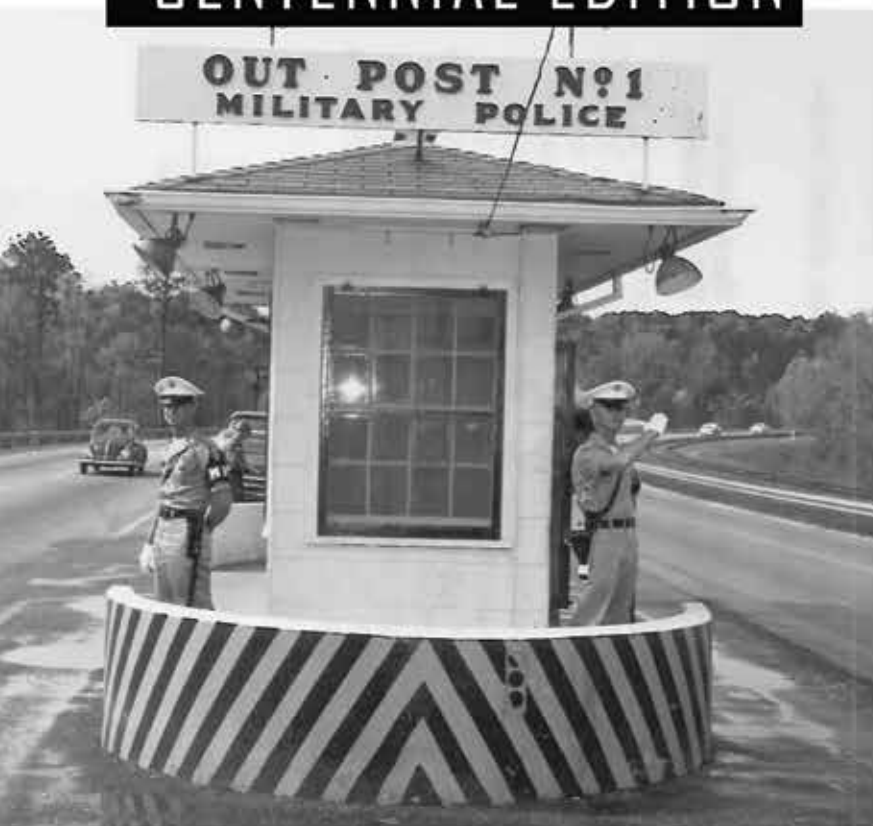


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As we celebrate the 100th birthday of Fort Benning all year long, look for information about these events all across post. For more information as the dates draw near, check the calendars at benning.armymwr.com and benning.army.mil.

During Community Week, February 7-10, Fort Benning officials will visit the state capital, where a proclamation will be issued to honor our centennial. Look for more activities closer to home during Community Week.

Infantry Week, April 13-20, will feature the annual Best Ranger Competition and the Infantry Ball, but you'll also enjoy the Best Mortar Competition, a combatives tournament and the Combat Leader Speaker Program. Armor Week is April 30-May 4, and it will center on the annual Sullivan Cup Best Tank Crew Competition.

MWR will host a Centennial Golf Tournament at the Fort Benning Golf Course April 27. This event is open to the public; the competition will be stiff, and the prizes will be rich!

Perhaps the grandest event of the whole year will be the annual Independence Celebration from 3pm to midnight June 23 on Main Post. This year's event will include a variety of popular musical artists, a fireworks show twice the size you've come to enjoy, a carnival, more than 40 food and beverage vendors, exciting airborne demonstrations and so much more. As always, this event is open to the public, so plan to arrive early and stake out a spot on York Field for the duration.

Leadership Week, August 27-31, is scheduled to coincide with the annual Blanchard Leadership Conference in Columbus.

The Centennial Celebration will culminate with an exciting event in October, one that will include a capabilities demonstration with airborne and air assault demos; SPIES and FRIES, a Scouts screening demonstration in Strykers; a Tank-Bradley sections armored assault, static displays, vendors, drone demonstrations and much more.

This list is certainly not comprehensive. You'll find exciting opportunities to celebrate our historic heritage at every turn this year. Please stay tuned to our website and our Facebook page, and we'll keep you in the know!

HOOAH



LETTER FROM DIRECTOR



AL GELINEAU
 Director of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Happy New Year and happy 100th birthday Fort Benning! Here at the Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, we're working with organizations all across the installation to prepare what will be the grandest celebration in the history of Fort Benning. A Centennial Celebration all year long! It's an exciting time to be part of the Fort Benning family.

It's also a challenging time. We are operating in a challenging fiscal reality, which is a euphemism for "tough times." We're all working with tighter budgets and smaller teams. Our generous and faithful sponsors are experiencing the same phenomenon. We will thank them for their continued support during our annual Sponsor Appreciation Luncheon in February, because we know they have had to tighten their belts even as they give and give and give to support the Fort Benning community.

Here at MWR, we've had to make some tough decisions about many of the programs and activities our patrons have come to expect. We've scaled back in some areas and renewed our energies toward events and programs that serve our families best. We are committed to providing our patrons with the kind of world class programs they've come to expect at Fort Benning.

There has never been a time when our Army has not known change and challenge. Our strength as a community is the legacy of generations of resilient families who paved the way for you and me.

It's going to be a busy and exciting year; the calendar is jam-packed with Centennial Celebration events. We're moving forward, even as we look back on the 100 years Fort Benning families have made this their home. There is much to celebrate, and we hope you'll join us as we honor

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MWR's 2017 Employee of the Year is Torin Ramos, who manages the Whittington High Performance Fitness Center and Kefurt Fitness Center. Ramos served in the Army for 21 years before joining the MWR team two years ago.

