

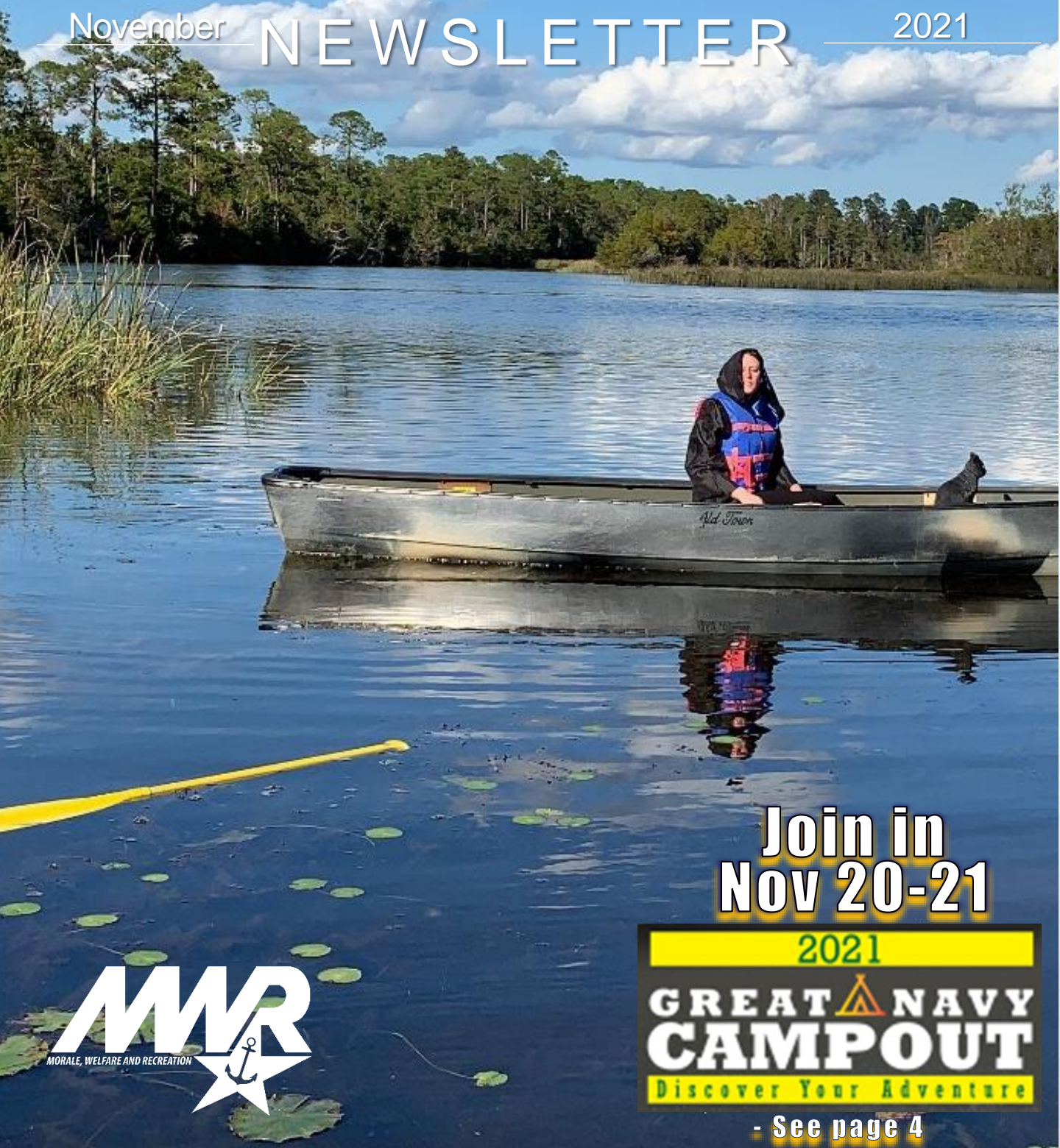
Morale, Welfare & Recreation Department at Naval Air Station Whiting Field

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November

NEWSLETTER

2021



Join in
Nov 20-21

2021

GREAT  NAVY
CAMPOUT

Discover Your Adventure



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Win a Bird!
Until Nov 23rd

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- Win a Bird

Basketball Hoops Palooza (All Month – pg 7)

- Show us your best shots!



Coming in December

Trees for Troops / Tree Lighting– Dec 2

Santa Fly-in Holiday Event– Dec 11

On the Cover!



Great Navy Campout at Whiting Park on the Blackwater River – Enjoy Mother Nature! Reserve your spot for the November 20-21 event. Rent boats, play in the water, enjoy nature.

