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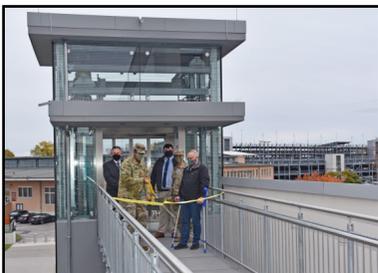
AMC's top leader outlines strategic initiatives, priorities

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. – Gen. Ed Daly, commanding general of Army Materiel Command, met with leaders from AMC's 10 major subordinate commands to synchronize efforts around his strategic priorities during the AMC Commander's Forum Oct. 28-29 at AMC headquarters. "It is really an assessment of where we are right now and challenging our own assumptions, facts and asking who we are and how we are doing things," Daly told the commanders. "It is important to have dialogue, and we want to hear from you."



New military spouse hiring program kicks off in Michigan

DETROIT ARSENAL, Mich. – Tank-automotive and Armaments Command has teamed up with Flagstar Bank and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation to provide career opportunities for military spouses. The Hiring Our Heroes Military Spouse Program connects military spouses to meaningful employment opportunities. "This is a commitment that we have made to the spouses and partners of our military personnel," said Kimberly Foley, Flagstar Bank Recruiting Director.



Garrison provides outside elevator to aid disabled employees

WIESBADEN, Germany – U.S. Army Garrison Wiesbaden employees with disabilities will now have better access to the Mission Command Center thanks to a newly constructed outside elevator. "Employees with disabilities are vital to our Army as Soldiers and civilians. The Americans with Disabilities Act and the National Disability Employment Awareness Month remind us of this," said Col. Mario A. Washington, U.S. Army Garrison Wiesbaden commander. "The elevator is one more step toward being a truly inclusive garrison."



AMC team enhances cybersecurity for production capabilities

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. – Employees across the enterprise joined forces to form the Autonomic Security Operations Center Innovation Team. The team developed data analytics tools that ensure logistics data for the Army and joint coalition partners have the confidentiality, integrity and availability that are critical to defense data security and readiness. For their efforts, the team was awarded the National Defense Industrial Association's Technology Award by the NDIA's Tennessee Valley chapter.



Fort Hunter Liggett leads the way in energy, water resiliency

FORT HUNTER LIGGETT, Calif. – U.S. Army Garrison Fort Hunter Liggett is positioned to achieve energy and water resilience in the next two years due to its long term planning efforts during the last decade. USAG FHL, the top Army Reserve installation in 2019 for energy consumption, produced 21.97 % of its electricity needs from renewable energy and reduced its potable water use intensity by 31 %. The garrison has won several energy and water management awards for its multi-strategic program effectiveness.

Eye On AMC



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AMC recognizes Vietnam veterans

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. – Army Materiel Command is working to rectify the lack of recognition of the nation’s Vietnam veterans by presenting them with a special Vietnam veteran lapel pin and other commemorative materials from an era long gone. AMC is an official Vietnam War commemorative partner, presenting the pins to Vietnam veterans who work for AMC or to family members of AMC employees.

Joint Munitions Command promotes readiness, safety

ROCK ISLAND, Ill. – Joint Munitions Command is continuously pursuing efforts to reduce the demilitarization stockpile to promote readiness, safety and efficiency. The process to demilitarize munitions is scheduled to undergo Low Rate Initial Production during the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2020. With successful LRIP, the operation will transition to production demil in the first quarter of fiscal year 2021.

Tobyhanna named repair source for surveillance

TOBYHANNA, Pa. – Tobyhanna Army Depot has been named the depot source of repair for the Persistent Surveillance Systems – Tethered, a key piece of surveillance equipment used across the Department of Defense that enables Soldiers to gather constant intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance data by using an aerostat – an enormous balloon that uses buoyant gas to hover at low altitudes.

Aberdeen offers virtual hiring opportunities

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Organizations across Aberdeen Proving Ground will accept resumes during a virtual career fair Nov. 9-10. The hiring event, hosted by Communications-Electronics Command, will provide opportunities for applicants to submit their resumes through an online, mobile recruiting application. Aberdeen Proving Ground is relying on its social media channels to engage potential candidates

Chapel volunteers bring community to life

WIESBADEN, Germany – Several volunteer ministry groups play an important role in meeting the spiritual needs of the U.S. Army Garrison Wiesbaden community. Approximately 100 people volunteer in some capacity for one of the educational auxiliary organizations or mass and worship services. “Volunteers are the hands and feet of our ministry and quite often the creative heads and hearts, too,” said Garrison Chap. (Lt. Col.) Jeffrey Dillard.

ANAD recognizes National American Indian Heritage Month

ANNISTON ARMY DEPOT, Ala. – During the month of November, Anniston Army Depot will recognize National American Indian and Alaskan Native Heritage Month by acknowledging the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute theme commemorating the 75th Anniversary of WWII, “Honoring the Past, Securing the Future.” American Indians and Alaskan Natives continue to play a key role in their contributions to our country.

Focus on the Force



IMCOM-P NCO of the Year embodies excellence

ACC-RI employee receives Army Small Business award

LEAD recognizes exceptional employees

Army civilian reflects on family’s rich military heritage.



New tool enables commanders to prevent high-risk behaviors

Army distributes 1.6 million flu vaccines

Fort Hood cultivates leaders with Operation Phantom Action

DOD, industry to synchronize C-sUAS solutions