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Community Information Forum – APR 2022

COL Paine, Garrison Commander

Ms. Megan O'Donoghue
Director
Family and Morale, Welfare and
Recreation



PURPOSE

Community Outreach

The Fort Leonard Wood Community Information Forum is designed to be an information exchange and dialogue between the Garrison and the Fort Leonard Wood community on a range of topics and interests.

The intent is to gain a better understanding of community issues, share information, upcoming events, and network to improve quality of life for service members, families, civilians and retirees.





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AGENDA

- Opening Remarks / Garrison Commander or Representative
- Panel Speakers
- Brief by Exception
- Open Forum to follow / Questions & answers

Community Information Forum ICE – Questions/Comments

If you have any questions you would like addressed, you can submit them through ICE at

<https://ice.disa.mil/index.cfm?fa=card&sp=145057&s=447>

Or click the QR code





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APRIL TOPIC *Focus on FAMILY*



Month of the
Military Child





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DFMWR / Child Youth Services



MONDAY 4/11	TUESDAY 4/12	WEDNESDAY 4/13	THURSDAY 4/14	FRIDAY 4/15
CAMO DAY Wear your favorite camo gear. 	SUPER HERO DAY Dress up as your favorite super hero 	TIE DYE DAY Be groovy, wear your tie dye gear 	TACKY TOURIST Dress like a tourist 	DECADES DAY Represent your favorite decade 

You are Cordially Invited to the opening of the

Young Lives, Big Stories

ART GALLERY SHOWING

April 1-29

Opening Night:
April 1, 4pm
Dillard Hall (Bldg 470)

Children from Fort Leonard Wood and surrounding communities will be presenting their art in the lobby and halls of Dillard Hall. The show will run all month—please come honor our Military children and walk the halls to view their artwork!

#FLWCYSStandingTallandProud

MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD DRIVE-THRU CELEBRATION

APRIL 29, 4:30-6:30PM
DILLARD HALL / BLDG 470 PARKING LOT

Join us for a drive-thru celebration with free giveaways and informational flyers for you and your family!

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573-596-0238 / 0421
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Month Of The Military Child (MOMC) was established in 1986 to honor the children of our service members and the sacrifices they make. Today Child Development Centers across CYC will welcome over 200,000 children daily, which is a substantial increase from MOMC's creation. This is why FLW CYC will continue this tradition during the month of April by facilitating our own events to honor these outstanding children.

CYS Upcoming Events:

- Spirit Week 11-15 April
- Do It Purple Competition 19 April 1200-UTC
- MOMC Drive-Thru Event 29 April 1630-1830
- Superhero 5K Run 30 April 0900-UTC

Opportunities will be provided for mentoring, volunteering, and education support services.

Parent and Outreach Services

573-596-0421/6294

Located at Bldg. 470

Rm. 1126





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DFMWR / ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

Focus on Family



April is **Child Abuse Prevention Month** in America. It's an annual observance dedicated to raising awareness and preventing child abuse.

Pinwheels for Prevention: Pickup a pinwheel at ACS to fly in support of child abuse awareness and prevention.

“Go Blue” Fridays: Wear a blue ribbon, pin, or clothing to promote prevention. Each Friday in April.

Creative Family Cooking: Engage with your children by cooking together to promote healthy family time. 12-14 April.

Child Abuse Prevention Education: Come let ACS create a child identification kit. NFH 21 April 9-2:30.

Think of ACS when... You are looking for Family programs, self-help, prevention briefings and classes, or for connection and networking with others

- **RRP:** CONUS/OCONUS Moving Support
- **EFMP:** Education & Medical Support
- **FRP:** Financial Management
- **FAP:** Family/Victim Support
- **I&R:** Overview Briefings
- **SOS:** Survivor Support



Sexual Assault Awareness Month

Turn it Teal Tuesdays: Visual reminder of awareness by wearing a teal t-shirt or pin showing supporting for victim awareness.

Turn it Teal Zumba: Show support with Zumba at DFC Sat 23 April, 0900.

Denim Day: Symbolic event to raise awareness on misconceptions around sexual assault. Wed. 27 April.

AER Campaign: March 1 thru June 17

Since 1942, AER has helped Service members with emergency needs such as leave, travel, rent, mortgage, medical and dental costs for dependents and special needs equipment.

Call (573) 596-0212 or find us on Facebook at **Fort Leonard Wood Army Community Service (ACS)**





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Month of the Military Child Specials

BOUNCE HOUSE
50% OFF RENTALS!

