

Senior Leader Update

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Opening Comments





Purpose

To publicize information on community services and programs provided by a broad range of installation support agencies. Increase awareness on upcoming and key installation events and initiatives to support Readiness of Soldiers, Families and Installation. Achieve the Senior Commander's intent with regards to strategic communications and information flow.

*A well informed community supports Soldier Readiness!





SLU DATES

21 SEP 2021, 1100-1200

19 OCT 2021, 1100-1200

16 NOV 2021, 1100-1200

The battle rhythm of the Senior Leader Update is the 3rd Tuesday of each month.





Did you know?







Desert Strike Lanes is the largest bowling center in the Army with 52 lanes.





Over 900K vehicles pass through the various Access Control Points (ACP) across Fort Bliss each month.





Agency Updates



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ACS



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Survivor Outreach Services

Gold Star Mothers and Families Day

<u>Purpose</u>: To honor our Gold Star Mothers and Families.

<u>Proponent:</u> DFMWR/Army Community Service-Survivor Outreach Services (SOS).

Who: Gold Star Mothers and Families in the Fort Bliss Area of Responsibility.

What: Families will be invited to a brunch in honor of the day.

When: 25 1000-1200 September 21.

Where: Bldg. 241 Sheridan Rd.

Additional Information. The day is honoring families of those who have received the Gold Starthe military award no one wants. This award commemorates the death of a military member who has perished while in the line of duty and hopes to provide a level of comfort to the family.

<u>Uniform:</u> ASUs / Duty / Business Professional.

POC(s): Ruth Nero <u>ruth.nero.civ@mail.mil</u> and Rachel Garcia <u>raquel.i.garcia.civ@mail.mil</u> at 915-568-5970







Army Community Service

2021 Combined Federal Campaign (CFC)

- ✓ Purpose: To ensure every federal employees and retirees are 100% informed on CFC charity and support with either a monetary donation or volunteer time
- ✓ Fort Bliss 2021 Combined Federal Campaign:
 21 September 2021 15 January 2022
 Fort Bliss goal is \$100,000.00 with 100% informed
- ✓ Campaign Kick Off: The Campaign Kick-off will be 21 September 2021 ACS
 Ballroom at 1000 and Facebook https://m.facebook.com/FortBLissFRP/ (Reference to OPORD 21209)
- ✓ Donations Accepted through: CFC donation slip and Online
- ✓On-Line donation through: https://desertsouthwestcfc.givecfc.org/
- ✓ For any questions: Mr. Richard Fairley Richard.c.fairley.civ@mail.mil or Call 915-568-8841







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School Liaison Office (SLO)



School Liaison Office (SLO) Bldg. 505 Pershing Road 915-569-5064

For questions email us at:

<u>usarmy.bliss.imcom-fmwrc.mbx.school-</u> liaison-office@mail.mil

Visit us at:

https://bliss.armymwr.com/programs/schoolsupport-services

COVID Protocol for area School Districts

- A/B schedule in secondary campuses to reduce student movement (SISD)
- PPE available throughout the school year
- Isolation room available at campuses (SISD)
- Contact tracing and notification will continue
- Quarantine requirements vary with vaccination status
- Teachers provide assignment packets for students absent due to COVID
- COVID absences will be excused with supporting documents
- Campus COVID-19 Response Teams
- School systems are not mandated to notify teachers, staff, and families of all students in a school if a lab-confirmed COVID-19 case has been identified



MWR



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Family and MWR Events

August

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
					BOSS Bash	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
					Commander's Cup 10K	
29	30	31				





Family and MWR Events

September

			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Labor Day				Welcome Back Fiesta Right Arm Night	Doggy Swim Day
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
					Oktoberfest	Oktoberfest
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Oktoberfest Family Day						Wine & Chile Fest
26	27	28	29	30		
Wine & Chile Fest						





Family and MWR

Events

Date	Time	Event	Location	Comments
FRI 20 AUG	1000	BOSS BASH	Biggs Park	Free
FRI 27 AUG	0630	Commanders Cup 10k	Rifleman Tank Trail	
WED 8 SEP	1300	Partners in Education Kick Off	Centennial	
FRI 10 SEP	1600	Fiesta Right Arm Night	Pershing Pub	Free
TUE-THUR 14-16 SEP	TBD	Commanders Cup Swim Meet	Aquatic Training Center	
SAT 11 SEP	1000	Doggy Swim Day	Community Pool	\$2
FR-SAT 17-18 SEP	1800	<u>Oktoberfest</u>	Biggs Park	\$25
SUN 19 SEP	1200	Oktoberfest Family Day	Biggs Park	Free
SAT 25 SEP	TBD	Wine and Chile Fest	Old Fort Bliss	TBD

