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Routine care ensures healthy lives for family pets

By Jessica Lipari,
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BAMBERG, Germany -- Members of the military and their family members are looked after when it comes to health care.

One family member does not have access to this benefit.

The family dog or cat does not receive any free health care, and owners must spend money to maintain their pet's healthy lifestyle.

To help decrease the costs of a pet's veterinary bills, preventative measures for fleas, ticks and heartworm can go a long way.

"Fleas and ticks are bad in Germany," said Heather Weflen, a certified veterinarian technician on Warner Barracks.

"Check your pets for ticks after a walk in the woods," Weflen said. "If you do find a tick, do not try to remove it. Bring your pet into the vet clinic and we will remove it and send it to the German lab for testing."

Ticks are not only found in the woods but in tall grass areas and like to attach themselves to areas with little to no hair, like behind the ears.



Courtesy Photo

Children from Bamberg Elementary School visit the veterinary clinic in October and learn how illnesses are detected in pets. Preventative care, including flea, tick and heartworm prevention, can help pets live long and happy lives.

Ticks can carry Lyme disease and other diseases, and it only takes a few hours after they are attached to start transmitting the diseases.

The Bamberg Veterinary Clinic carries Frontline Plus brand products that last for 30 days and are waterproof. It is not only used for tick prevention, but it also helps prevent fleas and

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Busy Builders



Courtesy Photo

Children at Child, Youth and School Services School Age Center stain wood for a bench building project. The project was one of many that children at SAC can take part in. The bench now sits outside of SAC so that the children can enjoy the finished product they helped create.

Hilarious tale of whodunit takes the stage on Warner Barracks

By Heidi Sanders,
USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- Pull out those detective caps and get ready to solve a murder.

June 21-24 the Stable Theater will present "Murder on the Oriental Rug," a comical mystery show within a show.

The show starts at 7:30 p.m. June 21-22 at the Stable Theater. The cost is \$11. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

The June 23-24 shows will be at 6 p.m. at the Warner Conference Center and include dinner. The menu will be chicken Alfredo pasta, broccoli/vegetarian pasta and garlic bread. The cost is \$16.

Jack Austin, U.S. Army Garrison

Bamberg's entertainment director, said although this is the first time he has done a murder mystery show, they have been well received in other Army communities.

"We have had a lot of inquiries about doing a dinner theater," Austin said.

He said there will be some audience participation.

"There is a little bit of interaction involved," Austin said. "The audience actually votes for who they think did it."

Austin said each performance will be a little different.

"Although it is a whodunit, the who might change from night to night,"

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Celebrating the Strength of the Nation: the Army's 237th birthday

A message from U.S. Army senior leadership

"Blessed to live in the land of the free, you could have opted for an easier path. But you know that freedom is not free. And so you volunteered and you stepped forward, and you raised your hand and you took an oath - to protect and defend; to serve a cause greater than yourself, knowing, in a time of war, you could be sent into harm's way."

-- President Obama, Washington, February 29, 2012

On this day, 237 years ago, our nation's leaders established the Continental Army to protect oppressed colonists yearning for freedom - beginning our Army's rich heritage of defending our country and her citizens.

Today, we celebrate the generations of Soldiers who embraced this calling and have served this

great nation with honor, loyalty and bravery in peace and war for more than two centuries.

Change has always been an enduring theme of our Army's experience. After our long war for independence, we adapted to meet the needs of an expanding nation - securing frontiers, building roads and canals and mapping new territories.

In the twentieth century, we fought two World Wars to defeat tyranny and spread the cause of freedom- emerging as the stabilizing global force. From Korea to Vietnam to the Persian Gulf, we answered our nation's every call to preserve peace and stability.

And, following the attacks of September 11, 2001, our Army made the decisive contribution to the global struggle against violent extremism.

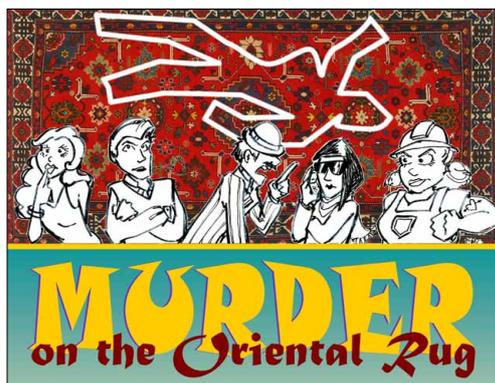
Today, more than a decade later, as we reflect on our accomplishments in Iraq, continue to serve our nation's interests in Afghanistan and

elsewhere, and protect the American people at home, we remain vigilant as we prepare for the challenges of an uncertain future.

Despite all this, some things have never changed. Our Army has always remained true to our enduring professional values: we value the dignity and respect of all our Soldiers, Families and civilians; we honor the sacred trust our nation places with us; and, we remain our nation's loyal servants - defending the principles upon which our Declaration of Independence and Constitution were established.

For 237-years, America's Army has always answered the nation's call, and we always will.

On the Army's birthday, we thank every Soldier, civilian and family member who has ever served in our ranks for your dedication to duty and the selfless service that have made us all Army Strong. Happy Birthday!



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he said. "No two shows will be the same."

The production is adult-oriented and not appropriate for kids, Austin said.

"Admittedly, the humor is definitely adult," he said.

Reservations can be made by calling the Stable Theater at 0951-300-8647 or by sending an email to stable.theater.tickets@eur.army.mil.

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lice.

The product kills fleas within 12 hours and ticks within 48 hours

Heartworm SNAP test can be done at the veterinary clinic and they also check for diseases carried by ticks.

"Heartworm over here is not as big of an issue but it is a good idea to get an annual test," Weflen said.

Heartworm disease is transmitted by mosquitoes, and pets are at risk no matter where they live.

The disease can be fatal so some common signs to watch for include coughing, difficulty breathing and sluggishness.

Although it is a major health problem, it is easy to prevent with a heartworm prevention program.

It is easy to use and relatively inexpensive and can be obtained at the clinic.

The pet must be tested to ensure they do not have heartworm prior to starting a prevention program.

In addition to treating heartworm, the prevention program also helps prevent two commonly found intestinal parasites, hookworms and roundworms.

Hookworms and roundworms can infect people too, and people not natural hosts so the damage can be severe.

Therefore, it is important to ensure family pets do not have these parasites to reduce the risk of the family getting infected.

Through simple prevention programs one can help ensure their pet lives a life without problems from fleas, ticks and heartworm.

