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13 December 2019

Our mission at ACS is to prepare and empower our Total Military Family to meet the challenges of military life by providing essential programs, resources, and services that enhance knowledge, life skills, well-being, quality of life, and retention.

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719-526-4590

On Facebook: Fort Carson Army Community Service

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<https://carson.armymwr.com/programs/army-community-service>

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The Pass It On will return on January 9, 2020. Have a great Holiday and a Happy New Year!



ACS FACILITY UPDATES

The Army Community Service (ACS) Family Nurturing Center programs will be temporarily suspended Dec. 5 to Jan. 6 as the program moves to its new location, 1481 Titus Blvd, building 7492. All classes will resume Jan. 7. Contact Katie Hopkins at 960-6435 on or before Jan. 2 for Nurturing & Nurturing Families through Play class registration information. All services previously offered at the Community Connection, building 1524, are now permanently located at The ACS Center, building 1526. Visit the ACS Center for all Relocation Assistance, clearing, Multicultural Program, Computer Lab, Outreach and Immigration needs.

MEDICAL ASSISTING TRAINING COURSE

Are you interested in a career in medical assisting? The American Red Cross on Fort Carson is offering an Introduction to Medical Assisting Training Course. Applications will be available starting December 16 at the hospital office and are due January 10 at 4 p.m. No late applications will be accepted. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, have a military I.D. card, hold a high school diploma or GED, and be a U.S. citizen. Interviews will take place on January 13 & 14. The course will run from March 30 - June 5, 2020, 7 a.m.-4:30 p.m. For more information, contact the hospital Red Cross office at (719) 526-7144.

SPRING COLLEGE CLASSES

The following Spring Semester classes will be held at the Fort Carson Education Center:

--Colorado State University-Pueblo: POLSC 101, Political Science; ENG 101, Composition I; PHYS 110, Astronomy; and PHYS 110L, Astronomy Lab

--Embry Riddle Aeronautical University: MGMT 312, Managerial Accounting; STAT 211, Statistics with Aviation Applications; ASCI 254, Aviation Legislation; and MGMT 321, Aviation/Aerospace Systems Analysis

--Pikes Peak Community College: ENG 121, English Composition I; PSY 101, General Psychology I; SPA 101, Conversational Spanish I; COM 115, Public Speaking; ENG 122, English Composition II; PSY 102, General Psychology II; SPA 111, Spanish Language I; PSY 235, Human Growth & Development; AAA 109, Advanced Academic Achievement; MAT 025, Algebraic literacy Lab; MAT 055, Algebraic Literacy; and SPA 102, Conversational Spanish II

--University of Colorado - Colorado Springs: LEAD 1200, Foundations of Adaptive Leadership; and LEAD 1600, Leading Teams & Organizations

For more information, contact the Education Center at 526-2124.

UNATTENDED RUNNING VEHICLE POLICY

Leaving an unattended motor vehicle running, commonly referred to as "puffing," is in violation of Colorado law and Fort Carson policy. Colorado Revised Statute 42-4-1206 prohibits a person from leaving an unlocked motor vehicle running, unless a remote starter system is used and adequate security measures are in place. Further, Fort Carson Garrison Commander's Policy Letter #14 states that privately owned vehicles will not be left unattended while running. If cited under the Colorado law, violators can face a \$50 fine, and if cited under the garrison commander's policy, citations will be referred to the violator's chain of command for action. A question that often comes up is, why do these laws and policies exist? The simple answer is crime prevention. According to the Auto Theft Intelligence Coordination Center, 2,536 vehicles were stolen in Colorado Springs during 2018 and according to the group Coloradans against Auto Theft, approximately 50 percent of motor vehicles that are stolen have the keys in them at the time of the offense.

DISABLED VETERANS, CERTAIN CAREGIVERS CAN SHOP IN-STORE AT THE AIR FORCE ACADEMY, PETERSON/SCHRIEVER AFB, FORT CARSON EXCHANGE STARTING JAN. 1

The USAFA, Peterson/Schriever, and Carson Exchange will welcome home #DisabledVeterans, Purple Heart recipients and certain caregivers with in-store shopping privileges beginning Jan. 1. #WelcomeHome Read more:

<https://wp.me/p9Q7PG-1cj>

GREEN TO GOLD

Green to Gold briefings will be held at the Fort Carson Education Center from noon to 1:15 p.m. Dec. 3 and 17. For more information, contact Don Caughey at 719-255-3475, Donald.C.Caughey.civ@mail.mil or visit <http://www.goarmy.com/rotc/enlisted-soldiers.html>.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION EXCHANGE

The next CIE will be held on January 22, 2020. Everyone is always welcome to attend the CIEs which are held at the Elkhorn Conference Center, building 7300, 1725 Woodfill Road. Representatives from various organizations share information and take questions during the CIE. Check out the Community Information "read ahead," which includes information and websites shared during each month's Community Information Exchange (CIE).

<https://www.carson.army.mil/calendar.html#three>. There will be no December CIE.

EL PASO COUNTY RECREATION SERVICES

CONTACT: Theresa Odello, Recreation Coordinator, 719-520-6977, theresaodello@elpasoco.com

ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.elpasocountynaturecenters.com

Full Moon Photography Workshop at the Paint Mines Interpretive Park

Photography at Rainbow Falls Historic Site

Saturday, January 11, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Come check out Rainbow Falls through a different view: your camera! This guided photography workshop led by Make Pach of 3 Peaks Photography & Design will provide a unique opportunity to photograph the falls during winter. \$20 per person, pre-registration required. For adults 18 and over.

First Aid, CPR, AED Classes

CPR/AED Class: Wednesday, January 22, 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

First Aid Class: Wednesday, January 29, 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Bear Creek Nature Center

Take this American Red Cross certification class to give you the information and skills you need to help others during an emergency. This class is for adults 16 years old and above. \$50 per class or \$75 for both; members receive \$5 discount. Pre-registration is required.

Winter Hobby Wine Competition

Do you make your own wine? Enter your best homemade wines in the 2nd Annual El Paso County Winter Hobby Wine Competition. Entries must be submitted by February 1: \$10 per entry. Proceeds from the competition and the awards reception will go to the Friends of El Paso County Nature Centers, a 501(c)3 organization, and will support environmental education programs in El Paso County. The Wine Tasting Event and Awards Ceremony will be held on Saturday, February 15. Call 719-520-6977 or email theresaodello@elpasoco.com for information on how to register your wine.

LTS TICKET SPECIALS

Leisure Travel Services (LTS) has ticket specials for the following. LTS is located at 6371 Specker Ave., building 1532. For more information, call 526-5366.

