



9 AM FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH



LEADERSHIP



INFORMATION



NETWORKING



CONNECTION

SPOUSES AND SERVICE MEMBERS WELCOME!
NO REGISTRATION NEEDED.

OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FORT RUCKER,
ASK QUESTIONS, AND CONNECT WITH LEADERSHIP AND THE COMMUNITY.



NOTES CAN BE FOUND AT [HTTPS://HOME.ARMY.MIL/RUCKER/INDEX.PHP/LINC](https://home.army.mil/rucker/index.php/linc)

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT [HTTPS://RUCKER.ARMYMWR.COM/HAPPENINGS/LINC](https://rucker.armymwr.com/happenings/linc)



AT THE LANDING
INFO: 334-255-3161

**The 9 OCT 26
Newcomer's
Welcome
has been
rescheduled
to **16 OCT 26****



NEWCOMERS WELCOME

9:00 AM-11:30 AM
AT THE LANDING
BUILDING 113, NOVOSEL STREET

MANDATORY FOR ALL
ARRIVING PERMANENT
PARTY PERSONNEL

NO RESERVATIONS
ARE NEEDED TO
ATTEND THE EVENT

THE EVENT IS ALSO OPEN TO:
SPOUSES • FOREIGN STUDENTS
DA CIVILIANS • FAMILY MEMBERS

ENJOY FREE BREAKFAST &
LOCAL BUSINESSES, RESOURCES AND
INFORMATION BOOTHS ON SITE

2026
9 JANUARY
20 FEBRUARY
13 MARCH
10 APRIL
8 MAY
12 JUNE
10 JULY
14 AUGUST
11 SEPTEMBER
9 OCTOBER
13 NOVEMBER
DECEMBER NO EVENT

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE
(334) 255-3161/3735

Fort Rucker MWR

rucker.armymwr.com

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Fort Rucker

PURPLE FRIDAY

Don't forget to wear purple
October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30



24/7 DV HOTLINE
334-379-7947

UNITED
AGAINST
DOMESTIC ABUSE

MILITARY
ONE
SOURCE



DVAM PROCLAMATION & DAY OF UNITY

Oct 01 2026 0900-0910 THE LANDING

Proclamation signing will be held during October's Leadership Information Networking Connection (LINC) meeting. Official Observance of the nationally recognized "Day of Unity".

COUPLES GLOW BOWL

Oct 23 2026 1730-1930 THE FLIGHTLINE BOWLING CENTER

Please join us for a Couples Glow Bowl! Limited to 15 Couples. Please email or call to register.

LET'S CHALK ABOUT DV

Oct 20 2026 0700-1530 INSTALLATION WIDE

Please join the Fort Rucker community in the annual chalk event to raise awareness about Domestic Violence. Head Outside your home, office or school to create encouraging and supportive chalk art for those impacted by domestic violence.

Family Advocacy Program staff and Fort Rucker Garrison Command Team will be touring the installation on Tuesday, October 20th to get photos and see artists in action! Winners will be announced on Thursday, October 22nd.

HOWL-O-WEEN PUP COSTUME PARTY

October 31 2026 0900-1100 CORVIAS BARK PARK

Pets are family too! Join us for our annual Halloween pup costume contest event! Dress up your pups or just come out to see the PAWrade! There will be a 1st, 2nd, 3rd place winner and a biscuit bar for the pups!



ONGOING ACTIVITIES

OCTOBER 01-31

Awareness tables with DVAM Bags will be set up at the following locations PX, Bldg. 5700, Center Library, & Lyster Army Health Clinic while supplies last.

CENTER LIBRARY

Special book totes will be distributed while supplies last while checking out materials at the library.

COMMISSARY

Every Friday during the month of October the Fort Rucker Commissary will be distributing reusable DVAM grocery tote bags. Get yours while supplies last!



ON FRIDAY WE WEAR PURPLE!

For more information please call or email RuckerFAP@gmail.com
Family Advocacy Program 334-255-9636/9644
Domestic Violence Hotline 334-379-7947

LET'S CHALK About Domestic Violence

CHALK ART CONTEST

OCTOBER 20, 2026

"THE MILITARY RESPECTS, SUPPORTS AND DEFENDS VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE"

Chalk Contest Judging October 20 1300-1530

If you are not available during that time frame, please email pictures of your chalk art with information about your Team/Unit etc. to the email listed below

Location: Installation Wide No Entry Fee!

- * We encourage all military personnel & families, programs, child/youth centers and all installation agencies to participate in our annual chalk event to raise awareness about Domestic Abuse in the military community.
- * Winners will be announced in person with the Garrison Command Team on October 22nd from 0900-1100
- * 1st, 2nd, 3rd place prizes in the following categories:
Military, Civilian Staff/Programs, & Child/Youth Programs
- * Chalk is not provided.

No registration deadline. Please email RUCKERFAP@gmail.com to secure your spot in the in-person visit on the day of the event.



#DVAM
#UnitedAgainstDV
#FtRuckerDVAM26



Couples GLOW BOWL

OCTOBER 23RD

5:30-7:30PM

15 SLOTS AVAILABLE!

REGISTRATION IS OPEN UNTIL SLOTS ARE FULL!

Register by calling 334-255-9636/9644 or emailing RuckerFAP@gmail.com

**FREE EVENT
FOR COUPLES!**

**DON'T
FORGET
SOCKS!**

The Flightline
BLDG 9227 Rul Ave
(334) 255-9503



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Howl-o-Ween PUP COSTUME PARTY

OCTOBER 31, 2026

0900-1100

CORVIAS BARK PARK

BRING OUT YOUR PUPS DRESSED IN THEIR BEST
HALLOWEEN COSTUME! FAMILIES
ARE WELCOME TO DRESS UP WITH THEIR PUPS!

CONTEST WILL BEGIN AT 9:30AM
MUST BE PRESENT BY 9:15AM TO BE ENTERED INTO COSTUME CONTEST.

Free Event

Costume Contest

Pup Trick or Treating

Biscuit Bar

PUPS MUST BE ON A LEASH!

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL
RUCKERFAP@GMAIL.COM
OR CALL
334-255-9636/9644/3246



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Takeoff & Taste

•Dinners to Go•

Tired of cooking?
Let us handle dinner!

Enjoy a delicious, hassle-free meal that's ready to go when you are.

•MENU•

OCTOBER 1

*Herb-Roasted Chicken with baby baker potatoes
& a vegetable medley*

OCTOBER 8

*Jaeger Schnitzel with Sauerkraut, German
potato salad, & fresh brötchen*

OCTOBER 15

*Spaghetti Bolognese with Caesar salad & warm
garlic bread*

OCTOBER 22

*Poppy Seed Chicken Casserole and green beans
with onions & a soft roll*

OCTOBER 29

*Orange Chicken with jasmine rice, stir-fry
vegetables, & a egg roll*

•PRICING•

INDIVIDUAL PLATE

\$12.50

FAMILY OF 4

\$48.00

FAMILY OF 6

\$72.00

FAMILY OF 8

\$96.00

How it works

1. **Order** Place your order by Wednesday at noon.
2. **Pick Up** Collect your meal at The Landing on Thursday between 3:00 PM and 5:30 PM.
3. **Enjoy** Your meal can be picked up hot and ready to eat, or cold with simple heating instructions included.

Don't miss out on a delicious and convenient meal. Order yours today!

Call (334) 255-0767 / 0769 / 1386 or email beverley.odonnell.naf@army.mil / rebecca.m.duane.naf@army.mil between 9AM TO 3PM Monday-Friday to reserve your spot!

Orders must be placed by Wednesday at noon!

The Landing
Bldg. 113 Novosel Street





COMMANDERS CUP POINTS
AWARDED TO THE WINNING TEAM

\$200
PER TEAM



KICK BALL

TOURNAMENT
WITH

BOSS
BETTER OPPORTUNITIES
FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS

Register using the
BOSS Link Tree QR
code by Oct. 1st!



4305 Head Hunter St.
Fields 2 & 3
334-255-5455

12

teams of a max of 12 per
team compete for a chance
to win a Fort Rucker Kickball
Championship trophy and
B.O.S.S. shirts for the whole
winning team!

*Concessions will be
available for purchase.*

02 OCT
8am

SAVE THE DATE

The Landing Presents



A TASTING JOURNEY

Through Italy

Join us for a heartwarming, family-style Italian feast paired with delicious wine. Gather around generous, shared platters of authentic dishes and savor the classic flavors of Italy in a warm, communal atmosphere.



October
2nd

Doors open
5pm



Dinner begins
6pm

For ages 21 and over. No refunds available within 72 hours of event.

The Landing
Bldg. 113 Novosel Street



JOIN THE FORT RUCKER SPORTS, FITNESS AND AQUATICS AS WE HONOR
THOSE WHO PAID THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE IN THE BATTLE OF MOGADISHU, SOMALIA AKA OPERATION GOTHIC SERPENT



REGISTER
AT THE MAIN PFC
OR WEBTRAC

\$35 Includes t-shirt, commemorative
coin, Race bib w/ chip

TEAMS

\$240 - Team of 8

Top Team receives a mini banner & medallions.

Same Day Registration Available!

Awards for the top 3 finishers in 11 Age
Categories, Male and Female Divisions.

Top Overall Male/Female,
Grandmaster Male/Female.

