Staff Updates

Carl R. Darnall Army Medical Center

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 <u>www.TRICAREONLINE.com</u>
- 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 <u>www.TRICAREONLINE.com</u> 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

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https://www.commissaries.com/shopping/storelocations/fort-hood-clear-creek

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

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

Clear Creek Commissary

<u>Commissary Connection Newsletter</u>: 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 <u>www.commissaries.com/subscribe.cfm</u> and subscribe.

<u>Facebook</u>: <u>www.facebook.com/YourCommissary</u>, 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/

Dental Command (DENTAC)

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

TRICARE Dental Plan Beneficiary Web Enrollment site: https://milconnect.dmdc.osd.mil.

Directorate Family Morale Welfare and Recreation

www.hood.armymwr.com

OCTOBER

Domestic Violence Awareness Month (DVPM) - Mobilize Help for Safer Relationship October 1, 2019 through Wednesday, October 31, 2019

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

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.

Thursday, October 24, 2019 – ACS Stress, Anger, & Conflict Resolution Management Workshop (DVPM)

- 8:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- Emphasizes the affects, causes, and impact of transmitting stress toward the children.
- For more information and registration, call (254) 286-6774 or (254) 288-2092.

Friday, October 25, 2019 - Retiree Golf Tournament

- 9:00 Shotgun Start
- 8:00 8:45am on-site registration
- \$50 per person includes all Tournament Fees, Prizes, and Lunch
- Open to all Military Retirees
- The Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
 - For more information, call 254-287-4130.

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.

Friday, October 25, 2019 – BOSS Halloween Party

- 7:00 pm 0000
- Costume Contest, Food, Games, & Door Prizes
- Cost: \$5:00 per Soldier
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Friday, October 25 & Saturday 26, 2019 - OH What A Nightmare Haunted House

- 7:30 pm 10:30 pm
- BLORA Paintball Field, Liberty Hill Rd
- Open to all
- Admission: \$10 per person
- For more information call (254) 317-5350.

Saturday, October 26, 2019 - IMCOM ESPORTS 2020 MADDEN NFL TRNY FINALS

• For more information, please call (254) 245-4040 or stop by BOSS HQ

Saturday, October 26, 2019 - Casey Memorial Library Halloween Party

- 2:00 pm -3:00 pm
- All-Ages
- Patrons are invited to dress up for Halloween themed games, crafts, and activities.
- Children's Room, Casey Memorial Library, Bldg. 3202, 72nd Street at 761st Tank Battalion Avenue
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

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
- 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.

Saturday October 26- Army Volunteer Corps Make a Difference Day

- All Day
- Fort Hood units and volunteers Make A Difference Day Community Service Event by adopting and participating in a project.
- For more information, call the Army Volunteer Corps office at (254) 287-8657.

Saturday, October 26, 2019 – NPSP Play Morning (DVPM)

- 9:30 am 11:00 am
- Bronco Youth Center Bldg. 6602, Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- Educational and fun activity for parents with children ages 0-3 years old. It is an excellent time for children to develop motor and social skills, have fun; and for parents to network among themselves
- For more information, please call (254) 287-2286 or (254) 288-1431.

Tuesday, October 29, 2019 – NPSP Infant Massage (DVPM)

- 9:30 am 10:30 am and 5:00 pm 6:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- A class designed to educate parents, new or experienced, with the time honored techniques and benefits of applying touch/massage to the baby.
- For additional detail and required pre-registration, please call (254) 287-2286.

October 30, 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.

NOVEMBER

Military Family Month

November 1-30, 2019 - Warrior Care Month, ACS Soldier & Family Assistance Center

Friday, November 1, & 22, 2019 – ACS Family Advocacy Child Passenger Safety Inspection

- 9:30 am 12:00 pm
- Sprocket Auto Craft Center, Bldg. 9138
- Certified technicians will provide up-to-date information about car seat installations and hands-on education for your child's safety
- To schedule an appointment call (254) 287-6505 or (254) 288-2092.

Friday's, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 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.

