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# OCTOBER 20-22

**The annual Oktoberfest at Uchee Creek features a keg tossing competition, a Dachshund Derby and stein hoisting contests. So when your dogs get tired, take a break and raise a glass of your favorite German brew... and hold it there just as long as you can. Winners of the stein hoisting contest will win a trip to Munich! (You'll find contest rules at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).)**

This three-day event is fun for the whole family, pet friendly and open to the public. The fun starts in the Fest Tent Friday afternoon with a ceremonial keg tapping, performances by German singers, yodeling, dancing and more. Outside the tent, you'll find family-friendly activities galore.

Saturday starts with the annual Oktoberfest 10K Cross Country Run, a dirt and clay route that winds deep into the woods around Uchee Creek. Watch your step and for wildlife, please! Register for the 10K at Smith Fitness Center or at [Active.com](http://Active.com).

Saturday and Sunday events include canine competitions (the Dachshund Derby, Best Dressed, Doggie Doppelgangers and Top Dog trick); hay rides, pony rides, petting zoo, inflatables, crafts, boat rides and pumpkin patch for the kids; a keg tossing competition, dancing and more music. You will find complete details and a schedule of events on our website at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) as the date draws near.



## LETTER FROM DIRECTOR



**AL GELINEAU**

Director of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation

We're excited to announce the grand opening of the new MWR library in Building 2783 on Eckel Avenue. The celebration is scheduled for Nov. 30, and you're invited! You'll find details in this edition of On the Go.

Of course, the library is not new, exactly; we've had an MWR library for as long as anyone can remember. In fact, MWR actually inherited the library in its former (and original) location in historic Sayers Hall, which now houses the MWR Bingo Center.

For that matter, Building 2783, Long Hall, is not new. It served as an arts and crafts shop until 1999, and soon thereafter, it was converted to MWR Headquarters, where we resided until a fire destroyed the building three years ago.

So nothing is new about the MWR library, and everything is new. It certainly looks and feels new, what with a \$4.3 million renovation and interior upgrades that include an elevator, incredible artwork, state-of-the-art electronics and 80 computer stations. The new facility is comfortable, spacious and inspiring, with more of everything you expect in a community library. More books, more computers, more movies and music. At 25,000 square feet, we have twice the space we had in our original location. We'll use every square foot for the good of the Fort Benning community.

The fall is a good time to reintroduce your family to the joy of reading. Join us for the grand opening celebration, but please come back again and again to explore Fort Benning's newest and, dare I say, grandest facility. I'll meet you there.

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**WADEANA PORRETT**

Outdoor Recreation and Equipment Rental Manager

Wadeana Porrett is the Community Recreation Division's new manager for Outdoor Recreation. The Arizona native comes to Fort Benning with 10 years of MWR experience under her belt after serving as an MP in the Army. She and her husband have two sons and seven grandchildren.

Porrett said she enjoys working with MWR patrons, helping them develop new skills and discover new opportunities outdoors. And outdoors is where she prefers to be, whether she's hunting, hiking, canoeing or riding her motorcycle.



Maggie Garavaglia, Rachel Lee, Nitaya Scott, Kwasiya Thomas

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**Mark Slovak**



## COMMUNITY SERVICES

### MWR LIBRARY



The new MWR Library is scheduled to open in early October. The new facility is located at 6529 Eckel Avenue, Building 2783 on the corner of Eckel Avenue and Sightseeing Road.

A grand opening celebration is November 30 and will include a ribbon cutting ceremony and tours, balloons and face painting, refreshments, puppets, magic shows and more throughout the day! Stay tuned to [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for more information.

Mark your calendars and plan to visit MWR's new, state-of-the-art library facility!

While the library makes the move, please expect a transition period that will result in temporary facility closure. The closure is tentatively planned for September 18 through October 1. Stay tuned to Facebook and the MWR website for up to date information.



## THE UNITED STATES WORLD WAR ONE CENTENNIAL COMMISSION

In honor of the World War I Centennial, the library will host a variety of activities after moving to its new location, including a Fort Benning-related movie series, displays, lunch and learn book club, super hero book club and military-themed board game nights. Check the MWR website or Facebook page for complete details!

#### STORY TIME

Story time continues in September and October at 10:30am on Wednesdays.

#### AMERICAN GIRLS BOOK CLUB

The ever-popular American Girls Book Club will return this October! The club will meet at 6:30pm at the MWR Library on the first Wednesday of each month beginning in October.



The MWR Library will host a free Book-to-Movie Club at **1pm on the third Saturday of each month**. Read a book, watch the movie with us and then we'll have an open discussion. Light refreshments will be served. No registration is required. There are no age restrictions, but please note the movie rating and decide accordingly regarding child participation. The schedule follows:

**September** - *Twilight* by Stephanie Meyer

**October** - *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett

**November** - *The Great Gatsby* by F. Scott Fitzgerald

**December** - *The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis



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### October is . . . **National Domestic Violence Awareness Month**

Domestic Violence Awareness Month evolved from the first Day of Unity observed in October 1981 by the National Coalition against Domestic Violence. The intent of this day was to connect battered women's advocates across the nation who work to end violence against women, men and children. The Day of Unity soon became a special week with a range of activities planned at the local, state, and national levels.

What began close to two decades ago in scattered communities as a visible gesture of support for survivors and victims of domestic abuse, today has become one of the most widely-recognized symbols of the battered women's movement - The Purple Ribbon.

The exact history of the purple ribbon is somewhat difficult to pinpoint. However, it is known that it began among communities as a unifying symbol of courage, survival, honor and dedication to ending domestic violence.