For more information, call the Bamberg Veterinary Clinic at 0951-300-7972.



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Know the rules of the road, bicycle safety

By Jessica Lipari, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- As John F. Kennedy once said, "Nothing compares to the simple pleasure of riding a bike."

Whether taking a leisurely bike ride with the Family, using a bicycle as a means of transportation or riding a bike as part of one's fitness routine, safety must be a primary concern.

U.S. Army Europe requires that anyone riding a bicycle on a military installation to wear a helmet and have lights and reflectors on their bike.

It is also recommended to wear brightly colored clothing or a safety vest, padded gloves and padded bicycle pants.

Proper fitting of all safety equipment, including helmets, is a necessity.

Carrying an emergency safety bag is also recommended. The bag should contain at least a cell phone or money to use a pay phone, insurance card, personal identification card and an emergency contact card.

For more information on properly fitting a bicycle helmet or other bicycle safety, visit the National Highway Traffic Administration website <http://www.nhtsa.gov/Bicycles>.

When riding your bicycle off post one must respect the host nation laws and be aware that they can receive fines and points from the German police.

In addition to having lights on the front and back of the bike, it must also be equipped with a bell.

It is only mandatory for children under 13 to wear a helmet while riding their bike in Germany, but studies show that helmets were found to be 85 percent protective against head injury and 88 percent protective against brain injury.

Riding while on a cell phone or texting is forbidden, as well as riding while intoxicated or on drugs. Fines for riding under the influence are hefty in Germany.

A website that has translated the German bicycle laws, is http://bicyclegermany.com/german_bicycle_laws.html.

Ten Smart Routes to Bicycle Safety from the U.S. Department of Transportation:

1. Protect your head. Wear a helmet.
2. Assure bicycle readiness. Make sure your bicycle is adjusted properly.
3. Stop It. Always check brakes before riding.



Courtesy Photo
Children at the School Age Center prepare for a bicycle ride. Children at SAC will have the opportunity to learn about bicycle safety the afternoon of June 18 and will begin taking bike rides later in the week.

4. See and be seen.
5. Avoid biking at night.
6. Stay alert. Always keep a lookout for obstacles in your path.
7. Go with the flow. The safe way is the right way.
8. Check for traffic. Always be aware of the traffic around you.
9. Learn the rules of the road. Obey traffic laws.
10. Don't flip over your bicycle. Wheels should be securely fastened.

In addition to one's physical safety while bicycling, one should also help ensure the bicycle's safety from theft.

Investing in a secure bicycle lock and other equipment to help prevent theft can be effective.

Registering the bike with the local military police station is also advisable as this will assist in returning your bicycle if stolen.

The MPs have to dispose of unclaimed bicycles within 45 days of being found, according to Army regulations and cannot be returned to the owner if they are not registered.

To register your bicycle at the MP station one needs basic personal information including name, rank, address and phone number, as well as basic information on the bicycle. The information required is the bike model and color, serial number, date purchased and the purchase price.

For more information about registering a bike, stop by the MP station or call 0951-300-8700

Trials for traumatic brain injury blood test under way

WASHINGTON (June 6, 2012) -- The Army is now running trials on a blood test, similar to one used to test blood sugar, that can be used by medics on the battlefield to determine if a Soldier has sustained damaged brain cells, especially from a mild traumatic brain injury, also known as TBI.



To read more on this story, click [here](#).

Handhelds connect Soldiers at Army network exercise

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M. (June 4, 2012) -- As he maneuvered his squad across the desert, securing objectives in villages along the way, Staff Sgt. Jesus Vasquez tracked his squad's movements not with a note pad or map, but with an Army-issued handheld device.



To read more on this story, click [here](#).



USAB Bamberg
www.bamberg.army.mil/mwr

Night at the Lake
June 15, starts 3 p.m.

Free camping event at USAB Bamberg's Engineer Lake, enjoy entertainment and breakfast, camping equipment is available for rent for a reduced rate at ODR

Contact Outdoor Recreation at Tel. (0951) 300 9376

FOR SOLDIERS FOR FAMILIES FOR RETIREES FOR CIVILIANS

Community Announcements

Please send all announcements to Bamberg Public Affairs at usarmy.bamberg.usareur.mbx.pao@mail.mil.

Fourth of July 2012 Celebration

Warner Barracks will have events all day to celebrate Fourth of July. The day will kick-off with a golf tournament and 5k fun run at 9 a.m. The main events will begin at 2 p.m. at Pendleton Field and Freedom Fitness Facility parking lot. The event will end with fireworks at 10:30 p.m. There will be entertainment for the whole family including a live band, car show, and bouncy castles. Family Readiness Groups and private organizations will have fundraiser booths. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. For more information, call 0951-300-7920 or email bradley.e.cline.naf@mail.mil.

Ray's Diner Pizza and Movie Nights

Ray's Diner will host a pizza and movie night every Friday in June from 5-6:30 p.m. The menu will include pizza, cheese sticks, chicken wings, potato wedges, jalapeno poppers, mozzarella sticks, spaghetti with meat sauce, cheesy bread and more.

Volunteer Recognition and Recruitment BBQ

On June 22 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. the American Red Cross will be having a barbecue at the gazebo area between Army Community Service and the Health Clinic. The American Red Cross is very proud of its many dedicated volunteers and would like to take this opportunity to recognize their contributions. If you are interested in getting involved please join us to meet current volunteers and discuss available opportunities. This is an informal event and Families are welcome to participate. We will provide hot dogs, hamburgers, chips and salad. This is a potluck so please bring your favorite picnic dish or a desert. Please RSVP to the American Red Cross at 0951-300-1760 or [Facebook.com/ARCBamberg](https://www.facebook.com/ARCBamberg) so that we have enough food and can recognize all our volunteers who attend.

"Murder on the Oriental Rug"

The Stable Theater will present "Murder on the Oriental Rug," a hilarious mystery show within a show. The show will start at 7:30 p.m. June 21-22 at the Stable Theater. On June 23-24, the show be at the Warner Conference Center at 6 p.m. and will include dinner. The cost is \$11 for the June 21-22 shows and \$16 for the June 23-24 shows, which includes dinner. Dinner will be chicken Alfredo pasta and broccoli/vegetarian pasta. Comes with garlic bread The production is adult-oriented and not appropriate for

kids. For more information, call the Stable Theater at 0951 300-8647.

