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Women's History Observacne held

The 3rd Infantry Division Equal Opportunity Office presents the Women's History Month Observance "Nevertheless, She persisted," March 21, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Club Stewart. For more information, contact Sgt. 1st Class Christine Dezonie at Christine.a.Dezonie. mil@mail.mil.

Use the Safe Ride

Our Safe Ride program is offering drop-off/pickup services to and from Savannah on Saint Patrick's Day weekend. \$10 per person, round trip. For details, please call Leisure Travel Services at 912 767-2841. For Service Members only.

Lanes closed

Fort Stewart lane closures will take place for construction of the new intersection of Gulick Avenue and Hero Road and Veterans Parkway, starting this week. Please drive carefully.

FLEP opportunity

Interested in a career as a judge advocate? Officers in the grade of O-1 through O-3 with two to six years of active duty service are encouraged to apply for the 2018 Funded Legal Education Program selection board. Applications must be received at the Judge Advocate General Corps Personnel, Plans, and Training Office and at Human Resource Center no earlier than Aug. 1 and by Nov. 1. Applicants should schedule interviews with Nancy Seaton, nancy.e.seaton.civ@mail. mil for Septermber. The selection board convenes Dec. 3-4. The results will be posted in January 2019 at www.jagcnet.army.mil. Please see the following Milper message for further details at https://www.hrc.

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Photo by Regan Riggs

Soldiers of 2nd Combined Arms Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment, 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division, compete in a battalion-level physical training competition, March 3, at Fort Stewart. The competition consisted of carrying various weighted objects, crawling through mud pits, and land navigation. See more photos on Page 4A.

Spartans armor-up with Abrams

Spc. Noelle E. Wiehe 50th PAD

See ARMOR

The first shipment of M1A1 Situational Awareness Abrams tanks arrived to the 3rd Infantry Division's "Spartan" Brigade on Feb. 26-28 at Fort Stewart.

One year after the U.S. Army designated the 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team as their 15th ABCT, tanks started to roll in and Spartan Brigade Soldiers began familiarizing themselves with the new combat plat-

The M1A1 SA is one of the three major ground combat systems that comprises an ABCT. The M2A2 Bradley Fighting Vehicle and the M109A6 Paladin Self-propelled howitzer are being fielded concurrently by the brigade's infantry and field artillery units.

The first two units to receive the tanks are 6th Squadron, 8th Cavalry Regiment and 3rd Combined Arms Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment. This shipment is one of three the brigade will be receiving.

"Receiving these tanks will be the last

phase in our squadron officially converting from an infantry reconnaissance squadron to an armored reconnaissance squadron," said Capt. Freddy Mitchell, commander of Troop D, 6-8 Cav. "For the past six months, our troopers have sat through several classes and completed more than 250 hours of simulated training to prepare for this moment."

Mitchell said the intent was execute as much training as possible before drawing the tanks so they knew exactly what to do when the combat systems arrived.

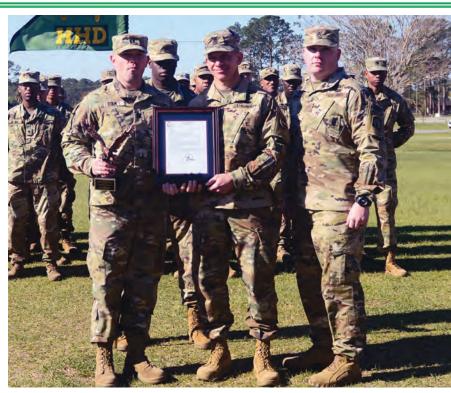


Photo by Spc. Noelle Wiehe

Command Sgt. Maj. Michael Grinston, command sergeant major for U.S. Army Forces Command, presents the Soldiers of the Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 385th Military Police Battalion, with the FORSCOM Readiness Trophy, March 8, on Dragoon Field at Fort Stewart. See Story on Page 6A.

SFAB recruits

Staff Report

The Security Force Assistance Brigade's recruiting team is slated to visit Fort Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield, March 20-22 to provide information to interested and eligible volunteer officers and noncommissioned officers.

Soldiers in more than 60 military occupational skills and 20 career fields are needed to fill 6 SFAB units to conduct an elite and career progressive mission. Incentives for Soldiers interested in volunteering for SFAB include special pay and accelerated promotion opportunities.

SFABs formations are specially trained and built to enable combatant commanders to accomplish theater security objectives by training, advising, assisting, accompanying and enabling allied and partnered indigenous security forces.

Each SFAB will be staffed with more than 800 officers and noncommissioned officers who volunteered and have proficiency in training and advising foreign secu-

Five of the six brigades will be active duty and one will be National Guard and designed on the Infantry and Armored Brigade Combat Team models.

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Photo by Sqt. Arjenis Nunez

Capt. Elizabeth A. Brunette, an assistant intelligence officer assigned to the 3rd Sustainment Brigade, 3rd ID and senior representative of The Women's Mentorship Network, introduces panelists Leah Poole, Edna Jackson, Sanjeet Joshi and Jessica Neeley at the "Keeping it Real Event" celebrating International Women's Day, March 8, at Fort Stewart.

"Keeping it Real" for International Women's Day

Sgt. Arjenis Nunez 50th PAD

In honor of International Women's Day, the 3rd Sustainment Brigade, hosted a four-person panel discussions titled "Keeping it Real," at Fort Stewart, March 8.

The panel featured female leaders from the coastal Georgia and Savannah region and were invited to speak with the female leaders of 3rd ID about mentorship: how they reached their level of success and how the women of the division can accomplish their

Edna Jackson, the 65th mayor of Savannah, Leah Poole, the chief executive officer of the Liberty County Chamber of Commerce and Liberty County Convention and Visitors Bureau; Sanjeet Joshi a simulation and software engineer at Gulfstream Aerospace Corporation and Jessica Neeley, a money management counselor and co-founder of the "Women Rock! Nation" annual conference were the panel participants for the conference.

The panel was selected for their professionalism and commitment to the local community by offering mentorship and empowering women to overcome any fears they may have about reaching their

Each of the women on the event's panel are distinguished leaders in the local community and gave their perspective on how they have been successful, said Capt. Elizabeth A. Brunette, an assistant intelligence officer assigned to 3rd SB.

Jackson was the first African-American woman mayor of Savannah and held the position from 2012 to 2016. She spoke of her efforts for the civil rights movement and how the struggles of her fellow African-Americans motivated her to persevere in the face of adversity.

"No one person is a village," Jackson said. "Working

together alongside the men on equal footing, having the bravery to ask for help and being selfless enough to support your fellow women fosters success." Pvt. Diana Brown, a mortuary affairs specialist

assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd SB, and a Charlotte, North Carolina native, said providing a tangible source of failure and success made it easier to receive the guidance and wisdom many of the Soldiers in attendance felt they needed.

"This panel reminded me of my mom," Brown said. "These are women who had their own personal obstacles to overcome, but they remained focused. Even though my mom had me very young, she worked through the difficulty of being a young parent and continued her education."

Additional themes of the event included building a community around yourself and being selfless.

Cohesion was echoed by Brunette and panelist Poole.

"I think for females from any generation it's important for them to remember to be wise in who they surround themselves with," Poole said. "Your environment can impact your potential to succeed so surround yourself with strong men and women who can guide you along your path to reaching the goals you have set for yourself.'

Brunette is a senior representative of The Women's Mentorship Network, which is a nonprofit organization comprised of female service members across various installations.

"I think there will be more positive change for women in uniform when more female leaders who want to help those around them are developed," Brunette said. "Both men and women benefit from positive role models and positive examples and when someone volunteers to be a role model to mentor someone professionally, the organization grows as a result."

Marne Voices Speak Out

Which four teams do you think will make it to the finale four in the March madness brackets this year?



- 1. Duke
- 2. Virginia Tech 3. NC State
- 4. Villanova

2nd Lt. Rachael Dehlinger STB, 90th HRC

- 1. Villanova
- 2. Duke
- 3. Florida
- 4. Purdue

Lt. Col. Antonio Lowell STB, 3IDSB





- 1. Duke
- 2. North Carolina
- 3. Kansas
- 4. Alabama

Spc. Nicholas Bowie 87th CSSB

- 1. Auburn
- 2. Virginia
- 3. Kansas
- 4. Duke

Spc. Matthew Mozeikas 87th CSSB





- 1. Wichita State
- 2. University of Kansas
- 3. University of Southern California
- 4. Duke

Cpt Charles Awotwi 87th CSSB

3rd SB FRG advisor nominated for Military Spouse of the Year

Staff Sgt. Sierra A. Melendez 50th PAD

Anna Hagerty, an Army spouse and senior spouse advisor for the Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Sustainment Brigade, was recently nominated as the 2018 Armed Forces Insurance Military Spouse of the Year.

"I nominated Anna in January after seeing an announcement about the Armed Forces Insurance Military Spouse of the Year competition in the Frontline," said Lt. Col. Michael D. Hagerty, the commander of the STB. "I thought it would a nice way to publically recognize Anna for everything she does to support our Soldiers and our community."

According to the MSOY Military Spouse website, the award will be presented in Washington, D.C., in early May and honors military spouses from all branches of service who maintain the home front while their service members defend the nation.

Anna has tirelessly and proudly served besides her husband throughout countless temporary duties, training and field exercises, permanent change of station moves and deployments - including his current tour to Afghanistan.

Michael believes Anna's loyalty to not only him, but every unit he has been assigned to throughout his career is what authenticates her nomination.

"My husband and I met in college at Appalachian State University in Boone, North Carolina," said Anna. "In the course of ten days, he graduated college, was commissioned as an officer and we got married. It was a bit of a whirlwind."

Shortly after they were married, Anna found herself in Fairbanks, Alaska -- more than a 1,000 miles away from home. Once her husband deployed, the sinking feeling of loneliness and isolation soon set in.

