The Army West Point volleyball team secured a straight-set win (25-19, 28-26, 25-19) over rival Navy in the annual Army-Navy ‘Star’ Series presented by USAA on Saturday at Gillis Field House. (Above) The volleyball team yells “Beat Navy” after singing the Alma Mater. (Left) The Army West Point team storms the court after getting the final point to earn the victory as Navy looks on. (Below) Navy tries to spike a ball by two Army defenders, sophomore outside hitter Julia Johnson (#21) and junior middle blocker Paige Fixemer (#6). Photos by Mady Salvani/Army Athletic Communications and Class of 2023 Cadet Drew Adams
West Point hosts Emergency Preparedness Fair Saturday

By Shawn Herndon
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Specialist and Ready West Point Program Coordinator

Disasters disrupt thousands of lives every year, many times leaving behind lasting effects to both families and communities alike. How a family prepares and the thoroughness of that preparation is key to ensure all involved make it through any disaster event unscathed.

Individuals and families that plan for emergencies help keep people safe, limit property damage, know what to do during and after a disaster, support community preparedness, and help their community get back up and running after a disaster.

Basic protective measures will help keep you and your family prepared for all disasters to include having the skills to assess the situation, being involved in preparedness training and volunteer programs, ensuring an emergency fund of cash and supplies is developed and maintained and a disaster plan is practiced and ready to go on short notice.

Many disasters occur with little to no warning and every family needs to be ready to act immediately, often before instructions from authorities are provided.

Where can you start? From 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, U.S. Army Garrison West Point and the Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization and Security (DPTMS) will host the Emergency Preparedness Fair in the AAFES Exchange parking lot.

The fair will include more than 20 agencies both internal and external to West Point including Ready West Point, U.S. Military Academy Force Protection, USAG West Point Anti-Terrorism Force Protection, West Point Veterinary Clinic, Keller Army Community Hospital, USAG West Point Directorate of Human Resources with ADPAAS info, the American Red Cross, Orange County 911, FEMA Region II, New York State Department of Homeland Security Office of Emergency Management and the New York State Police just to name a few.

Participating agencies will provide important information to the community about how to be prepared prior to the next disaster, the types of support provided and also demonstrate resources available.

The fair will be a great place to gather information about disaster preparedness, and also can serve as an impetus to start that emergency prep kit that always gets talked about but seldom prioritized.

Remember Ready West Point’s three-pronged strategy: Make a Kit, Have a Plan and Be Informed. Make plans to attend this year’s Emergency Preparedness Fair so you and your family are properly prepared in the event of an emergency.

The fair is free and open to the entire West Point community and guests.
IN FOCUS: DEAN’S LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM

September 22, 2022

Brig. Gen. Shane Reeves, the Dean of the Academic Board, and his staff hosted a Leadership Symposium inside the Haig Room Aug. 31 at West Point.

Military and civilian leaders from across the Nation, including West Point and several regional organizations, completed a Leadership Symposium inside the Haig Room Aug. 31 at West Point.

The symposium was presented by the U.S. Military Academy and hosted by Brig. Gen. Shane Reeves, the Dean of the Academic Board, to foster honest discussions on the fundamentals of civil-military relationships, among other topics.

This theme helped drive the conversation to better understand how to navigate today’s civil-military relations while reaffirming civilian control over the military.

“We must have candid and deep discussions, which will inevitably shape our opinions so we can grow,” Reeves said. “We are here today because of our collective passion for this institution, the U.S. Army, our military and our Nation.”

Reeves explained that he was excited by the panelists’ vast array of viewpoints and experiences here.

“I am happy to be here because of the importance of civil-military relations,” Reeves said. “Having a better understanding of that environmental space is critical for us to do our jobs at the U.S. Military Academy in developing and inspiring these cadets.”

Other topics included exploring the difference between partisan and political activity, what drives the public’s confidence in the military, and how leadership adequately prepare cadets to steward the profession as company-grade officers and understand the roles and responsibilities of more senior officers.

Reeves pointed out how proud he was to see this group of engaging leaders who wanted to share discourse on these topics.

“We have military leaders, we have academics and we have civilian policymakers here to discuss important topics,” Reeves said. “We’re lucky to have such a diverse panel of experts here today.”

He also expressed, “I don’t think I could ask for a more knowledgeable, passionate, experienced group of scholars to help lead and guide my senior academic leaders in this space.”

Maj. Renee Sanjuan, the associate dean for Policy and Communications, said that planning this event was no small task.

“Our team has been working very hard to pull this event together,” Sanjuan said. “We worked tirelessly to make this happen, and I think this was a great event with great discussions.”

