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## Sneak-A-Peek

A "sneak-a-peek" open house will be held at the new elementary and middle schools in Villaggio Friday from 4-5 p.m. For more information, call the elementary school at 634-7710 or the middle school at 634-5701.



**"Go bananas, peel the orange, shuck the corn, rock the mullet!"**



Jill Lageschulte, a Summer Adventure Camp intern at the installation's School Age Center, rocks out with SAC students Friday during the group's end-of-summer barbecue. The students spent their final day with the interns singing Camp Adventure Blitz songs and performing. Call the SAC at 634-8253 for information on programs, clubs and events throughout the school year.

Photo by Adriane Foss

## Bus changes require extra caution

**With schools at different locations this year, officials ask parents to ensure children board the correct bus.**

File photo



*Special to the Outlook*

Changes abound as the installation's new elementary and middle schools open at Villaggio Sept. 2.

One of the major changes involves school bus transportation.

Previously, elementary and middle school students rode the bus with high school students. Now that the elementary and middle schools have relocated to Villaggio and the high school remains on Caserma Ederle, students will be separated by bus route:

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## New health center preps for Sept. 27 opening

*Special to the Outlook*

The new United States Army Health Center-Vicenza is scheduled to open its doors for patient care Sept. 27 at 7:30 a.m.

"This opening marks the conclusion of six years of planning and hard work, as well as the beginning of a continued commitment to patient and family-centered military health care," said Lt. Col. Randel Cassels, Deputy Commander, Nursing.

Cassels said both the old and new health centers will be closed for health care services from Sept. 22 at 4:30 p.m. through Sept. 27 and asked community members to make note of alternative care options during this time.

"The closure is necessary to move and recertify all equipment to ensure it is ready for safe patient care," said Cassels. "During the closure, patients with urgent needs may call the Nurse Triage Line at 800-877-660 or visit the San Bortolo Hospital Emergency Department."

Additional patient liaisons will be on duty at San Bortolo to help English-speaking patients during the transition.

The dental clinic relocated in July to the second floor west wing of the new health

center and is now fully operational. The dental clinic will be open for patient care during the health center move.

According to Health Center Commander Col. Kimberly Armstrong and DENTAC Commander Col. Mark Sweet, an Oct. 7 grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony will celebrate the facilities' combined opening.

The event will be hosted by Brig. Gen. Nadja West, Europe Regional Medical Command Commander.

The health center will be closed for

the ceremony and following festivities throughout the day.

"In recognition of our total commitment to partner with patients and families in our health care delivery system, one family member or retiree will be selected to participate in the ribbon cutting ceremony," said Cassels.

Community members who are interested should complete an entry form located inside the reception area of the old clinic. A drawing to select the participant and notification will be conducted Sept. 8.



Artist's rendering

The new health center hours are Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Thursdays from 1-4:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.



## Bus system to reduce school congestion

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■ K through Grade 8 students will be on bus routes numbered in the 100s

■ Grades 9-12 students will be on routes numbered in the 200s

“This means parents will see two school buses servicing a single stop,” said Ephraim Wertz, the installation’s Transportation Operations Specialist.

Wertz said while the school bus drivers and monitors will continue to check student IDs as they board the bus, parents should pay special attention to bus passes to make sure children get on the right bus.

This wasn’t as much of an issue last year,” said Wertz. “If a child boarded the wrong bus in the past, he or she would still arrive at the right school. This year, if a middle school student boards a high school bus, they’ll end up on the wrong installation.”

In addition to ensuring students board the correct bus, Wertz encourages families who live off post to use the school bus service, whenever feasible. He said more students using the bus means less traffic in and out of Villaggio and less congestion at the school.

“We’ll be trying to fit a large amount of pedestrian

and vehicle traffic into a small space on Villaggio,” said Wertz, “and there are things the community can do to help make things smoother and safer for everyone.”

Riding the school bus may also save families money.

“It’s a great solution for families who don’t want to pay child care fees for only a few minutes. Let them ride the bus and we’ll supervise them for free,” urged Wertz.

Parents who have not already done so should visit the school bus office, located in Bldg. 309 on Caserma Ederle and in the new middle school on Villaggio, to sign students up for a bus stop near their house.

“In addition to helping us lower traffic congestion during pick-up and drop-off times, using the school bus system allows many parents to get their child to school and still make it to work on time. We’re happy to have your child on board,” he said.

For kindergarten through eighth grade students who live on Villaggio and will walk to school, the following safety tips should be observed:

1. Stay on the sidewalks as much as possible and only cross the street at marked crosswalks.
2. Stay out of the school bus zone – no shortcuts!

3. In the afternoon, leave the school area as soon as possible and cross Via Thomas Edison or Via Cesare Augusto before buses exit the loading zone at 1455.

4. Take directions from military police and school or garrison officials who are out there to keep everyone safe as the school year begins.

“Our school buses will be exiting Villaggio by way of Via Thomas Edison and Via Leonardo Da Vinci, so these four points will help keep you and your children safe on the way to and from school each day,” said Wertz.

He noted that most of the school bus routes from last year have been reworked and asked parents and students to remain flexible and understand if adjustments are made throughout the year.

“Plans and times on paper have a way of changing when things actually get started,” he explained. “This year we have a separate elementary, middle, and high school for the first time in Vicenza and we’re all excited about the opportunities that brings for our students. There will be initial challenges, but it’s going to be an excellent year.”