Managing two fitness centers keeps Torin on his toes. He finds the constant need to educate himself on new equipment, new fitness trends, safety and first aid both challenging and fulfilling. He particularly enjoys the interaction with patrons and employees and finds great satisfaction in solving problems, whether they be personnel issues or customer needs. His exceptional ability to do just that, coupled with a disposition that engenders a spirit of cohesiveness among the fitness center staff members, helped earn him the title of Employee of the Year.

TORIN RAMOS

Fitness Manager, Whittington and Kefurt Gym

The North Carolina native remains loyal to his Tarheels and enjoys volunteering in the community in his spare time.

"My goal is to be the best person I can be, to spend every day like it might be my last," he said. "You have to enjoy laughing and smiling just to live a little bit longer."

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MILTON E. LONG LIBRARY



NEW LIBRARY OPENS

A great way to start the New Year! The Milton E. Long Library will open January 3 at 6529 Eckel Avenue in Building 2783. This building was dedicated long ago to the late Second Lt Milton Long, a Columbus native who earned the Medal of Honor in France in 1918, the year Camp Benning was established in Columbus. It served a number of purposes throughout the years until it suffered fire damage about four years ago. Today, newly renovated, Long Library offers patrons twice as much space as the original library, which means more room for more computers, more readings materials, electronics and media, meeting spaces and program rooms and so much more.



AMERICAN GIRLS BOOK CLUB

The American Girls Book Club book club celebrates reading and friendship through the American Girls collection. The **first Wednesday of each month**, members discuss a chapter from one of the award-winning series based on pre-teen girl characters from various periods of American history. The Library will provide a copy of the book. Refreshments are served. For more information, call 706-545-4911.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Preschool Story Time | Wednesdays at 10:30
Board Game Night | January 24 and February 14 & 28
Lunch and Learn Book Club | February 14, 11:30am-12:30pm - bring a bag lunch
Book-to-Movie Club | January 20 and February 17, 1pm
Centennial of World War I and Fort Benning - Movie series | February 10
Superheroes Club | February 21, 6:30pm



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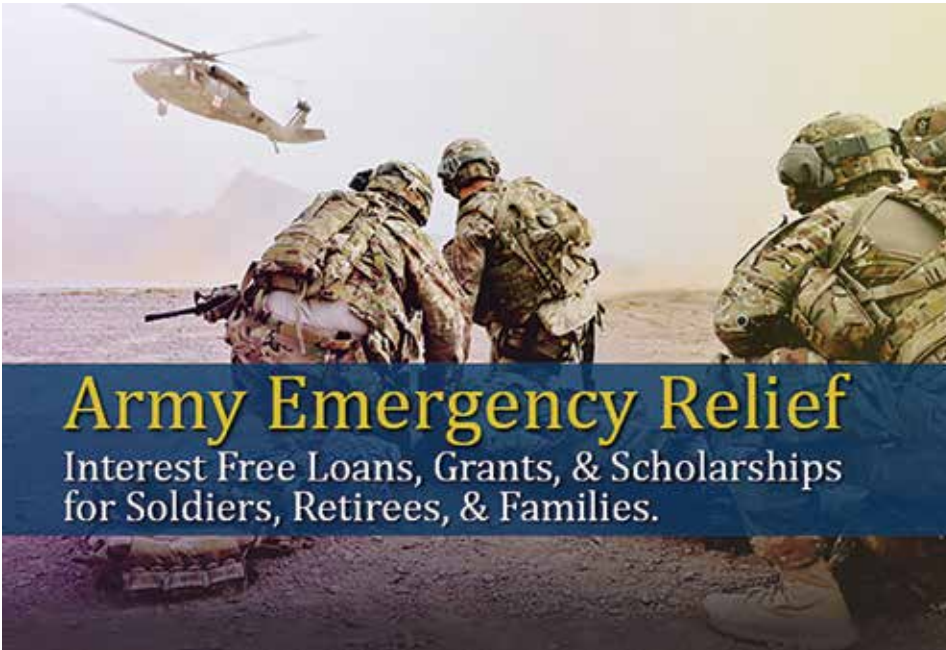
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QUALITY OF LIFE: This includes issues that influence the morale, living environment or growth and development of Soldiers. Examples include problems in living quarters, parking, PX/commissary issues and concerns about utilities, such as telephone or cable service.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Activities are planned with on- and off-post agencies. Many programs ask us to provide volunteer support for their projects, which have proven to be worthwhile for everyone involved. Soldiers acknowledge that volunteering makes a noticeable difference in their lives and the lives of others. All community service projects provide the opportunity to increase awareness about the BOSS program while demonstrating the outstanding character of BOSS Soldiers.

RECREATION AND LEISURE: Ideas for trips and events are planned and supported by BOSS Soldiers and coordinated through the BOSS advisor and president. They must receive military and civilian chain of command approval. Money raised through BOSS fund-raisers often pays for a portion of expenses associated with the activity.

For more information, call 706-626-7652.



Each year, the Army conducts its annual fund raising campaign for AER from March 1 - May 15. Fort Benning will start its annual fund raising campaign with a kick-off rally at the Benning Club March 8. This event is open to the community. Fort Benning's contributions for 2017 was nearly \$200,000. With an increase in support from the community, we can easily exceed 2017 contributions. For more than 75 years, AER has faithfully "Helped the Army Take Care of its Own" by providing \$1.7 billion in interest-free loans, grants and scholarships to soldiers and families around the globe during peace and war.

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WOW! THE HOLIDAYS ARE OVER. ARE YOU READY FOR THE BILLS?