The conversations continued throughout the day, and by the end, it was apparent that much was accomplished.

“I want to thank you all for joining us today,” Reeves said. “All I ask is that as you return to your various organizations, universities and other networks in positions of influence, help other groups better understand these issues.”

He added, “Share your knowledge and experience from today to help people understand that West Point is facing (these issues) head-on, and share how the military is very, very engaged in this space.

“I hope this symposium provided a way forward for civil-military relations and perhaps to lead the world through these challenging discussions,” Reeves concluded.
Cadet competitive club captains awarded Centurion pins

Brig. Gen. Mark Quander, Commandant of the Corps of Cadets, presented Centurion Pins (Bottom left) to 17 captains of Cadet Competitive Club sports Sept. 13 at the Cadet Mess Hall. In the ancient Roman Army, Soldiers were awarded the rank of “Centurion” based on their strength, size and skills, as well as years of dedicated military service. In 2009, retired Maj. Gen. William Rapp, 1984 USMA graduate and then Commandant, created the Centurion Pin ceremony to recognize the accomplishments and dedication of competitive club team captains and the student athletic club coordinator who amplifies Gen. Douglas MacArthur’s quote “On the fields of friendly strife are sown the seeds that on other days and other fields will bear the fruit of victory.” The student athlete coordinator and team captains honored at the ceremony (above) were Jordan Bates (bottom right, top), Matthew Beason, Skye Williams (bottom right, bottom), Aaryan Gautam, Benjamin Ryan, Spencer Weisgram, Sydney Seeley, Shane Barry, Zachary Gould, Nathan Jones, Luke Frioni, Colin Gray, Avery Patel, Jonah Park, Dalton Ennis, Mason Calbert and Jude Watkins.

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ACT to create a healthy environment

A: Addressing Sexual Harassment/Assault — Supports the prevention of sexual assault/sexual harassment by highlighting various sexual assault/sexual harassment prevention, outreach and education initiatives throughout the Corps of Cadets.

C: Creating Healthy Climates — Supports the prevention of racism and extremism by highlighting various diversity initiatives and events as well as handles issues related to the dignity and respect, or lack thereof, of fellow cadets.

T: Tackling Holistic Health — Supports the development of holistic health by highlighting various self-harm prevention efforts and holistic health initiatives to build resiliency/grit through the Corps of Cadets.

Ask. Care. Treat. September is suicide prevention awareness month

By the Nevada Department of Veteran Services

September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. While we strive to bring awareness each day. This month is a time to emphasize the role we each can play.

One of the most important things we, as a community, can do is normalize talking about suicide, reduce the stigma of suicide and create a connected community that brings our service members, veterans and family members (SMVF) together.

This month is a great time for all of us to reflect on why we need to prioritize suicide prevention.

What can we do to help? Educate yourself with free courses like SafeTALK, A.S.I.S.T. and PsychArmor, which can help us understand risk factors, strengthen protective factors and know the resources available to support our SMVF.

Take time to learn about the benefits and services that our veterans can access. If you know a veteran who is not using or accessing VA benefits, we encourage you to connect that veteran with a Veterans Service Officers (VSO) who can help them navigate eligibility and the filing process.

If you suspect someone is thinking about suicide, we want you to ACT: Ask them directly, respond with care, and connect them with treatment. There is free, confidential and 24/7 help available with the Veteran Crisis Line (Dail 988, then press 1) by calling, texting or chatting online.

Our veterans are invaluable members of our communities, and we owe them our support and care.
Eagle Scout project honors POW/MIAs

James I. O’Neill High School faculty and community members gathered at Waldo Wood Memorial Field to witness West Point Troop 23 Eagle Scout candidate Chad Haley Jr.’s (above) presentation as he unveiled the completion of the Prisoner of War/Missing in Action Honor chair dedicated to veterans in the West Point community and across the Nation on Friday. Through a collaboration with the Hussey Seating Chair Company and other community members, Haley Jr. facilitated the ambitious project, as part of his Eagle Scout project, to honor the Soldiers who either perished in war or went missing in action and never returned to their loved ones.

Photos by Jorge Garcia/PV
The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), in cooperation with nine manufacturers and distributors, has announced a voluntary recall of all pourable gel fuel made or sold by these companies. Gel fuel is used with firepots, personal fireplaces, and patio torches. For more information go to www.cpsc.gov.

SAFETY RECALL

Due to the serious risk of flash fire and burns when consumers add pourable gel to an already burning fire pot, NFPA and CPSC are warning consumers to immediately stop using the pourable gel fuel.

Gel fuel and gel fuel pots should be considered an open flame and pose a serious danger.

