ALCOHOL AWARENESS MONTH APRIL 2017

"Connecting the Dots: Opportunities for Recovery"



Alcohol Free Weekend 31 March - 2 April 2017

National Alcohol Screening Day

Copeland Center Bldg. 18010 6 April 2017 Time: 10AM-2PM

Clinical Supervisor available onsite to answer questions.

Display Dates

5 April 17 (Central Texas College)

13 April 17 (Clear Creek Main PX)

20 April 17 (Soldier Development Center) 27 April 17 (CRDAMC Lobby)

All displays scheduled from 10AM-2PM



For more Information **Contact the Fort Hood ASAP Prevention & Education Program** at 254-287-7497 www.facebook.com/FortHoodASAP/

"Are you wondering if you have an alcohol problem?"

Visit https://www.ncadd.org/gethelp/take-the-test for a free,

anonymous, and confidential online 4b. CSC Agenda Document, March 22, 2017 screening



SAFETY SECTION

Learn how to be safe while building

PAINTING CORNER

Paint and take your Lemonade Stand sign

BUILDERS CORNER

Learn how to build your stand out of recycled and new materials

SNACK STATION

You will be hungry so grab a Hot Dog!

Register to attend on our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/forthoodfh





5:30pm - 6:30pm

77th and Warehouse Bldg 4318

www.forthoodfh.com











WINNING Edge



2017 Scholarship Program

Are you planning to attend a college, university, or professional trade school during the 2017–2018 school year?

If you answered yes to that question, and you are a resident of this community, you may be eligible for a WinningEdge Scholarship Award!

Interested? Please visit your community/property management office to pick up an application.

Don't Wait!

DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS March 31, 2017.

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WITH SPECIAL GUEST



TRISTAN McINTOSH



MOMC/Earth Day Fest/Concert
April 8, 2017 1:30-4:30pm
Bronco Youth Center
Bldg 6602 Tank Destroyer Blvd.
Bouncers, Face Painting,
Pony Rides, Petting Zoo, etc.
Free & open to all Military Youth







UNITED STATES ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND

ArmyMWR.com



PREVENT

CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT



STEP UP

Keep kids safe and supervised. Engage and pay attention, prevent accidents.

SPEAK UP

If you witness abuse or neglect, call it in.
We all have a role to play in protecting children.

REACH OUT

It's okay to ask for support.

Recognize when you're struggling and get help.

If you are concerned about a child's safety and well-being, contact:

Your local Family Advocacy Program

FORT HOOD 254-286-6774

Your local Family & Military Support Center

FORT HOOD 254-287-4427

The Childhelp National Child Abuse Hotline:

800-422-4453





REMEMBERING THE FALLEN - HONORING THEIR SURVIVORS

IN RECOGNITION OF GOLD STAR SPOUSES' DAY FORT HOOD SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES WILL HONOR GOLD STAR SPOUSES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2017
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
SOS Center, Bldg. 10043, Battalion Avenue

A day of extraordinary fun and a program planned to provide comfort, relaxation and well-being

Please RSVP by 28 March 2017
Call: (254) 288-9533
E-mail: usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-SOS@mail.mil







"WOW!

A Career Fair, that is focusing on the local health care industry & related careers!"



FORT HOOD

EMPLOYMENT READINESS PROGRAM

Build & Enhance YOUR CAREER



Thursday, April 13, 2017 10:00am—2:00pm

Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center Bldg. 18000, RM 121 Fort Hood, Texas 76544

Open to: Military Spouses, Transitioning Service Members, Retirees and all DoD ID Card Holders

Must Register by April 12, 2017 Call 254-286-6684

Email

usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-ERB@mail.mil SUBJECT: Career Fest

Individuals who require assistance or accommodation due to disability please contact the ACS ERP Office at 254-286-6684













COLLEGE FAIR

When:

April 11, 2017 - 11:00 am - 7:00 pm

April 12, 2017 – 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Where:

Fort Hood
Soldier Development Center
Bldg 33009

The event is open to all Active Duty Military, Military
Family Members, High School Students, Retirees
and other Fort Hood Civilians.

This is your opportunity to visit College Representatives from around the state and country.

For more information, call 254-287-4824













FORT HOOD EFMP SPRING FESTIVAL

Come join us for a fun filled event with activities for the whole Family!

March 25, 2017
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Comanche Chapel
Building 52024, Tank Destroyer
Boulevard



For more information, please call (254) 287-6070 or email usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-EFMP@mail.mil

Follow us on Facebook @ Fort Hood EFMP

Individuals who require assistance or accommodation due to a disability, please call the ACS EFMP office at (254) 287-6070.





Intrepid Spirit Center TBI Clinic Open







Integrating Arts in the Healing Process

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Thursday, March 23

Intrepid Spirit Center Bldg 36029, 58th St Fort Hood, Texas 76544

Music, tours, refreshments

Guest Speaker BG (R) Nolen V. Bivens

For More Information Contact: 254.553.1213





FACT SHEET

OSJA Mrs. LeeAnna George (286-5062) 4 January 2017

AFZF-JA-LA

SUBJECT: Fort Hood Tax Center - Tax Year 2016

- 1. PURPOSE: To provide information about the services offered by the Fort Hood Tax Center (FHTC).
- 2. FACTS: The FHTC is **open** from **23 Jan 18 Apr 2017**. The FHTC main information phone number is (254) 288-7995. Questions may be directed to the FHTC at (254) 288-7995 and (254) 287-3294.
- a. **Location.** The FHTC is located in the Fort Hood Consolidated Client Services building, building 13, on 52d Street (just West of the III Corps Headquarters Building). The FHTC has its own entrance at the back (West side) of the building.

<u>Children in the facility</u>: Space is limited in the waiting room and tax preparation area. As such, children are not allowed in the tax preparation area and there are no facilities to care for them at the FHTC. Children cannot be left alone in the waiting area.

- b. **Hours.** Hours of operation are Mon Wed & Fri, 0930-1700, Thu, 0930-1900. The FHTC is closed on Saturday, Sunday, all federal holidays and III Corps training holidays.
- c. **Appointments only.** The FHTC provides tax assistance on an **appointment basis.** We will begin scheduling appointments on Thu, 19 Jan for the weeks of 23 and 30 Jan 2017.
- d. **1040EZ Drop-off.** The FHTC has a 1040EZ drop-off program. These customers will complete the questionnaires, be screened, and provide all the necessary documents for tax return preparation. Following two duty days, the client will need to return to the FHTC to sign the return so we can electronically file it or you can pick it up and mail in.
- e. **Eligibility & Services Offered**. Tax services are **free** to all active duty Soldiers, Retirees, and their authorized family members. In addition, services are available to Reserve and National Guard Soldiers serving in Title 10 status for at least 30 days, and their authorized family members. Services offered include: (1) distribution of federal income tax forms; (2) assistance with and preparation of federal and state income tax returns; (3) electronic filing of eligible current year federal and state tax returns; and (4) direct deposit of refunds or automatic debit of tax owed.
- f. What is Required? FHTC taxpayers need to bring their military issued ID cards and all tax-related documents, including income information such as W-2 forms, 1099 forms, records of child-care expenses and child-care provider information, power of attorney (if spouse is unavailable), and a social security card for each Family member shown on the return. Powers of attorney must specifically state 'for income tax' and for which tax year the agent is allowed to file. For direct deposit of refunds or electronic debit of amount owed, you must provide the routing number and account number to the banking facility, as well as the type of account (an account card or a check that we can make a copy of are highly encouraged we cannot accept deposit slips).
- g. **Limitation of Services**. Unfortunately, there are limitations regarding the tax services the FHTC can provide (1) Rental property Assistance is provided for up to three rental properties. A multi-family residence counts as the number rentable units it has. (2) Sale of stock Assistance provided for up to 10 stock sales. If the 1099-B has a roll-up of totals, we will enter the total and print out the return for the taxpayer to mail in to the IRS, and attach the 1099-B to the return. (3) Self-Employment/Personal Business Returns with self-employment income or for businesses are not prepared. An exception is made for: (a) childcare providers who are located on Fort Hood and are registered Family Child Care providers; and (b) an individual with a 1099-Misc and income in block 7, and not claiming any expenses. Any other individuals with self-employment or a personal business must prepare their own Schedule C or seek assistance elsewhere. If a Schedule C is prepared, the FHTC will enter the figures provided by the taxpayer and retain the Schedule C with our records. We reserve the right to decline to prepare a return based on the figures on the Schedule C.

- h. **Tax Briefings**. The Post Tax Officer (PTO) is available to provide briefings to units, Family support groups or similar organizations on basic tax information and FHTC operations. Call 254-288-5036 to schedule a briefing.
- i. **State Taxes.** State tax returns will be prepared if the information is completed on the FHTC questionnaire. Some state returns may be able to be electronically filed, but, the federal return must first be accepted and then the state return can be filed. Our facility must electronically file the federal return in order to electronically file the state return.
- j. **Prior Year Taxes**. The separate Fort Hood Tax Office will prepare prior year federal and state tax returns (for 2015 and earlier), amendments, as well as assist with responding to correspondence from the IRS or a state tax authority by appointment. Call 288-5040 to schedule an appointment. The Fort Hood Tax Office is also located in the Fort Hood Consolidated Client Services building.

QUALIFYING FOR COMBAT ZONE TAX BENEFITS

- **1. PURPOSE:** To provide information on the various tax benefits afforded to Soldiers who serve in a Combat Zone (CZ), Qualified Hazardous Duty Area (QHDA), or area "in direct support" of a combat zone.
- 2. What are the current CZs? For tax year 2016, there are three current operations designated CZs: (a) Executive Order 12744 designates the Persian Gulf, Red Sea, Gulf of Oman, Gulf of Aden, the Arabian Sea north of 10 degrees north latitude and west of 68 degrees east longitude, Iraq, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Oman, Bahrain, Qatar, and the United Arab Emirates and the airspace above these locations as a CZ effective 17 Jan 1991. (b) Executive Order 13119 designates the former Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia/Montenegro), Albania, the Adriatic Sea, the Ionian Sea north of the 39th parallel and the airspace above these locations as a CZ effective 24 Mar 1999. (c) Executive Order 13239 designates Afghanistan/airspace as a CZ effective 19 Sep 2001.
- 3. What are the benefits of serving in a CZ, QHDA, or "in direct support" of a CZ? The most significant benefits include: (a) Providing a 180-day extension after departing the combat zone for filing, paying, and performing certain other tax related acts, plus the possible addition of extra days. The deadline is extended for every day left in the filing season when the Soldier entered the CZ/QHDA. These provisions apply to spouses, certain civilians in the combat zone in support of the U.S. Armed Forces, such as Red Cross personnel, accredited correspondents, and civilian personnel acting under the U.S. Armed Forces direction. (b) IRC § 112 - Allows enlisted Soldiers and warrant officers (but not civilians) to exclude from gross income all compensation received during the months spent in a CZ/QHDA. Commissioned officers can exclude up to the highest enlisted Soldier's pay (\$7,894.50) plus the hostile fire pay amount (\$225.00) (for 2015 the maximum amount is \$8,119.50 per month). If a Soldier spends any part of a month in the CZ/QHDA, compensation for that entire month is excluded. The Soldier's servicing finance office must be notified of service so that the Soldier's W-2 accurately reflects excluded pay. (c) Other potential benefits are IRC § 2(a)(3) (special rule for "surviving spouse status" if MIA service member is later determined to be deceased); IRC §692 (death in a CZ results in tax free wages); IRC §4253(d) (exempts from excise tax toll telephone calls originating from a CZ); and IRC §6013(f)(1) (allows surviving spouse to file a joint return if service member is MIA). Additional benefits may apply if a Soldier is hospitalized due to injury or disease occurring in the combat zone.

4. IRS Changes Affecting Activated/Deployed Reservists and Active Duty Soldiers

(a) CZ/QHDA/ "direct support" of CZ excluded income may be included to allow Earned Income Credit (EIC). The IRS now allows the inclusion of excluded combat pay for purposes of determining a Soldier's eligibility for and amount of EIC. (b) IR-2006-152 allows activated reservists to withdraw payments from their individual retirement accounts, 401(K) plans, and 403(b) tax-sheltered annuities without having to pay the early withdrawal penalty. (c) The Heroes Earned Retirement Opportunities (HERO) Act, signed into law on Memorial Day 2006, allows taxpayers to count tax-free combat pay for purposes of determining whether they qualify to contribute to a Roth or traditional IRA.

AUTHENTICATION: LTC Joseph M. Fairfield, LTC, DSJA **Initials:** JMF **Date:** 4 January 2017

2017 FORT HOOD LIFEGUARD CLASSES



Located at Abrams Indoor Pool Class Fee: \$150 cash or check

Register for classes at (254) 287-4648 or (254) 285-5942

- Feb 10-15, 2017

 Fri 7-9pm, Sat & Sun 8-5pm, Mon-Wed 5-9pm
- Spring Break Mar 13-17, 2017

 8-5pm
- Mar 24-29, 2017 Fri 7-9pm, Sat & Sun 8-5pm, Mon-Wed 5-9pm
- Apr 7-12, 2017 Fri 7-9pm, Sat & Sun 8-5pm, Mon-Wed 5-9pm
- Apr 21-26, 2017 Fri 7-9pm, Sat & Sun 8-5pm, Mon-Wed 5-9pm
- May 5-10, 2017

 Fri 7-9pm, Sat & Sun 8-5pm, Mon-Wed 5-9pm
- Jun 5-9, 2017 8-5pm



Lifeguard Class Prerequisites:

Will be conducted on first day of class. Participants must pass these skills in order to continue in the class.

- Swim 300 meters continuously, using front crawl and breast stroke (must demonstrate rhythmic breathing-face in the water).
- 2 min tread using just your legs.
- Timed Brick. Within 1 minute 40 seconds, swim 20 yards using front crawl or breast stroke, surface dive to 10-12 feet, retrieve a 10 pound brick, return to surface and swim back to start.

