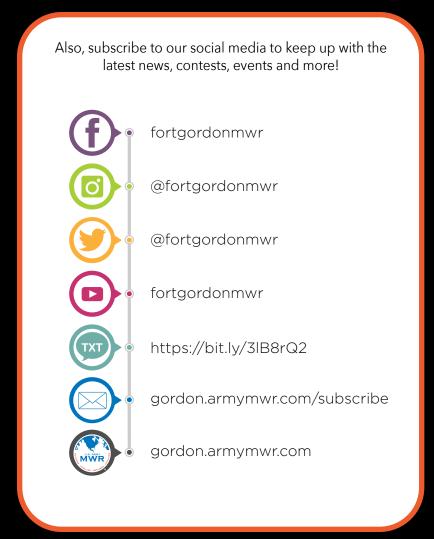




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FROM THE COVER

With the many shenanigans of 2020 behind us, we look ahead to 2021 with a positive perspective: "New Year, New Hope!" The cover photo of CSM Smith is a representation of his look to the future and how we, as a community, will move forward with continuous success, growth, diversity, strength and, most importantly, TOGETHER!



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AROUND TOWN

BLACK HISTORY IN AUGUSTA

In honor of Black History Month, we created a special edition of Around Town. Augusta's African-American community has played a crucial role in shaping the city's history and culture, however, the legacy and landmarks have history that many may not know. Here are four places you can visit in the month of February to expand your knowledge of Augusta's African American history.

SPRINGFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

In the late 1780's, former slaves of the Galphin Plantations formed one of the oldest black congregations in the United States. It is still open and stands today. This is also where the Georgia Republican's Party originated as well as Morehouse College. Call 706-724-1056 before visiting 114 12th Street.





AUGUSTA GOLDEN BLOCKS

Take a walking tour of the historic corridor of business and industry located near Campbell and Gwinnett Streets. The public art displayed references the historical and cultural significance of the area. Visit opentour.emory.edu/georgia-humanities/augusta-sgolden-blocks for more information.

LUCY CRAFT LANEY MUSEUM OF BLACK HISTORY

Visit this museum named after a woman revered as one of Georgia's most influential educators. Due to COVID-19, guided tours are offered by appointment only! Call 706-724-3576 to schedule your tour in advance. For more information, visit *lucycraftlaneymuseum.com*.





JESSYE NORMAN SCHOOL OF ARTS

Jessye Norman, one of the world's most celebrated performing artists, began an after-school program designed to nurture the artistic talents of students. What became of a small dream, is something the whole community now benefits from. Visit *www. jessyenormanschool.org* to find out more about classes and community events offered.



By: Crystal Blackwell Tyson, Editor Photography by Dante Burgos

The Army has a way of connecting two of the most unlikeliest people to make a great command match! Months ago, I met the Garrison Commander, COL Pick, and noted how his personality and demeanor is what is needed for the Fort Gordon Community. And now, I've had the opportunity to meet the right-hand man to the commander, Garrison Command Sergeant Major, Brent J. Smith - a perfect match for the Command Team. His message is simple, "We are Gordon!"

Hailing from Waldo, Arkansas, CSM Smith served 3 years in Arkansas' Army National Guard before going active duty in December 1992. Serving as a Combat Medic until April of 1999, he then decided to reclass as a 25B - Information Technology Specialist. CSM has hit every rung on the leadership ladder, from squad leader to BN CSM, spending much of his time on Fort Gordon in different trainings and duty assignments. Not only is he the Garrison CSM but he is also a student, currently completing his Bachelor of Science degree in Information System Security with a concentration in Cybersecurity Management. His wife Cassandra, also from Arkansas, has been along for the journey from day one, impressing on him a sense of community and family values. CSM and his wife have been married for 29 years and share 3 sons and 3 granddaughters.

"Fort Gordon is a great place. This is a great community."

CSM's southern charm and humor was on display during the interview while we laughed at the friendly photoshoot photographer, competition as Dante Burgos, was jokingly instructed to make CSM's photoshoot better than COL Pick's. Even office employees displayed a sense of respectful humor while completing tasks and receiving orders. The environment was light but busy. As we walked through to the conference room, you could tell there was a shift of seriousness when we began to discuss things that were important to CSM. In that conversation, his message of "We are Gordon" became visibly clear.

