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Life is better at Benning expo

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Do you know why
#lifeisbetteratbenning?

Do you know you can rent a kayak on Fort Benning? Have you visited the Recreational Shooting Range? Have you tried the flatbread pizza at the Java Café? Are you familiar with the resources available through Army Community Service? We're revealing Fort Benning's best kept secrets at the annual Life is Better at Benning Expo from 9am-1pm August 10 at the Benning Club.

The Life is Better at Benning Expo is free and open to the public. Stay tuned to benning.armymwr.com and Fort Benning MWR on Facebook for more information!

New to Fort
Benning or not-
you'll love this
popular event.

Dozens of representatives from MWR, on post organizations and agencies, local businesses and community organizations will gather at the Supper Club to give you an opportunity to learn more about life on Fort Benning and in the Chattahoochee Valley. The expo will also feature demonstrations, a Taste of Benning food sampling, door prizes and giveaways - lots and lots of giveaways.



LETTER FROM DIRECTOR



AL GELINEAU

Director of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation

As we move through our centennial year, the words legacy and leadership seem to dominate discussions about Fort Benning's wonderful history. Rightly so; an institution's history is certainly defined by the people whose leadership and legacy have made Fort Benning what it is today. From my perspective, it's a great place for Soldiers and families to live and raise their children. I can think of no person that embodies leadership and legacy more than my deputy, Charlotte Jackson.

Charlotte's leadership qualities are known throughout Fort Benning by all that she has worked with over the last 40 plus years. Her reputation as a make-it-happen person inspires her superiors, her peers and those she leads. Simply put, if you need something done and you want it done right, "call Charlotte." She makes it happen and does so with aplomb, dignity and respect for all those she comes in contact with. If you ask her, it's all about relationships. She has a relationship building skill set that comes naturally. I don't think you learn that in any school. Charlotte is masterful at it. My guess is, she works at her craft like any professional; relationship building is no different. She is a conscious leader, always doing the right thing, all the time. If Charlotte tells you something, you can take it to the bank. She has told me many times she learned that ethic from her father, who was a first sergeant in the Army and retired right here at Fort Benning. Well done, Dad!

Charlotte's relationships on Fort Benning, in the local community and at all echelons above Fort Benning have allowed her to make a lasting impact on the Fort Benning community. She has either been the driving force or certainly the rudder that has guided countless projects and programs, too many to name. During her tenure at Fort Benning, Charlotte has spearheaded huge infrastructure projects, such as Abrams Hall, and she's worked on countless programs that are transparent to our customer, like

the quality customer service our stakeholders enjoy every day. She is the driving force behind our customer service culture that literally hundreds of thousands of our customer enjoy and will continue to enjoy. She has truly left a mark that will last forever.

As you read this issue, Charlotte's retirement is just around the corner. I am fond of telling people that no one is indispensable, but Charlotte may come as close to being indispensable as anyone I know. Please join me in thanking Charlotte for a JOB WELL DONE. Her retirement is well deserved, and she will savor it that much more knowing her leadership and legacy will forever be appreciated.



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CHARLOTTE JACKSON

Deputy Director, Family and MWR

In May of 1978, Jimmy Carter was president, the Women's Army Corps was abolished, 30 million Americans tuned into the first episode of Dallas, and 17-year-old Charlotte Jackson began her career as a clerk typist with Fort Benning's Installation Club Management Division in Building 35. Having graduated at 16 from Carver High School in Columbus, Jackson already had a robust resume by today's standards, with professional experience in shoe sales, child care and bagging groceries at the commissary.

Jackson is the fourth of five children born to a career artillery Soldier and his German bride who raised their family between Germany and Fort Benning, back and forth, until he retired as a first sergeant and went to work for MWR as a printer. Jackson and her siblings gained a healthy respect for hard work early on.

"I always worked. We all did. Back then, if you wanted a new stereo, you worked all summer and saved to buy it," said Jackson, a professed workaholic who worked her way up through the ranks to second in command at MWR.

Today Jackson looks forward to retirement even as she looks back with satisfaction on a career that spanned four decades at Fort Benning and took her through top positions in Services & Lodging Division and Business Operations before she landed in the number two position. As deputy director, she has seen the evolution of MWR, which is short for the Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation.

Jackson started her career at Fort Benning as a clerk typist in the procurement office and worked her way up to Chief of the Services & Lodging Division, which included Club Services at a time when on post clubs were in their heyday. Aside from the Officers Club, there were clubs on Sandhill and Kelley Hill, a vibrant bar called the Hidden Door, and the very popular NCO Club.