Food Handlers Training

A food handlers class is scheduled at U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg on July 10 at Army Community Services, Building 7029. Classes are free and last one hour. Certification is intended for individuals involved in fund raising food sales such as Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers, Family Readiness Groups, private organizations and Child, Youth and School Services personnel. The class may also supplement required refresher training for regular food service employees. Registration is not required. For details contact Sgt. Greg Thompson at 09662-83-2041 or 2138, email greg.thompson7@amedd.army.mil.

Community Flea Markets

The Community Activity Center will host a Community Flea Market from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. the second Saturday of the month through October at the CAC, Building 7047. The dates for the flea markets are July 14, Aug. 11, Sept. 8 and Oct. 13. For more information, call the CAC at 0951-300-8837

Volunteer Opportunities

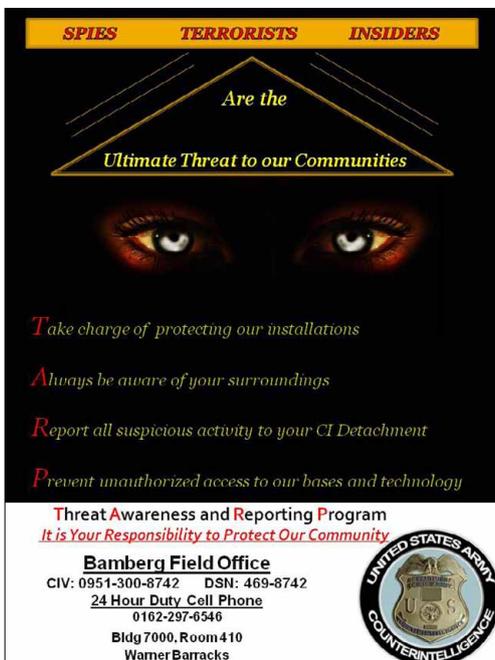
Interested in volunteering? Equal Opportunity office is looking for volunteers to help with upcoming observances. For more information, contact the Equal Opportunity and Equal Employment Opportunity offices at 0951-300-8624.

Free Tax Preparation

The Bamberg Tax Center will be open from 9 a.m. to noon June 18-29. The Tax Center will close for the season on June 30. The Tax Center is located in Building 7000 on the fourth floor. Appointments and walk-ins will be available. For more information or to make an appointment, call 0951-300-8261/8262.

CPR, AED and First Aid Certification

Come and learn how to give CPR, first aid and use an automated external defibrillator with the American Red Cross July 13 and Aug. 10 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Army Community Services building. The cost of the CPR and First Aid Certification is \$55. You can log onto www.redcross.org to register. Once on the ARC site, go to "take a class" and enter your APO zip code to find the course, register and pay online. You can also register in person at the ARC office. For additional information or questions, stop by the American Red Cross office, Building 7029 or call 0951-300-1760.



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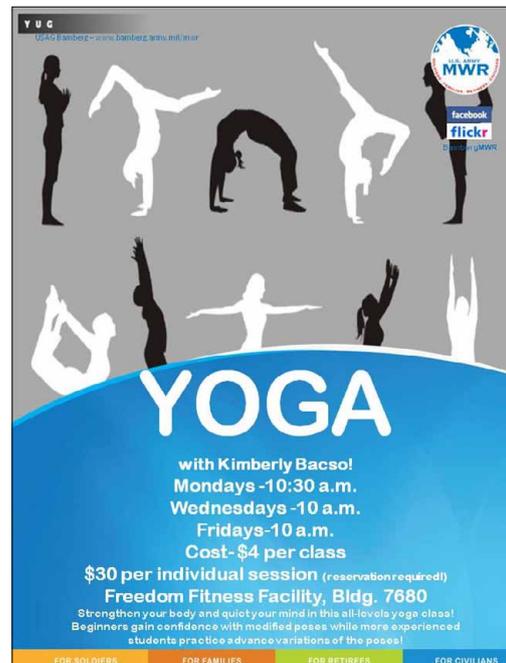
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Prevent unauthorized access to our bases and technology

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Red Cross Volunteer Orientation

Come and learn how you can become a volunteer with the American Red Cross from 10 a.m. to noon July 6 and 20 and August 3 and 17 at the Army Community Services building. Please call and RSVP no later than the day before each scheduled orientation. For additional information, visit the American Red Cross office, Building 7029 or call 0951-300-1760.

Military Council of Catholic Women

The Military Council of Catholic Women meet on Thursdays at the chapel. Mass begins at 12 p.m. followed by fellowship, lunch and study group from 12:30 to 2 p.m. For more information, email Andrea.lands@gmail.com.

By Soldiers - For Soldiers

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings for Warner Barracks take place weekly on Wednesdays from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. at the Community Activity Center, Room 409. These meetings are open to anyone. Duty uniform allowed. For more information, call Kyle at 0151-1775-3880, Brian at 0172-271-3626 or Justin at 0151-4642-3940.

Woodworkers Roundtable

Take part in the woodworkers roundtable every Wednesday at the Arts and Crafts woodshop on the on the second floor of Building 7047. Get tips, tricks and new ideas. The event is free. For more information, call 0951-300-8659 or email thomas.stenson@us.army.mil.

Arts and Crafts

Take part in the crafter's club at noon every Tuesday at the Arts and Crafts classroom on the first floor of Building 7047. Join the fun. Local crafters get together to share ideas, tips and tricks on a variety of crafts. Learn something new or share your knowledge. The event is free. For more information, call 0951-300-8659 or email thomas.stenson@us.army.mil.

Weekly Reminders

Document Disposal

Burning documents in a burn barrel is not allowed on post. All paper that needs to be disposed of must be shredded at the Recycling Center. They have an industrial shredder and accept paper each Tuesday from 1-4 p.m. or by appointment. The garrison receives a credit for each kilogram of paper turned in through the recycling program. For more information, call the environmental office at 0951-300-8426.

MURDER on the Oriental Rug
 Adult Mystery Theater
 THU/FRI SAT/SUN
 June 21, 22 June 23, 24
 7:30pm - \$11 at The Stable Theater 6pm - \$16 incl. Dinner Warner Conf. Ctr.
 RESERVE: Call 0951 / 300-8647 or email stable.theater.tickets@eur.army.mil

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Speed Limit

Please slow down while driving through residential areas on the installation. The speed limit inside a residential area is 20 kph.

Immediate Appointments

Are you tired of waiting on hold while scheduling a medical appointment at health clinic? With TRICARE Online, you don't have to wait on hold. You can schedule appointments, refill prescriptions and manage your health needs better. Register today at www.tricareonline.com. To learn more, visit <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s7VeUlyTMa4>.

