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**FORT DETRICK IS CURRENTLY FPCON BRAVO**

The next publication of The Standard is October 30. If you have any submissions you would like considered for the paper please send them to [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.pao@mail.mil) by COB Friday, Oct. 23.

**The Fort Detrick Standard**

The October 16 edition of the Standard can be viewed [here](#).

Look for new exciting news in the next edition which is published October 30! See some of the previews for the next edition below.

- **Fort Detrick Civilian Receives Distinguished Civilian Service Award**

The Department of Defense's highest honor for a civilian employee is the Distinguished Civilian Service Award. This award is given to civilians that have made significant contribution to the overall success of the DOD. The recipients exude the highest levels of integrity and dedication to the mission.

- **USAMMA to Field New Portable Oxygen Generator**

The U.S. Army Medical Materiel Agency will soon begin fielding a new 12-lb. portable oxygen generator that will drastically reduce logistical issues related to oxygen supply for patient care in the field.

- **Winter Weather Conference**

Members of the Fort Detrick community gathered Oct. 21 in the Community Support Center to share information about how to receive information regarding closings and delays, AtHoc registration and emergency preparedness in the event of weather events.

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## 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.

For Forest Glen social media go to: <https://www.facebook.com/ForestGlenAnnex> and Twitter: @ForestGlenAnnex

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

## Customer Service Feedback

Do you want to recognize good performance or let us know areas for improvement? Please take a few moments of your time to tell us how we are doing by visiting the ICE link at <https://www.detrick.army.mil>.

## Announcements

- **SharePoint Site Migrating to DISA**

The Fort Detrick Garrison SharePoint site will migrate to the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) site on Nov. 5 as part of the Army's enterprise solution plan. When the SharePoint site is completely migrated, users can expect a link that will forward them to the enterprise solution site. The new SharePoint site link will begin with <https://army.deps.mil>. For more information, call (301) 619-2503.

- **Bras For A Cause**

Occupational Health Services is leading the campaign to encourage all employees of the National Cancer Institute at Frederick to join the fight against Breast Cancer by collecting new or gently used bras throughout the month of October.

Collection boxes are in building 426, the ATRF Clinic, the lobby of Building 549, and VCMP.

- **Officer Candidate School board**

The next local Officer Candidate School board will convene at 9 a.m. on Nov. 9

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Bldg. 1520 Freedman Drive in the Medal of Honor Conference Room #208E. Completed applications must be received at the Military Personnel Division by close of business Nov. 2. Waiver exception requests must be received at HRC no later than Oct. 26. It is recommended that all applicants review MILPER MESSAGE #15-270 AHRC-ORD-A and AR 350-51 United States Army Officer Candidate School. All packets must be processed through their S1 office first for review. The Military Personnel Division will not accept any packets directly from individual Soldiers, only the S1's. Points of contact for all packet submissions and questions is: Mrs. Thomas at (301)619-3448/7311. [michele.y.thomas.civ@mail.mil](mailto:michele.y.thomas.civ@mail.mil)  
Mrs. Sharon Orchowski at (301)-619-8990/7311. [sharon.k.orchowski.civ@mail.mil](mailto:sharon.k.orchowski.civ@mail.mil)

- **Barquist will be closed on the following dates:**  
Oct. 23 - Training Afternoon- noon to 4:30 p.m.
- **Fort Detrick Influenza Vaccination Schedule 2015-2016**

All other units and make-up date for service members

Oct 22 & 23

10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Bldg. 1507 (Odom Physical Fitness Center)

DOD civilians and eligible military beneficiaries

Oct. 26, 27 & 28

10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Bldg. 1507 (Odom Physical Fitness Center)

USAMRIID (DOD civilians)

Oct. 29

1:30-3:30 p.m.

Bldg. 1507

Eligible dependent children

Oct. 30

9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Bldg. 1507 (Odom Physical Fitness Center)

Nov. 4

9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

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Bldg. 1507 (Odom Physical Fitness Center)

Company B, 4th LAR

Dec. 12

8 – 10 a.m.

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- **Barquist Army Health Clinic Flu Vaccines Oct. 26-29**

Barquist Army Health Clinic will begin offering Flu vaccinations Oct. 26 for all eligible Tricare beneficiaries and current DoD Civilians! No appointment necessary!

Stop by the flu clinics taking place at Odom Physical Fitness Center

Gymnasium, Building 1507:

Oct. 26-29 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Oct. 30 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Nov. 4 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Protect yourself and others...Get Your Flu Vaccine!

\*Common Access Card (CAC) or DoD Beneficiary ID card required.

\*Military beneficiaries will be vaccinated as scheduled 19-23 Oct, schedules have been distributed.

- **White House Ornaments for Sale**

The 2015 White House and 2015 Fort Detrick Christmas Ornaments are currently for sale at the Fort Detrick Thrift Shop, 11 Porter Street, Bldg. S-11. The Thrift Shop is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm and the first Saturday of the month from 9 a.m.-noon.

