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Coming home

Refining ways of reintegrating Soldiers post deployment

by Dave Melancon

U.S. Army Europe Public Affairs Office

U.S. Army Europe leaders and community agencies responsible for the reintegration of Soldiers and civilian employees returning from deployment will soon find updated tools at their disposal.

The key tool in negotiating the reintegration process – the USAREUR reintegration checklist – has been refined to bring it in step with the Army's recently revised reintegration process and to provide more depth on post-deployment issues such as alcohol abuse, mental health concerns and brain injury awareness, said Sgt. 1st Class Steven Stanfill from the policy branch of the USAREUR personnel directorate.

The refinements were the product of a four-day conference in Bad Kreuznach in January. The conference brought together unit leaders, attorneys, chaplains, educators,

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Café am Markt,
located on the walkplatz in downtown
Kaiserslautern,
has already posted
their no smoking
sign, along with
the neighboring
Markthalle. Because
they can provide a
separate room for
smokers, smoking
will continue to be
allowed in the nearby Brauhaus.

Germany butts out!

by Petra Lessoing

435th Air Base Wing Public Affairs

Starting today, Rheinland-Pfalz and the state of Saarland will join other German states in a public smoking ban. Initially, the plan was to implement the law in November 2007. But with regards to heavy monetary losses for the carnival associations, it was postponed until after Fasching season.

There will be exceptions. In restaurants that can provide a separate room for smokers, smoking is still allowed. But these rooms have to be smaller, with less seats than the others. This regulation is not valid for discotheques, where smoking is prohibited.

Smoking in fest tents will still be allowed in Rheinland-Pfalz, but not in Bavaria.

In most German states, smoking in restaurants, pubs, theaters, and public institutions has been prohibited since Jan. 1.

Fines will get charged after a transition period. Guests will get charged up to $\[mathebox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{e}}}100$ and hosts, restaurant, pub and club owners will have to pay fines of up to $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{e}}1,000$.

Policy Update

The Superior Administrative Court in Koblenz determined in an urgent court decision that smoking will still be allowed in small restaurants and pubs – if they are run by the owner, without any other employees, and if they don't have a second room. The entrance to these places will state that smoking is allowed. Judges agreed that owners who submit a complaint could possibly lose a lot of money and that the smoking ban would infringe upon their property and their choice of employment.

The judges will allow a grace period in the state of Rheinland-Pfalz until the matter will be decided on in a general court procedure.

Do I need a German Emissions 'Umweltzone' sticker?

The answer is maybe, but most likely no. Decals are only required if traveling into environmental green zones (inner city zones with high pollution levels).

Today, only three cities in Germany – Berlin, Hannover and Köln – require you to have a sticker. The stickers are not required on major highways and autobahns that go through these cities. Unless motorists have immediate plans to travel through the inner cities of Berlin, Hannover or Köln, there isn't an immediate need for the "Umweltzone" decal and vehicle registration officials ask drivers to wait until it is time to renew their vehicle registration to

obtain the Umweltzone decal.

In the coming months, a few more German cities will require these stickers. Mannheim is scheduled to post zones March 1 and is the only city near the KMC to implement this pro-

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Don't drink and drive

Call Armedforces Against Drunk Driving, 0631-536-2233, or 489-AADD.



86th Airlift Wing Flying Statistics

These figures represent hours flown this fiscal year by members of the 86th AW, as well as the mission capable and home station logistics departure reliability rates.



C-130: 3148.9 hours C-21/C-20/C-37/C-40: 2413.9 hours OIF/OEF support: 1871.5 hours MC rate: 95.7% HSLDR rate: 99.1 % nsid

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'I have no business being alive'

by Capt. Tobias Switzer

1st Special Operations Group

In the early morning hours of Nov. 26, 2007, a pickup truck traveling westbound on Interstate 10 in the Florida Panhandle hydroplaned off the road. It spun 180 degrees and traveled backward down a steep embankment into a tree line. The vehicle came to a violent stop after hitting a tree on the passenger side. Insurance estimates considered the accident a total loss. Police and rescue workers who arrived on the scene within 10 minutes did not think it was possible for anyone to survive a crash like this.

For all intents and purposes, this article was written by a ghost. I have no business being alive except for divine intervention and the charge to spread the word about what happened to me and how to prevent it from happening to others. A simple, but fundamental, driving mistake almost rendered my wife a widow and our unborn child fatherless.

I am an MH-53M Pave Low helicopter pilot at Hurlburt Field with more than 450 hours of combat time in Iraq and more than 1,300 accident-free hours of flying. If you ask anyone who knows me, I am a risk-averse person by nature. I am probably the least interesting person to fly with because my only concern in training or combat is to execute the mission and bring everyone home safely. While driving, I don't speed, I always check my blind spot when changing lanes and I have never received a ticket.

However, being cautious is not helpful when ignorance and poor decision making come into the picture.

That morning, I awoke at 4:45 a.m. and departed my wife's apartment in Tallahassee for Hurlburt – a three-hour drive. I slept eight hours and was well rested when I began my trip. The first two hours were standard fare. I-10 is a flat, straight freeway with very little variation in scenery – an easy drive.

As I approached DeFuniak Springs, a gentle rain began. I had bags in the bed of the truck but I knew they could take a little bit of rain. I pressed on to see if the rain would subside or get heavier. About 20 minutes later, the intensity of the rain picked up. I pulled over at the next stop to get my luggage out of the bed and into the passenger side of the truck.

Here is where the chain of events that led to my accident began.

I got back onto I-10 and continued driving at the speed limit of 70 mph using cruise control. At this point, the rain was steady, but the visibility was still pretty good. I started to feel the truck's gears slipping, so I turned off the cruise control, remembering that it is not a good idea to use that function when roads are slippery or trac-

tion is low. Fortunately, I remembered this fact and disengaged cruise control before I lost control of the vehicle.

Unfortunately, I didn't slow down. A couple of miles later, the truck's control became fairly sloppy. Just as I started thinking about reducing my speed, the truck hydroplaned to the left and I was no longer in control. I had a few seconds before impact to think to myself, "This is it; I'm done." For all the hairy situations in combat and in training I've survived, it was odd that a self-induced car wreck would do me in.

The pictures show what words could not adequately describe. I am lucky to be alive, and there are a couple of take-aways I have to share.

First, never use your cruise control in conditions where traction is an issue. If you begin to lose control of the vehicle, the last thing you want is for it to attempt to con-



Courtesy photo

Capt. Tobias Switzer was driving this truck on Interstate 10 near DeFuniak Springs, Fla., when it hydroplaned and smashed into a tree Nov. 26. He survived the accident, but the truck was considered a total loss. Captain Switzer is assigned to the 1st Special Operations Group at Hurlburt Field, Fla.

tinue at the set speed.

Second, slow down in slippery conditions. I allowed myself to become lulled into complacency because the visibility was so good despite the rain. Maintaining a speed of 70 mph was clearly not a good idea. Slowing down to 40 or 50 mph would have been a lot safer. There are good procedures for recovering a skidding or hydroplaning vehicle, but when you're traveling 70 mph, there is no time to react and implement them.

I did not respect the conditions of the road and the limitations of the vehicle.

So there it is. I have done the research and have empirical evidence to show that whenever driving conditions are not ideal, you really need to slow down. It sounds simple because it is simple. Don't allow yourself to make the same mistake I made. Your family and fellow Airmen are counting on you to come back alive.

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Putting the STOP to sexual assault

USAFE's Sexual Assault Prevention and Response program uses plays to educate, inform

by Dr. Thomas Appel-Schumacher

U.S. Air Forces in Europe

The U.S Air Forces in Europe Sexual Assault Prevention and Response program is offering several performances by a professional acting company that specializes in teaching people about preventing relationship violence.

Deana's Educational Theater from Boston will tour Ramstein, Spangdahlem Air Base, Incirlik Air Base, Izmir Air Station, Lajes Air Field, RAF Mildenhall and RAF Lakenheath this month.

The show, "Remote Control," is set for 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Nightingale Theater on Ramstein. The other show, "Yellow Dress," is scheduled for 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Kaiserslautern High School Auditorium.

The acting company's mission is to refresh USAFE Airmen's understanding of what sexual assault is, how it hurts unit readiness and mission accomplishment, what consent in a sexual relationship looks like, and ways to be a responsible wingman, perhaps intervening to prevent a sexual assault from occurring.

The two different shows will be presented live and

will allow the audience to interact. In this way, learning can come alive and be both heard and felt. The first show, "Remote Control," depicts dramatic dialogue and action that is very similar to what Airmen experience while socializing. During the show, a remote control device is activated occasionally to "stop the action" and get the audience to determine what might happen next. The person with the remote control then rewinds the scene and the actors re-do the scene with a different outcome. This teaching method gets people involved and can change behavior much more than the frequently used briefing slides.

"The Yellow Dress" is a dramatic one-person play, in which a young woman tells her heartbreaking story of a relationship that goes from pure bliss to stark sadness and tragedy. She often interacts with the audience to ask for their input on what she should do in certain situations regarding the evolving relationship. Again, this play deeply impacts viewers and makes them realize the horrible results of violence in a relationship.

Each USAFE installation that is hosting this touring company has a Sexual Assault Response Coordinator. Call 480-5597 for more information.



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family readiness group members and medical professionals, many of whom have deployed and experienced the reintegration process themselves.

Their goal was to "validate, create and organize the reintegration process for our Soldiers and civilians returning from downrange," Sergeant Stanfill explained. "We (now) have a more detailed, user-friendly product for commanders

to use, and it is user-specific."

Conference attendees focused on the development of tasks, conditions and standards for a unit or community reintegration program, Sergeant Stanfill said. Although many of the tasks have been updated or modified, the basic reintegration process that spans seven half-days immediately following redeployment has not changed.

"We want to help the units reintegrate their Soldiers as easily as possible," Sergeant Stanfill said. "But it is also a must to reintegrate with their family and friends."

Family members are encouraged to attend several briefings provided by the unit's rear detachment in preparation for their spouses' return.

USAREUR was the first major Army command to codify its reintegration policies and operations into regulatory guidance, Sergeant Stanfill said. Soon after, other Army commands adopted these procedures and incorporated them into their reintegration programs.

USAREUR will change some of its reintegration procedures and add some new tasks to the process, such as in-depth counseling and medical reviews, now required by the Department of the Army.

"We ripped apart our current checklist to ensure that we are in compliance with the new Department of the Army Deployment Cycle Support Directive," said Sergeant Stanfill.

Personnel specialists and other service providers can go to USAREUR's reintegration Web site at www.per.hqusareur.army. mil/reintegration/ to see what tasks they need to perform and how to perform them.