The fuel can ignite unexpectedly and splatter onto people and objects nearby when it is poured in a firepot that is still burning.

Pouring gel fuel in a device that is not completely cool may result in a fire or injury.

These devices will be hot during and after burning.

The burning gel fuel sticks to skin and is difficult to extinguish.

It is not easy to see the gel fuel flame, especially in daylight.

All pourable gel fuel, regardless of manufacturer, poses a fire hazard.

Act Now!

Consumers should contact the gel fuel manufacturer for information on refunds and product return.

FACTS

- Stop, drop and roll may not put out clothing that catches fire involving splattered or spilled gel fuel.
- A dry chemical extinguisher or baking soda can be used to extinguish the fire.
- Several deaths and multiple victims with second and third degree burns have been reported.

West Point Fire Department

(845) 938-2043
Chapel (Building 692 Biddle Loop) for fellowship over breakfast, worship, hear a devotion from a fellow PWOC member and participate in a Bible-based book study with a small group.

PWOC provides an opportunity for women from any denomination or religious background to join a community of believers invested in each other’s lives.

To facilitate this, childcare is provided for children ages 0 to 6 in the Chapel Nursery (Building 791).

For up-to-date information, follow our Facebook page (West Point PWOC) or Instagram at @pwoc.westpoint.
For more information or questions, email wp.pwoc@gmail.com.

(NEW) Mine Torne Road closures
Due to personally-owned weapon firing ranges, Mine Torne Road will be closed to the public from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. on Oct. 8, Nov. 5 and Nov. 12.

For more details, contact Joseph Middlebrooks, range operations, at 845-938-8556.

2022 Emergency Preparedness Fair
The 2022 Emergency Preparedness Fair takes place from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday at the Exchange parking lot.

Are you ready for the next emergency? Ready West Point is about being prepared by making a kit, having a plan and being informed.

The event, sponsored by U.S. Army Garrison West Point and the Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization and Security, is offering food, music, CPR demonstrations, fire extinguisher training, pet emergency kits, fire readiness and special drawings to win prizes.


**COMMUNITY FEATURED ITEMS**

**Army Education and Workshops**

The Army Education Center’s college courses are offered through the Army Education Center at West Point, located at 683 Buckner Loop.

**Graduate studies**

- John Jay College of Criminal Justice — master’s degree in public administration. For details, email Kim Heyman at kheyman@jjay.cuny.edu.
- Long Island University — master’s degrees in school counseling, mental health counseling, marriage and family counseling — call Mary Beth Leggett at 845-446-3818 or email marybeth.leggett@liu.edu.

**AEC — Testing Office**

The Army Education Center at West Point offers the following Army Personnel Tests (APT) — AFCT, DLAB, DLPT and SIFT. We also offer the TABE and GT Predictor.

Testing is offered by appointment only.

To make an appointment, call 845-938-3360 or email Janet Browne at janet.p.browne.ctr@mail.mil or Melissa Siry at melissa.e.siry.ctr@mail.mil.

The AEC is also an Authorized Pearson VUE Testing Site, open on a space available basis to Soldiers, civilian personnel, military contractors and family members who hold a government ID card.

**Army Career Skills Program**

The Army’s Career Skills Program (CSP) prepares Soldiers for civilian employment through first-class apprenticeships, on-the-job training, job shadowing, internships and employment skills training.

Soldiers are eligible to participate in an Army CSP up to 180 days prior to separation from the Army and after completion of the mandatory five-day TAP workshop.

Transitioning service members can contact Heyman at kimberly.i.heyman.ctr@army.mil.

**Exchange teams up with Disney+ for military-exclusive streaming discount**

The Army & Air Force Exchange Service is offering a special discount on Disney+ annual subscriptions, available exclusively to members of the military community.

Service members, military family members, honorably discharged veterans and all other authorized Exchange shoppers worldwide get 25% off annual Disney+ annual subscriptions when they sign up via ShopMyExchange.com.

Disney+ brings you Disney, Pixar, Marvel, Star Wars and National Geographic in one place.

Available to new and returning users, this exclusive offer will provide discounted year-over-year pricing for Disney+, the flagship direct-to-consumer streaming service from the Walt Disney Company.

The offer is accessible to U.S. military members and families based both domestically and abroad in more than 80 countries and territories.

Prospective subscribers must have a ShopMyExchange.com account and be 18 or older.

**Grace Baptist Church of Highland Falls Services**

The West Point community is invited to attend any and all services at the Grace Baptist Church, located at 54 Old State Road, in Highland Falls.

The church is less than three miles from Thayer Gate and only two miles from the Bear Mountain Bridge.