The White House ornament is in honor of President Calvin Coolidge and is a depiction of the National Christmas tree. It is illuminated with an LED light from within. The price of the White House ornament is \$20.00. The Fort Detrick ornament is a Christmas wreath representative of the large wreath our Dept. of Public Works hangs on the gate to celebrate the season. The price of the Fort Detrick ornament is \$15.00.

All proceeds from the sale of these ornaments are used for the Thrift Shop's Scholarship Program. For more information, email [fortdetrickthriftshop@gmail.com](mailto:fortdetrickthriftshop@gmail.com).

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- **Toastmasters Club**

Looking to develop speaking and leadership skills? Win that job interview? Ignite your career? Join Fort Detrick Toastmaster club meeting schedules: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays from noon to 1 pm at the NCI Library, Cafeteria & Conference Center, 549 Sultan Drive.

- **Army Family Action Plan Conference**

The AFAP conference this year will be held Nov. 2-4. The AFAP provides Active and reserve Component Soldiers, Army Civilians, Family members, Survivors, and Retirees a voice in shaping their standards of living by identifying issues and concerns for Army senior leadership resolution.

If you want to submit an issue, please contact (301) 619-3171 to get a form. The conference is also in need of delegates to participate in the conference. A delegate is anyone who reviews the submitted issues and along with other delegates, comes up with recommendations for these issues. If you are an employee on Fort Detrick/Forest Glen and would like to participate in the conference as a delegate, then the conference will be considered your place of duty. If you are not employed but are a volunteer and would like to participate as a delegate, you can count your participation as volunteer time. For more information, call (301) 619-3171.

**Events:**

<http://www.detrick.army.mil/calendar/index.cfm>

- **Red Ribbon Week Awareness Tables**

Forest Glen: Oct. 26 (8 a.m. to noon)  
WRAIR Lobby (Bldg. 503)

Fort Detrick: Oct. 30 (8 a.m. to noon)  
Bldg. 1520A Lobby

For more information call (301) 619-9722

- **Medical Museum Science Café: Military Medicine Responds: The Ebola Crisis of 2014**

Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2015  
6 - 7:30 p.m.

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National Museum of Health and Medicine  
2500 Linden Lane  
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Combatting infectious diseases around the world has been a focus for military medicine for more than a century. The threat from the Ebola outbreak in West Africa last year prompted an unprecedented military medical response from the Department of Defense. Military physicians, public health and infectious disease specialists and medical logisticians were organized to combat the outbreak.

Attend this dynamic panel discussion to hear directly from Army and Navy physicians and researchers on their efforts to fight the disease. A demonstration of personal protective equipment and the Naval Medical Research Center's mobile lab and staff members will be available to answer questions and highlight the lab's capabilities.

FREE! Open to the public. No RSVP required.

Contact: (301) 319-3303 or email [USArmy.Detrick.MEDCOM-USAMRMC.List.Medical-Museum@mail.mil](mailto:USArmy.Detrick.MEDCOM-USAMRMC.List.Medical-Museum@mail.mil)

- **Deadly Bites: Discerning Facts From Fiction**

Saturday, Oct. 31, 2015  
10 a.m. - 12 p.m.  
National Museum of Health and Medicine  
2500 Linden Lane  
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Vampire bats, rabid animals, plague-infected prairie dogs, spiders, snakes, mosquitoes, even bedbugs--the thought of being bitten by just one of these gives us nightmares. Visit the Medical Museum on Halloween to learn the FACTS and dispel MYTHS about animal and insect bites. This is a free, family program. Questions? Call (301) 319-3303.

FREE! Open to the public. No RSVP required.

Contact: (301) 319-3303 or email [USArmy.Detrick.MEDCOM-USAMRMC.List.Medical-Museum@mail.mil](mailto:USArmy.Detrick.MEDCOM-USAMRMC.List.Medical-Museum@mail.mil)

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- **There will be a TRICARE Education booth at the following places and times:**

October 28 - Barquist Clinic Atrium

November 5 - Fort Detrick Commissary

November 19 - Barquist Clinic Atrium

- **IS SMALL BUSINESS OWNERSHIP FOR YOU?**

Join us for the 2 day Boots 2 Business workshop Oct. 27-28 to find out! Use your skills, experience & leadership to start your own small business. The first step in the B2B program consists of a two-day intensive workshop taught by SBA and Service Corps of Retired Executives representatives in partnership with the Department of Defense through the VOW Act and the Transition Assistance Program. This class will educate participants on small business ownership fundamentals - highlighting steps, stages, activities, strengths and life goals related to launching and growing a business as a post-military career. This workshop helps service members, family members and veterans decide if it is the right choice for them. The workshop will be held at 1520 Freedman Drive, classroom 9 (SFL-TAP classroom), 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information or to sign up, please call (301) 619-2174 or email [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.dhr-acap@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.dhr-acap@mail.mil).

