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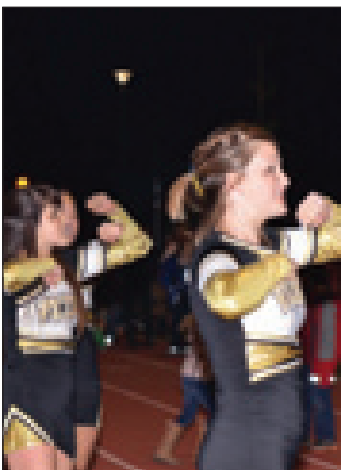
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Photo by Martin Fano

Loading up: Paratroopers of the 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team board a C-130J Super Hercules at Aviano Air Force Base before jumping into training at the Joint Multinational Readiness Center in Grafenwoehr, Germany, for a month.

USARAF runners distinguish themselves at Army Ten-Miler

By Master Sgt. Christina Bhatti-Madden
U.S. Army Africa Public Affairs

WASHINGTON, D.C. — In a sea of approximately 30,000 runners, the six members of the U.S. Army Africa running team distinguished themselves by placing 12th out of 48 mixed teams during the 27th running of the Army Ten-Miler race in Washington D.C., Sunday.

"This is the fastest team I have coached during my time in USARAF," said team coach Sgt. Maj. Osvaldo Del Hoyo. This is Del Hoyo's third year coaching the team and said he has seen marked improvement yearly with the speed and running talent of the runners representing USARAF.

Coming in first for USARAF was 1st Sgt. Fidelis Etim with a time of 1:04:52, followed closely by Capt. Mickey West with a time of 1:08: 52.

"This was a tougher course than I expected," said Maj. Gary Philman. "I think we all ran a little slower than we thought, but we all ran well and it was a good run."

The 10-mile road race course began and ended at the Pentagon and weaved through some of the most recognizable landmarks in the nation's capital. Runners were treated with views of Arlington National Cemetery, Lincoln Memorial, Korean War Memorial and the Jefferson Memorial to name a

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Photo by Staff Sgt. Teddy Wade

More than 30,000 runners participate in the 2011 Army Ten-Miler in Washington, D.C., Sunday. The U.S. Army Africa finished 12th out of 48 mixed teams.

Red Ribbon week serves as reminder to avoid drugs

By Cheryl Davis
U.S. Army Garrison Vicenza Army
Substance Abuse Program

As the Red Ribbon Week Campaign kicks off Oct. 24-31, the visible symbol of red is the quest for a “Drug Free America.”

This began as a grassroots tribute to slain federal drug agent, Enrique Camarena, who was kidnapped in front of his family, and brutally tortured and murdered by drug traffickers in Mexico.

Audio tapes of the torture showed that medical doctors actually kept Agent Camarena alive in order to continue the interrogation.

So, in his honor and to keep him in memory; friends and neighbors have developed Red Ribbon Week, and today it has turned into a national event recognized by more than 80 million teachers, parents, students, law enforcement and other agencies.

Army Substance Abuse Program is using its voice in the campaign by asking

the community to take a stand against drug abuse and wear the Red Ribbon to show you care about having a clear mind and a healthy drug free body.

Military, civilians, and local nationals are invited to help by participating in the five-day Red Ribbon “treasure hunt.” The treasure hunt will consist of locating different areas throughout Caserma Ederle.

Each day a clue will be given out and the first individual that shows up to the location of the day will have his or her

photo taken and win the treasure for that day. If there should be two contestants showing up at the same time, then there will be a face off — all for fun. There will be a grand prize at the end of the contest.

This is an alternative way to get everyone involved and to get the message out about staying drug free.

You can learn more about this campaign by visiting the Garrison ASAP webpage at www.usag.vicenza.army.mil/sites/local/asap.asp, the ASAP office at building 169 or by calling 634-7554.

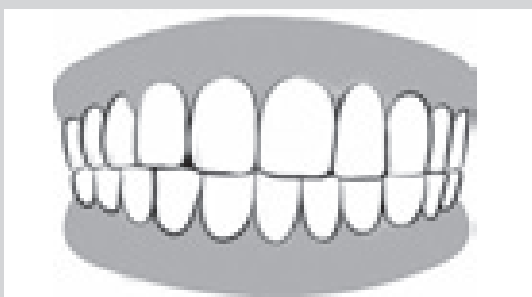
Same-day surgery at Vicenza Dental Clinic

U.S. Army Dental Clinic Vicenza

More oral surgery possibilities are available at the Dental Clinic, including those requiring general anesthesia.

Sgt. Chad Angel, Oral Surgery Department noncommissioned officer in charge said if anyone has been putting off having wisdom teeth removed or any other procedure, now is the time to take advantage of the health center’s general anesthesia option, available through use of the health center same-day surgery suite.

“By using the most advanced technology, we



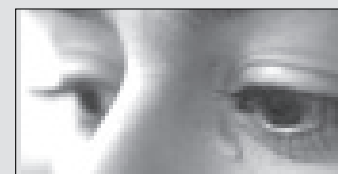
can provide (patients) with exceptional service and ensure excellence in diagnosis and treatment,” he added.

To learn more, ask your dentist on your next visit or call the Dental Clinic at 636-9210.

Domestic abuse prevention month local scheduled events include:

Oct. 1-31: There will be displays of Community Quilt of Hope and the Silent Witness Silhouettes, in various locations around the post.

Saturday, Oct. 22 and 29: Self Defense Classes for mothers and daughters will be offered in the Fitness Center, 10 a.m.-noon. To sign up, call ACS at 634-7500. Following the event will be a raffle with prizes.



Energy Awareness starts within federal agencies

Directorate of Public Works Environmental Division

Thirty years ago, the federal government established the first energy awareness week. Twenty years ago President George Bush proclaimed October as Energy Awareness Month. In 2009, President Barack Obama proclaimed October National Energy Awareness Month to shine new light on energy awareness activities. After all these years a lot, has been accomplished, but a lot more can be done to achieve a clean and secure energy economy and save money.