The church holds services on Sunday morning (Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.; Worship service at 10:30 a.m.), Sunday evening (6 p.m.) and Wednesday evening (7 p.m.), as well as seasonal Bible studies for men, women and college-aged students.

Grace’s church family encourages a warm, inviting atmosphere of worship and genuine friendliness.

This unique body of believers love Jesus Christ and desire spiritual growth, as well as service-oriented care and concern for others.

Transportation is provided as needed. For any questions, visit the church website at www.gracebaptistny.org.

**(NEW) Cornwall Public Library events**

The Cornwall Public Library, located at 395 Hudson Street in Cornwall, offers community events for all ages to enjoy.

Below are a list of some upcoming events at the Cornwall Public Library:

- **Monday, 6 p.m., Dog Tales** — For grades K-12. Read to a furry friend from Hudson Valley Paws for a Cause. Please register via the library’s online calendar for a 15-minute time slot of your choice — 6, 6:15, 6:30 or 6:45 p.m. Registration required and opens one week prior to the program.
- **Tuesday, 4:30 p.m., Endangered Species: It’s Not Too Late; Let Troop 78 Educate** — As a part of earning their Bronze Award, members of Girl Scout Troop 78 will share information on five endangered species and what we can do to help them. A drop-in event – no registration required.

For all registration, visit the library’s online calendar at [https://www.cornwallpubliclibrary.org/calendar/](https://www.cornwallpubliclibrary.org/calendar/).

**Tuesday Morning Protestant Women’s Bible Study**

Join Protestant Women of the Chapel for weekly worship and devotions from 9-11 a.m. Tuesdays.

All women connected to West Point (including spouses, active duty, retired, civilian employees/contractors and their spouses) are welcome to meet at the Post

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Keller Corner: Weekly updates, COVID-19 info

Keller Corner

For a one-stop shop of all updated coronavirus information, Keller Army Community Hospital notifications, how to stop the spread of COVID-19, federal/state/local guidance and the U.S. Military Academy and Army Garrison West Point webpages, visit https://kach.amedd.army.mil/ West-Point-COVID-19-INFO/

KACH provides options for your Pharmacy needs

The Keller Army Community Hospital Pharmacy provides options to meet your pharmaceutical needs.

- Patients can pick up their prescriptions (and refills) at Keller’s outpatient pharmacy pick-up windows.

Drug information and patient counseling is provided on new and refilled prescriptions for all eligible beneficiaries. Pharmacy hours are:

- Monday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Tuesday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Wednesday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Thursday: 8 a.m.-2 p.m.; 3 p.m.-5 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

- Patients can pick up their refills at Keller’s ScriptCenter prescription pick-up kiosk in the main lobby. The ScriptCenter kiosk will provide a locker for secure and safe pickup of refill prescriptions, and will allow for pharmaceutical pickup after the pharmacy has closed. A full feature on the ScriptCenter kiosk at KACH can be found at https://www.army.mil/article/250422.

- Patients can receive their prescriptions through the convenience of ‘home delivery.’ Registering for home delivery can be done online at https://militaryrx.express-scripts.com/home-delivery, by phone at 1-877-363-1303, or by asking your doctor or pharmacist to transfer your prescription to home delivery.

More information on the Keller Pharmacy information can be found at https://keller.tricare.mil/Health-Services/Pharmacy.

Suicide and Crisis National Lifeline add 988 option

The Suicide and Crisis National Lifeline number added “988” as a dialing option on July 16. The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-8255 phone number is still active and will remain in effect.

Calling either option will connect you to a trained counselors that is part of the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline network. These trained counselors will listen, understand how the problems are affecting you, provide support, and connect you to resources if necessary.

For more information, go to https://988lifeline.org/current-events/the-lifeline-and-988/.

Being ‘healthy’ includes ‘mental health.’ Getting help is a sign of strength.

National Preparedness Month

September is National Preparedness Month — an observance to raise awareness about the importance of preparing for disasters and emergencies that could happen at any time.

This year’s theme is “A Lasting Legacy.”

The life you’ve built is worth protecting. The goal is to promote family and community disaster and emergency planning now and throughout the year.

If you are new to West Point (and the northeast), then you should know the winters can be treacherous. But there are various other disasters and emergencies that the Greater West Point area needs to prepare for.

- Limit the impacts that disasters have on you and your family.
- Know the risk of disasters in your area and check your insurance coverage.
- Learn how to make your home stronger in the face of storms and other common hazards and act fast if you receive a local warning or alert.

Keller Army Community Hospital will provide preparedness information every Thursday on its Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/kellerarmycommunityhospital, to assist you with preparing yourself, your family and your community.

