



Schweinfurt Dispatch

Serving the military community of Schweinfurt

Thursday, November 18, 2010



News Briefs

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Bernie McGrenahan

This comedian and motivational speaker comes to the Ledward Theater Thursday and Friday Nov. 18 and 19. He performs two shows daily, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. His unique approach to substance abuse and safety issues blends humor with an important inspirational message. [More...](#)

Native American Lunch

In honor of Native American heritage month, Ledward library hosts a Native-themed lunch Tuesday, Nov. 23. Come to taste real Native American fry bread. Don't miss out in acknowledging the first Americans and celebrating their vibrant and living traditions. [More...](#)

Bulk Trash

Tuesday, Nov. 23 is bulk trash pick-up day at Askren Manor, Yorktown Village and government-leased housing. Place large items of trash outside before 7 a.m., but no earlier than the day before. Bulk trash includes items too large to fit in your vehicle. For more, call 09721-96-6201.

Network Interruption

There will be possible computer and electricity network service interruptions for USAG Schweinfurt on Thursday, Nov. 25 due to repairs on Ledward Barracks. All computer users in garrison offices should restart their computers at the end of Wednesday, Nov. 24 and leave them switched on during the holiday.

DFAC Thanksgiving Meals

If you're around on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25, be sure to come to either the Ledward or Conn dining facility between 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. to partake in a Thanksgiving meal. Enjoy a home-cooked meal and be sure to fuel-up to laze the afternoon away in true holiday style. View the complete menus at the [DFAC web page](#).

Health Clinic Closed

The Schweinfurt Health Clinic will be closed Thursday and Friday, Nov. 25 and 26. In the event of a medical emergency, go to the [nearest German emergency room](#). For health questions, contact the TRICARE nurse advice line, 0800-825-1600.

Turkey Trot

The free Thanksgiving fun run is on Saturday, Nov. 20 at 9 a.m. at Kessler fitness center. Register beforehand or day-of, 7:30-8:30 a.m. There are options of either 5 or 10k for adults and 2,3 or 5K for children over six. Call 09721-96-6735.

BOSS Paris Trip

For those looking for a taste of travel during the long Thanksgiving weekend, BOSS is offering a trip to Paris from Nov. 25-28. The trip includes a city tour of Paris and a tour of Versailles. Cost is €350 for double-occupancy or €515 for a single room. Sign up immediately, this trip depends on advance registration to move forward. For more, call 09721-96-8476.

CFC-O

The Combined Federal Campaign-Overseas is the largest charity fund-raising drive among government employees. Our community has raised \$58,644.04, but we still have a long way to go. Visit the [CFC-O page](#) for information on how you can donate. The campaign runs through Dec. 3.



LT. GEN. RICK LYNCH

Commander of U.S. Army
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Building resiliency and restoring balance

By Lt. Gen. Rick Lynch

Given the Army's 235-year history, resiliency is a relatively new word in our vocabulary. We hear it often nowadays, from the highest levels of leadership on down, as we talk about how we are addressing the effects of nine years of conflict. There may be a danger that someone will hear the word once too often and tune it out as the latest buzz word. However, we need to keep talking about it until every member of the Army community-every Soldier, Civilian and Family member-hears it and gets the message that we want them not only to survive, but to thrive.

When we in the Army talk about resiliency, we are talking about more than the ability to bounce back from adversity.

Read the complete article [here](#).

Lt. Gen. Rick Lynch's monthly message recognizes the strains on the Army's forces and their families. Lynch stresses the importance of incorporating resiliency into the regular routines of life and to take time to appreciate the things you love.



Learn to "Hyper-mile"

There are many strategies you can employ to save gas while driving. Avoid jack-rabbit starts, shift gears earlier, shut off your engine when stopped for trains, inflate tires to maximum pressure and remove unused roof racks.

NATIVE AMERICAN ★★ HERITAGE MONTH ★★

Native American food sampling at
Ledward Library | Tuesday, Nov. 23
[More...](#)



Ledward Theater

Ledward Barracks, Bldg. 238
DSN 354-1790, CIV 09721-96-1790

Thu, Nov. 18	7 p.m.	Machete (R)
Fri, Nov. 19	7 p.m.	Paranormal Activity 2 (R)
Sat, Nov. 20	4 p.m.	Resident Evil:Afterlife (R)
	7 p.m.	Paranormal Activity 2
Sun, Nov. 21	4 p.m.	Resident Evil:Afterlife
	7 p.m.	Paranormal Activity 2
Mon, Nov. 22	closed	
Tue, Nov. 23	closed	
Wed, Nov. 24	7 p.m.	The American (R)
Thu, Nov. 25	closed	
Fri, Nov. 26	3 p.m.	Megamind (PG)
	7 p.m.	The American
Sat, Nov. 27	4 p.m.	Megamind
	7 p.m.	Due Date (R)
Sun, Nov. 28	4 p.m.	Megamind
	7 p.m.	Due Date

SPRECHEN SIE FUN?

