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German-American friendship week introduces Soldiers to local culture

By Sina Kingsbury, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- The city of Bamberg invited 57 single Soldiers to tour downtown Bamberg, followed by dinner and drinks at a local brewery on Friday.

This yearly event, hosted during German-American friendship week, gives Soldiers an opportunity to learn about and become acquainted with their temporary home.

"It is a good tradition during German-American friendship week for the city of Bamberg to invite young American Soldiers to dinner every year," said Andreas Starke, Bamberg's lord mayor. "This way you, dear young Soldiers, are to become familiar with the city of Bamberg, which for some time will be your duty station."

"Hopefully, it will become a home away from home," Starke said.

The Soldiers began their tour at tourist information and were then guided through Bamberg's cobblestone streets.

The tour group made their way through Bamberg's town hall buildings, Schlenkerla Brewery, the New Residence and the Bamberg Cathedral.



A local tour guide shows newly arrived Soldiers the sights of Bamberg on Friday as a part of German-American friendship week. The event takes place each year.

Spc. June Baylon, 4th 319th Airborne Field Artillery Regiment, 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team and newly stationed to Warner Barracks said the tour was interesting and educational.

"I saw places I never expected to see here, like all of the old buildings," Baylon said.

After the tour of the city, the Soldiers walked to (TOUR continued on Page 4)

Strong and fit



Jessica Lipari

Children and adults participate in a Zumba party during the Strong B.A.N.D.S. fitness day on Saturday at the Freedom Fitness Facility. The event, which was part of an Army-wide campaign, kicked off with a 5-kilometer run and featured various fitness demonstrations. An Asian-Pacific beach volleyball tournament took place, in honor of Asian-Pacific American Heritage month. For more photos of the event, see Page 4.

Summer Hire applications due May 20

By Sina Kingsbury, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- U.S. Army Europe's Summer Hire program offers high school and college students an opportunity to gain meaningful job experience while preparing for future educational and career goals.

Applications for the 2012 Summer Hire program are currently being accepted. The application deadline is May 20. The program will begin June 18 and will end July 28.

Applicants must go online to apply at https://lnjobs.army.mil/sh/staffing/asp/employment/t9.asp.

Once the applicants have submitted the documents online, they will receive a notification via email from Civilian Personnel Advisory Center, said Claudette Harden, human resource specialist at U.S. Army Bamberg's CPAC.

Summer Hire applicants must be family members of an active duty member or a Department of Defense civilian and 14 to 22 years of age. The candidate must turn 14 years of age by June 20 and cannot reach their 23rd birthday prior to end of the program on July

If applicants are not able to work the full six weeks, CPAC will work with the applicant, Harden said.

"Currently, there are 16 Summer Hire positions here," Harden said. "The pay is \$5.50 an hour."

Summer Hire positions are placed into three categories; labor, clerical and child development.

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Celebration will showcase Asian-Pacific cultures, traditions

By Heidi Sanders, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany – Community members can get a taste of Asian-Pacific culture from 1-3 p.m. Saturday at the Warner Conference Center. May is Asian-Pacific American Heritage month.

The celebration will showcase the customs and traditions of various Asian-Pacific cultures, said Lily Markey, one of the event's organizers.

Community members, including children, parents and Soldiers, will perform a variety of dance and musical routines. A professional dance company from Berlin, which specializes in traditional Pacific Islander dances including Samoan, Tahitian and Hawaiian, also will perform.

The event will feature a traditional Hawaiian pig roast. Markey said in past years, the event has included a pig roasted on a rotisserie, but this year Capt. Pete Lole, who is of Hawaiian descent, volunteered to prepare the pig using the traditional Hawaiian method of roasting the pig in the ground on hot coals.

"That will be one of the biggest highlights," Markey said.



Dancers perform during last year's Asian-Pacific American Heritage Month celebration. This year's event will feature local performers as well dancers from Berlin.

Attendees will have the opportunity to sample various Asian-Pacific cuisines prepared by volunteers in the community, including Chamorro, Filipino, Hawaiian, Indian, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Samoan and Thai.

