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1 DIRECTORATE OF PLANS, TRAINING, MOBILIZATION, AND SECURITY

Mr. John Kirby, 763-4625, john.k.kirby2.civ@mail.mil

- **Visual Information Support Center (VISC)** provides (Poster, Graphic, and Audio / Visual Support) **MON-FRI** 0730-1130, 1300-1630. (Photography Support) Mon-Tue-Wed-Fri 0930-1130, 1300-1600 / Thurs 1300-1600. Please visit <https://vios.army.mil/> to make an appointment.
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2 DIRECTORATE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

Mr. Elliott Bradley, 763-4724, elliott.i.bradley.civ@mail.mil

USFK off Limits: All tattoo parlors, “Glass Houses” or prostitution establishments. Area IV off limits locations: Club Frog, MK Club (aka Monkey Bar), Texas Street (Navy and Marines only).

Good to Know:

- Report all traffic accidents no matter how minor to police; if you are involved in a traffic accident, do not assume that you are not at fault. Korean law usually has all parties at fault for some part of the accident.
- State side Handicap placards are unauthorized on USFK installations. **USFK handicapped decals are the only authorized decals, and may be obtained at USAG Daegu Vehicle registration Office (CP Carrol/CP Walker).**

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3 HOUSING

Mr. Andrew Ottey, 763-4573, andrew.r.ottey.civ@mail.mil

- Tower Trash pickup is Monday through Friday (except Korean Holidays) from 0800 to 0900. Housing works with DPW for expanded pickup during US holidays.
- Dept. of the Army requires an occupation rate of 95% for on-post Army Family Housing and Unaccompanied Housing before Certificates of Non-Availability (CNAs) are issued.
- DPW installed four BBQ grills in the tower II area. In addition, custom BBQ metal coverings were machined by the DPW metal shop.
- Additional new Tower I toddler playground equipment installed.
- Housing contractor expects to award Tower 2 safety railing by the end of February.
- Army HQ looks to fund construction of two dog parks, BBQ pavilion, and two bus stops.
- A tower picnic pavilion with four grills is under design, and look to award a construction contract by mid-May.
- For March, Housing purchase additional baby swing.

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4 CPAC

Mrs. Nina Huerta, 763-4688, nina.m.huerta.civ@mail.mil

- MSP Hiring Initiative
 - The ability to hire Military Spouses on a Temporary/Term appointment not to exceed 18 months. Our office receives a copy of the resume, orders to include pinpoint orders to area IV, and marriage licenses, which are matched against all positions prior to opening for available applicants, to determine if a well-qualified spouse can be found and management can be notified at this time to initiate recruitment.



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- While they are placed on the Temp/Term position, the MSP will not utilize their Military Spouse Preference and will not lose their preference which allows them to continue applying to open Competitive Announcements using this authority.

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5 DIRECTORATE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

Mr. David Goforth, 763-6501, david.e.goforth.civ@mail.mil

The Army Credentialing Assistance (CA) Program went into effect on 1 January 2020:

Up to \$4000 per year is available for Soldier to pursue and maintain recognized professional credentialing. The money can be spent on books, supplies and associated materials once you're training course and/or exam are approved. Stop by your Education Center and talk to a counselor today, 763-5405.

6 CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

Ms. Gerri Withers, 763-4552, gerri.m.withers.naf@mail.mil

Family Child Care (FCC) providers are needed at Camp Carroll and Camp Walker. For more information call 315-763-4552.

- Any family member living in government quarters providing child care for more than 10 hours per week on a regular basis must be certified as a FCC Provider.
- Register your children at the Camp Walker Child Development Center (CDC) building 223 or the Camp Walker School Age Center (SAC) building 252 to participate in CYS programs.
- The Hourly Care Room is Open! CDC 6 weeks to 5 yrs. M-F 0830-1630. Reserve today.

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CYS YOUTH SPORTS AND FITNESS, 763-4561

- Kindermusik/Gymnastics/Dance Instruction Classes: Registration will continue for the upcoming school year. Please call our office for specific information.
- Volunteers are needed to coach Youth Sports. Call 0503-363-4561 for more information.
- In search of Contractors or Volunteers to teach SKIES classes to youth. Call 0503-363-4561 for more information.
- Camp Walker Romp and Stomp: Themed playgroup for the families with children ages birth to 5yrs, begins in March on Wednesdays from 0900-1100 at the CDC.
- EFMP Family Bowling Event: 21 March 1100-1200 at the Windy City Bowl. Families with special needs are encouraged to come out for this free hour of bowling.