Additionally, as we approach the winter season, it is important to be aware of how to receive medical assistance and/or care during inclement weather.

Go to https://keller.tricare.mil/Patient-Resources/Inclement-Weather-Policy to learn about Keller Army Community Hospital’s Inclement Weather Policy.

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after the show;
- Wednesday, Oct. 26—Theater Van to Broadway. Depart West Point at 4 p.m., leave NYC 10:45 p.m.;
- Monday, Oct. 3—Greenwich Village Halloween Parade. Depart West Point at 4:30 p.m., leave NYC at 10:30 p.m.

There is a nominal fee for transportation. For reservations, call LTS at 845-938-3601.

West Point Community Noontime Ultimate Frisbee Fall League

The MWR Intramural Sports Office is offering a Community Noontime Ultimate Frisbee Fall League. Games will be played Monday through Friday, from noon-1:15 p.m., through Nov. 1 at Daly Field and River Courts (weather permitting).

It is open to active duty personnel, DOD civilians, retired personnel and West Point community family members. To sign-up, call MWR Intramural Sports Office at 845-938-3066.

West Point Community Flag Football Wednesday Evening League

The MWR Intramural Sports Office is offering a Community Flag Football League this fall. The games will be played from 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays through Nov. 9 at the USMAPS football field.

It is open to active duty personnel, DOD civilians, retired personnel and West Point community family members.

To sign-up, call MWR Intramural Sports Office at 845-938-3066.

Spirit Luncheons are back at the West Point Club

The Football Spirit Luncheons are back and will be held in the West Point Club’s Grand Ballroom.

The doors open at 11 a.m. and the luncheons begin at noon. Tickets go on sale now for a nominal fee and can be purchased at the WPC Admin Office, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Purchase tickets in advance and save on day of luncheon pricing. Each luncheon is a Pep Rally for that week’s game.

Luncheon dates are as follows: Sept. 29—Georgia State, Oct. 13—Colgate, Oct. 20—ULM, Nov. 1—Air Force, Nov. 17—UCONN and Dec. 7—Navy.

For reservations, call 845-938-5120. For more details, visit thewestpointclub.com.

CYS Home School Gym Class

The Child and Youth Services home school gym classes will be held through Oct. 25. Two sessions are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11-11:45 a.m. or 12:15-1 p.m.

The classes will be held at the MST gymnasium located at Building 500, Washington Road. Cost is $25 per child for the entire session.

Open to all home school children in grades K-8th. Register at Parent Central, 140 Buckner Loop. Children must have full immunization records in order to register and participate.

For more details, call 845-938-4458/1362.

Personally-Owned Firearm Open Range Sessions

The personally-owned firearm open range sessions will be held from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Oct. 8, 9 and 12 at the Gettysburg Range Complex (Range 5). The complex is located off Route 293, across from Round Pond Recreation Area.

Authorized users must have a Department of Defense issued form of identification and present it at the range.

One guest is authorized for each identification card holder.

For a complete listing of all the rules and regulations, visit westpoint.armymwr.com or call 845-838-1700.

Cadet Appreciation Days at the Tronsrue Marksmanship Center

The Tronsrue Marksmanship Center is offering cadets a special discount for range fee and firearm rental on the following days: Wednesday, Oct. 19, Nov. 2 and 16 and Dec. 6.

Ammo and targets are available at regular listed price. The center is open from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays and from 6:30-9 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays.

This appreciation program is available to cadets only. For more details, call 845-938-1700.

Women’s Intro to Pistol Class

A Women’s Intro to Pistol Class will be held at the Tronsrue Marksmanship Center from 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

Learn firearm safety and the fundamentals of shooting.

Gain confidence needed to safely handle and operate a firearm.

Available to women ages 21 and up.

No experience or equipment necessary to participate. There is a nominal fee for this class.

Register online at westpoint.armymwr.com, at the center or by calling 845-938-1700.

Tronsrue Marksmanship Center Now Open on Select Sundays

The Tronsrue Marksmanship Center will be open from 9 a.m.-noon on the following Sundays: This Sunday and Oct. 30. For more details, call 845-938-1700.

Homeschool Boat Ride

CYS invites West Point homeschooling families to enjoy a scenic cruise down the Hudson River, where they can relax, take in the fall foliage and connect with one another.

This event takes place from 1:30-3 p.m. Oct. 6, starting off from the Superintendent’s Boat on South Dock, and is free and open to all CYS registered homeschooling youth.

You can bring your own snacks and drinks. Participants must register by Oct. 4 by calling P&OS at 845-938-4458/1362/3969.