IN CELEBRATION OF MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD, THE OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER IS OFFERING **HALF OFF** ALL BOUNCE HOUSE DURING THE **MONTH OF APRIL!**

BOUNCE HOUSE AGE GROUP: 2-16



Outdoor Adventure Center
Bldg 2290 FLW K Road
573-596-4223
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DAUGHERTY BOWLING CENTER

MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD



MONTH OF APRIL

During the Month of the Military Child, Daugherty Bowling is offering discounted bowling for children age 16 and under. \$2 per game, shoe rental at regular rate.

Daugherty Bowling Center
Bldg 1609 S. Dakota Ave.
573-596-1498
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SEASON PASS
Rec Plex Special

CELEBRATE MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD WITH
10% OFF

THE FAMILY SEASON PASS FOR THE POOL AT THE REC PLEX FOR MEMORIAL DAY THROUGH LABOR DAY!
STOP BY THE REC PLEX FROM WED - FRI, 9AM- 4PM

(OFFER FOR THE POOL ONLY, DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL)



RecPlex, 5561 Constitution Ave, Bldg 604
573-596-0843
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LET'S ROCK IT!



APRIL 22, 9AM - 4PM
DAVIDSON FITNESS CENTER

In recognition of Earth Day and in celebration of Month of the Military Child, Davidson Fitness Center wants you to paint and place a memory rock in our flower beds! Bring your own special rock or choose one of ours and paint along with us! Paint and supplies provided.



1300 S. DAKOTA AVE.
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MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD FITNESS OBSTACLE COURSE

APRIL 23
10-11AM

DAVIDSON FITNESS CENTER

Come challenge your kids to complete our obstacle course!
Move up the levels (Private, Sergeant, and Major)--
if you make a mistake, go back to level 1 and try again!
Open to children age 3-17

"Nothing is impossible. The word itself says 'I'm Possible.'"
-Audrey Hepburn



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1300 S. Dakota Ave.
573-596-4359
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SPECKER GYM
10-POUND CLUB

FOR THE MONTH OF
APRIL

CALLING ALL MILITARY KIDS!

TEST YOUR STRENGTH AND JOIN THE CLUB!
DRAW AT RANDOM FROM A SELECTION OF
EXERCISES. COMPLETE THE EXERCISE AND
HAVE YOUR NAME ADDED TO THE 10-POUND
CLUB. SELFIES WELCOME!

Specker Gym
6060 Michigan Ave, Bldg 1714
573-596-7377
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SUPERHERO
5K FUN RUN

APRIL 30

9 AM DAVIDSON FITNESS CENTER

Save Fort Leonard Wood from villains in a day of fun and fitness!
Advanced registration for adults (13 & older) w / t-shirt: \$20, children (12 & under) w / cape: \$10.
Register by April 28 online, in the IWE office in Bldg 470, Suite 1105, or by phone.
Children 3 and under are free. For additional details, please visit us online.

Day-of registration 7am-8:30am for adults: \$30, children: \$20.
Kids under 12 have the option of joining in on a 1-mile route sponsored by Child & Youth Services!

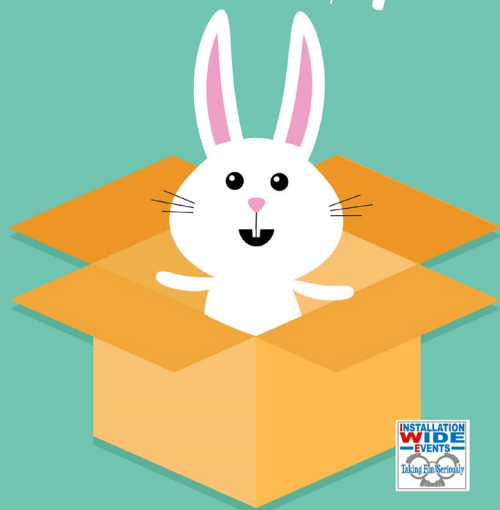
Davidson Fitness Center
1300 S. Dakota Ave.
573-596-6913
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EASTER

EASTER EGG HUNT *in a box!*



Host your own Egg Hunt—each kit is \$10 and includes:
40 filled Easter eggs, an activity booklet, parent idea pages, and special surprises,
all to make an Easter egg hunt easy for you and fun for your child, up to age 12!

