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Fort Riley  
Weekly News  
Update  
2-8-13*

Happy  
Valentine's  
Day!!!!

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**COMMISSARY-** Scholarships for Military Children, With Feb. 22 deadline, there's still time to apply! The Scholarships for Military Children Program awards \$1,500 scholarships to students from military families. Eligibility requirements, application forms and other information about the scholarships can be found at [www.militaryscholar.org](http://www.militaryscholar.org). This year's applicants must submit an essay and applications must be turned in to a commissary by close of business Feb. 22. The scholarship program is administered by Fisher House Foundation, a nonprofit organization that provides assistance to service members and their families.

**FORT RILEY COMBINED SCHOLARSHIP** - Undergraduate college and vocational school scholarships are offered to Fort Riley affiliated seniors, current college/vocational students, and spouses of active, retired, or deceased military member(s). Applications can be accessed online at [www.riley.army.mil](http://www.riley.army.mil), local high school liaisons, and Junction City and Manhattan Military Affairs councils. Application submission deadline must be postmarked **NLT 28FEB 2013** Mail to: Fort Riley Combined Scholarship Board, P.O. Box 2082, Ft Riley, KS 66442 POC Jean Anderson, FRCSB Chairperson (785) 209-5470 or at [fortrileyscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:fortrileyscholarship@gmail.com)

**OCSC Monthly Luncheon (*How does your garden grow?*) Scheduled for 21 February at 11:00 am – Riley's Conference Center** Are you tough enough to garden in Kansas? Whether you're interested in planting flowers around your home, becoming a vegetable farmer, or maintaining a container garden, expert horticulturalist Susan Schoneweis will answer all of your gardening related questions. Cost is \$15 per person. **RSVP to [reservations@fortrileyocsc.com](mailto:reservations@fortrileyocsc.com)**

### **MWR Facebook Contest - Enter the Briggs Auto Lane Gift Card Giveaway!**

Briggs Auto Lane in Manhattan is teaming up with Fort Riley MWR to give away a travel gift card to a redeploying Soldier. **One lucky Soldier will win:** a \$1,000 gift card for use at the Fort Riley Leisure Travel Office. Contest Instructions: Entry period: Feb 1, 8am – Feb 27, 11:59pm Winners Announced on Ft Riley Fan Page: Feb. 28, approx. 10am Winner Presented Prize: At the MWR Administrative Building between March 4, 2013 and April 15, 2013 Check out MWR's Facebook page to enter [https://www.facebook.com/rileymwr/app\\_28134323652](https://www.facebook.com/rileymwr/app_28134323652)

**USO FORT RILEY- No Dough Dinner Lite** The "Lite" is because they usually see less than 100 people the first dinner in Feb. and plan on serving less numbers. This dinner is currently slated to be at the USO Center. RSVPs are not required, but strongly encouraged. If they see that they are going over 100, they will move back over to the DFAC. So, please RSVP with the number of family members you plan on bringing.

LIVE ROLLER DERBY!

# St. Valentine's Day

## Massacre

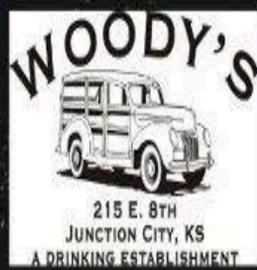
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700 N. Jefferson  
JC 7:30PM

The Bleeding Hearts

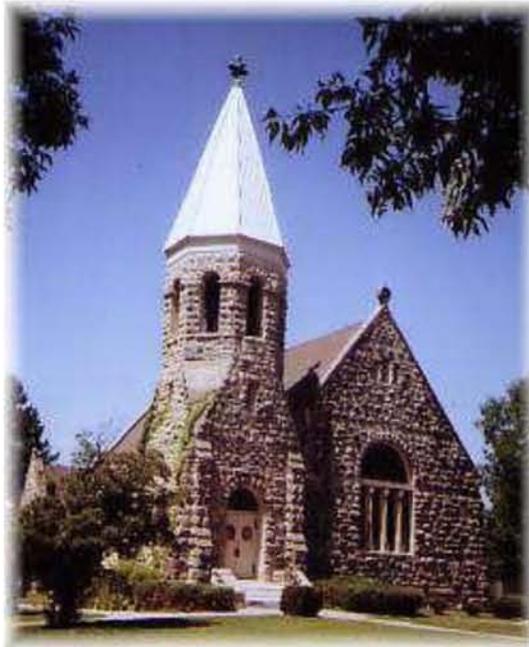
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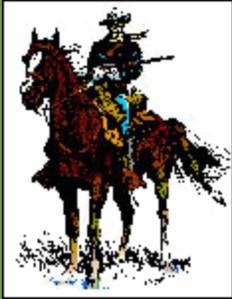
Please Join Fort Riley's  
Military Council of  
Catholic Women (MCCW)



**Wednesday, February 13th from  
10:30-11:30am.**

For an open house in the basement of Saint  
Mary's Chapel to see the newly renovated  
basement.