"[The Web site] is what commanders, first sergeants and units are using as a tool to reintegrate their Soldiers," Sergeant Stanfill said. "They should not be creating their own (reintegration programs)."

"Some units have modified the current program to fit their process for an easier reintegration experience," he added, "which is fine as long as all the tasks are completed and validated."

Any Soldier or Department of Defense civilian employee deployed for more than 90 days will go through the same reintegration modules.

The reintegration checklist is divided into several sections for redeploying units, rear detachments and communities. The sections make it easier for service providers to find the part of the reintegration process pertaining to their areas of expertise.

"There is a section for IMCOM, chaplains, legal and other service providers," Sergeant Stanfill said. "The checklist also includes sections pertaining to reserve component Soldiers and civilian personnel as well."

The new steps will be added to the checklist when the approval process is complete. The USAREUR reintegration regulation, USAREUR Regulation 600-8-109, is being rewritten to reflect the changes. Additional USAREUR deployment and reintegration resources are also available in the USAREUR "blue box" at www.per.hqusareur.army.mil/bluebox/



Photo by Sgt. Aimee Millham

Spc. Justin Beck from U.S. Army Europe's 1st Battalion, 77th Armor, checks Staff Sgt. Abdurraheem Sulaimaan's personnel records in the reintegration center in Schweinfurt. Sergeant Sulaimaan and his fellow Soldiers from the 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division, completed their reintegration in November, after returning from Iraq.

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Feb. 1

2:30 p.m.: A traffic accident occurred off base between a local national and a dependent. The local national failed to yield the right-of-way and was struck by the dependent's vehicle, as she was attempting to back into a parking space. Both vehicles sustained minor damages.

5:45 p.m.: A major accident occurred off base when an Airman was following too closely and struck a dependent's vehicle. The Airman was cited for the offense. Both operators were transported to LRMC for minor injuries. The vehicles sustained minor damages.

Between 8 p.m. and 8 a.m.: Larceny of secured private property occurred on base, when the following items were taken: ID card, debit card, wallet, driver's license and pictures. The estimated cost of loss is almost \$700.

1:23 a.m.: A drunk driving incident occurred off base, when a Soldier was observed by Polizei operating a vehicle in an erratic manner. Upon contact with the Soldier, Polizei detected an odor of an unknown alcoholic beverage emitting from his breath. A portable breathalyzer was administered and the Soldier was transported to the station for further processing. A breathalyzer test was administered and he was released to security forces. The Soldier was administered sobriety tests, which he failed, was deemed unfit to operate a motor vehicle and was advised of his legal rights.

3:55 a.m.: Polizei observed an Airman operating his vehicle in an erratic manner. Upon contact with the Airman, they detected an odor of an unknown alcoholic beverage emitting from his breath, administered a portable breathalyzer test and transported him to the station. Due to being unable to provide a proper sample of breath during the breathalyzer test, a vial of blood was drawn from the Airman. He was then released to security forces and administered sobriety tests. He was deemed unfit to operate a motor vehicle.

Feb. 2

6:20 a.m.: A drunken driving incident occurred off base when a Soldier was observed operating his motor vehicle in an erratic manner. Polizei detected an odor of an unknown alcoholic beverage emitting from his breath, administered a portable breathalyzer test and

transported him to the station for further processing. A vial of blood was

drawn and he was released to security forces.
Sobriety tests were administered and the Soldier was

deemed unfit to operate a motor vehicle.

11:30 a.m.: Damage to private property occurred on base, when an unknown person put a 24-inch by 8-inch-wide scratch on the driver's side door and fender of a civilian's vehicle.

Feb. 3

Between 8 p.m. and midnight: The side front window was shattered out of an Airman's vehicle while it was parked and secured in Mackenbach. An unknown person stole a digital camera, cell phone, Play Station Portable and case, DVDs, ID card, license, iPod and numerous CDs.

5 p.m.: While traveling too fast for road conditions, a dependent lost control of her vehicle and slid into the roadside wood line. The vehicle sustained disabling damages consisting of a dislodged front bumper, scratched and dented hood, front wheel assembly separated from the axel, shattered rim, flat tire and the quarter panel and front door dented and scratched. One of the passengers was treated for a minor scratch to the cheek and the vehicle was towed from the scene.

Feb. 4

9:15 a.m.: A minor accident occurred between a dependent and a local national. The local national was executing a legal backing maneuver, when the dependent was traveling too fast for weather conditions and struck the local national's vehicle. There were no visible damages to the dependent's vehicle, but the local national's vehicle sustained damages consisting of a cracked front bumper, dented grill and the license plate being detached from the vehicle.

Feb. 5

7:15 a.m.: A traffic accident occurred off base when a dependent was traveling too fast for weather conditions, lost control of her vehicle and struck the guard rail. The vehicle sustained minor damages to the rear fender.

Between 11 p.m. and 6:30 a.m.: A civilian left his car unsecured at his residence in

Mackenbach, at which time an unknown person removed a GPS and a cell phone receiver from the vehicle.

Feb 6

6:50 a.m.: A traffic accident occurred on base when a Soldier was driving too fast for road conditions as he was exiting the installation gate. This caused her to lose control of her vehicle and strike a stop sign and a priority road sign. Damages to her vehicle consisted of the front license plate being pushed in and scratched, front bumper pushed up, quarter panel pushed in and a broken turn signal. The stop sign was bent over and the road sign was broken.

10 a.m.: A major traffic accident occurred when a Soldier was attempting to make a right turn on the autobahn. Because he was driving too fast for road conditions, he struck a directional sign and caused disabling damages to his vehicle. The vehicle was towed from the scene.

Between 1 and 11:30 a.m.: An Airman left his vehicle unsecured and parked on base. A GPS and a 2GB storage card were taken from the vehicle. Estimated cost of loss is approximately \$300.

Feb. 7

6 a.m.: A dependent was traveling on the autobahn and hit black ice. She lost control of the vehicle and went into the ditch, causing disabling damage to her vehicle.

Between 4 p.m. and 6 a.m.: An Airman's vehicle was parked outside his residence in Schwedelbach. When he returned to the vehicle, he noticed his GPS and a ring had been taken.

11:50 p.m.: A civilian was operating a motor vehicle while talking on a cell phone. He lost control of his vehicle and hit a fence line, causing disabling damage to his vehicle and dam-



Traffic obstruction on K25

County road K25 that runs between Rodenbach and Einsiedlerhof will be partly closed for construction work from Monday to March 7. A traffic light will regulate the traffic flow. Trucks will not be able to use the road during the construction period.

Service Credit Union closed Monday

All Service Credit Union branch offices will be closed Monday for President's Day. All Service Credit Union branch offices will resume normal hours of operation Tuesday.

Housing office hours

The KMC Housing Office will be closed Monday in observance of President's Day. Normal hours will resume at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Munitions news

The 435th Munitions Squadron will be closed March 3 to 28 to conduct a semi-annual inventory.

Issue and turn-in requests need to be submitted to munitions operations by today. After today, only emergency requests will be honored. Normal hours will resume March 31.

New rules for drivers in Europe

Fuel ration card replaces coupons

The German government asked the U.S. Forces in Germany to change from fuel coupons to an automated fuel ration card. The change from fuel coupons will take place gradually thru each military community across Germany from July to November. All U.S. Forces personnel who are stationed in Germany should be aware of this change since it will affect all who have been paying for fuel from AAFES stations and ESSO stations in Germany with fuel coupons.

This includes fuel for all privately-owned vehicles and for all U.S. Government non-tactical vehicles. The new fuel ration card will provide conveniences and efficiencies that were not possible with fuel coupons. At the same time, anyone who uses their fuel ration card incorrectly will risk having to pay more than they expected for their fuel.

Every Soldier, Sailor, Airman, Marine and U.S Forces civilian is responsible for using their fuel ration card properly after they've received and activated it. To ensure complete understanding of proper fuel card use, all U.S. Forces personnel who are stationed in Germany, or otherwise eligible for the fuel ration card, are asked to fully review all published information on fuel ration card implementation and use. This includes all U.S. Forces personnel who are either permanently stationed or on temporary duty in Germany and their family members with drivers licenses who are permanently stationed in Germany.

For more information, visit www.imcom-europe. army.mil. (Courtesy of U.S. Army Installation Management Command, Europe)

Customer advantages of the fuel ration card

- Time saver No more lengthy purchase transactions for each book of coupons.
- Multiple payment options Online, AAFES Shoppettes/gas stations, bank allotment, telephone transfer.
- No "squeezing" at the pump No need to "squeeze" fuel to equal the exact coupon amount.
- No signatures No need to sign multiple coupons for each transaction.
- Safe and secure Lost coupons meant lost cash to you. The ration card protects your investment.
- No expired coupons No expired coupons at the end of each year.

Differences of the transition

- ESSO only Germany-wide ESSO Stations only (not currently honored at ARAL).
- Card matches the vehicle Can't transfer cards between vehicles; the card matches the plate.
- Must show registration Customers must show vehicle registration to ESSO/AAFES store clerks to complete a fuel transaction.









Graphics courtesy of USAG Heidelberg

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gram. Kaiserslautern is not projected to implement green zones as of press time.

Motorists must pay attention to environmental green zone entrance signs, which are square with the familiar red circle on a white background. The word "Umwelt" is centered in the red circle and "Zone" is underneath in large letters.

Especially pay attention to the smaller sign marked "Frei" posted beneath: it identifies the colors of vehicle decals allowed into the zone. The green zone departure signs are the same as the entrance signs, but with the familiar slash identifying the departure of a zone. Penalties for zone infractions in Berlin,

Europe vehicle registrations, are issued based upon model year. They are issued in three colors: red, yellow or green. Gasoline engine vehicles (model year 1993 and newer) will receive green colored decals. Diesel engine vehicles (model year 1997 and newer) will receive one of the three colors of stickers based on the model year. These diesel vehicles will eventually require future emission system upgrades to meet Category 4 green sticker emission standards for environmental zones.

Vehicles older than model year criteria can't be issued decals from USAREUR. Older vehicles may only receive decals after emission system upgrades. Decals must then be issued directly from a certified local emission repair shop and only

> after passing host nation emission standards tests. Motorcycles and government vehicles are currently exempt per instruction.

> KMC residents should go to vehicle registration for the decal only if they reasonably expect to drive within a green zone. The new emission zone decals are in very limited supply.

In the coming weeks, USAREUR will be receiving additional decals to supply the KMC's needs.

USAREUR Registrar of Motor Vehicles is the point of contact for the new city specific Umweltzone stickers. Visit http://rmv.hqusareur.army.mil for more specific details on vehicle registration requirements.

