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ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
US ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND
IMCOM DIRECTORATE - TRAINING
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6 June 2023

MEMORANDUM FOR Garrison Commander, Fort Moore, GA 31905

SUBJECT: Minutes of the Fort Moore Garrison Community Leaders Information Forum

1. The Fort Moore Garrison Community Leaders Information Forum (CLIF) panel convened at 1030 on 6 June 2023 electronically via Microsoft Teams.

Panel Members Present:

Mr. Brandon Cockrell	Deputy to the Garrison Commander
Mr. Darryle Jones	Director, Family & MWR
SGM Nicole Brannan	Sergeant Major, DES
LTC Melinda Wallace	Deputy Commander for Administration, MACH
CH (MAJ) James Dice	Garrison Chaplain, Religious Support Office
Mr. Sam Shinualt	Main Store Manager, AAFES
Mr. Jason Maxfield	Marketing Manager, Villages at Fort Moore
Ms. Brittney Young	Store Manager, DeCA
Ms. Jazmine Murphy	Center Operations Manager, USO Fort Moore

3. The CLIF panel and briefers provided valuable information to senior spouses and leaders to share with their units. Today's topic: Summer Programs & Specifics for PCS Season.

4. Community Calendar Update. See Encl 1 for events Sheri Peters briefed.

5. Community Forum:

a. Destin Army Recreation Area – Mr. Chris Pinner briefed on Destin Army Recreation Area located 210 miles south of Fort Moore in beautiful Destin, Florida. It is open 7 days a week 0800-2100 during the summer. Hotel rooms and RV sites can be booked up to a year in advance. Call (850) 837-6423 as soon as you know your vacation dates, as they book quickly. Villas can be booked 6 months in advance for active duty and spouses and 4 months in advance for retirees. Amenities include a swimming pool and splash park, conference room rental, hotel rooms, suites and studios, 2 and 3-bedroom villas, pier fishing, and a marina for rental services, including nine pontoon boats, jet skis,

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paddle boards, kayaks, charter fishing trips. Hotel rooms include a coffee pot, microwave, and refrigerator. The marina is open 5 days a week 0900-1700, Wednesday through Sunday.

b. Uchee Creek Campground & Marina – Mr. Bryan Champion briefed on Uchee Creek Campground and Marina, a 385-acre campground nestled along the banks of the Chattahoochee River. Amenities include chalets, cabins, RV sites, park homes, tent sites, pavilions, Lodge, Activity Center, walking trails, swimming pool with splash pad, full-service marina, two playgrounds, Country Store, and comfort stations with laundry facilities. Many of the cabins and chalets are pet friendly. The RV sites are full hook-ups with 30 and 50-amp power, water, cable TV, and full sewer. Full-service marina offers fuel sales, private boat launch, and rentals of four Lowe bass boats, seven pontoon boats, single kayaks, and tandem kayaks. Bait is sold in the Country Store. Mr. Champion and his staff also manage the McIver Suites and Marshall House. Located on McIver Street on Main Post is a row of 5 duplexes called the McIver Suites. The two-story suites are fully furnished and include Wi-Fi. They are perfect for Families coming to Fort Moore for graduations. They have four 2-bedroom suites and six 1-bedroom suites. Washers and dryers are included. The Marshall House is a classic, two-story house on the corner of 1st Division Road and Baltzell Avenue. This is a perfect venue for wedding photos, parties, graduations, and general entertaining. This spacious 4,000-plus square foot home has three bedrooms and two and a half baths. For reservations, call 706-545-2063, email ucheecreek@gmail.com, or stop in the Country Store, and one of their professional guest services team members will take care of you.

c. Child and Youth Services (CYS) Summer Activities -- Ms. Daphne Montgomery stated Parent Central Services is located at 6880 Marchant Street, Building 104. CYS hosts School Age Center summer activities for kindergarten through fifth-grade children. They offer 10 weeks of camp and are currently in week 2. There is a waitlist; however, if interested, please go on the MilitaryChildCare.com website to request summer camp activities and select the weeks you prefer. There are fees for each activity dependent on your household income. Middle School & Teen summer camps are for sixth through twelfth-grade children. This is a great option for them to have peer opportunities to show common interest. There is also a child care opportunity in the form of a camp 0700-1300 that is income based with fees included. Youth Sports hosts summer camps for ages five through eight 0830-1000 and camps for ages nine through thirteen 1300-1430. These camps include soccer, flag football, and baseball. They have multi-age sports camp along with a speed and agility camp available. Regardless of rank, there is a one-cost fee for all Youth Sports camps. If you need care for children six weeks through pre-school, visit MilitaryChildCare.com to request care. Parent Central will contact you once services are available. For more information, call (706) 545-2079.