But why should federal agencies promote energy awareness? Our nation can benefit from the wise use of energy at federal facilities. As the nation’s largest energy consumer, the federal government has a tremendous opportunity and responsibility to lead

by example. Efficient energy management at federal facilities saves taxpayer dollars, reduces greenhouse gas emissions, protects the environment and natural resources and contributes to our national security.

Furthermore, the U.S. Army Garrison Vicenza committed to achieve high energy savings through our Installation Management Command Campaign Plan and our energy and water conservation policies. Money saved in our offices, shops and homes can be used to the USAG community’s benefit. Start saving energy; turn words into action; turn action into results.

Come visit the booth at the PX food court Friday and Oct. 21 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. to receive some energy saving tips and receive free handouts, or contact the Environmental Division at 634-8941 or email eco@eur.army.mil.

Speak Out

What are your hobbies?



Sgt. 1st Class Brian Carder
USARAF
“The best way I find to relax is working on, restoring and customizing cars.”



Capt. Ola Odunaiké
HHC, 173rd ABCT
“I enjoy traveling, reading and spinning. Spinning is one of the best cardio exercises I do every week.”



Elisa Alejandra Panian
Family member
“I go to the gym and I enjoy watching football on TV.”



Michael Rakas
AAFES vendor
“Creating and making art, listening to music and reading; anything having to do with creativity.”



Nick Versienti
AAFES vendor
“I like to play billiards and watch old movies.”

By Laura Kreider

'Tuna Fish Eulogy' brings home gold to Caserma Ederle

By Jim Sohre

Installation Management Command Entertainment Program

A stylized, highly theatrical performance of a moving drama captured the big prize Sunday night at the Army Europe Festival of One Act Plays, as Vicenza's Soldiers' Theatre production of "Tuna Fish Eulogy" was named Best Play at the annual event sponsored by Installation Management Command – Europe Region.

This compelling story was related by means of a varied vocal and visual collage presented by a professional-caliber cast of four actors. They deftly carried the audience on an emotional journey of discovery as the circumstances of a boy's untimely death are revealed. Receiving seven first place awards, the show was the weekend's most honored production.

This 17th annual festival and contest, held Oct. 7-9 at Heidelberg's Roadside Theater featured performances by thirteen competing U.S. Forces community theatre groups.

Thirty-six awards were presented in twelve categories, and while there was lots of praise to go around, it was decidedly Vicenza's night. "Tuna Fish Eulogy" also scored for Best Ensemble, and garnered individual top awards for Dalton-Jesse Cummins (Best Actor), Donna Cassels (Supporting Actress), Aaron Talley (Supporting Actor), Linda Dahlstrom (Stage Manager) and Jerry Brees, who took home the coveted award for Best Director.

"We were all very excited to be named Best Show, but were a little taken aback with all the other awards as well," said Brees. "We were surprised at so much recognition, especially with all the other productions in the competition."

Upcoming events at Soldiers' Theatre include Music Cafe Oct. 21 at 7:30 p.m. where the audience is welcomed to join in the participation. Auditions are being held Monday at 6:30 p.m. for the annual holiday show, "Tis the Season." Previous experience is not necessary to join the cast of the musical variety show. The show will take place Dec. 2-11.



Photo by Rich Price

Above from the left, Donna Cassels, Family member, Aaron Talley, AFN, and Vicenza High School junior Dalton-Jesse Cummins, perform a dramatic scene in "Tuna Fish Eulogy," a play that went to competition Sunday in Germany and won many awards. Each actor in the photo brought home first place for their contribution.

RACE: USARAF team finishes Ten-Miler strong, finishes 12th out of 48 teams

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few. In addition to the landmarks, the course was speckled with cheering fans to keep the runners motivated through the hilly course.

To get ready for the scenic run, the team had a grueling practice schedule, which started in June. Del Hoyo said he put together a training program that was intense and worked on the team members' endurance and speed.

"It was my job to ensure the team ran their best," he said.

In Del Hoyo's opinion, he said the team ran well and represented USARAF well.

The 10-mile road race is the third largest in participants in the world and is the U.S. Army's premier running event. Military and civilian runners come from around the world to take part in this annual tradition.



Photo courtesy U.S. Army Africa

Members of the U.S. Army Africa Army Ten-Miler team pose before the race in Washington, D.C. Sunday. From the left, Lt. Col. Stephanie Tutton, Capt. Mickey West, Cpl. Christina Brooks, Sgt. Maj. Osvaldo Del Hoyo, Maj. Gary Philman, 1st Sgt. Fedelis Etim and Sgt. Maj. James Manning.

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At Your Service



U.S. Army Health Center-Vicenza

Shalanda Brewer is a certified mammography technologist at the U.S. Army Health Center-Vicenza.

To schedule a screening with her, call 0444-61-9614 or 634-7614 Mondays-Fridays, 7:30-11:40 a.m. and 12:40-4:30 p.m. A self-referral can be done without seeing a provider for this service, but a questionnaire will need to be answered to determine your referral criteria.

"If one receives no answer, please leave a phone number and I will return your call as soon as possible," Brewer said. "Follow up of the exam will be communicated within 30 days by phone or mail."

To suggest a new staff member or volunteer to be featured in "At Your Service," email their name, contact information and why we should feature him or her to *The Outlook* staff at editor@eur.army.mil.

Community Camera



Tech expo:

Community members visit the Vicenza Military Community Annual Technology Exposition hosted by the 509th Signal Battalion at the Golden Lion Conference Center Oct. 5. About 30 vendors from the United States, Germany and Italy, displayed the latest technology in computer equipment, software, communication and security, storage and systems management solutions and answered questions from military, civilians and contractors.

Photo by Laura Kreider



Photo by Laura Kreider

Benefit concert: The Vicenza USO and the Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation joined forces with the band Drop Simpler! to put on a concert to raise funds to help a wounded 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team Soldier's Family Sept. 30 outside the Arena.