www.bliss.armymwr.com





Community Events

El Paso

Date	Time	Event	Location	Comment
THURSDAYS	1800	Cool Canyon Nights-Concerts	McKelligon Canyon	Free
SAT 21 AUG	2000	Chinatown Ghost Tour	Mac's Downtown	\$20
SAT 24 AUG	1800	Mega Death and Lamb of God	Don Haskins	\$22.75/up
FRI 27 AUG	2030	Mutate: Planeta Retro Tour	Plaza Theater	\$35/up
SAT 28 AUG	0700	Sun City Splash and Dash	Ascarate Pool	\$25
SAT 28 AUG	2000	Mijares	Plaza Theater	\$40/up
SAT 28 AUG	2000	Haunted Brothel Tour	Wigwam Museum	\$20
SUN 29 AUG	0700	Eagle in the Sun Triathlon	Ascarate Pool	Varies
THU 9 SEP	0800	Caifanes	Plaza Theater	\$72/up
FRI-SUN 10-12 SEP	1000	El Paso Comic Con	Convention Center	\$35/up
SAT-SUN 18-19 SEP	TBD	Sun City Craft Beer Fest	Convention Center	\$30/up

www.visitelpaso.com





Doggy Swim



The final day of swimming at Community Pool goes to the dogs!

- Saturday, Sept 11th
- 11am-2pm
- \$2 per well-behaved dog, humans are free (ages 6+ only allowed at this event)
- Vax records (for dogs (a))
 required
- Patrons 18+ are the only ones allowed in the pool with the dogs.





Oktoberfest



Oktoberfest 2021

- Friday and Saturday Sept. 17-18, 6pm-Midnight, 18+ only
- Biggs Park
- Tickets \$25 (1500 tickets available each night)-on sale NOW @ LTS Freedom Crossing
- Ticket price includes a commemorative stein
- Entertainment by New Braunfel's Terry Cavanagh and the Alpine Express
- Shuttle available for West Bliss housing area and East/Far East Barracks locations each night

Oktoberfest Family Day

Inflatables, food trucks, entertainment by Terry Cavanagh and the Alpine Express Sunday, Sept. 19, 12-5pm

Open to all ages, no tickets needed





Haunted House Volunteers



- Do you LOVE to scare people?
- Is your unit in need of some extra unit funds\$?
- We need 15-20 Soldiers per night (Friday-Saturday nights through Sunday-Halloween).
- Hours of duty are approx. 1700-2230, 1700-0000 (Halloween Night)
- Unit funds of \$3,000 will be paid for the month.
- Costumes/makeup are provided unless person wants to use their own.

Located on West Fort Bliss at 2457 Carrington Road (Across from the DENTAC bldg.)





WBAMC



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WBAMC Updates August 2021

New WBAMC - NOW OPEN

Address: 18511 Highlander Medics Street, Fort Bliss, TX 79918

Access Control Points:

1. North Gate: From 601 Spur through Constitution Ave: Open 24 hours, 7 days a week.

2. South Gate: From Loop 375 through Iron Medics Exit: Open Monday – Friday: 0500 – 2100

• Visitor & Patient Parking: All parking lots except Parking Lot H (refer to following slide for map)

 Clinics: <u>All clinics</u> are fully operational at the new facility. Please contact your clinic for details on location and hours.

- For more information and Clinic Phone Numbers, please visit the WBAMC Tricare Website at
- https://william-beaumont.tricare.mil/About-Us/Fort-Bliss-Replacement-Hospital

What Remains at Legacy Campus:

- Army Fisher House: Transportation for guests to New WBAMC is available if needed
 - Army Fisher House Manager Ms. Alice Coleman 915-740-8881
- El Paso VA: For any issues or concerns, please contact our WBAMC VA Liaison
 - WBAMC VA Liaison
 Ms. Tyra Tonia
 915-569-3250 (Cell: 915-892-2788)





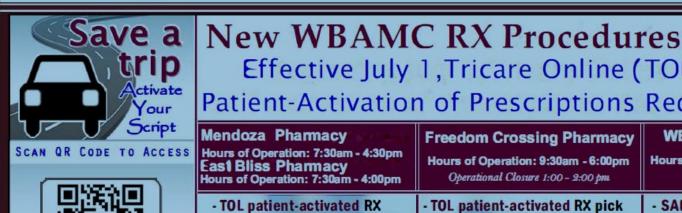
Updated Pharmacy Procedures



William Beaumont Army Medical Center 📑

Effective July 1, Tricare Online (TOL)