Photo Studio

The Arts and Crafts Photo Studio has reopened. Chandra is available to take your appointments for portraits, balls, sporting events and more. For more information or to make an appointment, call 0951-297-1248.

Looking for Training Space?

Earn your certificate. Advance your career. Achieve your goals. The Digital Training Facilities provide Soldiers with a location to access web based, job related and professional courses away from the workplace and distractions of the home. We have three classrooms and each classroom has 17 workstations. In total, we have 51 workstations. Classrooms are linked to the internet. Services are

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Bamberg, Bldg 7676, Bamberg Inn	1:40 a.m.	1:50 a.m.
Schweinfurt Conn Bks, Bldg 89, Bradley Inn	2:50 a.m.	3:00 a.m.
Ramstein Passenger Terminal	6:30 a.m.	
Ramstein Passenger Terminal		9:40 a.m.
Schweinfurt Conn Bks, Bldg 40, Central Processing Facility	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Bamberg, Bldg 7290, Central Processing Facility	13:20 p.m.	

Every Tuesday

available for individual self development. Stop in to check email, use free internet, take distance learning classes, job search or study. For more information, visit the Digital Training Facility, Building 7055, call 0951-300-8669 or email esther.j.galletta@us.army.mil. The facility is open Monday-Thursday day from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Friday from 8 - 11 a.m.

Get EFMP Registered

Is your Soldier coming back from downrange? If your Soldier is receiving orders to another location, it is not too early to start your Exceptional Family Member Program paperwork. Family members can start the paperwork now. Your local Army Community Services EFMP manager can assist in determining what you need to do. Remember, if you have someone registered in EFMP, the registration has to be updated every three years or when the condition changes. For more information about EFMP, call 0951-300-7777.

Involved Consideration

Missed appointments diminish a medical facility's ability to provide efficient health care. The next time you cannot make your medical appointment, please be considerate and cancel your appointment. We need your involvement to provide better care for our military community.

Ray's Diner Hours

Every weekday, Ray's Diner serves breakfast from 7 - 9 a.m., lunch from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and dinner from 5-6:30 p.m. During the weekends and four-day weekends, breakfast is served at 8-9 a.m., lunch at 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and dinner at 3:30-5 p.m.

DEERS Validation

Soldiers are responsible for ensuring Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System information is updated. Please see the ID card section to update your DEERS information.

OneSource Mobile

Army OneSource is now available for smart phone browsers. The launch of a mobile device version will optimize Army OneSource the mobile experience for visitors. Visit www.myarmyonesource.com today.

DFAC Feedback

Dining Facility council meetings are at Ray's Diner every last Thursday of the last month of each quarter at 2 p.m. The meetings are scheduled for June 28 and Sept. 27. For more information, call 0951-300-7130.

Army Suggestion Program

The Army Suggestion Program encourages Soldiers, civilians and any concerned individuals to submit ideas regarding how the Army can increase efficiency and cut costs. Approved suggestions are assessed on how much they save the Army and can earn individuals thousands of dollars. For more information, or to submit an idea, Army Knowledge Online registered users can visit the ASP website at <http://asp.hqda.pentagon.mil/public/>. Those unable to access AKO can submit a DA Form 1045 to their installation coordinator. For more information, call 0951-300-8001.

Utility Tax Relief Services

Tax Relief Office now offers a new service for U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg customers. With the implementation of the Utility Avoidance Program customers can sign up locally and save 19 percent tax on their electricity, gas and water bills if these utilities are provided by Bamberg Stadtwerke, Erlanger Stadtwerke, Entega and E-on Bayern. For more information, call the Bamberg tax relief office at 0951-300-1780.

New Health Clinic Hours

The Bamberg Health Clinic hours of operation are

Great Outdoor 5K Community Fun Run!
 June 23, start time 9 a.m
 Local Training Area (LTA)

FREE! Open to all community members. Sign-up now at Freedom Fitness Facility or on run date. Registration starting at 8:30 a.m.
 For more information contact FFF at DSN 469-8890/9086 or Tel. 0951-300-8890 / 9086

as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, sick call is from 7 - 8 a.m.; full service is available from 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. On Thursday and Friday, sick call is from 7 - 8 a.m. and full service is from 7:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.; closed on U.S. federal holidays and weekends. For more information or if you need to make an appointment, call 0951-300-1750. In case of a medical emergency, call the Bamberg Military Police at 0951-300-114. The TRICARE Nurse Advice Line, a toll-free number 00800-4759-2330, is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to talk to a nurse about health care concerns, get self-care advice, schedule appointments or arrange a call with a care provider.

Pre-Separation Briefing

Planning to move from Soldier to civilian? Take advantage of the transition services offered by the Army Career and Alumni Program, such as a Department of Labor two-and-a-half day job assistance workshop, resume preparation assistance and information about veterans' benefits. Make an appointment to attend the mandatory ACAP Pre-Separation Briefing; offered weekly and about an hour long. Separating Soldiers can start the ACAP process one year before separating. Soldiers who will be retiring can start two years out from their projected retirement date. For more information, call 0951-300-8925.

Tax Savings

with the Family and MWR Tax Relief Program
Sign up today and save 19% Value Added Tax on Purchases and Utility Bills

Contact the Tax Relief Office (0951) 300-1780, Bldg. 7054



Europa Park!
(Germany's Largest Amusement Park!)

June 30
Cost \$ 89 per person
(entrance fee and transportation included!)

Sign-up at the Freedom Fitness Facility. Payable in full at time of registration. NOTE: Children 3 and under are free into park but will be charged \$20 for bus seat. Bus departs at 4 a.m. from Chapel Parking Lot and returns around midnight.

Veterinary Facility

The veterinary office's hours are Monday through Wednesday from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., closed Thursday and open Friday 8 a.m.-noon. No walk-in appointments are available. The clinic is closed on the last weekday of each month for inventory and on all American and training holidays. Over-the-counter products and prescriptions may be purchased during regular business hours. For more information about the clinic or to schedule an appointment, call 0951-300-7972.

Family Advocacy Programs

Army Community Services' Family Advocacy Program is here to provide help and support by offering a New Parent Support Program, Newborn Network, play group, parenting classes, communication classes, victim advocacy and anger and stress management classes.

Family Advocacy - Need assistance in learning how to manage a life full of stress or ambivalence? Come every Thursday to Building 7487 from 1:30 - 3 p.m. for an anger and stress management class.

New Parent - Being a new parent can be a challenge. Join the New Parent Support Group every Friday from 10-11:30 a.m. in Building 7487. For information about any of these classes, call 0951-300-7777.

