



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

May 15 – May 29

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**The next publication of The Standard is May 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, May 23.**

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### Announcements

- **May is Motorcycle Safety Month** - the Fort Detrick Safety Office would like to remind all motorists to safely share the road, be extra alert and make themselves visible to other motorists. Everyone is encouraged to use the tools available at <https://safety.army.mil>
- **Army Community Service Survey**  
In order to better assess the needs of the Fort Detrick Community, Army Community Service (ACS) is conducting an online survey of programs and services offered to this community. Click on the link to access the survey:  
[www.armymwr.com/ACS-survey](http://www.armymwr.com/ACS-survey)  
The survey closes June 1. Should you have any questions about the survey, please contact Fort Detrick ACS at (301) 619-2197 for assistance.
- **Global Address List**  
All Army personnel are strongly encouraged to update their contact data, such as commercial phone number, DSN phone number, office address, duty organization, etc., in the GAL using the MilConnect portal.  
The link to MilConnect is: <https://www.dmdc.osd.mil/milconnect>. Detailed instructions on how to update MilConnect are located at: <https://tiny.army.mil/r/NHDty/MilConnect>
- **Linden Lane Gate at Forest Glen is open for outbound traffic only from 4-5:30 p.m., Monday – Friday.**

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- **Striping of roads and parking areas May 17 and 18**

Beginning May 17 road striping will occur throughout the installation. The contractor will begin by painting all of Porter Street and the parking spaces along the parade field. If weather allows, various crosswalks throughout the installation will also be painted. During Labor Day weekend the parking lot at building 693 is expected to be striped. As other areas are identified and incorporated into the work schedule, this announcement will be updated.

- **The Fort Detrick Running/PT track adjacent to building 1520 will be closed to all personnel not participating in Armed Forces Week competitions on May 16.**

- **Summer Course Registration**

Need to take a summer course? Please stop by Army Continuing Education System to sign up. We are located in Building 1520, Suite 200 or give us a call at 301-619-2854.

- **CYSS Summer Camp**

The Fort Detrick Child, Youth and School Services (CYSS) 2014 Summer Camp information is now available! Please call CYSS Parent Central Services at 301-619-7100 for more information. <http://www.detrick.army.mil/cyss/frederick/camp.cfm>

- **Fort Detrick Commissary Spring Case Lot Sale**

**Dates: May 15, 16 & 17**

**Time: Doors open at 10 a.m.**

**Location: Fort Detrick Commissary, Building 1510 Porter Street.**

\*While supplies last. See store for more details.

- **Transitioning Service Members & Veterans VA Disability Application Assistance**

**Date: May 21**

**Time: noon-1 p.m.**

**Location: Building 1520, classroom 1**

Veterans of the United States Armed Forces may be eligible for a broad range of programs and services provided by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, as legislated in Title 38 of the United States Code. To apply for VA Benefits, veterans are required to complete certain VA Forms providing information relative to the benefit for which he/she is applying. To assist in this application process, a Disabled American Veteran Service Officer will be at Fort Detrick on May 21, in Building 1520, classroom 1,

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from noon-1 p.m. The Service Officer will be available to provide information and prepare VA claims for veterans, their spouses or family members to obtain VA benefits. Please bring a copy of your Military Discharge, DD 214 or other service record, VA Claim Number if one was issued and any VA correspondence or Rating Decision information. Appointments preferred. If you have questions or wish to schedule an appointment call (301) 842-2562. Walk-ins also welcomed in time available between appointments. This is a free service provided by the DAV to all Veterans, their Spouse and Dependents.

### **Events**

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

- **Bike to Work Day is Friday, May 16.**

**Date: May 16**

**Time: 6:20 a.m.**

**Location: AAFES Parking Lot**

Fort Detrick riders will meet at the AAFES parking lot at 6:20 a.m. prior to departing for Hood College. There will be several stops throughout to pick up additional riders for those who wish to join us along the way.

