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Due to the spread of COVID-19, MWR event dates are subject to change for situations concerning the health and safety of our community. While some facilities are open, others remain closed.

For the most up-to-date details on MWR events, please visit:

gordon.armymwr.com/events

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FROM THE COVER

COVID-19 has changed everything in 2020. Although many of our facilities are still closed, we are working diligently to open facilities, safely. Check the website for updated hours and visit us at your convenience. Hope to see you soon!



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FEATURE ARTICLE



Tips to
Protect Your Investment
During a Major Crisis



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July 13-August 14, 2020

Entries must be submitted no later than August 14 at 11:59 p.m. Winner will be picked August 17

COVID-19 rocked the social world and has changed how we do things.

We want to hear all about the invigorating and fun things you did while waiting for COVID-19 to clear. Send a picture and tell us what you or your family has done to get over the COVID-19 blues since it has begun.

We will pick the most intriguing story with photo.

One lucky winner will receive a GRAND PRIZE.









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MARINEMUDCHALLENGE

Competitive and Non-Competitive individual registrations. Challenging 5 mile off-road course with over 30 obstacles, water, hills and of course MUD!

The top 3 individuals in each category will receive a medal following the completion of the last heat at 11 am in the award ceremony.

Children 5 - 12 years can register for a mini course.

Special Hotel Rates Available at www.marinemudchallengega.com































Tips to Protect Your Investment During a Major Crisis

By Melissa Smith, ACS Financial Readiness Program Manager

If you are an investor, then you should be familiar with the term 'ebb and flow'. Markets often tend to be more volatile during a crisis, and it can be tough for individuals who are close to retirement. However, for those years away from retirement, time is on your side. The stock market tends to correct itself over time. It could even be a good time to invest because stock prices are usually low. Most people could see a significant gain over time by investing now. Remember, when the market is volatile, you are likely to be buying more shares.

But what if you are close to retirement and your investments have taken a nosedive? Do not panic. Stay the course - depending on where you are in your retirement goals.

Sometimes the best thing to do is nothing. Keep in mind that investing for retirement is long-term. Do not let short-term market fluctuations change your goal.

Meet with your broker or financial advisor for expert advice. They are there to assist and guide you in both volatile and non-volatile times by defining goals, objectives, and identifying your timelines which will help to limit risks. Review your portfolio for diversification, especially if you are in a five-year retirement window

You may have to adjust your retirement age if necessary. If your savings are not where you want them to be, you may have to plan to work a little longer. Reevaluate your savings goal and calculate how long it will take you to reach that goal. It may only be a matter of a few additional years.

Don't sell stocks or cash out your retirement fund. Remember, if you withdraw money before you are 59½, you will pay income tax and, in some cases, even penalties. How is your money allocated? You may want to redistribute your wealth so that it is being invested more conservatively. For example, bonds (the G and F funds in TSP) with less money can move to riskier investments such as stocks, (the C, S and I funds in TSP). Before you invest new money, think about your tolerance and risk levels. Always contact a financial advisor to get personalized advice about your unique situation.

Another factor to consider is emergency savings or liquid cash. Financial advisors will typically encourage setting aside a small portion of your income for future money (401K, Roth, IRA's, TSP), however if you do not have enough cash to fall back on, you may

to retirement accounts until you

three to six months of living expenses. Savings or cash liquidity is crucial in times of a crisis or pandemic.

Taking money from a retirement account should be weighed and considered very carefully. or some, it may be the

Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act provides an added level of protection for those eligible individuals impacted by COVID-19. Individuals who meet eligibility requirements for the Retired Minimum Distribution (RDM), hardship withdrawals, and loan borrowing will have penalties waived. Individuals will still have to pay the taxes. For more information, contact the Army Community Service Financial Readiness Office at 706-791-3579

NOTE: Our ACS Financial Counselors are not advisors but are there to provide you with information



RESPITE CARE PROGRAM

The Respite Care Program is a component of the Army Community Service (ACS) Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) that provides a temporary rest period each month for family members responsible for regular care of persons with disabilities. Qualifying families receive twenty five hours each month under the program. All applicants must be registered in EFMP and must be active duty Army or in an active duty status via Title 10 orders/Article 32. For more information, call 706-791-3579.