Now that the holiday season has past, are you ready to open your credit card statements? Have you started dreaming about how you will spend your tax return? The Financial Readiness Program (FRP) encourages planning and saving to reduce the financial stress associated with the holidays. If you had a solid plan and didn't use credit to fund the gift giving season, we applaud you. However, if you find yourself a bit over extended, we are here to help. We can help you plan the best way to spend your tax return so it doesn't evaporate on you. For more information, call at 706-545-4043. We look forward the serving you in the New Year!

COMMUNITY SERVICES



HEARTS APART

Is your spouse deployed, on an unaccompanied tour, or TDY for longer than 60 days? Join the Fort Benning Hearts Apart Group to connect with other families and conquer prolonged separations. The next meeting is **11:30am - 1pm, February 8.**

We can help you with your needs, answer questions, and provide you with updated community information. We are located at ACS, Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue. Stop by or call us 706-545-0403/4485.

NEWCOMERS ORIENTATION

ACS host Newcomers Orientation **every Wednesday from 9-11:30am.** Join us to see what the Fort Benning community has to offer. Registration begins at 8:30am and at the ACS Auditorium, Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue. Spouses are invited.

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. Training is held **every Wednesday from 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! Have your questions answered and get way ahead to make your transition smooth and enjoyable! Our briefings are the third Thursday during the holidays, **January 25 & February 22** from 8:30-11am at ACS Auditorium, Building 7. To reserve your spot, call 706-545-4485/0403.

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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES RESOURCE EXCHANGE

The Community Activity Resource Exchange (CARE) provides information on upcoming events and items of interest within the surrounding communities to command spouses, FRSAs, FRG leaders, volunteers and civilians. CARE is a forum where shared concerns are shared and responses are heard from subject matter experts. CARE takes place at the ACS Auditorium, Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue.

UPCOMING MEETING TOPICS:

JANUARY 8, 10:30-11:30AM

- Martin Army Services (Relay Health, Pharmacy, VA clinic, Tricare, Barietrics, HEDIS(Healthcare Data Information))
- Army wellness Center
- Healthy Army Communities

FEBRUARY 6, 10:30-11:30AM

- Spring Break Fun (School Age Services, Instructional Programs, MWR Tickets & Travel)
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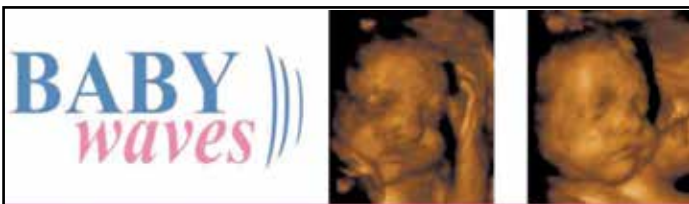


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10 steps to landing that dream job in 2018

The festivities have died down and the New Year's resolutions have been made. If one of your resolutions is to get that dream job, earn that promotion or get back into the workforce, this article is for you. The ACS Employment Readiness Program presents 10 steps to make that resolution a reality:

10) **References.** Update your reference sheet. Revisit and network those contacts you have as references to wish them a happy New Year. Consider your relationships in 2017 that would make excellent references this year.

9) **Classes.** Did you know Employment Readiness holds free classes every month? The ERP team offers you classes and appointments to help with resume writing, interviewing, job searching civilian opportunities and government jobs make sure ERP classes are part of your New Year's resolution and become a pro in the job market.

8) **Dress for Success.** For networking and interviewing, make sure you have a professional ensemble. Dark colors, such as navy blue and charcoal grey, are best. Make sure your shoes are shined. Keep makeup and jewelry to a minimum. Remember, employers want to be WOWed by you, not what you're wearing. Also consider your daily attire during your job search and networking. You never know who you may meet while out and about.

7) **Brand Yourself.** Who do you want future employers to know you as? What makes you the best candidate for the position? What do you bring to the table no one else does? Need help with this step? Call ACS and make an appointment with our expert Employment Readiness Program team who will walk you through this step. It is all a part of networking.

6) **Make a Plan.** Make an employment plan. What companies do you want to target? Who do you know that works there or may have connections to the inside? What industry are you looking to get into? You should be able to answer these questions or at least know where to find the answers before jumping in head first. Networking is the key.

5) **Timelines.** When do you want to be hired? Remain diligent and steadfast during the job search. It is tough at times to stay positive and on top of it all as weeks and months go by during the job search. Maybe you got the referral, and you got the interview, but weren't selected. Don't you love how many times the books and professionals say that, "looking for a job is a full-time job"? Well, it is true.

4) **Resources/Tools.** This seems to be a daunting task for most job seekers. We have so many websites, so many resume styles, and so many rabbit holes to run down in today's job market. Your ERP team will help you navigate these and help you through.

3) **Networking.** Sounds familiar, doesn't it? There is a reason it keeps getting mentioned. This step is huge! Have you told your network you are looking for work? Who do you know that can help you get your foot in the door? Do you volunteer in the community? Every government and civilian employment resource say that networking is the most advantageous way to get a job. (By the way, veterans get one year free premium service with LinkedIn).

2) **Revamp, Revise, Update, and Create your resumes.** Yes resumes, as in plural. Are you still sending out that generic resume from last year? You know the one, the "resume blanket" that will work for any employer regardless of the industry or position? If so, it's time to change it to a professional targeted resume for each type of industry and position you seek. Come in and see us at ACS. Your Employment Readiness Program team will help you develop, review and tweak your resume into professional perfection.

