney Sports Complex

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Olympic Lifting 0900-1015	Resistance Training 0900-1015	Olympic Lifting 0900-1015	Resistance Training 0900-1015	Olympic Lifting 0900-1015
Kids Olympic Lifting 1600-1700 Bubble Gym		Kids Olympic Lifting 1600-1700 Bubble Gym		

Olympic Lifting - \$75 (3 days) \$70 (2 days) \$10 (drop in)
 Resistance Training - \$70 (2 days) \$10 (drop in)
 Kids Olympic Lifting - \$75 (NO drop in)
 First class is FREE! Olympic Lifting and Resistance Training is for 18+

Harney Sports Complex & Aquatics Center
 185 Fourth St
 Ft. Leavenworth, KS
 913-684-2190

Gruber Fitness Center
 200 Reynolds Ave
 Ft. Leavenworth, KS
 913-684-5120

BRAZILIAN JIU-JITSU CLASSES
With Coach Don Castro

TUESDAY & THURSDAY
1830 - 1930 **BEGINNER**
1940 - 2040 **ADVANCED**
Must have 24 Hour Access
Register IN PERSON at the Front Desk, during business hours
Gi and No Gi will alternate every other week.

GRUBER FITNESS CENTER
220 REYNOLDS AVENUE
FORT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS 66027
POC: 294-436-7156

Discover Fort Leavenworth's Fitness Facilities

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M-F 0500-1800
Sat-Sun 0800-1700

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YOU'RE JUST A CLICK AWAY FROM A HEALTHIER YOU!

Adult Sports & Fitness
Scan Here for current information about adult intramural sports, pool hours, eligibility, how to register for 24/7 access, and special programs!

Group Fitness
Scan Here for current fitness classes, schedules, fees, and eligibility. FREE for Active Duty!

WE OFFER 24/7 Gym Access
(After registration)
LET'S GO!

DECIDE TO COMMIT TO SUCCESS

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October - December Workshops

Watercolor	Acrylic
\$30 per workshop	Cost includes all supplies!
Watercolor (Basic Techniques) Wednesday, Oct 9 11am - 1pm Tuesday, Nov 5 6pm - 8pm	Acrylic (Basic Techniques) Tuesday, Oct 15 6pm - 8pm
Watercolor (Color Theory) Wednesday, Oct 16 11am - 1pm Tuesday, Nov 12 6pm - 8pm	Acrylic (Intermediate) *Must sign up for both Tuesday, Oct 22 6pm - 8pm Tuesday, Oct 29 6pm - 8pm
Watercolor (Simple Landscapes) Wednesday, Oct 23 11am - 1pm	
Watercolor (Holiday Cards) Tuesday, Nov 19 6pm - 8pm	
Watercolor (Holiday Wreaths) Tuesday, Dec 3 6pm - 8pm	
Call now to register! 913-684-3373	scan for more info

Arts & Crafts Studio
310 McPherson Ave
913-684-3373

OPEN STUDIO
Hours 10am - 5pm T - F
Ask about our Hourly Fees

Multi-Craft Room
Come use our provided supplies to craft with the whole family!

Painting Studio
Provided watercolor and acrylic supplies to create your own masterpiece.

Framing Studio
Must take Intro to Framing before using DIY Framing Studio.

Pottery Studio (Coming Soon!)

Modern Calligraphy

Basics	Intermediate
\$20 per class	\$20 per class
Wednesday Oct 30 11:30am - 1pm	Wednesday Nov 6 11:30am - 1pm
Special Projects	
Holiday Cards Wednesday Nov 13 11:30am - 1pm	
Holiday Cards Wednesday Dec 4 11:30am - 1pm	
Reoccurring Classes MUST PRE-REGISTER	
Intro to Framing \$40 per class Every 2nd Thursday & 4th Saturday of the month 10am - 2pm	Paint & Sip \$35 per session Every 2nd Friday of the month 6pm - 8pm Must be 21 years or older. BYOB

Come see what's new at the Studio! leavenworth.armymwr.com

October - December Workshops

Acrylic	Crafts
\$35 per class	\$35 per class
Acrylic Pour Tuesday, Oct 29 11am - 1pm	Sweater Pumpkins Friday, Oct 25 11am - 1pm
	Grateful Pie Garland Friday, Nov 22 11am - 1pm
	Holiday Ornaments Tuesday, Dec 10 11am - 1pm
Framing	
\$40 per class	
Intro to Framing *Must pre-register*	
Thursdays Oct 10, Nov 14, Dec 12 10am - 2pm	
Saturdays Oct 26, Nov 23 10am - 2pm	
Call now to register! 913-684-3373	

Arts & Crafts Studio
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Paint & Sip
\$35
Must be 21 years or older.
BYOB

Day of the Dead Pumpkin
Friday
October 11
6pm - 8pm

Festive Gnome
Friday
November 8
6pm - 8pm

Red Scarf Raccoon
Friday
December 13
6pm - 8pm

Cost includes all supplies!