## Library reading program takes youth on winning voyage

By PEGGY J. SCHADLER  
Chief, Family and MWR Marketing

“41! 200! 62!”

Those were the shouts from community youth, ages 3-11, as they guess how many books had been read by participants in this year’s Summer Reading Program hosted by the post library.

In keeping with the island theme, for each book they read, the children dropped a white bean representing a grain of sand in the Beach Jar, explained Michelle Krewson, the post librarian.

The person who guessed the closest number of beans won a prize. That was one of several activities the kids enjoyed during the reward party that ended the five-week reading program.

“This year’s theme was Voyage to Book Island and during the weekly meetings the kids decorated sun hats,

played bingo, and made their own books,” said Krewson. “Each child kept track of their reading on a reading log and after they read 10 books they picked a prize, including beach towels, beach bags and T-shirts.”

More than 140 kids registered in the 3-11 age group and read a total of 566 books.

“I had the opportunity to work with the summer reading program for the past two years, and enjoyed working with some great kids,” said Alessia Catena, library summer hire student. “They love listening to stories and doing arts and crafts and I love going along for a ride with them.”

The teen summer reading program involved the students reading books and completing slips each week for grand prize drawings at their own party. Prizes

this year included an iPod won by Caleb Hughes and a \$25 iTunes gift card won by Sam Moldenhauer.

Other attendees won PS3 and Xbox360 games and a complete set of Twilight books.

“Twenty-two teens registered and 16 were able to attend the reward party where they enjoyed breaking in the library’s new PS3 with Rock Band, DJ Hero and Tony Hawk’s Ride,” said Krewson. “The program was such a success that everyone is already looking forward to next year’s Midsummer Knight’s Read.”

Family member Candace Scillieri said when she told her children they were coming to the library, they asked if there was another party.

“They really enjoyed the summer reading program,” said Scillieri.



Photo by Michelle Krewson  
A participant in this year’s summer reading program takes a guess at how many beans are in the Beach Jar Aug. 3.

### Speak Out

### What Constitutional freedom is most precious to you?



Steve Jonas  
Health Clinic

“Fundamental rights of free speech, 1st Amendment, and due process, 4th Amendment.”



Andrea Baldinazzo  
Ederle Inn

“The right of freedom of speech and expression.”



Patricia France  
Family member

“The constitutional freedom of religion.”



Nina Lintz, Maya Zaborek  
12th & 11th grade

“Freedom of speech. What we say basically makes up who we are.”



Donald Coney  
Air Force (retired)

“The right to speak freely.”



## Africa Endeavor 2010 concludes in Accra

**USARAF, 36 African nations, international partners test commo exchange, abilities**

*U.S. Army Africa Public Affairs*

A major military communications exercise involving 36 African nations, U.S. Army Africa and a range of African and international partners drew to a close in Accra, Ghana, Friday.

Training and exercise scenarios centered around interoperability of communications systems, and included land-to-sea and satellite communications between the African Union's Peace Support Operations Center in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia and multinational forces in Ghana.

"Future operations in Africa depend on the combined multinational militaries of the nations represented here today in order to effectively communicate amongst themselves," said Maj. Gen. David R. Hogg, U.S. Army Africa commanding general.

"We are fighting for unity and interoperability with our partners to establish high levels of efficiency," said Lt. Gen. Peter Blay, Chief, Defense Staff of the Ghana Armed Forces.

"The outcome of Africa Endeavor 2010 has given assurance that we are on track to achieve the ultimate goal of interoperability between our forces," said Blay.

"By taking part in this event we have demonstrated a commitment to harness the power of communication technology for ensuring the long-term peace, stability, and prosperity of the African continent," said Hogg.



*USARAF Public Affairs*

Lt. Gen. Peter Blay, Chief, Defense Staff of the Ghana Armed Forces (center), salutes during the closing ceremony Aug. 20 of Africa Endeavor 2010 in Accra, Ghana. With him on the reviewing stand are (from left) Rep. Henry Brown (R-SC), Rep. Sheila Lee Jackson (D-TX) and Maj. Gen. David R. Hogg, U.S. Army Africa commander.

## Chapel's Tar Beach party farewells summer season



Children enjoy the book-inspired Tar Beach party Friday afternoon. In the book an urban family creates a "beach" atop their Harlem apartment building to escape from the everyday world. Outside the post chapel, volunteers created a fun escape to farewell the summer season and show their appreciation for community support. More than 250 community members attended the event.

Story and photos by DENA BARTO  
*Special to the Outlook*

As the summer season comes to a close, community members gathered for a block-style Tar Beach party hosted by the post chapel Friday.

Inspired by the acclaimed Tar Beach, modern art translated into a children's picture book by Faith Ringgold, the block party-style event was attended by more than 250 community members.

In the book a city family creates a "beach" atop their Harlem apartment building to fulfill their need to escape from the everyday world.

"It was all about city night family fun," said Dr. Grace Yuell, the Director of Religious Education and coordinator for the end-of-summer party. "And for spouses at home with kids, it was free, fun and easy."

The tar in the story was replaced by asphalt outside the Caserma Ederle chapel as an ordinary sidewalk was turned into a circus-style promenade

full of games and prizes. Adults gathered near the entrance where tables of barbecue, drinks and a large sand castle cake sat. At the far of the strip, kiddie pools entertained the smallest visitors.

