Battle of the Bases

During last month's Washington Nationals sponsored military intramural softball tournament, the Battle of the Bases, one of our Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall teams won to advance to the championship game.

The joint base team will face off against the team from Joint Base Anacostia-Bowling at Nationals Park Saturday, Sept. 18, following the Nats’ game against the Colorado Rockies.

The Nationals and Rockies game begins at 4:05 p.m. and the Battle of the Bases championship game has a tentative start time of 7:45 p.m. More details to follow soon about the playoff game and tickets.

Thursday Town Hall

We hope you join us for the next town hall Thursday, Sept. 9 at 1 p.m., which will be hosted by the joint base commander. Joining the commander will be Ken Washington, director of human resources. Topics will include permanent change of station season and the new Integrated Personnel and Pay System.

View the event and ask your questions on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/jbmhh/. Questions may also be emailed to us-army.jbmhh.asa.list.pao-all@mail.mil.
The Fort Myer Fire Department will hold its annual 9/11 observance Saturday, Sept. 11.

This year’s observance will be live streamed via Facebook starting at 11:30 a.m. and will feature guest speakers C.T. Campbell, who was the Fort Myer fire chief Sept. 11, 2001, and Alan Wallace, one of three Fort Myer firefighters who were working at the Pentagon heliport station when the plane struck the building.

As a tradition held every year, Myer firefighters will toll the Fire and Emergency Services Ceremonial Bell to commemorate the time that American Airlines Flight 77 struck the western side of the Pentagon at exactly 9:37 a.m. Sept. 11, 2001.

Watch the livestream the day of the event or afterwards online at www.facebook.com/jbmhh.
New education center hours

The JBM-HH Education Center Hub to include JBM-HH, Forts Belvoir, Meade, and Detrick, will close weekly for training Thursday mornings from 8 to 10 a.m. beginning Thursday, Sept. 9. The goal of the training is to provide better customer service to service members, veterans, retirees, dependents and civilians.

Cemetery construction

Several roads in Arlington National Cemetery are closed for necessary construction.

Humphreys Drive will be closed through March 2022, affecting portions of Section 1. The construction project on McPherson Drive, Lawton Drive, McKinley Drive, Jackson Circle, Chapel Gate Road, Capron Drive, Hobson Drive, and Miles Drive, affecting Sections 3, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23 and 44, will continue through late September 2022 as currently projected.

ANC is working hard to complete this project as soon as possible and to avoid prolonged inconveniences to visitors and Family pass holders. Safety is a priority for pass holders and guests. If you are a Family pass holder with a loved one buried in the aforementioned sections, please call ANC operations at (703) 614-1111 to schedule an escort to your loved one’s gravesite.
LRC fiscal year fuel close out

The JBM-HH Logistics Readiness Center Armed Forces Fuel Facility, located at Bldg. 330, will be closing temporarily for an annual end of year inventory check at the end of September.

All customers that utilize the fuel station at Bldg. 330 are advised to ensure they fuel before the end of year fuel close out.

Customers with a GSA vehicle may use a credit card at the AAFES gas station. The station at TMP will only service the Directorate of Emergency, Myer Fire and PMO vehicles, along with Army owned vehicles after Sept. 29.

Fuel station end of the fiscal year schedule:

- Sept. 28 to 29, open to all Army owned and all tactical vehicles and equipment with VIL keys.

- Sept. 30, from 6 a.m. to 4 p.m., open to DES Fire and PMO Police vehicles.

- TMP fuel point closes to all Sept. 30 at 4 p.m.

- TMP fuel point reopens for normal operations Oct. 1 at 6 a.m.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

Service providers with questions can call Wilfried Brumbaugh at (703) 696-7137 or Bernard Franklin at (703) 696-7136.

National Hispanic Heritage Month

Every year the Department of Defense joins the nation in celebrating and honoring the cultures and contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans. This year’s theme is “Esperanza: A Celebration of Hispanic Heritage and Hope.”

Just as in generations past, we honor our Hispanic community—military and civilian—for their significant contributions to (or toward) protecting the United States and embodying the DOD values that unite us all as one team.
Virtual transition services

The JBM-HH Transition Assistance Program wishes to remind the joint base community that all services are currently virtual.

The TAP facility, located in Bldg. 404, is currently under construction. The building is closed to public access at this time.