"One of the most difficult things at first was just not knowing how the

system works," Anna said. "Not remained humble. knowing what's going on and kind of the lack of communication."

Family Readiness Group. The feel- friends and the people that we care ings of solitude and obscuration quickly dissipated once she found a family in a group of spouses in situations identical to hers.

According to policy, FRGs are command-sponsored organization comprised of Soldiers, civilian employees, Family Members and volunteers belonging to a unit. They provide mutual support and most importantly, a network of communications among the Family Members, the chain of command and community resources.

"I felt an immense amount of comfort in knowing, I wasn't alone," said Anna. "I didn't have to feel isolated or like I was the only one doing this. I relied on the wealth of information of camaraderie of the other spouses."

20 years later and Anna is still heavily involved in the FRG community. She has held several positions within FRGs across the Army and has volunteered countless amounts of time and resources to surrounding communities and installations.

Anna relentless dedication to Soldiers and Families and her contributions along with her unwavering commitment to the military community, is what prompted her husband to nominate her for the

"Anna exemplifies what it means to be an Army spouse," said Michael. "She's a caring mother and committed volunteer and has served alongside me in the Army for the past 20 years. She helps serve the families of several hundred deployed 3rd Infantry Division Soldiers. In addition, Anna serves the community by volunteering at the local YMCA board and is dedicated to making our base and local community bet-

When asked about her feelings on the distinct nomination, Anna

"I'm not doing anything special," Anna said. "I'm just doing what I Eventually, Anna joined her unit's need to for our Families, for our about. When you do it on those terms, it comes very naturally and easily."

Anna hopes to expand her audience by hosting quarterly seminars aimed at younger spouses that will be open to all Families on Fort

Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield. Anna acknowledges FRGs carry a negative connotation with horror stories of cattiness and cliques. She hopes the seminars will offer Army spouses that have heard rumors a new perspective and fresh outlook on the benefits of the command

sponsored group. "Unfortunately, some of what they have heard may be true," said Anna. "But that is not the norm and I think it's important that we foster the kind of environments that are knowledgeable and caring. I want them to see the value in FRGs."

She adds there isn't a specific skill set needed in order to be an FRG

"I love how different everyone is," Anna said. "I can do things that maybe you can't and you can do things that I can't, but together we can do great things. There's a place for everybody and their own unique talents and gifts."

While Lt. Col. Hagerty has a battalion command, Anna has a squad she manages on the home front. The Hagertys have a total of seven children, ranging from ages two to 17.

"I have my hands full," said Anna. "But my heart's full too." Anna urges young spouses inter-

ested in attending her seminar and senior spouses interested in assisting the forum to email her at annahagerty2018msoyfshaaf@gmail. com. While the date and location of the seminar are pending, she hopes she can utilize her new recognition as an opportunity to spread the word on the importance and benefits of

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Staff Sgt. Dane Wilson, a squad leader with Company C, 2nd Combined Arms Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment, 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division climbs the confidence tower while training on the Darby Queen obstacle course March 2 at Fort Benning. Wilson is scheduled to compete in the 2018 Best Ranger competition April 13-15. BRC is an event where Ranger qualified two-Soldier teams compete in numerous physical and tactical



Photo by Staff Sgt. Nathan C. Berry A group of 3rd ID Best Ranger competitors swing across lateral bars on the Darby

1st Lt. Colton Giordano, a platoon leader with 3-15th Inf. 2ABCT, 3rd ID, gains his balance on an obstacle during a practice run.



1st. Lt. Colton Giordano, a platoon leader in HHC, 3-15 Inf., 2ABCT, 3rd ID, maneuvers in and out of the weaver obstacle

Raider Brigade update from Korea

Below: An NCO from 1st Battalion, 41st Field Artillery negotiates an obstacle during a physical fitness session at the Camp Hovey obstacle course. Look for these and other photos on the 3rd Infantry Division Facebook site at www.facebook.com/pg/3rd.Infantry.Division.





Soldiers from 2nd Battalion, 7th Infantry Regiment pose for a photo at their motorpool in Korea.



A Soldier from 1-41 FA highi crawls under barbed wire during a physical fitness training session at the Camp Hovey obsta-





Panthers pursue victory

Photos by Pfc. Regan Riggs

Soldiers of 2nd Combined Arms Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment (Panthers), 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division, crawl through a mud pit during a battalionlevel physical training competition March 3 at Fort Stewart. The competition consisted of carrying various weights, crawling through mud pits, and land navigation. Leaders use competition as a way to drive excellence and create esprit de corps amongst the Soldiers.

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Once the tanks were drawn from the staging area, the Soldiers began equipment inventories and operator-level maintenance training.

Operational fielding is one of many steps to ensure individuals, crew and units are trained. The fielding will be complete in mid-May.

Capt. Jordan Woodburn, commander of B Company, 3-67 AR said, "Drawing the tanks will set us up for the ability to conduct crew gunnery, collective gunnery and combined arms live-fire exercises. Eventually we will certify at a combat training center and deploy to wherever the U.S. Army tells us to go."



Photos by Spc. Robert Winns

Above: Capt. Jordan Woodburn, commander of Co. B, 3-67 Armor, 2nd ABCT, 3rd ID, explains the importance of thorough inventories to his Soldiers Feb. 28 at Fort Stewart. The Soldiers must inventory all equipment before signing for their newly received M1A1 Abrams tanks. This shipment is the first of three tank shipments the brigade will receive.

Pfc. Phillip Knuckles and Sgt.1st Class Kenneth Vetch, armor crewmen assigned to 3-67 Armor, conduct inventories on their newly received M1A1 Abrams tanks Feb.



SFAB From Page 1A

"I made sure to insist we fill this unit with volunteers," said Army Chief of Staff Gen. Mark A. Milley. "Not voluntold, not drafted – volunteers. I'm a firm believer for missions such as this, you ought to recognize the hazards and understand the importance and lasting impact of what you are getting into."

SVAB information sessions will be at 10 a.m., 1:30 p.m., and 3 p.m. each day. March 20, Hunter Army Airfield Post Theater and March 21 and 22 at Fort Stewart's Woodruff Theater. For more information contact the SFAB Recruiting Team at 910 570-9975 or visit: www.facebook.com/SFABRecruiting.

Photo by Pfc. Zoe Garbarino

Right: Spc. John Ellis, an explosive ordnance specialist from 5-1 SFAB, helps an Afghan National Army role player learn to deactivate an improvised explosive device during a simulated scenario at the Joint Readiness Training Center at Fort Polk, Louisiana, Jan. 23. The JRTC rotation was conducted in order to prepare the newly formed 1st SFAB for an upcoming deployment to Afghanistan in the spring of 2018.





A 1st SFAB combat advisor talks to a simulated Afghan National Defense Security Forces commander through an interpreter about conflict in a fictional town, Jan. 2, as part of rotation 18-03 at the JRTC, Fort Polk, Louisiana.



A Soldier from 2-1 SFAB, helps an Afghan National Army role player apply a tourniquet during a simulated scenario at the JRTC at Fort Polk, Louisiana, Jan. 15.

Paladins join Battlekings



Pfc. Zoe Garbarino

Cannon crew members from Battery B, 1st Battalion, 9th Field Artillery Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division Field Artillery, conduct inventory on equipment for new M109 Paladins at Fort Stewart March 9. The battery provides fire support for 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 3rd ID, which is transitioning from a light infantry brigade combat team to an armored brigade combat team.

Spartan DFAC adds Grab-N-Go cafe'



Col. James K. Dooghan, commander of 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division and Command Sgt. Maj. Michael McMurdy, senior enlisted advisor of 2nd ABCT, 3rd ID, cut a ribbon during the grand opening of the Spartan dining facility grab and go section on March 12 at Fort Stewart. The grab and go, also known as Little Rock Cafe, allows Soldiers to grab their food while on the go. The cafe will be opened Monday through Friday during breakfast and lunch.

DES CORNER: Certain plants may cause illness, death

Richard W. Rudolph

Many people enjoy gardening and the resulting compliments given to their yard. It's admirable they have taken the time to make their homes look clean and nice; they should get compliments on their hard work and time they put in to it.

However, there are children and pets in the neighborhood besides your own. So when you pick out flowers and shrubs to enhance your landscape, make sure you ask if any parts of the plants are poisonous.

Jasmine, for instance, is an ornamental plant, but if a child or pet eat the berries it could be fatal; they disrupt the digestive and nervous systems.

Another is rhubarb, which grows in many vegetable gardens. It's safe unless you eat the leaf blades raw. They can cause convulsions, coma and death.

These are just two examples of deadly plants; there are many others in house plants, flower gardens, trees and shrubs, wooded areas and fields. Some look very pretty to young children, especially the ones that produce berries.

Before you buy any plant, research it just a little to make sure you are not putting some children or family pets in danger. You can find additional information at www.aggie-horticulture.tamu.edu.



The Water Hemlock, Cicuta maculate. Flowers are white umbels up to 6 inches across with 12 - 15 groups of umbellets with 10 or more in each cluster.

Marne Pride in action for 3rd ID March 5-11 2 total DUI

The Marne Pride pledge:

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Army CID Offers \$5,000 Reward

Special to the Frontline

The U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command, commonly referred to as CID, is offering a \$5,000 reward to anyone with information leading to the identification, arrest and conviction of a person wanted for the sexual assault of a Soldier assigned to Fort Stewart, Georgia, in October 2017.

The on-post assault reportedly occurred in a barracks in the early morning hours of October 9, 2017. The assailant is described as African American, approximately 5 foot, 8 inches to 10 inches tall, medium build, a military-style haircut and a slight southern accent. A police composite sketch has been provided with this release and may resemble the person wanted for questioning in connection with this crime. Anyone with information regarding this incident should

contact Special Agent Bernardo Perez at the Fort Stewart CID Office at 912-767-2900 or 912-271-7731.

