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Thursday, January 12, 2023

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



## MSCoE CG and CSM Send: Celebrating a life of service and action on Martin Luther King Jr. Day

On Monday, we will celebrate Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Dr. King raised our nation's attention to the importance of equality and civil rights through nonviolent movements and inspiring leadership. His life of service and action continues to impact positive progress.



## MSCoE, Fort Leonard Wood bid fond farewell to Delapena, welcome Arzabala during ceremony

The Maneuver Support Center of Excellence and Fort Leonard Wood held a change-of-responsibility ceremony Friday in Lincoln Hall Auditorium, where Command Sgt. Maj. Randolph Delapena relinquished his role as top enlisted leader to Command Sgt. Maj. Jorge Arzabala.



## Fort Leonard Wood installing first charging stations for electrified government vehicle fleet

Fort Leonard Wood's Directorate of Public Works, in conjunction with utility partner, Laclede Electric Cooperative, is currently installing the post's first electric vehicle charging stations.



## Post Tax Center to open on Wednesday

The Fort Leonard Wood Tax Center opens Wednesday to provide free tax return preparation services for active-duty service members, retirees, dependent family members and Department of Defense civilians.

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



## Minimize social networking risks with OPSEC

Practicing good operations security will minimize the risks that come with participating in social networking sites and help you to recognize and protect your critical information.



## Fort Leonard Wood assists Missouri Department of Conservation with annual eagle survey

Wildlife biologists with the Directorate of Public Works' Environmental Division and conservation agents from the Directorate of Emergency Services and the Missouri Department of Conservation took to the skies Jan. 4 to conduct the 2023 Midwinter Bald Eagle Survey along Pulaski County's waterways.



## Prime Power students prove proficiency during capstone event

Twenty Soldiers and Sailors attending the Production Specialist Course spent hours in the pouring rain executing a power plant deployment scenario during a capstone event carried out in December at the U.S. Army Prime Power School here.



## Three organizations join Fort Leonard Wood Blood Donor Center's '100-Donor Club'

January is National Blood Donor Month, and the Fort Leonard Wood Blood Donor Center is highlighting three on-post organizations that recently joined an elite group by providing 100 or more eligible donors during a single-day blood drive.

### NEWS BRIEFS

#### Military spouse recruitment event

Representatives from the Central Region Missouri Job Center will be available from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday in Bldg. 470, Rooms 2224 and 2225, to assist unemployed military spouses. Call 573.201.1143 for details.

#### MSCoE blood drive

A blood drive in support of the Armed Services Blood Program will take place from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Thurman Hall, Room 1522. Call 573.596.6150 for details.

#### FMMP January meeting

The next meeting of the Female Morale

and Mentorship Program is 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday in Thurman Hall, Room 3031. The FMMP is a monthly professional development forum designed to help develop and support female service members and is open to all service members and Defense Department civilians.

#### Main Exchange closure

Fort Leonard Wood's Main Exchange will be closed Jan. 25 for inventory. The food court and other shops will remain open. Call 573.329.2200 for details.

#### 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.

#### Upcoming training opportunities

A leader development class is scheduled for Feb. 6 to 10; the supervisor course is Feb. 28 to March 2; and the next new employee onboarding is March 28 to 31. Call 573.563.4005 for details.

#### 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.



## Future Soldier Preparatory Course to expand based on initial success

Based on the initial success of the Future Soldier Preparatory Course pilot at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, the Army will expand the course in 2023 to help increase the quality of individuals entering basic training.

## Army defines communication needs for 2030

To ensure the Army is progressing toward an Army of 2030, it will evolve the way it communicates.

# DIGITAL GARRISON

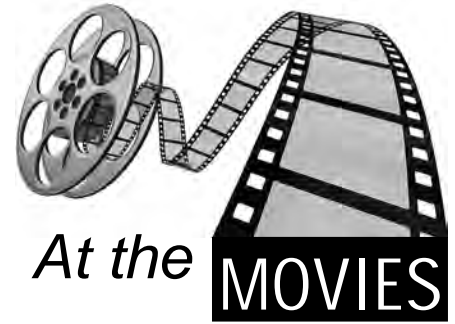
– keeping military communities connected.



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.