August 21: EFMP Coffee Talk September 18: EFMP Movie Night



FREE CAR CARE CLASSES

Gordon Auto Skills offers free automotive training classes to active military, retirees, their family members, age 16 and above, and DOD civilians. Classes are not designed to make you an expert, but familiarize you with car repair basics and a foundation to build upon. The next class will be held on September 19th at Gordon Car Care, Building 29300, 30th St. from 10am-3pm. Refreshments will be served and registration is required. Register online at gordon.armymwr.com/free-auto-classes or call 706-791-2390.

The September 19, 2020 class will cover: Inspection, Services and Maintenance Schedule. Inspect and Replace Disc and Drum Brakes.



VEHICLE SALE LOT

Gordon Storage has a vehicle sale lot for military, retirees, their family members and DOD civilians to place their vehicle for sale to the Fort Gordon community. Cost is \$10 per week or \$30 per month. All vehicles must have current insurance and registration. For more information, call 706-791-5241.

Gordon Storage currently has immediate storage space available for personally owned vehicles only. RV, boat, trailer storage and storage units are currently full and are made available based on a waiting list. If you would like to be placed on the waiting list, visit gordon.armymwr.com/ gordon-storage and fill out the storage request form or call 706-791-5241.





MONTHLY BINGO SPECIALS

There's always something exciting and new happening at Bingo Palace. Specials like gift cards and bingo computer giveaways are within your grasp. Don't wait to hear about it, come play and bring a friend with you! While you're here, enjoy good food with the nightly specials at Jackpot Cafe! Visit gordon.armymwr.com/bingo-palace for more information and regular programming schedules.



We have holiday deals and daily specials including Xtreme Cosmic Bowling and Birthday packages. Check out more deals and specials online at gordon.armymwr.com/gordon-lanes.

Pizza Bowl On July 11 from 5-9pm, 2 slices of Domino's Pizza and 2 games of bowling (including shoes) for \$9 per person.

Back to School Deal On August 2nd from 12-6pm, students ages 4-18 receive \$1.50 games per person, \$1.50 shoe rental, \$1 hot dogs and \$1 chips.

Check out our Labor Day special September 7, 2020

Perfect Approach Pro Shop "Where drilling balls is a passion, not a hobby" - Military, seniors, and league members receive 10% off! For hours of operation, call 706-791-3446.

Sing the night away every Friday at 7pm in Heroes Sports Bar inside Gordon Lanes with the best DJ around, DJ David Donae.

WOODWORTH SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Woodworth Library continues to serve the Fort Gordon community. This summer, we will offer Readers Circle, Knitting Circle, STEAM Labs, DoD Summer Reading and so much more via social media and virtual sources. Call the library at 706-791-7323 or connect with us on Facebook for current information.







FortGordonMWRWoodworthLibrary





July 11, 18 & 25: Recreational Shooting July 12: NRA Basics of Pistol Class (reg. by 7/1) August 1, 8, 15 & 22: Recreational Shooting August 16: 3-D Archery Tournament

August 29: Boardman Lake Fishing Derby September 5, 12 & 26: Recreational Shooting September 13: NRA Basics of Pistol Class (reg. by 9/3) September 19: Kids Fishing Derby

FAMILY FUN DAY AT POINTES WEST

Family Fun Day is August 1st from 1-5pm at the Pointes West Army Resort beach. Bid summer farewell before the school year is back in session with a fun-filled day on the water. Enjoy music, games, and giveaways, with food and beverage for purchase!



Aladdin Travel is now selling select Miller Theater Concert Tickets!



SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

Whether it's our smiling staff, superb golf course, large driving range, beautiful pavilion, newly stocked Pro Shop, or delicious lunch offerings - Gordon Lakes Golf Club and Bogey's Grill offer something for everyone! Visit and see for yourself what Gordon Lakes Golf Club has for you! For more information, call 706-791-2433.