START TIME
0800
PACKET PICK UP
0645

**RACE THE RUNWAY AT
LOWE ARMY
HELIPORT**

MOGADISHU MILE 5K



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PHYSICAL FITNESS CENTER
Bldg. 4605, Andrews Ave. (334) 255-2296

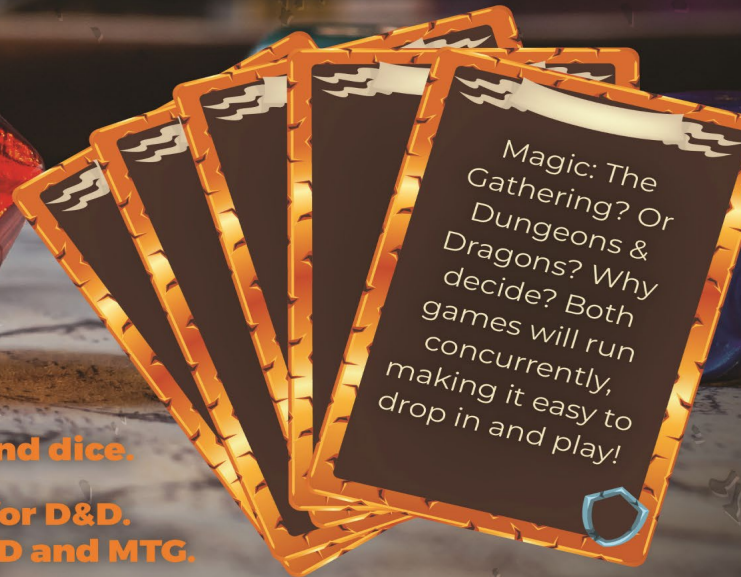


WEBTRAC

THE GAMING GUILD:
MTG & D&D
SATURDAY

OCTOBER 3RD
10:15 AM - 1:45 PM

JOIN US AT THE LIBRARY FOR A DOUBLE
FEATURE OF TABLETOP FUN!



Bring your own cards and dice.

Registration required for D&D.
Ages 13 and up for both D&D and MTG.

CENTER LIBRARY
Bldg. 212, Ruf Ave. (334) 255-3885



Canvas & Campfires

A Lakeside Creative Night

Join us for a magical evening under the stars at Lake Tholocco!
Whether you are ready to paint a masterpiece or simply want to hang out by
the fire with great food and good company, there is something for everyone.

October 8

6-9 pm



**LIMITED
PAINTING
SPOTS
AVAILABLE!**

\$50

Paint a campfire-themed canvas
step-by-step with Katie from

EYE CATCHERS
Artworks

*Watercolor art and ceramic pot
painting options also available.
All art supplies included.*



Scan here to register!

Or call 334-255-4305

REGISTRATION DEADLINE
October 6, 2026

*Note: Participation in the art workshop is not required to attend!
All are welcome to come enjoy the food truck, patio,
and campfire atmosphere.*

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LAKE LODGE BEACH & PATIO
Bldg. 24122, Fort Rucker, Alabama
FOOD TRUCK ONSITE WITH THEMED TREATS

SCAN THE QR CODE TO
ACCESS THE NEW CYS
PARENT HANDBOOK!




UNITED STATES ARMY
CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES

Ellis D. Parker Elementary
= PTA =

FALL FEST

Join us for a spooktacular time!

Thursday,
October 8th
4:30 - 6:00

-  Cake Walk
-  Temporary Tattoo Station
-  Bounce Houses
-  Photo Opportunities
-  Candy
-  Local Food Trucks
(Food for Purchase)

Family-Friendly Event!
Sponsored by
Parker PTA

Costumes encouraged!



SILVER WINGS

GOLF CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

\$114
MEMBERS

\$125
NON MEMBERS
GOLF CART FEE IS EXTRA.
RANGE BALLS, ONE DOOR PRIZE
TICKET, LUNCH EACH DAY, AND
AWARDS INCLUDED.



**Bldg. 20067
Combat Rd.
(334)255-0089**

OCTOBER 09-11, 2026

REGISTER BY OCTOBER 7 AT 1200HRS
SIGN UP AT SILVER WINGS GOLF CLUB PRO SHOP

**54 HOLE INDIVIDUAL
STROKE EVENT**

TEE TIME EACH DAY IS 0900

CONTACT THE PRO SHOP FOR DETAILS
ON THE ROUNDS/FORMAT!

**PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN TO
BOTH GROSS & NET WINNERS!**



Competition is for Club Champion, Senior Club Champion (60 to 69 years old), Super Senior Club Champion (70+ years old), Ladies Club Champion, Senior Ladies Club Champion (60+ years old) and Junior Club Champion (13 to 17 years old). Tees are White for Champion, Gold for Senior Club Champion, Red for Ladies Club Champion and Senior Ladies Club Champion.



ONLY THE BEST

QUARTERLY TOURNAMENT

10 OCTOBER | 2:30PM

TOURNAMENT FORMAT & RULES:

- Each bowler completes in 4 total games with handicap (HDCP).
- HDCP is calculated at 90% of the difference from 220.
- Each bowler automatically drops their lowest individual score.
- Rankings are based on the top 3 remaining scores.
- Final payouts are determined by total pinfall plus handicap.

\$25
per person (cash only)

SIGN UP DAY OF EVENT



2027 DATES:

SATURDAY JANUARY 23 @ 2:30PM

SATURDAY APRIL 10 @ 2:30PM

SATURDAY JULY 24 @ 2:30PM

THE FLIGHTLINE

BLDG. 9227, RUF AVE - (334) 255-9503



6-7 HOUR **Deep Sea** FISHING TRIP

Last Red Snapper for the Season

OCT 11th

Pelican Adventure Private Charter Boat

3:30AM DEPARTURE FROM OUTDOOR RECREATION

18 spaces available

Come join ODR and Pelican Adventures for one of the most top-rated fishing boat experiences. Whether you're new to fishing in Destin, or a seasoned angler, this trip is sure to be a memorable time on the water. All skill levels welcome.

COST:
\$225

**SIGN UP
BY 3PM
OCT 9TH**

ALL SALES FINAL NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN! TRIPS CANCELED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER WILL ALLOW ANGLERS TO CHOOSE A SEAT ON A FUTURE TRIP.

MUST BRING A VALID FORM OF ID.

The price includes:

Transportation, cost of seat on boat, equipment for fishing, & cleaning of your catch. All other activities are paid for by the traveler. We recommend tipping your deck hands at the end of the trip.

Anglers may bring a soft side cooler with Snacks & beverages! Canned Alcohol is permitted but, **NO HARD LIQUOR IS ALLOWED!**

Pelican Adventures office staff is happy to answer any other questions you might have.

If minimum registration isn't met by Outdoor Recreation, anglers will be offered a seat on a future trip or offered a refund.



**SCAN HERE
OR CALL
334-255-4305
TO REGISTER!**

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Bldg. 24235, West Beach, Lake Tholocco, (334) 255-4305



FORT RUCKER



RIGHT ARM NIGHT

4:00 - 6:00 P.M.

Ⓐ BIG MIKE'S

EVERYONE WELCOME

ACTIVE DUTY, RETIREES, RESERVES, AND CIVILIANS



FRIDAY

OCT 16

Join 597th & 164th TAOG
"At the Movies" with some
horror movie trivia!

BIG MIKE'S BAR & GRILL

Bldg. 319, Novosel St. (334) 255-3916

Sponsored by



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OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Monster Bowl

at The Flightline

OCT. 16TH
8-11PM

THANK YOU TO
OUR SPONSOR:

CALL
BOB.com

BOB WOODALL
AIR CARE & PLUMBING

JOIN US FOR UNLIMITED BOWLING
WITH A SPOOKY EXTREME
ATMOSPHERE!

FRANKENSTEIN THE PERFECT
MONSTER IN THE MONSTER
FACTORY GAME AND WIN A PRIZE!

GHOULISH GOODY BAGS FOR
THE FIRST 75 PARTICIPANTS!

SPOOKY THEMED FOOD ITEMS!

COLORLED PINS &
CHILLING PHOTO OPS!

DRESS IN COSTUME TO
SPIN THE PRIZE WHEEL!

RESERVATIONS RECOMMENDED
WALK INS ARE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE!

\$20 PER ADULT
\$15 PER CHILD UNDER 10

THE FLIGHTLINE
BLDG. 9227, RUF AVE | (334) 255-9503

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EFMP storytime

✧ OCTOBER 20

10:15 – 11:00 AM

SENSORY-FRIENDLY
SPACE

INTERACTIVE
STORYTELLING

SOCIAL TIME WITH
OTHER EFMP FAMILIES

COLORING SHEETS
& FIDGETS

PERFECT FOR CHILDREN OF ALL ABILITIES AND AGES!

REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED, SIGN IN SHEET WILL BE
AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT. NO ENTRY FEE.

IF YOU HAVE
ANY QUESTIONS OR
CONCERNS ABOUT THIS
EVENT, PLEASE CALL
334-255-9277/3815



LET'S READ, PLAY, & LEARN TOGETHER!



CENTER LIBRARY, 212 RUF AVE., FORT RUCKER, AL | 334-255-9277

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CENTER LIBRARY, 212 RUF AVE., FORT RUCKER, AL | 334-255-9277



SENSORY PLAYGROUP

22 Oct 2026
0900-1000

LIMITED SPOTS
AVAILABLE

*SOLDIER FAMILY LIFE CENTER
BLDG. 8939 RED CLOUD DR. RM 40
FORT RUCKER, AL 36362*

Call 334-255-3359
or use the QR code
to register.



AGE
24-36
MONTHS



SAVE THE DATE

LAKE THOLOCCO'S

HAUNTED
TRAIL

OCT 23-24



U.S. ARMY



The poster features a background image of a hay bale with several pumpkins (orange and white) and autumn leaves. A large orange semi-circle is at the bottom, containing the event details. Two circular callouts are positioned above the main title: a yellow one on the left for the date and time, and a blue one on the right for the location.