Camp Carroll Child Support:

- Parent and Child Romp and Stomp: Themed playgroup for the families with children ages birth to 5yrs, begins in March on Wednesdays from 0900-1100- No Cost.



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- Give a parent a Break Sessions: Services are offered from 0900-1200 twice a month for \$15 per child. Parents must register and pay (ca be done telephonically) at least three days in advance. Payment is non-refundable. Please see the Community Information Gathering Slides for the scheduled dates or call 503-363-2262 for more information.
- Parent's Night Out: 14 March 1800-2200 \$25 per child. Registration closes 6 March 2020.

7 F&MWR RECREATION/FITNESS/RESTUARANTS

Mr. Michael D. Elmer, 763-4550, michael.d.elmer.naf@mail.mil

AQUATICS, Mr. Jacob Goulette 763-5979

- Area 4 Swim Passes: Get your annual swim pass for the lowest cost ever! Pool passes cover you at all Area IV facilities including the seasonal outdoor pool at Camp Carroll. Please call Camp Walker Aquatics for more details and pricing at 0503-363-2281.
- Private, Semi-Private, Individual and Group swim lessons available.
- Restructured Swim Lessons: We will begin to offer a new spin on swim lessons on April 7th. Aquatics will be moving to weekday group lessons offered every month to allow more community members to participate. For more information call 0503-363-2281.
- We will also be offering Saturday Parent and Child classes for children aged 2 or under for basic water introduction skills beginning in April. For more information call 0503-363-2281.
- Water Aerobics will be held every Saturday from 1300-1400 starting February 22nd. Classes cost \$3

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES CENTER, Mr. Henry Ross (Camp Carroll) 763-5973 / Mr. Shawn Johnson (Camp Walker 763-4562)

Camp Carroll CAC

- SuperCrew Dance Event 12 Feb doors open at 1700.
- Soldier Appreciation Lunch 12 Feb. Free lunch for active duty Soldiers, Retirees, and First Responders.
- Survival Korean Language Classes: Every Wednesday in the month of February 1200-1300 hrs.

- Learn basic Korean at no cost in order to use public transportation, shopping and ordering in restaurants and more.
- Soldier Zone: Is open 7 days a week - watch T.V., play video games, cards, board games, billiards, ping pong, shoot hoops or just hang out with your battle because it's better than hanging out in your barracks room.

Camp Walker CAC

- Introduction to Korean Language Classes: Camp Walker every Tuesday starting at 1200 and 1730
- Conversational Korean Classes: Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday every month at no cost.
- Family Fun Bouncy House Day: Every Sunday 1200-1800 hours at no cost.



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- Piano Lessons: Tuesday-Friday from 1100-2000 hours, cost is \$30 per 30 minutes.
- Arts and Craft Kids Birthday Parties: Register your kid's birthday party with a focus on Pottery, Mask or Acrylic painting classes as part of their birthday celebration.

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LIBRARIES, Mr. Gordon Imrie, 763-5983

- Storytime & Crafts: Walker Library: Every Thursday at 1100.
- Discovery Activity for Kids at Carroll Library: Every 2nd & 3rd Tuesday at 1330.
- Korean Calligraphy Class: Every Monday, 1700-1800 at Walker Library.
- Makerspace: Every 1st & 3rd Wednesday at Walker Library at 1700.

OUTDOOR RECREATION AND HANA TOURS, Mr. Shawn Johnson, 763-4563

- Outdoor Recreation: A great selection of rental items for your event, recreation, and camping needs. Stop by Camp Walker Community Center for prices and availability.
- Warrior Adventure Quest: Opportunity for Leaders to provide Soldiers a way to decompress, see Korea, and participate in high adventure activity. Stop by the Camp Walker Community Center and speak with Shawn Johnson for eligibility and information.

