

POST SHORTS

Recycling schedule

The recycling pickup for Wednesday, Oct. 22, is plastic, glass and metal. Put items in blue bags and place them on the curb.



Road closing, detour scheduled

Hoadley Road in Edgewood will be closed Oct. 17 through 19, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., or sooner if the contractor finishes installing the new steam lines under the road earlier.

To detour, use Hanlon Road to building E-5352, make a left turn to go in front of building E-5360 to Williams Road. Turn left on Williams Road to Hoadley Road and turn right. Reverse directions to leave the post.

For more information, call Richard Dunham at 410-306-1163.

Ball set for Oct. 17

The U.S. Army Chemical Corps 2003 National Capital Region Green Dragon Ball will be held 6 p.m., at Top of the Bay. The theme for the ball is "2003: A Tribute to Freedom."

The ball will be a special welcome home to recognize and honor more than 60 chemical soldiers, civilians, and contractors who have returned from supporting Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom. Tickets cost \$27 per person.

To purchase tickets or for more information, contact a unit representative, or call Jeanne Gettle at 410-436-4806/3137.

Fall Technology Expo 2003, Oct. 22

The Corporate Information Office, U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command (Provisional) and the APG Garrison Directorate of Information Management will sponsor the Annual Fall Information Technology Products and Services Expo, 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Oct. 22, at the Edgewood Area Gunpowder Club, building E-4650.

Vendors will include 3M Visual Systems, AMX, ASAP Software, CDW-G, Dell, Force 3, Gateway, GMR, GTSI, HP, IBM, IntelliDyne, MEDI, Metro Office Products, MPC, Nelson White Systems, Office Eagle, Panasonic, Professional Products, Inc.,

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Unit cases SBCCOM colors as three new organizations stand up

Karen Jolley Drewen
RDECOM Public Affairs Office

Hundreds of spectators watched silently as the colors of the U.S. Army Soldier and Biological Chemical Command were cased Oct. 9 in a ceremony that signaled the end of one era and the beginning of a new one.

The ceremony also signified the stand-up for the U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command (Provisional), the Chemical Materials Agency (Provisional) and the Guardian Brigade, three new organizations that mark another milestone in the transformation of the U.S. Army Materiel Command and the U.S. Army.

The U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command (Provisional) and CMA were organized as new organizations as of Oct. 9, although both still are provisional organizations. The Guardian Brigade's effective date is Oct. 15.

Gen. Paul J. Kern, AMC commander, noted that these changes are particularly meaningful as the United States faces change and is "at war with an element of terrorists who seek to undermine the USA."

"We are celebrating the transformation of three organizations all designed to keep our Army relevant," Kern said. "Each has been created to face this changing world."

He said Army laboratories and research and engineering centers "have provided soldiers with technological superiority for the last century, a remarkable period of history in which more has happened than in the thousands of years prior."

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Photo by RALPH BROTH

Maj. Gen. John C. Doesburg, commander, U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command (Provisional), left, and Command Sgt. Maj. James A. Barkley, RDECOM, case the colors of the U.S. Army Soldier and Biological Chemical Command as Gen. Paul J. Kern, right, commander of the U.S. Army Materiel Command, looks on. A ceremony held Oct. 9 at Aberdeen Proving Ground marked an ending for SBCCOM and a beginning for the RDECOM, Chemical Materials Agency (Provisional) and the Guardian Brigade.

APG offers thanks to 121st guardians



Photo by RALPH BROTH

Maryland Army National Guardsmen Spc. Michael Ashby, left, 1st Sgt. Steven Wilson, right, and the soldiers of Company B, 121st Engineer Battalion, salute the colors during the unit's farewell ceremony at Top of the Bay, Oct. 7.

Yvonne Johnson
APG News

Soldiers, civilians and friends of Aberdeen Proving Ground joined garrison Command Sgt. Maj. Elvis Irby to thank the Maryland Army National Guard's Company B, 121st Engineer Battalion for six months of service to the installation during a farewell ceremony at Top of the Bay, Oct. 7.

The unit is part of Task Force 121, which was activated during the Noble Eagle III portion of Operation Enduring Freedom. Along with elements of its Headquarters and Headquarters Company and Companies A and C, Company B has been supporting installation security operations on APG since April.

Irby, and Command Sgt. Maj. Christopher Wigfall, who oversees Task Force 121 operations at installations throughout the state, led the ceremony.

"Today, we honor these soldiers for the fine work done and the difference they've made at APG," Irby said.

He remarked on the difficult lives of citizen soldiers who must leave their loved ones, careers, and educational pursuits when the nation calls and on how well the unit adapted to the situation.

"While you protected us from the threat of terrorism, you became part of our community," he said.

He praised the unit for scoring a "first go" during the testing phase of its mobilization training at Fort Dix, N.J., shortly after being activated, and commended 1st Sgt. Steven Wilson who led 19 others in the Army 10-miler race in Washington, D.C. in which he finished number 5,502 out of 19,000 participants.

Irby thanked all who worked to bring the program together.

"We offer our sincere thanks to the families who supported

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Watch card

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EA oil spill draws quick response

Story and photo by
Yvonne Johnson
APG News

Emergency responders converged on the Edgewood Area of Aberdeen Proving Ground, Oct. 10, when employees in building E-3300 reported the smell of oil in the air.

Investigators found that an underground pipe linking an above ground tank in a secured area to a generator behind building 3300 had ruptured, spilling more than 500 gallons of diesel fuel oil into manholes and a nearby marsh.

Teams from the APG fire department and the Directorates of Installation Operations and Safety, Health and Environment immediately took action to contain the spill and clean up the damaged sites.

"We were notified about 12:15 p.m.," said DSHE director Tim McNamara. "At that time, firefighters were already on site. Clean up efforts will be around the clock until the raw product is removed," he added.

Bill Streaker, environmental protection specialist with the APG fire department, said that although clean-up efforts would extend into the night, initial remediation could take several weeks, with total cleanup into several years, depending on how much oil was actually released into the ground.

"Basically, oil stays above the water so we use oil absorbing pads to soak that up," Streaker said. "Most everything underneath the water should survive."

"The marsh is an excellent filter with a thick root mass that will suck up a lot of it quickly," added DSHE environmental specialist Steve Wampler.

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Aberdeen Proving Ground firefighter Cliff Miller uses fuel-absorbing pads to clear oil from the top of the water in Edgewood Area marshland after a rupture in underground piping leaked fuel into the area, Oct. 10.

APG begins National Red Ribbon campaign

Cindy Scott
ASAP Office

Prior to becoming a drug enforcement administrative agent for the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency, Agent Enrique "Kiki" Camarena had his doubts. He told his mother, "I can't do this, I'm only one person, but I want to make a difference." His mother tried to talk him out of becoming an agent, but Camarena joined the DEA in June 1974 and was assigned to numerous drug trafficking operations. On Feb. 7, 1985 he left his office to meet his wife for lunch. In March of 1985 his body was found in a shallow grave. He had been tortured to death by Mexican drug traffickers.

Red Ribbon Week was established in honor of Agent Camarena. Friends and neighbors began to wear red badges of satin in his memory and to honor his achievements in the battle against illegal drugs. The National Red Ribbon Week awareness campaign, focusing on the prevention of drug use, is observed Oct. 23 through 31.

To demonstrate the military's resolve to avoid both illegal drug use and illegal use of legal drugs, all branches of the Department of Defense adopted Red Ribbon Week.

The Mothers Against Drunk Drivers Red Ribbon campaign, "Tie one on for safety," continues the display of the red ribbon from November through February each year.

This year marks the 17th year of this campaign and MADD asks motorists to tie a red ribbon to a visible location on their vehicles. Doing so symbolizes a motorist's pledge to drive safe and sober and serves as a reminder for others to do the same.

Annually during this most traveled holiday period, an alcohol related crash occurs every 32 minutes.

According to Col. Mardi U. Mark, APG Garrison and deputy installation commander, "driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs is a dangerous practice with tragic consequences. I encourage everyone to display the red ribbon and to heed the message it conveys."

The MADD organization was started in 1980 for grieving mothers to meet, share stories with others who had experienced similar tragedies and begin the process of educating themselves and the nation about drunk driving crashes.

Twenty years later, MADD is recognized as a major force in



Photo by CINDY SCOTT

From left Airman First Class Lucas Curtaccio, and Airmen Basic Gregory Kirchner, Brian Wilson and Justin Darland, Ordnance Mechanical Maintenance School, Air Force Detachment 1, hang the Red Ribbon campaign banner outside the Army Substance Abuse Program building to kick off the next two month's activities in support of Mothers Against Drunk Driving and the military's resolve to avoid both illegal drug use and illegal use of legal drugs.

the reduction of drunk driving crashes.

The APG Army Substance Abuse Program will provide a schedule of training opportunities, information articles, and locations where red ribbons can be

obtained.

Look for APG's Red Ribbon schedule of events in next week's APG News. For more information, call 410-278-DRUG (3784).

