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## LETTER FROM DIRECTOR



Wow, can you believe it? The timing of this publication marks two years that we've been navigating the Covid-19 pandemic, and I'm thrilled that my first letter of 2022 includes a brighter outlook. Your resiliency and perseverance are truly inspiring, and elevates my belief that Life is Better at Fort Benning. Whether you've been here for the duration of the pandemic or new to the installation, I'm excited to give you the full, unmodified Fort Benning experience that you have been patiently waiting for.

For those of you who have been here for a while, you know that I love to entertain. The Spring Eggstravaganza on Riverside's lawn will be bigger than ever this year! The 5K Color Run will energize the day, directly followed by an afternoon filled with egg hunts, food trucks and games while the MCoE Band entertains your ears. This year's Independence Celebration won't disappoint, either! Multi-platinum artist Andy Grammer will be here (as well as another special artist, but I've been sworn to secrecy until they let me tell you). Be sure to check our website for the announcement!

If you're looking for a rewarding career, I invite you to join the MWR team. We're always looking for awesome people to join the other awesome people who work tirelessly to bring ideas to fruition. Visit [usajobs.gov](https://usajobs.gov) to see our openings!

I encourage you to keep reading because you'll find just about everything we offer at Fort Benning MWR. We appreciate your service and your sacrifice, and we work hard to offer the kind of events and activities you deserve.

Welcome to the Fort Benning Family. We're really glad you're here, and I think you will be, too.

Al Gelineau  
Director, Family & MWR

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### Spring Eggstravaganza!

One. Two. Three - Spring Eggstravaganza on April 16 - a full day of Easter activities for the whole family! We start off the day with the Easter Egg Color Run 5K! The race begins at Doughboy Stadium at 8 a.m., but prepare yourself for some Easter egg color along the route! Visit our website for more information on how to sign up.

At 11 a.m., head over to the Lawn of Riverside, home of the Fort Benning's Commanding General, Major General and Mrs. Donahoe, for great activities such as crafts, face painting, tattoos, balloon artists, inflatables, our VW picture bus and of course, thousands of eggs ready to be hunted by Fort Benning's children. During this "Egg-citement" Fort Benning's Maneuver Center of Excellence Band will entertain us - bring a basket for the kids to hunt the eggs, a camera to take pictures with the Easter Bunny and blankets or lawn chairs. NEW this year: we will have more than one golden egg - all door prizes will be given away by finding an egg with a ticket for one of the many prizes, make sure to open the eggs on site!

Vendors will be on site to purchase food starting at 11 a.m. (Vendors accept cash or card, tokens are not required.) Visit our website for a complete schedule of events including egg hunt schedule by ages. Children enrolled in the EFMP program will have a separate Easter Egg hunt area on the lawn.



#### **5K FUN RUN SERIES**

We're walking, jogging and sprinting to the finish line of our annual run series that takes place throughout the spring and summer.

Pre-registration costs \$15 for runners age 6 and up, and \$10 for children 5 and under. The first 150 runners to pre-register are also guaranteed a t-shirt and finisher medal, so sign up early! Day-of registration prices increase by \$5. Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) to see a list of our runs, to sign up or for more information.



## Independence Celebration

If you're new around here, we typically celebrate Independence Day a little early at Fort Benning. The annual Independence Celebration not only honors our nation's independence, but provides Soldiers, their families and the community a safe environment to enjoy music, food, fireworks and fun in the sun!

Save the date for June 25 as we welcome multi-platinum artist Andy Grammer to the stage on York Field! York Field is located on Eckel Avenue in front of McGinnis-Wickam Hall. Admission is free!

Though the highlight of the annual Independence Celebration is the finale, the largest, grandest fireworks show in the Chattahoochee Valley, you'll also enjoy music, military demonstrations and more.

A freefall demonstration by the Silver Wings, Fort Benning's Command Exhibition Parachute Team, will help kick off the event. The Maneuver Center of Excellence Band will conclude the evening with a patriotic concert choreographed to the fireworks show.

For more info and a schedule of events, go to [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).





### Fort Benning Golf Course

The Fort Benning Golf Course has two nine-hole courses: The Bradley and The Marshall. Each offers a chance to use every club in your bag. Our large TifEagle greens, the 419 Bermuda fairways, strategically placed bunkers and four sets of tees make these courses challenging. The course, approximately one mile from Interstate 185, is nestled among Georgia pines, green year-round and particularly pretty in the spring when the dogwoods bloom.

Purchase an annual pass, daily pass or try the 90 Day Golf Special - perfect for individuals that are visiting short term or just wanting to try out the course before committing to a full membership. The course is a full-service facility open to the public and tax-free. Ask about our corporate membership and guest specials! Tee times are recommended, especially on weekends.

Amenities include a pro shop stocked with the latest equipment and in-house special ordering; handicap services from the Georgia State Golf Association; private golf lessons and clinics from a Class A PGA Professional; tournament packages; the Golfers'

Lounge; lighted driving range; practice green with bunkers and party rooms and pavilion.

#### **CG SCRAMBLES**

Up for a little competition? The Fort Benning CG Golf Scramble typically takes place on the last Friday every month, but be sure to check the calendar on our website at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for exact dates! Played in a four-person format, the \$40-per-person fee includes the greens fee, single cart, range balls, lunch and prizes. For more information, call 706-545-0397.

### Patton Recreation Area

Patton Recreation Area, offers an 18-hole Disc Golf course, an 18-hole Foot Golf course and various fitness trails for running and biking, and more! Both the Disc Golf and Foot Golf courses begin at the Golf Pro Shop, patrons can also access Patton Recreation Area from the Follow Me Fitness Trail parking area. The Disc and Foot Golf courses are free to play, no need to pay! If you're in need of equipment, stop by the Golf Pro Shop to rent a soccer ball, kick ball or playing discs.





### Outdoor Recreation & Equipment Rental



Outdoor Recreation (ODR) provides opportunities to enjoy the outdoors through an array of activities. We have many programs lined up for you this summer, including paintball, camping, kayaking, fishing, boating, paint and sips, archery, trivia nights and more! We help Soldiers and family members acquire skills and develop interests that will last a lifetime. Check out our website for a full list of activities and events.



#### **OUTDOOR ADVENTURE PROGRAMS**

Book your next private adventure with Fort Benning Outdoor Recreation! Our experienced staff offers outdoor experiences and instructional programs for groups interested in getting active and exploring the outdoors. Our programming is perfect for PT activities, organizational days, unit events, SFRG

events, birthday parties, church and club event and more!

Archery • Biking • Kayaking • Paddle Boarding  
Paintball • Recreational Shooting

#### **WARRIOR ADVENTURE QUEST**

Warrior Adventure Quest (WAQ) is an Army RESET training tool designed to introduce Soldiers to activities that serve as alternatives to aberrant behaviors often associated with accidents involving recently redeployed Soldiers. This tool presents coping outlets to help Soldiers realize their own new level of normal after deployment and “move on” with their lives. WAQ combines existing MWR Outdoor Recreation high adventure activities with a leader-led, after-action debriefing tool developed by Army Medical Department center and school. WAQ is free to units; funding has been provided by the Department of the Army. WAQ eligibility includes all units located at Fort Benning, active duty soldiers only. Units may participate post-deployment or once every two years for non-deployable units. Activities offered include archery tag, go karting, paintball, trap shooting, whitewater rafting and ziplining. Visit our website to learn more or to schedule an event.

