# HAPPY NEW YEAR

The NAVSTA Newport Fleet and Family Support Center Newsletter is created monthly. All active duty, family members, reservists, National Guard, retirees and DoD employees are welcome to attend any of the classes we offer. For assistance to register for a class or to schedule a counseling appointment please call our office at (401) 841-2283.



## OPEN TO ALL WITH BASE ACCESS!

Want to know more about Newport, Rhode Island?

We've got you covered! Join us for information about Newport, the surrounding areas, community & base resources, as well as things to do in the area!

Friday January 24<sup>th</sup>
10:00pm – 12:00pm
For more information or
to register email
heather.s.box.civ@us.navy.mil

#### Finance

Friday Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> 2:00am- 3:30pm Car Buying Class

Tuesday Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm – 3:30pm Saving and Investing Class

Wednesday Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> 2:00pm – 3:30pm Survivor Benefit Plan

> For more information or to register email heather.s.box.civ@us.navy.mil

#### **SAPR**

Wednesday Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> 9am – 11am

Refresher training for current Victim Advocates "Communicating with Victims"

To register email theo.greenblatt.naf@us.navy.mil or stephanie.n.martinez21.civ@us.navy.mil

### **Transition Assistance Program**

March  $24^{th} - 28^{th}$ , 2025 May  $5^{th} - 9^{th}$ , 2025 July  $28^{th} - August 1^{st}$ , 2025 September  $22^{nd} - 26^{th}$ , 2025

For more information or to register email stephanie.a.westbrook2.naf@us.navy.mil

November  $17^{th} - 31^{st}$ , 2025



Thursday Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> 10am-12pm MBMF Module 1 Stress Resiliency Class

> Thursday Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> 2pm-3:30pm Anger Management

Friday Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> 2pm-3pm Ombudsman Meditation & Social Hour

For more information or to register email katherine.e.goktepe.naf@us.navy.mil

Counseling Services
Family Advocacy Program
SAPR Program
Transition Assistance
Exceptional Family Member Program
Ombudsman/Life Skills Education Program
Relocation Assistance
Personal Financial Management
Family Employment Readiness/ Deployment Support

Command Support



1260 Peary Street, NAVSTA Newport (401) 841-2283 - ffsc nwpt@navy.mil

Military OneSource www.militaryonesource.mil 1 (800) 342-9647 SAPR Unit Victim Advocate 24/7: (401) 450-2327

DoD Safe Helpline 1 (877) 995-5247 Suicide/Crisis 24 Hotline Dial - 988 Military Crisis Line

> 1-800-273-TALK (option 1) Text 838255

or live chat www.militarycrisisline.net



# STALKING KNOW IT. NAME IT. STOP IT



EXPERIENCE STALKING AT SOME POINT IN THEIR LIFETIMES

MOST COMMON STALKING TACTICS EXPERIENCED BY VICTIMS:

75% ( ) UNWANTED PHONE CALLS

APPROACHED/SHOWED UP

57% TEXTS, EMAILS, MESSAGES

FOLLOWED & WATCHED

ED 52%

57%

26%

SENT GIFTS, CARDS, LETTERS

Most stalkers use multiple tactics.<sup>3</sup>











APPROX. 13.5 MILLION PEOPLE 1 ARE STALKED IN A 1-YEAR PERIOD

## WHO ARE STALKERS?

42% ACQUAINTANCES

40% INTIMATE PARTNERS

19% STRANGERS

8% BRIEF ENCOUNTERS

8% FAMILY MEMBERS

4% PERSONS OF AUTHORITY



1 IN 3 STALKERS HAVE STALKED BEFORE

#### Citations

 Smith, S.G., Basile, K.C., & Kresnow, M. (2022). The National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey (NISVS): 2016/2017 Report on Stalking. Atlanta, GA: National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease control and Prevention. 2. Baum, K., Catalano, S., & Rand, M. (2009). Stalking Victimization in the United States. Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics. 3. Mohandie, K., Meloy, J.R., McGowan, M.G., & Williams, J. (2006). The RECON Typology of Stalking: Reliability and Validity Based upon a Large Sample of North American Stalkers. Journal of Forensic Sciences, 51(0): 147-155.



# HUMAN TRAFFICKING PREVENTION MONTH JANUARY

#### WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING?

Human trafficking is the exploitation of a person for the purpose of compelled labor or a commercial sex act through the use of force, fraud, or coercion.

Human trafficking does not discriminate – anyone can be a victim.

#### National Human Trafficking Hotline

this confidential hotline connects victims with support and services, provides information, and receives tips about potential trafficking situations.