# Fort Riley Network Meeting



The Next Fort Riley Network meeting will be held February 22<sup>nd</sup> 10:30am at Riley's Conference Center.

The Network meeting is open to any and all interested in knowing what is upcoming in the Fort Riley Community.

Child Care is available if you RSVP by 10:00am on Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup> to [Stacie.r.dumas.civ@mail.mil](mailto:Stacie.r.dumas.civ@mail.mil) or [stacie.dumas@us.army.mil](mailto:stacie.dumas@us.army.mil) . Parents will need to bring shot records day of care or bring the children's KOSCC card.



## Homebuyer Education Seminar

**1 p.m. - 4 p.m. on February 26, 2013**

Location: 210 Custer Ave Room 15 in the basement,  
Ft Riley, KS

*This seminar will help you to find answers to the important questions you may be asking as you contemplate purchasing a home!*

### Featuring

- Home Inspector
- Real Estate Agent
- Lender
- And others!*



To Register Call  
HSO Office  
785-239-3525

# FORT RILEY (open Jan. 23, 2013) TAX CENTER

**FREE SERVICE · SAVE HUNDREDS · CALL 785.239.1040**

## WHAT

### 2010 to 2012 Federal and State Income Tax Returns Filed

- ▶ Will only file State Income Tax Return when filing your Federal return;
- ▶ No more than two rental properties;
- ▶ No business returns except for childcare providers on post;
- ▶ Prior two year tax returns reviewed and amended if prepared by the Fort Riley Tax Center.

## HOURS

**0900-1800 Monday-Friday  
(appointments and walk-ins)  
0900-1300 Saturday (walk-ins only)**

**\*\* including training holidays**

## WHERE

**Located at Building 7034  
(Normandy & Bullard)**

## CONTACT

**785.239.1040**



## DON'T FORGET THE BELOW ITEMS!

- ▶ Social Security cards (required for everyone, including children);
- ▶ Power of Attorney (if filing jointly and one spouse is signing for the other spouse);
- ▶ All W-2 Forms;
- ▶ All 1099-R Forms (Pension, Retirement, IRA, etc);
- ▶ All 1099-INT Forms (Interest Income);
- ▶ All 1099-DIV Forms (Dividends and Distributions);
- ▶ Form 1098 (Mortgage Interest Statement);
- ▶ Form 1098-E (Student Loan Interest Statement);
- ▶ Form 1098-T (Tuition Statement);
- ▶ Closing documents for those who have purchased or sold a home in 2012;
- ▶ Bank routing and account numbers (required for direct deposit of refunds);
- ▶ Receipts for deductible expenses (if you are itemizing deductions);
- ▶ 2011 tax return (if you have rental property income or converted a traditional IRA to a Roth IRA);
- ▶ Form 8332 signed by custodial parent (if you are a non-custodial parent claiming a child exemption or Divorce Decree if divorce was final before July 2008.);
- ▶ Childcare statements for services paid in 2012;
- ▶ Property Tax Statements for homes and vehicles.



If you would like to keep yourself schooled in the Kansas weather every year, the National Weather Service in Topeka presents spotter talks which are open to the general public. Presentations are typically around 90 minutes long, and are given by a meteorologist from our office. Spotter training will focus on storm structure and accurate identification of important cloud features associated with supercell and squall line thunderstorms.

## The upcoming classes in your area:

### **February 25**

Junction City, KS  
(Geary County)  
7:00pm CST  
4H Senior Center  
1025 S. Spring Valley Road

### **March 27**

Wamego, KS  
(Pottawatomie County)  
7:00pm CDT  
Wamego Fire Department  
514 Plum St.  
Wamego, KS 66547

### **March 05**

Manhattan, KS  
(Riley County)  
7:00pm CST  
Pottorf Hall (CICO park)

### **March 28**

Clay Center, KS  
(Clay County)  
7:00pm CDT  
Baptist Church Meeting Hall  
corner of 5th and Dexter

### **March 06**

Herington, KS  
(Dickinson County)  
7:00pm CST  
Herington Community Center  
810 South Broadway



Once you have taken the class you have the opportunity to become a storm spotter. For more information visit <http://www.crh.noaa.gov/top/?n=talks>

Come to the

# 2013 RoboTech Camp

Using

## GEAR-TECH-21

GEOSPATIAL AND ROBOTICS TECHNOLOGIES FOR THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY



### Curriculum & Activities!!

What better way to spend Spring Break than making new friends and programming and playing with robots, GPS, and GIS technologies?!!



**Who:** All youth ages 10-14

**What:** Overnight camp where youth learn to program & play with robots, GPS, and GIS technologies!

**When:** Spring Break week, 2 P.M. March 18 - 2 P.M. March 22, 2013

**Where:** Rock Springs 4-H Center, Junction City, KS

**Why:** Because there's absolutely no better way to spend spring break!

For further info, visit <http://www.cvent.com/d/0c94c/> or contact

Josh Wilson at 785-257-3221!



*The low, grant-supported registration fee of \$250 will cover all meals, snacks, lodging, and activities for the entire week. Campers will be led by cabin crew counselors and taught by curriculum certified instructors. By the end of the intensive camp, participants will have a much greater understanding of geospatial and robotics technologies, potential careers, ways to stay involved in these projects, and come away with new friends and tons of excitement!!! Be sure to register soon, as only 40 spots are available!*

*This camp opportunity is made available by Kansas 4-H Youth Development and Rock Springs 4-H Center.*

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## Register your kids for free for Campus Kids Day!



*Participants will receive a K-State Tennis t-shirt, show off their skills in a serve contest, enjoy cookies and refreshments and meet Willie the Wildcat!*

## K-State vs. Tulsa

11 a.m. • Saturday, February 9th  
Body First Tennis and Fitness Center

**FREE ADMISSION!**

Register online at [www.kstatesports.com](http://www.kstatesports.com)

**RPA** entertainment

presents...

# Dustin Lynch

w/ **Reckless Rebellion**



**Cowboys & Angels**



**Sunday**

**February 24, 2013**

**Doors 8:00 pm Concert 8:30 pm**

Tickets available at Varney's,  
RB Outpost, Corey's Corral or  
at [www.rpaconcerts.com](http://www.rpaconcerts.com)

On sale 2/1/2013

**The Wareham  
Manhattan, KS  
410 Poyntz Ave**

**Tickets \$18**



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**RPA Entertainment**



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# RYA Registration Form



~The Resilient Youth Academy is designed for **High School** aged youth to develop a network of informed teens that are better prepared and motivated to respond positively to adversity and successfully overcome the challenges faced by today's military family.



~The Resilient Youth Academy is designed to help youth minimize the negative impact of deployments within their family, thereby providing the capabilities to establish themselves as positive role models for others.

**\*When: Friday, 1 MAR 2013**

9:00am – 3:00pm

**\* Breakfast & Lunch provided**

**\* Where: Building 7285, Resiliency Academy (next to Custer Hill pool)**

**\*Service Learning Hours earned**

~Youth will be able to continue in their role as peer models and mentors within their communities regardless of military affiliation or location.

Youth Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last, First)

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One) → Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Parents Name & Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last, First) (Signature)

Point of Contact Information  
**Eric Childs** (School Liaison Officer) (785) 239-1648  
eric.r.childs@us.army.mil

Discussion Topics: Bullying & Peer Pressure Teen Communication "How to be a Friend (Suicide Prevention)."  
"Dating & Abuse do not go together." "Youth transitioning to a new norm." Employment & Finances

# OPERATION:: *Gift the Gown*

*Do you have a gently used formal gown in your closet that needs a new home?*

When cleaning out your closet, please consider that your thoughtful donation will make a tremendous difference for local area high school girls and Fort Riley wives in need of a prom/formal dress.

