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ROBINS FAMILY HOUSING I NEWS & STORIES



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

Our President's Message



I am pleased to announce that for the third year, Hunt Heroes Foundation, the non-profit organization founded by Hunt Military Communities, will be awarding scholarships to help enable the ongoing education of military members and their families. Last year we were able to help nine worthy students and awarded \$30,000. Because of the generous donations we received over the

past year, we are able to increase scholarship awards and recognize 15 recipients and award \$40,000 in scholarship grants in 2021. I encourage you to apply if you or a loved one meet any of the following criteria:

A high school senior or high school graduate or a current postsecondary undergraduate at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational school or a trade school student; or

Planning to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.

For more information and to fill out an application, go to <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/huntheroesscholarship>

The deadline to submit a nomination is March 4, 2021 at 3 pm CST or until 50 applications are received, whichever comes first.

We understand the challenges many families are facing during these difficult times and are happy to be able to support the ongoing education of military members and their families.

Best,

John Ehle
President
Hunt Military Communities

Welcome to February, Robins Family Housing!

We are very excited to announce that effective February 1st, all service fees associated with bank account transactions made via the Hunt Resident Portal/App will no longer be charged to residents using this form of online payment. It is important to note that service fees will still be charged for Debit and Credit Card transactions made using online payments through the Hunt Resident Portal/App. For more information on how to sign up for the Hunt Resident Portal please contact the office and we will be glad to help you!

Maintenance Corner

It is our pleasure to offer you a Self-Help option for your work order assistance. Starting March 1st you will be able to pick up minor repair supplies at the housing offices, both on and off base

We will be offering the following items for your convenience:

- Assorted lightbulbs (Not Florescent)
- HVAC filters
- Toilet seats
- Flappers for toilets
- Doorstops
- Assorted sink/tub stoppers

We plan on expanding the selection but we will begin with these items. If there is something else, you may need you can speak with the housing representative at the office and they will contact maintenance to confirm it is a part that can be given out. There will be a charge for any blinds requested and when measurements are given to the housing office the blind will be available in that office the following day. (Please note that some blinds may need the mounting hardware replaced, and it may not be a remove and replace situation) We understand that we are backlogged on Routine work orders and this will help alleviate you waiting on simple repairs both now and in the future. Please do not try and do more than you are capable as this could cause more issues in your home. We look forward to helping you get your home in order in the spring and hope this helps you along the way.

Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday: 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Closed February 15th in observance of Presidents Day



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FEBRUARY EVENTS

American Heart Month

The Community Health Education Center, located in the Health Resource Center at 877 Hemlock Street, offers free blood pressure screenings for the public. February 2, 5, and 19th 9AM-12PM

1. Take up a heart-healthy habit Staying active, eating healthy, and watching our weight are all important parts of maintaining a healthy cardiovascular system. Pick a new heart-healthy habit like jogging or substituting sodas with water and try to stick to it for a whole month.
2. Educate yourself Learn about the risk factors for heart disease, the ways you can prevent them, and the lifestyle choices that can help you stay healthy.
3. Get your cholesterol tested If you're worried you might be at risk for heart disease, ask your doctor to perform a simple cholesterol test to let you know if you're at risk and should make adjustments to your diet

A Few Safety Notes

Be prepared for weather-related emergencies, including power outages.

- Stock food that needs no cooking or refrigeration and water stored in clean containers.
- Ensure that your cell phone is fully charged.
- When planning travel, be aware of current and forecast weather conditions.
- Keep an up-to-date emergency kit, including:
 - Battery-operated devices, such as a flashlight, a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Weather Radio, and lamps
 - Extra batteries
 - First-aid kit and extra medicine
 - Baby items
 - Cat litter or sand for icy walkways
- Protect your family from carbon monoxide (CO).
 - Keep grills, camp stoves, and generators out of the house, basement and garage.
 - Locate generators at least 20 feet from the house.
 - Leave your home immediately if the CO detector sounds, and call 911. As a friendly reminder, if you see any suspicious activity please contact Warner Robins Police Department and report the incident.

Mow Schedule for Month of February

It is that time of year again. Fall/winter months are upon us and with that comes the cooler weather. The mowing schedules will start to slow down as the turf becomes dormant for the cooler months. In the following months our grounds team will be focused on leaf removal and some pruning. Enjoy the cooler weather as we transition into this next phase of grounds keeping and rejuvenate our shrubs! As we work to improve our landscaping in our communities please help us. During your areas mow time, please have items removed from your yard so the mowers can get to all the grass. Thank you for your help in getting these improvements mowing forward.

HAPPENING AROUND THE TOWN

Ice Skating

On Saturday, February, 20th, at 8:30PM, there will be ice skating at the Macon Coliseum.

Trolls Live!

At Macon Centerplex Theater event, in Macon, GA, by Theatre Lovers, on Tuesday, February 2, 2021 from 6-9PM.

Family Movie Night

On February 14th, please join us for a FREE movie night, at Friendship Baptist Church, for the whole family! The movie will begin at 6 PM in the Worship Center and the Family Life Center. Join us at 5 PM in the Family Life Center for free popcorn and drinks. Be sure to share the event and invite you family, friends, and neighbors! *In order to provide a safe movie experience, we will be following CDC COVID-19 guidelines.

Quick Cooks Recipe

Strawberry Valentine Chex Mix

Easy to make, fun & perfectly festive for Valentine's Day! Strawberry white chocolate coating on Chex cereal with added chocolate candy is the perfect sweet treat.

INGREDIENTS

4-6 cups Rice Chex cereal
8oz bag Strawberry Candy Melts OR 12oz bag of white chocolate baking chips
1 box of Strawberry Creme Jell-O Pudding** {pudding NOT gelatin!}
Valentines M&M's and/or Sprinkles

DIRECTIONS

1. Measure out Chex cereal into a large bowl. Note: if you're using the Strawberry Candy Melts, you'll use 4 cups of cereal. If you're using the white chocolate chips + pudding mix, you'll use 6 cups of cereal.
2. Pour chocolate into a small glass dish. Add 1/2 tsp shortening, if desired, to help the chocolate coat the cereal easier. Microwave for 1 minute 20 seconds. Let sit in the microwave for 3 minutes. Remove and gently stir. If chocolate loses its shape and looks smooth, it's done. If not, return to the microwave in 15 second increments, letting it sit for 2-3 minutes each time, until melted and smooth.
3. If you used White Chocolate Chips + Pudding Mix: Add 4 TBSP of the strawberry creme pudding into the white chocolate and stir gently until smooth. Add 2 drops of red food coloring, if desired.
4. Pour the chocolate mixture over the Chex cereal and stir gently to coat.
5. Transfer cereal mixture to a large piece of wax paper. Sprinkle with M&M's and Valentines sprinkles, if desired. Let cool to set. Break pieces and store in an airtight container to save. Candy can be made up to 3-4 days ahead, if desired. It saves well!