September 26: Annual Club Championship

GLGC offers a monthly payment plan for all annual club memberships. Choose between a weekend, weekday or regular membership and pay your annual rate in convenient monthly installments over 12 months.

Looking to improve your golfing skills? Come down and get a tune-up with our PGA Professional, Aaron Stevens. GLGC offers great lesson packages at an affordable rate!

Movie Night at the Outdoor Pool on July 31st is a free event. Doors open at 8:30pm and movie starts at dusk. Movie title is TBD but will always be a PG-13 and below rating. 12 years and under must be accompanied by an adult. No outside food or coolers allowed. Concessions available for purchase. Floats are encouraged.





Do you love to play racquetball?

Nelson Fitness Center has two courts to use at any time the facility is open. We provide the rackets, balls and goggles. Our facilities is clean, quiet and easily accessible off of Chamberlin street. Please call Nelson Fitness Center at 706-791-6872 or stop by and make your reservations today. See you on the courts!



VENUE & DINING

NEW YOGURT ROBOT







Stop by Alternate Escape's Cafe for a refreshing yogurt treat! The NEW Yogurt Robot can mix up a delicious treat with your choice of toppings! It has everything for the granola lover, fun cereal extras, and different types of sprinkles. The Cafe also hosts pool tables, ping pong tables, and a video game area for you to enjoy, while you wait for your favorite foods to be prepared at Domino's Pizza or Alternate Escape Cafe!

SUMMER DRINK SPECIALS

This summer we will be making refreshing Italian Cream sodas at all 3 Cafes! Stop by for a variety of flavors, including grape, strawberry, lemon, lime,



WANT SOME HEALTHY OPTIONS?

We have them! Breakfast, lunch, snacks and fresh fruit smoothies! All of our cafes offer a variety of healthy menu items! Just ask our staff or look for the green apple next to the menu item.

BOOK YOUR EVENT WITH GCC



Book your special event at Gordon's Conference and Catering! We are the premiere venue for catered events for military and civilians alike. Our team works hard to make any event special! Weddings to retirements, meetings to expos - everyone is treated like an honored guest. Our office hours are Tuesday through Friday from 9am until 4pm. You can call 706-791-6780 to schedule an appointment, but walk-ins are always welcome!

