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Letterkenny Army Depot manifests modernization momentum

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa. – Gen. Ed Daly, commanding general of the Army Materiel Command, and AMC Organic Industrial Base Modernization Task Force members, visited Letterkenny Army Depot — also called LEAD — Jan. 13 to discuss the installation's modernization plan and how it dovetails with AMC's priorities. According to Daly, the goal for OIB installations is to demonstrate a clear modernization vision, be poised for the divestiture of legacy systems and sustain enduring and future systems.



Army completes major logistical automation system migration

CAMP HENRY, Republic of Korea – The Army Field Support Battalion – Northeast Asia, recently completed a major logistics automation system migration. Part of their mission is to maintain and account for Army Prepositioned Stocks-4 that is comprised of unit sets, operational projects and sustainment stocks. As the Army War Reserve Deployment System was designed to assist in the accountability, inventory, readiness, maintenance and transfer of Army Prepositioned Stock assets, maintaining operational readiness standards was a daily challenge.



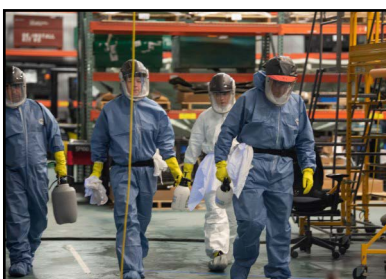
Construction and a 'need to know'

FORT GORDON, Ga. – The Fort Gordon garrison command team, Balfour Beatty Communities staff and housing leaders hosted a virtual housing town hall on Jan. 13. Much of the discussion revolved around home construction and the recently released Tenant Satisfaction Survey. Fort Gordon Garrison Commander Col. Shaw Pick emphasized the importance of residents taking time to complete the survey, noting that feedback from it will be given to both BBC and Army officials.



MICC key in delivering power of Army contracting in 2022

JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO-FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas – Brig. Gen. Doug Lowery, commanding general, Mission and Installation Contracting Command, writes to how the MICC delivers the power of Army contracting to Army commands and garrisons within the strategic support area to ensure a globally dominant land force capability. He said now is the time to forge relationships and proactively reach out through contract terrain walks with our supported units and coordinate and synchronize the requirements they need.



Tobyhanna Army Depot nets high-level Army safety award

TOBYHANNA, Pa. – An overall commitment to employee wellbeing and workplace safety earned Tobyhanna Army Depot impressive recognition last week. The organization was honored with the 2021 U.S. Army Materiel Command Industrial Operations Safety Award for its impressive safety program. Tobyhanna secured the award based upon four areas of program excellence: management and employee involvement; modernization efforts; hazard and prevention control; and a robust safety and occupational health training program.



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PEOPLE FIRST – QUALITY OF LIFE UPDATES



Exchange Wellness Services help military families year-round

DALLAS – The Army & Air Force Exchange Service helps the military community achieve their health goals with a wide range of wellness services. The Exchange's BE FIT program takes a holistic approach to health and wellness, including expanding wellness services available on installations. Beneficiaries can find durable medical equipment, cryotherapy, optometry offices and dental services at Exchange locations. Chiropractic care, which launched in 2022, is the latest medical service in the Exchange's portfolio of health and wellness offerings.



EAP is a free service to help balance life and work

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M. – When most people think about the Army Substance Abuse Program, they believe the services are solely for those with alcohol and drug problems. However, the ASAP office offers so much more, for all employees and their families, through their Employee Assistance Program. The program focuses on various issues an employee may face that may hinder their work productivity. The goal is to provide solution-focused brief intervention for employees on challenges ranging from stress at work to marital issues at home.



Fort Hood DPW efforts align with safety culture, program

FORT HOOD, Texas – The Directorate of Public Works Operations and Maintenance Division's safety program has been at the forefront of the garrison's efforts to promote and embrace a safety culture here. The division's collateral duty safety officers, also known as CDSOs, meet weekly to collaborate and brainstorm ideas to educate and engage their peers on a variety of safety topics for work and home.

Ansbach VSO assists transitioning Soldiers, veterans

ANSBACH, Germany – Understanding their veteran benefits and how to get them is a major concern of many transitioning Soldiers and veterans living overseas. The Ansbach Veterans Service Office assists all who need assistance with their veterans' benefits not only in the Ansbach area but across all of the European continent, Africa, China, and Middle East. Transitioning soldiers, either retiring or exiting service, can start the process with filing their claim 180 days from separation or retirement.

Commissary not exempt from national supply chain shortages

FORT LEE, Va. – Store Director Sean Farrell took a moment this week to describe the state of Fort Lee Commissary operations amid national supply chain interruptions largely attributed to the coronavirus pandemic. "We [the nation's grocers] are all experiencing the same challenges with respect to product availability due to worldwide logistics and manufacturing challenges," he observed during a Jan. 26 interview.

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Winter Olympic Soldier-athletes share stories ahead of Games

WASHINGTON – Spc. Frank Del Duca had a plan to reach his first Olympic Games in 2022. The Army's World Class Athlete Program helped him achieve it. This February Del Duca will make his Olympic debut in Beijing and will be joined by second-time Olympians Spc. Ben Loomis, the top U.S. competitor in Nordic combined skiing, Sgt. Emily Sweeney, who will compete in luge singles, Spc. Hakeem Abdul-Saboor, a bobsled brakeman, and Spc. Jasper Good.

Fort Hood Cavalry unit provides support to APS site

EYGELSHOVEN, Netherlands – The team at Army Field Support Battalion-Benelux, 405th Army Field Support Brigade, received some welcome support at their Army Prepositioned Stock-2 worksite in Eyselshoven recently. Eight Soldier mechanics traveled to Eyselshoven and worked at the APS-2 site for nearly two weeks. These Soldiers assisted with the completion of 127 quality assurance inspections, 76 radio inspections and inventories of shop equipment.

New products from the Sustainment Center of Excellence

FORT LEE, Va. – As a means of empowering both sustainers and non-sustainers alike, the Sustainment Center of Excellence developed a series of new products that will increase your knowledge and sharpen your skills. New products include a modernized interface for the Army Sustainment Resource Portal, an updated Sustainment Training Strategy and Briage Combat Teams Logistics Battle Book, plus more.

902nd CBN Soldiers complete Fort Bliss OAW support

JOINT BASE LEWIS-MCCHORD, Wash. – Soldiers from the 902nd Contracting Battalion at Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington, recently completed contracting support and contract administration services for Operation Allies Welcome at Dona Ana Village outside Fort Bliss, Texas. Dona Ana Village was one of eight installations supporting the resettlement mission.

IMCOM's Fire and Emergency Services award winners

JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO, Texas – U.S. Army Installation Management Command has selected 12 recipients for the 2021 Department of Defense Fire and Emergency Services awards to proceed to the next level of competition. Each fire department and individual nominated represents the best of the command's 73 fire departments and more than 4,000 firefighters.

Historic events, high-level training and new mission in 2021

FORT MCCOY, Wisc. – Fort McCoy continued a busy training schedule in the second half of 2021 in addition to accepting a new mission in the form of Operation Allies Refuge, later known as Operation Allies Welcome. That operation was among many historic events on post in the second half of 2021.

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drives high performance**

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