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED - See page 4

WATCH FOR THESE ICONS!

➤ Click to sign up or register for an event through our secure website



➤ Click to explore all the information about the event or program through our website



Programs & Events

CLICK!



PAINT AND Sip

Double Sided
Pallet Art

Wednesday
Nov 10

\$25 PER
PERSON



Sikes Hall

4:30pm

RESERVE BY NOV 9

Community Recreation
850-623-7032



Paint and Sip: Double Sided Pallet Art

Date and Time: Wednesday, November 10 – 4:30pm

Eligibility: Military/ DOD ID card holders and family members

Location: Sikes Hall

Description: Spend the evening painting and customizing your pre-constructed double sided pallet at our Paint and Sip. Our paint night will include an instructor lead paint night with all art supplies provided along with a drink ticket. Be fit for two seasons with our themed painting event.

Fee: \$25

Register by: Tuesday, Nov 9 call 850-623-7032

Provided: Price includes all supplies and a beverage ticket for wine, beer or soda

What to bring: Inner Bob Ross

Use MyFFR for online registration: <https://myffr.navyaims.com/wbWSC/nrsewhitingfield.wsc/wbsplash.html?wbp=1>

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Programs & Events

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EXPLORE!



2021

GREAT NAVY CAMPOUT

Discover Your Adventure

Presented by

T-Mobile

November 20-21 (Sat/Sun)
Whiting Park

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED
850-623-2383



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REGISTRATION IS MANDATORY BY NOV 19

This FREE event is open to all Military/ DOD ID card holders and family members





Active Duty

CLICK!

EXPLORE!

Thanksgiving Dinner Party!

Thursday, November 25
Festivities begin at 1:00pm

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS FOR THEIR GENEROUS SUPPORT



WARHAWGS



Call us to join in: 850-623-7032

Date and Time: Thursday, November 25, beginning at 1:00pm until everyone's plates are finished
Eligibility: Active Duty Single Sailors, Geo-Bachelors, and All First Responders on duty on Thanksgiving Day at NAS Whiting Field
Location: To be determined
Description: Enjoy Thanksgiving Dinner with all the fixings thanks to the generous support of our sponsors – First Command, Warhaws, First Baptist Church Milton and our NEX and Commissary
Volunteers call us to join in: Community Recreation call 850-623-7032

Fitness / Sports

FITNESS CENTER:

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday – Friday 4:30am-9:00pm

Sat, Sun & Hol 8:00am-4:00pm



Fitness News

Let us help you
Stay Fit!

Follow along on our



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EXPLORE!

WHITING ARM LIFTING CHALLENGE

November
8-15

Who has the
MIGHTIEST GRIP
on Whiting?

3 GRIP TESTS

Awards for top **three**
Male & Female Grippers

Thank you to
our sponsor



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NAS WHITING FIELD
FITNESS CENTER
850-623-7412



WHITING FIELD MWR FITNESS CENTER

Filled with top of line Fitness Equipment, our Fitness Center is designed to keep you Mission Ready. Speak with a certified trainer about any of your fitness needs today.

M-F 0430-2100
S/S- 0800-1600
HOLIDAY- 0800-1600
PHONE: 850.623.7412

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equipment highlights,
workout tips,
challenges,
and more!

Or download our APPs



www.NavyMWRWhitingField.com

The Whiting ARM LIFTING CHALLENGE will test to see who has the strongest grip on NAS Whiting Field.

All aspects of grip will be tested in 3 challenging lifts.

Awards will be given for first through third place in both male and female categories.

Who has the MIGHTIEST GRIP on Whiting?

Sponsored by:



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NAS WHITING FIELD

BASKETBALL HOOPS PALOOZA

November
Challenge

Give us your
best shots :

- Around the World
- Free Throws
- and 3 Pointers



FITNESS CENTER
850-623-7412

Basketball Hoops Palooza

Join us in the Fitness Center this month for this basketball challenge.

- Around the World
- Free Throws
- and 3 Pointers

Show us your skills
and you might

Win Something Cool!

Turkey Toss

Join us in the Fitness Center this month for this unique Medicine Ball Turkey Toss.

Show us your skills
and you might
Win a Bird!

TURKEY TOSS

November
Challenge



WIN A BIRD!

TOP MALE AND FEMALE WILL WIN A TURKEY

Winners announced on Tuesday, November 23 **CLICK!**



NAS Whiting Field
Fitness Center
850-623-7412



Navy General Library (Tower Books)

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday – Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

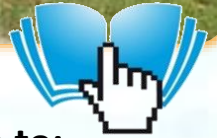
PATRONS: All Eligible Patrons

SERVICE NOTES:

- The Library is open to browse resources
- Returned items are not available for at least 24 hours

You can request an item by either calling the Library at 850-623-7861 or email the Library at

whitingfieldlibrary@gmail.com



To view our catalog go to:

["https://milrec.bibliovation.com"](https://milrec.bibliovation.com)

Join us for Story Time every Wednesday!

