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Note: Agency names and websites that appear in blue are hyperlinks. For additional information contact: Army Community Service Community Information Services at (254) 287-4471 or e-mail: <u>usarmy.cavazos.imcom-fmwrc.list.community-services-council@army.mil</u>



COME AND CONNECT AT THE **NEWCOMERS ORIENTATION**

Join Us Every Thursday for the Newcomers Orientation at The Lone Star Conference Center 9:00am - 1:00pm

YOU CAN ATTEND WITHOUT YOUR SOLDIER



with Free Onsite Child Care (8:30am - 1:00pm) Free Boxed Lunch

Information from 30+ On/Off-post Agencies Child & Youth Services, TRICARE, Housing, Employment Opportunities, and much more!

Commanding General/Garrison Remarks

Need more information? Contact Donna Tomsic at 254-287-0027 or usarmy.hood.usag.list.paio@army.mil





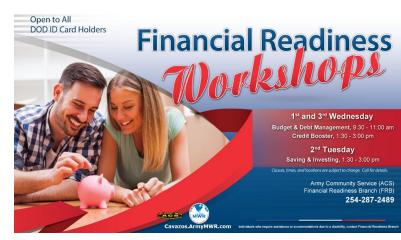
For more information and to register, call (254) 287-2327, 287-8657
Email: usarmy.cavazos.imcom-fmwrc.list.AVC@army.mil

HELPFUL ACS NUMBERS

ACS Volunteer Program / Army Volunteer Corps		
Army Emergency Relief (AER) / Emergency Financial Assistance	e 553 -3101	
Financial Readiness Branch / Consumer Affairs Financial Management Classes, Personal Financial Counselors	287-CITY (2489)	
Army Family Action Plan / Army Family Team Building	287-1127	
Employment Readiness Program / Job Search Assistance, Resume Writing, Career Skills	287-6067 288-2089 287-6070	
Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)		
Family Advocacy Program (FAP) / Relationship Enrichment, Preparing for Marriage, Common Sense Parenting, Car Seat Inspectio	286-6774 on 286-6775	
Family Assistance Center (FAC)	288-7570	
Military Family Life Counseling (MFLC)	553-4705	
Mobilization, Deployment & Stability Support Operations SFRG Training, Resilience Skills, Community Resource Course	288-2794	
New Parent Support Program / Infant Care, Play Mornings, Shak Baby, Daddy Bootcamp	^{en} 287-2286	
Soldier and Family Assistance Center	286-5768	
Survivor Outreach Services		
24/7 HOTLINES		
Commanding General (CG) Hotline 254, 618,74	86	

Commanding General (CG) Hotline	254. 618.7486		
Reporting Domestic Violence or Child Abuse	254. 287.CARE (2273) National 800. 422.4453		
Assistance for Victims of Domestic Violence	254. 702.4953 National 800. 799.7233		
Suicide Prevention	National 800. 273.8255 or Dial 988		
Sexual Harassment / Sexual Assault (SHARP)	254. 319.4671 National 877. 995.5247		
EO and Harassment Hotline	254. 291.5717		
Veterans Crisis Line	National 800. 273.8255 (press 1)		
Housing / Barracks Life / Health / Safety Hotline	254. 206.1157		
Duty Chaplain Hotline	254. 289.2531		
ACS Locations			

-Bldg. 36000 - Shoemaker Center, 2nd Floor, Shoemaker Lane .Bldg. 36051 - Soldier and Family Assistance Center





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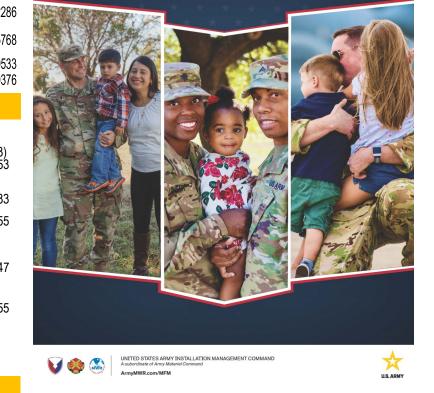
Real-Life Solutions for Successful Army Living

TRAINING AND OUTREACH INITIATIVES

NOVEMBER 2023

MILITARY FAMILY MONTH

Celebrating the Strength of our Families



Your Connection to Community Information

287-4ACS (4227)

https://Cavazos.Armymwr.com www.armyfamilywebportal.com www.militaryonesource.mil 1-800-342-9647





TRAINING AND OUTREACH









Information Sheet

We are a faith-based, non-profit 501C3 organization, now in our **36th** year. The Food Care Center was founded in 1987 by a collaborative effort between the local 1st Baptist Church and St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Our mission is "standing in the gap created by hunger."

