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INFORMATION EXCHANGE
04 December 2019 - ***“Talking Points”***

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6 DEC: 1030-1400 - American Red Cross Open House
6 DEC: 1730-2030 - Fort Campbell Tree Lighting Ceremony
7 DEC: 0900 - Ugly Sweater 5K & Fun Run (Shaw PFC)
7 DEC: Pearl Harbor Day
8 - 13 DEC: USO Holiday Extravaganza Week
11 DEC: 1800 - Housing Town Hall at Wilson Theater
12 DEC: 1030 - Fort Campbell Gander Memorial Ceremony
13 DEC: 0900-1200 - American Red Cross Volunteer Orientation
13 - 14 DEC: 0800-1300 - Trees for Troops (Junior Enlisted)
13 - 16 DEC: Battle of the Bulge 75th Anniversary
14 DEC: 1100 - Wreaths Across America Ceremony at DIV HQ
14 DEC: 1145 - Wreath Hanging at T.C. Freeman Gate
19 DEC - 3 JAN: Half-Day Schedule
20 DEC - 3 JAN: FCKY Schools Winter Break
24 DEC: DONSA
25 DEC: Christmas Day
25 DEC: USO Christmas Day Smorgasbord for Single Soldiers
31 DEC: DONSA
1 JAN: New Year's Day
7 JAN: 1000 - 5-101 AHB Change of Command Ceremony
10 JAN: 0900-1200 - American Red Cross Volunteer Orientation
17 JAN: DONSA
20 JAN: Martin Luther King Jr. Day

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Shopping Safety for the Holiday Season

- Always **lock your vehicle**! The vast majority of larcenies occur with no forced entry because the car was left unlocked by the owner/operator.
- **Park in well lit areas** when shopping at night.
- Do not leave packages or valuables in plain view; **secure them in the trunk**.

Home Safety for the Holiday Season

- ✓ On-post residents can request MP's to conduct security checks of their residence while away on vacation by calling (270) 798-7111/2/3.
- ✓ Whether home or away, always lock your residence, to include garages and storage areas.
- ✓ Report suspicious activities you observe in your neighborhood or other areas on post.

Online Shopping Safety for the Holiday Season

- Over 50% of holiday shopping is done online.
- 11 million packages are stolen annually from homeowners.
- Take preventive measures: install doorbell, security cameras or motion lights.
- Track packages and inform neighbors when you are expecting packages while you are away.
- UPS and FedEx offer secure location pickup for packages.

Celebrating the Holiday Season Safely

- ✓ Drink carefully and in moderation.
- ✓ If hosting, always provide non-alcoholic beverages.
- ✓ Do not leave beverages unattended.
- ✓ Do not drink and drive.
- ✓ Be aware of those around you on the road.

Holiday Fire Safety Tips



- ✓ Water live trees daily.
- ✓ Ensure Christmas light sets are marked with a UL label tag and have no broken or cracked sockets, free of frayed or bare wires, or loose connections.
- ✓ Make sure you have working smoke detectors and carbon monoxide alarms.
- ✓ Review fire escape routes with your family.
- ✓ Closed doors can slow fire spread.
- ✓ Use extension cords wisely and sparingly.
- ✓ Space Heaters - Keep 3 feet away from anything that can burn. Buy a unit with a tip-over safety switch.
- ✓ Use battery-operated flameless candles, which can look and smell like real candles.
- ✓ Remain in the kitchen when cooking to avoid becoming a victim of an unattended cooking fire.

Holiday Access Control Point (ACP) Hours

19 December 2019 through 3 January 2020

- ACP 1 will operate daily from 0530 – 1730
- ACP 2 is closed
- ACP 3, 6 & Mabry will operate Monday-Friday from 0530-1730
- Angels ACP is CLOSED
- ACPs 4, 7, 10 and SAAF ACP 1 will maintain 24x7 operations
- SAAF ACP 2 is closed 24 & 25 Dec and 28 Dec - 01 Jan

Normal ACP operations will resume on 4 January 2020.

SGT Brett T. Christian Tax Center

CPT Aravind Ravi

270-798-1040

Scope of Services

- Services the Tax center Provides:
 - Preparation of Federal and State income tax returns.
 - Electronic filing of income tax returns
 - Assistance with IRS correspondence
- Returns the Tax Center Cannot File:
 - Business returns with a net operating loss (NOL)
 - Farms
 - Corporate returns

Hours of operation

Open for Tax Year 2019 on 21 January 2020

By Appointment Only

Appointment Line: **270. 798.1040**

Monday thru Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm

We provide a drop-off service for single Soldiers

The service is FREE

The Tax Center is located at:
43 Michigan Avenue
(Next door to the Class VI Store)

What to Bring to your Appointment

What to Bring To Complete Your Tax Return: Military ID card. SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS or Social Security produced document for you, your spouse and any dependents included on the return.

