July 2018

Community Action Council





COLAdam W. Lange - Vice Commander 673ABW



Purpose & Intent Statements



Purpose: Provide mission partners across the installation an opportunity to provide and receive current/updated information impacting our Service Members, Family Members, DoD Civilians, Retirees and Contractors.

Intent: Disseminate information regarding installation support, programs, initiatives and community activities to Senior Leaders, Spouses, Family Readiness Groups and the JBER Community atlarge.































Administrative Notes



SLIDES – Link to access and print today's CAC slides:

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS – An opportunity to ask questions will be offered after each briefer presents their information

RESTROOMS – Located on the right as you enter the North entrance of the building

- Please turn-off or place on vibrate































0930-0940 Welcome

Award/Recognition Customer ServiceAward

673 CEG 0940-1025

JBER ChapelCommunity

673 ABW **JBER Library Artic Oasis** 673/FSK

Moose Run GolfCourse

USARAK 673FSS/ODR **BOSS ASYMCA Aurora Housing**

RSC **DECA**

The EXCHANGE

CalendarHighlights 1025-1027

Comments/Open Forum & Door Prizes 1027-1030

1030 Closing **COL AdamLange**

Ms. BernadetteSimmons

Mr. Allan Lucht

LTC GregThogmartin Ms. Mary Jernigan Ms. Jody Evans Ms. Seante Banks Ms. KelseyPatterson Mr. Don Kramer **COL Clinton Baker** Mr. KarlLavtar SGT RonieshaFolkes

Ms. SarahRiffer Ms. Rachael Hodgson

Ms. Katie Noll

Ms. Ermies Hernandez Mr. Raymond Stewart III

Ms. Carolyn Craig-Sprow

Leaders/Staff

USARAK CG/673 ABW CC































673 ABW Customer Service Award

Ms. Bernadette Simmons































JBER Monthly Customer Service Award June 2018





TEAM



673 FSS - Laundry Services, Ft Wainwright **Branch**

CustomerComments

- Amazing with customer service! Fast & friendly.
- Staff was very helpful with dropping off as well as during pick up. Fast and smooth.
- Great Service! Thank you!
- Great Staff, very helpful!
- Continue the outstanding work! Thankyou!
- They went above and beyond on the quality of work on my OCP's. ThankYou!!
- Very courteous staff. Very helpful. Keep it up!
- The best workers I have met on Post. Excellent job. I truly appreciate the great sewing done for my flightuniforms!
- Great people, very perfectionist! Thankyou!



































673 CEG

Mr. Allan Lucht 552-3747























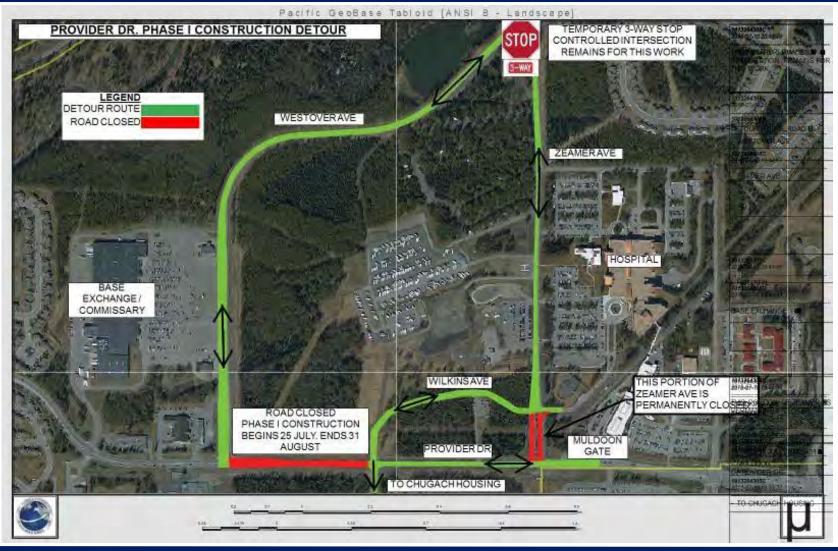








































JBER Chapel Community Religious Operations

Chaplain (LTC) Greg Thogmartin 552-JROC (5762)































Catholic Sunday Mass Summer Time Change



JBER Catholic Community

Summer Mass Time Change

Thru July 29, 2018

The JBER Sunday Masses will be combined during the summer months of June and July.

Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. at the Arctic Warrior Chapel, BLDG 3, JBER-R.

This is the only Sunday Mass that will be offered on JBER.

Please contact the JBER Religious Operations Center at 907-552-JROC (5762) with any questions























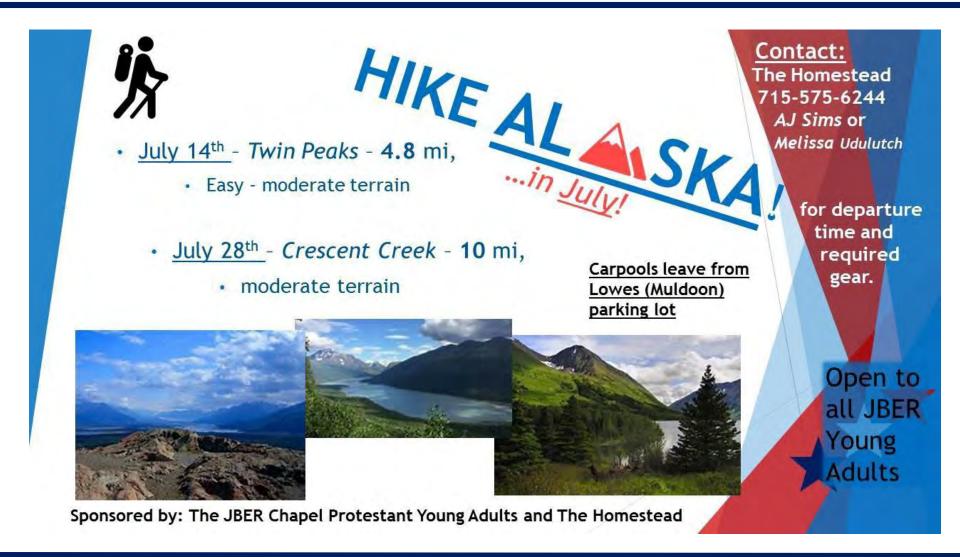






Protestant Young Adult Hikes for July

































Protestant Women of the Chapel





JBER PWOC Summer 2018 Book Club

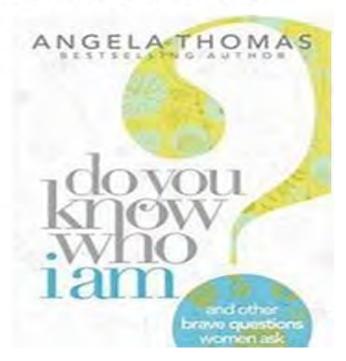
Do You Know Who I Am? And Other Brave Questions Women Ask by Angela Thomas

When: July 10, 17, 24, 31 from 10-12pm coffee and muffins

Where: Chapel Activities Center (CAC) (old bank building on the corner of Richardson Dr and First St)

Questions: Contact jber.ak.pwoc@gmail.com Contact the JROC at 552.5762

Sponsored by the JBER Chapel Protestant Community

































Catholic Young Adult Fishing Trip



JBER Catholic Young Adult Ministry Presents The Annual Whittier Fishing Trip Saturday, July 21

MUST

Have a fishing license (in your possession) and be a registered member of the JBER Catholic Parish

- Fishing License can be purchased at the BX or any Walmart/Fred Meyers.
- Parish registration forms can be picked up at the JROC.



POC: Cierra Houchins

Call 552-5762 to get registered and for any additional questions.

Registration Cost: 7/8 to 7/20 - \$75

Only 12 Spots Available!

Lunch will be available for purchase in Whittier

Transportation Provided! We will be departing from Midnight Sun Chapel at 4:30 AM and will be returning to JBER around 6:30 PM.





























