



# The BUZZ

**JULY-AUGUST 2024**

DIVE INTO SUMMER WITH OUR  
EXCITING LINEUP OF EVENTS!



[www.jble-eustismwr.com](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com)





## Auto Craft Center

660 Jackson Ave. • (757) 878-5440

### Safety Classes

Get your Auto Craft Shop Card to be able to use the work bays. Safety classes are held every Thursday from 5:00pm-6:00pm and every 3rd Saturday from 11:00am-12:00pm. Register in person or by phone. Call our office for more info.



## Community Recreation Center

671 Victory Blvd • (757) 878-3717  
communityreccenter@gmail.com

### Paint Nights

**Sat, Jul 27 & Aug, 10, Aug 17, Aug 24\***

In July, immerse yourself in glass painting, and in August, unleash your creativity by painting self portraits (8/10), your own ceramic pot (8/17), & rock painting (8/24)! \*Registration is required. Call or email to sign up for free.

**Free Friday Movies** • Every Friday, 6:00pm-8:00pm

**Saturday Matinee Movies** • Every Saturday, 12:00pm-2:00pm  
Check our Facebook page for the most recent movie line-up.



## The Fort Eustis Club

2123 Pershing Ave • (757) 878-5700

### Comedy Show

**Fri, Aug 23 • 8:00pm-11:00pm**

Get ready to laugh out loud! Enjoy an evening full of laughs by some of the best comedians around! Call or come by to purchase your tickets today.



## Fitness Centers

643 Dickman St. • (757) 878-2328

### Splash & Dash 5k

**Fri, July 26 • Race starts at 6:30am**

**Mini Park, 866 Victory Blvd**

You bring the run and we will bring the water and fun!  
Open to all ages. Free event. No registration required.

### Mulberry Island Run

**Sat, Sep 7 • Start time: 7:30am**

**Anderson Field House, 643 Dickman St.**

Test yourself with a Half Marathon or 5k! Grab early bird prices before Aug 25. For more info, visit, [www.jble-eustismwr.com/mulberry](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/mulberry).



## Outdoor Recreation

828 Kells Dr. • (757) 878-2610

### Fourth of July Cabins Specials

Enjoy the Fourth of July Festivities with a great offer on our cabins! Stay 2 nights and get the 3rd night 1/2 off! Offer only available for 4th of July weekend bookings.



## Child & Youth Programs

1102 Pershing Ave. • (757) 878-2662

### Flag Football

Murphy Field, Walker St.  
Date: August 12-16  
Cost: \$25/child  
Ages: 7-18  
Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

### Tennis Camp

Tennis Courts,  
1102 Pershing Ave.  
Date: August 7, 8, & 9  
Cost \$65/child  
Ages: 6-18  
Time: 4:00pm-6:00pm

### Basketball Camp

Youth Programs, 1102  
Pershing Ave.  
Date: July 8-12  
Cost \$25/child  
Ages: 7-12  
Time: 9:00am-12:00pm  
Ages: 13-18  
Time: 1:00pm-4:00pm

### Baseball Camp

Baseball Field,  
1102 Pershing Ave.  
Date: July 15-26  
Cost: \$25/child  
Ages: 7-10  
Time: 5:30pm-7:00pm

### Coding Camp

Youth Programs, 1102  
Pershing Ave.  
Date: July 29-August 2  
Cost: \$50/child  
Ages: 6-12  
Time: 11:00am-12:30pm

### Start Smart

**Development Camp**  
Youth Programs,  
1102 Pershing Ave.  
Date: July 15-18  
Cost: \$40/child  
Ages: 4 & 5  
Time: 10:30am-11:15am

## 2024 Fall Sports Camp

Registrations start July 1st

**Soccer Camp** Cost: \$45/child • Ages: 5-15

**Baseball Camp** Cost: \$45/child • Ages: 5-15

**Fall Running Club** Cost: \$45/child • Ages: 5 & up

\*More details will be updated through the CYPBMS PARENT PORTAL once registered online

## Instructional Program

**Piano Lessons** • July & August

Youth Programs, 1102 Pershing Ave.