ACS launches victim advocacy office



Yvonne Johnson
APG News

Aberdeen Proving Ground's Army Community Service has set up a Victim's Advocacy Program to address incidents of family violence within the military.

The program offers classes and counseling on domestic violence prevention; communication skills; creating trusting relationships; cooling off methods; and evaluating the impact of domestic violence on children.

Heading the program is Sandra Hernandez-McCullough, victims advocacy coordinator, the wife of a military retiree who brings with her nearly 20 years experience in domestic violence intervention.

Hernandez-McCullough said the current focus is to let the community know the program is available to victims and abusers.

"We are open to active duty, family members and civilian employees," she said.

In coordination with Domestic Violence Prevention month, Hernandez-McCullough is coordinating the Purple Ribbon campaign that promotes education on domestic violence.

She was at the Post Exchange handing out purple ribbons and information Oct. 15 and is planning more events to educate the public.

"We want to coordinate with commanders and managers to get everyone

involved in the cause against domestic violence," she said. "My goal is to make Aberdeen Proving Ground domestic violence free."

The Department of Defense is supporting Domestic Violence Prevention Month in conjunction with the release of a "Stop Family Violence" postal stamp issued by the U.S. Postal Service, Oct. 11.

The Army theme for Domestic Violence Prevention Month is "Make the changes that strengthen families and relationships."

Col. Mardi U. Mark, APG Garrison and deputy installation commander, said she encourages all to examine their attitudes about domestic violence.

"Our attitude should be

that domestic violence has no place in our community, in our careers, or in our lives," Mark said. "Prevention begins with all of us.

"As commander, I call upon everyone in this community to examine their own behaviors and actions and to make sure they are doing everything they can to support healthy family relationships," Mark said.

For more information about domestic violence prevention, or to consult with the Victim Advocacy Program coordinator, call 410-278-2435 or e-mail her at sandra.hernandez-mccullough@usag.apg.army.mil.

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Ceremony

From front page

Kern recognized the contributions of Maj. Gen. John C. Doesburg, commander of the former SBCCOM, and now RDECOM, and Brig. Gen. Charles Cartwright, deputy commanding general for RDECOM's System of Systems Integration, for having the vision to create an organization that will exploit technological advances in research activities around the world, and ultimately put new technology into the hands of soldiers faster.

SBCCOM and its predecessor organizations leave behind a history that began in 1917. The Chemical Warfare Service was established at Edgewood Arsenal to meet World War I efforts, and after the war continued its mission of chemical research, development and training.

Name changes over the years included the Chemical

Warfare Center, Army Chemical Center, Chemical Systems Laboratory, Chemical Research and Development Center, Chemical Research, Development and Engineering Center, Chemical Biological Defense Agency, Chemical and Biological Defense Command and finally SBCCOM, following a merger with Soldier Systems Command in 1998.

Doesburg joined Kern on the field to case the SBCCOM colors, with the assistance of RDECOM Command Sgt. Maj. James A. Barkley, and unfurl the RDECOM colors, represented for all three organizations by the Army flag.

"As we fold its colors today, we are creating the organizations to accelerate and close many of the efforts of this superb organization," Kern said of SBCCOM.

Michael A. Parker, acting director of CMA, then joined Kern on the field to unfurl the colors of his new organization, which merges the chemical demilitarization effort, formerly under the Program Manager for Chemical Demilitarization, with storage of chemical weapons, formerly under the oversight of SBCCOM.

"The goal of this agency is to put itself out of business," Kern said, noting that the organization is urgently needed. Destruction of the aging chemical weapons stockpile has begun at three of the eight U.S. stockpile sites, including the Aberdeen Chemical Agent Disposal Facility in APG's

Edgewood Area. ABCDF began operations in April, and will destroy the APG stockpile of mustard agent through neutralization.

Col. Timothy Madere, acting commander of the Guardian Brigade, stepped onto the field to stand up his new organization, which will incorporate what formerly was the 60-year-old Technical Escort Unit. The new organization creates a full-spectrum, deployable, operational level command to manage chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and high-yield explosive response assets, a "one-stop shop for defenses of chemical and biological operations."

"This is the starting point to create a full spectrum response to satisfy operational requirements in the event that our enemies resort to weapons of mass destruction," Kern said.

The 389th Army Band (AMC's Own) provided music for the ceremony, and the Ordnance Center and School Salute Battery offered a 16-gun salute. The Technical Escort Unit Color Guard supported the event.

"The creation of these three new organizations is part of the transformation of the Army," Kern said. "If all our transformation initiatives come together as smoothly as the three we celebrate here today, the Army's future will be very bright."

TSP Open Season begins next week

CPAC

The Thrift Savings Plan Open Season will be held Oct. 15 through Dec. 31. During the open enrollment period, employees may elect to enroll in TSP or change their current TSP deduction.

Thrift Savings Plan Open Season Update Pamphlets will be distributed to agency administrative offices upon receipt in the Civilian Personnel Advisory Center.

Employees must contact the Army Benefits Center-Civilian at 1-877-276-9287 or <http://www.abc.army.mil> to enroll

in TSP or change the amount of their contribution. Employees must also contact the TSP Office at 1-504-255-5777 or www.tsp.gov if they wish to change their fund allocation. Personal Identification Numbers are required for both ABC-C and TSP.

For 2004, Federal Employee Retirement System employees may contribute up to 14 percent and Civil Service Retirement System employees may contribute up to 9 percent, up to the Internal Revenue Service Limit.

To enroll in TSP or change the amount

of contribution, employees must contact the Army Benefits Center-Civilian (ABC-C) at 1-877-276-9287

Employees who wish to change the way their current balance is invested must request a TSP Interfund Transfer. Interfund transfers can be made by calling TSP, using the TSP Web site, or completing a TSP-50.

For more information, employees should contact their servicing personnel assistant, APG CPAC.

FEHB Open Season update

CPAC

Open Season for Federal Employees Health Benefits runs Nov. 10 through Dec. 8. The coverage effective date will be Jan. 11, 2004, with premium changes reflected on the Feb. 5, 2004 pay date.

The customary FEHB (comparison) Guide, RI 70-1, will not be distributed to personnel offices since it is available on the Web at <http://www.opm.gov/insure/health/04rates/toc-np.asp>.

For employees not currently enrolled in an FEHB plan, a new enrollment will be effective Jan. 11, 2004, or, the next pay period following one with any time spent in pay status. A change in enrollment is effective Jan. 11, 2004, regardless of whether or not employee is in pay status.

Changes can be made during Open Season through the ABC-C Web site or telephone system.

For more information, visit:
OPM Web site - FEHB Home Page:
<http://www.opm.gov/insure/health/index.asp> - Reviews all guides and plan brochures (as available) and includes a "frequently asked questions" feature and more.

ABC-C Web site: <https://www.abc.army.mil> - Provides information and allows employees to make changes.

New information will be added as it becomes available.

Employees are encouraged to watch for future announcements pertaining to FEHB Open Season and visit the Web sites provided.



Aberdeen Proving Ground Garrison Command Sgt. Maj. Elvis Irby, right, presents a commander's coin to Spc. Michael Ashby, Company B, 121st Engineer Battalion, during the farewell ceremony for the Maryland Army National Guard unit, Oct. 7.

121st

From front page

these soldiers on the home front," Irby said. "On behalf of a grateful nation, I thank each and every one of you for answering the call to duty."

Lt. Col. Lonnie Southern, a MDARNG chaplain mobilized under Noble Eagle I to serve National Guard units, offered the invocation and Harford County councilwoman Cecelia M. Stepp presented the unit with a proclamation signed by the council members and county executive James Harkins.

After the ceremony, Capt. Christopher Guilmette, commander, Company B, dismissed the troops. He said the unit would out-process at Fort Dix before heading home to family and friends.

"This unit was very highly motivated and gave it their all even though most had never been mobilized before," Guilmette said.

He cited APG hospitality as key to the unit's successful mission.

"APG really worked with us. They provided regular meals, box lunches for our troops on point, and even fixed special meals for one soldier of the Muslim faith," he said.

He thanked Self Help for providing tools for barracks improvement, Morale, Welfare and Recreation for sports and recreational options and Southern for his spiritual support.

"It's been tough. Ninety-five percent of these soldiers had never deployed before," he said, "and some have said they've been to bigger posts with fewer facilities. We've really appreciated APG."

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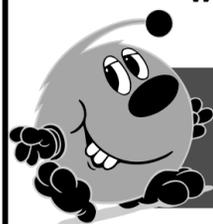


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'03 Chevrolet	Suburban 1500 K1500	25,201
'03 Chevrolet	Silverado 3500 K3500	8,674
'03 Chevrolet	Silverado 1500 K1500 - 2 in Stock	14,116
'03 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup 4WD	16,491
'03 Chevrolet	G3500	181
'03 Chevrolet	Express G1500 Van - 4 in Stock	15,456
'02 Oldsmobile	Bravada	36,581
'02 Jeep	Wrangler Sport	29,919
'02 Jeep	Liberty Ltd 4WD	12,900
'02 GMC	Sonoma 4WD	18,781
'02 Ford	Windstar LX - 8 in Stock	28,857
'02 Ford	Windstar	25,784
'02 Ford	Ranger 4WD	36,857
'02 Ford	Ranger 2WD	22,196

'02 Ford	F350 4WD DRW	23,932
'02 Ford	F250 2WD SRW	57,600
'02 Ford	F250 2WD	15,385
'02 Ford	F150 4WD - 2 in Stock	34,605
'02 Ford	F150 2WD - 2 in Stock	16,301
'02 Ford	Explorer Sport Trac 2WD - 4 in Stock	25,749
'02 Ford	Explorer XLS 4WD	39,677
'02 Ford	Explorer Sport Trac 2WD - 2 in Stock	22,123
'02 Ford	Explorer Sport Trac 4WD - 2 in Stock	15,282
'02 Ford	Explorer Sport Sport 4WD	5
'02 Ford	Explorer Limited 4WD - 2 in Stock	34,648
'02 Ford	Explorer Eddie Bauer 4WD - 2 in Stock	40,518
'02 Ford	Expedition XLT 4WD	32,558
'02 Ford	Expedition Eddie Bauer 4WD	31,211
'02 Ford	Expedition Eddie Bauer 2WD - 2 in Stock	25,380
'02 Ford	Escape XLT 4WD	18,790
'02 Ford	Escape XLS 4WD	12,423
'02 Ford	Econoline E150 Econoline	35,818
'02 Dodge	Ram Wagon B3500	65,188
'02 Dodge	Ram 1500 4WD	31,433
'02 Dodge	Ram 1500	39,155
'02 Dodge	Grand Caravan Sport - 2 in Stock	33,054
'02 Dodge	Durango Sport 4WD	20,791
'02 Dodge	Dakota SLT 4WD	28,371
'02 Dodge	Caravan SE	24,152
'02 Dodge	Caravan	20,860
'02 Chrysler	Voyager	16,492
'02 Chevrolet	Venture	36,415
'02 Chevrolet	Trailblazer 4WD - 3 in Stock	28,955
'02 Chevrolet	Tracker ZR2	56,178
'02 Chevrolet	Tracker 4WD	16,975
'02 Chevrolet	Tahoe SUV	21,364
'02 Chevrolet	Tahoe 4WD - 3 in Stock	36,384
'02 Chevrolet	Silverado 1500 K1500	28,108
'02 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup Truck	20,761
'02 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup Extended Cab Pickup Truck	15,903

'02 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup	38,919
'02 Chevrolet	Express G3500 G30 - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'02 Chevrolet	Express G1500 G10 - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'02 Chevrolet	Blazer 4WD	34,272
'02 Chevrolet	Blazer	14,435
'02 Chevrolet	Avalanche K1500	45,134
'01 Mercury	Mountaineer AWD - 3 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'01 Lincoln	Navigator 4WD	43,180
'01 Jeep	Grand Cherokee Laredo 4WD - 3 in Stock	Avg. Miles 43,118
'01 Jeep	Cherokee Sport 4WD	26,283
'01 GMC	Yukon K1500	47,040
'01 GMC	Sonoma 2WD - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles 25,856
'01 GMC	Sierra 1500 K1500	41,652
'01 GMC	Jimmy 4WD - 4 in Stock	Avg. Miles 42,268
'01 Ford	Windstar SE - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles 45,176
'01 Ford	Windstar LX	35,947
'01 Ford	Ranger 4WD - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles 29,480
'01 Ford	Ranger 2WD - 3 in Stock	Avg. Miles 35,471
'01 Ford	F250 4WD	84,825
'01 Ford	F150 4WD - 3 in Stock	Avg. Miles 34,934
'01 Ford	F150 2WD - 6 in Stock	Avg. Miles 24,142
'01 Ford	Explorer XLT 4WD - 4 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'01 Ford	Explorer XLT 4WD - 4 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'01 Ford	Explorer Sport SPTRAC 2WD	32,740
'01 Ford	Explorer Sport Sport 4WD - 5 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'01 Ford	Explorer Sport 2WD - 5 in Stock	Avg. Miles
'01 Ford	Expedition Eddie Bauer 4WD - 2 in Stock	Avg. Miles 44,514

'01 Ford	Escape XLT 4WD - 4 in Stock	37,706
'01 Ford	Escape XLS 4WD - 2 in Stock	41,285
'01 Ford	Econoline E150	41,886
'01 Dodge	Ram P/U 1500 1500 4WD	40,369
'01 Dodge	Grand Caravan	35,065
'01 Dodge	Durango 4WD	37,325
'01 Dodge	Caravan	47,033
'01 Chrysler	Voyager LX	46,573
'01 Chrysler	Voyager	79,328
'01 Chevrolet	Venture - 2 in Stock	27,542
'01 Chevrolet	Tracker ZR2	34,257
'01 Chevrolet	Tahoe 4WD - 2 in Stock	48,078
'01 Chevrolet	Suburban 1500 K1500 - 4 in Stock	43,886
'01 Chevrolet	Silverado K1500	58,565
'01 Chevrolet	Silverado 2500 K2500HD	33,129
'01 Chevrolet	Silverado 1500 K1500	61,568
'01 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup Club Cab Pickup Truck	22,696
'01 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup 4WD	22,737
'01 Chevrolet	S10 Pickup	28,229
'01 Chevrolet	Blazer 4WD - 3 in Stock	39,176
'00 Oldsmobile	Silhouette	49,649
'00 Mercury	Mountaineer AWD	36,903
'00 Jeep	Grand Cherokee Ltd 4WD	89,628
'00 Jeep	Grand Cherokee Laredo 4WD	47,599
'00 Jeep	Cherokee Sport 4WD - 2 in Stock	38,620
'00 GMC	Yukon K1500	45,971
'00 GMC	Sonoma 4WD	51,035
'00 GMC	Sonoma 2WD	44,040
'00 GMC	Sierra 1500 K1500	76,459
'00 GMC	Jimmy 4WD - 3 in Stock	42,901
'00 Ford	Windstar SEL - 2 in Stock	38,810
'00 Ford	Windstar SE - 2 in Stock	35,808
'00 Ford	Windstar LX - 2 in Stock	50,111
'00 Ford	Ranger 4WD - 2 in Stock	37,737
'00 Ford	Ranger 2WD	36,002
'00 Ford	F150 2WD	27,356

IMPORT CARS

'03 Toyota	Prius	21,246
'03 Toyota	Matrix XR 4WD	12,224
'03 Toyota	Matrix - 2 in Stock	18,354
'03 Toyota	Corolla S	36,632
'03 Toyota	Corolla LE - 14 in Stock	15,124
'03 Toyota	Corolla - 10 in Stock	12,502
'03 Toyota	Celica GT	13,668
'03 Nissan	Sentra GXE	9,864
'03 Nissan	Sentra - 2 in Stock	12,815
'03 Nissan	Maxima - 2 in Stock	8,017
'03 Nissan	Altima 4 Dr	14,362
'03 Nissan	Altima - 4 in Stock	17,315
'03 Mitsubishi	Lancer ES	617
'03 Mitsubishi	Galant LS - 3 in Stock	12,403
'03 Mitsubishi	Eclipse GS	8,429
'03 Hyundai	Elantra	3,653
'03 Honda	Accord EX	7,532
'03 BMW	325i	9,407
'03 Acura	TL-3.2	17,131
'02 Volvo	S60 - 3 in Stock	18,733
'02 Toyota	Prius	26,061
'02 Toyota	MR2	9,537
'02 Toyota	Corolla LE	30,738
'02 Toyota	Camry XLE - 2 in Stock	19,447
'02 Toyota	Camry SE	22,209
'02 Toyota	Camry LE - 3 in Stock	20,129
'02 Toyota	Camry - 3 in Stock	25,240
'02 Subaru	Impreza 2.5 RS	31,664
'02 Nissan	Altima	32,296
'02 Mitsubishi	Lancer OZ Rally	18,111
'02 Mitsubishi	Lancer ES - 4 in Stock	26,125
'02 Mitsubishi	Galant LS - 6 in Stock	30,514
'02 Mini	Cooper - 2 in Stock	16,301
'02 Mazda	Protégé LX	28,585
'02 Mazda	Protégé 4 Dr Sedan	27,726
'02 Mazda	Protégé - 2 in Stock	27,905
'02 Mazda	626 4 Dr Sedan	26,714