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 2, 2019 - BOSS Laser Tag & Movie Newcomer's Trip

- 2:00 pm UTC
- Meet at BOSS HQ
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Saturday, November 2, 2019- UFC 244 PPV Fight

- 07:00 pm- 12:00 am
- Samuel Adams Brewhouse
- Bldg 5782, 24th St. and Wainwright Dr.
- Open to All
- For more information, please call (254) 532-5073.

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.

Sunday, November 3, 2019 - BOSS Texas Motor Speedway Overnight Trip

- 8:00 am
- Meet @ BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- Cost: \$100.00 Per Soldier
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Monday, November 4, 2019 - 23rd Anniversary Bingo

- 3:30 pm 9:00 pm
- Community Events & Bingo Center, Bldg. 50012 Clear Creek Rd
- Open to all ID cardholders and their guests 18 years and older
- Advanced tickets: \$70 Aug 1 Sep 15, \$80 Sep 16 Nov 1, and \$90 after Nov 1
- Price includes dinner, bingo game package, and free games
- Chance to win a 10K jackpot, games total \$18K
- For more information, call (254) 532-9253.

Tuesday, November 5, & 19, 2019 - ACS Common Sense Parenting

- 9:30 am 11:30 am
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- The purpose of the class is to address the issues, and provide meaningful information to parents of school age children.
- For registration information, please call at (254) 618-7443 or (254) 286-6774.

Wednesday, November 6, 2019 - NPSP Boot Camp for New & Expectant Dads

- 9:00 am 12:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- The class educates new and expectant fathers on the parental roles and responsibilities.
- For more information and registration of class please call (254) 287-2286.

Wednesday, November 6, 13, & 20, 2019 - NPSP Play Morning

- 9:30 am 11:00 am
- Bronco Youth Center, Bldg. 6602, Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- Educational and fun activity for parents with children ages 0-3 years old. It is an excellent time for children to develop motor and social skills, have fun; and for parents to network.
- For more information, please call (254) 287-2286 or (254) 288-1431.

Wednesday, November 6, 2019 - ACS Preparing for Marriage

- 8:00 am 430 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- The workshop regularly empowers attendees with skills and insights which would enable them to enter matrimony.
- For more information and registration call (254) 286-5338 or (254) 286-6774.

Thursday, November 7, 2019 - BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- 2:00 pm UTC
- Sam Adams
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Thursday, November 7, 2019 – ACS Stress, Anger, & Conflict Resolution Management Workshop

- 8:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- Emphasizes the affects, causes, and impact of transmitting stress toward the children.
- For more information and registration, please call (254) 286-6774 or (254) 288-2092.

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
- (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 horse ride through a portion of the Nature In Lights trail of lights
- Departs BLORA Ranch at 6:00 pm
- Inclement weather date, November 10
- \$40 per rider, Personal horse and proof of negative coggins required
- Limited space/Reservations only (254) 394-5018.

Wednesday, November 9, 2019 – Fort Hood Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) and Special Olympics Texas Heart of Texas Bowling Competition

- 10:00 am 1:30 pm
- Clear Creek Rd. at Santa Fe Ave, Bldg. 49010
- Community Bowlers
- For More information, call (254) 287-6070.

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

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

Tuesday, November 12, 2019 - Homeschool Social Hour

- 11:00 am 12:00 pm
- Homeschooling parents 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, November 13, 2019 - ACS Relationship Enrichment Workshop

- 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- Building a healthier relationship, discovering you personality, understanding expectations in your relationship, improving communications & intimacy, supporting your partner.
- To register for workshop call (254) 618-7584 or (254) 286-6774.

