



Senior Leader Update

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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!**





Agency Updates





ACS



Army Community Service

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE 57th Birthday Bash



- ✓ **Purpose:** To showcase and celebrate 57 years of Army Community Service.
- ✓ Join ACS in celebrating our birthday with music, entertainment and refreshments.
- ✓ Friday, 22 July 2022, 1100-1530 at 2494 Ricker Rd.
- ✓ This event is free and open to all DoD cardholders.

For more information, please call 915-568-4227. Follow us on Facebook: Fort Bliss Army Community Service





Army Community Service

2022 Run for the Fallen

✓ **Purpose:** The 7th annual Run for the Fallen is a noncompetitive run and walk that will Remember and Honor Fallen Heroes whose families reside in the El Paso/New Mexico community.

When: Saturday, 30 July 2022

Time: 0800-Until last person completes

Where: At the corner of Cassidy and Sheridan Road

[Click here for Registration info](#)

For more information the POCs are: Ruth Nero ruth.nero.civ@army.mil or Rachel Garcia raquel.i.garcia.civ@army.mil or Call 915-568-5970



Army Community Service

Bienvenidos a' Bliss-Relocation Fair



Centennial • 11199 Sergeant E. Churchill St.
Info: 915-569-4227 or bliss.armymwr.com

Entertainment • Free Snow Cone for the First 100 Patrons who Complete Sponsorship Passport
Activities • Kids Fun Zone • Blood Drive • WBAMC Health Fair • Volunteer Fair & MORE!



- ✓ **Purpose:** To welcome Soldiers, Civilians, Retirees and their Families to Fort Bliss and the El Paso Community. Over 100 agencies will participate in this one stop shop event which includes a health and volunteer fair.
- ✓ Thursday, 04 AUG 2022, 1300-1500 at Centennial Club, 1119 Sergeant E. Churchill St.
- ✓ This event is free and open to all DoD cardholders.

For more information, please call 915-568-4227. Follow us on Facebook: Fort Bliss Army Community Service





Army Community Service

Employment Readiness Program

Hiring Fair Preparation Class

Purpose: To help Fort Bliss job seekers prepare for the upcoming Hiring Fair in the areas of resume writing and interviewing skills in order to build confidence.

Open to Military Dependents and all DoD ID Card Holders.

When: Thursday, 4 August 2022

Time: 0900-1200

Where: Main ACS 2494 Ricker Rd





Army Community Service

Employment Readiness Program

Hiring Fair

Purpose: To help Fort Bliss job seekers to find employment. This event will give employers and job seekers a chance to meet one another, establish professional relationships and discuss potential job opportunities.

Strategic Engagement Objectives:

- Providing opportunity to interact one-on-one with employers of interest
- Gain awareness of organizations and positions they are hiring for
- Practice and enhance networking skills
- Establish professional relationships and gather contact information from employers

Open to Military Dependents and all DoD ID Card Holders

When: Thursday, 18 August 2022

Time: 0900-1300

Where: The Centennial 11199 Sgt E Churchill St, Fort Bliss, TX 79908





SLO





Back to School August 2022

First Instructional Day:

El Paso ISD: August 1st, 2022

Socorro ISD: August 1st, 2022

Ysleta ISD: August 1st, 2022

Canutillo ISD: August 1st, 2022

Registration links :

El Paso ISD: <https://www.episd.org/Page/13542>

Socorro ISD: <https://www.sisd.net/registration>

Ysleta ISD: <https://www.yisd.net/enroll>

Canutillo ISD: https://www.canutillo-isd.org/for_parents/online_registration

Documents needed for Registration:

- Current Immunization records
- Birth certificate
- School transcripts
- Social security card
- Proof of residency (Utility bill, Lease agreement)
- Special education documents (if applicable)
- Valid ID of parent /guardian
- Proof of income for those wishing to participate in the National Nutrition program



For Information on:

- Registration process
- Student Transfer process
- Specialty Programs
- Transition Resources
- Graduation Requirements
- Youth Sponsorship Program and more.....