Photo by Laura Kreider

FRG lunch: Kaitlin Thornal receives a rose from Shannon Reynolds, USAG Vicenza Army Community Service Mobilization/Deployment specialist, during the Family Readiness Group luncheon held at ACS Sept. 21.

'It takes all of us to protect our community' winning AT essay

Editor's Note - September was Antiterrorism Month and the U.S. Army Garrison AT office sponsored an essay contest. The winning essay is the one below by Rima Gasparini. She received a \$50 AAFES gift card, commanders coin and certificate. First runner up was Anuk Dayaprema and second runner up was Nathaniel Barton. They will each receive a \$25 AAFES gift card. The winners will be recognized for their achievements at the next Info-X, Nov. 2 at the Arena.

By Rima Gasparini

How do you define terror? Is there a way, that it the true question. The truth to this answer is that it lies between every American and their responsibilities as a citizen. Every person today brought up in a military community has the knowledge of a worldwide operation known as "Operation Security." Today many Americans fear that terror will strike near them and the American Soldiers and civilians serving our country. As the saying

goes in the military, "families also serve", and that means that it takes everyone, from military leaders to the young children of the communities to protect and secure the freedoms of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

What the issue has been up to this day is that freedom isn't free and anybody urges to grab for any opportunity to tear it out of others' hands. Our protection cannot just be an effort as a community, but as a single individual. The best ways possible as a community overseas is to decrease our ability to stand out as a target of terrorism. As an individual of any age, there are several possibilities to increase your OPSEC. The basics are to not stand out to the locals as an American; you can easily adjust to common custom and prevent bringing attention to yourself by being respectful and well mannered in public. As community member overseas growing up on a military installation, it is very common to have several events that take you out into your host nation's culture.

Today, Caserma Ederle, the installation I live on and reflect my opinion of OPSEC has invested in protecting our community. In the school community, we prevent standing out when we travel to places all over Europe. We are not allowed to wear logos or informal clothes on trips that can make us stand out. As well, the Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps allows uniform to be worn only on base during school hours and functions. I believe that it does take everyone to enforce OPSEC in our community.

Every individual in our community has the ability to commit even further to being safe and secure. As it has been learned and witnessed through history, it takes only one person to make a difference in our lives, whether it is good our bad; it can change the course of your life.

So for every community member, I believe you have the duty and responsibility to think OPSEC to promote safety and security on the installations not only in Vicenza, but worldwide.

Military members from Darby join Tour di Tuscany

By Staff Sgt. David Marshall
AFN Livorno

Camp Darby's Outdoor Recreation recently took cycle enthusiasts on a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity biking across Tuscany. The eight cyclists, ranging from the early twenties to mid fifties and with riding abilities from beginner to advanced, went 420 kilometers for the week or about 100 K a day, according to Robert Collodi, Camp Darby Outdoor Recreation.

"We took off from Camp Darby and started with some pretty intense Tuscan back roads and hills to San Gimignano, and the following day we headed off to Montalcino- the heart of Chianti and Brunello wine country," said Collodi. "Wednesday, the riders rested their legs and then went up and down some even more intense hills to the ancient city of Volterra before heading back to Camp Darby."

Heather McCullough, cycling enthusiast said, "We love to exercise and we love to bike so we thought what a great way to see the area and see our friends and sample something new. The days are long enough to be challenging, but not torturous. There was some beautiful monuments, buildings, churches and it was really lovely."

"...along with some wine," said her husband, Craig.

Collodi said the group stayed in three and four-star hotels in the historical centers of San Gimignano, Montalcino and Volterra, with breakfast at the hotels and dinner at local restaurants in the



Photos by Staff Sgt. David Marshall

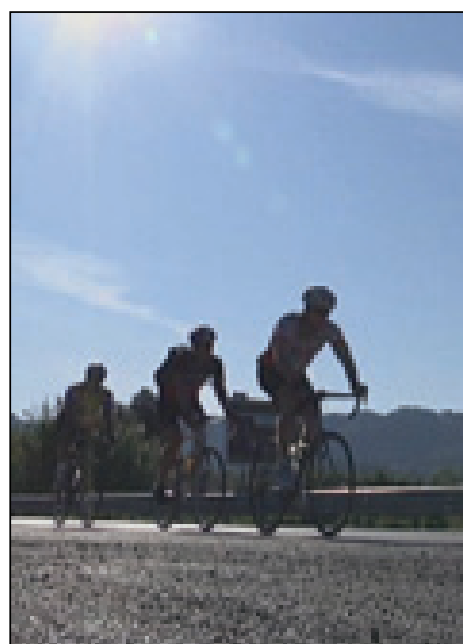
Camp Darby cycle enthusiasts took a road trip across Tuscany to a whole new level as they biked 420 kilometers in four days as part of a new Bike Across Tuscany program offered by Outdoor Recreation.

cities.

"I think the highlight of the trip was actually in two parts; one was the breathtaking scenery of the Tuscan countryside and rolling hills accompanied by the perfect weather we had the entire week that made it a pleasure. The other highlight was the spectacular food we had in Montalcino," said Collodi. "If you want to see Tuscany, this is not a regular sort of tourist trip. This is the perfect trip for those who want to live Tuscany and feel it."

It was so much fun- I can't wait to do it again," Katharine Owen, trip participant said.

The next ODR bicycle tour will be in the spring.



Making best of school year with Parent Teacher Student Organization

By Joyce Costello
USAG Livorno Public Affairs

Now that school is back in session, parents might feel like they can breathe a sigh of relief knowing that their children are in the gentle hands of teachers. However, according to Peggy Khan, president of the Parent Teacher Student Organization, that partnership is not unilateral.

