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2026 RUN SERIES —RUN. RALLY. REPEAT.

Lace up for a year of movement, motivation, and community connection at Fort Carson.

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COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHT WHERE COMMUNITY THRIVES

Highlighting the events and experiences that make Fort Carson more than a duty station.

Check out this heart warming article on pages 3 - 4.



From the Director's Desk

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Welcome to a new year at Fort Carson and a new edition of The Mountain Post Magazine!

As we step into the year ahead, the Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (DFMWR) is excited to continue building meaningful experiences that bring our community together. A new year offers a fresh start—new goals, new traditions, and new opportunities to connect with one another, and our team is proud to support you every step of the way.

This year, we are looking forward to an expanded lineup of special events designed to celebrate our military community and the moments that matter most. From seasonal festivals and family-focused celebrations to events honoring our service members and their families, there is something on the horizon for everyone to enjoy. We are especially excited to kick off Spring Fest in April as we celebrate the **Month of the Military Child**, along with many more signature events planned throughout the year.

We are also thrilled to continue our run series, offering participants of all ages and abilities the chance to stay active, challenge themselves, and connect with the Fort Carson community in a fun and supportive environment. Whether you are chasing a personal goal or simply enjoying the camaraderie, these events are a great way to start the year strong.

At DFMWR, our mission remains unchanged: to enhance readiness, resilience, and quality of life for service members, their families, retirees, and civilians. Through recreation, fitness, leisure travel, and community events, we are committed to creating experiences that strengthen bonds and make Fort Carson feel like home.

Thank you for being part of this incredible community. We look forward to sharing another year of connection, celebration, and unforgettable moments with you.

Here's to a strong start and an exciting year ahead.

Sincerely,
Ryan J. Noble
Director of DFMWR



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Sponsor our Team!

Our events are a great opportunity to reach the Fort Carson and surrounding military community, as well as the general Colorado Springs community.

There are multiple sponsorship levels available:

- Title Sponsor (exclusive right, first come, first served)
- Event Sponsor
- Booth Sponsor

For more information, you can request a Sponsorship Deck by scanning our QR Code!





EAGLE SCOUT CONNOR MCCLEARY COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHT

A young leader leaving a lasting impact at Fort Carson's Rail yard

At just 14 years old, Connor McCleary has already demonstrated the leadership, initiative, and service-minded thinking that define Scouting's highest rank. With seven years of experience in Scouts, Connor completed his Eagle Scout project at Fort Carson's rail yard, creating improvements that support both Soldier readiness and community education.

Inspired by a conversation with his father, Connor recognized a practical need at the rail yard gazebo. The area lacked seating and shade relief during Colorado's hot summer months, particularly during periods when Soldiers and personnel are loading and unloading equipment. Seeing an opportunity to help, Connor developed a plan to improve both comfort and safety for those working in the area.

A Project with Purpose

Connor's Eagle Scout project included the installation of four benches and an arm immersion tank; a cooling system designed to help reduce body temperature and prevent heat-related injuries. These improvements now provide a functional rest and recovery space for personnel operating in high-heat conditions. The project was completed with the help of Troop 110, Colorado Springs, where Connor took on a leadership role by organizing Scouts into work teams and assigning responsibilities for assembling each bench.

“ I want our troops to not get heat-related injuries and potentially go to the hospital, Connor shared during his interview. ”



When the project encountered an unexpected challenge, running out of screws during assembly, Connor adapted quickly, ensuring the work continued without delay. Beyond the physical improvements, Connor reflected on the leadership lessons gained throughout the process, noting the importance of clear communication and concise instructions — a key takeaway that highlights growth and self-awareness.

A Project with Purpose

Connor's involvement at the Fort Carson rail yard extended beyond his Eagle Scout project. He also played a role in supporting Scouting educational experiences held at the site, helping connect youth to real-world learning environments tied to transportation, logistics, and safety.

In November, Cub Scouts participated in a Railroading Merit Badge experience, where they toured the rail yard, learned rail safety, explored train operations, and even rode Fort Carson Army trains, gaining hands-on exposure to how rail systems support military logistics.

Connor served as an Assistant Merit Badge Counselor, helping guide Scouts through the experience. Additional merit badge events followed, including a Railroading Merit Badge class focused on railroad history, technology, signage, and careers within the rail industry, all conducted at the Rail-yard and Transportation Division Headquarters.

Scouts also completed a Truck Transportation Merit Badge, learning how trucking supports the supply chain, military operations, and freight movement across the United States, further highlighting the rail yard's role in transportation readiness.

A Lasting Impact

Through his Eagle Scout project and continued involvement in Scouting activities at the rail yard, Connor has helped transform the space into more than a worksite it is now a place of learning, safety, and

community engagement. The benches and arm immersion tank provide tangible benefits for Soldiers, while the educational programs introduce Scouts to the importance of logistics, transportation, and service.

Earning the rank of Eagle Scout represents years of dedication and leadership, and Connor McCleary's work stands as a strong example of how young leaders can make a meaningful, lasting impact. Fort Carson is proud to recognize Connor for his commitment to service and his contributions to the community.



Army Community Service

Hours of Operation:
Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Wed: 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4590
DSN: (312) 526 - 4590
Address: 6303 Wetzel Ave,
BLDG 1526, Fort Carson
Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/ACS



Featured Events

Start 2026 strong—with safety, support, and financial readiness at Army Community Service!

ACS offers opportunities to grow and thrive: join the Connecting Families Play Group to build friendships and reduce stress, strengthen your finances with Budgeting 101, and learn vital parenting and home safety skills through Heart & Home. Find healing and support with Heartbeat peer groups and give back through the Army Volunteer Corps. Whatever your resolution—financial strength, family connection, or community service—ACS has resources to help you succeed.



Kick off the New Year with financial confidence!

January is Tax Prep season – perfect timing to make a resolution to take charge of your money. Maximize your income, build financial strength and get personalized support with a one-on-one appointment or join a class like Financial Strength Budgeting 101. The ACS Financial Readiness Team is here to help you start the year on the right track!



Connecting Families Play Group

For Deployed or Unaccompanied Military Families. Give your child—and yourself—the gift of community. Join our FREE monthly playgroup for kids of all ages! Build friendships, reduce stress, and connect with others who understand the military lifestyle.



What We Offer:

- Fun, supportive environment
- Social skill development through play
- A strong support network for parents & kids

3rd Friday of each month –

2026: Jan 16, Feb 20, Mar 20, 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.,
No pre-registration required, join us at the ACS Annex,
Family Nurturing Center 1481 Titus Blvd, BLDG 7492

Programs

Financial Strength Budgeting 101

Learn how to create your budget, meet your financial goals and save for emergencies. Make your New Year's Resolution to create a sound financial plan for you and your family!