You may also contact your local Army CID office or CID Headquarters in Virginia at 1-844-Army-CID or 571-305-4375 or email Crime Tips at Army. CID.Crime.Tips@mail.mil.

No additional information is being released at this time to protect the integrity of the investigation.

The reward expires February 12, 2019. The payout of cash rewards to military and federal employees for information leading to a conviction is contingent upon their exceptional actions regarding the information provided. Individuals wishing to remain anonymous will be honored to the degree allowable under the law and the information will be held in the strictest confidence allowable.

\$10,000 Reward

Special to the Frontline

The U.S. Army Criminal

Army Airfield, is seeking information pertaining to the identification, arrest, and conviction for the person(s) responsible for destruction of government vehicles within the 2-3 Aviation Regiment, 4-3 Aviation motor pool on South Lighting Road, Hunter Army Airfield.

Between Jan. 12-14, an unknown person(s) by unknown means entered the 2-3 AVN BN / 4-3 AVN BN motor pool and vandalized 69 vehicles by breaking the windshields.

Any person with information regarding this incident should contact the hunter CID office at 912 433-Investigation Command, Hunter 1739 or 912-271-8436. The point of

contact is Special Agent Hensley or Special Agent Moon. The payout of

cash rewards to military and federal employees information leading to a conviction is contingent upon their exceptional actions regarding the information

provided. Your information can remain confidential. The offer expires Jan. 18, 2019.

FORSCOM CSM presents Eagle Award

Spc. Noelle Wiehe 50th PAD

Command Sgt. Maj. Michael Grinston, command sergeant major of U.S. Army Forces Command, visited Fort Stewart, March 8, to present Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 385th Military Police Battalion with the FORSCOM Readiness Trophy (Eagle Award) for their commitment to excellence.

detachment or company for achievements that encom- FORSCOM receives this each year," Grinston said. pass all aspects of readiness and directly relate to mis- Morgan said this is the first time his detachment ha sion success.

"The award is given based upon our accomplishments as far as training, readiness to deploy, medical readiness, personnel readiness, you name it, as far as detachments go across FORSCOM," said Sgt. 1st Class Thomas Morgan, detachment sergeant.



The annual award recognizes the best military police "This is a big deal; only one detachment within

received the award in all its lineage.

"It was a huge deal for our Soldiers to see that the award was important on the strategic level and the fact that we push readiness all the time and that is exactly what he talked about - that you have to take care of individual readiness just to do your job," he added.

Categories considered during the selection process included weapons qualification, military and civilian education, training assessments, medical and physical readiness, individual and unit awards, and unit discipline.

Morgan said one of the detachments most notable accomplishment in the past year was certification to be the only military police detachment participating in the Defense Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and High-yield Explosives Response Force. Personnel involved were trained for 12 months to react to a mass CBRNE incident within the continental United States.

Grinston spent the morning conducting physical training with the Soldiers and made time to answer questions and talk about promotions, Soldiers' living conditions, budget priorities of the Army, military education opportunities, empowering noncommissioned officers and his experiences at Ranger School.

Photo by Spc. Noelle Wiehe

Command Sgt. Maj. Michael Grinston, command sergeant major for U.S. Army Forces Command, speaks to Soldiers of the 385th Military Police Battalion after presenting the Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion with the FORSCOM Readiness Trophy (Eagle Award) March 8, at Fort Stewart.



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COMMUNITY LEISURE

Photos by Lt. Kelsey Cochran

Lt. Col. Patrick Moffett led a formation of Soldiers as 1-9 FA represented the 3rd ID during the Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Festival, March 10 in Claxton.

Military supports Claxton festivities

Staff Report

Over the weekend, Soldiers from 1st Battalion, 9th Field Artillery "Battle Kings" supported the Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Festival, March 10-11.

Lt. Col. Patrick Moffett led a formation of Soldiers as representatives of the 3rd Infantry Division in a parade, March 10 and Soldiers later set up a static display to help familiarize attendees with their equipment and mission.

The Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield g

rison command team of Col. Jason Wolter and Command Sgt. Maj. Martin Conroy also participated in the mornings rattlesnake hunt and showed their support for Soldiers and community in the activates throughout the

The event included a birds of prey flight demonstration, wildlife displays hosted by the Southern University Wildlife Center, Georgia Department of Natural Resources hunting and fishing simulators, snake handling demonstrations, arts and crafts, music and more



Photo by Lt. Kelsey Cochran

Sgt. Mitchell Manor, Battery C, 1-9 FA, operates a static display at the Claxton Rattlesnake and Wildlife Festival March 10, to familiarizes attendees with military equpment.



The Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield garrison command team of Col. Jason Wolter (right) and Command Sgt. Maj. Martin Conroy (center) demonstrate their Rattlesnake rangling skills at the Claxton Rattlesnake Wildlife Festival, March 10.

leen Talk

International Women's Day

Nalona Fayson **Teen Contributor**

March 8 was International Women's Day. The day celebrates the movement and growth of women across the world.

The day is special day for

those who made a change and broke the glass ceiling in order to pave the way for future generations of women. According to international womens day. com, their goal is to bring attention to the struggle women go through in order to achieve equality.

The cultural, ethnic, and overall diversity of women and the betterment



of us all is what makes this day extremely important and special. If you'd like to show your support, you can by simply wearing white, purple, or gold. This is in honor and remembrance of the suffragettes during the British Suffragette

Movement. Although women have come a long way, we still have a lot more work to do internationally as a whole. There are still women in certain places who do not have the ability to improve their situation.

So by coming together maybe we can keep improving the women of this world. That's what March 8 is all about.

Univision offers free access to active duty military

Special to the Frontline

Univisión is now offering 12 months of free access to its app with live and on demand streaming of Univisión and UniMás Spanish-language television channels to active duty military members.

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Reel Time Theaters



Black Panther (PG13)

Friday, March 16 - 6 p.m. T'Challa, the King of Wakanda, rises to the throne in the isolated, technologically advanced African nation, but his claim is challenged by a vengeful outsider who was a childhood victim of T'Challa's father's mistake. Stars: Chadwick Boseman, Michael B. Jordan, Lupita Nyong'o

Fifty Shades Freed (R)

Friday, March - 9 p.m. Anastasia and Christian get married, but Jack Hyde continues to threaten their relationship. Stars: Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan, Eric Johnson





Early Man (PG)

Saturday, March 17 - 3 p.m. Set at the dawn of time, when prehistoric creatures and woolly mammoths roamed the earth, Early Man tells the story of Dug, along with sidekick Hognob as they unite his tribe against a mighty enemy Lord Nooth and his Bronze Age City to save their home. Stars: Tom Hiddleston, Eddie Redmayne, **Maisie Williams**

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Military kids can unite with Marvel heroes at Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Exchange

Sylvia D. Carpenter **AAFES**

The Army and Air Force Exchange Service at Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield is gearing up for Month of the Military Child with Marvel Universe Unites, an interactive adventure inspired by the upcoming film "Avengers: Infinity War."

During the March 24 event, kids age four and older can go on a mission to collect the six Infinity Stones before they fall into the hands of the evil Thanos. Participants earn Infinity

Stones by demonstrating their most epic superhero moves using Black Panther's claw, Thor's hammer, Hulk's fists, Captain America's shield and other Marvel superhero gear. Once all the stones have been collected, junior superheroes can glue the stones to a drawing of the Infinity Gauntlet that they can color in themselves and take home to keep.

"The Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield honors the sacrifices military children make every day, from enduring frequent moves to watching parents deploy to faraway and often dangerous areas," said Exchange General Manager Common Orris. "We can't wait to show our appreciation by giving them the opportunity to step into the boots of their favorite Marvel superheroes."

The event will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Fort Stewart's main store.

Marvel Universe Unites is one of several events planned by the Exchange in celebration of Month of the Military Child, which every April recognizes the contributions of Warfighters' children to the armed forces community. For information about Exchange sweepstakes, offers and events in support of Month of the Military Child, visit ShopMyExchange.com/momc.

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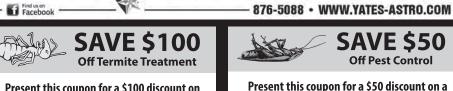
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March 10

Derek Jace Dietrich, a boy, 6 pounds, 9 ounces, born to Cpl. Kylie Shay Dietrich.



Winn Briefs

Save the date

Save the date! The second annual Ladies Night is scheduled for April 26 from 5:30-8:30 p.m. Come out and join us for an evening of entertainment, health education, and door prizes. Do you or a Family member need volunteer hours? Please reach out to us as we are looking for support for this event. The point of contacts for this event are 1st Lt. Jennifer Lopera at *Jennifer.c.lopera.mil@mail.mil* and Cynthia Henley at *cynthia.d.henley2.civ@mail.mil*.

Reduced costs for certain drugs

TRICARE beneficiaries taking certain maintenance drugs for diabetes or high cholesterol are now paying lower or no copayments as part of a pilot program. The Medication Adherence Pilot Program, launched on Feb. 1, will examine whether people are more likely to follow a medication treatment plan when those drugs are available at no-or-reduced cost.

TRICARE referrals, authorizations

If a necessary service is not available from the military hospitals and clinics, a referral will be required. Some procedures and services, including hospitalization, require prior authorization from Humana Military. Once your referral is authorized, the quickest and easiest way to check on your referral is through the self-service portion of the Humana Military web portal. You can sign up to check on your referral through the Beneficiary portion of the Humana Military web portal at: https://www.humanamilitary.com/beneficiary.

Winn Health Tip of Week: Colorectal Cancer Awareness

Did you know that colorectal cancer is the 2nd leading cancer killer in the United States? Also known as bowel cancer, it is the development of cancer in the colon or rectum. It is expected to cause about 50,000 deaths this year. Men and African Americans have a higher risk of getting colon cancer.