Passport Office

The Bamberg Passport Office has upgraded its website. You can now access all the informational handouts at <http://www.bamberg.army.mil/directorates/dhr/passport.asp>. For assistance in filling out the Passport Application, download the Application Wizards User's guide.

Service Office

The U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg Retirement Services Officer/Casualty Manager is located in Building 7290, Room 208, next to Burger King. For more information, call 0951-300-7514.

English as a Second Language

Army Community Service, Relocation Readiness Program, offers free ESL classes every Thursday. Level 1 class is scheduled from 8:30-10:30 a.m. Level 2 class is from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Level 3 class is from 1-3 p.m. Classes are at the Family Advocacy Program Building 7487. For more information, call 0951-300-7777.

ACS Hours of Operation

Army Community Services is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. The office is closed on federal holidays but open on training holidays. For more information about any of the ACS programs, call 0951-300-7777.

Sexual Assault

Your Sexual Assault Response Coordinator is available 24 hours a day. Call 0951-300-8397 for your local office or 0162-510-2917 for the 24-hour hotline.

Customs Office

The Bamberg Customs Office is located in rooms 124 and 125 in Building 7011 across the street from the movie theater. Customer service hours are from 8 a.m. to noon and 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and closed on German and American holidays. For more information, call 0951-300-7460 or 0951-300-9312. The fax number is 0951-300-8665. Office personnel can assist with importing items, selling items to non-ID card holders and help visiting family members get permission to drive USAREUR-plated car or have an ESSO card for rental vehicles by filling out a 175L form. Personnel can also help retirees and widows get permission to go shopping on post if they visit for more than 30 days or live in Germany.

Trial Defense Services

If you're a Soldier and you are questioned by law enforcement, Criminal Investigation Division or members of your command about suspected acts of misconduct, you have the absolute right to remain silent. You have the right to refuse to answer any question, even from your commander and you have the right to talk to an attorney. If questioned, you should immediately, demand to speak to an attorney. As a Soldier, you are entitled to free consultation and representation by a military defense counsel. All communications with a trial defense attorney are privileged and will not be released to your command. Let a U.S. Army trial defense attorney help you. For more information, call 0951-300-8620 or come to Building 7000 to speak to a free trial defense attorney.

Closures / Changes

Library Hours Change

Beginning June 1, the Bamberg Library will be open from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and

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11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. The library is closed on American and German holidays.

Frankfurt Airport Shuttle Change

Beginning May 15, the Frankfurt shuttle bus will be limited to one afternoon shuttle running from Frankfurt Airport to Bamberg. The shuttle departs from the airport at 2:45 p.m. and arrives in Bamberg at 6:30 p.m. The drop-off point is Building 7011, Provost Marshall Office. For more information about the airport shuttle, call 069-695973816.

Vehicle Registration Closure

The Vehicle Registration Office will be closed July 4-6 and July 13. For more information, call 0951-300-7580. 3208381

Coffee Change

The phone number for Community Activity Center and cafe is now 0951-300-8837. The 0951-300-8659 line will only be for Arts and Crafts and be answered during its business hours.

Customs Office

The Customs Office is closed every first Thursday of the month for training.

Continuing Education

CTC Term 5 Registration Now Open

Registration for Central Texas College Bamberg Term 5 is open now and classes start June 4th! This term CTC will be offering CDEC 1354 Child Growth and Development, and CJSA 1322 Introduction to Criminal Justice. The classes are open to the community and can be taken even if the student is non-degree seeking. Active Duty soldiers can enroll through their GoArmyEd portal and civilians through their WebAdvisor portal. Stop by the office to enroll in Room 311 on the 3rd floor above the Community Activity Center. Contact the Field Rep at 0951-300-7467 or bamberg@europe.ctcd.edu.

Texas Resident

Are you a Texas resident? Central Texas College offers an in-state tuition rate of \$76 per credit hour for Texas residents taking online courses. Take classes online in criminal justice, early childhood, applied management, hospitality management, legal assistant and fire prevention. For more information,

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PTA Scholarships

Apply for European Parent Teacher Association scholarships. For more information, visit <http://europeanptaonline.org/EPTAScholarship.aspx>.

Post 911 GI Bill

Take advantage of your military benefits. Earn a degree or skill with your Post 911 GI Bill. Find out more by visiting <http://www.gibill.va.gov/>.

Sports, Health and Fitness

Fitness Class Schedule Changes

The Freedom Fitness Facility has had several changes to its fitness class schedule. Zumba Classes, \$5 per class are only in the morning now on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. Body Tone, \$5 per class is now on Mondays at 9:30 a.m. and Fridays at 9 a.m. Yoga, \$4 per class is now on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. and Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 a.m.

Thursday Night Scramble

Come to Whispering Pines Golf Course for Thursday Night Scramble every Thursday evening at 6 p.m. Entry fee is \$10. For more information, call 0951-300-8953.

Baseball and Softball in Bamberg

The Memmelsdorf Barons Baseball club is the only baseball club in the Bamberg area. The club hosts two senior baseball teams (one recreational, one competitive), a women's fastpitch softball team and two youth teams within five minutes distance to Warner Barracks. The club has a long tradition in giving U.S. players the chance to keep playing baseball on a competitive or recreational level and the chance of getting around on road trips around Bavaria for games. For more information contact the officer of the club, Volker Lang at volker.lang@memmelsdorf-barons.de or 0179-117-2494.

Running Club

Do you get out of breath running for the bus? Do you want to lose weight? Do you want to get in shape and stay in shape? Join the Bamberg Running Club for all levels of runners, but especially targeted for beginners using the Jeff Galloway training method of running/walking! The Bamberg Club will meet two times a week for 45-60 minutes of training, plus weekend runs. This is will be partnership between Freedom Fitness Facility and the Bamberg Health Clinic. For more information, email kelley.woodruff@

Recycling Fact
Dishwashers use about 11 gallons of water. Hand washing dishes uses approximately 16 gallons.

us.army.mil or ernest.d.johnson3.naf@mail.mil or call 0951-300-9086.

Kick the Habit

There is a Smoking Cessation Group every Monday at 4:30 - 5:00 p.m. in the Dental Clinic Conference room. No registration required. For more information, call 0951-300-8999.

