

Garrison Town Hall – December 2023

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ACS Relocation Readiness Program CERMAN LANGUAGE CLASS

Register by calling Army Community Service at CIV (0611) 143-548-9202. First come, first serve.



TUESDAY EVENINGS JAN. 9–FEB. 27 6–7:30PM

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS JAN. 10–FEB. 28 11AM–12:30PM





ACS Relocation Readiness Program

ESL-BASIC DAYTIME CLASS

WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS JAN. 10–MARCH 28 9:30–11AM

Register by calling Army Community Service at CIV (0611) 143-548-9202. First come, first serve.







USAG Wiesbaden Volunteer of The Month Nominees

Ms. Lavinia "LaDon" Hooser
Outdoor Recreation- Hunting Fishing and
Sport Shooting
Mr. Kent Mohr
Outdoor Recreation- Hunting Fishing and

Sport Shooting

✓ Ms. Kristal (Lau) LaFrance

1-214th GSAB

✓ Ms. Gwyn Truchon

American Red Cross





CONTRIBUTING TO READINESS

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USAG Wiesbaden Volunteer of The Month Nominees

✓ Ms. Claire Herrington

Wiesbaden Community Spouses Club

✓ Ms. Gretchen Cooper

Wiesbaden Community Spouses Club

✓ Ms. Marya Bowman

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✓ Mr. Keith Johnson

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✓ Mr. Cory Garbe

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USAG Wiesbaden Volunteer of The Month is: Mr. Keith Johnson





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Enterprise-EFMP

Complete your Exceptional Family Member enrollment, update and family travel screening online!

- Enrollment and update forms must be completed online. Expected time for completion is 45 business days.
- Family Travel Screenings: Initiate as soon as you have your RFO! Enterprise-EFMP allows for real time tracking of your packet. Expected time for completion is 45+ business days.
- Command Sponsorship: There must be more than 12 months left on your orders to initiate command sponsorship and the Family Travel Screening.

Enterprise-EFMP: efmp.army.mil

For questions and more information, contact EFMP-Medical at 0611-143-590-1525 or EFMP-Family Support at 0611-143-548-9201







Transitions









Where to next?

- Employment
- Mentorship
- Education
- Financial Readiness

To get started, schedule a virtual appointment with a Transition Specialist at: **USO.Org/transition** FREE in-house resume writer 20 FREE certifications "Mastering LinkedIn" workshops LinkedIn Premium account upgrade for free when you PCS Connect with mentors in the field.

Access to USO **Job Board** with over 50,000 jobs. Spouses can come back to our Transitions program as many times as they'd like while they're a military spouse.

For additional information call: 0611-9411-9306









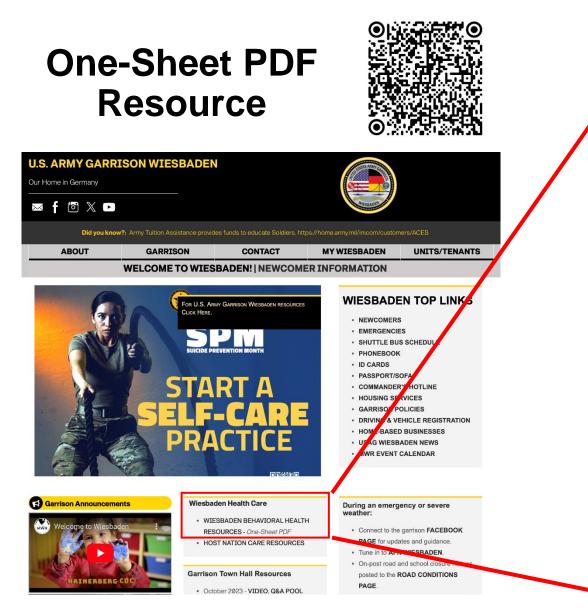
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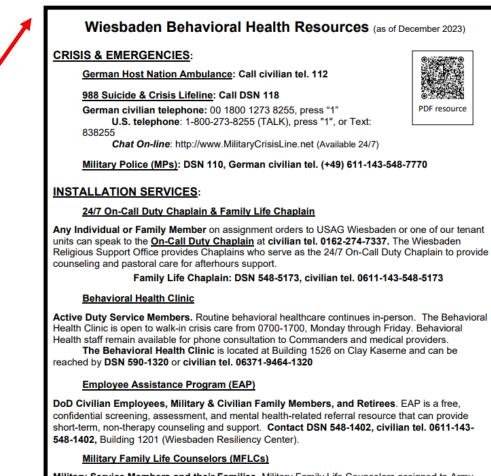


