

Fort Hood Community Information

Inspector General (IG)

www.hood.army.mil/corps.hotline.aspx

The III Corps and Fort Hood IG Office is located in the Copeland Center, Room A-211, at the corner of T.J. Mills and Battalion Ave. Call (254) 287-7209 for assistance, Monday – Thursday 9:00 am through 4:30 pm, Friday, 9:00 am through 3:00 pm. Go to <http://www.hood.army.mil/corps.hotline.aspx> for more information.

Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center (CRDAMC)

www.crdamc.amedd.army.mil/Default.aspx

Nurse Advice Line

The Nurse Advice Line is available 24 hours a day to provide information on urgent health issues, guidance for non-emergency situations, instructions for self-care for minor injuries and illnesses and assistance with scheduling appointments. Tricare beneficiaries may speak to a registered nurse on the nurse advice line by calling 1-800-TRICARE (874-2273) Option 1.

Access to Care

- Tricare Online – www.TRICAREONLINE.com
- Army Medicine Secure Messaging Service (AMSM) – sign up at your clinic today!
- Urgent Care Clinics – Tricare beneficiaries are not authorized non-emergent care from local Urgent Care Clinics (UCC) or Emergency Rooms (ER)
- Nurse Advice Line – (800) TRICARE (874-2273)
- Appointments – www.TRICAREONLINE.com or Central Appointment Line (254) 288-8888

CRDAMC Behavioral Health Guide

The Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) provides outpatient and inpatient treatment and consultation related to the management and treatment of behavioral health issues and concerns. The DBH consists of behavioral health services provided at the Resilience & Restoration Center (R&R Center), the Department of Social Work (DSW), CRDAMC and Administrative Psychiatry Service. While not part of the Department of Behavioral Health, information regarding Fort Hood's Resiliency Campus and Military One Source are also provided as part of this brochure. The CRDAMC Behavioral Health Guide is available at:

<http://www.crdamc.amedd.army.mil/behav-health/files/BehavioralHealthGuide.pdf>

Dental Command (DENTAC)

www.crdamc.amedd.army.mil/dental/

TRICARE Dental Plan Beneficiary Web Enrollment site:

<https://www.dmdc.osd.mil/appj/bwe/consent?continueToUrl=%2Fappj%2Fbwe%2Fhome.jsp>

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Public Affairs Office (PAO) <https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/contact/public-affairs>

Visit Fort Hood's Facebook page facebook.com/forthood and the Fort Hood Sentinel for community events.

Visit TXDot.gov to view current road conditions on [US Highway 190](#).

Staff Judge Advocate (SJA) www.hood.army.mil/corps.sja.aspx

(254) 287-7901

(254) 287-3199

Consolidated Client Services

- Bldg. 13, 52nd Street (next to III Corps Headquarters Bldg.)
- Hours of Operation:
Monday through Thursday, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Friday, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Closed for lunch from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm
- Closed Weekends, Federal Holidays and III Corps Training Holidays
For more information, call (254) 287-7901 or (254) 287-3199.

Tax Center

- The Fort Hood Tax Center is closed but tax assistance is available by appointment. For more information, call (254) 288-7995.

Visit our Facebook pages:

- Fort Hood [Area Claims Office](#)
- Fort Hood [Legal Assistance Office](#)
- Fort Hood [Tax Center](#)

Directorate of Human Resources (DHR) www.hood.army.mil/dhr/

ID Card Appointments are available online, located at this web site: <https://rapids-appoints-scheduler.dmdc.osd.mil/>, if you are having problems please calling (254) 553-4444 between 9:00 am and 2:00 pm.

Soldier for Life Transition Assistance Program (SFL-TAP)

For information, call the SFL-TAP at (254) 288-2227/5627 or go to:

<https://www.facebook.com/FortHoodSFLTAP>

Logistics Readiness Center www.hood.army.mil/dol/

No update provided

Network Enterprise Center (NEC) www.hood.army.mil/nec/

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Mission and Installation Contracting Command – Fort Hood (MICC-FH)

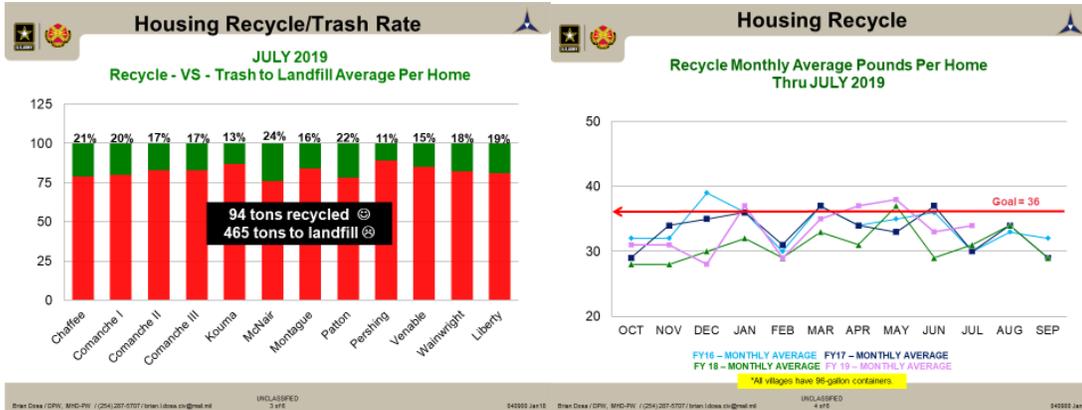
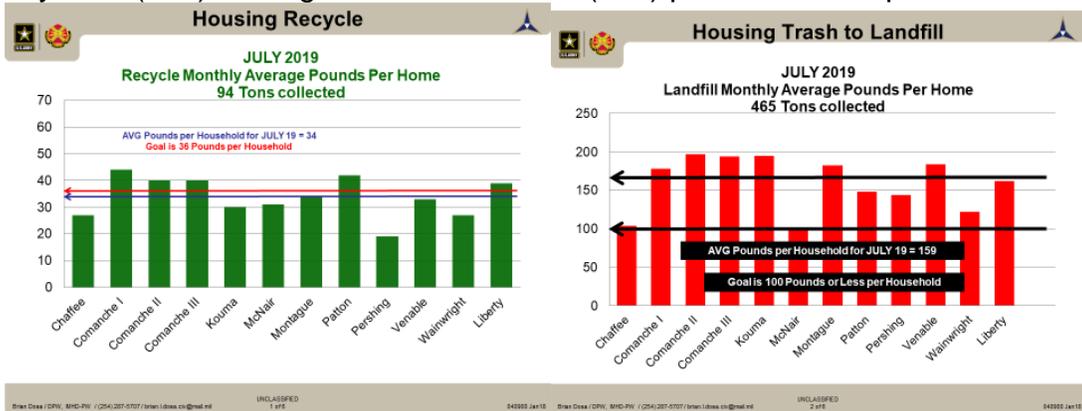
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Directorate of Public Works (DPW) Fort Hood Family Housing Recycle Fort Hood Family Housing Refuse

