

Community Information Forum June 2024

COL Pollio, Garrison Commander



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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.







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







JUNE IS...

SUMMER FUN

✓ Check off a fun filled list of summer activities!



✓ Float the river



Race around the go-kart track



Sink a shot at
Piney Valley Golf Course



Cool off at the Rec Plex



Enjoy music, fireworks, food, and more for Independence Day on Gammon Field July 4th

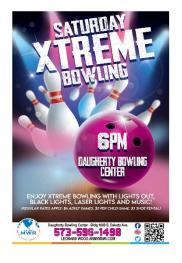




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Outdoor Adventure Center 573-596-4223

Hours: Mon-Sun 10:00a.m.-6:00p.m.

Range Hours:

Mon-Sun 10:00a.m.-5:00p.m.



<u>LORA</u> 573-346-5640

Hours: Mon-Sun 9:00a.m.-5:00p.m.



Rec Plex 573-596-0843

Hours: Wed-Sun 12p.m.-7p.m.

Open Holiday Mondays

leonardwood.armymwr.com









The Better Opportunities for Single Service Members (BOSS) program supports the overall quality of life for the single Service Member and helps to maintain and improve readiness.

Call (573) 596-7510 or find us on Facebook and Instagram at Fort Leonard Wood BOSS

Upcoming Events:

5 & 19 June- Board Prep

11 June- Volunteer – Food Pantry

15 June- BOSS Paintball

15 June- Soldier Showdown 6 Registration

19 June- Volunteer – Veteran's Poker Walk

29 June- BOSS Float Trip

29 & 30 June- SCUBA Phase I







DFMWR / CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES



MINI SPORTS

SEASON RUNS JUN 8 - JUL 13 REGISTER APR 29 - MAY 31



Kids spend two weeks learning the skills of each sport: Basketball, Soccer, T-Ball. \$30 per child, t-shirt included. Sessions are 45 minutes long, at 9, 10, or 11am on Saturday mornings. Register at Parent Central: 573-596-0238















FOR CAMP QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT DRU PIPPIN YOUTH CENTER, BLDG 8625 / 2538 YOUNG ST.







Enroll your children at Parent Outreach Services

Monday-Friday 0730-1630 13486 Replacement Ave. Bldg. 470 Rm 1126

573-596-0238



DFMWR / ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

Summer Fun



Relocation Readiness 5 tips for a successful move

- 1) Start planning early
- Research your next Duty Station
- Prioritize HHG
- 4) Communicate with Family and Friends
- 5) Remain flexible and open to new things

Overseas Orientation: Each Tuesdays 0800 Korea/Germany/Alaska/Hawaii

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

- SOS: Grief and financial support for survivors
- · FAP: Family focused educational courses and support
- EFMP: Education & Medical Support
- FRP: Financial Management
- RRP: PCS Moving Support
- I&R: Services Briefings



ACS offers Sponsorship Training

- Classroom (1st Thursday 0800)
- E-Sponsorship (Mil OneSource)

AER Campaign: March – June

AER has been helping SM with emergency needs since 1942

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





EXPLORE FLW

Sustainable Ozarks Partnership (SOP) - Regional Tourism Commission

<u>sustainableozarks.org</u> <u>exploreflw.com</u>



- Regional Tourism Commission 4 counties: Pulaski, Phelps, Laclede, & Texas
- Exploreflw.com Website: Itineraries, Events and Activities in the region.
- @ExploretheFort Visit us on Facebook & Instagram Tourism leaders posting weekly. Posting all the hottest happenings! Tell us about your event.
- VisitMO.com State Tourism: Site links and FLW Articles.
- Fort Leonard Wood Website Site links on 4 pages.
- Spread the word Share the website and Facebook to help others know what is going on in the region.

SOP Regional Tourism Commission Mission

The SOP Regional Tourism Commission is working toward improving recreational and tourism opportunities (communication) in the four-county region that enhance quality of life for servicemembers and families stationed at FLW and enhance the overall experience of FLW connected visitors.





SPOUSES' RESOURCE CENTER

June Events



12 June at 1000, join us for an enlightening class on metabolism, where you'll learn how your body converts food into energy and how to optimize this process for better health.



24 June at 1300, discover the power of positivity in ourupcoming class on optimism and character. Don't miss the chance to build a stronger, more positive you.