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Behavioral Health Resources



Military Service Members and their Families. Military Family Life Counselors assigned to Army Community Service (ACS) provide non-medical short-term, situational problem-solving counseling. Their services are confidential and private, except for duty-to-warn situations. Military Family Life Counselors assigned to our Community:

Adult MFLCs: 0151-2358-7776, 0151-2351-9554, or call ACS, 0611-143-548-9202 Child/Youth/CDCs MFLCs: Hainerberg 0151-255-70781 Clay 0176-2816-1150, 0151-255-20391 Please contact Wiesbaden Schools for School MFLCs





North Clay Connector Road Safety



- No pedestrians permitted (Road is too narrow)
- Bicycles are allowed
- Keep headlights on unless stopped



North Clay Bus Stop



(In front of BLDG 3340)





Crestview Demolition



Contract completion date is Aug. 24, 2024

(Sequence of building demolition indicated by the numbering below)

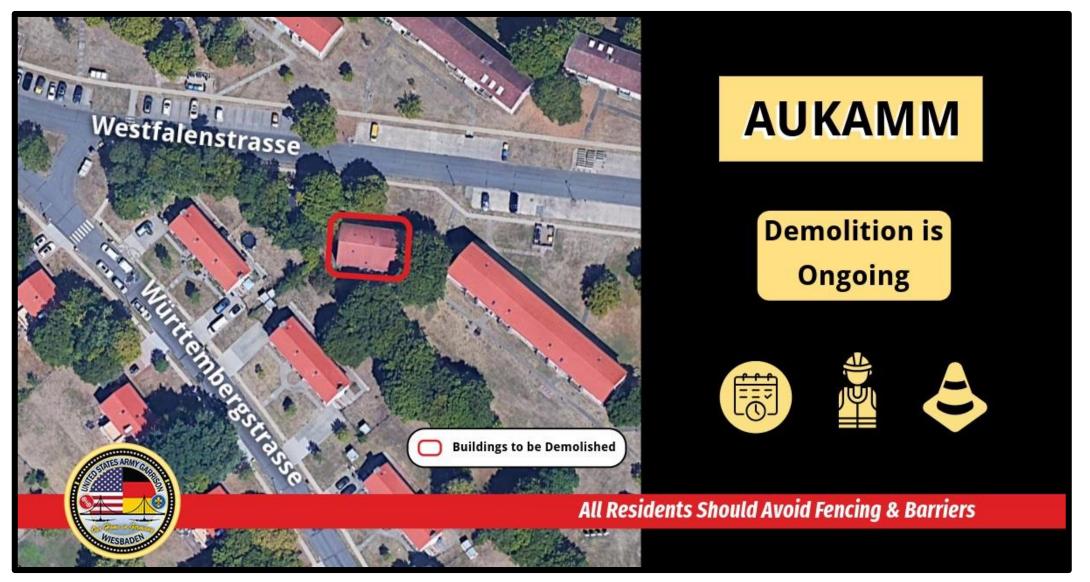


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Smart Traveler Enrollment Program

U.S. Department of State

What is STEP?

The Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP) is a free service to allow U.S. citizens and nationals traveling and living abroad to enroll their trip with the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate.