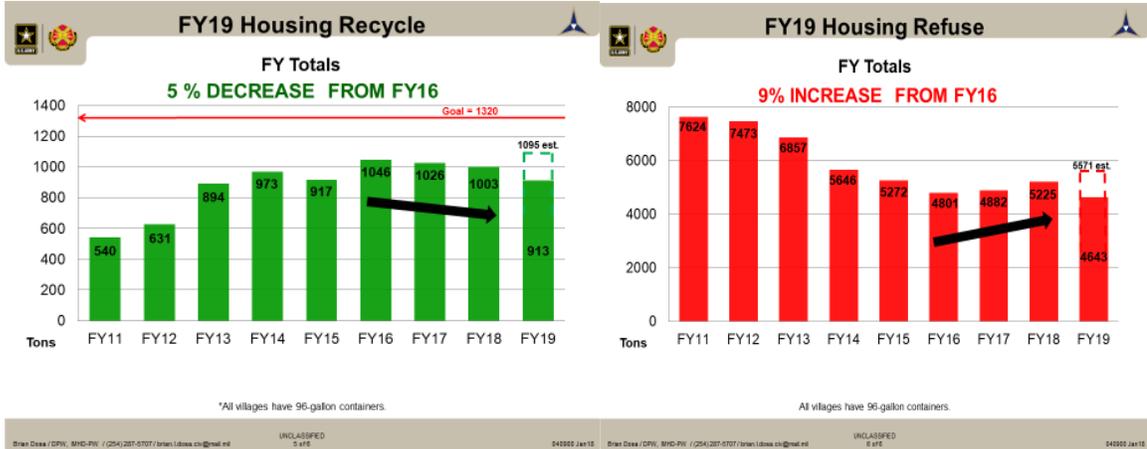
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FY19 Housing Recycle and Refuse

- Ninety-four (94) tons of recycled material was collected in July from the Fort Hood Housing areas. The average pounds per household material recycled was thirty-four (34). The goal is thirty-six (36) pounds per household.
- Four-hundred sixty-five (465) tons of materials went to the landfill in July from the Fort Hood Housing areas. The average pounds per household was one-hundred fifty-nine (159). The goal is one hundred (100) pounds or less per household.



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Energy Conservation, Installation and Army Goals, Energy Tips and Current Energy Conservation Projects:

For information, go online to

<http://www.hood.army.mil/dpw/Environmental/Energy%20Mgt.aspx> or

call (254) 287-SAVE (7283).

Fort Hood Recycle Center

Bldg. 4626 72nd Street

(254) 287-2336

Hours: Monday through Friday from 7:30 am – 11:30 am and 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm

www.facebook.com/FortHoodRecycle

Directorate of Emergency Services (DES) <https://www.facebook.com/FortHoodFD>
<https://www.facebook.com/FortHoodDES/>

Road Closure:

Effective May 30, 2017, the Mohawk Gate (ACP 15) changed hours of operation to 5:00 am – 6:00 pm. Traffic throughput levels did not necessitate the continued operation of this gate past 6:00 pm. The DES continues to analyze traffic throughput and will make adjustments as necessary.

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Effective Tuesday, September 1, 2015, the installation access processes changed as follows:

- All Soldiers, Family Members, DoD Civilians, Retirees and any other DoD identification card holder will show their DoD ID at the gate for entrance to the installation. Passengers (with proper ID) can be escorted onto the installation.
- Customers who routinely access Fort Hood can get an extended access pass at the visitor center, i.e. contractors, school teachers, bank workers, but will not be able to escort other visitors. These customers can get a bulk issue of passes for their employees. Business owners or management staff will submit a memo to

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DES with employee(s) name(s), date of birth, driver's license number / state ID and last 4 of social security number.

- All non-DoD drivers and passengers are required to report to the Visitors Welcome Center to obtain an installation access pass. Children under 17 years of age may be vouched for by an adult.
- The Visitors Welcome Center is open 24 hours per day.
- There is no change to the firearms registration program. All firearms must be registered prior to transporting onto Fort Hood. Firearms registration can be completed at the Visitors Welcome Center or the Military Police station on 58th and Battalion Avenue.

For more information, contact Mr. Jerry Staten at (254) 287-4570 or via e-mail at jerry.a.staten.civ@mail.mil.

**Directorate of Plans, Training,
Mobilization & Security (DPTMS)**

www.hood.army.mil/dptms/

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Hood Hero Award Ceremonies

The Hood Hero Award Ceremony and Luncheon is conducted to recognize individuals and teams for their contributions to Fort Hood. It occurs from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm in the Club Hood Grande Ballroom. The Following are scheduled dates:

Tuesday, November 05, 2019
Tuesday, February 04, 2020
Tuesday, April 28, 2020
Tuesday, August 04, 2020
Tuesday, November 03, 2020

Please contact Mrs. Likeithia Williams at (254) 287-0999 or likeithia.d.williams.vol@mail.mil

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Weather and Wildfire Information

Tornado: Tornado season in Texas is typically March through August, but a tornado can occur any month of the year. Strong winds are the most destructive aspect, with gusts reaching as high as 300 mph. Eighty percent of tornadoes occur between noon and midnight. While some areas are more prone to tornadoes than others, they can occur anywhere, so it is best to be prepared.

Wildfire: Fire season in Central Texas is typically May through October. However; Fort Hood is subject to range fires year around as we conduct training in our established

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range and training areas. Wildfires can start unexpectedly and spread quickly. You may not be aware of a wildfire until you are in danger, so it is important to be prepared.

For more information, contact Mr. Fred Corbin, USAG, Fort Hood Emergency Management Specialist at (254) 553-2782.

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Ready Army

READY ARMY is the Army's proactive campaign to increase the resilience of the Army community, enhance the readiness of the force by informing Soldiers, their Families, Army Civilians and Contractors of relevant hazards, and encouraging them to Be Informed, Make a Plan, Build a Kit and Get Involved. The READY ARMY website <http://ready.army.mil/> is a great place to start.

Commanders, Directors / Office Chiefs and Facility Managers should confirm Emergency Action Plans (EAP) are written, rehearsed and validated for their units / organizations. Mr. Fred Corbin is our Fort Hood Ready Army POC and can assist units and organizations such as Family Readiness Groups with increasing awareness and the Ready Army program. Listed below are resources Fort Hood units and Family members may use to increase preparedness and obtain information to **Be informed, Make a plan, Build a Kit** and **Get involved**.

1. 3rd Weather Squadron forecast updates are available at <http://www.hood.army.mil/3ws/>
2. Fort Hood's Weather and Operational Status Line: Callers can listen to the current weather situation affecting Fort Hood by dialing (254) 287-6700.
3. Fort Hood's Homepage at <http://www.hood.army.mil> and the III Corps & Fort Hood Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/forthood> .
4. As always, stay tuned to local radio and television stations.
5. The Army's "Ready Army" web site with links listed below is a valuable source.
 - a. Ready Army Tornado fact sheet - <http://ready.army.mil/Tornado%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>
 - b. Ready Army Flood fact sheet – <http://ready.army.mil/Flood%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>
 - c. Ready Army Power Outage fact sheet – <http://ready.army.mil/Power%20Outage%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>
 - d. Ready Army Emergency Kits fact sheet – <http://ready.army.mil/Emergency%20Kit%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>

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e. Ready Army Emergency Family Plan fact sheet –
<http://ready.army.mil/Family%20Plan%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>

f. Ready Army Winter Storm fact sheet -
<http://ready.army.mil/Winter%20Storm%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf>

6. Family members may sign up for Code RED, a Community Notification System at the following link
<http://ctcog.org/regional-planning/homeland-security/>

For more information, contact Mr. Fred Corbin, USAG, Fort Hood Emergency Management Specialist at (254) 553-2782.