Abrams Theater is now open for movies on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. This weekend will feature a first-run showing of:

“A Man Called Otto”  
Rated PG-13  
Showing at 6:30 p.m. Friday, and 1 p.m. Saturday and 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.

### NEED HELP?

## DIAL 9-8-8

The national suicide prevention and mental health helpline may now be reached by calling 9-8-8. Veterans may still press “1” to be connected with a responder trained to assist military and veteran populations.



## MWR Events & Specials. Just For You.

ONLINE AT [LEONARDWOOD.ARMYMWR.COM](https://LEONARDWOOD.ARMYMWR.COM)

**MLK BYB BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT**

**JAN 21, 9AM**

**DAVIDSON FITNESS CENTER**

20 TEAM SLOTS AVAILABLE.  
\$30 PER TEAM.  
4 PERSON PER TEAM MAX, 18 & UP.



**HIRING FAIR**

**JAN 25**

**DILLARD HALL, BLDG 470, RM 1127**

Pre-register for an interview time today!  
Limited slots available.

SCAN THE CODE TO LEARN MORE!

**APPLY TODAY!**



**TASTE of the ARTS**

**JAN 27 5-7PM**

**PERSHING COMMUNITY CENTER**

Join us for a display of community art, light appetizer tasting, and music!


ARMY FAMILY COVENANT: KEEPING THE PROMISE



Photos by Brian Hill, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

**Allen Moll, an aviation safety and airfield operations officer, performs preventive maintenance checks and services on one of Fort Leonard Wood's lighted "X" runway closure markers. Should the need arise, the system provides a visual aid for indicating to aircraft pilots that a runway is closed.**

# AIRFIELD OPERATIONS

*When this morning's inclement weather brought potential hazards to the installation, the Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization and Security's Aviation Division monitored the situation and prepared to act to ensure Forney Airfield was safe for passengers.*



**Ronald Williams, an airfield operations specialist intern, checks the lighting control panel to ensure the flightline lights are on. During inclement weather, the lights on the runway remain on for visibility.**



**Brian Fox, one of Fort Leonard Wood's meteorological technicians (foreground), and Allen Moll, an aviation safety and airfield operations officer, provide a weather forecast for the Fort Leonard Wood community and road closure recommendations during a snow and ice removal program conference call with garrison leaders.**



**John Yohn, a flight operations specialist, prepares to use a decelerometer, which measures a vehicle's ability to brake on a given surface. The runway is checked in multiple places during inclement weather to ensure aircraft passenger safety.**



# SOLDIER SPOTLIGHT

FORT LEONARD WOOD



*Warrant Officer Basic Leader Course Instructor Chief Warrant Officer 3 Daniel Stanley spent eight years as an enlisted military policeman and with the Criminal Investigation Division before becoming a warrant officer. Today, he teaches the skills he has learned to future warrant officers at the U.S. Army Military Police School.*

**Where are you from originally?**  
I'm from Nebo, North Carolina.

**Where did you attend initial entry training?**

I attended one station unit training at Fort Leonard Wood in 2003.

**Why did you choose to become a warrant officer?**

I became a warrant officer in 2015, because there were things I wanted to do that, a lot of times, you have to be a warrant officer to do in our organization. I also saw the opportunities available to warrant officers and an opportunity to take care of my family, so I thought it would be a nice next step.

**What do you specialize in?**

I'm kind of a jack of all trades, master of none, but my degree is in forensic science. That's one of the things that is unique to our organization.

Now, I teach, but I used to work crimes like death, murder, sexual assault, larcenies and things like that – that's what CID does.

**What keeps you going when working with such tough subject matters?**

I think, at the conclusion of the case, when we go into a court martial and see these people who have done bad things get locked up, it motivates us to continue. Also, the agents who work for you, the ones that you work with, and the ones you've worked for, keep us going because it definitely gets to a dark place sometimes.

**How do you define leadership?**

Leadership is being involved. It's about showing your Soldiers the right thing to do and answering their questions. I've had a wide range of leadership – good, bad and indifferent – so, I think that a lot of it is just being present and taking care of them. If they ask for something, then get it done as quickly as you can.

**What is your favorite part about your job?**

What I really enjoy is being able to



**Chief Warrant Officer 3 Daniel Stanley  
U.S. Army Military Police School**

teach the new warrant officers who are coming through some of the things I have learned along the way, and having the opportunity to be a positive influence on them going forward.