**Friday
Oct 23rd
3pm**
Movie starts at dark


**Corner of
Seventh and
Castle**

Fall Festival Resident Event

**Join us for a movie on the BIG
screen, pumpkin patch, inflatables.
Free food, drinks, and prizes for all
residents.**

**while supplies last*

PROUDLY SUPPORTING
THE U.S. ARMY AVIATION MUSEUM
SINCE 1970



**ARMY
AVIATION
MUSEUM**
FOUNDATION

Museum & Gift Shop Hours

TUESDAY - FRIDAY 10 - 4

SATURDAY 10 - 3

Closed Sundays, Mondays,
& all federal holidays.



TSF OPEN HOUSE & SCALE MODEL SHOW

OCTOBER 24TH - 10AM-2PM





FORT RUCKER
RETIREE
HEALTH
FAIR



FRIDAY, OCT. 30, 2026 | 8AM - 12PM
YANO HALL, BLDG. 6005
FREE ADMISSION



Flu Shots (if available)
Health Screenings • Recreation
Fitness • Physical Therapy • Wellness
Nutrition • Disease Management
MHS GENESIS Patient Portal
Education & Resources • Pharmacy
Local Health Businesses • Community Organizations
MWR Programs • Door prizes + More



Lyster Army Health Clinic | Public Health 334-255-7356 | <https://lyster.tricare.mil/>

WITCHES & Brews



Oct. 30

Halloween
Themed Trivia

Doors open at 4

Trivia will start at 7

Come dressed up and enjoy
a night of spooky trivia!

Big Mike's Bar & Grill
Bldg. 319, Ruf Avenue
334-255-3916



HALLOWEEN HAVOC GLOW BALL TOURNAMENT AT



OCTOBER 31

Register at the Pro Shop by
12:00pm on October 30th

Shotgun Start at 6:30pm

Range balls, Long Drive, Closest to the Hole, and light appetizers before the tournament.

- 4-Person Team Scramble
- 9 holes
- Bring your own team
- Singles will be paired by the Golf Shop
- Prize given for best costume

\$25 Members

\$35 Non-Members

Limited to first 36 Players

Golf cart fee is extra. Annual cart fee holders do not pay extra for cart.



NO MILITARY ID? NO PROBLEM. BE SURE TO GET YOUR VISITOR'S PASS AT THE GATE. A REAL ID COMPLIANT DRIVER'S LICENSE OR A PASSPORT IS REQUIRED FOR POST ACCESS.

SILVER WINGS GOLF COURSE
BLDG. 20067, COMBAT ROAD
334-255-0089



Howl-o-Ween

PUP COSTUME PARTY

OCTOBER 31, 2026

0900-1100

CORVIAS BARK PARK

BRING OUT YOUR PUPS DRESSED IN THEIR BEST
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ARE WELCOME TO DRESS UP WITH THEIR PUPS!

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**UNITED
AGAINST
DOMESTIC ABUSE**



Corvias
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

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MYSTERIES AND MONSTERS

A SCOOPY-DOO
SPOOKTACULAR

OCTOBER
31ST

 MOVIE MARATHON
 GAMES
 CRAFTS
 AND MORE!

 1200 – 1400

 FORT RUCKER PX



EXCHANGE

Healthy Holistic



HALLOWEEN

PET COSTUME PHOTO CONTEST



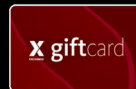
Daisy J., Spangdahlem AB
2025 Grand Prize Winner



Brianna S., Davis-Monthan AFB
2025 Grand Prize Winner



**DRESS YOUR PET IN THEIR FAVORITE HALLOWEEN COSTUME FOR
A CHANCE TO WIN UP TO \$500**



2 GRAND PRIZE WINNERS
RECEIVE A \$500 EXCHANGE
GIFT CARD.

8 RUNNER UP WINNERS
RECEIVE A \$250 EXCHANGE
GIFT CARD.



ENTER OCTOBER 1 - 31, 2026
Visit shopmyexchange.com/sweepstakes
for rules and prize details.

Scan Here
to Enter



FORT RUCKER
YOUTH CENTER
Calendar
FRIDAYS 2026

AUGUST 21

Teen Night Glow Run

SEPTEMBER 18

Youth Mystery Dinner

OCTOBER 30

Fear Factor

NOVEMBER 20

Fall Carnival

DECEMBER 11

Holiday Variety Show

**Must be a registered CYS Member. Members can bring a guest.
All events start at 6:00pm, unless noted otherwise.**

✦ **Making Friends, Having Fun** ✦

Ages 11–18 in grades 6–12th

YOUTH CENTER
Bldg. 2800, 7th Ave., 334-255-2260



Infant Massage Class

FREE

Three week course!

Nov 6
Nov 12
Nov 20

**Each class is from
9 am to 10 am.**



Participants will receive hands on training for Infant massages. Class is open to expecting parents and parents of infants. Participants need to be willing to attend all three sessions.

If you complete all three classes you receive:



A Baby Blanket



Massage Oil



An Infant
Massage Book

Spots are limited so please register by calling 334-255-3359/9647.
Registration will be open until Class is full.

Building 8939



THE LANDING PRESENTS

CASINO Night

21+ ONLY

JOIN US FOR A HIGH-ROLLING
CASINO NIGHT FILLED WITH
STYLE, SUSPENSE, AND STAKES!

\$40 per person

Your entry ticket includes:

- One Signature Drink -
- Delicious Hors d'oeuvres -
- \$300 in "Funny Money" -

Down on your luck? Additional "funny money" will be available for purchase!

Prizes for winners!

**Come dressed for a
glamorous spy theme!**

(Think James Bond, Vesper, Moneypenny, or Le Chiffre)

**Dress code encouraged, but not required.*

THE LANDING | BLDG. 113 NOVOSEL STREET



Does not imply Federal endorsement

November 13th

6:00-9:00PM
DOORS OPEN AT 5PM

Tickets sold
at either
Joey's Brew,
Leisure
Travel and
on Webtrac.



2026 YOUTH SPORTS CALENDAR

SPRING	REGISTRATION DATE	SEASON	COST	AGE
Start Smart Soccer	December 15 - January 23	Feb. 9 -25 (6 sessions)	\$35	2-3
Mini Soccer	December 15 - January 23	February - March	\$40	3-4
Soccer	December 15 - January 23	February - March	\$50	5-12
Track & Field	January 5- February 13	March - May	\$50	7-14
T-ball	January 5- February 13	March - May	\$50	5-6
Baseball	January 5- February 13	March - May	\$50	7-12
Softball	January 5- February 13	March - May	\$50	9-15
Start Smart Baseball	February 2 - 27	Mar 9 - 25 (6 sessions)	\$35	3-4
Start Smart Golf	March 2-27	Apr 6 - 22 (6 sessions)	\$35	3-5

SUMMER	REGISTRATION DATE	SEASON	COST	AGE
Cornhole	May 4 - 29	June - July	\$50	5-18
Volleyball Camp	May 4 - 29	June 8 - 11	\$30	6-14
Basketball Camp	May 4 - 29	June 22 - 25	\$30	5-12
Brazilian Soccer Camp	April 1 - May 29	June 8 - 12	CALL	4-14
Start Smart Football	June 1 - 30	July 13-29 (6 sessions)	\$35	5-6

FALL	REGISTRATION DATE	SEASON	COST	AGE
Mini Soccer	June 15 - July 31	August - October	\$40	3-4
Soccer	June 15 - July 31	August - October	\$50	5-14
Flag Football	June 15 - July 31	August - November	\$50	7-12
Ready, Set, Run	July 6 - 31	August - November	\$50	8-13
Start Smart Soccer	July 6 - 31	Aug.10-26 (6 sessions)	\$35	2 - 3
Volleyball	August 3 - 28	September - November	\$50	8-12

WINTER	REGISTRATION DATE	SEASON	COST	AGE
Start Smart Basketball	September 1 - 30	Oct 13 - 28 (6 sessions)	\$35	3-5
Basketball	Sept. 14 - Oct. 30	November - February	\$50	5-14

ALL DATES ARE APPROXIMATE. THEY ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
A CYS MEMBERSHIP AND A SPORTS PHYSICAL ARE REQUIRED FOR PARTICIPATION.
VOLUNTEER COACHES ARE NEEDED. IF INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT THE YOUTH SPORTS OFFICE.

FORT RUCKER YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS
BLDG. 8950 7TH AVE. FORT RUCKER, AL 36362
334-255-2254/ 9105/ 0950





BIG MIKE'S GRIDIRON CHALLENGE

STARTING
SEPT. 10TH

SCAN THE QR
CODE FOR
MORE DETAILS.



18 Weeks. Pure Football.
Zero Cost to Play.



THE CHALLENGE

Showcase your football expertise every single week of the NFL season! Predict the Sunday and Monday game winners and claim your bragging rights.

HOW TO PLAY

Grab your physical GC Pro Pick entry form at Big Mike's from Thursday to Saturday during normal business hours.

THE PAYOFF

Weekly Winners are announced every Thursday. The ultimate GC Champion will be crowned live at our massive Super Bowl Party on February 14, 2027!

PLAYBOOK RULES

Completed forms must be submitted to Big Mike's by 11pm on Saturday, prior to the Sunday and Monday NFL games. Only one entry form per person, per week.

BIG MIKE'S BAR & GRILL
BLDG. 319, RUF AVENUE / 334-255-3916



Salad Wednesdays!

**\$2.00
OFF**

Any salad at participating Exchange restaurants.
(valued at \$4 or more.)

PLUS
TAKE AN EXTRA
10% OFF

YOUR ENTIRE FOOD PURCHASE AT
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WITH MILITARY STAR.