Cost: \$125/30 minutes • \$185/1 hour

Ages: 6 & up

Time: 2:30pm-4:30pm



## SERVING HEROES

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## UPCOMING FREE COMMUNITY MEALS

**Fri, Jul 12: Outdoor Luau  
at the Outdoor Pool**

(Catered by: The Fort Eustis Club)

**Thu, Aug 15: Community Block Party**

Check our website and Facebook for future updates like featured menus & fun new locations!

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## The Pines Golf Course

3815 Mulberry Island Rd. • (757) 878-2252

### Payday Activity for Active Duty

#### 1st Friday of the month after 11:00am

Enjoy payday with a whole day of game play for only \$25 with cart! Call for more information. To view more daily & weekly specials, visit our page at

[www.jble-eustismwr.com/golf](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/golf)



## Fort Eustis Information, Tickets & Travel

671 Victory Blvd • (757) 878-3694

### August Bus Trip to Luray Caverns, Luray VA

\$85 per person • Meet up on Sat, Aug 24 at 6:30am\*

End summer break with an unforgettable trip to Luray Caverns!

Last day to sign up & for payments is August 9th.

### September Bus Trip National Mall Tour, Washington, DC

\$60 per person • Meet up on Sat, Sept 21 at 6:30am\*

Explore iconic monuments including the Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial, Smithsonian museums and more! Last day to sign up & for payments is September 6th.

\*Patrons must arrive 30 mins prior to departure for ID/Waiver check. Groups of 10 or more will receive \$5 off per person. For group rate bookings, please email [eustis.itt@gmail.com](mailto:eustis.itt@gmail.com) or scan QR code.



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# How Often Do You Think About Money?

**Are you confident about  
your financial future?**



- How much do you know about TSP, SBP, Roth vs Traditional IRA?
- Do you know the 3 types of life insurance and whether you have the best one for you?
- Who is helping you ensure your retirement plan is on track?
- What is the best strategy to get out of debt?
- Is a budget really worth the effort?

## Mark Matney

- With Mark Matney as your coach, YOU are the MVP and YOU select the best track to accomplish your financial goals!
- PFS Investments, Registered representative.



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# EUSTIS<sup>★</sup>Life

SUMMER 2024

## *Your Guide for Summer Fun at Fort Eustis!*

Summer Pool Hours, Music Fest,  
Free Community Meals, & more!



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## OUTDOOR RECREATION

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### RACING UNDER THE LIGHTS

July 12 • August 2 • September 6

6:00pm-9:00pm

Mini Park, 866 Victory Blvd

Rev up your engines and join us at Mini Park for an exhilarating evening of go-kart racing with friends and family! For just \$8, enjoy 15 minutes of high-speed fun. Friendly competition is highly encouraged. See you on the track! Cash or cards are accepted. Concessions will be sold.

### MINI PARK SUMMER HOURS

Sat-Sun 11 • 12:00pm-5:00pm

Mini Park, 866 Victory Blvd

Enjoy the perfect summer day at Fort Eustis Mini Park! With lush green spaces, picnic areas, and playgrounds, it's an ideal spot for family gatherings, leisurely afternoons, and outdoor fun. Plus, don't miss out on our exciting go-karts, mini golf, and batting cages.

Looking for a unique venue? Our park is also open for booking private events. Come relax, play, and make lasting memories in our charming mini park this summer!



# MARK YOUR CALENDARS, GET SET, & GO!!

We may be small, but we are mighty! Dive into the best of what MWR has to offer with our curated guide to summer fun for you, your family, and your friends. Explore all the exciting events, activities, and amenities we have in store and make this summer unforgettable. Let's celebrate together at Fort Eustis!



