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Santa Claus smiles after arriving in Circle, Alaska, on board an Alaska Army National Guard UH-60 Black Hawk to deliver gifts to children during Operation Santa Claus, Nov. 6, 2024. The Alaska National Guard's annual community outreach program has provided toys, backpacks and books to children in remote Alaskan communities since 1956. (Photo by U.S. Air Force Senior Master Sqt. Julie Avey)

'The heart of Fort Novosel'-- 53 volunteers recognized



The US Army Aviation Center of Excellence (AVCOE) and Fort Novosel held a Quarterly Volunteer Recognition Ceremony Nov. 12, 2024, at The U.S. Army Aviation Museum to honor 53 Soldiers and community members from 9 different on post agencies. Fort Novosel volunteers were awarded a certificate and peanut lapel pin for their combined 7,806.5 volunteer hours and the...

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Aviation spouse leaves bright mark on Fort Novosel



"Highly decorated" is a term frequently used referring to Soldiers, but not the buildings and classrooms they frequent across installations. Carolyn Brown, Fort Novosel spouse and local artist, saw a need to help decorate an Aviation Captain's Career Course (CCC) classroom with their updated logo and volunteered her passion for art to do so. "I've always been painting," said Brown...

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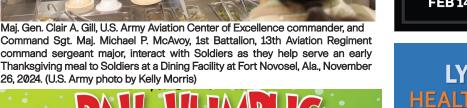
Fort Novosel celebrates the holidays at Winterfest 2024



Fort Novosel hosted its annual holiday celebration, Winterfest, on Dec. 7, 2024. The event featured performances from local school choirs, a visit from Santa, local craft and food vendors, and the official lighting of the post Christmas tree.



Maj. Gen. Clair A. Gill, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence commander, and Command Sgt. Maj. Michael P. McAvoy, 1st Battalion, 13th Aviation Regiment command sergeant major, interact with Soldiers as they help serve an early Thanksgiving meal to Soldiers at a Dining Facility at Fort Novosel, Ala., November













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