Join us every Wednesday at 10:00am for story time in the Tower Books & Café. This program is recommended for ages 2-4 and parents must be present with their children for the duration of the program. Registration is not required but space is limited.

This event is open to all eligible MWR patrons.

Visit our Youtube channel for a collection of our Story Time videos:

["https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMMGir5OcQTLzWe-5Ea3nLA"](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMMGir5OcQTLzWe-5Ea3nLA).

Join us for

Story
TIME
10:00am

FREE

REGISTRATION
NOT REQUIRED

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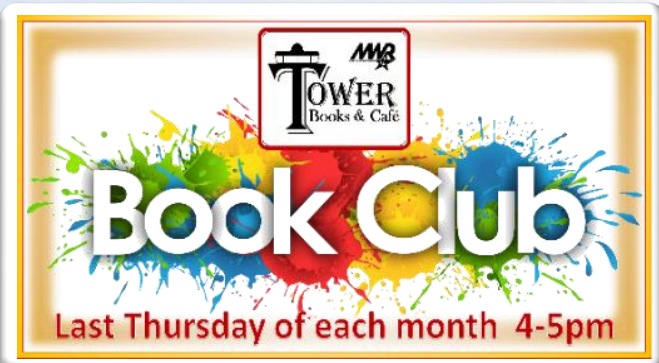
EXPLORE!

MEET EVERY WEDNESDAY

IN THE "TOWER BOOKS & CAFÉ"

Every Wednesday

Call us for more information 850-623-7861



Book Club Takes a Holiday Break!

We'll meet again in the new year on Thursday, January 28th from 4-5:00pm.

Stay tuned as we post our book selections for the new year!

We'll let everyone know when to visit the Tower Books & Café to pick up your book and get your name on the list.



CLOSED

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

WE'LL BE BACK AS SOON
AS WE CAN FOLKS!

Now is a great time to try one of our other dining locations.

Food & Beverage

TAKE OUT ONLY!

Menu

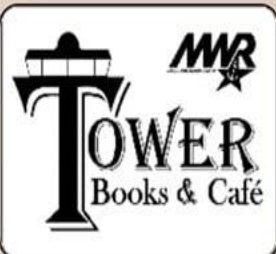


Tower Cafe,
Bldg. 2998

Phone: 850-623-7290

Our Tower Café is the perfect place to relax, read and study. This is our own gourmet coffee shop featuring Starbucks products, pastries, breakfast sandwiches and panini's all day. This is a great study spot!

Hours of operation: Mon - Fri 6:00am-1:00pm



South Field Snack Bar,
Bldg. 2977

Phone: 850-623-6574

Located inside the South Field Squadron building, serving up traditional fast order menu items.

Hours of operation: Mon-Fri, 6:00am-7:00pm

Menu



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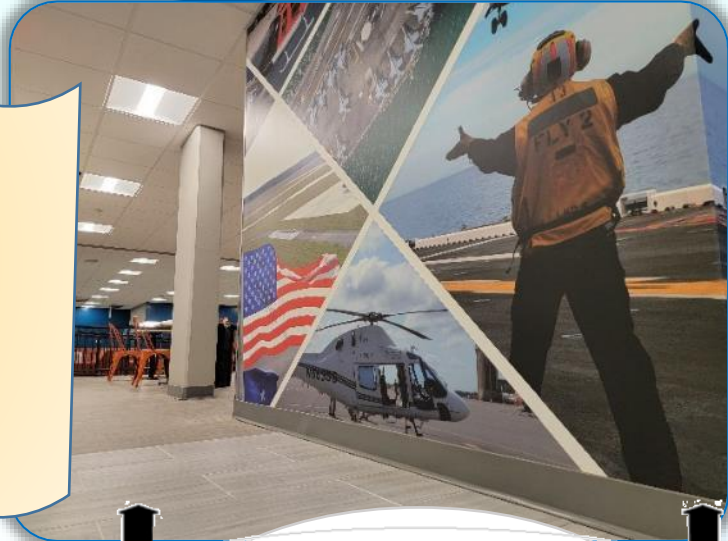
Liberty News

* LIBERTY PROGRAM IS OPEN TO ACTIVE DUTY AND GEO-BACHELORS *

LIBERTY CENTER REMAINS CLOSED

Hang In There Folks!