'02 Mazda	626 - 4 in Stock	26,753
'02 Kia	Spectra S Dr	27,210
'02 Hyundai	Sonata	42,823
'02 Hyundai	Accent GL	16,685
'02 Honda	S2000	10,791
'02 Honda	Civic LX	24,261
'02 Honda	Civic EX - 2 in Stock	30,223
'02 Honda	Accord VP	19,252
'02 Honda	Accord SE	14,658
'02 Honda	Accord LX - 2 in Stock	18,001
'02 Honda	Accord EX L	18,001
'02 Acura	RSX	22,129
'01 Volvo	V70 XC AWD - 2 in Stock	38,689
'01 Volvo	V70	37,125
'01 Volvo	S40	20,250
'01 Volkswagen	New Beetle GLS	41,218
'01 Volkswagen	Jetta GLX	34,412
'01 Volkswagen	Jetta GLS	27,561
'01 Volkswagen	GTI	31,825
'01 Volkswagen	Cabrio GLS - 2 in Stock	37,308
'01 Toyota	MR2 Spyder	26,346
'01 Toyota	Echo - 2 in Stock	55,513
'01 Toyota	Corolla LE - 3 in Stock	34,125
'01 Toyota	Corolla CE - 4 in Stock	45,120
'01 Toyota	Corolla - 11 in Stock	37,268
'01 Toyota	Camry - 5 in Stock	42,700
'01 Suzuki	Esteem	25,833
'01 Nissan	Sentra SE	70,543
'01 Nissan	Altima 4 Dr Sedan	31,431
'01 Nissan	Altima	41,510
'01 Mitsubishi	Mirage ES	38,454
'01 Mitsubishi	Galant ES - 3 in Stock	48,012
'01 Mitsubishi	Eclipse GS	32,210
'01 Mitsubishi	Diamante LS	37,352
'01 Kia	Rio	39,352
'01 Jaguar	S-Type 4.0	29,660
'01 Hyundai	Elantra GT	28,446

'01 Hyundai	Elantra	84,209
'01 Honda	Civic EX	48,028
'01 Honda	Accord LX ULEV - 3 in Stock	44,590
'01 Honda	Accord LX	54,502
'01 Honda	Accord EX L - 3 in Stock	45,397
'01 Honda	Accord EX - 2 in Stock	25,314
'00 Volvo	S80 Executive - 2 in Stock	41,380
'00 Volvo	S70 - 2 in Stock	42,411
'00 Volkswagen	Passat	25,945
'00 Volkswagen	New Beetle GLS	48,093
'00 Volkswagen	Jetta GLS	69,842
'00 Toyota	Solara SE - 2 in Stock	43,518
'00 Toyota	Corolla CE - 2 in Stock	52,811
'00 Toyota	Corolla 4WD	40,281
'00 Toyota	Corolla	50,033
'00 Toyota	Celica GT - 2 in Stock	44,414
'00 Toyota	Camry LE - 4 in Stock	39,612
'00 Toyota	Camry CE - 2 in Stock	33,889
'00 Toyota	Camry - 15 in Stock	55,774
'00 Toyota	Avalon XLS	46,276
'00 Toyota	Avalon XL	48,025
'00 Subaru	Legacy Outback	48,607
'00 Nissan	Sentra 4 Dr Sedan	42,834
'00 Nissan	Sentra	91,119
'00 Nissan	Maxima GLE	37,090
'00 Nissan	Maxima	35,336
'00 Nissan	Altima GLE	42,373
'00 Nissan	Altima - 8 in Stock	49,914
'00 Infiniti	I-30	48,501
'00 Hyundai	Sonata	31,126
'00 Honda	Civic LX - 2 in Stock	46,620
'00 Honda	Galant ES - 3 in Stock	33,064
'00 Honda	Civic DX	44,951
'00 Honda	Accord SE ULEV - 3 in Stock	42,380
'00 Honda	Accord EX ULEV - 3 in Stock	36,449
'00 Honda	Accord EX-L	59,480
'00 BMW	323 2 Dr Coupe	47,150

'00 BMW	323	42,455
'00 Acura	TL-3.2	32,630
'99 Volvo	V70 XC AWD - 2 in Stock	51,783
'99 Toyota	Solara	39,122
'99 Toyota	Corolla VE	39,981
'99 Toyota	Corolla CE	45,182
'99 Toyota	Corolla - 4 in Stock	46,342
'99 Toyota	Camry XLE	57,588
'99 Toyota	Camry LE - 7 in Stock	59,205
'99 Toyota	Camry - 5 in Stock	

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For 3 days only, Koons - White Marsh has been chosen as a state wide sell-off distribution site of these vehicles to the public for as little as 10% of their original lien amount. (Maximum of 2 vehicles per household)

PREREGISTRATION

Preregistration is recommended. The public may preregister and preview and test drive these vehicles on Wednesday, October 15, 2003 from 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Thursday, October 16, 2003 from 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Preregistrants will be given priority access and attention during Friday, October 17, 2003 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 18, 2003 from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

VEHICLES MAY BE PURCHASED ON WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

REGISTRATION

All prospective buyers are required to register at the gate prior to previewing vehicles. Must be 18 years or older and possess a valid driver's license. Vehicles are sold on a first come, first served basis. All registration times punched. In the event of multiple offers, priority will be given to the earliest registrant. (Auto Dealers permitted with proof of current state license and tax ID no.)

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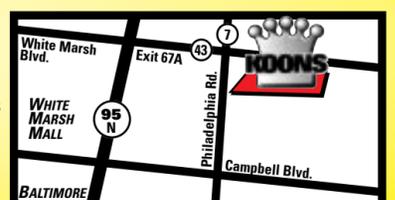


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Football and soccer

The following information was received for intramural football and soccer from the APG Sports Office for the week ending Oct. 10. For inquiries regarding statistics, call 410-278-3929.

Aberdeen Division Results
Oct. 6
USMC, 33; HHC 61st, 32 in overtime
USAF, 22; Company B 16th, 21 in overtime
Company A 16th, 18; Company C 16th, 0
HHC 16th, 21; 121st, 14
Oct. 8
HHC 16th, 26; Company B 16th, 0

121st, 18; USMC, 0

Schedule
Oct. 20
6:30 p.m., Field 1, Company C 16th vs. USMC
7:30 p.m., Field 1, Company B 16th vs. 121st
6:30 p.m., Field 2, Company E 16th vs. HHC 61st
7:30 p.m., Field 2, Company A 16th vs. HHC 16th
Oct. 22
6:30 p.m., Field 1, USAF vs. Company B 16th
7:30 p.m., Field 1, HHC 61st vs. 121st
6:30 p.m., Field 2, Company A 16th vs. Company C 16th
7:30 p.m., Field 2, USMC vs. HHC 16th

Standings

HHC 16th	4-1
USAF	3-0
USMC	3-2
Company E 16th	2-1
Company B 16th	2-2
121st	2-2
Company A 16th	1-2
Company C 16th	0-3

Edgewood Division Results
Oct. 6
Company B 143rd, 12; Company A 143rd, 6
MRICD, 21; Company C 143rd, 18

Schedule
Oct. 20
6:30 p.m., HHC 143rd vs. Company B 143rd
7:30 p.m., Company A 143rd vs. MRICD
Oct. 22
6:30 p.m., MRICD vs. Company B 143rd
7:30 p.m., HHC 143rd vs. Company C 143rd

Standings

MRICD	3-1
HHC 143rd	2-1
Company B 143rd	2-1
Company C 143rd	1-2
Company A 143rd	0-3

Company A 143rd, 6; Company E 16th, 3
Oct. 9
USMC, 1; Company C 16th, 0
NCOA, 3; Company A 143rd, 2
Company B 16th, 3; Company A 16th, 1

Schedule
Oct. 21
6:30 p.m., EA, MRICD vs. Company B 16th
7:30 p.m., EA, USMC vs. Company E 16th
8:30 p.m., EA, Company B 143rd vs. Company A 143rd
Oct. 23
6:30 p.m., EA, Company B 16th vs. NCOA
7:30 p.m., EA, Company E 16th vs. Company B 143rd
8:30 p.m., EA, USMC vs. Company A 143rd

Standings

MRICD	4-0-0
NCOA	4-0-0
Company A 143rd	2-2-0
Company B 16th	1-0-2
USMC	1-1-1
Company B 143rd	1-2-0
Company E 16th	1-2-0
Company C 16th	0-3-1
Company A 16th	0-3-0

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APG Youth Sports

APG Youth basketball, cheer-leading registration

The Aberdeen and Edgewood Child and Youth Services Sports Program will conduct registration for basketball clinic (ages 4 to 6), basketball league (ages 7 to 14) ages as of Dec. 31, 2003, and cheerleading, Oct. 24 to Nov. 7. For Aberdeen Area programs, register at Central Registration building 2752, 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. To make an appointment, call 410-278-7571. For Edgewood Area programs, register at the Edgewood Youth Center building E-1902. For an appointment, call Scott Cottrell at 410-436-2172.

The cost for the basketball league and cheer-leading is \$40 and the basketball clinic is \$30.

Coaches needed

Programs are in need of volunteer coaches. All coaches will be certified and trained by the NYSCA in November and coaches must complete mandatory background checks. If interested, call Bill Kegley at 410-306-2297.

Karate classes being held

Karate classes will be held at the Aberdeen Youth Center Oct. 2 through Dec. 22, Monday and Thursday, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., for \$70 for the session.