#### **EQUIPMENT CHECKOUT**



Stop by the Equipment Resource Center (ERC) at OutdoorRecreation for all your summer needs! You can rent campers, tents, kayaks, paddleboards, event and party supplies, lawn and garden equipment, sporting goods, boats, grills, bikes, yard games, bounce houses, slip and slides, trailers, moving equipment and more. If you need it, we probably have it. Check out the full list and prices on our website. Have you recently PCSd and need some extra storage? The ERC also offers storage units and storage spots for vehicles and boats.

### Parks & Ponds



Russ Pond

There are a number of recreational areas on Fort Benning that offer a variety of amenities, including picnic areas, gazebos, primitive campgrounds and fishing ponds. To reserve a pavilion or gazebo, call 706-545-7978. Validate a fishing permit and rent camping, boating and outdoor recreation equipment of all kinds at Outdoor Recreation, Building 1707 on Gillespie Street.

#### **KINGS POND RECREATION AREA**

Kings Pond is a 74-acre recreation area on Harmony Church. Canoes, kayaks and small boats powered by trolling motors may be used on the pond. Camping and fishing is allowed with a Fort Benning permit and a Georgia state-issued license.

#### **RUSS PARK**

With two large fishing spots, historic Russ Park, located on Main Post near McDonald Village, is a popular recreation destination for Fort Benning families. Russ Park is on Clark Road and has a picnic pavilion with playground equipment. Fishing at Russ Pond is open to youth ages 15 and younger – no fishing license required!

#### **TWILIGHT POND**

With a 40-by-80-foot open-air pavilion, picnic tables and grills, Twilight Pond is the perfect place for your next unit activity, party or camping. Though swimming is not permitted, an abundance of bass, bluegill, catfish and crappie makes Twilight ideal for fishing. Directions are available at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

#### **WEEMS POND**

Weelms Pond is great for bass, brim, catfish, crappie fishing and more. To get to Weems Pond, take Eighth Division to Jamestown Road, turn right and follow it for approximately 4.5 miles. The pond is on the left.

#### **VICTORY POND**

Victory Pond is frequently used for training Soldiers; be mindful and avoid this area when it is being used. Victory Pond is near Harmony Church. Take Eighth Division Road past the Armor School area. The pond will be on the right.

For information on any of these parks or ponds, go to [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

### Playgrounds

MWR maintains three playgrounds on Fort Benning. The playground located on **Zuckerman Avenue**, is the biggest playground. The well-loved play place is wheelchair accessible and includes the whirl and merry-go-round which can actually fit a wheelchair inside. The playground includes a branch-out canopy, musical toys, a variety of climbing and crawling areas, as well as swing sets and slides. Conveniently located next to one of the MWR Dog Parks, parents can take the little ones and four-legged loved ones for an afternoon of fun all in one place!

**Russ Pond** on main post has two play areas -- one near the parking lot area and t one across the pond. The playground closest to the parking lot recently doubled in size with our newest updates and features a 9 ft. slither slide. Russ Pond playground also has play cubes and a rock climbing wall for kids to enjoy. Parents can enjoy the pond views on



Zuckerman Avenue

our shaded bench, while monitoring the children at play.

The third playground is located at **Kings Pond** near Harmony Church. It is the perfect place to let the children burn off some energy before or after enjoying the pond.

### Dog Parks



MWR has two dog parks: one on the corner of Edwards and Carpenter streets on Main Post and another at the youth sports complex (Blue and French fields) on 1st Division Road. These parks include agility playground equipment. Pet owners must clean up after their dogs and monitor their behavior. All dogs must:

- Be registered at Fort Benning Vet Services (706-545-4444) and have shot records on file there.
- Wear a collar with current rabies tag
- Be off-leash only in the park and leashed upon exiting
- Be under voice control of owner at all times
- Be accompanied by an adult, 18 or older

### Recreational Shooting Complex

The Recreational Shooting Complex (RSC), the best shooting facility in the Chattahoochee Valley, has a 300-yard rifle range, a 50-yard pistol range, skeet and trap fields, an archery range and a full-service pro shop where you can browse an impressive selection of weapons, targets, ammunitions, supplies and camping and hunting equipment. We also offer firearms rentals! We are a licensed federal firearms dealer, so you can have your new gun purchases shipped to us for safe and legal handling.

The RSC hosts regular workshops, events and

competitions, including the annual, the Sweetheart Valentines Shoot, free hunter zero days, Zombie Shoots and more. MWR patrons can also reserve the RSC for private events. The RSC also offers exceptional annual membership rates for individuals and families. Check out our website for details and rates.



### Recreation Centers

#### SAND HILL RECREATION CENTER



The Sand Hill Recreation Center has so many amenities, choose which one to take advantage of first! Stop by and check out the billiard tables, air hockey games, foosball tables, table tennis, board games and free Wi-Fi with several computers in the computer lab. We also offer eight sound rooms with various instruments available. Play your favorite

## Recreation & Entertainment

game on one of our 56 gaming pods, partnered with DropZone or on XBOX One and Alienware video games in our gaming pods! If you're looking to relax, we have more than 400 movies to watch in our two movie rooms or the large areas for television viewing. Use the large auditorium with capacity of 500 people with A/V capabilities for your meetings, classes or briefings. Subway is also conveniently located inside the center, making it a one-stop shop for indoor recreation during any season. Located in Building 3308.

### **HARMONY CHURCH RECREATION CENTER**

The Harmony Church Recreation Center has partnered with DropZone to bring you state-of-the-art gaming in the facility! Grab your favorite snacks, candies and energy drinks from our snack bar before relaxing in one of our TV stations. You can also choose a movie from our extensive collection to enjoy in our cinema, or make use of the pool tables located in the back of the building for your entertainment. If you're looking for convenient internet access or printing capabilities, take advantage of our computer lab. Located in Building 4203.

### **MAIN POST RECREATION CENTER**



Open by appointment only, the Main Post Recreation Center is conveniently located on Sightseeing Road, within walking distance of Airborne School, 75th Ranger Regiment and Task Force 1-28. We offer a computer lab with 20 computers, a movie room, two game rooms, pool tables and a snack bar. We also offer Topgolf Swing Suite! The Topgolf Swing Suite features 2 simulator bays and a variety of virtual games – including the popular Topgolf target game, Zombie Dodgeball, Hockey Shots, Baseball Pitching

Carnival Classic and more – paired with comfortable lounge seating, HDTVs and snack bar service.

### **DROP ZONE**

Drop Zone is an Xbox One and Alienware PC-based video game lounge designed to satisfy the most demanding gamer and promote communal play with system link and fiber-based internet connections. Each station has leather seating, a 32-inch LED HDTV and surround-sound audio dome technology. We also carry boatloads of grub and tons of drinks. The Drop Zone is in Building 2505 on Main Post.

## Bowling

MWR has two bowling options - 12 lanes at the Bowling & Entertainment Center on Eckel Avenue and 24 lanes at the Mall Bowling Center next to the Commissary Mall on Marne Road. Both of our bowling centers offer a first-class bowling experience, a Pro Shop (limited services), bingo, snack bar and great specials throughout the year.

### **MALL BOWLING CENTER**



The Mall Bowling Center has automatic lane bumpers for children and for disabled bowlers. A snack bar serves lunch and dinner. The Mall Bowling Center also features electronic Bingo tablets. Our handheld, easy-to-play electronic system allows all authorized patrons to purchase cards and have some fun. Purchase food and drinks from the Snack Bar and start playing to win.

### **BOWLING & ENTERTAINMENT CENTER**



The Bowling & Entertainment Center (BEC) offers more than just bowling! On top of their 12 bowling lanes, the BEC has an indoor playground with a rock climbing wall, ball shooters, toddler area, party rooms and much more! The playground is reserved for guests 13 and younger, and socks are required. Enjoy a meal from The Checkpoint restaurant while the kiddos tire themselves out. We think you'll enjoy the BEC so much, you'll be back very soon. Be sure to pick up a punch card during your next visit so you can earn free playtime for the kids! For more information on hours, specials and discounts, visit our website.