Combat colon cancer- early screening, lifestyle changes part 2

Sandra Durrence

Winn ACH, Army Public Health

People at higher risk of developing colorectal cancer should begin screening at a younger age, and may need to be tested more frequently. Consult your Primary Care Provider if you are at risk or 50 years old or older and have not started screening. According to the National Foundation for Cancer Research, you can reduce your risks of developing colorectal cancer by following these 10 steps:

1. Go to a doctor if you have any colon cancer symptoms.

Usually, colon cancer doesn't have any symptoms. However, in the later stages, symptoms may include thin stools, cramping, unexplained weight loss, and bloody stools.

2. If you're 50 or older, schedule a colon cancer screening.

Research indicates that by age 50, one in four people has polyps (colon cancer precursors). Getting screened is an excellent colon cancer prevention method

3. Eat a balanced diet.

Diets high in fat and cholesterol (especially from animal sources) have been linked to increased colon cancer risk. High-fiber diets, however, have shown a protective effect.

4. Maintain a healthy weight.

All other things equal, obese men seem to be more

at risk for colon cancer than obese women. Also, certain body types seem to influence risk more than others.

Studies indicate that extra fat in the waist (an apple shape) increases colon cancer risk more than extra fat in the thighs or hips (a pear shape).

5. Maintain an active lifestyle.

Research indicates that exercising can reduce colon cancer risk by as much as 40 percent.

Exercise also tends to reduce the incidence of other risk factors for colon cancer, like obesity and

6. Consider genetic counseling.

People who carry genetic mutations linked to hereditary colon cancer are the most likely to develop the disease. If someone in your family has had multiple polyps, or if you're of Ashkenazi Jewish descent, you should seriously consider adding genetic counseling to your colon cancer prevention plan.

7. Learn your family medical history.

When discussing colon cancer prevention with your doctor, remember to mention if family members have had polyps or colon cancer. Other cancers (such as stomach, liver, and bone) may also be relevant

8. Talk to a doctor about your personal medical history.

As you may have guessed, discussing your own medical history is extremely important when it comes to colon cancer prevention. Sometimes we feel like doctors aren't interested in what we have to say, so we try to answer their questions as quickly and succinctly as possible. But it's alright and advisable to talk about your health history. Of particular concern are polyps, certain cancers, and chronic inflammation of the bowel, all of which can increase the risk of developing colon cancer.

9. Don't smoke.

Smoking increases your risk for two main reasons. First, inhaled or swallowed tobacco smoke transports carcinogens to the colon. Second, tobacco use appears to increase polyp size.

10. Reduce radiation exposure.

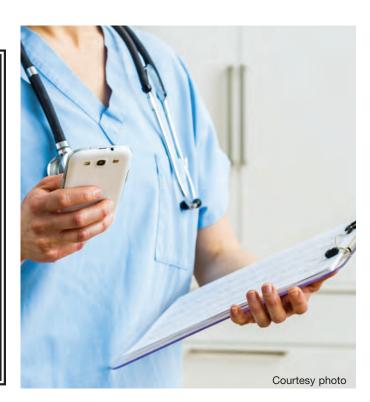
According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, colon cancer has been caused by doses of about 1,000 millisieverts.

The good news is that the Center for Disease Control reports colon cancer survival has increased substantially at all stages of disease with scientific advancements since the 1980s. However, early detection still gives you the best odds of survival with a 90 percent chance of five-year survival after localized detection of cancer, 70 percent after regional spread of cancer, and 10 percent survival after distant metastasis. With appropriate diet and lifestyle changes, timely screening, and early intervention, you can greatly reduce your risk of death from colon

For more information, contact your Primary Care Provider or Winn Army Public Health Nursing at 912 435-5071.

Colorectal cancer screening guidelines for people 50 and older at average risk

Test	Frequency	
Stool test, such as the fecal immunochemical test (FIT) or the fecal occult blood test (FOBT)	Every year	
or		
Sigmoidoscopy	Every 5 years*	
or		
Colonoscopy	Every 10 years	
*Some experts recommend combining a stool test with a sigmoidoscopy		





CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Be content by finding balance

Chaplain David Dyrenforth 6-8 CAV

The Jewish mystic Maharal observed the word "Shalom" begins with the Hebrew root word "Shin", indicating God's peace begins with balance. From that balance, we can transcend our current struggles and discover the joy, peace, confidence and security of being with God. However, without the balance that integrates us into being complete people, none can properly live in God's presence. Maharal contended that life should be spent seeking the balance point between the unhealthy extremes. A happy mid-point can bring contentment to life.

It is difficult to find balance with either our time or emotions; both are fixed resources that cannot be increased. Family, friends, work, hobbies, faith,

self-care and fitness may be among our demands. If we give all our effort and time to one area, the other areas will be neglected to the point of failure. For some of us, the balance between work and family is disproportionately unhealthy. It is not always long hours that

create the imbalance; it can also be stress or emotional investment. When the demands of work are high, we will naturally have less emotional capacity for family life. Conversely, when our home life is demanding, our effectiveness at work is significantly reduced.

The results of imbalance can lead an over-functioning worker to potentially become an underin the areas of life outside of work.

gles. They seem like two different people, which is not healthy.

Most relationships have partners with complimentary personalities. In healthy relationships, the partners are near equals, with perhaps one partner being slightly over-functioning and the other slightly under-functioning. When the relationship shifts out of balance, the one who over-functions is often viewed as nagging or dissatisfied, while the one who under-functions often appears to lack effort or responsibility in making the relationship work. An unbalanced relationship with either our job or with another person will lead us to disappointment.

The best way to find balance starts with accepting that our relationships to our work and to others will not bring us lasting joy. When our identity is in our performance, we become enslaved by the illusions

of happiness through power and praise. Lasting joy comes from God who fills us with his peace and confidence from the Holy Spirit. We have peace when our identity is in him. When we refuse to deplete our emotional energy in a sin-

gle area of life, we have the emotional reserve needed to function properly in other areas of our lives. The healthy balance is found in being fully engaged with both work and family, as well as other areas of life. This optimal-functioning comes from knowing and respecting our limits. When we push beyond our limits, we jeopardize our long-term wellness.

Ironically, we train ourselves and others how to behave in the relationships that effect our wellbeing. When we feel that we need to control another person or abandon our responsibility in a relationship, then we let the scales slip further out of balance and this may lead to disaster. However, we also have the power of self-discipline to take responsibility for ourselves and provide the freedom for our partners to take responsibility for themselves.

By promoting independence in each partner, a relationship not only finds harmonious balance, it also increases the choice to stay in a relationship rather than feeling trapped in it. Actively seeking this balance of priorities and responsibilities prepares each of us to experience the peace of God in all areas of life.

Chapel Schedule

Fort Stewart

9:00 a.m.

11:45 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:45 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Location Sunday Mass Main Post Chapel Main Post Chapel Weekday Mass (Confession available daily and before Sunday Mass)

Protestant (Sundays) Traditional

Gospel Adult Sunday School

Chapel Next

Multi-Cultural Gospel Main Post Chapel 12:30 p.m. Service Kids' Church (Sundays) K- 6th Grade Main Post Chapel 1:00 p.m. PWOC (Wednesdays) Main Post Chapel 9:00 a.m. PWOC (Check https://www.facebook.com/stewartPWOC, or

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Buddhist (Last Sunday) Marne Chape 11:00 p.m

Hunter Army Airfield

<u>Catholic</u> **Location** <u>Time</u> **Sunday Mass Hunter Chapel** 11:00 a.m. Catholic CCD **Building 129** 9:30 a.m. **Protestant**

Sunday Service Hunter Chapel 9:00 a.m. Kids' Church **Hunter Chapel** 9:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall PWOC (Thursday) Main Post Chapel 9:30 a.m.

> **Religious Education Contacts** Fort Stewart Religious Education, Bill Agnew: 912-767-9789 **Hunter Army Airfield** Religious Education, Charles Archer: 912-315-5934

Vacation Bible School schedule changes:

Fort Stewart, June 11-15

Main Post Chapel, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Sgt. 1st Class Shameria Jones 767-1820) Mary Rudolph-Fairley (767-4418) Bill Agnew (767-9789)

Hunter Army Airfield, June 18-22

Hunter Chapel, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Sgt. Anastasia Proctor (315-5111)

Pvt. Zaria Williams (315-5515) Charles Archer (315-5934)

Holy Week opportunities

Catholic

Penitential Mass

March 26 6 p.m. at the Main Post Chapel

Holy Thursday Mass

March 29 7 p.m. at the Main Post Chapel

Good Friday Mass

March 30

3 p.m. at the Main Post Chapel

Easter Vigil Mass

March 31 8pm at the Main Post Chapel

Protestant

Good Friday Service

March 30 11:30 a.m. at the Marne Chapel

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functioning member of their family. If we make important decisions and give maximum performance all day at work, there may be nothing left at the end of the work day, which may allow others, be it friends or family, to make important decisions and compensate for our under-functioning nature Many Soldiers compartmentalize their work and

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Soldiers and the community around us.

around the entrance of Fort Stewart and a four-mile stretch of roadway. The volunteers groomed the

area and worked to improve the environment in

Bob Norman

Fort Stewart Red Cross

view of the installation.

boosted participant's morale.

fication event Saturday, March 10.

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Nikaylah Caprick, Tyena Wilson and Jaiden Caprick help other members of the Red Cross Club clean up near the Fort Stewart entrance on General Screven Way, on March 10.



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Karen Bell leans down to help Bobbi Hart March 10 as volunteers with the Red Cross Club helped "Keep Libery Beautiful", near Fort Stewart.