Jan 6, Feb 3 - 9:30 a.m. – 11 a.m.,
Army Community Service, Bldg 1526

Auditing Your SFRG Informal Funds

Working on your SFRG Informal Fund Audit for 2025? ACS is here to help! Gain a solid understanding of how to audit an SFRG Informal Fund using proven best practices, tools and tips.

Jan 13, Jan 15 - 10 a.m. – 11:30 am,
Army Community Service, Bldg 1526

Heartbeat

Peer Support for Survivors of Suicide Loss, connect with other friends and families affected by suicide.

2nd Tuesday of each Month

Jan 13, Feb 10, Mar 10 - 6:15 p.m.,
Join virtual via Zoom or in-person ACS Survivor Outreach Services, 6990 Mekong Street, Bldg 6215



Heart & Home

This innovative course provides essential information and skills necessary for parents to provide a safe and healthy environment for their children with hands-on CPR Training and essential home safety tips.

2nd Tuesday every other month

Feb 10 - 9 am – 11:30 am, ACS Annex, Family Nurturing Center 1481 Titus Blvd, BLDG 7492

Army Volunteer Corps (AVC) offers volunteer opportunities on and off Fort Carson, and in our community. Reach out to discover fulfilling and enriching ways you and/or your family can give back to your community through volunteerism!

**Empower yourself and your family with ACS – Real-Life Solutions for Successful Army Living
Visit us today to learn more!**

Auto Skills

Hours of Operation:

Wed-Fri: 10 A.M. - 8 P.M.

Sat: 8 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sun-Tue: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 -2147

DSN: 526 - 2147

Address: 7001 Wetzel Ave,
BLDG 2427, Fort Carson

Website:
<https://carson.armymwr.com/auto>

Class Schedule & Details

Get Your Vehicle Winter-Ready at the Auto Skills Center!

According to the Farmer's Almanac, the winter of 2025–2026 is predicted to bring cold temperatures and plenty of snow—summed up perfectly as "Chill, Snow, Repeat." Before the storms roll in, make sure your vehicle is ready to handle Colorado's unpredictable winter roads.



Alignment Class

Thursday, Jan. 30 | 6-8 p.m. | Cost: Free

Auto Skills Center

Ever wondered why your tires are wearing unevenly or whether your vehicle really needs an alignment? This class covers the basics of your vehicle's steering and suspension system, including how to identify issues with ball joints, tie rods, and hub bearings.

Participants will also learn about the three critical alignment angles, caster, camber, and toe, and gain the knowledge needed to confidently discuss steering and suspension concerns with a vehicle technician.

Paint & Body Basics

Thursday, Feb. 20 | 6-8 p.m. | Cost: Free

Auto Skills Center

Winter weather can be tough on your vehicle's exterior. This class provides an overview of the tools, techniques, and procedures used to repair common paint and body damage caused by winter driving conditions. Learn practical tips to help restore and protect your vehicle's appearance.

Car Care Clinic

(Drive-Thru Inspection)

Wednesday, Mar. 19 | 5-7:30 p.m. | Cost: Free

Auto Skills Center

Pull through the Auto Skills Center for a convenient drive-thru inspection. Auto Skills technicians will guide you through a visual check of your vehicle to help identify potential maintenance needs and keep you safely on the road.



January Events

BOSS Bowling Nights

January 7 & 21 | 6-8 p.m.

Location: Thunder Alley Bowling Center,

6391 Chiles Ave, Bldg. 1511, Fort Carson, CO 80913

Free bowling and shoe rentals.

Open to BOSS eligible Soldiers.



Magic: The Gathering

January 8, 15, 22, 29 | 6-9 p.m.

Location: BOSS Lounge

Card game in which players take turns battling one another by casting spells, summoning creatures and using artifacts depicted on individual cards.

Ice Climbing with ODR

January 10 | 7 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Cost: \$40

Location: Helen Hunt Falls

Joint BOSS as we ice climb at Helen Hunt falls with ODR. Sign up at ODR.

Care & Share Food Bank

January 16 | 1-3:30 p.m.

Location: 2605 Preamble Pt, Colorado Springs, CO 80915

Join BOSS as we volunteer at the Care & Share Food Bank distribution center and help sort food stuff for those in need.

Iron Forging Class

January 24 | 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. | Cost \$10

Location: Kilroy's Workshop, 7363 McClain Pt, Colorado Springs, CO 80915

Join BOSS and learn iron forging techniques and create your own masterpiece.

About BOSS

Being stationed at Fort Carson comes with a world of opportunities—and one of the best is the Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) Program. Designed specifically for single and unaccompanied Soldiers, BOSS helps create balance by providing quality-of-life programs, community service opportunities, and recreational activities.

What BOSS Offers

- Quality of Life – BOSS works to identify and improve the issues that matter most to single Soldiers, ensuring their voices are heard in the Fort Carson community.
- Community Service – Whether volunteering at local events, supporting outreach programs, or lending a hand on post, BOSS gives Soldiers the chance to make a positive impact.
- Recreation & Leisure – From trips and outdoor adventures to game nights and cultural events, BOSS makes it easy to stay active, make friends, and have fun.



BOSS

Hours of Operation:
Mon: CLOSED

Tues-Fri: 10 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat: 1 - 8 P.M.

Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 5202

DSN: 524 - 5202

Address: 6391 Chiles Ave,
BLDG 1511, Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/BOSS

*DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

BOSS
BETTER OPPORTUNITIES
FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS

Elkhorn Catering & Conference Center

Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4071

DSN: 526 - 4071

Address: 1725 Woodfill Rd,
BLDG 7300, Fort Carson

Website:

www.carson.armymwr.com/eccc

Ready to book with us?

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Client Booking Form!



THE ELKHORN
CATERING & CONFERENCE CENTER

Celebrate the Season at The Elkhorn



Host Your Next Military Gathering at The Elkhorn

When it's time to honor service, celebrate leadership transitions, or bring units together, The Elkhorn offers a polished and dependable venue for official military events. From hails and farewells and retirement ceremonies to dining-ins, dining-outs, and unit gatherings, The Elkhorn provides a setting that respects tradition while delivering exceptional service.

Designed for events of 100 guests or more, each military dinner package offers a streamlined planning process. Units simply provide menu selections, color preferences, and event details, The Elkhorn's professional team takes care of the rest, ensuring a seamless and memorable experience from start to finish.

What's Included with Every Military Dinner

All military dinner packages include:

- Complimentary room setup
- State-of-the-art audiovisual support, including retractable projectors and screens
- Cordless microphones and podium for remarks and presentations
- Elegant table linens and napkins
- China service and glass stemware
- Professional waiter service
- Complimentary cake with unit, club, brigade, or post logo
- Beverage service including iced tea, water, and coffee

Optional enhancements, such as table-side wine service, are available to further elevate the event.