Note: It is <u>strongly recommended</u> that candidates practice the prerequisites before attending the course

American Red Cross/Fort Hood Dental Command



Dental Assistant Training Program FACT SHEET

BASIC INFORMATION:

- ◆ This program is designed to provide individuals who have *no* prior dental experience, education or comprehensive dental assistant training.
- ♦ The class is limited.
- Childcare is not reimbursed, as this is a training course.
- Participation in this program *does not* guarantee a job.
- ◆ A certificate of completion will be presented upon completion of all course requirements. (State Licenses require further training).
- Must have a valid military ID card.
- ♦ Must have a high school diploma or GED.
- Must be 18 years old by application due date.
- Be in the Fort Hood/Killeen area 1 year after start of program.

Course Pre-Requisites:

- Review program Fact Sheet, receive application and study guide.
- ♦ MUST submit an application by the deadline to be considered for the Dental Assistant Training Program. Applications will be available 1 March 2017.
- ◆ Applications are due NLT 4:00 P.M 28 April 2017. Applications will not be accepted after this date, no exceptions.
- ◆ Candidate required to take a prescreening exam and must pass with 80% or higher. Applicants who pass the exam will be notified of their interview date.
- ◆ American Red Cross and DENTAC coordinators will conduct interviews of qualified applicants.
- Selected applicants for the program must successfully complete the following prior to the beginning of their Dental Training:

Red Cross Orientation HIPAA training Red Cross background check Occupational Health Screening

TRAINING PROGRAM:

- 120 hours of classroom training first five weeks of the program (M-F 0730-1630).
- ◆ 780 hours of clinical experience to be completed (Clinic hours 0720 1620)
- ♦ All program guidelines must be strictly adhered to for successful completion of the course.
- Students are required to purchase training materials & Radiology certification.

Class starts 6 September 2017 (dates subject to change) - Graduation June 2018

NOTE: As a reminder, an applicant for the Dental program *does not* guarantee you will be selected for the dental program.

For more information: Please call 287-0400 email: forthood@redcross.org

Please note all above dates are subject to change.











EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

Fort Hood ACS EFMP Workshop "How Can The New Parent Support Program Help?"

- Gain knowledge about how they can provide assistance to Families
- Services and resources available to Families

Presented by: Ms. Melissa Scheller, NPSP Program Manager

When: May 18, 2017, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Where: Lane Volunteer Center

Building 16005

Corner of T.J. Mills Boulevard & Old Ironsides Avenue

This workshop is open to all ID Cardholders and Social Service Professionals.

For more information and to register, please call (254) 287-6070 or email usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-EFMP@mail.mil



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Individuals who require assistance or accommodation due to a disability, please call the ACS EFMP office at (254) 287-6070.





DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF G-1

300 ARMY PENTAGON WASHINGTON DC 20310-0300

DAPE-SHA FEB 2 3 2017

MEMORANDUM FOR ARMY COMMANDERS, ARMY G-1s and SHARP PERSONNEL

SUBJECT: 2017 DENIM DAY OBSERVANCE

The Department of Defense (DOD) and the U.S. Army observe Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month (SAAPM) each April with events that publically reaffirm our commitment to eliminate sexual assault. Denim Day is an internationally recognized SAAPM event, Denim Day directly supports the month's awareness and outreach goals. Denim Day by encourages people to wear jeans and other denim as an outward expression of support for sexual assault survivors and as a visible protest against the myths and misconceptions surrounding the crime of sexual assault.

The Denim Day observance began in Italy after a 1998 Supreme Court decision overturned a rape conviction. The justices argued that, because the woman was wearing tight jeans, she must have assisted her attacker in removing them, thereby providing consent. The next day, women in the Italian Parliament protested by wearing jeans. The protests quickly spread, and in April 1999, a Los Angeles social service agency established the first U.S. Denim Day.

The 2017 Denim Day observance will occur on 26 April. In accordance with AR 670-1, 3-7a, Commanders of ACOMS/ASCC/DRUs, Heads of DA Staff agencies, and HQDA principal officials may authorize military personnel to participate in this event.

if approved by one of the appropriate authorities, the wearing of denim must be voluntary, and the significance of wearing denim must be clearly conveyed. Participants must wear appropriate attire: no ripped, torn, cut offs, or jeans worn below the waist. In accordance with AR 670-1, 3-9, "When civilian clothing is worn, Soldiers will ensure that their dress and personal appearance are commensurate with the high standards traditionally associated with Army service." Throughout the day, leaders should talk to their Soldiers and civilians about myths and misconceptions surrounding sexual assault, including but not limited to:

- Victim Blaming. The cause of the sexual assault is attributed—in whole or in part—to the
 victim's actions, behavior, or clothing. The reality is that the victim is never to blame for being
 sexually assaulted; the offender is solely responsible for choosing to violate someone else.
- Inebriation as an Excuse. Alcohol is often used to justify the offender's "misread" of the situation. The reality is that alcohol never affects consent, which is either present or not.
- "They Never Said No." People may believe consent is present if the victim does not actively
 fight back. The reality is that the absence of "no" does not mean "yes." Consent is an active,
 affirmative, conscious "yes," which may be rescinded at any time.
- "Real Men Don't Get Raped." Many people believe that men cannot be sexually assaulted or are to be blamed for "letting themselves" be sexually assaulted. The reality is that sexual assault is not defined by gender; men can be—and are—sexually assaulted.

DAPE-SHA

SUBJECT: 2017 Denim Day Observance

The wearing of denim will serve as an affirmation of the participant's commitment to combatting these and other myths and misconceptions, as well as demonstrate the participant's piedge to support survivors of sexual assault.

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Director, Army SHARP Program Office

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- 1. SAAPM CONOPS
- 2. Denim Day Flyer

INFORMATION PAPER

DAPE-SHA 10 Feb 17

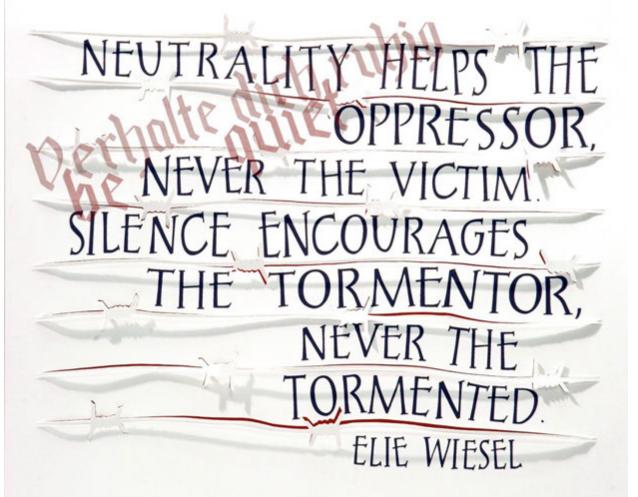
Subject: 2017 Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month

1. Purpose: To provide information on the Department of the Army's Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month Observance.

2 Facts:

- a. Each April, civilian and military communities observe Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month (SAAPM) to raise awareness of efforts to prevent and respond to sexual assault and to support survivors. In an effort to reinforce the mindset that all members of the Army Team are empowered and have a responsibility to address sexual assault, harassment, retaliation and the behaviors that lead to such indiscipline, this year's theme is "Sexual Assault. Sexual Harassment. Not in Our Army."
- b. SAAPM is an opportunity for the Army's leadership to demonstrate to Soldiers, Department of the Army Civilians and Family Members that prevention of sexual assault/harassment remains a top priority for the Army; that these incidents should be reported without fear of retaliation; and that offenders will be held appropriately accountable.
- c. As a commander's program, leaders should work, in coordination with their Sexual Harassment/Assault Response and Prevention (SHARP) program offices to host special events to commemorate SAAPM. The month of April presents a great opportunity to honor the first line responders in the SHARP Program as well as their medical, legal and investigative partners for their tireless efforts to prevent sexual offenses from occurring and for providing top-notch response and victim services during the unfortunate occasions when incidents do occur. The Total Army team is encouraged to host special events such as "Not in My Squad" leader development sessions, bystander intervention training, panel discussions, exhibits, interactive presentations, proclamation-signing ceremonies, and community gatherings.
- d. The SHARP Communications and Outreach Branch will produce communication products to enhance Total Army efforts in promoting local-level events and SAAPM/SHARP awareness. Products include: A Communications Plan/Commander's Tool Kit; Tri-Signed Letter, STAND-TO!, posters, Army.mil articles, social media messaging, infographics, web banners, outreach awareness items and exhibit materials. The products will be available at www.preventsexualassault.army.mil and www.sharpmaterials.com.

HOLOCAUST DAYS OF REMEMBRANCE



STORIES OF FREEDOM what you do matters

Designed by Peter Hermer for the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute

Financial Readiness Branch MARCH 2017 Class Schedule

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March		1 0930-1100 Budget/Debt Management 1330-1500 Credit Booster	2 0930-1100 Banking 1330-1500 Budget/Debt Management	3 AER CAMPAIGN KICKOFF!!! CAMPAIGN RUNS FROM MARCH 1 THRU MAY 15. SEE YOUR UNIT AER CAMPAIGN REP TO DONATE
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Banking

Determine what financial institutions best suit your individual needs. Provides introduction to technology and apps that can assist in recordkeeping and organization of finances.