--Ski/Snowboard season and day passes: Copper Mountain, Monarch Mountain, Ikon Pass (includes over 28 ski resorts)/Ikon Base Pass

--Denver Aquarium and aquarium 4D theater tickets

--SeaQuest of Littleton

--Walt Disney World 2020 Military Salute valid Jan. 1 through Dec. 18, 2020, ages 3 and up: limit six per sponsor or spouse: 4-day park hopper-\$265; 4-day hopper plus-\$315; 5-day park hopper-\$283; 5-day hopper plus-\$333; 6-day park hopper-\$301; and 6-day hopper plus \$351

--Disneyland 2020 salute valid Jan. 1 through Dec. 18, 2020, ages 3 and up: 3-day hopper-\$184 and 4-day hopper-\$204

--Universal Orlando Resort Park Military Salute ages 3 and up for four days: adult-\$200; child 3-9yrs \$196: limit six per both sponsor and spouse

PLEASE VISIT OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS AT THE SITES LISTED BELOW

FOUNTAIN FORT CARSON DISTRICT 8 FREE PRESCHOOL PROGRAM: www.ffc8.org/earlychildhood

TRICARE CHANGES: <https://tricare.mil/LifeEvents/QLE>

PEAK MILITARY CARE NETWORK: <https://pmcn.org/>

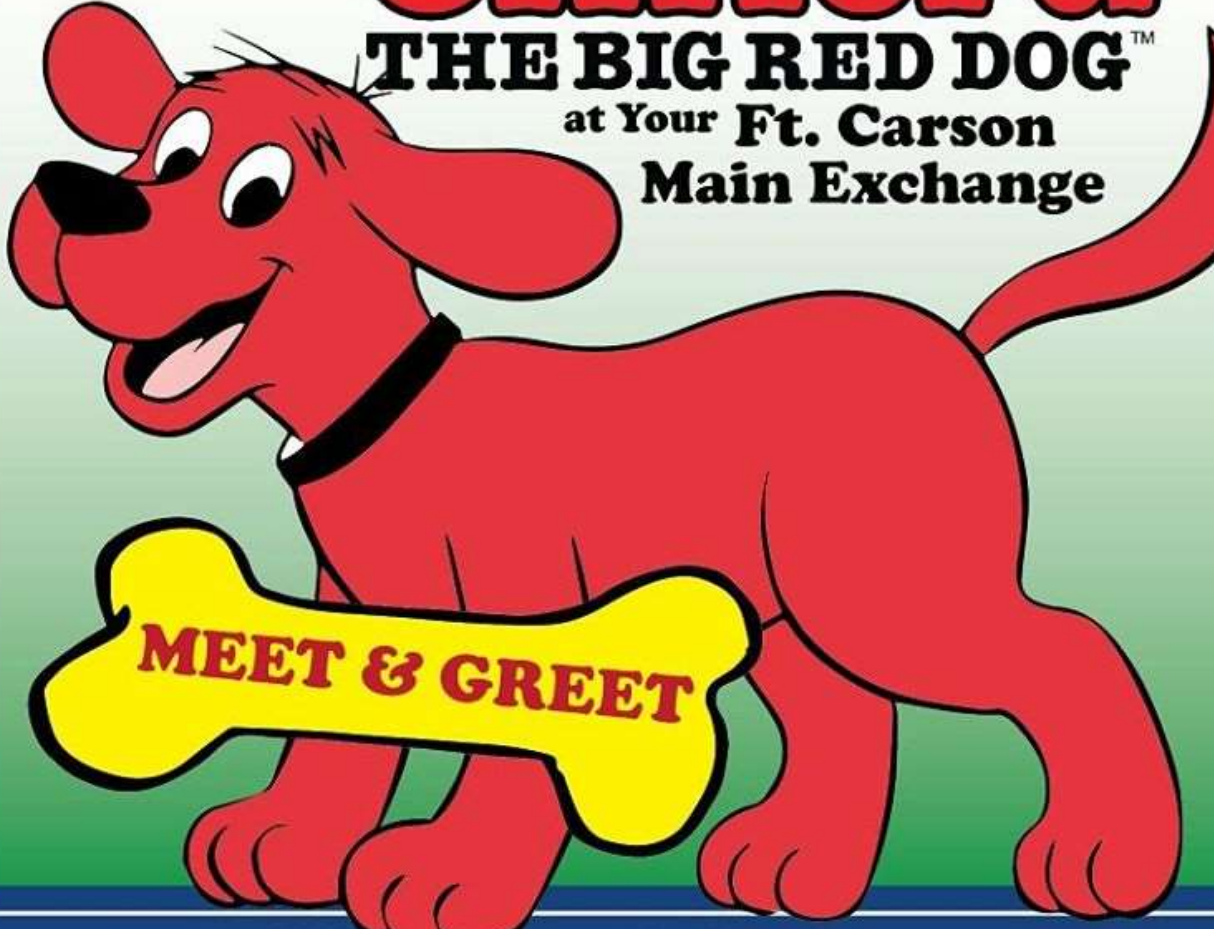
YMCA AUTISM RESPITE PROGRAM: <https://ppymca.org/programs/youth/rise-respite-program>

HEAD START/ COLORADO PRESCHOOL (CPCD): <https://www.cpcdheadstart.org/>



NEW THIS ISSUE

EXCHANGE CLIFFORD MEET AND GREET

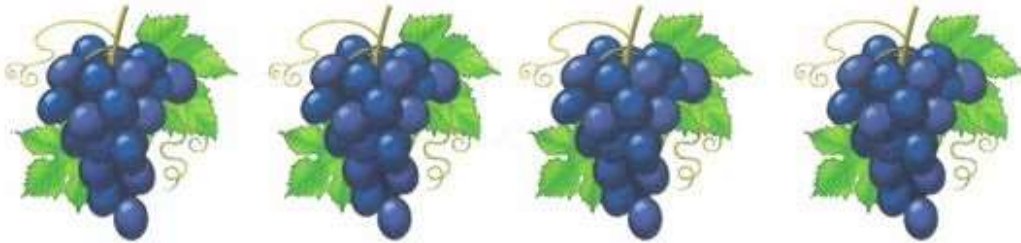


Clifford
THE BIG RED DOG™
at Your **Ft. Carson**
Main Exchange

MEET & GREET

Clifford Meet & Greet
WHERE: Ft. Carson Main Exchange
DATE: Saturday December 14, 2019
TIME: 1100 - 1400





USAFA EXPRESS
Holiday Wine Pairing Event
20 DECEMBER 2019
1130-1430

Unsure what wine to serve with that ham you are preparing for your holiday dinner?

Or maybe you are preparing a roast and are unsure what wine will pair well with it.

Are you having a holiday mixer and want to know what wines to pair with the appetizers?

Come to the United States Air Force Academy Express/Class Six on Friday 20 December 2019 from 1130 to 1430 to find out what wines will pair well with whatever you are serving over the holidays. We will have vendors on hand to educate you on wine pairing and they will also be sampling a selection of wines that you may want to pair with your meals.



A pink poster with a blue icicle border at the top. The text 'Winter Wonderland' is in a white cursive font, followed by 'POOL PARTY' in large yellow block letters. Below that, 'FREE' is in red, and 'FRI, DEC 20' and '4-8 PM' are in white. A white unicorn inflatable ring with a rainbow mane and tail is on the right. At the bottom, there are logos for FORCE, social media icons, USAFA support website, and USAFA Fitness & Sports with a phone number.

Winter Wonderland
POOL PARTY
FREE
FRI, DEC 20
4-8 PM

 For additional information, call 719-333-9140

STOLEN PACKAGE CLAIM LINES

STOLEN PACKAGE?