(Courtesy of KMC Vehicle Registration)

Hannover and Köln are currently €40. The decals, issued by U.S. Army

Rental cars may not have snow tires

by Petra Lessoing 435th Air Base Wing Public Affairs

Customers renting a car from a rental agency in winter should make sure the car is equipped with snow tires.

Car rental agencies are not obliged to put snow tires on all of their cars. If an accident occurs due to ice and snow, the renter is

fully liable. Even if renters get a collision damage waiver, they will be made liable for damages, said officials of the German automobile club, ADAC.

According to German traffic law, each motorist is responsible for adapting his or her vehicle's equipment to the current weather conditions. Ensuring a vehicle has suitable tires for current road conditions is part of this process. When customers make a reservation for a rental car, they should get confirmation from the rental agency that the vehicle they desire is equipped with snow tires.

If the car rental agency cannot provide the vehicle with the requested tires on pickup day, the renter does not have to take the vehicle.



The Soviet I-16 A fly, a rat or a donkey?

by Dr. Marshall Michel 86th Airlift Wing historian

When Communist dictator Josef Stalin and his supporters took over Russia, one of their high priorities was to develop advanced military weapons.

In 1931, when most of the world's fighters were World War I-type biplanes, Stalin ordered Soviet designers to develop an advanced monoplane fighter. The Soviet's foremost designer, N.N. Polikarpov, was inconveniently in prison - the victim of Stalin's 1929 purge. But for this program, Polikarpov and his design team were released to continue work under the close scrutiny of the secret police.

The resilient Polikarpov produced a revolutionary design for the world's first monoplane fighter, the I-16 – a stubby monoplane optimized for speed like the air racers of the day. It had retractable landing gear (raised by a hand-crank), a variable pitch propeller and a fully enclosed canopy (which was so opaque the rear part was removed in service), but only a pair of 0.30 cal machine guns in the wings.

The prototype made its first flight on Dec. 30, 1933, but proved to be unstable on all three axes and required constant attention. Its short fuselage made it very unstable in high-g turns. Initially, aerobatics were forbidden (a true disadvantage for a fighter) but once they were allowed, the I-16's roll rate proved to be an amazing 240 degrees per second. It was also the fastest fighter in the world at 282 mph, almost 100 mph faster than contemporary biplanes. Because it was the world's lightest production fighter - a little over 3,000 pounds – it had an outstanding rate of climb.

Production of the I-16 Ishak - Little Donkey – began in May 1934 and became the



Four I-16s in flight – note the rear part of the canopy is removed.

world's first mass-produced fighter. When the Spanish Civil War began in July 1936, Stalin sent almost 500 I-16s to help the Communist Republicans battle the Fascist Nationalists, supported by Germany and Italy. The I-16's outstanding speed and rate of climb outmatched the German and Italian biplane fighters, and the Nationalists nicknamed it Rata (Rat), while the Republicans called it Mosca (Fly).

In 1939, I-16s participated in fighting between the Soviet Union and Japan over China and Khalkhin-Gol, where they proved superior to early Japanese fighters.

Combat experience showed that the I-16 was hard to maintain, the wooden fuselage was very vulnerable to battle damage and its armament was too light. Additionally, few I-16s carried radios - now standard equipment in all Western aircraft - and more disturbingly, at the end of both of the conflicts new fighters appeared that outclassed the I-16: the German Bf-109 and Japanese Zero-Sen.

The I-16's firepower was upgraded with two 20 mm ShVAK cannons, but the weight of the cannons adversely affected performance, as did the addition of armor, radios, battery and flaps during the aircraft's combat evolu-

By 1939, it was clear the I-16 had exhausted its performance potential, but at the time of the German invasion in 1941, it was still the most numerous Soviet fighter. Now completely outclassed, they were destroyed on the ground and in the air in droves. But the Soviet's need for fighters was so desperate, production continued until 1943. Many were used in ramming attacks where pilots would dive into the tail surfaces of German bombers, then (hopefully) bail out.

First Sergeants' corner



with Air Force Instruction 36-2903, Table 2.5, Line 3, members are prohibited from attaching, affixing or displaying objects, articles,

jewelry or ornamentation to or through the nose, tongue, eyebrows, lips or any exposed body part, including items mentioned above that are visible through clothing. Piercing of earlobes by women is allowed, but should not be extreme or excessive. Males are not authorized to wear earrings while off duty on military installations.

Civil **Engineers'** corner

Applications are available for a special duty assignment as a dormitory manager (9D000). Eligible applicants must be staff sergeants stationed at Ramstein or Vogelweh and

must have their commander's endorsement. The positions require a two-year commitment and have an option for a third

If you are interested, contact Master Sgt. Bradford Berry or Mr. Stan Hall at the Dorm Reception Center at 480-3676 or e-mail Bradford.berry@ ramstein.af.mil.



Lt. Gen. Rod Bishop, 3rd Air Force commander, welcomes Hungarian Lt. Gen. Lazlo Tombol, Joint Forces Command commander, to Ramstein for a two-day tour of the Ramsteinbased C-17 operation.

Hungarian leaders visit, discuss C-17s

by Senior Master Sgt. Hollis Dawson 3rd Air Force Public Affairs

Third Air Force hosted a delegate of Hungarian Air Force leaders at Ramstein Feb. 5 and 6 and shared C-17 Globemaster interoperability procedures with its European neighbor.

During the two-day visit, Lt. Gen. Rod Bishop, 3rd Air Force commander, gave Hungarian Lt. Gen. Lazlo Tombol, Joint Force Command commander, and key members of the Hungarian Air Force a first-hand look at the integral parts of the Air Force's C-17 operation within the European theater.

The Hungarian delegation visited Ramstein to learn more about C-17 operations as they prepare to stand up Strategic Airlift Consortium C-17 operations at Papa Air Base, Hungary.

During their tour, they visited Air Mobility Command, the 86th Airlift Wing and the 435th Air Base Wing facilities that support C-17 operations.

General Tombol and his delegation were very impressed with the professionalism and expertise of the maintenance, aerial port and other support personnel they met.

The U.S. Air Force will play a large role in the stand-up and operation of the three C-17s when the base begins operations in Hungary later this year.

Fluoride 101: An unscientific explanation

by Senior Airman E. McGee and Airman 1st Class K. Sanchez-Rabago 435th Dental Squadron

Enough of the scientific-medical explanation that we all hear about fluoride. I am going to lay it out here for those of us who are not so "scientifically inclined" why fluoride is good for us.

Fluoride is an elemental ion that helps teeth resist a breakdown by acids that are in the mouth. Say what? Ok, Ok, fluoride is a protective shield that protects our teeth from decay and is best used when applied on the surface often and in low amounts.

Fluoride combats tooth decay in two ways. It strengthens tooth enamel – a hard and shiny substance that protects the teeth – so that it can better resist the acid formed by plaque. Fluoride also allows teeth damaged

by acid to repair, or re-mineralize themselves. Fluoride cannot repair large cavities, but it can reverse low levels of tooth decay and thus prevent new cavities from recurring.

Most children receive the right amount of fluoride through a combination of using fluoridated toothpaste, drinking fluoridated water and eating foods processed with fluoridated water. Even though the water off base in Germany and on some base facilities is *not* fluoridated, children still receive an adequate amount of fluoride from the sources listed above and from drinking water while visiting base facilities, such as the base schools.

If some fluoride is good, why not give children as much fluoride as possible? As with most minerals and vitamins, overexposure can be harmful. Too much fluoride before 8 years of age can cause enamel fluorosis, a discoloration or brown staining of the perma-

nent teeth. Although this condition is harmless, it can be very unsightly. The Ramstein dental clinic does not recommend special fluoride supplements for children, since these supplements could result in children receiving too much fluoride and, possibly, permanent tooth staining.

So what did we learn today? Fluoride is a great scientific discovery that is on our side! Used right, it fights off decay to protect our teeth from cavities. Much of the base water supply, processed canned foods shipped or sold from the states, toothpaste that is visibly labeled to have fluoride and bottled water with fluoride are adequate sources of fluoride. All of these make supplements unnecessary.

Now, when you go to the dentist's office or even the local commissary and see the word flouride, you will know what it means.







CREEK DEFENDER

The 786th Security Forces Squadron held the Creek Defender course Jan. 21 to Feb. 1 in Baumholder. This two-week course covered an array of tactical training methods, including convoy training that security forces members will need to be successful in a deployed environment.

(From top) Airman Jerome Barrett takes down coordinates of a long-range target given to him by his wingman, Airman 1st Class Denys Zea, both of the 569th Security Forces Squadron, Jan. 30. This task was one of many that several Airmen accomplished while participating in the Creek Defender course; Security forces' members participating in an intense two-week Creek Defender course prepare for the convoy training portion of the course Jan. 30; U.S. Air Force humvees are prepared to engage the enemy during convoy training in Baumholder; Security forces' Airmen point to their long-range targets in hopes of plotting the correct coordinates before time is up.

Photos by Airman 1st Class Kenny Holston



Walking 3,000 feet

More than 100 personnel from Morón
Air Base, including the U.S. and
Spanish air forces, came together
Feb. 4 in the quarterly "Joint" Foreign
Object Damage walk of the base's
aircraft parking ramp. This FOD walk
is accomplished on a weekly basis;
Spanish Air Force personnel joined in
that week's 3,000-foot walk.

(From left) Master Sgt. Jimmie B. Owens, 496th ABS; Spanish Air Force Maj. Juan Ferrero Barberá, 11th Wing; Spanish Air Force Lt. Juan Antonio Garcia Gonzalez, 11th Wing; and Capt. Brady J. Vaira, 496th ABS.



Photo by Capt. Oscar Parra

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Photo by Airman 1st Class Kenny Holston

Ramstein welcomes Hungarian visitors

David Moore, Ramstein transient alert, guides a C-20 to its parking spot Feb. 5 on the Ramstein flightline. Lt. Gen. Laszlo Tombol, commander of the Hungarian Joint Forces Command, is visiting with 3rd Air Force.



Photo by Airman 1st Class Ruth Holcomb

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Secretary of the Air Force visits Ramstein

Capt. Andrew Sheehan, a member of the Kaiserslautern Military Community Center resident Director's Office, listens to Secretary of the Air Force Michael W. Wynne as they discuss various aspects of the KMCC construction project. Secretary Wynne stopped at Ramstein as part of his recent visit downrange to assess Airmen quality of life.

Meeting with the mayor

Lt. Col. Mechelle Hale, U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern commander, briefs the new Lord Mayor of the City of Kaiserslautern Dr. Klaus Weichel on the garrison's mission, facilities and unique capabilities Feb. 4.