Employees who wish to enter the building in the interim must report to the trailer south of Bldg. 404, near the loading dock, to receive the proper personal protective equipment.

face mask update

- According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, both Washington D.C. and Arlington County are now "substantial" transmission areas for COVID-19 and the Delta variant. Face coverings are now required in all indoor settings on Myer, McNair and Henderson Hall – regardless of vaccination status. The mask mandate remains in place for all non-vaccinated individuals – both indoors and outdoors.

- Our job is to defend our Nation’s Capital and to be the face of the US Military. Vaccinating against COVID-19 is key to our continued success. Your efforts will make a difference in the fight against this disease. Be a part of the solution – get vaccinated.

- The virus is still out there. As conditions change in the local area we must continue to remain vigilant at work and home. Get vaccinated and follow DOD, local and CDC guidelines --- protect yourself, protect the team, protect the mission.

- JBM-HH leadership continues to monitor the pandemic in the NCR and refine our conditions-based plan and continue to protect the team and protect the mission.

For more concert information from the U.S. Army Band, "Pershing's Own", visit www.usarmyband.com.

Upcoming Events

National Folk Festival
Downtown Salisbury Visitor Center
Saturday / Sep 11 / 1 pm
Army Blues
The Army Blues return to Salisbury to celebrate the 80th National Folk Festival.

Pershing's Own "Rush Hour" Concert
World War I Memorial at Pershing Park
Monday / Sep 13 / 6:30 pm
Concert Band

Hylton on the Hill Concerts
Hylton Performing Arts Center
Saturday / Sep 18 / 4 pm
Downrange
Join The U.S. Army Band Downrange for a free celebratory concert to kick off the 2021-2022 Hylton Center season. Free tickets required.

Listen to the U.S. Army Band, "Pershing's Own" online, at anytime.
Follow the band on Facebook: @usarmyband
Twitter: @theusarmyband
Instagram: @usarmyband
Armed Forces Wellness Center

The Armed Forces Wellness Center programs across the National Capital Region help build and sustain good health. AFWC health educators and services empower individuals to set their own health goals and achieve them.

AFWC programs and services address lifestyle change in areas that affect short- and long-term health, engaging people in their life spaces, including the places where they live, work, relax, and rest.

The Armed Forces Wellness Center is located at Forts Belvoir and Meade. A satellite wellness center provides services at Rader Clinic Wednesdays.

Please call (301) 677-2006 to schedule an appointment at either Rader Clinic or at Fort Meade. Call (703) 806-1323 to schedule an appointment at Fort Belvoir.

Protect each other

The U.S. is fortunate to have highly effective COVID-19 vaccines that are widely available for those aged 12 and up. People who are fully vaccinated are protected from severe disease and death, including from the Delta variant currently circulating. For more information, visit https://health.mil/News/Articles/2021/06/28/New-Covid19-Delta-Variant-What-You-Need-to-Know-to-Stay-Safe.
Marine Corps Marathon

The Marine Corps Marathon Organization is excited to announce that the 2021 Marine Corps Marathon Weekend will be held live and in-person this Oct. 29-31 in Arlington, Virginia, and the nation’s capital.

The 2021 MCM Weekend includes the live 46th MCM, MCM50K and MCM10K Oct. 31, with all three events being offered as virtual options as well between Oct. 1 and Nov. 11. Full details can be found at https://www.marinemarathon.com/.

Army Ten-Miler

Virtual registration for the live Army Ten-Miler has begun.

For full details, or to register for the event, which takes place Sunday, Oct. 10, visit https://www.armytenmiler.com/.

Connect to protect

This week is National Suicide Prevention Week. We must protect one another. Looking for ways to connect? Go to dspo.mil for ways to be there for your Family, friends, unit, and community.

REMEMBER TO CHECK IN ON YOUR BUDDY WHO ALWAYS CHECKS IN ON EVERYBODY ELSE.
JBM-HH gyms and pools are open

All JBM-HH gyms are open to DOD ID card holders.

The Myer Fitness Center hours are weekdays from 5 to 7:30 a.m., 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 4 to 6 p.m.

The McNair Fitness Center is open 24/7 daily for those with registered access.