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AtHoc – Integrated Warning System Fort Hood Mass Warning and Notification System

AtHoc is an emergency mass notification system that provides Fort Hood with an effective and reliable Mass Warning and Notification System that can be used during a crisis to warn affected military and DA civilian personnel. The Integrated Public Alert and Warning System (IPAWS) is similar to the Amber Alert system and is used on Fort Hood to alert and warn all personnel in the Fort Hood area who are using a cell phone / smart phone. The AtHoc system relies on the contact information provided when individuals register with AtHoc on-line. The AtHoc system alerts via multiple and redundant means, including computer desktop notifications (pop-ups), land line phones, mobile phones, emails and SMS texts. This allows the Fort Hood Installation Operations Center to notify personnel of an active or emergent event on the installation, or emergency instructions on necessary actions to take during a large scale emergency.

Visit Fort Hood page at <http://www.hood.army.mil/> for AtHoc registration instructions (click the Purple Globe).

For more information, contact Mr. Fred Corbin, USAG, Fort Hood Emergency Management Specialist at (254) 553-2782 or Mr. Ed Rivera, Chief, Installation Operations Center at (254) 287-1994.

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See Something, Say Something

Suspicious activity is any observed behavior that could indicate anything from criminal activity to terrorism-related crime. This can include seeing unusually placed items or situations that are out of the ordinary, a person eliciting information such as the operations or security procedures for a facility or the personnel employed, or someone paying unusually close attention to facilities or operations beyond casual or professional interest. Some of these activities could be innocent. It is up to law enforcement to determine whether the behavior warrants investigation. The activities above are not all-inclusive, but have been compiled based on studies of pre-operational aspects of both successful and thwarted criminal and terrorist events over several years.

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Informed, alert communities play a critical role in keeping us safe. We can all help in keeping our community safe by paying attention to our surroundings and reporting suspicious activity to local law enforcement. If you see suspicious activity, report it to 288-COPS (2677) on Fort Hood or your local law enforcement agency immediately. Describe specifically what you observed to include who or what it was, when you saw it, where it occurred, and why it's suspicious. Your diligent observation and reporting of any suspicious activity could help someone in your community or prevent a crime or even a terrorist event.

For more information, contact Ms. Cynthia Garcia (254) 287-8316, USAG Fort Hood OPSEC Manager.

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Fort Hood Critical Information List

Operations Security protects sensitive, but generally unclassified information that is critical to our mission. Critical information consists of *specific* facts about our *capabilities, activities, limitations and intentions* (CALI). The critical information is so vital to the mission that if the adversary obtains it, correctly analyzes it, and acts upon it, the compromise could prevent or seriously degrade mission success. The Critical Information List (CIL) documents an organization's critical information that should be protected. The Fort Hood CIL is as follows:

- **S**ensitive Reports: reports containing sensitive and / or personally identifiable information (PII) or information pertaining to mission readiness such as blotters, battle damage assessments, recall rosters, manning documents, etc.
- **E**merging Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTP): newly administered TTPs to improve mission effectiveness such as ways to avoid or detect IEDs, convoy protection methods, etc.
- **N**etwork & Communications Related: call signs, frequencies, passwords, Automated Information Systems (AIS) protection (types used, measures, and procedures), changes in message volume, etc.
- **S**ecurity Plans and Procedures: Random Antiterrorism Measures, shift change for guards, changes in Force Protection Conditions (FPCON), Defense Conditions (DEFCON) or Information Conditions (INFOCON), etc.
- **I**ntelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (ISR): intelligence resources, collection techniques, ongoing operations and goals, counterintelligence operations, etc.
- **T**roop Movements & Travel: deployment / redeployment Date-Time-Group (DTG), locations, itineraries, ports, routes, embarkation points, VIP / High Risk Personnel (HRP) travel, TDY orders, leave for large groups or entire units, emergency recall of personnel, etc.

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- **Information Pertaining to Current / Future Operations (FUOPS):** deployment plans, exercises, scope of operations, planning details, specific Courses of Action (COA) for forces, Rules of Engagement (ROE) / Rules for Use of Force (RUF), Military Information Support Operations (MISO), and Military Deception operations (MILDEC), Security Access Program (SAP) elements in contracts, etc.
- **Vulnerabilities:** a condition that allows the adversary time to observe, orient, decide and act against us in areas such as critical infrastructure, building schematics that show security weaknesses, physical security shortfalls, etc.
- **Equipment Specifications and Limitations:** shortfalls, vehicle schematics, vehicle battle damage assessments, weapons systems, research and development (R&D) projects, electronic systems, software used in new systems, etc.

For more information, contact Ms. Cynthia Garcia (254) 287-8316, USAG Fort Hood OPSEC Manager.

Resiliency Campus

1SG Jimithe Evans, (254) 287-0162
SSG Keiaraha Williams, (254) 286-6826

Master Resilience Trainer - Courses (MRT-C) - Class dates are Monday through Friday, from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm. Spouses are welcome and encouraged to attend the MRT-C; enrollment information is maintained by each BDE Schools NCO.

FY19 MRT-C Schedule:

July 8, 2019 – July 19, 2019

September 16, 2019 – September 27, 2019

Applied Functional Fitness Center – Normal hours of operation are 5:00 am – 8:00 pm, Monday through Friday. The center will also open on Training Holidays, Saturdays and Sundays from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm.

For more information, go online to http://www.hood.army.mil/resiliency_campus/, call (254) 285-5693 or visit us in Bldg. 12022.

III Corps and Fort Hood Chaplain's Office www.hood.army.mil/corps.chaplain.aspx

No update provided

Garrison Chaplain's Office

www.hood.army.mil/CHAPLAIN/
(254) 288-6545

Catholic Religious Education – Classes take place at Comanche Chapel on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm, and run August 28, 2019 through May 20, 2020. Please call (254) 288-6566 or email fthood.catholic.education@gmail.com to enroll. Or visit <https://www.facebook.com/FtHoodRomanCatholic/> for more information

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Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC) begins Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm. Limited childcare is available.

Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC) begins Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm. Limited childcare is available.

Community Connections & AWANA – Adult religious studies and AWANA Children’s Ministry takes place at Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel on Thursday evenings from 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm starting September 12, 2019. This program includes no-cost dinner and limited childcare.

For more information call (254) 553-1196 or email Dr. Donna Hilley, Director of Religious Education, at donna.hilley.civ@mail.mil

The EXCHANGE <https://www.shopmyexchange.com>

Friendly people and expert customer service is what makes the Exchange unique. Another rarity: We are a Family to both our associates and customers. Our associates are committed and proud, so if you are someone who is dedicated, hardworking and loves serving our Military, then the Exchange is the right place for you. To join the Exchange team visit www.applymyexchange.com.