Wednesday, November 13, 2019 – Fort Hood Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) and Special Olympics Texas Heart of Texas Bowling Competition

- 10:00 am 1:30 pm
- Clear Creek Rd. at Santa Fe Ave, Bldg. 49010
- In-School Bowlers
- 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 St. & 761st Tank Battalion Ave
- 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 Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

- 9:30 am 10:30 am
- 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
- Over 125 displays, architectural and foliage lighting along a 5 ½ mile drive through the park
- Gate fees: \$20 car, minivan, pick-up; \$35 15 passenger van, limo &
 RV; \$55 24 passenger van/bus; \$80 47+ passenger bus
- Advance discounted ticket sales (\$5 off each category) now through 14 Nov at: Leisure Travel Services, Recreational Equipment Checkout, West Fort Hood Travel Camp and BLORA
- 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 Santa's 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.

Friday, November 15, 2019 - Phantom Warrior Scramble

- 11:00 Shotgun Start
- 10:00 10:45am 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.

Saturday, November 16, 2019 - Casey Memorial Library Science Saturday

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

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
- Onsite 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.

Thursday, November 21, 2019 - BOSS Post Wide Spades Tournament

- 6:00 pm UTC
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- Potluck
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Thursday, November 21, 2019 - BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- 2:00 pm UTC
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- Thanksgiving Potluck
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Friday, November 22, 2019 - BOSS Morgan Mills Thanksgiving Luncheon

- 8:00 am UTC
- Meet @ BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Friday, November 22, 2019 - Phantom Warrior Scramble

- 11:00 am Shotgun Start
- 9:30 10:45am 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.

Saturday November 23, 2019 - Turkey Golf Scramble

- 8:00 am 8:45 am on-site registration.
- 9am shotgun start, 4 Person Teams
- \$50 per person includes green fee, cart fee and lunch.
- The Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
- For more information, call (254) 287-4130.

Thursday, November 28, 2019 - Thanksgiving Day Buffet at Club Hood

- · Feast your eyes on Club Hood's Thanksgiving Buffet
- Open to all
- Two settings: 11:00 am and 1:30pm
- \$22.95 for adults
- \$8.25 for children 5-12
- Children 4 and under eat free
- Virginia Baked Ham, Top Round of Beef with Glazed Au Jus, Sliced Roast Turkey, Orange Marmalade Glazed Cornish Hen, Lemon Flounder, Red Skinned Mashed Potatoes, Candied Yams, Cornbread Dressing, Horn of Plenty, a bountiful array of side dishes, salad bar, sweets, treats and more!
- To learn more or make reservations, call (254) 532-5073 or (254) 532-5329.
- Club Hood, 24th Street at Tank Destroyer Boulevard, Bldg. 5764.

Friday, November 29, 2019 – BOSS "No Single Soldier Gets Left Behind" Thanksgiving Movie Day Luncheon

- 11:00 am 3:00 pm
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

DECEMBER

Sunday, December 1st through 24 – Pro Shop Sale

- Phantom Warrior Lanes Bldg 49010
- Purchases of \$30 or more receive a 15% discount on balls, bags and shoes.

Wednesday, December 4, 2019 - NPSP Boot Camp for New & Expectant Dads

- 9:00 am 12:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- The class educates new and expectant fathers on the parental roles and responsibilities to help them develop strategies to adapt and cope with a new baby.
- For more information and registration of class please call (254) 287-2286.

Wednesday, December 4, 11, & 15 2019 - NPSP Play Morning

- 9:30 am 11:00 am
- Bronco Youth Center, Bldg. 6602, Tank Destroyer Blvd,
- Educational and fun activity for parents with children ages 0-3 years old. It is an excellent time for children to develop motor and social skills, have fun; and for parents to network among themselves
- For more information, please call (254) 287-2286 or (254) 288-1431.

Wednesday, December 4, 2019 – ACS Preparing for Marriage

- 0800 am 430 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave
- The workshop regularly empowers attendees with skills and insights which would enable them to enter matrimony.
- For more information and pre-registration call (254) 286-5338, (254) 286-6774.

Thursday, December 5, 2019 - BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- 2:00 pm UTC
- Sam Adams
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Friday December 6, 2019 - Garrison Commander's Polar Bear Golf Scramble

- 11:00 am shotgun
- 9:30 10:45am on-site registration
- \$35 per person with optional mulligans for an additional \$5 per person
- 4-person scramble
- Open to all
- The Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
- For more information, call (254) 287-4130.

