



**The next publication of The Standard is Jan. 9. 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, Jan. 2.**

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#### Announcements

- **GATE CHANGES:**

Beginning Jan. 5, 2015, visitors to Fort Detrick and Forest Glen Annex will be subject to a National Crime Information Center (NCIC) background check. Visitors with issues such as an outstanding arrest warrant, recent felony conviction or being listed in the Terrorist Screening Database will not be allowed access, and if appropriate, will be turned over to legal authorities.

Measures for upgraded access have already begun and implementation should begin by mid December. These new measures will increase traffic delays at access control points but federal workers and DOD identification cards will experience the fewest delays.

Food delivery drivers and taxi drivers wishing to make deliveries on post will be required to obtain an Installation Access Badge before entering Fort Detrick or Forest Glen. Companies will need to apply for an Access Badge, for all delivery drivers, through the Installation Badge Office.

The application process will include vetting drivers through the National Crime Information Center Interstate Identification Index. Once granted, the Installation Access Badge will allow entrance through all access control points.

For more information contact the Fort Detrick Installation Badge Office at 301-619-1191 or [usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.des-vetting@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.usag.mbx.des-vetting@mail.mil).

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- **Wondering Why You Didn't Receive Your AtHoc Message?**

Not all installation messages are sent through AtHoc as text messages. In fact, text messages delivered through AtHoc are reserved for imminent danger and base status such as closure or delay. All watches and advisories will be sent out by computer pop-up, the AtHoc Notifier App or through emails. If a personal email is entered as a contact, we are finding that these messages are going directly to spam folders instead of inboxes. Please check the spam folder first.

- **LED Traffic Light Installation**

Starting Dec. 13 until late spring of 2015, overhead street lights, Post-Wide, will begin to be replaced with new LED high efficiency lighting. Traffic may be slightly impeded at various locations around post as the crew works to change the overhead lights. The work will not require lane closures, traffic will be flagged around the work areas by the flagman onsite. Please remain alert and drive with caution. Thank you for your patience.

- **Scholarships for Military Children**

Applications for new season available Dec. 15

As the Scholarships for Military Children Program enters its 15<sup>th</sup> year, more than 8,000 students have shared nearly \$13 million in scholarships. Applications for the 2015-2016 school-year awards become available starting Dec. 15 at commissaries worldwide or on the Internet at <http://www.militaryscholar.org>.

- **Fort Detrick Child Care Openings**

There are currently several spaces available at the Child Development Center & Family Child Care homes! Openings are for Pre-Toddler (18-24 months), Toddlers (2-3 yrs) and Pre-Schoolers (3-5 yrs). For more information please contact Parent Central Services (301) 619-7100. Although there are only a few spots open, you can always be placed on the waiting list.

- **Veterans Affairs representative comes to Fort Detrick**

A Veteran Service Representative from Baltimore Regional Office of Department of Veteran Affairs is scheduled to be at the MPD (Building 1520) **Dec. 17.**

The VA Representative is a benefits and casualty specialist whose primary role is to assist active duty Soldiers, retired veterans, and surviving family members file new compensation claims. Soldiers and veterans will also be able to inquire about new VA

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Benefits, receive help with newly filed claims, and receive guidance on understanding VA policy and procedures.

To schedule an appointment please call the Military Personnel Division (301) 619-7311. For more info, call (301) 619-3138.

- **The Legal Assistance Office will be closed on Dec. 26, and Jan. 2.**
- **Officer Candidate School Board**  
The next local Officer Candidate School Board will convene at 9 a.m., Feb. 18, 2015 at Building 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 Feb. 9, 2015. Waiver exception requests must be received no later than Jan. 16, 2015. It is recommended that all applicants review MILPER MESSAGE #14-219 AHRC-ORD-A and AR 350 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.
- **Research Study Volunteers Needed**  
We are looking for 260 individuals between 18-42 years of age who have received only one dose of the smallpox vaccine (ACAM2000 or DRYVAX) between July 2007 - June 2009  
Participation in this study requires a single blood draw of 10mL (2 teaspoons).  
Volunteers will be compensated.  
Qualified persons, if interested, please contact Vincent Fulton at (301) 619-6019 ([vincent.b.fulton2.ctr@mail.mil](mailto:vincent.b.fulton2.ctr@mail.mil)) for further information.