Markey said organizers plan to have the event outside the Warner Conference Center. A

stage will be set up with seating for about 300 people.

"If it is bad weather, which we are not expecting, we will still hold it but with limited seating in the ball room," she said.

For more information, call 0951-300-8750.

Lights Out Comedy Tour, Mongolian buffet offered Monday evening

By Heidi Sanders, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- The Lights Out Comedy Tour, presented by Armed Forces Entertainment, will make a stop here on Monday.

A Mongolian grill buffet will be offered before the show begins. Both the buffet and show will take place at the Warner Conference Center.

"Weather permitting, we are going to do this outdoors," said Jack Austin, U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg's entertainment director. "It might be a night-on-the-terrace-type thing."

The buffet costs \$13 per person. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and food will be served beginning at 6 p.m. The comedy show is free and begins at 7:30 p.m.

"One does not have to do the dinner to come to the show," Austin said.

The Lights Out Comedy Tour features comedians Johnny Cardinale, Sean Kent, Assad Motavasseli, Mark Serritella and Maria Shehata.

"It will be a great show," Austin said. "Almost all of these guys have had some primetime experience."

The comedy show is for adults age 18 and older. Austin said those who attend the comedy show should look forward to a memorable evening.

"We have had three or four comedy shows in my time here," he said. "Every show has been sidesplitting."

For more information about the Lights Out Comedy Tour, visit http://www.armedforcesentertainment.com/johnnycardinale2012.htm. For more information about the buffet, call the Warner Conference Center at 0951-300-7596.



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Red Cross assists Soldiers and family members in times of need

By Jessica Lipari, USAG Bamberg Public Affairs

BAMBERG, Germany -- Staying in touch with loved ones during an emergency situation is an important service provided by the American Red Cross.

In Bamberg, the American Red Cross aids in the sending of emergency messages to Soldiers and their family members living overseas or deployed.

The American Red Cross opens this line of communication to ensure "you're never out of touch...around the clock...around the world," according to its brochure.

The specific term for emergency is an unexpected event, time sensitive and requires the Soldier present for action, said Samantha Wudel, Bamberg American Red Cross station manager.

This includes death and serious illness of immediate family members, births, financial situations and family care plans.

Immediate family members include an individual's mother and father, siblings, spouse and children and their spouse's mother, father and siblings.

Information sent for grandparents are not considered immediately family by the military unless it is listed in the Soldier's military records that they are in loco parentis.

"There are always one of incidents," Wudel said. "When in doubt call, the Red Cross will address the situation. If notification is not the right solution we will get them to the right person that can help."

Red Cross does not make the leave or travel decisions; they get verification of the information and provide the command team with the information.

Through a partnership with Army Emergency Relief, the American Red Cross can help provide financial assistance for emergency travel, burial of a loved one or food and shelter.

This service is provided when the individual requiring financial aid is not within 50 miles of a military aid office and the situation is time sensitive, Wudel said.

Red Cross will refer individuals to the nearest AER office if time permits and an aid office is nearby.

There are three ways to start an emergency communication:

- Call your local Red Cross chapter. Locate at www.redcross.
- Call the Red Cross office on your base installation, 0951-300-
- Call 1-800-RED CROSS and select option 2.

When calling the Red Cross, please provide as much of the following information about the service member as is known:

- Full name
- Rank/rating
- Branch of service (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard or Department of Defense civilian or contractor)
- Social Security Account number
- Date of Birth
- Military address
- For deployed service members only: Information about the deployed unit and home base unit

For more information, visit www.redcross.org or stop by the station office located in Building 7029.

Rwanda to benefit from Army library books

BRUCHMUHLBACH-MIESAU, Germany (May 4, 2012) -- Books from the Miesau Army Depot library will soon be helping Rwandans learn English, thanks in part to a retired U.S. Army officer and his wife.



Miesau's books will have a new home at the Saint Joseph Integrated Technical College in Rwanda's capital...

To read more on this story, click here.

Microwave technology could revolutionize combat feeding

NATICK, Mass. -- Virtually every kitchen in America has at least one, and pretty much everyone knows how to use the technology to at least cook a bag of popcorn.



