

TONE STAR PULSES







**17 OCT 2024** 

# CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

#### Reducing Anxiety in Your Life - pt.3

In the previous two newsletters, I said you can better manage the stress in your life by acknowledging the source of anxiety and reducing the unconscious sources of anxiety. The third thing you can do is: Engage your spirituality. Taking time to engage with the Eternal and the bigger purposes of life helps to reframe my world in its proper context. This may include spiritual practices like attending Mass or deep meditation. One practical thing I do is when I take a short work break, I consciously disconnect from people and technology and re-engage with God in quiet contemplation in nature. This settles me so that I can step back into the workflow with a clearer and less anxious perspective.

These three practices address the body, soul and spirit and have proven to be an enormous benefit to those who do them.

- Chaplain Scott McKay -

Russian sabotage is escalating risk of greater conflict in Europe, Army's Williams says | Stripes.com

Pentagon restores honor to more than 800 LGBTQ+ veterans after 'don't ask, don't tell' discharge review | Stripes.com

Training changes on the horizon for Army Guardsmen | Armytimes.com

Russia casualties reach 600,000 during war in Ukraine, Pentagon says | Armytimes.com

STARS STRIPES. **ArmyTimes MilitaryTimes** 

#### Upcoming Releases













Fear the Spotlight Platform:

PlayStation 4|5 & PC

Genre: Indie Horror Release Date: October 22, 2024



The Road Ahead Platform: PC, Playstaion 5, Xbox Series X/S Genre: Horror

Release Date: October 17, 2024



Yakuza Kiwami Platform: Nintendo Switch

Genre: Fighting & Adventure Release date: October 24, 2024



Super Mario Party Jamboree Platform: Nintendo Switch Genre: Party Game, Platformer, Puzzle & Racing Release Date: October 17, 2024





Slav the Princess: **The Pristine Cut** Platform: Playstation 4|5, Xbox One, Xbox

Series X/S, Nintendo Switch & PC

Genre: Adventure &

**RPG** Release Date: October 8, 2024

The Internal Communications Team needs your feedback. Please let us know what you would like to see. We can be reached at: ng.tx.txarng.list.ols-info@army.mil



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TF EAST









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#### **VOTETEXAS.GOV** POWERED BY THE TEXAS SECRETARY OF STATE

NOV:5:

25 OCT

**Mail Ballot Application Deadline** 

21 OCT

**Early Voting Begins** 

1NOV

**Early Voting Ends** 

TRACK MY BALLOT

AM I REGISTERED? **REGISTER TO VOTE** WHAT'S ON THE BALLOT? VOTER ID WHERE'S MY POLLING PLACE? APPLICATION **FOR BALLOT BY MAIL** 







#### Fiesta De Palmas McAllen Convention Center

From October 18th – October 20th, Fiesta de Palmas returns to the McAllen with 3 days of live music, entertainment, cultural festivities, fireworks, and more! Click to Learn More: Fiesta De Palmas at McAllen Convention Center | Explore McAllen



Cristela Alonzo October 19 @ 7:00 pm Learn more by clicking on the **URL:** Cristela Alonzo in McAllen | McAllen Performing **Arts Center** (experiencemcallen



Date and Time Sat Oct 19, 2024 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Location CCC Weslaco - Calvary Christian Center Weslaco 3616 E **Business 83** FREE Community Event Click: Fall Fest -Calvary Christian Center - Oct 19, 2024 (weslaco.com)

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## 7 day forecast in your area

PAY DATES FY24							
TASK FORCE	Period	Days	Date Paid		Period	Days	Date Paid
TF EAST	1 Sep – 28 Sep	28			29 Sep – 29 Oct	31	
TF WEST	1 Sep – 29 Sep	29	4-7 Oct		30 Sep – 30 Oct	31	6-7 Nov
TXSG	1 Sen – 30 Sen	30	1		1 Oct – 31 Oct	31	



# Registered to vote?

Check your registration and update your name or address at <a href="VoteTexas.gov">VoteTexas.gov</a> (<a href="https://www.votetexas.gov/">https://www.votetexas.gov/</a>).

# Make Plans to Vote by Mail or In Person Today

### **Vote by Mail**

- Application for a Ballot by Mail (ABBM) Available to all Texans – Apply before October 25, 2024.
- Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) Available to members of TXARNG and TXANG

#### **Vote in Person**

### **Early Voting (October 21st through November 1st)**

 Any registered voter may vote early in person. You may vote at any early voting locations in your county of registration.

### **Voting on Election Day (November 5, 2024)**

Many newspapers publish Election Day polling locations.
Election Day voting hours are 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at all polling places statewide.

For questions regarding polling places, always consult your County Elections Office

(https://www.sos.state.tx.us/elections/voter/county.shtml)