To donate, please drop off your clean and gently used formal (Jewelry, shoes, & financial donations also welcome!) at one of our convenient locations:

Junction City:: Larry Dixon Center

Fort Riley:: USO

Manhattan Chamber of Commerce

OCSC February Luncheon on February 21st

Contact info: <https://sites.google.com/site/giftthegown/>  
Erica Geranen 785-717-4746 or [giftthegown@gmail.com](mailto:giftthegown@gmail.com)



# OPERATION:: *Gift the Gown*

*Is not having access to an affordable gown have you dreading the upcoming formal season?*

Join us on February 23<sup>rd</sup> 2013 (Prom Princesses dress fitting) OR March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2013 (Military Duchesses fitting). You can bring your mom or other female friend for hors d'oeuvres and shopping. There will be stylists on hand to give hair and make-up lessons. We will also have seamstresses to pin your dress so that you will be picture perfect for your magical night!

Eligibility: Area high school girls along with Military wives who are in need of a prom/formal dress.

\*\* Please note: you are welcome to come and shop for a no cost dress but we may or may not have what you are looking for; stock depends solely on the generous donations of dresses. \*\*

How to request an appointment: Fill out an appointment slip and send it in by Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 2013 to:

Larry Dixon c/o Erica Geranen  
920 W 6<sup>th</sup> St.  
Junction City, KS 66441

**OR ONLINE:**

<https://sites.google.com/site/giftthegown/>

You will be contacted via email with your acceptance and personal appointment date/time. Every effort will be made to accommodate as many requests as possible.

**Contact info:**

**Erica Geranen 785-717-4746 or [giftthegown@gmail.com](mailto:giftthegown@gmail.com)**



Appointment request

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You will be notified of your appointment time on or before Feb.22 2013

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone/Email \_\_\_\_\_

Dress size \_\_\_\_\_ Pants Size \_\_\_\_\_ Shoe Size \_\_\_\_\_



**RPA** Entertainment  
presents...

# Josh Thompson

w/TBA



**Friday**

**March 8, 2013**

**Doors 8:00 pm Concert 8:30 pm**

**More Info Soon**

For any questions

Call 913-269-1404

On sale 1/28/2013



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**The Wareham  
Manhattan, KS  
410 Poyntz Ave**

**Tickets \$20**



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See which exciting tourist and travel destinations await you!

2013

# GREAT ESCAPES EXPO

**MARCH 9,  
10AM-3PM**

Riley's Conference Center Fort Riley, Kansas 66442

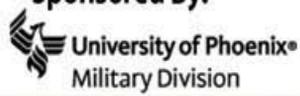
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**WWW.RILEYMWR.COM**

For more information, call 785.239.8990.



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# Camp Corral Summer Camp 14-19 July 2013 at Rock Springs 4-H Center

Registration Begins  
1 February



**Who:** Children ages 8-15. First Priority to those families with a family member combat wounded or KIA. All Military children may apply!

**What:** **Free** summer camp – five overnights

**When:** 14-19 July 2013; final check-in and child drop-off Sunday, 14 July at 1400.

**Where:** Rock Springs 4-H Center

**Things to Do:** Archery, rifle, canoeing, horse riding, arts & crafts, environmental education

**To Apply** go to [www.campcorral.org](http://www.campcorral.org) The site has a direct registration link, hundreds of photos, and camp videos. Children of KIA or combat wounded parents will receive confirmation of acceptance within two weeks of applying. Other registrations will be confirmed mid-May as space allows. From Homepage go to 'About,' click 'See the Camps,' then select 'Rock Springs 4H'

*Camp Corral* is a nation-wide program funded by the *Golden Corral* restaurant chain. The program funds a week at summer camp for the children America's military heroes, especially those who have been injured in the line of duty. Fort Riley's local camp for the program is *Rock Springs 4-H Center* located 12 miles south of Junction City. There are slots for 240 children.

## Show Participants

A & H Farm  
Blueville Nursery, Inc.  
Britt's Farm  
Brooks Yamaha, Inc.  
Deep Roots Landscape  
Don's Stump Removal  
Eastside and Westside Markets  
Growing Concerns, Inc.  
Howe Landscape, Inc.  
Hummel Tree Service  
K-State Insect Zoo  
Kansas State University Gardens  
Lee Creek Gardens  
Manhattan Community Gardens  
Manhattan Farmers' Market  
Master Landscape, Inc.  
Miniature Gardens  
Riley County Extension,  
Master Gardeners  
Riley County Extension Office  
Sharp Creations  
The Bee Herder's Honey



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[www.facebook.com/rileycountyextension](http://www.facebook.com/rileycountyextension)  
to receive the latest news and notices from  
the Extension Office.