Right, it's the microwave oven...

To read more on this story, click here.

Ready to run



Runners prepare for the 50-meter dash at the Child and Yourth School and Services track and field meet on Saturday in Bamberg. About 160 children age 8-14 from Army communities throughout Bavaria competed in various track and field events.

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Greifenklau Brewery for schnitzel and beer.

Starke welcomed the Soldiers and spoke of the friendship between Germans and Americans here in Bamberg.

A friendship, which Starke likened to Bamberg's liquid staple: beer.

"Currently, there are nine breweries, which brew different beers, in the city of Bamberg alone," Starke said. "However, there is one thing these beers have in common: they are brewed in accordance with the purity requirements, only natural ingredients and no artificial supplements."

"The same holds true for German-American friendship, there are many varieties but the basic ingredients remain the same," Starke said. "For beer, it's hops, malt and water."

"For German-American friendship, it's a deep trust, mutual respect and a great fondness for one another," he said.

Starke invited the newest Soldier to Bamberg, Pvt. Antoine Avery of the 16th Sustainment Brigade, to tap a keg of beer to toast to German-American friendships.



Pvt. Antoine Avery of the 16th Sustainment Brigade taps a beer keg to celebrate German-American friendship week.

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Labor positions are physical in nature and may include mowing, cleaning or painting. Clerical positions are in an office environment and duties may include filing, answering phones or typing. Child development positions involve child care.

"Majority of the jobs offered here are labor

and a few are in child care," Harden said. "Applicants can't request a place to work but have the option to choose the type of job."

Applicants who narrow their preferences will lessen their chance of being selected for a position, she said.

Returning Summer Hires may request to work at a previous position.

Applicants will be assigned a position based on what they choose on the application.

If there are more applicants than positions, older applicants will be chosen first, Harden

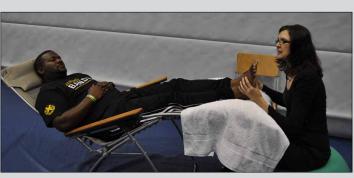
For more information on Summer Hire, call Maria Kupfer at 0951-300-8812.

Strong B.A.N.D.S. **Fitness Day**



Photos by Jessica Lipari









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Community Announcements

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

Asian-Pacific American Heritage Celebration

An Asian-Pacfic American Heritage celebration will take place from 1-3 p.m. May 19 at the Warner Conference Center. The event will feature Asian-Pacific dances and musical performances and Asian-Pacific cuisine. For more information, call 0951-300-8750

Ballet Recital

The Bamberg Performing Arts Club will present a spring recital "Ballet Bouquet" at 6 p.m. May 19 and 2 p.m. May 20 in the Bamberg Elementary School multipurpose room. Children under 6 are not permitted to attend the May 19, but the May 20 show is open to all children and adults. The recital is directed by Dr. Delome Greenwald-Schmitt.

"Murder on the Oriental Rug"

The Stable Theater will present "Murder on the Oriental Rug," a hilarious mystery show within a show. Auditions will take place at 6:30 p.m. May 30 and 31 at the Stable Theater. 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. The production is adult-oriented and not appropriate for kids. For more information call, 0951 300-8647.

Italy Trip

Join Bamberg Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers on a trip to Rome, Italy, June 14-18. The bus departs at 6 p.m. June 14 and returns around 1 p.m. June 18. The cost is \$439 per person and includes roundtrip transportation on a German motorcoach, two nights in a three-star hotel, two breakfasts and a city tour of Rome with a local guide. The bus will also stop in Pisa and Florence. Sign up by June 1 with a \$100 deposit per person. The trip is payable in full by June 8, and is open to all Soldiers and their adult guests, 18 and older. Single rooms cost an extra \$119 per person. For more information, call 0951-300-9086.

WOMAA Championship Qualifier

U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg Child, Youth and School Services' SKIES Unlimited will host this year's World Organization of Martial Arts Athletes World Championship Qualifier. The competition is open to all Martial Arts Styles except Grappling and Mixed

Martial Arts. U.S. and Local National participants are welcome. The divisions include Traditional Forms, Soft Style Forms, Weapon Forms, Free Style Forms, Team Forms, Point and Continuous Sparring. Ages for this competition is 5 and up. The qualifier will take place May 19 with registration on Warner Barracks, Freedom Fitness Facility, 8- 9 a.m. and the competition will begin at 10 a.m.. The entry fee for participants is \$25 for all events with an additional fee of \$20 for Team Forms (under 18 years), no fee for spectators. First, second and third place medals and certificates will be awarded in all divisions which automatically qualifies the participant for the W.O.M.A.A World Games in Telford, England, August 17-19, 2012. For more information, contact Child, Youth and School Services at 0951-3007452 or Rainer Giel at 0175-9044925.

Europa Park Trip

Visit Germany's largest amusement park, Europa Park, on May 19. The trip departs from the chapel parking lot at 4 a.m. and will return around midnight. The cost is \$89 per person and includes transportation and park entrance. Entrance to the park is free for children 3, but the cost is \$20 for a bus seat. Sign up at the Freedom Fitness Facility. Payable in full at time of registration.

Single Parent Luncheon

There will be a single parent luncheon on May 18 at the chapel from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. It will be a free luncheon and discussion group. The meeting is an opportunity for single parents to discuss issues and find support. Watch care will not be provided.

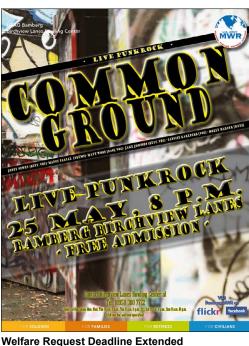
Food Handlers Training

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.

Memorial Day Ceremony

There will be a Memorial Day Ceremony at 11 a.m. May 24, at Memorial Park. For more information, call 0951-300-9477.





The Bamberg Spouses and Civilians' Club has added an additional deadline for welfare requests for this year. Clubs and organizations are encouraged to submit welfare requests by May 17 to be considered by the committee. Please ensure that you fill out all portions of the request and provide as much detail as you can, incomplete forms will not be considered. Application forms can be picked up and submitted at the Thrift Shop and are also available on the BSCC website www.bsccbamberg.org BSCC is committed to giving back to the great community that supports the Bamberg Soldiers and Families. We do this by providing public organizations with welfare grants. The purpose of the grants is to assist organizations in meeting their financial burdens associated with supporting our military community. We aim to help those organizations already working to help themselves. The BSCC is striving to make our garrison and community a better place in which to live.

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 June 9, 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 is open. The Tax Center is located in Building 7000 on the fourth floor. Appointments and walk-ins will be available. Operating hours will be Monday to Friday 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3:30 p.m. The office will be closed daily at noon to 1 p.m. for lunch. 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 June 8 and July 13 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Army Community Services building. The cost of the CPR and First Aid Certification is \$45. 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.

Red Cross Volunteer Orientation

Come and learn how you can become a volunteer with the American Red Cross June 1 and July 6 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Army Community Services building. Please call and RSVP no later than the day before each scheduled orientation. For additional information or questions, stop by 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

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

Immediate Appointments

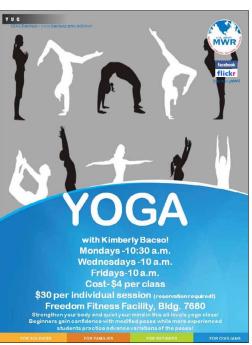
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Schweinfurt Conn Bks, Bldg 89, Bradley Inn	2:50 a.m.	3:00 a.m.
Ramstein Passenger Terminal	6:30 a.m.	
Ramstein Passenger Terminal		9:40 a.m.
Schweinfurt Conn Bks, Bldg 40, Central Processing Facility	12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Bamberg, Bldg 7290, Central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

Every Tuesday



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 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, contact Vanessia Holland, EFMP manger, at 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 to 9 a.m., lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and dinner from 5 to 6:30 p.m. During the weekends and four-

day weekends, breakfast is served at 8 to 9 a.m., lunch at 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and dinner at 3:30 to 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 ProgramThe 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.