**Contact the School Liaison
Office at 915-569-5064**





MWR





Family and MWR

Events

Date	Time	Event	Location	Comments
21 JUL 22	1700	Yappy Hour-Patriotic Pup	Sam Adams Pub	Free
22 JUL 22	1800	Lucha Libre- Mexican Masked Wrestling	Stout PFC	Free
23 JUL 22	0800	Run For Freedom	Youth Sports Plex	\$5
30 JUL 22	0830	Run For the Fallen	Field of Honor	\$20
4 AUG 22	1300	Relocation Fair	Centennial	Free
5 AUG 22		Oktoberfest Tickets go on Sale	LTS & www.eventbrite.com	\$30 individual night/\$50 both nights
13 AUG 22	2000	Dueling Pianos	Freedom Crossing	\$30/\$45
13 AUG 22	1300	Cardboard Regatta	Community Pool	Free
18 AUG 22	0900	ACS Hiring Fair	Centennial	Free
20 AUG 22	0900	Squat & Deadlift Party	Soto PFC	\$15

www.bliss.armymwr.com





Community Events

El Paso

Date	Time	Event	Location	Comment
Thursdays	1800	Cool Canyon Nights	McKelligon Canyon	Free
Fridays	1800	Alfresco Fridays	Arts Festival Plaza	Free
Fri-Sat JUL	2000	Viva El Paso	McKelligon Canyon	\$24/up
17 JUL 22	1100	Mission Trail Art Market	San Elizario	Free
17 JUL 22	1300	Billy the Kid Breakout Show	San Elizario	Free
28 JUL 22	All Day	Plaza Classic Film Fest begins through 7 AUG.	Plaza Theater	Ticket prices vary
6 AUG 22	2100	Concordia Cemetery Ghost Tour	Concordia Cemetery	\$20
27 AUG 22	1930	El Paso Opera Presents Frida	Abraham Chavez Theater	Ticket prices vary

www.visitelpaso.com





MWR Events

RUN FOR FREEDOM

NOEL FIELD & YOUTH SPORTS PLEX
JULY 23 CHECK IN 7:00-7:45AM
 RACE TIME 8AM (5K) – 8:05 (1 MILE)

This is a fun Run for Freedom before school is back in session. There will be a 1-mile for ages 3-8 or 5K race for all ages. Wear your patriotic colors (red/white/blue) and join us for the freedom run. For DoD cardholders, all ages welcome, parent participation is always welcomed.

Registration is required and can be done at the Youth Sports Plex or online at bliss.armymwr.com, search Youth Sports. Scan the QR code for the link.

Cost: \$5 each race.
 Late registration // Check-in: 7:00-7:45AM (Payments Day of Race is Cash Only)

INFO: 915-568-2617



SCAN TO REGISTER



DO WE HAVE TO
 TWIST YOUR ARM?

**LUCHA
 FRONTERA**

RETURNS TO FORT BLISS!



Sponsored by: **PHOENIX TRACK DIVISION SERVICES**

FRIDAY, JULY 22 • 6PM

FREE EVENT • FREE EVENT • FREE EVENT

STOUT PFC • 2930 CASSIDY ROAD • INFO: 915-588-8247





MWR Events

FORT BLISS, TX
RUN FOR THE FALLEN
 5k
JULY 30
Field of Honor
 Corner of Cassidy and Sheridan Rd.

8:00am: Remembrance Ceremony
 8:30am: Race Start

The names of our Fallen will be read followed by the 5k & 1 mile walk.

Registration is \$20 & is open through July 23 at Soto Gym and the Leisure Travel Services (LTS) located at Freedom Crossing.

Late registration and packet pick up will be Thursday, July 28 from 4:30pm - 7:00pm & Friday, July 29 from 10am-1pm at the Freedom Crossing Food Court. Additional \$10 fee will be incurred for late registration.

Packet pick up July 30 from 7-8:30am at the Field of Honor. Commemorative shirts for all registered participants. (sizes not guaranteed).

INFO: 915-744-5785

DUELING PIANOS



Saturday,
 August 6 • 8pm

Open To The Public!

Freedom Crossing
 Promenade

For tickets & info, call 915-568-6078/6741 or visit bliss.armymwr.com.

Come spend a night of singing & fun with NY NY Dueling Pianos!

General Admission: \$25 • VIP: \$45
 *Prizes for best dressed!

Dueling Pianos is part rock show, part comedy show and all sorts of craziness that involves the whole audience.



18+Only

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. To access Fort Bliss visit the Buffalo Soldier [by airport] or Chaffee Visitor Control Center (VCC) and obtain a Recreational Pass.



MWR Events- Oktoberfest tickets go on sale- 8/5



bliss.armymwr.com
Fort Bliss, TX

Oktoberfest

Est. 2014

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
6PM - MIDNIGHT
TICKETED NIGHTS, AGES 18+ ONLY

SUNDAY • 12-5PM
FREE FAMILY DAY

BIGGS PARK
SEPT.
16-18

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT BY:
TERRY CAVANAGH AND THE ALPINE EXPRESS
& THE GERMAN AIR FORCE SCHUHPLATTLERS

AUTHENTIC GERMAN FOOD & BEER
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

OKTOBERFEST IS OPEN TO FORT BLISS AND THE EL PASO COMMUNITY.
INFO: 915-588-8247

TICKETS
PROST!

