



USAJFKSWCS Family Programs Newsletter

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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 Announcements

- **Future Recreational Development Survey** – your Fort Bragg Family and MWR is exploring future opportunities for the Stryker Golf Course property. We are seeking feedback from our Soldiers, Families, Retirees, and Civilian community members to better understand what recreation and entertainment options would provide the greatest value to our military community. Click [here](#) to complete the survey.
- **SECO is Now SpouseWorks!** – bringing together trusted career and education support in one place with no changes to services, eligibility, or partnerships. Military spouses can now receive up to \$4,000 in financial aid for licenses, certifications, associate's degrees, and continuing education courses, regardless of their service member's rank or pay grade.

As of July 17th, SpouseWorks uses myAUTH, a simpler and more secure way to sign in. Create your myAUTH account today to continue accessing SpouseWorks career resources, tools, and support.

For further information and to create your SpouseWork account visit:

<https://spouseworks.militaryonesource.mil/portal/>

SWCS Family Programs Upcoming Events

- * 05 Aug – NCOA Building Family Moments [Click here to register](#)
- * 08 Aug – SWCS All Building Resiliency in Children [Click here to register](#)
- * 14 Aug – JSOMTC Mental Health Talk at the River [Click here to register](#)
- * 21 Aug – SWCS All Cook & Connect [Click here to register](#)
- * 26 Aug – 3BN 1SWTG(A) CA Spouse 101 [Click here to register](#)
- * 28 Aug – 1BN 1SWTG(A) Situational Awareness [Click here to register](#)

* Visit our Official Webpage at:

<https://www.swcs.mil/Resources/Family-Programs/>

Soldier & Family Readiness Group (SFRG)

Upcoming Virtual Classes

- * 05 Aug – Command Family Readiness Representative (CFRR) Training
(in person – call 910-432-3742 to register)
- * 13 Aug – SFRG Informal Fund Custodian Training
- * 20 Aug – Care Team Training
- * 27 Aug – SFRG Key Contact Training

Click on the link to register for classes <https://forms.osi.apps.mil/r/CUss8cBD04>.
For class information and registration assistance you can reach out to the SFRG Center at Pope AAF at 910-432-3742.

Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) Resources

EFMP is required for service members who have a Family member with special medical, emotional, developmental, or educational needs. The goal is simple: to make sure your Family gets the right care and support wherever the Army sends you.

What you get from EFMP:

- Coordinated support. We connect you with medical care, school services, housing, and community programs, both on and off post.
- Easier PCS moves. EFMP helps plan ahead for childcare, schools, and healthcare before you relocate, so fewer surprises await when you arrive.
- Career protection. EFMP enrollment does not hurt promotions, schools, or assignments, and EFMP information is private and not seen by selection boards.
- Support for daily life. We offer classes, support groups, respite care, and Systems Navigators who help you through the process.

EFMP Upcoming Events

- 14 Aug – Play Mornings – Location: Soldier Support Center, 4th Floor. Join EFMP Family support for an interactive playgroup for children ages 5 and under, who are enrolled in EFMP. Together we will play games, make crafts and explore the senses in our playroom.

Registration is required. For more information call 910-643-9642 or email: usarmy.bragg.usag.mbx.acs-efmp@army.mil

Fort Bragg MWR Upcoming Events

To view all upcoming events, please visit the MWR website calendar at:

<https://bragg.armymwr.com/calendar?date=8/1/2026>

Highlighted Events:

- 08 Aug – Outdoor Education Program – **Skulls & Skins** from 11am to 1pm at Smith Lake Pavillion C. During this program you will get a chance to talk about the wildlife that live in the forest and feel some of their fur. We will be taking a closer look at their skulls and the difference in their teeth.

Free program Open to the DoW ID cardholders. No registration required. For more information or questions, please call 910-396-5979 for more information.

- 28 Aug – **Throckmorton Library Book Club**. Join the library for a captivating book discussion at John L. Throckmorton Library happening every second Friday of the month at 10am with our partners from the Army Community Service Family Support. This is a perfect way for adult readers to connect with fellow book lovers and share your thoughts on a great read.

While you immerse yourself in the discussion, your children can enjoy engaging crafts and workshops. Please note, parents are responsible for supervising children during this time.

Registration: For more information or to sign up, please call 910-643-9642, or register online [here](#). Open to ages 20 years old and up.

Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS)

BOSS Office: Bldg. H-4358 Sapper Street

Office: 910-396-7751

Cell: 910-309-2966

[Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers :: Ft. Bragg :: US Army MWR](#)

Highlighted Events:

- 31 Jul – BOSS Single Soldier Movie Night starting at 6pm. Location: AMC Marketfair 15. Step away from the daily grind and swing into an action-packed evening designed just for the Single Soldiers! Join us for an exciting Movie Night featuring ***Spider-Man: Brand New Day!*** A thrilling new chapter filled with high-stakes adventure, humor and heart.
- 01 Aug – BOSS Take Me Out to the Ball Game at 6pm. Location: Segra Stadium. Get ready to cheer, connect, and enjoy an exciting night of live sports, team spirit as we take YOU to see the Fayetteville Woodpeckers!

Registration Information:

Sign up through your local BOSS representative. Have any questions, give BOSS a call at (910) 396-7751 or (910) 908-0693. Open to Active-Duty Single Service Members, Single Parents, Geo-Bachelors.

All American Freeway Construction & Gate Closure

The All-American Gate, known as the main entrance to Fort Bragg closed at 5 a.m. on Monday, July 27 to make needed repairs to the roadway. Construction is expected to take 24 months.

The repairs will include replacement of the Gruber Road bridge and major repair of roadbed settlement on All-American Freeway (AAF) near the Rock Merritt Road exit. AAF will remain closed from the All-American Gate to Zabitosky Road in both inbound and outbound directions.

We expect the construction to take up to 24 months. The All-American Visitor Center will remain open, but the All-American Freeway Access Control Point is closed, and visitors will have to use other gates to gain access to the installation.

The most convenient way for non-DOW ID cardholders to request a visitor pass is online at <https://home.army.mil/bragg/> select the Online Visitor Pass link on the right. Additional manpower was added to other gates to accommodate increased traffic.

To find out which gates are open and the traffic conditions, please use the My Army Post App, available on the Apple Store and Google Play.

As construction schedules are finalized, we will continue to post road updates. Please continue to follow the Fort Bragg official webpage, social media webpage and My Army Post App (MAPA) for updates.

<https://home.army.mil/bragg/>

<https://www.facebook.com/FortBraggPAO/>

<https://www.instagram.com/officialfortbragg/>

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's 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

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<https://sway.cloud.microsoft/ZoZFzfF28wZmfvkO?ref=Link>

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