



An AH-64 Apache aircrew from the 1st Attack Battalion, 82nd Combat Aviation Brigade takes part in a gunnery exercise in early May. (Army photo)

Fort Novosel hosts Memorial Day Ceremony



Maj. Gen. Michael C. McCurry, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence and Fort Novosel commanding general, CW5 Michael L. Lewis Jr., chief warrant officer of the Aviation Branch, and Command Sgt. Maj. Kirk R. Coley, Aviation Branch command sergeant major salute in honor of the nation's fallen during the Memorial Day Ceremony May 26 at Veterans Park.

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USAACE, Fort Novosel CG hosts housing walking town hall



Maj. Gen. Michael C. McCurry, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence and Fort Novosel commanding general, leads USAACE, garrison, tenant unit and Corvias leaders through the Bowden Terrace neighborhood May 31 during a walking town hall. While few people took part in the town hall, all comments received were positive about people's experiences living in post housing. The general hosts these walking town halls to gain feedback – positive or negative ...

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Logistics Readiness Center employee retires after 50+ years of service



After more than 50 years of public service, a logistics management specialist with the Logistics Readiness Center retired May 23 during a luncheon at Fort Novosel's Divots Restaurant & Grille. William Rymer III received a ceremonial sword from Donald Sankey, chief of plans and operations at the LRC, who added, "Job well done, sir." Rymer will end a long and illustrious career working for...

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Ellis D. Parker Elementary School principal retires after 33 years



School's out forever for the principal of Ellis D. Parker Elementary School who retired May 31 after a 33-year career of guiding and developing Fort Novosel youth. Dr. Vicki Gilmer spent 13 of those years as principal of the school and she said it's hard to put into words how she feels as this chapter of her life comes to a close. "I feel like I have been blessed beyond measure in this career," she said. "I have worked with amazing educators..."

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Elementary school ‘legend’ retires after career spanning 5 decades

After a career spanning five decades, the Ellis D. Parker Elementary School music director performed his live performance swan song accompanied by his last group of band students May 23 at the school. Marcus Hart retired June 2 from his position at the school that he held since August 1982, developing the title “Legend,” along the way, according to his boss, Dr. Vicki Gilmer, principal of the school.

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U.S. Army Aviation Museum hosts United Through Reading event

Sgt. 1st Class Demi Gatrell-Ohlendorf, 110th Aviation Brigade, reads to Fort Novosel youth during an Operation Storytime event hosted by United Through Reading May 25 at the U.S. Army Aviation Museum. Gatrell-Ohlendorf read ‘The Kissing Hand’ by Audrey Penn, which was selected by United Through Reading as its Book for the Military Child to be given out to children of Soldiers throughout the Army, sponsored by Army Emergency Relief. The event was co-hosted by the Military Child Education Coalition and the U.S. Army Aviation...

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