Military Dinner Package Options

Classic Entrée Selection — \$23.75 per person

A refined plated dinner featuring a roasted, marinated chicken breast served with wild rice and a delicately roasted blend of carrots, snap peas, cauliflower, and broccoli. The meal includes a fresh house salad with dressing, rolls with butter, and a complimentary customized sheet cake. Beverage service is included.

Premium Beef Selection — \$26.86 per person

This option features sliced London broil paired with garlic mashed potatoes and steamed green beans. Guests are also served a house salad with dressing, rolls with butter, and a complimentary customized sheet cake. Beverage service is included.

Dual Entrée Selection — \$30.75 per person

For a more elevated dining experience, this package offers both a marinated chicken breast and a tender filet of beef, served with garlic mashed potatoes and steamed green beans. The meal is rounded out with a house salad, rolls with butter, a complimentary customized sheet cake, and full beverage service.

Optional Enhancement

Carafe of house red or white wine may be added to each table for \$7.25 per carafe.

The Hub

Check out this fun and exciting Event!



AT THE HUB

January 24 | 2 p.m.

General Entry- \$25.00 (entry, includes one drink)

Paint and Sips- \$30.00 (entry, includes two drinks)

Masterpiece- \$40.00 (entry, one drink and small Charcuterie board)

The cut off for the registration will be 01/20/2026



Scan here
to sign up!

*The Hub will be limited on rental space due to Parent Central relocating.
We thank you for your time and consideration.*

Special Events Center

When your celebration calls for big energy, the Special Events Center is your go-to venue. With expansive space, state-of-the-art AV, and room to host hundreds of guests, it's perfect for large unit parties, formal holiday banquets, or winter galas.



Why Choose the Special Events Center?

- Space for All: Accommodates everything from intimate gatherings to large-scale events of 200+.
- Tailored Holiday Packages: Take advantage of seasonal buffet menus featuring holiday classics like prime rib, roast turkey, honey glazed ham, and festive dessert displays
- Full-Service Support: Our professional staff handles setup, catering, and cleanup, so you can focus on celebrating.



Whether you're hosting a formal unit ball, a holiday recognition ceremony, or a family-friendly winter party, the Special Events Center delivers the space, service, and festive flair to make your celebration unforgettable.

The Hub

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4071

DSN: 526 - 4071

Address: 6371 Specker Avenue
BLDG 1532, Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/programs/hub

Special Events Center

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 1163

DSN: 524 - 1163

Address: 6550 Specker Avenue, BLDG 1829 Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/programs/william-reed-special-events-center

Grant Library

Hours of Operation:

Tues, Thur, Fri, Sat: 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

Wed: 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sun-Mon: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 2350/2842

DSN: 526 - 2350/2842

Address: 1637 Flint St,

BLDG 1528, Fort Carson

Website:
[www.carson.armymwr.com/
Grantlibrary](http://www.carson.armymwr.com/Grantlibrary)

Grant Library

YOUR GATEWAY TO KNOWLEDGE, LEARNING & MORE

When you think of a library, you probably picture shelves of books — but at Grant Library, the story goes much deeper. Even without scheduled events to share this season, the library remains a vibrant hub of learning, discovery and community support for Soldiers, families and civilians on Fort Carson.

A Resource for All Ages

Grant Library is more than a place to check out books. Like other Army Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) libraries, it offers resources and services designed to support education, career goals and everyday curiosity. Whether you're a student prepping for classes, a spouse brushing up on a new skill, or a child discovering the joy of reading, Grant Library has tools to help.



A World of Digital Access

Even if you can't make it to the physical library, Grant Library's online offerings bring the world of knowledge to your fingertips. Through the DoD MWR Digital Library, patrons can access:

- eBooks, audiobooks and magazines via platforms like OverDrive (Libby app) — from best sellers to classic titles.
- Language learning tools such as Mango Languages, with courses for beginners and advanced learners.
- Professional and academic resources, including research databases, test prep tools and reference materials.

These online resources are free and available anytime, whether you're at home, on post, or deployed — all you need is your DoD credentials.



Power Up Your Homeschool— For Free through MWR!

Your All-Access Guide for Fort Carson Families
Homeschooling provides the stability and flexibility for military families to thrive through every PCS and deployment. At Fort Carson, a complete ecosystem of support is ready to empower your journey, blending hands-on learning at Grant Library, foundational support from Army Community Service (ACS) and Parent Central Services, and a universe of digital resources available 24/7—all at no cost.



Your Foundation of Support with ACS and Parent Central

While the library provides the educational tools, ACS and Parent Central Services are your first stops for navigating the journey.

Weekly Community & Creativity

- LEGO® Club: Every Wednesday from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. It's the perfect drop-in for weekly STEAM fun.
- Story Time & Art Programs: Build literacy and resilience through engaging, regularly scheduled library programs.

Supercharge Your Curriculum with the 24/7 Digital Library

Beyond the building, your library access unlocks a world of powerful online tools, free for military families. Visit army.dodmwrlibraries.org to access these game-changing resources:

For All Ages & Subjects

- Tutor.com: Get 24/7 on-demand, live tutoring for all K-12 subjects, from elementary math to high school physics. Essay writing help and test prep are also available.
- Scholastic Suite (BookFlix, ScienceFlix, TrueFlix): Engage young learners with interactive e-books, videos, and projects that make reading, science, and social studies exciting.
- OverDrive & Libby App: Access thousands of free e-books, audiobooks, and popular magazines like The New Yorker and National Geographic.
- Kanopy: Stream acclaimed documentaries, classic films, and The Great Courses series to supplement any lesson plan.

For Specialized Learning

- Miss Humblebee's Academy: A fun, interactive kindergarten-readiness program for children ages 3-6.
- LearningExpress: Prepare for the future with study guides and practice exams for ASVAB, CLEP, DSST, and SATs.
- Mango Languages: Learn over 70 different languages with an intuitive, fun, and effective platform.

Master Colorado's Homeschool Laws with Confidence

With your support system in place, you can confidently meet Colorado's requirements:

- Notify: Submit a "Notice of Intent" to a Colorado school district 14 days before you begin and resubmit annually.
- Instruct: Teach for 172 days (averaging 4 hours/day) covering core subjects like Reading, Writing, Math, Science, and History.
- Assess: In grades 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11, have your child take a nationally standardized test or be evaluated by a qualified professional.
- Record: Keep organized records of attendance, test results, and immunizations.

You've got this — and MWR has got you.

From your first registration at Parent Central to daily learning at Grant Library and round-the-clock digital access, Fort Carson offers a complete ecosystem for your family to thrive.

Start your homeschool adventure today!

Special Events

Website for vendors:
www.carson.armymwr.com/programs/special-events-team

2026 RUN SERIES



Kick off every month with a fresh start. Join us for the 2026 Run Series—monthly themed runs designed to boost your fitness, challenge your goals, and bring our community together one mile at a time.



January 10

Start the year strong with our first run of 2026! Set new goals, renew your motivation, and kick off your fitness journey with a refreshing run to welcome the new year.