**Fort Detrick Harvest and Halloween Events:**

- **Fort Detrick - Glen Haven Halloween Party Oct. 29**  
3-5 p.m.  
Glen Haven Community Room
- **Harvest Fest Oct. 30**  
6-8 p.m.  
Fort Detrick Post Chapel  
For more information, contact the chapel at 301-619-7371

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- **Trunk or Treat Oct. 30**  
5:30-7:30 p.m.  
Parking lot behind Odom Gym/Bldg. 1520  
To reserve a spot please email [melisa.e.natapraya.mil@mail.mil](mailto:melisa.e.natapraya.mil@mail.mil) or [kathryn.l.buckland.mil@mail.mil](mailto:kathryn.l.buckland.mil@mail.mil) by Oct. 23
- **Balfour Beatty Fort Detrick Halloween Party Oct. 31**  
6-8 p.m.  
Balfour Beatty Community Center  
*\*Participation in Trick or Treating is entirely voluntary. Homes that want to be visited by children must leave their porch lights turned on.*  
*\*\*Children 6 years of age and under must be accompanied by an adult or sibling 13 years of age or older.*
- **Army vs. Navy Flag Football Game Nov. 6**  
1 p.m. on Blue and Gray Field

## FMWR EVENTS

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

### Army Community Service Events

For a complete list of upcoming events visit the ACS website.

<http://detrick.armymwr.com/us/detrick/programs/army/>

- **Story Time & Craft**  
Wednesday, October 28th  
10:30 to 11:30 a.m.  
Post Library, Building 1520, Room 143  
\$15 in advance | \$20 at the door  
Enjoy stories and fun crafting activities with the Post Library.  
For more information, contact 301-619-7519.

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## Voluntary Leave Donation Program

Cynthia Dorsey at Barquist Army Health Clinic has been approved to be in the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. Forms may be sent to Fax: 301-677-8566 or email at [leah.j.graves.civ@mail.mil](mailto:leah.j.graves.civ@mail.mil)

Sean Pulsipher at Barquist Army Health Clinic has been approved to be in the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. Forms may be sent to Fax: 301-677-8566 or email at [leah.j.graves.civ@mail.mil](mailto:leah.j.graves.civ@mail.mil)

William King of DES-FG-Fire has been approved for the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program (VLTP). Forms may be sent to [katherine.m.szamier-bennett.civ@mail.mil](mailto:katherine.m.szamier-bennett.civ@mail.mil).

Megan Valentine has been approved to be on the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. Forms may be sent to Frank LeClair [franklin.d.leclair.civ@mail.mil](mailto:franklin.d.leclair.civ@mail.mil).

Sherry Heffner DPW, Housing Division, is approved as a recipient of annual leave donations through the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. Forms may be sent to [Quinn.r.adolini.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Quinn.r.adolini.civ@mail.mil) or faxed to (301) 619-2742.

## Training

- **Army Substance Abuse Program Training**  
Drug Free in the Workplace  
Location: Fort Detrick, Bldg. 1520B - Auditorium  
Dates/Times: Oct. 29  
1:30-2:30 PM.
- **Fort Detrick Fire Department Adult CPR/AED Class**  
The Fort Detrick Fire Department will hold monthly Adult CPR/AED Classes for personnel assigned to Fort Detrick at the Fire Station, 1419 Sultan Drive.

Classes are held the third Thursday of month. The class will run from 9-11:30 a.m. To sign up call (301) 619-2528.

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Class size is limited to 12 students and seats are assigned on a first come first serve basis.

## In Our Communities

Frederick: <http://www.visitfrederick.org/events>

- **Concert of American Music to Honor America's Veterans Nov. 7**

Historical Society of Frederick County and Frederick Symphony Orchestra Present a Concert of American Music to Honor America's Veterans Featuring Kokopelli Woodwind Quintet and Fredericktowne String Quartet Saturday, Nov. 7 at 7 p.m.

Historical Society of Frederick County, 24 East Church Street, Frederick, MD 21701  
Tickets may be purchased through MDTIX online [www.mdtix.com](http://www.mdtix.com) or purchased at the door on Nov. 7th.

Ticket price is \$30 and includes concert and hors d'oeuvres.

- **83rd Annual Brunswick Veterans Day Parade Nov. 8**

Opening Ceremony 1 p.m.

Parade 2 p.m.

Potomac Street, Downtown Brunswick

The Opening Ceremony will be held in Memorial Park, located in the heart of Downtown Brunswick (Corner of Maple and Potomac Streets). For more information visit:

<https://www.brunswickmd.gov/veteransparade>.

Silver Spring: [www.silverspringdowntown.com](http://www.silverspringdowntown.com)

- **Silver Spring Zombie Walk Oct. 24**

Come strut your undead self at the Zombie Dance Party during the Silver Spring Zombie Walk. Gathering time is 8 p.m. and parade starts near Sligo Avenue and Georgia Avenue at 9 p.m. and ends at AFI Silver Theatre for a 10 p.m. viewing of Day of the Dead! For more information, visit <http://www.downtownsilverspring.com/events/silverspring-zombie-dance-party>

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