"That partnership is a two-way process where the parent and community organizations share resources for the purpose of achieving an agreed upon goal; in this case, the welfare and the development of the children at Camp Darby," said Khan. "We had a partnership day with CYSS, SAS, Post Library, ACS, Global Credit Union, Community Bank, Protestant Women of the Chapel, Club Beyond, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, the Exchange, D.A.R.E, AFN, Friends of Camp Darby, Livorno E/M School because many of the organizations that provide services for school age children at Camp Darby can only do so with the extensive help of volunteers."

Khan added that for parents, the PTSO can directly impact the quality of their child's education but without parent involvement the PTSO would cease to exist.

"Because of excellent parent involvement last year the PTSO was able to raise almost \$3,000 given to the school in way of school agendas for each child, royalty costs for drama club, supplies for the student garden, field trip expenses, handwriting improvement materials, free books and so on," said Khan. "More importantly though, by being an active PTSO member (the) parents increase their visibility in their child's education process. Believe me, their children notice. One teacher asked me last year, 'Why is it that parents who volunteer at the school also have children who are good students?' I didn't know the answer to the question, but I'm not going to stop volunteering to find out."

The next big PTSO event is the School Fall Harvest festival Oct. 28 at 5 p.m. at the Livorno Unit School.

Do your part to prevent domestic violence



Photo by Chiara Mattiolo

Angela Pate, acting Family Advocacy Program Manager, passes out informational material about domestic violence prevention. The booth was one of many events planned during October in support of Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

Oct. 18: The Teen Dating/Domestic Violence Awareness & Prevention Class will give teens an opportunity to talk about their personal dating experiences. The class will be held at the Youth Center.

Oct. 20: The Single Soldiers & Dating Class will be to discuss the dangers of dating, and the importance of always protecting oneself, safe sex practices, drinking and misjudgments, online dating and other dating issues. The class will be held in the Yellow Ribbon Room.

Oct. 27: The Women's Self-Defense Class is designed to educate women on simple self-defense techniques designed to lessen their chances of becoming a victim of assault or rape, and attempted assault or rape.

Darby Dates

Visit the community calendar for upcoming events and details at www.usag.livorno.army.mil

Halloween events

- ♦ Oct. 28 at 5 p.m., the Livorno unit school will hold their Fall Festival.
- ♦ Oct. 29, the DCC will throw a Monster Mash party beginning at 8 p.m. CYSS will offer a Parents' Night Out and a YS Kickback Night.
- ♦ Oct. 31, the Community Halloween Fest begins at the library at 3 p.m. and will be followed by trick or treating and the fest by YS.

BOSS Birthday & Elections

Enjoy free food and cast your vote for the new BOSS council Oct. 20 at the DCC. Nominate the next council on the BOSS Facebook. Search Camp Darby BOSS, friend us and make your nominations.

Call 633-7438.

Vet visiting Oct. 27

Call 635-4841 for appointment

Army Community Services

- ♦ Teen Dating/Domestic Violence Awareness & Prevention Class, Oct. 18
 - ♦ Single Soldiers & Dating Class, Oct. 20
 - ♦ Women's Self-Defense Class, Oct. 27
- Call 633-7084.

Beauty and Spa

If you have tickets for services with Conny, redeem them before Nov. 30. Call 633-7642.

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Perugia Chocolate Festival, Oct. 16
Call 633-7589.

Outdoor Recreation

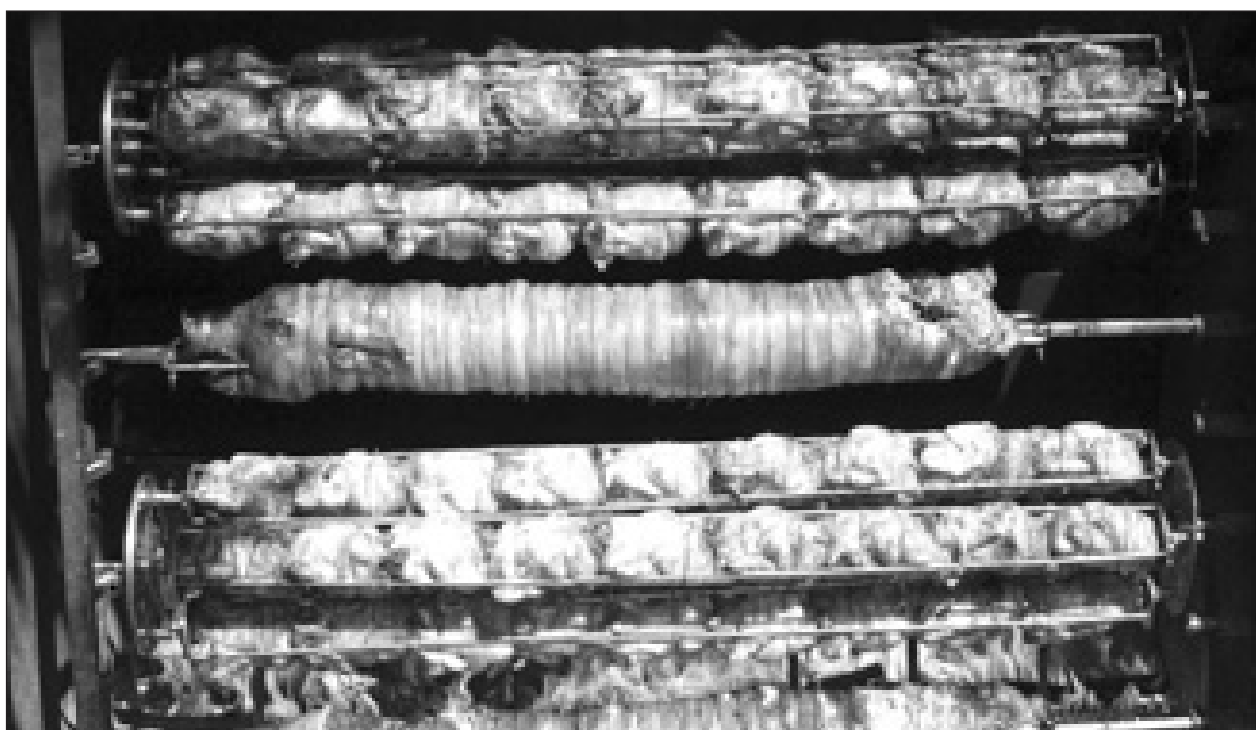
There are still spots and T-shirts available for the Run to the Tower Oct. 21. Sign up now to secure your place.
Call 633-7775.