### **Milton E. Long Library**



When it's time to slow down, head over to MWR's Milton E. Long Library on Eckel Avenue in Building 2783, across the street from the Bowling & Entertainment Center. Long Library has an extensive selection of reading material for all ages, as well as movies, music and more. Aside from an

extensive collection of print material, our library offers a variety of equipment and services, including free wireless internet, 77 desktop computers, thousands of DVDs and CDs, digital audio books, book clubs and children's programs. Our research and reference resources are second-to none, and our librarians are always happy to help. If you don't find what you need, perhaps we can borrow it from another library.

Be sure to check out website for the popular Summer Reading Program dates and times.

Preschool Story Hour, from 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesdays throughout the school year, offers big fun for the little ones. Aside from stories, preschoolers will enjoy games, songs and crafts. Call 706-545-4911.

### **MWR Bingo**



MWR Bingo is the most popular bingo center in the Chattahoochee Valley. MWR Bingo is open Wednesday through Sunday with convenient evening hours on weekdays for patrons to play after work. MWR Bingo is open to all military personnel, retirees, family members, sponsored guests and DoD civilians 18 years and older. First-time players also receive one free add-on bingo packet! MWR Bingo is located in Building 70 on Main Post on the north side of the AAFES shopping plaza on Ingersoll Street. Check out our website for daily specials and programs! For more information, call 706-544-1964 or visit our website.



### Destin Army Recreation Area

*In the heart of Florida's most popular vacation spot!*

Welcome to Fort Benning's premier vacation destination, a gated resort in the heart of Old Destin in Florida. Just 220 miles south of Fort Benning, between Pensacola and Panama City, the resort is sprawled across 15 acres along the Choctawhatchee Bay, minutes from the Gulf of Mexico.

Guests of the Destin resort have access to a private beach, less than 3 miles from the resort, reserved for use by eligible patrons. We have two- and three-bedroom villas, one-bedroom suites, hotel rooms and studios, an RV campground and a marina.

Our accommodations are nonsmoking, and many are pet friendly and handicap accessible.

The Destin resort is open year-round. We welcome all MWR patrons, including active-duty and retired military service members, their family members and guests, 100% disabled veterans and DOD civilian employees. Room and rental rates vary by season. Off-season reduced rates are available November through February. Check out all of our rates, including marina, vessel and charter rates, at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

Active-duty service members can make reservations for villas six months in advance by calling 850-837-6423. All other patrons can reserve a villa up to four months in advance. All other accommodations can be reserved a year in advance.

### McIver Suites & the Marshall House

As Fort Benning's newest renovated lodging options, the Marshall House and McIver Suites offer homey accommodations perfect for short- and long-term stays. These historic lodging spots are an outdoorsman's delight, located just minutes from the Fort Benning Golf Course, fishing ponds, recreation areas and trails and the Chattahoochee River. Reserve your stay with the Marshall House or McIver Suites and receive perks and discounts at a variety of MWR facilities on Fort Benning! Visit our website for more information and call 706-545-4053 to reserve.

**MCIVER SUITES:** Just a short walk from the Fort Benning Golf Course is a row of five, two-story duplexes called the McIver Suites. Each of the 10 units has a living room, kitchen and mud room. McIver offers four two-bedroom and six one-bedroom suites. The two-bedroom suites have a dining room, and two units are equipped with a washer and dryer in the mud room.



**MARSHALL HOUSE:** The Marshall House is a classic, two-story structure on the corner of 1st Division Road and Baltzell Avenue, just off Dixie Road on Fort Benning. This home is named after the famous WWII and post-war Soldier and statesman, General George C. Marshall. The Marshall House is a perfect venue for wedding photos and/or parties, graduations and general entertaining. This spacious 4,000-plus square-foot structure has 3 large bedrooms, 2.5 baths and a pleasant sunroom off the master bedroom. All bedrooms have cable TV and plenty of dresser space for long stays.



### Uchee Creek Campground & Marina

Are you hesitant to travel, but want to plan a getaway? Does your Girl Scout or Cub Scout troop need to earn their camping and outdoor badges? Or maybe you don't have enough room in your house for extended family members visiting? Check out everything Uchee Creek Campground and Marina has to offer.

This beloved MWR facility sits on the banks of the Chattahoochee River on the Alabama side of Fort Benning. Uchee Creek offers cabins, chalets, park homes, campsites, a lodge, pavilions and an activity center. Rates are available for daily, weekly, monthly and long-term reservations. Laundromats, a swimming pool, children's playgrounds, splash pad and our recreational fuel pumps that offer non-ethanol fuel are some of our most popular features. Reserve a cabin or chalet for your next vacation or -weekend getaway, a pavilion for a picnic or SFRG gathering, the lodge for big parties or the Uchee Creek Activity Center for a wedding reception or family reunion. The Country Store stocks everything you need to make your stay comfortable and your event a huge success.

If you want to take the family or scouts camping, enjoy our 385-acre park. RV and tent sites are available for you to enjoy. Campsites are equipped with full hookups (30 and 50 amp), water, sewer, electric and cable. Whether you are looking for

a trailer or a tent, MWR Outdoor Recreation and Equipment Resource Center (ERC) has a variety of equipment available for rent. Add contacting the ERC at 706-545-7978 to your to-do list before heading out on your staycation.

Enjoy the fishing and boating marina all year long! Guests are welcome to fish at the boat dock, but a fishing license is required. More information regarding fishing regulations can be found by calling the Conservation Branch at 706-544-7516. Pontoon boats are available and have a capacity of ten guests. Rates are available for two-hour, four-hour and eight hour rentals. Fishing boats and kayak rentals are also available through the Uchee Creek Country Store.



If you are in search of more outdoor adventure, Uchee Creek offers softball fields, basketball courts, and volleyball courts. A variety of hiking and walking trails are also accessible. Don't be a couch potato, head outdoors today! Uchee Creek accommodations are open to military ID card holders and families. Reserve your stay today! Learn more and view photos of the lodging and amenities on our website and make a reservation by calling 706-545-4053/2063.

### Tickets & Travel

Tickets and Travel - your one-stop shop for all of your vacation needs! Conveniently located at 9230 Marne Road inside the Commissary Mall, we offer exceptional deals and discounts on travel, flights, vacation plans and cruise packages. In addition, we offer discounts on local, regional and national attractions. Call or stop by today! Call 706-626-7644 to see how we can serve you.

## El Zapata Mexican Restaurant

El Zapata serves up fresh salsa, guacamole and chips all around! With their traditional Mexican flavored meals, you don't want to miss sizzling hot fajitas, mouthwatering enchiladas or one of their famous taco salads. Looking for something refreshing to go with your meal? What better way to help wash down the delicious food than with a nice, cold margarita (the only thing to choose between is on the rocks or frozen)! Located on Sightseeing Road next to the Main Post Recreation Center.

## Fiddler's Green

Open by reservation only, schedule your next meeting, Stable Call or TGIF event at Fiddler's Green inside the Benning Club, Building 128 on Morrison Avenue.

## Infantry Bar

Open by reservation only, the Infantry Bar is a great place to meet friends for a drink or to catch your favorite game. Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for details about upcoming Trivia Nights! The bar is located in Building 2784 on Sightseeing Road.

## Jack's 19th Hole

Jack's 19th Hole at the Fort Benning Golf Course is the perfect place to unwind after a long day on the course while enjoying a light refreshment! Jack's offers a variety of food and beverage items at unbeatable prices. Jack's 19th Hole is a great choice for your next meeting, party or class social.