HERE'S HOW TO FILE A CLAIM

AMAZON: 1-888-280-4331

DHL: 1-800-225-5345

FEDEX: 1-800-463-3339

UPS: 1-800-742-5877

USPS: 1-800-275-8777

THUNDER ALLEY NEW YEARS EVE BOWLING PARTY, DEC 31

<https://carson.armymwr.com/calendar/event/new-years-eve-party/3694608/45939>



BIRDS OF PREY LIVE PRESENTATION, JAN 11

<https://carson.armymwr.com/calendar/event/birds-prey/3723495/46475>





WRAP | SALAD | RICE BOWL | SMOOTHIE | JUICE

RIBBON CUTTING EVENT

**Friday Jan. 10
at 1030 Hrs**

Located in Ft. Carson Food Court
www.bun-d.com





Free 5-Day Advanced Job Seeker's Workshop
For Veterans, Active Duty, Guard/Reserves, & Military Spouses

Date: January 13 – 17, 2020

Time: 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Pikes Peak Workforce Center
El Paso County Citizens Support Center
1675 Garden of the Gods Road
Colorado Springs, CO 80907

Join us for an in-depth, hands-on focus on You & Your Career!
Small Group Instruction – seats are limited.

Reserve your seat Today!

Email your 2 page resume to: info@prepconnect360.org

Workshop Topics: career assessments, interviewing, career goal development, social media, employer-connections, networking, and more!

**NOTE: This is not a resume writing class.*

Dress: Business Casual (Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri), Interview Attire (Thursday)

****Attendees must purchase the book****

What Color Is Your Parachute?
please purchase current edition

By Richard N. Bolles
(list price \$19.99 at any bookstore)



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HOLIDAY EVENTS & RESOURCES



25 HOLIDAY EVENTS IN COLORADO: <https://www.rockymountainfoodtours.com/25-holiday-events-in-colorado/>

VIIST COLORADO SPRINGS TOP CHRISTMAS & HOLIDAY EVENTS: <https://www.visitcos.com/events-calendar/holidays/christmas/>

GAZATTE HOLIDAY EVENTS IN AND AROUND COLORADO SPRINGS: https://gazette.com/arts-entertainment/holiday-events-in-and-around-colorado-springs/article_32bec0b4-f694-11e9-aca0-cbd9a3aad9f.html

HELPING HANDS EL PASO COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES:

<https://research.ppld.org/c.php?g=527775&p=3608665&fbclid=IwAR33ISiGulrVSNJsN8e4TPgG1TLyV42VUJtSMcp1SgBE5Nah0cukUtI3OBM>

OUTDOOR RECREATION ADVENTURE PROGRAMS FALL AND WINTER SCHEDULE

<https://www.carson.army.mil/assets/docs/cie/NOV2019/odr-winter.pdf>

EXCHANGE HOLIDAY RETURN/EXCHANGE POLICY



**HOLIDAY
RETURN / EXCHANGE POLICY**

Merchandise purchases made between **November 1** and **December 24, 2019** qualify for the Holiday Return/Exchange Policy. Merchandise may be returned through **January 31, 2020** accompanied with sales receipt. All other conditions of the current Return/Exchange Policy still apply.

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EXCHANGE

Guide to Holiday Support Programs - 2019

Date	Program	Location	How to Apply
Various deadlines, see website listed	El Paso County free holiday assistance programs Learn how to apply for Angel Tree, free Christmas Tree project, Toys for Tots, food and gifts. Each El Paso County non-profit will have their own individual application process as well as eligibility criteria.	Various	Visit https://www.needhelp-payingbills.com/html/el-paso-county-colorado-free-holiday-assistance.html for more information on how to apply for each program.
1 Nov	Department of Human Services – LEAP Program LEAP (Low-income Energy Assistance Program) is a federally funded program that helps eligible hard-working Colorado pay a portion of their winter home heating costs.	1-866-HEAT-HELP	Applications available 1 NOV at https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdhs/leap#Apply
Apply now!	Christmas Tree Project Apply for free fully decorated Christmas trees.	4575 Galley Road Colorado Springs, CO, 80915	Visit http://www.thechristmastreeproject.org/ and select "Request a Tree" to apply.
Sign up now for Christmas placement or hosting	Home-Away-From-Home Holiday Citizen Soldier Connection organizes local community members who wish to host military Soldiers and Family Members in their home on 24 or 25 Dec.	varies	http://CitizenSoldierConnection.org or email Daniel@peaklivingcolorado.com
Sign ups begin the week of 1 Dec	Connections 4 Life Winter Wonderland, Christmas meals. Pics with Santa and giveaways.	6436-U South Highway 85/87 (behind Wendy's) Fountain, CO 80817	Must sign up in person at location listed.
06-24 Dec	Christmas Unlimited Holiday Toy Distribution Parents receive a \$45 credit to shop for their toys in a store-like environment.	Christmas Unlimited Distribution Center 2204 E Boulder St. Colorado Springs, CO 80909	Applications available at the ACS Center, Bldg 1526. Call 719-955-0742 for other locations. Applications due 13 Dec
09-13 Dec	Operation Helping Hands (Christmas) Provides a \$50 Commissary Gift Card to families.	Distributed by unit UMTs	Contact unit chaplain for details
14 Dec	USO – Colorado Springs Christmas dinner for troops and families	Fort Carson USO Center 1625 Ellis St. Bldg 1218 Fort Carson, CO 80913	POC: Mark Adams maadams@uso.org

**This list is not inclusive of all off-post (public) holiday support - All info subject to change – last updated 9 Dec 2019*

Date	Program	Location	How to Apply
17-18 Dec, 0900-1400 19 Dec 0900-1200 17 Dec – E1-E5, 118 & 19 Dec open to all	Warrior's Warehouse – Christmas Toy Give away Free gifts to children. First come, first served while supplies last. No application this year. Hours for giveaway: 17 & 18 Dec 0900-1400, 19 Dec 0900-1200	5769 Wallace Street, BLDG 1045	E1 – E5 Soldiers and Family WW normal hours of operation: Wed, Thurs – 0900-1230. Call 402-659-8755 www.ftcarson.1045@gmail.com
19 Dec	Operation Homefront Holiday Toy Distribution Enables parents to "shop" for their children for the holidays. Each child receives one premium toy at this event.	TBD	Find out more and register at https://www.operationhomefront.org/holiday-toys (registration goes live beginning of November)
21 Dec	Santa Bob Christmas Giveaway Toys for children in need No pre-registration	Norris Penrose Event Center 1045 Lower Gold Camp, Colorado Springs	In person; show up with the children on 21 Dec from 9:00am-3:00pm at the Norris Penrose Event Center
25 DEC	Salvation Army sponsored hot Holiday Meal Free hot meal served 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Fountain Senior Center 5745 Southmoor Dr. Fountain, CO 80817	Open to everyone.

