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AMC commander recognizes Surface Warriors at SDDC visit

SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE, Ill. – Gen. Ed Daly, commanding general of the Army Materiel Command, recognized six Surface Warriors for exceptional performance during a recent visit to the Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command headquarters. Daly, who was joined by Command Sgt. Maj. Alberto Delgado, presented commander's coins prior to the command's operations update. Daly applauded SDDC for the "exceptional work that's achieved here every day. You can feel the professionalism of the SDDC workforce."



Army leaders gain understanding of Fort Greely's challenges

FORT GREELY, Alaska – Gen. Joseph Martin, the 37th Vice Chief of Staff of the Army, and Lt. Gen. Jason Evans, Deputy Chief of Staff, G9, along with several other Army leaders gained a better understanding of how Fort Greely and two other Alaskan installations are leaning forward to embrace the Arctic Strategy, enhance quality of life for Army families living in Interior Alaska and address unique challenges of supporting readiness in an extreme-weather environment. The other two installations were Fort Wainwright and Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson.



IMCOM CG tours housing, barracks at Fort Rucker

FORT RUCKER, Ala. – During a tour of housing and barracks facilities at Fort Rucker, Installation Management Command's Lt. Gen. Douglas Gabram said he is impressed with the work the garrison is doing to support the mission, and Soldiers and families. Gabram also took a close look at how IMCOM can further help the Home of Army Aviation in producing the world's finest aviators. "We appreciate everything you're doing here," Gabram said to garrison officials. "You're doing it for all of the right reasons – you're taking care of our Soldiers and families."



AMCOM G-1 hopes for another success at BEYA career fair

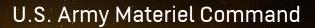
REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. – For more than three decades, BEYA – Black Engineer of the Year Award and Becoming Everything You Are – has played a significant role in recruiting minorities into STEM careers. While the Aviation and Missile Command's involvement in the conference is relatively new, the military is one of BEYA's largest STEM employers. The Army Materiel Command will host a virtual hiring event Feb. 18-19 during the 36th BEYA STEM Global Competitiveness Conference and AMCOM will participate in hopes of filling 30 STEM positions..



Romania strengthens alliance, homeland defense with Patriot

PORT OF CONSTANTA, Romania -- Romania has received its first shipment of the U.S. Patriot surface-to-air missile system. The shipment this month was part of a \$3.9 billion foreign military sale managed by the U.S. Army Security Assistance Command that will boost Romania's defensive capabilities and their military modernization plans. The Patriot and other FMS purchases, like the U.S.-made HIMARS and F-16 fighter jets, puts Romania in line to increase military spending to 2% of its GDP by 2024, the minimum amount required of NATO members.

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ArMA to expand 'fence-to-fence' at Army installations

SAN ANTONIO – The Army Maintenance Activity, or ArMA, is expanding to all facilities across each of the 73 installations managed by Army Installation Management Command in 2022. Aligned with Army modernization efforts, ArMA digitizes the work order process for all Army-owned facilities with a centralized system for submission and tracking. "This is part of the Army operating in the information age – not just for housing but for all facilities on the installation, which is what we call fence-to-fence," said Doug Enfield, ArMA program manager.



Transitioning Soldiers find success through Army job program

FORT LEONARD WOOD, Mo. – For many Soldiers, securing a successful career after serving in the Army starts with the opportunities they take advantage of as they begin to transition out of the military. One of the major resources that prepares Soldiers is the Army Career Skills Program. The program provides transitioning Soldiers the opportunity to participate in employment-skills training, on-the-job training, pre-apprenticeships and internships with a high probability of employment in high-demand and highly-skilled jobs.



Fort Knox's primary water treatment plant resumes operations

FORT KNOX, Ky. – After being shut down in November 2020, Fort Knox's Muldraugh Water Treatment Plant is once again operational and treating water for the installation and the city of Muldraugh. Fort Knox Public Works Director Jason Root said the decision to conduct a \$15 million renovation to the plant was made out of necessity. "While workers have maintained the facility for the past 80 years through routine maintenance and spot repairs, it simply outlived its useful life and was not nearly as efficient as what we have now," Root said.