Registration for McNair Fitness Center will be by appointment only. At this time, people will need to call and make an appointment to register for the 24/7 access by calling Lydia Mease at (571) 315-9125 Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The DFMWR pool is closed for the season. We look forward to the full pool season next year!

The Smith Gym at Henderson Hall has new hours. The Smith Gym operational hours are Monday to Friday from 5 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and weekends 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Zembiec pool facility is open Monday through Friday from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. and is closed weekends and holidays. Adult lap and open swim is available all day. Youth lap and open swim hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The facility is open to active duty and Reserve uniformed service members, Retirees, dependents, and current DOD/USCG civilians with an ID card.

Leisure and travel

There are new operation hours for the JBM-HH Leisure Travel Service, located in the joint base community center.

The service office hours are Wednesday through Friday from noon to 6 p.m. For more information, call (703) 696-7863 or email mitchell.l.thompson2.civ@mail.mil.
Marine Corps Exchange

The Marine Corps Exchange is open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sundays and holidays, to include the Vineyard. All three levels are open.

The Marine Corps ID Card Center continues to serve, by appointment only, at Marine Corps Exchange on the third floor. The hours of operation are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, with a daily closure from 11 to 11:30 a.m. All personnel are required to book appointments at https://idco.dmdc.osd.mil/idco/locator.

The carwash service at Henderson Hall remains open. For more information on Henderson Hall services and hours of operation, visit http://www.mccshh.com/mcx/.

AAFES dining open

The AAFES dining area in the Exchange food court has reopened to the joint base community.

All individuals should wear face coverings in the facility unless eating or drinking.

For more information on AAFES services, download the Digital Garrison App, free in the Apple or Google Play stores.

Commissary early bird hours and Click2Go

The commissary has begun early bird services every day. The commissary hours are now Monday to Friday from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Saturday 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and Sunday 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The commissary welcomes CLICK2GO, an online shopping and curbside pickup service you can access from your mobile devices. For full details, visit https://www.commissaries.com/shopping/click-2-go.

For additional information on the Fort Myer Commissary, visit the Commissary official website at https://www.commissaries.com/shopping/store-locations/fort-myer/.

Curbside Pickup is as Easy as 1-2-3 with CLICK2GO

1. Place your order on our website.
2. We’ll select and bag your groceries.
3. Drive to the store and pick it up!

Now You’re Saving Money AND Time!
Welcome back to the bowling center

The JBM-HH Bowling Center is now open at capacity with lanes open for bowling and seating for indoor dining. All with base access are welcome.

The bowling center grill continues to offer its grab-n-go food service during the center’s hours of operations, which are from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Fridays.

The bowling center is not open during weekends at this time. For more information on DFMWR services, make sure to tune our next JBM-HH town hall.

Virtual SHARP training for JBM-HH

If you are part of the JBM-HH workforce, looking to complete annual training, know there are several upcoming opportunities.

Virtual SHARP training is currently available. Ask your supervisor for details or contact SHARP representatives Felicia Brice at felicia.l.brice.civ@mail.mil Warren Hunter at warren.g.hunter.civ@mail.mil.

Army Emergency Relief is here for Soldiers, Families

Army Emergency Relief is an invaluable resource for Soldiers and Families. Financial help is given in the form of an interest free loan, grant, or combination of the two. If a Family has a financial need, the Soldier should call ACS at (703) 696-3510.

AER is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Please note that documentation is required to justify the dollar amount for loans.

Ride the Myer Flyer


Please keep in mind that riders will be required to show their CAC or military ID to the shuttle driver. Face coverings are required for all riders; and only a maximum of 50% of passengers will be allowed on the bus at this time. Food or drink are not authorized while on the bus.

The U.S. Army is People First.

So are we.

• 4 Million Soldiers and Families served
• $2 Billion distributed as 0% interest loans, grants & scholarships
• 30+ categories of assistance such as childcare, PCS assistance and more
Religious services at JBM-HH

The graphic to the right is a reminder of the weekly schedule of services at Joint Base Myer - Henderson Hall. Registration is no longer a requirement to attend service. Please join the religious services team in the sanctuary for any of our weekend services.

Per the joint base commander's guidance, masks are required for all attendees at in person chapel services. This applies to Memorial Chapel and Old Post Chapel at Joint Base Myer Henderson-Hall.

