

Community Information Exchange

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Community Information Exchange

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community leaders, and residents about upcoming events for Fort Bliss and El Paso (next 90 days).•Timing & Details:•Timing & Details:•Frequency: Monthly, except DEC & JUL Time: 1 hour, 1200-1300, 3rd Wed Location: Centennial Conf Center Medium: Facebook & In-PersonIn •Medium: Facebook & In-PersonIn •Primary POC:C	 BN/CO CFRRs/SFRGs WBAMC: CDR/Deputy Installation Agencies USAG Directorates & Support Offices School Liaisons City Representatives County Representatives nputs: CG Decisions Bliss Synch Events Working Fort Bliss Ceremonies & Proto Local Events & Community Re 	pcol Events
USAG: Ms. Deana Garcia (DFMWR)	 Information for unit SFRGs Community Awareness & Adve WE ARE THE ARMY'S HOME 	ertising



Opening Comments



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Tenant Satisfaction Survey is LIVE! Did you get your survey?

Be sure to check your spam, but if you didn't receive it, you can request it, by emailing... ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com

Must include the following:

- Installation Name
- Complete Street Address (including house # and street name)

They will reach out with your survey link.

OMB Control Number: 0704-0553 OMB Expiration Date: 05/31/2025

YOUR COMMUNITY. YOUR VOICE.

Take the Tenant Satisfaction Survey!

We care about your experience living in our community and want it to be exceptional. Look for an email with a link to the survey and let us know how we can improve.

We care[®] OMB Control Number: 0704-0553 | OMB Expiration Date: 31 May 2025

Fort Bliss Family Homes



If you have not received a survey email or text by March 6, 2024:

- 1. Check your spam folder. The initial email came from <u>ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com</u>.
- 2. Check with your spouse, partner, or other household member(s) to determine if they received the email.
- 3. Each household may only complete one survey.

Contact CEL via email at <u>ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com</u> to obtain a survey link. When you email CEL you must include your Installation name and complete street address including unit number, if applicable.

Note: CEL is requesting your address information only to look up your home's Survey ID, this will ensure each household only completes one survey.



Use QR Code to go directly to the <u>ArmyHousingSurvey@celassociates.com</u> Email address. Include Installation name and complete address.



Army Emergency Relief Campaign





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Spouses Welcome

SPOUSES WELCOME TOPICS INCLUDE: Employment, Medical, Housing, Child & Youth Services School Liaison Office, Army Community Service, Family Readiness Groups a windshield tour of Fort Bliss and an overview of El Paso.

April 16 & May 14 • 9am-Noon Doors open at 8:30am Family Resilience Center (FRC) 250 Club Rd. Info: 915-569-5864

To register or for more information, please call 915-569-5864.

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Gary Sinise and the Lt. Dan Band are coming to Fort Bliss!!!

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Join us for an amazing concert filled with Honor, Gratitude and Rock & Roll.

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FREE Show!



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DFMWR Outdoor Pools

- All the DFMWR Outdoor swimming pools plan to open for the season on Friday 24 May 2024 (Memorial Day weekend).
 - Community Pool: Monday-Friday 1100-1900, Saturday 1000-2000, & Sunday 1200-1600.
 - SAC Outdoor pool: Monday-Friday 1400-1900 & Weekends 1200-1900



Both pools will be open on the weekends leading up to Memorial day weekend starting 4 May 2024.





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Next 30 Days:

- <u>20 APR: Car & Crafts Spring Fling (DFMWR)</u>
- 25 APR: 1AD & Fort Bliss Annual Volunteer Ceremony
- <u>26 APR: Gary Sinise and the Lt. Dan Band</u>
- <u>26 APR: Operation Megaphone</u>
- <u>26 APR: Commander's Cup 5K</u>
- <u>01 MAY: Deadline for parade entries</u>
- <u>03 MAY: Mother's Day Candle Making</u>
- 04 MAY: Dad's Day in the Park
- 05-11 MAY: Massaging Mamas
- 10 MAY: Spouses in the City
- <u>11 MAY: Junior Tennis Tournament & Spring Carnival</u>
- <u>11 MAY: Teen Hiring Fair</u>
- <u>11 MAY: Barbellas & Beasts (DFMWR)</u>
- 12 MAY: Mother's Day Brunch
- <u>17 MAY: 1st Annual Best of the Badge</u>
- <u>17 MAY: Commander's Cup Ten-Miler Qualifier</u>