Modern traffic technology enhances mobility at Fort Benning

FORT BENNING, Ga. – Fort Benning Directorate of Public Works has deployed innovative traffic technology known as NaviGAtor to ease driver commute time and enhancing safety at Fort Benning. "We have about an average of 34,200 vehicles accessing the installation daily," said Jim Webster, Directorate of Emergency Services. NaviGAtor provides real-time speed, volume, and travel time data using closed-circuit television, video detection cameras, ramp meters and dynamic message signs.

Defender Café Warrior Restaurant best garrison dining facility in Europe

KAISERSLAUTERN, Germany – Love was in the air for the Defender Café Warrior Restaurant on Valentine's Day when the dining facility was presented trophies by the 405th Army Field Support Brigade Feb. 14 for best garrison dining facility in Europe. The Defender Café Warrior Restaurant will next represent U.S. Army Europe and Africa and the 405th AFSB in the upcoming 54th Annual Department of the Army Philip A. Connelly Competition.

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USAG Wiesbaden stands prepared to support

WIESBADEN, Germany – U.S. Army Garrison Wiesbaden has been executing a variety of support missions to accommodate incoming Soldiers. The Garrison's Directorate of Public Works has provided initial Logistics Support Area assessments and prepared potential facilities for incoming Soldiers. These are moves designed to respond to the current security environment and reinforce the deterrent and defensive posture on NATO's eastern flank.

Army claims processors offer aid in Hawaii

FORT KNOX, Ky. – The Fort Knox office committed to helping Army Soldiers worldwide recoup property damages and losses has made unprecedented headway recently in processing claims for close to 7,000 Soldies and family members displaced in Hawaii. A recent jet fuel leak that contaminated the drinking water at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam in Hawaii caused CPCS to switch gears from processing household goods claims due to PCS moves.

Facility helps Soldiers maintain readiness no matter what

FORT STEWART, Ga. – While most think of field training when they consider the readiness of our Soldiers, the Mower Soldier Readiness Center on Fort Stewart focuses on an aspect of readiness many outsiders do not think about – the health and administrative readiness of infantry Soldiers. The SRC is a one stop shop for Soldiers who are in-processingn and also for those who are preparing for training or deployment and deployment.

Fort Hamilton tests capabilities with Continuity of Operations

FORT HAMILTON, N.Y. – One of the U.S. Army's guiding priorities is readiness. In alignment with this priority, Fort Hamilton's Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization and Security recently kicked-off their annual protection-themed exercise program with a Continuity of Operations Program training event. This program is essential for garrisons to enhance readiness, respond to threats, and improve interoperability with mission partners.

Installation Services Director learns about Fort Campbell

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky. – Installation Services Director Michael E. Reheuser, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff G-9 assessed conditions of housing, barracks, environmental programs and municipal service during a recent visit to Fort Campbell. While on post, Reheuser took a closeup look at the installation's housing options, water treatment plants, and the restored native grasslands in the Fort Campbell training areas.

Town hall leadership praises participation in housing survey

KAISERSLAUTERN, Germany – The ongoing Army housing survey was one of several topics discussed at the recent Baumholder Military Community quarterly housing town hall held online. According to Baumholder Deputy Garrison Manager Jae Kim, as of Feb. 8, the garrison's participant response rate to the ongoing Army Tenant Satisfaction Survey sits at 38.5%. "We have really hit the mark already of what we achieved at the end of the last survey," Kim said.



ACC-NJ leader recognized with POTUS letter of appreciation

> CECOM safety pro recognized by AMC

USAISEC engineer recognized for creative problem solving

USAG Wiesbaden earns award for community partnership



More U.S. troops deploying to Europe, Guard leaving Ukraine

U.S., U.K. armies agree to share FVL program info

Pentagon exhibit honors military contributions of Black Americans

SMA announces inaugural Best Squad Competition

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