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Via Corbetta, Via Volpato and Via Dalla Scola (near Caserma Ederle) will be closed to traffic Saturday and Sunday from 3 p.m. - 2 a.m.

Cell, BlackBerry abuse eyed

Top 10 ways to avoid misuse, possible liability

USAREUR Public Affairs & USAREUR OP CIS

All calls, e-mails, and text messages on government-provided cell phones and BlackBerrys cost the government and American taxpayers—you—money.

To save money and avoid misuse, government users are asked to keep the following cost-saving measures in mind:

1. If available, use a landline or DSN telephone to make calls, rather than a government cell phone or BlackBerry.

2. Avoid international roaming-- if you use your cell phone or BlackBerry outside the country where it is contracted, you will incur considerable international roaming charges for every incoming or outgoing call, e-mail or text message.

3. Remember that calls to other Army cell phones, BlackBerrys and land lines are not free. In Italy, there is a €0.005 per call from a government (all U.S. Forces in Italy) cell phone to another government cell phone.

4. Do not use government-contracted data service as a personal link to the Internet. One USAREUR member racked up more than \$22,000 for just one hour of Internet use, and may be held personally liable for those charges.

5. Do not use a government phone as a personal phone. Organization

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SINBAD: FUNNY TO THE CORPS!

Photos by Laura Kreider



Former airman, stand-up comedian, actor and star of numerous TV series and movies, Sinbad visited Caserma Ederle June 23, giving community members inside a standing-room-only Lion's Den non-stop laughs. Sinbad's comic insight on the teen years, marriage and life in Europe was part of his Armed Forces Entertainment "Funny to the Corps" tour. **SEE PAGE 4**

Be aware: tick season begins early in Europe

By Lt. Col. KENNETH R. McPHERSON
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Entomologists at the U.S. Army Public Health Command Region - Europe are reporting an early season for ticks this year.

They are already seeing significant numbers of ticks in the field. The USAPHCR - Europe laboratory has received specimens submitted from several medical treatment facilities throughout Europe.

Ticks present the greatest vector-borne disease risk in Europe. They carry and can transmit a host of diseases to people and animals. Since 2001, the incidence of Lyme disease (the most common disease reported)

has been on a steady increase in Europe.

While summer in Europe lends itself to outdoor activities with great bike trails, volksmarches, and weekend camping trips, one little blood-sucking tick can spoil it all. Though the risk of being bitten by a tick doing normal outdoor activities on military installations is low, the risk of encountering a tick increases as people and pets get further off paved trails and mowed parks into tall grass and brushy vegetation.

Lyme disease

Lyme disease (known as Lyme borreliosis in Europe) is the most frequent tick-borne disease in Europe. A person with Lyme

disease may develop fever, headache, fatigue and a skin rash called erythema migrans. This rash is sometimes referred to as a "bull's-eye" rash because of its red circular appearance. As it continues to grow (up to nearly 12 inches in diameter), it will often lose the redness in the center of the rash.

If the disease is left untreated, it can worsen and cause swelling of the brain, facial paralysis, and pain and numbness in the hands, feet or other areas of the body.

In most cases, Lyme disease can be

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Photo by Peter Sachelarie
Ticks, carriers of Lyme disease, can be about the size of a poppy seed.

Red Cross family extends their condolences

We were deeply saddened to learn of Pia Manetti's death last week, and we would like to express our sincere sympathy to husband Joe Manetti and the rest of her family on behalf of the Vicenza Station American Red Cross.



Courtesy photo

Pia Manetti, friend and coworker, logged more than 4,000 hours as a Red Cross volunteer. Manetti passed away June 22.

Pia was highly respected by managers, employees and her fellow volunteers alike throughout the entire organization. She was regarded as a visionary leader by anyone who worked with her.

Pia's contributions to our organization during her 34 years of dedicated and selfless service were many and varied.

She started her volunteer career with the Red Cross in 1976. Her commitment and love for her volunteer duties was an inspiration to others.

She volunteered as an interpreter, for special events and office administrative duties, as a member of the Vicenza Advisory Council, as the chairman and more.

Pia recorded more than 4,000 hours in her Red Cross volunteer career.

Her commitment has been recognized by the installation's command group and has brought

positive visibility to the Red Cross role in this community.

Pia's positive attitude, which celebrated life, helped create a welcoming atmosphere in the office.

Responding to the request of the local command in 1997, Pia helped to establish a new community program that immersed with the idea of giving new parents of lower enlisted rank a baby starter-kit in the form of a bundle or layette.

She stepped forward as a leader of this new program by accepting the chairmanship for the first time in 1998.

To meet the needs of the entire community, in 2005 she helped expand the program to meet new guidelines which broadened it from a program for "service members of lower rank only" to a program which allowed bundles to be given to all new parents in the community.

Pia never stopped meeting the community's needs as the new parent

numbers increased with the 2006 opening of the Health Center Vicenza's Birthing Pavilion.

Pia was a key player in our organization and keeping the American Red Cross mission alive.

Believe us when we say that her contributions to the American Red Cross will never be forgotten.

As we extend heartfelt condolences to Pia's husband and family, we also want to thank them for sharing such a gem with us for so many years.

Knowing her personally as we did for so long, we are aware of the differences she made in the lives of many people, both in the U.S. military community in Vicenza and throughout her private life.