d. School Liaison Officer – Mr. Ethan Branch briefed that School Liaison Officers

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(SLOs) are transition specialists for pre-K through 12th grade military-connected students. They support the CYS mission by leveraging community resources to reduce the impact of the mobile military lifestyle on children and youth. The SLOs implement predictable support services that assist with relocation, life transitions, and achieving academic success. Currently, all local school districts offer online registration via their district websites. For support with registration, contact your child's school. Public schools in Alabama and Georgia will enroll active duty Families using a copy of official military orders; however, the district may require proof of residency within 30 days. During the months of June and July schools and the administrative offices of the Muscogee County School District (MCSD) work a four-day week, 0800-1700. You may reach MCSD Central Registration at (706) 748-2219. Documents needed for school registration include a birth certificate, social security card or Visa, parent/guardian photo ID, guardianship paperwork (if applicable), Immunization Form (GA Form 3231 if in Georgia or Alabama, Immunization Certificate, or a Certification of Exemption), Georgia Form 3300 (ear, eye, dental, and nutritional screening), proof of residency/official military orders/residency affidavit. If enrolling using a copy of military orders, the district may ask for proof of residency within 30 days. Only residents of Fort Moore are eligible to attend DoDEA Fort Moore schools. New students registering for enrollment in DoDEA schools are required to provide verification of the following: Date of Birth, Dependent Status – (DEERS enrollment), active-duty status of military sponsor or employment status of Civilian sponsor, On-base Housing Assignment/Lease Agreement. If you are on the Housing waitlist, Villages at Fort Moore can issue a 90-day waiver letter for your children, so they do not get behind on their educational journey. For Families interested in Chattahoochee County Schools, enrollment begins 6 June at the Central Registration Office, 326 Broad Street, Cusseta, GA, Monday-Thursday, 0800-1400. For assistance with registration, contact Ms. Claudia Adams at cadams@chattco.org. State legislatures enacted the Military Interstate Children's Compact by placing it in the state's statutes. It only applies to public schools and DoDEA. The Compact was adopted by all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and DoDEA, providing for the uniform treatment of military children transferring between school districts and states. Key transition issues addressed include enrollment, placement and attendance, eligibility, and graduation. More information can be found at mic3.net. Avoid the "Summer Slide" with tutor.com. This no-cost tutoring service is available for military-connected students 24/7 from any internet-connected computer or mobile device.

e. Fort Moore Garrison Safety Director – Mr. Daniel Orta briefed barbecue, bicycle, boating, swimming, and pedestrian safety. Statistically over the summer, there is an increase in barbecue fires. Bicycle accidents peak during the hours of 1800-2100 due to visibility. Barbecue grills or open flame devices must be at least 25 feet from any building and not under any overhead structures (carports, and so forth.) while in use. Precaution should be taken to prevent a fire from starting. Grills should not be left unattended until fire or coals are extinguished or removed and properly disposed of. If using propane, check for leaks. When considering bicycle safety, note that helmets are mandatory when cycling on the installation. If riding during the evening, ensure the lights on the front and back of the

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bicycle are functioning. When traffic is present, ride in a single file with no more than two people abreast. Cyclists must follow the same rules as motor vehicles to include hand signals. For boating safety, every passenger on the boat must have on an appropriate personal flotation device. Ensure your boat is registered and has lights. Follow navigation rules and have a safety plan. Motorized boats are not authorized on Fort Moore lakes, ponds, rivers, or streams. However, they can be used at Uchee Creek. Alcohol is prohibited while boating. For swimming safety, identify any hazards around the body of water before entering. Know your swimming limitations, and never swim alone. For pedestrian safety, be especially vigilant after dark, wear reflective clothing, and carry a flashlight. When using crosswalks, look both ways and make eye contact with the driver of any incoming vehicle. Avoid walking in pairs. For quick reference, use the acronym SLAM-Stop, Look, Assess, Manage/Mitigate the hazard.