February 21

Get your glow on! Celebrate the month of love with a fun evening run full of neon lights, upbeat music, and glowing accessories. Shuffle your way through the course with friends, family, or your Valentine!



March 14

Math lovers and pie lovers unite! Join us for a playful 3.14-themed run to celebrate Pi Day. Whether you're here for the fun course, the challenge, or the sweet surprises—this run is the perfect slice of motivation.

★ MONTH OF THE ★
MILITARY CHILD
APRIL

Spring Fest
April 25

Mark your calendars for Spring Fest, a community celebration in honor of the Month of the Military Child. Join us as we recognize and celebrate the strength, resilience, and spirit of military children with a fun-filled spring event for the whole family.

- Family-friendly activities
- Youth-focused fun and games
- Community partners and vendors
- Live entertainment and spring surprises

Follow our Facebook today for more updates on special events into the new year!



FEBRUARY

LOOKING FOR ALL EVENTS HAPPENING ON FORT CARSON? YOU'RE AT THE RIGHT SPOT!

- Jan. 3: Get on the Bus to Breckenridge – ODR
- Jan. 3: Howl at the Moon Snowshoe Trip - ODR
- Jan. 6: Financial Strength Budgeting 101 – ACS
- Jan. 6: Basketball League starts – Intramural Sports
- Jan. 7: Bowling Night – BOSS
- Jan. 8: Magic: The Gathering – BOSS
- Jan. 8: Climbing Wall Orientation - ODR
- Jan. 9: CG Scramble – Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club
- Jan. 10: Ice Climbing – BOSS
- Jan. 10: New Year, New You – Special Event
- Jan. 10: Ice Climbing – ODR
- Jan 10: Annie Get Your Gun – Shooting Complex
- Jan. 13: Auditing Your SFRG Informal Funds - ACS
- Jan. 13: Heartbeat – ACS
- Jan. 15: Auditing Your SFRG Informal Funds – ACS
- Jan. 15: Magic: The Gathering – BOSS
- Jan. 15: Nights & Lights Climbing – ODR

- Jan. 16: Get on the Bus to Monarch - ODR
- Jan. 16: Connecting Family Play Group – ACS
- Jan. 16: Care & Share Food Bank - BOSS
- Jan. 21: Bowling Night – BOSS
- Jan. 22: Magic: The Gathering – BOSS
- Jan. 22: Climbing Wall Orientation - ODR
- Jan. 24: Iron Forging Class – BOSS
- Jan. 24: Mission: Masterpiece Paint & Sip – The Hub
- Jan. 24: Ice Climbing – ODR
- Jan. 24: Get on the Bus to Ski Cooper - ODR
- Jan. 29: Magic: The Gathering - BOSS
- Jan. 30: Alignment Class – Auto Skills
- Jan. 31: Get on the Bus to Breckenridge – ODR
- Jan. 31: Snowshoeing – ODR
- Jan. 31: Retired Military Shoot Free – Shooting Complex



CUPID SHUFFLE GLOW EDITION



- Feb. 3: Financial Strength Budgeting 101 – ACS
- Feb. 6: CG Scramble – Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club
- Feb. 10: Heartbeat – ACS
- Feb. 10: Heart & Home – ACS
- Feb. 12: Climbing Wall Orientation - ODR
- Feb. 13: Get on the Bus to Monarch – ODR
- Feb. 13: Intramural 3 Point Shoot – Intramural Sports
- Feb. 14: Couples Trap & Skeet Competition
- Feb. 14: Annie Get Your Gun – Shooting Complex
- Feb. 20: Connecting Family Play Group – ACS
- Feb. 20: Paint & Body Basics – Auto Skills
- Feb. 21: Cupid Shuffle Glow Edition – Special Event
- Feb. 21: Ice Climbing – ODR
- Feb. 21: Sledding – ODR
- Feb. 26: Climbing Wall Orientation – ODR
- Feb. 28: Backcountry Ski & Snowboarding- ODR
- Feb. 28: Get on the Bus to Breckenridge – ODR

- Mar. 7: Snowshoeing – ODR
- Mar. 7: Get on the Bus to Monarch - ODR
- Mar. 9: CG Scramble – Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club
- Mar. 10: Connecting Family Play Group – ACS
- Mar. 12: Climbing Wall Orientation – ODR
- Mar. 14: Pi(e) Day 5k
- Mar. 14: Annie Get Your Gun – Shooting Complex
- Mar. 14: Get on the Bus to Monarch – ODR
- Mar. 16: Intramural Volleyball League starts – Intramural Sports
- Mar. 19: Car Care Clinic – Auto Skills
- Mar. 19: Nights & Lights Climbing – ODR
- Mar. 20: Connecting Family Play Group – ACS
- Mar. 21: Get on the Bus to Monarch – ODR
- Mar. 28: Get on the Bus to Monarch - ODR



Your comfort is our mission.

Offering military guests and their families an excellent stay experience and the same amenities available off post.



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Candlewood Suites
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719-374-9158 Ext. 6

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MARCH

Child & Youth Services

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/CYS

PARENT CENTRAL
Hours of Operation:
Mon, Tues, Thurs: 8 A.M. – 5 P.M.
Wed: 8 A.M. – 6 P.M.
Fri: 8 A.M. – 3 P.M. (By Appt. Only)
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 1101/8220
Address: The Hub, 6371 Specker Avenue
BLDG 1532, Fort Carson

EAST CDC (6w-5y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 5977/5978
Address: 6330 Coleman Ave.
BLDG 6058, Fort Carson

WEST CDC (6w-5y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 524 - 0151/0152
Address: 1504 Coleman Ave
BLDG 6060, Fort Carson

MONARCH CDC (6w-5y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 503 - 5020/2021
Address: 7334 Womack St.
BLDG 2764, Fort Carson



Child Development Center

Winter & Early Spring Fun at Child & Youth Services!

From hands-on creativity and sensory play to sports, dances, and youth programs, Child & Youth Services offers engaging activities designed to support learning, connection, and fun for children and teens across Fort Carson. Join us this winter and early spring as we create meaningful moments for every age group.

Parent Engagement & Family Support

Parent Central Services

- January 21 – Parent Advisory Board Meeting | 12-1 p.m.

Cheyenne Mountain Child Development Center

- January 9 – Family Vision Board
- February 13 – Friendship Bracelets & Cookies
- March 5 – Lucky Shamrock Project

East Child Development Center

- January 15 – Sensory Activities
- February 20 – Handprint Keepsakes
- March 20 – Making Family Books

Monarch Child Development Center

- January 15 – Snowflake Extravaganza
- February 13 – Friendship Cookie Decorating
- March 20 – Spring Flowers

West Child Development Center

- January 15 – Sensory Bottles with Parents | 3:30 p.m.
- February 13 – Friendship Cards with Parents | 3:30 p.m.
- March 6 – Dr. Seuss Read Across America Party | 3:30 p.m.