Pertussis Prevention

Pertussis, or whooping cough, is on the rise. It affects people of all ages, is most severe in children and can be fatal in infants. Immunizations children get to protect against this disease wanes with time. Unimmunized, infected adults can unknowingly spread pertussis to children. Symptoms in adults can appear like a common cold and develop into violent coughing. Preventing the spread of the disease is possible. To protect yourself but, most importantly, the children of our community, we urge adults to be vaccinated against pertussis. Ask your health clinic professionals about the Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis vaccine or T-DAP.

Youth and Teens

Summer Reading Program

Sign up now to participate in the 2012 Summer Reading Program, which kicks off June 20 at Bamberg's community library. This year's theme is "Reading is Soooooo Delicious." The program is open to children age 5-17. Activities will be offered each Wednesday, except on July 4. The program will wrap up July 18 with an awards ceremony. For more information, visit the community library, Building 7047, or call 0951-300-1740.

CYSS Fall Sports Sign-ups

Sign-ups have begun for the CYSS Fall sports programs. Programs offered will be Cheerleading for 9-15 year olds: \$40, Flag Football for 9-12 year olds: \$40, Soccer for 3-5 year olds: \$20, Soccer for 6-15 year olds: \$40 and Tackle Football for 12-14 year olds: \$135. If your spouse is deployed or deploying soon you qualify to enroll at no cost using your AFC benefits, just bring in deployment orders. Practices start the week of August 27th with the exception of Tackle Football which starts conditioning camp August 13th. Sign-ups are on a first come, first serve basis. Sign-ups end August 17th or when the team is filled. We still need volunteer coaches for all sports. Our programs don't work unless people step up to volunteer plus your children will be enrolled at no cost. Please call Youth Sports with any questions at 0951-300-7523.

Parents' Night/Day Out

Enjoy a day or night out by enrolling your children in the next Parents' Day Out or Parents' Night Out programs. Dates for Parents' Day Out will be Aug. 4, Oct. 6 and Dec 1 from 11:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. Dates for Parents' Night Out will be July 6, Sept. 7 and Nov. 2 from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$12 per child and Army Family Covenant deployment benefits can be used if eligible. Visit Parent Central Services or Webtrac to sign up. For more information, call 0951-300-8660.

Scholarship

In recognition of their service to the nation and in support of the unique demands and sacrifices of military personnel and their families, St. George's School is seeking to provide up to four fully funded scholarships for children of active duty military personnel in the 2012-2013 school year. St. George's School is an independent college-preparatory school serving grades 9 through 12 located just outside of Newport, R.I. For more information, visit <http://www.militarychild.org/child-student/st-georges-scholars-program/>.

Reader of the Month

On the third Wednesday of the each month at 4 p.m., the Bamberg Community Library and School Age Center will recognize and reward children and youth for their accomplishments in reading. A reading log will be maintained at Bamberg Library. The Reader of the Month will have their photo displayed at the library. For more information, call 0951-300-1740.

Preschool Services

Your child or someone else's may qualify for preschool services for children with disabilities. Screening for children ages 3 to 5 years of age are held once a month at Bamberg Elementary School to locate and identify children who may have developmental delays. Make an appointment if you suspect a delay in language, physical, cognitive, social or adaptive behavior development. Call BES at 0951-300-7616.

Library Events

The library hosts weekly events. There is storytelling for children ages 3-5 years old every Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. There's also a Gamers' Challenge that meets every Saturday at 5 p.m. For more information, call 0951-300-1740.

Youth Lessons

Child, Youth and School Services SKIES Unlimited offers lessons in fine arts ages 6 to 12, kinder German with parents ages 6 to 9, gymnastics for various age groups, kickboxing ages 5 to 18 and piano ages 6 to 18. For more information, call 0951-300-7452.

Boy Scouts

Boy Scout Troop 40 in Bamberg is looking for boys ages 12 and older interested in becoming Boy Scouts. The troop meets every Monday from 6:30-7:30 p.m. except on holidays. The boys work on requirements for advancement and earning Merit badges. The troop is also looking for adult volunteers and Eagle Scouts to assist with troop activities. For more information, call 0160-1585894.



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Community Women's Softball Tournament
July 21-22

Open to the first 6 teams. \$250 per team entry fee. Round robin play. Double elimination play for championships. Awards for 1st & 2nd place.
Sign-up by 10 July 2012. Contact Freedom Fitness Facility, Bldg. 7680, charles.w.williams.civ@mail.mil or call DSN 469-7597/8890 or 0951-300-7597/8890



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Trips and Travel Opportunities

Registration for trips begin the 15th of the month before the scheduled trip and must be made no later than the Monday before the scheduled leave date or they may be cancelled. To sign up or for more information, go to Outdoor Recreation, Building 7116 or call 0951-300-9376/7955. All trips depart and arrive from ODR unless otherwise noted. No refund will be given for no-shows. Military duty restraint or illness will be refunded with documentation. For more trips, visit <http://www.bamberg.army.mil/directorates/dfmwr/odr.asp>.



June 14 Tour Under Bamberg \$25
This unique trip through the tunnels under Bamberg gives you a view of the city that shouldn't be missed. The tunnels are generally cool and damp, so please wear appropriate clothing and bring a flashlight. Trip departs from Outdoor Recreation at 5 p.m. and returns at 7:30 p.m.

June 15-16 Night at the Lake \$35
Enjoy a night at Engineer Lake with Outdoor Recreation and other Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation facilities. There will be beer, camping, entertainment and breakfast in the morning. Your camping gear can be rented from Outdoor Recreation for a reduced rate.

June 20 and 27 Evening Adventure Sports \$15
Enjoy the longer days with a mountain bike ride on some of the coolest single-track in the local area, or rock climbing on the world famous Frankenjura limestone! Use your own bike or rent one from Outdoor Recreation for only \$10. Climbing equipment is provided with trip fee. Must sign up in advance. Departs Outdoor Recreation at 5 p.m. and returns at 9 p.m.

June 21 Summer Solstice Hike \$25
Enjoy an evening hike on the longest day of the year. An easy six kilometers will give you a glimpse of this local area rarely seen by visitors. Please wear

hiking boots. Trip includes transportation. Transportation departs Outdoor Recreation at 6 p.m. and returns at 11 p.m.

June 30 Outdoor Climb \$35
Enjoy the summer air and friends by joining Outdoor Recreation for an outdoor climb in the world famous sport climbing area known as Frankenjura. Includes transportation, instruction and equipment. Departs Outdoor Recreation at 9 a.m. and returns at 3 p.m.

June 30 Polish Pottery Shopping \$65
Let Outdoor Recreation take care of the driving. Transportation will be in a German Motor Coach. Transportation departs the chapel parking lot at 4 a.m. and returns at 12 a.m.