Next 90 Days:

- 20 JUN: SFAC Information Fair
- 23 JUN: Climbing Anchor Building Class
- 29 JUN: Kayak the Rio

Ongoing Classes and Events:

- <u>Stress Management Seminar (ACS): April 22, 24, 29 & May 1,</u> <u>6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 29</u>
- Anger Management (ACS): May 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28
- Youth Sports Calendar
- Girls Spring Volleyball
- Boys/Girls Spring Tennis
- Spring Break Desert Madness
- Military Spouse Morning Social
- Military Spouse and Soldier Employment Readiness Workshop
- Coffee and Connections with EFMP

Next 60 Days:

- <u>18 MAY: Armed Forces Day Parade</u>
- <u>19 MAY: High Ropes Course</u>
- 22-23 MAY: Fort Bliss Annual Transition EXPO (DHR)
- <u>25 MAY: Trap Shoot Out</u>
- <u>01 JUN: Know your Limit</u>
- 06 JUNE: ACES Education Center-Graduation Ceremony
- 15 JUN: Outdoors Day
- <u>16-22 JUN: Pampering Papas</u>

Click here for a list of Upcoming Events





Community Events

Date	Time	Event	Location	Comments
18 APR	1835	El Paso Chihuahuas	Southwest University Park	\$29 and up
19 APR	2000	Steve Trevino	Abraham Chavez Center	\$73 and up
19 APR	1900	Inner Child Art Paint Party Mediation and Inner Child Art	Sunset Parlor	\$35
20 APR	1730	Pistol Whiphers VS Juarez// Pistoleros VS Albuquerque	Nations Tobin Recreation Center	\$10 and up
21 APR	1300	Billy the Kid Breakout Show	San Elizario Historic District	FREE
22 APR	1930	ZZ Top: The Elevation Tour	Abraham Chavez Theatre	\$54 and up
26 APR	0900	Education Job Fair (UTEP)	Don Haskins Center	FREE
27 APR	0800	16 th Annual Run/Walk for Autism	EPCC Valle Verde Campus	\$22
27 APR	Varies	Baby Shark's Big Broadwave	Abraham Chavez Theatre	\$57 and up
06 May	1930	Derek Hough-Symphony of Dance	Plaza Theatre	\$35 and up

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Directorate Family Morale Welfare and Recreation

Army Community Service

- 25 April: Annual Volunteer Ceremony
- 04 May: Dad's Day in the Park
- 10 May: Spouses in the City
- 11 May: Teen Hiring Fair

Business Operations

- 20 April: Cars and Crafts Spring Fling
- 12 May: Mother's Day Brunch

MWR Special Events

- 18 May: Armed Forces Day Parade

Community Recreation

- 26 April: Gary Sinise & the Lt. Dan Band





William Beaumont Army Medical Center Patient Information

Clinical

- You can now use the MHS GENESIS Patient Portal to request refills for most prescriptions from your military pharmacy. This new feature, which began Feb. 29, 2024, applies to your existing medications that have remaining refills.
- Tobacco Cessation Program. Tuesdays, at 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Mendoza. Call 915-742-1343 to register.
- Walk-in Wellness tests for any STI can now be done at East Bliss Clinic, SFMC, or Mendoza labs. Call APHN at 915-742-1343 for more information.

Happenings

- Patient and Family Partnership Council (PFPC) will be June 6, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. in the WBAMC Clinical Assembly Room (CAR) Room 1500B
- Children's Waiting Room (CWR) at WBAMC and Mendoza are by appointment only; call 915-742-9926/0975 (free childcare while you attend medical appointments). Now open Mon-Fri, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Visit our website for current information: <u>https://william-beaumont.tricare.mil/</u>





Directorate of Public Works (DPW) New Retention Pond Update

New Retention Pond East of Building 5312 :

- Stormwater Management
- Right lane closure traveling West on Buffalo Soldier Rd. by ACP.
- Traffic Control Signage placed on 9 February 2024.
- Estimated completion date: NLT 20 May 2023.



