

USAJFKSWCS Family Programs Newsletter



June 2025

Mission & Vision

Mission: Family Programs promotes family stability and growth through outreach, information, referral, and follow-up services. Connecting the Families to the Military and Civilian community support services that will make a positive difference in their lives.

Vision: Our commitment is to provide a connection between the Special Warfare School Center (SWCS) Families, the Command, and the community resources which promotes self-reliance and resiliency. Through this connection we will increase a Family's ability to develop the life skills necessary to adapt to the unique challenges of Special Operations.

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Important Announcement

• Middle School/Teen Summer Camp: June 9 – Aug. 22.

Full-day weekly camp during school break for the summer at Chay and Tolson Youth Activity Centers. M-F, 6:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Breakfast, lunch & afternoon snack are provided. Open to Middle School/Teen (in 6th – 12th grade) eligible Military ID cardholders, DOD Contractors, and DOD civilians. Registration is in person at the Youth Centers.

• Army's Ride Share Pilot Program Survey:

The U.S. Army is seeking feedback from Ride Share Program users (18+). This 3-minute, anonymous survey will help improve the program. Take the survey now until June 6 at:

https://forms.osi.apps.mil/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=D9fm-kuVEUiStgUw1vhMQ8DphWmfMHFDsfhBzFjLZkJUM0FVU0VFSFNVWjFTWERGSkpJMjM0ODJIUi4u&route=shorturl.

- Military/Veteran Crisis Lines: is a free, confidential resource for all service members, including members of the National Guard and Reserve, and Veterans, even if they're not enrolled in VA benefits or health care.
 - o CONUS: 988 Press 1
 - o Europe Command: 844-702-5495
 - o Indo-Pacific Command: 844-702-5493
 - o Central Command: 855-422-7719
 - o Africa Command: 888-482-6054
 - Southern Command: 866-989-9599

Manchester Road Closure

• Manchester Rd Closure 01 Jun – 31 Aug 2025

From around June 1 - August 31, Manchester Road from Morganton Rd to Morrison Bridge Rd will be closed for full-depth reclamation, the entire reconstruction of the roadbed. Military access will be maintained, but general traffic will need to seek alternate routes.

Here are a few potential options to consider:

- o Southern Routes:
 - Morganton Rd
 – King Rd Plank Rd
 - NC 211 King Rd Plank Rd
- O Northern Routes:
 - US 1-NC 690 Morrison Bridge Manchester
 - US 1-NC 24/27 NC 87

Fort Bragg PAO will announce road projects on their Facebook page, website, and the MAPA App.

More information can be found at the following links:

- o https://www.facebook.com/FortBraggPAO
- o https://home.army.mil/bragg/roads.
- o https://home.army.mil/bragg/ (MAPA is available in your phone's app store)



SWCS Family Programs Upcoming Events

* 11 Jun – Civil Affairs Spouse Orientation	Click <u>here</u> to register

* 20 Jun – HHC Mental Health Talk Click <u>here</u> to register

* 25 Jun – LREC Spouse in the Schoolhouse Click <u>here</u> to register

* 27 Jun – SFWOI Blending Colors & Conversation Click here to register

* 27 Jun – JSOMTC Families in the Medic Schoolhouse Click here to register

* 28 Jun – SWCS All Self Care Through Woodworking Click <a href=here to register

SWCS Family Programs STEAM Summer Series

* 17 Jun – Robotics in Action Click here to register

* 26 Jun – Fossil Fun Day Click here to register

* 17 Jul – Astronomy Day Save the Date

* 22 Jul – Exploring Nature Save the Date

* 14 Aug - Fossil Fun Day Save the Date

Soldier & Family Readiness Group (SFRG) Upcoming Classes

- * 03 Jun SFRG Coordinator Training
- * 04 Jun SFRG Command Family Readiness Representative (CFRR) Training
- * 10 Jun SFRG Informal Fund Custodian Training
- * 17 Jun Care Team Training
- * 24 Jun SFRG Key Contact Training

To view all class details and to register, go to:

 $\frac{https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/embed?src=fortlibertyacs@gmail.com&ct}{z=America/New_York\&pli=1}$

^{*} To view all these events and more visit our Official Webpage at: https://www.swcs.mil/Resources/Family-Programs/

Fort Bragg Upcoming Events

To view all upcoming events, please visit the MWR website calendar at: https://bragg.armymwr.com/calendar?date=6/1/2025

Highlighted:

• Summer Reading Program at Throckmorton Library

Level Up at Your Library is an all-ages summer reading program based around puzzles and games. Whether you're playing with STEAM concepts or gamifying your reading logs, learning to play chess or how to code video games.

June Events and Programs

Registration packet pick up at the library starting June 1, 2025.

Register at https://bragg.armymwr.com/programs/summer-reading-program

Programs:

- * 04 Jun Big Bang Boom! Music and Fun
- * 11 June Pepito & the Trash Cans Stories & Songs
- * 18 June Mario Party
- * 23 June 23 Super Smash Bros Teen Tourney
- * 25 June All About Frogs

Open to the public. For more information call: (910) 396-2665

Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS)

The BOSS Program assists single Soldiers in identifying and planning recreational and leisure activities that are offered in a safe and exciting environment. It provides an opportunity for single soldiers to participate and contribute to their respective communities and gives the individual a sense of responsibility and involvement.

BOSS Office: Bldg. H-4358 Sapper Street

Office: 910-396-7751 Cell: 910-309-2966

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Resources

• SWCS Military & Family Life Consultants (MFLC) Team:

Licensed Clinical Social Worker: 910-729-9380

Licensed Clinical Mental Health Counselor: 910-723-3815

Licensed Clinical Mental Health Counselor (specializes in children therapy):

910-850-4416

• Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS):

Location: Basement of Soldier Support Center

Phone: 910-396-9339

• Humana / Tricare

Phone: 800-444-5445

Website: www.humanamilitary.com

• Womack Army Medical Center (WAMC):

Location: 2817 Rock Merritt Ave. Main Number: 910-907-9262 Information: 910-907-6000

Emergency Dept.: 910-907-7000

• Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Medical and Family Support

Location: 4th Floor Soldier Support Center

Phone: 910-643-9642

• American Red Cross:

Location: Bldg. 1-1139 corner of Macomb St. & Hamilton St.

Website: www.redcross.org

Phone: 910-396-1231

• Army Community Services:

Location: 3rd Floor, Soldier Support Center

Phone: 910-396-8682

Website: https://bragg.armymwr.com/programs/acs

Contact Us

U.S.A. John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School (USAJFKSWCS) Family Programs Office

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Official Website: https://www.swcs.mil/Resources/Family-Programs/

Facebook Page: https://www.facebook.com/S.W.C.S.FamilyPrograms

USAJFKSWCS Family Programs Online Newsletter: https://sway.cloud.microsoft/ZoZFzfF28wZmfvkO?ref=Link

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