## Java Café



Our Java Cafés on Main Post and Harmony Church proudly serve Starbucks® coffee and a great variety of sandwiches, salads and more! Stop by before 10:30 a.m. and enjoy a wide selection of breakfast

items like the breakfast burrito, flatbread breakfast sandwich or a bagel thin. If you swing in around lunch, try one of the specialty artisan pizzas, loaded salads or handcrafted sandwiches! Healthy menu and Keto Diet options are also available. Check out the menu before you go at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

You'll find Java Cafe on Ingersoll Street on Main Post 706-626-0231 and on Jamestown Road on Harmony Church 706-626-2971.

## Mall Bowling Snack Bar



Located inside the Mall Bowling Center, next to the Commissary. The snack bar features salads, wings, burgers, pizza and more! Available for dine-in and takeout, Patrons can call 706-545-4164 to place their to-go order. Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for the full menu. After or during lunch, play a game of bowling or pick-up an electronic bingo machine and win big!





**Roz's Cafe & Catering**



Let Roz's Café satisfy all of your favorite Southern, home-cooked cravings! Stop by weekdays for lunch on Main Post next to the Fort Benning Golf Course and check out their weekly specials at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com). To place an order call 706-641-2184.

**Smoothie King**

Craving a specialty smoothie? Stop by pre- or post-workout or whenever the craving hits you. Located inside Smith Fitness Center on Dixie Road.

**SUBWAY**

Looking for something familiar? Stop by Subway on Main Post or Sand Hill for all of your tried and true favorites like the classic footlong sandwiches, or try a lighter fare with a signature wrap or salad. Located adjacent to the DropZone on Main Post or inside the Sand Hill Recreation Center.

**The Checkpoint**

Located inside the Bowling and Entertainment Center on ain Post, The Checkpoint features hamburgers, chicken wings, pizza and more! Available for dine-in or takeout, drop by to bowl a few rounds with your meal, or take your meal on another Main Post adventure.



**Zaxby's**

In a hurry? Swing through the drive-through at Zaxby's on Main Post! Their famous Fingerz or wings paired with Zax Sauce is a sure crowd pleaser. Located on Ingersoll Street on Main Post.

**RENTAL VENUES**  
on Fort Benning



MWR's primary purpose is offering Soldiers and their Families desirable social and recreational opportunities. Our facilities are available to support mission-related functions when their use does not preclude authorized MWR patronage.

We offer many locations for you to host your next SFRG Meeting, unit function, Hail and Farewell and more! Our event planner will make all your special events memorable and affordable. Whether you are planning for 10 guests or 1,000, we have the space for you. Call or visit the location you are interested today!

No Rental Fees Required for the following facilities:

- Patch Hall • MWR Library • Twilight Pavilion
- Harmony Church Recreation Center • Russ Pond Pavilion
- Kings Pond Pavilion • Bouton Heights/Davis Hill Outreach Center • Sand Hill Recreation Center
- Kelley Hill Recreation Center
- Survivor Outreach Services Building

Rental Fees required for the following facilities:

- Bowling & Entertainment Center • Benning Club
- Mall Bowling Center • Infantry Bar
- Golf Course (Pavilion)
- Sand Hill Club House • Uchee Creek Campground & Marina
- Destin Army Recreation Area
- Breezeway Complex (Bar & Lounge, Patio or Pool)





## Aquatics

We have two indoor pools open throughout the year, Smith Fitness Center and Briant Wells, and two outdoor pools open during the summer. Smith Fitness Center pool is open seven days a week. Briant Wells offers lap swim and military training. Check the Swimming page under Sports & Fitness on our website for hours of operation.

Participants will receive a 2-year lifeguard certification, which includes the American Red Cross Certification, lifeguarding, first aid, CPR and AED training. American Red Cross lifeguarding students must be at least 15 years old by the last day of class, and pass a pre-course swimming skills test prior to taking our course.



Registration for this one week course is \$175. To register or for more information, call 706-844-5766. Carey Pool and the Breezeway Pool are open seasonally from Memorial Day Weekend to Labor Day. Breezeway Pool is open for recreational swim, and Carey Pool offers lap swim and military training. We also have a number of classes and programs, including swim lessons, CPR certifications and lifeguard training. Be on the lookout for fun summer events this outdoor pool season! For more information, visit our website.

### **SMITH FITNESS CENTER POOL**



The indoor pool complex at Smith Fitness Center is free and open to all MWR patrons for lap and recreational swim. Occasional closures may take place due to military training, so call ahead or visit our website.

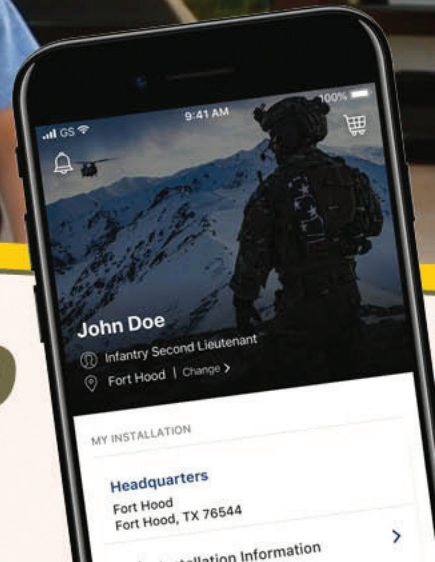


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# Sports, Fitness & Aquatics

## BREEZEWAY POOL

This outdoor pool complex offers a baby pool, splash area, volleyball and more! There are great concession areas with a shaded seating area and TVs to catch the game. The pool is ideal for families, parties and unit functions.

## BRIANT WELLS INDOOR POOL



This 25-meter lap lane pool is open for lap swim all year long. Renovations will take place in early 2022, so visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for the latest updates.

## CAREY OUTDOOR POOL

Look for the helicopter behind the Main Post Recreation Center! This 600,000-gallon, Olympic-size outdoor pool is open for lap swim throughout the summer. Occasional closures may take place due to military training, so call ahead or visit our website.



# Sports



The Fort Benning Sports Program hosts a number of events and activities that are open to all eligible MWR patrons - Soldiers, civilians, family members, contractors and DOD civilians. Others are reserved for Active-Duty Soldiers only.

Commander's Cup intramural sports are reserved for Active-Duty Soldiers. Sports include basketball, football, golf, soccer, softball, kickball and volleyball.

Our race series includes the annual 5K Fun Run Series, Oktoberfest 10K/5K, Turkey Trot 5K, Ugly Sweater 5K and more. You will find a calendar and contact information on our website.



## Fitness

Fort Benning MWR has five fitness centers across the installation, including Smith Fitness Center and Audie Murphy Athletic Performance Center on Main Post, Santiago on Sand Hill, Whittington High Performance Center on Harmony Church and Kefurt Fitness Center on Kelley Hill. Choose a location closest to you, or select one based on what it has to offer for equipment, facilities and classes. You will find complete listings and hours of operation for each facility at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

### **AUDIE MURPHY ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE CENTER**

The 36,344-square-foot Audie Murphy Athletic Performance Center is open to vaccinated patrons and is equipped for athletes and Soldiers focused on improving their performance on the field or in the field. We've stocked the center with equipment for functional training, including kettle bells, medicine balls, sleds, power racks, dumbbells, TRX, rowers, ladders, climbers, stability balls, battling ropes, slide boards and more. Aside from peak PT hours, you will find Audie Murphy to be a quiet, uncongested facility, perfect for those serious about their workout.

