

COMMUNITY DIRECTOR UPDATE OCTOBER 1, 2026



COMMUNITY REMINDERS

Around the Base: Scott Air Force Base Blessing Box

Neighbors Supporting Neighbors

Located near the Scott Elementary School bike racks, the **Scott AFB Blessing Box** provides free non-perishable food items and hygiene products to individuals and families in need throughout our community. Available to anyone who may need a helping hand, the Blessing Box is a meaningful reminder of the strength and generosity of the military community.



Throughout the month, residents are invited to support this initiative by donating essential food and personal care items. Donations may be dropped off at the **Patriot's Landing Clubhouse** during regular office hours, where supplies will be collected and used to help replenish the Blessing Box.

Together, we can make a difference and ensure this valuable community resource remains stocked for those who need it most. Please keep the following in mind when making donations:

- Non-perishable food items welcome.
- Hygiene and personal care products needed.

Supporting Airmen, families, and neighbors in need

A small donation can make a big impact. Thank you for helping care for our community!

Fall Maintenance Tips: As the seasons change, a few simple maintenance checks can help keep your home comfortable, efficient, and ready for cooler weather. Add these tasks to your fall checklist:

- Check for water leaks around faucets, sinks, laundry connections, and outdoor spigots.
- Test smoke and carbon monoxide detectors and replace batteries if needed.
- Inspect weather stripping around doors and windows to help improve energy efficiency.
- Test your HVAC system's heat setting before colder temperatures arrive. A slight burning odor is normal when first turning on the heat and should dissipate within 15–30 minutes.
- Prepare exterior areas by disconnecting, storing water hoses, and removing any vacant bird nests.

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UNDERSTANDING THE NOTICE-TO-VACATE PROCESS

Planning for an upcoming PCS, separation, retirement, or move off base? Knowing the **Notice to Vacate process** can help make your transition as smooth and stress-free as possible.

- **Written notice is required. Verbal notices cannot be accepted.**
- **Active-duty residents do not need orders to submit notice**, but orders must be provided no later than the final inspection appointment.
- **A minimum 30-day notice is required**, and notices may be submitted up to 90 days in advance.
- Providing proper notice helps avoid paying rent for days you are no longer occupying the home.
- When selecting your move-out date, choose the latest date you may need the home. While move-out appointments can sometimes be moved earlier, extending beyond your original vacate date may not be possible once the home has been pre-leased.
- Move-out appointments are scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis, and end-of-month appointments fill quickly.

If you anticipate a move, contact the Community Management Office early, so our team can help guide you through the process and ensure a smooth transition.



UPCOMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY EVENT: OCTOBER BASH

Date: Thursday, October 15th

Time: 4:30 PM – 7:00 PM

Location: Patriot's Landing Clubhouse

Celebrate the season with an afternoon of family-friendly fun at our Fall Festival! Bring your family, friends, and festive spirit for an event packed with activities, treats, and community connections.

Enjoy bounce houses, face painting, refreshments, games, community partners, giveaways, and more as we come together to welcome the fall season. Don't forget to wear your favorite Halloween costume!



BASE EVENT: FREE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Date: Friday, October 9th

Time: Starts at 5:30 PM

Location: Cardinal Creek Golf Course, 1192 Golf Course Road

Join us for an unforgettable evening filled with live music and great vibes! Bring your friends, along with lawn chairs or blankets. Food and drinks will be available for purchase, and there will be family-friendly games for the kids!



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BASE EVENT: MOBILE DMV

Date: Thursday, October 29th

Time: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Location: Scott Event Center

Payment Options: Major credit/debit cards, checks, and money orders. Cash is not accepted.



Take advantage of this convenient on-base service!

The Illinois Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) Mobile Unit will visit Scott AFB to provide a variety of motor vehicle services to base personnel and families. Residents can complete services such as:

- Driver's license renewals
- Identification cards
- Vehicle registration transactions
- Real ID processing
- Road tests

Don't miss this opportunity to take care of your DMV needs without leaving the installation.

For questions regarding services or required documentation, please contact the Belleville DMV at (618) 236-8750.

TRASH SCHEDULE

EW - Even Week Recycling Pick-Up | OW - Odd Week Recycling Pick-Up

Patriot's Landing	Trash	Recycling
4400's, Gates, Hancock	Tuesdays	OW Tuesdays
4600's	Tuesdays	EW Tuesdays
4800's & Knox	Fridays	EW Fridays
4500's & 4700's	Fridays	OW Fridays

Georgian	Trash	Recycling
All of Georgian	Thursdays	EW Thursdays

Colonial	Trash	Recycling
All of Colonial	Monday	EW Monday

Shiloh East	Trash	Recycling
All of Shiloh East	Monday	EW Monday

Shiloh West	Trash	Recycling
All of Shiloh West	Monday	OW Monday

Lincoln's Landing	Trash	Recycling
Boeing, Globemaster, Jayhawk, Shadow, Thunderbolt (4405 & Up), Tweet, Texan, Phoenix	Thursday	EW Thursday
Kirtland, Sentry, Nighthawk, Dyess, Earhart, Huey, MacDill, Raptor, Thunderbolt (4393 & Down), Hercules	Thursday	OW Thursday

= Expect service to be delayed by one day due to observed holiday

If you have already contacted our local Management and Housing office team and are not satisfied with the outcome, or if you have words of praise to share, we encourage you to reach out to our senior management.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				01	02	03
04	05	06	07	08	09 National Depression Screening Day Summer Concert Series Last Day	10
11	12	13 Navy Birthday	14	15 October Bash	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Deployed Day	27 Navy Day	28	29 Mobile DMV	30	31