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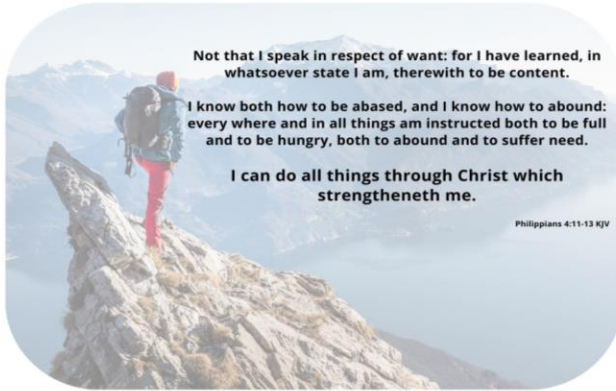
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12 December 2024

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STARS AND STRIPES
ArmyTimes MilitaryTimes

Upcoming Releases



New video game releases for 2024

Here's a look at what the year has in store for upcoming games coming to Nintendo Switch, PlayStation 5, Windows PC, Xbox Series X, and other current gaming platforms. [Click here](#)



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W2 Distribution Process

SMs supporting OLS, current and former, can receive their calendar year 2024 W2 in one of three ways:

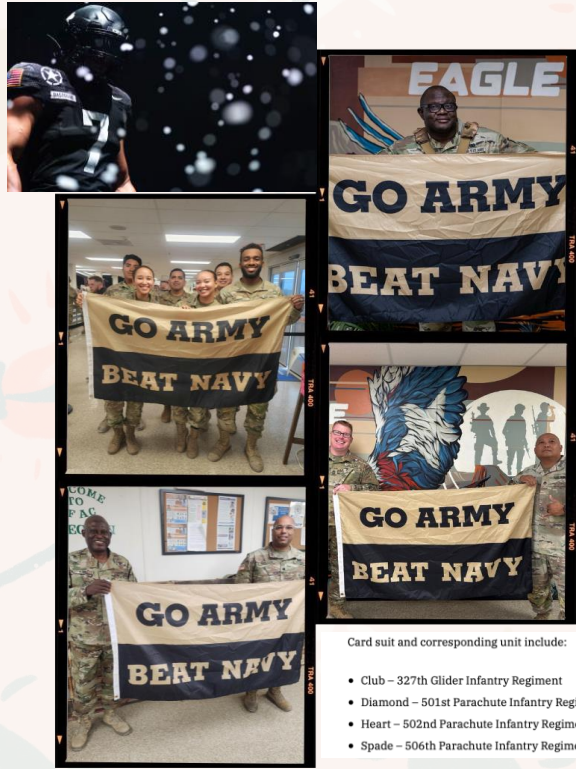
3.b.3.a.1.a. Mail. W2s will be mailed out with a postmark date NLT 31JAN25 to the mailing address listed in CAPPs, which is also populated on each SMs earning statement.

Laserfiche. SMs can access their W2 via their Laserfiche account (now available through AVD). If a SM needs access to Laserfiche they will contact their S1 or the Laserfiche DISTRO at ng.tx.txarnng.list.ols-jfhq-j1-pay-section@army.mil.

This Saturday, the 125th edition of the Army-Navy game will be played at Northwest Stadium in Landover, Maryland, a contest steeped in rich tradition and fierce rivalry both on and off the field. Soldiers stationed and deployed across the globe will undoubtedly be heard shouting, "GO ARMY, BEAT NAVY!"

For the soldiers at FOB Eagle in Eagle Pass, this marks the base's first Army-Navy game. So, in the spirit of tradition, they proudly contributed to the legacy of this long-standing rivalry by adding their own chapter to the storied history of this iconic event. Their enthusiasm and commitment reflect the camaraderie and pride that define the Army-Navy tradition.

"GO ARMY, BEAT NAVY!"