**Be Water Wise**

Install drip or micro-irrigation, or soaker hoses, in shrub/flower beds and fruit/vegetable gardens if needed.

Water sufficiently to deeply soak into the soil. Allow soil to dry before watering again.

Use a rain gauge to monitor rainfall.

[www.kansashealthyyards.com](http://www.kansashealthyyards.com)

## K-STATE

Research and Extension

Riley County Extension Office  
110 Courthouse Plaza, Rm B220  
Manhattan, KS 66502

Kansas State University, County Extension Councils,  
Extension Districts, and U.S. Research & Extension is  
an equal opportunity provider and employer.

# Manhattan Area Garden Show

**Saturday, February 16, 2013**  
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday, February 17, 2013**  
Noon - 4:00 p.m.

**Pottorf Hall, CiCo Park**  
1710 Avery Avenue

[www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu)  
785-537-6350



# 2013 Manhattan Area Garden Show

## Seminar Schedule - Clover Room

### Saturday, February 16

- 10:00 a.m.**     **How an Irrigation Audit May Improve Your Water Bill**  
Cathie Lavis - KSU Horticulture
- 11:00 a.m.**     **Growing Kansas Fruit**  
Ward Upham - KSU Horticulture
- Noon**             **Beautiful Roses You Could Grow**  
Jim Roush - Riley County Extension Master Gardener
- 1:00 p.m.**       **Drought Tolerant Plants**  
Nancy Moore - Blueville Nursery
- 2:00 p.m.**       **Mulching to Hold Moisture**  
Rhonda Janke - KSU Horticulture
- 3:00 p.m.**       **Preserving the Harvest**  
Karen Blakeslee - KSU Food Science

### Sunday, February 17

- 1:00 p.m.**     **K-State Top 40: The Best of the Prairie Star Flower Research Trials**  
Alan Stevens - KSU Horticulture
- 2:00 p.m.**     **Spectacular Shrubs**  
Cheryl Boyer - KSU Horticulture
- 3:00 p.m.**     **Growing Vegetables to Survive a Drought**  
Cary Rivard - KSU Horticulture



# 57th annual K-State Rodeo

Weber Arena K-State Campus  
February 22, 23 & 24

**Friday, February 22nd– 7:30 p.m.**

*"Tough Enough to Wear Pink" Night*  
Sponsored by Collegiate Cattle Women  
& Sigma Alpha

**Saturday, February 23rd– 1:00 p.m.**

Children 12 & under free with  
donation of two can goods to Flint Hills  
Breadbasket with purchase of adult ticket

**Saturday, February 23rd– 6:45 p.m.**

*"Miss Rodeo K-State Coronation"*  
7:30 p.m. Evening Rodeo  
Performance

**Sunday, February 24th– 1:00 p.m.**

Cowboy Church– 10:00 a.m.  
K-State Rodeo Finals Performance  
Military Appreciation Day

## Tickets

Adults: \$10/ \$15 at door

Child: \$8/ \$10 at door

Weekend Passes also available

## Ticket Outlets

Manhattan  
Tractor Supply  
Orschlen's  
RB Outpost  
Varney's  
Ampride  
RC McGraws  
K-State Union  
Bookstore

Junction City  
Orschlen's

Wamego  
Vanderbilts

Topeka  
Roy Frey  
Western



## About the Speaker

Hal Edward Runkel, LMFT



has been inspiring family change in a number of ways for over ten years. A former minister, Hal is a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (LMFT), relationship coach, seminar leader, author of the ground-breaking *ScreamFree Living* book series and founder of The ScreamFree Institute, the organization that transforms relationships. Hal has been successfully leading students, teachers, parents and families in his ScreamFree relationship methods since the very early years of his training. Hal and his wife, Jenny, have been married for a mostly ScreamFree 19 years and enjoy ScreamFree parenting their two children, Hannah and Brandon. They live just outside Atlanta, Georgia.

Hal Runkel is the creator of the ScreamFree Marriage program and author of the New York Times National Bestseller, *ScreamFree Parenting: The Revolutionary Approach to Raising Your Kids by Keeping Your Cool*.



2<sup>nd</sup> Appearance at Fort Riley!

## The Six Principles for A

# screamfree<sup>™</sup> MARRIAGE

Join us for this life-changing marriage event!