Advance online purchase required by noon, April 12. Quantities are limited.
Day-of purchase during pickup hours for \$15 based on availability.
Pickup on April 14th and 15th from 8am-3pm in the
Installation Wide Events Office, located in Bldg 470, suite 1105.



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APRIL 9, SOFTBALL COMPLEX B

Staggered starts:

9am ages 3-5, 10am ages 6-8, 11am ages 9-12 and 2 & under

Join us for photos with the Easter Bunny, petting zoo, music, and games!
No strollers allowed in the egg hunting areas. No pets allowed.



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EASTER COOKIE KIT

PERSHING COMMUNITY CENTER

Purchase your cookie kits by **APRIL 11th** for \$12 and pick up on April 15th from 11am-3pm at PCC.

Each kit includes 1 dozen freshly baked bunny and egg shaped sugar cookies, icing, and sprinkles for decorating.
Order online or at the number below.

Enter our coloring contest for an opportunity to win a cookie kit! Print out the coloring sheet from our website, color or paint it, and post it with your name to the MWR Facebook page by April 11th. One submission per person, each will be entered into the drawing. Winner will be announced April 12th.

Pershing Community Center
16593 Piney Hills Dr, Bldg 4109
573-329-2455
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GARRISON SAFETY WOULD LIKE TO REMIND EVERYONE



“KIDS WILL BE KIDS”



**FOR MORE SAFETY INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT GARRISON AT 596-3449**



ARMY SAFE = ARMY STRONG

4040 Hawaii Ave / Building 312 2nd Floor / 573-596-2100





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RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE

Military Kids Thrive

Sunday, 24 April

Dinner 1730 p.m.

1800-1900 Speaker: Mary Wertsch

Main Post Chapel

- Meet and learn from the author **Military Brats: Legacies of Childhood Inside the Fortress**, a groundbreaking book dealing with the military kid subculture and its effects.
- Learn the most common mistake of military parenting and the most effective means to fostering resilience among military children.
- Childcare is available for children up to the age of five.
- Register by contacting POC Martha Strong, martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil or 715-572-4324 by COB 18 April.

Easter Journey



Saturday, April 16, 2022

9:00 - Noon

At Main Post Chapel



Families of toddlers through 5th graders
Visit stations about Easter week including a **Palm Sunday** parade, taste food prepared for the **Passover**, visit the **Garden of Gethsemane** where Jesus prayed, meet a soldier who was at the **cross on Good Friday** and meet Mary at the tomb on **Easter morning**.

Also **crafts & egg dying & Egg hunt**

Sign up for your tour time -

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050C4A-A9AB22A0FE3-easter>

Groups of 15 every 20 mins 0900 to 1200.

POC: Martha Strong, DRE martha.a.strong.civ@mail.mil or 6-0089





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Fort Leonard Wood Community – Lent & Easter 2022

These services are in addition to the regularly scheduled services

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

Apr 17th – Community Easter Sunrise Service, TBD (outside), 6:30 a.m.

CATHOLIC LENTEN WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Mar 4th – Apr 8th on Friday's – 6 p.m. Stations of the Cross at Soldier Memorial Chapel
Meatless Potluck in Bldg 590 to follow.

Apr 1st – Eucharistic Adoration with the Sacrament of Reconciliation at 5 p.m. followed by the
Stations of the Cross beginning at 6 p.m.

Apr 10th – Palm Sunday Mass, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 9 a.m. & 1 p.m. at Main Post Chapel

CATHOLIC HOLY WEEK & EASTER MASS

Apr 14th – Holy Thursday Mass, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 6 p.m.

Apr 15th – Good Friday, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 6 p.m.

Apr 16th – Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

Apr 17st – Easter Sunday Mass, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 9 a.m. & 1 p.m. at Main Post Chapel

PROTESTANT HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Apr 15th – Good Friday Service, Soldier Memorial Chapel, 12 p.m.

