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Fort Eisenhower DPW unveils newly renovated barracks rooms for CCoE Soldiers

The Department of Public Works at USAG Fort Eisenhower hosted an open house Oct. 31 to showcase newly renovated barracks rooms. This event marked a significant milestone in the garrison's quality-of-life project, aiming to modernize living conditions and enhance the well-being of Cyber Center of Excellence Soldiers.



Ribbon-cutting ceremony celebrates new Family Child Care home at Fort Meade

Fort Meade celebrated the opening of a new Family Child Care home this week with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 7108 DeFranzo Loop. The new home, operated by Monica Fife, is part of Fort Meade's larger Child and Youth Services program, which provides flexible, home-based childcare options tailored to the needs of military families.



Polish, U.S. troops cross-season holiday meals

Polish Army personnel and U.S. Soldiers stationed in Poland joined forces Nov. 6 in the kitchen to cross-train for the holidays, creating a taste of home through shared culinary traditions. Polish culinary experts and U.S. Army culinary specialists worked side-by-side in the workshop, preparing classic holiday dishes and bridging cultural differences through food.



IMCOM leaders tour USAG Hawaii facilities, focus on child care and infrastructure

Senior leaders from the Installation Management Command headquarters conducted a comprehensive tour of USAG Hawaii facilities Nov. 4, emphasizing child development programs and critical infrastructure.



Impromptu Oath of Enlistment administered during Picatinny Arsenal's Pumpkin Sling

LTC Craig A. Bonham II, Picatinny Arsenal Garrison Commander, had just delivered opening remarks at this year's Pumpkin Sling competition Oct. 25, when he had to "adjust fire" and jump into a very different role just moments later.



Fort Stewart 92nd Engineer Battalion Soldiers make sidewalk safety more concrete

Garrison leaders and Soldiers of the 92nd Engineer Battalion gathered to celebrate the official opening of a sidewalk on Essayons Drive Oct. 23 at Fort Stewart. Soldiers from the 526th Engineer Construction Company started the project Sept. 23, and after working over 120 man-hours through two hurricanes and pouring 148 cubic yards of concrete, the 1,875-foot-long sidewalk was completed Oct. 18.



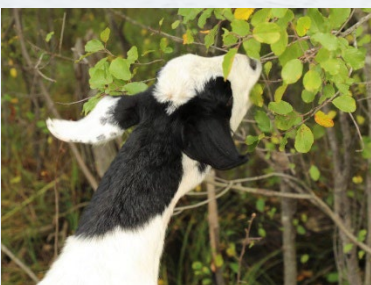
Workforce development touted at Fort Jackson all hands

"There's a lot of good things going on," said COL Timothy Hickman, Fort Jackson garrison commander, to a group of Department of the Army civilian employees during an all-hands meeting Oct. 31. "We are a behind-the-scenes operation, right? We do behind-the-scenes work. We fly below the radar."



Fort Buchanan touts energy conservation, educates 81st RD on Army Climate Strategy

Members of the Fort Buchanan Directorate of Public Works, Environmental Division, conducted an education campaign at the Post Exchange lobby Oct. 24 to promote community awareness about energy conservation initiatives, while commemorating the Army's Energy Action Month.



Fort McCoy supports Army Energy Action Month ideals in a variety of ways

October is Army Energy Action Month, and it's a time to remember important ways to save energy, and more. Dan Johnson with the Fort McCoy Directorate of Public Works Energy Branch said it's a great time at targeting energy-saving actions across the installation to see what "we can all do to reduce our energy consumption."



Camp Zama missions, history on display for 'Bring Your Kids to Work Day'

Dozens of children belonging to Camp Zama personnel visited here Monday to see the workplaces of their parents and explore the missions and history of the installation. USAG Japan staff organized the "Bring Your Kids to Work Day" for employees to enjoy time with their children while providing everyone a better understanding of the unique assignments here.



Fort Leavenworth honors retirees with annual Appreciation Day

Military retirees were honored at the 60th annual Retiree Appreciation Day — an event featuring informative speakers, performances by Leavenworth Junior ROTC unarmed and armed drill teams, small group performance, and a health fair offering flu shots, oral cancer screenings, and more — Oct. 26 at the Lewis and Clark Center at Fort Leavenworth.



Soldiers for Life: Fort Cavazos hosts 49th Retiree Appreciation Days

Fort Cavazos held its 49th annual Retiree Appreciation Days on Oct. 25-26, providing retirees with socials, resources and services. The Retirement Services Office worked with the CSM Elijah King Jr. Retiree Council and other organizations on post to host the two-day event.



Parent Tea brings Fort Drum Families together for shared learning experience

It's kind of brave giving a group of young children some noisy musical instruments to play inside a quiet library. But for the sake of education and inspiring kids, Pamela Seidenberg was given the opportunity to try, and it worked. The children went along with the lesson, had fun, and learned something new.



Fort Detrick Family Advocacy Program promotes self care throughout October

October was a busy month for the Fort Detrick Family Advocacy Program. The month is designated as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and FAP packed their calendar with exciting and transformative events designed to promote mental health, self-care, empowerment and awareness.



Members of the Fort Knox SCRA give historic Fort Knox landmark a new coat of paint

Members of the Fort Knox Gold Vault Signal Corps Regimental Association painted one of the historic M48 Patton tanks, located along Chaffee Avenue on post, Oct. 25. Octavia Blackwell, president of the Fort Knox SCRA, said the group decided to take on the project in part to announce its return after being inactive for several years.

IMCOM Groundbreaking Events

Nov. 15, Fort Wainwright, Alaska.

Ribbon cutting and GameLab Esports tournament by BOSS at Warrior Zone Game Center (Building 3205) as Army pilot for Esports.

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