TOYLAND

Grand Opening

ENJOY

**DISCOUNTS ON TOYS • CRAFTS •
HOME DEPOT GINGERBREAD ORNAMENT MAKING •
GAMES • AND MORE!**

FROM 1600 - 1800

at the PX

FORT RUCKER MAIN EXCHANGE





PART DAY PRESCHOOL

LEARN. PLAY. GROW. TOGETHER



FLEXIBLE OPTIONS

Choose what works best for your family:

- 2-Days a Week
- 3-Days a Week
- 5-Days a Week



TIME

8:00 AM - 11:00 AM



WHO CAN JOIN?

Children 3-5 years of age who are fully potty trained.



HANDS-ON LEARNING

We foster cognitive development and creative expression through play-based activities, guided instruction, and structured routines.



NUTRITIOUS SNACK

We serve a healthy, well-planned snack every day.



REGISTRATION BEGINS

JUNE 1ST



FIRST DAY OF PART DAY

AUGUST 17TH



OPEN HOUSE

AUGUST 14TH
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

A GREAT START FOR A
LIFETIME OF LEARNING!



SCHOOL AGE CENTER | BLDG. 2806, 7TH AVE, 334-255-9108/2754

FORT RUCKER



RIGHT ARM NIGHT

4:00 - 6:00 P.M.

(A) BIG MIKE'S

EVERYONE WELCOME

ACTIVE DUTY, RETIREES, RESERVES, AND CIVILIANS

JOIN US AT BIG MIKE'S
FOR A NIGHT
OF CAMARADERIE &
ESPRIT DE CORPS.

FREE APPETIZER BUFFET
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FRIDAY

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Expecting a baby? Have a baby or child under the age of three?

Fort Rucker has a home visiting program that provides education and support to new families through home visiting services provided by Licensed Nurses.

- ✓ New Parent Support and Education
- ✓ Home Safety Education
- ✓ Community Referrals
- ✓ Classes
- ✓ Social Support
- ☎ 334-255-3359/9647
- 📍 Building 132 6th Ave Fort Rucker





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 Fort Rucker CYS
Fort Rucker MWR
rucker.armymwr.com

Get Ahead. Get Skilled. Get Hired.



Military spouses: Wherever you are on your career journey, the SpouseWorks (formerly SECO) program is ready with a roster of resources that can help you build the necessary skills to further your career, get trusted career advice and find a job. Check out all these services and support.



Grow skills.

Build your expertise and skills with training, education and professional development through:

- SpouseWorks Scholarship (formerly MyCAA)
- Udemy online courses and learning paths
- SpouseWorks Scholarship Finder



Get career advice.

Connect with a career coach for help navigating your path through:

- On-demand resume review
- 1:1 career coaching
- Tailored coaching packages
- Career assessments
- Video mock interviews



Find a job.

Discover career opportunities that fit your experience and your military life through:

- Military Spouse Employer Partnership
- SpouseWorks job board
- SpouseWorks Fellowship (formerly Career Accelerator)
- Job Search Navigator
- FlexJobs



Ready to take the next step?

Scan to schedule time with a career coach.
SpouseWorks.mil/contact-us



Check-in on your friends!

**UNITED
AGAINST
DOMESTIC ABUSE**

- 1. Ask & Connect**
- 2. Stay in Touch**
- 3. Support & believe**
- 4. Chat about options**
- 5. Share the hotline**

Fort Rucker 24/7 Domestic Violence Hotline 334-379-7947

EXCHANGE
**YOU MADE
the
GRADE**

you get the REWARDS!



EXCHANGE

\$20 REWARDS!

Straight **A** students



EXCHANGE

\$10 REWARDS!

Average **B** students

ENTER FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A
\$2,000, \$1,500 OR \$500 REWARDS! GIFT CARD!

See an Associate for details and entry forms.





..... Season Begins July 17

SEASON FINAL IS APRIL 16, 2027

SINGLES FORMAT - 4 GAMES

THE FLIGHTLINE
9227 RUF AVE, FORT RUCKER, AL
334-255-9503



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LOCAL PX, @FORTRUCKEREXCHANGE**



ARMY & AIR FORCE
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DVAM PROCLAMATION & DAY OF UNITY

Oct 01 2026 0900-0910 THE LANDING

Proclamation signing will be held during October's Leadership Information Networking Connection (LINC) meeting. Official Observance of the nationally recognized "Day of Unity".

COUPLES GLOW BOWL

Oct 23 2026 1730-1930 THE FLIGHTLINE BOWLING CENTER

Please join us for a Couples Glow Bowl!

Limited to 15 Couples. Please email or call to register.

LET'S CHALK ABOUT DV

Oct 20 2026 0700-1530 INSTALLATION WIDE

Please join the Fort Rucker community in the annual chalk event to raise awareness about Domestic Violence. Head Outside your home, office or school to create encouraging and supportive chalk art for those impacted by domestic violence.

Family Advocacy Program staff and Fort Rucker Garrison Command Team will be touring the installation on Tuesday, October 20th to get photos and see artists in action! Winners will be announced on Thursday, October 22nd.

HOWL-O-WEEN PUP COSTUME PARTY

October 31 2026 0900-1100 CORVIAS BARK PARK

Pets are family too! Join us for our annual Halloween pup costume contest event! Dress up your pups or just come out to see the PAWrade! There will be a 1st, 2nd, 3rd place winner and a biscuit bar for the pups!



ONGOING ACTIVITIES

OCTOBER 01-31

Awareness tables with DVAM Bags will be set up at the following locations PX, Bldg. 5700, Center Library, & Lyster Army Health Clinic while supplies last.

CENTER LIBRARY

Special book totes will be distributed while supplies last while checking out materials at the library.

COMMISSARY

Every Friday during the month of October the Fort Rucker Commissary will be distributing reusable DVAM grocery tote bags. Get yours while supplies last!



ON FRIDAY WE WEAR PURPLE!

For more information please call or email
RuckerFAP@gmail.com
Family Advocacy Program 334-255-9636/9644
Domestic Violence Hotline 334-379-7947



The Power of Music



- SEP 17TH
- OCT 15TH
- NOV 19TH
- DEC 17TH

10-11am

**SOLDIER FAMILY LIFE CENTER
BUILDING 8939
RED CLOUD ROAD**

JOIN US AS WE DISCUSS THE MANY BENEFITS
OF MUSIC AND HOW TO INCORPORATE MUSIC
INTO OUR DAILY ROUTINES WITH YOUR
CHILDREN.

ALWAYS FREE !

ALWAYS FUN !

ALWAYS EMPOWERING!

TO PRE REGISTER PLEASE CALL ACS FAP NPSP
AT 335.255.9647/3359



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Parent Programs

NEW PARENT SUPPORT PROGRAM
8946 Seventh Avenue
(334) 255-9647



EFMP RESPITE CARE: ESSENTIAL RELIEF FOR FAMILIES

STRENGTHENING FAMILY RESILIENCE AND SUPPORTING SOLDIER READINESS.

What is Respite Care?

Respite care offers a temporary, essential break for primary caregivers who support a loved one with medical needs requiring frequent, hands-on care.

Eligibility & Approval

- Prerequisite: Your family must be enrolled in the Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP).
- Decision Maker: Eligibility is determined solely by the Office of the Surgeon General (OTSG).
- The Process: OTSG conducts a medical review of the information already documented in your E-EFMP records. Each packet is reviewed individually based on available documentation.

Simplified Renewals!

Once approved, families no longer have to reapply for respite care every year! Your respite care services will remain active until your current EFMP enrollment expires.

To maintain eligibility and keep your overall EFMP active, you must:

- Update your enrollment anytime your family member has a change in care needs.
- Add new evaluations, diagnoses, or medical documentation as soon as they are available.
- Submit all updates through the Enterprise website: efmp.army.mil

We Are Here to Help

Your Army Community Service (ACS) team is ready to guide you through the process! While ACS cannot influence or change OTSG's eligibility decisions, our System Navigators will help you explore alternative community resources if you do not qualify for respite care—ensuring you never navigate the system alone.

Contact Us Today to Start the Process & For Personalized Guidance:

- ACS EFMP Coordinator:
(334) 255-9277
- Camp Bull Simons
(Eglin/Pensacola):
(850) 885-7915

Examples of Qualifying Needs:

Mobility-related challenges,
Feeding tube dependence,
Certain seizure disorders, or
Other diagnoses requiring
ongoing caregiver
involvement





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Fort Rucker MWR Events

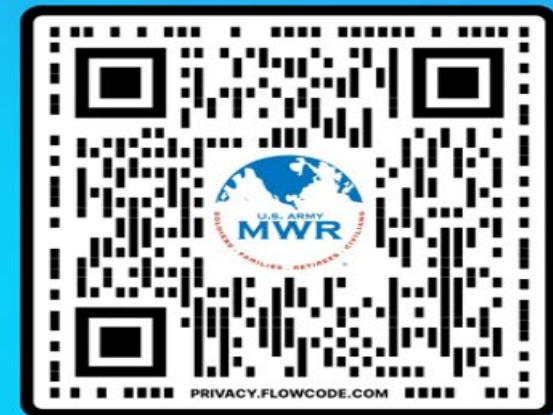
Where the fun begins!

STAY CONNECTED WITH US!



Scan the here to access...