The ride is approximately 4.4 miles and will begin with a departure from Alumnae Hall at Hood College at 6:45 a.m. and end at the MARC Station on East Street where there will be a short program and guest speaker.

Fort Detrick safety regulations state all riders must wear all appropriate personal protective equipment, including a helmet, to take part.

The 2014 route after leaving Fort Detrick is: Depart Alumnae Hall, Hood College at approximately 6:45 a.m.

Exit onto Rosemont Avenue and head west

Continue on Rosemont Avenue to Lee Place

Turn right on Lee Place and continue north to 7th Street

Pick up additional Fort Detrick riders at 7th Street and Lee Place

Turn right on 7th into the bike lanes and continue east to East Street

Turn right on East Street and continue south to 2nd Street

Turn right on 2nd Street and continue to Court Street to City Hall arriving

7:00-7:05 a.m.

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Pick up City Hall riders and exit to Church Street  
Continue east on Church Street to East Street  
Turn right on East Street and continue south to MARC Station on left arriving 7:15-7:20 a.m.

Registration and more information can be found at  
<http://www.biketoworkmetrodc.org/>.

- **Armed Forces Day - <http://www.detrick.army.mil/calendar/17May14.pdf>**

**Date: May 17**

**Time: 1-4 p.m. / Fishing Rodeo- 8-noon (registration required)**

**Location: Nallin Pond Recreation Area.**

Come out and join us for the following events during our Armed Forces Day celebration.

Fishing rodeo at Nallin Pond, 8 a.m. -noon, \$5.00 per person. Registration required by May 15 by calling (301) 619-4079.

AFD (FREE) Activities at the Nallin Pond Pavilion Grounds from 1-4 p.m. Water Tag, Field Games, DJ, Aerobic Dancing, Free Golf Driving, Children's Games. Free food sponsored by VFW Post 3285. For more information call 301-619-4079. No Federal endorsement implied.

- **Fort Detrick National Prayer Breakfast**

**Date: May 20**

**Time: 6:45-8 a.m.**

**Location: Community Activities Center, Building 1529**

Keynote Speaker: CH (COL) Kenneth Stice, Director of Operations, Office of the Chief of Chaplains.

Open to the Fort Detrick Community

- **Caring for the Caregiver**

**Dates: June 2**

**Time: 1-2 p.m.**

**Location: Fort Detrick Chapel, 1776 Ditto Ave.**

Are you the one caring for someone else? Could you use support and guidance? Please join us if you are a caregiver or supporter of a family member with medical or behavioral health issues. We will provide information on strategies to develop a successful self

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care plan and manage stress. For more information or if you require child care, call 301-619-0323.

- **Save the Date: Soldier Show**  
**Date: June 10**  
**Time: 6 p.m.**  
**Location: Odom Fitness Center**  
Free Admission. For more information, call 301-619-4079.

### **Barquist Army Health Clinic Announcements**

- **The Dental Clinic** will close at 9 a.m. on May 15 and will re-open on May 16 at 7:30 a.m.
- **The Barquist Clinic will be closed for training on May 16 from noon-4:30 p.m.**
- **RelayHealth Messaging System Offered to Barquist Patients**  
Would you like to send a secure email to your doctor to ask a question instead of having to make an appointment? Do you want reduced wait times and no phone tag? Barquist Army Health Clinic has made it easier for patients to communicate with their doctors through the use of the secure RelayHealth messaging system.

RelayHealth is a commercial, off-the-shelf software suite, available to all patients who are enrolled at Barquist for care.

For more information go to [www.relayhealth.com](http://www.relayhealth.com) or visit the front desk of Barquist Army Health clinic to sign-up

- **Performance TRIAD Group Training**  
To register for Performance TRIAD Group Training call (301) 619-7175  
Performance TRIAD Group Training is held on Wednesdays from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. at the Clinic
  - 1st Wednesday of the month: Pain management
  - 2nd Wednesday of the month: Sleep Disturbance
  - 3rd Wednesday of the month: Healthy Behavior, Eating, Exercise, and Sleep
  - 4th Wednesday of the month: Coping with Chronic Illness

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### **Voluntary Leave Transfer Program**

[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)

Ms. Raven Conner at USAMRAA has been approved for the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. If there is anyone willing to donate, please fill out OPM Form 630-A or OPM 630-B if you are outside of the agency. The contact person for payroll for Ms. Conner is Daryl Bakner, [Daryl.g.bakner.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Daryl.g.bakner.civ@mail.mil), and the phone number is 301-619-2470.

