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Thursday, February 2, 2023

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



CAC CG visits Fort Leonard Wood

Lt. Gen. Milford Beagle, commanding general of the U.S. Army Combined Arms Center at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, visited Fort Leonard Wood on Wednesday to observe training, meet with Soldiers and leaders and provide a leader professional development, or LPD, opportunity for Captains Career Course students.



MSCoE CG and CSM Send: Celebrating Black History Month

Every February since 1976, we take the opportunity to honor Black Americans and their impact to and enrichment of our society and our history. We honor their contributions to America and recognize their critical role in our military.



Army promotes Albrycht to brigadier general

Col. Sarah Albrycht, U.S. Army Military Police School commandant, was promoted to brigadier general during a ceremony on Jan. 26 in Lincoln Hall Auditorium.



14th MP Bde. bids farewell to DeSanto, welcomes Neikirk during ceremony

The 14th Military Police Brigade held a change-of-responsibility ceremony on Friday at the 795th MP Battalion headquarters, where Command Sgt. Maj. Paul DeSanto relinquished his role as the brigade's top enlisted leader to Command Sgt. Maj. Charles Neikirk.

Read these stories and more at <https://www.army.mil/paowood>.



Army Prime Power School bids farewell to Verry, welcomes Cully during ceremony

The U.S. Army Prime Power School held a change-of-responsibility ceremony on Friday in the Engineer Regimental Room at the John B. Mahaffey Museum Complex, where 1st Sgt. Mark Verry relinquished his role as the school's top enlisted leader to 1st Sgt. Donald Cully.

NEWS BRIEFS

Military Appreciation Day

The Missouri University of Science and Technology, in Rolla, Missouri, invites the Fort Leonard Wood community to cheer on their men's and women's basketball teams when they take on the Southwest Baptist University Bearcats on Saturday in Gibson Arena. Women's tip-off is at 1 p.m.; men's tip-off is at 3 p.m. Military members and their families will be given free admission.

Faith Skills begins on Wednesday

The Fort Leonard Wood Religious Support Office will begin the spring Faith Skills religious education classes on Wednesday at the Main Post Chapel. The classes, which occur on Wednesday evenings through April 26, include a dinner at 5:30 p.m., and the classes run until 7:30 p.m. Call 573.596.0089, or email martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil for details. A Faith Skills Facebook group is also available [here](#).

JEDI program

The Junior Executive Development Initiative was created here to grow future leaders and installation management professionals. The program is designed for individuals interested in self-development and self-care, leadership and competency skills, and career growth. Many JEDI members have used the knowledge gained through the program to earn promotions or new positions. Call 573.563.4005, or email farrah.l.overman.civ@army.mil for details.

Best Sapper Competition

Registration for the 2023 Lt. Gen. Robert B. Flowers Best Sapper Competition is now open. Visit the [U.S. Army Engineer School website](#) for details.

Newly remodeled ID Card office opens



Photo by Ryan Thompson, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

Garrison officials cut the ribbon on Friday and opened the doors to a newly remodeled ID Card Facility located in Bldg. 470. According to Laura Moore, Human Resources Personnel Service Center chief, the renovations will increase the quality of service for customers. Pictured from left: Col. Anthony Pollio, U.S. Army Garrison Fort Leonard Wood commander; Paula Davis, HR assistant; Moore; Konnye Porter, HR assistant; and Jolene Potanko, HRPSC supervisor.

TAP virtual hiring event

The Fort Leonard Wood community is invited to participate in a virtual hiring event from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Feb. 14. Click [here](#) for details or to register.

Scholarships for military children

The Scholarships for Military Children Program – run in conjunction with the Defense Commissary Agency – is accepting applications through Feb. 15. Click [here](#) for details.

Tax Center information

The Fort Leonard Wood Tax Center is now open from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. weekdays in Bldg. 315 for drop-off and pick-up service. Customers

are asked to bring a printed copy of the bank account and routing number – a voided check, for example – when dropping off tax documents to ensure any refunds are deposited accurately and in a timely manner. Call 573.596.1040 during business hours for details.

Estate claim

Anyone with claims against the estate of Spc. Joon Su Lee, Company B, 43rd Adjutant General Battalion, or knowing of assets belonging to Lee, should contact the Summary Court Martial Officer, 1st Lt. Ryan Petty, at 573.596.1252, or by email at [ryan.c.petty5.mil@army.mil](mailto:petty5.mil@army.mil).

More time for family: Army updates guidance for expanded parental leave

In an effort to support parents and caregivers, the Army has refined its parental leave guidance to align with the recent [Department of Defense expanded Military Parental Leave Program](#).

LEONARD WOOD JUSTICE

Reprimands

— A captain received a General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for driving while intoxicated.

— A sergeant first class received a General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for driving while intoxicated.