Budget/Debt Management

This class teaches how to create an accurate budget/spending plan that you can stick to and that meets your need; plus information and strategies for managing personal debt; how to escape its clutches and improve your credit score.

Covering Your Assets "Understanding Insurance"

Students will learn the basics of understanding insurance. The instructor will discuss the different reasons for purchasing insurance (life, auto, home, and renter's).

Home Buying (Upon Request)

Buying your first home can be overwhelming. You will learn home buying terms such as down payment, mortgage, escrow, financing, home inspection, survey, property taxes, fees, titles, insurance, and legal responsibilities.

Consumer Rights & Obligations/Identity Theft

The goal of this class is to help the soldier and their families make smart consumer decisions and how to avoid problems in our increasingly complex marketplace. Subjects include purchasing a car and auto repairs; dispelling myths and avoiding scams; telemarketing, internet and mail fraud schemes; consumer laws, and many other topics.

Understanding TSP (Upon Request)

This class is to assist in providing information on the Thrift Savings Plan.

FREE CREDIT REPORTS: www.annualcreditreport.com or 1-877-322-8228 (To schedule an appointment to review your credit reports call 553-4702.)

INFORMATION ON IDENTITY THEFT: http://consumer.gov/idtheft/ or call 1-877-IDTHEFT REMOVE NAMES ON MARKETING LIST: www.optoutprescreen.com or call 1-888-5OPT-OUT

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ONLINE CAR BUYING CLASS: www.hoodmwr.com/acs/frb.html

FINANCIAL READINESS BRANCH EMAIL: <u>usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-FRB@mail.mil</u>

Organization POC Training for Volunteer Management Information System (VMIS) 10:00 am - 11:30 am • Bldg 16005 Call: 286-5913 PCS on the Go

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm • Bldg 18010 Call: 287-4471 Stress Management Discussion Group for WTB/IDES **Soldiers** 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm • Bldg 36051 Call: 286-5768

Tuesdav

Domestic Violence Interactive Training (DVIT)

9:30 am - 11:00 am 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm or 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm • Palmer Theater

Register: 288-2092 Saving & Investing

9:30 am - 11:00 am • Bldg 12020, Suite 400

Call: 553-4698 Common Sense Parenting

9:30 am - 11:30 am • Bldg 18000 Call: 618-7443

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Soldiers Medical Evaluation Board

& Physical Evaluation Board Counsel Brief 9:00 am - 9:30 am • Bldg 36051 Call: 286-5768

Traumatic Service Members Group Life Insurance (TSGLI)/

Combat Related Special Compensation (CRSC) Brief

9:30 am - 10:30 am • Bldg 36051 Call: 286-5768 Explore Learning and Play

9:30 am - 10:30 am • Bronco Youth Center Call: 287-2286

Budget/Debt Management

9:30 am - 11:00 am · Bldg 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Soldier in Transition Discussion Group for WTU/IDES Soldiers

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm • Bldg 36051 Call: 286-5768 Credit Booster

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm • Blda 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Thursday

Career Communication Skills

8:30 am - 9:30 am • Bldg 284 Call: 286-6684 Job Interview Techniques

9:30 am - 10:30 am • Bldg 284 Call: 286-6684

Banking 9:30 am - 11:00 am • Bldg 12020 Suite 400

Call: 553-4698 PCS on the Go

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm • Bldg 18010 Call: 287-4471

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EFMP Sea Dragons Aquatic Program 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm • Bldg 23001

Call: 287-6070

Keep Kids Safe Child Abuse Prevention Month

CHILDREN THRIVE IN SAFE, STABLE, NURTURING HOMES. STEP UP

Keep kids safe and supervised. Engage and pay attention, prevent accidents. SPEAK UP

If you witness abuse or neglect, call it in. We all have a role to play in protecting children REACH OUT

It's okay to ask for support. Recognize when you're struggling and get help.

Fort Hood Family Advocacy Program Call: 254-286-6774

Fort Hood Family & Military Support Center Call: 254-287-4427

Month of the Military Child!

For a list of scheduled activities!

Call: 287-2286

Building Locations

- Bldg 121 The Rivers Building, Army Community Service, T.J. Mills Blvd & 761st Tank Battalion Ave
- Bldg 284 ACS Employment Readiness Modular Bldg Battalion Avenue West of 37th Street
- Bldg 320 Spirit of Fort Hood Warrior & Family Chapel Campus. Tank Destroyer Blvd & 33rd Street
- Bldg 334 Palmer Theater, 31st Street & 761st Tank Battalion
- Bldg 6602 Bronco Youth Center, Tank Destroyer across from **Meadows Elementary School**
- Bldg 9138 Sprocket Auto Crafts, 20th St & Old Ironsides Ave
- Bldg 10043 Survivor Outreach Services, Battalion Ave
- Bldg 12020 Suite 400 & 500, 31st Street & Battalion Ave. Personal Financial Readiness Ctr & MFLC
- Bldg 18000 Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center Battalion Ave near the Copeland Soldier Service Center
- Bldg 18010 Copeland Soldier Service Center, Battalion Ave Bldg 36051 • Soldier & Family Assistance Center, 62nd Street. Bldg 33009 • Soldier Development Center
- Bldg 50012 Community Events & Bingo Center, Clear
- Creek Road, behind AAFES gas station Bldg 23001 Abrams Physical Fitness Center 62nd Street, & Supprt Avenue