Protestant Young Adult Men's Group



Men Sharpening Men

MSM

Sponsored by JBER Chapel Protestant
Young Adults and The Homestead
For more information and other programs 715-575-6244





Wednesdays 11:30-1pm Wilderness Inn DFAC































Protestant YoungAdult Ladies Lunches





A time of connection. encouragement, & the building of friendships!



































Reboot Combat Recovery



































673ABW/CVB

Ms. Mary Jernigan 552-7881

































The Amazing Race





September 8 • 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Join us for a fun day of competition, bouncy houses, food and more! Teams will compete for the top as they race around JBER. Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers, along with a team trophy for best team costume.

Sign up your team of 4 today!

Teams must be comprised of at least 2 military/JBER spouses and sign up by September 3.

Open to all ID holders ages 13 & up

For more information, call 384-1515 or 552-0671



























Spouses Symposium



You Are the Missing Piece to JBER Prevention Strategy



Join us September 14, 2018 at the Arctic Warrior Event Center from 0900-1300

*As we address and embrace your great ideals for JBER

*Answer your Questions

*Address your specific community needs and concerns

*Open to Commanders and JBERSpouses

Lunch will be provided

For more information or to register for the symposium contact Mary Jernigan, at 552-7881































673 FSS/FSDL JBER Library

Ms. Jody Evans 384-1788

































Paws To Read Program

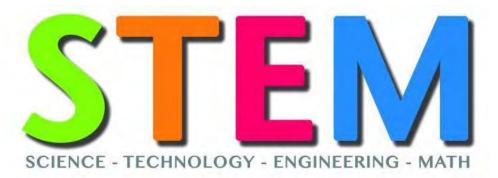
Saturday, July 21st Saturday, Aug 18th 1000-1200 Registration is required for FREE program. For kids K-6th grade.

Back To School STEM

August 6 –10 1300-1400 each day Pre-registration required School age kids only

Summer Reading Program Reading Takes You Everywhere **Ends July 27**

- Earn rewards for reading
- Special programs each week
 - For all ages!
 - Family Game Nights
 - **Cultural Events**
 - Free Craft Projects
- Finale Event July 25th 1400-1500



































673 FSS/FSW

Ms. Seante Banks 552-8529





























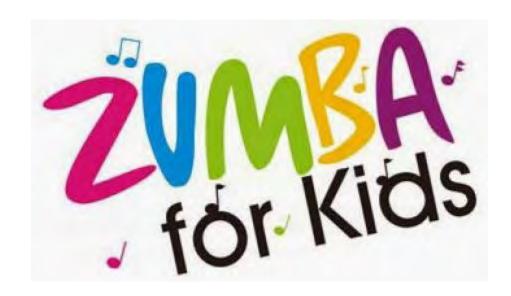


Arctic Oasis



Summer Movie Madness- at at Frontier Theater. Doors open at 12:30 Movie starts at 1pm. Cost is Free.

Kids Zumba- Every Wednesday at 6pm. Cost is \$2





























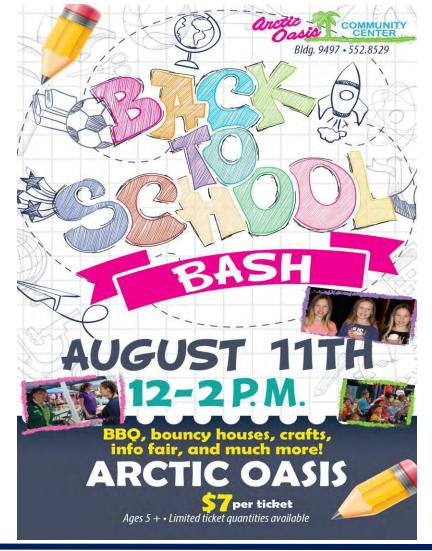




Arctic Oasis



Back to School Bash-August 11th from 12-2pm. Come join us for crafts, bouncy houses, BBQ, info fair and many more.

