It won't be long until we relocate to
Airdales Recreation Center.



**COMING
SOON!**



**We're almost
ready to
open the
doors!**

- ✓ Huge Gaming Areas
- ✓ Kid's Play Zone
- ✓ Stadium Seating Movie Theater
- ✓ and so much more!

Community Recreation

CLEAR CREEK RV PARK

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday – Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

On Site Services available at the Community Recreation Office.

Clear Creek RV Park



Stay! Play! Relax!

SERVICE NOTES:

- Reservations must be in advance and can be provided by calling the office at 850-623-7032 or by calling the 24/7 call center at 877-628-9233 (877-NAVY-BED) or by accessing <https://get.dodlodging.net>





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COMMUNITY RECREATION

(Bldg. 1417 Operations)

HOURS OF OPERATION: Monday – Friday

8:00am-4:00pm

PATRONS: All Eligible Patrons

SERVICE NOTES:

- Reservations for equipment check out is strongly encouraged by calling:
850-623-7032 / 850-665-6250 M-F 8:00am-4:00pm

PRICE LIST

Rental Equipment List

[Outdoor Recreation Rental Equipment.pdf](#)

PRICE LIST

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Whiting Park

Located on the banks of the beautiful Blackwater River in downtown Milton with plenty of room to play.

Offering a wide variety of water craft available to rent; including pontoon boats, kayaks, canoes, jon boats and even stand-up paddleboards!

There's a fishing pier, picnic pavilions, horse shoe pits, volleyball and basketball court.

Hours of operation:

Friday – Sunday: 7:30am – 4:00pm

Monday – Thursday: Closed

PRICE LIST



Updated June 2021

850-623-2383 or 850-741-8746



Whiting Park Recreation Area

- Six Riverfront Acres
- Boat Rentals
- Grills & Pavilions
- Fishing pier & more



5499 Old River Road
Milton, FL 32583
850-623-2383

Be ready with the Boater Safety Course

NAVY MWR

“Boater Safety Course”

In accordance with CNIC standards, NAS Whiting Field has implemented a boater safety course.

All individuals are required to complete our boater safety course and be in possession of their “Boater Safety Card” in order to operate any motorized watercraft at Whiting Park.

The Boater Safety Course consists of a written test and a practical proficiency demonstration for safe operation of our motorized vessels on the waters of the Blackwater River.

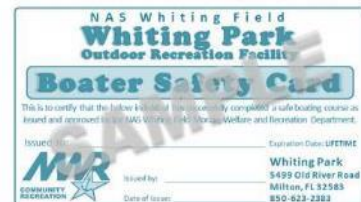
1. Test can be taken at any time during normal hours of operation.
2. The practical can be scheduled at the time the test is completed.

A “Boater Safety Card” will be issued by Whiting Park upon successful completion of the written test and the practical proficiency demonstration.

Additionally, those born after 1 Jan 1988 are required to provide proof of completion of the Florida state course available through www.boatus.org/florida.

Boater Safety Manuals are available at Whiting Park.

Furthermore, this card / course is reciprocated at NAS Pensacola as well as the completion of the NAS Pensacola boating safety course is recognized at NAS Whiting Field (Whiting Park).



Take this FREE course!

www.boatus.org/florida

Get Outdoors

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Wiggley Field Dog Park



Wiggley Field

Wiggley Field Dog Park is an exercise area built especially for our k-9 friends. We've converted the softball field under the water towers into a safe fenced in area to allow your pets a friendly place to play.

- One acre of grassy area surrounded by a padded 4 foot tall safety fence.
- Safety fence uses a double gate entry exit system for increased security.
- Shaded areas in the observation dug-outs and under the oak trees.
- Water faucet with hose and stainless steel bowls.
- Ample parking lot adjacent to dog park.

Call us at Community Recreation for more information 850-623-7032.

NAS Whiting Field Driving Range

Our driving range features grass tees, mat hitting surfaces, and a separate area for chipping practice. FREE Rental Clubs are available at: Community Recreation and the Fitness Center.

The range is open every day from sunrise to sunset. Range balls are available from the onsite dispenser using our tokens. Dispenser vends approximately 50 balls per token. Purchase \$2.00 tokens at the Community Recreation Desk, Fitness Center, North and South Field Snack Bars and at the Tower Cafe.

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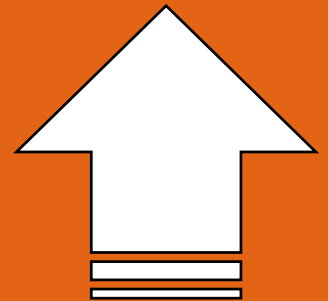
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