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Washington National Guard Army Staff Sgt. Kevin Lamp and Sgt. Marc Echolas sit on the ramp of a CH-47 Chinook during training at Yakima Training Center, Wash., June 6. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Adeline Witherspoon)

Fort Novosel welcomes new chief warrant officer of the Aviation Branch



The Fort Novosel community gathered to bid farewell to Chief Warrant Officer 5 Michael L. “Myke” Lewis Jr., and welcome Chief Warrant Officer 5 Michael A. Corsaro during a change of responsibility ceremony at Howze Field June 9, 2023.

Partially unsheathing a ceremonial saber for the final time, Lewis then passed the saber to Maj. Gen. Michael C. McCurry, U.S. Army Aviation branch chief, who passed it to ...

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FREEDOM FEST – Fort Novosel celebrates nation’s independence June 30



Fort Novosel will host its annual Freedom Fest June 30 from 4-9 p.m. at its festival fields.

The event will feature food, fun activities for the whole family, one of the best fireworks displays in the Wiregrass and musical guests, including headliner Tag Team of “Whoomp! (There it is)” fame, according to Fort Novosel Directorate of Family, and Morale, Welfare and Recreation officials. Other musical guests include Sleepy Head, Rock Mob ...

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Fort Novosel celebrates Army, TRADOC birthdays with cake



Maj. Gen. Michael C. McCurry, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence and Fort Novosel commanding general, leads the USAACE and garrison command teams in the cutting of the Army birthday cake at Mother Rucker’s June 14. The cake cutting celebrated the 248th birthday of the U.S. Army, and also the 50th birthday of the Training and Doctrine Command. Second Lt. Daniel Page, D Company, 1st Battalion, 145th Aviation Regiment, represented the ...

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AROUND THE ARMY

SPOTLIGHT: National Safety Month

Bolstering NCO corps a priority for Army’s partner nations

Army rolls out new Army Body Composition Program

Degree program provides Soldiers opportunities in medical fields

Army Women’s Museum celebrates Women’s Armed Services Integration Act

War game puts Army modernization into practice

Remains of WWII Soldier, DFC recipient, buried in Arkansas

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Post wraps up successful Army Emergency Relief Campaign

Fort Novosel closed out its annual Army Emergency Relief Campaign during a ceremony at The Landing June 16, continuing the installation's long tradition of successfully raising awareness and funds for the organization that helps Soldiers help Soldiers. All Fort Novosel Soldiers were educated on AER and given a chance to donate to the cause, raising \$86,923 in funds for the program, according to Jo Close, AER officer. Col. Whitney B. Gardner, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence chief of staff, spoke at ...

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USAARL hosts SAC summer campers for STEM learning, fun

The U.S. Army Aeromedical Research Laboratory hosted more than 20 Fort Novosel School Age Center summer campers June 7-8 for science, technology, engineering and mathematics fun and learning. USAARL invites the child and youth services members to the STEM event each year as a bit of a run-up to its annual outreach program, Gains in the Education of Mathematics and Science, which started this week, according to Alane Williams, USAARL STEM ...

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Facility formerly known as Mother Rucker's changes name to Big Mike's

The establishment formerly known and loved by Army aviators worldwide as Mother Rucker's Sports Bar is now Big Mike's Fort Novosel Bar and Grill. The name change concluded a season of change for the post, which became Fort Novosel in April –named after CW4 Michael Novosel, a Medal of Honor recipient and Army Aviation legend. Before the light-hearted sign unveiling, Maj. Gen. Michael C. McCurry, U.S. Army Aviation ...

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'There's always a way': Instructor pilot shares career advice

After serving 16 years in the Army as an enlisted Soldier and as an officer, including in multiple capacities on Fort Novosel in the past few years, Maj. Sara C. Adams has some simple career advice for people who may be contemplating a path in the Army. "There's always a way," said Adams, who serves as the executive officer and UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter instructor pilot at 1st Battalion, 212th Aviation Regiment. "A lot of people, they hit a wall and just spin their wheels. Go around it, go over it, go under ...

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Pay attention to weather reports and warnings of thunderstorms. Be ready to change plans, if necessary, to be near shelter.

When you receive a thunderstorm warning or hear thunder, go inside immediately.

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