She will be missed by many. With sincere sympathy,

**Friends and coworkers
Vicenza Station
American Red Cross**

Don't let your security clearance expire, submit reinvestigation within five days

Special to the Outlook

USAG Vicenza has implemented a memorandum for procedural change of submissions for periodic reinvestigations.

Submissions are for periodic reinvestigation for military and civilian personnel requiring access to classified information and/or occupancy to a sensitive position.

The Army is currently utilizing the Personnel Security Investigation Portal to process clearances to the Army's Center of Excellence.

This program is used to standardize and streamline the process and facilitate the Army's goal to reduce cost and investigation times.

Once the PSIP request is received by the CoE, the individual requiring the investigation will be given instructions to begin working on their investigation forms. This marks the start of a five calendar-day

window in which the subject must complete their entire package to be submitted to CoE. Effective immediately, all personnel assigned to USAG-Vicenza will be required to coordinate with the Personnel Security Office on the first day of the month of expiration of their security clearance.

Anyone who fails to submit their periodic reinvestigation within the five calendar days to CoE will have their local access suspended in the Joint Personnel Adjudication System and will not be allowed access to classified information material until the investigation has been submitted.

The garrison security office will notify personnel by e-mail and telephone, but it is the responsibility of the individual to complete the investigation forms within the five-day period. The security office can be reached at 634-8498 or 634-8998 for questions regarding this new policy.

Registered to vote? Find out how

Special to the Outlook

June 28 through July 7 is Armed Forces Voters Week / Overseas Citizen Voters Week.

This week is concentrated on voter registration. Tables were set up at the PX and commissary all day Tuesday to solicit voter registration.

Anyone over age 18 is encouraged to register to vote. For anyone who missed out on Tuesday's opportunity to vote, contact your voting assistant officer or visit www.fvap.gov for information.

At Caserma Ederle, contact Dawn Perry at DSN 634-634-7902 or dawn.perry@eur.army.mil.

At Camp Darby, contact Sal Gomez at DSN 633-7345 or Salvador.GomezMagana@eur.army.mil.

Speak Out

What did you (or will you) do with your spouse during R&R?



Lisa Foote
USAG DPTMS

"No plans at all. Just relaxing and enjoying each other's company."



Yvonne Leible & sons Jake, Jase and Joshua
Survivor Outreach Services

"We relaxed and enjoyed a wonderful stay on a little farm in Tuscany."



Christina Sweeney & daughter Olivia
Family members

"My husband will meet his baby girl for the first time. We'll rent a villa in Tuscany."



Sabrina Tennant
173rd HHC FRG Leader

"We stayed closed (in) Italy, enjoying going to restaurants, watching movies, relaxing together."



Candi Sweet
Family member

"We spent some time in Garmisch and Munich, Germany, and then to Pula and Porec, Croatia."

Italians invited to American Fest

Vicenza Family and MWR

The American and Italian communities will gather to celebrate U.S. Independence Day Friday through Sunday.

Unlike last year, the 2010 American Fest is open to the public. This year's observance kicks off Friday with the annual Salute to the Nation ceremony Friday at 10 a.m. at Hoekstra Field. The Vicenza Military community is invited.

The Festa Americana begins Saturday along Olson Avenue, in front of the Ederle Inn and on the field in front of the Arena. U.S. and Italian ID cardholders are welcome beginning at 4 p.m. The installation is open to the general public from 6 to 10 p.m.

On Sunday, U.S. and Italian ID cardholders can arrive at 4 p.m. and the public is welcome from 6 p.m. to midnight.

ID card holders should enter through Gate 1 Aldo Moro and can sign in as many as four family members. The Italian public should enter through Gate 5 near the health clinic on Via Corbetta.

Alcohol, glass bottles, roller skates,

July 3
4:00 Balloon fun
4:30 Break dance
5:15 Hip Hop dancers
6:30 Michael Jackson Ballerinas
7:00 Rica Suerte (Tango)
8:45 Drop Simpler (classic rock)

July 4
5:30 Magic show
7:00 Hip Hop dancers
7:45 Country dancers
9:15 Soul Direction (live band)
10:30 Laser light show
Plus - Carnival rides, clown, face painting, fire breathers, marching band, food and more.

skateboards, hee-ies, bicycles, mopeds and pets are not allowed in the festival.

Italiani invitati alla Festa Americana

Quest'anno la Caserma Ederle sarà aperta al pubblico per la celebrazione della Giornata dell'Indipendenza Americana che avrà inizio venerdì alle 10 all'Hoekstra Field con la cerimonia annuale del "Saluto alla Nazione" a cui è invitata l'intera comunità.

I festeggiamenti continueranno sabato dalle 16 alle 22 per i titolari di tessera militare statunitense di riconoscimento, compresi i dipendenti italiani della base e i loro diretti familiari ai quali sarà garantito l'accesso da Via Aldo Moro previa esibizione di documento di riconoscimento. L'accesso è previsto dalle 18 alle 22. Domenica verranno rispettati gli stessi orari di inizio, ma i festeggiamenti si concluderanno per tutti a mezzanotte.

I cittadini italiani non dipendenti dalla Caserma Ederle potranno accedere dall'ingresso di Via Corbetta sia sabato che domenica attenendosi agli orari sopra riportati.

Sarà vietato portare alla festa bevande alcoliche, bottiglie di vetro, pattini a rotelle, skateboard, biciclette, motorini e animali.

