

Monthly Newsletter - August 2023

Summer transition period is always a busy time in the Army, regardless of what installation you currently call home. This is especially true here at Fort Leavenworth, The Best Hometown in the Army, where students make up such a significant proportion of our population. As families with children begin to prepare for the beginning of the academic year, many of our new neighbors are also busy preparing for their next milestone in professional military education. Over 1,000 students are attending the esteemed Command and General Staff Officer Course and the School for Advanced Military Studies, both of which fall under the Army University system. For CGSC students, the U.S. Student Detachment, led by LTC Pattric Patterson and Mr. Terrell Bruner, performs the herculean effort of in-processing this tremendous volume of new students every year. Key to their efforts is their sole Human Resources Assistant Ms. Amber West. If you have the pleasure of seeing her around the Lewis and Clark Center or the Army U footprint, be sure to thank her for her tireless work. Amber, thank you from all of us at STB for being such a great teammate and helping our organization succeed!



Within this period of summer transitions, it is also important to note that Headquarters and Headquarters Company, CAC STB conducted its change of command ceremony on 26 July at the Frontier Chapel, as MAJ Rhonda Booth relinquished command to MAJ John Ronayne. MAJ Booth performed incredibly as the HHC Commander, balancing any number of competing priorities and unique missions sets across geographically disparate elements. We know that MAJ Ronayne will continue to build excellently on her legacy and take HHC to new heights. We are also very happy to report that MAJ Booth will not be going very far, as she will be promoted to LTC in the very near future and begin service as the CAC Inspector General. We also want to thank the Soldiers and NCOs of HHC that continue to make HHC a winning

team and a great place to work!

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Announcements

PV2 Stewart (67th MWD) and SPC Bendel (500th MP) were recognized for their excellence by the Garrison Command Team, COL Duane Mosier and CSM Erika Rhine-Russell, during 500th MP's Quarterly Training Brief in July.



Upcoming Community Events

<u>August</u>

September

<u>7 August</u>: Purple Heart Day (1130, FCC)

23 August: Dad's Night Out (1800)

<u>24 August</u>: Frontier Warrior Forum (<u>1130, MS Teams</u>)

25 August: Women's Equality Day (1130, FCC)

<u>30 August</u>: Volunteer Basics Course (1300, ACS - 600 Thomas Ave)

<u>30 August</u>: Mom's Night Out (1800) 15 September through 15 October National Hispanic Heritage Month

<u>5 September</u>: Stroller Walk & Talk (0900-1000, ACS 600 Thomas Ave)

<u>15 September</u>: POW-MIA Recognition (1130, FCC)

<u>21 September</u>: Stress Management (1130-1300, ACS 600 Thomas Ave)

<u>23 September</u>: Fort Leavenworth and CAC STB Half Marathon (0800, Harney Sports Complex)

<u>October</u>

National Disability Employment Awareness Month

<u>2 October</u>: National Hispanic Heritage Month (1130, FCC)

<u>6 October</u>: BOSS Movie (1900, Installation Movie Theater)

<u>13 October</u>: Garrison Newcomers Brief (0800, FCC)

<u>21 October</u>: Survivor Annual Open House Meet and Greet (1000, Resiliency Center)

Fall 2023 Outh Sports & Fitness

Soccer • \$45 Ages (5 - 14yrs) Sept. 11 & 12—Oct. 25 & 26 U12 & U14 (Dates TBD)

Start Smart Soccer • \$25 Ages (3 - 4) Sept. 19 & 21—Oct. 17 & 19 Optional Start Smart Soccer Kit - \$36

Start Smart Flag Football • \$25 Ages (3 - 4) Sept. 18 & 20—Oct. 18 & 23 Optional Start Smart Flag Football Kit - \$36

Flag Football • \$45 Grades (1st & 2nd) Ages (7 - 8) Tuesdays and Thursdays ONLY Sept. 12— Oct. 26 (3rd & 4th) Ages (9 -10)and (5th & 6th) Ages (11–12) Mondays and Wednesdays ONLY Sept. 11—Oct. 25

> Cheerleading • \$55 Ages (5 - 12) Sept. 11-Oct. 25

Running Club • \$45 Grades (3rd - 8th) Ages (8 - 14) Sept. 12–Oct. 28 End Season w/Halloween 5k on Oct. 28

Registration/Enrollment will be July 10 - August 4. All youth must have an updated sports physical before first practice. Enrollment can be done at all CYS locations if Centrally registered. Webtrac online enrollments can only be done with a YS Physical that covers the entire season. Volunteer Coaches are needed!

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