6. Panel Updates:

a. Directorate of Emergency Services - SGM Brannan briefed that the Upatoi Beach area adjacent to Upatoi Creek and Engineer Road are off-limits. The site has weak soil compaction, metal-reinforced cement, twisted steel and debris, and deep-water sections with hydraulic effects. There is a high concern for injury, drowning, and being pinned underwater. Additionally, the area along the Chattahoochee River that is located adjacent to Lawson Army Airfield off 82nd Airborne Division Road, commonly known as Engineer Landing, is off limits during night-time hours (begins sunset and ends sunrise) to all personnel not conducting training coordinated through Range Operations.

b. MACH – LTC Melinda Wallace briefed school and sports physicals are available for beneficiaries only on 15 and 29 July and 12 August 0800-1300. No walk-in will be accepted. To schedule an appointment, call (762) 408-2273. On Juneteenth holiday, MACH will be closed due to conducting Mass Casualty training. On 3 July, MACH will have minimal staffing and reduced appointments. On 4 July, they will be closed for Independence Day, and 12 July, there will be limited staffing in the afternoon due to the Hospital change of command ceremony.

c. United Services Organization (USO) – Ms. Jazmine Murphy stated the USO is a non-profit organization supporting service members from initial entry into Armed Services until exit. Support services offered range from snacks and entertainment for unit morale events to hosting unit events for active-duty service members. Units can submit their request for program support by visiting the USO office located in ACS, Building 7. On 22 June at 1000, USO will collaborate with Villages at Fort Moore to host June Coffee Connections for active-duty spouses. Volunteer opportunities are available. Waivers are required for any child volunteers under the age of 18. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/USOFortMoore and <https://www.uso.org/programs/uso-pathfinder-transition-program>.

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d. The Villages at Fort Moore – Mr. Jason Maxfield announced the Trash & Bulk Collection schedule: Monday McGraw and Lower Davis; Tuesday Indianhead, MacDonald, Austin, Eames, Sigerfoos, General Quarters, Miller, Norton, Perkins, and Lumpkin; Wednesday Custer and Upatoi; Thursday Iron Triangle, Rainbow, White Elephants, Upper Davis, and Bouton; Friday Patton. Mow schedule is as follows: Monday Patton, Perkins, Rainbow, McDonald; Tuesday Custer, Upatoi, Norton, White Elephants, Lumpkin; Wednesday McGraw, Austin, Miller, Eames, Sigerfoos, Iron Triangle; Thursday Indianhead, Lower Davis, Upper Davis, Bouton Heights. Villages pools are open daily 1000-2000 until October. A summer kick-off pool party will be hosted at all Villages pools 9 June 1000-1500. In celebration of Father's Day, there will be giveaways 12-18 June on their Facebook page, and on 28 July they will host a Back 2 Stock event 1500-1700. There was a question regarding disposal of paint and other hazardous waste. Residents are encouraged to contact the installation 90-Day Hazardous Waste Central Accumulation Area at 706-545-9537 to arrange an appointment to drop off hazardous waste. Mrs. Retonya Williams briefed that the walking town hall for June was cancelled. For more information, visit <https://villagesatfortmoore.com/>.

e. Commissary – Ms. Brittney Young announced the holiday hours for Juneteenth, Fourth of July, and Labor Day are 0900-1700. June summer promotions are kicking off with Thrill of the Grill, which includes meat discounts. July promotions include Fire Up Flavor and the Fueling Minds & Bodies Program. On 7 August, join the Commissary by wearing purple to commemorate National Purple Heart Day. For more information, visit <https://www.commissaries.com> or contact (706) 544-3965/3966.