FAMILY AND MWR ADMINISTRATION	New Parent Support706-791-3579
Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation (DFMWR)706-791-4140	Relocation Readiness 706-791-4181/1922 Welcome Center/Lending Closet: Darling Hall, Rm. 172
Bldg. 28320, Lane Ave.	Survivor Outreach Services (SOS)706-791-3579/7014
Advertising Sales/Sponsorship 706-791-3912 Bldg. 44401, Rm. 149, 44th St.	AUTOMOTIVE
FYI Editorial	Gordon Car Care Auto Skills Center 706-791-2390 Bldg. 29300, 30th St.
For a complete list of DFMWR key personnel,	RECREATION
visit gordon.armymwr.com/contact-us	Community Garden
CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES	Recreation Office
CHILD CARE	Bldg. 44401, Rm. 170, 44th St.
Child Development Center Main 706-791-2701/6761 Bldg. 45300, 45th St.	RECYCLING
Child Development Center East706-791-8707/8507 Bldg. 290, East Hospital Rd.	Recycling Office706-791-0132 Bldg. 997, 10th St. and Chamberlain Ave.
Child Development Center West706-791-0718	DINING
Bldg. 18407, 19th St.	CATERING SERVICES
Family Child Care 706-791-3993 Bldg. 44401, 44th St.	Gordon's Conference & Catering 706-791-2205 Bldg. 18402, 19th St.
CHILD RECREATION	COFFEE & SMOOTHIES
Youth Sports & Fitness 706-791-1306/4790 Bldg. 45400, 46th St.	Lift-A-Latte
SKIES Unlimited	RESTAURANTS
PARENT SUPPORT	Alternate Escapes Café706-791-0785 at Alternate Escapes Recreation Center, Bldg. 25722, B St.
Parent Outreach Services 706-791-4455/4722 Bldg. 44401, 44th St.	Bogey's Grill706-791-2433 at Gordon Lakes Golf Club, Bldg. 537, Range Rd.
SCHOOL SERVICES	Domino's Pizza
School-Age Services	at Alternate Escapes Recreation Center, Bldg. 25722,B St. Heroes Sports Bar706-791-8716
School Support Services 706-791-4168/7270 Bldg. 44401, 44th St.	at Gordon Lanes Bowling Center, Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave. Huddle House
Youth Services, Middle School & Teen706-791-6500	Bldg. 35304, Avenue of the States Dr.
Teen Center, Bldg. 41503, Brainard Ave.	Jackpot Café706-791-5106 at Bingo Palace, Corner of Lane Ave. & 15th St.
COMMUNITY	Kegler's Café706-771-6907
ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE	at Gordon Lanes Bowling Center, Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.
Army Community Service (ACS)706-791-3579 ACS (Toll-Free)1-877-310-5741	Me Me's & Bo Bo's Express 706-792-9774 at the Bus Station, Bldg. 36200, 3rd Ave.
Bldg. 35200, 271 Heritage Park Lane	MWR Café
Army Emergency Relief (AER)706-791-3579/8685	at Darling Hall, Bldg. 33720, Chamberlain Ave. Towers Café
Army Volunteer Corps (AVC)	at Signal Towers, Bldg. 29808, Chamberlain Ave.
Domestic Violence Hotline	
Employment Readiness Program (ERP)706-791-3579/0368	LEISURE
Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)706-791-3579/1918	ACTIVITIES
Family Advocacy Program (FAP)706-791-3579/6967 Family Outreach Center	Fort Gordon Disc Golf Course706-791-6433 Wainwright Cir.
Bldg. 33512, Rice Dr.	Gordon Lakes Golf Club706-791-2433
Financial Readiness	Bldg. 537, Range Rd.
Information and Referral Services706-791-3579/0794	Gordon Lanes Bowling Center 706-791-3446 Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.
Military OneSource	Hilltop Riding Stable706-791-4864
Mobilization & Deployment Program706-791-3579/3504	Bldg. 509, North Range Rd.

Alternate Escapes Recreation Center706-791-0785	EQUIPMENT
Bldg. 25722, B St.	Outdoor Equipment Rentals706-791-5078
Battleground Gaming706-791-0785 It Alternate Escapes Recreation Center, Bldg. 25722, B St.	at Tactical Advantage Sportsman's Complex, Bldg. 00445, Carter Rd.
Bingo Palace 706-793-0003 Bldg. 15500, Lane Ave. & 15th St.	Sports Equipment Rentals 706-791-7857 Bldg. 24501, 25th St.
Dinner Theatre	STORAGE
Sldg. 32100, 3rd Ave. Special Events706-791-8878 Bldg. 44401, Rm. 170, 44th St.	Gordon Storage
LIBRARY	Pointes West Boat Storage706-541-1057
Voodworth Library706-791-7323	6703 Washington Rd., Appling GA VENUES
3ldg. 33500, Rice Rd.	Gordon's Conference & Catering706-791-6780
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Bldg. 00445, Carter Rd.	Pointes West Conference Center706-541-1057
Pointes West Army Resort706-541-1057 i703 Washington Rd., Appling GA	Bluegill Rd., Appling GA
SERVICE MEMBER SPECIFIC	MISCELLANEOUS Commissary
BOSS Headquarters	Bldg. 37200, 3rd Ave. By-Pass
Varrior Adventure Quest706-831-8328 behind The Courtyard, Bldg. 36708, O' Club Dr.	Dwight David Eisenhower Army Medical Center706-787-5811 300 East Hospital Rd.
ravel	Exchange 706-793-7171 Bldg. 38200, Avenue of the States
Aladdin Travel 706-771-0089 Sldg. 36200, 36th St.	ForcesUnited706-910-1349 Bldg. 35200, 271 Heritage Park Lane, Rm. 227 & 229
Bus Station	Housing Office
Carlson Wagonlit Travel - Official Travel 800-269-6230 Bldg. 33720, Rm. 117, 307 Chamberlain Ave.	ID Card Section/DEERS Office
SPORTS & FITNESS	IHG Army Hotels706-790-3676
AQUATICS	Military Police Station
ndoor Pool 706-791-3034 3ldg. 21608, Barnes Ave.	Bldg. 32422, Rice Rd. NAF Civilian Personnel Office
Outdoor Pool & Spray Park706-791-8053	Post Information
it The Courtyard, Bldg. 36710, Brainard Ave.	Public Affairs Office (PAO)
Cyber Fitness Center	Technical Support Services (TSS)706-791-2887
Gordon Fitness Center706-791-2369	Bldg. 12307, Lane Ave. U-Do-It Shop
Bldg. 29607, Barnes Ave.	Bldg. 40101, 40th St.
Nelson Fitness Center 706-791-6872 8ldg. 21713, 21st St.	Veterinary Services 706-787-7375/3815 Bldg. 500, Range Rd.
/ictory Fitness Center 706-791-2864 8ldg. 25510, Brainard Ave.	Welcome Center at Gate 1706-791-3071
SPORTS	Yellow Cab706-733-3444
WWR Sports 706-791-1142	ADVERTISE WITH US!