"It was a great opportunity for family time," said M. Gabriela Ordonez-Mackey. "I attended the chapel's High Seas Family Night (last month) and my kids loved it, so I was hoping this would be as enriching and fun. It was wonderful."

USAG Vicenza Commander Col. Erik Daiga, who attended the event, called the party a

"great way to wrap up the summer, and the chapel did a great job because there is something here for everyone."

For more information about chapel events, call 634-7519.



A young community member plays at the chapel-hosted Tar Beach Party Friday.

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### At your service Garrison Public Affairs



Grant Sattler is the USAG Vicenza Public Affairs Officer. Sattler arrived earlier this month from Camp Zama, Japan, where he was the district public affairs officer for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

"I support the garrison commander and the garrison staff by providing media relations, community relations and command information programs for Caserma Ederle," said Sattler. "Public Affairs helps communicate the many great programs and services USAG Vicenza and many other organizations provide for the Soldiers, civilians, families, and local national employees here and at Camp Darby."

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# Community Camera

A snapshot of events making news in and around the U.S. military community in Vicenza...



## Sniffing out danger:

(At left) Military policeman Spc. David Boyett and German Shepherd Valdo conduct a vehicle search demonstration as part of Antiterrorism Month near the PX Tuesday morning. The installation's Antiterrorism Office partnered with the Directorate of Emergency Services' Physical Security section to showcase some of their force multiplier assets, including the use of their military working dogs. The Physical Security office and MPs showed community members how to search their own vehicles for explosives and other suspicious objects.

Photo by Laura Kreider



## Where is he now?:

(Above) Former USAG Vicenza Public Affairs Officer Jon Fleshman scouts out vantage points to photograph the next phase of the Olmsted locks and dam project on a rise overlooking the precast shell construction yard on the Illinois bank of the Ohio River. Fleshman PCS'ed in June to return to the Corps of Engineers' Louisville District as a public affairs specialist. Fleshman is covering the shell construction and placement that is part of the \$2 billion Corps project on the Ohio River. The gantry crane in the background is the largest of its kind in the United States and was built specially for the project. It is capable of lifting more than 5,000 tons.

Courtesy photo



Photo by Laura Kreider

**Rat Wives:** Community members read the "Rat Wives" script during auditions at Soldiers' Theatre Tuesday. "Rat Wives" is a one-act comedy about four legendary actresses who are waiting in their dressing room on a blustery night in 1896, preparing to perform in a famous Ibsen production. The ladies are having some serious personal problems. Stay tuned to AFN and read the Outlook to find out when tickets go on sale.



Photo by Laura Kreider

## Pause for paws:

Adam Ridgely, Vicenza High School athletic director, PE and match teacher (right) with PE and health teacher Christine Vega, inspects the logo on the school's new gym Wednesday afternoon. The high school also boasts a renovated weight room, new JROTC Training room and Science Lab. Vicenza High School is now the only traditional high school with grades 9-12 in the Mediterranean District.





Sgt. 1st Class Rennick Beneby pushes through the mud during a joint obstacle course training.

Photo by Vincenzo Leto

## Clinic boosts morale ... in the mud

By **JOYCE COSTELLO**  
*USAG Livorno Public Affairs*

A thick covering of pine needles hid the mud puddle under concertina wire, surprising Soldiers and civilians from the U.S. Army Health Clinic Livorno who dived into the obstacle course at the Italian military training compound at USAG Livorno Aug. 12.

This was an excellent opportunity to increase resiliency through team building, according to Sgt. 1st Class Rennick Beneby, the health clinic NCOIC.

“When faced with obstacles or seemingly insurmountable odds in life, we as leaders and Soldiers must persevere and drive on. Ultimately the

reward of overcoming insurmountable obstacles while working as a team is the greatest reward of being a Soldier, Warrior, leader and part of a team,” said Beneby. “The health clinic is always helping educate the community on how to live a balanced, healthy lifestyle and this was a chance to incorporate those ideals during our own sergeants’ time training.”

Livorno health center members helped each other over sheer rock barriers, cheered each other on as team mates negotiated the balance challenges and pushed each other to do their best on the course.

“I think everybody enjoyed the opportunity to be able to get away from

the normal work environment and have a little fun,” said Spc. Darin Alpers, an X-ray technician.

“This was a great challenge and a great opportunity to participate with Italian friends,” said pharmacist Dr. Tamara Cox. “Our hosts were generous to allow us to use their training facility.”

“Coordination for this obstacle was done through the hard work and effort of Sgt. Jacqueline Smart and CMCS Giacinto Tuffilli (liaison to the Italian Base Command),” said Beneby. “They both deserve praise for coordinating such a great event that brought American and Italian Soldiers and civilians together building a stronger, more resilient and cohesive team.”

## 3/405th AFSB aiding Pakistan flood victims

By **JENNIFER L. KING**  
*405th Army Field Support Brigade Public Affairs Officer*

The 3rd Battalion, 405th Army Field Support Brigade, from Leghorn Army Depot sent a shipment of humanitarian aid supplies to Pakistan Aug. 13, as requested by the U.S. Agency for International Development.

Northwest Pakistan has experienced significant flooding caused by extremely heavy monsoon rains, and millions of Pakistanis have been impacted by the natural disaster.

“We received a request to send 1,310 rolls of heavy-duty, waterproof plastic sheeting to Pakistan immediately in order to assist USAID in its disaster relief efforts,” said Alberto

Chidini, who manages the battalion’s USAID program. “The plastic sheeting will be used by USAID to construct temporary shelters for families whose homes have been damaged or swept away by the flood waters.”