CUTTING DOWN CHRISTMAS TREES IN COLORADO

RED FEATHER LAKES

DEC. 7-15
970-295-6700

FRASER/WINTER PARK

NOV. 1 - JAN. 6
970-887-4100

BUFFALO CREEK

NOV. 29 - DEC. 15
719-836-2031

SOUTH PARK

NOV. 18 - DEC. 24
719-836-2031

RAMPART RANGE

DEC. 2-18
719-553-1400



GOVERNOR
JARED POLIS



FOUNTAIN MUNICIPAL TRANSIT

Christmas Shopping made easier...

**FREE BUS RIDES EVERY SATURDAY
IN DECEMBER**



beginning Nov. 29th to Dec. 31st
Black Friday will be included in this
Special

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A Fort Carson Fire and Emergency
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SPOT

December 2019



Holiday Fire Safety

Christmas is a time for cheer, but it's also a time for fire hazards. All the candles, Christmas trees, electrical decorations and cooking contribute to an increased number of home fires during the month of December. It's one of the worst months for home fires in the U.S.

On average, holiday decoration fires per year caused two civilian deaths, 34 civilian injuries and 11 million in property damage. Keep these tips in mind during this season.

Holiday Decorating

- ❖ Be careful with holiday decorations.
- ❖ Choose decorations that are flame resistant or flame retardant.
- ❖ Keep lit candles away from decorations and other things that can burn.
- ❖ Some lights are only for indoor or outdoor use but not both.
- ❖ Replace any string of lights with worn or broken cords or loose bulb connections. Read the manufacturer's instructions for number of light strands to connect.
- ❖ Use clips, not nails, to hang lights so the cords do not get damaged.
- ❖ Keep decorations away from windows and doors.

Holiday Entertaining

- ❖ Test your smoke alarms and tell guests about your home fire escape plan
- ❖ Keep children and pets away from lit candles.
- ❖ Keep matches and lighters up high in a locked cabinet.
- ❖ Stay in the kitchen when cooking on the stove top.
- ❖ Ask smokers to smoke outside. Remind smokers to keep their smoking materials with them so young children do not touch them.



Before heading out or going to bed

- ❖ **Blow Out** lit candles when you leave the room or go to bed. **Turn Off** all light strings and decorations before going to bed or leaving the home



FACT

- ✓ **More than half** of the home decoration fires in December are started by candles.
- ✓ **Two of every five** decoration fires happen because decorations are placed too close to a heat source.

Winter Holiday fires by the numbers

- ❖ Electrical distribution or lighting equipment was involved in 43% of home Christmas tree fires.
- ❖ Two of every five (40%) home Christmas tree fires started in the living room, family room, or den. All of the fatalities and roughly three-quarters (72%) of the injuries resulted from fires started in this area.
- ❖ The top three days for home candle fires are Christmas, New Year's Day and New Year's Eve.

Discuss with family members how to call 9-1-1 for help if there is a fire or other emergency. If a fire starts in your home, escape to a neighbor's house, then call 9-1-1. Give the dispatcher your name, address, phone number, and describe the type of emergency. Be clear and try to relax when answering questions from the dispatcher; confused answers could delay the fire department's arrival. Always wait for the dispatcher to hang up before you hang up. Meet the arriving emergency crews to let them know if everyone is safe.

Sleep safe: Install smoke alarms

For more information on these fire safety topics or any other, contact your local fire prevention office - Ft. Carson Fire and Emergency Service at 503-3473. Images and information contained in this newsletter were reproduced in whole or in part from www.NFPA.com

DECEMBER CLASSES

at Tumbleweeds at the Mountain Post



8" Christmas Bows

Tues., Dec. 3 @ 10:30am
or Tues., Dec. 10 @ 10:30am
Cost: \$10 for 2 bows



Scrunchie Set

Thurs., Dec. 5 @ 11am
Cost: \$7 for two



Canvas & Cocktails

Fri., Dec. 6 @ 6:30pm
Cost: \$20 for ages 18 & Up



Academic Drawing & Painting

Sat., Dec. 7 @ 9am
This class meets Dec., 7, 14,
Jan. 7 & 18 with 1 makeup class.
Cost: \$60 for ages 9 & Up



Canvas & Cookies

Sat., Dec. 7 @ 10:30am
Cost: \$10 for ages 6-17



Ornament Make & Take

Sat., Dec. 14 @ 10:30am
Cost: \$1-\$5 per ornament



Decoupage Bottle

Fri., Dec. 13
@ 6pm
Cost: \$20

Come craft with us!
TUMBLEWEEDS
AT THE MOUNTAIN POST

1510 Chiles Ave Fort Carson, Colorado
Located in the mini mall by Dominos!



**Shop our
Holiday
Hours!**
**Dec. 5, 10,
12, 17 & 19**
OPEN 10-6!

CALL US AT 719.393.3734 OR VISIT US ON FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM!

**Military Members: You can sign up with friends!
Visit our website to sign up!**



INVITE A

Military Member this Christmas



December
24TH OR 25TH



The holiday season can be an especially difficult time for a service member and their family; many are far from family and friends. This Christmas, the local community can do something that can make the holiday a lot easier for our troops.

What: Host a Military member / family for Christmas in your Home

When: December 24th or 25th, 2019

Please sign up with the Citizen Soldier Connection by visiting:
www.CitizenSoldierConnection.org, and selecting the events page.
For more details or questions, contact us directly at
Cherish@citizensoldierconnection.org

www.CitizenSoldierConnection.org



Fort Carson Religious Support Office
719-526-8011

Holiday Activities

NOVEMBER				DECEMBER			
1	1145/1700	All Saints Day Mass	SMC RC	2	1900	Parish Reconciliation Service	SMC RC
3	1100	Operation Thanksgiving Baskets	PRUS E	6	1799	Immaculate Conception Mass	SMC RC
18	1230	Hanging of the Greens	PROV PGP	7	0900/1600	Immaculate Conception Mass	SMC RC
24	1230	Pre-Thanksgiving	PRUS PG	7	0900-1200	Bethlehem Bash	SMC A
24	1100	Thanksgiving Worship and Potluck	VET SGP	10	1730	Children's 1st Confession	SMC RC
27	1800	Mass of Thanksgiving and Pie Social	SMC RC	12	1145	Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass	SMC RC
				12	1800	Our Lady of Guadalupe Procession	SMC RC
				14	0830	Hanging of the Greens	SMC RC
				21	1800	Christmas Musical	PRUS PG
				22	1100	Goodie Day	PRUS PG
				24	1600	Children's Christmas Pageant	SMC RC
				24	1630	Christmas Mass	SMC RC
				24	1800	Christmas Eve Worship	VET SGP
				24	1900	Christmas Eve Worship	SMC A
				24	2400	Midnight Mass	SMC RC
				25	0900/1100	Christmas Mass	SMC RC
				31	1700	Anticipatory Mass	SMC RC
				31	1830	New Year's Eve Worship	VET SGP

MS = Middle School
 PROV = Provider Chapel
 PRUS = Prussian Chapel
 SMC = Soldiers' Memorial Chapel
 VET = Veteran's Chapel

FAITH GROUP
 A = All Christian faiths
 B = Buddhist
 E = All persons
 P = Protestant
 C = Chapel Next
 G = Gospel
 GP = General Protestant
 SGP = Samoan General Protestant

RC = Roman Catholic

SLIPPERY SANTA WARRIOR CHALLENGE, DEC 13, 5:30 P.M. – 8 P.M.