**Tuesday 12 February, 1800-2000**

**CYSS, Bldg 6620 Normandy Dr.**

Includes Free Dinner (Adults only) and Free Childcare

**but you MUST register for childcare no later than 2 Feb.**

Please call ACS/FAP at 785-239-9435 to register.

**Free ScreamFree Books/DVDs for first 150 Couples to register!**

Combining timeless principles, the foremost clinical research, and a LOL-speaking style, renowned relationship expert Hal Runkel presents a vision for intimate relationships unlike most everything you've ever heard. ScreamFree Marriage is not about "fighting fair" or "meeting one another's needs" or "becoming more compatible." None of these can truly grow you as a person or improve your marriage. A ScreamFree Marriage begins with calming your own anxiety and focusing on individual self-respect, championing your own personal growth as the key to intimacy. ScreamFree Marriage actually celebrates the differences between you and your spouse as the foundation for a great marriage, a message that really hits home with many military families.

*"ScreamFree has been extremely effective in working with families on the installation. The ScreamFree message and materials have done wonders for families in crisis, as well as for families just looking for a little extra help. I've even trained military leaders who have put these principles into play with their platoons with amazing success."*

- Stanley Austin, ACS Director



# INTRODUCE LASTING CALM TO THE COUPLES YOU SERVE

## ScreamFree Marriage Training

**12-13 February 2013, 0830 - 1630**

**ACS Building, 7264 Normandy Dr.**

**To register, call FAP at 785-239-9435**

Don't miss this life and career changing 2-day session. (Includes 14 CEUs)\*

Do you work with military couples; trying to help them navigate the stresses of Army life? Are you looking for a more effective curriculum that engages both men and women to embrace their roles as spouses? Are you already trained in ScreamFree Parenting and looking to increase the work you do with families?

If so, then this special two-day class is right for you

Join twenty of your peers as Riley becomes one of the first installations to offer ScreamFree Marriage Leader Certification!

The ScreamFree Approach, which has been featured regularly on NBC's *The Today Show*, is grounded in Systems Theory and presented in everyday language. It is ideal for today's stress-filled world because it provides a simple and direct path to lasting changes in couples. ScreamFree Parenting has proven to be extremely effective in helping military families feel more resilient and capable to handle the natural difficulties of parenting in military life. Now, ScreamFree Marriage applies these transformative principles to the challenges of married life in the Army.

If you are ready to add this dimension to your work with couples and see amazing results, join best-selling author and ScreamFree founder, Hal Runkel, LMFT, and his team in a two-day experience you won't forget.

**Please register by calling ACS/FAP at 785-239-9435.**

\* CEUs are provided for qualified professionals who attend.

*"As a military spouse working in the giving profession, this information was exceptional."*  
- FAP Specialist, Fort Carson

*"ScreamFree blew me away! It helps me engage my toughest clients and does wonders for all families."*

- Michele Barber, FAPM, Heidelberg, Germany

*"I believe the calmness that comes from this training is a huge start to saving military families."*

- MFLC, Fort Sam Houston

## The ScreamFree Institute

Founded by Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist and TODAY Show regular Hal Runkel, the ScreamFree Institute ignites hope in parents, couples and leaders to strengthen their relationships through the power of calm.

In partnering with the Army, through late 2012, ScreamFree has:

- trained and certified over 600 military family professionals
- delivered life-changing classes to over 4,000 families
- provided impactful and engaging curriculum to over 6,000 families

The ScreamFree way challenges adults to calm down, grow up and grow closer with the ones they love. The Institute is located just outside Atlanta, Georgia.

## ScreamFree Facilitator's Kit



Do you want to start leading marriage classes today? The ScreamFree Marriage MRI Teach out of the Box ("TOOB") Kit gives you everything you need.

(Each participant will receive one.)

# screamfree

The ScreamFree Institute, Inc.  
45 Technology Parkway South,  
Suite 240, Norcross, GA 30092  
Telephone: 1.678.672.6410  
Toll-Free: 1.800.860.0771  
Web: [www.screamfree.org](http://www.screamfree.org)  
A 501(c)(3) not for profit organization

# Yellow Ribbon Social Schedule

## 2013

February: 5 @ Tallgrass Brewery  
Tour/ Dinner at So Long Saloon  
19@ The Veldt Lounge

March: 5 @ Umi Steakhouse  
18 @ Little Apple Brewery

April: 9@ McAllister's  
23 @ Bowling Night!!!