Located in Building 470, Room 2222 Phone: 573-596-3196

Questions? Email Us: <u>usarmy.leonardwood.id-training.mbx.usag-flw-dhr-ed-center@army.mil</u>





Harry S. Truman Education and Army Personnel Testing Center College and University Center

Summer Fun with TEC

4 - 18 June
BSEP Class
TEC
0800 - 1630pm

29 July - 2 August
PMP Class
TEC
0800-1630

5 June 2nd Annual Education and Resource Fair Main PX 0930 - 1330

Contact the Education Center at 596-0172, for any questions. Find us on Facebook!

12 June
Warrant Officer
Briefing
TEC
1130 - 1300

9 August
39th Annual
College Graduation
Ceremony
Main Post Chapel
1000 - 1130

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GLWACH



HEAT SAFETY AND FIRST AID

Stay cool Stay alert

Stay informed

Stay hydrated

HEAT HEAT OR STROKE Throbbing headache Faint or dizzy Excessive sweating No sweating Body temperature above 103° clammy skin Red, hot, dry skin Nausea or vomiting Rapid, weak pulse tapid, strong pulse 1 May lose 😞 Muscle cramps consciousness

- Heat exhaustion can lead to heat stroke.
- Heat stroke can cause death or permanent disability if emergency treatment is not given.
 - ☐ Seniors, young children, and people with chronic conditions are at a higher risk.
 - ☐ Medications can increase your risk.

Seek medical assistance and call 911 immediately

HEAT FACTS:

- Over 1000 heat related deaths occur annually.
- Heat waves kill more Americans than other natural disasters (floods, lightning, tornadoes, hurricanes).
- Urban areas "Urban Heat Island" often experience higher temperatures due to solar absorption on infrastructure.





Protect: Sunscreen, hats, sunshades

Dress: Wear lightweight, loose clothing

Rest: Take breaks in cool, shaded areas

Check: Check on others and know the signs

Attention: Do not leave people and pets in cars

Enjoy: Use fans, cooling tanks when your feel hot

Hydrate: Drink water before you are thirsty and often

Avoid: Alcohol, caffeinated drinks, salty-spicy foods increase dehydration





573-596-0518

Please use the QR Code to







ARMY CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION

Internet/online safety Education:

Children/Youth:

KidSmartz™ is a child safety program that educates families about preventing abduction and empowers kids in grades K-5 to practice safer behaviors.

NetSmartzKids (K-5) introduces children to basic online safety and digital citizenship and teaches children how to identify online dangers and practice safer behaviors through videos, music, games and e-books.

NetSmartzKids (Middle School & Highschool) educates children on the risks involved with:

- * Inappropriate Content
- * Online Privacy
- * Online Enticement
- * Sexting
- * Sextortion
- * Cyberbully

Parent/Guardian:

Provide participants with helpful information, prevention tools to protect their children and share best practices to respond to their child if something happens.



Help adults in aiding children in the development of critical skills such as empathy, critical thinking, problem-solving, rejection skills, as well as:

- * How to report
- * Being a trusted adult
- * Being an upstander



To make a report:

FLMO MP Desk: 573-596-6141

NCMEC tipline:

https://report.cybertip.org

DACID tip line:

https://www.p3tips.com





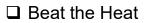
GARRISON SAFETY 101 CRITICAL DAYS OF SUMMER

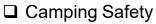
Spring into Summer — without MISHAPS!



LAZINESS

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Weather Safety





■ Water Safety

Playgrounds

☐ Travel Safety

■ Boating Safety

Skateboarding

■ Yard Safety

□ Bicycling

□ Pedestrian Safety

■ Motorcycle Safety



Safely Be All You Can Be and Enjoy the Summer!!!





RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE



Fort Leonard Wood Vacation Bible School

July 22-26, 2024, 0900-1200

Main Post Chapel

Kids Going into Kindergarten – 6th Enjoy Bible lessons, crafts, science experiments, games, snacks and music as we explore major Bible events from Genesis to Revelation!

Register children & volunteers at https://www.facebook.com/FLWVBS/

Or POC: Martha Strong

martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil 573-596-0089



RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE



Sacred Heart Catholic Community Adult VBS In-depth study of the Eucharist



Where: Building 590

When: July 16,17 & 18

1730-1800 Dinner

1800 - 2000 Class

2000 – 2100 Adoration

What Will We Study

- The Jewish Roots of the Eucharist
- ❖ The Biblical Roots of the Eucharist
- Eucharistic Miracles
- Eucharistic Saints
- A Teaching Mass

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Come
Fellowship,
Pray,
Eat, and
Learn with
Us.
+

Email: Annieruns247@gmail.com to save your spot.