USAREUR set to review cell, Black-Berry policy

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telephone control officers and USAREUR communications officials audit call logs each month and report abuse or misuse to unit commanders and the USAREUR chief of staff, and abusers must repay charges incurred.

6. Remember that government cell phones and BlackBerrys are official devices, for official use only. USAREUR policy prohibits their use while on vacation or TDY except in certain circumstances, and abusers must repay charges incurred.

7. Don't deploy with a USAREUR-issued government cell phone or BlackBerry. If you are deploying, return your phone or Blackberry to your Telephone Control Officer before you fly.

8. Do not call 1-800 numbers in the United States from a government cell phone or BlackBerry. These numbers are NOT toll free from outside the U.S., and the Army pays international long-distance rates when they are dialed. This includes numbers listed on calling cards purchased in base exchanges.

9. Ask yourself whether you really need a government cell phone or BlackBerry. If you have one but seldom use it, perhaps you should turn it in. Each device costs the government a monthly service charge, and USAREUR pays for thousands of devices.

10. Know the most current policies. Army in Europe Command Memorandum 2010-033 (Use Of BlackBerrys and Cell Phones Outside of Service Coverage Area) outlines many of these policies. The USAREUR G3 (operations) and G6/OP CIS (information management) divisions are forming a panel to review cell phone and BlackBerry policies. That panel is expected to release updated policies on their issue and use in the coming months.

For local information on BlackBerry and cell phone usage, call 634-7999.

Awareness, prevention, early removal best 'cures' for ticks

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treated with antibiotics.

No vaccine against Lyme disease is currently available, so tick awareness, appropriate clothing in tick-infested areas, and early removal of attached ticks are the best prevention measures.

Prevention

In areas where ticks are prevalent, these precautions are advised:

- Avoid waste-high vegetation in and near forested areas. People are most likely to come into contact with ticks during spring and early fall.

- Wear light-colored clothing. This makes it easier to see crawling ticks.

- Wear long pants and tuck them into boots or socks. Shirts should be tucked into pants at the waist.

- Wear clothing treated with insect repellents. Many outdoor companies now sell clothing pre-treated with permethrin to repel ticks and other biting arthropods.

- Apply insect repellents containing DEET to exposed skin and clothing as directed by the product label. Pay careful attention to label directions.

- Check yourself and children carefully for ticks after outdoor activities. Pay close attention to warm, moist areas of the body and to your head.

- Avoid consuming unpasteurized dairy products (milk or cheese). Diseases transmitted by ticks are often found in raw dairy products.

- Do not use tick-and-flea collars meant for animals on people; the chemicals in these products can damage skin and internal organs.

Tick removal

To properly remove an embedded tick, use fine-tipped tweezers to firmly grasp the tick's head as close to the skin as possible, and pull up in a smooth, steady motion. Avoid jerking, twisting, or pinching off the head, as this may cause secondary infections. Clean the area with soap, water and antiseptic. Always wash your hands after handling ticks.

Avoid home remedies, such as hot matches, fire, fingernail polish or other extreme methods to remove ticks. These techniques may cause the attached tick to regurgitate into the host.

After removing ticks, stay alert for signs of tick-borne diseases. If a tick bite is followed by flu-like symptoms and/or a skin rash, promptly see your primary care provider for evaluation.

Ticks on pets

Ticks can also transmit diseases to pets. There are several products, such as topical flea-and-tick medications and prescription collars, available to protect pets from ticks. Contact the local veterinary clinic for the best product to use. Never use repellents containing DEET on pets. Pets with protective collars may still carry ticks; these ticks are most likely dead or dying.

Tick removal from pets is the same as for people. If the pet is too excitable or if help is needed, call your local veterinary clinic for assistance.

To find out more about ticks and tick-borne diseases, visit the U.S. Army Public Health Command (Provisional) website at <http://phc.amedd.army.mil>.

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Community Camera

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



Thou 'art' talented:

Michelle Sterkowicz, the garrison's Arts and Crafts Center director (right), stands with participants and views entries from the arts and crafts contest after the awards ceremony at the post library June 25. More than 20 participants entered about 60 pieces in the Novice and Accomplished groups, in nine categories ranging from Drawing to Jewelry. The top five from each group and category will be forwarded to the Department of the Army. "We have some great talent here in Vicenza - from high school students making the most of their art classes to local artists who have studied and worked in Italy learning new techniques and taking their art to new levels," said Sterkowicz.

Photos by Laura Kreider



Courtesy photo

50 years of service: Elisabetta Vidale, Vicenza Health Center chief of TRICARE, recently celebrated her 50th year of service as a U.S. Army Italian employee. She began working at Caserma Ederle in 1960. In 1967, she was hired as a medical service accountant and coder. When the hospital closed, she developed a preferred provider network and was the first to provide interpreter service for patients referred on the economy -- the foundation for what later became the Patient Liaison Service. In 1984 Vidale began working for TRICARE (formerly Champus). She has been chief of the TRICARE Service Center for 20 years and said she is proud to continue serving the Vicenza community.