Vehicles must merge Left



Directorate of Public Works (DPW) Road Repair Update

- Road Repairs at Liberty Expy
 - Construction start Date: 3 January 2024.
 - One lane will always remain open during Construction (2 Phases).
 - Phase II ongoing
 - Completion Date: 06 June 2024.



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Directorate of Public Works (DPW) Road Repair Update

- Road Repairs at Torch Street
 - Construction start Date: 3 January 2024.
 - One lane will always remain open during Construction (2 Phases).
 - Phase I ongoing.
 - Completion Date: 14 May 2024.







Directorate of Emergency Services Law Enforcement Focus Area

• <u>Trends:</u>

✓ Non-Contiguous Housing Area Incidents:





✓ Other Issues:

✓ Weapon Violations: 26% of the crimes captured over the last month (Not registered; concealed carry, etc.)



Directorate of Emergency Services El Paso DA's DWI Prevention Initiative



TRANSPORTATION



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DON'T DRINK



Choice #2

Choice #3

Price = Jail

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- El Paso County is ranked #7 out of top ٠ 10 Texas counties with highest DWI numbers.
- 34th Judicial District Attorney's (DA) • Office received a grant from TXDOT to pay for UBER rides (thru Sep 2024) for persons out drinking.
- Active on Fridays-Mondays (0500 hrs).
- \$20 allotted for each ride (not counting tips).
- Average ride in El Paso costs \$14.
- Scan QR code to access DA's website.
- QR code is updated every Friday. ٠
- This initiative has provided over 1K rides since December 2023.



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Directorate of Emergency Services Access Control Points

Access Control Points:

 \checkmark Trusted traveler provides DoD sponsors the opportunity to bring additional patrons onto the installation; every occupant must show a valid form of identification.

✓ Special events passes can be granted online at the Fort Bliss homepage. Passes range from one day to one year Community Access Pass.

✓ Every day pedestrians cross the intersection at the Cassidy / Sheridan intersection, adjacent to Cassidy gate. Young schoolchildren regularly cross this intersection going to and from school. Normally the traffic light is green. When someone presses the crosswalk button, the traffic light turns red, and then the pedestrians can cross. However recently there have been multiple instances of drivers running the red light at this intersection.

✓ In some cases, these are inattentive drivers who are entering the installation; in other cases, it is outbound drivers who are exiting the installation. In every case, ignoring the red light creates an immediately hazardous situation for pedestrians, including children.

 \checkmark In the immediate term, expect to see increased police patrol presence at this intersection to hold drivers accountable as appropriate. Over the longer term, our installation will implement further improvements to help enhance pedestrian safety, some of which will require time and resources to put in place.



Fort Bliss Family Homes Amenities

- Located at 1991 Marshall Rd our Kelly Park office we have Mini putt-putt, pavilions, grilling, indoor community center rental(s), volleyball courts, splash pad and so much more. \$250 refundable fee will be assessed for party rentals (inquire for more information)
 @ 915-564-0795
- Rio Bravo, PDN, Chamizal Vista, and Beaumont all have community center rentals with kitchens available for party rentals. Please stop by any of our community centers for rental information.
- Beaumont, Rio Bravo, Chamizal Vista and PDN all have pools available for the summer to stop and cool off during the summer heat. They are slated to open on Memorial Day weekend. Chamizal and Rio Bravo also have volleyball courts for some outdoor fun. Fitness centers can also be utilized at Kelly Park, Beaumont and Chamizal Vista.