Across the country, Families and friends of victims adopted the purple ribbon to remember and honor their loved ones who lost their lives at the hands of a person they once loved and trusted. Shelters and local battered women's programs use the purple ribbon to raise awareness about the crime of domestic abuse in their communities. State Legislatures also have recognized the purple ribbon in proclamations commemorating October as National Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

The Family Advocacy Program (FAP) partners with other agencies on and off the installation to educate and bring awareness of domestic violence to the military community. The FAP educates Soldiers and Families on the dynamics of spouse/partner and child neglect/abuse, the availability of treatment services and the Army Policies.

Throughout the month of October, FAP will host various events to bring awareness of domestic violence and the impact it has on Families. To kick off the month, FAP has partnered with Hope Harbour to present "Scared Silent" with renowned inspirational guest speaker Ms. Mildred D. Muhammad, wife of the DC Sniper, a Domestic Violence Survivor, Advocate, Consultant, and Author. Ms. Muhammad will speak at the Columbus Trade Center, Thursday, September 21, beginning with a luncheon from 11:30am-1pm. Tickets purchased in advance are \$40 per person, or \$320 for a table of eight. All proceeds will go to the Columbus Alliance for Battered Women, Hope Harbour and the victims of domestic violence.

Family Advocacy will have flyers of events and purple ribbons available at 7131 Richardson Circle, Building 36, Lewis Hall. For further information on Domestic Violence Awareness Month and the Family Advocacy Program, call the office at 706-545 7594, 706-545-3202.



#### **NEWCOMERS ORIENTATION**

ACS Newcomers Orientation is every Wednesday morning. Come join us to see what the Fort Benning community has to offer. Registration begins at 8:30am and the Orientation is from 9-11am. Location: ACS Auditorium, Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue. Spouses are welcome.

#### **SPONSORSHIP TRAINING**

The Total Army Sponsorship Program helps Soldiers, civilian employees 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. Every Wednesday 1-2pm, at Building 7, ACS Auditorium.

#### **PCS BRIEF**

ACS Relocation offers a monthly PCS briefing that should not be missed by single soldiers and families alike! Have your questions answered and get way-ahead to make your transition smooth and enjoyable! Our briefings are the 4th Thursday of each month from 8:30-11am at ACS Auditorium, Building. 7. Please call ACS Relocation to reserve your spot, 706-545-4485/0403.

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## COMMUNITY SERVICES



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Did you just PCS from your favorite job or possibly looking to launch a new career? Let us, your Employment Readiness Program (ERP) team, provide invaluable career assistance.

ERP offers four types of classes (Job Strategy Workshop, Resume and Federal Resume, 10 Steps to a Federal Job and Interviewing Skills) every month and personal one-on-one appointments to help you secure your new job or career. Check [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for class dates.

Call 706-545-4043 or drop by the Army Community Service to schedule a resume appointment and to reserve a seat in any or all classes.



### FINANCIAL READINESS PROGRAM

Many of us dream of home ownership, some fear the magnitude responsibility; a few unfortunately dive in without being prepared. There are many good solid reasons to purchase a home. It is great at tax time because the interest paid on the loan is deductible. It provides a sense of belonging to a community and stability for children. It is a great boost to your credit score, if you have planned properly.

Come to our Financial Readiness Home Buying Seminar September 14, at 1pm, ACS, Building 7, Training Room. Attend this 2 hour long seminar to learn more about financial preparedness for home purchasing and home ownership. Learn from representatives from one of our on post institutions and from the Department of Veterans Affairs about the ins and outs of home ownership.



### LENDING CLOSET

The Army Community Service (ACS) Lending Closet is available to all Active Duty, Reserve Components, DoD Civilians and Retirees on PCS orders awaiting their household goods shipment. PCS orders are required. We have kitchen totes for family of four, sleeping mats, tables, chairs, microwaves, highchairs, pack-n-plays to name a few of our items. All Lending Closet items are on loan for 30 days. Extensions may be requested. Stop by 8am-4pm Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and 10am-4pm Fridays. The Lending Closet is located at 7117 Baltzell Avenue, Building 7. Call 706-545-0403/4485 for more information. We are here to help!







## ARMY FAMILY ACTION PLAN

How many times have you experienced something during your Army journey that made you think "There has to be a better way to do this"?

The Army Family Action Plan (AFAP) program provides an opportunity for community members to share issues or concerns with Army Senior Leadership that affect the quality of life for Soldiers, Family members, Retirees, Survivors and Civilians. AFAP was the driving force behind the enactment of 129 pieces of legislation, 187 policy changes, and 212 improved programs and services.

From October 31- November 2, delegates chosen from the Fort Benning community will gather during a three-day conference to work the issues submitted. During this process, the delegates will have access to subject matter experts to provide background information on regulation and policy to assist the group in generating viable recommendations to solve issues that our community has presented. Once complete, the working group briefs our Senior Leadership here at Fort Benning on the issues and recommendations before they move forward to Installation Management Command (IMCOM) Headquarters.

Do you have suggestion on how to make something better within the Army? AFAP is your opportunity - we want to hear from you! You can submit your issues online at [benningmwr.wufoo.com/forms/afap-issue-submission-form/](http://benningmwr.wufoo.com/forms/afap-issue-submission-form/) or in person at the AFAP Office, located at 7021 Ingersoll Street, Building 359. For more information, contact the Fort Benning AFAP office at 706-545-2794.



## SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES

National Gold Star Mother's Day, also known as National Gold Star Mother's and Family's Day, is observed annually on the last Sunday in September. Fort Benning will host the yearly **Gold Star Mother's Brunch on September 24.**

National Gold Star Mother's Day was created to recognize and honor those that have lost their son or daughter while serving our country in the United States Armed Forces.