May: 7 @ Texas Roadhouse  
21@ Barbecue at City Park

June: 4 @ Salon Night @ Bellus  
Academy  
19@ K-State Challenge  
Course!

\*\*\* Keep an eye out on our Face-  
book Page: <http://>

[www.facebook.com/ManhattanYRS](http://www.facebook.com/ManhattanYRS) for some upcoming  
"Yellow Ribbon Special Editions"!!!!!!!

Is your spouse deployed? Out for FTX? TDY? On a rotation to NTC or JRTC? Not at home with you? Then we want YOU! Come join us at one of the listed Yellow Ribbon Socials! We meet twice monthly at varying locations in the Manhattan community. Join us for great food, make some new friends and build a support team filled with folks who know what you are going through- because they are too!

These events are 'dutch-style', meaning you spend as much or as little as you would like per outing. We do not allow children at these functions.

Have questions? Please feel free to call or email Alison Pulcher! (785-776-8829, [alison@manhattan.org](mailto:alison@manhattan.org)). We hope to meet you soon!



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# Fort Riley Education Services



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## February Calendar

- 1st — Resiliency Day Off (RDO)
- 15th — Resiliency Day Off (RDO)
- 18th — Washington's Birthday

## Contact Us

### Main Post Learning Center

- ◆ 217 Custer Avenue
- ◆ Phone: (785) 239-6481
- ◆ **Counseling Services**
- ◆ Hours of Operation  
Mon, Tues, Thurs  
0730-1700  
Wed no counseling 0900-1100 due to in-processing  
Friday Closed on RDOs  
Non RDOs closed at 1600
- ◆ **Testing Services**  
Mon -Thurs 0730- 1700  
Friday Closed on RDOs  
Non RDOs closed at 1600

### Custer Hill Learning Center

- ◆ 7656 Graves Street
- TUTOR CENTER**
- ◆ Phone: (785) 240-3617
- Hours of Operation  
Mon, Tues, Thurs  
0900-1700  
Wednesday  
0900- 1900  
Friday  
0900-1500  
Saturday  
1100-1500

### New Army Tuition Assistance Semester Hours

- ⇒ 130 Semester Hours for a Bachelor Degree
- ⇒ 39 Semester Hours for a Graduate Degree

STOP BY AND TALK TO AN EDUCATION COUNSELOR FOR MORE INFORMATION



## Master of Science Nursing Program

The University of Mary is now offering a Master of Science in Nursing at Fort Riley, in addition to their already established MBA program. Program options in Graduate Nursing studies will be:

- \* **Nurse Administrator (Two entry point options)**
  - Diploma/ADN to MSN
  - BSN to MSN
- \* **Master of Science in Nursing/Master of Business Administration in Healthcare Administration Dual Degree**

Today's nurses must combine expertise in their field with the ability to lead those with whom they serve. Whether nurses choose to practice in direct care, administration, or education, they will function in complex and constantly changing environments. The goal of the University of Mary Nursing Program is to help students develop skills, knowledge, and abilities needed to excel in a wide variety of settings. Because of this goal, our programs focus on the application of knowledge. Our graduates understand not only what service is needed, but also how it can be best provided. Our graduates are servant leaders!

Offered in an accelerated format, University of Mary classes meet in the evenings, giving students the flexibility needed to earn a degree while meeting the demands of family life and work. And, because students are considered full-time, financial aid may be available.

The University of Mary has held continuous accreditation by the Higher Learning Commission, a Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, since 1969 and is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. For more information contact: Karen K Houchins, Director 7703 NW Barry Road, Kansas City, MO 64153, 816-741-9797 or email [Khouchins@umary.edu](mailto:Khouchins@umary.edu)

### Q: What do I need to do to drop a course?

**A:** If you need to withdraw from a course for personal or military reasons, it is important to know the process. You will need to withdraw from the course with your college **AND** through the GoArmyEd portal. Military withdrawals must have a memo signed by the Battalion LTC. (**NOTE:** You are only allowed up to 4 military withdrawals per year.) Personal withdrawals may require a partial or full repayment of tuition, depending on the drop date. We encourage you to visit with an Education Counselor before making a decision on your drop, to ensure you have explored all options.



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Our Email: [usarmy.riley.imcom.mbx.education-service@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.riley.imcom.mbx.education-service@mail.mil)



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