673 FSS/FSK JBER Life!

Ms. Kelsey Patterson 552-5900































JBER Life Contest



- JBER Life Photo Contest
 - July 1 31
 - Photo Theme: Alaskan Summer
 - Categories:
 - Youth Division
 - Children: 6 − 8
 - Preteens: 9-12
 - Teens: 13 17
 - Adult Division
 - Novice
 - Accomplished
 - Prizes:
 - Children: Kid Friendly Digital camera
 - Preteens: Instant Print Camera
 - Teens: Go Pro
 - Adults: (Visa/Amazon Gift Card)
 - 1st: 300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100

































Moose Run Golf Course

Mr. Don Kramer, PGA General Manager 907-428-0056































Moose Run Golf Course





- The 3rd Annual Arctic Valley Openis our 2 day championship.
- July 21 & 22
- Active Duty, Retirees & DoD -\$155
- 36 hole individual stroke play competition flighted by divisions with gross and net prizes.

Upcoming Club Tournaments

- 1 Person Scramble 19Aug
- Par 3 Tournament 16 Sep
- Ironman Tough Day 29 Sep





























Moose Run Golf Course



- 9 & Dine now expanded to 120 players weekly.
- 4 person scramble on Hill Course with dinner every week!
- Sign up online at www.mooserungolfcourse.com or
- Call the Golf Shop at 428-0056 or
- Sign up in person at the Golf Shop



























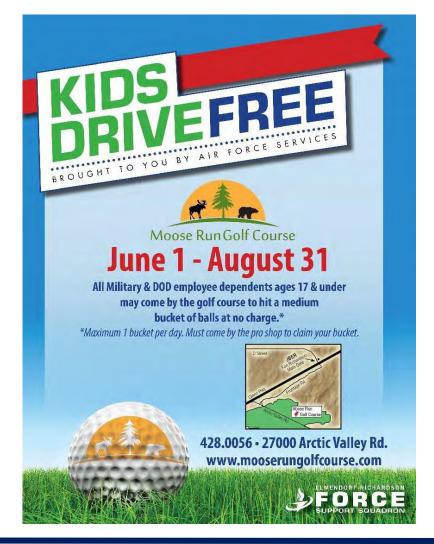




Moose Run Golf Course





































USARAK

COL Clinton Baker

































USARAK 2-Gun Challenge



Mission: USARAK Sharpshooter Team hosts the inaugural 2-Gun Challenge marksmanship match 29JUL18 at the JBER Sports Fire Range Complex in order to build camaraderie and competitive esprit de corps within the DoD, service members, and local Law Enforcement Officers (LEOs).

Concept All competitors must register for the match on practiscore.com The competition is open to military (45x slots), LEOs and DoD ID card holders. (60x stots), and is free for all competitors. Military service members will bring assigned weapons from unit arms rooms, and their ammunition will be provided by USARAK Sharpshopter cadre (9mm and 5.58mm). Service members also have the option to compete with privately-owned weapons, in which case they will provide their own ammunition and be counted among the 60 slots for LEOs and DoD ID card holders. All military competitors will provide their own weapons and arrimunition (250x rounds each for pisto) 45 caliber and below, and rifle 5.58mm and below). Saturday morning, 28 July, sign in will start at 0630-0730. Immediately following sign in competitors will receive the match brief and be broken down into squads. The competition will begin at 0800 and will end when the last competitor is scored USARAK will award trophies once the competition is over. Sign-inand the awards ceremony will be held at the JBER. Sports Fire Range Complex 106 competitors will be broken down into 7x 15-shooter squads as they move through each of the 7x match stages. Each stage will take approximately 75 minutes for a squad to complete. Scoring for the match will be "time plus."



Driving Directions: Travel North from Anchorage on the Glenn Highway

- (10) Take JBER-Richardson exit
- 20 At top of highway off-ramp, turn right on D St
- 33 Take immediate left turn on Range Control access road
- 40 Take second right turn into Small Arms Complex
- (5) Take first right turn towards Sports Fire Range
- (6) End at Sports Fire range complex park in lot on right

































1st ever JBER 2 GUN Match! Come and shoot against Law Enforcement Agencies and military to settle who is the best shot.