Sacred Heart
Catholic Community VBS

29 July – 2 Aug 2024 0900-1200 Main Post Chapel

PreK – 6th Grade (Fall 2024)

This year's theme

Around the World in 5 Days!!
Assorted Saints and the Virtues of Faith, Hope and Love

To Register
Contact POC: Annie Gasway,
annieruns247@gmail.com





RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE

Catholic Mass

Soldier Memorial Chapel (SMC) 0900 - Sunday

Adoration

Soldier Memorial Chapel (SMC) 1730, 1st Friday of each month

Confessions

0830 (Prior to Mass) Sundays - SMC and Mon-Fri after 1200 Weekday Mass

Baptisms

By appt: 573-596-3913

Catholic Baptism Class

4th Sunday following 0900 Mass

Weekday Mass

Soldier Memorial Chapel 1200. Mon - Fri (except training/Federal holidays)

Holy Day of Obligation masses will be offered at 1200 and 1800

SUNDAY PROTESTANT WORSHIP

Gospel Protestant

1000 - Central Iowa Chapel

Traditional Protestant Service

1030 - Soldier Memorial Chapel

Crossroads Community Contemporary Service

1100 - Specker Chapel (Bldg 1712)

Resurrection Anglican Fellowship 0900 - Sundays

South Iowa Chapel

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Sacrament Meeting (IET)

1300-1500 - Sundays South Iowa Chapel

OTHER SERVICES

Buddhist Service

1900 - Thursdays North Iowa Chapel

Islamic Service

Temporarily Suspended 0800-1000 - Sundays Main Post Chapel

Pagan Service

2nd & 4th Sundays - 0800-0900 North Iowa Chapel

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Catholic Religious Education Classes

1115 - 1245 Sundays (Sep-May) Bldg 608 - Main Post Chapel K - 8th grades, Confirmation POC: Annie Gasway, 573-596-3913

Religion Class for Adults (OCIA)

1015 Sundays (Sep-May) Bldg 608 - Main Post Chapel POC: CH Stephen Cotter, 573-596-2657

Faith Skills

(For Family, Faith & Fellowship) Main Post Chapel (MPC) Wednesdays, 1730-1930 POC: DRE - Martha Strong 596-0089 Email martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil Fall Session: 4 Sep - 6 Nov 2024

****This Worship Schedule is for permanent party services. For IET, please see your BDE Chaplain.****



STUDIES

Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC)

Tuesdays, 0900-1130, Main Post Chapel For more information: pwocflw@gmail.com or https://facebook.com/fortleonardwoodpwoc/

Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC)

Every other Thursday 0930 at MPC, Sep - May POC: Emily Jacobs, 224-210-3244 cwocflw@gmail.com

Catholic Young Adults of the Chapel

https://www.facebook.com/groups/52300309804

Tuesdays at 1730-Currently not meeting

Navigators Bible Study

Weds, 1800-2000, Specker Chapel POC: Chief Chrisman, 573-596-4948. matthew.d.chrisman.mil@army.mil Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/flwnavs

GLWACH Bible Study

Thus 1200-1300 MEDDAC Classroom

YOUTH

Warriors 4 Christ, 1 – 5 Grade @ Faith Skills. Fall 4 Sep - 6 Nov

Youth of the Chapel, 6-12 Grade Weds. 1800-2000 Bldg 608 - Main Post Chapel POC: Patrick Smiley

psmiley@clubbeyond.org, 405-906-9994

Sponsoring Chaplain: CH Darrell Burriss 573-596-2695

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

Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/fortleonar dwoodRSO/

Website:

http://www.wood.army.mil/newweb/g arrison/chaplain.html





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Visit your Main Exchange for all your Outdoor Summer Activity Needs!!!

- Camping
- Fishing
- Swimming
- Outdoor Gaming
- Shooting
- ❖ The Father's Day Firearms promotion is effective 31 May 16 June 2024.
 10% off all firearms plus 5 % when using MILITARY STAR®.

MAY 24 – JUNE 20, 2024

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+ NO PAYMENTS

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- Steaks Cut to Order!
- Party Platters! (Fruit, Veggie, Subs, Wraps, Wings & Cheese)
- Drinks!
- · Paper Plates & Utensils!
- Sun Care!
- Charcoal!
- Beer, Wine & Seltzer!



Additional Locations Now Available!