For more details, call School Support Services at 845-938-2092.
MWR events/offerings

FEATUERED EVENT

12th Annual West Point Oktoberfest
West Point MWR invites you to join it for its 12th annual West Point Oktoberfest from 4-9 p.m. Oct. 7 and 3-8 p.m. Oct. 8 (Family Day) at Victor Constant Ski Area.
This cultural celebration features traditional German food, drinks, music and dancing, with an American flair. Oktoberfest is open to the general public. Come enjoy authentic German entertainment provided by Alpine Squeeze and Robbie Lawrence and the Steel Workers, and food provided by the West Point Club.
Both days feature great food, beverages and entertainment, but Saturday will be a little bit more kid friendly with Kindercorner, brought to you with the support of the West Point Spouses Club.
Pre-purchase your admission or Stein, or reserve your Stammtisch table online for great discounts.
Online sales are ongoing and end at 11:59 p.m. Oct. 6. This is your chance for easiest, quickest and cheapest admission into the event. For more details, visit westpoint.armymwr.com or call 845-938-8810.

MWR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Conquer the Vic 5K Trail Run
This year’s Conquer the Vic 5K Trail Run takes place at Victor Constant Ski Area on Sunday. Heats will be released every 20 minutes, starting at 8 a.m., with the first two being competitive heats with prizes to win. There will also be a one-mile “Conquer the Vic Jr.” heat offered for kids (11 or younger) at 9:40 a.m.
All racers will be timed, and will receive a bib with a built-in timing chip. Registering by Monday also guarantees racers a dri-fit T-shirt, medal and beverage.
Music will play throughout the course, and hot and ready breakfast items will be available at the West Point Golf Course. Games and activities will also be available.
This event is open to the public. Registration pricing is time sensitive. To register or for more details, visit westpoint.armymwr.com.

West Point Club’s Benny Haven’s Lounge is Open
Attention faculty, Soldiers, family members and civilians… The West Point Club’s Benny Haven’s Lounge is open for business. The lounge will be open from 4-9:30 p.m Thursdays and Fridays with new pub menu items available from 4-8:30 p.m.
For a complete menu, visit thewestpointclub.com. For more details, call 845-938-5120.

West Point Community Noontime Outdoor Pickleball League
The MWR Intramural Sports Office is offering a Community Noontime Pickleball League. Games will be played Thursdays only through Nov. 3 at the Clinton Tennis Courts.
It is open to active duty personnel, DOD civilians, retired personnel and West Point family members.
To sign-up, call MWR Intramural Sports at 845-938-3066 or visit westpoint.armymwr.com for more details.

2022-23 West Point Community Adult Intramural Hockey Sign-Ups
The MWR Intramural Sports Office is offering a Community Adult Intramural Hockey League. Games will be played Oct. 1 through April 30 from 6-7:30 a.m. Mondays and Thursdays and noon-1:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Tate Rink.
It is open to active duty personnel, DOD civilians, retired personnel and West Point family members. To sign-up, call MWR Intramural Sports at 845-938-3066 or visit westpoint.armymwr.com for more details.

West Point Club Dinner-To-Go
New days and new menu items are available at the West Point Club. A few of the menu items include baked ziti, rack of barbecue ribs, salmon w/dill butter, barbecue pulled pork, macaroni and cheese and individual cheesecakes.
The West Point Club’s Dinner-To-Go is available Wednesday through Friday. Place your order by 2 p.m. that day and specify a pick up time between 4-6:30 p.m. and pick up your meal at the West Point Club’s Benny Haven’s Lounge.
Servings for four or six are available for a nominal fee.
For pricing and menu items, visit thewestpointclub.com or call 845-446-5506/5504.

(NEW) Screen Time Safety: Youth and Teens Edition for Parents and Caregivers Workshop
Join Army Community Services and its partners at CID and DODEA for a workshop on cyber safety and awareness. Designed for parents and caregivers, this presentation is filled with information to equip you with the tools to safely manage the content, conduct, contact and associated risks our youth may face in the digital world.
This workshop is open to all DOD ID cardholders. Email shaniece.r.lewis.civ@army.mil or call 845-938-0629 to register.

(NEW) Exploring and Understanding Your Love Language workshop
ACS invites you to join them in exploring the Love Languages, as created by Gary Chapman. On Oct. 25, the Exploring and Understanding Your Love Language workshop will be hosted in the ACS Building (622 Swift Road) from 10-11:30 a.m. in the Heritage Room.
This free, interactive workshop is for adult singles or couples looking to strengthen their relationships with others by discovering their own personal love language.
It is open to all DOD ID Cardholders. To make a reservation, email emily.a.calangi2.civ@army.mil or call ACS at 845-938-5658.