Helpful ACS Numbers

ACS Front Desk (Rivers Building 121 If you do not know who to call) 287- <mark>4</mark> AC
ACS Volunteer Program	287-865
Army Emergency Relief (AER)	288-633
Army Family Action Plan (AFAP)	287-AFAI
Army Family Team Building (AFTB)	286-660 287-232
Army Volunteer Corps	287-VOL
Child & Spouse Abuse 24/7 Hotline	287-CARI
Consumer Affairs Office	287-CIT
Employment Readiness Branch (ERB	3) 288-208
Exceptional Family Member Program	(EFMP) 287-607
Family Advocacy Program (FAP)	286-677
Family Assistance Center (FAC)	288-757
Personal Financial Management Clas	ses 287-897
Lending Closet	287-447
Military Family Life Counselors (MFL)	C) 553-470
Mobilization & Deployment	288-279
New Parent Support Program (NPSP)) 287-228
Parenting Classes	618-744
Relocation Readiness Program	287-447
Soldier and Family Assistance Center	286-576
Stress/Anger/Conflict & Resolution Tr Management Classes	raining 286-533
Survivor Outreach Services	288-365
Victim Services 24/7 Crisis Line	702-495

FREE Classes. Workshops, Play Groups, and Much More!

April Calendar of Events

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Army Community Service



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www.hoodmwr.com/ACS www.MyArmyOneSource.com www.militaryonesource.mil 1-800-342-9647



Army Community Service Calendar of Events



Tuesday, April 4
Family Readiness Support Assistant/ Family Readiness Liaison Course 9:00 am - 4:30 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 288-2794 Infant Massage 9:30 am – 10:30 am • Blda 18000

Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286 Relocation Smooth Moves Workshop

10:00 am - 11:30 am • Bldg 18000 Register: 287-4471 CAPM/MOMC Proclamation

11:00 am – 1135 am • Bldg 1001 Call: 286-6774 or 286-6775

Infant Massage 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm • Blda 18000 Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286 R.E.A.L. FRG Key Caller Training 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2794

Army Family Team Building Military Knowledge Course 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 286-6600

Wednesday, April 5
Preparing for Marriage

8:00 am – 4:30 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2092 or 618-7827 Boot Camp for New & Expectant Dad 9:00 am - 12:00 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 287-5066/2286 R.E.A.L. FRG for Commanders/First Sergeants

9:00 am - 12:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2794

Family Readiness Support Assistant/ Family Readiness Liaison Course

9:00 am - 4:30 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2794 FRG Fund Custodian Training

5:30 pm - 8:00 pm • Blda 18000 Register: 288-2794

Army Family Team Building Military Knowledge Course 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 286-6600

Thursday, April 6
Financial Institutions for IDES Soldiers

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm • Bldg. 36051

Call: 286-5768 Budget/Debt Management

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm • Bldg 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Army Family Team Building Military Knowledge Course 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 286-6600

Friday, April 7
Car Seat Parent Education and Inspection Program

9:00 am - 12:00 pm · Sprocket Auto Craft Center

Register: 287-6505 Story Time is Fun Time 10:00 am - 11:00 am • Blda 3202 Register: 287-9866 or 287-2716

Monday, April 10 Rear Detachment Operations (RDO) Course (Day 1 of 3) 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Oveta Culp Hobby SFRC, Bidg 18000 Register: 288-2794

Tuesday, April 11
Newcomers Employment Training Workshop (The NETWork)

8:15 am - 9:00 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684 R.E.A.L. FRG Leader Training

8:30 am - 2:30 pm Oveta Culp Hobby SFRC, Bldg 18000

Register: 288-2794 Rear Detachment Operations (RDO) Course

(Day 2 of 3) 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Oveta Culp Hobby SFRC. Bldg 18000

Register: 288-2794 Resume and Application Development Workshop 9:00 am - 10:30 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684

Infant Massage 9:30 am – 10:30 am • Bldg 18000 Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286

Exceptional Family Member Program Orientation

10:00 pm - 11:30 pm · Bldg 18000 Call: 287-6070

Infant Massage

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286

Wednesday, April 12
R.E.A.L. FRG Leader Course

8:30 am - 2:30 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2794

Rapid Resume Review 9:00 am - 10:30 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684