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Alibis & Announcements

Two-Minute Drill per Speaker

- **□**Fort Bliss Family Homes
- **Other Garrison / Installation Agencies**
- **City Update**
- **County Update**





Questions & Answers



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Closing Comments



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MWR Sports Calendar

			SS 2024	January	100 Mile Swim Club Basketball Officials Clinic	JAN 01 - DEC 31 JAN 08 - 11
SP	POR	TS. F	ITNESS &		CC Basketball Half Marathon	JAN 22 - MAR 2 JAN 27
Q	UAT	ICS	ITNESS & CALENDA	R February	Dance Glow Party Run for Fallen 5K	FEB 09 FEB 24
				March	St. Paddy's 8K & 0.5K Run Easter Egg Float	MAR 16 MAR 30
			S CUP SPORTS		Soccer Officials Clinic	APR 01 - 04
	SPORT		DATES	April	Softball Officials Clinic CC Soccer	APR 08 - 11 APR 15 - JUN 0
	CC Bask	etball	JAN 22 - MAR 21		CC Softball	APR 15 - JUN 13
	CC Socce	Participant and	APR 15 - JUN 06		CC 5K	APR 26
	CC JULLE		AFR 15-JON 00	May	Barbellas & Beasts	MAY 11
×	CC Softb	all	APR 15 – JUN 13		CC Ten-Miler	MAY 17
	CC 5K	rittiki Malai	APR 26	June	Fort Bliss CRIT	JUN 08
	CC Ten-M	liler	MAY 17		Volleyball Officials Clinic	JUL 15 - 18
				July	Boxing Officials Clinic CC Volleyball	JUL 20 JUL 22 - AUG 2
	CC Volley	yball	JUL 22 - AUG 22		Border Rumble Boxing Smoker	JUL 26
	CC 10K	-	AUG 16		Cardboard Regatta	AUG 10
	CC Flag	Football	SEP 03 - OCT 31	August	CC 10K Flag Football Officials Clinic	AUG 16 AUG 26-29
	//				CC Flag Football	SEP 03 - OCT 3
OPEN	CAMERA & SCAN	All Command	ler's Cup sports are	September	Doggy Swim Day	SEP 07
		Activo-Duty	unit level competitions.		9/11 Memorial Stair Climb Norwegian Ruck March	SEP 11 SEP 14
		Active-Duty,	unit level competitions.			
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	Sports: 915-744-		4-5785 • Fitness: 915-744-5790	October	Halloween Classic Basketball Tournament	OCT 25-27
• Aquatics: 915-7					Floating Pumpkin Patch Swim	OCT 26
And				November	Turkey Trot 5K Cranksgiving	NOV 23 NOV 27
100	A CARRENT			December	Dancing Under the Stars	DEC 07



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Youth Sports Calendar

YOUTH SPORTS	AGES	COST: 1ST CHILD / ADDT'L CHILD	REGISTRATION MONTH	SEASON (2024-2025)
Boys/Girls Indoor/Outdoor 3 on 3 Basketball	7-18	\$55/\$47	January	Febuary-March
Boys/Girls Spring Soccer	3-15	\$55/\$47	January	Febuary-March
Boys/Girls Spring Volleyball Jamboree/Tournament	8-16	\$15	January	Febuary
Boys/Girls Spring Tennis	5-14	\$75/\$64	February	March-April
Girls Spring Volleyball	8-16	\$55/\$47	February	March-April
Boys/Girls Soccer Jamboree/Tournament	5-15	\$15	March	April
Boys/Girls Pickleball	7-18	\$55/\$47	March	April-May
Boys/Girls Spring Flag Football	5-18	\$55/\$47	March	April-May
Boys/Girls Spring Tee Ball /Baseball/Softball	3-15	\$55/\$47	March	April-May
USA Track & Field				
(\$32 Membership Fee/\$18 for 4 meets)	5-18	\$100/\$85	March	April-July
Boys/Girls 4 on 4 Volleyball	12-18	\$55/\$47	May	June
Boys/Girls Kickball	5-15	\$55/\$47	May	June
Boys/Girls Powerlifting	10-18	\$55/\$47	May	June-July
Boys/Girls Summer Basketball	5-18	\$55/\$47	May	June-July
Boys/Girls Indoor/Outdoor 3 on 3 Basketball	7-18	\$55/\$47	July	August
Boys/Girls Fall Soccer	3-15	\$55/\$47	July	August-September
Boys/Girls Fall Pickleball	7-18	\$55/\$47	July	August-September
USATF Cross Country	5-18	\$75/\$64	July-August	August-November
Boys/Girls Fall Tennis	5-14	\$75/\$64	August	September-October
Boys/Girls Fall Flag Football	5-18	\$55/\$47	August	September-October
Boys/Girls Winter Powerlifting	10-18	\$55/\$47	August	September-October
Boys/Girls Winter Basketball	5-15	\$55/\$47	September	October - December
Boys/Girls Winter Volleyball	8-16	\$55/\$47	November	December-January
Boys/Girls Winter Basketball Jamboree/Tournament	5-15	\$15	December	January