### OUT OF THE DARKNESS COMMUNITY WALKS

The American Foundation for Suicide prevention will host the 2nd annual Columbus Out of the Darkness Community Walk On October 21, at Lakebottom Park. Join the Survivor Outreach Team at this walk and help to bring awareness about suicide and recognition to our Gold Star families. Register today at [www.afsp.org/ColumbusGA](http://www.afsp.org/ColumbusGA). - Walk.Volunteer. Donate.

## EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

### Brushes & Beverages



EFMP Brushes & Beverages Social (Adult EFM's 18+ or Adult Parent of EFM) on September. 28, 5:30-7:30pm at Brushes & Beverages, downtown Columbus, GA.

Enjoy an evening of painting and non-alcoholic beverages in a friendly, social setting. Advanced registration is required for this event! Call ACS/EFMP 706-545-6545.

Note: We must have a head count in advance for this event. Advanced reservation is required and spots are limited.

### EFMP Trunk or Treat & FAP Safety Fair



Join us for this community/recreational social event for Families enrolled in the Exceptional Family Member Program. Join EFMP, FAP, ACS Team and The Autism Learning Center for a safe, fun-filled evening of Trunk or Treat. Games, bounce house, face painting, food and much more! Thursday, October 26, 5:30-7:30pm at ACS, Building 7.

For information, call ACS/EFMP 706-545-6545.

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The cozy atmosphere is a perfect spot to unwind with your friends at the end of the week! Open Friday's at 4pm, reserve the area for your next gathering or stop in and have a cold beer with one of our delicious food menu options.

# SAVE THE DATE

Join us for the Centennial New Year's Eve Gala, 7:30pm December 31 to 1:30am January 1! This black tie evening will celebrate the completion of Benning Boulevard in 1925 which united Fort Benning with Columbus.

For more details and tickets, visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

### JAVA CAFÉ

Everyone knows the delicious indulgence that is a Java Café flatbread pizza. However, when you're in the mood for a lighter option, look no further than the Chicken Caesar Wrap on Wheat. Enjoy juicy grilled chicken, fresh lettuce, tomatoes, onions, parmesan cheese and olives wrapped in a wheat wrap and caesar dressing.

The Java Café menu offers a variety of healthy wrap and sandwich options, salads with lean proteins, fresh fruit and parfaits, egg white breakfast sandwiches and plenty of low calorie espresso beverages, coffees and teas.



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- Mondays in September: \$2 games and shoes from 10am-5pm
- Sundays in September: \$10 all-you-can-bowl (shoes included) from 1-8pm
- September 1: Purchase three games at regular price and receive a free shoe rental
- September 4: \$12 all-you-can-bowl cosmic bowling (shoes included) from 1-10pm

### OCTOBER

- Wednesdays in October: \$2 games and shoes from 10am-5pm
- Sundays in October: \$10 all-you-can-bowl (shoes included) from 1-8pm
- October 6: Purchase three games at regular price and receive a free shoe rental
- October 9: \$12 all-you-can-bowl cosmic bowling (shoes included) from 1-4pm



### Youth Bowling League

Bowling is a lifetime sport! Join Fort Benning's Youth Bowling League, designed for ages 6 through 19, this fall or spring. Registration begins Saturday, September 9 from 10am until noon at the Mall Bowling Center, Building 9232, on Marne Road.

The Fall League begins September 16 and runs until December 16. The Spring League will pick back up in 2018 from January 13 until May 19.

Bowling is every Saturday from 9:45am until noon at the Mall Bowling Center.

The cost includes a \$25 yearly registration fee, paid to the league at registration and includes a bowling shirt, USBC membership and awards. There is a \$7 weekly league fee which includes practice, three games and shoe rental. For more information call 706-682-7781.

## MALL BOWLING CENTER



### HALLOWEEN SPECIALS

**\$10**

\$10 for all-you-can-bowl Spooky Cosmic Bowling (shoes included). You must wear a costume to receive special.

- Halloween: Kids can Trick or Treat at the Mall Bowling Center all day.

### NEW ON TAP



Come in and try the Hofbräu beer in the Mall Bowling Center or Benning Brew Pub!

## FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT CENTER



Wednesdays in September and October patrons will enjoy half price admission to the Play Zone!

On Fridays in September and October, bowl for just \$2 a game with a \$2 shoe rental.



## BENNING BREW PUB



## READY FOR SOME COLLEGE FOOTBALL?

If you are ready for the 2017 season to begin, don't worry — it's here. Stanford and Rice will kick off the football season when they face off in Sydney, Australia at Allianz Stadium. If you're in the United States, the season will officially begin on Saturday, August 26, although it will be Sunday, August 27 in Australia. Kickoff for that game is set for 10pm ET.

Enjoy watching your favorite team out on the deck or on our huge projection screen. Thirsty? The bartender will take care of you with an ice cold beer on tap or one of our micro brews. New this month on tap is our Hofbräu America, don't miss this crowd favorite.

NFL more your speed? We will be showing NFL Sunday Ticket! Chiefs at Patriots kickoff of the 2017 NFL season, September 7, brings unparalleled excitement as fans will be treated to two high-powered offenses right out of the gate. Can Alex Smith, Travis Kelce and Tyreek Hill keep up with Tom Brady and the reigning Super Bowl champs on Opening Night?



Drop in to the Brew Pub to watch the MLB hunt for October baseball playoffs and the new season starts in October. Come watch the Warrior's defend their championship.



Our new beer on tap, Hofbräu! Boasting a refreshing flavor, fine hops aroma and around 5.1% abv, this bottom-fermented brew is as well balanced as it is delicious. It has true character. Enjoy it here at the Benning Brew Pub, Mall Bowling Center or at the Oktoberfest, October 20-22 at Uchee Creek Campground!