SPORTS & FITNESS, James Mathis (Camp Walker) 763-4551 / James Edwardsen (Camp Carroll) 763-5980

- Hot Yoga: Taught at the Walker Aquatics Center. Tuesdays and Thursdays. New time – 1200 to 1300 \$3 per class. Ask about our discount passes and program bundles.
- New Taekwondo Classes at Kelly Gym. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 1830 to 2000. Classes are **Free** to any ID card holder. All ages welcome.
- **Spin Classes** now available Feb 15 and 29 at 1000 hours in the Kelly Gym.
- **Zumba and Power Classes:** Held at the Camp Walker CAC M/W/F at 0900 and 1200.
- 24-Hour Fitness Facilities: All community fitness centers are open 24 hours a day. Receive your 24-hour Gym Access Orientation Briefing on Tuesday and Thursday at 0900, 1200 and 1600 hrs. Reservations can be made for groups of 10 or more but a 24-hour advance notice is required. Please bring your CAC or ID card and your cell phone as part of the registration process. 24-hour access is for authorized patrons aged 18 and older, active duty military can be 17 years old.

EVERGREEN CLUB, Mr. Michael Sul, 763-5974

- Valentine's Day Dinner for couples on 14 February, reservations are required NLT 12 February and cost is \$60 per couple.
- Father & Daughter Dance on 29 February, reservations are required NLT 26 February and the cost is \$25 for Dad and \$12 for Daughter.

STATES GRILL, Mr. Herb Hart, 763-5977

- Trivia Night: Test your knowledge every Thursday 1630-1830 hours, this is a free event.

WINDY CITY BOWL & GRILL, Joseph Lallamant, 763-5976

- Looking for a place to have your child's birthday party, look no further than your local bowling center. Custom parties are our specialty, for more information or to make a reservation call 0503-363-2282.



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8 ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE (ACS)

Ms. Robin Sherrod, 763-4422, robin.m.sherrod.civ@mail.mil

- **ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF (AER):** Zero-interest loans and grants for valid needs including basic living expenses, POV repair, emergency travel, PCS, and more. Call 315-763-4496 (Commercial: 050-3363-4496) or email: clint.m.strutt.civ@mail.mil
- **ARMY FAMILY ACTION PLAN (AFAP):** Know of a problem or issue needing addressed locally or higher, submit it online at <https://www.armyonesource.com/familyprogramsandservices/default.aspx>. Call 315/763-4419 Commercial: 050-3363-4419) or email: leslie.s.smith5.civ@mail.mil
- **EMERGENCY PLACEMENT CARE (EPC):** EPC providers needed to care for children who need a temporary, safe and secure home. ACS will be there every step of the way to assist. Call 315-763-4451/4426 (Comm: 050-3363-4451/4426) or email mark.j.hagelin.civ@mail.mil
- **EMPLOYMENT READINESS:** Seeking employment? We have classes, resources, and resume reviews to aid your search. Call 315-763-4426 (Commercial: 050-3363-4426) or email: Amanda.johnson42.civ@mail.mil
- **SPOUSE NEWCOMERS ORIENTATION:** Are you new to Area IV and not sure what resources are available? Join us monthly to learn more about your new community. Call 315-763-4497 (Commercial: 050-3363-4497) or email: samantha.n.chapman4.civ@mail.mil
- **Upcoming ACS Classes**
 - **SPOUSE EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOP Thu, 13 Feb, 1230-1330** - Find out how to look for jobs, determine qualifications and find out more about the positions you want to apply for! Camp Walker Soldier Support Center Bldg. 330, 3rd Floor Rm 315..
 - **ACTIVE PARENTING – First Five Years Thu-Fri, 27-28 Feb, 0900-1200** - Addresses basic skills for new parents, caregivers, and early childhood staff training. Camp Walker Soldier Support Center Bldg. 330, 2nd Floor Rm 315.

9 PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE

Mr. Cameron Porter, 763-6512, cameron.v.porter.civ@mail.mil

OFFICIAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION

- Facebook: USAG DAEGU – please share our posts: <https://www.facebook.com/USAGDaegu/>
- Homepage: HOME.ARMY.MIL/DAEGU
- Twitter: @USAGDAEGU
- Instagram: @USAGDAEGU_AREA4
- AFN Daegu FM Radio 88.5 FM or 1440 AM
- Camps Henry, Walker and Carroll Electronic Marquees
- Command Channel (on installation only): Channel 3.1 & 3



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10 SAFETY

Mr. Randall Ross, 763-5990, randall.w.ross2.civ@mail.mil

- Help prevent the spread of germs, wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds with soap and water. Cover your mouth when you cough. Refrain from touching your mouth, nose and eyes and stay home if you are sick.
- Portable electric heaters are prohibited for use in workplaces and barracks. For an exception thru the permit process submit a service order thru the DPW.
- For more information or assistance on any Safety topic, contact the Garrison Safety Office at 763-5990.