Sign up at https://practiscore.com/jber-2-gun-challenge/register. This match is set to build camaraderie and provide the opportunity for soldiers and local agencies to compete and bring the shooting community to a pinnacle point of competition. Winners will win a unique trophy provided by United States Army Alaska.

Long Range out to 400 Meters! Shoot House stage and a 180 degree bay range with open terrain will challenge even the best shooters in Alaska.

Match will be held at the JBER Small Arms Complex utilizing 7 different ranges and 7 stages to complete the match!

Personally Owned Weapons are allowed. If you are military and do not have Personally Owned Weapons, you can compete with your military issued weapons. Sign up fast, only 45 spots are allowed for military using government weapons!

105 total spots. If you have any questions please contact:



SFC Tyler Virgin (706) 987-4611 SSG Jeffrey Lewis (910)-916-0399































Outdoor Recreation

Mr. Karl Lavtar 552-4599

































Outdoor Recreation

































WX Paintball/Otter Lake **Skeet Range**







Call 384.6245 for more information.

































Outdoor Adventure Program





ATV Hillberg Ride - 26 July Kayak Portage Lake - 28 July, 25 August Inflatable Kayak Portage River - 28 July Ice Climbing Matanuska Glacier - 29 July, August 26 Mountain Biking - August 2 Outdoor Rock Climbing - 12 & 15August



Ice Climbing Matanuska Glacier - 19August Stand Up Paddle Boarding - 17 July ATV Eklutna Lake Trail - 22 July, August 19 Mountain Biking - 25 July, 15 August Outdoor Rock Climbing - 1 & 4August Kayak Portage Lake August 18



Stand Up Paddle Boarding - 24 July, 11August ATV Safety Training - 8 August Mountain Bike Trip-16August



Classes:

ATV Safety - 18 July, 22 August Hiking/Backpacking 101 - 18 July Captain's Class - 26 July, 2 & 16 August Kayak Safety - 18 July, 8 August

Trips:

Mountain Biking - 19 July, 29August ATV Jim's Creek - 21 July, 18 August Ice Climbing Matanuska Glacier- 21 July, 5 August Outdoor Rock Climbing - 22 & 25 July, 30 August Eagle River Rafting - 26 July, 2 & 9August ATV Eklutna Lake Trail - 5August































JBER BOSS-S Upcoming Events

SGT Roniesha Folkes 384-9023





























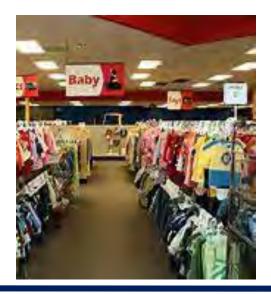
BOSS-Events



- July 13th, Skeet Trap & Archery.
- July 21st, Extreme Warrior Paintball.
- July 24th, Volunteering at the ThriftShop.
- July 27th, Single Service Member Golfing.

For all or any information please Contact the Office: (907)384-9023









































Armed Services YMCA Program Highlight

Ms. Sarah Riffer, Executive Director

552-9622 | director@akasymca.org































Happening NOW! Shoot for the Troops



3 MXS 2017 Participant

2ND ANNUAL ASYMCA SHOOT FOR THE TROOPS

Friday, August 3, 2018
Birchwood Recreation & Shooting Park

Morning Competitors @ 10:00AM Afternoon Competitors @ 1:00PM Complimentary Lunch @ 12:00PM

SHOOT FOR THE TROOPS is a 100-shot sporting clays tournament. Proceeds from this tournament help to fund ASYMCA programs assisting military personnel and their families.

Military individuals and teams participate free!





























Happening NOW! Mother Son Adventure

2018 MOTHER SON ADVENTURE:

SPENCER GLACIER ADVENTURE

Travel to Portage to catch a ride on the Alaska Railroad! Next stop... the Spencer Glacier Whistle Stop and a 2.6-mile round trip hike to the beautiful Spencer Glacier.