Fridays, December 6 & 13, 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.

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.

Saturdays, December 7, 14, 21, & 28, 2019 - 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, December 7, 2019- Joshua VS. Ruiz II Boxing Fight

- Time- TBA
- Samuel Adams Brewhouse
- Bldg 5782, 24th St. and Wainwright Dr.
- Open to All
- For more information, please call (254) 532-5073.

Saturday, December 7, 2019, ACS Resilience EXPO "Battling Holiday Stress"

- 10:00 am 1:00 pm
- Open to Active Duty Service Members, Retirees and Family members (Geared more towards adults but there will be a craft for the kids)
- Financial Stress Relief, massages, yoga, self-care, craft for the kids
- Oveta Culp Hobby Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000
- For more information, call ACS SFRB at (254) 288-2794.

Saturday, December 7, 2019 - BOSS Laser Tag & Movie Newcomer's Trip

- 2:00 pm UTC
- Meet at BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Saturday, December 7, 2019 - Williamson County Symphony Orchestra

- Free Holiday concert
- 7:30 9:00 pm. Doors open at 6:30 pm.
- Howze Theater, Bldg. 33000, Battalion Ave.
- For more information, call (254) 288-7835.

Saturday, December 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.

Tuesday, December 10 & 17, 2019 - ACS Common Sense Parenting

- 9:30 am 11:30 am
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- The purpose of the class is to address the issues, and provide meaningful information to parents of school age children.
- For registration information, please call (254) 618-7443 or (254) 286-6774.

Tuesday, December 10, 2019 - Homeschool Social Hour

- 11:00 12:00 pm
- Homeschooling parents 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, December 10, 2019 – Exceptional Family Member Program Monthly Orientation

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

Wednesday, December 11, 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 St. & 761st Tank Battalion Ave.
- For more information, call (254) 287-2716.

Wednesday, December 11, 2019 - ACS Relationship Enrichment Workshop

- 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center. Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave
- Build a healthier relationship, discovering you personality, understanding expectations in your relationship, improving communications & intimacy, supporting your partner.
- To register for workshop call (254) 618-7584 or (254) 286-6774.

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

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

Thursday, December 12, 2019 – ACS Stress, Anger, & Conflict Resolution Management Workshop

- 8:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- Emphasizes the affects, causes, and impact of transmitting stress toward the children.
- For more information and registration, please call (254) 286-6774 or (254) 288-2092.

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

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

Friday, December 13, 2019 - ACS Child Passenger Safety Inspection

- 9:30 am 12:00 pm
- Sprocket Auto Craft Center, Bldg. 9138
- Certified technicians will provide up-to-date information about car seat installations and hands-on education for your child's safety
- To schedule an appointment call (254) 287-6505, or (254) 288-2092.

Friday, December 13, 2019 - BOSS Christmas Shopping San Marcos Trip

- 9:00 am UTC
- Meet at BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Saturday, December 14, 2019- Army vs. Navy Football

- Door Opens at 12:00 pm. Game starts at 2:00 pm.
- Samuel Adams Brewhouse
- Bldg 5782, 24th St. and Wainwright Dr.
- Open to All
- For more information, please call (254) 532-5073.

Saturday, December 14, 2019 - Jingle Bell Dash 5K Run/Walk

- Race begins 8am. On-site registration the day of the race from 7-7:45am
- Abrams Physical Fitness Center, Bldg. 23001, 62nd Street and Support Avenue
- Pre-register online at Hood.ArmyMWR.com, by 12pm the Wednesday prior to the event.
- Pre-Registration Facilities: Leisure Travel Service, Sportsmen's Center, Apache Arts andCrafts Center, Sprocket Auto Crafts Center
- On Site Registration: \$15 DoD ID Card Holders, \$20 Non DoD ID Card Holders
- Pre-Registration: \$10 DoD ID Card Holders, \$15 Non DoD ID Card Holders
- For more information, please call (254) 285-5459.

