

# OCT-DEC'23 NEWSLETTER



# PATRIOT ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS

The Hunt Military Communities Foundation tasked military children to write what it means to show their patriotism as a way to honor 9/11, those who lost their lives, and those who still feel the pain of this day. We are proud to recognize the children who thoughtfully expressed their feelings, Congratulations to our 2023 Essay Winners:

- Kelsyn S. from Pearl Harbor
- Harrison L. from Maxwell
- Eden V. from Little Rock
- Norman Z. from Keesler

- Natalie K. from Pearl Harbor
- Alyssa T. from MCBH
- Justin D. from Fort Sam Houston
- Eran H. from Banker

# **OCTOBER IS ENERGY ACTION MONTH**

Get ready to power up and make a difference in our community! October is officially Energy Action Month, and we're excited to invite you to join us in taking meaningful steps towards a more sustainable and energy-efficient future.

Every small action counts, and together we can create a lasting impact on our environment and on reducing energy costs. Here are some simple yet powerful ways you can participate in Energy Action Month:

- 1) **Turn Off and Unplug:** Be mindful of turning off lights, electronics, and appliances when not in use. Unplugging chargers and devices can make a significant difference in reducing energy consumption.
- 2) **Optimize Thermostat Settings:** Adjust your thermostat to conserve energy. Lower the temperature in cooler months and raise it in warmer months to save on heating and cooling.
- 3) **Conserve Water:** Report any leaky faucets and take shorter showers. Every drop saved helps in conserving this precious resource.
- 4) **Switch to LED Lights:** Replace traditional light bulbs with energy-efficient LED bulbs. They last longer and consume less electricity.

Join us in this exciting initiative to make a lasting impact on our environment and reduce our collective carbon footprint. Together, we can create a more sustainable future for our families and generations to come. For more energy conservation tips, visit <u>https://www.huntmilitarycommunities.com/resident-resources</u>. Let's shine a light on energy efficiency and show our neighbors what we can accomplish together!

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# **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Starting in October, we will be prepping for the end of the year holidays, so stay tuned!

# **COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS**

We will be finishing up the storm damage clean-up by the end of October!!

# **MAINTENANCE CORNER**

### **Smoke Detectors**

Smoke alarms save lives. Smoke alarms that are properly installed and maintained play a vital role in reducing fire deaths and injuries. If there is a fire in your home, smoke spreads fast and you need smoke alarms to give you time to get out.

- Test your smoke alarms at least once a month. Press the test button to be sure the alarm is working.
- A closed door may slow the spread of smoke, heat and fire.

# IMPORTANT COMMUNITY EVENTS OCTOBER 2023

### **Trunk or Treat**

On October 27th from 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM, we are hosting a Trunk or treat event being supported by MWR, our local base contractor. We will have candy and treats, as well as costumes. Address is 7915 Memphis Ave. Millington, TN.

## **NOVEMBER 2023**

### **Turkey Giveaway**

From November 1st - November 17th, residents will submit what they are most thankful for. The winner will be picked on the 17th of November at 2 PM, and they will win a turkey with a basket full of fixings. This event is while supplies last.

## **DECEMBER 2023**

### **Cookies and Cocoa**

On December 15th from 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM, we will have cookie decorating, milk, and cocoa. This event is while supplies last.



## OCTOBER EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

### Christopher "Chris"

Chris is a Maintenance Tech here at Mid-South Family Housing. Chris recently started with Mid-South and has enjoyed learning his way. One fun fact about Chris is he can play the trombone. Chris also is an avid swimmer and once won a race on his high school swim team. He enjoys learning something new every day and the fact that each day brings a new challenge.



# NOVEMBER EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

### Kelli

Kelli is Leasing Specialist. Kelli enjoys glamping and boat rides. The outdoors are a great time to spend with her husband and grandchildren. Kelli enjoys cooking on the grill for family and friends. She enjoys learning something new every day and the fact that each day brings a new challenge.



# DECEMBER EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

### Rashay

Rashay is a Resident Service Specialist. Rashay has 2 little sweet boys and just welcomed her sweet baby girl to the family a few months ago. Rashay loves to go hiking whenever she gets the chance. She enjoys learning something new every day and the fact that each day brings a new challenge.

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# 2023 DECEMBER

SAT	FRI	THU	WED	TUE	MON	SUN
02	Rent is Due Pet of the Month Starts Facebook					
09	08	Pet of the Month Ends Facebook National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day	06	05 Trash Pick-up	04	03
16 Wreaths Across America	Holiday Decorating Contest Starts Facebook Cookies and Cocoa 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM	14	13 National Guard Birthday	12 Trash & Recycling Pick-up	1	10
23	22	First Day Of Winter Holiday Decorating Contest Ends Facebook	20 Space Force Birthday	19 Trash Pick-up	18	1
30	29	28	27	26 Trash & Recycling Pick-up	25 OFFICE CLOSED	24
						31 New Year's Eve



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