DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON BAUMHOLDER
UNIT 23746
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF
IMEU-BMH-ZA

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Policy Letter 7-2, Use of USAG Baumholder Sports Complexes

1. Reference. AR 215 -1, Non-appropriated Fund Instrumentalities and Morale, Welfare, and Recreation Activities Para 7-1, dated 31 July 2007.

2. Purpose. To establish the Garrison policy for use of sports complexes.

3. Applicability. All Soldiers, their Family members, retirees, DoD Civilians, local national employees, NATO unit Soldiers, and authorized guests.

4. Policy. Use of USAG Baumholder Sports Complexes is prioritized as follows:

a. IAW AR 215-1, Para 7-1a, b and d, Family members and guests of AD personnel have the same (first) priority as AD personnel, provided they are accompanied by AD personnel. FMWR programs will be established primarily for Armed Forces military personnel.

b. If USAG Baumholder sports facilities cannot accommodate all authorized persons, the priority order is established. In accordance with AR 215-1, Para 7-1 1c, the USAG Baumholder Commander can establish order of priority based on table 7-1. Eligible family members who may participate in the MWR programs may assume the same priority.

c. Guest priority is determined based on the status of the accompanying authorized patron IAW table 7-1.

(1) Active duty (AD) military personnel and Families (includes U.S. Coast Guard) Members of the RC and Families (includes Ready Reserve (to include Scholarship/Contract ROTC Cadets) and National Guard, and their Family members)

(2) Delayed Entry/Delayed Training recruits

(3) Cadets of Armed Forces academies

(4) Commissioned Corps of the Public Health Service and Commissioned Corps of National

(5) Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and their Family members

(6) Retired military personnel from active duty and Family members. Retired from the Reserves with pay and retired without pay

(7) Veterans with 100% service-connected disability, honorably discharged (category 4),

(8) Medal of Honor recipients or in retired status. Un-remarried surviving spouses (and Families) of military personnel who died while on AD

(9) Un-remarried former spouses (and other Family members) who were married to the military member for at least 20 years while the military member was on AD

(10) Orphans of military members, when not adopted by new parents, under 21 years of age (or over if not capable of supporting themselves, or 23 years of age if they are in full-time study)

(11) U.S. DOD APF/NAF civilian employees (includes AAFES) and Coast Guard civilians and their Family members stationed outside the United States.

(12) Local national or host country DOD civilian employees and Families at the discretion of the overseas commander, provided space is available and subject to host country agreements.

(13) U.S. Federal employees when assigned in areas outside the United States
Medical personnel under contract to the Army during periods they are residing on the installation

(14) Military personnel of foreign nations and their Families when on orders from the U.S. Armed Forces, or in overseas areas when the overseas commander grants privileges in the best interest of the United States

(15) Paid members of the American Red Cross, United Service Organization, and other POs as authorized by DOD issuances, when assigned to U.S. Armed Forces outside the United States

(16) U.S. employees of firms under contract to DOD working on the installation, assigned outside the United States

(17) U.S. DOD APF/NAF civilian employees (includes AAFES) and Coast Guard civilians and retired DOD and Coast Guard civilians and their Family members

(18) DOD contract personnel or technical representatives who work full time on the installation.

(19) ROTC cadets (other than those above) when participating in field training
Former POWs and spouses of current prisoners of war or service members missing in action and their Family members.

(20) Non-DOD Federal employees working on the installation

(21) Foster children of military personnel, exchange students residing with Families of military personnel who are their sponsors, and "au pairs" residing with Families of military personnel

(22) Individuals who have distinguished themselves in direct association with or in support of the Army (may include foreign nationals overseas)

(23) Leaders in the local community designated by the Garrison Commander and recertified annually.

(24) Members of the general public at MWR infrequent/open events, at Garrison Commanders discretion IAW AR 215–1, 31 July 2007

d. All patrons must present proof of eligibility showing they are authorized to use the sports facilities. Common Access Card will be used for identification purposes and recording using the Recreational Tracking Software (Rec Trac)

5. Guest must be accompanied by authorized patrons. Garrison Commander (or designate) will approve local rules governing the number of guest and the frequency of use at a specific sports facilities. Request should be made in writing to the Garrison sports director and routed through the Director, Family Morale Welfare for approval of the Garrison Commander.

6. Proponent for this policy is the Sports Director, USAG Baumholder, 485-7176.

SAM R. McADOO
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