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Around KMC Schools

Top left, **Faith Baptist School** celebrates its 100th day of school Feb. 5. Kindergartners (from left) Philip Flores, Frankie Beer and Madison Simmons display their 100 item posters. Top center, **Landstuhl Elementary and Middle School** students host "I Can Make a Difference by ..." Cultural Arts Fair. Nearly 200 students submitted entries. Winners received AAFES gift cards. Top right, Ryan del Toro, Zach Windorf and Sofia Dinges enjoy the sight as their host nation teacher Judy Crayford cuts off the tie of their fifthgrade **Ramstein Intermediate School** teacher Tim Sheyda Jan. 31. The cutting off of men's

ties, called Women's Fasching, takes place the last Thursday of Carnival season.

Lower left, **Ramstein High School** student Collin Barclay removes a motherboard from a computer tower while Tech. Sgt. Farrah Wallace, 435th Communications Squadron's Network Training Center, mentors him. Students from around the KMC schools participated in Job Shadow Day Feb. 1. Lower center, Staff Sgt. Terry French works with **Ramstein Elementary School Sure Start** 4-yearolds Ellie French, Alexis Andreasen, D'Janee Kyeremeh and Andrew Bailey. The children were introduced to safety rules, precautions

and various tools used in the woodworking center Jan. 29. Lower right, **Ramstein Intermediate School** student Tom Nicholson, aka Thurgood Marshall, Supreme Court Justice, describes his life and work to his classmates for his project for Black History Month. Students in Freda Espinoza-Talleur's fifth-grade class created living biographies of famous African Americans. They researched their subjects, wrote a paper and dressed as the person. They also created a craft or made a powerpoint presentation and were invited to culminate with food or a game that further illustrated their person.

Keystone Club has day of service in honor of Dr. King

In honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day, the Ramstein Keystone Club demonstrated their teen leadership and outstanding commitment to their communities with a "Martin Luther King Day of Service."

The Ramstein Keystone Club cleaned up the paintball forest Jan. 26. You may ask what does picking up trash have to do with Dr. King? The reason why the teens picked the Kaiserslautern Rod & Gun Club paintball forest is they wanted to give back and support their community. The Keystone Club hosts the annual Friendly Forest and Haunted Hayride at the Rod & Gun Club. This event is their biggest fundraiser with months of pre-planning.



Courtesy photo

Colleen Kiplinger and Lana Codina clean up the paintball forest in the spirit of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

School notebook

RES hosts auction

Ramstein Elementary School Parent Teacher Association will sponsor an Asian and Antique Furniture Auction March 1 in the school gym.

A silent auction will kick off the event with silent bidding at 10 a.m. and a live auction at 11 a.m. There will be 250 items auctioned. This event is open to all ID card-holders. Delivery service, for a price, is available. For safety purposes, the event is for adults only. Items for auction include Asian furniture, porcelain, Tiffany lamps and an assortment of decorative pieces from Hong Kong and Tibet. All payment must be made in U.S. dollars, checks or money orders. The proceeds will go to the PTA to support school activities and enrichment programs benefiting all students at the school.

ROSC college scholarship

The Ramstein Officers' Spouses Club Scholarship is open to all command-sponsored KMC Department of Defense dependents who are 2008 graduating high school seniors.

Scholarships are awarded solely on merit with no regard to ethnicity, gender, creed or disability. (Financial need is not taken into consideration.)

The 2008 high school senior applications are available from high school counselors' offices and should be returned there. The deadline is 3 p.m. Thursday. The minimum eligibility requirements for high school students are: a 3.0 cumulative GPA or above; have an SAT or ACT score; and must not PCS before Thursday. For details, e-mail the ROSC scholarship chair, Stacy Uselman, at Scholarships@RamsteinOSC. org or write to: ROSC Scholarship Committee; 435 SVS, Unit 3240; Bldg 412 Box 2; APO AE; 09094.



Photo by Pamela Kutz

Vice principal for a day

Nicholas Kutz from Landstuhl Elementary and Middle School was invited to be an assistant vice principal for the day at Ramstein High School. Nicholas helped monitor the halls, manage paper work and learned the tough work that goes into being a vice principal.



Photo by Julie Cover

Ramstein High School student Charessa Holtzen works by candle light for a class project that turned back the clocks to the Victorian era.

A day without technology

by Colleen Kiplinger

Ramstein High School

Giving up technology in this day and age is easier said than done.

At Ramstein High School, Suzanne Volke's tenth-grade World History and AP European History classes accepted the challenge to turn the clocks back and live without technology, as they did in the Victorian era.

The students were not allowed to use their iPods, TV's or computers for 24 hours.

The purpose for this project was for the class to realize how dependent today's society is on technology and also to give the students a glimpse into what life was like during the Victorian Era.

Electric lights were replaced with candle lights. No processed food was allowed; instead students had to make meals from scratch. Instead of using a car, students were encouraged to walk or use their bikes. The students thought the project would be an easy 'A,' but it proved to be a much more difficult task.

"I was tired from just one day of living without our modern conveniences," Kris Van Buren said.

The students used their extra free time away from technology to play cards, write letters, study and even catch up with their family members.

"You noticed all the free time you have without electronics," Stacy Miller said. "It makes you value everything you have so much more."

Each student was asked the same question at the end of the project: If you could turn the clock back permanently to the Victorian era would you? They all replied "no."

Students are happy to be living in 2008, surrounded by modern conveniences that make life a lot more fun.

Student teacher

Using reciprocal teaching,
Kaiserslautern Middle School eighthgrader Ron Hodgkins teaches Zachary
Jones about the first colonists in America.
Reciprocal teaching is one of several
research-based interventions selected by
the school to increase student achievement and critical thinking. In this technique, students teach each other by focusing on four comprehension strategies:
predicting, questioning, clarifying and
summarizing.



Photo by eighth-grader Matthew Badstibne

German-American Community Office

celebrates 5 years

by Senior Airman Melissa Sheffield 435th Air Base Wing Public Affairs

The German-American Community Office is celebrating its fifth anniversary Tuesday.

The office, located across from the city hall in Kaiserslautern, has established itself as the contact point for all questions pertaining to members of different nations living together.

Bilingual assistants, representing the American military community and the City of Kaiserslautern have responded to more than 13,000 requests during the last five years.

GACO is set up as an international drop-in point catering to both German

and American citizens. English and German-speaking employees offer information required by American citizens who have recently arrived in Kaiserslautern to help them settle quickly into their new community.

The staff assists in handling administrative matters or provides recreational information. Services, such as linguistic support, will also be offered to Americans who have been living in Kaiserslautern for a longer period and need assistance.

"In short, the city embraces its U.S. residents, and wants to offer them thorough, competent service throughout their stay," said Sissi Kösling, GACO staff member.

Daily topics at the GACO office range from bill interpretation to international marriage.

"Everyone's questions are welcomed here and all our services are free," said Elke Sittel, another GACO employee.



Sissi Kösling, host nation advisor of the German-American Community Office, briefs participants of a USO orientation tour Friday at their facility in Kaiserslautern.

brought together.

The GACO staff also hosts special events throughout the year. They sponsor a day of performances during Kaiserslautern's Christmas market or "GACO on tour," where they provide needful information at different locations in the city such as the Kaiserslautern Garden Fair.

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Mrs. Sittel.

During the USO orientation tours on Fridays, military newcomers receive briefings on relevant topics ranging from host nation regulations to information on German-American clubs at the GACO facility.

"GACO gave a lot of useful information that will enrich our stay in Germany," said Annika Pears, wife of Maj. Scott Pears.

GACO is open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday; and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday. For details, call the GACO at 0631-363-3010, e-mail info@gaco-kl.de, or log on to their Web site at www.gaco-kl.de.

Kick the habit with Great American 'Spit Out'

bv Brad Taft

U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine

"Smoking is bad. I know that. But look, I don't smoke, I chew. That's a lot better choice, right?"

"That depends."

Chewing tobacco is a choice that depends on two things: what you want to get out of using smokeless tobacco and the price you're willing to pay to get what you want.

You are the Army's most important asset. You are strong - Army strong. Nothing should get in your way as you live out your strength of character, your strength of will and your strength of purpose.

The problem is that smokeless tobacco does get in your way because it is highly addictive. The drug nicotine makes smokeless tobacco addictive and the amount of nicotine you get from a dip of chewing tobacco is three to four times the amount delivered by a cigarette.

Just like any other addiction, addiction to

smokeless tobacco takes things away from you:

Money - each year hundreds of dollars of your hard-earned money gets put in your mouth and then spit out.

Health – you may develop problems with your teeth, mouth and stomach from the chemicals in smokeless tobacco. There also is the possibility of heart problems and cancer.

Priorities – everything starts to revolve around you being able to have a chew.

If you can't get through the day without chewing tobacco, then you are probably addicted.

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the nicotine in tobacco makes it as tough to break free of tobacco addiction as it is to break free of addiction to heroin or cocaine.

However, you can free yourself from smokeless tobacco addiction. The annual Great American Spit Out is Thursday. The Army Toolkit for GASpO 2008 has some good resources, as do the sites listed below. Check

them out and talk to your healthcare provider about beating the addiction to smokeless tobacco.

Questions from German citizens concerning German-American rela-

"Fortunately, there are many clubs,

tions and matters will also be an-

friendship associations and other

groups in the area that have already

committed themselves to foster the

In the community office, they

their activities. This also applies to

companies offering special services

to American citizens. Hence, GACO

can be considered as a market place,

formation and interaction are easily

where supply and demand for in-

have the opportunity to advertise

German-American partnership," said

_{Your} Health

Join the Great American Spit Out Thursday

Resources:

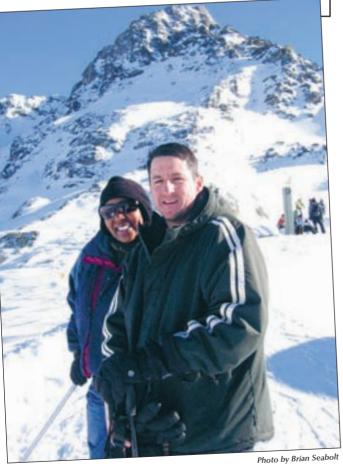
- Army Toolkit GASpO 2008, http:// chppm-www.apgea.army.mil/dhpw/Population/TobaccoCessation.aspx (Scroll down to "Great American Spit Out.")
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, www.cdc.gov/healthmarketing/ entertainment_education/tips/tobacco.
- National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research, www.nidcr.nih. gov/HealthInformation/DiseasesAnd Conditions/SpitTobacco/default.