Courtesy photo

Congrats Taylor family: The June Yard of the Month was presented to the Taylor family, Sgt. 1st Class Seth and Kristy Taylor, 115A Villaggio, during Wednesday's InfoX. USAG Vicenza Command Sgt. Maj. Jeffrey Hartless presented Kristy with an IMCOM certificate, noting "a great deal of hard work and dedication has gone into maintaining your home and yard, while meeting the other demands of daily life. You have inspired other residents to take pride in the appearance and upkeep of the exterior of their quarters and yards." Prizes included a \$50 AAFES and \$25 Commissary gift certificates. Villaggio yards will be judged throughout the summer and announced at each InfoX, held at 10 a.m. the last Wednesday of every month at the Arena.



Photo by Laura Kreider

Hold up, wait a minute: Hundreds of community members waited in a line that snaked out of the Lion's Den and down the Arena steps to see famous American actor and comedian Sinbad June 23. The two-hour show kept audience members laughing as Sinbad discussed the ironies of everything from dating and parenthood to living abroad. R&B singer Paige Bryan, Sinbad's daughter, opened the show with selections from her new album.



Summer salary:

Ian Stevenson checks a certified mail form before handing a letter from the storage shelves to a waiting customer at the installation's post office. Stevenson is a local student employed through the annual Summer Hire program, which runs for six weeks beginning June 21.

Photo by Laura Kreider

Darby dates

Visit www.usag.livorno.army.mil

Insurance Basics

The purpose of insurance is to transfer risk. Until you have big cash, certain losses could bankrupt you, so wisdom says to transfer the risk.

Come in and ask questions, learn about the different types of insurance and check to see if you are properly covered Tuesday. Call 633-7084.

Deployment Support

Is your spouse or loved one deployed? Do you need a safe place to talk about your feelings and the stress you might have during this deployment?

Join the deployment support group Wednesday. Call 633-7084.

Beach volleyball

Interested in beach volley? Come to the American Beach every Wednesday beginning at 5:30 p.m. and have some fun.

Call Sports & Fitness for more information at 633-7440.

Parents' Night Out

Parents, you deserve a break. Plan now to enjoy an evening out and leave the child care to CYSS July 30.

Multiple child discount of 10 percent applies. Children must be registered by Sunday. Call 633-7681.

ITR Trips

- Spend the day in **Florence** at your leisure July 3.

- Visit central **Italy's largest amusement park** July 4.

- Visit **Venice** with ITR Monday.

- Visit **Cinque Terre** Tuesday.

- At your own pace, visit **Rome's** most historic sites with ITR July 1.

- Visit **Elba** July 2.

Call 633-7589.

Camp Darby 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

Christian Men's Bible study is every Thursday at 5 p.m. in Mertz Hall at the Darby Chapel.

Protestant Women of the Chapel Bible study meets Tuesday from noon to 1 p.m. and Wednesdays from 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Choir practice is at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday before Mass.



Tuning car show rocks Darby

By CHIARA MATTIROLO
USAG Livorno Public Affairs

USAG Livorno hosted the first "Camp Darby Tuning Night" organized by the Evolution Tuning club from Viareggio in conjunction with the Italian-American Carnival June 19.

"We enjoyed being able to share this opportunity with our Italian friends at an open community event such as this," said Lt. Col. Kevin Bigelman, USAG Livorno commander. "This event was held in addition to the Italian American Carnival, and we hope this will become an annual event, too."

Eighty-two cars competed in various categories of tuning to win trophies for Best in Show, Best Rims, Best Trunk, Best Lights, stickers, sound and more.

"It is a fantastic occasion to highlight the importance of friendship and share the passion for beautiful cars," said Salvo Andaloro, Evolution Tuning member.

"This is a very unique passion which, as all passions, brings people together no matter where they come from or how different they are," said club president Stefano Salvadori.

According to Salvadori, each person tunes his car based on his or her own image and personality. Salvadori works as a bread distributor and said most of his pay goes to his car.

"This is a terribly expensive hobby but I still want to say that everyone that has a passion should really cultivate it," said Salvadori. "My motto is: don't dream it, do it."

Staff Sgt. Don Capen, 731st Munitions Squadron, entered his 5.7 V8 HEMI Dodge Magnum Inferno Red.

"I have been working on this car's tuning since 2005," said Capen. "I devote most of my spare time to this passion."

Capen's car won "Best American Car" and placed in the top "Best in Show." Staff Sgt. Shawn McKenna, 511th Military Police Platoon, won "Best Japanese Car" with his Mazda RX8.

The car show ended around midnight with a recognition ceremony. Salvadori said club members are looking forward to more Camp Darby personnel participating in the Aug. 14 Evolution Night in Viareggio, Italy.



Photos by Joyce Costello

(Top) Italians and Americans gathered to admire the more than 80 cars from all around the world on display at Camp Darby during the Italian American Carnival.

(Above) Retired Soldier Dale Michael stands to the rear of his spaced-out Opel Astra coupe during the Tuning Night car show at the carnival. Participants competed for Best in Show, Best Rims, Best Trunk, Best Lights, stickers, sound and several other categories.



Something new:

People relaxing at the Camp Darby pool can now enjoy cold beverages, hot dogs and panini, donuts, ice cream and Italian coffee at the new seasonal snack bar adjacent to the pool.

Photo by Chiara Mattiolo

Don't miss it.

Community members can enjoy a variety of famous musicians, bands and celebrated artists in concert in the neighboring area. (From left) Al Jarreau, Jethro Tull, Deep Purple and Simply Red will be in concert throughout the year. See below for concert details.