Thank you for your continued understanding and overwhelming support of our ongoing COVID-mitigation measures.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES at MEMORIAL CHAPEL

Saturdays
5:00 pm Catholic Mass **

Sundays
8:30 am Catholic Mass **
10:30 am Protestant Service *
12:30 pm Gospel Service *
2:30 pm Samoan Service ***

* The Protestant and Gospel Sunday services are streamed LIVE on our Facebook page: facebook.com/jbmhhhrso/

** Registrations no longer required. Please visit the JBM-HH Military Catholic Community’s website for more information and details about their community: jbmhhmcc.com

*** First Sunday of each month ONLY.
Community notice: ceremonial duties on JBM-HH

As the premier ceremonial unit for the Army, the 3d U.S. Infantry Regiment The Old Guard supports events daily (to include weekends), at Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Arlington National Cemetery, the White House, on the grounds of the U.S. Capital, on the National Mall, and in and around the National Capital Region -- upwards of 40 ceremonies/events a month (during normal times).

Ceremonies include events for the president of the United States; official State visits by leaders from other countries; senior leader change of commands, retirements and promotion ceremonies; special annual events such as Twilight Tattoos, the 1812 Overture concert and 4th of July, Memorial Day and Veterans Day events; and funerals at Arlington National Cemetery (the cemetery holds upwards of 30 funerals a day).

The Presidential Salute Battery conducts blank fire drills and ceremony honors using its 81mm cannons. The Old Guard also has rifle teams who conduct the 21-gun salutes during funerals in Arlington National Cemetery and at ceremonies and special events on base. There are nine funeral teams, and the rifle teams have to train between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday – unless they are performing funerals. These teams must maintain proficiency and perfection; constant training through drills is required throughout the year.

The Old Guards’ ceremonial duties stopped last year due to the pandemic, but now that Virginia, Washington and Maryland are opening up, the ceremonies have begun and the drills are necessary.

In an effort to communicate this information to our neighbors, the public affairs office will send notice to the presidents of the civic associations (of our neighborhoods that surround the base) of special events set to take place outside of the regular work hours on the base – 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. – where blank gun shots will be heard.

Follow the joint base’s online platforms indicated below for the latest community notices, including traffic and noise alerts.

Twitter @JBMHH

Facebook www.facebook.com/jbmhh

JBM-HH website home.army.mil/jbmhh

Contact JBM-HH Public Affairs usarmy.jbmhh.asa.list.pao-all@mail.mil
COVID-19 Vaccination Campaign Update:
The COVID-19 vaccination clinic has moved to the Andrew Rader Clinic Readiness Section

WHO: All Active Duty, eligible Tricare beneficiaries age 18 and up, and eligible DoD Civilians/contractors.

WHEN: Monday through Thursday from 8am to 2:30pm by appointment only. There is no walk-in availability.

For additional updates on the Joint Base Myer Henderson Hall Covid-19 Vaccination campaign, please call our automated hotline at 703-696-2994.

HOW: COVID-19 Vaccines are appointment only. There are two ways to schedule an appointment.


Back to School
On Campus
CHECKLIST

- Vaccinations
- Masks
- Hand hygiene

Kids heading back to school soon? Make sure they are prepped and ready to stay safe!
For full details visit https://www.ed.gov/backtoschool.
Because there has been an uptick in positive COVID-19 cases, the National Capital Region remains at Health Protection Condition Bravo.

Please continue to follow the joint base commander’s policy regarding the use of face coverings and maintaining social distancing.

We will continue to monitor the trend of positive cases, the capacity to test, ability treat, and to conduct contact tracing within the National Capital Region.

JBM-HH remains at HPCON Bravo

Joint base modernization

People visiting the joint base may have noticed construction near the dining facility.

The JBM-HH Dining Facility is modernizing. Not only will it have an upgraded kitchen and similar look as what you see in upscale college cafeterias, but it will also offer military enlisted aide training.

Read the full story from the Pentagram at https://www.army.mil/article/249161.
JBM-HH Directorate of Emergency Services employees Brian Sutton and Danpats Mwesigwa and public works employees Huey Vample, Wanda Scott and Lisa Barnes have been approved to receive leave under the Volunteer Leave Program.

Department of the Army civilian employees who would like to donate annual leave can fill out form OPM630a, “Request to Donate Annual Leave to Leave Recipient Under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program (Within Agency),” at www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/opm630a.pdf.

