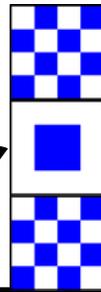




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RAPIDS Self-Service

[RAPIDS Self-Service \(RSS\)](#) is now available to CAC holders! RSS is a website that allows CAC holders to update their information and verify family members for DoD ID card reissuance. Using this web based application, CAC holders have the ability to update certain information associated with their record.

Additionally, they may use RSS to verify a family member's relationship and eligibility by digitally signing the DD Form 1172-2 for ID card reissuance. A DD Form 1172-2 that is digitally-signed and generated through RSS will be stored in DEERS and is a viewable document in RAPIDS. **Once verified using RSS, Sponsors no longer need to accompany their family members to get the ID card.**

24th Annual Clean the Bay Day

Clean the Bay Day is a combined community and government demonstration of commitment to the restoration and preservation of the Chesapeake Bay. This year's event is the 24th Annual Clean the Bay Day and will be held on 2 June from 0900-1200 at Navy installations throughout Hampton Roads located within the Chesapeake Bay watershed. Volunteers are needed not only for the cleanup of trash from shorelines and tributaries, but for collection of valuable data on the amount and type of trash collected.

Commands are encouraged to designate a Command Coordinator to seek command volunteers, act as a Zone Coordinator the day of the event, answer questions on Clean the Bay Day, and help publicize the event. Please contact Naval Station Norfolk coordinator: [BMC Lee Gaines](#) at 444-1358 or Clean the Bay Day Regional Coordinator: [Eddie DuRant](#) at 341-0455.

XO's Comments

Energy Focus: Shutdown your NMCI Computer! NMCI recommends you shut your computer down at the end of the work day. If your NMCI seat requires a software update, it will turn on automatically to receive the update. Additional information on the link below.

(<https://www.homeport.navy.mil/support/articles/xp-shut-down/>)

Shutting down 25,000 computers every night at NSN will save almost \$1 Million dollars a year!

Summer Barracks Bash

On 7 June, Naval Station Norfolk's MWR Liberty Program will kickoff Summer with their Salute to Summer Barracks Bash from 1700-2230 at the field behind Wall Manor Barracks at the corner of Bainbridge and Gilbert near Gate 3. Festivities include: music, food, the rock climbing wall, obstacle courses, volleyball, and the bungee bull just to name a few along with several contests and prizes.

So get your Sandcastle building team together and compete for passes to Bush Gardens! The evening will end with a movie on the lawn. Come out and join the fun! This event is FREE and open to all active duty aged 18 and older and one guest.

OpSail Viewing Areas

Looking for a great area to view the two Parades of Sail on June 6 and 8? Naval Station Norfolk MWR will have bleachers set up and concessions for sale just west of the Fishing Pier from 1000-1230 each day. Anyone with access to the base to authorized to view the parades from this location.

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Events of Interest

- 1-3 June: [Patriotic Festival](#) (Virginia Beach)
- 2 June: [24th Annual Clean the Bay Day](#) (0900-Noon)
- 3 June: [Breezy Point Triathlon](#) (0800)
- 4 June: [Battle of Midway Wreath Laying](#) (0900, Ely Memorial Park)
- 6 June: [OpSail Sea and Air Parade](#)
- 6 June: [EMWG Meeting](#) Bldg B-30 1000
- 6 June: [Monthly Giant Voice test](#) 1200
- 8 June: [Harborfest/OpSail2012](#)
- 9 June: [Washington Redskins visit](#)
- 14 June: [PSD Afloat CPC Meeting](#) (1000, Bldg. W-130 conference room)
- 22 June: [TGI Fitness Challenge](#)
- 28 June: [PSD Afloat CPC Meeting](#) (1000, Bldg. W-130 conference room)
- 29 June: [NSN Command Picnic](#)
- 5 July: [CORTRAMID begins](#)

Occupancy Rates

Looking for billeting for you Sailors? PPV (Public Private Venture) billeting on Naval Station Norfolk is currently 99.3% occupied. For more information on billeting contact [Tom Weber](#) (PPV) or [Harold Parker](#) (Navy managed).

Gate 3A Construction

Reminder: Weekend construction on Gate 3A canopy continues. Gate 3A is closed from Fridays at 2000 until Mondays at 0500 until early October. Pedestrian and vehicular traffic should use Gate 2 which will remain open on weekends.

TGI Fitness Challenge

The 2nd Annual TGI Fitness Command Fitness Challenge is scheduled for Friday, 22 June at 0805. Commands will compete as teams in a variety of fitness events to determine the overall champion. For more information and to register a team, please contact the Fitness and Sports Office at 444-2276.

CORTRAMID Midshipmen arrive 5 July to begin training.