## BOWLING CENTER

675 Dickman St • (757) 878-5482



### KIDS BOWL FREE

Now through December 29, 2024  
Tuesday-Saturday 11:00am-6:00pm  
Sunday 1:00pm-4:00pm

### KIDS BOWL FREE

Available now through December 2024

Tue-Sat 11:00am-6:00pm

Sun 1:00pm-4:00pm

This summer, kids aged 16 and under can enjoy 2 FREE games of bowling each day! Just pay \$2.75 for shoe rental per child. Registration is required, so visit [www.kidsbowlfree.com](http://www.kidsbowlfree.com) or scan QR code.



### COSMIC BOWLING

Fri & Sat • 7:00pm-10:00pm

Step into the cosmic realm of bowling under the neon glow! Grab a whole evening of bowling for only \$20, includes shoes!

### LUNCH & BOWL

Tue-Fri • 11:00am-1:00pm

Head over to King Pin Snack Bar for some freshly made pizza or burgers! Plus pick up a game and shoes for only \$4.75!

## COMMUNITY RECREATION CENTER

671 victory blvd • (757) 878-3717



### Summer FLEA MARKET

Bring your family and friends, and enjoy a day of bargain hunting and sunshine!

Saturday, July 20 • 3:00pm-7:00pm  
TRADOC Stage Parking Lot,  
950 Jefferson Ave, Fort Eustis

Browse • Sell • Shop

Interested in being a vendor?  
Call or email us for information  
and to reserve your spot!  
Food vendors must have up to date Food Handler's certificate.

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Bring your family and friends, and enjoy a day of bargain hunting and sunshine! Interested in being a vendor? Call or email us at [communityreccenter@gmail.com](mailto:communityreccenter@gmail.com) for information and to reserve your spot. Last day to sign up and secure your payments is July 18th.

### SUMMER DVD SWAP

Starting July 3, Wed-Sun • 11:00am-7:00pm

Everyday that the Rec Center is open you can stop by and swap out your old DVDs for ones you haven't seen yet! Did you know we also have a movie room? We take special requests! Just come on in and enjoy your movie favorites.

## JBLE AQUATIC CENTER

641 Tyler Ave. • (757) 878-1090



## ADVENTURE POOL

### SUMMER HOURS

WED-FRI 12:00pm-4:00pm

SAT-SUN 12:00pm-5:00pm

JBLE Aquatics Center, 641 Tyler Ave, Fort Eustis



## OUTDOOR POOL SUMMER HOURS\*

Thu-Fri 1:00pm-6:00pm • Sat-Sun 11:00am-6:00pm

Located behind The Fort Eustis Club, 2124 Pershing, Ave

## LAP POOL

Mon-Fri 5:00am-4:00pm • Sun 12:00pm-4:00pm

## OUTDOOR LUAU

Fri, July 12 • 3:00pm-5:00pm • 2124 Pershing, Ave

Make a splash at the Outdoor Pool with a free event combined with the Gary Sinise Serving Heroes Free Community meal! Enjoy burgers, hotdogs & fries catered by The Fort Eustis Club! Plus have fun with more free entertainment, music, games, and Dunkin Splash!

## FREE FOOD FRIDAY AT THE AQUATIC CENTER

July 19 & August 9th • 12:00pm-4:00pm

Grab your free hotdogs & drinks over at the Adventure Pool! Featuring a three-story water slide, mushroom waterfall, whirlpool, and lazy river; our Adventure Pool brings fun for the entire family! Please call to make a reservation.

## SUMMER PARTY

Fri, August 16 • 3:00pm-6:00pm

Outdoor Pool, 2124 Pershing, Ave

Party with us for at the outdoor pool! Enjoy entertainment, music, free concessions, games, and Dunkin Splash! Free to enter.

## END OF SUMMER SPLASH

Fri, August 30 • 2:00pm-4:00pm

Summer may be close to an end, but the fun continues! Stop on over at the Adventure Pool and enjoy a free ice pop & popcorn with paid entry! Please call to make a reservation.



