



The Southeast Scoop

Southeast Regional Newsletter August 2025

CURRENT EVENTS

- **1 SEP:** Labor Day
- **3 SEP:** [9/11 Unity Climb](#) @ Fort Stewart Newman Fitness Center, 0900 - 1100
- **22 SEP:** Autumn Equinox (First Day of Fall)
- **25 SEP:** Regional [IMO User Group Meeting](#) @1400

NOTEWORTHY

- Reminder! If users aren't in [AVS](#) for their baseline access by 30 SEP 2025, their DoDIN-A access will be removed.
- Check out the new Army Information Hub page for monitoring whether resources are down: [Is It Down, NETCOM?](#)
- CIEMS application [user manual](#) now published!
- LNEC Goose Creek [begins preparatations for storm season](#) at Joint Base Charleston
- [Draw.io](#) is free online diagram software that can be used as a flowchart maker, network diagram software, to create UML online, to design database schema, to build BPMN online, as an ER diagram tool, as a circuit diagram maker, and more. Draw.io can import .vsdx, Gliffy™ and Lucidchart™ files.
- Still unsure how to get to the regional SharePoint site? Save [THIS](#) link to your browser favorites NOW!

PLA REPOSITORY APP UPDATE

The "Date Obtained" field has been renamed in the input section of the application to "Date Obtained or Renewed". This allows users to enter their most recent certification renewal date to accurately reflect their current certification cycle. The restriction to add a future date in this field has also been removed.

PHYSICAL SECURITY



Fort Stewart RNEC Security Manager and Physical Security V-Team Lead, Kris Luoma, has completed the two-week GSA certification course. Mr. Luoma is now certified to inspect, repair, and certify GSA containers for the Southeast Region! IAW AR 380-5 Para 5-9e.(1)(c)

NEWS FEEDBACK

Story Submissions,
Comments, Dad Jokes, &
Special Recognition Requests

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SOUTHEAST DAD JOKE CORNER

Why don't dentists get along with manicurists?

They always end up fighting tooth and nail.

Submitted by John Lamb, Facilities Management V-Team Lead

PERSTAT

The latest PERSTAT update allows chiefs and CTR leads to navigate to the "Waiting List" within the app itself to update personnel statuses. (The waiting list applies for those users who do not yet have 365 profiles/network accounts.)

The new update also flags disabled accounts to remind supervisors to notify Back Office Functions V-Team of employees leaving the organization. Disabled account records will be deleted from PERSTAT after 14 days unless Back Office is notified otherwise.



A new "Personnel Portal" application has been developed for supervisors to streamline the request process of adding new users to PERSTAT and updating user information (including the user's active/inactive/deployed status). Supervisors/CORs will use the app to add new users to the Waiting List component of PERSTAT. You may find the app linked to the [PERSTAT SharePoint page](#).

Once a request is submitted, Back Office Functions V-Team and the applicable user's supervisor(s) are automatically notified. Upon receipt, Back Office will action the request.

LONG RANGE CALENDAR

FAQ: How do I submit a Long Range Calendar event?

1. Navigate to the SE RNEC SharePoint Online [Home page](#)
2. Scroll down until you see the Long Range Calendar and click the button underneath that says "[SE RNEC LRC Submission Request](#)".
3. Fill out the form and click "Submit"!
4. Plans & Operations V-Team will review and action the request.

"Me Without the LRC"



The Long Range Calendar (LRC) is a great touchpoint for our leadership to keep up with the happenings across the region. Submit your working group meetings, site inspection dates, organization days, Safety Stand Downs, etc.!

STRENGTHENING OUR DIGITAL DEFENSES FOR MISSION SUCCESS

The 597th Transportation Brigade at SDDC-Charleston is prioritizing network security as they prepare for an upcoming Staff Assistance Visit (SAV) and the crucial Fiscal Year 2026 Cyber Operational Readiness Assessment (CORA).

Understanding the CORA: The CORA is a comprehensive evaluation of cyber readiness, assessing key areas including access control, anomaly detection, threat intelligence integration, and the effective execution of cyber orders. This assessment provides commanders with a clear understanding of our cyber terrain and overall defensive posture vital for informed decision-making and maintaining command and control.

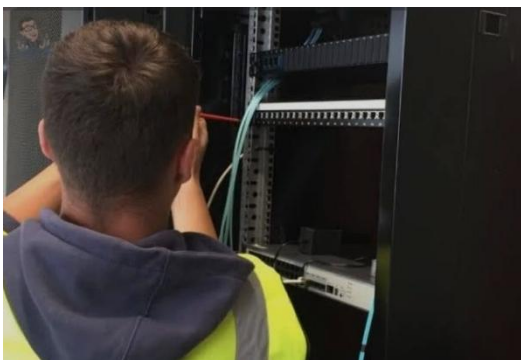
Proactive Vulnerability Mitigation: Recently, a routine inspection by the Goose Creek Local Network Enterprise Center (LNEC) identified a security gap: a lack of defensive measures on several switches within their network infrastructure. Recognizing the potential risk, the Goose Creek Director, Herbert Major, swiftly submitted a Request for Information (RFI) to the Southeast Regional Network Enterprise Center (SE RNEC) for new network cabinets.



Ed Russell, RNEC Fort Stewart Logistics Management V-Team Lead, moving network cabinets

Rapid Response & Collaborative Success: Thanks to the diligent efforts of the SE RNEC, the requested cabinets were expedited and installed prior to the scheduled SAV. This proactive response effectively addressed vulnerability and significantly strengthened our network security.

Looking Ahead: This successful collaboration with our mission partners by the Goose Creek LNEC and the SE RNEC underscores our unwavering commitment to maintaining a resilient and secure



Samuel Stevens, LNEC Goose Creek Network Services V-Team, installing new network cabinets

network. By working together, we ensure the 597th Transportation Brigade remains a vital component of the Army's strong cyber infrastructure, ready to support our critical transportation mission.