<https://carson.armymwr.com/calendar/event/slippy-santa-warrior-challenge/3615662/44262>



THE MOUNTAIN ILLUMINATION FESTIVAL

NOV 29TH - DEC 1ST
DEC 5TH - 8TH
DEC 12TH - JAN 1ST
6 PM - 9 PM



CAVE OF THE WINDS

MOUNTAIN PARK



SANTA PARADE ROUTE

Start at building 6800 in Iroquois Village
Head East on Prussman, Right on Sasser, Left on Old Hospital, Left on Sheridan
Take Sheridan through Chippewa Village to Harr Ave
Head North on Harr Ave, Right on Nelson, Left on Chiles
Head North on Chiles up to Pawnee Village
Left on Funk Ave
Head South on Funk Ave, Right on Harr Ave
Head South on Harr Ave, Right on McCoy St, Left on Sam Houston Loop back out to Harr
Cross Harr to Right on Bastgone, Left back out to Harr Ave
Head South on Harr Ave, Right on Titus
Right into Navajo North, take Light Fighter around to Just Cause Dr
Cross into Navajo South, Right onto Bayonet Cir, Right out to Titus
Head East on Titus, Left onto St Lo Dr, Left onto Hourglass Dr, Across Sheridan to Kwajalein
West on Kwajalein, Right onto Iwo Jima Dr, Right onto Woodfill Dr, Left on Albanese St
Left onto Old Hospital St back to 6800 Prussman Blvd

Email Ashley with questions abueschel@bbcgrp.com





2nd Annual

Front Range Power Connectors Holiday Family Event with Santa



to support



toy drive



Saturday, December 14, 2019, 12 noon to 3pm
At the Colorado Springs Fire Complex &
the Dr. Lester L. Williams Fire Museum
375 Printers Parkway, Colorado Springs, CO 80910

Admission is FREE, but please bring a new unwrapped toy
or cash donation for Christmas Unlimited if you are able



- Free hot dogs, pizza, cookies, Coca-Cola products, and giveaways
- Free take-your-own photo station with both Santa and Mrs. Claus
- CSFD fire fighters, Sparky the Fire Dog, fire trucks & museum tours
- CSPD and Sheriff's Department kids 911 education & finger printing
- The Coca-Cola Polar Bear, holiday card and stocking-decorating
- Gingerbread house building contest for both kids AND for adults
- Live 96.9 KCCY broadcast and Christmas Unlimited raffle prizes
- Come in your ugliest holiday sweater for a chance to win a prize
- Face painting and Nigel Cass Agency hot wheels track for the kids
- Santa arrives at 12:15pm aboard the Toys for Tots Firetruck!

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Calhan Country Christmas

Calhan Christmas Parade of Lights

A magical evening for the entire family!

December 14th, 2019
Gates open 5pm

Live Music* Floats * Vendors * Food * Santa
Light Displays * Live Nativity * Bull Riding
additional ticket required



Live Reindeer! 5-8pm

*Hosted by:
Town Of Calhan
El Paso County Fairgrounds
Calhan Christmas Parade of Lights*

The MAGIC of
CHRISTMAS

El Paso County Fairgrounds
366 10th Street Calhan, CO 80808

Free Admission

Christmas

at the USO

14 December 2019



Please join us for a very special holiday meal including pictures with Santa, gifts for the kids and much more!

SINGLE SERVICE MEMBERS WELCOME!

RSVP HERE: uso-colorado-springs.ticketleap.com/uso-christmas-celebration/

This event made possible by the support of IHeartMedia/IHeartRadio



There will be two seating times available
Please register for one.

11:00 am



Colorado Springs

2:00 pm

BOWLING WITH THE GRINCH



Bowling with the **GRINCH**


BOWLING

Stop by the Peterson Bowling Center
for a chance to win prizes and see The Grinch!

December 14 • 3 - 7 p.m.
Bowl 2 Games FREE! • \$1 Shoe Rental

Sponsored by:

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Bowling Center
Bldg. 406
719-558-4807

MANITOU CHRISTMAS PARADE – DEC 14, 6 P.M. – 7 P.M.

<http://manitouchristmasparade.com/>



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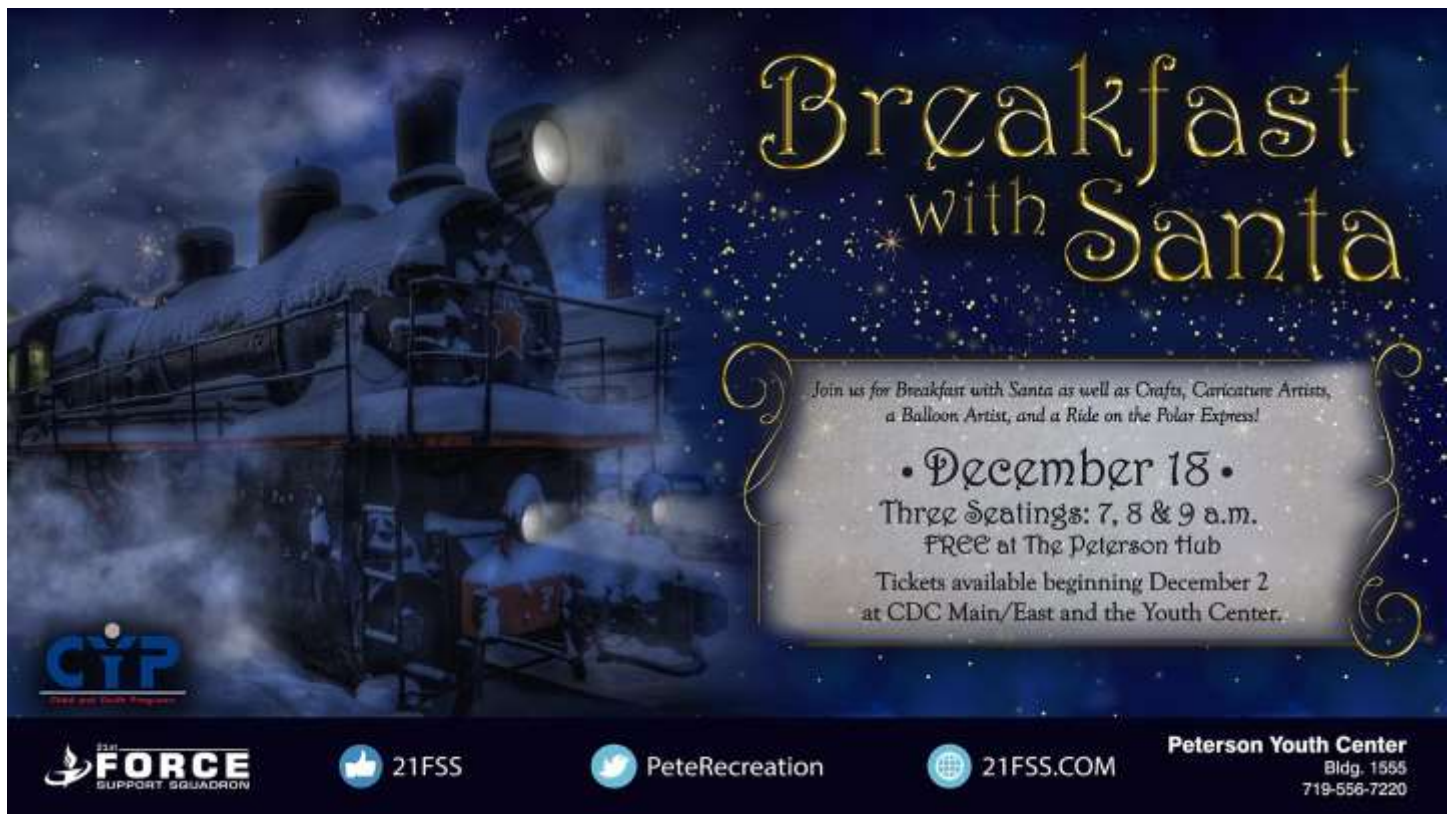
WARRIORS WAREHOUSE 2019 TOY GIVEAWAY