Karate is for youths ages 6 and up and is one way to teach children confidence, discipline and self control.

To make a reservation, call Central Registration at 278-7571.

Sports physicals required

Army Policy requires that all youth sports participants provide a medical statement signed by a licensed health care professional that certifies the individual is physically fit to participate in all chosen sports and addresses all pertinent medical conditions and constraints. The medical statement must be current at the time of actual registration and remain valid through the completion of all sports. The requirements are a condition of participation in all team sports and no child/youth will be authorized to play (during practice or games) until a physical is furnished.

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ACS, Harford County host Job Fair

ACS

Job seekers came out in large numbers to attend the Annual Harford County Job Fair, co-sponsored by the Aberdeen Proving Ground Army Community Service Employment Readiness Program, Oct. 2.

This year's event was a joint effort by the APG Army Community Service Employment Readiness Program, Harford County Office of Economic Development, Susquehanna Workforce Network, Inc., Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Harford County Chamber of Commerce, Harford Community College and Harford County Division of Rehabilitation Services.

Job seekers met face-to-face with representatives from dozens of military-friendly employers with local and nationwide oppor-

tunities in a wide variety of fields.

Employers were looking for a variety of employees both skilled and unskilled.

"The Job Fair was open to the general public which brought a larger, broad range of job seekers," said Marilyn Howard, ACS. "This type of event draws more employers to attend—and encourages them to come back more often."

The event attracted 60 business participants including state, local companies, Department of Defense contractors, schools, national businesses and organizations with international links. More than 900 job seekers attended.

"I encourage job seekers to make an appointment or visit the Employment Readiness office at Army Community Service to get assistance on getting started with their job search, especially if they are new to Harford County," Howard said.



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Oil spill

From front page

"Most of it stays on top and as the weather warms it cooks off. In time, it all will disperse," Wampler said.

"Oil is not a hazardous chemical," Streaker said. "It's beneficial to get up as much as possible with the pads without a major scrub down that would do more harm to the marshlands."

Also monitoring the situation was Susan Bull, an oil inspector from the Maryland Department of the Environment.

Bull said the situation was not unusual and that the operation was going well.

"The probability always exists with pipe transfers," Bull said. "Ultimately we oversee the operations and follow up to see exactly how this happened and how it

can be prevented from happening again. They seem to know exactly what they're doing and are handling it well," she said.

Edgewood Area Fire Department Battalion Chief Fred H. Cullum and 14 personnel from the EA/AA fire departments remained on site to assist in the cleanup. The first to respond, Cullum said they had to "do some backtracking" to determine the source of the leak.

"We had to get maps of the drainage system and determine the source by a process of elimination," Cullum said, adding that the odor emanating from a manhole helped pinpoint the leak.

The rupture occurred in a line that was not upgraded during the underground storage tank, upgrade in the 1980s due to security concerns.

"The leakage is contained and confined to an area from building 3300 to Kings

Creek," he said.

After a morning session with state observers, Oct. 14, Richard Wiggins, DSHS environmental protection specialist said the state has requested an assessment of the situation and a follow-up plan of action regarding what is needed to achieve a clean up within standards.

"We will respond with a plan of action within the week and likely will hire a contractor to determine if there is more that needs to be addressed," Wiggins said.

To move forward in assessing the cause and the extent of the damage, investigators must first backtrack and are now focused on reviewing the maintenance logbooks for the fuel tank and generator.

"To fully assess the cause, we need to determine when the leak occurred," Wiggins said. "The log books will give us a good idea of that."

LEAVE DONATION

To participate in the Voluntary Leave Program, use forms OPM 630, Application to Become a Leave Recipient Under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program; OPF 630-A, Request to Donate Annual Leave to Leave Recipient Under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program (within agency); and OPM 630-B,

Request to Donate Annual Leave to Leave Recipient Under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program (outside agency). Employees leaving the program should call Melda Callender, 410-278-8997, or e-mail melda.callender@usag.apg.army.mil, to complete a termination form.

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Richard J. Kreis
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APG firefighters educate youths

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APG News

In observance of Fire Prevention Week, an excited group of three- to five-year old children from the Child Development Center were invited to the Aberdeen Area Fire Station, Oct. 8, for a tour of the firehouse.

The National Fire Protection Association dedicates the week of Oct. 5 through 11 as National Fire Prevention Week. Thirty children and their caregivers were present to learn more about the firehouse, staff and operational procedures, from receiving an emergency call to explaining how the station operates.

"The children were very excited about taking the trip to the fire station. They talked about it until [it was] time to go," said Judith Vazquez, CDC.

Robert "Bobby" Farrell, an Aberdeen Area fire protection inspector, said this is the second tour they have presented to the children from the CDC, adding that the first tour was done with the Girl Scout Daisies.

Children were given a tour of the firehouse, pamphlets and brochures and their own personal firefighter's hat.

Farrell and other firefighters demonstrated how the fire trucks work. Farrell said by doing this while they are young, helps them understand what is going on before there is an actual emergency.

"Adults are more set in their ways to where they don't accept change," Farrell said. "Children grow with the understanding of how we operate, and we don't want them to be afraid when they come face to face with us."

Children were allowed to spray the water hose used when putting out small fires,

sit in the fire and ambulance trucks and partially put on some protective fire gear.

Even though most of the children were excited, there were a few children who were frightened to go near the fire equipment and gear, firefighters and trucks. Farrell tried to comfort them.

"We are here to help you and let you know there is nothing to be afraid of," Farrell said.

After the children toyed with the many objects in the fire station, Farrell challenged another firefighter, Randy "Yardo" Yardumian, to suit up as if he were going on an actual emergency call.

The gear weighed more than 65 pounds, and consisted of a regular uniform under the heavy suspended pants, boots, a huge over coat with many straps and buckles, a helmet and a mask with a compressed air tank to assist in breathing.

Farrell said the entire ensemble is necessary to protect the firefighters when entering hazardous areas.

The children were escorted inside the firehouse, where they were able to see the firefighter's home away from home.

Farrell showed the children the day room where their 'down time' is spent. Farrell said the fire station is a 24-hour a day operation, seven days a week. He said usually there are 20 firefighters on duty at one time and they take shifts.

"We work 24 hours on and 24 hours off, and as part of our responsibilities, we are required to cook for one another, clean and temporarily live with one another. It is our second home," Farrell said.

"When a call comes in, we have to put on our gear and go take care of the emergency," Farrell said, adding that they receive and respond to an aver-

age of 2,600 calls a year.

He then showed the children where they prepare their meals.

"If you cook something bitter or bad, you have to hear about it for the next three to five years," Farrell said.

Finally, Farrell gave the children a tour of where the action first begins, in the emergency call center.

Upon entering the center, Farrell explained to the group that only 10 students can enter at one time and it was very important that they remain quiet. Farrell explained that cooking and sitting back waiting on emergency calls to come in, is not the only thing that firefighters do.

He said their daily routine includes conducting alarm system checks, working on automatic sprinkler systems, checking fire extinguishers and recharging them if needed, conducting mission support alerts, research and development, developing pressure, hydraulics, math equations and more.

"The most important part was visiting the call center, seeing where the 9-1-1 calls originate. It also helps the children understand that firefighters are real people too," said Michele Sheriff, CDC room leader.

Giving the children a tour of the firehouse and explaining operating procedures was not the only prevention practiced during the week.

"We also want to make sure people on post are safe," said Farrell.

He said that they would visit all barracks at night and do an evaluation and drill to prepare the service members as well.

"This is to make sure that everyone is safe and complying with NFPA [National Fire Prevention Association] regulations," Farrell said.



Above, barely able to see over the steering wheel, Tyler Sipe, Child Development Center, pretends to drive the ambulance during a field trip to the Aberdeen Area Fire Station during Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 8.



Firefighter Randy "Yarbo" Yardumian, front, allows children from the Child Development Center, left to right, Kylan Myren, Sydnie Stern and Brandon Admas, to spray the water hose as parent, Amber Myren, and teacher, Judith Vazquez, look on.



Morale, Welfare, and Recreation

Activities

Methods of registration

Registering for any MWR event can be accomplished by visiting the specific facility for the event, mailing in a registration form found in an MWR Program Brochure, visiting the MWR Registration, building 3326, or online at www.apgmwr.com.

Babysitter Training Course

Child and Youth Services will offer Red Cross babysitter Training for youths ages 11 through 15, Oct. 22 and 23, 4 to 7 p.m., at Aberdeen Area Youth Services, building 2522 and Nov. 4 and 6, 4 to 7 p.m., at Edgewood Area Youth Services, building E-1902. Classes are limited to 10 students.

The class is free to registered Youth Services members; non-members may register for Youth Services for a \$15 annual fee.

Parents must contact Outreach services at 410-278-7571 to complete a registration packet or to reserve a space.