## FIGHT NIGHTS

**UFC 216, SEPTEMBER 9**

**BOXING, SEPTEMBER 16**

Canelo Alvarez vs. Gennady Golovikin



**KARAOKE NIGHT**

September 1 and 22



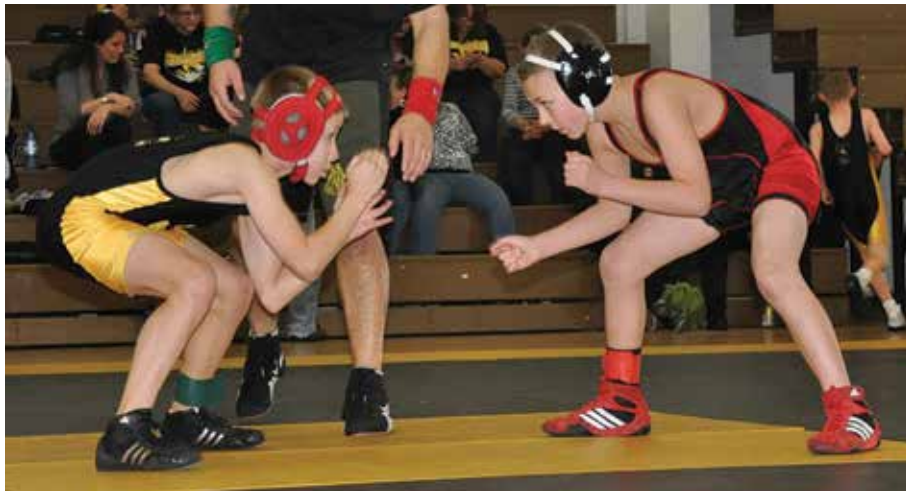
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# KIDS ZONE (CYS)

## YOUTH SPORTS/INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS



### WRESTLING

Registration: September 1-29  
Ages: 8-15 | Cost: \$55  
Season: October–March  
Time: 6-7:30pm  
Location: Briant Wells Gym

### DODGE BALL

Registration: October 10-31  
Ages: 9-15 | Cost: \$55  
Season: November 7- December 14  
Time: 5-6pm  
Location: CYS Gym, Bldg. 1055  
(Monday and Wednesday)

### VOLLEYBALL

Registration: October 10-31  
Ages: 9-15 | Cost: \$55  
Season: November 7– December 14  
Time: 5:30-7:30pm  
Location: CYS Gym, Bldg. 1055  
(Tuesday and Thursday)

Registration is required to participate in all sport activities, and all participants must be registered within two weeks prior to start date. A current sports physical is needed at time of registration. Register at Parent Central, Building 104, Marchant Avenue. For more information, call 706-545-2079.

## INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM



### CHEER

Ages 3-18, every Tuesday and Thursday

### TAE KWON DO

Ages 6-18, every Monday and Wednesday

### TUMBLING

Ages 11 months – 18 years, every Tuesday and Thursday

### ZUMBA

Ages 4-12, every Wednesday and Thursday

### FUNCTIONAL FITNESS

Ages 3-4, every Monday and Wednesday

Please call Parent Central for more information on Instructional Classes and how to register! 706-545-2079



# WE NEED YOU AT



If you are currently providing care to children on a military installation, and are not certified, we need you! If you love kids, join our team! Contact the Family Child Care Offices at 706-545-9266 for information on training schedules and other professional development opportunities!



## SCHOOL AGE CARE



School Age Care (SAC) includes before and after school programs, hourly care, summer care, and camps during school vacations, grades K-5. Through partnerships with groups such as 4-H and CHARACTER COUNTS!

4-H programs are grounded in the belief that kids learn best by doing. Kids complete hands-on projects in areas like science, health, agriculture and citizenship, in a positive environment where they receive guidance from adult mentors and are encouraged to take on proactive leadership roles. Kids can concentrate on one focus area or they can try a variety of programs throughout their 4-H experience. Regardless of the project area, all 4-H programs include mentoring and career readiness as core elements.

The Six Pillars of Character is a framework for teaching good character and is composed of six ethical values (characteristics) everyone can agree upon: Trustworthiness, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring and Citizenship. Each of the six character traits are used within our CHARACTER COUNTS! program to help instill a positive learning environment for students and a “culture of kindness” making schools a safe environment for students to learn. The Six Pillars of Character values are not political, religious, or culturally biased.

SAC helps children learn to work with their strengths, interests, and help each other to feel good about themselves, and to grow as individuals. Programs are offered in the core areas of leisure, recreation, and the arts; sport and fitness; life skills, citizenship and leadership; and mentoring and support services Transportation is provided to and from on- post elementary schools during the school year. School Age Center operation hours Monday-Friday, 5:30am-6:30pm. Closed on Federal Holidays. For more information call 545-3605.

## OKTOBERFEST



Join us at Oktoberfest, October 20-22, at Uchee Creek Campground for some free kids activities. We have everything from inflatables, petting zoo, hay rides, face painting, pumpkin patch and more!



# KILOMETER KIDS CLUB

Four young runners from Fort Benning's Kilometer Kids Club completed the world's largest 10K July 4 in Atlanta. Madison Kitson and Karen Lopez, both 11 years old, Emmalia Ciccarello, 12, and 14-year-old Jesus Villegas were among the nearly 60,000 runners who competed in the 48th annual Peachtree Road Race, which drew competitors from 19 countries and every state in the U.S.

Kitson is a Kilometer Kids veteran, with a number of wins under her belt. Out of the 848 female runners in the Peachtree Road Race 10-14 age group, Kitson finished sixth. She was the 1,690th runner to cross the finish line out of 55,329.



"That's phenomenal," said Wayne Chastain, who coaches the Kilometer Kids Club, or "K Club," for MWR's Child and Youth Services Sports division. "This summer alone, Madison has already won the female division in the MDA 5K in Columbus and finished third overall in the female division in the Big Dog Heatwave 5 Miler. She was born to run."