FORT GORDON MWR MAP KEY

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- 10 CDC West
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- 22 School Age Center
- 23 CDC Main
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OTHER

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- 20 Marketing Office
- 20 Recreation Office
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LEISURE

- 4 BOSS
- 6 Alternate Escapes
- 13 Woodworth Consolidated Library
- 14 Bingo Palace
- 17 Dinner Theatre
- 18 Gordon Lanes Bowling Center
- 21 Hilltop Riding Stable
- 24 Outdoor Recreation
 - (Range 14)
- 25 Gordon Lakes Golf Club
- 28 Fort Gordon Disc Golf Course
- 34 Sports & Equipment
- 35 Aladdin Travel

DINING

- 6 Alternate Escapes Café
- 7 MWR Café
- 9 Lift-A-Latte
- 11 Gordon's Conference & Catering
- 18 Heroes Sports Bar
- 18 Kegler's Café
- 25 Bogey's Grill
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VENUE/EQUIPMENT RENTAL

- 15 The Courtyard
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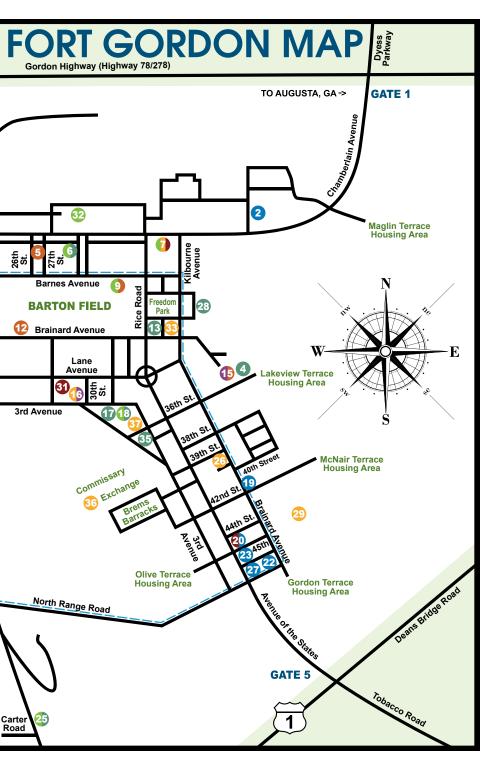
SPORTS & FITNESS

- 3 Nelson Fitness Center
- 5 Cyber Fitness Center
- 8 Indoor Pool
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COMMUNITY

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- 16 Gordon Car Care Auto Skills Center
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- 29 Community Garden
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- 37 ACS (various departments)

















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