CSM spoke of the disruption and changes of everyone's lives with the 2020 COVID pandemic. "Fort Gordon is a great place. This is a great community. The installation and community did a wonderful job adapting to the many changes and trials that came along in 2020. We are about to go into a huge transition in 2021. What I need the entire Fort Gordon Community to know is we must go into this together as a team, with a strong sense of community. Moving forward, together as a community, we will be able to tackle what's to come."

What are some things to come [in the near future]?

Fort Gordon is starting to transform with buildings and gates going up. Waves of new people coming in. Traffic patterns will be changed coming soon. We are modifying some roads and with the new gate, we have to start looking and planning how it will affect both on and off post. We have to be patient with one another, as it will be frustrating. But bring your neighbor forward. If we all work together, it will become less irritating. We can't go back to the way things were, but [we can] prepare for a "new norm".

What would you say is your job as Garrison CSM?

I would say being Garrison CSM is a little bit of everything. It involves the community. I say community because you have your units, operations of TRADOC, management, assisting COL Pick with balancing priorities across the board - providing him feedback - being his eyes and ears of what I observe. And then, as I've said before, making sure to build on the relationship of Fort Gordon and our outside partners: civic leaders, the towns of Augusta, Grovetown, Hepzibah, Harlem and Evans. Even Aiken, so a lot of the CSRA. I can't stress community enough.

If you could create a theme while in the position, what would it be?

I think coming in, [after] being here for a little while, I want people to have a sense of representing what Fort Gordon is and will be. "We are Gordon!" That's the motto I want to move forward with. We - not I. Working together to uphold the standard and abide by guidelines.



WE ARE GORDON!



You've been married your entire military career. You have 3 boys and now 3 granddaughters. Do your granddaughters get CSM or is it just Papa?

Dh, my babies get the nice easy-going side of Papa. I think I've only taken one or two pictures with my granddaughters in uniform. By time they are teenagers, I'll be retired and they will know that I was in [the Army]. But when I am with my family, it is complete downtime. I step away and give them their time.

Seems like family is very important to you.

Family is very important. I would not be here today, if it weren't for my family. Sometime you can have conversation with your family that you can't have with your battle buddies. There's times when you get up in the morning and just feel like you can't do it today. Waking up to your spouse, getting those hugs and kisses from your loved ones, that makes all the difference in the world and how you go about your day. That's why I stress the importance of the community and DFMWR. Not only is it my job to take care of soldiers. But I need the families taken care of to sist in taking care of the soldier.

What's been your favorite role in the many duty stations you've had?

(Thinking for a while) I wouldn't say favorite. I would say I really hit my growth point in the last 2 years as SSG. Things started to click with me when my mentors start challenging me about knowing how to take care of myself while taking care of soldiers. Pulling me out of my comfort zones, there was a growth in that. Encouraging me to mentor and guide, while holding me accountable. Giving me corrections and push when I needed. They invested in me. I start to pay it forward with my soldiers and others [soldiers], helping to shape them. It was very impactful for me.

There is much more to this interview. The sum being "Be a good steward of the Army, of the military really because we have joint services here. We have to make sure we support the MPs, emergency servants, and DDEAMC. Just the entire community. If we all take on the motto, 'We are Gordon' I think we will go far!"

For the entire article, visit gordon.armymwr.com/new-year-new-hope

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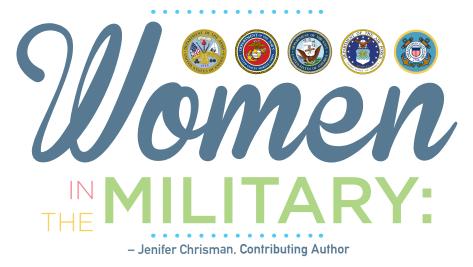


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Women's Month is now celebrated throughout the entire month of March. The impact of women throughout history has always been of importance. Although their roles were not always readily apparent, women have a long history serving within the military, dating all the way back to the founding of the United States. From the American Revolution through the early 2000s, many women served as nurses, water bearers, cooks, laundresses, saboteurs and various other support staff. Other women went so far as to disguise themselves as men, serving as soldiers. They have served as spies, joined the Special Forces and everything in between.