Lt. Col. Richard Pierce, commander of the 3rd Bn., 405th AFSB, is proud that his organization plays such an integral part in international relief efforts such as these.

“I have only been in command a short time and am already awed by the international scope and reach of our mission,” Pierce said. “I am pleased that we have the ability to assist in relieving human suffering throughout the world, and I truly believe that support to these humanitarian missions is one of the most important missions that our battalion has.”



## Greener options, by request

Linn Weaver takes advantage of Camp Darby’s newest healthy eating option, a salad bar at the commissary. According to Giuseppe Ricci, Camp Darby Commissary manager, installing the bar was a result of customers requesting alternative healthy eating options.

Photo by Joyce Costello

## Darby Dates

Visit [www.usag.livorno.army.mil](http://www.usag.livorno.army.mil)

### Parent’s Night Out

Parents, you deserve a break. Plan now to enjoy an evening out and leave the childcare to CYSS Sept. 24. A 10 percent multiple-child discount applies. Children must be registered by Sept. 21. Call 633-7681.

### Resume Writing

This class gives participants information on how to successfully input a resume into the Army Civilian Personnel On-Line website and be referred for all positions serviced by ACPOL. Find out more Sept. 1. Call ACS at 633-7084.

### Debt Liquidation

Millions of people experience the same financial problems and frustrations. Getting out of debt is like losing weight – it takes time, discipline and encouragement from others. Come in and let us help during a Sept. 2 class. Call ACS at 633-7084.

### Bowling center closed

The Camp Darby bowling center will be closed until mid-September for renovations. The snack bar will remain open and will provide service: Sundays, 5-9 p.m.; Mondays, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Tuesdays, closed; Wednesdays - Saturdays, 11 a.m.-9 p.m.

### ITR Trips

■ Built on 117 small islands, Venice has more than 150 canals and more than 400 bridges. You won’t see them all on this day trip, but you can have fun trying. Visit with ITR Monday.

■ **Cinque Terre** is a remote piece of the Italian Riviera consisting of five villages connected by trails that hug the coastline. Visit with ITR on Tuesday.

■ **The Acqua Village** in Cecina Mare features three water slides, wave pool, children’s pool, soaped soccer, play room and more. Visit with ITR Sunday.

Call ITR for more information at 633-7589.

### Religious activities

For details, call the chapel at 633-7267 (050-54-7267).

9:40 a.m.: Catholic Reconciliation

10 a.m.: Catholic Mass

11:15 a.m.: Protestant worship

10 a.m.: Protestant Sunday school

11:15 a.m.: Catholic CCD



## Brintaal Celtic Folk Festival:

Community members are invited to attend a Celtic folk festival Thursday-Sunday in Valstagna. The event includes concerts, workshops and food. Children can enjoy a theater fantasy workshop and games. And don't miss a chance to train on the Uilleann pipes, a traditional Irish bagpipe at 9 p.m. For details on the activities, by day, see below.

Courtesy photo



## Local festivals & shows

**Brintaal Celtic Folk Festival:** Thursday-Sunday in Valstagna, Via Oliera 85, about 34 miles north of Vicenza.

Free concerts and workshops. Free camp area -Via Monsignor Dalla Zuanna 21.

■ Thursday: 4 p.m. festival and craft exhibit grand opening. 4:30 - 10 p.m. children's theater fantasy workshops and games; 9:30 p.m. Celtic folk music concert with the Fimm Band; 11:30 p.m. folk live music with the Deep Green Light Band.

■ Friday: 4:30 p.m. food booths and craft fair; 4:30 - 10 p.m. children's theater fantasy workshops and games; 9:30 p.m. folk'n'roll live music with The Mahones Band from Canada; 11:30 p.m. folk concert with the Deep Green Light Band.

■ Saturday: 3 p.m. food booths and craft fair; 3 p.m. folk dances stage with live music; 4:30 - 10 p.m. children's theater fantasy workshops and games; 9:30 p.m. Mediterranean Celtic folk concert with the Dealan Band from Spain; 11:30 p.m. Irish speed-folk live music with the Celtic Mess Band.

■ Sunday: from noon onwards food booths and craft fair; archery workshop; 4:30-10 p.m. children's theater fantasy workshops and games; Uilleann pipes (traditional Irish bagpipe) free class; 9 p.m. Radical folk live music with the Bizardunak Band from Spain; 11:30 p.m. Irish speed-folk live music with the Celtic Mess Band.

**Live Chess Game:** Sept. 10-12 in Marostica, Piazza degli Scacchi, about 18 miles north of Vicenza. This live game commemorates the historic chess match of 1454. Pink and white marble slabs are imbedded in the center of Piazza Castello to form the chess board. The chess pieces are live persons who move across

the board. The bi-annual game re-enacts the match Lord Taddeo Parisio held to determine which of the two noblemen who were in love with his daughter would take her hand in marriage.

As it took place nearly 600 years ago, a grand festival will be held with parades, flag throwers, fireworks and feast. The show boasts more than 500 costumed players.

Seating is limited. Tickets for the following shows should be purchased well in advance:

■ Friday: 9 p.m. Tickets: €60 - central stand; €50 - side stand; €30 bleachers;

■ Saturday: 9 p.m. Tickets: €80 - central stand; €70 - side stand; €40 bleachers;

■ Friday: 5 p.m. Tickets: €25 - central stand; €20 - side stand; €10 bleachers;

■ Friday: 9 p.m. Tickets: €60 - central stand; €45 - side stand; €20 bleachers.

