



THE  
**FORT DETRICK WEEKLIES**  
ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS AND TRAINING

Dec. 7, 2017 – Jan. 7, 2018

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If you have any article submissions you would like considered for the Fort Detrick website please send them to [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@mail.mil).

**USAG Fort Detrick on Social Media**

You can follow USAG Fort Detrick on social media for daily updates and information. On Facebook go to: [www.facebook.com/DetrickUSAG](http://www.facebook.com/DetrickUSAG) and "Like" us, or follow us on Twitter: @DetrickUSAG.

As a reminder, all social media sites must be registered with Army. For more information contact the Public Affairs Office.

The Fort Detrick Weeklies can now be found on the Fort Detrick homepage [www.detrick.army.mil](http://www.detrick.army.mil) under "Weeklies" and "Announcements".

**Announcements**

- **Legal Assistance Office Reduced Hours Friday, Dec. 8**

The Fort Detrick Legal Assistance and Claims Office at 1520 Freedman Drive, Room 227, will be closed for client services starting at 11 a.m. on Friday, Dec. 8. If there is an emergency between 1-4 p.m. on Dec. 8 requiring immediate assistance, please contact the Fort Detrick Legal Administrator CW2 Christina Malpass at (301) 619-1108 or Ms. Shelly Ann Arjoonsingh at (301) 619-2543. If this is not an emergency, be advised that the Legal Assistance and Claims Office will reopen at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 11.

The Office of the Staff Judge Advocate is currently having renovations at the regular legal office location, so the staff is currently at a restricted access temporary facilities (which explains the need to call for assistance in the event of an emergency).

- **Holiday Gate Hours and Closures for FY18**

In Support of the FY18 Federal Holiday schedule all visitor centers and gates EXCEPT Nallin Farm Gate at Fort Detrick and Brookville Gate at Forest Glen will be closed on the following days:

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- Christmas - Dec. 24-25
- New Year's Day - Dec. 31 - Jan. 1, 2018
- Martin Luther King Day - Jan. 15, 2018
- Washington's Birthday - Feb. 19, 2018
- Memorial Day - May 28, 2018
- Independence Day - July 4, 2018
- Labor Day - Sept. 3, 2018

**\*\*Vetting operations at Fort Detrick for all Holidays will occur at Nallin Gate\*\***  
Nallin Farm Gate and Brookville Gate will be open 24/7.

- **Toys for Tots Foundation Drop Off Locations:**

Barquist Clinic / Dental Clinic

Fort Detrick Commissary

Fort Detrick Fire Station 50

Please drop off new unwrapped toys for children of all ages until Dec. 15.

For more information and other drop off locations visit [toysfortots.org](http://toysfortots.org)

- **Warrant Officer Recruiting Brief**

**Are you ready to take your career to the next level as an Army Warrant Officer?**

The U.S. Army Warrant Officer Recruiting Team will be in your area conducting briefings on qualifications and application procedures to become an Army Warrant Officer.

Dec. 12

2 briefing times at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Fort Detrick Auditorium, Building 1520

- **Installation Holiday Run**

Dec. 15

6:30 – 7:30 a.m.

Blue and Gray Field

- **Operation Happy Holidays Has Begun (Oct. 15 – Dec. 21)**

If you are interested in donating gift cards to approved families or even applying as a recipient, the deadline to apply is Dec. 8. Donation forms and recipient applications can be found at: <https://installation.detrick.army.mil/forms/pdf/FD216-1.pdf>

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For more information call (301) 619-3456

- **The Household Goods/Personal Property, Passports and Travel Offices will be moving** from Building 1520 to Building 9200 Ambers Meadow Drive, 2nd floor, Rm: 218 starting January 1, 2018. Phone numbers will remain the same.
- **Army Family Action Plan Virtual Town Hall**  
Army Community Services will host an AFAP Virtual Town Hall on January 11, 2018 beginning at 2 p.m. You can start submitting issues now!

The purposes of the town hall is to identify and elevate the most significant quality of life issues impacting Soldiers (all components), Retirees, Department of Army (DA) Civilians, and Families to senior leaders for action.