1) **Make an appointment/register for classes.** The most important step to landing that dream job this year is to take advantage of the Employment Readiness Program. Call today, make that appointment, sign up for the classes, it's free. We walk every step of the way with you, from figuring out what you want to do, what you've already done and how to make those skills transferable, to celebrating with you when you get that offer letter. We do interviews, resumes, interest profiles and individual development plans. We do it all. For more information, call 706-545-4043. The ERP is located in Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue.

ERP'S HAPPY NEW YEAR CLASSES:

Job Search Strategy: 9am-12pm, January 16, February 13

Resume/Federal Resume: 9am-12pm, January 23, February 20

Interviewing Skills: 9-11am, January 25, February 22

10 Steps to a Federal Job: 9am-12pm, January 30, February 27

TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH



FEBRUARY IS TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

February is Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month! Teen DV Month is a national effort to raise awareness about abuse in teen and 20-something relationships and promote programs that prevent it.

One in three teens in the U.S. will experience physical, sexual or emotional abuse by someone they are in a relationship with before they become adults. Violent behavior often begins between 6th and 12th grade, 50% of young people who experience rape, physical or sexual abuse will attempt suicide. Teens who suffer dating abuse are subject to long-term consequences, such as alcoholism, eating disorders, promiscuity, thoughts of suicide, and violent behavior. Help us spread awareness and stop dating abuse before it starts!

The Family Advocacy Program (FAP) will host "Teen Talks" at the Middle School and Teen Center at 2pm February 6, 13 and 27.

TOPICS PER DATE:

February 6:

Dating & Violence - How to Tell if a Relationship is Abusive

February 13:

Breaking Up Safely - Ending an Abusive Relationship

February 27:

Social Networking - 10 Things All Teens Should Know

For more information, call FAP at 706-545-7594 or visit the office at 7131 Richardson Circle, Building 36, Lewis Hall.

It's Time to Talk



EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM (EFMP) :

The Exceptional Family Member Program host a free Coffee from 11am-noon the first Monday of each month, except holidays. EFMP Resource Sharing Support Group Coffee is a great opportunity to share & network with others, enjoy coffee and receive valuable resources and information. Community agencies are also invited to network and share specific resources that support EFMP families. Location is Army Community Service, Building 7, Baltzell Avenue. For more information call, 706-545-2679/6545.

JAVA CAFÉS



NEW YEAR, NEW YOU, NEW FOOD

The Java Café offers a variety of fresh new menu options, and the fact that they're healthy is a big bonus! At the Java Cafes on Main Post and Harmony Church, you'll find three new flavors of artisan flatbread single-serving pizzas, including Buffalo Chicken; Malibu Chicken; and Spinach, Cheese & Tomato. We also introduce a Chicken Gyro Pita; the Light Turkey Green Chili Sandwich; and a Tomato-Cucumber & Turkey Salad. These lean treats are low in calories and rich in flavor. Try one today!

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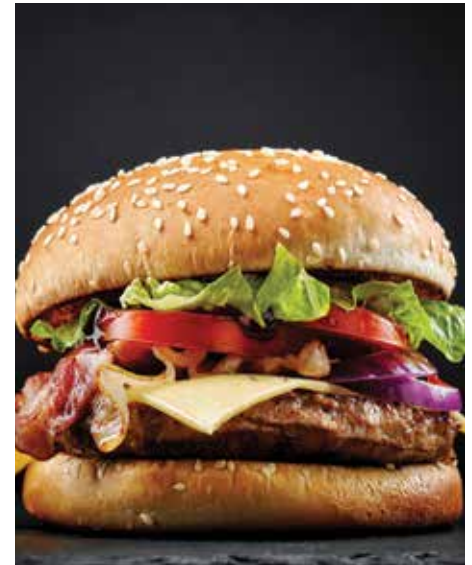
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El Zapata
February 14

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\$25 gets you

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Buy one get one lunch buffet on February 9

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ENTERTAINMENT

FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT CENTER



MEET AL-E-GATOR

Al-E-Gator is here to help plan your next birthday party, FRG, holiday or Hail and Farewell events! The Family Entertainment Center (FEC) has 12 bowling lanes, an indoor playground with a rock climbing wall, an interactive game floor, toddler area, party rooms and much more! The playground is reserved for guests 10 and younger. (Socks are required; we sell them on site.) The more you play, the less you pay!

OUR PARTY PACKAGES INCLUDE:

Bowling Party | \$13 per child

Includes reserved party room (1 hr), party tableware, hot dog or corn dog, chips, soda, one game of bowling and shoe rental.

Playzone Party | \$14 per child

Includes reserved party room (1hr), party tableware, hot dog or corn dog, chips, soda and unlimited access to playground.

Bowling and Playzone Party | \$16 per child

Includes reserved party room (1 hr), party tableware, hot dog or corn dog, chips, soda, onw game of bowling, shoe rental and unlimited access to playground.

**\$2
off**

PARTY SPECIALS

Book a birthday party for the month of January or February and get \$2 off per child!

MALL BOWLING CENTER



JANUARY

\$2 games/\$2 shoes Mondays, 10am- 4pm
(not valid on Federal/Training Holidays)

\$12 All-You-Can-Bowl Sundays, 1pm-8pm
(shoes included)

\$12 All-You-Can-Cosmic-Bowl, January 2, 6pm to close

Play three games at regular price, receive free shoe rental January 15, Martin Luther King Holiday

FEBRUARY

\$2 games/\$2 shoes Wednesdays, 10am-4pm

\$12 All-You-Can-Bowl Sundays, 1pm-8pm
(shoes included)

Valentine's Day Giveaway, February 14. Chacne to win a peppermint swirl bowling ball

\$12 All-You-Can-Bowl, February 19
(shoes included)

ENTERTAINMENT

BENNING BREW PUB



BEER TASTING

Enjoy a sampling of Fort Benning's Centennial Beer. This highly anticipated event will take place on **at 8pm January 5 and February 23**. The new brews will consist of an Australian Lager, Vienna Lager and Imperial Cream Ale. Purchase a flight of these beers and receive a raffle ticket to win various prizes.