Ciccarello finished 117th, and Lopez 129th out of the same 848 runners in the 10-14 age group, all remarkable times, Chastain said.

Villegas finished 114th out of 1,052 male runners in the 10-14 age group, making him the 4,305th male runner to cross the finish line out of 27,537.

Matthew and Samantha Lopez did not run the race, but they were given the honor of greeting the winners and draping them in the American flag. Army Spec. Leonard Korir, a 30-year-old Olympian, won the event with a time of 28 minutes and 16 seconds. Aliphine Tuliamuk, 28, was the fastest woman to cross the finish line, in 32 minutes and 49 seconds.

K Club member Alicia Villegas also attended, but wasn't able to run this year.

Kilometer Kids is a free program, sponsored by the Atlanta Track Club. Fort Benning K Club participants compete in various races throughout the year, including the annual Oktoberfest 10K Cross Country Challenge, coming up Oct. 21 on Fort Benning. The club meets two or three times weekly to practice.

"We focus on sprints, hills, and distance. We incorporate functional fitness exercises but the main objective is to have fun," Chastain said. "Kids are natural runners because they haven't been taught the wrong form; they just run, and that's the way it should be. If their good habits are reinforced now, they'll run correctly and safely and consistently the rest of their lives."

The K Club program is designed for kids between 7 and 14 years old. Participants will run 26.2 miles during each 11-week session. Register your child at Parent Central by Sept. 15 for the fall season. For more information, call 706-545-1853.





# STAY AND PLAY

## DESTIN ARMY RECREATION AREA



# WINTER GETAWAY

Florida is known for its hot summer weather and endless days of sunshine. But sometimes you need to get away in the winter too! Our winter rates are low but the temperature is not. At the resort, you'll find an all new splash pad, sparkling swimming pool, and an endless ocean to beat the heat. Located just 220 miles south of Fort Benning, roughly a 4-hour drive, you'll find the popular Destin Army Recreation Area. The resort covers 15 acres of shoreline along the Choctawhatchee Bay, just minutes away from the Gulf of Mexico. Open year round and offering quality lodging at affordable rates, the area is open to active duty and retired military personnel, their families and DoD civilians. Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) and search for Destin to make reservations.



The RV Park at Destin Army Recreation Area will be closed from August 1 – December 31, 2017, for upgrades. Make your reservations now for 2018! Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) or call 850-837-6423 to reserve your next stay today.



### MARINA

Till Labor Day Weekend  
8am-5pm | Wednesday-Sunday

September 6-30  
8am-5pm | Friday-Sunday

#### Waverunner:

\$25, 1/2 hour | \$50, 1 hour  
\$180, 4 hours

#### Kayak:

\$10, 1 hour | \$20, 4 hours  
\$35, 8 hours

#### Paddle Board:

\$15, 1 hour | \$30, 4 hours  
\$50, 8 hours

#### Pontoon Boat:

\$80, 2 hours | \$155, 4 hours  
\$220, 6 hours | \$40, each additional hour



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Benning Bus Tour  
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## STAY AND PLAY

### UCHEE CREEK



## MINUTES FROM MAIN POST... BUT WORLDS AWAY

Nestled along the banks of the Chattahoochee River is Fort Benning's best unkept secret: Uchee Creek Campground and Marina. At Uchee Creek, you will discover a 385-acre park equip for with both RV and tent sites, cabins and chalets, recreation areas, rental facilities, a fishing and boating marina, a paintball park, trails, an archery park, and more. The newest addition to the park is a nature playground created just for the kids, adults optional. The playground blends in with the surrounding trees which also provide shade from the blistering hot summer sun, and is located right across from the Uchee Creek pool. Mini guests will enjoy a new tree trunk slide, ladder rope climb, mushroom steps, chipmunk climb, and tree burrow; however, the most exciting feature is the scavenger hunt the playground holds. Hidden on each playground piece is a cute creature, such as a ladybug, blue jay, butterfly, and more! Make a game out of who can identify the most creatures for great outdoor education and activities.

Uchee Creek is open to military ID card holders and families visiting Fort Benning for a military graduation or family day. The park offers full hook-up RV sites, tent camping and a variety of cabins/chalets. Inside the campground are four comfort stations, three laundry facilities and a full service marina for eligible patrons.



### MCIVER SUITES



McIver Suites offer homelike accommodations perfect for your short or long term visit and great extended stay value for leisure travel with the comforts of home and the convenience of the office. We offer 1-bedroom suites for \$90 and 2-bedroom suites for \$110, with kitchens, screened porches and sun rooms. The historic McIvers are a golfer's delight, located minutes from the Fort Benning Golf Course and Jack's 19th Hole Club House!

Your stay includes free unlimited golf at the Fort Benning Golf Course and discounts at the following locations:

- Buy one lunch buffet at the Benning Club and get one free (Monday – Friday)
- 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

Make your reservations by calling 706-545-4053.







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# RECREATION



## MWR BINGO

Join us **September 30 for the return of Bingo Bash!** Presales begin 9:30 - 11:30am with doors opening at 12:30pm and bingo starting at 1pm. Guests will enjoy free food, great prizes and a chance to win up to \$25K. There will be guaranteed payouts of \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000, \$2,500.00, and \$10,000 jackpots! Minimum buy-in for the program is \$45 per person, which includes the initial game pack with eight games, additional games are sold on the floor. You must be 18 to play. Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) or call 706-544-1964 for more information.

## RECREATIONAL SHOOTING COMPLEX



We appreciate your business at the Recreational Shooting Complex and in support of your valued patronage, we have constructed a brand new, 2,000 square foot building to support the range. The new building facilitates larger sales and rentals in an effort to carry more products and a classroom, which will be used for future firearms classes. Stay tuned for more information on the facility's offerings!