(NEW) Child and Youth Services Learn to Play Ice Hockey
The Child and Youth Services Learn to Play Ice Hockey sessions will be played on Sundays from 1-2 p.m. Nov. 13 through Feb. 26 at Tate Rink. It is open to youth ages 4-12 registered with CYS. Registration opens Oct. 3 at Parent Central, located at 140 Buckner Loop.
Volunteer coaches are needed and the program is tentative based on volunteer coaches. Open to players with little to no experience in the game of ice hockey. For a complete list of equipment that is needed, visit westpoint.armymwr.com. There is a nominal cost for these sessions. For more details, call 845-938-3208.

Women’s R.A.D. Self Defense Course
Join Army Community Services and get certified in R.A.D. Self-defense. On Oct. 5, 12 and 19, ACS will be holding a Women's R.A.D. Self-Defense Course from 6-8 p.m. at the MST Building (500 Washington Road).
This interactive three-session workshop will be taught by certified instructors from the Town of Woodbury Police Department, and feature simulated real-world scenarios. This course is free and open to all female DOD cardholders ages 14 and above. Participants must attend all three sessions in order to receive a certificate. Space is limited, so registration is required.
To make a reservation, call 845-938-5658 or email emily.a.calangi2.civ@army.mil.

UTAH (Non-Resident) Concealed Permit Course
The UTAH (non-resident) concealed permit course is a non-live fire class and will be held from 1-5:30 p.m. Nov. 13 at the Buffalo Soldier Pavilion, located at 628 Hodges Place. No firearms or permits needed.
This permit allows non-residents to carry a concealed handgun in 35 states (unfortunately, New York does not recognize the UTAH permit). This is the ideal permit to have if you travel to different states. This class includes your passport style photo, fingerprints, application, mailing envelope and address labels. All you have to do is send it in the mail.
There is a nominal fee for this class. Please bring a blank check to this class when attending to pay for the application fee. To register, visit westpoint.armymwr.com, visit the center or call 845-938-1700.

September and October trips with Leisure Travel Services
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Monken moves up all-time wins list with victory over Villanova

By Eric Szczepinski
Army Athletic Communications

With the 49-10 victory over the Villanova Wildcats Saturday at Michie Stadium, Head Coach Jeff Monken logged his 59th career win at Army West Point, breaking the tie and surpassing the legendary Charles Daly for No. 2 on the academy’s all-time win list. Monken, now only trails Earl “Red” Blaik (121 wins) in program history.

On the afternoon, Army dominated by way of the ground game, stacking up 472 total rushing yards, marking the first time since 2019 getting over 450 rushing yards as a team.

Army got to work quickly in the first quarter, striking first on a five-play, 68-yard drive on their opening drive of the game. Running back Jakobi Buchanan ignited the Black Knights with a 55-yard run (career-long), followed by a seven-yard TD run by quarterback Tyhier Tyler two plays later.

Villanova answered Army’s quick strike with a TD drive of their own, marching 11 plays, 75 yards to score by way of quarterback Connor Watkins’ five-yard TD pass to wide receiver Rayjuon Pringle.

The Black Knights punched back on their very next drive by way of Tyler’s second rushing TD of the day, a 23-yard run to extend the lead, 14-7. The score gave Tyler his third career multi-touchdown rushing performance.

After generating zero turnovers in the first two games combined, the Black Knights defense intercepted Villanova’s Watkins twice in the second quarter to halt two Wildcats drives and keep the momentum.

The first interception was by safety Marquel Broughton on Army’s own 30-yard line and the next offense drive was stopped by an interception by cornerback Jabari Moore at Army’s 32-yard line.

Army’s offense was able to capitalize on the second turnover by marching nine plays, 80 yards capped off by quarterback Cade Ballard’s first rushing touchdown of the year, a six-yard run to take a 21-7 lead into halftime. Army totaled 266 yards on the ground in the first half, a season high.

Coming out of the half, Army came out strong again when running back Tyson Riley broke free on a 70-yard touchdown run to extend Army’s lead, 28-7 on the opening drive.

It marked his first touchdown of the season, his third career touchdown and was also his longest career rush. Riley was the workhorse for the Army offense in the game, totaling a career-high 159 yards on 21 carries, the first time a non-Army quarterback has broke 150-plus rushing yards since Larry Dixon did so in 2014.

Following a 11-play drive that resulted in a field goal by Villanova to make the score, 28-10, the Army offense continued to score. Army followed Villanova’s field goal by marching on their longest drive of the afternoon, a 14-play, 75-yard drive that chewed up 8:31 of game clock, which resulted in Tyhier Tyler’s third rushing TD of the game, from three yards out.