IRS REQUIREMENT NO EXCEPTIONS

Tax Related Documents

Forms W-2, W-2G, 1099-R, 1099-MISC, 1099-INT, 1099-DIV, 1099-B, 1098, 1098-T and other Tax Related Documents. December 2019 LES or RAS. For filing of a joint return, signature of each spouse or a Power of Attorney or a signed IRS Form 2848 (IRS Power of Attorney) and ID of person represented.

Training and Volunteers

Training Received by All Tax Preparers
Two weeks hands-on training

IRS online and classroom training
IRS testing and certification

Volunteers Needed

Intake/Screening, Tax Preparers, Reviewers

<https://www.myarmyonesource.com/>
<https://www.irs.gov/individuals/link-learn-taxes>

Call 270-798-3406 for information

Tax Center Closing

The Brett T. Christian Tax Center will close on 15 April - Alternate Options for Taxpayers

	Military OneSource* (Online)	H&R Block (Brick and Mortar)	H&R Block (Online)	TurboTax (Online with Live Support)	TurboTax (Online)
Basic Return Wage Income, Interest/Dividends, Standard Deduction, Earned Income Credit, Child Tax Credit, No State	FREE	Starts at \$125	FREE	\$79.99	FREE
Add Adjustments to Income, Itemized Deductions, and/or other Credits Student Loan Interest, PCS Expenses, Mortgage Interest, Donations, Daycare Credit	FREE	+ \$10-60 per additional form used	\$49.99	\$119.99	FREE for E1- E5 \$59.99 for E6+
Add Investment & Rental Income Robinhood, Stash, USAA, Edward Jones, eTrade	FREE	+ \$100 -150 per additional form used	\$69.99	\$169.99	\$79.99
Add Small Business Uber, Lyft, DoorDash, MLM	FREE	Starts at \$350	\$104.99	\$199.99	\$119.99
Add State SCRA, MSRRRA	FREE	+ \$29.99 per state	\$39.99 per state	\$44.99 per state	+ \$44.99 per state

ACS

Gari Wild

270-956-2934

Installation Volunteer of the Year

- **April 21st, 2020 1800-2000 Cole Park Commons**
- 5 Categories: Family Readiness Groups; Child Youth & School Services; Community Services; Other Agencies & Organizations and Outstanding Youth.
 - All nominees must be registered in the Volunteer Management Information Service System (VMIS), have a completed DD Form 2793 and have volunteered in the Fort Campbell Community during 2019.
 - Nominations packets to go out on 03 January and are due back in NLT 02 March.
 - 1 Volunteer of the Year nomination per Battalion and Agency/Organization.

- **Kids Canvas Painting**

4 December, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

For age 6 and over. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

\$12 Pre-registration required.

(270) 798-6693

- **Plank Fitness Challenge**

6 December, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Gertsch Physical Fitness Center

Open to Soldiers, Families and Civilians.

Free Sponsored by Steere's Nutrition.*

(270) 798-2753

- **Payday Golf Scramble**

6 December, 12 pm Shotgun Start

Cole Park Golf Course

Teams of 4 (any mix of players)

\$20 per members

\$30 per non-members

(270) 798-4906

- **2019 Holiday Tree Lighting**

6 December at 5:30 p.m.

Division Headquarters

Holiday Music by the 101st Division Band

Caroling Food will be available for purchase.

Visit with Santa. Free

270-798-7535

- **Ugly Sweater Run**

7 December, 9 a.m. – Sign in

10 a.m. – Run begins

Shaw Physical Fitness Center Parking Lot

5K and 1 Mile Fun Run

Pet friendly (leashed please)

Strollers are welcome but be aware that part of the course is over gravel.

- **Holiday Express 2019**

7 December, 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Smokehaus Restaurant

Activities, snacks, Santa and more.

First 400 guests are Free!

- **5 vs 5 Indoor Soccer Shootout**

9 December – REGISTRATION DEADLINE

16-19 December – Round Robin Play (single elimination)

Shaw PFC. Free for Active Duty teams assigned to Fort Campbell.

\$125 for non-Active Duty teams.

(270) 798-3094

- **Make a Clay Gnome**

7 December, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

For age 8 and over. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

\$12 (270) 798-6693

- **Holiday Happenings at the Library**

11 December, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Robert F. Sink Memorial Library

Face painting, crafts, refreshments and holiday caroling with the 101st Band.

Open to all ages. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

(270) 798-5729

- **Trees for Troops**

13 & 14 December

13 Dec – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

14 Dec – 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

South Sports Complex Parking Lot on Air Assault Street

13 Dec, Junior Enlisted only until 1pm (IDs will be checked)

14 Dec, First Come / First Served or until all trees have been distributed.

Free (270) 798-7535

- **Lifeguard Class (Blended Course)**

13-15 December

Friday, 13 Dec, 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday, 14 & 15 Dec, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Gardner Indoor Pool

Must be age 15 by the last day of class.