Imperial Cream Ale has strong flavors of toasted malt, followed by some caramel and honey-like sweetness along with some floral flavors of clover. The beer has practically no hops whatsoever.

Vienna Lager has a soft, elegant malt complexity in the forefront, with a firm enough hop bitterness to provide a balanced finish. Some toasted character from the use of Vienna malt.

The **Australian Lager** has fairly mild clean smooth flavors with a hint of fruit, light grains, and a mild bitterness. The body is medium light and the fermentation is medium high.



Catch the 52nd Super Bowl February 4 at the Benning Brew Pub. Doors will open at 1pm (with live music!) and we'll open the buffet at 2pm and introduce our new custom brewed Centennial Beer at 4:30pm. The game starts at 6:30pm, and we'll give you a chance to win a Yeti Cooler during commercial bingo. Enjoy Centennial beers on tap and drink specials all night.



Live Music

Every Friday from 8-11pm. Enjoy free entry, cold beer and a great time. List of singers can be found at benning.armymwr.com



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KIDS ZONE (CYS)

MAIN POST CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER



The Main Post Child Development Center (CDC) provides full time and hourly care for children 6 weeks - 5 years of age. We are open from 5:30am-6:30pm Monday through Friday. Main Post CDC is NAEYC accredited and complies with all Army regulations and standards. Main Post CDC teachers are up to date with all of their training requirements. Classrooms follow a daily schedule and weekly lesson plan. The curriculum used is Teaching Strategies Gold, which focuses on 38 objectives over 10 areas of development and learning, including broad development areas, content areas and English language acquisition. Main Post CDC focuses on social and emotional development to encourage healthy growth in children of all ages. Main Post CDC strives to provide quality care that allows for smooth transitions in the lives of military children and ease of stress for the parents of our children.

INDIANHEAD CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER



February is "Friendship Fest!" All classrooms will host individual parties at 2pm February 14-16. Check with your child's caregiver to find out which day, all families and friends of Indianhead children are invited to attend.

DATE NIGHT

CYS is hosting a special childcare opening **from 6-11pm Friday, February 9**. Enjoy an early Valentines date night! Children will enjoy arts & crafts, playing and having a great time! Dinner and snacks are provided. The cost is \$20 per child. Register for Date Night at Parent Central, Building 104, Marchant Avenue. For more information, call 706-545-2079.



YOUTH SPORTS

Time to sign up for spring sports, including soccer, baseball, t-ball, coach pitch and softball. Register **January 22 - February 28** at Parent Central, Building 104, Marchant Avenue. Sports are open to ages 4-13, \$55 per child. The season will start March 19 and last till May 19. For more information, call 706-545-2079.

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS



- Cheerleading, one hour a week, \$45 per month, ages 3 and older
- Parents & Tots, 45 minutes once a week for \$40 per month for 11 months - 3 years
- All levels of Tumbling, beginner to advanced, one hour a week, \$45 per month
- Zumba, once a week, \$40 per month, for ages 4-12
- Tae Kwon Do for ages 6-18, \$45 per month
- Functional Fitness is free for ages 3 and 4
- Drama Kids for ages 4-18, meets Thursdays for \$50 per month
- Dance, for ages 3-18, meets Wednesdays for \$50 per month

Register for classes at Parent Central, Building 104, Marchant Avenue. For more information, call 706-545-2079.

7Cs

The Essential Building Blocks of Resilience

Believe in young people unconditionally and hold them to the high expectations of being compassionate, generous, and creative.

Competence: Mastering important skills through trial and error

Confidence: Believing in yourself and your ability to overcome challenges

Connection: Establishing relationships with people, schools, and communities

Character: Understanding right and wrong and committing to personal integrity

Contribution: Making the world a better place by helping others

Coping: Choosing healthy ways to cope with stressful situations

Control: Developing self-discipline and demonstrating personal responsibility

It is more important to model healthy resilience strategies for our children than it is to talk about the strategies.

The 7 Cs are an adaptation from The Positive Youth Development movement.



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DESTIN ARMY RECREATION AREA

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MEET OUR CAPTAIN

Meet the newest member to the Destin Army Recreation Area team, Captain Rusty! Rusty is a retired police officer from Columbus, Georgia with three years active duty service in the 7th Special Forces Group and four years as a reservist for the 11th Special Forces Group. His love for the military lead him to accept the position as the boat captain of our Stars and Stripes. We are glad to have him join our team.



Stars and Stripes fishing charters accommodate up to six passengers. To book a 4-8 hour charter, call 850-685-9083.



Description	Winter (1 Oct to 28 Feb) Per Night	Active Duty: E5 & Below Per Night
3 Bedroom Villa - Standard	\$ 123.00	\$ 116.00
3 Bedroom Villa - Deluxe	\$ 133.00	\$ 126.00
2 Bedroom Villa - Standard	\$ 112.00	\$ 100.00
2 Bedroom Villa - Deluxe	\$ 118.00	\$ 105.00
Suite (1-Bedroom)	\$ 102.00	\$ 90.00
Studio - Premium	\$ 96.00	\$ 79.00
Studio - Deluxe	\$ 90.00	\$ 74.00
Hotel	\$ 75.00	\$ 55.00
RV - Max: 32 Foot	\$ 21.00	\$ 20.00
RV - Max: 38 Foot	\$ 22.00	\$ 21.00
RV - Max: 40 Foot	\$ 23.00	\$ 22.00
RV - Pull Through	\$ 30.00	\$ 29.00
Trailer Parking	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00

Destin Army Recreation Area Resort is open year round to active duty and retired military personnel, their families and DoD civilians. ID Cards will be checked on arrival.