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Master Sct. John McGuire and his son, Ryan, skied in Gstaadt, Switzerland, Dec. 28.



Celeste and Tracy Lintz skied in Ischgl, Austria, Jan. 23.



From left, top to bottom, Joshua Hering, Shelley Hering, Hannah Hering, Genna Johnson, Abigail Johnson, Lucas Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Mark Hering, Noah Hering and Olivia Hering Oct. 16 on a sailing vacation in Zakynthos, Greece.

> Tanya, Paul and Madison Sizemore had fun in the snow in Meiringen, Switzerland, in January.





Mark your calendar

All Ramstein personnel are invited to an awards ceremony honor-

ing Ramstein units which have made exemplary contributions to the



Combined Federal Campaign in 2007. Ramstein raised more than \$889,000 for more than 2,000 charities. The ceremony will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Hercules Theater. Light refreshments will be served.

The **Prevention and Relationship Enhancement Program** classes begin Thursday for couples to learn how to stop the frustration and damage the fighting can cause to your relationship. Class is 4 to 6 p.m. in the Southside Chapel, Interfaith conference room on Ramstein every Thursday for six weeks. For details, call 479-2370 or 06371-46-2370.

The Kaiserslautern African American Heritage Committee hosts a "Origins of Multiculturalism" with a night of food, drinks and dancing and a performance from the new up-and-coming artist, Stephanie "Pretty" Davis. The banquet is 6 p.m. Feb. 23 at the Ramstein Officers' Club. Tickets are \$25; civilian attire, semi-formal; guest speaker is Brig. Gen. Gregory Brundidge. For tickets, contact Master Sgt. Eric Carter at 480-5061 or Staff Sgt. Angela Blunt

at 480-7129.

Anyone interested in becoming a committee member for the upcoming **Women's History Observance Month**, celebrated March 1 to 31, can call the Equal Opportunity Office at 489-8534 or e-mail bill. white@ramstein af mil

Meetings

The Air Force Sergeants Association Chapter 1674 meets the third Friday of every month at 11:30 a.m. There is a meeting today and the next meeting is March 21 at Martini's Lounge located inside the Ramstein Enlisted Club.

The American Legion Post GR01 will hold a meeting at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at Bldg. 368 on Rhine Ordnance Barracks. For more information, call Stephen Ward at 486-7516 or wardtrans@yahoo. com. Visit the Post GR01 Web site at www.ktownamericanlegion.org.

The Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association Kaiserslautern Chapter 158 meets 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday at the Ramstein Officers' Club. Guest speaker will be Brig. Gen. Gregory Brundidge, Air Combat Command/ A6. There will be a free buffet lunch for AFCEA members and new applicants. Scholarship awards are available to junior officers, enlisted, civil service and family members currently employed or residing in the KMC. For reservations, visit http://kaiserslautern.afceachapter. org/luncheon/. Sign up by 3 p.m. Tuesday. For details, visit www. afcea.org/membership.





Bowl-a-Thon for charity

Sign up now for the bowl-a-thon, which is 1 p.m. April 18 at Ramstein and Vogelweh bowling alleys. Cost is \$10 for three games plus shoes. Contact Master Sgt. Larry Morrison at larry.morrison@ ramstein.af.mil and Master Sgt. Alejandra Bustamante at alejandra. bustamante@ramstein.af.mil. Bowlers can bowl for pledges or pledge money for other bowlers. The goal is to raise \$11,000 to be given to Air Force Enlisted Village, AF Aid Society and CMSAF Scholarship Fund. Ten percent of the proceeds will be used by KMC Top 3 for community outreach.

The **KMC 5/6 Club** meets 11:30 a.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Ramstein Enlisted Club's Martini Lounge. For details, visit www.mil.ramstein.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly is a non-profit weight loss support group that meets from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the Kaiserslautern Middle School home economics room. For details, e-mail Tops_ge12@hotmail.com.

The Kaiserslautern American German Business Club hosts a dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. March 4 at the Restaurant Am Rathaus in Kaiserslautern-Hohenecken. The topic is "How to be a Better Investor." Gary Braden, a long-time financial planner, will offer insights on the investing picture. RSVP to kaiserslautern@AGBC.de.

Beta Sigma Phi hosts its spring "Rush" at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 29 at Ramstein's youth center annex, Bldg. 411. For details, go to http://cockayne.fanspace.com/ or e-mail BSPtheta@gmail.com.

The **86th AW Annual Awards Banquet** will be at 6 p.m. Feb. 29 at the Ramstein Officers' Club. There will be a cocktail hour at 6 p.m. and dinner at 7 p.m., with award presentations to follow. The event has a cash bar. Tickets are as follows: Club members: \$10 - vegetarian entree; \$15 - meat entree. Nonclub members: \$13- vegetarian entree; \$18 - meat entree. For tickets, contact your unit's first sergeant or your unit's awards banquet representative.

things to check out!

Silver Star Families of America is hosting an admission free **Wounded Warrior Concert** from 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday at the Ramstein Community Center, Bldg. 419. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.

The **Five Love Languages Seminar** is 6 to 8 p.m.
Wednesday at the Ramstein South Chapel Conference
Room. Learn to communicate your love and have a healthier marriage. Registration is required and space is limited. Call the Ramstein North Chapel at 480-6148 or 06371-47-6148 to register.

For fitness fun, join in the **Pump-n-Run Competition** at 10 a.m. Feb. 23 at Vogelweh Fitness and Sports Center. Show off your stamina at this combined weight-lifting and running event. It is free and open to all ID card-holders. For information, call 489-7329.

'Freeze your Brass Off' Carnival Shoot is sponsored by the Kaiserslautern Rod and Gun Club on Vogelweh. This event will be at 11 a.m. Feb. 23 and involves four shoots: ice cube, poker, card and balloon. Use your own gun or borrow one from the club. For details, call 489-7274.

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by Petra Lessoing 435th Air Base Wing Public Affairs

The German-American and International Women's Club Kaiserslautern holds its 45th Annual Pfennig Bazaar March 1 to 3 in the Industrial Hall (Industriehalle) in the Kaiserslautern Garden Fair grounds.

The annual Pfennig Bazaar is known as the biggest flea market in the West Palatinate. Its name originates in the former German currency, which was Deutsch Mark and Pfennigs, today euro and cents.

The Pfennig Bazaar is the club's biggest fundraising event.

"All profits will be donated to local German and American charity groups and American and German student exchange programs," said GAIWC Corresponding Secretary Barbara The Pfennig Bazaar is open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. March 1 and 3, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 2.

For more information on the Pfennig Bazaar and the club, visit www.gaiwc.com, call Pamela Miod at 06381-996868, or e-mail euroconn@hotmail.com.

Stichler. "Last year, €20,000 were donated to a total of 20 groups, which benefited from the hard work and efforts of our bazaar volunteers."

Club members also take care of the kindergraves on Kaiserslautern's main cemetery and support the Fisher House at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center.

The German-American Women's Club was established in 1956. Meanwhile other nationalities are included and the name carries the word international as well. Its goal is to promote tolerance within cultures and international understanding and foster friendship between German, American and other communities.

GAIWC offers interest groups to include gourmet cooking, needlework, conversation, movies, culture, arts, reading, hiking and language lessons.

"We hold monthly meetings with a spe-

cific motto, where activities and events are planned and discussed," said the club's second Vice President Pamela Miod. "To our monthly Stammtisch, members and their friends are welcome."

For the bazaar, the club is looking for donations including clothes for men, women, children; shoes; household goods; books; toys; appliances; computers; collectibles; and music media. Skis, ski boots and furniture will not be accepted. Items should be in good condition and packed in boxes, which are not too heavy.

Donations can be dropped off 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. today at the new storage location on Hackstrasse 4 in Kaiserslautern, or 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Feb. 23, and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Feb. 25 and 26 in Industriehalle. Donors can enter the area on Schoenstrasse (main entrance of garden fair) and exit via Forellenstrasse (toward Casimir restaurant).



Visitors of the annual Pfennig Bazaar check out interesting items for sale.



Photos by Senior Airman Julianne Showalter

The annual Pfennig Bazaar at Industriehalle in Kaiserslautern's Garden Fair area offers a variety of household items, clothes, books, etc. March 1 to 3.

Operation Cup of Love

Twelve-year-old Lauren Ewest, Kaiserslautern Middle School seventh-grader, started a project called, "Operation Cup of Love" Over the Christ

Cup of Love." Over the Christmas holidays, she gathered her friends and they put together 500 styrofoam cups, each with a hot chocolate packet, candy, a candy cane and a letter written by a KMS student. The students handed them out to patients at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center, the Fisher Houses, dorms and the Ramstein passenger terminal.

Lauren was inspired after helping with Project Rudolph and after a flight she took with her family last summer to the United States. They were



Photo by Airman 1st Class Amber Bressler

Drake Williams (left) and Olivia Molina prepare "Cups of Love" for servicemembers Feb. 9 at Vogelweh.

on a aeromedical evacuation flight filled with Soldiers coming back injured from the war.

"There was a man on the plane with his wife who was badly injured," Lauren said. "Both legs were missing and I could see he was in pain."

She wrote him a letter and drew him a picture.

"When I gave the letter and picture to him, he started to cry and he blew me a kiss," Lauren said.

She wanted to do more, she thought. The "cups of love" were given to troops who were deployed, injured, and in the dorms for the holidays.

Lauren and her friends made cups of love for Valentine's Day. They filled the cups with hot chocolate packets, candy hearts and Valentine candies.

Chapel news

The Ū.S. Army Garrison Chaplain's Office will host events for the Lenten season, now to March 14. Every Friday during Lenten season, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available at 5:30 p.m. and Stations of the Cross at 6 p.m., followed by a soup dinner. Lenten lunchtime concerts by British musician Brian Jeffries will be held at noon every Friday at the garrison's chapel. Every Wednesday and Friday, Roman Catholic Mass will be celebrated at 11:45 a.m. at the garrison's chapel on Daenner Kaserne. For details, call the Chaplain's Office at 493-4098 or 0631-3406-4072.

Classes and training

The cut-off date for the April **Community College of the Air Force** class is Feb. 29. The CCAF graduation will be at 2 p.m. April 25 at the Ramstein Officers' Club with Lt. Col. Raymond Staats, CCAF commander, as the guest speaker. For details, call the Ramstein Education Center at 480-2032/2308.

Spouse Tuition Assistance Program applications for Term IV (term March 31 to June 8) are due by Feb. 29 to Bldg. 2120, Room 416 on Ramstein. STAP is open to command sponsored spouses of active duty AF members. STAP will pay up to one-half of the unmet tuition cost up to \$300 per term. For details, contact the Ramstein Education Center at 480-2032.