Jackson eventually took charge of all MWR lodging facilities, including those historic Cuartels, and remained there until she accepted the position of chief of Business Operations 20 years ago. In 2012, she was promoted to deputy director of MWR. Jackson said her greatest satisfaction came from overseeing the upgrades and expansions of the MWR resort in Destin, Fl., and Uchee Creek on the Alabama side of Fort Benning and the construction of the 920-room Abrams Hall on Main Post.

"I have had the pleasure of being involved with so many great programs and events, and I've worked with some of the best in the military," she said. "I've made lifelong friends and lifelong memories."

But its family that matters most, Jackson said, and her decision to retire was driven by a desire to spend more time with those she loves most, including her mother and granddaughter, her husband and daughter.

"I realize I could work until I die at my desk, but I want to enjoy them all while I can," Jackson said, and she has no real fear of boredom. Her granddaughter, her garden and a menageries of cats and dogs will keep her busy.

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OPEN HOUSE

Join us for an open house of the new Milton E. Long Library August 14, starting at 10am. We will have balloons, face painting, puppet and magic shows, jugglers and the Beating Path drum program. Light refreshments served.

LIBRARY OVERLOAD

SUMMER READING REGISTRATION: “Reading Takes You Everywhere” events will be held at the FEC July 10 and 17. Preschool age (0-6) program will begin at 10:30am and the elementary school age (7-12) will begin at 2pm.

BOOK TO MOVIE CLUB: Third Saturday at 1pm. Many good books have been made into good movies. Parental discretion is advised because some of the titles may not be suitable for children. Light refreshments served.

- July- “Eat, Pray, Love” by Elizabeth Gilbert
- August- “ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets” by J.K. Rowling

CENTENNIAL MOVIE SERIES: First Saturday at 1pm. Movies are for adults. Light refreshments are served

- July: “ A Very Long Engagement” • August: “Sergeant York”

LUNCH AND LEARN BOOK CLUB: Second Wednesday at 11:30am. Open to those interested in books about the WW1 era. Bring your lunch, beverages provided

- July - “A New Biography of the Hero of the Argonne” by Douglas V. Mastriano.
- August - “The Guns of August” by Barbara Tuchman.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: Second Thursday at 5:30pm. Child friendly movies rated G or PG. Open to all families and served with light refreshments.

- July: “Holes” • August: “Matilda”

BOARD GAME NIGHT: Second and fourth Wednesday at 6pm. Open to all. Served with light refreshments

SUPERHEROES BOOK CLUB: Third Wednesday at 6:30pm. Open to elementary age boys. Light refreshments served.

STORY TIME: Wednesdays at 10:30am. Open to children up to 5 year old and their parents/caretakers

AMERICAN GIRLS BOOK CLUB: The American Girls Book Club will continue to meet each 1st Wednesday during the summer months. Join them in celebrating reading and friendship at 6:30pm in the library.



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CAR BUYING TIPS AND TIDBITS

A car is often a person's first major purchase and the first that requires financing. There are numerous myths about car buying, some good and some not so good. The following tips will help you avoid rip-offs and decisions that might lead to bad credit.

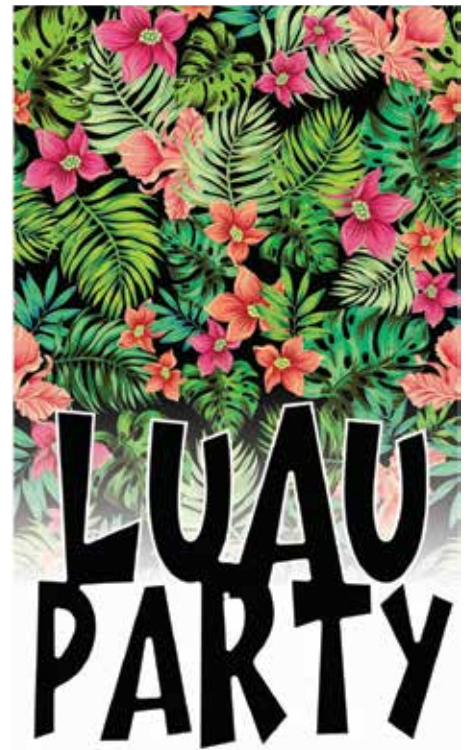
- Research, research and do more research before you buy. Check out sites like Consumer Reports for reliability ratings, online auto traders to determine market prices, Kelly Blue Book and NADA for the estimated value of the car you want to buy and your current vehicle.
- Sell your current vehicle privately; don't trade it in on the new car. When you sell it on your own, you tend to make more money and it doesn't cloud the negotiation process.
- Pay cash rather than finance. When you finance, you pay more for the privilege of using someone else's money, and that drives up the price of the vehicle. If you must finance, save for a sizable down payment. The less you finance, the better.
- Have your financing approved before you shop. Don't finance at the dealership, which complicates the negotiation process.
- Don't be pressured into signing the purchase agreement or loan paperwork until you are confident you've made a wise, sound decision.
- Visit Army Community Service's Financial Readiness Program for more information or help before the purchase.