Registration can be done at the Youth Sports Plex or any CYS Facility with current physical on file. CYS registration is required with an updated sports physical. To contact Youth Sports, please call 915-568-2617





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FREE Show!



Marlo Brestar, 915-568-2554, Marlo.j.brestar.naf@army.mil



Be part of the PARADE!

Application Deadline: May 1, 2024

Download the application by scanning the QR code.

We are looking for Military Units, marching band, entertainment acts and more!

The event is free to attend. For more information or to register, call 915-588.8247









SATURDAY, APRIL 20 • 12-4PM

Art & Hobby Marshall Park (corner of Marshall & Cassidy Rd.)

Call 915-568-5563 to register for Market Vendor, Chalk the Park Artist and Car Show participant! Join Fort Bliss Art & Hobby for Cars & Crafts: Spring Fling!

April 20 | 12-4PM | Art & Hobby Marshall Park

There will be inflatables, music, crafts and more! Register to participate in the Chalk the Park, become a vendor or enter the car show! The event is free to attend. For more information or to register, call 915-568-5563.





MWR SFA Events

AMERICAN RED CHOSS-LIFEGUARDING CERTIFICATION Aquatics Training Center

20733 Constitution Dr.

- March 9 12
- March 14-17
- March 23-24 & April 6-7
- April 20-21 & April 27-28
- May 13-16
- May 18-19 & May 25-26

ALL SESSIONS WILL BE

Become an American Red Cross certified Lifeguard and a CPR/First Aid/AED professional rescuer in preparation for summer!

All participants must pass a pre-test at Replica Pool or Aquatics Training Center before registering for a course.

- Pretest includes:
- 2-minute Tread Water
- 300 yards Continuous Swim
 Brick Retrieval Test

Certification cost \$350 per person. Commitment to apply and work with Fort Bliss Aquatics will waive all course fees! Starting pay is \$15 per hour.

Registration is required and can be done at Replica Pool or Aquatics Training Center. INFO: 915-741-5901 // 915-<u>568-7431</u>



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MWR SFA Events



COMMANDER'S CUP

POST CHAMPIONSHIP

This is a competitive event is open to Active-Duty Military, Reserves, National Guard Soldiers in Active-Duty status. Walkers, strollers and pets are <u>prohibited</u>. Course closes at 7:30AM. Registration is required. Register at www.active.com through April 19.

Late Registration and Packet Pic up will be at Soto PFC: • April 24 // 4:30-6:30PM • April 25 // 11AM-1PM • April 26 // 5-6AM



Omar Bradley Softball Complex 2968 Carter Rd. • FREE Info: 915-744-5785

Games: Monday - Thursday starting at 6PM Coaches Meeting: March 27 • 6PM • Soldier Activity Center

Registration is required and can be done at the Sports office, located on the second floor at Soto PFC.



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MWR Youth Center Events/Programs









MWR Youth Sports Events

Saturday, May 4th • 9-1130am Youth Sports Plex/Noel Parade Field \$5/person • Info: 915-568-2617

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Ages: 3-9 (1 mile): 10am • All Ages (5K): 10:05am

Late Registration/Check In: 9-9:45am Registration is required. To register, scan the QR Code or visit bliss.armymwr.com and search Youth Sports.



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Registration is required and can be done at Youth Sports Plex or any CYS Facility with current CYS Registration and Sports Physical on file. Parents are required to take a Sportsmanship class. Scan the QR code provided and watch the video prior to the first week of practice.

