

Month of the Military Child Guinness Book of World Records Attempt

In observance of the Month of the Military Child, Army CYS will attempt to break the current Guinness Book of World Records for virtually passing of a soccer ball.

Who: All CYS Youth ages 3 to 18, Adult CYS staff, FCC providers, and family members.

What: Virtually pass a soccer ball (see rules)

When: April 6, 2021 between 1600 and 1900 Local Time (no date/time stamp required)

Where: Choose location conducive with activity as explained in rules below

Participant Rules: Participants will receive a passed ball (rolled, tossed or kicked) from an out of frame location. (Minimum 5 feet away from participant) Soccer ball may vary in size, type or color. No kick balls, basketballs, or foam balls.

Participants will stop the ball using a legal soccer type trap (foot, body, etc.) No Hands

HEADING A SOCCER BALL CAN BE DANGEROUS IF NOT PROPERLY TRAINED

Participant will stop the motion of the ball, state their first name only and garrison, then pass the ball out of frame using a legal soccer-style pass. Ball must leave the video frame to be eligible for submission.

Participants will submit recorded videos with ID in subject line (Pacific, Europe, Training, Sustainment, or Readiness) to usarmy.jbsa.imcom-hq.mbx.g9-cys-services@mail.mil no later than 2359 Central Standard Time on 21 April 2021. **Note: Fort Irwin ID is Readiness**

Please note videos should be shot in portrait mode, audio clear (to hear participant), single participant in frame only. Coaching of the participant is not allowed in the submission video.

Videos must meet above requirements to be eligible for record submission.

Parents of participants under 18 years of age or participants over 18 years must consent to the use of video by IMCOM to be submitted to Guinness Book of World Records and be uploaded to online platforms as required by CYS and Guinness Book.

A sample video can be seen at: <https://youtu.be/UP0Ow3RFnz4>

Some videos may be excluded from the video due to the following (not inclusive): Excess background noise, animals or other people in the video frame, audio not clear, participant not speaking loud enough, participant not using legal soccer kicks or passes, not passing ball out of frame, or any submission received after 21 April 2021.

Please contact us at usarmy.jbsa.imcom-hq.mbx.g9-cys-services@mail.mil if you have any questions