

Greetings, Ladies and Gentlemen,

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Below is the Combat Center Weekly Speedcall for 17 November 2022. Please see any attached flyers for amplifying/additional information. Of note, if departments do not provide updates to the Communication Strategy and Operations Office or confirm that their information is correct by 1000 on Thursday, no message will appear for that respective department.

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**GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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MILITARY HOUSING OFFICE

Fiscal Year 2023 Tenant Satisfaction Survey Look for an email from [Survey@RDNiehaus.com](mailto:Survey@RDNiehaus.com) in your personal email or take the survey here: <https://tss.rdniehaus.com> Surveys start 17 October 2022 through 16 December 2022 Your home/Your opinion/It matters.

TRANSPORTATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Are you looking for ways to save money on gas, and cut the costs of a long commute to and from MCAGCC?

Sign up for the Transportation Incentive Program or TIP. TIP is a mass transit benefit for base employees both active duty and civilians coordinated through Enterprise. TIP uses Enterprise vehicles to create vanpools for groups of base employees. The vehicles are kept in the possession of a primary vanpool Captain for commute to and from the base.

Interested in joining a vanpool contact Enterprise Coordinator Cash Dominik at 760-567-3859, MCAGCC TIP Reviewing Official Lisa Taylor at 760-830-7634 or visit: <https://www.commutewithenterprise.com/en/partners/29Palms.html>

Benefits Include:

\* Up to \$280 monthly federal transit benefit to fund all or the majority of the cost. Savings up to \$6,000 a year\*

- \* If eligible, receive an additional \$400 monthly supplement per vanpool from the local county
- \* Recent-model SUV or van
- \* Ready to serve from the moment you arrive plus time back to use how you choose
- \* Reduced carbon footprint
- \* Turnkey program, including maintenance, insurance, 24/7 roadside assistance and a guaranteed ride home
- \* Month-to-month flexibility

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## **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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1. AC/S MAGTF TRAINING
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**- MISSION ASSURANCE**

**SUICIDE PREVENTION AND DRUG AWARENESS:**

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**EMERGENCY SERVICES NUMBER:**

Due to recent upgrades to the 9-1-1 answering system aboard the Combat Center, along with some unforeseen issues with those upgrades, it is recommend that when calling for Emergency Services you use the 830-3333 number. This will reduce any possibility of a delayed response to your call.

**- COMBAT CENTER FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**- SAFETY OFFICE**

## **MISSION ASSURANCE**

With the Thanksgiving Holiday fast approaching many Marines, Sailors, and Civilians are preparing to enjoy the long holiday weekend with family and friends. Many may be traveling, frying turkeys, and participating in outdoor activities. The attached Safety Gram provides recommendations for making sure that you and your family enjoy a safe and happy Thanksgiving Holiday.

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-SAFETY OFFICE

## **DRIVING AND MOTORCYCLE SAFETY COURSES REGISTRATION**

All personnel will register for driving and motorcycle safety training courses using ESAMS (Enterprise Safety Application Management System) in accordance with CCO 5100.22B. If you are not signed up through ESAMS, you will be redirected back to your S-3/Motorcycle President, to be registered for the next available class. If the S-3 or Motorcycle President does not have an ESAMS account please have them contact the Safety Office at 830-5065 to have an account established. Course Registration Links: [https://esams.cnic.navy.mil/ESAMS\\_GEN\\_2/Login](https://esams.cnic.navy.mil/ESAMS_GEN_2/Login) or <http://www.hgwllc.com/>. If there are any questions concerning ESAMS or course registration, please contact the Safety Office at 830-5065 or email [frank.jenkins@usmc.mil](mailto:frank.jenkins@usmc.mil) for assistance.

## **SUPERVISOR AND SAFETY REPRESENTATIVE (CDSO) TRAINING**

Per the MCO 5100.29C, Supervisors, and Safety Representative (CDSO) must be trained in the performance of their duties. The Safety Office is currently providing training on a monthly basis. All classes are conducted in Bldg. 1523N and will start at 0730 sharp.