July 7 Canoeing on the Main River \$35
Paddle as the current carries you down the Main River, while relishing the striking beauty of Bavaria. Trip includes transportation, equipment, and instruction. Please wear a swimming suit and bring a towel, sack lunch and hydrating liquids. Transportation departs Outdoor Recreation at 9 a.m. and returns at 5 p.m.

July 7 Legoland Germany \$40
Enjoy the family friendly theme park of Legoland, located in Gunzenburg, Germany. Children ages 4-12 are \$30; 3 and under are \$25. Transportation departs the chapel parking lot at 6 a.m. and returns at 10 p.m.

July 11, 18 and 25 Evening Adventure Sports \$15
Enjoy the longer days with a mountain bike ride on some of the coolest single-track in the local area, or rock climbing on the world famous Frankenjura limestone! Use your own bike or rent one from Outdoor Recreation for only \$10. Climbing equipment is provided with trip fee. Must sign up in advance. Departs Outdoor Recreation at 5 p.m. and returns at 9 p.m.

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Eco-Friendly Tips

Water-saving Tips

1. Avoid flushing the toilet unnecessarily. Dispose of tissues, insects and other waste in the trash rather than the toilet.
2. During summer, aerate the soil to help improve its condition. Restore the nutrients, but don't over fertilize the lawn.

Energy-saving Tips

1. Only boil as much water as you need, but remember to cover the elements if you're using an electric kettle.
2. Don't let your car idle. It wastes fuel and it is forbidden by German law.

Recycling Tips

1. Make space next to your trash bin for a recycling container. Then it's as simple to recycle as it is to throw it away.
2. Check the bathroom. Lots of items from the bathroom can be recycled, too. Shampoo and shower gel bottles are often forgotten.

Bamberg Movie Schedule

AAFES Reel Time Theater is closed Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Thu	June 14	American Reunion (R)	7 p.m.
Fri	June 15	Snow White and the Huntsman (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Sat	June 16	Snow White and the Huntsman (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		The Hunger Games (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Sun	June 17	Snow White and the Huntsman (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		The Hunger Games (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Mon	June 18	American Reunion (R)	7 p.m.
Thu	June 21	The Lucky One (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Fri	June 22	Prometheus (R)	7 p.m.
Sat	June 23	Madagascar 3: Europe's Most Wanted (PG)	3 p.m.
		Prometheus (R)	7 p.m.
Sun	June 24	Madagascar 3: Europe's Most Wanted (PG)	3 p.m.

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\$3800 OBO 1997 Ford Mondeo, Grey 4 door, Euro Spec, Automatic, sunroof. Passed inspection Sept. 19. New

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EMPLOYMENT

Central Texas College Europe is hiring for the position of Substitute Field Representative in Bamberg. Associate's Degree from a regionally accredited college or university is required, or one year of college with five years of experience. For more information please contact the current Field Rep in Room 311 above the Community Activity Center, 0951-300-7476, or email bamberg@europe.ctcd.edu. You can also inquire with Les Brinkley at les.brinkley@europe.ctcd.edu.

The USAG Bamberg Community Chapel is currently accepting applications for Watchcare providers for the Watchcare Program. Performance period is expected through 30 September 2012. Interested parties should contact Stacey Berry, the Watchcare Coordinator, at 0152-242-84736.

Child & Youth Program Assistants: working with children in the Child Development Center, School Age Center or the Youth Sports and Fitness Program. Will be responsible for planning age-appropriate activities; supervising and monitoring children to ensure that they are safe and healthy; follow the guidelines to prevent and identify child abuse. Salary: \$10.89 - \$12.84. Related education and experience will affect salary.

Bamberg's Exchange is accepting applications for entry-level retail and food positions. Join a unique organization with the competitive package by applying online at www.applymexchange.com or by calling Human Resources Office at 0951-303159.

Central Texas College-Europe is seeking applications for Automotive Instructors who have an associate's degree or higher and a minimum of five years work experience in the maintenance field or a bachelor's degree and a minimum of three years work experience in the maintenance field or A.S.E. Certification. For more information, call 0951-300-7467; or send an email to

bamberg@europe.ctcd.edu.

MISCELLANEOUS

Lost my cellphone Samsung Galaxy S2 in a brown clip leathercase on May 15 at Warner Barracks between the Community Activity Center and Motorpool. If you find it, please return it and receive a 100 Euro reward for your honesty. Please call 0160-633-9262

A ring was found on May 12 in front of Pion night club near the Market in Hallstadt. It is from the U.S. Army Transportation Operation Iraqi Freedom 2005-2007, Taveras Airborne. The inside of the ring is engraved: L. J. T. 3580. To claim the ring, send an email to isabella.daros@yahoo.de.

Looking to buy a Weber Smoker. Please email duntlum@yahoo.de or call 0163-2973350.

Home needed for 2 loving cats. 1 male (8yrs-orange Persian Mix) and 1 female (7yrs-Tabby). Up to date with all shots. ETSing and with deep regret we cannot take cats with us. Great family cats. Please call Alexandra or Doug at 0951-917-1978.

Looking for a loving home for our 2 male guinea pigs. They include 2 large cages, wooden huts, bedding material, grooming supplies, toys, books, pet carrier, and water bottles. They are 2 years old. Asking \$100. We are PCS'ing soon and can not take them with us. If interested please call 0151-1756-0411.

Large Apartment 2 bedroom and studio just 10 minutes away from Bamberg. Pictures available. Call 0152-54229569.

Let me walk your dog! Do you have a high energy dog that needs to go on long walks, but you don't have the time? Let me walk your dog. I will tailor to each dog's needs, but I usually go on 6 mile+ walks. \$10 for each walk. For my personal information please contact me at erin.cooper@us.army.mil.

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FOR SALE

For Sale: 26 inch Sony Color TV in excellent condition with remote. \$40 obo. Call 0176-2835-4207.

For Sale: Pro-Form 575 "Cross Trainer" Treadmill, 2 HP Motor, Speeds 1 to 10 mph, 220V, \$350. Must pick up in Schweinfurt. Contact Douglas or Eva Stewart. 09721-749246 or 0951-300-8754 or Stewartorders@hotmail.com.

For Sale: Central Texas College textbook, The Core, Larry J. Siegel 4th Edition for Law Enforcement History of America. Like brand new, only a few marks on the first 5 pages. \$ 95. Cost new \$125. On Post Pick up or I can mail it. Email: hic4chris@aol.com or cell: 0176-48026658.