Army Community Service Classes meet at Bldg. 2925, Wing C, on Pulaski Barracks and require reservations. For details, call 493-4203 or 0631-3406-4203.

- •Today, 3 p.m., Information Booth at Landstuhl Library
- •Tuesday, 9 a.m., Managing Your Assets
- ●Tuesday, 11 a.m., Basic Training for Parents
- •Wednesday, 9 a.m., Newcomers' Orientation, Part 1
- •Tuesdays, 1 p.m. Resumix; Thursdays, 9 a.m. Resumix; Thursdays, 10 a.m., Hugs Playgroup, held at Kids' Zone

Conversational German Classes are beginning. Level I classes start March 3. They will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9 to 11 a.m. at Rhine Ordnance Barracks, Bldg. 285, and 5 to 7 p.m. at Landstuhl Learning Center, Bldg. 3718. Level II classes start March 4. They will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 11 a.m. at ROB and 5 to 7 p.m. at Landstuhl Education Center, Bldg. 3701. Level III classes also begin March 4. Classes are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at ROB and 7 to 9 p.m. at Landstuhl Education Center, Bldg. 3701. Classes are 10 weeks and cost €65 per student - cash only. Payment is due on the first day of class. For details, call the instructor, Viktoria Ehrhardt, at 0631-72255.

Undivided Ministries hosts workshop

by Airman 1st Class Heather Pagan 723rd Air Mobility Squadron

Back by popular demand, Undivided Ministries is having it's fourth annual worship workshop, "Effective Tools to Praise and Worship," at Frontline Community, August-Süssdorf Strasse 8, in Ramstein.

Workshops are 5 to 9 p.m. March 14 and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 15. The workshop is open to anyone who wishes to learn more about effective worship or about their crafts utilized in worship music.

"The workshop is designed to equip church leaders, singers, musicians and other interested groups with tools needed to flow in the worship of God," said Peg Novak, workshop coordinator and music director at Ramstein's contemporary service. "We have had people from all backgrounds and experiences come to our workshops in the past and leave with a better understanding of worship, taking a great experience back to their home churches."

This year's workshop features many sessions taught by talented experts in the field of worship, including the scriptural definition of worship and it's application to daily living, the spiritual flow of worship, developing a heart for worship and leading worship in a church setting. There will also be breakout clinics for vocals, guitar, keyboard, percussion, sound reinforcement, song writing, dance and sign language.

Following the completion of the workshop, there will be a free concert featuring the Christian band, Audience of One; singer/songwriter Jennie Lee Riddle, author of "The Revelation Song" and "Dwelling Place;" worship artist Will Yates; dancer Cinky Jones; the Vida Nueva youth drama team; and other special guests.

Free registration for the workshop begins at 4 p.m. March 14. To pre-register or for more information, contact Peg Novak at 06371-614041 or e-mail undivmin@hotmail.com, or Sandi Griffin at 06333-275750 or bassbabe@t-online.de.

Ramstein LOA tours FEDEX



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Members of Ramstein's Logistics Officer Association recently visited FEDEX at Frankfurt International Airport. LOA is the forum to discuss projects and trends impacting leaders in the acquisition, ammunition, contracting, maintenance and logistics readiness officer communities. For local chapter information, contact Maj. Anthony Nance at 480-5126 or anthony.nance@ramstein. af.mil. For details, visit www. loanational.org/barbarossa/.

Cookie time



Courtesy photo

Girl Scouts from the KMC met with Col. Earl Matthews, 435th Air Base Wing commander, Feb. 6 to thank him for the support he has shown for the program. Girl Scout cookie sales continue through the first week of March. The Girl Scouts earn money through cookie sales for service projects, community service and camping adventures.

Send the KA your baby's birth announcement



Lisa Marie Brown

Born at 5 a.m. Dec. 1 at LRMC. She was 6 pounds, 1 ounce and 20 inches long. Proud parents are Jill and Bob Brown of Globe, Ariz., stationed at Ramstein.

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At the Clubs

BOSS and the KAZABRA CLUB



Ron Davis, the Vogelweh AAFES JVC representative gives lucky winner, Thomas Bolton his camcorder.



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Ron Davis and Katie Sciuto, Vogelweh AAFES JVC representatives at the Super Bowl party.

host their annual Super Bowl Party!

The U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern's Better Opportunity for Single Servicemembers hosted its annual Super Bowl Party Feb. 3 at the garrison's Kazabra Club onVogelweh. More than 250 people attended the event that showcased a buffet and games before the game's kick-off. Attendees had the chance to win prizes like three camcorders from JVC, through AAFES, six cell phones from TKS, a trip from Enjoy Tours and barbeque grill from Budweiser. Whether their team won or not, fans seemed to have a great time, and as the saying goes "same time, same place next year."

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Activities in the KMC

GREEK NIGHT

Kazabra Club

Tonight, 9 pm -2am

Come dressed in a Toga or Greek attire and win a trip from Enjoy tours for the best dressed. Enjoy a Greek buffet, acropolis style, plus lots' of fun and games for everyone!

MIDNIGHT BINGO Kazabra Club

February 17,9 pm -Midnight

Play special games and win great prizes, plus enjoy free finger foods, soft drinks and a raffle for a trip from EnjoyTours!

SPRING BAZAAR Special Events Center

February 29 -March 2,

The U.S.Army Garrison will host their annual Spring Bazaar, starting daily at 10 a.m. This event will take place at the Kaiserslautern Special Events Center, bldg. 237 located on Rhine Ordnance Barracks. With over 100 vendors offering a variety of European gift items, you are sure to find that perfect something special for yourself or as a gift. Food and beverages will be available, plus there will be a hippity-hop, and merry go-round and petting zoo for the kids. Call 493-4184 or 0631-3406-4184 for details.

TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD KMC Onstage

February 29 at 7:30 pm March 1,7,8,14,15 at 7:30pm March 9 & 16 at 3 pm

The KMC community theater is currently busy with rehearsals, but they will be ready for their first performance, February 29 of "To Kill a Mockingbird", from the novel by Harper Lee, and adapted by Christopher Serge. Call KMC Onstage theater director, Richard Roberts at 483-6626 or 0631-411-6626 for details and reservations..

ARMY COVENANT USAG Kaiserslautern Child & Youth Services

Free child and youth services registration, 16 free hours of care per child per month, free SKIES classes and Sports discounts are just some of the new benefits for children of deployed parents. Receive a "Deployed Family" card upon receipt of deployment orders. All free and discounted fees are for the duration of the deployment. For details about this entire program call Central Enrollment at 493-4122 or 0631-3406-4122.

For questions regarding MWR events and programs listed on this page, call Marketing at 493-4128 or 0631-3406-4128.

Was ist Los? KMC cultural highlights

Compiled by Petra Lessoing

435th Air Base Wing Public Affairs

The following is a list of performances and events happening in the KMC and nearby. Dates are subject to change.

Performing arts

Pfalztheater Kaiserslautern:

- "Ludus Danielis The play of Daniel," a rock oratorio in Latin, 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Feb. 23.
- "Misery," a thriller by Simon Moore based on Stephen King's novel, in German, 8 p.m. Thursday and Feb. 27.
- "Cash!," a comedy by Michael Cooney, in German, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 22.
- "Die Fledermaus," an operetta by Johann Strauss, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 24 For more information, call 0631-3675-209 or visit www. pfalztheater.de.

Extra performance:

• International soloists, dancers and a band present "Abba Fever," 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Call the ticket hotline at 01805-625262

Fruchthalle, Kaiserslautern:

- "Jazz stage meets Folk" with the band Deitsch, 8 p.m. today.
- German Radio Philharmony Saarbrücken Kaiserslautern performs a symphony concert with works by Robert Schumann and Gustav Mahler, 8 p.m. Thursday. For tickets, call 0631-365-1410.

Youth Center, Steinstrasse 47, Kaiserslautern:

- The band Hard to Swallow performs hard rock and progressive rock, 8 p.m. today.
- The bands Ashes of Decay and Warchild present a mix of metal, 8 p.m. Feb. 22. Tickets sold at the door.

Technical University (TU), Kaiserslautern, Audimax:

•Uni Big Band Kaiserslautern and Straight Ahead, the big band of the Southwest Pfalz County Music School, present a big band double concert, 7 p.m. Feb. 23.

Haus des Bürgers, Ramstein-Miesenbach:

- "Spyder Murphy Gang," presents the new German wave from the 1980s and rock 'n' roll, 8 p.m. March 1. Tickets cost €28 to €32.
- "Vanecek-Quintett," brass musicians take visitors on a musical trip through the last five centuries, 5 p.m. March 2. Tickets cost €12. For tickets, call 06371-592-220.

Stadthalle, Landstuhl:

• Oscar Javelot, Lord of Pan, and his orchestra perform



Courtesy photo

Jazz stage concert

Singer Gudrun Walther and pianist Jürgen Treyz, known as the band Deitsch, perform in "Jazz stage meets Folk" at 8 p.m. today at the Fruchthalle in Kaiserslautern. Deitsch was invited by pianist Martin Preiser, bassist Stefan Engelmann and percussionist Michael Lakatos to perform a jazz stage concert. Tickets cost €12 and are available by calling the ticket hotline at 0180-5170517 or at the door.

classical and traditional music, 8 p.m. Feb. 22. Tickets cost €15.50 to €20.50. For advance tickets, call 06371-9234-44 or e-mail stadthalle@landstuhl.de.

Bürgerkeller, Weilerbach:

• Petra and Sven Puchelt present ballads and folk music, 8 p.m. Saturday. For details, visit www. dreschflegel.de.

Nationaltheater Mannheim, Am Goetheplatz:

- "La Scala di Seta," an opera by Gioacchino Rossini , 7:30 p.m. today.
- "La Bohème," an opera by Giacomo Puccini, 8 p.m. Saturdav.
- "La Traviata," an opera by Guiseppe Verdi, 7:30 p.m. Sunday and Feb. 23. For details and tickets, call 0621-1680150 or visit www.nationaltheater-mannheim.de.

Staatstheater Saarbrücken:

- "Picasso on the Move," four choreographies to reflect the painter's works in dances, 7:30 p.m. Sunday and Feb. 23
- "La Traviata," an opera by Guiseppe Verdi, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 26. For details and tickets, call 0681-3092-486 or visit www.theater-saarbruecken.de.