Those attending the Safety Representative (CDSO) training must have a copy of their appointment letter at the beginning of class. Please contact Mr. Yeager at 830-7262 or email at [warrick.yeager@usmc.mil](mailto:warrick.yeager@usmc.mil). Classes will not be scheduled more than one month out secondary to high no show rates.

\*\*The Safety Office will be conducting Safety Representative (CDSO) Quarterly meetings for those that are appointed as CDSO's. Please contact Ms. Thomas at [exyminue.thomas@usmc.mil](mailto:exyminue.thomas@usmc.mil) or (951) 570-1406 or Mr. Yeager at 830-7262 or [warrick.yeager@usmc.mil](mailto:warrick.yeager@usmc.mil) for more information

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RESPIRATORY PROTECTION PROGRAM: Per the MCO 5100.29C (29 CFR 1910.134), All employees assigned/required to the wear a respirator due to being on the Respiratory Protection program or work in a Confined Space must be fit tested and trained in the performance of their duties. The Safety Office is currently providing training and fit testing on an appointment basis. All fit test and training will be conducted in Bldg. 1523 N. Please contact Ms. Holwerda at 830-6154 or [brittany.holwerda@usmc.mil](mailto:brittany.holwerda@usmc.mil).

## **MARINE CORPS COMMUNITY SERVICES**

### COMBAT CENTER TREE LIGHTING – FRIDAY, 18 NOVEMBER

Marine Corps Community Services will kick off the holiday season with the Combat Center Tree Lighting from 1700 to 2100 on Friday, 18 November at the MCX parking lot (on the Fifth Street side, across from the Training Tank). This free event will consist of inflatables, activities, hot cocoa, a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus, food vendors, children’s entertainer Zak Morgan, a live DJ, the lighting of our 35-foot tree, and musical performance by Nashville recording artist Eric Paslay.

For questions and additional information, please contact [TNPspecialEvents@usmc-mccs.org](mailto:TNPspecialEvents@usmc-mccs.org) or visit <https://29palms.usmc-mccs.org>

### NON-FEDERAL ENTITY REGISTRATION FOR 2023

It is that time again for all existing private clubs and organizations (i.e., Non-Federal Entities, or NFEs) operating aboard the Combat Center to renew their NFE status. Examples of NFEs include Scouts, clubs such as spouse organizations and Petty Officer Associations, and Firefighters and Golf Associations. Organizations new in the area may also submit the required documents to begin operating and/or conducting fundraisers on Base.

30 November is the deadline for existing clubs to submit their renewal requests. New clubs for 2023 may submit their packets by 31 December. In accordance with CCO 5760.3, required documents include a request letter, statement of insurance (or insurance waiver request), constitution and by-laws, financial statement, roster of board members, and an events calendar.

To request templates for all required documents, send an email to [29PalmsMAC@usmc-mccs.org](mailto:29PalmsMAC@usmc-mccs.org)

Attention: MAC Operations Manager. Please include your name, organization's name, address, phone number, email address, and a brief description of your organization. For questions, please contact Vincent Moriarty, at 760-830-5584 or [Vincent.Moriarty@usmc-mccs.org](mailto:Vincent.Moriarty@usmc-mccs.org)

**- CENTER LOGISTICS DIVISION**

**- PUBLIC WORKS - NTR**

**- ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS - NTR**

**4. AC/S COMMUNICATIONS**

OPDIR 0247-21 and OPDIR 0480-21

Require users to submit for authorization in order to obtain write to removable media privileges. Initial processing of OPDIR 0247-21 and OPDIR 0480-21 requires all users who are currently utilizing write to removable media capabilities to be added to the 1st Network Battalion whitelist in order to maintain this ability. If your device has not been whitelisted, you will receive a McAfee Data Loss Prevention pop-up that states "You have plugged in an unauthorized removable storage device into a MCEN computer system.