11 RED CROSS

Ms. Susanne Harlandt, 763-5987, susanne.harlandt@redcross.org (FB: American Red Cross-Area IV)

- **Resiliency** - Each module can be 60 or 90 minutes, presented by licensed Red Cross volunteer behavior health professionals. Call us to schedule any module. Modules are free of charge!
 - **Seven adult modules:** (1) Effective Communication; (2) Stress Solutions; (3) Trauma Talk; (4) Emotional Grit; (5) Defusing Anger; (6) Connecting With Kids; (7) Caregivers.
 - **Two child modules:** (1) Roger That! Communication Counts; (2) Confident Coping.
- **Volunteers & Youth Group** - Home Fire Campaign, Saturday, January 25, 1000-1200. Red Cross will canvass the Towers and other Family Housing to pass out emergency contact cards and other Fire Prevention materials.
- **Volunteer Program** – (1) Help service members with emergency communication needs; (2) Become trained in disaster response locally and in the states; (3) Schedule outreach briefs in the community.
- **Training Services** – Health & Safety Courses, Red Cross classroom First Aid/CPR/AED classes: PM; Feb 11, 5-7:30 PM
- **Emergency Communications** –
 - (1) To start a Red Cross message, call either 763-5987 (0503-363-5987) or 877-272-7337. Must have contact information for verification source (hospital, funeral home, police, etc.)
 - (2) If financial aid assistance is needed, contact Aid Societies directly during duty hours. After hours, or if Aid Society is closed, call Red Cross toll free 877-272-7337. Red Cross processes requests and disseminates funds on behalf of the Aid Societies after hours.

12 UNITED SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Mr. Luis Freyre, 764-4437, lfreyre@uso.org

- Computer Access and XBOX/Play Station
- Movie Theater on site
- Daily Snacks/Drinks and Meeting Space
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Coffee Connection 13 Feb, 0930-1030 USO Walker
- Taco Tuesday 18 Feb, 6pm Camp Carroll
- Ladies Gathering 20 Feb, 6pm USO Walker
- Coffee Connection 24 Feb, 0930-1030 Camp Carroll
- Taco Tuesday 25 Feb 6pm USO Walker
- USO Area IV Baby Shower 28 Feb, 1130-1430 Evergreen Club



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13 DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY

Ms. Solange Gates, 764-5310, solange.gates@deca.mil

Scholarship for Military Children – Enroll now through 24 February, 2020. *Register at <https://www.militaryscholar.org>*

14 DAEGU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Mr. Jason Bell, 768-9537, jason.bell@dodea.edu

- 21 February- Ties and Tiaras Community Dance, Daegu Elementary School Gym, 1800-2000. Please RSVP by February 14, 2020.
- 14 February NO School, Teacher Professional Development
- 17 February NO School, Presidents Day
- 6 March Family Literacy Night
- 9-13 March, Reregistration for SY 20-21.
- 6-10 April, SPRING RECESS

15 DAEGU MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Jason Bell, 763-6108, jason.bell@dodea.edu

- 19-22 February, Far East-Winter Session
- 28 February, Progress Reports
- 26 March PBL Showcase
- 14 February NO School, Teacher Professional Development
- 17 February NO School, Presidents Day
- 6-10 April, SPRING RECESS

16 BETTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS

SGT Hayes, Ashley, 010-8074-7325, ashley.l.hayes19.mil@mail.mil

- The Better Opportunities For Single Soldiers (BOSS) Program is offered to all Single or Unaccompanied Soldiers.
- Looking for volunteers to sign up for the Love and Hope Orphanage Opportunity which entails volunteering their time with Special Needs children, ages of 5-17.
- Always looking for Volunteers to go on AFN Radio Tuesdays, 1400-1500. This helps promote the BOSS Program throughout Area IV and communicate special events happening throughout the month.
- Monthly BOSS Meetings are at minimum the first Wednesday of every month. The Camp Walker Meeting that takes place at 1000 at the Camp Walker Community Activity Center (CAC) and lasts one hour. The second is at 1330 at the Camp Carroll Community Center (CAC) and also lasts one hour
- **Please encourage your Unit BOSS Representatives to come to this meeting** as it plays a vital role to putting out information for the events and key aspects of current and upcoming BOSS Activities, Volunteer Opportunities & provides a chance to discuss Quality of Life issues w/ myself & CSM Cline.