WARRIORS WAREHOUSE
Toy Giveaway
17 & 18 DECEMBER, 0900 – 1400
19 DECEMBER 0900-1200



- No applications this year – First Come First Served
- Ages 1 to 17 Years – must live in your household
- Choose 2 gifts each WHILE SUPPLIES LAST
- For children ages 1 to 12, if a family receives gifts from Santa's Workshop, they are ineligible to also receive from Warriors Warehouse
- 17 December for E1 to E5 Families
- 18 & 19 December – open to all
- Bldg. 1045, 5769 Wallace Street
www.ftcarson.1045@gmail.com

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA



Breakfast with Santa

Join us for Breakfast with Santa as well as Crafts, Caricature Artists, a Balloon Artist, and a Ride on the Polar Express!

• December 18 •
Three Seatings: 7, 8 & 9 a.m.
FREE at The Peterson Hub
Tickets available beginning December 2
at CDC Main/East and the Youth Center.

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Child Youth Program

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Peterson Youth Center
Bldg. 1555
719-556-7220



ACS FACILITY CLOSINGS

CHRISTMAS 2019

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Army Community Service (Bldg. 1526)	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Family Nurturing Center (Bldg. 1354)	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Fallen Heroes Family Center (Bldg. 6215)	8 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-1 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Community Connection (Bldg. 1524)	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Soldier and Family Assistance Center (Bldg. 7492)	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed

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BUSINESS FACILITY CLOSINGS

CHRISTMAS 2019

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Elkhorn Catering & Conference Center	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED
Thunder Alley Bowling Center	CLOSED	11 a.m.-7 p.m.	CLOSED	11 a.m.-10 p.m.	11 a.m.-Midnight	11 a.m.-Midnight	1 p.m.-8 p.m.
Cheyenne Shadows Golf Course	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	CLOSED	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk
Business Administration for Bldg. 1217	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Special Events Center	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED
Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	9 a.m.-4 p.m.	9 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Leisure Travel Services	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-12 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED

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CYS FACILITY CLOSINGS

CHRISTMAS 2019

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Aspen CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Cheyenne Mtn. CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
East CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Ivy CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Mesa SAC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Monarch CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Patriot SAC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Timberline/SKIES Unlimited	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
West CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Youth Services (Middle School/Teen Center)	3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Parent Central	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Bldg. 1217 Staff	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Closed	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Closed	Closed

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RECREATION FACILITY CLOSINGS

CHRISTMAS 2019

	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
December	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Ivy FC	6 a.m.-8 p.m.	6 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-10 p.m.	7 a.m.-3 p.m.	Closed	5 a.m.-10 p.m.	5 a.m.-10 p.m.
McKibben FC	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	Closed	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Garcia FC	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	Closed	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Waller FC	12 p.m.-8 p.m.	12 p.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	Closed	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Nelson Pool	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Ivy Pool	6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.	5:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.	7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Closed	5:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.	5:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.
Auto Skills	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Grant Library	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Outdoor Recreation	10 a.m.-7 p.m.	9 a.m.-1 p.m.	10 a.m.-7 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	10 a.m.-7 p.m.
Recreation Administration Bldg. 1217 Staff	Closed	Closed	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

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Fort Carson Legal Assistance Office

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

20 – 28 DECEMBER

Hours of operation: 0900 – 1200.

- ✓ No walk-in attorney consultations, no divorce briefings, no wills.
- ✓ To book an appointment for week of 23-28 December, please contact the LAO on Friday, 20 December.
- ✓ Notary services and powers of attorney will be available on a walk-in basis during office hours.

DECEMBER 24-25 – OFFICE CLOSED

Merry Christmas!

30 DECEMBER – 3 JANUARY

Hours of operation: 0900 – 1600.

- ✓ No walk-in attorney consultations, no divorce briefing, no wills.
- ✓ To book an appointment for this week, please contact the LAO on Friday, 28 December.
- ✓ Notary services and powers of attorney will be available on a walk-in basis during office hours.

DECEMBER 31-1 JANUARY – OFFICE CLOSED

Happy New Year!

*Happy Holidays from All of Us
at the Fort Carson Legal Assistance Office!*



Prussman Christmas Choir Musical

Prussman will be hosting their **Annual Christmas Musical**
When: Saturday, 21 December
Time: 6:00 PM

More to Follow

For more information, please email
prussmanchapel@gmail.com



Join Us for the Fort Carson Protestant Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Soldiers Memorial Chapel
December 24 at 7:00 PM

For More Information Contact
Soldiers Memorial Chapel
719-526-4316



December 24

1600	Children's Christmas Pageant	Soldiers' Memorial Chapel	Roman Catholic
1830	Christmas Mass	Soldiers' Memorial Chapel	Roman Catholic
1800	Christmas Eve Worship	Veteran's Chapel	Protestant, Samoan
1900	Christmas Eve Worship	Soldiers' Memorial Chapel	Protestant
2400	Midnight Mass	Soldiers' Memorial Chapel	Roman Catholic

December 25

0900	Christmas Mass	Soldiers' Memorial Chapel	Roman Catholic
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ACS FACILITY CLOSINGS

NEW YEAR'S DAY 2020

December- January	Monday 30	Tuesday 31	Wednesday 01	Thursday 02	Friday 03	Saturday 04	Sunday 05
Army Community Service (Bldg. 1526)	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Family Nurturing Center (Bldg. 1354)	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Fallen Heroes Family Center (Bldg. 6215)	8 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-1 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Community Connection (Bldg. 1524)	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Soldier and Family Assistance Center (Bldg. 7492)	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Closed	Closed

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BUSINESS FACILITY CLOSINGS

NEW YEAR'S DAY 2020

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Elkhorn Catering & Conference Center	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Thunder Alley Bowling Center	Closed	11 a.m.-Midnight	11 a.m.-10 p.m.	11 a.m.-10 p.m.	11 a.m.-Midnight	11 a.m.-Midnight	1 p.m.-8 p.m.
Cheyenne Shadows Golf Course	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk-Weather Dependent	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk	8 a.m.-Dusk
Business Administration for Bldg. 1217	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Special Events Center	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Cheyenne Mountain Shooting Complex	Closed	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-4 p.m.	9 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Leisure Travel Services	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed

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CYS FACILITY CLOSINGS

NEW YEAR'S DAY 2020

**December-
January**

	Monday 30	Tuesday 31	Wednesday 01	Thursday 02	Friday 03	Saturday 04	Sunday 05
Aspen CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Cheyenne Mtn. CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
East CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Ivy CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Mesa SAC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Monarch CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Patriot SAC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Timberline/SKIES Unlimited	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
West CDC	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	5:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
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Parent Central	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Bldg. 1217 Staff	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Closed	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Closed	Closed

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RECREATION FACILITY CLOSINGS

NEW YEAR'S DAY 2020

**December-
January**

	Saturday 28	Sunday 29	Monday 30	Tuesday 31	Wednesday 01	Thursday 02	Friday 03
Ivy FC	6 a.m.-8 p.m.	6 a.m.-8 p.m.	6 a.m.-8 p.m.	7 a.m.-3 p.m.	Closed	5 a.m.-10 p.m.	5 a.m.-10 p.m.
McKibben FC	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	7 a.m.-3 p.m.	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Garcia FC	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	6 a.m.-2 p.m.	Closed	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Waller FC	12 p.m.-8 p.m.	12 p.m.-8 p.m.	12 p.m.-8 p.m.	Closed	Closed	5 a.m.-8 p.m.	5 a.m.-8 p.m.
Nelson Pool	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	5:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	5:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Ivy Pool	6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.	7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Closed	5:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.	5:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.
Auto Skills	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Grant Library	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Outdoor Recreation	10 a.m.-7 p.m.	9 a.m. - 1 p.m.	10 a.m.-7 p.m.	Closed	Closed	Closed	10 a.m.-7 p.m.
Recreation Administration Bldg. 1217 Staff	Closed	Closed	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Closed	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

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ACS RELOCATION



The Army Community Service
Family Nurturing Center
will be moving to
1481 Titus Blvd
Building 7492



The Family Nurturing Center will be **CLOSED**
5 Dec 2019 - 6 Jan 2020

We will **REOPEN** and begin our classes on
7 Jan 2020

For Nurturing & Nurturing Families through Play class
registration information, please call or text
(719)960-6435 on or before Jan 2, 2020.

www.carson.army.mil/acs
Search: New Parent Support Program
(719) 960-6435



IMPORTANT AER CHILD CAR SEAT CATEGORY UPDATE

Why the update?

Annually, Army Emergency Relief reviews all categories of assistance to ensure that they are relevant and are meeting the spirit and intent of the Board of Managers (BOM) guidance for category implementation. Based on a thorough review of the Child Car Seat category of assistance, coupled with the unique concerns expressed by many AER Officers, the Child Car Seat category guidelines have been updated as depicted below in an effort to ensure good stewardship of donated funds and accountability.

**EFFECTIVE
2 DECEMBER 2019**

NEW GUIDELINES

- There must be a **valid financial need**.
- Car seats for grandchildren or other minor non-dependent children will not be considered.
- Multiple car seats for multiple vehicles for the same child will not be considered.
- Assistance will either a loan, grant or GROAN based on valid financial need.
- **Applicant now required to provide** (in addition to valid military ID, LES or ERAS, AER application, Estimate for Car Seat, Title 10 orders-if applicable and Special Power of Attorney or Allotment Authorization when Soldier is not available):
 - **Proof of recent adoption, guardianship or birth (birth certificate).**
 - **Medical statement showing due date (if applicable).**
 - **Budget**



For questions and to make an AER appointment please call:
(719) 526-4783 or visit www.carson.army.mil/ACS and search "AER"



ACS UPCOMING PROGRAM SPOTLIGHT

For information about classes please visit: <https://carson.armymwr.com/programs/army-community-service>

To view the entire MWR and ACS calendar please visit:

<https://carson.armymwr.com/calendar/?categoryFilter=0&sctID=&dateset=true&year=2019&month=4&viewType=month&firstBatchSize=30&subset=1>

AUDITING SFRG INFORMAL FUNDS – JAN 9 & 15

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/auditing-your-sfrg-informal-funds-tickets-75897648911>



CENTER ON FATHERING CLASS

FORT CARSON ACS NEW PARENT SUPPORT PROGRAM PRESENTS

Center on Fathering

January 21 - April 28, 2020
Tuesdays 1-3 p.m.

This 15-week class will encourage father-child relationships, cultivate bonding, attachment, communication and build family resiliency.

WWW.CARSON.ARMY.MIL/ACS • (719) 526-4590





SERVICES, PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

MOUNTAIN POST WELCOME MEET & GREET

Welcome!

**You are cordially invited to a
Mountain Post Welcome Meet & Greet**

**Every Tuesday
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
The HUB, 1532 Specker Avenue**

**You'll meet other new spouses, get "insider tips"
from spouses familiar with the area and have an opportunity
to ask questions about your new home.**

**Free lunch on-site, served from 11 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.
Children are welcome to attend with you.
We will have games and quiet activities to help entertain them.**

Register at <https://mountainpost.eventbrite.com>

**Immediately following, you will be invited on
a 60 minute tour of the Mountain Post.
Kids are also welcome to attend.**



Star Wars Event In-Store Demo Saturday, 14 December 2019 1000-1400

Join us for a Star Wars event at your
Ft. Carson Main Exchange
Try out the latest and greatest Star Wars toys and games!

The background of the poster is a movie poster for Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker. It depicts Rey and Kylo Ren in a dramatic lightsaber duel on a dark, rocky outcrop. Rey is on the left, holding a blue lightsaber, while Kylo Ren is on the right, holding a red lightsaber. The scene is set against a backdrop of intense blue and red lightning bolts striking down. The overall atmosphere is epic and action-packed.

STAR
THE RISE OF SKYWALKER
WARS

Come dressed as your favorite Star Wars character and join the fun!



December 2019

Fort Carson CO
Bldg #1843
Prussman Blvd.
719-526-3887



Classes are free and open to active duty, family members, retirees, and civilians. All classes require pre-registration.