Benefits of Enrolling in STEP

- Receive important information from the Embassy about safety conditions in your destination country, helping you make informed decisions about your travel plans.
- Help family and friends get in touch with you in an emergency.
- Help the U.S. Embassy contact you in an emergency, whether natural disaster, civil unrest, or family emergency.

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Travel Safety & Situational Awareness

Reminders:

- Lock your car doors.
- Secure and hide valuables while in public and crowded areas.
- Don't keep money and credit cards in your back pocket or other easily accessible areas.
- Where a purse or bag across your chest instead of a shoulder bag or back wallet.
- Watch what you post on social media, Ex. Trip planning details, when you leave for vacation.
- Avoid demonstrations.







About - Externally evaluated garrison-wide triennial exercise

Feb. 7, 2023 What to Expect

- ACP delays
- Increased emergency U.S. and Host Nation personnel and vehicles
- Increased security: Law Enforcement and Unit force protection augmentation force (i.e., Soldiers in combat gear with weapons)
- Increased messaging associated with the exercise ALERT!, email, social media

Summary:

Plan ahead for increased travel and wait times at installation access points and around the community.

Be Advised: This exercise is designed to be disruptive to normal garrison operations





Progress updates:

- New staff hires and training.
- Augmented support from Bavaria and Stuttgart.
- Information and checklist updates on Garrison website.
- A pending new QR check-in system for waiting customers. (Same "2 Meter" App that Sembach uses)
- Time Tap Capacity of appointments now doubled with more staff support and appointments can be made up to 90 days out instead of 45.





Community/Holiday Events & Closures



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Post Office Holiday Hours & Deadlines

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Spread Holiday Cheer **2023 HOLIDAY MAILING DEADLINES EUROPE TO CONUS** To ensure your packages sent to the United States are delivered before Christmas, mail them no later than the following dates: 22 NOVEMBER RETAIL GROUND ADVANTAGE **09** DECEMBER PRIORITY PARCELS **09** DECEMBER FIRST CLASS LETTERS **15 DECEMBER** EXPRESS MAIL

Holiday operating hours: Nov. 20 – Dec. 22, 2023

- Postal Finance Hours: Mon Fri 1030-1700
- Parcel Pick-up Hours: Mon Fri 1100-1730
- Official Mail Hours: Mon/Wed/Fri 0930-1130 & 1300-1500
- Postal In and Out-processing: 1130-1300 & 1400-1700
- Saturday Postal Finance hours: Nov. 25 Dec. 16, 1030 - 1700

Dagger Postal Service Center

• No change: Wed 1000-1500 (No Saturdays)





LIVE COMEDY SHOW

Jan. 19, 2024 at 7 p.m. Wiesbaden Entertainment Center Lounge (Upstairs)







STOCKING GIVEAWAY

Nov. 24-Dec. 19 Drawing held Dec. 20 Wiesbaden Entertainment Center Bowling Alley













JINGLE BELL JOG 5K RUN

Dec. 16 at 9 a.m. Wiesbaden Sports & Fitness Center

Ugly Sweater Contest and Raffle for 5 turkeys and 5 hams







New Year's Eve at the WEC

8 p.m.-2 a.m. Cosmic and Red Pin bowling all night, DJ in the Lounge, kitchen open until midnight





