

# ★ LONE STAR PULSE ★

TF BDE CENTER



8 FEB 2024

**WHO:** All TMD Soldiers/Airmen

**WHAT:** UPAR Recruiting Event in support of OLS

**WHERE:** Multiple locations across the Texas border.

**WHEN:** As soon as possible (Apply today)

**WHY:** To identify qualified Soldiers/Airmen capable of supporting the UPAR mission and increasing quality content in support of the PAO mission.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Currently Open to all MOS and AFSCs.

**HELP US TELL THE STORY OF  
OPERATION LONE STAR  
BECOME A UPAR PHOTOGRAPHER**

**WHAT WE DO**

- Provide images and articles in support of Operation Lone Star
- Document and tell the Task Force story and events
- Recommend items of interest for coverage (STREP)
- Publish unit participation in community projects or activities
- Serve as the Public Affairs point of contact for the OLS PAO
- Keep the Commander advised of activities

**WHO WE ARE**

Soldiers and Airmen Unit Public Affairs Representatives (UPARs) are non-Public Affairs (PA) Soldiers identified to increase PA capability across a Task Force. PA elements achieve the Commander's requirement to educate and inform audiences about operations. TF UPAR products are subject to normal PA editing and release procedures.

**JOIN THE TEAM.  
PREFERRED SKILLS:**

- General understanding and use of camera and news writing
- Motivated to work independently and meet deadlines.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION SCAN QR CODE TO JOIN THE TEAM

## Puro Emo Presents: Emo Night at The Cold Brew

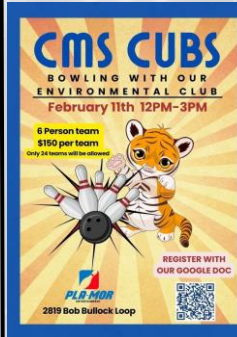


**Date:** Sat, Feb 10, 9 PM – Sun, Feb 11, 2 AM

**Location:** The Cold Brew Rock Bar 920 Iturbide St Suite A, Laredo, TX

[We're going to be celebrating 3 Years of partying with you all in Laredo!!](#)

## CMS Environmental Club Bowling Tournament



**Date:** Sun, Feb 11, 12 – 3 PM

**Location:** Pla-Mor Entertainment 2819 Bob Bullock Loop, Laredo, TX

The Christen Environmental Club will be having their last fundraiser for the year. The tournament will consist of 6 player teams, \$25 per person/\$150 per...[Read more on AllEvents.in](#)

## Ladies, Join The Black Women Things Community!

Black Women Things™ is a community that provides a safe space for women to have fun and meaningful discussions, network, connect, and walk away empowered and proactive! Experts and professionals...[Read more on Eventbrite](#)



Check the link for location events times and location.

Use this link to volunteer:

<https://tmd.texas.gov/upar-recruiting>



Sun 11	Mon 12	Tue 13	Wed 14	Thu 15	Fri 16
81° 48°	66° 44°	69° 54°	72° 62°	67° 54°	56° 49°

**7 day forecast  
in your area**

### PAY DATES FY24

TASK FORCE	Period	Days	Date Paid	Period	Days	Date Paid
TF CENTER	28 Dec – 28 Jan	32	6-7 Feb	29 Jan – 27 Feb	30	6-7 Mar
TF EAGLE	29 Dec – 29 Jan	32		30 Jan – 28 Feb	30	
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OLS Rally Point



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**Date:** Sat, Feb 10, 7 – 9 PM  
**Location:** BT.Church - McAllen Campus 2001 Trenton Rd, McAllen, TX

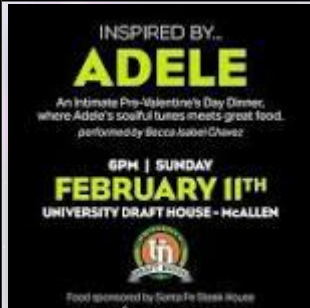
Jeff Allen combines clean, hilarious humor like no other comedian working today. He regularly appears on Dry Bar Comedy, Netflix, Amazon, Huckabee, Pureflix, Showtime, Comedy Central, VH1, and...[Read more on BT.Church](#)