All special needs requests must be made at the time of reservation.

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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 with both RV and tent sites, cabins and chalets, recreation areas, rental facilities, a fishing and boating marina, a paintball park, trails, and more. The newest addition to the park is a nature playground. 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. 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 fun.

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 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 (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

Make your reservations by calling 706-545-4053.





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With your military ID and with the purchase of an entrée, you get a free Cactus Blossom appetizer!

The Texas Roadhouse in Columbus, GA truly appreciates ALL you do!



Sunday Family Night! Join us every Sunday for Family Night! Kids can enjoy JR Kid's Meal all day on Sundays for only \$2.99 with the purchase of one adult entree. Children must be 12 years or younger.

*May exclude Holidays

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Reebok SPARTAN RACE



Race with the world's best Soldiers, **April 14** during the third Spartan Fort Benning Sprint. Tackle more than 20 military-inspired, measurable obstacles on a Spartan course more than three miles long. Active or retired member of the armed forces? Sign up now and save 25% with your Gov X discount. Call out your friends, co-workers and loved ones to get off the couch and into the mud. Whether they're helping you over the wall or chasing you up the mountain, make sure they're with you at the starting line.

The Spartan Kids' Race offers two distances for the little Spartans in your life. Based on age, the kids' races have obstacles just like the grown up versions. Watch your future Spartans run, jump, and play just like they're supposed to.

For more information or to register, visit <https://www.spartan.com/en/race/detail/3402/> or stay tuned to the MWR website and Facebook page.

**YOU'LL KNOW
AT THE FINISH LINE**

RECREATION



MWR BINGO

Join us **January 6 and February 3 for Special Bingo!** Doors open at 12:30pm, and bingo starts at 1pm. Guests will enjoy free food, great prizes and a chance to win up to \$10K. There will be guaranteed payouts of \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000, \$2,500, and \$10,000! The minimum buy-in for the program is \$18 per person, which includes the initial game pack with eight games. Additional games are sold on the floor. You must be 18 to play. For more information, visit benning.armymwr.com or call 706-544-1964.

RECREATIONAL SHOOTING COMPLEX



Calling all archers! A 3D archery range will be available at the Recreational Shooting Complex in late January. This will be a great addition to the Recreational Shooting Complex which offers, two trap and skeet ranges, five stand ranges, 50-yard handgun range, 300-yard rifle range and a store that sells ammunition and supplies.

Join us for our annual **from 5-7pm Sweetheart Shoot, February 9.** You and your sweetheart will enjoy a friendly skeet competition for \$20 couple (each round). Prizes for first and second place winners. Participants of all skill level are welcome.

Soldiers at Fort Benning without a vehicle, can call 706-545-6158 to schedule a free ride to the Recreational Shooting Complex.

RECREATION CENTER



Sand Hill Recreation Center

New year, new you. Join us at the Sand Hill Recreation Center. Bring the family! We have free WiFi, movie rooms, eight billiard tables, foosball, air hockey, table tennis, board and video games. We have a free computer lab with 29 computers. 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 your suggestion. Use our large screen and projector for family day activities, classes, briefings or parties. Eat on site at SUBWAY for a healthier food selection. Soldiers Photos LLC is also located on site.

Harmony Church Recreation Center



MWR's newest Recreation Center has a movie room and TV viewing areas, computers, books and magazines, pool tables, 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 for tournaments are required no later than 12:30pm each Saturday. Open to all ID card holders and MWR patrons. For more information, email dominique.m.green.naf@mail.mil or call 706-626-1316.

FORT BENNING GOLF COURSE



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.

WINTERTIME GOLF TRIVIA

Top Ten Signs You're Golfing Too Much

- When you pick up something off the floor, you have to lean on your putter
- The only number on your speed dial is 1-800-TEETIME.
- You have your priorities in order: food, shelter, greens fees, job.
- You dream you go to prison but still get conjugal visits with your driver.
- You tell the lost motorist that the gas station is only a par 4 away on the left.
- You'd like to take off your glove but hey, why bother?
- Whenever you see a hole in the ground, you squat, squint and read the line.
- You're vaguely aware of living with a woman, allegedly your wife
- You ask the shopper ahead in the checkout line if you can play through.
- Before you pick up the salt shaker, you mark its position with a dime.

Keep Golf fun and it will become the "Game of a Lifetime"

CG'S GOLF SCRAMBLES

Form your best team and test your golf game in the monthly CG's Golf Scramble, **January 25 and February 22**. 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.

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.



A great place to have a get together after work. The 19th Hole accommodate up to 60-80 people and there is no charge until our regular closing time. After that, the charge is \$50 per hour. We also have the Clubhouse and Pavilion that can be rented for larger and more private functions. For more information, call 706-545-0397.



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- Sauna

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP PLANS

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- Couple Membership | \$30
(must show proof for spouse)
- Family Package #1 | \$50
(Up to 4 Family members; must provide a copy of your orders)
- Family Package #2 | \$70
(5+ Family members; must provide a copy of your orders)

Additional Key Cards | \$5

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RECREATION

OUTDOOR RECREATION



SKI AND SNOWBOARDING TRIP

Pack your snowbibs and jacket, we are going to Gatlinburg, TN! Our Adventure Programs team is planning an awesome weekend of snowboarding and skiing **January 19-21**. Whether you are beginning or an expert, this trip promises to be a hit. The cost is \$242 for snowboarding or \$220 for skiers, and if you want to just shop, \$85 (\$50 discount to single soldiers). Price includes roundtrip transportation, 2-night double occupancy accommodations and a ski or snowboarding package (equipment rental, a beginner lesson, Friday lift ticket, Saturday lift ticket and two roundtrip tram rides), or transportation to the Tanger Outlets Saturday. This is a \$155 in savings per person! Meals are not included.