Photos by Cesare Greselin



Local festivals & shows

Cheese Festival: Friday–Monday in Villalta di Gazzo, nine miles east of Vicenza. Booths featuring many food specialties open at 7 p.m. Exhibit of vintage cars, motorcycles and tractors. Carnival rides and raffle.

■ Friday: 8:30 p.m. live music and ballroom dancing with Il Mulino del Po Band; 10 p.m. electro metal live music with Kaoleva.

■ Saturday: 8:30 p.m. Caribbean dance show; 9 p.m. live music and ballroom with Linda Biscaro.

■ Sunday: 7 p.m. Tosella cheese tasting; 9 p.m. live music and dance with I Duca d'Este Orchestra; 10 p.m. tribute to Guns N' Roses.

■ Monday: 9 p.m. live music and dance with Loretta Giorgi Band; 11:30 p.m. Fireworks.

Bruschetta Festival: Friday–Monday in Arcugnano, 5 miles south of Vicenza. 7 p.m. food booths with bruschette (toasted bread with garlic, olive oil, etc.), gnocchi, bigoli, etc. Raffle.

■ Friday: 9 p.m. live rock with Sabrina Turri and Connecting Plugs

■ Saturday: 9 p.m. country music tour with DJs.

■ Sunday: 7 p.m. Caltrano Band concert; 9 p.m. classical, modern and Caribbean dance show performed by El Talismano Ritmo Latino Dance School; 9:30 p.m. Caribbean dance show with Formula Nueva.

■ Monday: 60's and 70's music with Norberto Tronca.

Mill Valley Festival: Saturday and Sunday in Mossano, about 13 miles south of Vicenza.

■ Saturday: 9 a.m. food stands featuring traditional local dishes; 9 p.m. live country music with the Urban Country Band.

■ Sunday: 9:30 a.m. free guided visit to the Valle dei Mulini (Mill Valley) departing from Fattoria della Pozza, località Munari and free refreshments at Mulino Cuche; 9 p.m. live music with the

Poppins Orchestra.

Prosciuttando Ham Festival: Saturday and Sunday in Nanto, 11 miles south of Vicenza.

■ Saturday: 5:45 p.m. free bus tours depart from Piazza Simposio for guided visits to the King's ham factory and a ham tasting in Sossano. Reserve your visit by calling 0444-635155. For help, call Anna Terracino at 634-7169 or e-mail anna.terracino@eur.army.mil; 7 p.m. food stands featuring dishes with sweet ham and Berici extra virgin olive oil; 9 p.m. World Cup Soccer live on the big screen.

■ Sunday: 3 p.m. aerobatic model aircraft show in Valletta dei Poeti (Brazzolaro); 7 p.m. food booths open; sale of ham from King's factory, truffles and DOP Olibea extra virgin olive oil.

Country Festival: Thursday–Sunday in Noventa, 20 miles east of Vicenza. Food booths with traditional western dishes open at 7:30 p.m. daily. Friday–Sunday starting at 9 a.m. American cars, truck and all-terrain vehicle exhibit; Country western art and crafts exhibit and sale.

■ Thursday: 9 p.m. meeting with Native American guests.

■ Friday: 7 p.m. mechanical bull riding contest; 9 p.m. live music and dances with DJ Howdj.

■ Saturday: 3 p.m. hi-tech tractor show; 3:30 p.m. Country music with Carpol to Nashville and The Wrangler; 4:40 p.m. free horse ride for children; 7 p.m. mechanical bull riding contest; 8:30 p.m. beginner country dance lessons; 9 p.m. live music and dancing with the Big Wheels Band and Mr. DJ; 9 p.m. 4 degrees off-road rodeo.

■ Sunday: 8 p.m. regional tractor rally and farm vehicles exhibit; 9:30 p.m. national roping contest; 10:30 p.m. first quad rodeo; 1 p.m. food booths open; 3 p.m. tractor rodeo in Piazza Vittorio Emanuele; 4 p.m. horse riding for children and live music; 6 p.m. first Wild West show rodeo; 7 p.m. mechanical bull riding contest; 8:30 country dance lessons and more.

Free local events

Painting exhibit – The Beatles as seen by Toni D'Agostino: Friday, 9 a.m.–noon and 3:30–7:30 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.–noon in Vicenza Palazzo delle Opere Sociali, Piazza Duomo.

Painting exhibit – Carolina Antich: through July 18, Thursdays and Fridays 4–7:30 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays 10 a.m.–noon and 4–7:30 p.m. in Vicenza, SS. Ambrogio and Bellino Church, Contra Sant' Ambrogio 23.

Painting exhibit – inside Palladio: through July 10, 7 a.m.–8 p.m., in Vicenza, Fashion Café, Contrà Mure Pallamaio 6.

Pop, rock and punk concert with the Melt Band: Friday at 9 p.m., in Malo, Villa Clementi, Via Cardinal de Lai, 61, 20 miles northwest of Vicenza.

Tribute to Jimi Hendrix with Monterey Flame: Saturday, 9 p.m., in Sovizzo, Via Cavalieri di Vittorio Veneto.

Concerts

Heineken Jammin' Festival: July 3–6 in Venice, Parco San Giuliano, as follows:

■ Saturday - Aerosmith and the Cranberries;

■ Sunday - Green Day, 30 Seconds to Mars and Rise Against;

■ Monday - The Black Eyed Peas and Massive Attack;

■ Tuesday - Pearl-Jam, Ben Harper & Relentless7, Skunk Anansie, Gossip, Wolfmother.

