



Military Community and Family Policy Fact Sheet

Data



Blue Star Museums offers military families no-cost admission to museums across the United States between Memorial Day and Labor Day.



The America the Beautiful military pass program gives military personnel and their families no-cost access to more than 2,000 federal recreation sites.

Additional information

Morale, Welfare and Recreation

<http://www.militaryonesource.mil/on-and-off-base-living/recreation-and-travel>

Joint Services Campgrounds and Facilities

http://www.militaryonesource.mil/12038/MOS/ResourceGuides/Best_Kept_Secrets_Joint_Services_Campgrounds_and_Facilities.pdf

Blue Star Museums

<https://www.arts.gov/national/blue-star-museums>

America the Beautiful military pass program

<https://www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/passes.htm>

Background

The summer months are traditionally a time of outdoor family fun and activities do not need to be extravagant to create lasting memories. The Department of Defense provides unique opportunities for service members and military families to enjoy safe summer fun at little or no expense. Morale, Welfare and Recreation, supporting installation and Department of Defense programs and partnered community organizations are committed to connecting service members and military family members to summer fun that suits their locations, time commitments and interests.

Highlights

Military families' opportunities to be active, learn and have fun together in the summer include:

- Morale, Welfare and Recreation programs and equipment rental services, including activities for wounded service members and families with special needs
- Joint services campgrounds and facilities
- Installation youth centers
- Local 4-H programs
- Boys & Girls Clubs
- Health and wellness coaching connections through Military OneSource
- Blue Star Museums
- America the Beautiful military pass
- Morale, Welfare and Recreation Digital Library and Summer Reading Program
- Military OneSource and installation personal financial counselors