The Financial Readiness Program will host a **Car Buying Seminar from 1-3pm July 17 in the ACS Training Room, Building 7117 on Baltzell Avenue**. To register, call 706-545-4043 or visit us on Facebook at "Ft Benning Financial Readiness."

We also have a **home buying seminar from 1-3pm August 2** in the ACS Training Room. To register, call 706-545-4043 or visit us on Facebook at "Ft Benning Financial Readiness" @ <https://www.facebook.com/groups/209362189637235/>.

UPCOMING FRP EVENTS:

- Car Buying Seminar: 1-3pm July 17 in the ACS Training Room
- Thrift Savings Plan for Civilians: 8:30-10am July 27 in the ACS Auditorium
- Home Buying Seminar: 1-3pm Aug 2 in the ACS Training Room



EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

BACK 2 SCHOOL LUAU

EFMP will host a Back 2 School Luau for Exceptional Family Members from **5:30-7:30pm July 26 at the Breezeway Pool** on Main Post. Families will enjoy swimming, food, poolside games, music and more! The Family Advocacy Program will provide back-to-school tools and resources. This is a free event for those enrolled in EFMP. For more information, call 706-545-2679/1695/6545.

RESOURCE SHARING SUPPORT GROUP

The EFMP Support Group will meet from **11am-noon August 6**, for Back-to-School Resource Sharing and Support. EFMP hosts this free coffee from 11am-noon the first Monday of each month, except holidays, at ACS in Building 7 on Baltzell Avenue. This is a great opportunity to share with others, network and receive valuable resources and information. Community agencies are also invited to share specific resources that support EFMP families. For more information, call 706-545-5565/2679/5521.

COMMUNITY SERVICES



LENDING CLOSET

Are you waiting on your household goods to arrive? Have your household goods left you behind? Whether you're coming or going, we're here to help. The lending Closet has items available for Soldiers and their families while their household goods are in transit. Items include basic kitchen equipment, tables and chairs, sleeping mats, microwaves, ironing boards, irons, high chairs, car seats, pack-n-plays and alarm clocks. You may borrow for up to 30 days when you present your orders to Fort Benning, an ID card and a unit POC. The Lending Closet is **open 8am-4pm Monday – Thursday and 10am-4pm Friday.**

NEWCOMERS ORIENTATION

Welcome to Fort Benning! If you are new to the installation, join us for the weekly Newcomers Orientation from **9-11am Wednesdays** at Army Community Service Auditorium in Building 7 on Baltzell Avenue. All military personnel, family members and civilians are invited. Here you will learn about resources, programs, activities and organizations on post and all across the Chattahoochee Valley. Spouses are encouraged to attend, and children are welcome. Breakfast refreshments are provided. For more information, call 706-545-0403/4485.

SPONSORSHIP TRAINING

The Total Army Sponsorship Program helps Soldiers, DoD civilians and family members during the relocation process. Attendees learn the various elements of the Sponsorship Program, including how to be an effective sponsor and where to find information incoming personnel may request. Call Relocation to request a unit training, 706-545-4485/0403.

PCS BRIEF

PCSing? How exciting! ACS Relocation offers a monthly PCS briefing to help you make this transition smooth and enjoyable. Our briefings are held on the **fourth Thursday of each month from 8:30-11am** in the ACS Auditorium in Building 7. Join us July 26 and August 23. To reserve your spot, call 706-545-4485/0403.

If you cannot attend the monthly PCS Brief, visit Relocation Readiness in Building 7 for information on your next duty station.

HEARTS APART

If your Soldier is deployed or on an unaccompanied tour, the Hearts Apart program gives you a strong group of peers you can turn to for advice and support. We will meet from **11:30am-1pm August 9.** For more information, call 706-545-4485/0403.

MULTICULTURAL

For information about our Citizenship Study Group or English as a Second Language Classes, call the ACS Relocation office at 06-545-4485/0403.



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EMPLOYMENT READINESS PROGRAM

The Employment Readiness Program has launched a Facebook group to connect with our customers daily on local, national and global employment opportunities. The ERP team knows job hunting is a full-time job, and our Facebook group finds this to be a convenient and resourceful way to direct questions and stay in the know about job postings. Join us on Facebook at Fort Benning Employment Readiness Program.

ERP introduces evening classes! Spouses identified a need to have entry-level classes customized for junior spouses after work hours. The ERP team will now bring information to your Family Readiness Group meetings or other coordinated times at your unit.

The 2018 Fall **Hiring Event is September 13** at the Soldier for Life auditorium next to the Commissary. Prepare your resume and hone your interview skills now to target more than 100 available positions and more than 60 employers who seek to fill these positions with veterans, spouses and transitioning service members. The Employment Readiness Program and Soldier for Life - Transition Assistance Program are proud to build an employment partnership to benefit the Fort Benning community. To learn more about the Fall Hiring Event and other employment opportunities, join us in our Facebook group and through these links:

www.benning.army.mil/Garrison/DHR/SFL-TAP/

benning.armymwr.com/programs/army-community-services4

Looking for teaching or substitute teaching opportunities? This is a great time to enter the Georgia Teaching Assistance Program to earn teacher certification within a six- to nine-month program. All local school districts need substitute teachers and assistants. Discover these career opportunities within Muscogee, Chattahoochee, Harris, Russell and Lee county schools.

The ERP team looks forward to serving you. Contact us for class registration, information and to schedule an appointment. We're open from 8am-4:30pm Monday – Thursday and 10am-4:30pm Friday in Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue. For more information, call 706-545-4043.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Enhancing Employment with Social Media, 9am-noon, July 5 and August 9

Job Search Strategy, 9am-noon, July 10 and August 7

Civilian Resume, 9am-noon, July 17 and August 14

Interviewing Skills, 9-11am, July 26 and August 23

10 Steps to a Federal Job, 9am-4pm, July 24 and August 21



FAMILY ADVOCACY PROGRAM

Family Advocacy Program hosts Aimee Copeland, “A Message of Hope and Possibility”

The Family Advocacy Program will host a motivational guest speaker, Aimee Copeland, from **10-11am August 23 at Building 5000 Watson Hall on Camp Rogers**, home of the Airborne and Ranger Training Brigade, on Harmony Church. When Copeland was in college, she contracted a rare and deadly flesh-eating disease which resulted in her losing all her limbs. Despite years of struggle, Copeland recently finished her second degree in social work and now serves as a mental health counselor for trauma victims. She created the Aimee Copeland Foundation which raises funds for a wellness park and holistic therapy center in Atlanta. Her story of resiliency is beautiful and inspiring. This free event is open to all Soldiers, civilians and family members. Guests will receive credit for required annual FAP, ASAP, and Suicide Prevention training. For more information, contact FAP at 706-545-4013.



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MONTE CARLO NIGHT

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The Lexington Room serves lunch weekdays between 11am-1:30pm. You can order from the menu or enjoy our extensive buffet. Choices include a variety of entrees and side dishes, soup and salad bars, plus an array of delicious desserts for less than \$10. Be sure to ask for a Lunch Punch card!

BENNING CLUB CATERING

If you're a member of the Fort Benning community, you're a member of the Benning Club! We host many events every year, including holiday brunches, mother-and-son and father-and-daughter formal balls, concerts and comedy night, receptions and so much more. We have meeting space suitable for groups of six to 600. Rent a room or rent the whole club! Let our Catering and Event Planning staff help you design a great event. You'll find more photos of the Benning Club

The Benning Club's gallery — the Regimental Room — is a popular venue for wedding receptions, military ceremonies such as promotions and retirements, dances, meetings and more.



The Supper Club is perfect for large events (without the military décor) making it ideal for receptions, balls and formal dinners.





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Friday - Saturday: 11am-8pm



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Saturday: 9am-2pm
Sunday: Closed
Federal Holidays: Closed

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Weekends: Closed
Federal & Training Holidays: Closed

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Ridgway Hall, Building 35, 35 Ridgway Loop
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**Mall Bowling
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Building 9232, 8140 Marne Road.
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Saturday: 8am-10pm
Sunday: 9am-10pm

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BOWLING

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Bowling is fun and exciting for all ages. The Mall Bowling Center offers a first class bowling experience, a snack bar, lounge and automatic bumpers for children. There is also bingo for adults and a full service pro shop for all of your bowling needs.

The Mall Bowling Center is available for parties, group functions and other activities. We offer individual pricing, as well as packaged deals. We have the best prices in the surrounding area.

BOWLING LESSONS

Fine tune your skills with a professional! The Mall Bowling Center offers lessons from a USBC certified, silver level coach.

- Beginners private - \$35/hr
- Intermediate private - \$50/hr with a written assessment
- Advanced private - \$75/hr with a written assessment and visual diagnostic
- Beginners group (no more than 4 people) - \$110/hr

ADULT LEAGUES

Come in for a little competitive fun with old friends, or meet new ones. Bowling in a league is a great way to exercise, and have fun at the same time. We have leagues year round and fun tournaments as well.

Adult Fall Leagues

- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Adult Summer Leagues

- Tuesday

YOUTH

Youth League

- Saturday mornings at 10am – program runs from September through May

Our youth program prepares our bowlers to bowl in state level competitions, including annual Pepsi Tournament, Georgia Youth Bowlers Tournament, and Junior Gold Tournament.

Did you sign up for the kids bowl free summer program? If so. Be sure to print out your vouchers and bowl two free games every day until August 31 at both Mall Bowling and Family Entertainment Centers.

For more information, call 706-545-4272/706-682-7781.



G FUN

FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT CENTER

Fort Benning's Family Entertainment Center, located in Building 2785 on Eckel Street, includes 12 bowling lanes, an indoor playground with a rock climbing wall, an interactive game floor, a toddler area, exclusive party spaces and much more! And the FEC is home to Destiny Dogs, one of the most popular hotdog restaurants in the Chattahoochee Valley. For hours of operation, go to benning.armymwr.com. For information, call 706-545-4272.

The Family Entertainment Center offers a number of specials during the months of July and August: Enjoy Play Zone admission half price every Thursday; bowl as long as you like every Sunday for \$10 per person (that includes the cost of those shoes!); and bowl for \$1.50 per game (and \$1.50 for shoes) every Wednesday. Join us for a Back to School Bash August 4, and enjoy \$1 games, \$1 shoe rental and \$3 Play Zone admission. Our Play Zone punch cards are good all summer long! After six visits at regular price, you get one visit free.

BENNING BREW PUB



Join us for **UFC 226: Miocic vs Cormier**, July 7 at 8pm. No cover charge



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July 30-August 15

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July 31-August 16

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Registration: July 30-August 17

August 18, 9am | Ages 7-14 years old

French Field

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Register for the Bengals Football and Cheerleading by July 27. Practices and games are scheduled from August through December. Tackle football is open to youth ages 7-13 and cheerleading to youth ages 6-13. The cost is \$150. Practice will be on post and games will be played in Columbus, Phenix City and Russell County.

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

CYS Sports & Fitness Instructional Programs offer a variety of fun classes for all ages. Participants must be registered at Parent Central and have a current sports physical. Classes include:

- Parents & Tots, 45 minutes once a week for \$40 per month for 11 months-3 years
- All levels of Tumbling, beginner to advanced, 45 minute classes, \$45 per month
- Cheerleading, 45 minutes, \$45 per month, ages 3 and older
- Tae Kwon Do for ages 6-18, 45 minute class, twice a week, \$45 per month
- Functional Fitness is free for ages 3 and 4
- Drama Kids for ages 4-18, 50 minutes, meet Thursdays for \$50 per month
- Dance, for ages 3-18, 50 minutes, meet Wednesdays for \$50 per month
- **Boy's Hip-Hop/Break Dance for ages 6-9, 50 minutes, meet Wednesdays, \$50 per month**
- **Co-ed Hip-Hop for ages 6-9, 50 minutes, meets Wednesdays, \$50 per month**

CYS SPOTLIGHT: JOANNA LOPEZ

As an administrative assistant for MWR's Child and Youth Services, Joanna Lopez handles the background checks for new employees and those seeking recertification, a process that it often cumbersome and tedious. Though her customers are mostly internal, Lopez said her work will ultimately impact the families who rely on CYS for safe, quality child care services and programs for youth.



It is that focus on family that inspires her to serve, she said, "CYS is like a family."

Lopez has been a member of the CYS family for 14 years, most of them as a child care provider in the Family Child Care program, which allowed her to earn a nice income while raising her own three children. Having returned to the public workforce, Lopez said she's enjoying the relationships she's developed with coworkers. "My colleagues are the best," she said. "They're very supportive. They've become like brothers and sisters to me."

That support made it possible for Lopez recently to enlist in the Air Force. She now serves as an Airman in the Georgia National Guard and works to balance her life in and out of uniform, while spending time doing the extracurricular activities she enjoys, including travel and dance. She's made it her goal to finish her college education, also.

The Puerto Rico native lives on Fort Benning with her husband of 20 years. Together, they make their children's quality of life their priority.



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UCHEE CREEK CAMPGROUND AND MARINA

Uchee Creek is ideal for the occasional summer staycation. And with our week day special - stay three days and get the third night free when you check in Sunday and check out Wednesday – you're likely to make Uchee Creek a family tradition. Your visit can be just as relaxing or as exciting as you choose to make it. The following timeline will help you imagine the possibilities!

FRIDAY:

2pm: Check in at the Uchee Creek Country Store and check out your cabin before heading out to explore the resort. Wear good walking shoes and stick to the nature trails that connect the campsite to the river, the paintball and archery parks and recreation areas.

6pm: Fire up the grill! All of our camping sites, cabins and chalets have outdoor charcoal grills. (Cabins and chalets have kitchens, so you will not go hungry when it rains.) While you're manning the grill, watch for deer; they're everywhere. And keep an eye on the sky; you may well see Airborne students parachuting onto Fryer Field nearby. (Whoa whoa whoa there, your steak is about to burn. Watch what you are doing!)

8pm: Gather around the campfire for ghost stories. If it's too warm for that, head inside, crank up the air conditioner and turn on the television. All of our cabins and chalets are air conditioned and our executive chalets have flat screen televisions throughout.

SATURDAY:

8am: Rent a kayak and spend the morning on the Chattahoochee.

11am: Sunshine, swimming, and lunch! Uchee Creek has a brand new playground and a private pool reserved for guests (open Memorial Day weekend through the Labor Day weekend.)

5pm: To eat in or eat out? Rent a boat or bring your own and have a dinner (picnic style) on the river. Uchee Creek has a ramp and boat slips, docking facilities, gas, water, and electrical hookups. We rent several types of fishing boats, bass boats and canoes.

9pm: The Country Store has all you need for a late-night campfire treat. Kick back and take a gander at those stars!

SUNDAY:

7am: Start your morning at the marina with a cup of coffee in one hand a fishing pole in the other. Get your fishing license and post permit at the Country Store.

11am: We hate to see you go. Stop by the Country Store to reserve your next stay and be sure to share you photos on the MWR Facebook page. We'll keep the light on for you!

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- Buy one lunch buffet at the Benning Club and get one free (Mondays)
- 10% off drinks at Java Cafés
- 10% off boat rental at Uchee Creek
- One free game of bowling at Mall Bowling Center or Family Entertainment Center

To reserve your suite, call 706-545-4053.





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Stop by Outdoor Recreation to purchase your raffle tickets for a chance to win some great prizes!

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CG'S GOLF SCRAMBLES

Form your best team and test your golf game in the monthly CG's Golf Scramble, **July 26 and August 23**. Register your team of four by calling 706-545-0397. Entry fee is \$30 in advance or \$35 the day of the event. The scrambles are sponsored by KIA Autosport of Columbus.

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Other Options:

Annual memberships are also available. Other playing options available to suit everyone's needs. Call for more information.

RECREATION

MWR BINGO



Join us **July 7** for our Independence Super Bingo for a chance to win a guaranteed pay-out of \$5,000! Then again, Aug. 4, we'll give away a single game \$7,500 in our Dog Days of Summer Super Bingo. We also give away great door prizes. Doors open at 12:30pm and the first game starts at 2:30pm. Arrive early to enjoy a free buffet. The price starts at \$18 for an eight-game pack; additional games are available. You must be 18 to play. For more information, call 706-544-1964.

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The RSC includes two trap and skeet ranges, five stand ranges, a 50-yard handgun range, a 300-yard rifle range and a store that sells ammunition and supplies. Annual memberships and daily user passes are available. Members are permitted to store firearms at the facility because MCoE 190-11 does not allow for temporary storage of weapons in vehicles.

Rent shotguns, spotting scopes, pistols, gun vests and vices on site! Military ID cardholders may transfer firearms through the RSC's Federal Firearms License for \$25. Registration of firearms is required before a weapon is brought onto post. Submit an FB Form 190-11-R to the Military Police Station in Building 215 on Wold Avenue. This document must be kept with the firearm at all times.

To save time, take a minute to review range rules and print this waiver before your visit. We look forward to seeing you!

Soldiers at Fort Benning without a vehicle, those here for training or school, can call 706-545-6158 to schedule a free ride to the Recreational Shooting Complex.

RECREATION CENTER



Harmony Church Recreation Center

Pool Tournaments are held every **Saturday at 2pm**. Registration for tournaments is required no later than 12:30pm. Open to all ID card holders and MWR patrons. For more information, email dominique.m.green.naf@mail.mil or call 706-626-1316.

