



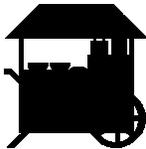
A.Co. 1/16 INF Family Support Group Newsletter

April Events

- 17 – Junction City Community Fair
- 20 – Puppet Show for Children and Families Manhattan Library
- 20 - Geary County Tea
- 24 – FT. Riley Main Exchange Fair
- 29 – Protocol & Etiquette Refresher Course
- 30 – Cinderella Marionette Show

May Events

- 1 - Post Wide Yard Sale
- 1 – A.Co. FRG Yard Sale
- 15 – Commissary Case Lot Sale
- 18 – Red Cross Blood Drive



JUNCTION CITY COMMUNITY FAIR

Junction City held it's annual community fair on April 17th at the Junction City Municipal Building. Many agencies throughout the community had informational booths. There was free food, drinks, entertainment and door prizes!



MANHATTAN LIBRARY PUPPET SHOW

The Manhattan Library hosted a puppet show on April 20th at the Manhattan Public Library Auditorium. It featured The Missing Piece, The Gingerbread Man, The Snow Lion, and In The Rain With Baby Duck. The event was sponsored by the Heartland Association for the Education of Young Children.



GEARY COUNTY SPRING TEA

The Geary County Educational Unit invited Ft. Riley military service and family members to their annual Spring Tea. This year's featured speaker was Connie Hoch who released her alter ego to clown around with audiences. She uses clowning and laughter as a means of handling stress in everyday life. She coached participants on ways to share laughter and pass along positive thinking. The Spring Tea was held April 20th at the 4-H/Sr. Citizens Center in Junction City.



FT. RILEY MAIN EXCHANGE FAIR

The Family Advocacy and Child Youth Services will be hosting a variety of activities on April 24th from 11:00am – 3:00pm at the Main PX parking lot where Fun-Time Amusements will provide entertainment for the kids. There will be:

- Information booths inside PX lobby area
- Free Blues Clues inflatable
- Free Royal train rides
- Free colossal slide

PROTOCOL AND ETIQUETTE REFRESHER COURSE

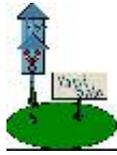
The Enlisted Spouses Club is sponsoring a Protocol and Etiquette Refresher Course on Thursday, April 29th at the Soldier and Family Support Center from 9:30am – 2:30pm. This course is designed for new military spouses as well as those who just feel they need a refresher on the finer points of etiquette. Reservations must be made by April 21st. Space is limited so call early for reservations. Lunch will be provided for this event. Limited childcare slots are available at the Family Readiness Center and CDC hourly room. For reservations, please call 784-3191.



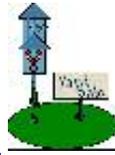
CINDERELLA MARIONETTE SHOW



The Ft. Riley Family Advocacy Program is sponsoring the Cinderella Marionette Show on Friday, April 30th from 5:00pm – 7:00pm at Rally Point, Bldg 2600, Trooper Dr. For more information, call 239-9435.



POST WIDE YARD SALE



Ft. Riley will be holding its Post Wide Yard Sale on May 1st from 8:00am – 4:00pm. Participating homes do not have to register for this sale. Please call (785) 239-9435 for more information.

A. CO. FRG YARD SALE

A. Co. FRG will be holding it's own Yard Sale on May 1st from 8:00am – 3:00pm at 417 S. Adams St. in Junction City. Proceeds will go towards a nice homecoming for the guys. Any donated items can be brought to 417 S. Adams on Friday, April 30th between 12:00pm and 6:00pm. Items accepted are:

- Baby and toddler clothes up to 4T
- Household items
- Games and toys

Everyone must mark their own items before dropping them off. Any leftover items will be given to one of the thrift shops in town. There is a fenced in backyard for the kids to play. Please bring your own snacks if you are working.

COMMISSARY CASE LOT SALE

The commissary will be holding their case lot sale on Saturday, May 15th and Sunday May 16th. Go to the Ft. Riley website to keep up with more info on the sale.
(<http://www.riley.army.mil/Services/Fort/Commissary.asp>)



American
Red Cross

Together, we can save a life

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



The American Red Cross will be holding their blood drive on May 18th 11:00am – 5:00pm and May 19th from 9:00am – 3:00pm at the King Field House, Main Post bldg 202. Walk ins are welcomed and appointments can be made by calling the American Red Cross at 785-239-1887 or dropping by bldg 7264 Normandy Dr.