

# ★ LONE STAR PULSE ★

**TF WEST**



**19 SEP 2024**



## #Operation LoneStar

TXARNG Soldiers are enhancing their capabilities along the Texas border with the deployment of the Modular Mobile Surveillance System. (M2S2). The M2S2 is an all-terrain truck with which operates under the cover of night, thanks to its low-light, high-definition camera, infrared camera and radar.



EL PASO, Texas – Texas National Guard Engineers, along with partner agencies, reinforce anti-climb barriers along the Rio Grande River to prevent illegal border crossings.



**Fort Bliss Oktoberfest**  
 Sept 20-21 (Adults Only), Sept 22 (All Ages)

[CLICK HERE FOR TICKETS AND MORE INFO](#)



**Horizon City Wine Festival**  
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<https://t.co/hllnYld9Ak>

**Upcoming Event: [TXARNG Single Soldier Event](#)** in San Antonio, TX 20-22 September 2024 open for registration. Venue is TBD. Deadline for registration is 9/4/2024.

Program covers 5 meals, lodging, and parking. This event is a MUTA 6 for anyone that has approval to attend ILO Drill. The SM will need to cover incidental fees, and Saturday Dinner. There will not be childcare at this event.



**CHUCO TOWN Comedy Festival**  
[CLICK HERE FOR TICKETS AND MORE INFO](#)



Thu 19	Fri 20	Sat 21	Sun 22	Mon 23	Tue 24
96° 72°	95° 71°	91° 65°	89° 65°	91° 70°	86° 66°

**7 day forecast in your area**

**PAY DATES FY24**

TASK FORCE	Period	Days	Date Paid
TF EAST	28 Jun – 29 Jul	31	6-7 Aug
TF WEST	29 Jun – 30 Jul	31	
TXSG	30 Jun – 31 Jul	31	
	30 Jul – 31 Aug	33	6-9 Sep
	31 Jul – 31 Aug	32	
	1 Aug – 31 Aug	31	



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## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

[The Weekly Reset, pt 1 of 2](#) By: Chaplin McKay

The American way of life does violence to our souls...speed, accomplishments, productivity, perpetual stress, connectedness, efficiency, activity with a constant background noise of information and entertainment. We are seldom at rest.

I believe one of the simplest and hardest things we can do to replenish our body, soul and spirit is to practice the habit of weekly sabbath. Most major religions emphasize the need to withdraw weekly to reconnect with life's most important priorities.

Keeping the sabbath is getting into a sustainable rhythm of life. All around us are rhythms – circadian, seasons, hormonal, daily earth rotation of sunset, moonrise, etc. Many scientists believe we are to live in rhythmic awareness – to work and then rest, to be engrossed and then detached, be in and then step out. We can live without our inner rhythm – always going, always on, always available – but remember that no living thing lives like that.

## NEWS UPDATE

[82nd Airborne paratrooper's training death under investigation | ArmyTimes.com](#)

[Nuclear war in space: officials consider defense in orbit | ArmyTimes.com](#)

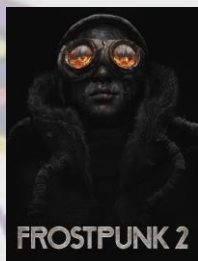
[US military completes withdrawal from Niger | MilitaryTimes.com](#)

[Military influencers could help fight disinformation, experts argue | MilitaryTimes.com](#)

[Coast Guard meets Russian naval vessels in US waters off Alaska coast | Stripes.com](#)

STARS AND STRIPES  
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## Upcoming Releases



### Frostpunk 2

**Platform:**

PC

**Genre:** Survival, Strategy & City-builder

**Release Date:** September 20, 2024



### The Karate Kid: Street Rumble

**Platform:** Playstation 4|5, Xbox One

Xbox Series X/S & Switch

**Genre:** Racing

**Release Date:** September 20, 2024

### God Of War: Ragnarok

**Platform:** PC

**Genre:** Action & Adventure

**Release Date:** September 19, 2024

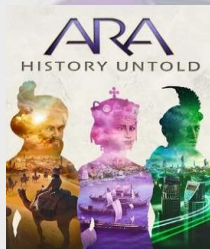


### ARA: History Untold

**Platform:** PC

**Genre:** Turn-based Strategy

**Release date:** September 24, 2024



### GreedFall II: The Dying World

**Platform:** PC

**Genre:** Action & Adventure

**Release Date:** September 24, 2024

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