Changes in hours of operation:

67th Street Express; Monday – Friday 8:00AM-7:00PM, Saturday – Sunday 10:00AM-4:00PM

Main Exchange Wetzel’s Pretzels; Monday – Saturday 10:00AM-8:00PM Sunday 11:00AM-7:00PM

Main Exchange Starbucks; Monday – Friday 6:30AM-10:00PM, Saturday – Sunday 8:00AM-10:00PM

Main Exchange Chipotle; Monday – Sunday 10:45AM-10:00PM

Like and Follow us on Facebook, Search “@HoodExchange”
Follow us on Instagram, @fthoodexchange

Military STAR Card. Now accepted at select MWR Facilities and Commissaries.

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DeCA

[Warrior Way Commissary](#)
[Clear Creek Commissary](#)

www.commissaries.com

Hours of Operation (Effective July 2019):

Warrior Way Commissary

Sunday – CLOSED
Monday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Tuesday – 9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Wednesday – CLOSED
Thursday – 9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Friday – 9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Saturday – CLOSED

Clear Creek Commissary

Sunday – 10:00 am – 6:00 pm
Monday – CLOSED
Tuesday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Wednesday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Thursday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Friday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Saturday – 9:00 am – 8:00 pm

(NEW): Beginning August 4, 2019 Warrior Way Commissary will be CLOSED on Saturday and Sundays.

Commissary Connection Newsletter: Stay connected with the latest news about your most valued benefit, Hot Links to additional savings, shopping sprees, contests, commissary promotions, events and more go to www.commissaries.com/subscribe.cfm and subscribe

Facebook: www.facebook.com/YourCommissary, DeCAs Facebook page where you can post comments, share news, photos and videos

YouTube: To see DeCAs latest videos, visit www.youtube.com/DefenseCommissary

Twitter: To see DeCAs latest tweets, visit www.twitter.com/YourCommissary

Flickr: To see DeCAs latest photographs, visit <http://www.flickr.com/photos/commissary/>

DFMWR

www.hood.armymwr.com

Monday, August 26, 2019 – First Day of School for KISD

- Killeen Independent School District
- For more information, please call the School Liaison Office at (254) 288-7946

Wednesday, August 28, 2019 – ACS Community Services Council (CSC) Meeting

- 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
- The CSC Meeting serves as a valuable communication link to increase awareness levels of all community residents concerning programs, activities and facilities in the greater Fort Hood community
- Community Events and Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 off Clear Creek Road
For more information, call ACS at (254) 287-3663.

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Thursday, August 29, 2019 – Paws to Read with Kona

- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Ages Pre-K to twelve
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

SEPTEMBER

National Suicide Prevention Month

National Preparedness Month

Thursday, September 5, 2019 – BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- 2:00 pm -5:00 pm
- All Unit Representatives
- Samuel Adams (Next to Club Hood)
For more information, please call 254-287-6116

Friday's, September 6, 2019, September 13, 2019, September 20, 2019 and September 27, 2019 – EFMP Sea Dragons Aquatic Program

- 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
- Abrams Fitness Center, Building 23001, 62nd Street and Support Avenue
- Swim Program is open to the whole Family
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Friday, September 6, 2019 – Garrison Commander's Scramble

- 12:00 am shotgun start
- 11:00 am – 11:45 am on-site registration
- \$40 per person with optional mulligan for an additional \$5 per person
- Open to all
- Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
For more information, call (254) 287-4130.

Fridays, September 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library Story Time

- 10:00 am
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old (and parents)
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

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Saturday, September 7, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library All-Ages Coloring

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Drop-by coloring event for all ages
- Children’s Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

Saturday, September 7, 2019 – Laser Tag & Movie Newcomer’s Trip

- 2:00 pm – UTC
- Single Soldiers Only
- Meet at BOSS HQ BLDG 3201 72nd St & Battallion Ave (Located Inside Casey Memorial Library) For more information, Please call 254-287-6116
- For more information, Please call SPC Zachary Smiley or Ms. Neicey Davis at 254-287-6116

Saturdays, September 7, 14, 21 & 28 – Dungeons and Dragons Meetup

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Ages 18+
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Ave
- Participants must register in advance.
For more information or to register, email forthooddm@gmail.com.

Saturday, September 7, 2019- UFC 242 Khabib vs. Poirier - Sam Adams Brewhouse

- 7:00 pm-11:00pm
- Sam Adams Brewhouse, Bldg 5782, 24th St., next to Club Hood
- Open to the public For more information, please call 254-532-5073

Monday, September 9 - 13, 2019 – Be Your Own Boss Seminar

- 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
- **Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier and Family Readiness Center (OCHS&FRC)**, Bldg. 18000
For More Information or Register, call (254) 526-1788.

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Orientation

- 10:00 am – 11:30 am
- Bldg 36000, RM N212
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 – Homeschool Social Hour

- 11:00 – 12:00 pm
- Homeschooling parents are invited to talk and share with each other while the kids enjoy a craft and each other.
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, September 11, 2019 - Casey Memorial Library: Make and Take Craft

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- 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Drop-in craft program
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, September 11, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Resource Connections Virtual Support Group

- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
 - Facebook
- For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Thursday September 12, 2019 - Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom

- 9:30 am - 10:30 am
 - Facebook
- For more information, please call (254) 287-6070

Thursday September 12, 2019 – Financial Readiness Program Saving Investing and Avoiding Scams

- 10:00 am—11:30 am
Shoemaker Center, Bldg 36000, RM N2801
For more information, please call (254) 287-2489

Friday, September 13, 2019 – Phantom Warrior Scramble

- 9:00 Shotgun Start
 - 8:30 – 8:45am on-site registration
 - \$35 per person with optional mulligan for an additional \$5 per person
 - Open to all
 - Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
- For more information, call 254-287-4130.

Friday, September 13, 2019 – Comanche YC Glow Dance Party

- 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm
- \$3.00 and 2 Can Goods or \$5
- Open to all youth 6th-12th grade
- Comanche Youth Center, Bldg. 52019 Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- For more information, call (254) 287-5834

Saturday, September 14, 2019 – Sprint Triathlon

- Race begins 8:00 am
- Pre-register online at Hood.ArmyMWR.com, by 12:00 pm the Wednesday prior to the event

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- Pre-Registration Facilities: Leisure Travel Service, Sportsmen's Center, Apache Arts and Crafts Center and Sprocket Auto Crafts Center
- On-site registration the day of the race from 7:00 am – 7:45 am
- Pre registration: \$15 DOD \$20 NON DOD
- On site registration: \$20 DOD \$25 NON DOD
- BLORA Shoreline Pavilion/Bass Boat Ramp
For more information, please call (254) 285-5459

Saturday, September 14, 2019 – CYS Give Parents a Break

- 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm
- Children must be registered with CYS and be up to date on all registration requirements (shots, health assessment and medical paperwork)
- Meadows Child Development Center
For more information and reservations until 12pm the Wednesday prior by calling (254) 553-8353 (children ages six weeks-preschool age) or (254) 553-7706 (children in kindergarten through fifth grade).

Saturday, September 14, 2019 & Sunday, September 15, 2019 2019 Club Championship @ The Courses of Clear Creek

- 8:00 Shotgun Start both days
- 7:00 – 7:45am on-site registration
- 36 Hole Individual Stroke Play, Flighted after the first round
- Open to all
- Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
For more information, call 254-287-4130.