Later in the fourth quarter, running back Tyrell Robinson returned a punt 73 yards for a touchdown, the first punt or kickoff returned for a touchdown by Army since totaling 594 in 2019 (vs. Virginia Military Institute, 11/16/19).

Last season Army ran for over 400 yards twice (vs. Wake Forest and Bucknell). Tyler scored three rushing touchdowns on the day (a seven-yarder, 23-yarder, and a three-yarder), on 12 carries for 77 yards. It marks his second career three TD game (Liberty Bowl vs. West Virginia, 12/31/20).

Postgame Notes
• With the victory, Monken logged his 59th career win at Army West Point, breaking the tie and surpassing the legendary Charles Daly for No. 2 on the academy’s all-time win list. Daly still holds the best win percentage for all Army coaches with over 40 games of coaching at .804.
• In the Monken era (2014-present), Army is 14-2 against FCS opponents.
• Army is now 14-2 at home since the start of the 2020 season.
• Army’s rushing attack produced 472 yards on the ground. It is the first time Army has cleared 450+ yards on the ground as a team since Larry Dixon did so vs. Temple in 2007.
• Robinson returned a punt 73 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter, marking Army’s first punt or kickoff return for a touchdown since Jeremy Trimble did so vs. Temple in 2007.
• Broughton and Moore both logged interceptions in the second quarter, Broughton’s fifth career interception and Moore’s sixth.
• Reed logged his first career carries, rushing three times for 29 yards and a touchdown.
Army West Point welcomes 18th Hall of Fame class

The 18th class of the Army Sports Hall of Fame was inducted on Friday. A special plaque unveiling ceremony was held in the Kenna Hall of Army Sports inside Kimsey Athletic Center, followed by the formal black-tie Hall of Fame Induction Banquet at Eisenhower Hall. (From left to right) The Class of 2022 features wrestling standout Maurice Worthy, longtime head coach of the men’s and women’s cross country and track and field teams Ron Bazil, two-sport athlete Randy Nelson, football stalwart Don Smith and record-setting swimmer Peter Witteried.

Sports calendar

WOMEN’S TENNIS
Friday and Saturday, All Day—West Point Invitational, Lichtenberg Tennis Center.

SPRINT FOOTBALL
Friday, 7 p.m.—Navy, Annapolis, Maryland.

WOMEN’S RUGBY
Saturday, 4 p.m.—Brown, Anderson Rugby Complex.

FOOTBALL
Oct. 1, Noon—Georgia State, Michie Stadium. (TV: CBS Sports Network.)

WOMEN’S SOCCER
Oct. 1, 7 p.m.—American, Malek Stadium at Clinton Field.

**View Army West Point Schedule at www.goarmywestpoint.com/calendar.aspx?.
Volleyball sweeps Navy in ‘Star’ match

By Mackenzie Collyer
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The Army Black Knights secured a straight-set win over rival Navy in the annual Army-Navy “Star” Series presented by USAA on Saturday night at Gillis Field House.

Match Summary
The Black Knights showed great resolve, technique and power as they defeated their archrival in front of an electric crowd.

In the opening set, Army trailed 5-1 but scored nine of the next 12 points. The Black Knights continued to add to their lead, eventually forcing a timeout at 16-10 after a kill by Savannah Bray. Navy answered by cutting the lead to 17-14, but Army powered its way to a 25-19 first set win.

The second set featured 17 ties and seven lead changes with the Black Knights ultimately prevailing. Navy served for the set at 24-23, but Paige Fixemer tied the set with a kill. Army would not trail again.

The Black Knights scored the last two points in the set on a kill by Bray and a block by Allanah Cutler and Kai Nickerson to win the set 28-26.

In similar fashion in the first set, Army fell behind early in the third set. After three lead changes, the set was tied at 11-11. A kill by Cutler started a string of five straight points for the Black Knights.

An attacking error by the Mids gave Army a 19-12 lead. The Black Knights continued to pull away and served for the match at 24-17. After a couple of points by Navy, the Black Knights won the match on an service error.

Cadets Capsules
• Julia Johnson had 11 kills on a team-high .368 hitting percentage.
• Bray shared team-high honors in kills with 11.
• Cutler was in double-digit kills for the third straight match with 11.
• Diana Ethridge led the team in assists with 33 and had nine digs.
• Sayler Butters added 15 digs.

Inside The Numbers
• The Black Knights extended their season-high win streak to three matches.
• Army swept Navy for the first time since Nov. 6, 2015 (14 matches).

Up Next
Army heads back on the road for a pair of matches beginning at Lafayette at 7 p.m. Friday.