Flea markets

- Kaiserslautern, Messeplatz, Saturday and Wednesday
- Kaiserslautern, real (across from Daenner Kaserne), Saturday
 - Kaiserslautern, Merkurstrasse, real, Thursdays
 - Ramstein, Flurstrasse 4, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday
 - Landstuhl, Kaufland, Saturday
- Bad Dürkheim, Saline (Kurpark), 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday
- Metz, France, Parc des Expositions, 6 a.m. to noon Saturday

Miscellaneous

- Kaiserslautern, Theodor-Zink-Museum, Steinstrasse 48, new display, "Lotte Reimers – Ceramics from
- Ceramics from
 Four Decades," officially opens 11 a.m.
 Saturday. Display
 hours are 9 a.m. to
 5 p.m. Tuesday to
 Friday, and 10 a.m.
 to 6 p.m. Saturday
 and Sunday.
- Völklingen, Völklinger Hütte (former iron works), "Sculptures of the American Dream," display by American pop artist Duane Hanson, continues through May 12.

For details, visit www.voelklinger-huette.org.

Black History Month teaches about diversity

February is African American/Black History Month. And, as with all observances, this month is designated not to divide or distinguish differences, but more importantly, to educate, promote and learn about diversity and contributions by Americans of all cultures.

This year's African American/Black History Month observance shares a significant importance as a tribute to Carter G. Woodson, the founding father of Black History Month.

A distinguished black author, editor, publisher and historian, Carter G. Woodson was born in New Canton, Buckingham County, Va., in December 1875 as the son of former slaves James Henry Woodson and Anne Eliza Riddle.

He was educated at Berea College, the University of Chicago and Harvard University, and received a Ph.D. from Harvard in 1912. Dr. Woodson became the dean of the School of Liberal Arts at Howard University from 1919 to 1920 and of West Virginia Institute (now West Virginia State University) from 1920 to 1922.

He played a significant part in encouraging others to educate on the history of Blacks during an era when many would have preferred to ignore or expunge the importance of black history in America all together. Dr. Woodson strived to share with Americans what black history represents and, in doing so, felt its history would not be so easily erased.

To the present day, Dr. Woodson's endeavors continue to positively impact many Americans. His initial efforts helped establish in 1915 the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History; an outlet for the publication of works of African-American history and the scholarly work of Black scholars. In 1926, the association, under Dr. Woodson's leadership, established Negro History Week to coincide with the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass. Today this commemoration has expanded into Black History Month.

Similar to Dr. Woodson's goals, the U.S. government continues to carry on this tradition of educating and recognizing the contributions and achievements of African Americans. Today, it is clear that African Americans have significantly impacted the development of numerous American facets including social, political, economic, scientific and historical aspects of the United States and the world.

Credit for the evolving awareness of Blacks in history can, in large part, be bestowed on one man, Carter G. Woodson.

Being a pioneer in his own right, Dr. Woodson recognized what African American/Blacks have and continue to accomplish. The U.S. military also recognizes diversity, but more importantly it also recognizes how diverseness contributes to mission effectiveness.

So, take time this month to learn and understand the importance of African American History Month. It serves well in the advancement of a strong and diverse military.

(Courtesy of 435th Equal Opportunity Office)

Carter G. Woodson.

If a race has no history, if it has no worthwhile tradition, it becomes a negligible factor in the thought of the world, and it stands in danger of being exterminated.



Celebrate Black History Month

• The Urban Comedy Tour comes to Ramstein when laugh experts Mike Troy Smith and Lavar Walker entertain at Club E tonight in honor of Black History Month. Admission is \$5 for club members and \$10 for non-members, with enlisted and officers welcome. Doors open at 10 p.m.

Mr. Smith has appeared on the Dave Chappelle Show, The Dave Attel Show and the Jon Stewart Show on Comedy Central. Mr. Walker is known as the phar-



Mike Smith



Lavar Walker

macist of laughs. He has performed on Jamie Foxx's Laffapalooza and Robert Townsend's Partners in Crime.

- •As part of Black History Month celebrations, the Ramstein Enlisted Club presents American Idol finalist Elliot Yamin at 7 p.m. Wednesday.
- •The Ramstein Commissary celebrates Black History Month from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday. The event features a special quest speaker, performances by children from Ramstein Elementary School and a buffet.

(Editor's note: Schedules and syn-

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Today

"The Golden Compass" (PG-13) 3:30 p.m. (G)

"Fools Gold" (PG-13) 7 and 10:30 p.m. (G)

"August Rush" (PG) 3:30 p.m. (N)

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"I am Legend" (PG-13) 7 p.m. (H)

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African-American History

by Capt. Tony Wickman

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- 1. First African-American man to win Wimbledon
- as the Earth, turns
- 15. First African-American general officer in the USAF
- 16. ___ facto: by the fact itself; by the
- nature of the deed 17. Skating site
- 18. African-American currently campaigning for U.S. presidency
- 19. Without
- 21. Plaything 22. Scientist's workplace
- 25. American servicemember, informally
- 26. Part of USAF
- 27. Giant
- 30. Kwik-E-Mart owner/operator
- 31. To give or allocate; allot
- 33. Arm bone
- 34. First African-American Secretary of
- State: Chairman of the Joint Chiefs 36. Gun lobby
- 37. Performed a song or voice composition
- 38. Allotted share or portion 39.
- Dome; Indianapolis Colts home field
 - 40. Ump
- 41. Converse in a familiar or informal
- 43 Debt letters
- 44. Choose as one's own: make one's own
- by selection or assent
- 47. Distinctive and pervasive character; air; atmosphere
- 48. First African-American soldier to
- receive the Medal of Honor
- Sea
- 52. Sleeping site
- and reel
- 54. Tokyo, once
- 55. USAF Medal of Honor recipient 56. 2000 film __ of Honor
- 57. Red or white table beverage
- 59. First African-American promoted to the rank of general
- 62. 1980s rock band
- 64. African-American won consecutive 100m Olympic gold medals
- 68. Make suitable to requirements or conditions
- 69. Lotion ingredient
- 70. Two-wheeled vehicle with springs, drawn by a horse or pony
- 71. Marries 72. Remove or correct defects or errors in 73. Saintly; godly; pious; devout
- DOWN 1. African-American boxer who won
- heavyweight title, gold medal 2. Vital circulating fluid of a woody plant

- 3. Towel marking
- 4. Greek god of love 5. First African-American CMSAF
- 6. To continue to be; persists
- 7. Transgression of divine law 8. Used as an exclamation of contempt,
- disdain or impatience
- 9. 2007 Affleck movie Gone, 10. Actress Mendes of Ghost Rider
- 11. One time USAF Slogan: _
- 12. US cryptologic org.
- 15. Any means of approach, admittance, or access
- 20. ____-garde; unorthodox or daring;
- 21. African-American Grammy winner Turner
- 22. Resinous substance: used to
- manufacture varnishes a sealants
- 23. Overseas mil. Address starter
- 24. First African-American military pilot
- 26. Taj Mahal site 27. First African-American in space
- 28. Hotel
- 32. To come into or acquire
- 33. Employed for a purpose; utilized 35. Ninth letter of the Greek alphabet
- 39. Long path with a smoothed or paved surface for cars
- 40. Semisynthetic textile fabric
- 41. Taxi
- 42. Gradation or variety of a color; tint 43. Symbol
- 45. Vegetable 46. Mil. duty away from home station
- 49. First African-American USAF Thunderbird pilot
- 50 Eliminated: deleted
- 53. Take a break 56. Mil. enlistment site
- 58. Outline clearly or sharply; delineate
- 59. Talk; chat; gossip
- 60. Summertime sweet beverage
- 61. Angry 62. Zodiac symbol for Aries
- 63. Pub order 65. NBA All-Star
- 66. Web address
- 67. Pig's pen



Answers to the Feb. 8 crossword puzzle.

Check out www.aafes.com/ems/ for more information. I am Legend (**PG-13**) – Robert Neville is a bril-

liant scientist, but even he could not contain the terrible virus that was unstoppable, incurable – and manmade. Somehow immune, Neville is now the last human survivor in what is left of New York City, and maybe the world. He is surrounded by "the Infected" – victims of the plague who mutated into carnivorous beings who

can only exist in the dark and who devour

or infect anyone or anything in their path.

Starring Will Smith and Alice Braga. The Golden Compass (PG-13) – Lyra Belacqua is an orphan living at Jordan College in the Oxford of an alternate universe. In Lyra's world every person is accompanied by a daemon, a physical representation of their soul in animal form. Because Lyra is still young, her daemon, Pantalaimon, can change his shape to appear as any animal he chooses. Adult's daemons settle in to one shape and don't change. Starring Nicole Kidman and Dakota Blue Richards.

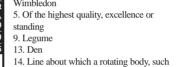
Fools Gold

(PG-13) - Benn Finn Finnegan, a good-natured. surf bum-turned-



treasure hunter is obsessed with finding the legendary 18th century Queen's Dowry, 40 chests of exotic treasure that was lost at sea in 1715. In his quest, Finn has sunk everything he has, including his marriage to Tess Finnegan and his more-rusty-than-trusty salvage boat. Just as Tess has begun to rebuild her life, working aboard a mega-vacht owned by billionaire Nigel Honeycutt, Finn discovers a vital clue to the treasure's whereabouts.

Certain that his luck will change with the newfound information, Finn maneuvres himself aboard Nigel's yacht and, using his good-natured charm, convinces the tycoon and his Blackberry-wielding, celebutante daughter, Gemma, to join him in the pursuit of the Spanish treasure. Against Tess' better judgement, the search rekindles her love of discovery. Starring Kate Hudson and Matthew McConaughey.



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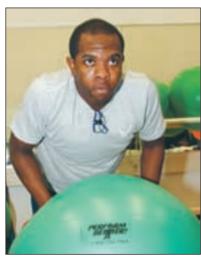


Airman 1st Class Tyler Johnson-McLaurin, 723rd Air Mobility Squadron information management technician, performs plyometric jumps Feb. 8 at Ramstein. Plyometric jumps increase the body's ability to contract more rapidly.

Photos by Airman 1st Class Kelly L. LeGuillon



Tech. Sgt. Maria Duluc (left), 435th Medical Operations Squadron NCO in charge of physical therapy, helps to strengthen the foot of Maj. Ron Jones, U.S. Air Forces in Europe flight nurse, with exercises Feb. 8 at Ramstein. The physical therapy clinic treats an average of 500 patients each month.



Airman Johnson-McLaurin performs push-ups on a stability ball Feb. 8 at Ramstein. Performing push-ups on the stability ball increases core stability, as well as upper body strength.



Kleber gym classes

Kleber Kaserne Gym, Bldg. 3235, offers spinning 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Aerobics classes, 11:45 to 12:45 p.m., Tuesdays. Yoga classes, 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Thursdays

For details, call 493-2085 or 0631-3406-2085.