Beginning Piano lessons

The Community Recreation

Division will hold beginning piano classes, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., on Mondays and Thursdays, Oct. 20 through Nov. 13, in the 389th Army Band building 2184. Lessons cost \$70.

Instructional classes will help students become proficient at playing the piano and basic practice routines will be covered in detail. Participants will learn the fundamentals through the use of keyboards. Various techniques of finger movement will be used to enable the student to become familiar with the location of the keys.

Register by Oct. 16 at MWR Registration, building 3326, 410-278-4907 or online at www.apgmwr.com. For more information, call Charles Heinsohn at 410-278-3868 or charles.heinsohn@usag.apg.army.mil.

Monster Bash Cosmic Bowling

Enjoy bowling in the dark for this family fun night, Oct. 25, 8 to 10 p.m., at the APG Bowling Center. Come dressed in a Halloween costume and bowl the night away. Cost is \$30 per family (up to four members); \$10 for additional members. Price includes bowling, shoes, pizza, chips and

soda. Register by Oct. 17.

For more information, call Stacie Umbarger at 410-278-3931 or e-mail Stacie.umbarger@usag.apg.army.mil.

Seated massage therapy

MWR offers seated massage therapy for stress reduction, acupressure and relaxation, Thursday, 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. by appointment only. Nationally certified massage therapists design the ideal combination of techniques for the perfect therapeutic experience.

At least two appointments are necessary for a therapist to come to APG.

To schedule an appointment at MWR Registration, building 3326, call 410-278-4907; Hoyle Fitness Center, building E-4210, call 410-436-7134; or the AA Fitness Center (building 320), call 410-278-9725.

For more information, call Gwyn Dolzine at 410-278-9725 or e-mail her at gwyn.dolzine@usag.apg.army.mil

Fishing tournament

A fishing tournament will be held Oct. 26, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., at Skipper's Point Park in the Edgewood Area. Cost to enter the tournament is \$5 for

military and \$10 for all others. Cash prizes will be awarded (based on the number of participants) to winners, determined by the biggest fish by weight. Contestants must provide their own fishing equipment and bait. Tournament rules and state fishing laws will be enforced. The fishing license requirement has been waived for this tournament. Register by Oct. 23.

For more information, call Charles Heinsohn at 410-278-3868 or e-mail charles.heinsohn@usag.apg.army.mil.

Soldier Show comes to APG

The APG Morale, Welfare and Recreation Division will once again present the U.S. Army Soldier Show for the community. A free program will be held for the general public 7 p.m., Nov. 2 at the Post Theater.

The high energy MTV style 90-minute live musical review showcases the talents of active duty soldiers from throughout the world who are selected by audition.

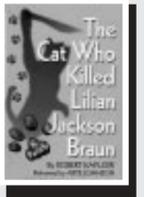
For more information, call Chris Lockhart at 410-278-3904 or e-mail chris.lockhart@usag.apg.army.mil.

LIBRARY BOOK CORNER

Operating hours of the Aberdeen Area Library, building 3320, are Saturday and Sunday, 1 to 5 p.m., and Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. The Edgewood Area library is open Tuesday, 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. For information, call 410-436-3589.

The following is a list of some of the new books at the APG MWR Libraries:

The Cat Who Killed Lilian Jackson by Robert Kaplow



In this spoof by one of Lilian Jackson Braun's most ardent admirers, Lilian herself is the source of a mystery when her beheaded body is found in the men's room of a gay bar and Braun's friend James Q. and his Siamese cats must solve the case.

Night Falls Like Silk by Kathleen Eagle

Full Speed by Janet Evanovich



A Perfect Day by Richard Paul Evans

Private Sector by Brian Haig

The Keeper's Son by Homer Hickam

Smoke Screen by Kyle Mills

Storytime will be held at 9:45 a.m. every other week during the fall at the Edgewood branch on Tuesday and the Aberdeen branch on Wednesday. For more information, call 278-3417.

The library's online catalog can be accessed at www.apgmwr.com/recreation/libraries.html.

APG SCHOOL LIAISON/YOUTH EDUCATION

BUILDING CHARACTER

Ivan Mehosky, APG School Liaison Office, will present "Building Character: Who are our Role Models?" 5:45 to 7:15 p.m., Oct. 23, at building 2752 Conference Room, for

middle and high school students and their parents. Pizza and soda will be provided. Bring a friend. Registration is required.

For more information or to register, call Ivan Mehosky at 410-278-2857.

Salute the Troops Basket Bingo

Basket Bingo to benefit Morale, Welfare and Recreation, Soldier Programming, will be held at the Aberdeen Fire Hall, Rogers Street, Oct. 24. This is a rescheduled event due to Tropical Storm Isabel.

Tickets cost \$10; additional sets cost \$5

each. Doors will open at 6 p.m.; bingo begins at 7 p.m.

Food, drinks and baked goods will be available for purchase. Tickets are available by calling Stacie Umbarger, 410-278-3931, or Brenda Conjour, 410-273-7332.

Community Notes

SATURDAY OCTOBER 18 BASKET BINGO

Basket Bingo to benefit VFW Post 8185 will be held at VFW Post 8185, Route 222, Port Deposit. Bingo starts at 7 p.m. Tickets cost \$10, and are available by calling Anne Gibson at 410-939-1937, Stephanie Gibson at 410-378-2672, Brenda Conjour at 410-273-7332, or Kathy at 410-378-3594.

FAMILY COMPOSTING CLASS

The Anita C. Leight Estuary Center located on 700 Otter Point Road, Abingdon will sponsor a Family Composting Class from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., for ages 10 through adult (children must be accompanied by an adult). Join a Harford County Master Composter to learn how to be a "Composting Team." Learn basic principals on how composting can work at home – a great idea with all the fall leaves coming down. Refreshments will be served. Cost for the program is \$6 per family or \$4 per person. Space is limited – reservations are required.

For more information, directions, or to make a reservation, call the Estuary Center at 410-612-1688 or 410-879-2000 extension 1688.

APGFCU WELLNESS FAIR

Aberdeen Proving Ground Federal Credit Union will sponsor a free Financial Wellness Fair, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Edgewood Branch lobby, 1321 Pulaski Highway. Open to the public. Information on budget-

ing, home buying, college scholarships, taxes, insurance and more will be provided. Mini seminars will be presented throughout the day. For more information, visit www.APGFCU.com or call 410-272-4000/1-800-225-2555 extension 5530 or 5531.

WACVA BAKE SALE

The Chesapeake Beacon, Chapter 114 of the Women's Army Corps Veterans Association will hold a bake sale at the APG PX, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will also be displays about the association. The proceeds will help the association purchase items needed by Perry Point VA Hospital veterans.

TUESDAY OCTOBER 21 OCTOBERFEST SPECIALTY MEAL

The Octoberfest Specialty Meal will be held in the Aberdeen Area dining facilities, buildings 4219 and 4503 and the Edgewood Area dining facility, building E-4225, 5:30 to 7 p.m. During this event all military personnel, family members, Department of Defense civilians, retirees and guests are invited to dine.

The standard meal rate of \$3.25 applies to any officer, enlisted member, and family member of sergeant or above, DoD civilian, retiree and their guests. The discount meal rate of \$2.80 applies to spouses and other family members of enlisted personnel in ranks private through specialist/corporal.

Menu includes old fashioned bean soup, pork

schnitzel, baked chicken German style, German pickled beef roast (sauerbraten), Hamburg style flounder, baked knockwurst, baked bratwurst with sauerkraut, parsley buttered potatoes, egg noodles, Viennese cabbage, peas with onions, mushroom gravy, assorted salad bar, cole slaw with creamy dressing, German-style cucumber salad, assorted breads and hot rolls, bread pudding with vanilla icing, snickerdoodle cookies, Blackforest cake, soft serve ice cream with assorted toppings and assorted beverages.

Note: Menu is subject to change without prior notification.

For more information, call Ernest Green, or Fred Dill at 410-306-1398/1397.

BACK TO SCHOOL RALLY

The scholarship committee of St. James A.M.E. Church, 615 Green Street, Havre de Grace, will host "A Success in Schools Rally," 6 to 8 p.m. The rally will include guest speaker, Dr. Bernard Barnes, retired assistant superintendent of Harford County Public Schools, entertainment, distribution of school supplies and refreshments. For more information, call 410-939-2267

FRIDAY OCTOBER 24 RESCHEDULED FROM HURRICANE ISABEL BASKET BINGO

Basket Bingo to benefit Morale, Welfare and Recreation, Soldier

Programming, will be held at the Aberdeen Fire Hall, Rogers Street. Tickets cost \$10; additional sets cost \$5 each. Doors will open at 6 p.m.; bingo begins at 7 p.m. Food, drinks and baked goods will be available for purchase. Tickets are available by calling Stacie Umbarger, 410-278-3931, or Brenda Conjour, 410-273-7332.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 26 ALL DAY HALLOWEEN BINGO

The Aberdeen Memorial VFW 10028, 821 Old Philadelphia Road, will sponsor All-Day Bingo. Doors open at 10 a.m., early birds start at 11:15 a.m. Packages cost \$20 and include 12 cards, one pack of specials, one jackpot card, lunch and coffee. Prizes will be given for the best costumes. For more information, call the Post Home at 410-272-1218 or Minnie at 410-569-0127.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 7 COUNTRY HOE DOWN

The Harford County Country/Western Dance Association, a non-profit organization, sponsors country western dancing the first Friday of the month at the American Legion located on Parke Street in Aberdeen. Dancing is held from 7:30 to 11:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Cost of admission is \$8. Cash bar is available, but dance lessons will not be provided. For more information, call 410-272-8318.