**Upcoming Events:** October 5: Deer Hunting 101

## Were you there?



Members of the Benning Bass Club joined the staff of Outdoor Recreation and volunteers from across the Chattahoochee Valley to make the annual Youth Sportsmen's Day an unforgettable event for nearly 600 participants April 29 at the Recreational Shooting Complex on Fort Benning's Main Post.

In addition to a variety of activities that included hunting and marksmanship skills, future fishermen were given the opportunity to try their hands at basic fishing techniques, including casting and reeling, with help from Bass Club volunteers.

## RECREATION CENTERS



### Sand Hill Recreation Center

Enjoy a home-like atmosphere at the Sand Hill Recreation Center, with free WiFi, movie rooms, eight billiard tables, two foosball, two air hockey, two table tennis tables, board games and video games. We have a free computer lab with 29 computers. We have more than 400 movies to watch in our three movie rooms or on the big screen in our auditorium. Got a craft you would like to volunteer to teach? Give us a call and a suggestion. Use our large screen and projector for family day activities, classes, briefings or parties. Eat at SUBWAY for healthier eating. Soldiers Photos, LLC is located on site.

### Harmony Church Recreation Center

MWR's newest recreation center has a movie room and TV viewing areas, computers, magazines and book, pool tables and video games, and a snack bar. The Harmony Church Rec Center is 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.

Pool Tournaments are held every Saturday at 2pm. Registration closes at 12:30pm. They are open to all ID Card holders and MWR Patrons. Registration is required. Contact [dominique.m.green.naf@mail.mil](mailto:dominique.m.green.naf@mail.mil) or 706-626-1316 with any questions.





## SOME GOLF TRIVIA:

1. The very first nationally-televised golf tournament, the 1953 World Championship of Golf, featured an incredible finish from Lew Worsham. Needing a birdie for a playoff with Chandler Harper, Worsham holed out for eagle from 104 yards on the 72nd hole to defeat Harper by one shot.
2. Rain or Shine...and Snow – Dwight Eisenhower. John F. Kennedy. Barack Obama. These are just a few of the presidents associated with golf. But Woodrow Wilson is often overlooked. An avid golfer, he was so dedicated to the game that he even played in the snow – using black golf balls!
3. The Power of Golf – To millions, she is beloved for her powerful voice, releasing hits like “The Power of Love.” But singer Celine Dion is also a golf fanatic and owns a course, Terrebonne, Quebec’s Le Mirage Golf Club

## CG GOLF SCRAMBLES

Form your best team and test your golf game in the monthly CG Golf Scramble, September 28 and October 26. 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.



OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

Jack Daniels theme club house with food and drink specials!

The Fort Benning Golf Course has three distinct nine-hole courses: The Bradley, The Marshall and The Patton. Our large Tifeagle greens, tightly mowed 419 Bermuda fairways, strategically placed bunkers and four sets of tees make each of these courses challenging. You will especially enjoy our signature hole, a par 3 with a 7,700 square foot green surrounded by water. If you're game, play this par 3 from the championship tees at 230 yards.

## MEMBERSHIP SPECIALS

**GOLF LESSONS:** Dustin Boudreaux, our teaching professional, is available for private golf lessons. Golf is a great way to lose some pounds and stay in shape. Golf lessons are by appointment only. Call 706-957-3725.

**ACTIVE DUTY PERSONNEL:** The Fort Benning Golf Course continues to offer specials exclusively to active duty service members. For 90 consecutive days, active duty personnel can play unlimited golf! Cart rental, range balls and other equipment are available for purchase. Join at any time of the month! E5 and below pay \$60 and E6 and above pay \$90.



# RECREATION

## OUTDOOR RECREATION



### KAYAK THE HOOCH

Spend your training holiday with ODR and paddle down the Chattahoochee River 9am-2pm, September 1. The \$20 per person fee includes transportation, kayak gear and lunch. Age restrictions apply. To register, call 706-545-7978.

### FAMILY FISHING NIGHT

Don't miss our free Family Fishing Nights at Russ Park, September 19, 6-8pm! Fishing at this pond is reserved for those 15 and younger, but parents and older siblings are encouraged to help. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Bring your own fishing pole or reserve one free from Outdoor Recreation. To register, call 706-545-7978. In the event of inclement weather, the event will be cancelled.



### DESTIN PADDLEBOARD & KAYAK TRIP

Join Outdoor Recreation for a weekend at our MWR resort in Destin, FL September 8-10. We will bring stand up paddleboards and kayaks for participants to try. There will be a deep sea fishing excursion option for those who want to try their hand at catching a big one, for an additional fee. A shopping excursion time may be set if there is enough interest. Space is limited. To register, call 706-545-7978.

### KINGS POND CAMPOUT

Get ready for a fun-filled outdoor day kayaking, canoeing, games, fishing and camping! This event is free and family-friendly September 16-17 and October 14-15. Come enjoy the natural beauty of Kings Pond for the afternoon or pitch a tent and stay all night long. Bring your own food and camping supplies. To register, call 706-545-7978.

## OTHER UPCOMING ODR EVENTS

- October 5: Deer Hunting 101 at the Recreational Shooting Complex
- October 11, November 8 & December 6: SUP Yoga at Columbus State University
- October 12: Help the Hooch
- October 25: Howl-o-Ween
- November 4: Day Hike
- November 10: Zombie Paintball



### FLEA MARKET & POSTWIDE YARD SALE

The Fort Benning Fall Flea Market is 8am-2pm September 23 on Stilwell Field by the Post Office on Main Post. Space is limited. This event is open to the public and there is no admission fee to shop. Expect thousands of shoppers from across the Chattahoochee Valley to descend upon Fort Benning for this popular event, which is held the same day as the postwide yard sale. Drive cautiously. Register for the flea market at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

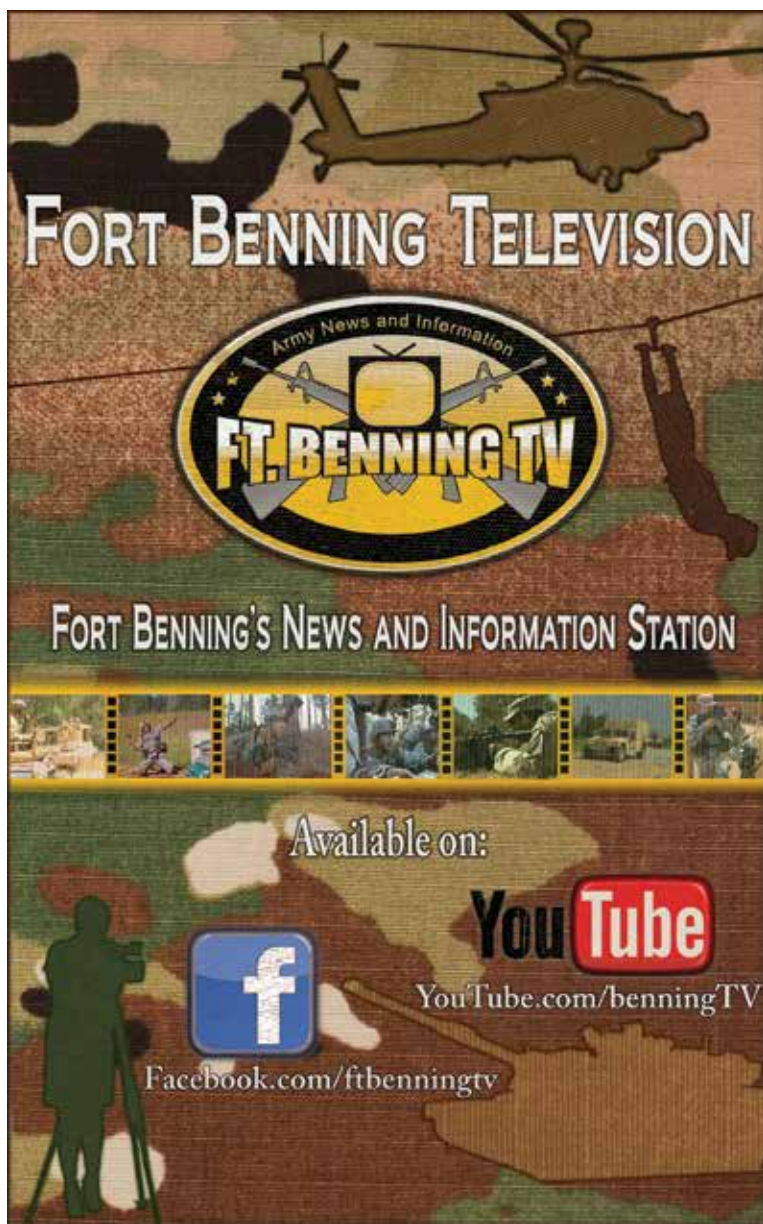
The sale of items that require a special license such as alcohol, tobacco, weapons (firearms, knives, etc.), food/drink and vehicles are prohibited. Parking is free! The event will be held rain or shine. No refunds will be given. For more information, call 706-545-6323.

### POST-WIDE YARD SALE

The next postwide yard sale is 8am-2pm October 28. This event does not include the flea market.



## RECREATION



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	40 x 12 - \$33

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**LIVE IN CONCERT**

# **KALEB KING**

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

**6pm–Gates Open, 7pm–Showtime  
Wetherby Field**

**Admission is free; no tickets required.  
Food and beverages available for purchase.**

**More info at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com)**

No guns, knives, or weapons of any kind. For security reasons, please be prepared for random security checks.  
No pets allowed unless service animals. No smoking allowed on Wetherby Field or in the event areas.  
Minor children must be accompanied by an adult. No coolers with outside food and beverages.





# RENTAL VENUES on Fort Benning



It's not too early to start planning your Christmas party or social. MWR's goal is to offer Soldiers and their Families desirable social and recreational opportunities. Our facilities are available to support mission-related functions when their use does not preclude authorized MWR patronage.

We offer many locations for you to host your next FRG meeting, unit function, hail and farewell and more! Our event planner will make all your special events memorable and affordable. Whether you are planning for 10 guests or 1,000, our planner will find a suitable location, formal or informal, indoors or out, and arrange for entertainment, food and lodging. Call our catering office for availability and pricing at 706-687-1861 or 706-325-9490.

#### No rental fees required for the following facilities:

Patch Hall • MWR Library  
Twilight Pavilion  
Harmony Church Recreation Center  
Russ Pond Pavilion  
Kings Pond Pavilion • Bouton Heights/Davis  
Hill Outreach Center  
Sand Hill Recreation Center  
Survivor Outreach Services Building

*Please Note: For non-military events, please call our catering office at 706-687-1861.*

#### Rental fees required for the following facilities:

Family Entertainment Center • Benning Club  
Mall Bowling Center  
Benning Brew Pub  
Golf Course (Ballroom, Club House or Pavilion)  
Sand Hill Club House  
Uchee Creek Campground & Marina  
Destin Army Recreation Area  
Breezeway Complex (Bar & Lounge, Patio or Pool)  
Wetherby Field  
Supper Club

#### Guidelines for Venue Rental

1. Contact the DFMWR facility you are requesting to use in order to verify cost and availability of service/space and rental fees, if applicable.
2. Deposit required for room and equipment fees at the time of booking and prior to event.
3. Payment required for food/beverage (meals) prior to the function date and payment due at least 7 days prior to function.
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This year performing on the live stage October 7, Brothers Osborne and Grander Smith. October 14 will host Trace Atkins and Chris Janson.