Religious Activities

- 9:40 a.m. Catholic reconciliation
- 10 a.m. Catholic Mass
- 11:15 a.m. Protestant worship
- 11:15 a.m. Catholic CCD
- ♦ PWOC has a morning group Tuesday at 9:30 a.m., evening Bible Study group Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. and a walking group Thursdays at 9 a.m.
- ♦ Men's Bible Study is Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. at the Bowling Alley.
- ♦ Club Beyond Monday lunches are Oct. 17, 24 and 31 and Wednesday Club Oct. 19 and 26. Call 633-7267.

Meat on a spit:

The festival in Isola Vicentina, Piazza Marconi, about eight miles northwest of Vicenza features food booths, live music and dancing.



Courtesy photo

Concerts

Alice Cooper: Oct. 13 in Padova
J Ax: Oct. 21 in Padova
David Crosby and Graham Nash: Oct. 29 in Padova
Bob Dylan and Mark Knopfler: Nov. 9 in Padova
Fleet Foxes: Nov. 19 in Bologna
Christopher Cross: Nov. 20 in Padova
Lenny Kravitz: Nov. 20 in Villorba (Treviso)
Paul McCartney: Nov. 26 in Bologna
Smashing Pumpkins: Nov. 29 in Padova
White Lies: Dec. 2 in Padova
Maroon 5: Dec. 9 in Padova
Red Hot Chili Peppers: Dec. 11 in Assago (Milan)
Rihanna: Dec. 12 in Assago (Milan)
Soweto Gospel Choir: Dec. 17 in Padova

Tickets available in Vicenza at Media World, Palladio Shopping Center or at www.greenticket.it/index.html?imposta_lingua=ing or <http://www.ticketone.it/EN/>.

ODR trips

Perugia Chocolate Festival, Oct. 15-16
San Martino hike and bike, Oct. 15
Modena balsamic vinegar, Oct. 22
Asiago bike ride, Oct. 22
Wine and purse shopping, Oct. 25
Pisa and marble shopping, Oct. 29
Halloween in Gardaland, Oct. 30
Mount Ortigara hike, Nov. 5
Wine tasting, Nov. 5
Hawk walk and olive oil, Nov. 6
Veteran's Day in Florence, Nov. 11
Austria ski trip, Nov. 11-13
 Trips can be booked on WebTrac at <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/Vicenzarectrac.html> or by following the WebTrac link on www.vicenzaMWR.com or at ODR.

Local events

Festa dello Spiedo - Meat on the Spit Festival:

Sunday, in Isola Vicentina, Piazza Marconi, about eight miles northwest of Vicenza. Food booths open at noon and again at 5 p.m. featuring a variety of spit-roasted meats and vegetables, fresh mushrooms, chestnuts, and local sweets and wines. 3 p.m. live music and dancing with I Valentinos Band.

Chestnut Festivals:

Bassano del Grappa, località Valrovina, about 22 miles northeast of Vicenza. Sunday 10 a.m. – 10 p.m. food booths, charity raffle; 3:30 p.m. chestnut cake sale, entertainment with “The old trades” group; 8:30 p.m. live music.

Durlo, Crespadoro, about 32 miles northwest of Vicenza, Sunday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. local folk bands; craft and painting exhibitions; food booths featuring roasted chestnuts and mulled wine.

Lugo di Vicenza, about 14 miles northwest of Vicenza, Saturday and Sunday, chestnut and walnut exhibit and sale; food booths at 7 p.m.; charity raffle

♦ Saturday: 9 p.m. entertainment and music with DJ Mory

♦ Sunday: food booths open at noon; 2 p.m. historical reenactment and tasting of local products; entertainment with folk bands; 4 p.m. award ceremony for the best chestnuts and walnuts; 9 p.m. live music and ballroom dancing with I Tequila Band; 10 p.m. charity raffle drawing

Sossano, Piazza Mazzini, 2, about 17 miles south of Vicenza, Saturday – Sunday. Food booths and charity raffle

♦ Saturday: 9 p.m. live music with I Gordon Band

♦ Sunday: 9 p.m. music and ballroom dancing with I Barry Orchestra

Apple and Pear Festival:

Sunday, 2:30-6 p.m., in Lusiana, Via Roma and Piazza IV Novembre, about 21 miles north of Vicenza. Local agricultural products exhibit and sale; 3 p.m. falcon exhibit; 5

p.m. live music and entertainment; 3-6 p.m. Visit the Palazzon Museum and the Monte Corgnon Prehistoric Village. Admission fee: €2; reduced €1.50 for children age 6-10 and senior citizens older than 65.

Montagna in città - Agricultural and biological products show and market:

Saturday-Sunday, in Schio, about 16 miles northwest of Vicenza.

♦ Saturday: from 9 a.m. local agricultural products show and market and food booths in Piazza Falcone-Borsellino; biological-natural products show and market in Via Pasini; exhibition on energy efficiency and renewable energy sources in Via Btg. Val Leogra;

♦ Sunday: starting at 9 a.m. local agricultural products show and market in Piazza Falcone-Borsellino and biological-natural products show and market in Via Pasini; 10:30 a.m. train ride for children to visit downtown Schio; 3 p.m. folk music and dancing with Saltamaran Group

“Enjoy Piazza dei Signori” Festival:

Saturday 4-11 p.m. and Sunday 10 a.m.-8 p.m. in Vicenza, Piazza dei Signori. Local chefs will share their love of food: bread, pasta, pastry, and ice-cream making demonstrations and tastings. Tasting fees: €3 for three tastings; €5 for six tastings. All proceeds will go to charity.