School Age Care

Patriot SAC:

- February 13 – Valentine's Dance
- March 27 – Spring Break Fun Run

Youth Center

Cooking Boot Camp (Weekly Series) | Learn the basics of cooking with Mr. Randy

- Wednesdays: Jan. 21, Jan. 28, Feb. 4, Feb. 11, Feb. 25, March 4

Friday Night Hoops

- January 9 | 6-10 p.m.
- February 6 | 6-10 p.m.
- March 6 | 6-10 p.m.



Youth Sports

To register, please visit Webtrac or Parent Central inbuilding 5939.

Appointments can be made by calling (719) 526-1101.

*A sports physical is required for all Youth Sports Activities.

We are always looking for Volunteer Coaches. Please call (719) 526-4425 for more information



Sport	Registration Date	Ages & Cost	First Practice	Final Game
Winter Basketball	Nov. 3 - Dec. 5	3-4 yrs. \$30	Jan. 5	Mar. 7
Winter Basketball	Nov. 3 - Dec. 5	5 - 18 yrs. \$65	Jan. 5	Mar. 7
Winter Wrestling	Nov. 3 - Dec. 5	6 - 15 yrs. \$75	Jan. 5	Mar. 7

WE NEED COACHES!

Are you interested in coaching? Reach out to our Youth Sports team for more information on how you can teach our next leagues for the Spring!

For questions on becoming a coach, please contact us at (719) 526-4425.

FCC & School Support Services

Launch Your Career from Home with Fort Carson Family Child Care

Fort Carson's Certified Family Child Care (FCC) Provider program makes it easy to start your own business while supporting military families.

Why Join?

Bonuses: Earn a \$1,000 recruitment bonus and an additional \$1,000 when relocating to another garrison.

Support: Receive free training with complimentary childcare for your children during the training period.

Steady Income: Start receiving payments for 11 months once certified and open for care.

Ready to get started?

Contact Catalina Cole for more information and to obtain the FCC package:
(719) 524-2457 | catalina.m.cole.naf@army.mil

Advance School Enrollment for Military Dependents

Inbound active-duty military members with orders to a Department of Defense installation in Colorado can utilize specific legislation to enroll their dependents in school remotely.

Key Highlights:

Remote Enrollment: Families can enroll electronically without appearing in person.

Residency Requirements: Orders cannot be used to establish residency, but enrollment may use the School Liaison Office address.

Required Documentation: Enrollment forms, proof of residency, and disciplinary records (due within 10 days of attendance).

Enrollment Opportunities: Access to specific schools, programs, courses, charter school enrollment, and open enrollment.

Additional Benefits: Guaranteed matriculation within the school or district.

Priority enrollment for younger siblings in future school years.

For more details on how this legislation applies to school registration in Colorado, contact the School Liaison Officer: (719) 526-2463

IVY CDC (6w-5y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 503 - 8202/8203
Address: 1840 Prusman Ave
BLDG 2764, Fort Carson

Cheyenne Mountain CDC (6w-5y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 5838
Address: 7009 Harr Ave
BLDG 6203, Fort Carson

MESA SAC (K-5th grade)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 524 - 2985/2986
Address: 1420 Grand Staff St
BLDG 4790, Fort Carson

Patriot SAC (K-5th grade)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 5424
Address: 7008 Harr Ave
BLDG 6204, Fort Carson

FCC (4w-12y)
Phone: (719) 524 - 2457
Address: 1352 Ellis St.
BLDG 5939, Fort Carson

Youth Sports (3y - 12y)
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 4425
Address: 6181 Ware St.
BLDG 5950, Fort Carson

Youth Center (6th grade - 12th grade)
Hours of Operation:
Open Rec In: Mon-Fri: 4 - 8 P.M.
Open Rec Out: Mon-Fri: 8 - 6 P.M.
1st Friday of the Month 4 - 8 P.M.
for Friday Night Hoops
Sat & Sun: CLOSED
Phone: (719) 526 - 2680
Address: 6181 Ware St.
BLDG 5950, Fort Carson

Looking for a JOB?

*Join our Team at
Fort Carson!*

**Fort Carson in Colorado Springs, CO,
is hiring!**

Explore a variety of roles and make a difference
in a dynamic and supportive environment.

Why Work at Fort Carson?

- Dynamic Environment: Join a vibrant community.
- Career Growth: Access training and development.
- Competitive Benefits: Comprehensive health benefits and retirement plans.
- Meaningful Impact: Support our soldiers and their families.

How to Apply

1. Visit [USAJOBS.gov](https://www.usajobs.gov): Search for "Fort Carson."
2. Create an Account: Set up your profile.
3. Submit Your Application: Upload your resume and apply.

Scan Here to see all current positions and openings

Start Your Career Today!

Apply now and join a team that values dedication and excellence.



PARTNER WITH PURPOSE

Build Brand Awareness While Supporting the Fort Carson Community

Looking to grow your business and give back? Sponsorship through DFMWR is a powerful way to connect with the Soldiers, Families, and Civilians who call Fort Carson home.

From large-scale events like Freedom Fest and Oktoberfest to seasonal publications like Mountain Post Magazine, our programs offer high-impact exposure through print, digital, and in-person opportunities.

Why Sponsor With Us?

- Targeted Reach: Engage directly with a loyal, Military-connected audience.
- Flexible Packages: Booths, print ads, social media mentions, and more.
- Community Impact: Your support helps us provide free, morale-boosting events year-round to our Military community.

Sponsorship Snapshot

- \$150k+ raised through Freedom Fest sponsors in 2025
- 33.6k Followers on our Facebook page
- 4.4k Followers on Instagram
- 54k visits on our website monthly.

Let's Work Together

Become part of something meaningful.

- Learn more at <https://carson.armymwr.com/sponsorship>
- Contact: dfmwr-sponsorship@army.mil



Camp Hale

Hours of Operation:
Mon - Fri: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Sat & Sun: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Phone: (719) 526 - 6590
DSN: 526 - 6590

Address: 9315 Wilderness Rd
Fort Carson
Website:
<https://carson.armymwr.com/camp-hale>



Services



Welcome to Camp Hale!

Escape to the mountains and experience the perfect blend of comfort and adventure at Camp Hale. Whether you're planning a winter getaway or a cozy cabin stay, Camp Hale offers year-round options for every type of traveler.

RV Sites:

- 50 pull-through slots with full hookup (50 AMP and 30 AMP electric, water, sewage)

Deluxe Cabins:

- 8 cabins including
- Fully equipped with heat and air conditioning, full kitchen, and sleeping space for up to 5 people
- 1 ADA accessible

Amenities:

- Two pavilions for social gatherings
- Check-in Reservation Center with a small store offering sundry items
- Laundry services and shower facilities available

Recreational Activities:

- Corn Hole and Horse Shoe toss games
- Retail store for snacks and camping essentials

Check with staff for an upgraded cabin information.

