

FT. BELVOIR CYS CONNECT

CHILD & YOUTH SERVICES (CYS) | VOL 2, ISSUE 2 | WINTER 2025



Winter Weather Guidance

As the winter season approaches it's important to keep safety procedures in mind, as well as the operating status of CYS during times of inclement weather. During inclement weather, please keep children home, whenever possible, to reduce the risk of driving during hazardous road conditions. To assist in compensation during these days, CYS will grant discount credit points (WIN points) for patrons who voluntarily keep their child(ren) at home. These credits, combined with other parent participation credits will gain you up to 10% off your account for one month.

While Fort Belvoir generally follows Federal Government (OPM) guidance, the Installation Commander may choose to make other decisions based on Fort Belvoir specific conditions. Therefore, please check our status via the official [Fort Belvoir Facebook page](#), the [Fort Belvoir website](#) or by calling our hotline at (703) 805-3030. You can also download the FREE My Army Post app, available on the App Store and Google Play, for garrison-wide notices.

For a complete view of the inclement weather operating status, please see page 2.



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SAVE THE DATE

December 24 - 26

All CYS offices & programs are closed in observance of Christmas Eve & Christmas Day.

January 1

All CYS offices & programs are closed in observance of New Years' Day.

January 19

All CYS offices & programs are closed in observance of MLK Jr. Day.

February 13

All CYS offices & programs are closed for training day.

February 16

All CYS offices & programs are closed in observance of Presidents' Day.

2026 Training Day Schedule

February 13

April 6

June 18

August 21

September - Org Day TBD

November 10

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What's the CYScoop!

CYS OPERATING STATUS: WEATHER CONDITIONS

SITUATION (check all that apply)	CDC	FCC	SAC	Youth Center	Youth Sports & SKIES	PCS Office
Ft Belvoir Open	Open					→
Ft Belvoir Closed	Closed	Per Contract	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Ft Belvoir Delayed Opening by 2 hours*	Open at 8:30 a.m.	Per Contract	Open at 8:30 a.m.	Open at 1 p.m.	Open at 9 a.m.	Open at 9 a.m. No walk-ins
Ft Belvoir Unscheduled Leave*	As space permits with available staffing	Open	As space permits with available staffing			Appointments as staffing permits, no walk-ins
Ft. Belvoir Closed Mid-day	Closed Mid-Day Parent Pick Up Required	Per Contract	Closed Mid-Day Parent Pick Up Required		→	Appointments as staffing permits, no walk-ins
Ft. Belvoir Elem. School (FBES) Delayed Opening/Ft Belvoir Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
FBES Closed (entire day)/Ft Belvoir Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Closed if FCPS cancels afterschool activities	Open
FBES Closed Early (after buses leave SAC) & Ft Belvoir Open**	Open	SA care opens on space available	**Closed	Open at 1 p.m.	Closed if FCPS cancels after school activities	Open

The School Age Center follows the Fort Belvoir Elementary (FBES) school calendar and scheduled closures.

*On delayed openings and unscheduled leave days, CYS may have limited staff and limited services to include the PCS Office. Scheduled appointments may be cancelled, and walk-ins will not be accepted. All other care will be available as staffing permits. In short staffing situations, CDC/SAC front desk staff will establish a "first come, first served" waiting list as children arrive.

**When FBES closes early & notifies SAC by 9 a.m., SAC will open early for the afternoon.

We appreciate your support and understanding in this matter. Drive safely!



Fort Belvoir CYS Youth Sports & Fitness Wins 2025 NAYS Excellence in Youth Sports Award

Fort Belvoir CYS Youth Sports & Fitness is proud to announce that we've been selected as a 2025 National Alliance for Youth Sports (NAYS) Excellence in Youth Sports Award winner. This national award recognizes youth sports programs that demonstrate outstanding commitment to safety, inclusivity, positive coaching and high-quality sports experiences for all children.

This achievement reflects the incredible work happening across our CDCs, School-Age Center, Homeschool PE, Youth Center, and community programs. From creative fitness classes and sports clinics to nutrition partnerships and family events, Fort Belvoir stands out as a model for supporting the health, confidence, and resilience of military-connected youth.

We are honored to serve our community and grateful for the families, volunteers, and staff who make this excellence possible.

Youth Sports & Fitness Spring Schedule

Flag Football & Cheer * Mini Season

- Enrollment Period: January 12- February 6
- Cost \$50
- Season: March 9 – March 26
- Game Days: Tuesdays and Thursdays
- **Football:** First meetups = Practice | Next 4 = 30 min practice + game
- **Cheer:** Learn cheers, sideline routines and perform at games

Soccer

- Enrollment period: January 5 - March 27
- Cost: \$70
- Season: April - June
- Age group: 4 - 13 years old

Baseball

- Enrollment period: January 5 - March 27
- Cost: \$70
- Season: April - June
- Age group: 4 - 13 years old

Track and Field

- Enrollment period: January 5 - March 27
- Cost: \$150
- Season: April - August
- Age group: 5 - 18 years old
- Weekend meets!

Start Smart Soccer

- Enrollment period: February 2 - April 17
- Cost: \$30
- Season: May
- Classes run 1 week, Monday-Friday
- Age group: 3 - 4 years old

Start Smart Baseball

- Enrollment period: February 2 - April 17
- Cost: \$30
- Season: May
- Classes run 1 week, Monday - Friday
- Age group: 3 - 4 years old

Dates and offerings are subject to change without notice. Registration closes when teams are filled or at the end of the enrollment/registration period.

Rates subject to change with new Army Fee Policy.

Sign up via WebTrac or Parent Central Services (PCS).

For more information, please call Youth Sports and Fitness at (703)805-1836/3126/5487 or PCS at (703)805-5555/5556.



2025-2026 FEE POLICY goes into effect January 1, 2026

We have received the School Year 2025-2026 Fee Policy from the Department of the Army Installation Management Command and are happy to note that there are no fee increases for the previously established fee categories. However, effective with the implementation of the new fee policy on January 1, 2026, there is a new fee category for families with a total family income of \$175,001+ (Category 12).



STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Name: **Tiffany Allen**, Admin Assistant (Rivanna Station CDC)

1. What accomplishment are you most proud of? *Graduating with my BA in Business Administration*
2. What do you like to do in your spare time? *Attend church, read and spend time with family and friends*
3. Favorite recipe to cook: *Homemade Chili*
4. What is your favorite part about working for CYS? *Greeting and getting to know the children and families we care for*