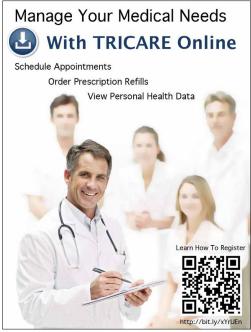
Utility Tax Relief Services

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 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 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.

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 http://www.bamberg.army.mil/ at 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 a Department of Labor two-and-a-half day job 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 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. The library is closed on American and German holidays.

MUNA Kaserne Vehicle Entrance Closure

Due to a large Bavarian bicycling Geisfelderstrasse will be blockedon from approximately 12:30-2:30 p.m. May 27. Vehicles will not be able to enter MUNA Kaserne during this time.

Vehicle Registration Closure

The Vehicle Registration Office will be closed May 17 and 28. For more information, call 0951-300-7580.

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.

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.

Recycling a four-foot stack of newspapers saves the equivalent of one 40-foot fir tree.

Customs Office

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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 Kick the Habit 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, email bamberg@europe.ctcd.edu or call 0951-300 7467

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

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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-

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 contract 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 FFF and the Bamberg Health Clinic. For more information, email kelley.woodruff@us.army.mil or ernest.d.johnson3. naf@mail.mil or call 0951-300-9086.

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

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 June 2, 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-scholarsprogram/.

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.



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.

May 19 White Water Kayak

No matter your skill level, our white water kayak trip will have you feeling like a professional by the end of the day. Please wear a swimsuit and pack a towel, lunch and hydrating liquids. Trip includes transportation and equipment. Transportation departs Outdoor Recreation at 8 a.m. and returns at 6 p.m.

May 23, 30 Wednesday Evening Adventure Sports

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.

May 26 Strasbourg, France

With flavors of both France and Germany, Strasbourg is an ultimate European city. Visit "la Petite France," a picturesque neighborhood resembling a fairy tale, and Place Kleber a bustling square that's always bursting with activity. Trip includes transportation and a city tour. Children ages 4-12 are \$55 and children 3 and under are \$45. Departs chapel parking lot at 5 a.m. and returns at 11 p.m.

May 25-28 Austrian Adventure Weekend TBD

Get your adrenaline pumping with some of the coolest spring time activities in the Austrian Alps. We will kick off our weekend with white water rafting the first

day, canyoning on day two and peak bagging by means of klettersteig on day three. There will be plenty of time for self-guided hikes, swimming, sauna and relaxation. Departs Outdoor Recreation May 25 at 6 a.m. and returns May 28 at 10 p.m.

June 2 Outdoor Rock Climbing

\$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 6, 13, 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. Departs Outdoor Recreation at 5 p.m. and returns at 9 p.m.

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June 9 Europa Park

\$65

Europa Park is one of the premier theme park destinations in Europe. Relax and let Bamberg Outdoor Recreation take care of the driving. Children ages 4-12 are \$55; 4 and under are \$45. Entrance fee not included (32 euros per person, ages 4 and up).

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.

Bamberg Movie Schedule AAFES Reel Time Theater is Closed Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Thu	May 17	Project X (R)	7 p.m.
Fri	May 18	Marvel's The Avengers (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Sat	May 19	John Carter (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		Marvel's The Avengers (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Sun	May 20	Marvel's The Avengers (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		Silent House (R)	7 p.m.
Mon	May 21	Marvel's The Avengers (PG-13)	7 p.m.
Thu	May 24	Silent House (R)	7 p.m.
Fri	May 25	Dark Shadows (N/A)	7 p.m.
Sat	May 26	A Thousand Words (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		Dark Shadows (N/A)	7 p.m.
Sun	May 27	A Thousand Words (PG-13)	3 p.m.
		Dark Shadows (N/A)	7 p.m.
Mon	May 28	Contraband (R)	7 p.m.
Thu	May 31	Underworld Awakening (R)	7 p.m.

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Eco-Friendly Tips

Water-saving Tips

- 1. Think before throwing used water down the drain, e.g. water in a pan after cooking. This could be reused for watering plants around the house or in the garden when cooled down.
- 2. Install a rainwater tank in the garden to collect the rain water. This will mean you always have water for watering the garden without the need to use fresh water from the hose.

Energy-saving Tips

- 1. Don't leave your mobile phone charging all night it only needs a couple of hours.
- 2.Towel dry your hair thoroughly to cut down the time you'll have to use your hairdryer.

Recycling Tips

- 1. Use canvas bags instead of plastic bags for shopping. It takes up to 1,000 years for a plastic bag to decompose.
- 2. Read up on the recycling rules for your area and make sure you don't send anything in that can't be processed. Each city has its own specifics, so try to follow those guidelines as best you can.



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2010 Volkswagon Jetta Sedan, S Model for sale. Grey. AC, CD player, power windows, power locks, front heated seats, keyless entry. 19,500 miles. Asking \$14,500. If interested, call 0951-300-8870 or 01626089728.

2002 Toyota Camry XLE for sale. AUTOMATIC Dark blue exterior with grey leather interior. Electric windows, seats, sunroof, mirrors, and HEATED front seats. Four door, ample trunk space, and 6-disk cd player. Never been in accident. GREAT family car! BRAND NEW Spec tires. US Spec and mileage is 191K miles. Asking price is \$5200 OBO Make an offer! Call Priscila Solis for more info at 01525-3901479 or email asolispriscila@gmail.com for pictures or questions.

2005 BMW 118d, 45+ mpg turbo diesel, 6 speed manual, 5 door hatchback, Euro Spec, 98000 miles, snow and summer tires/rims, onboard GPS/ computer, heated seats, parking assist, PCSing must sell. Asking \$10,500. Call Robert 01607837935 or email lucasbmw118@yahoo.com.

\$3800 OBO 1997 Ford Mondeo, Grey 4 door, Euro Spec, Automatic, sunroof. Passed inspection Sept. 19. New windshield and rear bumper, clean interior, very room. Car runs great on and off the autobahn Central

Phone:0160-985-45227.

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Opel Astra Coupe, 1999, red, 92000 miles, german specs, MP3 Player-CD, very clean and in good condition, new muffler, new brakes. Asking: \$3000 MISCELLANEOUS obo, for more pics or information please contact e_sapper@hotmail.com.

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.

The USAG Bamberg Community Chapel is currently accepting applications for Watchcare providers for the Watchcare Program. Performance period 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. applymyexchange.com or by calling Human Resources Office at 0951-303159.

Texas College-Europe

degree or higher and a minimum of hotmail.com. five years work experience in the maintenance field or a bachelor's degree and a minimum of three years apartment. 1 kitchen with built in work experience in the maintenance field or A.S.E. Certification. For more information, call 0951-300-7467; or email bamberg@europe.ctcd.edu.

A ring was found on May 12 in front of Pio 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@ vahoo.de.

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

Home needed for 2 loving cats. 1 male (8vrs-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.

just 10 minutes away from Bamberg. Bed and Mattress - \$330; Dresser 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 riesr@t-online.de. 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: 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.

Couch - \$300: TV For Sale: Entertainment Center - \$80; Pier 1 Large Apartment 2 bedroom and studio Papasan Chair - \$65; Queen Size \$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:

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Outside the Gate

Events in and around Bamberg

Guided tours are a good way to get to know the place you are living or stationed. It is a good way to spend time outside, with friends or family. Check this website available in English on guided tours http:// www.bamberg.info/en/stadtfuehrungen/

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.dvvwandern. 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:// All dates, and tickets are available on the following website http:// www.dvv-wandern.de/v_vb/10. For information on the German-American Volksmarching Club Bamberg (Deutsch-Amerikanischer artistPages%2Ftickets&fun=artist&action=tickets&erid=637247&inclu Wanderclub Bamberg) and information in English you can contact Mr. deOnlybookable=true Wolfgang Keller, Warner Barracks, building 7090, room 103, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 3-5 p.m.