- **FORT RUCKER SOCIAL MEDIA**
- **BIWEEKLY NEWSLETTER**
- **MWR WEBSITE AND MORE!**



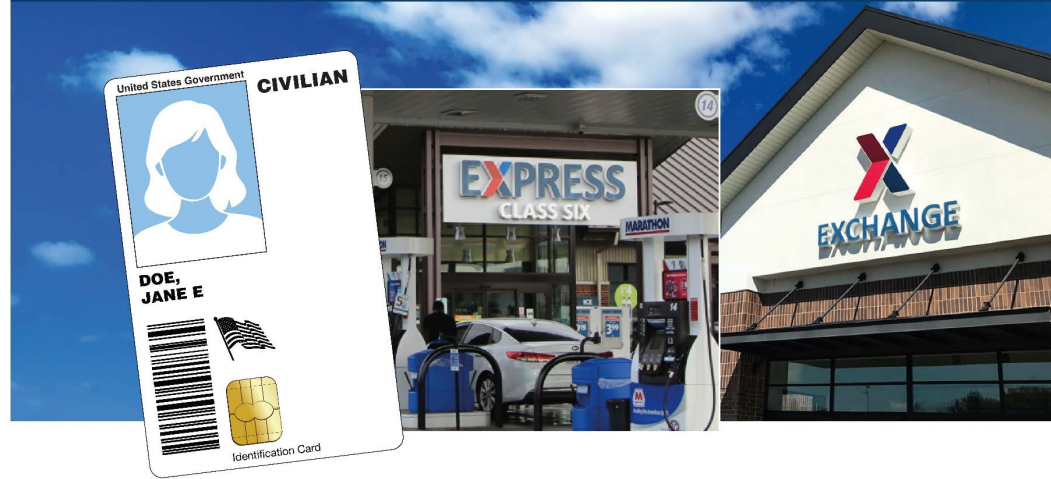
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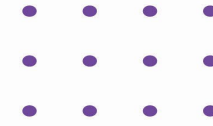
Shopping access excludes military uniforms.



EXCHANGE

The Exchange is a Department of War Organization

April 22
August 19
November 18



SFRG TRAINING

0900-1200

The SFRG incorporates unit personnel, their family members, volunteers, and single soldiers into an integrated communication, information, and support network.



Training Objectives:

- 1 Defining Soldier and Family Readiness
- 2 Identify Steps to Getting Started
- 3 List Required Documents
- 4 Outline SFRG Roles and Responsibilities
- 5 List Resources and Tools

Soldier Family Readiness Group (SFRG) Training will consist of Leadership / Commander Training, Command Family Readiness Representative Training, & Independent Funds Custodian Training.

Limited slots available!
Email Sheila Rollan at
sheila.k.rollan.civ@army.mil to RSVP.

334-255-2887
Building 5700, Suite 350



Fort Rucker PLAYGROUPS

LOCATION UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
YOUTH CENTER

BLDG 2800, 7TH AVE.

Playgroup is for children and their caregivers. Playgroup provides activities that enhance parent-child interactions, peer socialization, and stimulate child growth and development. Registration is Required.

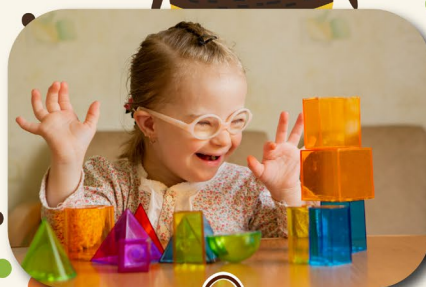
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**WIGGLE
WORMS**

0-12mos

Tuesday 0845-0935



12mos- 2years

**BUSY
BEES**

Tuesday 0945-1035



**JUMPING
JUNE BUGS**

2-3years

Tuesday 1045-1135



CENTER LIBRARY IS PLEASED TO BRING YOU

For info call
334-255-3885

3rd Wednesday
of each month

BOOKS & BREWS

MONTHLY BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

Meet new people, engage in meaningful discussions, partake in delicious food, and have a chance to win fantastic door prizes! Each meeting we also offer a custom cocktail themed to that month's book selection; however, no purchase is necessary to take part in Books & Brews Book Club!

Copies of the book can be picked up at Center Library 3-4 weeks before the meeting. You must be a library account holder to obtain a copy of the book.



6:30PM

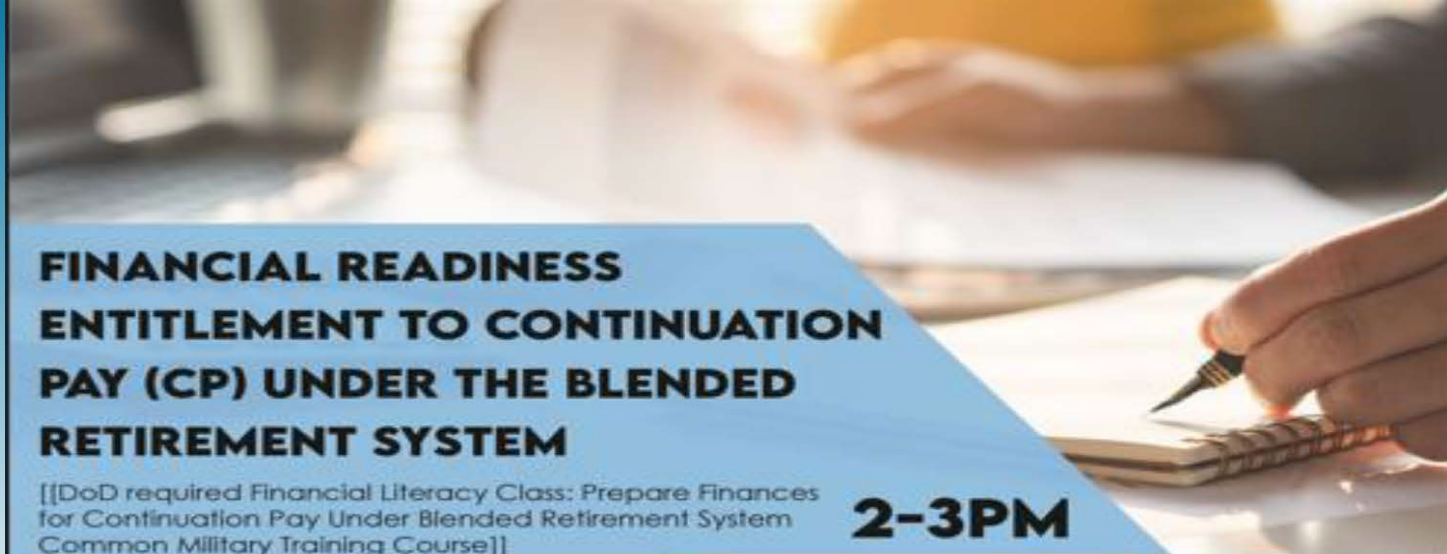
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Fulfills Financial Readiness Entitlement to Continuation Pay under the Blended Retirement System Touchpoint Common Military Training for Soldiers requirement, with successful upload of certificate to Soldier's Digital Training Management System (DTMS) record.

Each calendar year, the Army determines and publishes payrate multipliers and service obligation requirements, are you in the window? Call the Financial Readiness Program for more information on the present year's guidance. Unit training is available upon request.



Online course available through
Army Family Web Portal
Financial Readiness Touchpoints

SPACE IS LIMITED. WALK-INS WELCOME PER SPACE AVAILABILITY.

CONTACT

BLDG. 5700, ROOM 350
ACS ACCREDITED FINANCIAL COUNSELOR



RESERVE A SPOT
334-255-3765/9631





**BETTER OPPORTUNITIES
FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS**



SCAN FOR MORE INFO!

BOSS Building, Bldg. 8350



2026 MONTHLY BOSS MEETINGS

**First Thursday
of the month
from 1400-1500**



**BETTER OPPORTUNITIES
FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS**

**Take part and have
your voice heard!**
Receive information pertaining
to the BOSS Program.

**For more information
contact 719-433-9957**

March 5

April 2

May 7

June 4

July 2

August 6

September 3

October 1

November 5

December 3

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TRIVIA

Tuesday

Second & Fourth Tuesday of every month!
Good Times, Food & Giveaways!

2026

January 13 & 27
February 10 & 24
March 10 & 24
April 14 & 28
May 12 & 26
June 9 & 23

July 14 & 28
August 11 & 25
September 8 & 22
October 13 & 27
November 10 & 24
December 8

AT BIG MIKE'S || 6 PM - 8 PM

»» 334-255-3917



MUG CLUB

AT BIG MIKE'S



\$30

plus additional
membership fee

Membership fee depends on location of
mug. Offered locations are displayed at
Big Mike's, cold in the cooler, or to go if
you know you won't be here for long.

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COME JOIN THE FLIGHTLINE FOR

2026



STARS & STRIKES

50¢ GAME PER PERSON
50¢ PER SHOE RENTAL

REGULAR PRICING APPLIES TO OTHER MENU ITEMS

SPEND YOUR EXTRA DAY OFF WITH FRIENDS!



JANUARY 19

FEBRUARY 16

MAY 25

JUNE 19

JULY 3

SEPTEMBER 7

OCTOBER 12

NOVEMBER 11



THE FLIGHTLINE

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Scan Here

Army Family Child Care (FCC)

We are looking for providers!

Benefits:



\$1,000 recruitment and relocation bonus.



Paid training.



Opportunities to increase your income with training & education business that moves when you move.



Stay at home with your children & earn an income at the same time.



Expedited background check clearance process.

Some benefits may not be available in all areas. Please contact your local FCC provider for more information.

(334) 255-1769

<https://navoel.armymwr.com/programs/family-child-care>

For ages
2-4

Fort Rucker
Child & Youth Services

Hourly Childcare Spaces Available!

At the Child Development Center
12:00pm-4:00pm

Must be CYS Registered to use this service.