Kids Arts & Crafts

Messy Art	Art History
\$12 per class (ages 7+)	\$15 per class (ages 7+)
Thursday, Oct 3 11am - 12pm	Pumpkins & Picasso Wednesday, Oct 23 1pm - 3pm Thursday, Oct 24 4pm - 6pm
Thursday, Oct 17 11am - 12pm	Macrons & Matisse Wednesday, Nov 20 1pm - 3pm Thursday, Nov 21 4pm - 6pm
Thursday, Nov 14 11am - 12pm	Waffles & Warhol Wednesday, Dec 11 1pm - 3pm Thursday, Dec 12 4pm - 6pm
Thursday, Dec 5 11am - 12pm	
Color Me Happy (Parent & Toddler) \$10 per class	
Thursday, Oct 10, 24 10:30am - 11:30am	
Thursday, Nov 7, 21, 10:30am - 11:30am	
Thursday, Dec 12 10:30am - 11:30am	

Come see what's new at the Studio! leavenworth.armymwr.com



WE ARE HIRING

JOIN OUR TEAM

ELA 8th & 9th Grade Teacher for the 24-25 School Year

APPLY NOW AT WWW.USD207.ORG
» JOB OPPORTUNITIES

CONTACT US
ALAWLESS@USD207.ORG



We're Hiring NOW!

Join our Team as a **Child and Youth Program Assistant** at Fort Leavenworth!
Pay starts at \$18.35 per hour

Great pay and benefits!

- Career Progression & Paid Training
 - Retirement & 401K
 - Priority Childcare Placement & Employee Childcare Discounts
 - Regular Full-Time/Part-Time & FLEX Hours Available
 - Medical, Dental, Vision, & Life Insurance Benefits *
 - Paid Leave, & Paid Federal Holidays for Full-Time & Part-Time
 - Access to Commissary & AAFES Shopping Privileges & MWR Facilities
 - Job Transfer Program Worldwide Through Civilian Employment Assignment Tool
- *Conditions Apply



Scan here to apply!
ArmyMWR.com/cyscareers



2024-2025 School Calendar

July 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		January 2025										
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	Red	Green	Blue	Orange	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	Red	Green	Blue	Orange
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August 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		February 2025										
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29	30	31																			

September 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		March 2025										
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October 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		April 2025										
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November 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		May 2025										
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December 2024							Holiday/No School		Parent/Teacher Confs.		June 2025										
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School Hours	
Elementary School:	8:00 AM - 3:20 PM
Patton Junior High:	7:40 AM - 3:00 PM
Preschool - AM Class:	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Preschool - PM Class:	12:20 PM - 3:20 PM
Early Dismissal/Release Times	
Elementary School:	1:30 PM
Patton Junior High:	1:00 PM
Preschool - AM Class:	10:00 AM
Preschool - PM Class:	2:20 PM

Fort Leavenworth USD 207 Board Approved: 2/26/2024

We're Hiring!



EFMP Systems Navigator
Fort Leavenworth, KS

The Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) is a mandatory enrollment program that works with other military and civilian agencies to provide comprehensive and coordinated community support, housing, educational, medical, and personnel services to families with special needs.

- Minimum Requirements:
- Two years case work experience
 - Experience with Microsoft Suite programs
 - Bachelors Degree
 - Must pass an extensive background check
 - Full-time with Benefits/PTO/Holiday

BSpade@patriotenterprisesllc.com or
<https://patriotenterprisesllc.com/jobs/>



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Fort Leavenworth Care Options Available for Summer 2024 & School Year 2024-2025

Request Before/After School Care & SAC Camps all year round



MILITARY CHILDCARE.COM

Families can use MCC to make requests for SAC programs, which include Before/After School care and Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer Camps, all year round. The online system allows you to search for and submit unlimited SAC requests at any time of the year without waiting for a specific registration time to begin. As soon as school dates are known, all SAC programs will be made available to you so you can submit your requests.