ADMIT ONE

One-night ticket:
\$30 per person.
Includes collectible beer stein
(beer not included)

Two-night ticket:
\$50 per person.
Includes collectible beer stein
(beer not included)

Sunday is free

For Table Reservations,
call 915-568-6078.
Fees will apply.

Tickets available at
Leisure Travel Services locations
and Eventbrite.com beginning Aug.5

Non-DOD ID cardholders must obtain a
Recreational Pass at the Visitor Control Center.

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DISTRIBUTORS
HUMBLE. AGGRESSIVE. HONEST.

Pre-sale tickets available at Relocation Fair (AUG 4) with a \$5 discount per ticket (up to the first 100 sold for each night).





RSO





Fort Bliss Community Celebration

In Honor of 247th US Army Chaplain Corps Anniversary

Friday, July 29, 2022

11 am – 3 pm

@ Biggs Park



- Come and Connect with Religious/Spiritual Communities
- Explore Community Services on Fort Bliss
- Free food up to first 1,000 people entering the park
- Free games, water activities, and more!
- Free cake celebrating the Chaplain Corps Anniversary



Fort Bliss Religious Support Office
Tel: 915-568-1519





Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC)

Protestant Women of the Chapel

Sponsored by: Fort Bliss Religious Support Office

Gather: Tuesdays 9am - 12pm

1 AD Chapel: 11272 Biggs St



FALL KICK OFF BEGINS AUGUST 16TH

BIBLE STUDY

COMMUNITY

What we do:

- Building Community in Christ
- Teach women God's Word
- Develop women's spiritual gifts
- Involve women in Chapel Ministries





DPW



Summer is HERE...! Army Energy & Water Conservation

Energy & Water Resilience and Security ...and the News is not getting better...

Energy customers already seeing higher utility bills this summer

WAFB · 20 hours ago

High Power Costs Force US Industrials, Factories to Shut

Prepare for Painful Utility Bills, Gas Station Visits

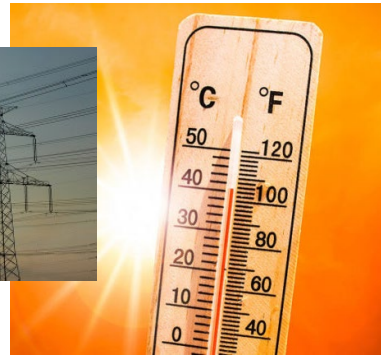
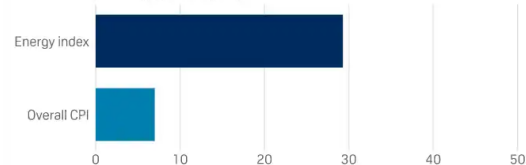
Kiplinger's Personal Finance · Jun 14

Texans face skyrocketing home energy bills as the state exports more natural gas than ever

The Texas Tribune · 2 days ago

ENERGY COSTS REMAIN TOP DRIVER OF US INFLATION

(% change, year-on-year)



✓ Conservation is KEY

- Turn off the lights!
- Don't waste energy!
- Don't waste water! Turn off the faucets when not in use.
- Report water leaks!
- Keep the doors and windows closed when the HVAC is on!
- Call **Service Order Desk 915.642.5477** to request repairs or use the **ArMA App!**

The **heat** is back and Energy and Water usage is WAY UP!
Don't Waste Energy or Water!

Report Energy Problems and Water Leaks to 915.642.5744

REMINDER → Summer Energy Consumption is the PEAK for Fort Bliss → **\$Millions per month**
Save Energy!!!





DPTMS



Fort Bliss Antiterrorism Program

See Something. Say Something!

- ✓ Report indicators of potential terrorist and criminal behavior/activities to Military Police, local law enforcement or chain of command



- ✓ Examples of suspicious behavior/activities include but aren't limited to the following:

- People conducting surveillance
- People covertly taking photos, drawings or measurements of, or around, important buildings
- People inquiring about security procedures or sensitive information
- Drones flying over the installation
- An unattended backpack, suitcase or package
- Vehicles parked in no parking zones in front of important buildings
- Unauthorized persons in restricted areas



- ✓ Be as detailed as possible when reporting suspicious activity and provide the following info:



- Time and date
- Location (be as specific as possible)
- Description of suspicious activity (e.g., taking pictures, left a package unattended)
- Number and description of persons involved (gender, height, weight, etc.)
- Number and description of vehicles involved