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526 Maxwelton Circle, Hinesville \$185,000. This remarkable home is well-maintained and spacious with 4 bedrooms and 2 baths. Home features a formal living room and dining room, eat-in kitchen, and a fover. Enjoy the nice fireplace in the family room during those cold Winter nights or the large fenced backyard for cookouts during the Summer. This home also has a 5th room that can be used as an office or game room. Conveniently located minutes from schools, shopping, and Ft. Stewart! Call us today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, RE-ALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@ coldwellbanker.com



691 Hope Circle, Ludowici. Quiet country living off the beaten path. Well kept 3 bedroom 2 bath home. Totally fenced in nestled in the Oaks. Just 15 minutes to Ft. Stewart gates. \$99,900. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



REDUCED TO \$89,900. Look at this little treasure! This exquisite home features large bedrooms, master bedroom has its own personal bathroom, stainless steel appliances, and ceiling fans throughout the house. It also features a large chain-link fence and storage shed. This gorgeous home sits in a cul-de-sac in the Tupelo Trail Subdivsion only about 5 minutes to the main gate of Fort Stewart. It is also conveniently located walking distance to restaurants and parks. Call us to schedule your own personal tour today!Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



Pulaski Drive, Ludowici. \$159,900. Amazing home 6.2 miles to Ft. Stewart gate 7. Located outside the city limit.NO CITY TAXES! This home has wood laminate floors in the living area and tile in the kitchen and bathroom.Sip coffee in your screened porch. Large eat-in kitchen with stainless steel appliances. Call to schedule your personal tour! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977 4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



way. REDUCED TO \$109,900. Take a look at this Recently Renovated 4-bedroom, 2 bath home with approx. 1 acre of land. Conveniently located between Hinesville and Richmond Hill. This home features a formal dining room, living room, and eat-in kitchen with hardwood floors throughout. The property is fencedin with a storage shed and a 2-car carport. Call us to schedule your personal tour today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, RFAL TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977 4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



4876 Sunbury Road, Midway - RE-DUCED \$354,900. Maiestic Coastal Retreat located in Historic Sunbury iust 10 minutes from 195 Exit 76. This charming 4-Bedroom, 3bath home features an in-ground pool, two-car garage, community dock, gourmet kitchen with an island, tile counter tops, privacy fence, bonus room, wood floors throughout, and a tile foyer entry. Master bedroom is located in the first floor and master bathroom features tile shower/floor and a jetted tub. Landscaped and an open floor plan. Call us to schedule your personal tour today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@cold-



164 Randy Court, Hinesville \$109,900. Beautiful 3 Bedroom 1 bath home sits in the Oak View subdivision only minutes from shopping and Fort Stewart. Home features spacious bedrooms, private fenced backyard, and a sun room with a charming garden view. A new HVAC was installed in 2013. Call us for a personal tour today! Call us to schedule your personal tour today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@cold-



\$299,900. This is the perfect home to create unforgettable memories! Located in Villages of Sunbury. Home features high ceilings, open floor plan with a two-story high ceiling in the family room, gas log fireplace, wood floors. Formal dining room, gourmet kitchen with granite countertops and custom made wood cabinets, stainless steel appliances & gas cooktop. In-ground pool with a screen enclosure. Office/study with his & hers desk, alarm system, plantation shutters & so much more! Let me show your home! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



336 Arcadia, Midway - REDUCED to \$169,900. Beautiful 3 bedroom 2 bathroom all brick home sitting in 1.3 acres of land in the Arcadia Plantation subdivision. Home features a double wood burning fireplace in living room and Master bedroom, two storage sheds, and a charming picnic area. NEW wood Flooring NEW heating/AC! NEW refrigerator. Roof is less than 5 years old. No City Taxes! No Flood Insurance! Only minutes from Fort Stewart. Call us to schedule your personal tour today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy. shanken@coldwellbanker.com



609 Bradwell Street, Hinesville \$89,900. Lovely 3 bedroom home located in the heart of Hinesville fenced in backyard, detached laundry area, covered parking, shed ir backyard, brand new a/c unit, a one of a kind home. Close to all Ft. Stewart gates, shopping, dining. Very desirable Lancaster Estates subdivision Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy shanken@coldwellbanker.com



846 Bradwell Street, Hinesville \$799,900. Executive home located in the heart of Hinesville that features estate size lot with 12 bedrooms. 5 bathrooms, tile floor, granite counter tops, stainless steal appliances, Jacuzzi tubs, huge walk in closets & pantries, vaulted ceilings, 3 car garage. All furnishings are included This home is fit for a King and Queer with approximately 7,428 SQ FT with endless possibilities of enrichment Quiet, kid & fur friendly neighbor hood. Conveniently located near For Stewart Main Gate. Jimmy Shanken Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com

LAND/LOTS FOR SALE



Great for Retail, Hotel or mixed use Property fronting Main Street, across from the Historic Liberty County Courthouse. \$79,900

Zoned General Commercial



Great multi family opportunity near the proposed new super Kroger and TJ Max Retail developments. Centrally located between Fort. Stewart gates 1 & 8. Convenient to all gates



Build your dream home on the high bluffs and large lots. This is a beautiful small subdivision located adjacent to Harris Neck Wildlife Refuge This subdivision includes paved streets, underground utilities, a shared fishing & crabbing pier \$29,000. Call us for a personal tour today! Co-Listed with Nichole Gaskir 912-610-8304. 1.07 acres



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Tree planted in observance of Arbor Day



Courtesy photo.

Hunter Army Airfield Garrison Chaplain, Maj. Chris Wilson and two of his children, Amelia and Aaron, stand beside the dogwood tree that was planted near the front of the Hunter Army Airfield Chapel.

Amanda Price DPW Environmental Division

In early 1872, J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees. This holiday was to be called Arbor Day and was first observed on April 10, 1872. The day was an amazing success with more than one million trees being planted.

In the years following that first Arbor Day, Morton's idea was adopted by other states. Today, all 50 states have proclaimed their own Arbor Day. In Georgia, our state Arbor Day is honored on the third Friday in February. The first Georgia Arbor Day was proclaimed by the Georgia General Assembly in December, 1890. In addition to the various State Arbor Days, there is also a national Arbor Day which is celebrated on the last Friday in April each year.

This year, Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield decided to celebrate its arbor day in conjunction with Georgia's Arbor Day. Therefore, February 16 was designated as the installation's Arbor Day for 2018. This was the ninth annual Arbor Day for the Installation. In honor of the day, Forestry Branch coordinated a tree planting ceremony at the chapel on Hunter. TJ Quarles, Forestry Supervisor, welcomed the Hunter Garrison Chaplain, Maj. J. Chris Wilson; his daughter, Amelia; and his son, Aaron. Quarles then gave a brief explanation of Arbor Day, the installation's involvement in Tree City USA, and read an Arbor Day proclamation. After the reading of the proclamation, Wilson and his children stood for a picture with the newly planted flowering dogwood near the front of the cha-

This tree planting served as an opportunity to highlight the importance of trees and promote environment sustainability. The event also served as a beautification and conservation endeavor, and therefore supported the installation's initiatives as a member of Tree City USA. Many benefits are gained by being a Tree City USA member, such as educational opportunities, a positive public image, and citizen pride.

Remember, trees are a vital part of our lives! Trees clean the atmosphere, reduce ambient temperature, and promote pride and joy by enhancing the aesthetics of communities across the nation. They provide us with wood for building and warming our homes, as well as food for both people and animals. Most importantly, however . . . they give us the very air we breathe.

Please plant a tree!

Using Army records system 703rd BSB pushes for better management



Spc. Calab J. Franklin 2nd ABCT UPAR

Soldiers of 703rd Brigade Support Battalion, 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, learned how to use the Army Records Information Management System, March 1, at Fort Stewart.

ARIMS focuses on the management of long-term permanent records and gives individuals a clear understanding of what records are required to be saved based on their respective jobs.

The Soldiers learned the basic function of the system, and gained a refresher on managing all unit information within the Army's standard.

"I want them to understand how to set up their supply rooms and make an account on the system," said Staff Sgt. Shaniqua Smith, brigade logistics noncommissioned officer in charge, 703rd BSB.

"This will help overcome the problems we have been having with historical documentation and help manage documentation and information regarding supply and/or administrative filing," she said. "Although ARIMS will mostly be used by unit supply specialists, other military occupational specialties should learn about the system."

Anyone in the Army can use the system allowing them to digitally document all of their important files, she added.

Sgt. Rackel Cox, unit supply clerk with 703rd BSB said, "I feel this system will help organize supply files and assist my Soldiers when I am not around. They will be able to locate files and supplies and keep the office neat and clean as well."

Smith hopes that Soldiers will be familiar enough with the system to use it throughout their military

Staff Sgt. Shaniqua Smith with HHC, 703rd BSB, 2ABCT, 3rd ID, instructs Soldiers throughout the battalion on how to work with the Army Records Information Management System, March 1, at Fort Stewart. ARIMS focuses on the management of long-term and permanent records, and gives individuals a clear understanding of what records unique to their respective jobs are required to be saved.



Photo By Pfc. Calab Franklin

0 Shyam Road - Hinesville \$750,000. Seven (7) acres of commercial potential. Located just off of US Hwy 84 in Hinesville. Centrally located between Fort Stewart Gates one (1), two (2) and three (3). There are thirty thousand six hundred and fifty (30,650) V.P.D. May also access from Sandy Run Drive. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@cold-



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215 Magnolia Court, Hinesville **\$275,00**0. 0.85 acres commercial land. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



910 West Oglethorpe Highway, Hinesville - \$995,000. Located just south of the new TJ Max Development. This parcel has 578+/- LF of road frontage on Oglethorpe Highway. Owner will sub-divide additional land up to 20 acres are available. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy. shanken@coldwellbanker.com



\$275,000. Excellent Retail or light In-

dustrial site on US Highway 280. Property is bound one one side by the state park. Owner will sub-divide. immy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALIORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy. shanken@coldwellbanker.com



Lot 2 Crossway Pines Ludowici \$45,000. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



12746 East Oglethorpe Highway, Midway - \$69,900. Excellent Commercial Opportunity near the proposed Midway City Hall. This location is convenient to 195 and Ft.Stewart zoned IC. Perfect for retail, fuel, or restaurant. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



\$599,800. 9.10 acres of pristine deep waterfront +/- 270 liner feet marsh and deep water front, 10 minutes to 195 Exit 76. Seller has dock permit. Amazing views! Convenient to Savannah, Bruinswick, and Jacksonville, FL. Features: - Paved Road Access, +/- 270 LF Deep Water Frontage, Dock Permit in hand, 10 minutes to 195. Call us today! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@cold-



0 Oglethorpe Hwy Hinesville \$39,900. Unrestricted lot in Midway. 12 acres at a great price. Houses and manufactured homes are okay. Located minutes from Fort Stewart, Georgia. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



0 Willowbrook Drive, Hinesville \$499,900. Incredible opportunity to own a parcel inside the city limits of Hinesville that is correctly zoned and engineered for a multi-family development. Located off Veteran's Parkway and EG Miles parkway centrally located between Fort Stewart Gate 8 and Walmart, Lowes, and the TJ Maxx Shopping Center. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@cold-



\$75,000. 3 Acre lot nestled beneath majestic oaks, hickory's & pine trees. Located off Bluff Creek Waterway. Access to community dock clubhouse to enjoy views of the salt marsh. Electric in area. Area offers a lot of history to be learned. Call today for a showing! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email

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Lot 14 Spartina Way, Midway \$75,000. 3 Acre lot nestled beneath majestic oaks, hickory's & pine trees Located off Bluff Creek Waterway. Access to community dock clubhouse to enjoy views of the salt marsh. Electric in area. Area offers a lot of history to be learned. Call today for a showing! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



Lot 9 Youmans Road, Midway \$249,900. Beautiful marsh front lot, located about 20 minutes from Hinesville and within close proximity to I-95. Breath taking views; a perfect lot to build our dream home on. Ready to build on-water supply on lot. Enjoy ocean breezes and beautiful sunsets. Features a community dock and clubhouse with a summer kitchen over looking Ashley Creek. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS, 912-368-4300 or 912-977-4733 or email jimmy.



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103 Ralph Ouarterman Road. Hinesville - \$99,900. Excellent Development opportunity.Located across from the new Oglethorpe square. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS. 912-977-4733. jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



12.78 AC Veterans Memorial Parkway, Hinesville - \$2,364,300. 12.78 Acres developmental land. Great location on Veterans Parkway & South main. Can be combined with other parcels to total 18.46 acres. Located in a rapidly growing retail area within 0.25 miles of the new TJ Maxx, Dicks Sporting Goods, Hobby Lobby, and Ulta. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS. 912-977jimmy.shanken@coldwell-



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0.24 Acre Veterans Memorial Parkway, Hinesville - \$225,000. Last available frontage road on drive home side of Veterans Parkway zoned C-2. Off site water retention included. Owners are licensed Real Estate Brokers in the state of Georgia. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS. 912-977-4733. jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.



restaurant site located next to La Quinta in Flemington. Parcel has offsite water retention. Owners will subdivide. Owners are licensed Real Esate Brokers in the state of Georgia. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REALTORS. 912-977-4733.



777 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Hinesville - \$395,000. Last available frontage on drive home side of veterans parkway zoned C-2. Off site water retention included. Owners are licensed Real Estate Brokers in the state of Georgia. Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, REAL-TORS. 912-977-4733. jimmy.shanken@coldwellbanker.com



734 E. General Stewart Way, Hinesville - \$395,000, PROPERTY ZONED C2. Lot is located between the Coldwell Banker Holtzman Realtors building and the Patriot Center on General Stewart Way. Owners are licensed Real Estate Brokers in the state of Georgia. Call us today!!! Jimmy Shanken, Coldwell Banker Holtzman, RE-ALTORS. 912-977-4733. jimmy.shan-



The Rockery, \$29,000, .98 ac. bluffs and large lots. This is a beautiful small subdivision located adjacent to Harris Neck Wildlife Refuge. This subdivision includes paved streets, underground utilities, a shared fishing & crabbing pier. Call us to schedule a personal tour today! Co-Listed w/ Nichole Gaskin 912-610-8304.

Army Community Service



Register for ACS classes

You asked, we listened. Online registration is now available for FRG classes through Eventbrite. Please go to *https://* www.eventbrite.com/o/army-community-service-fort-stewarthunter*aaf-12997030788*. Link is also posted on the ACS portion of the Team Stewart web-

Empower yourself with ACS

ACS has many great services for Soldiers, spouses and children, yet not everyone knows we are located in five different areas. Stop by today and visit the staff on Stewart in buildings 81, 82, 86, 87 and the Soldier Family Assistance Center in building 4973. The Hunter staff is located in building 1286. You'll be glad you did.

Like ACS on Facebook

Search for "Army Community Service, Stewart/Hunter AAF." You can get ACS Exceptional Family Member Program information by searching for "Stewart-Hunter Exceptional Family Member Program." Help our Hunter Army Airfield community get more "likes" by visiting their Facebook page. ACS publishes great information for our Soldiers and Army Families there as well. Search for Hunter Army Airfield and pass the word along.

Free Classes at Stewart

Following are upon request from chain of command

- Sponsorship Training
- Risk Management for Senior NCOs
- FAP Commander/Senior Leader Briefing

Every Monday

Financial Planning for PCS 10 to 11:30 a.m. ACS Stewart, building 86 *Mandatory for E-4 and Below

Free Classes at Hunter

Call for appointment for the following:

- Army Family Team Building Infant
- FAP Commander/Senior Leader **Briefing**

Weekdays

Lending Closet

7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Building 1286

Apply for AER scholarship

During FY 2017, Army Emergency Relief awarded scholarships to 18 Children totaling \$40,4000 and 65 spouses totaling \$201,408, which assisted in their educational endeavors. Visit the AER website (www.aerha.org), read all the instructions and complete the online registration prior to the deadline date. For more, call 912 767-5058 or 315-6816.

ACS building accessible

Army Community Service wishes to inform our community that our facilities meet, or exceed, the standards for persons with disabilities. Our facilities are wheelchair accessible and should you need assistance upon arrival, please inform one of our staff members. The playground next to building 82 at Fort Stewart is certified as an Exceptional Family Member playground. Hunter EFMP playground is located next to building 1284. For questions, please contact ACS at 912-767-5058 or 912 315-

EFMP Easter egg hunt

The Exceptional Family Member Program will host its annual Easter egg hunt for Families enrolled in EFMP, 5:30-7 p.m., March 29 at the EFMP special needs playground next to ACS Building 86. For more information or to sign up call 912-767-5058.

Marketing Volunteer Needed

Do you enjoy marketing and are you creative? Do you have a design eye that could resonate to flyers to inform the public? Would you like to help Army Community Service build new followers on different Social Media platforms like Instagram, Pinterest and others to better reach Soldiers, Spouses and Army Families? If you answered yes to any of these questions then ACS needs YOU. You must have your own computer and be willing to submit these items in a timely manner for approval. Registration in Volunteer Management Information System and tracking of volunteer hours will be a requirement.

Call 912 767-1597 for more details.

Baby Boot Camp for Dads

According to a recent survey, 86 percent of dads spend more time with their children today than their own fathers did with them. However, 7 out of 10 also reported that they could use tips on how to be a better parent. The smallest moments can have the biggest impact on a child's life. Take time to be a dad today. For more information call the Family Advocacy Program at 912 767-2882 and speak with our New Parent Support Program Staff.

Five Love Languages

Do you want to learn how to express heartfelt commitment to your mate? If you do, then come and learn about the Five Love Languages. Learn how to identify and apply them to your everyday life with your spouse. Come by Army Community Service - Family Advocacy Program and get more information on the Five Love Languages class. We hope to see you in a future class so you can better understand your spouse's "Love Language." For more information visit Army Community Service or call 912 767-2882.

Support Parent to Parent

The Exceptional Family Member Program, along with Parent to Parent of Georgia, will conduct a training workshop for supporting parents of children with disabilities. Military Parent to Parent helps other military parents with issues related to health care and other services. This event will take place March 3, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Balfour Beatty Community Center, 2 Gannan Road, Hunter Army Airfield. For more information or to sign up call EFMP at 912 767-5058/0259 or on Hunter, at 912 315-

AER campaign ongoing

The Annual Army Emergency Relief Campaign runs today through May 15 and allows commanders the opportunity to reinforce a greater awareness of the types of financial assistance available from AER and how it benefits Soldiers and their Families. AER is "Soldiers helping Soldiers"

when they are experiencing financial difficulties. For more information, visit online at www.aerhq.org or call 912 767-

LULA CitizensAward

Submit your nomination no later Apr. 10, 2018. The Office of Equal Employment Opportunity is now soliciting Military and Civilian nominees. The purpose of this award is to recognize excellence in public service in the advancement of education, economic, health and diversity accomplishments, particularly within underrepresented populations of the Nation that demonstrate exceptional achievements by the Uniformed Services and civilians in support of the Uniformed Services. Award to be presented at the Defenders of Freedom breakfast on Thursday, July 19, 2018 at the League of United Latin American Citizens' 88th National Convention being held in the Phoenix Convention Center in Phoenix, AZ. (see https://lulac.org/). For more information on this award and/or the submission process, please contact Hatherlee Zeigler, Diversity Awards Program Mgr., 912-767-1522/ hatherlee.l.zeigler. civ@mail.mil

JWL Symposium Award

Submit your nomination no later than March 16. The Office of Equal **Employment Opportunity is now solic**iting Military and Civilian nominees for JWLS Award. This Meritorious Service Award is presented to one Military and one Civilian leader who has made a positive impact through their involvement, leadership role and for his or her outstanding contributions in affecting policy, promoting the diversity of the Army and for integrating women into the Army. Award to be presented at the 31st Annual Joint Women's Leadership Symposium on June 21-22, San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, CA (see http://www. **sealeader.org/jwls/**). For more information on this award and/or the submission process, please contact Hatherlee Zeigler, Diversity Awards Program Mgr., 912 767-1522/ hatherlee.l.zeigler.civ@mail.mil.