Saturday, December 14, 2019 - Children's Christmas Bingo

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

Thursday, December 19, 2019 - BOSS Post Wide Spades Tournament Christmas Jamboree

- 6:00 pm UTC
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- Potluck
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Thursday, December 19, 2019 – BOSS Installation Council Meeting

- 2:00 pm UTC
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- All Unit BOSS Reps
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Monday, December 23, 2019 - Friday, January 3, 2020 CYS School Age Care Winter Camp

- 5:30 am 6:00 pm
- Walker School Age Care, Bldg. 85018 Warrior Way and Kouma School Age, 48303 Johnson Drive
- Open to youth in grades Kinder 5
- For more information, call (254) 287-4948 or (254) 285-6017.

Monday, December 23, 2019 - Friday, January 3, 2020 CYS Youth Services Winter Camp

- 7:00 am 1:00 pm
- Bronco Youth Center, Bldg. 6602 Tank Destroyer Blvd.
- Open to youth in grades 6-12
- For more information, call (254) 287-6745.

Tuesday, December 24, 2019 – BOSS "No Single Soldier Gets Left Behind" Holiday Movie Day Luncheon

- 11:00 am 3:00 pm
- BOSS HQ BLDG 9212
- For more information please call (254) 287-6116.

Tuesday, December 31, 2019 - Bowl in the New Year.

- 9:00 pm 12:30 am
- Phantom Warrior Lanes Bldg. 49010
- \$100.00 per lane (up to 5 bowlers) Bowling, food and New Year's celebration included.
- For details, please call 254-287-3424.

January

Wednesday, January 1, 2020 - Federal Holiday New Year's Day

Thursday, January 2, 2020 – ACS Stress, Anger, & Conflict Resolution Management Workshop

- 8:00 am 4:00 pm
- Oveta Culp Soldier & Family Readiness Center, Bldg. 18000, Battalion Ave.
- Emphasizes the affects, causes, and impact of transmitting stress toward the children.
- For more information and registration, please call (254) 286-6774 or (254) 288-2092.

Thursday January 2, 2020 - Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

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

Friday's, January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2020 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.

Wednesday, January 8, 2020 – Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Resource Connections Virtual Support Group (Facebook)

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

Thursday, January 9, 2020 – Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

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

Friday January 10, 2020 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.

Friday, January 10, 2020 – Phantom Warrior Scramble

- 11:00 Shotgun Start
- 10:00 10:45am 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.

Thursday, January 16, 2020 – Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

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

Thursday, January 16, 2020 - Adopt-A-School (AAS) Quarterly Training

- 1:00 pm 2:30 pm
- Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000
- Quarterly updates and training for AAS Points of Contact
- For more information, please call (254) 288-7946.

Friday January 17, 2020 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.

Saturday, January 18, 2020 - Chili Bowl Golf Scramble

- 8 8:45am on-site registration.
- 9am shotgun start, 4 Person Teams
- \$50 per person includes green fee, cart fee and lunch.
- The Courses of Clear Creek (Battalion Avenue and Clear Creek Road, Bldg. 52381)
- For more information, call (254) 287-4130

Thursday, January 23, 2020 – Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

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

Friday January 24, 2020 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.

Thursday, January 30, 2020 – Exceptional Family Member Program Thursday Mornings with Dr. Tom (Facebook)

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

Friday January 31, 2020 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.

Army Community Service (ACS)

https://hood.armymwr.com/categories/community-support

For a complete listing of scheduled trainings and events:

(254) 287-4ACS

Army Emergency Relief (AER)

Did You Know?...

...Army Emergency Relief has provided more than \$2 billion in assistance to Soldiers and Families since 1942. That assistance has been provided to more than 3 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 it 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 76 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.

Apple App Store



Google Play Store



When you need help, call ACS Financial Readiness Branch at (254) 553-3101 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 at any time, by various means. Online at www.myarmyonesource.com (AFAP Issue Management System), emailed to <u>usarmy.hood.imcomfmwrc.list.ACS-AFAP@mail.mil</u>, or hand carried to the AFAP office, located in the Shoemaker Center, 36000 Darnall Loop, 2nd floor, Army Volunteer Corps Office, #2821. For additional information, call the Fort Hood AFAP office at (254) 287-AFAP (2327) or (254) 287-1127.