Patient-Activation of Prescriptions Required Mendoza Pharmacy

Hours of Operation: 7:30am - 4:30pm East Bliss Pharmacy Hours of Operation: 7:30am - 4:00pm

- TOL patient-activated RX pick up service
- No drop-off or in person activation
- Same Day Acute Care *via provider activation only
- Staff Rx request *via in person activation only

Freedom Crossing Pharmacy

Hours of Operation: 9:30am - 6:00pm Operational Closure 1:00 - 2:00 pm

- TOL patient-activated RX pick up service
- Network RX Drop-off available *hard copy only
- Same Day Acute Care *via provider activation only

WBAMC Main Pharmacy

Hours of Operation: 7:30am - 4:00pm

- SAME SERVICES
- ER discharge
- Same Day Acute Care *via provider activation only
- Staff Rx request *via in person activation

For More Information: Stop by any Pharmacy







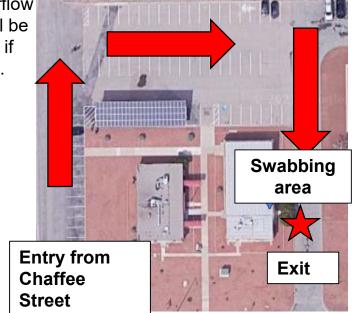
COVID Testing Site – Overseas PCS

LOCATION: Building 1029 Chaffee Road. From Cassidy gate, take a right onto Pleasonton. The building turn in will be on your left at the Family Behavior Health Building. If you pass Bradley Road, you have passed it. There will be signs with a RED arrows starting at the entry.

HOURS: Monday – Saturday 0800-1200. Closed Sundays, Federal Holidays and Fort Bliss DONSAs.



An overflow lane will be opened if needed.



THIS SITE IS FOR COVID SWAB COLLECTION ONLY, NOT MEDICAL ASSESSMENT.

This site will test Soldiers that are traveling OCONUS for a PCS, TDY or leave. Orders do not have to be placed prior to arrival, but the SM must bring a copy of the travel orders or leave form and military ID.



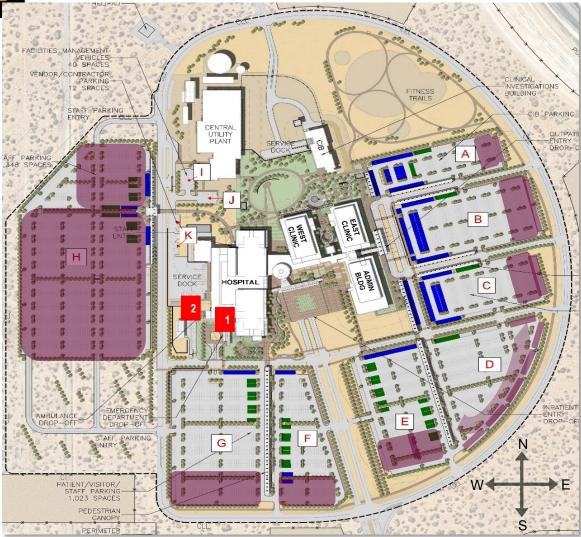


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William Beaumont Army Medical Center 🦀



Delivering Quality Healthcare to Soldiers and Beneficiaries to Sustain a Ready Force



18511 Highlander Medics St. Fort Bliss, TX 79918

Parking Areas & Access

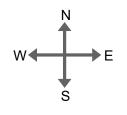
- **CIB Parking**
- **Public Parking**
- **Staff Parking**
- ** Staff may also park in the outer areas of each parking lot
- I, J, K: Facility Management
- **Emergency Drop Off**
- **Ambulance Drop Off**





Primary Entrances

- **Emergency Department**
- B. **Hospital Main Entrance**
- Clinic Entrance









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- 1 Assembly Hall
- 1 Badging Station
- 3 Cardiology / Anticoagulation Clinic / CVIR
- 1 Chapel
- Chapel Meditation Garden
- 3 Clinical Support Division
- 3 Command Special Staff
- 3 Command Suite
- 2 Dept. of Medicine
- 3 Dept. of Nursing
- 3 Dept. of Pathology & BSL Laboratory
- 2 Education Division & GME
- EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT
- 3 Emergency Operations Center (EOC)
- 4 Endocrinology & Infectious Disease Clinic
- 2 Endoscopy
- Exchange/Retail Store
- Food Court
- Gastroenterology Clinic