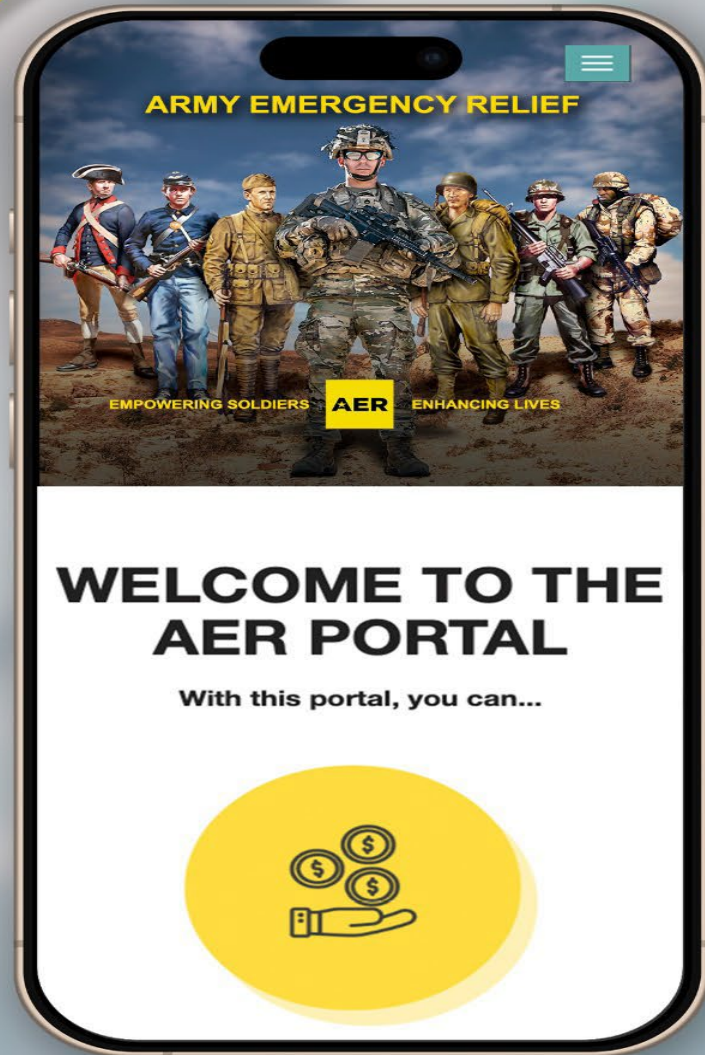
Contact Parent Central Services at 334-255-9638 for more information
and to learn what documents you will need to complete your registration.

Begin Registration at webtrac.mwr.army.mil



Child Development Center
Building 8938, Red Cloud Road
334-255-2262/3564

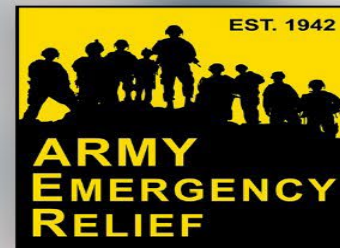
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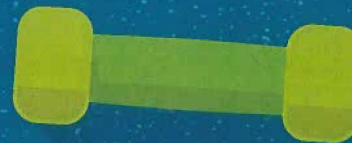
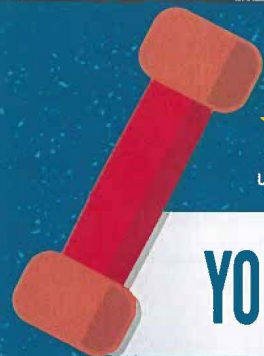
Accessible Financial Support **AER's Online Application**

- ★ Request financial assistance*
- ★ Increased worldwide accessibility
- ★ Expedited delivery of funds

**Scan QR Code
to get started**



***All cases based on need**



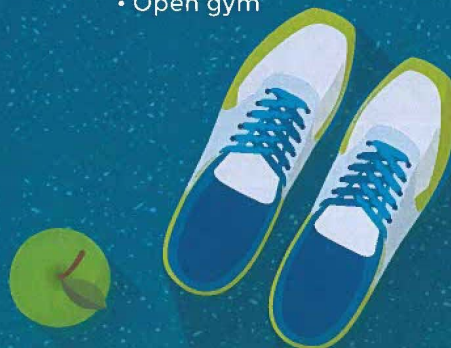
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 Novosel CYS
Fort Novosel MWR
novosel.armymwr.com



DOMESTIC ABUSE: TWO REPORTING OPTIONS

If your partner's actions make you feel unsafe — whether they occur online or in person — you can make a report to get help.



RESTRICTED REPORTING PRESERVES PRIVACY & LIMITS WHO'S INVOLVED

- Only consider this option when there is no immediate risk of physical danger.
- Restricted reports can be made to:
 - A health care provider
 - A Family Advocacy Program Clinician
 - Domestic Abuse Victim Advocate
- Confidential – law enforcement is not involved.
- Command is not involved.
- Full access to services including medical care, counseling and help from a victim advocate **while maintaining your privacy.**

REPORTS TO OTHER ENTITIES ARE NOT RESTRICTED AND MAY TRIGGER COMMAND OR LAW ENFORCEMENT INVOLVEMENT.



UNRESTRICTED REPORTING COMMAND & LAW ENFORCEMENT INVOLVED

- If you are in immediate danger, call 911.
- Unrestricted reports can be made to:
 - Command
 - Military law enforcement
 - Family Advocacy Program
- Non-confidential – military law enforcement will investigate and contact the alleged offender.
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ALL REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE ARE UNRESTRICTED AND WILL BE INVESTIGATED.

MOBILIZE HELP FOR SAFER RELATIONSHIPS



To speak to a credentialed advocate about options please call:
Fort Rucker 24/7 Domestic Abuse Hotline at 334-379-7947
Or call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800-799-7233 | www.thehotline.org

Boys and Girls ages 11-17

Scout Motto: Be Prepared.

- Character Development
- Citizenship Training
- Leadership
- Mental and Physical Training



A Scout is...

Cheerful
Clean Loyal Helpful
Brave Kind Trustworthy
Reverent
Courteous Obedient
Friendly Thrifty



Committee Chair: Randy James
(254) 423-3110 or
hikingturtle50@gmail.com
Scoutmaster: Lin James (254) 423-3111



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Domestic Abuse Victim Advocacy Program

The Domestic Abuse Victim Advocates (DAVA) are trained and credentialed professionals who provide non-clinical services and support to Soldiers, Family members, and intimate partners experiencing domestic abuse.

Call 1-334-379-7947 to speak to an advocate about your options and services they can provide.



- Provide crisis intervention and support 24/7/365
- Talk with you about safety and develop a plan for emergencies
- Help file restricted and unrestricted reports, can offer confidentiality with some exceptions
- Assist in obtaining protective orders if requested
- Accompany you throughout the medical, investigative, and legal processes if requested
- Offer information and referral to medical, legal, counseling, and other resources you may need





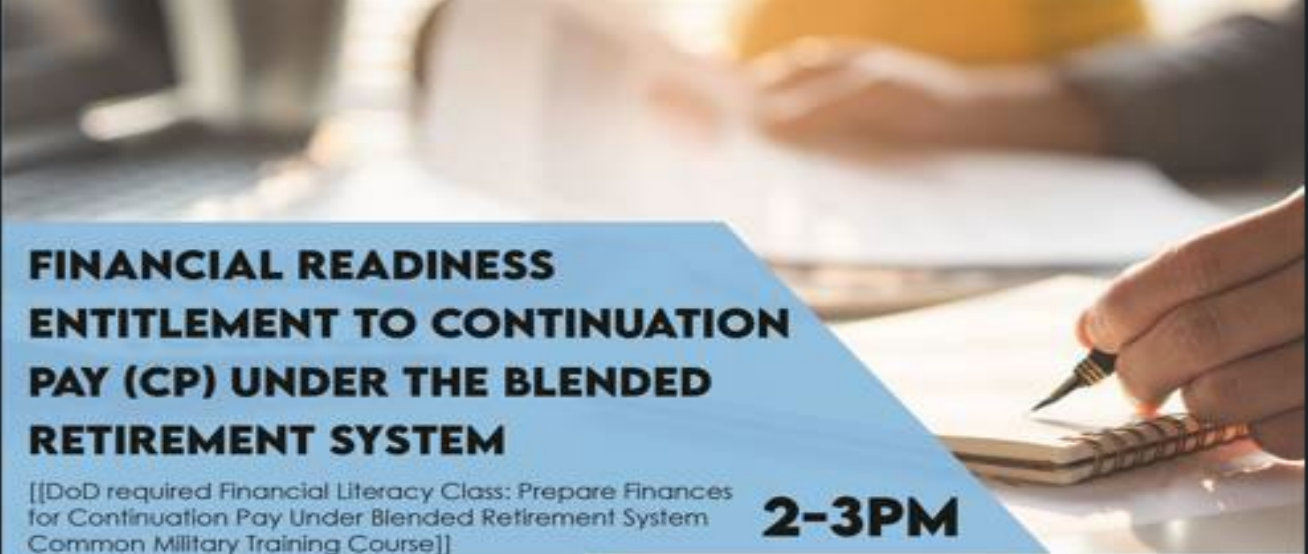
AT THE ARTS & CRAFTS CENTER

**LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER IN A CREATIVE
ENVIRONMENT? NEEDING TO EARN
VOLUNTEER HOURS? THE ARTS & CRAFTS
CENTER IS THE PLACE TO BE!**

TUESDAY - FRIDAY: 0900-1600

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Fulfills Financial Readiness Entitlement to Continuation Pay under the Blended Retirement System Touchpoint Common Military Training for Soldiers requirement, with successful upload of certificate to Soldier's Digital Training Management System (DTMS) record.