You have 144 days left to visit the Bavarian Garden Show in Bamberg! Learn how honey is made and how insects help your garden, enjoy Aug. 25 Rock Im Pott feat. Red Hot Chili Peppers, Placebo and more various street games, kids crafts, bouncy castles and more; find new trends for outdoor-living, outdoor lounges and modern plants. Enjoy the Bavarian Poetry Slam Competition (May 17-19) or enjoy a sneak preview of the musical "Flowerpower" (May 20, 5 p.m.).

Visit http://www.bamberg2012.de/web/en/index.php for details.

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 May 18-20

Friday, May 18

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. "Fascinating Gardens", one of Germany's nicest garden markets, at Schloss Weissenstein, Schloss 1, 96178 Pommersfelden, 09548/981811/981272; www.faszination-garten.de; 8 p.m. Sound Infect: Rocknight, feat. five newcomer bands, at Live-Club, Obere Sandstraße 7, 96049 Bamberg

10 p.m. Drosophila Sound; Balkan Beats, Gypsy, Reggae, Electro, at Morph Club, Luitpoldstr. 17, 96052 Bamberg; www.myspace.com/ gypsysoundsystem

Saturday, May 19

10 a.m. Bicycle Marathon "Little Swiss," at Naisa, 96123 Litzendorf. 2:30-4:30 p.m. The Middle ages - hands-on tour for kids, 8 years and older. Sign up is required and costs €4.50, call 0951-871108, starts at Schloss Geyerswörth, Geyerswörthstr. 1, 96047 Bamberg

9 p.m. Second Try Blues Band (blues, southern rock), at Jazzclub Bamberg e.V., Obere Sandstr. 18, 96050 Bamberg

9 p.m. Wild Evel & The Trash Bones/The Satelliters, live concert at Sound'n Arts Club, Sandstraße 20, 96049 Bamberg

10 p.m. Kali Yuga meets Irie Crew (France) (reggae, dancehall), at Morph Club, Luitpoldstr. 17, 96052 Bamberg

Sunday, May 20

9:30 am. International Museum's Day, at various museum in Bamberg. Experience Bamberg's museums from a new point of view: Scavenger hunts for kids, workshops, guided tours, music, at various museum: details available at www.museum.bamberg.de (available in English)

10 a.m. "Maibaum-Run", at Markt- und Hauptstraße, 96138 Burgebrach. Details: www.maibaumlauf.de

10 a.m. Mountain Bike Marathon "Little Swiss", at Naisa, 96123 Litzendorf

Bike Sunday Tour, starts at Touristinformation, Geyerswoerthstrasse 5, approx. 3 hours, moderate tour with a stop at a guest house, using the Pettstadt ferry. Contact: 0176 380 80 530 (ticket required).

11 a.m. 12 Art Rooms, from Piccasso to Beuys, at Stadtgalerie Bamberg - Villa Dessauer, Hainstraße 4 a, 96047 Bamberg, Tel. (0951) 871861

5 p.m. Flowerpower, musical preview of Bamberg's E.T.A Hofmanns theater's latest musical production, at Landesgartenschau bayernhafen Bühne, Weidendamm 150, 96047 Bamberg (requires a ticket to the Bavarian Garden Show).

7:30 p.m. Magical Evening, music, magic and entertainment, at Café Piano Bar, Obstmarkt 10, 96047 Bamberg

National Concert Schedule

www.eventim.de/project-pitchwork-tickets.html?affiliate=GMD&doc=

June 1 Rock Im Park tickets start at 164,50 euros

July 26 Kool and the Gang, Stadthalle Fuerth

Aug. 10 Taubertal Festival feat. Placebo, Beatsteaks etc.

Aug. 29 Green Day and special guests: Angels and Airwave, Warstiener Hockey Park, Monchengladbach, 6 p.m.

Aug. 30 Green Day and special guests: Angels and Airwave, Kindl-Buhne Wuhlheide, Berlin, 6 p.m.

Sept. 19 Nickelback, o2 World Hamburg, Hamburg, 8 p.m.

Sept. 21 Nickelback, Lanxess Arena, Koln, 8 p.m.

Sept. 22 Nickelback, Festhalle, Frankfurt, 8 p.m.

Visit the city of Bamberg's official website

