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Logistics leaders examine National Guard sustainment challenges

DES MOINES, Iowa -- The Army's senior logistician, Gen. Gus Perna, placed the burden of readiness on commanders as he addressed nearly 300 National Guard Soldiers tied to Army sustainment efforts Sept. 23 at the inaugural National Guard Sustainment Commander's Conference, while encouraging the sustainment leaders to become multifunctional logisticians who understand their place in the fight.



Bigger, better, greener: Army Civilians train like Soldiers

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. -- The U.S. Army Communications-Electronics Research, Development and Engineering Center partnered with the U.S. Army Test and Evaluation Command and the U.S. Army Communications Electronics Command to host the second annual Team APG Greening Course, where new Army Civilians spent a week gaining a greater appreciation for the rigors and challenges of their greatest customer: the Soldier.



Utah contracting experts support unique mission

DUGWAY PROVING GROUND, Utah -- Every time a bell rings at the Mission and Installation Contracting Command-Dugway Proving Ground office, acquisition personnel automatically know a contract has been awarded, an indication its organizations are ready to carry out the mission of supporting one of the nation's major range and test facility bases that provides chemical, biological and nuclear readiness capability for our nation's Soldiers and civilians.



Unveiling ceremony for Gold Star Families Memorial Monument

BAY CITY, Mich. -- On Sept. 30, an unveiling ceremony was held for Michigan's first Gold Star Families Memorial Monument at Battery Park in Bay City, where U.S. Army Tank-automotive and Armaments Command Commanding General Maj. Gen. Clark LeMasters and retired Army Lt. Col. Charles Kettles, Medal of Honor recipient, served as two of the guest speakers.



Black Hawk opportunities make for rewarding Army career

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- Chief Warrant Officer 5 Leon Cardona, Aviation Branch Maintenance Officer at the Aviation and Missile Command, is scheduled to retire Oct. 19, 34 years to the day since he enlisted in the delayed entry program as an aircraft mechanic.



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AMCOM HHC commander runs with roots deep in Huntsville community

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- When Capt. Quinton Watkins runs in the Association of the U.S. Army Ten-Miler race Sunday, he will be representing not only Team Redstone and the Aviation and Missile Command, but also the running community in Huntsville and North Alabama.

Contracting a critical element of recovery at Fort Buchanan

JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO-FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas -- As military and civic leaders make headway in assessing the destruction in the wake of Hurricane Maria on Fort Buchanan and the island of Puerto Rico, six members of the command assigned there continue to sift through what's left of their personal belongings and reassemble their lives at home and work.

Intern looks inside depot maintenance, initiatives, operations

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- The supply chain process, and its impact on the U.S. Army Aviation and Missile Command's maintenance and sustainment mission, were the focus of a two-day tour of Corpus Christi Army Depot facilities taken by Department of the Army and local Pathways interns working for AMCOM's Logistics Center at Redstone Arsenal.

Laboratory partnerships advance Army research

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. -- The U.S. Army Research Laboratory and the biological effects division of the U.S. Air Force Research Laboratory met at the Tri-Service Research Laboratory on Joint Base San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to discuss joint capabilities that better support Army research and learn more about its unique capabilities, which include tissue culture laboratories, microbiology laboratories and a proteomic laboratory.

<u>Corpus Christi Army Depot is Nation's Readiness Insurance</u> <u>Policy at Aviation Forum</u>

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas -- Hurricanes could not stop the largest U.S. Army aviation convention in South Texas from returning for its 13th year to feature the Corpus Christi Army Depot at the American Bank Center, Oct. 4-5.

Fort Bragg contracting Soldiers support hurricane recovery

FORT BRAGG, N.C. -- Soldiers from the 900th Contracting Battalion at Fort Bragg were recently activated to support more than 300 active-duty forces from the 82nd Airborne Division and 3rd Expeditionary Sustainment Command in support of Hurricane Irma disaster relief efforts.



At the ready: Uncertain tasks aim to rattle well-trained Soldiers at Best
Warrior

U.S. Army veteran cycles to recovery, runs to gold at Invictus Games

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