Winter rates available now through **March 31, 2026**.

8 Beautiful Cabins perfect for families, couples, or group stays

Be My Valentine Cabin Special

\$80 per night | Monday–Thursday

\$125 per night | Friday–Sunday

Treat your Valentine to a peaceful mountain escape surrounded by Colorado's natural beauty.



Services

Leisure Travel Services at Fort Carson

Let Leisure Travel take the stress out of planning your next adventure. From world-class theme parks to local attractions and international destinations, exclusive military discounts make travel more affordable and accessible.

Our mission is to exceed expectations with exceptional service and unforgettable travel experiences, ensuring every trip is both seamless and affordable.

We Offer:

Local Colorado Attractions: Discounted tickets for Elitch Gardens, Water World, Pirates Cove, Denver Aquarium, Jeep Tours and Overdrive. Check with our office for pricing.

Entertainment & Sports:

Tickets for Denver Broncos, Colorado Rockies, Denver Nuggets, and other exciting events.

Theme Park & Destination Tickets:

- 2026 Walt Disney World® Military Salute Tickets
Disney Celebrates America
- 2026 Disneyland® Military Salute Tickets
- 2026 Universal Orlando® Freedom Pass
- Go Card Destinations
Including international attractions
- Multiple Out-of-State Attraction Tickets Available

Local Attraction Highlights

Enjoy exclusive access and savings to some of Colorado's most popular attractions:

- Broadmoor World Arena & Pikes Peak Center | Passcode: FCAB25
<https://www.pikespeakcenter.com/military>
- Royal Gorge Route Railroad
- Colorado Jeep Tours
- Denver Aquarium
- Denver Nuggets Games

Regular Games: <https://nuggets.ksetickets.com/fortcarson>

Premier Games: <https://nuggets.ksetickets.com/fortcarsonprem>

Why Choose Us?

- Full-Service Travel Agency: We tailor trips based on your unique preferences
- Military Discounts: Enjoy special rates for military personnel and Families
- Expert Travel Advisors: Our team provides personalized recommendations and assistance for your trip.
- Convenience & Savings: We do the research for you, securing the best travel deals available.

Contact Leisure Travel Services today and start planning your next adventure!

Leisure Travel

Hours of Operation:
Mon - Fri: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Sat & Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5366

DSN: 526 - 5366

Address: 9315 Wilderness Rd
Fort Carson

Website:
<https://carson.armymwr.com/leisure-travel-ITR>

Explore the fantastic tickets, experiences, and prices available through Leisure Travel!



Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club

Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 7:30 A.M. - 5 P.M.
(First tee: 8 A.M.)
Sat-Sun: 7:30 A.M. - 5 P.M.
(First tee: 8 A.M.)

Phone: (719) 526 - 4102

DSN: 526 - 4102

Address: 1050 Titus Blvd,
BLDG 7800, Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/csgc



About our Course

Cheyenne Shadows Golf is an 18 hole, championship golf course situated at the base of Cheyenne Mountain. The course offers dramatic scenery, a full service pro shop and the popular lunch destination, Mulligan's Grill. Golfers enjoy a superior recreational experience at a value price. We invite you to take part in tournaments, lessons and events. The facility is also a wonderful location to host your special event or function!

Improve your golf experience with the Cheyenne Shadows Golf Course App!

This app includes:

- Interactive Scorecard
- Golf Games: Skins, Stableford, Par, Stroke Scoring
- GPS
- Measure your shot!
- Golfer Profile with Automatic Stats Tracker
- Hole Descriptions and playing tips
- Live Tournaments & Leaderboards
- Book Tee Times
- Message Center
- Rewards
- Food & Beverage Menu
- Facebook Sharing & much more!

DOWNLOAD OUR APP TODAY! →



Events



Indoor Hitting Facility

Uneekor and Trackman 4 launch monitors paired with GS PRO software to provide access to over 600 golf courses worldwide. Great for driving range practice, group events, and to play golf courses from around the world. Table service with access to restaurant and bar. Surround sound, cable TV, Putting Room, high top tables, and booths.

Active Duty/ Retired:

Mon - Thur : \$30 (from open - 12 p.m.)
Mon - Thur : \$35 (12 p.m. - Close)
Fri - Sun : \$40 (from open - 12 p.m.)
Fri - Sun : \$45 (12 p.m. - Close)

Civilian:

Mon - Thur : \$35 (from open - 12 p.m.)
Mon - Thur : \$34 (12 p.m. - Close)
Fri - Sun : \$45 (from open - 12 p.m.)
Fri - Sun : \$50 (12 p.m. - Close)



Golf Club Fittings

Appointment only One on One golf clubs' fittings with industry leading specially trained fitters. Utilize Trackman 4 for wedges, irons, hybrid, fairway woods, and Driver. Utilize SAM Putt Lab for custom putter fittings.

CG Scramble Schedule:

Every month, Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club will host a two person scramble tournament that is open to military and civilian golfers. The low cost tournament is a great event to spend time with friends and experience our beautiful facility.

Dates: Jan. 9 | Feb. 6 | Mar. 6

Time: Starting at 12 p.m.

Price: Military - \$45 | Civilian - \$55

Package includes: · 18 holes of golf with cart

- Range Balls
- Lunch
- Contest and Prizes

Outdoor Recreation

Hours of Operation:

Tues-Fri: 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat: 8 A.M. - 12 P.M.

Sun-Mon:CLOSED

Phone: (719)526-1993

DSN: 526-1993

Address: 7093 Specker Ave,
BLDG 2429, Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/ODR

All Adventures subject to change!

Cancellation Policy for all of Outdoor Recreation:
For a refund, must cancel 72 hours in advance of trip. Overnight trips will require 7 day notice of cancellation to receive a refund.

Outdoor Recreation offers much more!

Are you hosting a Festive Party?

Check out what we have for rent:

- Easter Bunny Costumes
- Snowshoes for kids that light up
- Fire Tables & Stand Up Heaters

Did you know that Outdoor Recreation has a full ski and snowboard tuning shop! Come check it out!