Space is limited and registration is required. Participants must register by January 5. For more information or to register, call Outdoor Recreation at 706-545-7978/6323.



SCENIC DAY HIKE AT FDR STATE PARK

Put on your hiking boots, we're going for a walk in the woods! Join Outdoor Recreation from **9am to 2pm on January 27 and February 10** at F.D. Roosevelt State Park. For \$20, patrons will enjoy a hike in the park, transportation and snack! Open to military ID cardholders only. To register, call 706-545-7978/6323.

STAND UP PADDLEBOARD YOGA

For \$10, you can improve your balance and core **5:30-6:30pm February 7**. SUP Yoga is essentially yoga on a stand up paddleboard in the water. Participants must be at least 18. To register, for more information call 706-545-7978/6323.

PAINTBALL AT THE WOODLANDS

Join Outdoor Recreation for an afternoon of paintball action at the Woodlands (Main Post), **noon-4pm February 16**. Rent paintball equipment on-site (cash only) while supplies last. To register, call 706-545-7978/6323.

FLEA MARKET & POST WIDE YARD SALE



The post wide yard sale will coincide with the MWR flea market **8am - 2pm on February 24**. Located on Stillwell field, you can choose from a 10x10 or a 10x20 space. Tables and chairs are also available for rent, \$8 per table, \$1 per chair. Register online at benning.armymwr.com.



CAMPING

King's Pond, located near Harmony Church, is the only area on the installation where primitive camping is permitted free of charge. Reservations are not required, except when MWR events are scheduled.

Twilight Pond Recreation Area is the perfect place to schedule your next unit activity or party. Located near Kelley Hill, the pond is easily accessible by dirt road.

Weems Pond, take 8th Division to Jamestown Road, turn right and follow it for approximately 4.5 miles. The pond is on the left. Please note that fishing is not permitted at Weems Pond at this time. There is a \$10 per night fee.

For more info on camp sites, visit benning.armymwr.com.

RECREATION

EQUIPMENT RENTAL

Our campers and RVs are perfect for your vacations. Take yours to Uchee Creek or Destin for the perfect getaway. Reserve yours today! Prices may vary and there is a 2-day rental is minimum.



24'/26' Everlite
(sleeps 4, 2 5/16" ball)

Daily	1 Week
\$80	\$400



28' iGo-Lite
(sleeps 7-10, 2 5/16" ball)

Daily	1 Week
\$100	\$500

Before you decide the camping life is for you, rent one of our campers, trailers or RVs and give it a roll! Active duty or retired service members, their eligible family members, DoD and NAF civilians, and contractors (and all MWR patrons listed in AR 215-1, Table 7-1) can rent any of the vast array of equipment, recreational vehicles and sporting goods available at the Outdoor Recreation Equipment Resource Center. Excluding minors, of course.



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RENTAL VENUES on Fort Benning



MWR's goal is to offer Soldiers and their families great 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, call our catering office at 706-687-1861.

Rental fees required for the following facilities:

Family Entertainment Center • Benning Club
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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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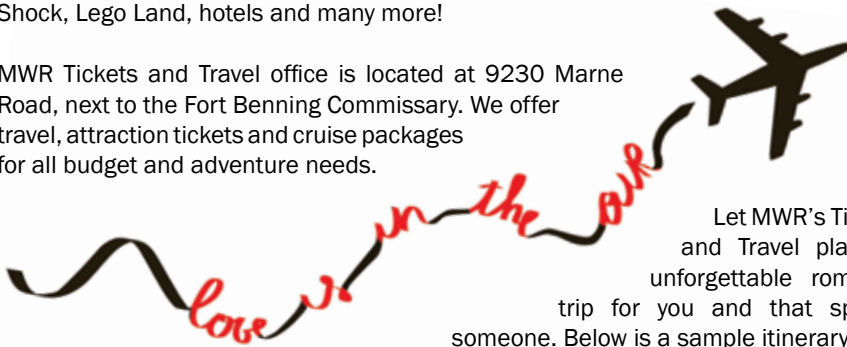
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Tickets and Travel will host its annual Travel Expo **from 10am-1pm February 5**. Vendors from different attractions around the world will be present provided information, door prizes, light refreshments and giveaways. This is a free event and open to the public. Vendors will include Universal Studios, Trip Shock, Lego Land, hotels and many more!

MWR Tickets and Travel office is located at 9230 Marne Road, next to the Fort Benning Commissary. We offer travel, attraction tickets and cruise packages for all budget and adventure needs.



Let MWR's Tickets and Travel plan an unforgettable romantic trip for you and that special someone. Below is a sample itinerary of a trip that can be purchased Tickets & Travel

Day 1: Bienvenue - Welcome to the magnificent "City of Light"

Drop your bags off at your hotel, Hyatt Paris Madeleine, then set out for lunch at a local café and make your way towards the world's most visited museum, Louvre. Spend the afternoon exploring some of the world's great art. See the Mona Lisa, the Venus de Milo and the Winged Victory of Samothrace, then discover wings devoted to decorative arts, French paintings, Italian masterpieces and more.

Next, take a taxi and head to one of Paris's best restaurants with an Eiffel Tower view. Finish off your evening with dessert in front of the Eiffel Tower.