MOVIES

ADMISSION: ADULTS \$3, CHILDREN \$1.50, building 3245 Aberdeen Boulevard. To verify listing, call 410-272-7520.

MY BOSS'S DAUGHTER

Friday, Oct. 17, 7 p.m.
Starring: Ashton Kutcher, Tara Reid

When Tom's mean boss asks him to housesit, he tries to use it as an opportunity to win the heart of his boss's daughter Lisa, on whom he has long had a crush. What he doesn't plan on is the long line of other houseguests that come along in the meantime. (Rated PG-13)

DICKIE ROBERTS: FORMER CHILD STAR (FREE ADMISSION)

Saturday, Oct. 18, 7 p.m.
Starring: David Spade, Mary McCormack

Dickie, a 35-year-old former child star is now an out-of-work actor turned parking valet. Dickie is desperate to audition for a great role that could revitalize his career, but the part requires him to play a normal guy. Problem is, Dickie is anything but normal. (Rated PG-13)



CABIN FEVER

Saturday, Oct. 18, 9 p.m.

Starring: Jordan Ladd, James DeBello

An offbeat horror tale about a group of five college friends on vacation at a remote mountain cabin when one contracts a flesh-eating virus. As it spreads among the friends, their true feelings and personalities emerge as they struggle to survive the virus and each other. (Rated R)

ACS, CYS INTRODUCE TEEN PROGRAM

Army Community Service and Child and Youth Services will present Teen Chat for five consecutive Wednesdays starting Nov. 5, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., at the Aberdeen Area Youth Center. Topics include but are not limited to peer pressure, values, anger management, family moves and parents

deploying. Teen Chat is offered to all youths of military and Department of Defense civilians 14 to 17 years old. Participants do not need to be a Child/Youth Services member to attend. To make a reservation, call Donna Mele, ACS, at 410-278-2464.

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For more information, call Donna Flemister at 301-854-3278, Chris Zu-kowski at 410-436-4337, or Susan Suppa at 410-278-7598.

FEMA brochures available

Brochures on disaster assistance from Federal Emergency Management Agency are available at the Garrison Public Affairs Office, building 2201.

The brochures are available in English, Korean, Vietnamese, Spanish and other languages.

Attorneys offer free advice

To assist residents who were affected by the devastation caused by Hurricane Isabel, volunteer attorneys from the Maryland State Bar Association are offering free legal advice through a special toll free legal disaster hotline.

Residents are encouraged to call 1-866-858-0039 and speak with a volunteer attorney for help with all legal matters resulting from the storm.

Volunteer attorneys from MSBA's Young Lawyers Section will operate the hotline and offer legal information and guidance to disaster victims and their families in need of legal advice.

This hotline is a public service and no referrals for legal service will be given, nor can the attorneys answering the phone accept disaster cases.

CYS holds Family Fun Fest

Child and Youth Services will sponsor a Family Fun Fest, Oct. 25, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at AA Youth Services, building 2522.

The event is free and activities will include a book fair, arts and crafts, games, food, face painting with a special visit from Nothing Up My Sleeve-balloon Sculptures and Magic Show.

Family Child Care Training to be held

Family Child Care training will be conducted Nov. 17 to 21. Applicants who are interested in providing home-based child care, especially

infant care, are encouraged to apply.

Being a professionally trained provider in a warm, home environment offers benefits such as potential for over \$500 per week; self employment; free training in a marketable profession; transferable credit to Army installations world wide; free use of lending library; free referrals by Central Registry; free monthly newsletter; free workshops (nutrition, health, child development, safety, CPR, taxes), participation in the National CDA credential program, participation in the USDA food program, participation in the National Family Child Care Home Accreditation program.

For more information, call Penny Branham, 410-278-7477/8720.

Kirk offers 'Take care of yourself' class

Class will be held the third Thursday of each month, 10 a.m. to noon.

All TRICARE Prime beneficiaries are eligible to attend. Instruction will be provided to teach patients how to treat minor illnesses and injuries at home, and when to see a doctor.

The classes will be conducted by a registered nurse using the "Take Care of Yourself" handbook.

At the end of each class, Medication Cards will be given out which will allow patients to pick-up specific over-the-counter medications without a prescription.

For more information and to register for classes, call Preventive Medicine, 410-278-1964.

Spouses club to begin annual pie sale

The Military and Civilian Spouses' Club begins its annual apple pie sale on Oct. 28. Each pie will be sold for a \$6 donation and is individually wrapped with baking directions. To place a pie order, call Amy Carlson at 410-939-6429 or visit the MCSC Web site at www.apgmcsc.org.

PWOC upcoming activities

The Protestant Women of the Chapel are once again taking part in Operation Christmas Child this holiday season.

For those who want to participate, donated empty shoeboxes and/or wrapping paper can be brought to the chapel or participants can fill a shoe-

box on their own and bring it to the chapel. Items should be for a boy or girl, age 11 to 17. Age-appropriate items may include small toys, personal items, school supplies, etc. The collection period ends Nov. 30.

The 2003 PWOC Retreat is in Pennsylvania, Oct. 23. It is too late to register, but there is still time to donate small personal products that will be given to those persons in need. They may be left at the chapel office up until Oct. 21.

Bible Studies continue to enrich the lives of many.

Join PWOC on Monday nights at 7 p.m. or on Thursday mornings at 9 a.m. The Monday night series will begin "The Purpose Driven Life" in November.

Baby sitting is available for both studies.

RAB scheduled Oct. 30

The Installation Restoration Program will hold its Restoration Advisory Board meeting 7 to 9:45 p.m. at the Edgewood Senior Center on Gateway Road. The topics will include updates on the Graces Quarters and Carroll Island Study Areas.

Board meetings are open to the public; all APG employees and citizens are invited.

For more information, call the Information Line at 410-272-8842 or 1-800-APG-9998.

CFW hosts trips to New York City

The Civilian Welfare Fund is sponsoring a trip to see the "Radio City Music Hall Christmas Show," on Broadway, in New York City.

The bus will depart building 3320 at 9:30 a.m. on Nov. 28 and depart New York at 5 p.m. on Nov. 30.

The cost per person is \$499 for a single, \$325 with two people in the room, \$275 with three people in the room, and \$225 with four people in the room. Prices include charter bus transportation, the ticket for the show and hotel accommodations.

A day trip is also available for \$115 per person and includes charter bus transportation and a ticket for the show. The bus will depart building 3320 at 6 a.m., and depart New York at 6 p.m.

For more information or to make reservations, call Angela Keithley or Jacqueline McKeever at 410-278-4603/4771.

ACS hosts telephone etiquette/customer service workshop

The Army Community Service Employment Readiness Program Manager will sponsor Telephone Etiquette and Customer Service workshops, Oct. 21 and Nov. 19, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., in ACS building 2754 Rodman Road, ACS Classroom.

The class will address the simple yet crucial skills needed to ensure a positive interaction when assisting a caller or customer.

Upon completion of this class, students will receive a certificate of completion from Harford Community College. Topics include Negative Speaking, Using Professional Greetings, Telephone Etiquette Basics, Why Customers Complain, Communication and Effective Relationship Building and Dealing With Vocally Challenged Callers.

For more information, call Marilyn Howard at 410-278-9669.

Washington Capitals host "Salute to the Military Night"

Service members and their families will be honored guests as part of the Washington Capitals "Salute to the Military Night," 7 p.m., on Nov. 12 at the MCI Center. The Capitals will dedicate the evening to recognizing the nation's military and their families. Free tickets are available for more than 5,000 service members.

To register for tickets, visit www.defendamerica.mil, select the Operation Tribute to Freedom icon, followed by the Events/Instructions/Register links. Service members are limited to four tickets and can only register using a military or government email address. There is no uniform requirement to attend this event.

Lose weight for the holidays

Lunchtime Weight Watchers meetings are continuing on post with the newest program from Weight Watchers' - FlexPoints. FlexPoints makes losing weight in the real world easier.

Get eleven weeks for the price of ten. Lunchtime Weight Watchers

meetings are open to all APG civilian personnel, retirees, military personnel and family members. For more information, call 410-278-1151.

USO-Metro photography contest

USO-Metro is holding a photo contest to select the cover art for the 2004 USO Guide to Washington and Baltimore.

The contest is open to all active duty military personnel and their family members. There is no limit to the number of pictures to be entered.

Artwork should have a military theme.