Mark Knopfler: July 9 in Piazzola sul Brenta (Padova), Anfiteatro Camerini; July 10 in Lucca, Piazza Napoleone; July 12 in Perugia; July 14 in Milan.

Earth, Wind & Fire: July 14 in Rome, at the Parco della Musica.

Norah Jones: July 20 in Milan; July 24 in Venice, Piazza San Marco.

Crosby Stills & Nash: July 16 in Milan; July 18 in Lucca, at the

Piazza Napoleone.

Simply Red – Farewell – The Final Tour: July 23 in Lucca, Piazza Napoleone; July 25 in Piazzola sul Brenta (Padova), the Anfiteatro Camerini; 27 July in Rimini, Arena 105 Stadium; Nov. 20 in Milan, at the Mediolanum Forum.

U-2: Aug. 6 in Torino, Stadio Olimpico; Oct. 8 in Rome, Stadio Olimpico.

Michael Bolton: Aug. 3 in Gardone Riviera at Teatro Vittoriale.

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.

Sting: Oct. 25 in Firenze; Nov. 3 in Torino, Palaolimpico.

Sporting events

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

Red Bull X-Fighters World International motocross freestyle tour: Oct. 1 in Rome, Stadio dei Marmi.

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

ODR trips

Upcoming trips include sea kayaking Saturday, wakeboarding Monday, Florence and the Accademia Gallery July 10, and a local mountain bike ride July 10.

Sign up for a Bike Maintenance class Saturday or SCUBA Rescue Diver Certification July 8.

Check out other summer trips at VicenzaMWR.com.

To access RecTrac online and enroll for a recreation activity or arts and crafts class, visit <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/Vicenzarectrac.html>.

Now Showing



Ederle Theater

Thursday	Kick Ass (R)	6 p.m.
Friday	The Losers (PG-13)	6 p.m.
	Death at a Funeral (R)	9 p.m.
Saturday	Grown-ups (PG-13)	3 p.m.
	Knight and Day (PG-13)	6 p.m.
Sunday	Grown-ups (PG-13)	3 p.m.
	Knight and Day (PG-13)	6 p.m.
Wed.	The Losers (PG-13)	6 p.m.
July 8	Death at a Funeral (R)	6 p.m.

Camp Darby Theater

Friday	Kick Ass (R)	6 p.m.
Saturday	The Losers (PG-13)	6 p.m.
Sunday	The Karate Kid (PG)	1 p.m.
July 8	Nightmare On Elm Street (R)	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>.

Looking to buy or sell items? Check out MWR's Marketplace at www.mwrmarketplace.com.

Remembrance ceremony

A remembrance ceremony for 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team's Pfc. Russell E. Madden will be held at the post chapel July 8 at 2 p.m.

Madden, 29, of Dayton, Ky., died June 23 in Afghanistan of wounds suffered when insurgents attacked his vehicle with rocket fire.

He was assigned to the 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment, 173rd ABCT, Conn Barracks in Germany.

Army Reserve hosts 1st Europe Youth Summit

The U.S. Army Reserve CYSS headquarters will host a Youth, Leadership, Education & Development Summit, a four-day, residential training experience, for teens at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Heidelberg, Germany, Aug. 5-8.

Limited to 40 youths, ages 13 and six months to 17 years old, children must be registered by July 9, 2010.

Those attending the fully-chaperoned summit are placed on travel orders to cover transportation, lodging, expenses and most meals.

Children of civilian employees working for the Reserves are eligible to attend.

With interaction and discussion, youth will meet other teens connected to the Reserve component and participate in activities that promote success at home, in school and within their community, a leadership development opportunity to prepare teenagers to become tomorrow's leaders.

Space is limited. Register now at www.arfp.org/ylead. The POC is Carlisha Martin at Carlisha.martin@usar.army.mil or CIV 001-866-215-3647 ext 5002. Contact Patricia Boswell at the time of registration if youth will require translation. Patricia D. Boswell, DSN 483-4753 / CIV +49 631 411 4753 / patricia.boswell@eur.army.mil.

Health clinic holiday hours

The clinic will be open Saturday, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

The clinic will be closed Monday and Tuesday to observe Independence Day and the USAREUR training holiday.

For urgent concerns when the clinic is closed, or for medical emergencies at any time, go to the nearest hospital or you may go directly to the San Bortolo Hospital Emergency Room. Patient liaisons may be reached at 0444-75-3300, 0444-928166 or DSN 634-8384.

For more information, call 634-7952 / CIV 0444-71-7952, or e-mail VZHCPatRep@amedd.army.mil.

Free communication skills course set

A communication skills course is being offered July 21-22 at the Digital Training Facility, Bldg. 128, Classroom DL2.

Any interested employees should register through CHRTAS

at <http://cpolrhp.belvoir.army.mil/eur/index.htm>. For information, call Barbara Veith at DSN 375-2064 or e-mail barbara.veith1@us.army.mil.

At the Arena

■ **Ladies bowling special**, noon -4 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. First hour is free. Shoe rental is \$2.25. Invite your friends for lunch at the Strike Zone and bowl free.

■ **Fresh Choice Lunch**. Enjoy the house salad at the Arena every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, for \$2.99.

