



# EYE ON AMC



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## Prepositioned equipment site officially opens in Netherlands

EYGELSHOVEN, Netherlands -- U.S. and Dutch military and diplomatic leaders cut a ribbon to officially open the Army Prepositioned Stocks site in the Netherlands Dec. 15, which will store and service about 1,600 U.S. Army vehicles.



## Army Security Assistance Enterprise sees growing sales in 2016

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- The U.S. Army Security Assistance Command closed fiscal 2016 with \$14.8 billion in new business, making it yet another successful year in foreign military sales. The command, which develops and manages the Army's security assistance programs and FMS, is currently managing more than 5,722 FMS cases valued at \$175.9 billion in 147 countries.



## Contracting brigades transfer ECC-Afghanistan authority

JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO-FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas -- Authority for Expeditionary Contracting Command-Afghanistan transferred from the 419th Contracting Support Brigade to the 410th CSB during a Dec. 3 ceremony at Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan.



## JMC Senior Leaders inspire and motivate Littles at Big Brothers Big Sisters Career

ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, Ill. -- Brig. Gen. Richard B. Dix, commander, Joint Munitions Command, was joined by other command leaders -- Command Sgt. Maj. Walton Jones and Melanie Johnson, deputy commander, as they explained how they made a plan for their lives and shaped their careers with 20 Littles from the Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley on December 13.



## Redstone Soldiers take on challenge of German proficiency badge

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- Ten Team Redstone Soldiers participated in qualifying tests for the German Armed Forces Badge for Military Proficiency Dec. 1-2.



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## **ANAD Safety Program: A year in review**

ANNISTON ARMY DEPOT, Ala. -- It's been a busy year for Anniston Army Depot's Safety Office. "The Safety Office is a performance-orientated organization," said Drew Ramsey, safety chief for the depot. "Everything we do is based on the concept of continuous improvement. This commitment to excellence is reflected in our accomplishments."

## **2016 was an unforgettable year for ANMC**

ANNISTON ARMY DEPOT, Ala. -- With the holidays upon us and 2016 drawing to a close, it's a great time to look back at this unforgettable year. Together, Anniston Munitions Center has reached new heights with our production and quality workmanship.

## **ACC opens hearts for Huntsville City**

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. -- Army Contracting Command employees bought, wrapped, and delivered more than 300 gifts to Louis J. Morris Elementary School as part of the Angel Tree Program, their Adopt-A-School partner, on Dec. 15.

## **Giving Christmas to local children**

ANNISTON ARMY DEPOT, Ala. -- Anniston Army Depot employees delivered three truckloads of gifts and bicycles to Calhoun County's Department of Human Resources office in Anniston Dec. 14. It was the culmination of the 2016 Christmas Cheer program.

## **Army cyber research, development adapts as tactical network grows**

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. -- In less than a decade, Army connectivity of enterprise and tactical systems and devices has increased exponentially, thus necessitating the Army's research, development and engineering community to protect connected networks and devices.

## **PS Magazine visits post, promotes new app**

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. -- Writers from the magazine met with warrant officers of 69th Air Defense Artillery Brigade here to collect ideas for future comics about proper maintenance for the Patriot air and missile defense system and to promote the magazine's new smartphone application.

## NEWS AROUND THE ARMY



**MORE WOMEN THAN EXPECTED  
PURSUING COMBAT ARMS  
POSITIONS**

**ARMY'S FIRST ARMORED  
MULTI-PURPOSE VEHICLE ROLLS OFF  
PRODUCTION LINE**

**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FOR  
FORMER SERVICE MEMBERS AT  
RECORD LOW IN 2016**

**NCO LANDS 'DREAM GIG,' BRINGS  
NEW PERSPECTIVE TO NFL  
HEADQUARTERS**