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Other Misconduct

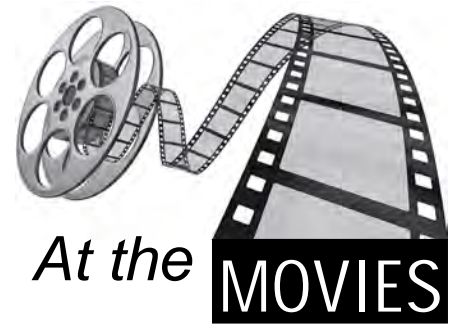
— A private received nonjudicial punishment pursuant to the UCMJ, Article 15 from a field grade officer for sexual harassment. Punishment included forfeiture of \$847 of pay for one month (suspended for 14 days); extra duty for 30 days (suspended for 30 days); and an oral reprimand.

— A private (E-2) received nonjudicial

punishment pursuant to the UCMJ, Article 15 from a company grade officer for violating the Army EO Policy. Punishment included reduction to private (E-1); forfeiture of \$427 of pay for one month; and extra duty for 14 days.

— A private received nonjudicial punishment pursuant to the UCMJ, Article 15 from a company grade officer for assaulting another trainee. Punishment included 14 days restriction; 14 days extra duty; forfeiture of \$491 of pay for one month; and an oral reprimand.

NOTE: Soldiers administratively separated receive one of three characterizations of service: Honorable, General, or Other Than Honorable. Anything less than Honorable may result in the loss of certain benefits and negatively impact employment and education opportunities.



Abrams Theater is now open for movies on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. This weekend's film showing's include:

“M3gan”
Rated PG-13
Showing at 6:30 p.m. Friday

“Smile”
Rated R
Showing at 1 p.m. Saturday

“Violent Night”
Rated R
Showing at 11 a.m. Sunday

“M3gan”
Rated PG-13
Showing at 2 p.m. Sunday

Prices for regular showings are \$6.50 for adults and \$3.75 for children. Prices for 3D showings are \$8.50 for adults and \$5.75 for children. Call 573.329.6176, or visit the [Exchange website](#) for details.



DIGITAL GARRISON – keeping military communities connected!

The Army's Digital Garrison mobile app is a one-stop information source for military communities. It's free and available at the [Google Play](#) and [Apple](#) stores.

MWR Events & Specials. Just For You.

Lake of the Ozarks Recreation Area

VALENTINE'S DAY Special

Feb 8 - 15

Happy Valentine's Day from LORA!
Rent 2 nights, and get the 3rd night FREE.

Sweetheart SCUBA

FEB 9, 6&7 PM

Davidson Fitness Center Pool

Open to the public, age 10 and up.
\$29.95 per person. Register by Feb 8.

ONLINE AT LEONARDWOOD.ARMYMWR.COM

DUELING PIANOS

PERSHING COMMUNITY CENTER

FEB 10

DOORS OPEN AND FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICE BEGINS 6:30PM

SHOW BEGINS 7 PM

SOLDIER SPOTLIGHT

FORT LEONARD WOOD



As the Retention Operations NCO for the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Staff Sgt. Steven Henderson is responsible for counseling Soldiers on career options, developing and mentoring other career counselors, leading trainings and much more.

Originally enlisting as an infantryman in 2004, he reclassified to the 79S military occupational specialty to serve as a career counselor in 2018. Throughout his almost 20-year career, he has served at several locations worldwide, including Texas, Germany, Kentucky and Missouri, where he has been for nearly three years.



Staff Sgt. Steven Henderson, Maneuver Support Center of Excellence

Where are you from originally?

I spent most of my life before I joined the military in northwest Indiana.

Why did you join the Army?

For the most part it was family tradition – I said I was going to join the Army starting when I was five years old, and from that point, it was always my goal.

Where did you attend initial entry training?

I completed one station unit training at Fort Benning, Georgia, to become an infantryman. When I reclassified, I completed advanced individual training at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

What is the difference between recruiting and retention?

A recruiter's biggest goal is to bring

people into initial service; our responsibility is to maintain them in the service.

What has been your most memorable experience in the Army?

My most memorable experience was when I was on a personal security detail team while on my first deployment. It was the most enjoyable, as well. That's when I decided I was going to stay in the military. I made a lot of great friends. I was on a team full of different MOSs. We had everything from infantrymen and medics to mechanics, supply specialists and fuelers. My NCO influenced me to continue my service. He taught me what it's like to be a leader, and what would be expected of me when it was my turn, so that's what I strove for.

How do you define leadership?

It's about treating them the way you want to be treated. I was educated and given opportunities. I wasn't yelled at or constantly demeaned. I have treated my Soldiers with respect because that's how I was treated by my leaders. I saw their example, and that's how I wanted to do it.

What is your favorite part of your job?

My favorite part is being around the Soldiers. We can relate to one another and be comfortable around one another.

Click [here](#) to nominate a Fort Leonard Wood Soldier for recognition.