- NCO Academy, 14321 Gate St., BGLD 3223, 11:00 AM to 11:30 AM
- 3200 Morelli Heights, 12:00 PM to 12:30 PM
- 1950 Magness St., 1:00 PM to 1:30 PM
- 14763 Kidwell St., BGLD 1945, 01:45 PM to 02:15 PM
- 1981 Cooksey St., 02:30 PM to 03:00 PM
- 1910 Hall St., 03:15 PM TO 03:45 PM

Drop Offs include surrounding areas! Please call to find out if we can Drop Off near YOU! (573) 596-0783 EXT. 3425



Check out https://shop.commissaries.com/ for more information!







Hours of Operation:

Thursday – Sunday: 0830-1600 Building 805 Iowa Ave.

Upcoming Events:

Thursday, June 6th at 0830: USO Muffin Morning Saturday, June 8th at 1000: USO Family Craft Time Thursday, June 13th at 0930: USO Coffee Connections Friday, June 14th at 1700: USO Craft Time for Dad Thursday, June 20th at 0830: USO Muffin Morning Saturday, June 22nd at 1500: USO Brightening Your Community Event

Thursday, June 27th at 1030: Continuing Your Journey Workshop

Friday, June 28th at 1700: USO Family Game Night

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

(573) 329-2039

POC: Kelly Brownfield kbrownfield@uso.org



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ASYMCA FLW

13900 Replacement Avenue

Fort Leonard Wood Phone: (573) 329-4513

Hours of Operation: M-F

9:00am to 3:00pm

Have you ever wondered where the brown paper bags that you can purchase at the commisary qo?

Those bags go directly to the Strong Hold Food Pantry here at the Fort Leonard Wood ASYMCA. The Fort Leonard Wood Commissary has graciously offered to donate them to help line the shelves to better be able to serve our military community.

The ASYMCA is not a part of the Department of Defense or any of its components and it has no Government status.



STRONGHOLD **FOOD PANTRY**



Stronghold Food Pantry

The ASYMCA Fort Leonard Wood's Food Assistance program helps currently serving and retired military families by providing access to free supplemental food items and additional household items. This program enables military families to worry less about food and focus on mission readiness.

The Stronghold Food Pantry is a consumer choice program, meaning there are no pre-made boxes or bags-you shop for your needs.

Privacy Matters

No referral or financial documentation is required to participate, but registration is required to reserve your discrete shopping appointment. You will be asked to present military ID at check-in, but all information is held completely confidential.

Pantry Dates:

Tuesday June 11th 4pm-7pm

Wednesday June 19th 11am-3pm





Wednesday June 26th 11am-3pm

ARMED SERVICES YMCA **FORT LEONARD WOOD**

13900 Replacement Avenue Fort Leonard Wood, MO 65473 Phone: (573) 329-4513 Hours of Operation: M-F | 8:30am to 4:00pm

LEARN MORE AT FORTLEONARDWOOD.ASYMCA.ORG



































Next Community Information Forum

2024 Sessions

- January New Year, Healthy You (Wellness)
- February Transition Services
- March at Main Post Chapel Make a Difference
- April Month of Military Child (Family Focus)
- May Fitness and Sports Month (Strong B.A.N.D.S.)
- June Summer Fun
- July Welcome to FLW
- August Back to School
- September Community Resources
- October Awareness Month
- November SNAIR / Winter Safety
- December (NO Forum due to HBL)

Community Information Forum ICE Comments

Share your comments/concerns by scanning the QR Code



SHARE this month's slides

Scan QR Code & send CIF Slides in your team notes















Information is Key

Topics

- Fort Leonard Wood Web Page home.army.mil/wood/index.php
- Fort Leonard Wood Facebook facebook.com/fortleonardwoodmissouri/
- Family & MWR Website leonardwood.armymwr.com/
- Family & MWR Facebook facebook.com/mwr.ftwood
- AAFES shopmyexchange.com/
- DECA
 - commissaries.com/shopping/store-locations/fort-leonard-wood
- Fort Leonard Wood Religious Support Office facebook.com/fortleonardwoodRSO









BACK UP SLIDES











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:

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

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, Room 1104. You may also email your HBB application and supporting documents to

megan.j.odonoghue.naf@army.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 a decision is made.

In order to provide **on-post in home CHILD CARE**, you must be Registered through the Family Child Care (FCC)

Program

Bldg 470, Room 1125, (573) 596-0185





Interactive Customer Evaluation (ICE)



ICE :: Fort Leonard Wood (disa.mil)





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 https://leonardwood.armymwr.com/happenings/join-our-team
- Apply online at <u>usajobs.gov</u>, Keyword: NAF
- Contact the NAF HR Office at <u>(573) 596-0283</u> for more information.