## Fort Detrick Community Holiday Hours

### Commissary

Dec. 22: 10 a.m.-6p.m.

Dec. 23: 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Dec. 24: 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 27: 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

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**Detrick Mini Mall Holiday Hours**

Dec. 24: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Dec. 27: 9 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 28: 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Dec. 29: 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Dec. 30: 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Dec. 31: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

Jan. 2: 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

**Chapel Holiday Service Schedule**

Catholic Holiday Schedule:

Dec. 24: 5:30 p.m. - Mass and Christmas Pageant

Dec. 25: 9:15 a.m. - Christmas Day Mass

Dec. 28: Catholic Community Patron Saint Celebration (After Mass)

Protestant Holiday Schedule:

Dec. 24: 7 p.m. Christmas Eve Service

**Legal Assistance Office**

The Legal Assistance Office will be closed Dec. 26, and Jan. 2.

**Barquist Army Health Clinic**

Dec. 19: Closed 11 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Dec. 24: Closed noon- 4:30 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Dec. 26: Closed 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Dec. 31: Closed noon- 4:30 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Jan. 2: Closed 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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## **ID Card section**

Dec. 19: Close at 2 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Jan. 1: Closed

All other days the ID Card Section will be operating at the below hours:

Mon., Tue., Wed., Fri.: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Thursday: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

## **Fort Detrick Family and MWR**

### **Admin & Support Staff**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

### **Indoor Pool**

Dec. 24: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

### **Forest Glen Annex Fitness Center**

Dec. 24: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

### **Odom Fitness Center**

Dec. 24: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

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**Community Activities Center**

Dec. 24: Closed  
Dec. 25: Closed  
Dec. 26: Closed  
Dec. 29: Closed  
Dec. 30: Closed  
Dec. 31: Closed  
Jan. 1: Closed  
Jan. 2: Closed

**Café Too**

Dec. 22: Closed  
Dec. 23: Closed  
Dec. 24: Closed  
Dec. 25: Closed  
Dec. 26: Closed  
Dec. 29: Closed  
Dec. 30: Closed  
Dec. 31: Closed  
Jan. 1: Closed  
Jan. 2: Closed

**Bowling Center**

Dec. 25: Closed  
Dec. 26: Closed  
Jan. 1: Closed

**Auto Service Center & Recreational Rentals**

Dec. 24: Closed  
Dec. 25: Closed  
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## **Army Community Service**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **ACS Family Advocacy Program**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Library**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Outdoor Recreation**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Leisure Travel Office**

Dec. 24: Closed at 3 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 3 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

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**CYSS Welcome Center**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

**CYSS Child Development Center**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

**CYSS Youth Services**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

**CYSS School Age Center**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

**Forest Glen Annex CYSS Child Development Center**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

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## **Forest Glen Annex CYSS School Age Center Dec. 21: Closed at 4 p.m.**

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Forest Glen Annex CYSS Welcome Center**

Dec. 24: Closed at 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 31: Closed at 4 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Forest Glen Commissary**

Dec. 22: 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Dec. 23: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Dec. 24: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Dec. 25: Closed

Dec. 26: Closed

Dec. 27: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Jan. 1: Closed

## **Events:**

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

## **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/>

- [December 12: Forest Glen CYSS Winter Wonderland](#)
- [December 12: Holiday Dodgeball Tournament](#)
- [December 13: Glen Haven Fantastic Fridays and Super Saturdays](#)

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- [December 16: Military Spouse Employment Meet and Greet](#)
- [December 17: Fort Detrick CYSS Winter Wonderland](#)
- [December 18: Story Time Reading Program](#)
- [December 19: Fort Detrick CYSS Fantastic Fridays](#)

## **Army Community Service Events**

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

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

- **CYSS Parent Education Outreach**  
Come join Child, Youth and School Services Parent Education Outreach for a FREE workshop about Parent/Child Communication on Dec. 16 from 5-6:30 p.m. the Post Chapel, Building 1776. Presentation introduces the benefits of effective communication and how parents can develop healthy communication in their relationship to reinforce strong child/parent bonds. Childcare will be available to registered CYSS children. Please contact Parent Center Service at (301) 619-7100 to ensure your child has care or for any questions.