This timeline is by no means a complete list. This three-part article was originally published in 2017. 2018-2020 also has significant contributions. Numerous books, including <u>Women in Combat: A Reference Handbook</u> and <u>An Encyclopedia of American Women at War: From the Home Front to the Battlefields</u>, enumerate the accomplishments of women throughout the services. They have served with distinction, from our countries founding, and will continue to do so on into our future.

To view the entirety of the original timeline, vist:

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1775-1783 (American Revolution)

(1782-1783) Deborah Sampson, disguised as a man, served in Washington's Army for over a year. Her gender was discovered after being wounded. She was honorably discharged and, later, received a military pension.



1898 (Spanish-American War)

With the Army Medical Department overwhelmed with cases, Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, first female to be appointed Acting Assistant Surgeon General, suggested appointing qualified nurses from Daughters of the American Revolution. Later, she was asked to write legislation to create a permanent nurse corps after their impressive performance.

1965-1975 (Vietnam War)

(July 16, 1971) Jeanne M. Holm (Women in the Air Force, Director) was the first woman in the Air Force promoted to Brigadier General. In March of 1973, she was appointed director of the Secretary of the Air Force Personnel Council and was the first woman in the military to be promoted to Major General on June 1, 1973.

1990-1991 (Gulf War)

Approximately 40,000 women (Army and Air Force) are among forces deployed. (1991) After an overwhelming vote, Congress overturns the legislation banning women



from flying in combat missions.

2015

A directive authorized 4,100 special operations positions, which were previously "men only." be opened to women serving in the Army, National Guard and Army Reserve. In the same year, Secretary of the Army John M. McHugh, opens 16 engineering MOSs, along with an additional 20,563 additional positions for women.

1866

Mary Walker received the nation's highest military honor, the Medal of Honor. To this day, she remains the only woman to ever receive this medal, which was rescinded in 1917 (two years before her death) and restored in 1977 by President Jimmy Carter.

1941-1945 (World War II)

Over 60,000 Army nurses served overseas and in the U.S. (1942) Women Accepted for Volunteer Emergency Service (WAVES) began recruiting for the Navy Women's Reserve. More than 80,000 women served in WAVES before the end of the war, serving shore billets from intelligence to administration.



. 1978

(October 20) The Women's Army Corps (WAC) is disestablished, integrating its service members into the regular Army.

1993

Pilot positions are opened to women in the Marine Corps. Patricia Fornes becomes the Air Force's first woman assigned to command an Intercontinental Ballistic Missile (ICMB) unit and Sheila Widnall becomes the first woman Secretary of the Air Force, as well as being the first woman to lead a branch of the military.

2017



Megan A. Brogden becomes the first woman to take command of Special Forces Group Battalion (3rd Special Forces Group).

WOMEN IN THE MILITARY: A TIMELINE



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TAX DEFERRAL

OCTAL SECURITY

ARE YOU PREPARED?

By Melissa Smith, Contributing Author

If you did not notice the extra money on your LES late last year, you would probably notice the additional amount deducted from your pay this year. Due to a Presidential Memorandum signed on 8 August 2020, Social Security taxes (6.2%) for DOD Civilians and Military personnel were deferred from 12 September 2020 through 31 December 2020. The keyword being DEFERRED, not forgiven. Effective January 1, 2021, those funds (6.2%) will be paid back and will show as a deduction on your LES or pay voucher. However, keep in mind that the regular FICA SOC tax (6.2%) will resume and be deducted from your paycheck. Yes, this means that you will have the Social Security tax shown as (FICA SOC) on your LES taken twice from your pay.

The repayment schedule starts January 2021 and runs through April 30, 2021. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will charge fees and penalties for money that is not paid back.

If you are looking for ways to make up any budget shortfalls, for the time being, consider cutting back on subscription services, adjusting your variable expenses (those that are controllable), you may want to pick up a part-time job or even defer retirement savings.