Featured Events

OUTDOOR RECREATION JANUARY EVENTS

Get on the Bus to Breckenridge | Date: Jan. 3 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Lift ticket not included

Howl at the Moon Snowshoe Trip | Date: Jan. 3 | Time: 1 p.m. – 6 p.m. | Price: \$50

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation / Mueller State Park

Includes snowshoes, guides, and transportation

Climbing Wall Orientation | Date: Jan. 8 | Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. | Price: \$25

Location: ODR's Indoor Wall

Learn climbing basics, knot-tying, and belaying | Ages 14+

Ice Climbing | Date: Jan. 10 | Time: 7 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Price: \$75

Location: Helen Hunt Falls

Beginner-friendly, No experience needed

Nights & Lights Ice Climbing | Date: Jan. 15 | Time: 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. | Price: \$100

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Night ice climbing with illuminated ice, No experience needed

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Jan. 16 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation / \$65

Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Optional lessons: \$60 (must sign up by Wednesday prior)

Climbing Wall Orientation | Date: Jan. 22 | Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. | Price: \$25

Location: ODR's Indoor Wall

Learn climbing basics, knot-tying, and belaying | Ages 14+

Ice Climbing | Date: Jan. 24 | Time: 7 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Price: \$75

Location: Helen Hunt Falls

Beginner-friendly, No experience needed

Get on the Bus to Ski Cooper | Date: Jan. 24 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Lift ticket not included

Get on the Bus to Breckenridge | Date: Jan. 31 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Lift ticket not included

Snowshoeing | Date: Jan. 31 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m. | Price: \$50

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Includes snowshoes, guides, and transportation | Explore Breckenridge

OUTDOOR RECREATION FEBRUARY EVENTS

Climbing Wall Orientation | Date: Feb. 12 | Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. | Price: \$25

Location: ODR's Indoor Wall

Learn climbing basics, knot-tying, and belaying | Ages 14+

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Feb. 13 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation

\$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Optional lessons: \$60 (must sign up by Wednesday prior)

Ice Climbing | Date: Feb. 21 | Time: 7 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Price: \$75

Location: Helen Hunt Falls

Beginner-friendly | No experience needed

Sledding | Date: Feb. 21 | Time: 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. | Price: \$50

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation / Mueller State Park

Includes sleds and transportation | Family-friendly

Climbing Wall Orientation | Date: Feb. 26 | Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. | Price: \$25

Location: ODR's Indoor Wall

Learn climbing basics, knot-tying, and belaying | Ages 14+

Backcountry Ski & Snowboarding | Date: Feb. 28 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m. | Price: \$115

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Get on the Bus to Breckenridge | Date: Feb. 28 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Lift ticket not included

OUTDOOR RECREATION MARCH EVENTS

Snowshoeing | Date: Mar. 7 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m. | Price: \$50

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Includes snowshoes, guides, and transportation

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Mar. 7 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation

\$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Climbing Wall Orientation | Date: Mar. 12 | Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. | Price: \$25

Location: ODR's Indoor Wall

Learn climbing basics, knot-tying, and belaying | Ages 14+

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Mar. 14 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation

\$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Nights & Lights Ice Climbing | Date: Mar. 19 | Time: 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. | Price: \$100

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Night ice climbing with illuminated ice | No experience needed

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Mar. 21 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation

\$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

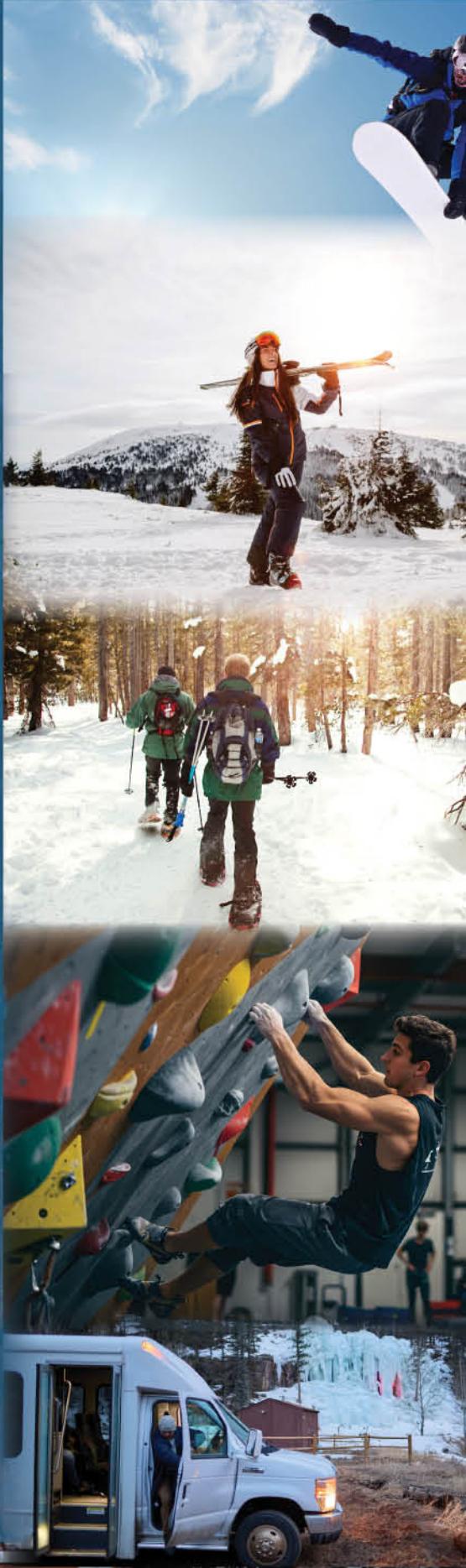
Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation

Get on the Bus to Monarch | Date: Mar. 28 | Time: 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Price: \$115 Lift Ticket, Rental Gear & Transportation / \$85 Lift Ticket & Transportation

\$65 Rental Gear & Transportation / \$40 Transportation Only

Location: Meet at Outdoor Recreation



Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex

Events

RETired MILITARY SHOOT

FREE DAY

Saturday, Jan. 31 | 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

📍 Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex

Cost: Free for retired military

As a thank you for their service, retired military members are invited to shoot free on every fifth

Saturday of the month. Valid retired military identification is required to receive the discount.



Couples Trap & Skeet Competition

Saturday, Feb. 14 | 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

📍 Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex

Registration: \$50 per couple

Celebrate Valentine's Day with a friendly competition on the range. Participating couples will compete in a scheduled trap and skeet shoot, with women shooting trap and men shooting skeet. All equipment is included with registration.

Prizes:

1st Place: \$500 gift card

2nd Place: \$300 gift card

3rd Place: \$200 gift card



ANNIE GET YOUR GUN DAY

Second Saturday of Every Month | 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

📍 Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex

Cost: Free for women

Designed to empower and encourage female shooters, Annie Get Your Gun Day invites women ages 6 and up to enjoy a full day on the range at no cost. Whether you're new to shooting sports or a seasoned participant, this monthly event offers a welcoming and supportive environment to build confidence and skills.



Services

We offer a safe environment where families can come together and enjoy a day at our range.

Our ranges cater to various distances, from 7 yards up to a maximum of 300 yards on paper targets. Additionally, we provide two combination trap/skeet ranges and two archery ranges, featuring both a 3D range and a static archery range.

Gun transfer services: \$42.50 for the first firearm and \$20 for each additional gun per background check.

Firearm rentals: ammunition must be purchased on-site. Handguns are available for individuals aged 21 and older, while rifles are accessible to those 18 years and above.