POC: The Religious Support Office, 573-596-2127

As of 22 Feb 2022





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CATHOLIC WORSHIP

Catholic Mass
Soldier Memorial Chapel (SMC)
0900 - Sunday

Adoration
Soldier Memorial Chapel (SMC)
1800-1900, 1st Friday each month

Confessions
Following 0900 Mass Sundays – SMC

Baptisms
By appt: 573-596-3913

Catholic Baptism Class
4th Sunday following 0900 Mass

Daily Mass
Soldier Memorial Chapel
1140 – Tuesday – Thursday

SUNDAY PROTESTANT WORSHIP

Gospel Protestant
1000 - Central Iowa Chapel

Traditional Protestant Service
1030 - Soldier Memorial Chapel

Crossroads Community Contemporary Service
1100 – Main Post Chapel

OTHER SERVICES

Jewish Shabbat
1900 – Fridays
Main Post Chapel, Rm 162
Eff 4 Feb – moving to South Iowa Chapel

Buddhist Service
1900 - Thursdays
Specker Chapel

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Catholic Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)
1100–1230 (Sep to Apr)
(1st – 8th, Confirmation)
Religion Class for Adults (RCIA) & Religion Class for Children (RCIC)
Bldg 6501, 3307 Indiana Avenue (YREC)

Christ Fit
(For Family, Faith & Fellowship)
Main Post Chapel (MPC)
Wednesday, 1730-1930.
Spring session is 16 Feb-27 Apr.



WORSHIP/STUDIES

Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC)
Tuesday, 0900 - 1145
For more information on PWOC studies:
pwocflw@gmail.com or
<https://www.facebook.com/fortleonardwoodpwoc/>

Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC) Weds
1730 at MPC 16 Feb-27 Apr
POC: Ingrid Bochonok, cwocflw@gmail.com

Catholic Women's Bible Study
Sundays: 1100-1230, (during CCD)
Bldg 6501, 3307 Indiana Avenue
(YREC)

Knights of Columbus – Catholic Men
2nd Tues/ea month, 1800
Bldg 590 (SMC Annex)

Gospel Bible Study at Christ Fit Wednesday,
1730-1930
Main Post Chapel

Officer Christian Fellowship (OCF) Thursdays,
1145 – 1245
Thurman Hall Room 1432
POC: LTC Runyon, 515-291-7338

USACBRNS Bible Study
2nd & 4th Weds of each month
1200 – 1300, MSCoE Thurman Hall Rm 1165
POC: CH Southard, 828-390-9020

Buddhist Meditation Training
Saturdays, 1500-1600
Specker Chapel (seating limited)

Latter Day Saints Study
Tuesdays, 1900 at South Iowa Chapel
POC: CH Sharp, 596-1465

Navigators Bible Study
Fridays, 1900 – 2000, Specker Chapel
POC: Chief Chrisman,
matthew.d.chrisman.mil@army.mil, 573-596-4948 OR CH Lee,
shawn.s.lee3.mil@army.mil or
Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/fwnavs>

Marine Corps Bible Study
Wednesdays, 1130-1230
Specker Chapel

YOUTH

Kids 4 Christ, 1-5 grade
Mondays, 1600-1800
Bldg 590
Tuesdays, 1600-1715
Zoom Club (Virtual)

Youth of the Chapel, 6-12 grade
Wednesday, 1815-2000
Bldg 6501, 3307 Indiana Avenue
(YREC)

For more information on religious services and events please visit our websites.

Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/fortleonardwoodRSO/>

Website:
<http://www.wood.army.mil/newweb/garrison/chaplain.html>

For IET specific services, contact your Unit Ministry Team (UMT)





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EXCHANGE
ARMY & AIR FORCE EXCHANGE SERVICE

AAFES

Abrams Theater Re-Opens 1 April.

- Showings Friday, Saturday and Sunday
- Shopmyexchange.com, Fort Leonard Wood, Reel Time Theaters for Dates and Showings.

G's Cupcake Euphoria Opens 1 April In Exchange Mall

- Gourmet Cupcakes, Made to Order Cakes and Ice Cream

Alazz Mediterranean Cuisine Opens 4 April In Exchange Mall

Bowl Gogi Korean Inspired Food Truck

- Main Exchange Mon-Fri 1030-1800

"You Made The Grade" Program For Students with a "B" or Higher

See any manager at the Main Exchange.

EXCHANGE
YOU MADE the GRADE

Students, enter for a chance to win a \$2,000, \$1,500 or \$500 REWARDS! gift card!
See an Exchange Associate for details and entry forms.

DECA



Spring Sidewalk sale. Your commissary will have the spring sidewalk sale May 25th to May 28th, with great savings on selected items.

Savings. Your commissary is committed to constantly bring you savings on your grocery shopping. Specially now with these challenging times and inflation affecting the pricing we can save you an average of 23% yearly in your groceries.