Before you make any changes, please review your spending plan to see how those changes will impact your budget. If you need assistance or have specific questions about your spending plan, please contact Army Community Service, Financial Readiness Office at 706-791-3579.



2020 St////S

JANUARY



Misty Reynolds

"Always treat others as you would like to be treated and always be kind because you never know what battles people are fighting. Smiling can make people feel happier - if you see someone without a smile give them one of yours."

FEBRUARY



Karen Shields

"Share knowledge. Impart wisdom. Make time to listen. Don't stress. Stay positive. Grow yourself."

MARCH



Chandler Anderson

"Do your best to get along with your coworkers. The people you work with are people that see you almost as much as your family and I can't stress enough how much easier it is to get through a tough day with friendly faces by your side."



"Don't put off till tomorrow what you can do today! And perseverance will accomplish all things."

МΑΥ



Haider Aljubouri

"If you can't award someone for their good deeds, at least make sure to thank them."



"Take care of your team and train them well. If you do this, everything else will fall into place."

MWR Star is an initiative to recognize exemplary employees in MWR - people who go above and beyond to assist MWR customers and their co-workers. One individual is chosen monthly to be featured as star, spotlighting details about themselves and their position within MWR.

If you spot an employee doing something extraordinary, please contact Jasmine Franklin at jasmine.c.franklin3.naf@mail.mil. State who, where, when and what the extraordinary act was. Keep an eye out on our website and social media to see if your nominated person was selected for the month!



Natalie Sherrod

"There is no liberty without equality for all."

AUGUST



Kerstin Basham

"Stop taking yourself so seriously – and try your best to be a kind person."

SEPTEMBER



Katrina Chapman

"God has guided your footsteps this far, and he doesn't plan on failing you anytime soon. Continue to walk straight, love yourself, and understand that everyone teaches you something in life whether you like it or not."



"Hard work beats talent any day."

NOVEMBER



"Enjoy your life, live every moment like it's your last."

DECEMBER



"Believe in yourself and never allow someone else to get you out of character!"



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Parents of children actively enrolled in Child and Youth Services programs can participate and earn points to help reduce their bill. PAB discusses problems and concerns and provides recommendations for improving Child Development Programs (CDPs). PAB is composed of parents of children enrolled in installation CDP facilities to include active duty, retirees, and spouses. For more information, please see your program manager.



January 14: FCC Interest Meetings February 18: FCC Interest Meetings March 18: FCC Interest Meetings



Making appointments with CYS to register/reregister will help reduce your wait time. Appointments can be made to accommodate those who need time outside of normal duty hours (must give 48 hour notice for any appointments not within the normal duty hours), Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm, excluding federal and training holidays. For more information, call 706-791-4455.





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SOS SAVE THE DATE

Our quarterly Virtual Support Group meeting is January 29th at 1pm, hosted on Microsoft Teams. Registration is required. Call 706-791-3579/7014 to register or for more information.



Survivor Outreach Services (SOS) continues to accept applications for the Gold Star Installation Access Cards. Our goal is to help ease the process of gaining entrance to Army installations for our survivors. For more information, contact Mr. Haider Aljubouri, SOS Coordinator for Fort Gordon, GA at 706-791-3579/7014, or *haider.t.aljubouri2.civ@mail.mil.*

AER DEPENDENT CHILD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLY NOW! The application window for the AER Dependent Child Scholarship Program is open from January 1st to April 1st for the Fall Semester 2021.

Eligibility Requirements:

- DEERS registered dependent children of active duty or retired soldiers, or soldiers who died on active duty or while retired, or national guard and reserve soldiers on Title 10 orders for the full academic year.
- The applicant must not be a member of any military branch or enrolled at a military academy.
- Children must be enrolled full-time for the entire academic year and under the age of 24.
- Students are eligible for a scholarship for four years of full-time enrollment but must reapply each year.
- Students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

Go to *www.armyemergencyrelief.org/scholarships* to learn more about the scholarships and application timelines. For more information, please contact the Army Community Service, Army Emergency Relief Office at 706-791-3579.





Relocation Readiness is currently working remotely. The Computer Lab and Lending Closet are closed until further notice. For Inprocessing and the Virtual Newcomers Brief, email sharell.a.byrd.civ@mail.mil. For outprocessing with MWR, call 706-791-1922. For outprocessing with ACS and AER, call 706-791-3579.