- 2 General Surgery Clinic
- 6 Hematology/Oncology Clinic
- 1 Hospital Lobby
- 3 Human Resources
- 4 Information Management Division
- 3 Inpatient Behavioral Health
- B Inpatient Pharmacy
- 6 Inpatient Support/Clinical
- 7 Intensive Care Unit
- Internal Medicine Clinic
- 5 Labor & Delivery Unit
- 5 Mammography
- 5 Managed Care Division
- 2 Medical Library
- 6 Medical Nursing Unit
- 4 Medic Specialties Clinic
- 5 Mother Baby Unit
- 6 Nephrology Clinic
- Neurology & Neurosurgery Clinic

- 5 Newborn Clinic
- Nuclear Medicine
- **Nutrition Care Clinic**
- 5 OB/GYN Clinic
- 3 Occupation Health and Industrial Hygiene
- Occupational Therapy
- Operations Readiness Division
- Operative & Anesthesia Services
- 6 Ophthalmology Clinic/WRESP
- Oral Maxillofacial Clinic/General Dentistry
- Orthopedic Clinic
- 4 Otolaryngology, Speech, & Audiology
- **Outpatient Pharmacy**
- Pain Management Clinic
- Pathology Outpatient Specimen Collection
- Patient Administration
- Patient Experience
- Physical Therapy
- Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Clinic

- Post Anesthesia Care Unit
- 1 Preadmission Unit
- 2 Pulmonary Clinic
- 3 Quality Management Division
- Radiology
- Rehabilitation Services
- 4 Resident Support Space
- Resource Management Division
- 7 Sleep Study Lab
- 3 Staff Judge Advocate
- 7 Stepdown Unit
- 2 Surgery
- 6 Surgical Nursing Unit
- 3 Troop Command
- Uniform Business Office
- 2 Urology Clinic
- Vascular Thoracic Surgery Clinic
- 5 Women's Inpatient Support





Army Continuing Education System





Army Continuing Education System (ACES)

Fall Schedule

Mon/Wed 1700-1915 Synchronous Zoom **Excelsior** IND501-Inderdisciplinary Approach to Ethical Leadership Tues/Thu 1700-1915 Blda 641 BUS515-Labor Relations and Conflict Resolution Mon/Wed 1915-2130 Mon/Wed 1915-2130 ADR671-Mediation Tues/Thu 1915-2130 Tues/Thu 1915-2130 F 0800-1300 COMM324-Conflict Management Mon/Wed 1700-1915 Mon/Wed 1700-1915 Mon/Wed 1700-1915 Psy360-Social Psychology Mon/Wed 1700-1915 Mon/Wed 1915-2130 MAT101-Math for Everyday Life Mon/Wed 1915-2130 HIS354-Transatlantic Slave Trade Tues/Thu 1700-1915 MAT101-Math for Everyday Life Tues/Thu 1700-1915 Tues/Thur 1700-1915 Park CA104-Interpersonal Communication I one day per week Synchronous and FI360-Financial Management Mon. 1730-2030 **IB315-International Business Perspectives** MA171-Finite Mathematics Pirate Patch PS300-Research Methods **UMGC** Blda 641 915-600-2015 M-F 0830-1630 COUN6100-Counseling Practicum 1 Synchronous Zoom Webster COUN6500-Counseling Internship Bldq 632 BUSN5000-Business COUN5230-Psychodiagnostics MBA5010-Value Creation Tues. 1830-2030 COUN5050-Human Growth and Development COUN5540-Family Systems Theory HRDV5630-Organizational Development and Change Wed, 1600-2000 MBA5200-The Financial Value of Capital Projects Wed. 1630-1830 COUN5020-Foundations of Counseling-The Helping Relationship Thu, 1700-2100 COUN5600-Techniques of Group Counseling Thu. 1700-2100



ACES

Bldg. 2916/2917 Carrington Road 915-568-6792/6828/6776

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MBA5020-Qualitative Methods for the MBA MNGT6000-Integrated Studies in Management

Thu, 1600-2000



GAFADC





German Day of Unification 2021



German Air Force Air Defense Center celebrates 31st Day of German Unity.





years

Save the date: Sunday October 3rd 11am-2pm

Fort Bliss and Old Ironside Museums

Personal invitations will be sent soon.





Location:











Come visit at

5054

Pershing

Road!

