



**Welcome!**

**Through the Youth Sponsorship Program, we can assist your child with transitioning to (Step 1) or from (Step 2) MacDill AFB.**

**\*Step 1:** If you are PCSing to MacDill, we have a terrific youth center with awesome programs! We know you will have fun and make a lot of new friends while you are here. MacDill Air Force Base has plenty to offer youth ages 5-18. Our program is affiliated with the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, 4-H, and the National Alliance for Youth Sports, so the sky is the limit on what we offer. We have active Torch and Keystone Leadership and Service clubs that get engaged and active in the community. To see additional information about our programs, please visit our website at <https://macdillfss.com/youth>

**In addition to our youth center, the base has lots of recreational opportunities such as:**

- Fitness Center
- Bowling Center
- Golf Course
- Arts and Crafts Center
- Library
- Outdoor Recreation has lots of great equipment that may be rented for family fun as well!

**\*Step 2:** If you are departing MacDill, we are sad to see you go! Let us help ease your transition by connecting your child with youth at your destination base.

**Please fill out the below form and email it to me at: [harold.hug@us.af.mil](mailto:harold.hug@us.af.mil)**

**We wish you and your family safe travels!**

**Please call us at 813-828-7438 or DSN: 968-7438 if you have any questions?**

CHRIS HUG  
Director, Youth Programs

### Request for Pen Pal/Youth Sponsorship

So...you're moving! Are you nervous? Scared? Excited? Would you like to talk with someone your age, with similar interests about what you can expect when you arrive?

Let us know. Take a few minutes to complete the information below.

email to: [harold.hug@us.af.mil](mailto:harold.hug@us.af.mil) (Director of Youth Programs) or call 813-828-7438

Youth Name:	Age:	Grade:
Mailing Address:	Email Address:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Parent's Work:
What is your arrival date to MacDill AFB or your <b>destination base</b> ?		

What do you like to do? Check next to all the activities listed below that you like to do.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Arts and Crafts           | <input type="checkbox"/> Acting/Drama                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Piano                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cooking                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Write (Poetry, stories, letters)    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Skateboard or rollerblade | <input type="checkbox"/> Read                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Video Games               | <input type="checkbox"/> Hang out with friends and socialize |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shopping                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Movies                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Sports              | <input type="checkbox"/> Team/School sports                  |

Other:

What type of music do you like to listen to?

What type of movies do you like to watch?

What questions do you have about our Youth Programs at MacDill AFB or **the base you're going to**?

I give my consent for my child's name and contact information for the purpose of participating in the MacDill AFB Youth Sponsorship Program:

Parent Signature:

Print Name:

Date: