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## USAG Hawaii continues barracks modernization, delivers furniture to Tripler Army Medical Center

Advancing its commitment to unaccompanied Soldiers, USAG Hawaii completed a targeted furniture delivery to the permanent party barracks at Tripler Army Medical Center on May 13. The garrison's Furnishings Management Office delivered 33 new Twin XL beds to two of the medical center's barracks.



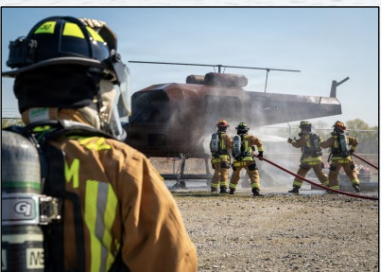
## Fort Knox DPW puts additional funds toward renovating barracks, upgrading HVAC systems

IMCOM officials recently approved additional funds for Fort Knox, earmarked specifically for barracks renovations and improvements. Fort Knox Directorate of Public Works and garrison officials say they will use approximately \$321,000 of extra money to complete projects, such as upgrading HVAC systems, on three of the installation's 50-plus barracks.



## Fort Carson Soldier earns second Purple Heart for actions during ambush in Afghanistan

MSG Sean Ambriz received his second Purple Heart during a ceremony April 16 for his actions during an ambush in Afghanistan. On Aug. 4, 2011, Ambriz, who was a sergeant, was providing security to a humanitarian aid convoy when his squad caught fire from over 180 enemy fighters.



## USAG Humphreys Fire Department captures top honors from IMCOM-Pacific for 2025

USAG Humphreys Fire and Emergency Services was named the "Best Large Fire Department in the Pacific Region for 2025" by IMCOM-Pacific. With approximately 150 personnel, the department operates four fire stations on Camp Humphreys and one on K-16 Airfield.



## Fort Meade breaks ground for the future with newest child development center project

The newest child development center at Fort Meade marked a significant milestone in a groundbreaking ceremony with leaders from the garrison, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and surrounding community April 20. The facility costs about \$26 million and features several amenities.



## Provost Marshal names Fort Leonard Wood company best MP unit in active Army

The Army's Office of the Provost Marshal General named Fort Leonard Wood's Company B, 787th Military Police Battalion, 14th MP Brigade as the "Best Military Police Unit in the Active Army" after earning the 2025 MG Harry H. Bandholtz award.



## For Injured Soldiers at Fort Riley, a new ambulance could mean a return to the fight

Minutes matter during a training accident. At Fort Riley, those minutes can determine whether a 1st Infantry Division Soldier makes a full recovery or suffers a career-ending disability. With the arrival of an upgraded ambulance fleet at Irwin Army Community Hospital, those minutes are now better protected than ever.



## Aberdeen Proving Ground has dual mission – protecting Chesapeake Bay and battlefield

A dedicated team of Department of Public Works civilians at Aberdeen Proving Ground operates a state-of-the-art facility that runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week. It serves as the last line of defense for the Chesapeake Bay, but its most critical function is ensuring the American soldier retains a decisive advantage on any battlefield..



## USAG Rheinland-Pfalz, German firefighters unite to battle autobahn brush fire

USAG Rheinland-Pfalz firefighters joined forces with German emergency responders April 26 to contain a large brush fire that threatened the A6/A63 autobahn interchange. The response reflects ongoing cooperation between USAG Rheinland-Pfalz and local German emergency services.



## Metro Detroit leaders visit Detroit Arsenal as part of county leadership program

A group of leaders from throughout Macomb County were introduced to the county's defense and aerospace industries April 15 with visits to Detroit Arsenal and General Dynamics Land Systems as part of the Leadership Macomb program. The leaders learned more about the Arsenal's role in the county and Metro Detroit.



## USAG Japan Soldiers carry weight together during SHARP-themed physical fitness challenge

USAG Japan Soldiers assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 78th Signal Battalion, took on the Sexual Harassment/Assault Response and Prevention-themed physical fitness challenge recently at Zama Middle High School. The 20-pound rope used during the challenge symbolized the figurative and literal weight of life's stressors.



## Fort Hunter Liggett displays 85 years of mission readiness at anniversary open house

Eighty-five years of warfighting history came alive on May 2 during Fort Hunter Liggett's milestone Anniversary Open House. What began as a celebration of Army heritage expanded into a powerful demonstration of modern joint-force partnership, featuring the U.S. Army, Navy and Marines, interactive displays from 18 partner organizations, and a full day of live entertainment.



## Military children at Picatinny Arsenal celebrated at local elementary school

Picatinny Arsenal officials recently visited students at a nearby elementary school as part of a series of week-long, "Month of the Military Child" activities and events, honoring the role that military children play in the U.S. Armed Forces community. The students enjoyed hands-on activities hosted by Picatinny's Child and Youth Services.



## Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield honors retired veterans' past military service

Over 500 retirees across the armed services gathered at the University of Central Florida's Student Union to participate in Retiree Appreciation Day. Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Retirement Services Office hosted RAD, an annual event for Army installations demonstrating continued appreciation for retired Soldiers' past service to our nation.



## USAG Bavaria recognizes volunteers' passion, dedication to military community

U.S. Army Garrison Bavaria recognized the outstanding service and dedication of its volunteers during a ceremony April 21 at Rose Barracks. In 2025, 964 Army volunteers across the USAG Bavaria community contributed an impressive 63,346 hours of service. Of those, 811 registered volunteers at Tower and Rose Barracks accounted for 48,845 hours.