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Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



MSCoE CG and CSM Send: Happy Birthday, Army!

This Wednesday, we celebrate the United States Army's 248th birthday as part of Army Heritage Month.



IMCOM names Fort Leonard Wood its best garrison for 2022

U.S. Army Installation Management Command leaders announced on Tuesday that Fort Leonard Wood is the best garrison in the Army.



Bochat takes command of Army's CBRN School

Brig. Gen. Sean Crockett relinquished command of the U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear School to Col. W. Bochat during a change-of-command ceremony Tuesday on the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence Plaza.



Garrison leaders host quarterly employee town hall

Fort Leonard Wood garrison leaders hosted a town hall for civilian employees on June 1 at Nutter Field House.

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



Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs director among 2022 IMCOM Stalwart Award winners

Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office Director Tiffany Wood was one of just nine Army civilians to be presented the 2022 Installation Management Command Stalwart Award, during a ceremony on Tuesday in San Antonio, Texas.



Army needs feedback for ICE system to be successful

As part of a customer-focused workforce, the Army uses data gathered from the Interactive Customer Evaluation system, or ICE, to help leaders make informed decisions aimed at making operations more effective and efficient – but to make ICE a productive feedback system, they need everyone's input.



Education fair brings more than 20 colleges, universities to Fort Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood hosted representatives from more than 20 colleges and universities on Wednesday, when the Truman Education and Personnel Testing Center held an education fair in the Main Exchange.



USMC Volkslauf event puts the 'fun' in 'fun run'

More than 600 service members, civilians and family members turned out on Saturday to flip tires, play in the mud and do a little running during the 22nd Marine Corps Volkslauf 10K fun run.



248th
**ARMY
BIRTHDAY**



FORT LEONARD WOOD'S CELEBRATION

DIVISION-STYLE
BIRTHDAY RUN
5:30 A.M.
JUNE 14
GAMMON FTFI D

CAKE CUTTING
CEREMONY
3:30 P.M.
JUNE 14
MSCOF PI A7A

399TH ARMY BAND
CONCERT
3:45 P.M.
JUNE 14
MSCOE PLAZA

RETREAT
CEREMONY
4:30 P.M.
JUNE 14
MSCOF PI A7A

NEWS BRIEFS

Army Heritage Month events

June is Army Heritage Month, and Fort Leonard Wood has events planned to highlight the history and culture of the branch in the weeks surrounding the Army Birthday on Wednesday. Events still to come this year include a Strength Through Diversity weightlifting competition that begins at 8 a.m. on Friday at Swift Gym, located at the corner of West 16th Street and Buckeye Avenue; a cultural diversity food event, featuring foods from Africa, Asia, Europe and the Americas, taking place from Monday to June 16 at all of the installation's dining facilities; an open house at the John B. Mahaffey Museum Complex, from 8 a.m. to noon on June 15; and a golf scramble that begins at 1 p.m. on June 15 at Piney Valley Golf Course.

Army Engineer birthday

The Army Engineer Regiment will celebrate its 248th birthday with a muster set to begin at noon on June 15 in the Essayons Room at the John B. Mahaffey Museum Complex. A cake-cutting ceremony is scheduled to begin at 3:40 p.m. on the patio behind the museum.

FEVS window now open

The 2023 Federal Employee Viewpoint Survey window is open through June 30, and all eligible civilians should have received an email with a unique link in

mid-May. The FEVS, administered by the Office of Personnel Management, is an annual government-wide survey that measures federal employees' perceptions of critical work-life areas driving employee engagement, satisfaction and retention across the workforce.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School runs from 9 a.m. to noon July 17 to 21 at the Main Post Chapel for children 4 years old through those entering sixth grade. A kick-off event is set for 4:30 to 6 p.m. July 16 at the MPC. Click [here](#), or call 573.596.0089 for details.

Peak PCS season delays

Personnel preparing for a permanent change of station should anticipate delays in the scheduling of their household goods move, and should not try to move or store their household goods prior to receiving PCS orders. Individuals should contact the Fort Leonard Wood transportation office when orders are received – any delay in contacting the transportation office may result in non-availability of Department of Defense-contracted moving companies. Call 573.596.0077, or visit in person in Bldg. 470, Room 1220. The transportation office is open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays. Customers also have the option to start the process on-line through the Defense Personal Property System. To request access to

DPS, click [here](#). Scroll down to the red button that reads, "LOG IN TO DPS." When at the DPS landing page, scroll down to the customer column and click on "Register as a Customer," and fill out the requested information. A user ID and password is sent to the email provided when registering. For registration or log-in issues, please call 800.462.2176. Self-counseling through DPS is not available for first-time movers, retirees and separating members.

Estate claim

Anyone with claims against the estate of Pfc. Mariam Nance, Company A, 2nd Battalion, 10th Infantry Regiment, or knowing of assets belonging to Nance, should contact the Summary Court Martial Officer, 1st Lt. Terry McClintock, at 573.596.5124, or by email at terry.a.mcclintock.mil@army.mil.

