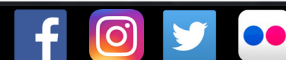


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Thursday, September 9, 2021

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



MSCoE Sends: 'Connect to Protect' — a suicide prevention message

September is National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. The past 20 years of global conflict have been challenging for our service members, civilians, retirees and families. Many of us have lost teammates, friends and loved ones. Sadly, our military has lost more of our own to suicide than to overseas contingency operations.



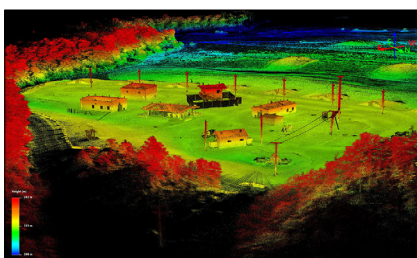
MSCoE Sends: Remembering 9/11

For many of us, Sept. 11, 2001, is a day that is etched in our minds. We remember the day America was shaken by acts of terror and how our country mourned the nearly 3,000 lives lost. Today, many of our nation's sons and daughters whom we lead, train and inspire each day at Fort Leonard Wood, do not have these memories. So, it is important that we remember and share our stories of how we were impacted by those events.



Fort Leonard Wood's Patriot Day ceremony, a day of remembrance

Fort Leonard Wood senior leaders and chaplains paused this morning to pray for and remember the victims and heroes of 9/11.



Fort Leonard Wood Geospatial Engineers partner with NGA, test laser-based surveying technology

Representatives from the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency, or NGA, research team in St. Louis, met with U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command Proponent Office – Geospatial, or TPO-GEO, service members and civilians here during Army Engineer Regimental Week to demonstrate Lidar survey data collection capabilities.

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



Soldier reflects on Pentagon recovery following 9/11

On Sept. 11, 2001, 22-year-old Sgt. William Wilkins' duty station was roughly a five-minute drive from the Pentagon. Wilkins — now a 43-year-old chief warrant officer 4 assigned to the U.S. Army Combined Arms Support Command headquarters at Fort Lee, Virginia — was among the initial wave of responders to the Pentagon's crash scene, where a jetliner had plunged into the southwest side of the building.



Secretary of the Army swears in Martin as first female inspector general

Lt. Gen. Donna Martin was sworn in as the Army's inspector general by Secretary of the Army Christine Wormuth during a ceremony Sept. 2 in Washington, D.C.

LEONARD WOOD JUSTICE

Reprimands

- A second lieutenant received a Memorandum of Reprimand for negligently firing his assigned weapon into and through his foot at a live-fire training event.
- A chief warrant officer 1 received a General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for driving under the influence of alcohol.
- A sergeant first class received a General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for wrongfully engaging in extramarital conduct.
- A sergeant first class received a permanently filed General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for sexually harassing subordinates and creating a hostile work environment.
- A staff sergeant received a permanently filed General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for driving under the influence of alcohol.
- A specialist received a permanently filed General Officer Memorandum of Reprimand for driving under the influence of alcohol.

Other Misconduct

- A first lieutenant was eliminated from the Army after having an intimate relationship with a trainee.

— A drill sergeant was charged with an inappropriate relationship with a trainee. In lieu of trial, he received an under other than honorable conditions discharge and was reduced in rank to E-1.

— A drill sergeant received a Field Grade Article 15 for trainee abuse.

— A staff sergeant was separated from the Army with an under other than honorable conditions discharge and reduced in rank to E-1 for engaging in prohibited sexual acts with a trainee.

— A sergeant was separated from the Army with an under other than honorable conditions discharge and reduced to the rank of E-1 for wearing unauthorized badges.

— A private first class was separated from the Army with an under other than honorable conditions discharge and reduced in rank to E-1 for touching three trainees inappropriately.

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.

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

We'd like to hear about it. Submit it here.



Military Appreciation Night

Waynesville High School will host its military appreciation night during their varsity football game against Kickapoo High School, starting at 7 p.m. Friday at Tiger Stadium — gates open at 6 p.m. All active-duty service members and military retirees with ID will be admitted at no charge. Call 573.842.2040 for details.

Blood drive

The Maneuver Support Center of Excellence is hosting a blood drive from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Thurman Hall, Room 1522. Email dominique.m.batton.mil@mail.mil or call 573.596.6150 for details.

Spouses Club luncheon

The Fort Wood Community Spouses Club is hosting a luncheon from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sept. 21 at the Fort Leonard Wood USO. RSVP is required by email at reservationsfwcsc@gmail.com.

RSO announces Fall classes

The Fort Leonard Wood Religious Support Office is hosting its fall religious education classes from 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through Nov. 3, with dinner at 5:30 p.m. Email Martha Strong, or click [here](#) for details.