Card suit and corresponding unit include:

- Club - 327th Glider Infantry Regiment
- Diamond - 501st Parachute Infantry Regiment
- Heart - 502nd Parachute Infantry Regiment
- Spade - 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment

National Wreaths Across America Day!

National Wreaths Across America Day is an event held every December. During this day, millions of volunteers unite to place sponsored veterans' wreaths at the final resting place of millions of service members in thousands of participating locations across the U.S. and abroad. These wreaths are delivered through the generosity of hundreds of volunteer truck drivers and their companies and are sponsored by individuals and businesses. This year, National Wreaths Across America Day will be held on Saturday, December 14, 2024.

How You Can Support Our Mission

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How to Volunteer to place wreaths/Find a Cemetery near you that participates

Website: <https://www.wreathscrossamerica.org/>



Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
70° 61°	78° 67°	80° 67°	82° 69°	81° 63°	73° 59°	71° 57°

7 day forecast in your area

OLS Rally Point

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SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN!
A Holiday Meet and Greet with Santa Claus Himself!
DECEMBER 16TH
1100-1300 IN THE DFAC
SANTA CLAUS WILL BE AT OUR DFAC DURING LUNCH TIME FOR SOME PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES. STOP BY AND GET A PICTURE WITH SANTA!
TEAM HOUSING SOLUTIONS

Christmas MOVIE NIGHT
December 7, 14, 21, 28
AT 8:00 PM
DFAC
EVERY SATURDAY

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**COOTERS PUB
EAGLE PASS, TEXAS
HAYWIRE**
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 2024
9:00PM TILL 12:00AM

Haywire @ Cooters Pub, Eagle Pass

Sat, 14 Dec, 2024 at 10:00 pm to Sun, 15 Dec, 2024 at 01:30 am
Location
Cooters Pub, 303 Main St, Eagle Pass, TX [Click](#)

TEAM HOUSING SOLUTIONS
CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING
12 DEC 2024 1930
FOB EAGLE PAVILION



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Tricare



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WHO: All Tricare Beneficiaries that live in Texas

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WHAT: January 1st 2025, Texas, Illinois, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Wisconsin will transition from TRICARE East to TRICARE West.

To ensure you receive the most up to date and current information and prevent lapses in your current TRICARE coverage:

1. Log in to ID Card Office Online (osd.mil) to update your Profile and update Dependent Profiles.

[ID Card Office Online](#)

<p>ID Card Office Locator & Appointments</p> <p>Find a RAPIDS ID Card Office</p> <p>Make an Appointment</p> <p>More Info</p> <p>CONTINUE</p>	<p>Common Access Card</p> <p>Update Email Address</p> <p>Add Joint Data Model Applet</p> <p>Extend Academy Student Certificate</p> <p>More Info</p> <p>For CAC Issuance/Renewal select ID Card Office Locator & Appointments</p> <p>CONTINUE</p>	<p>Family ID Cards</p> <p>View Sponsor/Family ID Card</p> <p>Nominate Family Member</p> <p>Request Family Member ID Card</p> <p>Online USID Card Renewal</p> <p>Print Family List</p> <p>More Info</p> <p>CONTINUE</p>	<p>My Profile</p> <p>Update Contact Information</p> <p>Update GAL Information</p> <p>Opt-In TSA PreCheck (DoD Civilians Only)</p> <p>More Info</p> <p>CONTINUE</p>
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[DS Logon – DMDC](#)

2. Log into the Beneficiary Web Enrollment (BWE) milConnect - BWE (osd.mil) to ensure healthcare coverage is correct.

[milConnect - FAQ](#)

[Find a TRICARE Plan | TRICARE](#)

3. Starting in early November you should create an account on the TriWest patient portal.

4. To ensure you can make your payments to TriWest (if applicable), update your payment information (Note: If you pay by allotment, you do not need to do this. Allotment payments will transfer automatically).

5. Search for providers in the new TriWest provider network directory on the patient portal.