For details in English or to purchase tickets online, visit [www.marosticascacchi.it](http://www.marosticascacchi.it).

**Ceramic Festival:** Saturday and Sunday in Nove, about 18 miles north of Vicenza. The 13th edition of the "Open Gates" event: local artists will show the visitors artistic ceramic techniques, from the working with pottery's wheel to the modeling of ceramic and ceramic painting. Special admission fee (€2) to the Ceramic Museum (9 a.m.-1 p.m. & 3-8 p.m.) Free visits to the Machiavello-Carlesso Villa, Via Olmo, 9.

■ Saturday: 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. Open Gates, exhibits and practical demonstrations. 11 a.m. Grand opening and free admission to the exhibit: Design with care. 10 a.m.-noon & 4-7 p.m. free visit to the Antique Ceramic Factory in Via Rivarotta, 116 - Bassano del Grappa; noon-2 p.m. & 7-10 p.m. food booths in Piazza G. De Fabris, Nove; 8 p.m. live music

with the Tequila Band in Piazza G. De Fabris.

■ Sunday: 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Cucari Veneti exhibits and practical demonstrations; "Play with art" workshops for children; 9 & 10 a.m. free guided visits to the European oldest mill for ceramics, Via Munari, Nove; 10 a.m., noon, 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. free guided visits to the Astronomical Observatory G. Toaldo, Via Nodari 13; 10 a.m.-noon & 4-7 p.m. free visit to the Antique Ceramic Factory in Via Rivarotta, 116 - Bassano del Grappa; noon-2 p.m. & 7-10 food booths in Piazza G. De Fabris, Nove; 8 p.m. live music with the Tequila Band in Piazza G. De Fabris.

**Medieval Festival:** Saturday and Sunday, in Montagnana, Piazza Vittorio Emanuele, about 27 miles south of Vicenza. Annual historic celebration with the participation of 10 of the town's boroughs and a costumed horserace or Palio dei Dieci Comuni. 4-9 p.m. musicians and flag throwers contest.

**Carnival Rides:** Friday through Sept. 19, 4 p.m.-midnight, in Vicenza, Campo Marzo.

**Antique market:** Sunday, Piazzola sul Brenta, Villa Contarini, 16 miles east of Vicenza. More than 700 vendors and food booths.

**Saint Andrea Festival:** through Sept. 5 in Vicenza, Via Pizzocarro 49. Live music and entertainment.

## Concerts

**J Ax:** Saturday in Lido di Sottomarina, Arena Live; Sept. 10 in Ravenna, Arena Pala.

**Leonard Cohen:** Wednesday in Firenze, Piazza Santa Croce.

**Placebo:** Sept. 3 in Passariano di Codroipo (UD), Villa Manin.

**Guns N' Roses:** Sept. 4 in Rome, Palalottomatica; Sept. 5 in Milan, Mediolanum Forum.

**Elton John & Ray Cooper:** Sept. 17 & 18 in Milan, Arcimboldi

Theatre; Sept. 19 & 20 in Rome, Auditorium Parco della Musica.

**Ozzy Osbourne (ex Black Sabbath):** Sept. 22 in Milan, PalaSharp.

**Peter Gabriel:** Sept. 26 in Verona, Arena.

**Brandon Flowers:** Oct. 4 in Milan; Oct. 5 in Rome.

**U-2:** Oct. 8 in Rome, Stadio Olimpico.

**Stereophonics:** Oct. 11 in Milan.

**Doobie Brothers:** Oct. 14 in Milan, Alcatraz Club.

**Carlos Santana:** Oct. 19 in Assago, Milan, Mediolanum Forum.

**Sting:** Oct. 25 in Firenze;

Nov. 2 in Milan, Teatro degli Arcimboldi; Nov. 3 in Torino, Palaolimpico; Nov. 10 in Rome, Auditorium Parco della Musica.

**Emerson & Lake:** Nov. 19 in Rome, Auditorium conciliazione; Nov. 21 in Milano, Conservatorio; Nov. 26 in Padova, Grand Teatro.

Tickets available at Vicenza Media World, Palladio Shopping Center or [http://www.greenticket.it/index.html?imposta\\_lingua=ing](http://www.greenticket.it/index.html?imposta_lingua=ing) or <http://www.ticketone.it/EN/>

## Sporting events

**MotoGP Misano:** Sept. 3-5 in Misano Adriatico, Rimini

**Red Bull X-Fighters World Tour - International freestyle motocross:** Oct. 1 in Rome, Stadio dei Mari.

**Formula 1 Italian Grand Prix:** Sept. 10-12 in Monza

**Skate Awards:** Oct. 9 in Torino, Palavela

**Wrestling Raw World Tour:** Nov. 13 in Assago (Milan), Mediolanum Forum.

For info in English and tickets, visit <http://www.ticketone.it/EN/>.

## ODR trips

Spend Labor Day Weekend with ODR: Hike the 52 tunnels of **Pasubio** or join the **bike maintenance class** Sept. 4; Watch the historic **Regatta in Venice** Sept. 5, join the local mountain bike ride Sept. 6 or head to Lake Garda for a wakeboard and beach day.

Check out more trips online at [VicenzaMWR.com](http://VicenzaMWR.com). To enroll, visit <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/Vicenzarectrac.html>.