East Gate closure

The East Gate is closed until further notice while construction work is performed on the bridge near the gate. Call 573.596.0918, or click [here](#) for details.

FLW 1 road repairs

FLW 1, from FLW 38 to the South Gate, has been reduced to one lane while the road surface is repaired. The project is expected to be completed by Oct. 1. Call 573.596.1179 for details.

Estate claim

Anyone with claims against the estate of Staff Sgt. Robert Early, Medical Activity, or knowing of assets belonging to Early, should contact the Summary Court Martial Officer, Capt. Jessica Dolan, at 573.596.9093, or by email at jessica.l.dolan3.mil@mail.mil.

Estate claim

Anyone with claims against the estate of Spc. Joshua Morrison, 50th Multi-Role Bridge Company, 5th Engineer Battalion, or knowing of assets belonging to Morrison, should contact the Summary Court Martial Officer, Capt. Kevin BemisterBuffington, at 573.596.5075, or by email at kevin.a.bemisterbuffington.mil@mail.mil.

Commander's Cup

The Commander's Cup trap shoot event has been rescheduled for 11 a.m. Friday at the Outdoor Adventure Center. The swimming event starts at 9 a.m. Sept. 18 at Davidson Fitness Center. The fiscal year 2022 events calendar has been published. The flag football league starts Monday, and the flag football and volleyball tournaments, along with a 5K event are scheduled for October. Call 573.596.7762 for details.

Army Traffic Safety Program

Fort Leonard Wood's Garrison Safety Office offers Army Traffic Safety Program courses year-round. Contact Ashley Shetland at 573.596.0116, or by email at ashley.c.shetland.civ@mail.mil for details.

Sexual assault helpline

Fort Leonard Wood's sexual assault helpline can be reached 24/7 at 573.855.1327.

Suicide prevention helpline

Anyone having suicidal thoughts is encouraged to call 1.800.273.8255 (text 8-3-8-2-5-5). It is anonymous and available 24/7. Download the free app for mobile devices called WeCare for details on additional resources.

Have an upcoming event or an interesting idea for a story? Submit it [here](#).



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PINEY VALLEY GOLF COURSE

COMMANDING GENERAL'S SCRAMBLE

SEP 17

8AM START TIME. 4-PERSON SCRAMBLE. 9 HOLES FOR \$35, 18 HOLES FOR \$50. MEAL SERVED AFTER 9 HOLES AND 18-HOLE PLAYERS WILL CONTINUE AFTER MEAL. REGISTER BY 1 DAY PRIOR. Age 18 & older. Prizes and flights based on number of participants. Open to the public.

573-329-4770

LAKE OF THE OZARKS RECREATION AREA

CATFISH TOURNAMENT

SEPT 18: 9AM-3PM WEIGH-IN

\$40 PER TEAM, \$10 ADDITIONAL BIG CATFISH (OPTIONAL) PER BOAT. EACH BOAT MUST HAVE A DoD AUTHORIZED I.D. CARD HOLDER.

789 Olney Circle, Linn Creek, MO

573-346-5640

SUMMER PAINTBALL TOURNAMENT



18 SEPT. 1 PM

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER

\$50 per team. Double elimination style tournament. Use our equipment or bring your own. Paint must be purchased at the OAC. Under age 18 must have guardian waiver to play.

573-596-4223

Q&A

DIANE HELL

ACCESS TO CARE MANAGER
CLINICAL OPERATIONS
GENERAL LEONARD WOOD
ARMY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Responsible for ensuring the medical treatment facility meets or exceeds Defense Health Agency access standards.



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What made you decide to have a career with the Army?

I chose this career as a way to continue to work with our service members and their families. My father, husband and son served and continue to serve our great nation.

What do you like most about working for the Army?

What I like most about my job is seeing the smiles on our customers' faces when we are taking care of them. The job of finding ways to provide access to care can be very challenging, especially during COVID.

What is your most memorable Army experience?

During Operation Desert Storm, my husband and dad were deployed to Iraq at the same time. The Army sent my dad back stateside because he was retiring. Before he left, he drove to check on my husband and my husband's unit and brought back over five duffle bags of letters.

He and I delivered them on base to all the spouses. For many, it was the first time hearing from their Soldier. It is little things, like seeing the joy and tears in someone's eyes and knowing you made their day a little brighter.

What advice would you give to others who might be looking at working for the Army?

Remember that, as DA Civilians, we are here because of the military and the sacrifices our Soldiers make each and every day. Military families go through a lot, especially the children. We need to take the best care of our family members. No Soldier should ever have to worry about whether their family is being taken care of or not, especially deployed Soldiers.