The Harmony Church Recreation Center has a movie room and TV viewing areas, computers, books and magazines, pool tables, video games, and a snack bar. We are located off Old Cusseta Highway. From the Harmony Church gate, go straight through the traffic light and turn right into the Troop Medical Center parking lot. You will see the Recreation Center on the left.

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Women can learn the basics of archery shooting, free, at the **Recreational Shooting Complex 6-7:30pm August 8**. All ages are welcome; however, those under 18 years old must be accompanied by an adult.



HORSEBACK RIDING AT FDR STATE PARK

Join Outdoor Recreation from **9am-2pm July 14 at F.D.R State Park**. The \$50 fee includes park fees, a one hour guided horseback ride, a snack, and transportation there and back. Participants will have the opportunity to explore the park on foot via a short hike afterwards. Open to military ID cardholders only. Participants must be at least 6 years old and may weigh no more than 250 lbs. Space is limited, so call Outdoor Recreation at 706-545-7978 to register by June 1. The maximum number of participants is nine.

FAMILY FISHING NIGHT

Join us from **6-8pm July 17 and August 21 at Russ Park** for Family Fishing Night. Fishing in Russ Pond is reserved for those 15 and younger, but parents are encouraged to come help reel 'em in! Children must be accompanied by an adult. To register, call 706-545-7978.

STONE MOUNTAIN DAY TRIP

Join Outdoor Recreation for a day trip **1pm-12:30am July 21 to Stone Mountain Park**. Enjoy a hike to the top of Stone Mountain, educational displays and exhibits, and the iconic Stone Mountain Lasershow. ODR will return to Fort Benning following the conclusion of the 9:30 pm Lasershow. The \$10 fee covers parking fees and transportation there and back. Space is limited, so call Outdoor Recreation at 706-545-7978.

KAYAKING THE HOOCH



Paddle seven miles down the Chattahoochee with your friends from Outdoor Recreation **9am-2:30pm August 31**. No experience is necessary. Participants must be at least 12 years old, and those younger than 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. \$25 and lunch is included; please specify any dietary restrictions. To register, call 706-545-7978.



DOG PARKS

MWR has two dog parks on Fort Benning, one on the corner of Edwards and Carpenter streets on Main Post, and another at the Youth Sports Complex across from Blue and French Fields on 1st Division Road. These parks are managed by Outdoor Recreation and include agility playground equipment. Spaces are divided into two areas, one for dogs up to 25 pounds and one for large dogs. Guests are legally responsible for their dog's behavior, and rules are posted on site. All dogs must be registered at the Vet Clinic of post.

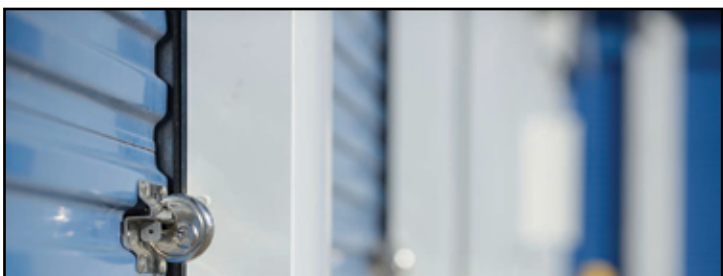
FITNESS TRAIL

MWR's Follow Me Fitness Trail on Main Post is nearly four miles long and located in a wooded grove across from the Golf Course at the intersection of Dixie and First Division roads. This trail is hilly and shaded, with exercise stations posted throughout. It's perfect for hiking, biking and running. Dogs are permitted if they are on a leash at all times.



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RENTAL VENUES

the Benning Club



The legacy of the Benning Club is one of history and hospitality. It was originally the Fort Benning Officers' Club when it was founded in 1919. When the facility was built in June 1934, it was considered one of the most modern clubs in the Southeast, with an expansive gallery, separate lounges for men and women, a barber and a beauty shop, billiards room, gymnasium, kitchen and grill, guest quarters on the mezzanine level, servants' quarters onsite for round-the-clock service, a paging system and an in-house telephone system so guests could order from the grill anywhere in the Club. The Club's first pool and formal gardens were added in 1937, and the Supper Club was added in 1960. The Officers' Club was featured briefly in *The Green Berets*, a movie starring John Wayne filmed at Fort Benning in 1967.