Use the AFAP Facebook page to submit issues (<https://www.facebook.com/DetrickAFAP>)  
Also, use the AFAP drop boxes located at ACS, Building 1520, and at the Barquist Army Health Center, Building 1434.

## Vanpool Vacancies

- **Available from Hagerstown.**  
Van runs Monday - Friday departing Hagerstown at 6:15 a.m. for duty day beginning at 7 a.m. and ending at 4:30 p.m. Friday departure from Fort Detrick is at 3:30 p.m. If interested please contact Jay Subetto (301) 619-6313.
- **Available from Waynesboro, PA.**  
Van runs Monday - Friday departing Waynesboro Food Lion at 5:45 a.m. for duty day beginning at 6:30 a.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m. If interested please contact Paul Jones (301) 619-1707.

## FMWR EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

For a complete list of upcoming events or for more information on the events listed, visit the Fort Detrick FMWR website: <http://detrick.armymwr.com/us/detrick/>

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## TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

- **TARP Training**  
Dec. 6  
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.  
Fort Detrick Auditorium, Building 1520  
All DOD Military, Civilians and Contractors assigned to Fort Detrick who are required to complete this training for FY 18 have the opportunity to attend.
- **TARP Training**  
Dec. 13  
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.  
Fort Detrick Auditorium, Building 1520  
All DOD Military, Civilians and Contractors assigned to Fort Detrick who are required to complete this training for FY 18 have the opportunity to attend.

## HOLIDAY HOURS AROUND THE INSTALLATION

- **Barquist and Pharmacy Closures:**  
Friday, Dec. 15 – Closed from 11:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
Monday, Dec. 25 – Closed entire day for Christmas Day  
Tuesday, Dec. 26 – Closed entire day for Training Holiday  
Monday, Jan. 1 – Closed for New Year's Day
- **Commissary:**  
Sunday, Dec. 17 open 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Monday, Dec. 18 open 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Tuesday, Dec. 19 open 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
Wednesday, Dec. 20 open 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Thursday, Dec. 21 open 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
Friday, Dec. 22 open 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Saturday, Dec. 23 open 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Sunday, Dec. 24 open 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
The rest of the month will be our regular schedule hours.

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- **FMWR**

**December:**

Community Activities Center CLOSED Dec. 20 – Dec. 29

Café Too – CLOSED Dec. 20 – Dec. 29

Food Truck – CLOSED Dec. 20 – Dec. 29

CYS Fort Detrick and Forest Glen CLOSING at 4 p.m. Dec. 22

Fort Detrick Fitness and Pool CLOSED Dec. 24

Auto Shop CLOSED Dec. 26

Fort Detrick Fitness and Pool CLOSED 31 Dec.

December 25 – Christmas

**January 2018:**

January 1 – New Year’s Day

Auto Center – CLOSED Jan. 2

- **Staff Judge Advocate Legal Assistance and Claims Office**

Dec. 15 – Closing at 11 a.m. - Staff Judge Advocate Office holiday party day

Dec. 22 – Closing at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25 – Closed for Christmas

Dec. 26 – Closed

Dec. 29 - Closing at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1 – Closed for New Year’s Day

Jan. 2 – Closed

Jan. 15 – Closed for Martin Luther King Holiday

- **Toastmasters Meeting**

Toastmasters International is a non-profit organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of clubs. The Fort Detrick club meets on the base from 12-1pm at the NCI Café Room every 2nd and 4th Tuesday. For more information, please visit our website: <https://fortdetrick.toastmastersclubs.org/>

Address: NCI Cafeteria, Building 549, Café Room, Sultan Drive, NCI at Frederick

\*Upcoming room changes\* the meetings will be held in the Building 549,

Conference Rm D on the following dates: 11/14/17 and 12/12/17.

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**In Our Communities**

**Frederick:** <http://www.visitfrederick.org/events> and <http://www.celebratefrederick.com>

**Silver Spring:** <http://www.silverspringdowntown.com/calendar>

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