Please contact your local ISSM for details." If the external storage device is not whitelisted, users will lose the ability to write to the device once the McAfee Data Loss Prevention policy is implemented. Contact your unit's Information Systems Coordinator (ISC) in order to initiate the whitelist waiver process.

**5. GOVERNMENT AND EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

JOHNSON VALLEY MANAGEMENT COMMENTS

Beginning Thursday, November 10th through Friday, December 9, 2022, the Resource Management Group will accept official comments on the management of the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area. Input received will be considered and Evaluated for incorporation into management plans.

To comment, email the Resource Management Group at: SMBPLMSJOHNSONVALLEY@usmc.mil. Please include "RMG Annual Comments" in the subject line of your email.

## **6. INSPECTOR GENERAL**

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## **10. ROBERT E. BUSH NAVAL HOSPITAL**

NEED A FLU SHOT?

Now available at the Naval Hospital and AMCC.

Flu shots are available at the Naval Hospital for all beneficiaries starting with an all-day open walk-in availability, 2 Nov 2022. If you are not available tomorrow, appointments may be scheduled at the Naval Hospital Immunization Clinic. To make an appointment, please call (760) 830-2654.

The AMCC will offer flu shots on a walk-in basis for service members.

### **COVID BOOSTER**

Naval Hospital Twentynine Palms is offering appointments for the Moderna and Pfizer pediatric COVID-19 vaccine BIVALENT BOOSTER to eligible pediatric TRICARE beneficiaries 5 years

through 17 years of age. These new vaccines are updated to target the Omicron variant. COVID-19 vaccines are available by appointment only.

To make an appointment, please call (760) 830-2654.

## **11. COMMISSARY**

### COMMISSARY WEBSITE

Customers can now download a mobile app to access the Defense Commissary Agency's (DeCA) website programs such as Commissary CLICK2GO online payment and curbside pickup, digital coupons, the sales flyer, dietitian-approved recipes and much more.

"We've tested our mobile app for several months and received good reviews on its ability to connect users with many of the agency's popular website programs," said Willie Watkins, the Defense Commissary Agency's director of eCommerce. "Now through these apps, our patrons have more convenience and flexibility when they use their commissary benefit."

Commissary CLICK2GO is now right at your fingertips with their new MOBILE APP!

Start shopping now by downloading -

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/commissary-click2go/id1605807066>

Google Play:

[https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.commissaryclick2go.commissaryclick2go.googleplay&hl=en\\_US&gl=US](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.commissaryclick2go.commissaryclick2go.googleplay&hl=en_US&gl=US)

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/photo?fbid=503865488441484&set=a.221848546643181>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CkqRb5MsN8V/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/YourCommissary/status/1589604103428112386/photo/1>

### HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Commissaries announce holiday shopping schedule Military commissaries will operate under a holiday schedule beginning the week of Thanksgiving and continuing through New Year's Day, the Defense



Commissary Agency (DeCA) announced. "We encourage our military community members to check their stores' schedules, plan their shopping trips on the installation for both commissaries and exchanges, and use their shopping benefit to save money over the holidays," said Robert J. Bunch, executive director of DeCA's Store Operations Group.

New, lower prices - Worldwide

Just in time for the holidays, commissary customers worldwide are now seeing new lower prices on popular items across store inventories to help them achieve at least 25 percent savings compared to off-post grocers.

### **Social Media Sites**

- Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/thecombatcenter>
- Instagram: @thecombatcenter
- Twitter: <https://twitter.com/combattcenterpao?lang=en>
- Official Website: <https://29palms.usmc-mccs.org>
- MCCS Website: <https://29palms.usmc-mccs.org>
- MCCS Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/#!/MCCS29Palms>
- MCCS Instagram: @mccs29palms
- MCCS YouTube: <https://bit.ly/youtubemccs29palms>
- MCCS Flickr photo sharing: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/mccs29palms/>
- MCCS Life in 29 Sign Up: <https://bit.ly/lifein29>
- Public Works: <https://www.facebook.com/PWD.MCAGCC>