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, 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 <u>redcross.org/HeroCareNetwork</u>
- Download the Hero Care mobile app. Text GETHEROCARE to 90999 to receive link to download app.

Casey Memorial Library

https://hood.armymwr.com/categories/libraries

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.

Central Texas College

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/

Child & Youth Services (CYS)

https://hood.armymwr.com/categories/cys-services

(254) 287-8029

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 walkins 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 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 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. 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 Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000 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.
- 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 Shoemaker Center, Bldg. 36000, 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

Directorate of Human Resources (DHR)

https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/Garrison-1/directorate-human-resources

ID Card Appointments are available online, at https://rapids-appoints-scheduler.dmdc.osd.mil/, if you are having problems please call (254) 553-4444, from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Soldier for Life Transition Assistance Program (SFL-TAP)

For information, call SFL-TAP at (254) 288-2227/5627 or go to: https://www.facebook.com/FortHoodSFLTAP

Directorate of Emergency Services (DES) 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.

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 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 <u>drivers and passengers</u> 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)
https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/Garrison-1/DPTMS

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

Weather and Wildfire Information

Flood: Flooding is the most common natural disaster and can occur anywhere. Flooding can be localized in a particular neighborhood or widespread, affecting entire cities or large portions of states and territories. Floods can develop over a period of days, giving you adequate time to prepare; however, flash floods can develop in a matter of minutes.

Flash flood waters can be caused by heavy rain, levee breaches or dam failures. Rushing flood waters can be deeper and stronger than they look. These waters are also destructive and can carry debris, rocks and mud. The Ready Army website provides information on how to prepare for a flood and what to do if there is a flood.

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 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.

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 https://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 https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/fort-hood-weather
- 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 https://hood.army.mil/hood/ and the III Corps & Fort Hood Facebook page at https://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 Flood fact sheet http://ready.army.mil/Flood%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf

- b. Ready Army Power Outage fact sheet -
- http://readv.armv.mil/Power%20Outage%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf
- c. Ready Army Emergency Kits fact sheet -

http://ready.army.mil/Emergency%20Kit%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf

d. Ready Army Emergency Family Plan fact sheet -

http://ready.army.mil/Family%20Plan%20Fact%20Sheet.pdf

e. 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.

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 https://home.army.mil/hood/ for AtHoc registration instructions (click AtHoc Information link).

*****AtHoc Migration to Alert! Mass Warning and Notification System****

Fort Hood Installation will be migrated from the AtHoc MWNS to the Army-owned Alert! Enterprise MWNS. Migration will begin Tuesday, 22 October 2019 and expected completion by Friday, 25 October 2019.

Once the migration is complete, anyone logging into an Army computer or network via the .mil connection not previously registered within the Emergency Management Modernization Program's instance of AtHoc will be prompted to register their information in the Alert! MWNS.

Alert! MWNS gives the chain-of-command the ability to notify you in the event of an emergency. The Alert! MWNS can communicate via desktop pop-up, telephone, SMS, and email. Ensuring your information is updated and correct will help increase notification capabilities and response times in emergency situations.

During emergencies, it is critical to be able to quickly and accurately inform Fort Hood personnel in real-time, notify them of threats, and provide them with instructions. To effectively and quickly reach a mass audience and targeted individuals / groups, the notification system relies on the contact information you provide when registering with Alert!.

Steps to register, update, and modify your information in the Alert! MWNS will be post to the Fort Hood website once migration is complete.

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

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.

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.

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:

- Sensitive 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.
- Emerging Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTP): newly administered TTPs to improve mission effectiveness such as ways to avoid or detect IEDs, convoy protection methods, etc.
- Network & Communications Related: call signs, frequencies, passwords, Automated Information Systems (AIS) protection (types used, measures, and procedures), changes in message volume, etc.
- Security Plans and Procedures: Random Antiterrorism Measures, shift change for guards, changes in Force Protection Conditions (FPCON), Defense Conditions (DEFCON) or Information Conditions (INFOCON), etc.

