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Fort Leonard Wood to hold employer day

FORT LEONARD WOOD, Mo. – The Fort Leonard Wood Soldier for Life Transition Assistance Program is slated to host an employer day from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Sept. 9 at Nutter Field House.

The employer day is scheduled to include more than 20 employers who are actively hiring in every career field to fill positions locally and nationally.

A limited number of employers will be featured. This is a networking opportunity, which allows job seekers to become acquainted with companies that have multiple job openings. The employers will be available to answer questions regarding opportunities and full-time positions.

The primary objective of this event is to facilitate the process of matching qualified candidates to employers with rewarding jobs.

Organizers said employer representatives invest a lot of time and resources to participate in employment events, and participate to screen candidates for existing or future job openings.

Employers also participate to introduce themselves as a desirable place to work and to promote their company. Some of the participants include Garney Construction Company, Tyson Foods, Missouri Department of Transportation – maintenance and highway workers, Missouri government, Customs and Border Protection, Proctor and Gamble, Quaker Oats, Prime Inc., Stevens Transportation, Irving Texas and Overland Park Kansas police departments.

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This event will be followed by a hiring fair scheduled on Oct. 30 at Nutter Field House, where there will be multiple employers, education and technical training opportunities on hand.

For information on employer day, call 573.596.0131, ext. 60175.

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For more information, contact the Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office at 573.563.4145.

About Fort Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation that has evolved from a small basic training post 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence that trains about 80,000 military and civilians each year.

Home to the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Fort Leonard Wood now trains and educates service members and develops doctrine and capabilities for the Training and Doctrine Command's U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear School, U.S. Army Engineer School, and U.S. Army Military Police School, three gender integrated Initial Military Training brigades, and the Army's largest Noncommissioned Officers Academy.

Over the past several years, Fort Leonard Wood has received numerous additional responsibilities to include supporting a colonel-commanded Marine Corps Detachment and an Air Force Detachment, which are both the largest on any Army installation, are located on Fort Leonard Wood; a large Navy Seabee Detachment and elements of the Coast Guard train here as well.