FMWR and Coastal Happenings

Safe Ride - shuttle to Savannah

Active duty service members can now enjoy downtown Savannah without asking "should I be driving home?" Only \$10 per person. Picking up at various locations on Fort Stewart. Limited space. Purchase tickets at Leisure Travel or from the driver (exact change required). For pick-up and drop-off locations click the Safe Ride link on stewartmwr.com or call 912 767-2841. Check out the details in the Frontline at: www.stewartfrontline.com/ section/54/article/3550/. For up to date information and events on Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield follow our at www.facebook.com/ page FortStewartHunterArmyAirfield.

Become a lifeguard

Now hiring lifeguards for the 2018 Summer Season. Twenty are needed at Fort Stewart and 11 at Hunter Army Airfield. Must be 16 years or older. No experience necessary. Accepted applicants will receive two weeks paid training at \$10 per hour and will be certified by the American Red Cross. Apply online at USAJobs.gov and search for Fort Stewart Recreation Assistant (Lifeguard). For more information, call 912 767-8326.

Mighty Eighth offer Veterans venue

The Kilroy Coffee Klatch is honored to serve as a venue for our Veterans to gather. We invite all veterans to join in, meet other veterans from the area, share your stories, or share whatever is on your mind. We offer free admission to the museum and complimentary coffee and doughnuts for attending veterans and their guests. The Kilroy Coffee Klatch will be held the first Tuesday of every month at 9-11 a.m. Our ongoing presentation series, "Rare Birds" will feature the Museum's own N9MB Flying Wing, the prototype for the planned B-35 and YB-49 bombers and the great, great grandfather to the B-2 Stealth Bomber. This informative presentation will start at 10:30 a.m. in the museum theater. Don't forget to browse the Museum's collection of aircraft afterwards. We hope this monthly meeting will provide an enjoyable and meaningful exchange of ideas for our Veterans.

Marne Trail Bass Tourney at Glisson

The first of five catch-and-release Marne Trail Bass Tournaments will be held at 6:30 a.m. March 17 at Glisson Pond on Fort Stewart. Cash prizes are \$250 for first place (total weight, five-fish maximum per person) and \$100 for the largest bass. Door prizes awarded after weigh-in at 11 a.m. Fee is \$20 during Fees increase by \$5 after Feb. 28. Fee of \$5 for boat entry. Register at Low Country Adventure Center, building 8325. For additional details, call 912 4358205 or 435-8213. Other tournaments are scheduled April 21 at Metz Pond; May 19 at Pineview Lake; Sept. 22 at Glisson Pond and Oct. 13 at Metz Pond.

Veterans Forum

Congressman Buddy Carter will host a Veterans Forum at Georgia Southern University Armstrong Campus Athletic Complex, 11935 Abercorn Street in Savannah. Civil service employees who wish to attend during work hours must be covered by an excused absence, e.g., leave, comp time or credit hours. Times are 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. for the Expo and 11:45 a.m. for the VA officials question and answer period.

Miles For Meals 5k

Senior Citizens, Inc. hosts the eitgth annual Miles for Meals 5k Run/Walk Mar. 24, 8 a.m., beginning at Senior Citizens, Inc. On Bull Street. Participants are encouraged to bring their four-legged friends, kids in strollers, and dress as their favorite foods. Race proceeds supports the Meals on Wheels program. Discounts for groups of four or more, see www. runsignup.com/scimilesformeals or call 912 236-0363 for more details.

AUSA holds Home Buying 101

The Association of the United States Army invites community members to a Home Buying 101 lunch and learn, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. March 29 at Bryant Commons, 438 West Oglethorpe Highway in Hinesville. Reservations are being accepted through March 23, at 912 977-3242. Military, spouses and guest are welcome free of charge. For more information call 912 977-1077.

Education fair scheduled

Winn Army Community Hospital is holding its third annual education fair, noon to 4:30 p.m. April 13 in Winn's Patriot Auditorium. The educational fair is for our military community to enlighten perspective students on the various medical programs offered by institutions of higher learning in our surrounding area. Please come out and join us.

Okefenokee Wildlife Adventure

Explore the wonders of nature, with a chance to see hawks, alligators, bears and other wildlife during this Leisure Travel trip Saturday, April 21 to the Okefenokee Wildlife Refuge at Waycross. The cost is \$30 for adults, \$20 for children ages 5-11, and \$10 for children 4 and under. Depart 7:30 a.m. and return at approximately 5 p.m. Cost covers transportation and admission, including a 90-minute boat ride through Suwannee Canal. Guests required to bring their own bagged lunch. For more information, call 912 767-2841 at Stewart or 315-3674 at Hunter.

MST adventure lock-in

A free MST Adventure Lock-in, one of three planned as part of CYS' Family Deployment Programs & Events, will be held from 8 p.m. Friday, March 16 until 8 a.m. Saturday, March 17 at Hunter's building 6054. Stewart/Hunter Middle School & Teen Centers are getting together for a fun night of food, games, karaoke, contests, movies and more. A field trip to Tominac Fitness Center is also on the agenda for the night. Lock-In is open to Child and Youth Services registered 6th-12th graders. This event supports the Marne Star Families Program. For more information, call 912 767-4491 (Stewart) or 912 315-9795 (Hunter).

Hunter Cdr's Golf Scramble

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Treat my parents to Footgolf

Hunter Golf Course is offering a "Treat My Parents to Footgolf" special after noon Saturday, March 24. A parent plays free if a junior under the age of 15 has paid the regular fee for a round of footgolf (after noon, tee times required). What a great way for a parent and a junior to enjoy the game. For more information, call 912 315-9115.

Zombie pistol shoot at Stewart

Fire at zombie targets in the Zombie Pistol Shoot from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. March 24 at Smalls Arms Romeo Range off Fort Stewart Road 38. Each lane has eight targets at different distances and they will be set on pop-up the entire time shooting. Pistols only (maximum .45 caliber). Cost is \$15 (cash only) per shooter for a two-hour block. Weapons must be registered at Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield. For more information, go to StewartMWR.com or call 912 435-8205.

Toddler Easter Egg Hunt at Corkan

Bring your little toddlers, up to age 5 to take part in the free Corkan Easter Egg Hunt at Cypress Creek, building 448, on March 30. Hunt begins promptly at 10 a.m. and will be over once all eggs are found. Bring your basket and don't be late. For more information, call 912 767-4273.

Photo by Misty Schmitt

Former VVA Chapter 789 presidents Harvey Stokes and Henry O'Neal with VVA Region 4 Director and Georgia State Council President Spence Davis with a certificate marking the chapter's 20th year.

VVA 789 honored on anniversary

Jeff Whitten Staff Writer

When Chapter 789 of the Vietnam Veterans of America met March 6 at the Golden Hibachi in Hinesville, the group's monthly agenda included reminders that Saturday is St. Patrick's Day, March 29 is National Vietnam Veterans Day and there's a canned food drive in the works for April.

Those followed something more immediate: a "special presentation" recognizing Chapter 789's 20th anniversary.

The presentation was made by VVA Region 4 Director Spence Davis, who also is the organization's Georgia State Council president. Recognized during the event were past presidents of the Liberty County chapter, including Harvey Stokes, Henry O'Neal, Paul Spence, Carol Schetrompf, the late John

Menard, the late Harold Hemingway and Dan Sippel.

Chapter 789's current president is retired Sgt. Maj. Adna Chaffee IV, for whom the VVA appears to be a ministry

He notes the Liberty chapter's annual trips to the Dublin VA Hospital with Christmas baskets, and an effort to provide fast food restaurants workers with Christmas gifts. There's the VVA's work on behalf of the homeless in Liberty County and its advocacy for veterans and soldiers in a number of areas, ranging from exposure to Agent Orange to Post Traumatic Stress Disorder and Hepatitis C, which impacts approximately one in five Vietnam veterans, according to veteran's groups.

Many of the causes VVA backs now are based on the lack of support Vietnam veterans such as Chaffee and Davis feel wasn't given them and their comrades when they returned from the war.

"When we came home, we weren't treated all that great," Davis said. "Nobody would help us, that's the reason we got started.'

These days, Chapter 789 doesn't miss a chance to step up and help other soldiers, Chaffee said.

"We have not missed a welcome home for 3rd ID soldiers since the division went to Iraq (in 2001)," Chaffee said. "We've been out there rain, sleet, snow, whatever, to give them a welcome home we didn't get.'

The VVA chapter's work has its appeal for members, who, like retired Maj. Luis Carrera, miss the camaraderie and helping fellow soldiers. Carerra, a helicopter pilot who served two tours in Vietnam and was awarded the Purple Heart, now serves as an ambassador for the Army Reserve and continues to stay active in veterans causes.

"It's about taking care of soldiers and veterans," he said. "That's what it's all about."

That has its appeal. When Chapter 789 started 20 years ago, there were 25 members, Chaffee said. Now there are 134 spread around the country, and VVA leaders want to see more Vietnam veterans sign up. There are also opportunities for those who didn't serve in Vietnam through the Associates of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc. -- a service organization that works through its local chapters and includes veterans and others who share the group's aim of working on the behalf of veterans.

Life membership in the VVA is \$100, Davis said. Annual membership dues are \$25. VVA Chapter 789 meetings are held the first Monday of every month. The next is April 3.

For more information, call 912-368-



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ACS Contractor, Mandy Wilson (right) is presented an Award of Excellence by the Army Community Services Director, William Lukens (left) on behalf of the Armed Forces Services Corporation, March 9. Wilson was awarded this based on her documented success in the Exceptional Family Member





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Stewart names BBall champs

Randall Walker Frontline Contributor

Company A, 703rd Brigade Support Battalion became the Fort Stewart intramural basketball champions for 2018 after defeating the 90th Human Resource Company, 56-39, March 8 at Newman Fitness Center.