Must pass a pre-course swim test before the first day of class.

\$65 (includes book and CPR mask)

Call to schedule a swim test and for additional information.

(270) 798-6310

- **Parents' Day Out**

14 December, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Get some holiday shopping done while your kiddos have fun with their friends.

\$35 or 7 respite hours. Child must be CYS registered.

Deadline to sign up is 11 December.

(270) 798-0674

- **Winter Workshop**

Make Hand Crafted Gifts!

14 December, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

Open to all ages. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

\$12 (includes 5 different crafts)

Paint a Mini-Canvas

Pour Guest Soaps

Create an Ornament

Make a Bubble Print Card

Mix Snowman Soup

(270) 798-6693

- **Bowl with The Grinch**

14 December, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Hooper Bowling Center

Youth age 10 and under pay only .53 cents per game in honor of The Grinch's age.

Age 11 and over pay regular price for games.

Shoe rental is \$2.75 per person.

(270) 798-5887

- **Stained Glass Sun Catchers**

18 December, 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

For age 18 and over.

\$22 plus cost of glass.

Pre-registration required.

(270) 798-6693

- **Make a Clay Fairy House**

21 December, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

For age 8 and over. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

\$12 (270) 798-6693

- **Christmas Eve Soldier Appreciation**

24 December, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Warrior Zone FREE! refreshments and more!

Must be age 18+ to enter Warrior Zone.

Must be age 21+ to purchase and consume alcohol.

(270) 461-0603

- **Kids Clay Workshop**

Make a Wind Chime

28 December, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Guenette Arts & Crafts Center

Open to all ages. Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

\$12 (270) 798-6693

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- ***Daytreat: Marriage 101***

For Married and Engaged couples Hosted by the Chaplain Family Life Center

Held 2nd Tuesday monthly, next one scheduled for 10 December 2019

Training 0930 to 1400 at Chaplain Family Life Center Bldg. 3106 Indiana Ave



Learn how to apply: *Trustworthiness; *Communication Skills; *Conflict Management *5 Love Languages

Lunch and child watch care provided!

Civilian attire - **To enroll call: 270-798-3316 or email paul.d.ramsey.mil@mail.mil or lex.m.reed2.mil@mail.mil**

* Receive Certificate for reduced marriage license fee

- **Faith Based Resiliency Events**

- **Celebrate Recovery**

A Faith Based Addiction Recovery Program That is based on The 12-Step Model
Every Thursday beginning 16 January 2020 at 1800, Memorial Chapel, 3934 Indiana Ave
POC: CH (LTC) Ramsey at paul.d.ramsey.mil@mail.mil/270-412-9972
Bradford Smith at bradford.smith3@hotmail.com
Hurts, Habits and Hang-ups are welcome.



- **REBOOT RECOVERY**

Begins 16 January 2020, 1800, Liberty Chapel, 3111 Bastogne Ave.

Meal and Childcare available

This faith-based combat trauma recovery program helps the Soldier / Veteran in physical, mental and social well-being. The effectiveness of this program is published in the Military Psychology journal. It is a recurring 12-week course that relies on Christian principles to address whole-person wellness for those affected by combat trauma.

POC: CH (LTC) Ramsey at paul.d.ramsey.mil@mail.mil/270-412-9972

Bryan Flanery at bryan@rebootrecovery.com/574-386-1022



Clarksville Parks & Recreation

Candice Tillman

931-645-7476

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Fort Campbell Spouses' Club

Brigette Burr (PAO)

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December Luncheon

Date: 11 December 2019

Time: 11:00AM

Location: Strawberry Alley Ale Works, Downtown Clarksville

Come have brunch with us at Strawberry Alley followed by shopping with special discounts @ downtown Clarksville businesses.

Charity: YaiPaks @ <https://yaioutreach.org/>

Please RSVP for the luncheon on our website @ <http://fortcampbellspousesclub.org>

Hope to see you there!

Armed Services YMCA

Jenifer Cooley 270-798-7422

jcooley@asymca.org

Christmas Bazaar

Friday, December 06th 9:00AM – 5:00PM 3068 Reed Avenue

Come join us as we showcase some very special Holiday items available to our military families on Fort Campbell.

Offered by the Armed Services YMCA Backdoor Boutique

Blanchfield Army Community Hospital

Public Affairs

270-956-0459

usarmy.campbell.medcom-bach.list.pao-users@mail.mil

<https://blanchfield.amedd.army.mil>

www.facebook.com/BACH.Fort.Campbell

UPCOMING EVENTS

❖ National Influenza Vaccination Week

Dec. 1-7 is National Influenza Vaccination Week, which is a national observance that was established to highlight the importance of continuing influenza vaccination. BACH Patient Centered Medical Homes are offering the flu vaccine to their assigned patients during clinic hours. Flu vaccines can be given on a walk-in basis or during scheduled well visit appointments. Active Duty Soldiers should follow their unit's guidance as to when and where they will receive their flu vaccine.