## Now Showing



### Ederle Theater

<b>Thursday</b>	Jonah Hex (PG-13)	6 p.m.
<b>Friday</b>	Toy Story 3 (G)	6 p.m.
	The A-Team (PG-13)	9 p.m.
<b>Sat.</b>	Toy Story 3 (G)	3 p.m.
	Nanny McPhee Returns (PG)	6 p.m.
<b>Sun.</b>	Toy Story 3 (G)	3 p.m.
	Nanny McPhee Returns (PG)	6 p.m.
<b>Wed.</b>	The A-Team (PG13)	6 p.m.
<b>Sept. 2</b>	The A-Team (PG-13)	11 a.m.

### Camp Darby Theater

<b>Friday</b>	The A-Team (PG-13)	6 p.m.
<b>Saturday</b>	The Other Guys (PG-13)	6 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	Toy Story 3 (PG)	1 p.m.
<b>Sept. 2</b>	The A-Team (PG-13)	6 p.m.

Admission: Age 12 and up \$4, under 12, \$2.

The Ederle theater box office opens one hour prior to show.

View **MOVIE TRAILERS** and schedule online at <http://www.aafes.com/ems/euro/vicenza.htm> or <http://www.aafes.com/ems/euro/livorno.htm>.

### Free Movie Night

Join the Antiterrorism Office Tuesdays in August, 2:30-4 p.m. for a free viewing of popular movies at the post theater.

**Tuesday** - "Unthinkable" - A psychological thriller centered around a black-ops interrogator and an FBI agent who press a suspect terrorist into divulging the location of three nuclear weapons set to detonate in the U.S.

Looking to buy or sell items? Check out MWR's Marketplace at [www.mwrmarketplace.com](http://www.mwrmarketplace.com)



## Super Sign-up

Stop by the Super Sign-up Fair Sept. 8, 11 a.m. -4 p.m. at the fitness center basketball court for one-stop shopping. Community members can get the information they need from post organizations and sign up for their favorite activities. For a list of participating organizations, visit [www.vicenzaMWR.com](http://www.vicenzaMWR.com).

## Temporary gate closure

Gate 1 (Via Aldo Moro) will be closed Saturday from 6-10 a.m. for scheduled maintenance.

Gate 4 (Housing gate) will be open for inbound traffic. Gate 2 (Chapel gate) will be open for outbound traffic during this time.

## No Saturday Care

Saturday Care will not be available in September as the office moves to its new facility in Villaggio. Instead, Saturday Care will be offered twice next month on Oct. 12 and 23, provided in CDC Bldg. 398 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Make reservations up to two weeks in advance. Call 634-5008. Space is limited.

## SOTA bake sale

The South of the Alps Warrant Officer Chapter hold its quarterly bake sale Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. in front of the PX. Donations will be used to support local community charities. Call CW4 Joe Consiglio at 635-4745 for information.

## USO Italian class

The USO is sponsoring a beginner's Italian language class that starts Sept. 7 and take place every Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m. through Oct. 26. Classes will be held at the USAG Vicenza Education Center, Room 110.

Sign up now for one of the 24 available class seats. Cost is \$146 and includes eight weeks of instruction and the textbook. Pay by cash or check. Visit the USO, Bldg. 9A, across the street from the DFAC. Call 634-8146.

## USARAF FRG meeting

The U.S. Army Africa/ SETAF Family Readiness Group will hold its next FRG meeting Tuesday, from noon-1:30 p.m. in the conference room at ACS Bldg. 108/Davis Hall.

The theme is Welcome Back, and lunch will be provided and door prizes will be given.

RSVP by close of business on Friday to Tashunda Vaughn at [tashunda.s.vaughn@eur.army.mil](mailto:tashunda.s.vaughn@eur.army.mil) or 634-6084 / CIV 0444-71-6084, or e-mail FRG Leader Patty Francis at [pfrancis82@aol.com](mailto:pfrancis82@aol.com).

## Back to Scouts picnic

Cub Scout Pack 295 will have a Back to Scouting potluck picnic from 5-7 p.m. Friday at the Villaggio Park. All returning Scouts and those interested in Scouting are welcome to attend. For more information, e-mail [abnmedik22@aol.com](mailto:abnmedik22@aol.com) or [seppo72@yahoo.com](mailto:seppo72@yahoo.com).

## Cyber threats & protection class

The Regional Computer Emergency Response Team will educate the theater computer user customer base on cyber threats,

how threats can affect them and the mission and methods of protection at home and in the workplace.

Vicenza classes take place:

**Monday** from 10-11 a.m., 1-2 p.m., 2:30-3:30 p.m. and 4-5 p.m. at the post theater

**Tuesday** from 9:30-10:30 a.m., 10:45-11:45 a.m. at the post theater

**Tuesday** from 1-2 p.m., 2:15-3:15 p.m., 3:30-4:30 p.m. at the Hall of Heroes

**Wednesday** from 9:30-10:30 a.m., 11 a.m.-noon, 1-2 p.m. at the post theater.

## Music Cafe is back

Music Café is back this Friday at 7:30 p.m. Enjoy great music and light refreshments in a relaxed café atmosphere.

Bring your instrument, get onstage and jam, or sit back and appreciate the local talent. Call 634-7281 for information.

## Arts and Crafts Center

Intro to Digital Photography begins Wednesday at 1 p.m. Class focuses on basic operations, composition, camera controls and exposure.