### **KEFURT FITNESS CENTER**

Kefurt is equipped with Hammer Strength HD Athletic racks with bumper plates, 35-foot Alpha Warrior Battle Rig Number 44 in the world, Matrix S Drive non-motorized treadmills, Air Assault fan bikes, Concept 2 Rowers, Cybex SPARC trainers, Jacobs Ladders, an expansive turf area, Torque Tanks for pushing/pulling, a full set of Nautilus selectorized equipment and full cardio inventory.

### **SANTIAGO FITNESS CENTER**

The 23,728-square-foot facility is a favorite among Sand Hill cadre and military retirees, who find the center more quiet and convenient than the facilities on Main Post. Santiago has basketball and racquetball courts, plate-loaded, free and selectorized weight equipment, and cardio equipment.

### **SMITH FITNESS CENTER**

Smith Fitness Center on Dixie Road is a 100,000-square-foot, two-story facility with state-of-the-art equipment and amenities that is accessible 24/7. The center has 12,500 square

feet of cardiovascular and weight training space, 7,500 square feet of exercise and training rooms, a gymnasium and two racquetball courts. At Smith Fitness Center, we offer personal training, fitness classes and an indoor pool. After your workout, stop by the Smoothie King conveniently located inside the fitness center. Drop by during normal business hours and register for your 24/7 access today! Visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for details.

#### **Personal Training**

Need help developing an effective workout routine or professional advice to help you achieve desired results? At Smith Fitness Center, we have personal trainers who will help you accomplish your fitness goals. We offer consultations as well as individual or group sessions.

#### **Fitness Classes**

Certified instructors teach a variety of fitness classes Monday through Saturday at Smith Fitness Center for all MWR patrons. Classes are \$3 each or \$25 per month for unlimited classes, and 6:30 a.m. classes are free to soldiers in PT uniform. A monthly schedule is posted on the Sports & Fitness page at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

### **WHITTINGTON HIGH PERFORMANCE FITNESS CENTER**

This 24,000-square fitness center holds a full range of plate-loaded equipment, selectorized strength equipment, cable crossovers, squat racks, fitness rooms for cardio, spin, wrestling, dumbbells and much more.



# BACK TO SCHOOL



MWR hosts an annual **BACK TO SCHOOL BASH** each year in July – right before the kids return to school! This free event is exclusively for the school-age dependent children of active-duty service members assigned to Fort Benning. Supplies are distributed while they last on a first-come, first-served basis, for students in pre-K through high school. This event also includes games, bounce houses, water activities and refreshments, free health screenings and information on community resources. Stay tuned to the event calendar at [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for date and location.



### Child & Youth Services

Child & Youth Services (CYS) recognizes the challenges of our Soldiers and their Families. By offering quality programs for children, youth and students, CYS supports the Army Family by reducing the conflict between mission readiness and parental responsibility. At CYS, we have the most important clients in the world: military Families and their kids.

#### PARENT CENTRAL SERVICES

At Parent Central Services, in Building 104 on Marchant Street, you can register your children for Child & Youth Services programs and activities. The office is open for registrations on a walk-in basis 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and by appointments 2 to 5 p.m. All fees are based on family income. Proof of income and immunization is required for registration. A health examination is required within 30 days of registration.

It's Georgia Pre-K Time! The Georgia Pre-K Program is a lottery funded educational program for Georgia's four year olds to prepare children for Kindergarten. For the 2022-2023 school year, Fort Benning is fortunate enough to have Georgia Pre-K classrooms located within the following CYS facilities: 1st Division CDC, McGraw CDC, Santé Fe CDC. Georgia Pre-K is a hugely popular program and space is limited so a lottery system was established, CYS received 88 slots for this school year.

*Eligibility: MUST be a current resident of the State of Georgia and child must turn four on or before September 1, 2022. For more information, call 706-545-2079.*

Families interested in a slot at the Georgia Pre-K program must participate in the GA Pre-K Lottery drawing, complete an entry form at Parent Central Services from April 1 – 29 (last day to submit form). The drawing will be May 12. For more information, visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).

#### CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

There are five full-day care child development centers on Fort Benning: Main Post, Santa Fe, Indianhead, McGraw and 1st Division Child Development Center. Full-day care is designed for parents who need child care services regularly. Care can be provided no more than 13 hours per day. All centers offer breakfast, lunch and a snack. Infants receive formula and baby food. We also provide hourly care on a first-come, first-served basis. Sign up and register at Parent Central.



### **SCHOOL AGE CENTER**

The School Age Center is in Building 2653 on Ingersoll Avenue. The program provides before-school, after-school, full-day summer camp and hourly care programs for children in kindergarten through fifth grade. The program starts at 5:30 a.m. and ends at 6:30 p.m. Breakfast is served, and transportation is provided to Fort Benning schools. Establish your account today at [militarychildcare.com](http://militarychildcare.com) to sign up for Spring or Summer Camp.

### **FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES**

MWR also offers a Family Child Care program for those who prefer child care in a home setting for children 4 weeks to 12 years old. Child & Youth Services maintains a list of certified home care providers on and off post. All persons providing more than 10 hours of child care per week in their on-post home are required to be certified by CYS. Homes are monitored for health, safety and quality of service.

Become a Family Child Care Provider! Are you interested in running your own childcare business? Are you creative, energetic, and do you love working with children? Own your own business & make a difference by providing quality & affordable child care. Some of the benefits include expedited background check clearance process, paid training opportunities to increase your salary with training and education, business that moves when you move, stay at home with your children & earn a salary at the same time.

A career in Family Child Care awaits you! Contact our FCC Director at 706-545-4868!



### **MIDDLE SCHOOL & TEEN PROGRAM**



The Middle School & Teen Program is designed to develop young minds and bodies for a healthy transition to adulthood. This program includes after-school supervision, homework help, recreation, dances, field trips, leader development, life skills and more. MST is a free program starting daily at 1 p.m. Spring and Summer Camps are offered, fee is based on total household income – contact Parent Central for more information.

The MS&T Torch Club, for ages 11 to 13, meets twice a month to enjoy a variety of activities at the CYS Campus on McIver Street. Participants must be registered at Parent Central.

The Keystone Club, for ages 14 and older, meets at the CYS Campus for a variety of activities, including those that promote leadership development, career interests, free enterprise, social development, community service and more. Participants must be registered at Parent Central.

For more information on MS&T programs and clubs, call 706-545-3070.

### **TEEN WELLNESS CENTER**

During the 2021 Better at Benning AFAP forum you expressed the need for a fitness center for Fort Benning's youth. CYS Youth Sports/Middle School and Teen are proud to announce the opening of the brand new Teen Wellness Center! The Teen Wellness Center is located at building 374 (next to Middle School & Teen Center, Youth Services Campus), and open for ages 11-18, Monday thru Friday 3 – 6:30 p.m. Attending teens must be registered with CYS and must have a current sports physical on file,



parents must sign a waiver. The Teen Wellness Center is free of charge. CYS Staff will provide instructions for participating youth as well as fitness and workout plans. For more information, call the Youth Sports office at 706-545-0522 or the Teen Wellness Center at 706-545-6098. Swing by and check out this great new facility for Fort Benning's Youth!



### **YOUTH SPORTS AND FITNESS**

The Youth Sports and Fitness program offers year-round team and individual sports and a variety of monthly classes for family members between 3 and 18 years old. Team sports are offered in soccer, T-ball, football, baseball, basketball and cheerleading. A variety of individual sports, clinics and camps are available throughout the year. Classes include tumbling, cheering, taekwondo and more. Instructional Programs include a variety of classes for toddlers to teens, with pay-as-you-go monthly schedules for tumbling, cheerleading, Zumbini, Functional Fitness and more.



Youth Sports offers Spring and Summer camps such as Paintball, Soccer, Football and more! Register at Parent Central, for more information contact the Youth Sports office at 706-545-0522!