Wednesday, September 18, 2019, ACS SFRB : "Command Team SFRG Training" (CDRs/1SGs)

- 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
- **Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier and Family Readiness Center (OCHS&FRC),**
Bldg. 18000
For More Information or Register, call (254) 288-2794.

Thursday, September 19, 2019, ACS SFRB : "Resilience Lunch & Learn "(Goal Setting)

- 11:30 am – 1:00 pm
- **Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier and Family Readiness Center (OCHS&FRC),**
Bldg. 18000
For More Information or Register, call (254) 288-2794.

Friday September 20, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Workshop

- 9:30 am – 11:00 am
- Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

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Friday, September 20, 2019 – CYS FRIENDS Leadership

- 9:00 am – 2:30 pm
- Environmental & Recycling Activities
- 9th – 12th grade
- Fort Hood Recycle Center, 72nd Street & Railhead Drive
- Various Fort Hood Locations For more information, please call the School Liaison Office at (254) 288-7946
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Saturday, September 21, 2019, ACS SFRB Resilience Expo: "Touch Down to Resilience" Expo

- 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
- **Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier and Family Readiness Center**, Bldg. 18000
For More Information or Register, call (254) 288-2794.

Saturday, September 21, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library — Science Saturday

- 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm
- Ages 7+
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Tuesday, September 24, 2019, Fort Hood Schools Council Meeting (SCM)

- 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Meeting with school districts, military, and community members
- Discuss academic topics and trending programs
- Resource and information tables
- Open to the public
- Community Events and Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 (off Clear Creek Road)
- For more information, call the Fort Hood School Liaison Office (254) 288-7946.

Wednesday September 25, 2019 – Community Services Council (CSC) Meeting

- **10:30 am – 12:00 pm**
- The CSC Meeting serves as a valuable communication link to increase awareness levels of all community residents concerning programs, activities and facilities in the greater Fort Hood community.
- Community Events and Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 off Clear Creek Road
- For more information, call Ms. Tomya Hearon, ACS Information & Referral, Social Services Assistant, (254) 553-1593.

Thursday, September 26, 2019 – Paws to Read with Kona

- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Ages Pre-K to twelve
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

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Friday, September 27, 2019 – SINGLE SOLDIERS ESPIRIT DE CORPS DAY 2019

- NOON – 5:00 PM
 - All Single Soldiers Only
 - Hood Stadium
- For more information, please call 254-287-6116

Monday September 28, 2019 – Gold Star Mother’s and Family Day (Invitation Only)

- Observed on the last day Saturday in September to pay tribute to the sacrifice and resilient spirit of surviving mothers of the Fallen.
- For more information, call (254) 288-3655

OCTOBER

Fantober Events TBA

Monday, October 1, 2019 through Wednesday, October 31, 2019 – Domestic Violence Awareness Month (DVPM)

A month long campaign bringing awareness to the prevention and intervention of domestic violence in the Army community.

Tuesday, October 2, 2019 – Domestic Violence Awareness Month Proclamation Signing (Tentative)

11:00 am – 11:30 am
III Corps West Atrium
1001 761st Tank Battalion Ave

Thursday, October 3, 2019 – CRD BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- Samuel Adams
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- 1400 – UTC
- For more information please contact SPC Zachary Smiley & Ms. Neicey Davis @ 254-287-6116.

Friday & Saturday, October 4-5, 2019 - Fishing For Freedom Bass Tournament Belton Lake Outdoor Recreation Area

- Registration opens 1 September for teams of two (boaters and non-boaters) @ texasboatworld.com
- Open to civilian and military boaters with at least one member Active Duty or retired military
- Kick-off BBQ on 4 Oct., followed by 5 Oct tournament
- Flights depart the BLORA shoreline at safelight
- First Place prize – Triton 2020 TRX 189 boat with 115 HP motor, \$32,500 value
- For more information, call 254-699-9151

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Friday's, October 4, 2019, October 11, 2019, October 18, 2019 and October 25, 2019 – EFMP Sea Dragons Aquatic Program

- Swim Program is open to the whole Family
- Friday nights – 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
- Abrams Fitness Center, Building 23001, 62nd Street and Support Avenue
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Fridays, October 4, 11, 18 & 25, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library Story Time

- 10:00 am
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old (and parents)
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue.
For more information, call (254) 287-4921

Saturday, October 5, 2019 – CRD BOSS Laser Tag & Movie Newcomer's Trip

- Meet at BOSS HQ
- 1400 – UTC
- For more information please contact SPC Zachary Smiley & Ms. Neicey Davis @ 254-287-6116

Saturday, October 5, 2019 – Oktoberfest

- 5:00 – 10:00 pm
- Phantom Warrior Center, Bldg. 194
- Kid's bounce houses, kid's face painting and arts & crafts, pumpkin patch, Keg tap, Arts & Crafts for purchase, Food and beverages for purchase.
- For more information, call (254) 288-7835

Saturday, October 5, 2019- UFC 243 Fight TBA- Sam Adams Brewhouse

- 7:00 pm-11:00pm
- Sam Adams Brewhouse, Bldg 5782, 24th St., next to Club Hood
- Open to the public, For more information, please call 254-532-5073

Saturday, October 5 - Fall Demo Day and Sale

- Demo the latest golf equipment from top manufactures
- October 5, from 9 am - 3 pm
- Receive 10% off merchandise sales of \$50 or more
- This event is free and open to all
- Courses of Clear Creek, Bldg. 52381, Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road
- For additional information about this et, please call 254-287-4130

Saturday, October 5, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library All-Ages Coloring

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Drop-by coloring event for all ages
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

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Saturdays, October 5, 12, 19 & 26 – Dungeons and Dragons Meetup

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Ages 18+
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Ave
- Participants must register in advance.
For more information or to register, email forthooddm@gmail.com.

Monday, October 7, 2019 – Through Friday, October 11, 2019 – Abandoned Vehicle Auction Vehicle Preview and Auction Registration.

- Location: Yard 36 Abandoned Vehicle Lot, Clark Rd and LZ Phantom LN.
- Time: 0900 to 1800 Daily
- Registration Cost: \$3.00 Cash Only
- P.O.C: Sprocket Automotive Skill Center @ 287-2725

Tuesday, October 8, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Orientation

- 10:00 am – 11:30 am
- Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Tuesday, October 8, 2019 – Homeschool Social Hour

- 11:00 – 12:00 pm
- Homeschooling parents are invited to talk and share with each other while the kids enjoy a craft and each other.
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, October 9, 2019 - Casey Memorial Library: Make and Take Craft

- 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Drop-in craft program
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, October 9, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Resource Connections Virtual Support Group

- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
- Facebook
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Thursday, October 10, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom

- 9:30 am – 10:30 am
- Facebook
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

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Friday's, October 11, 2019 and October 25, 2019 – Car Seat Parent Education and Inspection Program

- 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
 - Technicians will provide up-to-date information about car seat installations
 - Hands-on education for your child's safety
 - Sprocket Auto Craft Center, Bldg. 9138
- For more information and register, call (254) 287-6505 or (254) 288-2092.

Saturday, October 12, 2019 – CYS Give Parents a Break

- 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Meadows Child Development Center
- Children must be registered with CYS and be up to date on all registration requirements (shots, health assessment and medical paperwork)
- Reservations can be made until 12:00 pm the Wednesday prior by calling (254) 553-8353 (children ages six weeks-preschool age) or (254) 553-7706 (children in kindergarten through fifth grade).