For federal government civilian employees outside the Department of the Army who would like to donate annual leave, please complete form OPM 630b, “Request to Donate Annual Leave to Leave Recipient Under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program (Outside Agency),” at www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/opm630b.pdf.

Please be sure to populate the form with the recipient’s name specifically. Send completed form to Maribel Rodriguez at maribel.rodriguez.civ@mail.mil.

Army Civilian Education

The civilian education system is a progressive and sequential leader development program that provides educational opportunities for Army civilians throughout their careers.

COURSE OFFERINGS:

- **Foundation Course**
  - for all grades hired after September 2006

- **Basic Course**
  - for general service employees
  - GS-01 through 09

- **Intermediate Course**
  - for general service employees
  - GS-10 through 12

- **Advanced Course**
  - for general service employees
  - GS-13 through 15

- **Continuing Education for Senior Leaders**
  - for general service employees
  - GS-14 and 15

- **Action Officer Development Course**

- **Organizational Leader Development Course**

- **Manager Development Course**

- **Supervisor Development Course**
  - for all supervisors

- **Supervisor Development Course - Executive Level**

For the safety of students, faculty, and staff, all Civilian Education System courses will be delivered in a virtual classroom modality at this time.

The Army Management Staff College intends to resume the scheduled educational triad of resident courses at Fort Leavenworth, mobile education teams, and virtual classroom courseware beginning in the third quarter of fiscal year 2022. Several seats are available for all FY22 classes.

The course schedule is available at the link below, and applications can be submitted through CHRTAS. The schedule link is https://usacac.army.mil/organizations/cace/amsc/cesSchedule.
Due to renovations at Bldg. 404, the JBM-HH Dining Facility will now be operating out of Spates Hall, Bldg. 407, for the foreseeable future. Dine-in options for customers is back in effect.

### Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall Dining Facility

**Sept. 6 to 10**

Breakfast $3.65 Lunch $5.85 Dinner $5.10 Brunch $6.55 Supper $8.00

(6:30 to 8:30 a.m.) (11:30 to 1 p.m.) (4:30 to 6 p.m.) (8 a.m. to noon) (4 to 5:30 p.m.)

**Daily Breakfast Menu**

Fried Eggs and Omelets to Order - Scrambled Eggs - Hard Boiled Eggs - Pork Bacon - Pork Sausage - Turkey Bacon - Corn Beef Hash - Home Fried Potatoes or Shredded Hashbrown - Oatmeal - Creamed Beef w/ Biscuits or Croissants - Waffles, French Toast, or Pancakes - Breakfast Burrito Bar (Tuesdays) - Fresh Fruit Assorted Breakfast Pastries

**Daily Short Order Menu**

Grilled Hamburgers - Grilled Cheeseburgers - Grilled Cheese - Chili-Baked Beans - Hot Dogs
One Short Order Specialty Item (i.e. Pizzas, Chicken Tenders, Quesadilla, etc.) Sandwich Bar

### Main Menu

**Monday**

Herbed Baked Chicken - Italian Style Veal Steak - Cheese Tortellini Marinara - Parsley Roasted Potatoes Lyonnaise Rice - Summer Squash - Sautéed Asparagus - Italian Pasta Salad - Pizza Bar Garlic Bread sticks Cheesecake with Strawberry Topping - Oatmeal Raisin Cookies - Yellow Cake w/ Chocolate Icing - Pudding

**Tuesday**

Mexican Baked Chicken - Beef Enchiladas - Spicy Baked Fish - Refried Beans w/ Cheese - Spanish Rice Mexican Street Corn - South of the Boarder Broccoli - Mexican Corn - Macaroni Salad - Chicken Quesadilla - Mexican Cornbread Cherry Pie - Chocolate Cake w/ Chocolate Icing - Sugar Cookies - Jell-O

**Wednesday**


**Thursday**

**Patriot's Day Meal** In remembrance of 9/11

**Friday**

Chicken Pot Pie - Prime Rib - Buttered Baked Fish w/ Garlic - Mash Potatoes - Rice Pilaf - Herbed Green Beans - Glazed Carrots - Dinner Rolls - Lemon Meringue Pie - Chocolate Chip Cookies - Angel Food Cake - Jell-O