Info: 915-568-2617 Follow us on Facebook @Bliss CYS

Parents or Guardian Sportsmanship Clar



Ages: 12-18 yrs • Registration: May • Season: June



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MWR Youth Center Events/Programs





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MWR Outdoor Recreation Events







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MWR Army Community Service





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MWR Army Community Service

Saturday, May 4 10:30am-12:30pm Biggs Park • Ages 0-3

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Enjoy some out of this world fun at the park! Games, activities, arts and crafts provided.

Costumes encouraged but optional. Scan QR code to register, or call 915-568-9129.

SCAN HERE TO REGISTER ONI





Join us for coffee and pastries and connect with other spouses. Learn about the ACS Employment Program services, Military Spouse federal employment preference, professional training opportunities, and much more!



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MWR School Liaison Office



EPISD: June 10-13

SISD: May 31– June 01

YISD - May 30-31 & June 03 – June 04

Canutillo ISD - May 30

TISD – May 31

Gadsden ISD - May 25

Anthony ISD - June 01

Clint ISD - May 28

Fabens – May 10

SEISD - May 31




Warrior Adventure Quest

A program designed to help Soldiers who are mobilizing or deploying to experience a high adventure activity in a safe environment. It serves as an alternative to high-risk behaviors Soldiers may be involved in off duty. The goal is to build unit resiliency, cohesion and readiness. A leader- led after action debrief and survey proceeds the activity. Free to all Active Duty/ title 10 Soldiers for one activity per year.

Activities include:

- Kayaking
- Mountain Biking
- High Ropes Course
- Hiking
- Rock Climbing
- Laser Tag



A SGT or above is required to attend a brief to participate in the program. Which is held at <u>12 pm every Thursday</u> at the Soldier Activity Center 20732 Constitution Ave Fort Bliss TX,79908





Active Duty Spouse Survey

The 2024 Survey of Active Duty Spouses is Open: Spark change in your community. Share your thoughts on all things regarding Military Life with the 2024 Survey of Active Duty Spouses. You can also use the attached curated social media post to share with your networks.

https://dodsurveys.mil

To start the survey, select the Click Here button under "Don't have a Ticket Number?" Enter your military ID number when prompted.

This is your chance to give input on:

- Spouse employment
- Military benefits
- Financial stability
- Child care and family resources
- Quality of life support





Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers

RECREATION AND LEISURE

BOSS Kickback
Horse Racetrack
Solar Eclipse Watch Party
Canyoneering
Fishing
Golf
Carlsbad Caverns & Camping Trip
Opening Day Pool Party
B.O.S.S - Single Parents Family Day
Disc Golf
Pool Party
Kayaking Trip

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Dog & Wine
La Viña Wine Festival
Spouses Night Out
Barbellas & the Beast Competition
Armed Forces Day Parade
Memorial Day

QUALITY OF LIFE

B.O.S.S. Meeting
Be Part of the Team
Debt Management Understanding
your Credit
Car Buying and Insurance
Fundamentals of Banking

LIFE SKILLS

Intro to Scuba Diving	
Hand Pottery	
Stained Glass	

Soldier Activity Center • 1700-1900
Sunland Park Racetrace • 1235 - UTC
Monti Warrior Zone • 1145-1445
Franklin Mountains State Park + 1000-1400
Ascarate Park + 0800-1200
Underwood Golf Complex • 1000-1300 • Price Varies
Soldier Activity Center • 1000-UTC • \$40
Soldier Activity Center • 1100-UTC • \$3 (FOOD)
Soldier Activity Center • 1100-1400
Tobin Park • 0900-1200
Soldier Activity Center • 1100-UTC • \$3 (FOOD)
Las Cruces • 0800-1700• \$30