**COACHES needed:** CYS Youth Sports is looking for coaches for the following sports: Football,

Flag Football, Soccer, Baseball, T-Ball, Coach pitch Baseball, Wrestling and Basketball to coach children ages 5-16. Give back to the community and coach a new generation of athletes! (Coaches discount include: your kids attend any sports activity you are coaching for free! Earn volunteer hours which help with upcoming promotion - and more! Sign up today!) Local background checks must be cleared on all coaches prior to team assignment. Coaches must attend a coaches clinic to review the coaching policies and become certified through the National Alliance for Youth Sports (NAYS). Interested? Sign up today by calling the Youth Sports office at 706-545-0522 or Parent Central at 706-545-2079.

### **SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICE**

School Support Services provides Army school-aged youth with educational opportunities, resources and information necessary to achieve academic success. A branch of Child & Youth Services (CYS), School Support Services features School Liaison Officers (SLOs), who help schools, installations and Families work together for student achievement.

SLOs are your best support in the area of education, schools and military transitions. SLOs are knowledgeable in current education news and policies. They act as the conduit between the school community – including local public school districts, private schools and home school Families – and the installation.

How do they do it? By:

- Helping schools understand the challenges military Families face
  - Informing parents about local school policies
  - Giving Families information about local schools, graduation requirements, after school programs, youth sponsorship and homeschooling
  - Connecting units and schools through partnership initiatives
  - Conducting workshops to help parents navigate educational transition and advocate for their children
  - Providing an array of resources that benefit military youth and improve school experiences
- Contact your SLO at 706-545-3062 or 706-626-8625!



## Army Community Service

What will you find with ACS? All kinds of programs and services that combine fun with self-improvement. All Army Community Service (ACS) programs support Soldiers, civilian employees and Families in maintaining readiness by coordinating and delivering comprehensive, responsive services that promote self-reliance, resiliency and stability. Each program maximizes technology and resources, adapts to unique installation requirements, eliminates duplication in service delivery, and measures service effectiveness. Standardized ACS programs, services and facilities are based upon established Common Levels of Support, are tailorable by Garrison population and mission. All offices are in 7117 Baltzell Avenue, Patch Hall, Building 7 unless otherwise noted.

### FINANCIAL READINESS PROGRAM

The Financial Readiness Program provides individual assistance in all aspects of financial management, including check-writing, budgeting, insurance, investing, credit management, home buying or selling and financial planning for relocation, deployment and retirement. FRP offers in-person and virtual classes for Smart Car Buying, Saving for The Holidays, Identity Theft, Thrift Savings Plan, Home Buying Seminar and Credit Management. Sign up



online, scan QR code or visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for more information.

### EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER PROGRAM

EFMP helps Soldiers with family members with special needs. Soldiers may request consideration for entry into the EFMP if they have a family member with a physical, emotional or intellectual disorder that limits the person's ability to take part in activities with peers and requires special treatment, therapy, education, training or counseling. The program allows the Military Personnel Center, Department of the Army, to consider the special needs of family members during the assignment selection process. EFMP provides information, crisis intervention, respite care and recreational information and acts as an advocate for Soldiers and their families. EFMP provides monthly support groups the first Monday of each month, as well as other seminars support our EFMP families. Follow us on facebook, [www.facebook.com/groups/FortBenningEFMP](http://www.facebook.com/groups/FortBenningEFMP).



## ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF

AER provides emergency financial assistance with moving expenses, initial rent and deposit, travel expenses, car repair, car payments and much more. AER's Scholarship Program helps spouses and dependent children of active duty and retirees with the cost of education. Scholarship applications are available the first week of January.

The 2022 Army Emergency Relief fundraising campaign will be conducted from March 1 through May 15. The 2022 AER Campaign Kick-Off Rally will be held the first week of March. The annual AER campaign as well as the Kick-Off Rally promotes AER awareness and to educate Soldiers, Retired Soldiers, and family members that AER should be their first choice during financial emergencies.

Why Donate? 90 cents of every dollar goes directly to Soldiers and their families! AER assistance would not be possible without the donations made by Soldiers and Retirees every year. Your donations will make a difference.

### **Ways to Donate:**

Please contact your unit Project officer for your donations or you can bring your donations to the Fort Benning AER office which is located in Building 7, Patch Hall.

Donations can be made year round at [www.armyemergencyrelief.org/donate/](http://www.armyemergencyrelief.org/donate/). Donations can be made via online electronic payment or via allotment from your monthly pay.

If you have any questions, please contact your local AER office at 706-545-3530 or 706-626-0214. For more information on the Kick-Off Rally please visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com).



## RELOCATION READINESS PROGRAM

The RRP offers comprehensive services to Soldiers and family members to assist with their move to Fort Benning and make the process as smooth as possible. The Lending Closet provides kitchen items, irons, ironing boards, sleeping mats, infant items and other household items. These items are loaned to Soldiers and their families awaiting shipment of their household goods. Newcomers Orientation is held weekly, every Wednesday morning from 9-11:30 a.m. at the ACS Auditorium, as part of in-processing, and spouses are encouraged to attend. Breakfast is provided.



## SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES

Survivor Outreach Services, located at 7021 Ingersoll Ave, Building 359, cares for families of fallen Soldiers by providing services at garrisons and in the communities closest to where the survivors live. Financial counseling and education, grief and bereavement counseling referrals, community agency referrals and support groups are just a few services we offer. Families may also receive information on local, state and federal benefits from a benefits coordinator at the Casualty Assistance Office. Survivors include spouses, children, parents and siblings of Soldiers who died while on active duty. For more information on Fort Benning's Survivor Outreach Services contact Alonzo Stewart at 706-545-8990.



### **FAMILY ADVOCACY PROGRAM**

The Family Advocacy Program provides education and training classes about child and spouse abuse prevention, safety education for children, and pre-deployment briefings for Soldiers and their family members. Annual classes are mandatory for all military personnel on the dynamics of spouse and child abuse, the availability of treatment services and Army policies regarding family violence. Units may schedule briefings by calling the FAP training specialist. FAP can provide crisis intervention to Soldiers and family members in emergency situations and respite child care for the purpose of relieving parental stress and to provide a nurturing and developmentally appropriate environment. Cases involving family violence intervention needing long-term treatment and follow-ups are referred to Social Work Services.

The program is in Building 36, Richardson Circle. Follow us on [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for find out about any upcoming in-person or virtual events FAP offers!

### ***VICTIM ADVOCACY***

This program helps victims of domestic violence. A victim advocate coordinator provides direct services to individual victims of spousal abuse. Contact 24 hour hotline: Georgia, 800-334-2836 or Alabama, 800-650-6522.

### ***NEW PARENT SUPPORT/FIRST STEPS***

This program provides emotional support, parenting education, referrals to community resources and follow-up contact to parents of newborns, thereby helping develop healthy family relationships to reduce the risk of child abuse or neglect. Volunteers are assigned to work with new parents for up to one year.

### ***CRISIS INTERVENTION/HOTLINE***

The Family Advocacy Program manager provides immediate intervention to family members for the resolution of an immediate child abuse or neglect or spouse abuse problem. Duty hours, 706-545-7594 and after hours: 762-408-2234.

### ***SEXUAL HARRASSMENT/ASSAULT RESPONSE AND PREVENTION (SHARP)***

The SHARP program provides crisis intervention and support services to victims of sexual assault and harassment 24/7. Advocates offer support, information and referrals for service on post and off. Hotline is 706-566-7393.