ASBP





Armed Services Blood Program



Weekly Quota	Quota Weeks	Weekly Quota Compliance
25 LTOWB 23 O + 5 O -	July 4 – July 8	(Est) 80%
	July 11 – July 15	(Est) 80%
	July 18 – July 22	(Est) 80%
	July 25 – July 29	(Est) 80%

- Quota compliance percentages are based off the blood drives scheduled for those weeks.
- June collections: 440
- Unit(s) tasked for the month of July per OPORD
 - 2/1 AD (Scheduled in June due to mission requirements)
 - DIVARTY (Not Scheduled)





Armed Services Blood Program

Scheduled Blood Drives for July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10	11 Cadet Summer Training TDY	12	13	14 McAfee Clinic WSMR	15 SRP	16
17	18 Reception BN	19 VA	20	21 Cadet Summer Training TDY	22	23
24	25 Reception BN	26 Cadet Summer Training TDY	27	28	29 Cadet Summer Training TDY	30

- Fort Bliss Blood Donor Center is in DIRE NEED OF ALL BLOOD types but SPECIFICALLY O positive & O negative
- Please contact Mr. Deylon Douglass @ 915-892-9245 or Deylon.a.Douglass.civ@mail.mil)



ASBP
Armed Services Blood Program





Freedom Crossing



Freedom Crossing- Calendar of Events



July

August 2022

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY	5	6	7	8 FRIDAY AT THE FIRE 7P-9P	9 FAMILY PLAY DATE 11A-1P
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 FRIDAY AT THE FIRE 7P-9P	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 TBD: B2S EVENT
31	1	2	3	4	5	6



Freedom Crossing- Calendar of Events



August

September 2022

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6 DUELING PIANOS 8P-11P
7	8	9	10	11	12 FRIDAY AT THE FIRE 7P-9P	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 TBD: FAMILY PLAY DATE
21	22	23	24	25	26 FRIDAY AT THE FIRE 7P-9P	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3





July - September

UNCLASSIFIED

★ Senior Leader attendance
 MWR Event
 Freedom Crossing

01-05

06-12

13-19

20-26

27-31

EPISD & SISD Summer Break June 02-August 01 / YISD June 03-Aug 01

July

Lucha Libre Masked Wrestling
22 Jul 1800, Stout Gym

Run for Freedom Kids Run
23 Jul, 0800, Youth Sports Plex

★ July Retirement Ceremony
27 Jul, 0900, 1AD Museum

Friday at the Fire
29 Jun, 1900-2100, @ Freedom Crossing (Outdoor Promenade)

Run for the Fallen
30 Jul, 0800, Wall of Honor

August

Relocation Fair
04 Aug, 1300-1500, Centennial

Dueling Pianos
6 Aug, 2000-2300, @ Freedom Crossing (Outdoor Promenade)

Cardboard Regatta
13 Aug, 1300, Community Pool

Friday at the Fire
15 Jul, 1900-2100, @ Freedom Crossing (Outdoor Promenade)

★ August Retirement Ceremony
31 Aug, 0900, 1AD Museum

September

Doggy Swim Day
10 Sept, 1100-1400, Community Pool

Oktoberfest
16-18 Sept, Biggs Park

★ September Retirement Ceremony
29 Sep, 0900, 1AD Museum





SLU POCs

- **RSO:CH** LTC Simon Chang,
915-568-5106
- **Freedom Crossing**: Mike Doblado
915-564-5311
- **DES**: Mr. Ronnie Ransbottom,
915-744-9143
- **FMWR-FB events**: Michele Wiernicki,
915-568-2554
- **DECA**: Jamal Alston
915-568-9897
- **AAFES**: Mr. Michael Brennan,
915-562-8851 ext. 107
- **WBAMC**: MAJ Lotisha Garvin,
915-742-5004
- **DENTAC**: COL Jay Owens,
915-742-6001
- **FMWR-ACS**: Ms. Nancy Thomas-Mainor,
915-569-7758
- **FBSA**: Dania Bandas,
president@thefbsa.org
- **BOSS**: SGT Karla Torres, 915-892-5195
- **USO**: Ms. Yolanda Castillo, 915-744-3480
- **Volunteer Office**: 915-569-7733
- **MWR-SLO**: Dwain Gulley, 915-568-2784
- **DPW Housing**: Ms. Yolanda Brown,
915-568-5309
- **BBC**: Ms. Letty Stevens, 915-496-2405
- **ASYMCA**: Mr. George Elsaesser, 915-263-7164
- **DHR- ACES**: Debbie Fetzer
915-568-6682
- **DHR- SFL/TAP**: Mr. Douglas Piltz, 915-568-7165
- **DHR-ASAP**: 915-744-5148
- **American Red Cross Volunteer Services**:
915-330-2978