Saturday, Oct 12, 2019 – Abandoned Vehicle Auction

- **Where:** Yard 36 Abandoned Vehicle Lot Clark Road and LZ Phantom Lane
- **When:** Oct 12, 2019 – gates open at 7:00 am, bidding starts at 8:00 am and continues until the last item is sold
- **Item Pick-up Day of the Event:** After conclusion of bidding until 5:00 pm
- **Item Pick-up After Day of the Event:** By appointment only
- **Early Registration and viewing:**
Monday, Oct 7, 2019 through Friday, Oct 11, 2019, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm daily at Yard 36 Abandoned Vehicle Lot Clark Road and LZ Phantom Lane
- **Registration Fee:** \$3.00 ****CASH ONLY****
- **Registration Day of the Event:** Starts at 7:00 am and ends at 8:00 am
Registration ends once bidding begins
- Everyone is encouraged to attend early registration and viewing
For more information, call (254) 287-2725.

Sunday, October 13, 2019 – Army 10 Miler Shadow Run

- Race begins 8:00 am
- Pre-register online at Hood.ArmyMWR.com, by 12:00 pm the Wednesday prior to the event
- Pre-Registration Facilities: Leisure Travel Service, Sportsmen's Center, Apache Arts and Crafts Center and Sprocket Auto Crafts Center
- On-site registration the day of the race from 7:00 am – 7:45 am
- Pre registration: \$15 DOD \$20 NON DOD
- On site registration: \$20 DOD \$25 NON DOD
- BLORA Sunnyside Pavilion
- For more information, please call (254) 285-5459

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Thursday, October 17, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Workshop

- 9:30 am – 11:00 am
- Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Thursday, October 17, 2019 – Quarterly Adopt-A-School (AAS) Mandatory Training

- 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
- Adopt-A-School Representatives
- Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000 Darnall Loop, Second Floor, Rm. 2801 A & B
- For more information, contact the School Liaison Officer (254) 288-7946.

Friday, October 18, 2019 – Home School Resource Fair

- 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm
- Community Resources for Homeschool Families
- Open to the public, children are welcome
- Bronco Youth Center, Bldg. 6602 Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- For more information, contact the School Liaison Officer (254) 288-7946.

Friday, October 18, 2019 – Phantom Warrior Scramble

- 9:00 Shotgun Start
- 8:30 – 8:45am on-site registration
- \$35 per person with optional mulligan for an additional \$5 per person
- Open to all
- The Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
For more information, call 254-287-4130.

Wednesday, October 23, 2019 – ACS Community Services Council (CSC) Meeting

- 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
- The CSC Meeting serves as a valuable communication link to increase awareness levels of all community residents concerning programs, activities and facilities in the greater Fort Hood community
- Community Events and Bingo Center (Bldg. 50012) off Clear Creek Road
For more information, call ACS at (254) 553-1593.

Friday, October 25, 2019 – CYS Youth Services Harvest Fest

- 5:00 pm – 7:30 pm
- Games, Bounce houses, Pumpkin patch, and more Family Fun!
- Comanche YC, Bldg. 52019 Tank Destroyer Blvd
- For more information, call Comanche YC at (254) 287-5834.
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Saturday, October 26, 2019 – Children's Halloween Bingo

- 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Community Events & Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 Clear Creek Rd
- \$5 per person

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- Price includes lunch for the children, prizes for bingo winners, and a goodie bag
- Open to ID cardholders and their guests, children ages 2-12 years old
- For more information, call (254) 532-9253

NOVEMBER

Military Family Month

November 1-30, 2019 – Warrior Care Month, ACS Soldier & Family Assistance Center (SFAC)

Friday's, November 1, 2019, November 8, 2019, November 15, 2019, November 22, 2019 and November 29, 2019 – EFMP Sea Dragons Aquatic Program

- 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
- Swim Program is open to the whole Family
- Abrams Fitness Center, Bldg. 23001, 62nd Street and Support Avenue
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Fridays, November 1, 8, 15 & 22, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library Story Time

- 10:00 am
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old (and parents)
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

Saturday, November 2, 2019 – Casey Memorial Library All-Ages Coloring

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Drop-by coloring event for all ages
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-4921.

Saturdays, November 2, 9, 16 & 23 – Dungeons and Dragons Meetup

- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Ages 18+
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Ave
- Participants must register in advance.
For more information or to register, email forthooddm@gmail.com.

Saturday, November 9, 2019 – CYS Give Parents a Break

- 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm
- Children must be registered with CYS and be up to date on all registration requirements (shots, health assessment and medical paperwork)
- Meadows Child Development Center, Bldg. 333 Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- For more information and reservations until 12pm the Wednesday prior by calling

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(254) 553-8353 (children ages six weeks-preschool age) or (254) 553-7706 (children in kindergarten through fifth grade).

Saturday, November 9, 2019 Saddle Night

- Guided horseride through a portion of the Nature In Lights trail of lights
- Departs BLORA Ranch at 1800
- Inclement weather date, November 10
- \$40 per rider, Personal horse and proof of negative coggins required
- Limited space/Reservations only – 254-394-5018

Tuesday, November 12, 2019 – Homeschool Social Hour

- 11:00 – 12:00 pm
- Homeschooling parents are invited to talk and share with each other while the kids enjoy a craft and each other.
- Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Tuesday, November 12, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Monthly Orientation

- 10:00 am – 11:30 am
- Bldg.36000, Shoemaker Center
- For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Wednesday, November 13, 2019 - Casey Memorial Library: Make and Take Craft

- 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
- Drop-in craft program
- Ages pre-k to twelve years old
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street, at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, November 13, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Resource Connections Virtual Support Group

- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
- Facebook
- For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Thursday, November 14, 2019 - Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom

- 9:30 am - 10:30 am
- Facebook
- For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Nightly, November 15, 2019-January 5, 2020 – Nature In Lights

Belton Lake Outdoor Recreation Area

- 5:30 pm – 11:00 pm

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- Over 125 displays, architectural and foliage lighting along a 5 ½ mile drive through the park
- Gate fees: \$20 - car, mini van, pick-up; \$35 - 15 passenger van, limo & RV; \$55 - 24 passenger van/bus; \$80 - 47+ passenger bus
- Pictures with Santa, concessions and arts and crafts vendors at Santa's Depot and Santa's Village: Fri-Sun, 15-17 Nov; Thurs-Sun, 21 Nov – 8 Dec; and nightly, 12-24 Dec
- Train rides at Santas Depot (\$5 per adult, \$3 per child)
- Pony rides at BLORA Ranch (\$5 per ride)
- New this season at Santa's Depot – heated activity tent w/ inflatables and other holiday activities (\$5 per person)
- For more information, call BLORA at (254) 287-2523

Saturday, November 16, 2019 – Great Turkey Chase Half Marathon

- Race begins 7:00 am
- Pre-register online at Hood.ArmyMWR.com, by 12:00 pm the Wednesday prior to the event
- Pre-Registration Facilities: Leisure Travel Service, Sportsmen's Center, Apache Arts and Crafts Center and Sprocket Auto Crafts Center
- On-site registration the day of the race from 6:00 am – 6:45 am
- Pre registration: \$20 DOD \$25 NON DOD
- On site registration: \$25 DOD \$30 NON DOD
- Sportsmen's Center

For more information, please call (254) 285-5459.