### **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES & RESOURCE EXCHANGE**

The Community Activity Resource Exchange (CARE) provides information on events and subjects of interest within the surrounding communities to the Fort Benning community, specifically Spouses and those who disseminate information throughout the community. Everyone is invited. Representatives from various post agencies (including the Garrison Command, MWR, ACS, Villages of Benning, DES, MACH, the Commissary, AAFES and the Chaplaincy) address current events, and guest speakers brief and entertain questions on various topics. CARE meetings are typically held the first Tuesday of each month during the school year, from 9:30 – 11 a.m., at Army Community Service in Building 7 on Baltzell Avenue. CARE meetings will have limited in-person attendance due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Tune in on the MWR Facebook page to view CARE live.



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### Auto Skills Center

Repair or rebuild your own vehicle, or let us do it for you! As one of the Army's largest auto repair centers, with 42 bays, the Fort Benning Auto Skills Center employs certified mechanics and training instructors who stand ready to help you repair or customize your car. You won't encounter high-pressured upselling from our team of honest professionals. That's not our style, and it's not our goal. We're here to help.

Bay Rental customers have onsite access to a variety of tools, vehicle lift and a free computer program that provides easy-to-read, step-by-step instructions on every kind of repair imaginable. It will also tell you what parts you may need to purchase and what you should expect to pay for them. You'll likely find them in stock at the Auto Skills Center, priced less than you'll find off post, and tax free!

For those without the time or inclination to make repairs themselves, the center offers the same mechanical services one might find off post, such as tune-ups, alignments, fluid flushes, brake inspections and repairs, tire services, air conditioning checks and charges and so much more, at prices less than you pay elsewhere.

The staff at the center is available by appointment for classes and demonstrations for Scout groups, FRGs and more. To schedule a class, a free vehicle safety inspection or a pre-purchase inspection, call

706-545-2337 and visit [benning.armymwr.com](http://benning.armymwr.com) for a full list of services.

### POV Lemon Lot

The Equipment Resource Center (ERC) offers more than just exciting summer rental equipment! Do you have a vehicle, boat, trailer, motorcycle or other recreational vehicle that you're trying to sell? Take advantage of the Outdoor Recreation ERC's Lemon Lot! The Lemon Lot, located behind the Auto Skills Center, is available to all active duty and retired soldiers, their dependents and DoD civilians. For only \$11 per vehicle for 30 days, customers can take advantage of the convenience and visibility that the lot offers. Shoppers interested in purchasing a vehicle from the lot will find prices and contact information on the vehicle, usually posted near the windshield. For additional information and policies, visit our website or call 706-545-7978.



## MWR Car Washes



MWR has three car washes with drive-through and self-serve bays large enough for a truck or RV and the latest in floor mat cleaning. We offer cloth and water wash or touch-free water wash. Vacuums have fragrance, spot remover, carpet cleaner and turbo and super modes. The self-serve bays have a popular tire shine option. MWR car washes are on Main Post in Building 105 on Marchant Avenue, on Jamestown Road in Harmony Church next to Java Café in Building 4101 and next to the Commissary Mall on Marne Road.

## Dog Wash



Has your pup had a long day at the park or taken a roll in the mud? Now they're ready to be pampered with a refreshing bath! Take them to the easily accessible MWR Dog Wash! Attached to the Main Post Car Wash is our do-it-yourself, climate controlled dog wash in a spacious, enclosed room. You may use your credit card or the reloadable MWR Car Wash Card for washing, drying, and flea and

tick bathing options. The spacious dog wash can fit multiple small dogs at once or even your fully grown Great Dane! Open 24/7, choose the MWR Dog Wash for all your pet grooming needs. Located in Building 105, Marchant Avenue.

## Laundromat



You can clean just about anything at the Main Post Laundromat, including your TA-50! We have 81 heavy duty washers and 54 dryers available for Soldiers and their families. You won't ever have to carry a pocketful of quarters with our laundry card, or you can pay with cash or credit card. The more you use the post laundromat, the more free credit you earn on your card! If you would like to coordinate a unit laundry party, please call or email [wanda.f.kirby2.naf@army.mil](mailto:wanda.f.kirby2.naf@army.mil), 706-545-3398 / 706-844-5722 or [lidia.m.gilrodriguez.naf@army.mil](mailto:lidia.m.gilrodriguez.naf@army.mil), 706-545-3398 / 706-527-0814.

### Groome Transportation

Need a lift to the Atlanta Airport? Groome Transportation has daily routes to and from Fort Benning. Visit [groometransportation.com](http://groometransportation.com) for routes and rates

### Recon Sportswear

Recon Sportswear has everything you need for your customized swag. We have two convenient locations on Sand Hill. Call 706-682-0730 to receive a quote today!

### Soldier Photos

We are located inside the Sand Hill Recreation Center. Call 706-685-2222 to make an appointment.

## ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

<b>Army Community Service</b> .....	706-545-4043
Patch Hall, Building 7, 7117 Baltzell Avenue Exceptional Family Member, Financial Readiness, Information and Referral, Relocation, Army Emergency Relief	
<b>Army Community Service</b>	
Building 359, 7021 Ingersoll Avenue	
Survivor Outreach Services .....	706-545-2989
<b>Family Advocacy Program</b> .....	706-545-3202
Lewis Hall, Building 36, 7131 Richardson Circle	
<b>Military Family Life Consultants</b> .....	706-604-2432
Building 359, 7021 Ingersoll Avenue	

## CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS (CDC)

<b>1st Division CDC</b> .....	706-545-6656
Building 1051, 7191 1st Division Road	
<b>Indianhead CDC</b> .....	706-626-0673
Building 2389, 6351 Indianhead Road	
<b>Main Post CDC</b> .....	706-545-3732
Building 1366, 7000 Yeager Avenue	
<b>McGraw CDC</b> .....	706-544-1758
Building 11306, 8220 Custer Road	
<b>Sante Fe CDC</b> .....	706-544-2339
Building 9242, 7151 Hoff Street	
<b>Sante Fe ANNEX</b> .....	706-544-4150
Building 9257, 7919 Marne Road	
<b>Family Child Care</b> .....	706-545-4868
Building 1051, 7191 1st Division Road	
<b>Middle School &amp; Teen</b> .....	706-545-3070
Building 1055, 7110 McIver Street	
<b>Parent Central Services</b> .....	706-545-2079
Building 104, 6880 Marchant Avenue	
<b>School Age Care</b> .....	706-545-3605
Building 2653, 7502 Ingersoll Street	
<b>School Liaison Officer</b> .....	706-626-8625
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>Youth Sports</b> .....	706-545-0522
Building 1056, 7110 McIver Street	

## DINING & PUBS

<b>Benning Club Catering</b> .....	706-545-0935
Building 128, 7010 Morrison Avenue	
<b>Checkpoint</b> .....	706-545-4272
Building 2785, 6530 Eckel Avenue	
<b>El Zapata</b> .....	706-689-9009
Building 2784, 7611 Sightseeing Road	
<b>Infantry Bar</b> .....	706-545-8426
Building 2784, 7611 Sightseeing Road,	
<b>Jack's 19th Hole</b> .....	706-545-0397
Building 390, 390 Baltzell Avenue	

### JAVA CAFÉS

<b>Main Post</b> .....	706-626-0231
Building 1686, 7280 Ingersoll Street	
<b>Harmony Church</b> .....	706-626-2971
Building 4102, 6900 Jamestown Road	

<b>Mall Bowling Center Snack Bar</b> .....	706-545-4164
Building 9232, 8140 Marne Road	
<b>Roz's Cafe</b> .....	706-641-2184
Building 390, 7471 Baltzell Avenue	
<b>Smoothie King</b> .....	706-685-8200
Building 2874, 6835 Dixie Road	