f. AAFES - Mr. Sam Shinault highlighted Starbucks orders can now be placed ahead of time on the Starbucks App. Additionally, DoorDash is now available at Custer Road Express, Popeyes, Qdoba, Charleys, Burger King, and Arby's. The American Tattoo Society tattoo studio is coming soon to the Exchange Mall. Join AAFES on 14 June 1130-1300 for the U.S. Army Birthday Celebration where there will be special sales, giveaways, and cake. With the school year ending, AAFES encourages students to participate in the "You Made the Grade" program. This program rewards kindergarten - 12th-grade students for above-average academic achievement and inspires them to work harder. Qualifying students can receive a "You Made the Grade" Rewards gift card by presenting a valid military ID card and proof of an overall "B" average or better to the Exchange customer service desk. Straight "A" students will get a \$20 Rewards gift card, and overall "B" average students will get a \$10 Rewards gift card and a coupon sheet to take advantage of their Exchange's amazing retail, services, and food offers. For more information, visit <https://www.facebook.com/FortMooreExchange/>.

g. Garrison Chaplain – CH (MAJ) James Dice briefed registration for Vacation Bible School is open for the summer season, 24-28 July. This program is free for kids 5-11 years old and runs 0900-1200 at the Main Post Chapel. Check out the Religious Support Office Facebook page or Garrison Chaplain's page for more information on upcoming

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religious holidays and services. Visit

<https://www.moore.army.mil/Garrison/Chaplains/index.html> or call (706) 545-1760.

h. DFMWR – Mr. Darryle Jones briefed the Independence Celebration kicks off at 1700 on 24 June at York Field. This year's event has two live music acts, Black Stone Cherry at 1900 and Jameson Rogers at 2045. DJ Black Rhino Sound will entertain the crowd all night. To close the event, the MCoE Band will perform a patriotic score choreographed to an exhilarating fireworks show. Please encourage non-ID card holders to plan ahead and pick up their visitor's pass between 16-24 June. To help beat the lines, DFMWR encourages you to purchase tokens in advance. You can do so beginning 12 June at the Bowling & Entertainment Center or Outdoor Recreation. More MWR events are listed at Encl 1.

i. Deputy to the Garrison Commander – Mr. Brandon Cockrell closed with thanks to the audience for their attendance and interaction. He encouraged the audience to attend the upcoming Independence Day Celebration and take advantage of all the great resources discussed during the Forum.

7. For more information, see CLIF slides on the MWR Website at

<https://moore.armymwr.com/programs/clif>

8. Meeting adjourned at 1200. The next CLIF is scheduled for 1 August 2023.

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June Highlighted Events:

- 5-9 Jun 23:** Best Squad/ Best Warrior Competition
- 14 Jun 23:** Army Birthday/Flag Day
- 16 Jun 23:** Juneteenth Training Holiday
- 19 Jun 23:** Juneteenth Federal Holiday
- 30 Jun 23:** TRADOC 50th Anniversary Run (TBD) (0630-0800)

July Highlighted Events:

- 3 Jul 23:** Independence Day Training Holiday
- 4 Jul 23:** Independence Day Federal Holiday
- 24-26 Jul 23:** Instructor Training Course – SOS Building. 359 (0900-1300)

For more information visit <https://mec.high.powerappsportals.us/community-calendar/> and MWR Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/fortmooremwr> to find upcoming Community events and graduations.

MWR Long Library Summer Reading Program begins 1 June. Join them at the 1918 Club ballroom for weekly performances and activities. By popular demand, the 1918 Club will begin offering a buffet in the Lexington Room Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 July, 1100-1330. Tuesdays will feature a taste of European cuisine from our Euro Küche. Thursdays, they will serve an authentic southern buffet. The 1918 Club lunch is \$15 per person for dine-in, and takeout price is \$5.50 per pound. Inside the 1918 Club, you'll also find Fiddlers Green, a full-service bar with an ala-carte menu and a salute to Soldiers past and present. Starting 6 July, operating hours 1600-2000 Thursdays and Fridays. Fiddlers Green is the perfect spot to socialize in a relaxing atmosphere. Join DFMWR for the Back-to-School Bash 21 July 0900-1200 at Blue Field on Main Post. This event is free and for students of active-duty Soldiers and Gold Star Families only. Students in pre-K through high school will get school supplies on a first come, first serve basis. Students 10 years of age must present their military dependent ID and be accompanied by their parents to receive a free backpack filled with school supplies (while supplies last). After receiving school supplies, enjoy a fun morning with exhibitors, games, bouncy houses, and water activities. Educational, after-school, and community agencies will also be present to provide resources to Families. This will be the perfect way to end summer break and start the new school year off right. For more information on upcoming events, visit <https://moore.armymwr.com/#>.

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