4APR • 2MAY • 6JUN

7APR

8APR 21APR

5MAY 19MAY

24-25 MAY

27MAY

2JUN

9JUN 21JUN

23JUN

20APR

4APR

23APR

14MAY

21MAY

4JUN

13APR

11MAY

29JUN

27-28APR 10MAY 11MAY 18MAY 27MAY

2APR • 7MAY • 4JUN

140 Whittington PL, Anthony NM • 0900-1200
Soldier Activity Center • 1100-1900
Centennial • 1100-1600
Soto PFC • 0700-1300
Smith Field • 0900-1500
Fort Bliss Cemetery • 0800-1200

Soldier Activity Center • 1330-1400 Family Resilience Center • 0900-1200 Monti Warrior Zone • 1330-1430 ACS • 1330-1430 Monti Warrior Zone • 1330-1430 ACS • 1330-1430

Aquatic Training Center • 0900-1600 Art and Hobbyr • 1000-1400 Art and Hobby • 1000-1400

CALENDAR APR-JUN



SCAN HERE TO FIND FORT BLISS BOSS ONLINE





Upcoming Events and Activities

The Main Highlights:

- **Ongoing:** Operation Helping Hand has started to allow the RSO to provide crisis support to Soldiers throughout the year, as emergencies arise in their lives. This is an opportunity for Soldiers to help Soldiers, no matter their rank or position.
- **22APR:** Passover Service at Center Chapel 3.
- 27APR: PWOC will host "Swap Don't Shop" at 1AD Chapel.
- 24-26JUN: Fort Bliss 2024 VBS 0900-1400 daily; those wishing to volunteer need to contact Dr. Rick Mendoza at 915-568-4334



For Virtual Religious Services and most Updated worship service schedule, please visit

https://facebook.com/ftblisschaplain/ or call 915-568-1519



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DONATIONS TO PROVIDE IMMEDIATE SUPPORT TO ASSIST SOLDIERS FOR BOTH ANNUAL HOLIDAY AND ONE TIME SUPPORT PROGRAMS





FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT RELIGIOUS SUPPORT OFFICE 448 PERSHING RD. FORT BLISS TX. (915) 568-1519





24-26 JUNE 2024 0900-1400

REGISTER TODAY AT

FOR MORE INFORMATION CAL JOVANA AT 915-262-6198











Jewish Purim and Passover Services



Soldiers, Civilians, Families, and Community Members Welcome!



Service Times

Purim – 22 MAR 2024, Chapel 3

- 1745 Arts and Crafts
- 1800 Hamentaschen making
- 1830 PJ Library Purim Spiel
- 1900 Dinner

With support from Jewish Community Federation of El Paso & Las Cruces

Passover - 22 APR 2024, Chapel 3

- 1800-2100 Seder Meal
- RSVP by 08 APR 2024 With support from the USAG Fort Bliss Religious Support Office

POC: CH (MAJ) David Frommer, Jewish Chaplain david.p.frommer.mil@army.mil, (646) 648-2778







Transition Assistance Program 2024 EXPO





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Transition Assistance Program Registration Process







Army Continuing Education Services



Upcoming

ACES Education Center-Graduation Recognition Ceremony

Apply for the 23-24 ACES Graduation!

Application Deadline: 20 MAY 24 Graduation: 06 JUN 24 Time: 1300

Location: NCO Leadership Center of Excellence 11291 SGT E Churchill St

> **To Apply:** Contact Education Center 915-568-6831 2917 Carrington Road

usarmy.bliss.imcom-hq.mbx.army-continuingeducationservices11@army.mil





Employee Assistance Program (EAP) Summary of Services

The EAP program is a FREE and CONFIDENTAL and well-being and prevention program.

- Who Can Use EAP Services:
 - Military Spouses/Family Over 18
 - Retirees
 - Department of Army Civilian Employees/Family Over 18
 - SFRGs

Short-term Non-Clinical Counseling for:

- Relationship Challenges
- Grief and Loss
- Work/Life Balance
- Stress/Anger
- Depression/Anxiety/Emotional Health
- Addictions
- Workplace Bullying/Harassment/Conflict Resolution

• Other Services:

- Relaxation Room
- Mediation
- Training/Education
- Guidance



Employee Assistance Program (EAP)

Fort Bliss

Employee Assistance Program (EAP)

How Can We Help

FREE and CONFIDENTIAL services for Department of Army Civilians Employees, Supervisors, Family Members, and Retirees

Short-Term Counseling for:

Depression/Anxiety

Relationship Barriers

Substance Abuse

Workplace Conflict/Stress

Other Personal Concerns

Services:

Training and Education

Guidance

Resources/Referrals

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Mediation

Call An EAP Coordinator at 915-568-6032/6025 to schedule an appointment Location: 629 Taylor Rd.