Landstuhl gym classes

Landstuhl Gym and Fitness Center, Bldg. 3722, offers: stroller blast program, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.

Lunch time cardio classes, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays.

Cardio blast, 5 to 6 p.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Turbo kickboxing, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Tuesdays. Step aerobics, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Thursdays.

Massage therapy is offered on a normal basis. For details, call 486-7172 or 06371-86-7172.

3-on-3 volleyball tourney

A volleyball tournament starts at 9 a.m. Saturday at the Vogelweh Fitness Center. It is open to all ID card-holders. Prizes will be awarded for first and second place teams. Call or visit the center to sign-up or for more information.

Soccer sign-up and meeting

Soccer season sign-ups and a coaches' meeting are at 10:30 a.m. March 6 in the Southside Fitness Center.

Pilates classes offered

The Ramstein Southside and Vogelweh fitness and sports centers offer Pilates classes in February: Southside Fitness Center, 7:15 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays; Vogelweh classes are 10 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Walk-ins are welcome. For details, call 480-0290.



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Fantasy Football champion

Lt. Col. Shane Pruitt, U.S. Air Forces in Europe/A3, is presented the USAFE Project Cheer Fantasy Football Trophy by Ramstein Community Center Manager Morise Conerly. The program ran the 17-week NFL season.

KO in K-town

Story and photos by Christine June

U.S. Army Garrison Kaiserslautern

oing for gold dreams were clinched and dashed by consecutive knockouts Saturday in front of almost 400 spectators at Kaiserslautern's Main Event at the Miesau gym.

Knockout action began in the second bout as Schweinfurt's Tyrone Lindsay landed a right hook to the jaw of Kaiserslautern's Horace Youson in the third round.

Another right hook claimed the other knockout of the night in the third bout. Kaiserslautern's Antonio Feagins landed the shot to the head of teammate Michael McKinney in the second round. McKinney's legs buckled and he was sent to the hospital for x-rays due to a possible high right ankle sprain.

Boxers who had one or two bouts under their belts showcased most of Saturday's action. Novice competitions made up all but two of the eight bouts. Best boxer of the night went to Kaiserslautern's Dominc Gauna who did not win his light heavy-weight matchup with teammate De Angelo Johnson.

"He didn't have the points (to win), but if you looked at his skills – what he did – he was outstanding in the ring," said Tony Lee, U.S. Army Europe boxing commissioner.

This was the second bout in as many weeks for Gauna, who works out every other Saturday with fellow Kaiserslautern boxers at the Ramstein Southside Gym.

Describing the fight, Gauna said, "I outlasted the guy. He was catching me with some combinations, but I was throwing more of the power punches."

Hometown advantage went to Kaiserslautern. With 10 boxers and five gold medals, Kaiserslautern's team owned first place. Baumholder and Schweinfurt tied for second place, and the sole Grafenwöhr boxer, Deamont Johnson, took home third place team honors.

Formerly from Kaiserslautern, Johnson just returned last month from the All Army boxing camp at Fort Carson, Colo. His bout – fourth of the night – against Kaiserslautern's Colin Reed started a string of three referee-stopped contests.



Above, Kaiserslautern's David Meredith lands a left combination shot to Baumholder's Maurice Tillman in the last bout of Saturday's Main Event at the Miesau gym. Meredith won the gold. Right, Kaiserslautern's Dominc Gauna lands a straight left right in the scoring area of teammate De Angelo Johnson in the seventh bout of the Main Event at the Miesau gym. Johnson won the gold, but Gauna took best boxer of the night honors for skilled shots like this one.

Johnson was awarded the gold in the second round.
Kaiserslautern's Joseph Buyson

took the win in the first round against Baumholder's James Manns. Another All-Army boxer, Kaiserslautern's Shawn Sullivan got the decision in the second round against teammate Maurice Jones.

Saturday's action began with Schweinfurt's Jerry Estevez win over Baumholder's Matt Melton in the only light-weight bout of the evening, and ended with Kaiserslautern's David Meredith's win over Baumholder's Maurice Tillman.

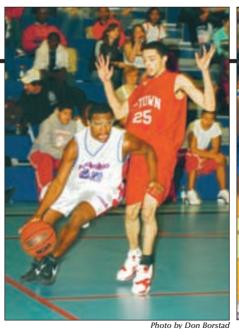
The next boxing event in Europe is 7 p.m. Feb. 23 at Army Air Field in Wiesbaden. For details, call Jon Lacy or Kevin Ringgold at 337-5943.



HOOP NEWS

It was a shoot-out to beat all when the Kaiserslautern Raiders and Ramstein Royals, boys and girls varsity basketball teams, went head to head Feb. 8 and 9. Right, Ramstein High School senior John Lowder drives on a Kaiserslautern player Feb. 9. RHS won 69 to 43. RHS has a record of 14 wins, no losses and heads into the Department of Defense Dependents Schools European Championships Wednesday to Friday in Mannheim.

The Kaiserslautern High School varsity lady Raiders remain at the top of their game. They defeated the Ramstein Royals Feb. 8 at KHS, 49 to 40 and Saturday at the RHS, 45 to 29. Far right, KHS senior Tylisa Hendrix goes up for a basket, while RHS junior Latiya Harrison attempts to guard.





to by Don Borstad

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Nr.	Bdr	/Bath	Sqm	Town School District	Rent Euro	Nr.	Bdr	/Bath	Sqm	Town School District	Rent Euro
				Kaiserslautern School		1729	4	3	300	Hochspeyer GA, G, P	1800,-
1726	4	2	170	Kaiserslautern City GA, G, P	1250,-					RamsteinSchool	
1736	4	2	220	Hermersberg GA, G	1610,-	1717	5	3	220	Ramstein GA, G,	1900,-
1737	6	3,5	250	Sulzbachtal GA, G	1900,-	1725	6	2	200	Ramstein GA, G, P	1600,-
1738	7	2,5	260	Queidersbach GA, G, C, P	1860,-	1728	4	2	130	Mackenbach GA, G, P	970,-
1742	3	2,5	130	Hohenecken GA, G, P	800,-	1734	6	4	220	Nanzdietschweiler GA, C, P	1600,-
1744	3	2,5	160	Geiselberg GA, G	980,-	1735	9	3	300	Brücken GA, G, P	2100,-
1746	4	2	140	Rodenbach GA, G, P	995,-	1739	6	3	270	Ramstein GA, G, P	2200,-
				Sembach School		1740	4	2,5	160	Hütschenhausen GA, G, P	1000,-
1594	9	3,5	340	Höringen GA, C, P	2000,-	1741	3	2,5	170	Ramstein GA, C, P	1000,-
1626	4	3	240	Lohnsfeld GA, G, P	1636,-					LandstuhlSchool	
1681	6	2	240	Mehlingen GA, G, P	1720,-	1704	7	3	330	Wallhalben GA, G, P	1900,-
1712	5	3	280	Otterberg GA, G, P	1800,-	1743	4	3	150	Bruchmühlbach GA, C, P	1000,-
1724	4	2,5	290	Otterberg GA, C, P	2070,-	1745	3	1,5	150	Bann GA, P	1050,-
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HOUSES FOR RENT

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Worship Service, 11:00 a.m Collective Protestant, 10 a.m. Sunday School 9 a.m.

(all ages) Kapaun Chapel (489-6859) Liturgical (Episcopal Rite), 9 a.m. Sunday

• Landstuhl Chapel (486-8399) Protestant, 11 a.m. Sunday

• Miesau Chapel WOW, Worship on Wednesday 7 p.m POC Ch. Ricky Way, 481-3961 or 06372-842-3961.

• Ramstein North Chapel (480-6148) Sunday Morning Alive Contemporary Service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday

• Ramstein South Chapel (480-5753) Liturgical (Lutheran rite), 9 a.m. Sunday Traditional Service, 11 a.m. Sunday

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• Daenner Chapel

Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Bldg 3150 Confessions, 11 a.m. Sunday Daily Mass, 11:45 a.m. Mon. through Fri. Sunday Mass, 11:30 a.m. POC Ch (Maj.) Dynek, 486-7329 or 0631-536-6743

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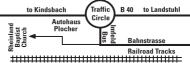
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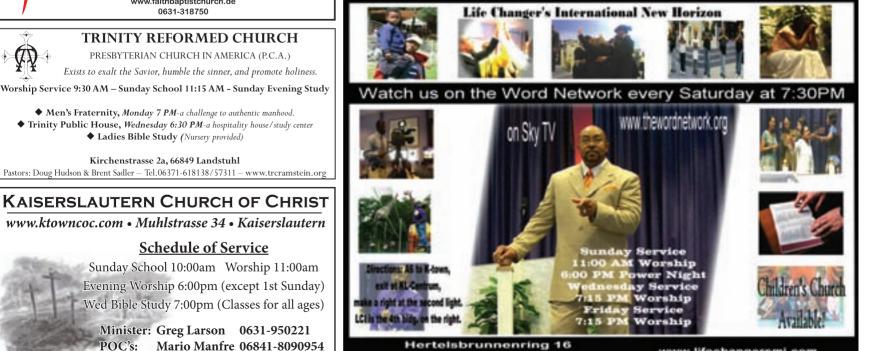
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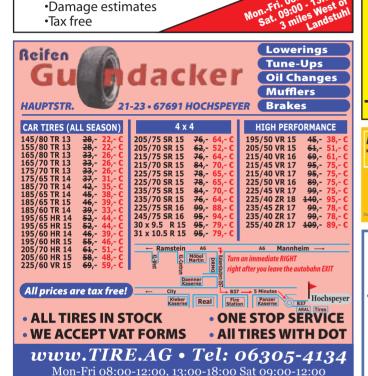
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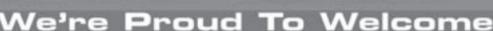


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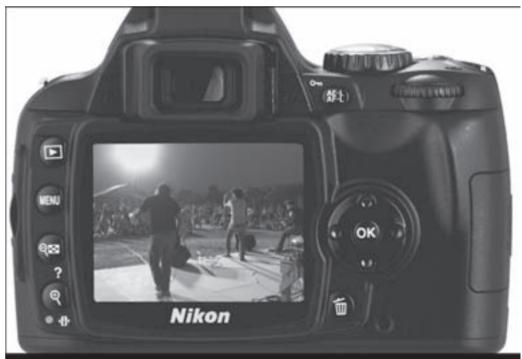
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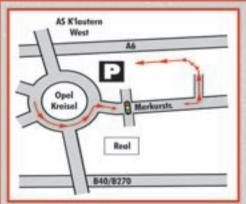
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