The winning shot will be featured on the cover of the 2004 USO Guide to Washington and Baltimore, with credit given to the photographer.

A cash prize of \$300 will be awarded to the winner.

The deadline for submissions is Oct. 15. Send all pictures to USO-Metro, Attn: Photography Contest, Community Center, Bldg 405, 228 McNair Road, Fort Myer, Va. 22211. For more information, call 703-696-3278.

Religious education

The Protestant, Gospel, and Catholic congregations announce the start-up of their Sunday Religious Education Programs for Fall 2003.

Aberdeen:
Protestant, 9 a.m.
CCD, 10 a.m.
Gospel, 11:30 a.m.
Edgewood:
CCD, 9:15 a.m.
Protestant, 11 a.m.

For more information, call the Post Chapel, 410-278-4333.

Workplace Violence Prevention Training available

Workplace Violence Prevention classes are available for one or two hours and can be used to meet CO2 requirements.

Classes can be scheduled for the office, or a location can be arranged.

Topics include Community Skills Training, APG's Workplace Violence Program Overview, Diversity in the Workplace and Managing Your Stress.

For more information or to schedule a class, call Paul Papp at 410-306-1079, or e-mail him at paul.papp@usag.apg.army.mil.

Exton's grandson continues golf tradition



Photo by NEAL SNYDER
Hugh M. Exton Jr. takes aim from the tee box on the second hole.

Neal Snyder
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Look at that grin. The big grin of the deskbound athlete released.

Hugh M. Exton Jr. wore it into the Edgewood Area Exton Golf Course clubhouse. After a cross-country flight and an hour's drive from Baltimore Washington International, he's come to a place with temperatures in the mid-70s and low humidity, where he could cast off the burden of directing the Southwest Region of the Installation Management Agency.

It was a rare day, and Exton was drinking it in. It's not just the weather, though the clarity of the mid-September afternoon gives the proving ground a movie-like quality. He's here for the golf course.

On this fair day, Hugh Exton is visiting the Community Recreation Division golf course named for his grandfather.

The first fairway, 268 yards of grass as clean and smooth as a fresh-vacuumed carpet, fills a picture window that makes up the entire south wall of the room. In a portrait on the opposite wall, Col. Charles W. Exton, commander of Edgewood Arsenal from 1923 to 1927, appears to be measuring the distance to the green.

Col. Exton was not only Edgewood's commander, he was its golf club president.

"I think he'd be thrilled with

the area now covered by holes 6 and 7, were used by the Chemical Warfare School for training, according to local history. Neither Exton nor Doyle Homan, a golf course employee who researched its namesake, can say whether the colonel had anything to do with the nine holes bearing his name. But if Edgewood had no golf course when the colonel arrived, it probably did when he left.

"My guess is he came here and it was fairly undeveloped," Exton said. "The Chemical Corps was a new branch and he probably said, 'I want to play golf, let's see what we can do.'"

The officers who named the former Edgewood Golf Course after Exton in 1996 wanted to honor a chemical officer as well as a golfer, said Gene Harris, the course's golf pro.

Col. Exton graduated early from West Point to serve in the Spanish-American War. He fought with the infantry through the end of World War I, then decided the future lay in the chemical service.

His career eventually spanned 20 years in the infantry and 20 in the chemical corps. He died in 1964.

His son, Hugh M. Exton, Sr., earned three Silver Stars, an Air Medal and a Distinguished Service Medal in World War II, and retired a lieutenant general.

Exton Jr. served the military as a civilian engineer. Beginning as a construction programmer and design engineer at Elgin Air Force Base, Fla., he rose to chief of construction programs in what is now known as the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management. He entered senior executive service, the civilian equivalent of general officer rank, in 1997. The Army tapped Exton as the first director of the IMA Southwest Region in August 2002.

He came to APG for an IMA installation summit and to visit officials at the U.S.

Army Environmental Center.

On this day, with borrowed clubs in hand and golf pro Harris as a partner, he was ready to practice one of two sports passed down through at least four generations of Extons. The other is tennis.

"As far as I know my grandfather was good," Exton said. "My father was almost a scratch golfer, and he had five children, of whom only two play to any extent, that's myself and my sister. [But] we all know how to play."

"I have two sons and a daughter. They all play golf, and the oldest son is quite good. He's a single digit handicap — better than his old man," Exton says.

Golf and tennis are more than family traditions, according to Exton.

"I'll assume it was my grandfather's theory because I know it was my father's: 'That these are sports that will carry you through the rest of your life. You can play baseball and football and all, but these are a foundation that you can carry forever.' And he's right," Exton Jr. said. "So all of his kids, and all of my kids, can step on a tennis court or a golf course and not be intimidated or totally embarrassed."

The conversation slowed to an expectant silence as Harris appeared. The cart was ready. Outside, as the men selected clubs and stretched, the likeness of Col. Exton could be seen twice: dimly from inside the clubhouse, and glimpsed in the look his grandson gave the fairway before he took his first swing.

The Morale, Recreation and Welfare Community Recreation Division Exton Golf Course in the Edgewood Area, located on Wise Road just inside the gate from the town of Edgewood. The clubhouse is building E-1260. For more information, call 410-436-2213.

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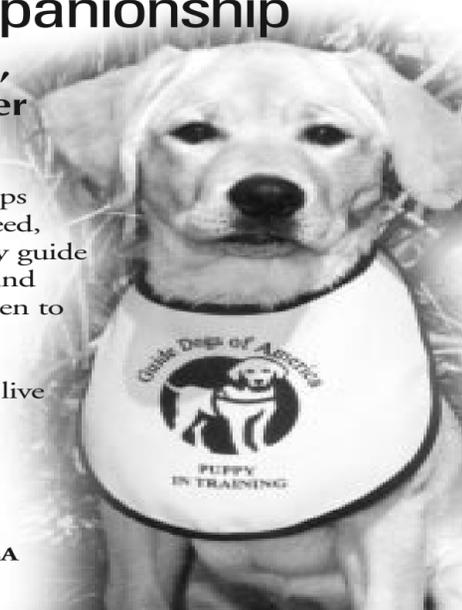
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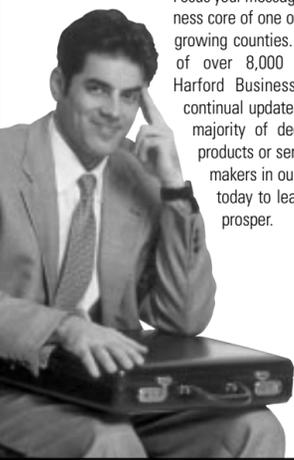
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'What So Proudly We Hail'd'

Chris White
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By any measure, Maryland is a cornerstone to the nation's history. For proof, look no further than the events at Fort McHenry on the morning of Sept. 14, 1814, pictured in the Combined Federal Campaign painting above.

After a day of bombardment by British warships, the early morning light revealed a fort unyielding, a spirit unbroken. As a final act of defiance, Maj. George Armistead had the storm flag, which had flown that night during the attack lowered, and in its place hoisted the 30' by 42' Great Garrison flag. This was the flag that inspired Francis Scott Key to put into words his patriotic fervor. Printed and quickly circulated, the "Star Spangled Banner" became a rallying song for the young nation.

In 1931 Congress passed legislation, which officially made Key's stirring tribute the national anthem.

The painting captures that moment when the British warships weighed anchor and set sail for the mouth of the Patapsco River. As the ships withdrew, Armistead and his command scaled the ramparts, and with the magnificent ensign billowing in the wind, cheered the retreat.

Marylanders from Baltimore City and the surrounding counties manned Fort McHenry. The actions of these local defenders of liberty, as well as those of Maryland native Francis Scott Key had ramifications that affected not only the local citizenry, but also the resolution of the entire nation.

Whether designating a local charity, or earmarking a contribution for national or international concerns, any action will positively affect the lives of others. Contributions can feed the hungry, house the homeless and/or protect the defenseless.

The 2003 Combined Federal Campaign Contributor's Guide for national/international organizations is at Web site <http://www.opm.gov/cfc/03-lists/Index.asp>. Paper copies of the guide and pledge cards will be available from each organization key worker or at the CFC office.

At Aberdeen Proving Ground, the 2003 CFC contribution period runs through Nov. 19.

For more information, visit the APG CFC office in building 120, room 114, or call John Belcher, Robert Solyan, or Ronda McKinney at 410-278-0001/0002/0003.

Courtesy of CHRIS WHITE
Framed and matted limited edition prints of Chris White's painting titled, "What So Proudly We Hail'd," will be awarded to gold and silver level contributors to the 2003 Combined Federal Campaign.
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Of the 256 Hall of Fame members, 64 defended America's freedom in times of war. Through the Combined Federal Campaign, the museum participates as a workplace campaign contribution charity. Until Dec. 15, military personnel can support the museum's educational programs and mission by listing campaign ID # 9862 on the CFC form. Interested participants can also give through online contributions at www.baseball-halloffame.org.

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