- 1-888-373-7888
- If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability, please dial 7-1-1 to access telecommunications relay services.
- Text: 233733
- https://www.humantraffickinghotline.org

# Your **FFSC LMS** Webinar Schedule January 2025

#### **How to register:**

Step #1: Make a free account at

MyNavyFamily.com or use the QR code to the right (NMCI users should register at least one day before the webinar.)



Tue 14 Jan

Mon 27 Jan

10:00 AM ET

1:00 PM ET

Follow the on-screen instructions to create a new account. Be sure to enter your time zone! category

Step #2: Choose a on the home screen or click the Live Webinars link at the top of the page to view the descriptions and time/date converted to your time zone.

Step #3: Click on "Register Here" to sign up for the training.

In addition, the FFSC LMS has comprehensive resources for Navy spouses and family members such as New Spouse Orientation, the Navy Family eHandbook, and the Navy Spouse library.





EMPLOYMENT					
Wed	15 Jan	10:00 AM ET	Innovative Interviewing		
		1:00 PM ET	Power Up Your Resume for Remote Jobs		
Thu	16 Jan	10:00 AM ET	Resume Writing & Cover Letters Simplified		
Mon	27 Jan	3:00 PM ET	First Impressions Matter, Make Yours Count: Civilian Resume Writing		
PARENTING					
Wed	15 Jan	12:00 PM ET	Parenting and Sexual Development (SHAPE Module 1)		
Thu	16 Jan	1:00 PM ET	What About the Kids?		
		9:00 AM ET	Proactive Parenting Strategies for Healthy Sexual Development		
Wed	22 Jan	12:00 PM ET	Parenting to Prevent PSB: Ages 2-4 (SHAPE Module 2)		
Wed	29 Jan	12:00 PM ET	Parenting to Prevent PSB: Ages 5-9 (SHAPE Module 3)		
MENTAL WELL BEING					
Thu	16 Jan	10:00 AM ET	FAP Hour: Transitional Compensation and Safety Transfers		
PERSONAL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT					
Tue	21 Jan	1:00 PM ET	7 Healthy Money Habits		
Thu	23 Jan	1:00 PM ET	The Ghost of Christmas Past		
Fri	24 Jan	1:00 PM ET	Let's Get Financially Fit!		
Thu	30 Jan	12:00 PM ET	Tax Prep for service members		
RELOCATION					

Leading the Way: Empowering Newcomers

Sponsorship-From the Sailor to the Family

NAVY LIFE				
Wed	29 Jan	2:00 PM ET	Diary of an Ombudsman	
PERSONAL GROWTH				
Wed	8 Jan	11:00 AM ET	Conflict Management	
Tue	14 Jan	10:00 AM ET	Understanding Anger	
Thu	16 Jan	2:00 PM ET 1:00 PM ET	Anger Management Discover the Building Blocks of Fostering Healthy Relationships	
Wed	22 Jan	11:00 AM ET	Conflict Management Couples Communication: Couples	
Thu	23 Jan	2:00 PM ET	Enhancement/Getting Unplugged	
RESILIENCE				
Wed	15 Jan	2:00 PM ET	Stress Management	
Tue	28 Jan	10:00 AM ET	Stress Management	
EXCEPTIONAL FAMILY MEMBER				
Fri	17 Jan	11:00 AM ET	Music Together for Children with Special Needs	



### Mind-Body Mental Fitness What's it all about?



The primary goal of Mind-Body Mental Fitness is to enhance the mind, body, spirit and social domains in one's life. MBMF teaches proactive pathways to achieve mental fitness, find balance within these domains, and gain practical skills that can be utilized daily. Some of the practical skills are problem solving, goal setting, mindfulness, meditation, and quick recalibrations to adjust your physiological state. When we increase our resilience, stressors can be seen as a challenge to overcome, rather than a threat.

Over the course of six sessions, MBMF can help you and your command by teaching service members and families that neuroplasticity and mental toughness can be strengthened with consistent practice to create a culture of resilience. The six sessions can be taken together as a series, or any one session can stand alone.

#### The MBMF modules are:

- 1. Stress Resiliency
- 2. Mindfulness and Meditation
- 3. Living Core Values
- 4. Flexibility
- 5. Problem Solving
- 6. Connection

#### Module 1: Stress Resilience

Module 2: Mindfulness and Meditation

Module 3: Living Core Values

Module 4: Flexibility

Fri 10 Jan 12:00 PM ET

Module 5: Problem Solving

Fri 17 Jan 12:00 PM ET

Module 6: Connection

Fri 24 Jan 12:00 PM ET