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Take your financial literacy to a new level without leaving home. Until further notice, ACS Financial Readiness will host online classes through MS Teams. Classes include subjects of budgeting, building wealth, getting out of debt and much more. You must register for each class no later than 2 days prior to the class. Call 706-791-3579, for more information or to register.

FINANCIAL LITERACY CLASSES:



January 14: The Debt Snowball January 21: Tax Deferral for Social Security February 11: Money Management 101 - How to Budget, Build Savings & Grown Wealth February 18: Service Member for Life: How to Plan & Manage Your Finances after the Military March 11: PCS Like a Pro - How to Make Your Military Move a Financial Success March 18: Don't Put your Finances on TDY: How to Successfully Manage Your Financial Life While on Deployment and Temporary Duty

SFRG TRAINING

Army Community Service offers virtual trainings for Soldier and Family Readiness Groups (SFRGs). Training will be hosted on the Microsoft Teams platform. Each class is offered in a 2-hour block of instruction from 9-11am.

Please call: 706-791-3579 to register for training and receive the link to the Microsoft Teams channel.



January 25: Command Family Readiness Representative Training (Formerly FRL) January 26: Command Team SFRG Training January 27: Informal Fund Custodian Training

CARE Team Training is offered quarterly or coordinated upon request from unit.



SPRING FEST IS BACK!

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SUPER BOWL PARTY

Come join us at Alternate Escapes Recreation Center for the biggest game of the year on February 7th! Wear your favorite football attire and enjoy some Domino's pizza, wings and tenders – as well as a variety of smoothies! We will have trivia throughout the night with prizes as well as a Madden Football Tournament starting at 2pm.

HOST YOUR GAMING PARTY

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January 13 & 27: BOSS Meeting February 5: WAQ Trip - Atlanta Motorsports February 7: Super Bowl Party February 10 & 24: BOSS Meeting March 10 & 24: BOSS Meeting March 12: Spring Kickball Tournament March 19: 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament

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FUN DEALS

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January 17th - Pizza Bowl from 5-9pm. Enjoy 2 slices of pizza, 2 games of bowling with shoe rental for \$10 per person.

January 18th - Celebrate MLK's 92nd birthday with \$0.92 games (maximum 3 games per person).

February 7th - Super Bowl Fever: Bring your family/friends bowling and show your team spirit by wearing your team jersey or colors to get a free shoe rental (with the purchase of 2 games per person).

February 14th - Love is in the air - It Takes 2! Have a bowltastic night out with a large cheese pizza and 2 games of bowling (including shoe rental), per couple for only \$23.

February 15th - Bowl 10am-5pm for only \$1.50 to celebrate 136 years of Presidents' Day!

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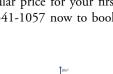
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TOURNAMENTS:



January 31: Bass Fishing Tournament February 21: Bass Fishing Tournament March 13: 3D Archery Tournament March 14: Bass Fishing Tournament March 28: Crappie Fishing Tournament

CLASSES:

January 23: Introduction to Archery Class (reg. by 1/15)
January 24: NRA Basic of Pistol Class (reg. by 1/15)
February 7: NRA Basics of Rifle Class (reg. by 1/29)
February 21: NRA Basic of Pistol Class (reg. by 2/12)
March 14: Concealed Carry Firearms Class (reg. by 3/5)

HUNTS:

February 28: Pheasant Hunt Reverse Continental Style (*reg. by 2/14*) **March 7:** Pheasant Hunt Walk-up Style (*reg. by 3/7*)

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January 21: Fort Gordon Sportsman's Club Meeting February 18: Fort Gordon Sportsman's Club Meeting March 18: Fort Gordon Sportsman's Club Meeting

The Tactical Advantage Sportsman's Complex (TASC) will be closed January 2nd ,19th and February 16th for the holidays. January 7th -9th recreational shooting will not be available.

FORT GORDON SPORTSMAN'S CLUB

Become a member of the Fort Gordon Sportsman's Club. Meetings are held every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6pm at the Tactical Advantage Sportsman's Complex. To find out more, call 706-791-5078.