Bring your basic point-and-shoot or any digital camera and learn to use it to its full potential. Classes run every Wednesday from 1-2:30 p.m. Sept. 1-22.

## Library news

■ Kids, ages 3-11, can get ready for the new school year Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. at the library, where they will decorate a cool, colorful canvas backpack with fabric markers and stick-on jewels.

All materials are provided and a sample is on display at the library. Call 634-8419.

■ Join the book club Sept 2 at 7 p.m. to discuss "The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo" by Stieg Larsson. Refreshments will be served, so bring a snack and a friend. Call 634-7291 for information.

■ The post library now has wireless on a private network not on the military network.

## Warrant officers sought

The South Of The Alps Warrant Officer Chapter is looking for outstanding warrant officers. You can join, or just come to the Warrant Officer Breakfast every Tuesday from 8-9 a.m. at the South of the Alps dining facility. For more information, call CW4 Joe Consiglio at 635-4745.

## Family Movie Night

Every Saturday in August from 6-8 p.m. is Family Movie Night.

Enjoy an evening of bowling, a cheese pizza, pitcher of soda and a movie for \$24.95.

## Villaggio Youth Center

The Villaggio Youth Center is the place to go for after-school games, homework help, snacks and fun for community youth ages 12-18. It is open Monday-Friday from 3-7 p.m. In celebration of the the new schools, the center will host a daily barbecue Sept. 2-17. Call 634-7741 to get the scoop.

## New care locations

Beginning Sept. 13, full day Child Development Center care, Kinder programs and the School Age Center will be operate from its new location in Villaggio, Bldg. 703. Reach any of the facilities with one new, easy number: 634-5700.

## EFMP Bowling

A bowling bash is set Sept. 2, 3:15-4:30 p.m. at the Arena. Enjoy free bowling and shoe rental, pizza and sodas. Bowling Bash is free for all EFMP members and their families. For more information, call 634-7500. Sign-up is required.

## Learn about your Army

An Army Family Team Building Level I, "Surviving and Thriving in the Army," is set Sept. 8-9, 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at the ACS Bldg. 108/Davis Hall.

Learn about Army life and how to maneuver daily challenges by learning to decipher Army acronyms, utilize community

resources, attain better financial readiness and understand the goal and impact of the Army mission on daily life. Call at 634-7500.

## Anger management

An adult anger management class is set Thursday, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the ACS Bldg. 108/Davis Hall. Participants will learn and practice the basics of anger management. This ongoing series teaches the basics and focuses on a new strategy for managing one's anger weekly. Call 634-7500.

## More part-time preschool

Starting Sept. 27, CDC 398 will kick off a part-time preschool program that will run from 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Monday to Friday.

For more information, call the CDC at 634-5008 or Central Registration at 634-7206.

## MOMS Club events

■ Thursday: Bunco, 7 p.m.  
■ Friday: Monthly meeting, 4 p.m.

E-mail [momsclubofvicenza@yahoo.com](mailto:momsclubofvicenza@yahoo.com) for more information.

## School physicals

School health assessments will be offered at the Vicenza Health Center in the Pediatrics department Tuesday.

Exam forms should be filled out in advance. Visit <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/vicenzacyms.html> or call CIV 0444-71-7656 for forms and info.

## Community Calendar Highlights

**Thursday:** Women's Equality

**Sept. 2:** First Day of School

**Sept. 10:** First Day for Kindergarten

**Sept. 3-6:** USAREUR Training Holiday



Photo by Laura Kreider

## Thrifty sorting:

Vicenza Thrift Shop Manager Beatriz LeComte (center) and volunteer Rocio Serna (right) sort through items Aug. 18 before the Aug. 19 reopening of the Caserma Ederle Thrift Shop. The store is open Tuesday from 10 a.m. -4 p.m. and Thursday from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Consignments are taken by appointment only during operating hours. To volunteer or for more information, call 634-7460.

## Religious activities

### Chaplain Crisis Line

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

### Sunday services

**8 a.m.:** Sacrament of Reconciliation, or by appointment

**9 a.m.:** Roman Catholic Mass (Daily Mass is held weekdays at noon)

**9 a.m.:** Protestant Sunday school and AWANAs (September-May at Vicenza High School)

**10:45 a.m.:** Catholic religious education (September-May at Vicenza High School)

**11 a.m.:** Protestant worship

**1:30 p.m.:** Full Gospel Pentecostal worship

**5 p.m.:** Contemporary Christian service

### Mondays

**Noon:** LDS scripture study

### Tuesdays

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

### Wednesdays

**3 p.m.:** Praise dance practice

**3:30 p.m.:** Middle School Club Beyond meets in VHS cafeteria September-May

**5 p.m.:** Contemporary Praise band practice

**5:30 p.m.:** PWOC evening Bible study (beginning Sept. 8. Child care offered for children ages 6 weeks to 4 years.)

**5:30 p.m.:** High School Club Beyond meets at the Teen Center September-May. 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:** Sandy Schoenberg at 634-6202 or [sandy.schoenberg@eur.army.mil](mailto:sandy.schoenberg@eur.army.mil).

**Latter Day Saints:** Scripture study held Mondays, noon-1 p.m. at chapel. Sunday services, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. downtown. Call Chance Wilson at 327-869-8107.

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

**DON'T BE LATE:** E-mail briefs to [editor@eur.army.mil](mailto:editor@eur.army.mil) noon on Monday, or by 4 p.m Friday if Monday is a holiday.