- Old Fort Bliss Replica is a reproduction of Fort Bliss in 1854 when it was officially named after LT Col William Wallace Smith Bliss.
- The complex of buildings was a gift to Fort Bliss in 1949 from the city of El Paso commemorating 100 years of community and cooperation between the two entities.
- From its inception it has served as a museum although over the years its purpose and content has shifted.
- Currently it contains period rooms highlighting the essentials to daily living in the Borderlands during the 1850s.

Recent rejuvenation projects completed:

- repairs, paint, lighting in the Main Hall
- Grounds clean up
- Display room clean up

Volunteers needed

Gardening, painting, handyman, wood workers, maintenance cleaning, costume repair, holiday decorating, reenactors, and docents.





Did you know the Replica is available for rent?





Now available for:

- Private Parties
- ORG Days
- FRG Meetings
- Changes of Command/Responsibility ceremonies and receptions

It is the only MWR facility that allows outsourced catering!

Rental options-

Pavilions only
Pavilions and Main Hall
Entire Museum grounds

Revenue from the facility rental helps purchase display items for the museum and increase its educational value to the community.





Upcoming events



Wine and Chile Fest

- September 25th and 26th
- 4pm-7pm
- 21+ only event
- Tickets on sale Aug 19th
- \$15 includes 6 samples and a wine glass (\$20 at the door)



Old Fort Bliss Harvest Festival

- October 8th
- 4pm-8pm
- Free to the public
- Yard games, train rides, fall crafts, face painting and more!
- Pumpkins for purchase





Fort Bliss Commissary



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Fort Bliss Commissary

Commissary CLICK2GO is DeCA's online grocery ordering platform with curbside pickup program.



Customers use a computer or mobile device to make their orders online where they select from commissary products offered based on the store's stock assortment.

After products are selected, the shopper selects a pickup time and pays for their order.

At their appointed time they park in designated parking spaces where commissary workers bring their groceries.

- For patrons convenience, CLICK2GO will only be accepting online payment for all online orders.
- System will be prompted to pay online via pay.gov online payment system to complete the checkout process.
- Pick up times are from 1200-1500 Monday Friday
- Freshop Customer Portal: https://shop.commissaries.com/





Fort Bliss Family Homes

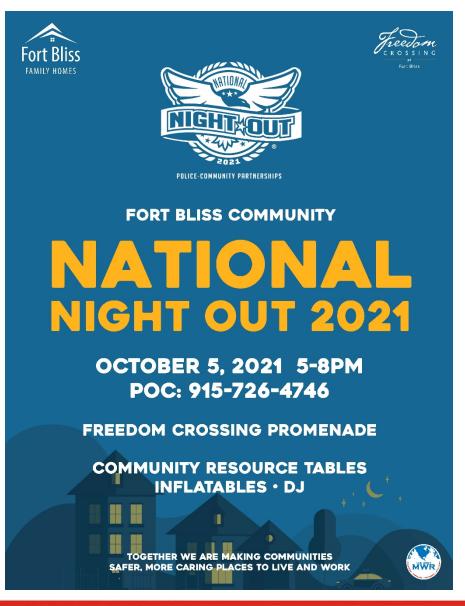


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Fort Bliss Family Homes

BBC - Reminders!



National Night Out

October 5th, 5-8pm

Freedom Crossing

- Community Tables
- Games
- Inflatables
- Chalk contest
- DJ



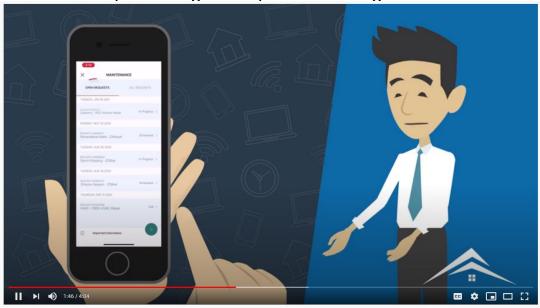


Fort Bliss Family Homes

BBC – Reminders!