### SUBWAY

<b>Main Post</b> .....	706-687-8274
Building 2502, 7308 Anderson Street	
<b>Sand Hill</b> .....	706-687-4919
Building 3308, 5300 41st Infantry Regiment Street	
<b>Zaxby's</b> .....	706-683-0066
Building 1692, 7290 Ingersoll Street	

## DFMWR ADMINISTRATION

<b>Business and Recreation Division</b> .....	706-545-7357
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>BOSS</b> .....	706-604-7675
<b>Child &amp; Youth Services</b> .....	706-545-6811
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>Director</b> .....	706-545-1511
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>Deputy Director</b> .....	706-545-6701
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>Marketing &amp; Sponsorship</b> .....	706-545-3328
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	
<b>Support Management Division</b> .....	706-545-4937
Building 85, 6850 Barron Avenue	

## FITNESS CENTERS & AQUATICS

<b>Aquatics</b> .....	706-545-1400
Building 394, Lauber Street	
<b>Audie Murphy</b> .....	706-545-1940
Building 2818, 6561 Way Street	
<b>Breezeway</b> .....	706-545-1687
Building 117, 7190 Muir Street	
<b>Kefurt</b> .....	706-544-4511
Building 9001, 8710 Watkins Street	
<b>Santiago</b> .....	706-544-9486
Building 3350, 5310 23rd Infantry Regiment Street	
<b>Smith</b> .....	706-545-4388
Building 2874, 6835 Dixie Road	
<b>Whittington High Performance Center</b> .....	706-544-7528
Building 4303, 7098 Old Cusseta Highway	

## RECREATION

<b>Destin Army Recreation Area</b> .....	850-837-6423
557 Calhoun Avenue, Destin, Florida	
<b>Bowling and Entertainment Center</b> .....	706-545-4272
Building 2785, 6530 Eckel Avenue	
<b>Fort Benning Golf Course</b> .....	706-545-0397
Building 390, 390 Baltzell Avenue	
<b>Drop Zone</b> .....	706-587-4040
Building 2502, 7308 Anderson Street	
<b>Harmony Church Recreation Center</b> .....	706-626-1265
Building 4203, 6986 Old Cusseta Highway	
<b>Main Post Recreation Center</b> .....	706-545-8205
Building 2784, 2784 Sightseeing Road	



<b>Mall Bowling</b> .....	706-545-4164
Building 9232, 8140 Marne Road	
<b>McIver Suites</b> .....	706-545-4053
McIver Street	
<b>MWR Bingo</b> .....	706-544-1964
Building 93, 6870 Wold Avenue	
<b>Outdoor Recreation</b> .....	706-545-7978
<b>and Equipment Resource Center</b>	
Building 1707, 7310 Gillespie Street	
<b>Recreational Shooting Complex</b> .....	706-545-6158
Building 2975, 7839 1st Division Road, Coursen Range	
<b>Sand Hill Recreation Center</b> .....	706-544-9161
Building 3308, 5300 41st Infantry Regiment Street	
<b>Uchee Creek Campground &amp; Marina</b> .....	706-545-4053
7 Uchee Creek Road, Fort Motchell, AL 36856	

## SERVICES

<b>Auto Skills Center</b> .....	706-545-2337
Building 111, Marchant Avenue	
<b>Car Wash Facilities</b> .....	706-545-3398
Harmony Church Car Wash, Building 4101, Jamestown Road	
Mall Car Wash, Building 9231, Marne Road	
Main Post Car Wash, Building 105, Marchant Avenue	
<b>Dog Wash</b> .....	706-545-3398
Dog Wash, Building 105, Marchant Avenue	
<b>Laundromat</b> .....	706-545-3398
Building 1683, 6900 Gaudette Avenue	
<b>Milton E. Long Library</b> .....	706-545-4911
Building 2783, 6529 Eckel Avenue	
<b>NAF Property</b> .....	706-545-3751
Building 2384, 7701 Prussman Street	
<b>Soldier Photos</b> .....	706-685-2222
Building 3308, 5300 41st Infantry Regiment Street	
<b>Tickets and Travel</b> .....	706-626-7644
Building 9230, 9230 Marne Road	

## OTHER AGENCIES

<b>Chaplains</b> .....	706-545-2289
<b>Commissary</b> .....	706-544-3965
<b>Lodging, Abrams Hall</b> .....	877-711-8326
<b>Main PX</b> .....	706-685-3242
<b>Martin Army Community Hosptial</b> .....	762-408-2604
<b>Military Family Life Counselors</b> .....	706-566-1033
<b>Military Police Non-Emergency</b> .....	706-545-5222
<b>Post Operator</b> .....	706-545-2011
<b>Recon Sportswear</b> .....	706-682-0730
<b>Red Cross</b> .....	706-545-5194
<b>Sexual Assault Hotline</b> .....	706-566-7393
<b>Spectrum Cable</b> .....	866-874-2389
<b>Suicide Hotline</b> .....	800-273-8255
<b>Veterinary Services</b> .....	706-545-1127



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The BOSS program is composed of three components: Quality of Life/Well-Being, which addresses issues that influence the morale, living environment or growth and development of Soldiers; Community Service, which includes volunteer projects on post and off; and Recreation and Leisure, which includes trips and events planned and supported by BOSS Soldiers.

BOSS meetings are held every last Wednesday of the month at the Main Post Recreation Center. The Main Post Recreation Center is located on Building 2784, 7611 Sightseeing Road. Contact the Fort Benning BOSS president for more information and sign up to become a BOSS Soldier!



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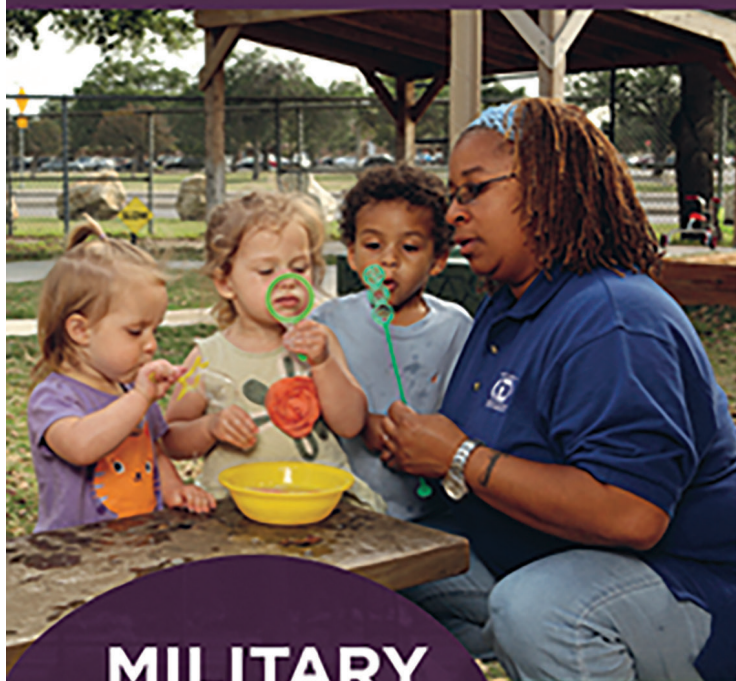
There are recycling trailers available to drop-off material 24/7 located at McGraw Village, Old White Elementary site (1st Division Road and Madden Avenue), Custer Road PX and the MWR Bingo on Main Post. We also have collection receptacles for paper in several facilities around the installation.

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Aluminum and Steel Cans empty and rinse	Food and Beverage Cartons empty and replace cap	Cereal Boxes, Newspaper, Magazines and Mail, Flattened Cardboard & Paper Tubes	Kitchen, Laundry, Bath: Bottles and Containers empty and replace cap
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