On-site firearm storage facilities: \$8 for the initial firearm and \$2 for each additional firearm.



Prices

Daily Rates:

For Individual & Family Member

Children 6-12	\$10	\$200
Active Duty	\$12.50	\$235
Retired Military	\$14	\$235
DoD Civilian	\$14	\$265
Civilian	\$16	

25 Visit Punch Pass:

Active Duty	\$200
Retired Military	\$235
DoD Civilian	\$235
Civilian	\$265



10 Visit Punch Pass:

Active Duty	\$90	\$52.50
Retired Military	\$105	\$60
DoD Civilian	\$105	\$60
Civilian	\$125	\$70

5 Visit Punch Pass

Active Duty	\$52.50
Retired Military	\$60
DoD Civilian	\$60
Civilian	\$70



Intramural Sports

Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 6 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 7585

DSN: 526 - 7585

Address: 6550 Specker Ave,
BLDG 1829, Fort Carson

Website:
www.carson.armymwr.com/intramuralsports

About Intramural Sports

Intramural Sports at Fort Carson offers a variety of recreational activities designed to promote fitness, teamwork, and community engagement among military personnel and their families. Participants can enjoy sports like basketball, volleyball, soccer, and flag football, with options for different skill levels and age groups. The program emphasizes inclusive and encourages friendly competition, making it a great way to socialize, stay active, and enhance camaraderie within the Fort Carson community. Additionally, there are often special events and tournaments throughout the year to keep things exciting!

INTRAMURAL SPORTS EQUIPMENT CHECKOUT

All of these items are FREE
and can be checked out at the Intramural Sports office for up to 24 hours

- Measuring Wheel
- Tug-O-War Rope
- Cones
- Sport Jerseys
- Basketballs
- Volleyballs
- Outdoor Volleyball System
- Soccer Balls
- Pop Up Soccer Goals
- Footballs
- Football Flags
- Kickball
- Bases
- Frisbees
- Dodgeballs
- Corn Holes
- Arm wrestling tables



Events

Intramural Basketball League

Season starts: January 6- March 12

Registration: December 1- January 2 2026

Games played Mon – Thursday

6:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.

DOD ID Card holders only 18+

To register contact: lorraine.thorson.naf@army.mil

For more information call the Intramural Office at (719) 526-7585

Intramural 3 point shoot out

Registration: December 1-February 3

Competition Day February 13

Intramural Volleyball League

Season Starts: March 16-April 30

Registration: January 1 2026

Games played Mon – Thursday

6:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.

DOD ID Card holders only 18+

To register contact: lorraine.thorson.naf@army.mil

For more information call the Intramural Office at (719) 526-7585

Intramural Sports Pick up Volleyball

Every Wednesday Starting March 18th

Open play time: 5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Location: William Reed Special Events Center

Open play for ID card holders only

For more information, contact (719) 526-7585

Intramural Sports – PT program

Time 6:30 a.m.-7:30 a.m. (Fall and Winter)

Call (719) 526-7585 for reservations and more information



THAT'S A WRAP, 2025



Directory

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICES

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Wed: 9 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4590 | DSN: 526 - 4590

AUTO SKILLS

Hours of Operation:

Wed-Fri: 10 A.M. - 8 P.M.

Sat: 8 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sun-Tue: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 2147 | DSN: 526 - 2147

BOSS

Hours of Operation:

Tue-Fri: 10 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat: 1 - 8 P.M.

Sun-Mon: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 5202 | DSN: 524 - 5202

ELKHORN CATERING

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4071 | DSN: 526 - 4071

GRANT LIBRARY

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Sat: 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

Wed: 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 2350/2842 | DSN: 526 - 2350/2842

SPECIAL EVENTS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 8 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 1163 | DSN: 524 - 1163

THUNDER ALLEY BOWLING

Hours of Operation:

Wed-Thur: 11 A.M. - 9 P.M.

Fri-Sat: 11 A.M. - 9:30 P.M.

Sun-Tue: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5542 | DSN: 526 - 5542

LEISURE TRAVEL

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5366 | DSN: 526 - 5366

CAMP HALE

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

Sat & Sun: 9 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

Phone: (719) 526 - 6590 | DSN: 526 - 6590

GARCIA FITNESS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 6 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 3944 | DSN: 526 - 3944

IVY FITNESS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5 A.M. - 8 P.M.

Sat-Sun: 8 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Phone: (719) 526 - 2706 | DSN: 526 - 2706

MCKIBBEN FITNESS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

CLOSED*

*Closed for renovations

WALLER FITNESS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5 A.M. - 8 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 2742 | DSN: 526 - 2742

SHEMIN FITNESS CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 6 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 0673 | DSN: 524 - 0673

IVY INDOOR POOL

Hours of Operation:

Tue-Fri: 6 A.M. - 1 P.M.

Sat: 8 A.M. - 3 P.M.

Sun-Mon: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4093 | DSN: 526 - 4093

NELSON INDOOR POOL

Hours of Operation:

CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 3122 | DSN: 526 - 3122

ELLIS OUTDOOR POOL

Hours of Operation:

CLOSED for the season.

CHEYENNE SHADOWS GOLF CLUB

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 7:30 A.M. - 5 P.M.

(First tee: 8 A.M.)

Sat-Sun: 7:30 A.M. - 5 P.M.

(First tee: 8 A.M.)

Phone: (719) 526 - 4102 | DSN: 526 - 4102

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 6 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 7585

(719) 231 - 4939

DSN: 526 - 7585

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Hours of Operation:

Tue-Fri: 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat: 8 A.M. - 2 P.M.

Sun-Mon: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 1993 | DSN: 526 - 1993

CHEYENNE MOUNTAIN SHOOTING COMPLEX

Hours of Operation:

Wed-Fri: 11:30 A.M. - 7 P.M.

Sat-Sun: 8 A.M. - 7 P.M.

Mon-Tue: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 896 - 6196

PARENT CENTRAL

Hours of Operation:

Mon, Tue, Thur: 8 A.M. - 5 P.M.

Wed: 8 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Fri: 8 A.M. - 3 P.M. (By Appt. Only)

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 1101/8220

EAST CDC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5977/5978

WEST CDC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 0151/0152

MONARCH CDC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 503 - 5020/2021

IVY CDC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 503 - 8202/8203

CHEYENNE MOUNTAIN CDC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5838

MESA SAC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 524 - 2985/2986

PATRIOT SAC

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 5424

FCC

Phone: (719) 524 - 2457

Youth Sports

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 5:45 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sat-Sun: CLOSED

Phone: (719) 526 - 4425

YOUTH CENTER

Hours of Operation:

Fall Hours

Open Rec: Mon-Thur 3 - 8 P.M.

Open Rec: Fri: 3 - 10 P.M.

Saturday CLOSED

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