BBC Work Order Call Center: 915-564-0459

- Work Order Process
- Check out this video for step by step guide to the housing online portal: https://youtu.be/1w_fkYpKB20
- Enter routine work orders through the Portal
 - If the online scheduling doesn't work for you -please call us.
 - Emergencies and Urgent work orders should be called in.
 - Power outages Call Rio Grande Electric, BBC
 - **1-800-749-1509**
 - Option 1 reporting outage
 - Option 8 get an update on outage











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- ✓ Friday at the Fire is back! Join us for live local music from 6:30 PM-10 PM in our outdoor Promenade area by the fireplace (next to Happy's Irish Pub) on the following dates.
- ✓ Friday, August 27: Afro Pick, The Blackberry Jam Experience, DJ White Ferrari
- ✓ Friday, September 3: Locomotion, 7th Avenue, DJ White Ferrari
- ✓ Friday, September 24: Tooths, The Mixx, DJ Prince Edward
- ✓ Friday, October 29: A. Billi. Free, DJ Prince Edward
- ✓ Friday, November 5: Our Friend the Mountain, Swoon, DJ White Ferrari
- ✓ Friday, November 19: Ribo Ruckus, DJ White Ferrari



- This event is free. RSVP through our website at <u>freedomcrossingatfortbliss.com</u> and be automatically entered to win a \$25 gift card to a restaurant of your choice at Freedom Crossing! (Must be present to win.)
- All COVID mitigations will be followed according to Command guidance.





Jumbo Park: Birthday Specials

- ✓ Jumbo Park is an indoor playground filled with inflatables, it's a great way to spend the weekend with your family!
- √ Hours of operation are 11 AM-7 PM every day, closed on Tuesdays.
- ✓ For more info, call (626) 215-8062.
- ✓ Plan your child's birthday party at Jumbo Park! Monday- Thursday: \$199, Friday- Sunday: \$249







US Cryotherapy

- ✓ US Cryotherapy is a cold air wellness and recovery center. They provide the safest and most effective whole-body cryotherapy to promote optimal wellness. Services accelerate the body's natural healing processes for faster recovery and better health.
- √ Hours of operation are Monday- Thursday from 11 AM- 7 PM and Friday- Sunday from 10 AM- 6 PM.
- ✓ US Cryotherapy is located next to GameStop.
- √ Take advantage of US Cryotherapy's current special: 2 visits for \$60
- √ Walk-in's are welcome!

COMING OR GOING? NEW SPECIAL RATES!





PREMOB
&
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SPECIAL
2 VISITS FOR
\$60
USE ONE NOW, AND
ONE BEFORE YOU
LEAVE!





PLAYLive Nation

- √ PLAYLive Nation is a premium social gaming lounge focused on uniting like-minded players of all ages and to creating strong community-based relationships.
- √ Whether you have just a few minutes to play or you have the entire day, PLAYLive Nation's environment, staff, and local players are a great source of entertainment, no matter how long you have to play.
- √ Key features include: Access to the newest games, a clean and cool atmosphere, tournaments, and gamer merchandise.
- √ Hours are Monday- Friday from 12 PM- 9 PM, Saturday from 11 AM- 9 PM, and Sunday from 11 AM- 7 PM.





August-October

	01-05	06-12	13-19	20-26	27-31			
August			Senior Leader Update 17 Aug, 1100-1200, Centennial	August Retirement Ceremony 25 Aug, 0900, Soldier Hall, Bldg 2				
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	The Massacre Haunted House Weekends through Halloween, 2457 Carrington Road, 6-10pm, \$5 per person (DoD), \$10 all others							
October		Old Fort Bliss Harvest Festival, 8 Oct, 1600-2000, Old Fort Bliss Replica	Zombie Run, 16 Oct, 1800, 2457 Carrington Road Senior Leader Update 19 Oct 1100-1200, Centennial	Monster Bash, 22-23 Oct, 1800-2200, 2457 Carrington Road	October Retirement Ceremony 27 Oct, 0900, Soldier Hall, Bldg 2			







SLU POCs

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- DES: Mr. Ronnie Ransbottom, 915-744-9143
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- DECA: Vickie Mills 915-568-9897
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- WBAMC: CPT Joshua Goldberg, 915-742-5004
- DENTAC: COL Jay Owens, 915-742-6001
- <u>FMWR-ACS</u>: Ms. Nancy Thomas-Mainor, 915-569-7758
- <u>FBSA:</u> Dania Bandas, president@thefbsa.org

- BOSS: SGT Cherryholmes, 915-892-5195
- <u>USO</u>: Ms. Yolanda Castillo, 915-744-3480
- Volunteer Office: Ms. Tephanie Hopper, 915-569-7733
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- DPW Housing: Ms. Yolanda Brown, 915-568-5309
- BBC: Ms. Jessica Holston, 915-496-2401
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- DHR- ACES: Debbie Fetzer 915-568-6682
- <u>DHR-</u> SFL/TAP: Mr. Douglas Piltz, 915-568-7165
- DHR-ASAP: Mr. Robert Guile, 915-744-5148