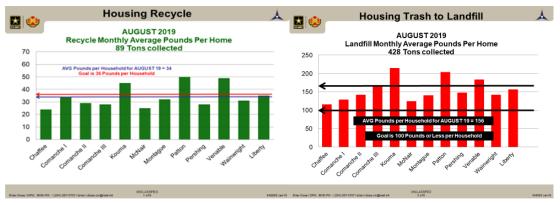
- Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (ISR): intelligence resources, collection techniques, ongoing operations and goals, counterintelligence operations, etc.
- Troop Movements & Travel: deployment / redeployment Date-Time-Group (DTG), locations, itineraries, ports, routes, embarkation points, VIP / High Risk Personnel (HRP) travel, TDY orders, leave for large groups or entire units, emergency recall of personnel, etc.
- 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.

Directorate of Public Works

https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/Garrison-1/DPW

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.





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

www.facebook.com/FortHoodRecycle

Bldg. 4626 72nd Street

(254) 287-2336

Hours: Monday thru Friday, 7:30 am – 11:30 am and 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm

III Corps and Fort Hood Garrison Chaplain Office www.hood.army.mil/corps.chaplain.aspx
https://www.facebook.com/FortHoodChaplain
(254) 288-6545

Fort Hood Holiday Chapel Services

- Sunday, Dec 1 First Sunday of Advent Roman Catholic Mass, 9:00 am at the Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel (SFHC)
- Thursday, Dec 5 Christmas Tree Lighting, 5:15 pm, III Corps HQ
- Friday, Dec 6 CRDAMC Christmas Tree and Menorah Lighting Ceremony, 12:00 pm, CRDAMC Atrium.
- Sunday, Dec 8 Second Sunday of Advent Roman Catholic Mass, 9:00 am, SFHC
- Tuesday, Dec 10 UMT Holiday Party, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, SFHC Activity Center
- Friday, Dec 13 Celebration of Love, 6 pm, Hangar 6978, Murphy Loop, Ft. Hood Airfield

- Sunday, Dec 15 Third Sunday of Advent Roman Catholic Mass, 9:00 am, SFHC
- Friday, Dec 20 Dec 21 Winter Solstice Ritual at 8:00 pm, followed by a Yule Vigil running through sunrise at 8:00 am,
- Sunday, Dec 22 Fourth Sunday of Advent Roman Catholic Mass, 9:00 am, SFHC
- Sunday, Dec 22 Chanukah Party, 6:00 pm, 19th Street Chapel
- Tuesday, Dec 24 Roman Catholic Nativity Pageant at 4:00 pm and Christmas Family Mass at 5:00 pm, SFHC
 - Community Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 7:00 pm, SFHC
 - Candle Light Service, 7:00 pm, Comanche Chapel
- Wednesday, Dec 25 Roman Catholic Christmas Day Catholic Mass (Holy Day of Obligation), 9:00 am, SFHC
- **Sunday, Dec 29** The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph Roman Catholic Mass, 9:00 am, SFHC
- Tuesday, Dec 31 Watch Night Service, 10:00 pm, Comanche Chapel
- **Wednesday, Jan. 1** Roman Catholic Mass for the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God Mass (Holy Day of Obligation), 9:00 am, SFHC
- Sunday, Jan 5 Epiphany of the Lord Mass, 9:00 am, SFHC

<u>Catholic Religious Education</u> – 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.

<u>Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC)</u> -- Tuesday mornings at Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel from 9:00 am to 11:30 am. Limited childcare is available.

<u>Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC)</u> -- Tuesday mornings at Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel from 9:00 am to 11:30 am. Limited childcare is available.

<u>Community Connections & AWANA</u> – 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. This program includes no-cost dinner and limited childcare.