We have no qualifying criteria; when people say they are hungry and need food, we provide it—and always at no cost. We provide 35-40 pounds of food per client visit which equates to enough food for 30 meals or 10 days of food. Clients can get assistance once each month and we never charge our clients for groceries.

In FY '22, we provided groceries for over 93,000 clients(all-time record), distributing over 2,600,000 pounds of food. We continue to see increased need for groceries during these uncertain times brought on by inflation and supply chain issues. We will serve over 100,000 people in need in FY2023 for the first time in our 36 year history.

20% of our clients are military related (active duty and/or retired/veteran). 20% of our clients are children. 20% of our clients are seniors.

We belong to the community as we are funded by individual, local business, church, and service organization donations and we're fueled by local volunteers.

We have only 6 paid staff and 100+ volunteers who work well over 1,200 volunteer hours each month.

We can provide one meal for the cost of 17 cents. So, for each \$1 donation we can buy 6 meals. Our fundraising and administrative costs are less than 5% of our total budget.

Our hours of operation are 9:00AM – 1:00PM, Tuesday through Friday, and 4:00PM -6:00PM on the first and third Fridays of each month.

Please call (254)554-3400 with any questions or comments. Our web site is www.foodcare.org and our e-mail is: <u>foodcare@embarqmail.com</u>. Donations can be made at our website at www.foodcare.org or by check sent to P.O. Box 1656, Killeen, TX 76540-1656. You may also review photographs and stories celebrating supporters, volunteers, and clients on our Food Care Center Facebook page.



Killeen, Texas 76540-1656 "standing in the gap created by hunger"

- Q: Where is the Food Care Center located?
 A: The Food Care Center's physical address is 210 N. 16th Street; it is located to the east of downtown Killeen, three blocks behind the post office on 10th Street.
- Q: What are the hours of operation for the Food Care Center?
 A: The Food Care Center is open to clients from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm, Tuesdays through Fridays and 4:00 pm 6:00 pm on the first and third Fridays of the month.
- Q: How do clients qualify to receive groceries from the Food Care Center?
 A: There is no qualification required. and never any cost for groceries. This is a faith-based ministry; those who need food will receive food. New clients need to bring with them their photo ID and income information (if applicable). Demographic information is collected from clients to be used in completing grants and providing reports, not for qualification purposes at all. We NEVER charge anyone for groceries.
- Q: How often can clients come to the Food Care Center?A: Clients may come once each month. They do not have to wait 30 days to return; they just need to wait until another month begins.
- Q: What types of groceries are provided at the Food Care Center?
 A: Clients will shop in four different food areas: packaged and canned goods, bread and bakery, meat and dairy, and fruits and vegetables. In each area a volunteer will assist the client in selecting food, based on the following considerations: quantities of each food item available that day, size of the household, and ages of the household members. Each client receives approximately 35-40 pounds of groceries per visit.
- **Q**: How may I reach the Food Care Center to ask questions not addressed within this FAQ?

A: Please feel free to call the Food Care Center at 254.554.3400. We have a recording designed to answer questions. We answer the telephone between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm, Tuesday through Friday, when the workload allows us to do that. Our e-mail address is <u>foodcare@embarqmail.com</u> and our website is: www.foodcare.org



NOVEMBER 11 9am - 6pm KILLEEN CIVIC CENTER 3601 S. WS Young Drive, Killeen TX, 76542 NOVEMBER 12 10am - 4pm

Please join Fort Cavazos Spouses' Club for our Winter Wonderland shopping extravaganza!

Day Ticket, 12 years old and up: \$8 Weekend pass, 12 years old and up: \$10

Please use the QR code or head to FortCavazosSpousesClub.org/vendor-holiday-bazaar to review our vendor contract, prices, and policies. Reach out to vendorcoordinator@fortcavazosspousesclub.org with any questions.

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LONE STAR CONFERENCE CENTER

SADDLE UP IN YOUR BEST 90S COUNTRY GETUP FOR A FUN CASINO NIGHT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND COMMUNITY GRANTS.



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INTERESTED IN GIVING BACK TO FORT CAVAZOS AND THE SURROUNDING COMMUNITY?

The Fort Cavazos Spouses' Club promotes the morale and welfare of soldiers, families, and our community by hosting various events throughout the year.

Membership costs: E1-E5: \$20.00 E6-up, and retirees: \$30.00



See our Facebook page or our website for more information, or open the QR code to join today!

WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/FCSPOUSESCLUB FHSC.WILDAPRICOT.ORG