Mr. William Jackson, DPW, Forest Glen, is approved as a recipient of annual leave donations through the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. He is in need of additional donations. Federal employees wishing to donate annual leave to Mr. Jackson may do so by completing the form OPM-630A if they are within the agency (Army), [http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf\\_fill/opm630a.pdf](http://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/opm630a.pdf). Completed and signed forms can be forwarded to Quinn Roberts Adolini at [quinn.roberts@us.army.mil](mailto:quinn.roberts@us.army.mil) or by fax to 301-619-2742.

Mr. Nutt at the Directorate of Emergency Services has been approved for the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. If you would like to donate leave please fill out form OPM Form 630-A for employees of DES, or OPM Form 630-B for employees of other organizations. Please send the completed forms directly to the payroll point of contact, Katherine Szamier-Bennett, [katherine.m.szamier-bennett.civ@mail.mil](mailto:katherine.m.szamier-bennett.civ@mail.mil), and phone number 301-619-8775; or fax to 301-619-1344. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

(VLTP Participants are listed for one month)

### **Training**

- **The Army Substance Abuse Program Training**  
The course satisfies one hour of Drug and Alcohol Prevention (DAPE) credit. In accordance with AR 350-1 and AR 600-85, Military are required 4 DAPE hours and Civilians are required 2 DAPE hours annually.

Training Opportunities:

**Topic: Responsible Drinking**

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- May 20, 10-11 a.m. & noon – 1 p.m., ATC
- May 29, 10-11 a.m. & noon – 1 p.m., Classroom 5

All trainings will be held in the Community Support Center. Building 1520 Freedman Dr.  
For more information contact the DAPE Program Manager, 301-619-9722

- **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.

May 19, 1-2:30 p.m., Building 1520, Classroom 6

May 29, 9-10:30 a.m., Building 1520, Classroom 7

- **Local Hazards Training Dates:**

Local Hazards Training is a part of the Army Traffic Safety Program and is mandatory for all new civilian and military personnel to be orientated to the local driving hazards, laws, and regulations. For more information contact the Safety Office at 301-619-7318

**Date/Location/Hour (all): 2-3 p.m.:**

May 19, Building 1520, Classroom 7

- **Motorcycle Safety Training**

Military members can register for both the Motorcycle Safety Foundation Basic *RiderCourse*<sup>SM</sup> and Experienced *RiderCourse*<sup>SM</sup>, through the Installation Safety Management Office. Course scheduling will be offered through various local vendors. Individuals requiring the Military Sport Bike *RiderCourse*<sup>SM</sup> are directed to enroll at other installations through the IMCOM Traffic Safety Training Program. The registration website can be found at <https://apps.imcom.army.mil/airs>.

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For further information, please contact the Installation Safety Management Office at (301) 619-3134 or (301) 619-2102.

- **Youth Resource Fair**

Date: May 15

Time: 5-8 p.m.

Location: Orioles Nest - 1037 W. Patrick Street (Westridge Shopping Center - backside of the center)

This is a FREE event that will provide parents and youth with information on programs and services available for ages 5-21 in Frederick County.

Several of the organizations that will be in attendance include:

City of Frederick Parks & Recreation  
Frederick County Parks & Recreation  
Frederick County Public Library  
Frederick Police Activities League  
Frederick Police Department  
Goodwill  
Habitat for Humanity  
Heartly House  
Safe Kids Coalition  
Tots2Twins  
YMCA

For more information please contact: Michele Bowman 301-600-2091 or [mbowman@frederickmdpolice.org](mailto:mbowman@frederickmdpolice.org)

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