Caserma Ederle teens practice cheers Wednesday morning at the Teen Center Pavilion as part of the SKIESUnlimited cheerleading classes. Registration for the next session begins Wednesday.

Photos by Laura Kreider



## SKIES Unlimited kicks off fall cheerleading

*Special to the Outlook*

SKIESUnlimited Cheerleading Instructor Mallory Wyatt will be offering cheerleading classes this fall.

This is the second time the classes have been offered. Classes for youth ages 6-8 years old will be held Mondays from 4-5 p.m., and class for youth ages 9 years and older will be held on Wednesdays from 4-5 p.m. All classes will be held in the post fitness center racquetball court.

The fall session will run from the week of Sept. 20 - Nov. 24. The cost is \$75 for 10 classes. Enrollment begins Sept. 1. Parents can enroll their children online at the CYSS Webtrac website or at Parent Central Services in Davis Soldier & Family Readiness Center.

Wyatt is a four-time National Cheerleading Association All-American. She has been training and developing choreography for cheerleading squads for over 10 years. She will also be teaching Jazz classes for SKIES this fall.

For more information, contact Kelli Covlin of at [Kelli.Covlin@eur.army.mil](mailto:Kelli.Covlin@eur.army.mil) or 634-8051.



### Soccer coaches needed

CYSS Soccer season is right around the corner and coaches are needed for the teams. CYSS is looking for volunteers who want to have fun, enjoy working with youth and want to contribute their time to make a difference in the Vicenza community.

If interested, contact Sky Clarke or Nicole Fulbright at 634-651 or [nicole.fulbright@eur.army.mil](mailto:nicole.fulbright@eur.army.mil) or [sky.clarke@eur.army.mil](mailto:sky.clarke@eur.army.mil).

### Community swim meet

Dive into the fun as the fitness center, Mako Sharks swim team, CYSS and Edge! join forces for the community swim team.

Community members can register at the fitness center or CYSS Parent Central Services. Age groups include 8 and under, 9-11, 12-14, 15-17 and 18 and above. Races include the 25 (for ages 8 and under), 50 Breaststroke, 50 Freestyle, 50 Butterfly, 50 Backstroke and Fun Relay. Call 634-6536 / 8642 for more information.

### High school sports

Fall Sports has kicked off. All athletes must have a physical and a school's power of attorney before they can practice. Stop by the high school office for more information.

### Donut Dash

See how many donuts you can eat in five minutes, then have one minute knocked off your final race time for each donut (up to five). Registration continues through Sept. 10.

For race details, visit [VicenzaMWR.com](http://VicenzaMWR.com) or inquire at the fitness center. Free T-shirt to the first 150 registrants. Go green and bring your own water bottle. Race day is Sept 18.

### Volunteer opportunities

Interested in being a volunteer? Become a coach for CYSS Sports & Fitness.

Perks include free National Youth Sports Coaches Association training and membership and child abuse training and CPR / first aid training.

Coaches clinic will be held in the Villaggio CYSS Bldg. 304 and are scheduled as follows:

- Saturday from 9 a.m.-noon
- Wednesday from 9 a.m.-noon
- Sept. 18 from 9 a.m.-noon
- Sept. 22: 5:30-8:30 p.m.

Participants must sign up at least one day prior to clinic date.

Call 634-6151 for more information.



### Ready for the 10:

Several members of the Vicenza Lions Running Team pose with the team's trophies. The team completed their final qualification run Aug. 18 to select who will represent U.S. Army Africa in the Army 10-Miler in Washington, D.C., this fall. Pictured are (bottom row, from right): Capt. Amanda Miller, 1st Lt. Luccia Rojas, Staff Sgt. Rosemary Hernandez, Maj. Rachelle Hathaway, (top row, from right) Sgt. 1st Class Kyle Davis, Capt. Craig Porte, 1st Sgt. Fedilis Etim, Sgt. Jason Marshall and Capt. Adolph Dubose. Dubose, Marshall, Hathaway, Etim, Davis, Hernandez, Porte, and Miller qualified for the 10-Miler team, along with (not pictured) Staff. Sgt. Tasha Ramos and Lt. Col. Stephanie Tutton. The Lion's upcoming races include the Fourth Annual Aviano Multi-Events Run Sept. 19 and the 12K Run to the Tower in Pisa Oct. 8.

*Courtesy photo*

### SOLDIERS & CIVILIANS COMMUNITY UNIT/REC OPEN PLAY SPORTS

Recreational Softball Season Results:

Team	Win	Loss
HHC USAG-V	5	2
USARAF	5	2
STICKS & SKULLS	2	2
AFNS/DODDS	2	4
704 MUNSS	3	7

**Aug. 18**

AFN/DODDS (10) vs. USARAF (13)  
HHC USAG-V (8) vs. USARAF (21)  
HHC USAG-V (16) vs. STICK & SKULLS (1)

**Aug. 23**

704 MUNSS (3) vs. STICK & SKULLS (12)  
704 MUNSS (4) vs. HHC USAG-V (8)  
AFN/DODDS (4) vs. USARAF (14)

Community Friendship Soccer Tournament:

**Aug. 28**

11:00 a.m. Peruvian vs. Pollice Verde  
12:30 p.m. Aviano vs. USAG-Vicenza  
3 p.m. Losers (11:00) vs. Losers (12:30)  
4:30 p.m. Winners (11:00) vs. Winners (12:30)