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Summary

POC Information (i.e. Name, Directorate, Phone, Email, etc – as needed)



Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA)

Your Commissary is Hiring!!

- The Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA) is always looking for new members to join our team. To search open positions in your area, please go to USAJOBS – Search, input "commissary" into the Keywords box and input your location into the search box.
- Positions vary from initial entry positions (WG2) through managerial positions (GS14).
- Interested military spouses can send inquiries directly to:
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<u>Militaryspouse.employment@deca.mil</u> . This email address is also used for military spouses to send resumes for consideration to open positions at their new duty station.





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Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA)

Fort Bliss Commissary



Address and Phone Number:

1620 Marshall Rd. Fort Bliss, TX 79916 (915)568-3121 or (915)568-1300

Store Director Name and Contact Information:

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Name: Brenda Jatta E-Mail: Brenda.Jatta@deca.mil DSN: 568-9938 Commercial: (915) 568-9938

Store Operating Hours:				
Sunday	0800-2000			
Monday	0800-2000			
Tuesday	0800-2000			
Wednesday	0800-2000			
Thursday	0800-2000			
Friday	0800-2000			
Saturday	0800-2000			





Fort Bliss Spouses' Association





For great resources and scholarship information:

Scholarships and Resources





The Exchange Events!

Main Store

- Outdoor Living Grand Opening 20 April 2024 1300-1500
- Month of the Military Child Event- 27 April 2024- 1300-1600
- Mother's Day Event- 04 May 2024- 1300-1500
- Military Spouse Appreciation Event- 11 May 2024 1300-1500

Freedom Crossing

- Class Six Cinco De Mayo Celebration
 - 03 May 2024 1500-1800
 - 05 May 2024 1300-1500



Armed Services YMCA Summary

CHILDREN'S WAITING ROOM

FREE HOURLY CHILD CARE

for Military Families with a medical appointments

William Beaumont Army Medical Center

Spc. Hugo V. Mendoza Soldier Family Care Center

18511 Highlander Medics St. 11355 SSG Sims St. East Clinic. 1st Floor Room E1206 Fort Bliss, TX 79918 915-742-0975

Room A160 Fort Bliss, TX 79918 915-742-9926

CALL NOW TO RESERVE YOUR CHILD'S SPOT!



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ARMED SERVICES YMCA



Armed Services YMCA Summary





George Elsaesser, ASYMCA, 915-263-7164 ext 105, gelsaesser@asymca.org



El Paso Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Women's Conference Dancing Backwards in High Heels





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El Paso County 4th Annual 4928 Peter John Herrera 5K Memorial Run/Walk





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El Paso County Join Us in Shaping the Future of El Paso County

El Paso County hosted community engagement meetings to gather your insights for our upcoming Multi-year Capital Plan. Participate Virtually!

Go to: El Paso County, Texas | Capital Improvement (epcounty.com) and take our survey





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El Paso County Volunteer Opportunity: Gallegos Park Spring Cleanup

Let's celebrate Good Deeds Day, National Volunteer Week, and Global Volunteer Month with Action and Compassion!



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El Paso County

County Parks Spring/Summer Hours

Spring into Summer with extended fun under the sun! All County Parks, including Ascarate Park will be open from 5:30AM to 11:00PM





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El Paso County Big El Paso Fair April 12-18 @ Ascarate Park





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El Paso County Lifeguards Wanted

Go to: County of El Paso Employment Opportunities | Sorted by Job Title ascending | Employment Opportunities (governmentjobs.com)





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El Paso County El Paso County Honoring Women Veterans

Be on a Look Out! El Paso County will be asking for photo submissions of Women Veterans for our Honor Wall Coming Soon



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