■ **Penny -A- Pin Bowling Night** is back. Enjoy bowling for just pennies Tuesday, 6-10 p.m. at the Arena. Shoe rental not included.

Library events

The summer reading program, "Escape to Book Island," kicked off June 28 at the post library. For each book teens read, they get entry forms for prize drawings.

"Voyage to Book Island" is the theme for younger children and they will meet Tuesdays at 11 a.m. for stories and crafts. Kids can read 10 books on their own to win a prize and attend a party Aug. 3.

Arts and crafts center

■ **Build a birdhouse** during Woodshop 101 while learning basic carpentry skills. Wood certification is required.

■ **Kids Crafting** time every Thursday, 2-5 p.m. It is an opportunity for parents and children to use materials on hand to create a special project. Cost is \$2.50 per hour.

■ **Parent Child Wheel Work** is set July 10, with different times for different age groups. Call for times.

Parent and child learn together how to use the potter's wheel. Register for all classes at the arts and crafts center or online at <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/Vicenzarectrac.html>

Call 634-7074 for information.

CYS services

■ Youth grades 6-12 can get the EDGE! on **volleyball**. The CYS EDGE! program runs through Aug. 26. Improve your volleyball skills and prepare for the fall season.

■ Interested in **ceramics**? EDGE! has sessions on Wednesdays July 7-28, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Call 634-7219 for information on registration and eligibility. Space is limited.

■ Join the fun and excitement with School Age Services **summer camps**. Hourly care is available and off-post field trips are every Tuesday and Thursday. Next week's trip, Tuesday and July 8, is to Parco Oasi Rossi. Call 634-8253.

■ July 7 is **Family Art Day**. This event is suitable for families with children ages 3 and up, but all are welcome. Family Art Day is held in the Art Center 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Enroll with Parent Central Services, 634-7074.

Sports, Fitness & Aquatics

■ **Adult soccer registration** will end Tuesday. The first game will be July 13 and games will continue through Oct. 12. An information meeting for coaches will be held Tuesday at 6 p.m. Call 634-7616 to register.

■ **Adult flag football** registration begins July 19. The season starts Aug. 25.

Pool hours

The Ederle Inn pool is open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. It is closed on Tuesdays for maintenance.

The Villaggio pool is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from noon-7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. It is closed on Wednesdays.

Happy Birthday ACS

Join us for lunch at the Davis Soldier & Family Readiness Center

Wednesday from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. to celebrate its 45th birthday.

Abandoned bicycles to be impounded

Several bikes appear to have been abandoned on the bike rack at the PX and throughout the installation. Installation officials plan to have the bikes impounded if they are not claimed within 23 days of the publication of this notice.

Beware of purchasing knock-off goods

All U.S. forces personnel are advised not to purchase knock-off goods from vendors selling on the streets in Italy.

A hefty euro fine can be applied to persons "who purchase and/or accept (knock-off items) without previously ascertaining the legitimate origin of the goods," according to Article 1, paragraph 7 of decree-law number 35, dated March 14, 2005—later turned into law number 80/05 and better known as the Competition Decree.

Commissary, shoppette holiday hours

The Vicenza Commissary will be open Sunday from 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

The shoppette will observe normal operating hours.

Community Calendar Highlights

Friday: Salute to the Nation at Hoekstra Field, 10 a.m.

Saturday-Sunday: Festa Americana (Open to U.S. and Italian community)

Monday: U.S. Holiday Observed - Independence Day; LN Day of Rest

July 6: USAREUR Training Holiday

July 30: InfoX at the Arena
Aug. 15: End of NSPS Rating Cycle (For Garrison)



Photo by Laura Kreider

Taking a better shot: Photography instructor Erika Williams teaches a one-time Parent-Child Photography class at the Vicenza Arts and Craft Center June 23. The class focused on camera settings and composition techniques. For information about upcoming classes at the Arts and Crafts center call 634-7074 or visit www.vicenzamwr.com. Want to register for arts and craft classes online? Several are available for online registration and payment through Family and MWR's secure WebTrac site. Visit <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/sites/eu.html>.

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 AWANA's (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: Spc. Kasimov, 329-034-3511.
Jewish: Sandy Schoenberg at 634-6202 or 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 Sean Peterson at 335-821-9492. 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 noon on Monday, or by 4 p.m Friday if Monday is a holiday.



Staff Sgt. Wilmer Aguilar, 509th Signal Battalion and team captain for Caserma Ederle's Vicenza Lions is hoping his soccer abilities will carry him to the All Army Soccer Team.

Soldier has eye on All Army team

Story and photo by LAURA KREIDER
Outlook Staff

Soccer has been a vital aspect of Staff Sgt. Wilmer Aguilar's life since his childhood.

"I started playing in kindergarten back in Honduras," explained Aguilar while getting ready to play at his weekly practices at the Caserma Ederle multipurpose field.

"Soccer is our main sport in Honduras. I love it because it helped me to stay physically fit, motivated me to obtain good grades at school because we couldn't play with bad grades, and the most important of all, it provided a family for me since I wasn't raised by my parents," he said.

As a child, he played for all the schools he attended and also for various local leagues. Aguilar, who has been stationed in Vicenza since 2007 as the 509th Signal Battalion's S1 NCOIC, arrived in the United States in 1996 and played in Vallejo, Calif., for Hogan Senior High School for a couple of years. After moving to Miami, Fla., in 1998, he played in the Hondurans League and Copa Latina.