VIRTUAL STORY & CRAFTS

Virtual Story & Crafts every Wednesday on Facebook. The 2021 theme is "The Body". Craft kits available weekly for pickup by an active duty adult (while supplies last).

Monthly STEAM Labs still available for pickup (while supplies last). For more information, visit the library's Facebook page or call 706-791-READ (7323).



January 6, 13, 20, & 27: Virtual Story Time February 3, 10, 17, & 24: Virtual Story Time March 3,10,17, 24, & 31: Virtual Story Time





SPORTS FIELD & EQUIPMENT RENTAL

Need information on sports fields and equipment rental? Call Neil Smith at 706-791-1142.





January 21: Unit Level Soccer Coaches Meeting

January 28: Unit Level Volleyball Coaches Meeting

February 18: BN Level Basketball Coaches Meeting

March 18-21: Gladiator Games March 31: Special Olympics



WARRIOR A D V E N T U R E



DETAILS Warrior Adventure Quest (WAQ) is a free Army RESET training tool designed to introduce service members to activities that serve as alternatives to aberrant behavoirs. It combines MWR Outdoor Recreation high adventure activities with a leader-led after action debriefing (L-LAAD) tool.

LOCAL ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE

Paintball x Source Code & Mastermind Escape Rooms x Air Strike x Stars & Strikes x Ropes Courses at the Lake x Archery Tag x Indoor & Outdoor Team Building Games x Indoor Rock Climbing

FULL DAY ACTIVITY TRIP Historic Banning Mills Zip Line in Whitesburg, GA Capers Island In Charleston, SC IFLY in Charlotte, NC Atlanta Motorsports Park, GA Skydive Carolina, SC Victory Lane Indoor Go Karting in Charlotte, NC

Escapology Escape Rooms in Columbia, SC



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LUNCH IS BACK AT GC&C

Check out the food truck on select days at Gordon's Conference and Catering for a delicious and affordable alternative to the Tupperware sitting in your office! Keep an eye on our social media pages for updated menus, dates and special location visits!



GC&C stands for Gordon's Conference and Catering – and also Grab the Car and Come! More than just special events and catering, GC&C now offers unique, affordable and delicious take-and-bake & heat-and-serve meal packages. Monthly menus and information will be shared on social media or visit our website to be added to our VIP subscriber list to hear it first!

All this social distancing making you miss family? Are you planning your family reunion for the summer? Call GC&C and we'll bring the food! We know times are challenging, but planning an event shouldn't be - call 706-791-6780 and schedule your Summer 2021 reunion today.

"Thank you to the GC&C team for an incredible event. It was safe, clean and everyone was very friendly - even at 6 feet away!"

- Guest from Fall 2020 event



HEALTHY ALTERNATIVE

Break into the new year with a healthy alternative to fast food! We offer a salad of the week at MWR Café! Stop by for this week's Chef Special! MWR Café now offers a snack pack including 2 hard boiled eggs, cheese stick, crackers, yogurt, breakfast bar and a bottle of water! We offer fresh fruit smoothies at all café locations year round!

MYSTERY VALENTINE

Spend \$15 on any single purchase from February 1st through 11th, you will receive a sealed envelope with a mystery valentine inside. Bring back your envelope on February 12th to reveal your prize! Prizes include free drinks, smoothies, candy, a rose and one grand prize of free lunch for you and your Valentine. All promotions must be used on February 12th.



ALTERNATE ESCAPES CAFÉ Grill, snacks, smoothies & coffee

706-791-0785 at Alternate Escapes Recreation Center, Bldg. 25722, B St.



HEROES SPORTS BAR Great atmosphere. Friendly staff. Your favorite beverages 706-791-3446

at Gordon Lanes Bowling Center, Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.



BOGEY'S GRILL Sandwiches, grill & snacks 706-791-2433 (ext. 4) at Gordon Lakes Golf Club, Bldg. 537, Range Rd.



HUDDLE HOUSE

Any meal. Any time. Breakfast, lunch & dinner 706-798-3722 35304 Avenue of the States Dr.