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Survivor Outreach Services .....	706-545-2989
Mobilization & Deployment .....	706-545-2449
<b>Family Advocacy Program</b> .....	706-545-3202
Lewis Hall, Building 36, 7131 Richardson Circle	
<b>Military Family Life Consultants</b> .....	706-545-7517
Building 359, 7021 Ingersoll Ave	

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

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Building 1051, 7191 1st Division Road	
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Building 2389, 6351 Indianhead Road	
<b>Main Post CDC</b> .....	706-545-3732
Building 1366, 7000 Yeager Avenue	
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Building 11306, 8220 Custer Road	
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Building 9242, 7151 Hoff Street	
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Building 1056, 7110 McIver Street	
<b>Middle School &amp; Teen</b> .....	706-545-3570
Building 1055, 7110 McIver Street	
<b>Parent Central Services</b> .....	706-545-2079
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<b>School Age Care</b> .....	706-545-3605
Building 2653, 7502 Ingersoll Street	
<b>School Liaison Officers</b> .....	706-545-3062
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<b>Benning Club</b> .....	706-687-1861
Building 128, 7010 Morrison Avenue	
<b>Destiny Dogs</b> .....	706-685-4466
Building 2785, 6530 Eckel Avenue	
<b>El Zapata</b> .....	706-689-9009
Building 2784, 7611 Sightseeing Road	
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Building 390, 390 Baltzell Avenue	

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Building 4102, Jamestown Road	
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Building 3308, 5300 41st Infantry Regiment Street	

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<b>Director</b> .....	706-545-1511
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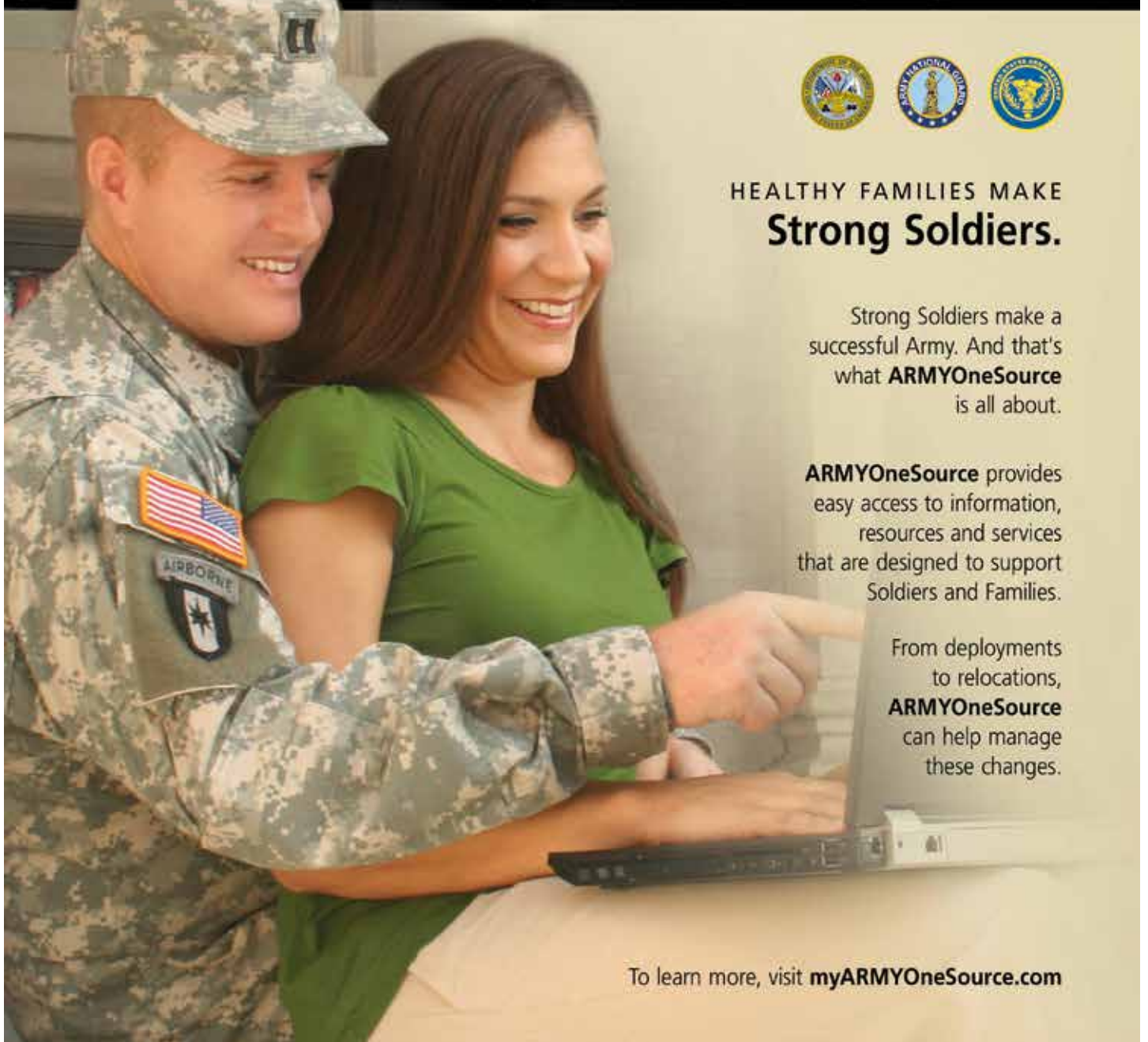
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