## Jam Session



**Date:** Fri, Feb 9, 1 – 3 PM  
**Location:** Bentsen Palm RV Park 3501 N Bentsen Palm Dr, Mission, TX

Enjoy an afternoon of music. Bring your instrument or just come to listen.[Read more on Welcome Home RGV](#)



**Date:** Sun, Feb 11, 6 PM

**Location:** University Draft House Townlake McAllen 100 Hwy 83, McAllen, TX

Get your ticket now before we sell out to this limited seating engagement! Get your ticket for a four-course meal provided by Santa Fe Cantina while you enjoy live tunes by Adele interpreted by...[Read more on AllEvents.in](#)

## Circus Vazquez



**Date:** Sat, Feb 10, 10 – 11 PM

**Location:** 801 W Expy 83, Donna, TX

Buy Circus Vazquez tickets now to see the circus live and in-person on Sat, Feb 10, 2024 1:00 pm at Circo Hermanos Vazquez - Donna in Donna, TX.[Read more on TicketSmarter](#)



## Liverpool Legends "Beatles Experience"

**Date:** Fri, Feb 9, 8 PM – Sat, Feb 10, 12 AM

**Location:** McAllen Performing Arts Center 801 Convention Center Blvd, McAllen, TX

Liverpool Legends are four incredibly talented musicians/actors put together by Louise Harrison, sister of the late George Harrison, to honor her brother's legacy...[Read more on McAllen Convention Center](#)

## Matt Castillo



**Date:** Sat, Feb 10, 9:00 AM – 11:30 PM

**Location:** Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show Grounds 1000 N Texas Ave, Mercedes, TX

Be the first to get all the important details on FM 100 KTEX - The Rio

Grande Valley is KTEX Country only on FM 100 KTEX [Read more on FM 100 KTEX](#)



**7 day forecast in your area**

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## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

The Lord is my strength and my shield; My heart trusts in Him, and I am helped; therefore my heart exults, And with my song I shall thank Him." Psalms 28:7 We have so much to be grateful for in this life, every single day. But reality is that sometimes constant life demands, battles, and worries give more room to defeat than to a heart of thanks. Or we forget, in the midst of busyness and pressures, just to pause and give thanks for all that God has done and continues to do in our lives. Sometimes it really is a sacrifice to offer praise and thanks. We may not feel like it. We're struggling. We're weary. Or maybe, we feel like He let us down. We think God seems distant, like he's far away, or doesn't really care about what's troubling us. Painful life blows and losses might have recently sent us spiraling. But here's what can make a lasting difference. We have a choice, every day, to give him thanks. And with a heart of thanksgiving, we realize that no matter what we face, God doesn't just work to change our situations and help us through our problems. He does more. He changes our hearts. His power, through hearts of gratitude and focused minds on Him, releases the grip our struggles have over us. We're strengthened by His peace, refueled by His joy. No matter what our current situation, or the struggles we may be facing, give thanks to God.

## NEWS UPDATE

[Army picks deploying units to test electronic, cyber and drone warfare | Armytimes.com](#)

[US Army hunts for explosives to meet increased munitions output goals | Armytimes.com](#)

[New Tricare contracts to start next January, promising better care | Armytimes.com](#)

[Iran-backed attacks in Middle East continue after dozens of US strikes | Armytimes.com](#)

[After Jordan attack, Pentagon weighs options to bolster base security | Armytimes.com](#)

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## Upcoming Releases



**Resident Evil 4 Gold**  
Platform: PC, PS5, Xbox  
Genre: Action  
Release Date: Feb 9, 2024



**PlateUp!**  
Platform: PS4|5, Xbox, Switch  
Genre: Simulation  
Release Date: Feb 15, 2024

**Helldivers II**  
Platform: PS5 & PC  
Genre: Shooter  
Release Date: Feb 8, 2024



**Banishers: Ghosts of New Eden**  
Platform: PS5, Xbox & PC  
Genre: Role-Playing  
Release date: Feb 13, 2024



**GAMEINFORMER**  
[2024 release dates](#)



**Tomb Raider 1-3 Remastered**  
Platform: PS4|5, Xbox, Switch, PC  
Genre: Action  
Release Date: Feb 14, 2024

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