The "Officers Club" is now the Benning Club, and membership is no longer exclusive. If you're a member of the Fort Benning community, you're a member of the club! And today, with meeting space for events that are intimate or extravagant, with rooms suitable for groups of 40 to 400, the Club remains the center of social events on Fort Benning. You may choose to rent one of our rooms or galleries – or all of our rooms and galleries – for your next special event, or you may attend one of many events we host at the Club every year, including holiday brunches, mother-and-son and father-and-daughter formal balls, concerts and comedy night, receptions and so much more.

The Benning Club's gallery, the Regimental Room, is a popular venue for wedding receptions, military ceremonies, such as promotions and retirements,

dances, meetings and more. The Regimental Room has a grand military atmosphere. The Supper Club, which is currently being renovated, is also perfect for large events, without the military décor, making it ideal for receptions, balls and formal dinners.

The Benning Club's Lexington Room serves lunch weekdays 11am-1:30pm. You can order from the menu or enjoy our extensive buffet, which includes a variety of entrees and side dishes, soup and salad bars, a wide choice of delicious fresh desserts, and drinks, all for less than \$10. Be sure to ask for a lunch punch card!

The Club also has smaller meeting spaces, including the Corregidor, Benning and Normandy rooms, with accommodations for an office luncheon, an FRG meeting or drinks with your friends. At the Infantry Bar, or Ibar, we pay homage to the Infantry in a setting that is rich in history and warm pub décor. It feels a lot like your neighborhood bar. The Infantry Bar is open to the public 4-9pm Thursdays, and is available by reservation for private events Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

The Fiddler's Green Pub is our salute to Cavalry Soldiers everywhere, past and present. It is located inside the Club, next to the Lexington Room. The pub is open to the public 4-9pm Fridays and available by reservation for private events Mondays-Thursdays.

Allow our staff to help you plan a memorable event at the Benning Club. The Catering and Event Planning Office is open weekdays 8am-5pm. For more information, call 706-682-0640 or 706-687-1861.



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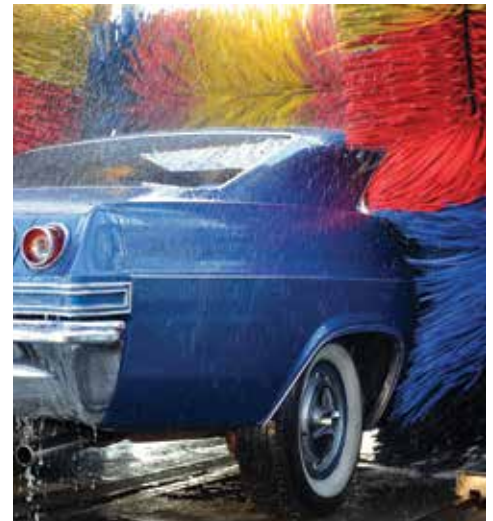


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Have a birthday party coming up, unit party or you just want to celebrate summer, we can accommodate you! For information on pool party details and reservations at either the Breezeway or Carey Pools, contact Annerose Whitehead at 706-844-5766 or email annerose.whitehead.naf@mail.mil.

BREEZEWAY POOL

The Breezeway pool offers VIP Cabana rentals and Gilligans Party Room.

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Commander's Cup flag football coaches meeting 1pm August 14 at Doughboy Stadium

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ARMY 10-MILER

The Army Ten-Miler is the second largest ten-mile race in the United States and for more than 30 years has successfully promoted the Army and its fitness goals, while building Esprit de corps and enhancing community relations. This year on October 7 more than 30,000 runners will take to the streets of Washington, D.C. to participate in the Army's premier running event. The race is sponsored by the U.S. Army Military District of Washington and all proceeds support Soldier and Soldier family programs.

Fort Benning will host two **qualifier races on July 21 and August 10**. Anyone is welcome to participate in this free event; however, only Active Duty, Activated National Guard, and Activated Reservists assigned to Fort Benning are eligible for selection to the Fort Benning Army Ten-Miler Team.

Each event starts at Santiago Fitness Center on Sand Hill and registration is onsite the morning of the race. Selections are based on individual run times posted during the qualifier dates. Runners may participate in more than one qualifier. Anyone selected will be eligible for Commander's Cup points and run as part of the Fort Benning Ten-Miler Team! Selections will be made for the Fort Benning Team based on individual run times posted during the qualifier dates listed above. There will be no other qualifier runs held, but you may run in more than one qualifier.

Anyone selected will run as part of the Fort Benning Army Ten-Miler team during the Annual Army Ten-Miler held October 7, 2018 in Washington, D.C.

For more information, email david.l.cannon29.naf@mail.mil

SPORTS & FITNESS

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