High scorers for Co. A, 703rd were Spc. Shaheem Smith, putting up 22 points, Spc. Joseph Velez with 17, and Spc. Brandon McCloud with 13 points.

The 90th HR Co. high scorers were Sgt. 1st Class William Tony Smith with 17 points, and Maj. Jason Baker and Roderick Randall each putting up another 6.

The Hunter championship is scheduled to be played at 7 p.m. March 23 at Tominac Fitness Center. Following that game, the victor will take on Co. A, 703rd BSB for bragging rights and the title of the Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Installation Intramural Basketball Champions.



Courtesy photo

The A Co., 703rd BSB basketball team poses with the winning trophy after becoming the Fort Stewart intramural basketball champions for 2018.

Below: Staff Sgt. Steven Briggs, the noncommissioned officer in charge of communications of STB, 3rd ID RSSB, drives hard during a basketball game at Madness tournament.

March 10. The game was part of the BAF March



Staff Sgt. Isaiah Smith, supply noncommissioned officer for Headquarters, Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headquarters Company, 3rd Infantry Division Resolute Headq



Staff Sgt. Isaiah Smith, supply noncommissioned officer for HHC, STB, 3rd March 9.

Below: Sgt. Demetrius Finklea, a human resources sergeant with 3rd ID RSSB, shoots a free throw during a basketball game at Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan,





Lt. Col. Michael Hagerty, commander of STB, 3rd ID RSSB, looks for an opening during a basketball game at Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan, March 9.



Capt. Cory Sullivan, commander of HHC, STB, 3rd ID RSSB, goes for a layup as Sgt. Demetrius Finklea, a human resources sergeant with 3rd ID RSSB, tries to block him at Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan, March 10.

Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Briefs

Super Saver Program

Are you interested in winning \$500? If so, this program is for you! Take a look around. Is there something you see that is wasting money? Is it a problem we can solve locally? If you are a Garrison civilian employee and submit the best idea for saving the Garrison money, you will win \$500. Submit your idea on the Super Saver nomination form available on the Team Stewart web page under Garrison Resource Management Office (bottom of page is nomination form). Nominations are boarded with the Garrison of the Quarter Award submissions. Submit ideas to *usarmy.stewart.usag.list.dhr-work*force@mail.mil.

Efmp Easter Egg Hunt

Exceptional Family Member Program will host its annual Easter Egg Hunt for Families enrolled in EFMP, March 29, 5:30-7 p.m., at the Special Needs Playground next to ACS building 86. For more information or to sign up call 912-767-5058.

Online food-handlers' class

Anyone interested in taking the food handlers' course now has the ability to do it online. Certification is good for one year. Register online at eventbrite.com, or log-on to www.winn.amedd. army.mil. Click on the Healthcare Services tab, click Preventive Medicine and Wellness, then Environmental Health. The basic food handlers course study material and quiz is at the bottom of the screen.

Managed hog hunt held

A managed hog hunt, for active duty Soldiers, retirees and Gold Star Family members only, will be held March 17 at Red Cloud Range Complex on Fort Stewart. Gold Star Family Members will receive invitations through ACS. Others should apply at the Low Country Adventure Center, building 8325, by March 7 for a chance to be selected by lottery draw March 8. (Must be registered on iSportsman before applying at the Adventure Center). Fee for selected participants is \$25. Individuals will participate in morning and evening hunts, with lunch provided at noon. A cleaning station will be provided. For information, call 912 767-5145.

Army food truck is here

The Culinary Outpost is a Soldier-run, Soldierfocused food truck that is making its way around Fort Stewart. We are open in multiple locations from 8 to 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. We accept both SIK meals cards and cash at a cost of only \$3.45 for breakfast and \$5.55 for lunch. Stop on by if you see us. Follow us on Twitter and Facebook at @ftstewfoodtruck for daily locations and specials!

BAH recertification policy

The Fort Stewart Defense Military Pay Office has been inundated with requests from Soldiers for a copy of their DA Form 5960. In order to recertify Basic Allowance for Housing, Soldiers need to see their Battalion S1, not the Fort Stewart Defense Military Pay Office. The S1 will validate all supporting documents are loaded into IPERMS. Soldiers will need to complete a DA Form 5960 and have it certified by their company-level commander. If designated by the company commander, the first commissioned officer in the Soldier's chain of command can certify. Then the S1 will upload the DA Form 5960 into IPERMS. The Fort Stewart Defense Military Pay Office will only be involved in the recertification if there is a change.

ChristFit Bible study offered

ChristFit is a Community Weekly Bible Study held at Fort Stewart Main Post Chapel and includes fellowship, sharing a meal and growing in God together. Tuesday evenings through April 17, ChristFit allows a family to attend different Bible Study sessions including children and teen programs. Each

Tuesday, there will be a family meal at 5:30 p.m. and Bible Study at 6:30-7:45 p.m. Soldiers and their Families, single Soldiers, DOD civilians and military retirees are all welcome. For more information or to register on-line, go to "Christfit Fort Stewart" on Facebook. You can also contact Bill Agnew at 912 767-9789 or william.f.agnew4.civ@mail.mil.

Bible study offered

Wednesdays at noon at the Marne Chapel. This year the focus is, "The Bible and Current Events." Each week we will take a look at the news of the week and how God's word can bring understanding and perspective to what's happening and how we can apply it to our lives. Military personnel, civilian employees, contractors, retirees and Family members are welcome to attend. Bring your own bag lunch. Study materials will be provided. For more information, contact Bill Agnew at 912 767-9789 or william.f.agnew4.civ@mail.mil

"Luck o' the irish" bingo

Play Stewart-Hunter's "Luck O' the Irish" Bingo and you might take home a pot of gold. Up to \$30K in guaranteed payouts. Early buy-in is \$100 per person. Buy-in is \$175 per person on the day of the event. Doors open at 12:30 p.m.Stewart Bingo is in building 405 (912-767-4200) and Hunter Bingo is in building 6015, 912 315-4606. (Patronage Notice: Only authorized DoD ID cardholders and their guests are permitted to play Stewart/Hunter Bingo.)

Annual Work Plan Available

The garrison commander approved the fiscal year 2018 annual work plan, published on the Direcotrate of Public Works SharePoint site. Log into the link at https://sps13.stewart.army.mil/imcom/dpw/home; then select GC Approved DPW FY18 Annual Work Plan. Updates will be made as changes occur.

Legal Assistance Office Closure:

The Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Legal Assistance Offices will be closed March 16 through Sunday March 18. The offices will reopen Monday morning March 19th during normal hours.

Women's History Month Observance

The 3rd Infantry Division Equal Opportunity Office presents the Women's History Month Observance "Nevertheless, She persisted", March 21, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at Club Stewart. POC is SFC Dezonie, Christine, 760-447-3403, Christine.a.Dezonie.mil@mail.mil.

Control Burn

Fort Stewart's Forestry Branch is in the midst of a controlled burn season and will be conducting controlled burns at various locations on the Installation each week. Motorists and pedestrians are advised to use extra caution when traveling through areas that may be affected by smoke. For more information, please contact Amanda Price at 912-767-2010. Up to date burn notices are posted to the Fort Stewart Hunter Army Airfield Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/ FortStewartHunterArmyAirfield/

Special Olympics Volunteers Needed

The 2018 Spring Special Olympics will be held April 20, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at the Liberty County Recreation Department, 607 Oglethorpe Hwy., Hinesville. Volunteers are needed to serve as buddies, huggers and the cheering section. For more information or to sign up call (912)-767-5058.

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Garrison Commander's Golf Scramble

The garrison commander's golf scramble will be played at noon Friday, March 30 at Taylors Creek Golf Course. Cost of \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members covers greens fee, cart, range balls, lunch and prizes. Bring a team or join a team for some friendly, relaxed competition. Registration accepted until the day before the scramble. For more information, call 912 767-2370.

Marne Trail Bass Tourney

The first of five catch-and-release Marne Trail Bass Tournaments will be held at 6:30 a.m. Saturday (March 17) at Glisson Pond on Fort Stewart. Cash prizes are \$250 for first-place (total weight, five-fish maximum per person) and \$100 for the largest bass. Door prizes awarded after weigh-in at 11 a.m. Fee is \$25 for active duty Soldiers, retirees and their Family Members and youth (15 years old and younger); and \$35 for the civilian community. Fee of \$5 for boat entry. Register at Low Country Adventure Center, building 8325. For additional details, call 912 435-8205 or 912 435-8213.

RBHC offers honors Military Families

The RBC Heritage, presented by Boeing, has a long tradition of supporting military families by offering free admission to all active military and their dependents. Show your uniformed services identification card at Will Call and you and your family will be issued a daily grounds ticket. The Patriots Outpost is on the 16th green. Your military ID is your ticket to enjoy great golf and complimentary food and beverage. Will Call is in the Harbour Town Golf Links Parking Lot. Take a General Spectator Shuttle. The Patriot' Outpost opens at 11 a.m. Thursday through Sunday. For more information, call 843 671-2448 or email andy@heritageclassicfoundation.com.

Education Matters

Open House

Savannah Technical College is hosting an Open House which is open to the public at the Liberty Campus on Airport Road in Hinesville April 14, 9 a.m. to noon. For more information contact Savannah Tech at 912 408-2430 or 912 408-3024.

Summer Registration Columbia College at Ft. Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield invite you to register for the upcoming summer semester during their extended advising and registration hours the week of March 19. No need for an appointment, just visit when it suits you! Extended Hours for Fort Stewart are 8:45a.m. to 8 p.m. through Monday Thursday; 9 a.. to 3 p.m. Friday; and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday For Hunter the hours are 8:45 a.m. to 7:30p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday; and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

Support available

Need to contact an Education Army Counselor? Fort Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield education centers offer a one-stop email address to help. Email: *usarmy*. stewart.usag.list.dhreducationcounselor@ mail.mil for assistance, or Facebook at www.facebook.com/ **FtStewartACES**





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