Wednesday, November 20, 2019 – Community Services Council (CSC) Meeting

- 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
- The CSC Meeting serves as a valuable communication link to increase awareness levels of all community residents concerning programs, activities and facilities in the greater Fort Hood community
- Community Events and Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 off Clear Creek Road
- For more information, call Ms. Tomya Hearon, ACS Information & Referral, Social Services Assistant, (254) 553-1593.

DECEMBER

Friday's, December 6, 13, 20, and December 27, 2019

EFMP Sea Dragons Aquatic Program

- 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
 - Swim Program is open to the whole Family
 - Abrams Fitness Center, Bldg. 23001, 62nd Street and Support Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

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Tuesday, December 10, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Monthly Orientation

- 10:00 am – 11:30 am
- Bldg.36000, Shoemaker Center
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Wednesday, December 11, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Resource Connections Virtual Support Group

- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
- Facebook
For more information, call (254) 287-6070.

Thursday December 12, 2018 - Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom

- 9:30 am - 10:30 am
- Facebook

[Army Community Service \(ACS\)](#)

(254) 287-4ACS

For a complete listing of scheduled trainings and events: <http://hoodmwr.com/acs/>

Army Emergency Relief (AER)

Did You Know...

...Army Emergency Relief has provided more than \$1.7 billion in assistance to Soldiers and Families since 1942? That assistance has been provided to more than 3.6 million Soldiers and Families in the form of no-interest loans and grants, as well as scholarships to Children and Spouses of Soldiers. Each case is evaluated on its own merits and there is no “boiler-plate” answer. AER should be the first stop when a Soldier is confronted with a financial emergency. Contact AER for further information! Let them know how they can be of assistance.

...Army Emergency Relief has reciprocal agreements with the other Service Aid Societies? AER assistance is available at any of the 78 AER sections located on Army installations around the world. However, if you find yourself in a situation where you are not near an Army installation, AER has agreements with the Air Force Aid Society, the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society and Coast Guard Mutual Assistance. All can...and have processed AER assistance requests. Additionally, if you are not near any military installation, AER also has an agreement with the American Red Cross. Just call their 24-hour call center at 877-272-7337 and they can process your request.

Army Emergency Relief has its own APP for smart phones?

The APP contains information about AER assistance and scholarships, as well as explaining the assistance process...and where to go to get assistance. The APP is available for both iPhones and Android phones.

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Apple App Store



Google Play



When you need help, call ACS Financial Readiness Branch at (254) 288-6330 or visit Army Emergency Relief in Bldg. 36000, 2d Floor.

Army Family Action Plan (AFAP) Issue Submission

AFAP is the process in which we, the Army Family, have the opportunity to tell our leadership what is working well in the Army, what isn't, and what we think will fix the issue. By submitting your issues to AFAP, you shed light on the concerns you have with the quality of life within the Army and give leadership your ideas on how to resolve those issues.

AFAP issues can be submitted to any AFAP Issue Submission box (located at various locations on post); Army Community Service; Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center (OCHSFRC); faxed to (254) 288-3650, emailed to usarmy.hood.imcom-fmwrc.list.ACS-AFAP@mail.mil, or submitted online through www.myarmyonesource.com (AFAP Issue Management System).

For additional information, call the Fort Hood AFAP office at (254) 287-AFAP (2327) or (254) 286-6600.

Soldier and Family Assistance Center (SFAC)

- The ACS SFAC has a full staff of non-medical professionals to support wounded, injured, and ill Soldiers including Soldiers in the Integrated Disability Evaluation System (IDES)
- The ACS SFAC team provides inclusive services using a personalized holistic approach for each Soldier to include financial advice, education counseling, crisis intervention, employment/career program, outreach initiatives, benefits/entitlements, and building resilience by teaching skills to cope with individual challenges

Visit the ACS SFAC in Building 36051 on 62nd Street or call (254) 553-7719 for more information.

American Red Cross

<http://www.redcross.org>
(254) 287-0400

Emergency Communications:

The American Red Cross provides timely, factual reports about Family emergencies, such as a death, illness or birth, to Service Members wherever they are stationed. When a request is generated because of an emergency situation, defined as "a sudden,

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generally unexpected, occurrence of a time-critical and short-term nature that disrupts or threatens to disrupt the norm and that demands immediate action or attention," the American Red Cross provides a third-party verification of the emergency for the Service Member. Emergency Communications allows Service Members who are separated from their Families to remain in contact when time and accuracy are critical. The Emergency Communications Center and American Red Cross offices worldwide provide Emergency Communications around the clock.

In the event of an emergency, contact the American Red Cross

- Assistance available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- **Call 1-877-272-7337**
- Request assistance online at redcross.org/HeroCareNetwork
- Download the **Hero Care** mobile app. Text GETHEROCARE to 90999 to receive link to download app

[Central Texas College](http://www.ctcd.edu)

<http://www.ctcd.edu>

For information, call (254) 526-1917, visit the CTC Fort Hood Campus, Building 3201 or log onto <http://www.ctcd.edu/locations/fort-hood-campus/>

[Casey Memorial Library](http://hoodmwr.com/casey_library.htm)

http://hoodmwr.com/casey_library.htm

Casey Memorial Library has new hours of operation effective March 1, 2018:

MAIN LIBRARY

Monday – 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Tuesday – Thursday, 9:00 am – 7:00 pm

Friday – Saturday, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Closed – Sunday and holidays

ANNEX COMPUTER LAB

Closed. All computers are now available at Casey Memorial Library.

For information, call (254) 287-4921 (circulation), (254) 287-5202 (reference) or (254) 287-2716 (public services). The Casey Memorial Library is located at 72nd Street and 761st Tank Battalion Avenue, Building 3202.

The Library offers Books, Computers, Internet Access, CDs, DVDs, Videos, eBooks, Language Materials, Reference, Storytime, Periodicals and Newspapers, Electronic Databases , Study Areas, Tax Forms, Scanner & Interlibrary Loans.

[Child & Youth Services \(CYS\)](http://www.hoodmwr.com/childandyouth.htm)

(254) 287-8029

<http://www.hoodmwr.com/childandyouth.htm>

<http://www.hoodmwr.com/CYS/sensations/index.html>

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Parent Central Services

Your gateway to all CYS Services. The happy staff at Parent Central are always delighted to see you.

Hours of operation are Monday - Friday from 7:30 am – 4:30 pm, with extended hours on Wednesdays until 5:30 pm. Registration appointments are encouraged and have priority, but walk-ins are welcome Monday - Thursday, 7:30 am – 3:30 pm, Wednesday 7:30 am – 4:30 pm, with appointments only on Fridays. Payments, enrollments, waitlist applications and other registration/enrollment related services are available during all business hours.

For more information on any CYS program or events, call (254) 287-8029.

SKIES*Unlimited* Instructional Classes

SKIES*Unlimited* offers Instructional Programming for children from 6 weeks old to 18 years. Classes offered include Swimming, Gymnastics, Dance, Martial Arts, Piano, Guitar, Voice, Tumbling, Cheer, and Academic Tutoring.