DOMINO'S Pizza, pasta, breadsticks & more

> 706-863-6211 at Alternate Escapes Recreation Center, Bldg. 25722, B St.



JACKPOT CAFÉ

Burgers, Philly cheese steak, liver, gizzards & more 706-793-0003 at Bingo Palace, Bldg. 15500, Lane Ave. & 15th St.



KEGLER'S CAFÉ

Grill, salads, sandwiches & burgers 706-771-6907 at Gordon Lanes Bowling Center, Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.



MEME'S & BOBO'S EXPRESS Chinese food/buffet 706-792-9774 at the Bus Station, Bldg. 36000, 3rd Ave.



LIFT-A-LATTE Protein shakes & smoothies 706-706-2647 at Gordon Fitness Center, Bldg. 29607, Barnes Ave.



MWR CAFÉ Grill, snacks, smoothies & coffee 706-791-1330 at Darling Hall, Bldg. 33720, 307 Chamberlain Ave.

FAMILY AND MWR ADMINISTRATION

Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfar	re and
Recreation (DFMWR)	706-791-4140
Bldg. 28320, Lane Ave.	
Advertising Sales/Sponsorship Bldg. 44401, Rm. 149, 44th St.	706-791-3912
FYI Editorial Bldg. 44401, Rm. 149, 44th St.	706-791-6779
For a complete list of DFMWR key personnel,	

visit gordon.armymwr.com/contact-us

CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES

CHILD CARE

Child Development Center Main	706-791-2701/6761
Bldg. 45300, 45th St.	
Child Development Conton Foot	706 701 0707 /0507

Child Development Center	East
Bldg. 290, East Hospital Rd.	

Child Development Center West......706-791-0718 Bldg. 18407, 19th St.

CHILD RECREATION

Youth Sports & Fitness	706-791-1306/4790
Bldg. 45400, 46th St.	
SKIES Unlimited	706-791-1306/4790

Bldg. 45400, 46th St.

PARENT SUPPORT

Parent Outreach Services	
Bldg. 44401, 44th St.	

SCHOOL SERVICES

COMMUNITY

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

Army Community Service (ACS) ACS (Toll-Free) Bldg. 35200, 271 Heritage Park Lane	
Army Emergency Relief (AER)	706-791-3579/8685
Army Volunteer Corps (AVC)	706-791-3579/3880
Domestic Violence Hotline	706-791-STOP (7867)
Employment Readiness Program (ERP)	706-791-3579/0368
Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)	706-791-3579/1918
Family Advocacy Program (FAP)	706-791-3579/6967
Family Outreach Center Bldg. 33512, Rice Dr.	
Financial Readiness	706-791-3579/0844
Information and Referral Services	706-791-3579/0794
Military OneSource	1-800-342-9647
Mobilization & Deployment Program	706-791-3579/3504

Relocation Readiness
Survivor Outreach Services (SOS)
AUTOMOTIVE
Gordon Car Care Auto Skills Center706-791-2390 Bldg. 29300, 30th St.
RECREATION
Community Garden
Recreation Office
RECYCLING
Recycling Office
DINING
CATERING SERVICES
Gordon's Conference & Catering706-791-2205 Bldg. 18402, 19th St.
COFFEE & SMOOTHIES
Lift-A-Latte
RESTAURANTS
Alternate Escapes Café
Bogey's Grill
Domino's Pizza
Heroes Sports Bar
Huddle House
Jackpot Café
Kegler's Café706-771-6907 at Gordon Lanes Bowling Center, Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.
Me Me's & Bo Bo's Express
MWR Café

LEISURE

ACTIVITIES

Fort Gordon Disc Golf Course Wainwright Cir.	
Gordon Lakes Golf Club Bldg. 537, Range Rd.	
Gordon Lanes Bowling Center Bldg. 33200, 3rd Ave.	
Hilltop Riding Stable Bldg. 509, North Range Rd.	706-791-4864/706-833-2732

ENTERTAINMENT

Alternate Escapes Recreation Center706-791-0785 Bldg. 25722, B St.
Battleground Gaming
Bingo Palace
Dinner Theatre
Special Events
LIBRARY
Woodworth Library
OUTDOOR
Leitner Lake Recreation Complex
Outdoor Recreation
Bldg. 00445, Carter Rd.
Pointes West Army Resort
SERVICE MEMBER SPECIFIC
BOSS Headquarters

behind The Courtyard, Bldg. 36708, O' Club Dr.