Vicenza Numismatica – Medals, coins and paper money exhibits:

Friday-Saturday, in Vicenza.

♦ Palazzo Vescovile, Piazza Duomo 12, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 2-6 p.m.

♦ Palazzo Thiene, Contrà s. Gaetano Thiene, 11, 9 a.m. 7 p.m.

♦ Palazzo Valmarana Braga, Corso Fogazzaro 16, 9:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.

♦ Palazzo Chiericati, Piazza Giacomo Matteotti 37, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

♦ Palazzo Barbaran Da Porto, Contrà Porti 11, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

For free admission, visit http://www.vicenzanumismatica.it/nqcontent.cfm?a_id=2563,

then click on “Depliant-invito” (Brochure – invitation). The instructions are in Italian. If you need help, call Anna Terracino at 634-7169 or send an email to anna.terracino@eur.army.mil.

The same brochure will grant you free admission Friday and Saturday to the Olympic Theatre (Piazza Matteotti), the Archeological Museum (Contrà S. Corona 4) The Historical Museum (Viale X Giugno 15), Art Gallery of Palazzo Leoni Montanari (Contrà Santa Corona 25), the Diocesan Museum (Piazza Duomo 12), and ViArt, the Vicentine local art and craft museum (Contrà del Monte 13).

Antique market on Sunday:

♦ Asiago, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., Via Trento and Via J. Scaiaro, about 34 miles north of Vicenza

♦ Godega di Sant’Urbano, 8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. about 75 miles northeast of Vicenza, Via Roma

♦ Montagnana, 8 a.m. to sunset, Piazza Maggiore 150, about 27 miles south of Vicenza

♦ Padova, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. Prato della Valle, about 24 miles southeast of Vicenza

♦ Soave, 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. Piazza Antonio Marogna and Corso Vittorio Emanuele, about 23 miles west of Vicenza

Local crafts sale:

Sunday 9 a.m.-7 p.m., in Bassano del Grappa, Piazzotto Montevicchio, about 22 miles northeast of Vicenza

Local products and crafts sale:

Sunday 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m., in Thiene, in Via Roma, Corso Garibaldi, and Piazza Chilesotti. Stores will be open all day.

Home furnishing fair:

Ongoing through Sunday, in Padova, Via N. Tommaseo, 59, about 24 miles southeast of Vicenza. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-10:30 p.m., Monday-Friday 5-10:30 p.m. Entrance fee: Saturday and Sunday €7, Monday-Friday €5. Reduced €4. Classic and contemporary furniture, lighting, textiles and accessories.

FREE concerts, exhibits & events

“Evolution” exhibit:

Ongoing through Sunday, in Cartigliano, Villa Morosini Cappello, Piazza Concordia 1, about 18 miles north of Vicenza. Monday-Friday 8 -20:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 9 a.m.-noon; 2-6 p.m.; 8-10:30 p.m. Frece Tricolori (Tricolor Arrows - the Italian Air Force Aerobatic Team) photo exhibit; handmade wooden models of planes and space shuttles, to include an “air force one” model; space shuttle photo exhibit; Shuttle astronauts’ G-suit exhibit.

Pottery exhibit:

Ongoing through Nov. 13, Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday-Sunday, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. & 3-7 p.m.; Wednesday-Friday 3-7 p.m., in Vicenza, ViArt, Contrà del Monte 13.

Photo exhibit:

Ongoing through Nov. 6. Tuesday-Sunday, 3-7 p.m., in Bassano del Grappa, Chiesetta dell’Angelo, Via Roma 80, about 22 miles northeast of Vicenza.

Now Showing

Ederle Theater

Thursday	Captain America (PG 13)	6 p.m.
Friday	Cowboys & Aliens (PG 13) The Change Up (R)	6 p.m. 9 p.m.
Saturday	Cowboys & Aliens (PG 13) Real Steel (PG 13)	3 p.m. 6 p.m.
Sunday	Cowboys & Aliens (PG 13) Real Steel (PG 13)	3 p.m. 6 p.m.
Wed.	The Change Up (R)	6 p.m.
Oct. 20	The Change Up (R)	6 p.m.
Oct. 21	Rise of the Planet of the Apes (PG 13) Final Destination 5 (R)	6 p.m. 9 p.m.

Camp Darby Theater

Friday	Cowboys & Aliens (PG 13)	6 p.m.
Saturday	The Change Up (R)	6 p.m.
Sunday	The Dolphin Tale (PG)	1 p.m.
Oct. 21	Final Destination 5 (R)	6 p.m.

Admission: Age 12 and older, \$4, younger than 12, \$2. The Ederle theater box office opens one hour prior to show.

View MOVIE TRAILERS and more online at www.shopmyexchange.com/ems/euro/vicenza.htm or www.aafes.com/ems/euro/livorno.htm.

Special events

Halloween is coming to Villaggio Oct. 31. Carnival activities will begin at 3:30 p.m. and Trick or Treating will begin at 6 p.m. Donations of candy are being accepted at the Youth Center in Villaggio until Oct. 21. Call 634-5087 for information. BOSS is seeking volunteers to help give out candy at the candy stations. Call 0444-71-5406 for more info.

CYSS

Youth Center Ski and Snowboard Trips to Arabba, Folgaria, Kron Platz and San Martino for grades 6-12 begin Dec. 3. Trips cost \$15 and include transportation and supervision. Enrollment begins on the Monday prior to each Saturday trip. For specific dates visit vicenzaMWR.com or call 634-7659. One overnight trip is planned Dec 27-29 to Garmisch for a cost of \$80 which also includes lodging. This trip is for grades 7-12 only. Enrollment will begin Dec. 13.

ACS

♦ Army Family Action Plan is collecting issues for the AFAP Conference. Submit your issues at: http://www.vicenzamwr.com/acs_afap.html. The deadline for issue submission for the 2012 Conference is Nov. 1, 2011.