## **Training**

- **First Term Soldiers Personal Financial Readiness Class**  
This is a mandatory finance class for all Soldiers moving to their first duty station. Attendees should bring their most recent LES, and may wear civilian clothes. Spouses are welcome and encouraged to attend. The next Workshop is Tuesday, Nov. 25 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in classroom #3 in the Army Community Service, Building 1520. This is a small classroom and the only one available for November so register early at [usarmy.detrick.imcom-fmwr.mbx.financial-readiness@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detrick.imcom-fmwr.mbx.financial-readiness@mail.mil), or sign in at the ACS office.
- **Army Substance Abuse Program Training:**  
TOPIC: Responsible Drinking/Drunk and Drugged Driving  
Dec. 18: 10-11 a.m. classroom 6
- **Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training for Gatekeepers**  
Dec. 18-19, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Building 1520  
For more information contact the Course Manager at (301) 619-1751

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This two-day training is a mandatory, one-time training for all gatekeepers. Gatekeepers are defined by positions; Chaplains and Chaplain Assistants, ASAP Counselors, Family Advocacy Program Workers, Army Emergency Relief Counselors, Civilian first-line supervisors, Military 1SG and above.

The emphasis of the ASIST workshop is on suicide first aid and on helping a person at risk stay safe and seek further help. Evaluations have shown that the workshop increases caregivers' knowledge and confidence to respond to a person at risk of suicide, that intervention skills are retained over time and they are put to use to save lives. Contact (301) 619-1751 or email [Sheri.l.schaefer.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Sheri.l.schaefer.civ@mail.mil) for registration or questions.

- **ACE Civilian Suicide Prevention Training**

The course satisfies the yearly suicide prevention training required by AR 600-63. Please note this training is NOT required for contractors, although they are encouraged to attend.

Dec. 22, 1-2:30 p.m., Building 1520, Classroom 5

Jan. 23, 1:30 – 3 p.m., Building 1520. Classroom 5

Feb. 13, 1:30-3 p.m., Building 1520, Classroom 5

- **Combat Lifesaver Training Course**

MRMC is hosting Combat Lifesaver Training on Fort Detrick MD. This class is to bridge the gap between self-aid/buddy aid and the combat medic. This class is for Military only. The Class is from Jan. 2-9, 2015. The class will be held from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. daily. Once information is received by SFC Natasha Davis, Email: [Natasha.l.davis.mil@mail.mil](mailto:Natasha.l.davis.mil@mail.mil). You will be notified by email if you received a slot for this course. This course will be given monthly on Fort Detrick. If you are interested in attending please send me the following information:

Full name:

Participant email address:

SSN:

UNIT UIC:

Unit Training NCO name and contact information:

1SG name and contact number:

POC is SFC Natasha Davis, 301-619-9177.

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## **Voluntary Leave Transfer Program**

The VLTP allows federal employees to donate annual leave to assist other federal employees with a personal or family medical emergency.

[http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf\\_fill/opm630a.pdf](http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/opm630a.pdf). (Within Agency)

[http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf\\_fill/opm630b.pdf](http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/opm630b.pdf). (Outside Agency)

Raven Conner of USAMRAA has been approved for the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. If you would like to donate leave to Ms. Conner, please complete an OPM Form 630-A for within Agency or OPM 630-B for Outside Agency and forward to [Daryl.g.bakner.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Daryl.g.bakner.civ@mail.mil). Any donations will be greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Maria Gonzalez of USAMMA has been approved for the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. If you would like to donate any leave to Mrs. Gonzalez, please complete an OPM Form 630-A for within Agency or OPM 630-B for Outside Agency form and forward to the Human Capital Office of USAMMA To [Ronald.E.Jackson14.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Ronald.E.Jackson14.civ@mail.mil) Any donations will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.

## **In Our Communities**

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

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

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