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Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri



MSCoE's first command chief warrant officer passes saber to successor

Maneuver Support Center of Excellence and Fort Leonard Wood Command Chief Warrant Officer 5 Dean Registe relinquished responsibility to Chief Warrant Officer 5 Angela Rulewich during a ceremony June 17, 2026, in Lincoln Hall Auditorium.



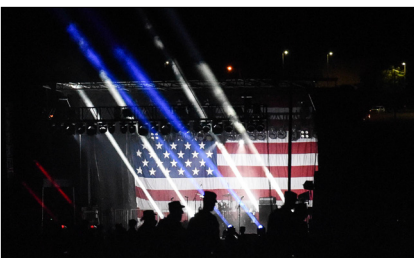
368th TRS bids farewell to McKinley, welcomes Casebolt during ceremony

The U.S. Air Force 368th Training Squadron held a change-of-command ceremony June 16, 2026, in the Engineer Regimental Room at Fort Leonard Wood, where Lt. Col. Kevin McKinley relinquished command to Lt. Col. Jared Casebolt.



Healing the soul: FLW chaplains receive 'important' moral injury training

The role of a U.S. Army chaplain is multifaceted; at times they not only help Soldiers spiritually but also holistically. As part of this holistic approach, chaplains across Fort Leonard Wood came together June 17, 2026, to gain an understanding of moral injury, adding it to their list of helping tools.



Fort Leonard Wood to host star-spangled Independence Day celebration

To mark America's historic 250th anniversary, Fort Leonard Wood is hosting a jam-packed lineup of family activities July 3-4, 2026, crowned by one of central Missouri's "grandest" fireworks display, according to Eli Wilson, Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation Community Activities manager.

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



Outdoor Adventure Center — gateway to Fort Leonard Wood excursions

Fort Leonard Wood's adventure seekers can discover their next outdoor pursuit at the Outdoor Adventure Center. Managed by Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, the hub offers a wide range of recreational activities for authorized military and civilian guests.

NEWS BRIEFS

Garrison CoC

U.S. Army Garrison Fort Leonard Wood is scheduled to host a change-of-command ceremony at 9 a.m., June 25 on the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence Plaza, where Col. Steven Bartley will relinquish command to Col. Eric McCall.

Right Arm Night

[Right Arm Night](#), a social gathering with refreshments and camaraderie, is scheduled for 4-5 p.m., June 26 at the Pershing Community Center. The event is open to ages 18 and older.

Fort Leonard Wood VBS

The Religious Support Office is

hosting Vacation Bible School from 9 a.m. to noon, July 20-24 at the Main Post Chapel. Classes are for students going into kindergarten through sixth grade. Register a child [here](#).

Army Reserve small arms match

The 3rd Brigade Chemical, an Army Reserve unit with the 102nd Training Division, is planning to host a combat pistol competition with the Army Reserve Marksmanship Unit and Army Reserve Careers Group Aug. 19-20 at Fort Leonard Wood. [Registration](#) is open to all Army component Soldiers until Aug. 7. This event will allow Soldiers an opportunity to earn and replace current marksmanship badges.

For more information, contact Master Sgt. Keith Wilson at keith.m.wilson4.mil@army.mil.

Kids bowl free

[Kids can bowl for free](#) through Aug. 21 at the Daugherty Bowling Center. At kidsbowlfree.com parents and guardians can sign their children up for two free games every day. Shoe rental is at the regular rate. For more information, call 573.596.1498.

Suicide prevention helpline

The national suicide prevention and mental health helpline is available by calling 9-8-8. Veterans may press "1" for military and veteran care.



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Daugherty Bowling Center
FATHER'S DAY
June 21
10:30am - 2pm



REC PLEX
FATHER'S DAY
SPECIAL
JUNE 21
12-7PM
REC PLEX & WALLACE POOL

CELEBRATE DAD WITH \$5 MINI GOLF AND \$3 POOL ENTRY

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER WILL BE ON-SITE FOR AXE THROWING!



250th
4TH OF JULY
CELEBRATION
CAR SHOW

PRESENTING SPONSORS
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GAMMON FIELD



Maria Cassidy, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office



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Above: As the sun rises over Fort Leonard Wood June 12, Soldiers assemble on Gammon Field, standing in formation ahead of the 251st Army birthday run.

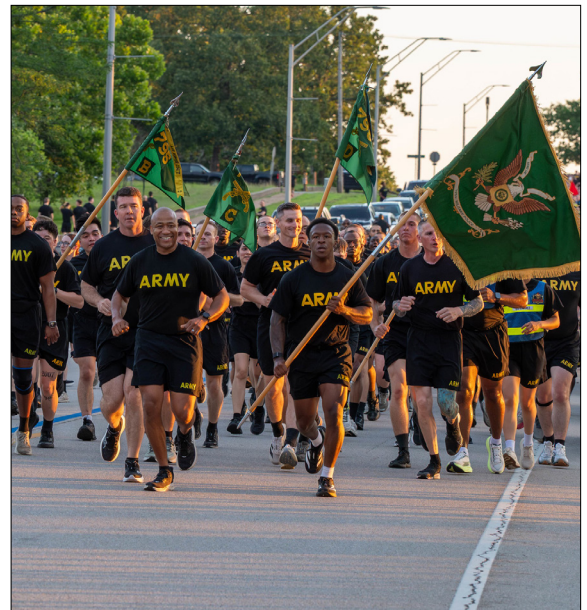
Left: Maj. Gen. Christopher Beck, Maneuver Support Center of Excellence and Fort Leonard Wood commanding general, leads Fort Leonard Wood service members in a three-mile division style run down Constitution Avenue. Soldiers, sailors, airmen, Marines and international partners participated in the event celebrating the U.S. Army.

Honoring the past, securing the future: FLW celebrates Army's 251st birthday



Sgt. Yaritza Alejandro Perez, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

As part of the cake-cutting tradition, Fort Leonard Wood's youngest and oldest Soldiers (right cake), Pvt. Riley Dixon, with the 1st Engineer Brigade, and Col. Pierre Pierce, a Fort Leonard Wood Dental Health Activity dentist, assist Maj. Gen. Christopher Beck, MSCoE and Fort Leonard Wood commanding general, with the cutting of a cake. The most and least tenured Department of the Army civilians (left cake), Nancy Gregory, secretary of the general staff, and Stephen Hajdas, a 3rd Chemical Brigade physical therapist, assist MSCoE Command Sgt. Maj. Keyon Cummings with the cutting of their cake.



Cpl. Jesse Gonzales, Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office

795th Military Police Brigade Soldiers take part in Fort Leonard Wood's commemorative run celebrating 251 years of the Army. More photos from the celebration can be viewed on [Fort Leonard Wood's Flickr page](#).