Each calendar year, the Army determines and publishes payrate multipliers and service obligation requirements, are you in the window? Call the Financial Readiness Program for more information on the present year's guidance. Unit training is available upon request.



Online course available through
Army Family Web Portal
Financial Readiness Touchpoints

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CONTACT

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SchoolQuest is an interactive, tool, specially designed to support highly mobile military-connected parents & students, and making the best choices for your student before, during, and after a move increases the chances of improving their academic success and social well-being.

"SchoolQuest has been a game changer for our family. As a parent, I have never had anything like this that puts everything in one location online to help our kids when we PCS."
- Military parent stationed overseas

"I am so glad we registered for SchoolQuest! The reminders are a huge help and provided a great resource to keep us on pace for graduation and college."
- Parent of a high school student

MCEC SchoolQuest™



SchoolQuest Can Solve Your Most Frustrating Problems Related to Changing Schools

ACADEMIC TRACKER - Monitor and plan your student's academic career progress from 6th to 12th grade.

STUDENT PROFILE - Customize student profiles and automatically compile important details and deadlines for quick review and access.

REMINDERS & NOTIFICATIONS - Automated reminders and notifications from *SchoolQuest* to help track your student's progress.

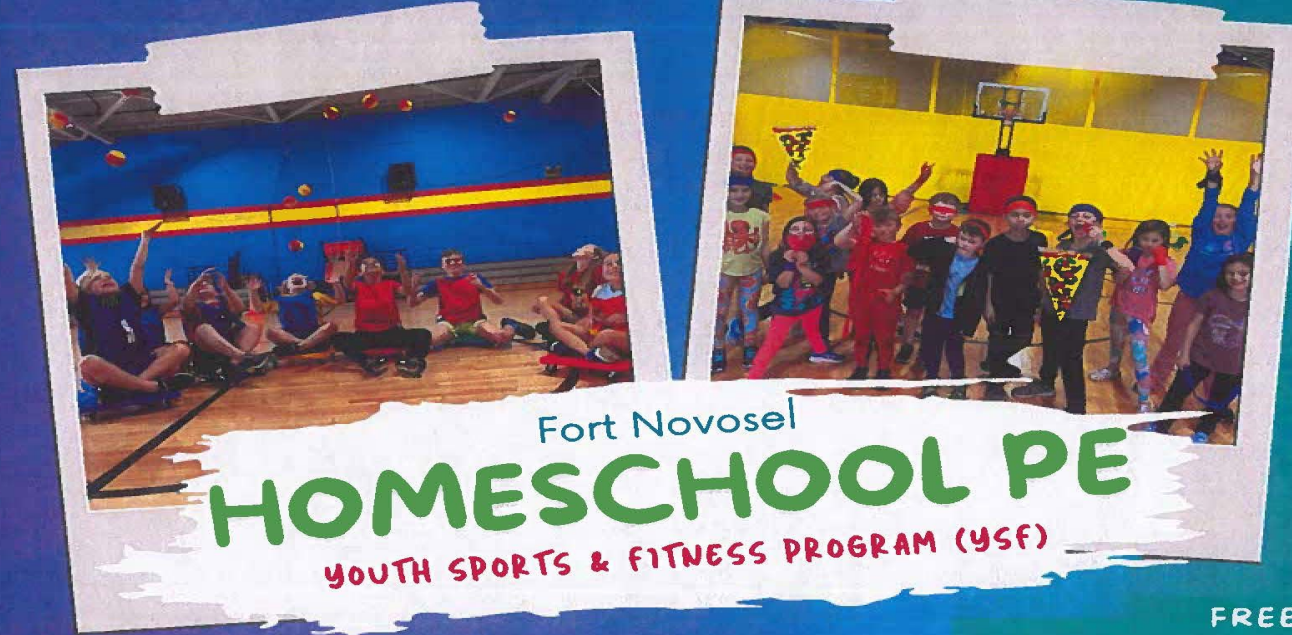
PERSONALIZED END-TO-END CHECKLISTS - Time-bound, critical information compiled in accessible lists.

SCHOOL SEARCH CAPABILITIES - The school search function allows users to research schools in the next community prior to a move and make notes in each student's profile.

For more information, contact MCEC Parent Programs at (254) 953-1923 x 1142 or Parents@militarychild.org. Get up to date information on our website at MilitaryChild.org/audience/parents.



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Must be a CYS Member

Ages 6 - 18



Creative Fitness

We are MORE than just standard sports and exercise. Our program is packed with FUN unique activities made to get kids engaged and moving!



Collaborative Play

Our activities involve critical thinking, communication, building trust through teamwork, socialization, and thinking outside-the-box.

Collaborative Play the YSF way cultivates a sense of belonging.

We guide our kids to work together to achieve common goals, build essential life skills, and foster their imagination!



Positive Environment

Our energetic staff engages children and supports positive social skills and strengthens problem-solving abilities in an inclusive environment.

Join Now

with Parent Central Services (PCS)



Sign Up with PCS
 334-255-9650 / 9101 / 2447



PE Location: School Age Center (SAC)
 BLDG. 2806 22 Baker St.



About YSF
 334-255-2254 / 9105 / 0950

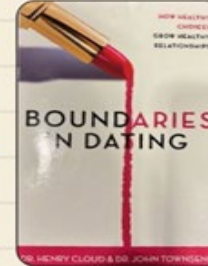
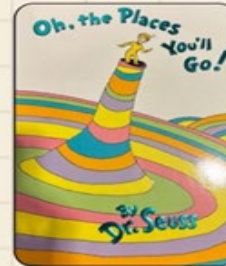
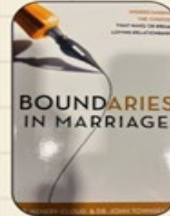
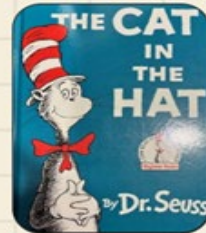


FREE RESOURCE LIBRARY

Monday-Friday

7:30am-4:15pm

This is a free
Resource for
anyone to receive
educational, fun
books for FREE!



● For more info: (334) 255-3898 ●

TWO LOCATIONS

Building 5700

3rd Floor, Suite 350

Building 8939

Soldier Family Life Center
ACS Area in the Hallway



CLOSED HOLIDAYS OR FOR TRAINING

Serving The Children of Those Who Serve Us All

Who Are We?

MCEC is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization that solely exists to help the military-connected child thrive in the face of transition and separation.

Our Mission

MCEC supports all military-connected children by educating, advocating, and collaborating to resolve education challenges associated with the military lifestyle.

Our Vision

Every military-connected child is college-, work-, and life-ready.

Our Community

MCEC is a professional coalition with a diverse community consisting of public school districts, private schools, colleges, universities, small businesses and corporations, nonprofit organizations, military commands and installations, military families, and caring individuals from local communities across our Nation.



Our Work

The Military Child Education Coalition® (MCEC®) delivers programs, services, and professional development to meet the needs of military-connected students, parents, and professionals.

Our Programs



MCEC believes that enabling students to thrive and succeed in our education system by providing them the tools necessary to become college-, work-, and life-ready, is of the highest importance. *Student 2 Student®* programs at the elementary, middle, and high school levels bring military and civilian children together to welcome new students, support academic excellence, and ease transitions as students pass in or out of schools.



MCEC empowers parents to become informed, proactive supporters, allowing them to make a positive impact in the needs of their children. *Parent to Parent™* provides informative and interactive parent workshops to groups and organizations in the local community that address academic, social, and emotional issues associated with a military family lifestyle.



MCEC values the importance of professionals possessing the knowledge necessary to identify and respond to complex needs of military-connected children. Across disciplines, such as education, healthcare, childcare, and business, MCEC trains professionals to address the unique challenges facing our military-connected children. All training is grounded in research and presented by highly skilled instructors.



**All resources a no-cost
and exclusively help find
jobs for those in our
military and veteran
communities.**

By registering today, you will receive one-on-one assistance in:

- Personal Assessment of Skills and Qualifications
- Customized Career Planning
- Resume Assessment & Development
- Targeted LinkedIn Profiles
- Job Search & Networking
- Job Readiness, Industry Skills, & Certification Training
- Coaching and Mentorship
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**Transitioning
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& veterans
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www.militaryspousejobs.org

EDUCATIONAL TALENT SEARCH

Enterprise State Community College

GOALS

- #1 SECONDARY SCHOOL PERSISTENCE & GRADUATION
- #2 RIGOROUS SECONDARY SCHOOL PROGRAM OF STUDY
- #3 POST SECONDARY EDUCATION ENROLLMENT & DEGREE ATTAINMENT

The Educational Talent Search program is available to students in grades 8-12 attending any of the schools listed below:

- Daleville High/Middle School
- Enterprise High School
- Elba High School
- Geneva County High School
- Geneva High/Middle School
- New Brockton High School
- Samson High School
- Zion Chapel High School



Services

- Academic Goal Setting
- Study Skills Workshops
- Tutoring
- High School Planning Session
- Assistance with Course Selection
- Internet & Social Media Safety
- Career Interest Inventory
- Healthy Relationship Building
- Financial Literacy Workshop
- STEM Day at Area Colleges & Universities
- College Campus Tours
- ACT Preparation
- Early Registration for Area Colleges
- Introduction to STARS Guide
- Scholarship Assistance
- FAFSA Workshops
- Summer Camps
- Mentoring
- Enrichment & Cultural Travel

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are FREE to
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TALENT SEARCH



HEARTS APART PROGRAM

The Hearts Apart Program assists family members during prolonged separation by offering activities and connection opportunities. Spouses and family members can voice their concerns, feelings, and share with others who understand.