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Community Events

Event	Date	Location	Time	
Wiesbaden On Ice	28 NOV-14 JAN	Kurhaus Wiesbaden	1200-2200	
Winterstubb and Ferris Wheel	28 NOV-14 JAN	Mauritiusplatz, Wiesbaden	1200-2200	
Jingle Bell Jog	16 DEC	Wiesbaden Sports & Fitness Center	0900-1200	
BOSS Commissary/PX Shuttle	16 DEC	Warrior Zone	1000	
A Christmas Story Musical	16 DEC, 5 -7 JAN	Amelia Earhart Playhouse	1930-2200	
BOSS Promotion Board Study	19 DEC	Warrior Zone	1800-1930	
Trivia League	20 DEC	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100	
ACS Relocation Readiness Christmas Market Visits: Ruedesheim	21 DEC	ACS		
The Night Before Christmas Reading/Puppet Show	21 DEC	Library	1600-1730	
Big Seasonal Fire	22 DEC	Freudenberg Castle in Wiesbaden-Dotzheim	1600-2200	
New Year's Party in Winery Manor House	31 DEC	Rheinallee 50, Eltville-Hattenheim	1900-0300	
New Year's Parade of the Carnival Guards	1 JAN	Mainz downtown	1111-1500	
Black Forest Ski and Snowboard Express	6 JAN	Outdoor Rec		
BOSS Commissary/PX Shuttle	6 JAN	Warrior Zone	1000	
Cheese Loves Sekt	11 JAN	LOFTWERK, Langgasse 20, Wiesbaden	1900-2200	
Engelberg Ski and Snowboard Trip	12-15 JAN	Outdoor Rec		
Glühweinparty	13, 20, 27 JAN	Rathausstraße 17, Hochheim	1700-2400	
U.S. Forces Sports Shooting Knowledge Course	18-20 JAN			
Trivia League	24 JAN	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100	
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Community Events

Event	Date	Location	Time		
Trivia League	7 FEB	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100		
Symbolic Rushing of Mainz-Kastel City Hall and Viewing of Carnival Parade	10 FEB	Mainz-Kastel downtown	1111-1530		
Viewing of Wiesbaden Tulip Sunday Carnival Parade	11 FEB	Wiesbaden downtown	1411-1630		
Viewing of Mainz Rose Monday Carnival Parade	12 FEB	Mainz downtown	1111-1630		
Viewing of Frankfurt-Heddernheim Violet Tuesday Carnival Parade	13 FEB	Frankfurt-Heddernheim downtown	1411-1630		
Celtic Festival of Lights Imbolc	23-24 FEB	Untergasse 17, Hochheim	1200-2400		
Trivia League	21 FEB	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100		
Trivia League	6 MAR	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100		
Trivia League	20 MAR	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100		
Dippemess Fair	22 MAR-14 APR	Am Bornheimer Hang, Frankfurt	1200-2400		
Trivia League	3 APR	Hainerberg, Wiesbaden Entertainment Center (WEC)	1900-2100		



Garrison Town Hall Q&A December 2023

Full Q&A pool posted on our Homepage at: <u>https://home.army.mil/wiesbaden/</u>





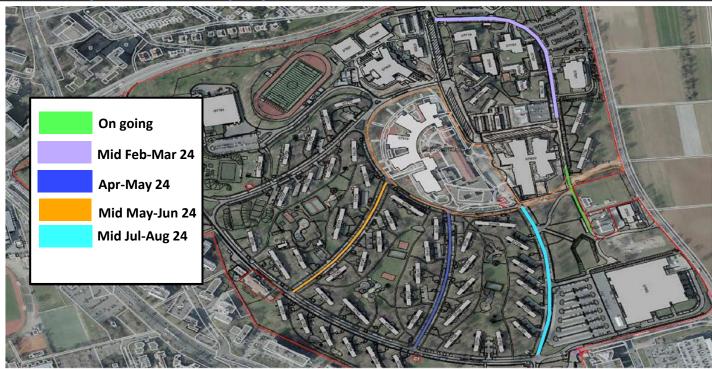
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Painting parking lines

Q: Is there a plan to **repaint parking lines**? Specifically, on Hainerberg. It's getting very hard to park in the lines when the lines are nonexistent.

A: The paving projects that will be executed throughout 2024 will include re-painting parking lines. The lines were not painted in 2023 because we had already funded the project.

- Dates are tentative
- Official completion IAW contract is December 2024







Closing Remarks

- CSM
- DGC
- GC
- Winter safety reminder

Commander's Hotline

Website: https://home.army.mil/wiesbaden/about/leadership

Commander's hotline: usarmy.wiesbaden.id-europe.list.usag-w-commanders-hotline@army.mil