Please Note: Spaces are offered via email based on the sponsor's priority and request for care (RFC) date.

MILITARY CHILDCARE.COM

Using MilitaryChildCare.com, you can find comprehensive information on child care programs worldwide, conduct a customized search for the care you need, and submit a request for care at any time and from any location. Follow these four steps!

- STEP 1 CREATE ACCOUNT**
Go to MilitaryChildCare.com to create an account containing information about your family, or to login using an existing username and password.
- STEP 2 SEARCH and REQUEST CARE**
Search the system for the child care options that best fit your needs and submit your requests for care.
- STEP 3 MANAGE MY REQUESTS**
You can manage your requests for care from anywhere in the world.
- STEP 4 UPDATE MY PROFILE**
Keep your *My Profile* page up-to-date with important information.

It's that easy!



To get started, visit MilitaryChildCare.com
For questions/support call: 855.696.297

Make sure you are requesting the best Care Option(s) for your childcare needs...
Go to our [CYS Facebook](#) page or [FMWR-CYS website](#) to review the:
Fort Leavenworth CYS Care Options & Waitlist Guide

Suicide prevention month



988
Suicide/Crisis
Lifeline

Pay attention to the signs, your life matters!

DoD
Safe Helpline
Sexual Assault Support for the DoD Community

safehelpline.org | 877-995-5247

MUNSON NOTES

■ Munson Army Health Center is looking for volunteers to join the **PATIENT AND FAMILY PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL**. Volunteers can be active-duty, active-duty family members, retirees or retiree family members. The PFPC meets quarterly. If interested, call 913-684-6211/6127.

■ Munson Army Health Center Pharmacy offers patients a variety of **OVER-THE-COUNTER MEDICATIONS AT NO COST** to service members, retirees and family members. These items are available without a prescription or medical appointment. These self-care items are comparable to those available for purchase from retail stores and include pain relievers, cough medicine, allergy medication, antibiotic ointment, lice treatment and much more. Visit <https://munson.tricare.mil/Health-Services/Pharmacy> and scroll down to the Over-the-Counter Medication Program for details.

■ Service members, retirees, family members and Department of Defense federal employees on Fort Leavenworth are **ELIGIBLE TO USE THE ARMED FORCES WELLNESS CENTER FOR FREE**. This includes physical fitness testing, body composition analysis, stress management, improving sleep habits and individual health coaching. You set the goals; the AFWC staff puts you on the path to achieving them. Programs are individualized to address your current needs, motivation and confidence level. Visit the Fort Leavenworth AFWC in Eisenhower Hall or call 913-758-3403 to schedule an appointment. The health educators are also available to go mobile, taking their class to units or organizations on post and family readiness groups. To learn more about AFWC services visit <https://dvidshub.net/r/8wttlf>.

■ Call 913-684-6250 to schedule a **WELL-WOMAN EXAM** at Munson Army Health Center.



Free Covid tests by mail are back.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response will once again ship up to four free COVID-19 home tests per U.S. household.

To order and learn more, visit <https://covidtests.gov/>.

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MUNSON ARMY HEALTH CENTER

TRUNK or TREAT

5-7 P.M., THURS., OCT. 24

Haunted House - Bounce House
Indoor Trick or Treat Area

Volunteers/Candy Donations Welcome

Email geteria.n.hunter.mil@health.mil to sign-up a trunk!

WALK-IN! FLU SHOTS

Frontier Conference Center
350 Biddle Blvd., Fort Leavenworth

Thursday, Oct. 17	8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 1	Noon - 4 p.m.
Wednesday, Nov. 6	9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 15	Noon - 4 p.m.

TRICARE Beneficiaries aged 6 months and up
DoD ID card required for aged 10 years and up

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Visit <https://www.facebook.com/munson-health/> for updates and information.

Munson Army Health Center

Retiree Appreciation Day Health Fair

- ✓ TRICARE Brief
- ✓ Seasonal Influenza Vaccines for eligible beneficiaries
- ✓ Health Screenings

Saturday, October 26, 2024
8:00 am - 1:00 pm
100 Stimson Ave., Ft Leavenworth

www.munson.tricare.mil