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Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri

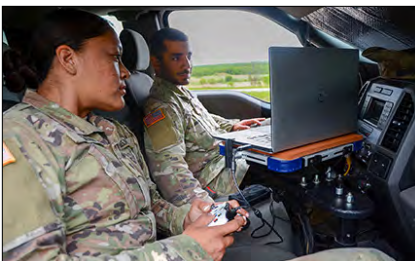


USAMPS bids farewell to Knell, welcomes Albrycht

The U.S. Army Military Police School said farewell to Brig. Gen. Niave Knell and welcomed Col. Sarah Albrycht during a change-of-command ceremony Friday at Lincoln Hall Auditorium.

MPs induct 13 into Regimental Hall of Fame

The U.S. Army Military Police Corps Regiment inducted 13 members into the MP Corps Regimental Hall of Fame during a ceremony Friday at Lincoln Hall Auditorium and the John. B. Mahaffey Museum Complex.



MSSPIX puts emerging defense capabilities in Soldiers' hands

The Maneuver Support, Sustainment and Protection Integration Experiments, or MSSPIX, wrapped up this week. The annual event gives Army leaders and capability developers a chance to gain insights into the viability of emerging technologies through credible and validated operational assessments.

TAP sets transitioning service members up for success with career summit

More than 250 transitioning service members, veterans and their family members attended a career summit hosted by the Fort Leonard Wood Transition Assistance Program team May 12 at Nutter Field House.



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



East Gate bridge improvements slated for January completion

Work to improve the safety of the 80-year-old bridge outside the East Gate continues, with a completion date now slated for January 2023.

Fort Leonard Wood firefighters brave the heat for fuel-fire training

Service members and civilians of various faiths gathered this morning at the Main Post Chapel to pray for the community, the nation, its leaders and the armed forces during the National Day of Prayer event.



Para-swimmer, military spouse defies the odds through personal courage

When doctors told Taylor Winnett she would never swim competitively again, she was devastated. But through perseverance and personal courage, she proved them wrong by becoming a para-swimmer and member of the U.S. Paralympics 2022 National Team – and she is breaking records while doing it.

NEWS BRIEFS

Housing walking town hall

Senior garrison leaders here, along with representatives from Balfour Beatty Communities – Fort Leonard Wood’s housing partner – will host a walking town hall through the South Lieber Heights neighborhood, starting at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday. The intent of the walking town hall is to provide a casual environment, where leaders can hear what’s on the minds of Fort Leonard Wood’s service members and their families.

Commissary sidewalk sale

In honor of Military Appreciation Month, the Fort Leonard Wood Commissary is hosting a four-day sidewalk sale from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 26 and 27, and 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. May 28. Call 573.596.0783 for details.

Resilience speaker coming to FLW

Mental health advocate and suicide prevention educator David Woods Bartley will visit Fort Leonard Wood Tuesday through May 26, and members of the

community here are invited to attend one of several scheduled speaking engagements. Service members are invited to attend any one of six 60- to 90-minute sessions. They begin at 8 and 11 a.m. Tuesday; 10 a.m., 12:30 and 2:30 p.m. Wednesday; and 8 a.m. May 26. Department of Defense civilians are invited to attend any one of two 90-minute sessions, including one at 1 p.m. Tuesday, and one at 8 a.m. Wednesday. Community members with access to Fort Leonard Wood are invited to attend from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday. All sessions will be held at the Main Post Chapel. Call 573.596.0938 for details.

Volkslauf 10K fun run

The U.S. Marine Corps Detachment is hosting their Volkslauf 10K fun run, starting at 8 a.m. June 4. Check-in will be at the Auto Skills Center parking lot, near the corner of Nebraska and Demolition avenues. Registration between now and June 1 is \$150 per adult team (\$20 per person after the first five team members);

\$90 per youth team (\$20 per person after the first five team members); \$35 per individual adult; and \$25 per individual youth. Registration will also be available on site the day of the event. Click [here](#) to register or for more information.

Estate claim

Anyone with claims against the estate of Cpl. Deshon Holloway, U.S. Army Medical Department Activity, or knowing of assets belonging to Holloway, should contact the Summary Court Martial Officer, Capt. Paul Moody, at 573.596.0535, or by email at paul.j.moody.mil@mail.mil.

Peak PCS season delays

Personnel preparing for a permanent change of station move in May, June, July, August – and potentially September – 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

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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. This option is not available for first-time

movers, retirees and separating members. Call the DPS help desk at 800.462.2176 for additional assistance.

Photo appointments available

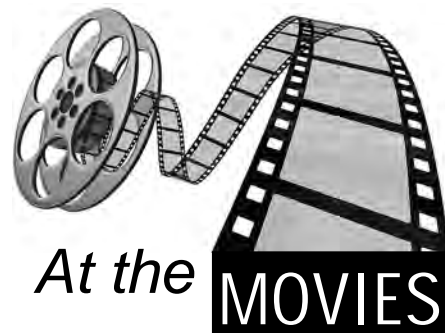
The Visual Information Center is accepting appointments for official Department of the Army and head-and-shoulder command photos. Visit the [Visual Information Ordering Site](#) to make an appointment.