♦ Become a community volunteer, build your experiences and resume and meet a new network of people. Call the Army Volunteer Corps to find out about the volunteer opportunities in our community. Register online at www.myarmyonesource.com and your volunteer hours will follow you to any installation. Visit the Army Volunteer Corps Office upstairs in the ACS. Call 634-7500 for more information.

Soldiers' Theatre

♦ Auditions for the annual holiday show are Monday, 6:30 p.m. Roles are for singers and dancers. Open to families and the community. Join in the fun and celebrate the holidays in an exciting, fast-paced holiday production. For more information, call 634-7281.

♦ Music Café is back Oct. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Head to Soldiers' Theatre for an evening of relaxing music and light snacks and refreshments. Local musicians perform and you can join them on stage, too.

VES Advisory Council

The Vicenza Elementary School Advisory Council will meet Oct. 13 at 3 p.m. in the elementary school. All parents and interested community members are invited to attend. For information, call the school office at 0444-71-7710.

Arts & Crafts Center

♦ Join the four-week Italian Cooking class beginning Friday-Nov. 4. Learn to make Italian sauces and pasta, plus recipes for fish, meats and vegetables. All materials are included and you get to eat the results. No cooking experience is needed.

♦ Adult Wheel Throwing is

Sunday at 1 p.m. This two-part pottery class includes preparing the clay, centering, opening, pulling, shaping, firing, glazing and more. Come back the following Wednesday at your convenience to complete your piece.

EO volunteers

The Vicenza military community Equal Opportunity Office is seeking volunteers to lend their energy, experience and creativity in support of the National American Indian Heritage Month observances from Nov. 1-30.

For more info., contact Master Sgt. Keith Cade, 634-6061, or Master Sgt. Richard Colon, 634-7914.

Retiree appreciation

Local retirees are invited to attend Retiree Appreciation Day at the Luna Bubble, annex building 340, Oct. 20. Registration is from 8-9 a.m. and agencies will be available from 9 a.m.-noon. The list of agencies includes the health clinic, ID car renewal, AAFES, USAA, AUSA, DFAS-Finance and many others. A free lunch will be served and door prizes given away. For more information, visit http://www.usag.vicenza.army.mil/sites/community/retiree_service.asp.

Library

This month's theme for Third Thursday is music. Load your favorite tunes onto your iPod, bring it into the Library, plug it into the docking station and join the discussion. Call 634-8419 for more information.

UMUC courses

Autumn is in the air and it is time for Fall Session II at UMUC Vicenza. Registration is until Oct. 30. Classes run from Oct. 31-Dec. 16. The following classes are being offered locally: Italian 1 and 2, Principles of Accounting, Human Biology & Lab, Intro to Psychology, Intro to Statistics, Intro to Computers, Fundamentals of Writing & Grammar. Active duty and military spouses can apply for

a \$100 textbook scholarship. For more info., call 634-7055 or email vice@europe.umuc.edu or visit www.ed.umuc.edu.

USO Halloween Spooktacular

A free weekend Halloween party for the Caserma Ederle community will be held Oct. 28-30 at the Arena. From 7-10 p.m. visit the Haunted House. Drop off young children at the party room downstairs for some treats while you get spooked upstairs.

Oct. 30 starting at 2 p.m., head outside the Arena for a bouncy house, hay rides, face painting, photos, live music and more. Then at 6 p.m. open your candy-filled car trunks so the children can go trick-or-treating from trunk to trunk. Wear your costumes and decorate your car trunks for the contest at 7 p.m.

MOMS Club events

- ♦ Bunco, Oct. 13
 - ♦ Toddler play group, Monday, Oct. 25
 - ♦ Book club, Monday
 - ♦ Soave castle trip, Wednesday
 - ♦ Out-n-About, Oct. 21
 - ♦ Monthly Meeting, Oct. 24
 - ♦ Halloween party, Oct. 27
- These events are subject to change. For further information email momsclubofvicenza@yahoo.com.

Job opportunity

The Distributed Learning System is looking for a Training Coordinator 32 hours per week starting immediately. Minimum qualifications: dependent ID card holder; U.S. citizen; computer literate with current software applications (MS Office, Windows etc.); hands-on experience installing, configuring, troubleshooting and repairing computer software and hardware components; network systems administration a plus; excellent administrative and customer service skills.

If interested, contact Ingrid Sparks at DSN 485-8290 or civ.

0049-6783-6-8290 and email resume to ingrid.sparks@us.army.mil.

SOS luncheon

The Survivor Outreach Services program Quarterly Support Group Luncheon is Friday from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Military survivors are invited. For more information, call 634-6173.

Breast cancer 5k

The U.S. Army Health Center Vicenza is sponsoring a free five-kilometer run/walk Oct. 22 on the track. The event will feature refreshments, speakers, information booths, chair massages and prizes for best dressed Pink Spirit and 5k participant, adults and teens. Registration is from 8-9 a.m. and the race begins at 9 a.m.

DFAC closure

The South of the Alps Dining Facility is closed weekends in the month of October and is open weekdays for all three meals. Closure is due to the Joint Multinational Readiness Center rotation in Germany. Weekend operations will resume Nov. 5.

Tobacco cessation

USAG Vicenza has numerous resources to help community members quit using tobacco. Medications, biofeedback, one-on-one counseling and group education classes are available. Contact the Army Wellness Center at 634-8186 or 0444-71-8186 to schedule attendance at the Tobacco Cessation Class, held every Tuesday from 4-4:45 p.m.

Food Handler's Course

The Food Handler's course has changed to a new time and location. The class will be 10 a.m. in the Pediatrics classroom of the Vicenza Health Center. The class will be conducted on the third Tuesday of each month. For more information, contact Staff Sgt. Craig Brown at 636-9516 or email craig.brown4@amedd.army.mil.