Rear Detachment Operations (RDO) Course

(Day 3 of 3) 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Oveta Culp Hobby SFRC, Bldg 18000

Register: 288-2794 Exceptional Family Member Program Resource Workshop

9:30 am - 11:00 am • Bldg 18000 Call: 287-6070

Zumba Dance Party 10:00 am – 11:30 am • Bldg 23001 Register: 618-7827 or 288-2092

Resource Connection-EFMP Support Group 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm, The Rivers Bldg., Bldg. 121 Call: 287-6070

Shaken Baby Class

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm • Blda 36000 Education Auditorium above ER Call: 287-5066/2286

Thursday, April 13
Career Communication Skills

8:30 am - 0930 · Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684

Stress, Anger & Conflict Management Workshop 9:00 am - 3:00 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 286-5338 Job Interview Techniques 9:30 am - 10:30 am • Bldg. 284

Register: 286-6684

Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom

9:30 am - 10:30 am • Bldg 18000 - Family Room Call: 287-6070

ID Thefts, Scams and Ripoffs for WTU/IDES Soldiers 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm SFAC, Bldg, 36051, 62nd Street

Covering Your Assets/Insurance

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm • Blda 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Tuesday, April 18
Facebook for FRGs

8:30 am – 11:00 am • Bldg 18000 Register: 288-2794 Army Family Team Building Personal Growth and Resiliency 8:30 am - 1:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 286-6600

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Town Hall 9:00 am - 12:00 pm • Bldg 18000

Call: 287-4471 Infant Massage

9:30 am – 10:30 am • Bldg 18000 Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286

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1:00 pm - 3:00 pm • Blda 36051 Call: 286-5768

Infant Massage 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 553-2158 or 287-2286

MS Support Group 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm • Robertson Avenue Baptist Group

305 E. Robertson Avenue, Copperas Cove Call: 587-6070

Wednesday, April 19
Army Family Team Building
Personal Growth and Resiliency

8:30 am - 1:00 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 286-6600 Rapid Resume Review 9:00 am - 10:30 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684

Relationship Enrichment Workshop

9:00 am - 4:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Call: 618-7584

Care Team Training 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm • Blda 18000

Register: 288-2794

Thursday, April 20
Career Communication Skills 8:30 am - 0930 am • Bldg. 284

Register: 286-6684 Army Family Team Building Personal Growth and Resiliency 8:30 am - 1:00 pm • Bldg 18000

Register: 286-6600 CPS Parent Training 9:00 am - 12:00 pm · Bldg 18000 Register: 618-7443 or 288-2092 Exceptional Family Member Program

Resource Workshop 9:30 am – 11:00 am • Bldg. 18000

Call: 287-6070

Transitioning your TSP for WTU/IDES Soldiers 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm - SFAC, Bldg, 36051, 62nd Street

Credit Booster

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm • Bldg 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Consumer Rights & Obligation/Identity Theft 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm • Blda 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

CPS Parent Training 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm • Blda 18000 Register: 618-7443 or 288-2092

Friday, April 21
Car Seat Parent Education and Inspection Program

9:00 am - 12:00 pm · Sprocket Auto Craft Center Register: 287-6505

Saturday, April 22 Saturday Play Morning 9:30 am - 11:00 am • Bldg. 6602 Call: 287-2286

Tuesday, April 25 Sponsorship Mentorship Workshop 9:00 am - 11:30 am • Bldg 33009 Register: 287-4471

Wednesday, April 26
Rapid Resume Review

9:00 am - 10:30 am · Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684 Community Services Council Meeting

10:30 am - 11:30 am • Community Events & BINGO Center Call: 553-1593

Shaken Baby Class 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm • Bldg 36065 Education Auditorium above ER Call: 287-5066/2286

Thursday, April 27 Stress, Anger & Conflict Management Workshop

9:00 am - 3:00 pm • Bldg 18000 Register: 286-5338 Insurance for IDES Soldiers

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm - SFAC, Bldg. 36051, 62nd Street Call: 254-287-2629 Consumer Rights & Obligation/Identity Theft

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm • Blda 12020 Suite 400 Call: 553-4698

Friday, April 28
Job Search with Confidence

8:45 am - 10:00 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684 Career Assessment Workshop

10:15 am -11:15 am • Bldg. 284 Register: 286-6684

Car Seat Parent Education and Inspection Program 9:00 am - 12:00 pm · Sprocket Auto Craft Center

Register: 287-6505 Caregiver Peer-to-Peer Support Group for Spouses and

Caregivers of WTU/IDES Soldiers 10:00 am - 11:30 am • Bldg 36051

Call: 286-5768