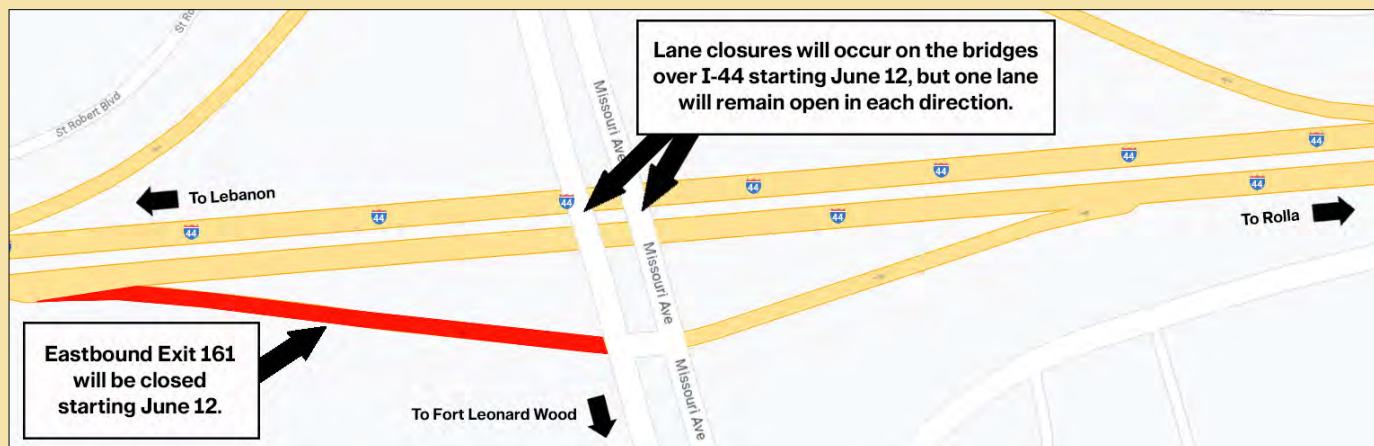
Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at noon on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays in Room 132 at the Main Post Chapel. Call 253.363.3306 or 970.390.5724 for details.

Sexual assault helpline

Fort Leonard Wood's 24/7 Sexual Assault Resource Center is available by calling 573.855.1327. Visit the [Safe Helpline website](#) for more options.

Bridge improvements over I-44 to affect Fort Leonard Wood traffic



Graphic by Brian Hill, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

A Missouri Department of Transportation construction project set to begin on Monday will close eastbound Exit 161 off Interstate 44, and affect northbound and southbound traffic across the Y Highway/Missouri Avenue bridges over the interstate. One lane will remain open in each direction on the bridges during the project, which is expected to take about four months.



The
**DIGITAL
GARRISON**
App

The Army's Digital Garrison mobile app is a one-stop information source for military communities.

Explore all the benefits your Army post has to offer: Navigate to on-post facilities, stay updated on local weather, and be informed about gate closures or other important installation information in real time, all from your phone.

The Digital Garrison app is free and available at the [Google Play](#) and [Apple](#) stores.

USAPPS Soldiers organize litter pick-up event



Photo courtesy of the U.S. Army Prime Power School

Soldiers with the U.S. Army Prime Power School pose for a photo behind the litter they collected Sunday morning along Y Highway in St. Robert. The school has adopted a mile-long section of the road, and coordinates regular litter-collection events to help keep the Fort Leonard Wood community outside the gates looking a little cleaner.

NEED HELP? Dial 9-8-8

The national suicide prevention and mental health helpline is available by calling 9-8-8. Veterans may press "1" to be connected with a responder trained to assist military and veteran populations.

Slow down when driving past service members on foot

Per Fort Leonard Wood Regulation 190-5, vehicle operators should drive no more than 10 mph when passing troops marching or standing in formation.





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kid's CATFISH DERBY

JUNE 10, 9AM - 12 PM
TA 228 POND NEAR FLW 38

Free & open to the public. Age 15 & under accompanied by an adult. Great prizes for tagged catfish! Hot dogs and drinks provided.

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER: 573-596-4223

COMMANDING GENERAL'S SCRAMBLE

PINEY VALLEY GOLF COURSE

JUN 15

SIX FLAGS ST. LOUIS

BUS TRIP

JUNE 17
LEISURE TRAVEL SERVICES



Bus seat & general admission ticket combo: \$65 each, bus seat only: \$30. Register by June 9
Leisure Travel Services: Bldg 490
573-329-8587



Photos by Angi Betran, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

Above: Staff Sgt. Good Richard Remy, a drill sergeant with the 169th Engineer Battalion, demonstrates his drill sergeant skills on Monday outside Bldg. 660 during the four-day Maneuver Support Center of Excellence Drill Sergeant of the Year competition. **Right:** Staff Sgt. Travis Paice, a drill sergeant with 2nd Battalion, 10th Infantry Regiment, evaluates a suspected heat injury on Tuesday near Bldg. 660 during the MSCoE Drill Sergeant of the Year competition.



The Maneuver Support Center of Excellence and Fort Leonard Wood host the **2023 DRILL SERGEANT OF THE YEAR, BEST SQUAD COMPETITIONS**

JUNE 5 TO 9



Above: Staff Sgt. Kevin Bickley, a squad member with the Combined Arms Center team from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, crosses a one-rope bridge on Tuesday at Training Area 98 during the second day of the MSCoE Best Squad competition.

Left: Spc. Shean Brown, 1st Engineer Brigade squad member, rappels on Monday at the Sapper Leader Course rappel tower on the first day of the MSCoE Best Squad Competition.

The winning squad and drill sergeant will be announced at an awards ceremony beginning at 10 a.m. on Friday in Lincoln Hall Auditorium. More photos from both competitions are available on the [Fort Leonard Wood Flickr page](#).