

Fort Richardson

This Week

SATURDAY

Guitar Hero

Rock out on Guitar Hero at the Arctic Chill in Bldg. 655 and compete for a \$50 first prize. The fun begins today at 10 p.m. and will last until midnight. This event is open to all single Soldiers and family members 18 and older.

For more information, call 384-7619.

Free snowboard race

Stop by Dyea Ski Hill today for some fun in the snow and a free snowboard race from 2 to 3 p.m. This event is open to everyone in the community.

Pool tournament

Come to the Warrior Zone, Bldg. 655, today for an 8-ball pool tournament from 2 to 6 p.m.

For more information, call 384-9006.

SATURDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

Fur Rondy poker

The Arctic Chill is offering qualifiers for a total of 10 seats in the Fur Rendezvous Alaska Hold 'em Tournament of Champions Saturday at 3 p.m. and Wednesday and Thursday at 5 p.m. in Bldg. 655.

For more information, call 384-7619.

TUESDAY

Strong families

An Army Family Team Building Level I class will be offered today in Bldg. 600, Rm. A37 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

To register, call 384-1513.



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Creative observance

Barbara Olson and her daughters Lillian, 9, and Bethy, 7, work on a craft project during the Betsy Ross Day celebration at the Fort Richardson Consolidated Library. The Olson's, who are stationed at Elmendorf Air Force Base, decided to see what resources were offered at Consolidated Library and stayed to enjoy Betsy Ross Day activities too.

Manage your stress

The Family Advocacy Program is featuring Stress Management Class (Part 2) from 3:30 to 5 p.m. today in Bldg. 600, Rm. A18.

For more details or to sign up, call 384-0504.

WEDNESDAY

Deployment briefing

Join Army Community Service for deployment briefings on the emotional cycles of deployment in Bldg. 600, Rm. A37 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. today.

For more details, call 384-0503.

Epilepsy explained

The Exceptional Family Member Program will host a class today explaining epilepsy in Bldg. 600, Rm. A137 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

For more details, call 384-0225.

Newcomers orientation

Army Community Service is having a newcomer's orientation in the Community Education Complex, Bldg. 7, lecture hall at 9 a.m. for Soldiers and their spouses.

Ongoing

Help us help you

Youth Services is featuring a survey to help better serve the needs of teens on Fort Wainwright.

To take the survey, stop by Youth Services or log on to www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=UDhkjGWvFSbNXRydvHii0A_3d_3d.

Dirty vehicle

Don't let the cold weather keep you from having a clean vehicle. The Auto Skills Center has two heated, indoor car wash bays where you can get your vehicle clean again. The bays are open during normal business hours.

For more information, call 353-7436.

Play with the kids

The Last Frontier Community Center hosts Army Community Service's Play Morning every Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Children can enjoy developmentally appropriate activities, including play time, crafts, singing and more. A copy of a child's current shot records is required for them to participate.

For more information, call 353-7515 or 353-4345.

Cross-country skiing

Learn how to cross-country ski with Outdoor Recreation. Lessons are 45 minutes and are offered all winter

long. Equipment is provided through the \$25 class fee.

For more information or to schedule your lesson, call 361-7746.

Spin for fun

Spin classes are offered at the Physical Fitness Center Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at noon and Saturdays at 10 a.m. for \$3 each. Punch cards are available for purchase.

Call 353-7274 for details.

Work and play

Come to the Last Frontier Community Center's "Mommy Gym" and get in a great workout while the children play.

The gym is open Monday through Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday and Friday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday from 1 to 6 p.m.

New January classes

Is your child interested in horseback riding, piano, photography, sewing, tae kwon do or art? If so, visit Child, Youth and School Services Registration in Bldg. 4176 to enroll your child in one or more of the many classes offered by SKIESUnlimited.

For registration information, call 361-7713 or 361-3218.

Seward getaway

If you are looking to get out of town for a few days, try Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation's Seward Resort.

Located three hours from Anchorage, the resort offers cabins, townhouses, campsites, yurts, recreational vehicle hookups, snowmachine rentals and cross-country skiing trails. Receive three nights for the price of two all winter long.

For more information, check out the Web site at www.sewardresort.com or call (907) 224-2654.

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SATURDAY

Safe snowmachining

The Outdoor Recreation Center is hosting a free snowmachine safety class today at 9 a.m. A snowmachine safety card will be issued at the end of the course. The safety card is required for all who wish to rent snowmachines from ORC.

Call 361-4089 for details.

Find a treasure

The Outdoor Recreation Center is offering a free geocaching outing today from 1 to 5 p.m. ORC will load coordinates into your GPS and help you navigate your way through Fairbanks. This is a great family event. Bring your own GPS or ORC will provide one for you.

For more information, call 361-4089. To register, call 361-6349.

WEDNESDAY

Consumer aware

Army Community Service is offer-

For more information, call 384-1515.

Dance classes

Child, Youth and School Services' SKIESUnlimited program is offering a hip hop jazz class at the Family Zone in Bldg. 540 every Wednesday for children 3 to 5 from 5 to 5:45 p.m. and for children 6 to 18 from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m.

Registration for the class must be done in person at the CYSS registration office in Bldg. 600, Rm. 142.

For more information, call 384-3862.

Upcoming

JAN. 23

Arm wrestling

Test your strength at the Arctic Chill, Bldg. 655, and compete in an arm wrestling competition Jan. 23 from 5:45 to 8 p.m.

For more information, call 384-7619.

Let it snow

Families are invited to visit the Consolidated Library Jan. 23 from 4 to 4:45 p.m. to make free snow crafts to send to their loved ones who are deployed to the desert.

For more information, call 384-1640.

JAN. 29

Serious business

The Alaska Central Region Small Business Development Center will offer a workshop on how to write a business plan Jan. 29 from 1 to 4:30 p.m. in the Community Education Complex, Rm. 215. Pre-registration is required.

Call 384-3501 for more information.

ing a consumer awareness class today from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the Welcome Center. Learn how to protect your financial security by avoiding scams and identity theft, consumer rights and responsibilities and making large purchases, such as furniture, vehicles and homes.

For more information, call 353-7438.

THURSDAY

Stay warm

Army Community Service is offering a Sewing Up the Cold class today from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Welcome Center. Learn how to sew polar fleece socks.

Call 353-7908 for reservations.

Upcoming

JAN. 24

Poker 101

Come out to The Zone and learn how to play Texas Hold 'em poker Jan. 24. A practice tournament will be featured at 6 p.m., which will include prizes and playing tutorials.

For more information, call 353-1087.

JAN. 28

Advisory council

Child, Youth and School Services will host a Parent and Youth Advisory Council meeting Jan. 28 at School Age Services from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Call 361-7713 for information.

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