Religious activities

Chaplain Crisis Line

To speak with a chaplain after hours, call **634-KARE** (634-5273)

Sunday services

9 a.m.: Mass, Sacrament of Reconciliation following Mass, or during duty hours
11 a.m.: Protestant worship
1:30 p.m.: Full Gospel Pentecostal worship
5 p.m.: Contemporary Christian service

Tuesdays

9:15 a.m.: Protestant Women of the Chapel.

Wednesdays

3 p.m.: Praise dance practice
3:15 p.m.: Middle School Club Beyond meets in Villaggio Youth Center
5 p.m.: Contemporary Praise band practice
5:30 p.m.: PWOC Bible study. Dinner provided. No child care
5:30 p.m.: High School Club Beyond meets at the Teen Center for dinner; meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. Call 340-139-4073 for information
5:30 p.m.: Catholic choir practice
6:45 p.m.: Gospel choir practice

Thursdays

9:30 a.m.: Catholic Women of the Chapel
5:30 p.m.: Gospel service choir rehearsal
7:15 p.m.: Gospel service Bible study

Faith group contacts

Islamic: Call 634-7519 (0444-71-7519) for info
Jewish: Call Paul Levine at 345-907-2108
Latter Day Saints: Call Chance Wilson at 327-869-8107. Sunday services, 1:30-4:30 p.m. at Viale Trento 246, Vicenza.
Bahá'í Faith: Call Russell Menard at 389-133-4627 or 349-708-2535.

Call the Caserma Ederle chapel at 634-7519 (0444-71-7519) for more information on religious activities.



Photo by Laura Kreider

Celebrity photographer: Vicenza Middle School Principal Dr. Julio Gonzalez, left, introduces photographer and America's Next Top Model judge Nigel Barker Sept. 23. Barker spoke to the students and other groups around post about photography and how he uses images for his charitable organizations.

Know of an event we're missing? Email the *Outlook* at editor@eur.army.mil. We gladly accept story ideas, photo and story submissions. All submissions are subject to editing.

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Cougars lose in tough battle against Aviano

By Jeremy Huller
Vicenza High School

The Vicenza Cougars hosted the Aviano Saints in their Homecoming football game Friday night. The Cougars went into the game with a record of 0-3, while their opponents had a perfect season record.

The small Vicenza team was hungry for a win after a nail-biter at Schweinfurt the previous week. The Cougars kicked to the Saints to start the game, and forced a punt from the Saints. The Saints then forced a turnover on downs. The game was a string of missed opportunities, with Aviano missing two field goal attempts and drive-killing penalties.

The teams went scoreless into the fourth quarter, when Saints safety Corey Webb returned an interception that brought the Saints to the Cougars' two-yard line, and they ran the ball to the outside for the score, which put them up 6-0.

Despite opportunities to score, the Cougars offense couldn't come through late in the game. Key players for Vicenza included Running Back Aaron Hogg (142 yards rushing), Defensive Tackles Malcolm Dorsey (17 tackles) and Chris Vallone (9 tackles), and Quarterback Grant Trochesset.

"Despite the score, the Cougars took a big step forward in this game," said Coach Adam Ridgley. "The defense was in Aviano's backfield most of the night. Our offense was as sharp as they have been all season."

The Cougars will play their final game of the regular season at Hohenfels this Saturday, with hopes of staying alive for the Division II playoffs.



Above, Vicenza High School Cougar's Marshall Perfetti, # 83, tackles Aviano's player Myron McRae during the second quarter of the Homecoming game played at the North 40 Friday. At left, Vicenza High School senior running back Aaron Hogg carries the ball, while trying to avoid Aviano defense Friday.

Photos by Laura Kreider

Sports Shorts

Volunteers needed

The Mako Sharks Swim Team is looking for adult volunteers to assist during the fall competitive season. Swimmers are elementary - high school ages and compete in the European Forces Swim League. For more info, contact John Casey at 0444-91-2612 or email john.j.casey@us.army.mil. Visit <http://makosharks.homestead.com/index.html>.

Unit & rec play

New players are always welcome. Call 634-7009 or individual POCs.

Rugby: Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-7:30 p.m., North 40 field.

Basketball: 11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for 10 or more, Fitness Center.

Racquetball: 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays for 16 participants, Fitness Center.

Men's Soccer: 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays for 24 or more players at the turf field behind the Ederle Inn. Email shaun.nurse@amedd.army.mil or call 636-9648/9120/9632.

Women's Soccer: (not currently meeting) 5:30-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays for 12 or more players at the turf field behind the Ederle Inn. Email sr_brasher@yahoo.com or call 634-8925.

Volleyball: 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays for eight or more, Fitness Center.

Frisbee golf: 6 p.m. Wednesdays, North 40 field.

Become a ninja

Check out the Ninpo Taijutsu class at the Fitness Center. Learn the ancient art of Ninja with classes Tuesdays and Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. at the Fitness Center.

40 and older basketball

For those interested in playing against an Italian men's 40 and older team, contact Sports, Fitness & Aquatics at 634-7009 or 7616, and leave your information.

Chapel Praise Dance Team

The Chapel's Praise Dance Team will be resuming practice and is looking for new recruits to join the fun. Contact Stephanie Lewis at mrs.tallaslewis@gmail.com for more information.

Have information about sports? Email The Outlook editor at editor@eur.army.mil with photos, scores or upcoming information about having your team featured in the newspaper.



Above, Vicenza's DJ Shendel, right, and Marymount International School of Rome's Flavia Perusini battle for the point during the second match held at the VHS gym October 1. At right, Cougar's Sarah Weston (covered) spikes the ball while Natalie Lovelace attempts an assist.



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SOLDIERS & CIVILIANS COMMUNITY UNIT/REC OPEN PLAY SPORTS

Flag football standings:

Team	Win	Loss			
509th SIG./DENTAC	5	0	HEALTH CENTER	2	2
MOD 1-503rd	3	5	21st TSC	1	3
USARAF	2	3			

Call the Fitness Center for information on other team sports at 634-7616.