He joined the U.S. Army in 2003 and, while in South Korea for his first duty assignment, he participated and won Area II and the 8th Army Soccer Championship with a Signal Unit and in 2006 with 18th MEDCOM. He also played for local teams such as San Patricks, Celtics and Seoul United. Just after

arriving in Vicenza, he joined the Vicenza Lions, the post team.

"My favorite role in soccer is to play as in the midfield because it is where I have more control over the game. We are play makers," said Aguilar, who is also the team captain.

Last year, the team played in the third category local Italian league but deployments have prevented them playing in the European Championship.

They are preparing for this year's championship, which will take place at Aviano Air Force Base.

Aguilar is also eyeing this year's All Army Soccer Team.

"Since I joined the Army, I haven't been able to apply due to either mission or military schooling," he explained. "Playing for the All Army Soccer team is one of my priority goals in my military career."

He is excited that his commanders have given him the opportunity to apply.

"Aguilar shows leadership by example, during, on- and off-duty," commented Sgt. First Class Burt Medrano, first sergeant for the 509th. "He is very passionate about soccer."

To apply for the All Army Soccer Team, visit www.fmwr.net/armysports. Applicants must provide information such as commander's name, phone number, and AKO e-mail address. Participants may be selected to represent the Army in Armed Forces Sports Championships, National and International competitions.

Coaches needed

CYSS Sports & Fitness is in need of a baseball instructor for the summer youth baseball clinic July 12-16, 9:30-11:30 a.m. If anyone would like to volunteer to teach the youth summer baseball clinic, call Nicole Fulbright or Alex Ruiz at 634-6151.

Outdoor programs kick off Monday

Youth grades 6-12 can join the EDGE! Outdoor program June 28-July 28. They participate in adventures such as rock climbing, kayaking, snorkeling, scuba and mountain biking.

Call 634-7219 for information on registration and eligibility requirements. Call today; space is limited.

Soccer, flag football registration starts

Adult soccer registration will end Tuesday. The first game will take place July 13 and games will continue through Oct. 12. An informational meeting for coaches is set Tuesday at 6 p.m. Call 634-7616 to register.

Flag football registration begins July 19. The season starts Aug. 25.

Sports clinics slated

CYSS Sports and Fitness summer sport clinics are coming up July-August. Clinics are held 9:30-11:30 a.m. and cost \$20. Call 634-6151.

Baseball: July 12-16

Soccer: July 19-23

Basketball: July 26-30

Yoga: Aug. 2-6

Triathlon: Aug. 9-13.

Graf hosting Army Europe 10-Miler qualification race

The qualification race for Soldiers wanting to compete on the U.S. Army Europe 10-Miler team is July 10 at USAG Grafenwoehr.

The top 12 active-duty Soldiers (six each in the men and women's divisions) will be nominated to represent U.S. Army Europe during the Oct. 24 Army 10-Miler in D.C.

To be considered, male competitors must finish under 68 minutes, while female runners must finish at 86 minutes or better.

While only Soldiers can compete for the U.S. Army Europe team, everyone with a U.S. DoD identification card, and at least 18, may participate in the Europe 10-Miler.

Call DSN 379-7667 / CIV (49) 06202-80-7667 for late sign-ups. Register at <https://webtrac.mwr.army.mil/webtrac/Grafenwoehrretract.html>.

Whole family wellness: Get out, get moving

Compiled by CYSS Sports & Fitness

The rain has stopped and the sun is finally out. It's time to embrace the summer and get moving.

Everyone, children and adults should try to get 60 minutes of exercise at least three times a week, suggested Sky Clarke, individual sports specialist and clinician with USAG Vicenza's CYSS Sports & Fitness.

"This could be formal or recreational," said Clarke. "Though humans naturally have energy, they tend to spend most of their day sedentary."

Whether people spend time in front

of the computer, TV or playing video games, these sedentary activities are pulling them away natural energy pursuits, resulting in less energy, poorer health and behavioral problems.

Nationwide, fewer than one-third of all children ages 6 to 17 engage in vigorous activity, defined as participating in physical activity for at least 20 minutes, according to a recent study.

Among children ages 6-11, 33 percent are overweight and 17 percent are obese. Thirty-four percent of adolescents and teenagers ages 12-19 are overweight and 17.6 percent are obese. And those rates have roughly doubled since 1980,

according to a recent study.

"CYSS Sports is here to offer programs to help your children get and stay healthy," said Clarke. "This summer we will be offering numerous week-long sports games from soccer to triathlons."

Clinics are from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Sign-up at CYSS Parent Central Services in Davis Hall from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. or on Webtrak online. Call CYSS Sports at 634-6151 for more information.

Information for this article was taken from the National Association for Sport and Physical Education & American Heart Association (2010) and the 2010 Shape of the nation report.

RACQUETBALL 2010 USAG Vicenza Recreational League

Players	Win	Loss
David Dausey	0	1
Dennis Severson	0	0
Camillo Ambrosini	0	0
Beverly Matthew	1	1

Players	Win	Loss
Connie Klinkam	0	0
Adrea Barlow	0	0
Paolo Venier	0	1
Leslie Moretti	0	0

Scott Gordon	0	0
Robert Johnson	2	0
Jasen Manning	0	0

Recent Matches

June 21 Beverly Matthew vs. Robert Johnson