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Thursday, March 19, 2026

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



## Regimental Best Mapper to showcase geospatial capabilities used in military operations

Geospatial engineers from around the world are navigating to Fort Leonard Wood, the home of the U.S. Army Engineer Regiment, to compete in the Regimental Best Mapper Competition March 27-30, 2026.



## Sapper Leader Course: forging elite combat-ready engineers since 1985

Of the four permanent individual skill tabs authorized for wear by the U.S. Army, one is earned exclusively at Fort Leonard Wood — the Sapper Tab.



## 43rd Adjutant General Battalion civilian best in T2COM

Alphonso Brown, reception operations chief with the U.S. Army Maneuver Support Center of Excellence's 43rd Adjutant General Battalion (Reception), is the Transformation and Training Command's 2025 Adjutant General Senior Civilian of the Year Award winner.



## Commissaries to start selling single-use paper, plastic bags April 6

Starting April 6, commissaries will start charging for each single-use paper or plastic bag. Cost associated with this change is 5 cents for plastic and 10 cents for paper single-use bags.

Read these stories and more at <https://www.army.mil/paowood>.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Exchange craft fair

The Fort Leonard Wood Exchange has scheduled a craft fair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., March 21 at the Mini Mall in Bldg. 490. In addition to craft vendors, there will be photos with the Easter Bunny, food trucks and a scavenger hunt.

### Overseas orientation

Army Community Service has an [overseas briefing](#) every Tuesday for permanent party and advanced individual training service members with orders to Korea, Germany, Alaska or Hawaii for the first time. Discussions include the process, procedures and expectations. The next briefing is set for 8 a.m., March 24 at ACS, Bldg. 486. To reserve a seat, call 573.596.4923.

### Housing town hall

Fort Leonard Wood's newly elected community mayors are set to be introduced at the quarterly housing town hall at 6 p.m., March 26 at Stonegate Community Center.

### MWR Easter egg hunt

Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation is hosting an [Easter egg hunt](#) at 1 p.m., March 28 at the Clapp Sports Complex for children ages 12 and younger. The Easter Bunny also plans to hop by the sports complex to be available for photos. For more information, call Installation Wide Events at 573.596.6913.

### RSO Easter Journey

The Fort Leonard Wood Religious Support Office has planned an Easter Journey from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., March 28 at the Main Post Chapel. The event is scheduled to include scenes from Easter week, including a Palm Sunday parade and food prepared for the Passover, with crafts and an egg hunt planned for children. To sign up for a tour, starting every 30 minutes from 9 to 11:30 a.m., call 573.596.0089, or email [martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil](mailto:martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil).

### Spring Faith Skills classes

The Fort Leonard Wood Religious

Support Office is offering its spring Faith Skills religious education classes on Wednesday evenings now through May 6 at the Main Post Chapel. Classes include a dinner at 5:30 p.m., followed by classes until 7:30 p.m. Call 573.596.0089, or email [martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil](mailto:martha.a.strong.civ@army.mil), for details.

### Easter Sunrise Service

An Easter Sunrise Service is scheduled for 6:30 a.m., April 5 at Soldier Memorial Chapel.

### Tenant Satisfaction Survey

The U.S. Army has launched its annual [Tenant Satisfaction Survey](#), to gather feedback from tenants in privatized, government-owned and government-leased housing. This confidential and voluntary survey is a tool for the Army to assess and improve the quality of life for Soldiers and families. Tenants who do not receive the survey should contact the Fort Leonard Wood housing office at 573.596.0413.



## MWR EVENTS & SPECIALS - LEONARDWOOD.ARMYMWR.COM



**MARCH 27**  
**6PM-7:30PM**  
**YSF SOCCER FIELDS**

JOIN YSF AND FLW UNITED SOCCER TEAM FOR A FREE SKILLS AND DRILLS CLINIC! OPEN TO AGES 5 - 15.

**—YOUTH SOCCER CLINIC**



**EASTER BRUNCH**

**MARCH 28, 10AM**  
*Pershing Community Center*

Bring the family to enjoy a delicious brunch!



**PLAY IT FORWARD**  
**GARRISON GOLF SCRAMBLE**

**MAR 28, 10AM**