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17 VETERINARY SERVICES

CPT Sarah Waibel / MAJ William Baskerville, 764-4708 or 0503-364-4708,
sarah.m.waibel.mil@mail.mil & william.a.baskerville2.mil@mail.mil

- We will be offering a Pet Readiness Day on 19 February 2020, from 0800-1800. We will be providing Rabies vaccinations, microchips, pet registration, FAVN blood testing, and any assistance with pet travel documentation on a walk in basis.
- PCS season is a few short months away, if you will be PCSing this summer with pets, please call the clinic to obtain information regarding location specific pet importation requirements, especially if you will be moving to an OCONUS location.
- We will be offering wellness exams and vaccinations on a walk in basis at Camp Carroll on 26 February 2020. We will be set up at Training Area 94 (follow signs behind the Camp Carroll TMC). We will be seeing appointments from 0930-1800 on the 26th. There will also be neuter surgeries (male only) at Camp Carroll on 25 February 2020. Please call the Walker clinic to schedule your neuter!
- Currently we are only accepting cash due to our credit card machine being down. Once the credit card machine is up and running we will update via the Daegu Area IV Facebook page.
- Clinic Days: Feb 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, and 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- <https://www.avma.org/resources-tools/pet-owners/petcare/pet-dental-care>
- <https://www.hillspet.com/dog-care/healthcare/dental-disease-in-dogs>
- <https://www.banfield.com/pet-healthcare/additional-resources/article-library/dental/do-i-need-to-brush-mydog-s-teeth>

18 DAEGU CIVILIAN AND SPOUSES CLUB

Ms. Sherrell Pippen, 010-3032-7747, President@thedcsc.org

- **Scholarships** - We are pleased to announce we will be giving away \$10,000 in scholarships this year to personnel assigned to Area IV. The categories are 1. High School Senior/Graduate 2. Returning College Student 3. Spouse returning to College.
- **Welfare** - We will be awarding over \$9,000 in welfare monies during the Spring Welfare Campaign. All registered private organizations, military units and S/FRGs, in Area IV, are eligible to submit applications.
- **Next luncheon** - Will be on 21 February 2020, beginning at 11:00 AM, at the Evergreen Community Club.
- **Membership fees** - for the year have been reduced to half price. For E-6 and below it is now \$5.00 and for E-7 and above & Civilians the cost is now \$10, for the remainder of the year.

19 DAEGU RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE

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CH (MAJ) Brown, Carl O. 010-8561-0517
CH (CPT) Cotter, Stephen D. 010-9548-6649

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|----------------------|--------|--------------------------|
| • Catholic Mass | Daily | Camp Walker Chapel 1215 |
| • Catholic Mass | Sunday | Camp Walker Chapel 0900 |
| • Catholic Mass | Sunday | Camp Carroll Chapel 1300 |
| • Protestant Service | Sunday | Camp Carroll Chapel 1000 |



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- Protestant Service Sunday Camp Walker Chapel 1100
- Multi-Cultural Gospel Sunday Camp Walker Chapel 1230

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20 THE EXCHANGE

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21 AREA IV TAX CENTER

- Don't waste a single penny filing your taxes anywhere else this season! File them for FREE at our AREA IV Tax Center.
- Camp Henry: Bldg. 1805, DSN: TBD. Call or stop by for an appointment (walk-ins accepted only if a preparer is available).
- Open from 1300 4 Feb 2020 - 16301 Jun 2020.
- Hours: 0930 - 1130 1300 - 1630, Monday - Friday.
- Open to: Active duty Soldiers, Dependents, DoD Employees, and Retirees.

Please bring with you:

Your ID

Social Security Cards (for you and any dependents)

W2s and/or 1099s

Copy of last year's tax returns (federal and state)

Bank routing and account numbers for direct deposit

If you are married filing jointly your spouse MUST be with your spouse or you MUST have a power of attorney

Facebook site: www.facebook.com/usagdaegutaxcenter

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22 AREA IV VOTING ASSISTANCE OFFICE

CPT Rachel Pierre-Louis, DSN: 315-763-4097 rachel.pierrelouis.mil@mail.mil

- Located on Camp Henry, Bldg. 1501 (19th ESC HQs)
- Voting workshop scheduled for 26 MAR 20 **1030-1200** at Camp Henry Theater

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23 65TH MEDICAL BRIGADE

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