Visit [www.jble-eustismwr.com/AQC](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/AQC) or scan the QR code to check out our daily entry fees and special discounts. Don't miss out on our affordable monthly memberships and punch cards—perfect for making a splash without breaking the bank!

# FORT EUSTIS SPECIAL EVENTS



*Exciting events await you nearly every month at Fort Eustis! From festive celebrations and family fun days, there's always something special happening. Join us and be a part of our vibrant community & excitement!*

FORT EUSTIS

GET READY FOR  
A FULL DAY OF

ROCK

LATIN JAZZ

R&B

SAT, JULY 20, 2024

MORE DETAILS COMING SOON

## FORT EUSTIS MUSIC FEST

Sat, July 20 • 3:00pm-9:00pm

TRADOC Stage, 950 Jefferson Ave

Join us for our first ever music festival! Experience an unforgettable day featuring three incredible music genres: Rock, Latin, and R&B. Enjoy a variety of vendors, delicious food trucks, and fun children's activities provided by USO. Check our event for future details: [www.jble-eustismwr.com/musicfest](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/musicfest).

## COMMUNITY BLOCK PARTY

Thu, August 15 • 4:00pm-9:00pm

TRADOC Stage, 950 Jefferson Ave

Enjoy fun activities for kids, live music, and a free community meal! Details for signing up for the backpack giveaway for kids will be updated on our website: [www.jble-eustismwr.com/blockparty](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/blockparty).

## LOOKING FOR MORE EVENTS?

Scan & sign up for our eNewsletter to receive weekly updates of your Eustis Life!



## GRONINGER LIBRARY

1313 Washington Blvd. • (757) 878-5017



# SUMMER @ YOUR LIBRARY

## SUMMER AT YOUR LIBRARY KICKOFF PARTY!

Fri, July 9 • 2:30pm • 1313 Washington Blvd

We've missed you all! So come and join us for our grand re-opening! Celebrate the start of an amazing summer filled with reading adventures, fun activities, and exciting programs for all ages. Enjoy games, crafts, and refreshments as we launch into a season of learning and fun. Don't miss out on the festivities—see you at the library!

## SUMMER @ YOUR LIBRARY EVENTS

### July

#### KICKSTART YOUR IMAGINATION

July 9 | 2:30 pm

Every day people find new ways to reuse old things. How big is your imagination? What can you build or make with cardboard?

#### LET IT GROW!

July 23 | 2:30 pm

Why are plants important? What impacts do they have on the world around us? Join us to learn about plants and nature.

### August

#### ANIMAL ADVENTURES

August 6 | 2:30 pm

Where do ducks live? How about giraffes? Let's explore animal habitats, just remember to watch out for the skunks!



#### LET'S GET BUGGY!!

July 16 | 2:30 pm

Let's learn how different bugs help our environment. Wear comfortable shoes for a nature walk (weather permitting).

#### FLOAT LIKE A BUTTERFLY

July 30 | 2:30 pm

Today we combine the science of water and one of our favorite insects, the butterfly! Our objects (not butterflies) float or sink?

#### SUMMER SPLASH

August 16 | 2:30 pm

Enjoy the end of summer with a splash party right here at your library! Also bring a book to swap with a friend in our library book swap!



## SHOW US YOUR #EUSTISLIFE



Our Fort Eustis community is at the heart of everything we do, and we want to showcase YOU! Whether you're grabbing lunch at one of our facilities, playing a game at the Bowling Center, or just enjoying our special events, we want to see your best #EustisLife photos.

**What:** Your best #EustisLife photos

**Where:** Submit your photos at [www.jble-eustismwr.com/eustislife](http://www.jble-eustismwr.com/eustislife)

**Why:** To be featured on our social media, website, and our newsletters!

## SUMMER @ YOUR LIBRARY

July 7 - August 17

All Ages



## Register now on Beanstack

Register - Join a challenge - Log minutes

(starting July 7) - WIN prizes!!

Top readers will win passes to

Busch Gardens Williamsburg



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