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
2. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045	3.	4. Upping Your Metabolism 1415-1515	5. Stress Management 0945-1045	6. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045
9. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045	10. Fueling for Health 0945-1045	11. Upping Your Metabolism 1415-1515	12. Healthy Sleep Habits 0945-1045	13. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045
16. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045	17. Meals in Minutes 0945-1045	18. Upping Your Metabolism 1415-1515	19. Stress Management 0945-1045	20. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045
23. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045	24. Fueling for Health 0945-1045	25. 	26. Healthy Sleep Habits 0945-1045	27. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045
30. Upping Your Metabolism 0945-1045	31. Meals in Minutes 0945-1045			

FORT CARSON FAMILY HOMES DECEMBER CALENDAR



2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 Bus Stop POP-Corn TBA	4 Kid's Kraft 4pm North CC	5 Kid's Baking 4pm North CC	6 Breakfast on the Go!	7
8 Holiday Social 3pm South CC	9 Yard of the Month Judging	10 Bus Stop POP-Corn TBA	11 Holiday Lighting Contest Judging 6pm	12 Breakfast on the Go! Vision Boards 4pm Main CC	13 Santa Parade 4pm Holiday Lighting Contest Nominations Due	14 Bunco! 6pm North CC
15 Gift Making 4pm Main CC Holiday Lighting Contest Voting	16	17 Zero- Based Budget 6pm Main CC	18 YOM Winners Kid's Kraft 4pm Main CC	19 Adult Baking 4pm North CC	20 Adult Craft 5:30pm Main CC	21
22 First Day of Winter	23 Holiday Lighting Winners Announced Holiday Movie 2pm Main CC	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas 	26	27 Bowling! 2pm Thunder Alley	28
29	30 Kid's Kraft 4pm Main CC	31 New Year's Eve	1	2	3	4

BOSS DECEMBER CALENDAR



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Monday = "Sunday" 1 ""	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730		Holiday Ornament Making
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	No DUI	No DUI	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730		Denver Christkindl Market
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730		
29	30	31				
	Soup Kitchen @ 1600-1800	Study Board @ 1730				

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Red: Community Service
Blue: Life Skill
Green: Recreation

MILITARY FAMILY LIFE COUNSELORS



Adult Military Family Life Counselors (MFLC) provide non-medical short term, situational problem-solving counseling to Service Members and their Families. Services can be provided on or off the installation and can be for individuals, couples, families and groups. They provide counseling in the following areas:

Life Skills

Anger Management
Communication
Relationship Issues
Productivity at Work
Conflict Resolution
Parenting
Decision-making skills

Military Lifestyle

Deployment Stress
Coping Skills
Relocation Adjustment
Sadness, grief and loss
Homesickness
Separation
Building Resiliency
Reintegration: warrior to citizen

To speak with an MFLC or to schedule an appointment (in-person or by phone) you can use the following three phone numbers (for non-unit specific counselors):

(719)338-7816
(719)338-0144

OPERATION DEPLOY YOUR DRESS DECEMBER CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 OPEN 5-7PM	4 OPEN 12-2PM	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 OPEN 12-2PM	13	14
15	16	17	18 OPEN 12-2PM	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 BRING YOUR MILITARY ID	26 OPEN TO ALL ID HOLDERS OVER 10	27	28
29	30	31	FORT CARSON-OPERATION DEPLOY YOUR DRESS			

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- 2 Hours of bowling
- Bowling shoes

\$12 /person

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- Party room & decorations (45 minutes)
- Corn dogs and drinks
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\$14 /person

- 2 Hours of bowling (shoes included)
- Party room & decorations (45 minutes)
- Pizza (2 slices) & drinks
- Plates, cups, napkins, table cloths, & balloons

\$14 Each additional large pizza

\$15 Bowling pin for
birthday person



Questions? Call (719) 526-5542



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FORT CARSON AUTO SKILLS CENTER



The Auto Skills Center is a low-cost, do-it-yourself shop that provides authorized patrons with the guidance and tools needed to repair, maintain and upgrade their vehicles.

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Thursday	12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday	12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Federal Holidays	Closed

Phone #: 719-526-2147

Location: 7001 Wetzel Ave. Bldg. 2427

EXPRESS HAPPY HOUR





2020 Youth Sports Calendar



Sport	Registration Dates	Ages & Costs	First Practices	Last Games
Winter Sports Camp (basketball, cheer)	November 4-December 6	TBD	4-Jan	4-Jan
Winter Basketball Developmental	November 4-December 6	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	6-Jan	22-Feb
Winter Basketball	November 4-December 6	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	6-Jan	22-Feb
Winter Cheerleading Developmental	November 4-December 6	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	6-Jan	22-Feb
Winter Cheerleading	November 4-December 6	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	6-Jan	22-Feb
Winter Wrestling	November 4-December 6	6-15 yrs. \$45.00	6-Jan	22-Feb
Spring Sports Camp (soccer, flag football, cheer)	February 10-March 13	TBD	28-Mar	28-Mar
Spring Soccer Developmental	February 10-March 13	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	30-Mar	23-May
Spring Soccer/Flag Football	February 10-March 13	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	30-Mar	23-May
Tennis	February 10-March 13	5-15 yrs. \$65.00	30 Mar	23-May
Summer Sports Camp (baseball, softball)	April 13-May 15	TBD	30-May	30-May
Girls Softball	April 13-May 15	7-15 yrs. \$45.00	1-Jun	1-Aug
Track & Field	April 13-May 15	6-15 yrs. \$45.00	1-Jun	1-Aug
Summer T-Ball Developmental	April 13-May 15	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	1-Jun	1-Aug
Summer T-Ball (5-6) & Baseball	April 13-May 15	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	1-Jun	1-Aug
Fall Sports Camp (soccer, flag football, cheer, volleyball)	July 6-August 7	TBD	22-Aug	22-Aug
Volleyball	July 6-August 7	7-15 yrs. \$45.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Fall Soccer Developmental	July 6-August 7	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Fall Soccer	July 6-August 7	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Fall Cheerleading Developmental	July 6-August 7	3-4 yrs. \$25.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Fall Cheerleading	July 6-August 7	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Fall Flag Football	July 6-August 7	5-18 yrs. \$45.00	24-Aug	17-Oct
Indoor Sports Camp (indoor soccer, wrestling)	September 28-October 23	TBD	31-Oct	31-Oct
Indoor Soccer	September 28-October 23	5-12 yrs. \$45.00	2-Nov	12-Dec
Fall Wrestling	September 28-October 23	6-15 yrs. \$45.00	2-Nov	12-Dec



Fort Carson Youth Sports has been designated a Better Sports for Kids Quality Program Provider for 2018-2019



THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON VOLUNTEER COACHES, ENROLLMENT, AVAILABLE PARTNERS, AND FACILITY/PRACTICE SPACE

TO REGISTER FOR SPORTS, PLEASE VISIT PARENT CENTRAL REGISTRATION IN BUILDING 1518. APPOINTMENTS CAN BE MADE BY CALLING (719) 526-1101 A SPORTS PHYSICAL IS REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN ALL YOUTH SPORTS ACTIVITIES

FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING PROGRAM, PLEASE CALL THE SPORTS STAFF AT (719) 526-4425



COMMUNITY PARTNER PROGRAMS

CAMPUS LIFE MILITARY OUTREACH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

NEEDED:

Spouse or Servicemember
To Run Ft Carson High
School Outreach Ministry



Military Spouse & Servicemember Initiative (MSSI)

Empowering military-connected adults to fulfill their youth ministry calling wherever they go

MSSI REQUIREMENTS:

- Be a follower of Jesus
- Be passionate about reaching military-connected teens
- Be excited about the Campus Life Military mission

MSSI OFFERS:

- YFC affiliation that can follow your military career
- Options for **paid staff positions**
- Administrative support
- YFC training events
- **One-on-one mentoring**
- Ministry resources

Campus Life Military's mission is to support military-connected youth and their families through unconditional, authentic Christ-sharing relationships, which increase resiliency and allow them to make an informed decision about Jesus Christ.

FOR MORE INFO/TO APPLY:

Vanessa Tramm
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