**Hearts Apart appointments are on demand
call today to speak with an ACS Specialist!**

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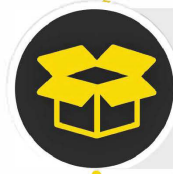
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PCS HOUSING

ASSISTANCE



ARE YOU ABOUT TO PCS?

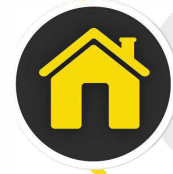
AER can help **Active Duty Soldiers, Active Guard and Reserve Soldiers***, and their **Families**, with **zero-interest loans, grants, or a combination of both.**

*Title 10 orders for at least 31 consecutive days. Exceptions may apply. Talk to your nearest Military Aid Office.

AER CAN HELP

AER can help with expenses **before, during and after a PCS**, with initial rent and deposit for the primary residence. Soldiers PCSing submit their request at their next duty station.

Talk to your nearest AER officer to learn more.



HOW TO APPLY

3 ways to received assistance from AER:

1. Talk to your Chain of Command
2. Visit your nearest AER office at
Fort Rucker: **334-255-2341; Building 5700 Room 350**
3. Submit an application online at www.armyemergencyrelief.org

SCAN ME
FOR MORE
INFORMATION



DETAILS ABOUT HOUSING ASSISTANCE

- AER may provide assistance and relieve distress on Soldiers and Families for “out-of-pocket” housing expenses during a Permanent Change of Station (PCS)
- **Initial Rent:** Initial rent assistance for Active-Duty Soldiers during Permanent Change of Station will be provided as a 50% Loan / 50% Grant.
- **Security Deposit:** Active-Duty Soldiers depository on rent (security deposit) during PCS, and initial rent and deposit requests NOT associated with PCS may be considered as a loan, grant, or combination of both.

For more information visit
ARMYEMERGENCYRELIEF.ORG



AER



On Demand Financial Education Opportunities

Soldiers and Units may request specific
on-demand classes / appointments provided by
an ACS Accredited Financial Counselor (AFC)

(334) 255-9631 / 3765

Who We Are?

The Financial Readiness Program staff provides comprehensive financial education and resources to promote financial well-being, prevent and alleviate financial hardship, and promote financial self-sufficiency. Soldiers and Family members benefit from managing their financial affairs, enhancing critical thinking, fostering self-sufficiency, and maintaining unit readiness.

What We Do?

**SCAN ME
to Access the
Fort Rucker
Financial Readiness
Program (FRP)**



Our Services

- Basic Investing Tools
- Thrift Savings Plan
- Blended Retirement System
- Debt management
- Credit management / Credit analysis
- Service Members Civil Relief Act and the Military Lending Act
- Major Purchases (Home Buying, Automobile Purchasing...)
- Identifying financial goals and developing an expense plan of action
- Savings (including saving for emergencies)
- Preparing for transition or retirement
- Maintaining adequate financial records
- Financially responsible consumer decisions and consumer purchases
- Financial Institutions

**Financial Readiness Program
Soldier Service Center
Bldg 5700, Room 350**





Online course available through
Army Family Web Portal
Financial Readiness Touchpoints

NAVIGATING FINANCIAL CHALLENGES FOR SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES WITH EXCEPTIONAL HEALTH NEEDS

[DOD REQUIRED FINANCIAL LITERACY DISABLING CONDITION COMMON MILITARY TRAINING COURSE]

Exceptional Health Needs Experiencing a disabling sickness or condition, whether personally or in support of a family member, can cause substantial financial changes. It is crucial to step back and assess your financial situation promptly to understand your new normal. Consider both sides of the equation – income and expenses – to navigate this challenging journey more effectively. Our class will equip you with practical tools to manage your finances during this transition, whether you're caring for an aging parent, a sibling with special needs, or dealing with your own health challenges.

(Fulfills Financial Readiness Disabling Conditions Touchpoint Common Military Training for Soldiers, with successful upload of certificate to Soldier's Digital Training Management System record.)

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ODR NATURE TRAIL

Outdoor Recreation nature walk is a new and evolving way to connect with nature and its creations around us. Whether you're getting your steps in, looking for a relaxing nature walk close by, or hoping to spot local wildlife, our new nature walk offers a great way to enjoy the outdoors and see what makes Lake Tholocco special.

IT'S FREE!



OUTDOOR RECREATION
334-255-4305
West Beach Rd, BLDG 24235





OVERSEAS BRIEFS



RECEIVED ORDERS OVERSEAS?

ACS offers Overseas Briefs to prepare you for your upcoming assignment to **Hawaii, Alaska, Germany, or Korea**. The class provides moving tips, intransit information, and initial arrival expectations.

Tuesday @ 1400 & Thursday @1030 RSVP Required

Spouses and Service Members welcome!

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SENSORY WALK

Experience the New Lake Tholocco ODR Sensory Walk located on West beach. Follow the dirt trail heading towards the peninsula, take off your shoes to enjoy nature in a new way.

A Sensory Trail walk is a wonderful way to support early learning for children, and invites adults to slow down and relax with nature.

Enjoy watching the nature based content change with the seasons.



Rock Painting Activity:

Stop by ODR to paint a free rock to add to our new outdoor Rock Walk that is attached to the end of the sensory trail. When our community comes together beautiful things can happen. Watch the new Rock Walk grow with your participation in this fun event for all ages.

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West Beach Rd, BLDG 24235



For ages
2-4

Fort Rucker
Child & Youth Services

Hourly Childcare Spaces Available!

At the Child Development Center

12:00pm-4:00pm

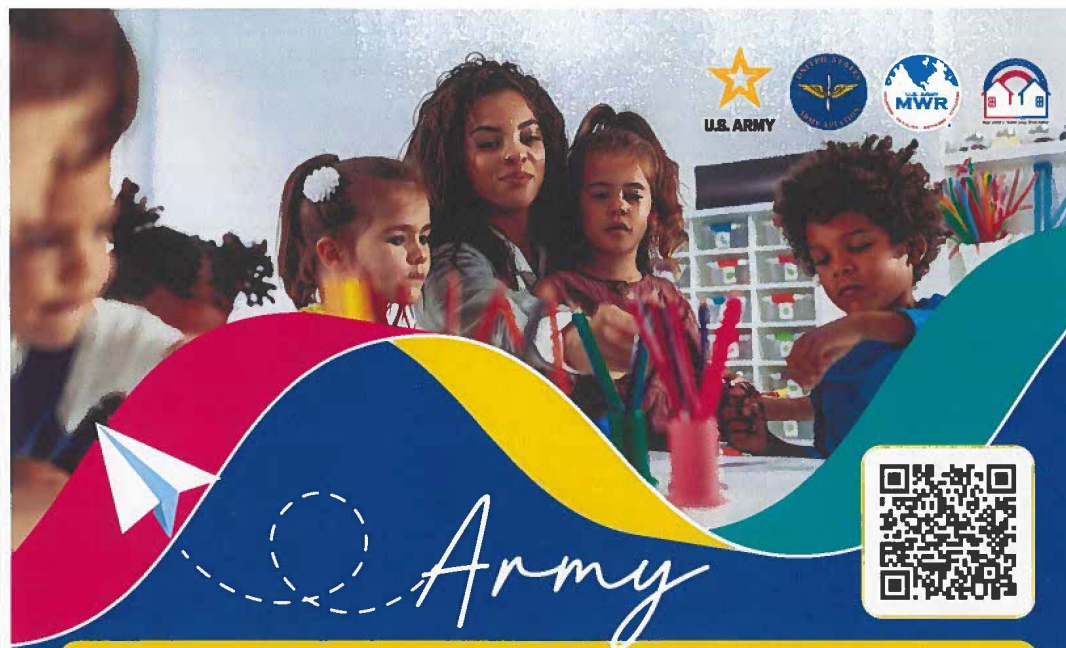
Must be CYS Registered to use this service.

Contact Parent Central Services at 334-255-9638 for more information
and to learn what documents you will need to complete your registration.

Begin Registration at webtrac.mwr.army.mil



Child Development Center
Building 8938, Red Cloud Road
334-255-2262/3564



Family Child Care

FCC has unique qualities that make it a preferred choice for many families!

FLEXIBLE HOURS

**FULL DAY | PART DAY | HOURLY CARE
IN A COMFORTABLE HOME SETTING!**

COST SAVINGS

FCC also offers a 15% cost savings compared to Child Development Centers and School Age Care fees!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

334-255-1769 | jinnifer.a.aman.naf@army.mil
Bldg. 132, 6th Avenue | Fort Rucker, AL 36362
rucker.armymwr.com/programs/family-child-care

The Army requires certification for anyone who provides child care for more than 10 hours per week in their on-post quarters.



FINANCIAL PREPAREDNESS FOR GROWING FAMILIES

[DOD REQUIRED FINANCIAL LITERACY
FIRST CHILD COMMON MILITARY
TRAINING COURSE]

Welcoming a new child—whether through birth, adoption, or stepparenting—brings significant changes, especially to your finances. Our specialized class equips you with practical strategies to efficiently organize your financial landscape during this transformative phase. From budgeting for baby essentials to understanding tax implications, we'll empower you to navigate these transitions with confidence.

Join us to ensure your growing family thrives both emotionally and financially.
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EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

RESPIRE CARE PROGRAM



The Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) respite care program provides temporary relief to family members responsible for regular care of eligible dependents with disabilities ranging from moderate to profound.



EFMP Family
Support

For an enrollment packet or additional information
contact the ACS/EFMP Family Support Office 334-255-9277 or
Email: usarmy.novoselid-training.mbx.acs-cfmp@army.mil