For Sale: German solid wood living room shrank with lights: measurements are: 3.28m wide, 2.17m tall; 0.55m deep. The price is negotiable. Pictures available. 0152-54229569.

Kitchen with all appliances- \$700; German king-size solid wood bed - \$430; German bedroom schrank (4 meters long, 220 m high/black&white)-\$570; solid wood round dining room set (w/4 chairs)- \$200; French bed (120X200)-\$150; high board-\$75; bathroom cabinet-\$70; and a solid wood chest of drawers-\$65 / O.B.O. Call 0174-766-3088.

For Sale: Couch - \$300; TV Entertainment Center - \$80; Pier 1 Papasan Chair - \$65; Queen Size Bed and Mattress - \$330; Dresser - \$100; Bedroom Wardrobe -\$65 and 2 Piece Solid Wood Buffet - \$780. All in excellent condition. Pictures available upon request. Prices negotiable. Contact: Cell 0160-781-5496 Email: riesr@t-online.de.

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Events in and around Bamberg

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For general information on Bamberg's sights, fests, locations and free-time activities check these websites. <http://www.bambergtravel.com/> or <http://www.bamberg.info/en>. The information is available in English and with the nice pictures you will get in the mood for getting out and enjoying yourself.

Insider tips and rating for the coolest pubs, clubs, bars and sights can be found on this website: <http://www.virtualtourist.com/travel/Europe/Germany/Bavaria/Bamberg>. People who have been to these locations before share their insight information and experiences. It is a great resource for all who would like some more information on their favorite destination on Bamberg before leaving post.

Enjoy the good weather with the volksmarching enthusiasts. At http://www.dvv-wandern.de/v_vb/10/Wandertage you will find the upcoming dates of the volksmarching activities in Franconia. For general information on events in Franconia you can check http://www.dvv-wandern.de/v_vb/10. For information on the German-American Volksmarching Club Bamberg (Deutsch-Amerikanischer Wanderclub Bamberg) and information in English you can contact Mr. Wolfgang Keller, Warner Barracks, building 7090, room 103, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 3-5 p.m.

You have 116 days left to visit the Bavarian Garden Show in Bamberg! Learn how honey is made and how insects help your garden, enjoy various street games, kids crafts, bouncy castles and more; find new trends for outdoor-living, outdoor lounges and modern plants. Visit <http://www.bamberg2012.de/web/en/index.php> for details.

PREVIEW: Mark your calendars: 6-12 August 2012, Bamberg's Blues and Jazz Festival feat John Lee Hooker Jr., Soneros De Verdad, Vintage Trouble and others. More than 40 free bands, at various locations in Bamberg, main acts on the stage at Maxplatz.

Insider Tip:

Did you know that the Bamberg Cinestar offers movies in English language every once in a while? Their website is available in English at <http://www.cinestar.de/en/kino/bamberg-cinestar>.

Events for June 15-17

Friday, June 15

5 p.m. Ebing's Lake Festival, Open Air fest featuring the 10th annual lake run and at 9 p.m. rock band Wednesday Project, at Festplatz am Sportgelände, Ringstrasse, 96179 Ebing
8 p.m. Bamberg Brass feat. Lutz Randow: Days Of Wine And Roses, at Rosengarten, Domplatz 8, 96049 Bamberg
9 p.m. Dan T. Coates Trio, live concert (west coast sound), at Live-Club, Obere Sandstraße 7, 96049 Bamberg
9 p.m. Revolverheld, live concert, at the Bavarian Gardenshow, bayernhafen Bühne, Weidendamm 150, 96047 Bamberg (requires a ticket to the Bavarian Gardenshow)
10 p.m. Bare Feet (techno, minimal, electro), at Morph Club, Luitpoldstr. 17, 96052 Bamberg

Saturday, June 16

3 p.m. Ebing's Lake Festival, Open Air fest featuring the traditional trough race, at Festplatz am Sportgelände, Ringstrasse, 96179 Ebing
3 p.m. Kirchweih at Roebersdorf, Kirchplatz Röbersdorf, Röbersdorf, 96114 Hirschaid

3:30 p.m. 14th Annual Babenberger Run, Kirche St. Urban, Babenberger Ring, 96049 Bamberg
6 p.m. Kirchweih at Hartlanden, Ortsgebiet Hartlanden, Ringstraße, 96135 Stegaurach-Hartlanden
6 p.m. Kirchweih at Schammelsdorf, at 96123 Schammelsdorf
7 p.m. American Football, Bamberg Phantoms Youth Team vs. Bayreuth Dragons, at Sport- und Kulturstätte der Gehörlosen (Klemens-Fink-Zentrum), Babenberger Ring 1, 96049 Bamberg
7 p.m. Bon Fire at Sportplatz Höfen, Zum Sportplatz, 96135 Stegaurach-Höfen
8 p.m. Melton Tuba Quartett, live concert at Rose Garden, Domplatz 8, 96049 Bamberg
10 p.m. 90s Dance Party, at Live-Club, Obere Sandstraße 7, 96049 Bamberg
10 p.m. Drosophila Sound Meets Kobr Louis Charles (Balkan Beats), Morph Club, Luitpoldstr. 17, 96052 Bamberg

Sunday, June 17

10 a.m. Jazz Breakfast feat. Big Bandits, at Musikerheim, Am Wiesenweg 7, 96163 Gundelsheim
10 a.m. Lake Fest with fish specialties (BBQ), at the lake between Gerach and Mauschendorf, 96161 Gerach
3:30 p.m. Wine Fest, at Altenburg Castle, 96049 Bamberg
8 p.m. The Bamberg Symphonic Orchestra's Brass Ensemble, at Rosengarten, Domplatz 8, 96049 Bamberg

National Concert Schedule

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June 14 Sacred Reich "Degraded & After All" Tour, 7:30 p.m. at Hirsch Club, Vogelweiherstrasse 66, 90441 Nuernberg
June 20 Mötley Crüe – Slash feat. Kennedy & The Conspiratos, at Bamberg, Stechert Arena, Forchheimer Strasse 15, 96050 Bamberg
July 26 Kool and the Gang, Stadthalle Fuerth
Aug. 10 Taubertal Festival feat. Placebo, Beatsteaks etc.
Aug. 25 Rock Im Pott feat. Red Hot Chili Peppers, Placebo and more
Aug. 29 Green Day and special guests: Angels and Airwave, Warstiener Hockey Park, Monchengladbach, 6 p.m.

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