Day 2: Start your morning off with a breakfast buffet at the hotel. Next, continue your romantic getaway with a champagne tour. Pop a cork in France's Champagne region on a full day tour from Paris. Visit some of the most famous Champagne cellars in the world at the Mumm and Mercier wineries, where you can taste varieties of beloved bubbly and learn about the time-honored tradition of making Champagne.

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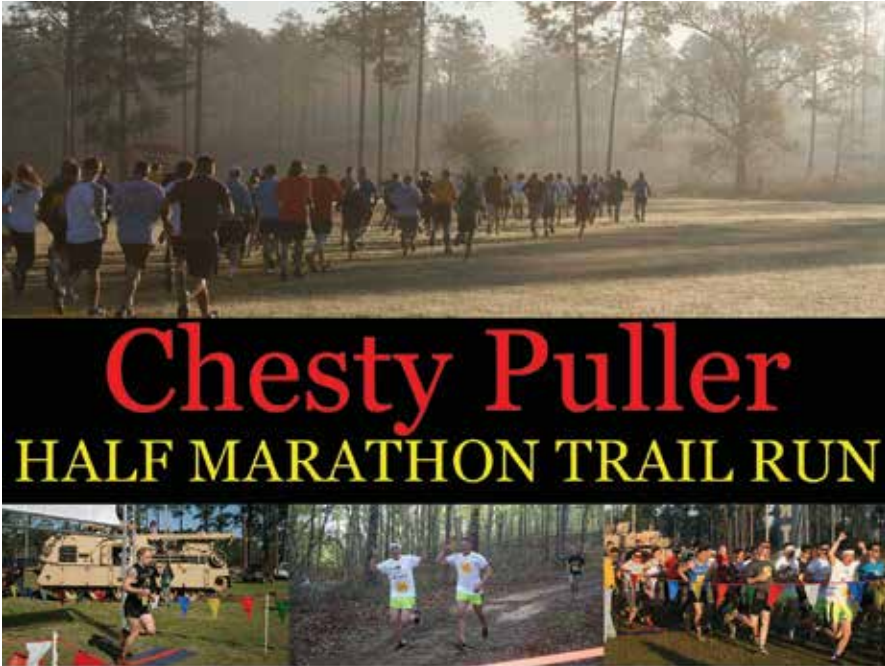
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Train now for Fort Benning's annual Chesty Puller Half Marathon Trail Run or Marine 1-Mile and 2-Mile Kids' Fun Run **March 16**. This event is open to the public and starts at 8 a.m. The 13.1 mile trail is routed deep into the woods near Kelley Hill on Fort Benning. Male and female participants will be assigned separately to the appropriate age division and the top three in each division will be awarded a prize. There will also be a division for military teams of three and four members. Registration is \$50 until the day of the race, when it will increase to \$70. The Marine 1-Mile and 2-Mile Kids' Fun Run will follow at 8:30 a.m. The cost is \$10 until race day, then increases to \$15. Register now at Smith Fitness Center or Active.com. For more information, call 706-505-7759.

Divisions:

1. Male Individual Divisions: 17 & under, 18-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60 & older
2. Female Individual Divisions: 17 & under, 18-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60 & older
3. 3 or 4-person military teams

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COMMANDERS CUP

Commanders Cup sports promote friendly competition while promoting troop morale and physical fitness. It is designed to develop team cooperation and effectiveness through athletic competition, self-confidence and leadership qualities via a competitive and recreational channel.

- Volleyball | **February 20** | Coaches meeting held at Doughboy Stadium at 1pm
- Soccer | **March 13** | Coaches meeting held at Doughboy Stadium at 1pm

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Fort Benning may be a training installation for Soldiers, but it's also the home of another kind of training, personal training. You can find Erica Jones helping clients work toward their fitness goals at one of the five gyms on Fort

Benning. Jones is an accomplished bodybuilding competitor who has placed in the top three in every show she has competed in. She will be competing next in the bikini competition at Junior Nationals. Jones hopes to create more awareness for personal training and encourage those who are interested in making a lifestyle change. Jones' philosophy is that fitness is a lifestyle and that everything in moderation is the key to success. If you are interested in working with Jones, call 706-527-2393.



The Smith Fitness pool is under construction. We apologize for any inconvenience. The estimated completion will be November or December of 2018.

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Building 104, 6880 Marchant Avenue	
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557 Calhoun Avenue, Destin Florida	
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Building 390, 390 Baltzell Avenue	
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 Building 111, Marchant Avenue

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 Harmony Church Car Wash, Building 4101, Jamestown Road
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AS we close out another year here at Fort Benning's Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, we're celebrating our successes, which include all the great events and activities we hosted to in 2017. From the Field Day for Tri-Community Exceptional Children and the Better at Benning Expo to the annual Santa at Riverside event, it was an exciting year for the Fort Benning family. And we owe a great deal of our success to the sponsors who make it all possible!

At MWR, our goal is to offer the very best leisure and recreational programs and events for our patrons, the service members, retirees, employees and families who make up the Fort Benning community. These events take a lot of planning and coordination with internal and external agencies, as well as a significant amount of resources and dollars.

Our faithful sponsors are major contributors to our efforts. They have invested their dollars in MWR and have participated in our programs and events far more than we asked of them, continually exceeding our expectations. Their investments have been invaluable to our success, making it possible to grow and improve upon your favorite events, like the Independence Celebration, which drew a crowd of more than 12,000, and the annual Oktoberfest celebration, which was attended by approximately 23,000.

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Thank you to our sponsors for your unwavering support of our Soldiers and families and your continuous support for Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation and the Fort Benning community.

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