Thursday, August 9th

Check in at Portage Whistle Stop is 12:45 - 1:15pm
Train departs at 1:25pm and returns at 5:15pm
Portage Whistle Stop #2
(Between mile 80 and mile 81 of the Seward Hwy)

Tickets on sale
June 25 – July 13

\$15.00/person

































Save the Date! Upcoming Events

- Operation Ride Home, in partnership with Jack Daniels- Sending families home for the holidays. Look for marketing and information to begin coming out mid-lateAugust.
- 8 Sept- Father Daughter Gala atAWEC

Please keep in mind!

• As Back to School preparations begin at home, we are available for assistance with supplies, clothing or other essentials. Please contact us for how we may be able to help.

Volunteers NEEDED!

- ASYMCA Bargain Shop- sorting & shelving donations
- Atwood Military Lounge





























Aurora Military Housing (AMH) Residential Housing

www.auroramilitaryhousing.com

Ms. Rachael Hodgson 907-375-0513

































Aurora Housing Deployed Spouse Program



To qualify, a military member must be deployed for 90 or more days, or be on a one year or more dependent-restricted, unaccompanied tour

Or...the Military Unit may contact AMH when circumstances necessitate special support

How to enroll:

- Complete the "Deployed Spouse" Program" form
 - www.auroramilitaryhousing.c om/residents/DSP/
- Drop by an AMH office, fax to 907.753.1095, or email to aurora@jlproperties.com

Need a hand? Deployment is tough, but we're here to help. Our Deployed Spouse Program provides special assistance to families of deployed service members. Snow Removal • Lawn Care Non-Traditional Work Orders Visit AuroraMilitaryHousing.com/residents/DSP to apply today. **Deployed Spouse** Program























JL Properties Inc | 6350 Arctic Warrior Drive | 907,753,1023









Aurora Housing New Recreational Areas 2018



Now open to all JBER Residents!

Located in the Moose Crossing neighborhood, this Western theme park is:

- Centrally located near the Community Center and volleyball court
- Has, multi-age playground equipment: rope climber, slides, swings, and much more
- And, a porta potty
- Plus, off street parking

Located in the Sunflower neighborhood, a new recreational area that caters to toddlers.

































Aurora Housing Summer Reminders



Yard Sales at JBER

- JBER Community Yard Sale: Friday, 27-July through Sunday, 29-July
- Individual home yard sales advertised weekly (through September)

https://www.auroramilitaryhousing.co m/blog/yard-sale-update-2018/



1111 Anchorage Way (6 AM to 12 PM) 2222 Denail Road (11 AM to 2 PM) 3333 Spendid Road (11 AM to 5 PM)

Saturday (19 May)

5555 Denall Road (11 AM to 2 PM) 7777 Denall Road (11 AM to 2 PM) 3333 Denall Road (10 AM to 3 PM)

Sunday (20 May)

6656 Denail Road (11 AM to 2 PM) 2222 Flattop Road (10 AM to 4 PM)





































Richardson Spouses' Club

A community for all military affiliated spouses



Katie Noll, RSC Publicity POC-Kristie Rigdon

www.richardsonspousesclub.com

Facebook: Richardson Spouses' Club





























Richardson Spouses' Club



2018-2019 Membership

- The Richardson Spouse's Club is a community for spouses of all branches and all ranks.
- All military affiliated spouses are eligible for membership.
- Super Sign Up on 23 August. Check our website for more details.
- RSC is now accepting applications for our 2018-2019 board positions. Visit <u>www.richardsonspousesclub.com/2018rscboard</u> for more information.































Richardson Spouses' Club



Richardson Thrift Shop

- Seeking summer associates and experienced managers
- Send resumes or questions to JoEllen at thriftshop@richardsonspousesclub.com
- Hours:
- Tues & Thurs 10-2
- Wed 12-6
- 1st and 3rd Saturdays 11-2



We are always in need of assistance.

Volunteers as young as high school

































Richardson Spouses' Club



2017-2018 Charitable Highlights

RSC's Charitable side works to promote volunteering on JBER and in the surrounding communities. The Charitable side includes:

- The Ft. Richardson Thrift Shop: Around \$50,000 was distributed to E5 and below families in merchandise through our Warrior Program.
- RSC Social Welfare: \$31,475 was distributed to 38 different organizations serving the JBER community.
- RSC Scholarship Program: \$16,000 was given away in scholarships to local seniors and graduate students.

