Suicide prevention helpline

Call 1.800.273.8255 (or text 838255). It is anonymous and available 24/7. Download the WeCare app for more resources.

Sexual assault helpline

Fort Leonard Wood’s sexual assault helpline is available 24/7 at 573.855.1327. Visit <https://safehelpline.org> for additional resources.



At the **MOVIES**

Abrams Theater is now open for movies on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. This weekend’s films include:

“The Bad Guys”
Rated PG
Showing at 6:30 p.m. Friday

“Fantastic Beasts 3: The Secrets of Dumbledore”
Rated PG-13
Showing at 1 p.m. Saturday*

“The Northman”
Rated R
Showing at 11 a.m. Sunday

“Ambulance”
Rated R
Showing at 2 p.m. Sunday

Call 573.329.6176 for details.

*Denotes a first-run showing.

Do you know someone here who has done something really interesting lately?

Does your unit have an event people might want to read about?

We’d like to hear about it. Submit it [here](#).



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MAY 25

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DIG IN Dodgeball

MAY 27
DAVIDSON FITNESS CENTER
6-8 PM

FREE to enter--register your 4-person team at Davidson Fitness Center. Team themes are highly encouraged! Open to authorized personnel ages 16 & up.

573-596-4359

WORKOUT TO HONOR CHALLENGE

MAY 28, 10AM-1PM
GERLACH FIELD

Register at Specker Gym or Davidson Fitness Center by May 21. Free and open to the public, age 16 and up.

573-596-4359/7377

ARMY FAMILY COVENANT: KEEPING THE PROMISE



Photos by Angi Betran, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

Above: From left: Marine Lance Cpl. Quintravio Russ, Marine Pfc. Mubashir Khan and Marine Lance Cpl. Johnny Uribe, learn lift and tow procedures May 16 at Training Area 61, as part of the Marine Corps Detachment's 33-day Vehicle Recovery Course.

Right: Air Force Airman Basic Wesley Eberfield provides ground guide support to Air Force Airman Basic Chris Verzonilla as he reverses a dumptruck May 16 as part of the 368th Training Squadron's 11-week Pavement and Equipment Technical Training Course. In addition to learning the basics of heavy equipment operation, the course, located at TA 244, also provides information on basic operations used in pavement construction and maintenance.



Soldiers in training with Company C, 701st Military Police Battalion, learn riot control tactics as part of corrections and detention specialist training Monday at Stem Village. This eight-hour block of training usually occurs near the end of the course, and teaches riot control principles and formations, as well as riot baton and shield control.

In recognition of
ARMED FORCES DAY

on Saturday, this week's photo page highlights the Airmen, Marines, Sailors and Soldiers, who regularly train on Fort Leonard Wood.



Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Joshua Morris, an Equipment Operator instructor at the Center for Seabees and Facilities Engineering Detachment, teaches Seabees how to load and secure a forklift for transportation in week two of the Equipment Operator Constructionman Course on May 4 at TA 244. During week two of the 10-week course, students learn how to operate forklifts, such as the 11k and 12k.

THEN AND NOW

FORT LEONARD WOOD

NUTTER FIELD HOUSE



1950s

2022

Nutter Field House is named after **2nd Lt. Daniel Nutter**, 25th Armored Engineer Battalion, 6th Armored Division, who posthumously received the Distinguished Service Cross for heroism in **World War II**. The field house is located south of

Gammon Field on Iowa Avenue and was built in **1942**, to provide recreational facilities for Soldiers.

The building features a **Lamella roof truss system** that is unusual to these types of facilities. The building has been

renovated with audio-visual capabilities to support large functions and events.



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Why did you choose a career as a DA Civilian?

I have always wanted to be a part of the military in some form. **I wanted to give back to those who protect our freedom and country**, and my job allows me to accomplish that by making a difference in their lives.

What do you like most about your job/career as a DA Civilian?

We work with each branch of the military, so **I have had the opportunity to learn how each branch is different, and develop working relationships across the world.** I like that I get to be a

part of the solution for their families, and make sure the outcomes are favorable for them. This job can be a challenge, but I enjoy that.

What is your most memorable experience as a DA Civilian?

I recently worked with a family that required assistance for an Emergency Compassionate Reassignment. We could not support the family’s medical or educational needs, so **we assisted the family with finding a new duty installation, where the resources were accessible.** We were able to get the family reassigned in a timely manner. It was compelling to see how much of a relief this was for the

family, and how grateful they were for everyone who was involved.

What are the benefits of working as a DA Civilian?

As a DA Civilian, **there are so many areas my career can lead**, whether it is learning a new job skill, or being able to see the world – which I would like to do eventually.