NFL ProCamps for Kids. **Through April 10**, select commissaries worldwide will have a chance to win an NFL ProCamps for their installation. Winning installations will host a free football skills camp for military children in first through eighth grade. Campers will learn from NFL players. Qualification for a camp is based on an installation's commissary sales of designated P&G products and customer votes. Look for mass displays in participating commissaries.

The 2022 Cute Kid Contest. Do you have the cutest kid in the military? Commissary shoppers can enter their child's photo in a contest from **NOW until June 4** for a chance to receive \$1,500 and be featured in an issue of FAMILY Magazine. Visit familymedia.com/cutekid/ for details and entry form.





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ARMED FORCES YMCA



the
ARMED SERVICES YMCA

Father Daughter Dance

Saturday April 30th
5:00 - 7:30 pm

Location: Storybook Moments
25330 Republic Rd.
Waynesville, MO. 65583



*Your little princess is
growing fast.
It's time to make
memories that will
last!
A magical night of
dinner, dancing, music
and fun for all.*

\$20.00 per person

Register online at <https://www.asymca.org/fort-leonard-wood-home>
For more information call 573-329-4513





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COMMUNITY INTEREST



Bldg... 805 Iowa Ave

Hours of Operation:

Thursday – Sunday: 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

April 8th at 11am: USO Spouses Craft Social

April 14th at 9:30am: USO Coffee Connections

April 28th at 10:30am: Continuing Your Journey Workshop

April 29th at 5pm/6:30pm: USO Family Night Out

May 6th at 5pm: USO Craft Time for Mom

Registration for all USO events occur online. Please call or stop by the center to get more information regarding when RSVP's open for each event:

[HTTPS://MISSOURI.USO.ORG](https://missouri.uso.org)

(573) 329-2039

POC: Kelly Brownfield kbrownfield@uso.org



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Next Community Information Forum

Topics

- January - New Year Healthy You (Wellness)
- February - Community Resources
- March - Transition Services
- April - Month of Military Child (Family Focus)
- **May - Summer Fun**
- June – Welcome to FLW
- July - Back to School
- August
- September - Community Resources
- October - Domestic Violence Awareness / ASAP
- November - SNAIR / Winter Safely
- December (NO Forum due to HBL)

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WITH YOUR COMMUNITY

Get your installation services and post information on the **NEW** Digital Garrison app on your smartphone or tablet.

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 **MAKE THE CONNECTION**





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Information is Key

Topics

- Fort Leonard Wood Web Page
home.army.mil/wood/index.php
- Fort Leonard Wood Facebook
www.facebook.com/fortleonardwoodmissouri/
- Family & MWR Web Site
leonardwood.armymwr.com/
- Family & MWR Facebook
www.facebook.com/mwr.ftwood
- AAFES
www.shopmyexchange.com/
- DECA
<https://commissaries.com/shopping/store-locations/fort-leonard-wood>





BACK UP SLIDES





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HOME BASED BUSINESS



Are you operating a Home-Based Business (HBB)
on Fort Leonard Wood?

If the answer is YES, is your business
REGISTERED!

HBBs include but are NOT limited to:

- Car repair/service
- Hairdressing and hairstyling
- Home baking and meal preparation
- Pet grooming and pet sitting
- Massage therapy
- Multi-level sales activities
- Retail sales from home

CHILD CARE in your on-post home you
MUST be register with CYS Family Child
Care (FCC)

13486 Replacement Ave, Bldg... 470,
Ste. 1125 573-596-0185

Easy as 1,2,3

STEP 1: Complete the HBB Application and any additional documentation (like licensing or certifications).

STEP 2: Complete the HBB Lease Addendum – if you need assistance or have questions reach out to your housing POC.

STEP 3: Turn in the Application: Once you've completed your paperwork, submit the application to your Family and MWR, 13486 Replacement Ave, Bldg... 470, Suite 1104. You may also mail your HBB application and supporting documents to megan.j.odonoghue.naf@mail.mil

Keep a copy of the completed application for your own records.

Family & MWR will route to the Garrison for approval and notify you once approved.





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Join the Family & MWR Team & Make a DIFFERENCE!

Family & MWR is hiring! We want you to join our dynamic team!



WHERE TO APPLY

- Links to Jobs listed here on the MWR Web page at www.leonardwood.armymwr.com/happenings/family-mwr-job-openings
- Apply online at www.usajobs.gov
- Contact the NAF HR Office at [\(573\) 596-0283](tel:5735960283) for more information.





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