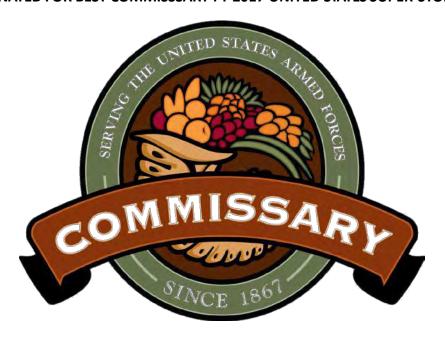






DeCA Anchorage Area Commissary

DIRECTOR'S AWARD BEST COMMISSARY FY 2016 UNITED STATES SUPER STORE NOMINATED FOR BEST COMMISSSARY FY 2017 UNITED STATES SUPER STORE



Ermies Hernandez

Store Director

































































Watermelon Pizza



This is a kid friendly dish. Decorating a watermelon pizza is a great activity for summertime kid groups.

Ingredients

- 6 blackberries
- 6 strawberries (halved)
- •1/4 cup fresh blueberries
- •1 Mandarin orange (peeled, separated into 6 pieces)
- •6 oz. nonfat vanilla Greek yogurt
- •1/4 cup pecans or walnut halves
- •1/2 of seedless watermelon (sliced into 6 pie shaped pieces)

Optional

•6 fresh mint leaves

Directions

1.Top each slice of watermelon with 1 oz. of yogurt. Equally distribute the remaining items across each slice of watermelon.





















Healthy Recipe

Dietician

Approved













We have a multitude of opportunities to save money in July," "Those planning their summer vacations should go online to www.commissaries.com and enter to win trips galore throughout the summer.

Starting July 23, commissaries worldwide will begin a two-week sales event focusing on the commissary brands Some of the products are: trash bags of various sizes, disposable bowls, canned vegetables, pie crust, shredded cheeses, vegetable shortening and more.

Stores will also promote several Top
Care items on aisle endcaps including
allergy tablets, vitamins, cold and flu
products, heartburn relief and
antacids.































































AUG 2018



Chicken Tortilla
Chili w/Beans
Minestrone





Boar's Head
Proud, Committed & More

AUG 2018



Chicken Noodle Chicken Pot Pie

































SIDE WALK SALE 16-19 AUG

































FOCUS GROUP 1ST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH 0930-1030

COMMISSARY CONFERENCE ROOM MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE RIGHT



Community Opinions and Needs YOUR FEEDBACK IS VALUED



30 July – 8 Aug 2018

Our Annual

COMMISSARY CUSTOMER SERVICE SURVEY

Help us grow with your feedback

Please give us a few moments of your time

When approached by one of our managers





































Army & Air Force Exchange Service

Mr. Raymond S. Stewart III































HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AAFES!

































CALLING ALL MILITARY BRATS!!!!



































JBER-Richardson Community Education Complex Bldg. 7

9 August 2018 13 September 2018































Calendar Highlights



July

13 Jul - 673d ABW Change of Command

August

6 Aug - 3 WG Change of Command

7 Aug - 673d MDG Change of Command

31 Aug - PACAF Family Day/USARAK Training Holiday

September

3 September - Labor Day































Questions or Comments?

































Door Prizes



Door prizes donated by...

Thank you Mr. Raymond Stewart, AAFES General Manager, for the Starbucks coffee!





























Leadership

Closing Comments

































Thank You For Attending

Our next meeting will convene at **0930**, **9 August 2018** in the JBER-Richardson Community Education Complex Bldg. 7.

CAC slides are located at:

http://www.jber.jb.mil/

We value and appreciate your comments. Please take a few minutes to give us feedback on our service by copy/pasting this URL into your browser and completing the Comment Card:

https://ice.disa.mil/index.cfm?fa=card&sp=131953&s=982&dep=*DoD&sc=1

