❖ Christmas and New Year Holidays

Blanchfield Army Community Hospital personnel will observe the federal holidays Dec. 25 and Jan. 1. The Warrior Care Clinic and all Soldier and Patient-Centered Medical Homes, including Campbell Army Airfield, LaPointe, Byrd, Air Assault, Gold, Young Eagle and Screaming Eagle, and pharmacies are closed on the federal holidays. The hospital remains open 24/7 for emergency services, inpatient care, and labor and delivery services. Additional holiday schedule information will be available on Blanchfield's Facebook and Web pages.

❖ TRICARE Open Season

TRICARE Open Season is the annual period when you can enroll in or change your health plan for the next year. The 2019 TRICARE Open Season begins on Monday, Nov. 11 and ends on Monday, Dec. 9.

During TRICARE Open Season, you can:

Do nothing. If you want to stay in your current TRICARE health care plan, you don't have to take any action. You'll continue in your current health plan through 2020 or as long as you're eligible.

Enroll in a plan. If you're eligible for a TRICARE Prime option or TRICARE Select but not enrolled, you can enroll in a plan now. Change plans. If you're already enrolled in a TRICARE Prime option, or TRICARE Select, you can switch plans and switch between individual and family enrollment.

Visit: www.tricare.mil/openseason for more information.

Health and Wellness

- During holiday travels, use NAL for medical assistance

Instead of trying to get a last-minute doctor appointment or incurring point-of-service charges for an urgent care visit, let the Nurse Advice Line (NAL) advise you. The NAL gives TRICARE beneficiaries access to care, 24/7. With just one call, you can get expert advice from our team of registered nurses. They will answer your urgent care questions, provide health advice, help you find a doctor and if available, schedule a next-day appointment for you at a military hospital or clinic. Call the NAL the next time you are not sure where to go for help at 1-800-TRICARE (874-2273) and select option 1.

- Tobacco Cessation

The Army Wellness Center, 5662 Screaming Eagle Blvd., offers "Ready to Quit" every Tuesday from noon to 1 p.m. This briefing educates all TRICARE beneficiaries and DoD civilians about dangers of tobacco and assess readiness to join the Tobacco Cessation Program. The Tobacco Cessation Program is offered the 1st – 4th Wednesday monthly from noon to 1 p.m. For more information, call (270) 956-0100.

- MHS Nurse Advice Line Beneficiary Portal

The Nurse Advice Line provides health care support to TRICARE beneficiaries 24/7. The Nurse Advice Line provides support to TRICARE beneficiaries at no cost to you. The team assists you in navigating your family's health care needs. Some of the services provided include:

- Health Care Advice
- Answers to Urgent Care Questions
- Assistance locating a Provider or Pharmacy
- Same and next-day appointment scheduling at military hospitals and clinics

Nurses who specialize in Pediatric, Behavioral Health and Obstetric care are available to support your family's needs. To support your continuity of care, we'll check back in on you and your family to ensure you're still confident in the nurse's recommended care plan.

Remember, if you have an emergency, call 911 or your local emergency service center. Visit the portal at <https://www.mhsnurseadvice.com/home>.

BACH General Information

❖ How do I schedule/cancel appointments?

If you need to make or cancel an appointment at any of the Soldier or Patient-Centered Medical Homes, you may go online at www.tricareonline.com or you may call (270)798-4677/ (931)431-4677 or if outside the calling area 1-866-524-4677. See the complete listing of Soldier and Patient-Centered Medical Homes below.

Appointments can be made from 6 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.
Appointments can be cancelled 24/7 by leaving a voicemail message.
Advice nurses may be reached by calling the appointment line
You can also schedule and cancel appointments online at www.tricareonline.com.

❖ BACH 650 Joel Drive

Air Assault Family Medical Home (Team Apache, Team Blackhawk, Team Comanche, Team Huey)
Gold Family Medical Home
Young Eagle Medical Home (Team Flight or Team Soar)

❖ Byrd 7973 Thunder Blvd.

Byrd Soldier or Family Medical Homes

❖ LaPointe 5979 Desert Storm Avenue

Bastogne Soldier Medical Home
Rakkasan Soldier Medical Home
Strike Soldier Medical Home

❖ Screaming Eagle Medical Home Medical Office Building One,

647 Dunlop Lane, Suite 301
(Community Based Medical Home in Clarksville, Tenn.)

❖ Campbell Army Airfield Medical Home 7149 Black Sheep Run