TRAVEL

Aladdin Travel	
Bldg. 36200, 36th St.	
Bus Station	
Bldg. 36200, 36th St.	

Bldg. 33720, Rm. 117, 307 Chamberlain Ave.

SPORTS & FITNESS

AQUATICS

Indoor Pool	
Outdoor Pool & Spray Park706-791-8053 at The Courtyard, Bldg. 36710, Brainard Ave.	
FITNESS CENTERS	
Cyber Fitness Center706-791-7370 Bldg. 25713, 26th St.	
Gordon Fitness Center	
Nelson Fitness Center706-791-6872 Bldg. 21713, 21st St.	
Victory Fitness Center	
SPORTS	

MWR Sports	706-791-1142
Bldg. 24501, 25th St.	

VENUE/EQUIPMENT RENTAL

EQUIPMENT

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MISCELLANEOUS

Commission 706 701 2710
Commissary
Dwight David Eisenhower Army Medical Center706-787-5811 300 East Hospital Rd.
Exchange
ForcesUnited
Housing Office
ID Card Section/DEERS Office
IHG Army Hotels
Military Police Station
NAF Civilian Personnel Office
Post Information
Public Affairs Office (PAO)706-791-2003 Darling Hall, Bldg. 33720, Rm. 382, 307 Chamberlain Ave.
Technical Support Services (TSS)
U-Do-It Shop
Veterinary Services
Welcome Center at Gate 1
Yellow Cab706-733-3444

ADVERTISE WITH US! 706-791-8692

FORT GORDON MWR MAP KEY

CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES

- 2 CDC East
- 10 CDC West
- 19 Teen Center
- 20 Parent Outreach Services
- 22 School Age Center
- 23 CDC Main
- 27 Youth Sports & Fitness

OTHER

- 7 Darling Hall
- 20 Marketing Office
- 20 Recreation Office
- 30 Duplex
- 31 DFMWR Office

LEISURE

- 4 BOSS
- 6 Alternate Escapes
- 13 Woodworth 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
- 28 Fort Gordon Disc Gon Cour
- 33 Sports & Equipment
- 34 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

VENUE/EQUIPMENT RENTAL

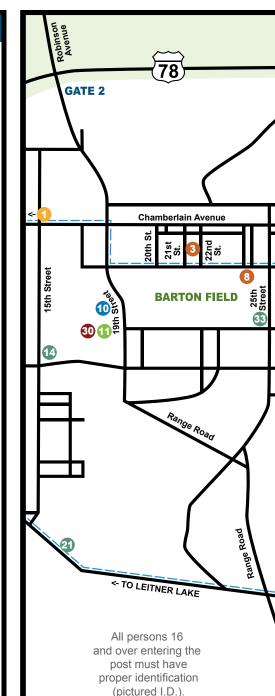
- 15 The Courtyard
- 16 Gordon Storage

SPORTS & FITNESS

- 3 Nelson Fitness Center
- 5 Cyber Fitness Center
- 8 Indoor Pool
- 9 Gordon Fitness Center
- 12 Victory Fitness Center
- 15 Outdoor Pool & Spray Park

COMMUNITY

- 1 Recycling
- 7 ACS Relocation Readiness Services
- 16 Gordon Car Care Auto Skills Center
- 26 Dog Park
- 29 Community Garden
- 32 Family Outreach Center
- 35 ACS Annex
- 36 ACS (various departments)



— Bike Path

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FORT GORDON BARTON FIELD

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FREE ADMISSION

CARNIVAL MIDWAY THURSDAY-SUNDAY WITH FOOD & GAMES

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT SATURDAY

VENDOR VILLAGE FRIDAY & SATURDAY

SPRING FLEA MARKET SATURDAY

PONY RIDES & FAMILY FUN SATURDAY

> NO PETS or COOLERS 706-791-8878 Gordon.ArmyMWR.com #MWRSPRING21



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