<u>Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center (CFLTC)</u> Who we are

The Chaplain Family Life Training Center (CFLTC) is both a counseling center and a training center for Chaplains. Our counselors are experienced Chaplains and civilian interns working toward advanced therapy degrees. All counselors offer <u>complete confidentiality</u> and work under the supervision of senior chaplains who are licensed therapists. We are open 9:00 am. to 5:00 pm M-TH and 9:00 am to 3:00 pm Fridays, and are located at 31st Street and Tank Destroyer Boulevard (next to the Spirit of Fort Hood Chapel) Please call (254) 288-1913 for appointments.

What we offer

The CFLTC offers counseling to all military service members and dependents, federal employees, and retirees. Services offered include:

- •Relationship (Couples) Counseling
- Family Counseling
- Children/Teen Counseling
- •Trauma Counseling (includingPTSD)
- •EMDR Therapy (trauma therapy)
- Grief/Loss Counseling
- Anger Management
- Stress Management/Coping Skills Counseling
- •Pre-Marital Counseling
- Pre-Marital Classes
- Divorce Parenting Classes

Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center Marriage & Parenting Classes

Marriage 101 - Wednesday, November 6, 2019

- 9:00 am 3:00 pm
- Required for any couple (both individuals) seeking to be married in a Fort Hood Chapel.
- Meets the requirement of "Twogether in Texas" that entitles participants to receive a discount on their marriage license.
- Child-care and lunch are not provided.
- To register call the Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center (254) 288-1913.
- Training location is Bldg 328, Tank Destroyer Blvd & 31st Street, Fort Hood, TX 76544.

Children in the Middle – Wednesday, November 13, 2019

- 8:00 am 12:00 pm
- Training helps parents going through divorce to better support and care for children.
- Meets the Texas State requirements for divorce.
- Child-care and lunch are not provided.
- To register call the Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center (254) 288-1913.
- Training location is Bldg 328, Tank Destroyer Blvd & 31st Street, Fort Hood, TX 76544.

Marriage 101 - Wednesday, December 4, 2019

- 9:00 am 3:00 pm
- Required for any couple (both individuals) seeking to be married in a Fort Hood Chapel.
- Meets the requirement of "Twogether in Texas" that entitles participants to receive a discount on their marriage license.
- Child-care and lunch are not provided.
- To register call the Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center (254) 288-1913.
- Training location is Bldg 328, Tank Destroyer Blvd & 31st Street, Fort Hood, TX 76544.

Children in the Middle - Wednesday, December 11, 2019

- 8:00 am 12:00 pm
- Training helps parents going through divorce to better support and care for children.
- Meets the Texas State requirements for divorce.
- Child-care and lunch are not provided.
- To register call the Fort Hood Chaplain Family Life Training Center (254) 288-1913.
- Training location is Bldg 328, Tank Destroyer Blvd & 31st Street, Fort Hood, TX 76544.

Inspector General (IG) https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/iii-corps-1

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 thru Thursday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm, Friday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Go to http://www.hood.army.mil/corps.hotline.aspx for more information.

Logistics Readiness Center

https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/Garrison-1/logistics-readiness-center
No update provided

Mission and Installation Contracting Command

No update provided

Network Enterprise Center (NEC) https://home.army.mil/hood/index.php/units-tenants/nec
No update provided

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.

Resiliency Campus

(254) 285-5693

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.

Applied Functional Fitness Center - Normal hours of operation are 5:00 am - 8:00 pm, Monday - Friday. The center will open on Training Holidays, Saturdays and Sundays from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. For more information, call (254) 285-5693 or visit us in Bldg. 12022.

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

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- 67th Street Express: Monday Friday 8:00 am 7:00 pm Saturday - Sunday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Main Exchange Wetzel's Pretzels: Monday Saturday 10:00 am 8:00 pm Sunday 11:00 am - 7:00 pm
- Main Exchange Starbucks: Monday Friday 6:30 am -10:00 pm
- Saturday Sunday 8:00 am 10:00 pm.
- Main Exchange Chipotle; Monday Sunday 10:45 am 10:00 pm
- 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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