SKIES*Unlimited* is offering instructional classes to keep kids busy year round. Classes can be found on our website at:

<https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac103/wbwsc/hoodcyms.wsc/wbsplash.html?wbp=1>

Kids On-Site (KOS) Child Care

KOS is available for Unit FRG Meetings, unit events and Deployment briefings.

For more information, call (254) 287-7273.

Child Development Centers (CDC)

The CDCs offer full day, part-time, and before/after care for children enrolled in pre-kindergarten and kindergarten in on-post elementary schools, and hourly care programs for children six (6) weeks through kindergarten age. A developmentally appropriate curriculum for young children is planned by the teaching staff with attention to the different needs, interests and developmental levels of each child. All CDCs offer trained teaching staff, balanced meals, age-appropriate developmental activities and all eligible CDCs are nationally accredited.

Hourly Care services are available at Meadows and Montague CDCs. Hourly care is short-term child care, no more than twenty (20) hours per week, for children whose parents have medical/dental appointments, volunteer commitments or just need some respite time. Reservations may be made up to thirty (30) days in advance.

The Part-Time Preschool program normally follows the Killeen Independent School District (KISD) school year calendar.

Family Child Care (FCC)

The FCC program is a professionally managed network of adult individuals certified to provide child care in on-post government quarters for children four (4) weeks to twelve (12) years of age and provide programs such as extended hours [for parents who must go on temporary duty (TDY) or field assignments] or special needs care. Fort Hood FCC homes may also offer hourly care services, part-day care, or before and after school care. All FCC providers are certified after meeting basic regulatory requirements and their homes are regularly monitored by FCC staff and inspected for fire, health and

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safety compliance. In addition, FCC providers work to obtain National Association for Family Child Care (NAFCC) accreditation using the same level of standards as CDCs and are encouraged to participate in special activities. For more information, call the Family Child Care Administrative Office in Bldg. 283, Battalion Avenue and 37th Street, (254) 553-4620.

School Age Care (SAC)

The SAC program offers before and/or after school care for youths 1st-5th Grade that attend school on Fort Hood. Full day programs are offered during school-out days, but all sites are closed on Federal Holidays. Hourly care is also offered for grades 1-5. Students are afforded the opportunity to engage in many activities and programs like 4-H, student elections and more. Programs offer opportunities for children to engage in technology, arts & crafts, digital arts festivals, building blocks, robotics, field trips and more! All activities and events are age-appropriate.

Youth Centers

The Youth Centers are open to all Middle and High School teens. Services are available at Bronco Youth Center, High Chaparral Youth Center, Montague Youth Center, and Comanche Youth Center. All Youth Centers are open Monday-Friday 12:00-8:00 pm. Bronco Youth Center and Comanche Youth Center are open Saturday 12:00-8:00 pm. All Youth Centers are closed on Federal Holidays. Teen programs include activities, events, and projects that are age appropriate. Each center offers a computer lab, leadership opportunities, special interests clubs, Teen Sponsorship, Educational Assistance, fitness/workout areas and many fun trips youth are eligible to sign-up for. Need a ride to the youth center? Look no further. Students in the Copperas Cove Independent School District (ISD) or Killeen ISD have the advantage of riding the CYS "TEEN TAXI" which is an afterschool pick-up service that will transport youth to designated Fort Hood Youth Centers.

Youth Sports and Fitness

Fort Hood's CYS Youth Sports & Fitness (YS&F) program offers a wide variety of developmentally appropriate sports for children from three (3) years to eighteen (18) years of age. The recreational philosophy is to promote youth sports skill development in a fun environment, to promote sports participation enhancing health and wellness for a lifetime. The CYS YS&F program is continuously growing in efforts to provide the most opportunities for youth to develop healthy everyday lives.

Sports are divided into seasons: Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter. We offer baseball, football, tennis, soccer, flag football, wrestling and a host of other sports. *Start Smart* "Mighty Minis" is a developmental sports program offered to our youngest athletes 3-5 year olds. Each session lasts 10 weeks, with Mighty Minis being two (2) sessions lasting five (5) weeks each.

The CYS YS&F program also offers camps throughout the year to include baseball, cheer and volleyball camps. Youth Sports & Fitness program are always looking for excited and energetic people to offer their services as volunteer coaches! Stop by our offices for more information.

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All children and youth must be registered with CYS and have an up-to-date Sports Physical in order to enroll. Parents can stop by Parent Central services at the Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000 for more information on registration or call (254) 287-8029. Contact your local Youth Sports offices in Bronco Youth Center at (254) 288-3770, Bldg. 6602 Tank Destroyer Boulevard or Montague Youth Center in Bldg. 70020 Clement Drive on West Fort Hood at (254) 553-7661.

CYS Nurse Specialist

Interested in registering your child/youth with CYS, but they require medication and/or special accommodations? The CYS Nurse is here to help! The CYS Nurse is able to answer questions regarding shot requirements, health assessment/sports physical concerns, additional paperwork needed for certain diagnoses and much more. If you have a child that wants to participate, but are unsure how their specific need(s) would be met, do not hesitate to call (254) 287-4240. The CYS Nurse is located in the Rivers Building, Bldg. 121 and is there to answer questions and assist the children and Families of Fort Hood.

School Liaison Office (SLO)

Have questions regarding schools? Visit your Fort Hood School Liaison Officers (SLOs)! We cover nine school districts surrounding Fort Hood - Killeen, Copperas Cove, Belton, Lampasas, Florence, Gatesville, Temple, Salado and Jarrell Independent School Districts. Your School Liaison Officers are available to provide resources and information on various school related topics:

- School Enrollment & Attendance Zones
- School Transfer
- High School Credit Transfers & Graduation Requirements
- Homework and Tutoring Resources
- Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission (MIC3)
- Impact Aid
- College and Career Readiness
- Scholarship and more

Fort Hood Region Initiating Educational Networks and Developing Support Systems (FRIENDS) Initiative.

The FRIENDS Initiative is designed to connect military student leaders with the Fort Hood community in developing student-centered solutions aimed at addressing transitional issues, while providing mentorship and leadership development.

PURPOSE:

- Partner with School Transition Response Team (STRT) to assist students with school transition and mentoring programs.
- Partner with Youth Sponsorship - Creating and fostering positive peer relationships. Their mission is to ensure inclusive, quality educational experiences for all military-connected children affected by mobility, family separation, and transition
- Encourage participation and exposure to Fort Hood and other military related activities.

Fort Hood Community Information

- Engage in Educational and Financial Assistance workshops for post-secondary Education and Career Development.
- Facilitate peer-to-peer work groups and student leadership seminars
For more information, call (254) 553-3341 or (254) 553-3340.

CYS Sensations Magazines

Cool Camps! Terrific Trips! Super Sports! Exciting Events! Awesome Activities!
Cool Classes!

Give us a call at (254) 287-8029 or stop by the Rivers Building on the corner of 761st Tank Battalion and T.J. Mills Boulevard. We would love to tell you about all the amazing services CYS has available for your Family!

CYS Likes YOU! “Like” us on the Fort Hood CYS Facebook page to stay in the know on all things child, youth and school related. <https://www.facebook.com/hood.CYS>

Note: Words and/or names that appear in blue are hyperlinks.

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