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MAJOR MARSHAL NEUBAUER TAKES THE SEAT OF DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR THE 14TH FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON

Welcome aboard, Major Marshal Neubauer! Stepping into the role of Deputy Director for the 14th Force Support Squadron, Major Neubauer has hit the ground running! Coming from the Air Force's largest combat wing, Kadena Air Base, Japan, Major Neubauer brings with him a wealth of experience, passion, and vibrant energy to the team here in Columbus. We're thrilled to have him join the ranks of the 'FUN SQUADRON' and lead us in supporting and providing 5-star services to our Airmen, their families, and the entire CAFB community.

His Air Force journey began in 2004 when he enlisted as a Finance technician, serving first at Ramstein Air Base, Germany, and then Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, After a brief separation in 2008, where he graduated from the University of Wisconsin - River Falls with a Bachelor of Science in History and Secondary Education, he returned to the Air Force in 2013 as a commissioned officer. Throughout his career, Major

Neubauer has held a variety of positions, showcasing his versatility and commitment to excellence. From roles in Noncombatant Evacuation Operations (NEO) at Yokota Air Base, Japan, Wing Protocol at Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska, ROTC Instructor at San Jose State University in San Jose, California, and finally, before arriving to Columbus, as Flight Commander of the Military Personnel Flight at Kadena Air Base, Japan; through it all he has consistently demonstrated his ability to adapt to new challenges and lead with integrity.

Major Neubauer has served on three deployments, to include Incirlik Air Base in Türkiye, Al Udeid Air Base in Qatar, and his most recent in Jerusalem, Israel as a United Nations Peacekeeper, His global perspective and firsthand knowledge of diverse cultures will undoubtedly enrich our team.

Beyond his military duties, Major Neubauer is a man of diverse

interests. He finds joy in activities such as biking, exploring the open road on motorcycles, delving into the intricacies of cars. reading, woodworking, defense economics, staying updated on the latest in personal technology, environmentalism, and exploring investment opportunities. These passions not only reflect his multifaceted personality but also serve as outlets for relaxation and personal growth. Once he retires, he looks forward to returning to teaching at the college level.





Honoring Military Spouses: The Backbone of Service

National Military Spouse Appreciation Day is May 10, 2024. It's a time to pause and acknowledge military spouses' vital role in supporting our service members. They are the unsung heroes, quietly but firmly holding down the fort while their loved ones serve our country.

The Military & Family Readiness Center is gearing up for an unforgettable celebration at the Event Center! Picture a day filled with gifts, exciting giveaways, enticing door prizes, and delicious refreshments. The event is a Taylor Swift's Eras Tour-themed experience, offering a fascinating journey through the decades and highlighting the enduring contributions of military spouses from World War I to the Present Day.

From 1000 to 1400 on May 10, the MFRC programs, FSS facilities, and community partners will come together for an Open House to celebrate, honor, and express gratitude to Columbus Air Force Base's military spouses for their unwavering dedication. We encourage all military spouses, to join in on the celebration and take time to celebrate together!

The MFRC is committed to providing the support and resources that military spouses need to thrive with a variety of programs assisting Airman and Families in their pursuit of education, employment opportunities or mental health services.

Feel free to stop by the building or reach out to Work/Life Consultant, Beth Gosney at (662) 434-2790 for details.

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- · Give them a well-deserved day off.
- Take on a chore they dislike.
- Surprise them with a thoughtful gift.
- Get creative in expressing your thanks.
- Pamper yourselves with a spa day or nature walk.
- Cook a delicious meal or surprise them with breakfast in bed.
- Watch a movie or show they love.
- Solve a problem or tackle a task for them.
- Share a list of reasons why you appreciate them.
- Send a heartfelt message if they're deployed.

Let's make this Military Spouse Appreciation Day one to remember with acts of kindness and love!

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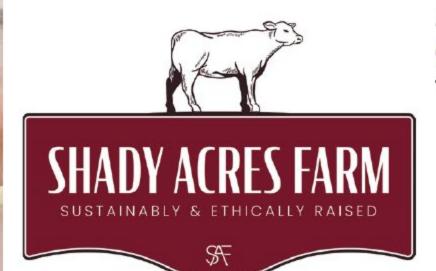
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With the Tombigbee Waterway and Lake Lowndes beckoning, kayaking enthusiasts are in for a treat. ODR offers a wide array of kayaks and essential gear for rent, ensuring a seamless adventure on the water. Moreover, Outdoor Rec extends its offerings beyond kayaks, providing access to bass boats, pontoons, canoes, and paddleboards, all available for rent at daily, 3-day, and weekly rates. To enhance your experience, they also offer trailers for transport, coolers, and life vests, ensuring your trip is nothing short of extraordinary.

INDEPENDENCE POOL OASIS:

Cool off from the Mississippi heat and enjoy soaking in the fun at the Independence Pool. Whether you're keen on swimming laps lounging in the sun, or splashing with your family, the pool is a highlight of the summer for all ages. Mark your calendars for the official opening on Friday, May 24, where they'll kick off the season with a 90's Party and an Anything But A Boat Race! Did you know you can reserve the entire pool just for yourself? That's right, facility rentals are available for private pool parties!

INFLATABLE FUN:

Elevate the fun factor at your summer gatherings with bounce houses and water slides available for rent. From the 13ft Pirate Ship Waterslide to the Joust Arena - ODR has the perfect jumper for your occasion. Turn your backyard into an amusement zone where kids and adults can enjoy bouncing, sliding, and creating memories.

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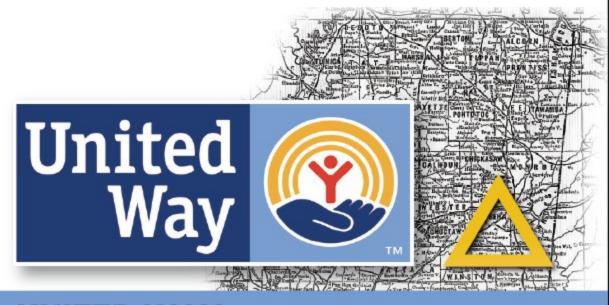
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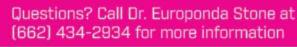












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