Events and activities in the local communities

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON LOCAL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS VISIT:
www.schweinfurtserver.de/user/tourismus/Neu/stadtplan_EN_Endversion_2008.pdf

Thu, Nov. 18:



La Traviata, by Giuseppe Verdi, comes to Schweinfurt's [Theater der Stadt](#), Roßbrunstraße 2. A story of a courtesan in 18th century Paris who finds her one true love, this Italian opera is one of the best-loved works to ever take the stage. Tickets from €23-36, and the show runs through Mon, Nov. 21, playing at 7:30 p.m. each night. Call 09721-51741.

Latin Jam Connections at [Disharmonie](#), Gutermann Promenade 7, 8 p.m. Their musical mix is culturally diverse. Tickets €8-12. Call 09721-28895.



Fri, Nov. 19:



Fat Joe at Megadrom, Adolf-Ley-Straße 6. This New York rapper, known for his work with Big Pun and the "Lean Back" dance, brings hip-hop to Schweinfurt's Megadrom. [More...](#)

Audiolith festival at Würzburg's [Posthalle](#), a 30 minute drive away. This showcase of electronic, dance and DJ music kicks off at 8:30 p.m., featuring Egotronic, Frittenbude and We Are ENFANT TERRIBLE. Tickets are €13.



Sat, Nov. 20:



Trash Film Festival at [Stattbahnhof](#), Altebahnhofstraße 8-12, 8 p.m. This is a collection of short films from the most hilariously bad low-budget and homemade productions. Entrance is only €2, and even if the language is in German, the good times are universal.

Irish Music live at Disharmonie, Gutermann Promenade 7, 8 p.m. Sean Keane & Band come from County Galway in Western Ireland and play a traditional blend of flute, fiddle and bagpipe tunes. Tickets €12-18.



Blues Power plays at [Tapas Bar](#), Wilhelmstraße 17. Come see some down-home blues in down-town Schweinfurt, starting at 9 p.m.



Christmas and Advent Markets start in several local villages, including Geldersheim, Sömmersdorf, Weyer and Euerbach, all within 15-20 of Schweinfurt. These markets offer local crafts, sweets and holiday specialties. Get your shopping season started early.



FORCE PROTECTION

IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

Avoid demonstrations and political gatherings

- With the global economic crisis taking its toll in Europe, there are many planned marches and demonstrations against government policies of Germany and other nations. Be sure to steer clear of these gatherings.
- Though American presence and the military's role may not be the focus of a demonstration, unexpected events and spur-of-the-moment actions may overtake a crowd. Be aware of scheduled gatherings and plan to stay away from them.



- Thu, Nov. 18 --Ledward Library offers a chess club for kids, grade 4–6, every Thursday, 4–6 p.m. Sign up in advance, spaces are limited. For details, call 09721-96-1740.
- BOSS meet and greet at Finney Rec Center, 1 p.m. For details, call 09721-96-8476.
- Free class “Basic Welding” at the Conn Auto Skills Center, 7 p.m. Call 09721-96-8224.
- Join ACS for its monthly lunch brunch. Meet at ACS at 11 a.m. Call 09721-96-6933 for details.
- Fri, Nov. 19 --Deadline to register for youth basketball (ages 3–18) and cheerleading (ages 6-18 years). Visit Parent Central Services or call 09721-96-6517.
- Parents night out at the Child Development Center and School Age Center, 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. For more information, call Parent Central Services, 09721-96-6414.
- Sweet Dream story time at Ledward Library. Put on your best PJs and come listen to stories. In honor of Native American history month, make your own dreamcatcher. 6:30 p.m. For more information, call 09721-96-1740.
- Sat, Nov. 20 --Turkey Trot fun run at Kessler fitness center, 9 a.m. On-site registration 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. This free event offers the option of either 5 or 10K for adults and 2, 3 or 5K for children six and older. For more information, call 09721-96-6735.
- All garrison Post Offices and CMRs will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. today.
- Mon, Nov. 22 --Every Monday Ledward Library offers: EDGE Junior Journalists from 3:30–5:30 p.m. and Zeens for Teens from 5:30–6:30 p.m. For details, call 09721-96-1740.
- Tue, Nov. 23 --BOSS meeting at Finney fitness center, 2 p.m. For details, call 09721-96-8476.
- Buddhist meditation group meets at Ledward Chapel, 5:30 p.m. For more, call 09721-96-6860.
- Wed, Nov. 24 --Every Wednesday Ledward Library offers: a Soldier In-Processing Class at 9:30 a.m. and Children’s Story Time & Crafts, at 10 a.m. For details, call 09721-96-1740.
- BOSS hosts Thanksgiving dinner, 6 p.m. at Finney fitness center. Call 09721-96-8476.
- Thu, Nov. 25 --Kessler bowling is open on Thanksgiving Day. Come in to bowl off those extra calories!
- Tue, Nov. 30 --BOSS Movie night, 6 p.m. at Finney fitness center. For more, call 09721-96-8476.
- Thu-Sat, Dec.2-4--Furniture sale road show at Finney fitness center hosted by the Main Exchange.
- Fri, Dec. 3 --Holiday tree lighting at 4:30 p.m., Andrus Garden on Ledward Barracks. All members of the community are invited to attend.
- Sat, Dec. 4 --Register now for child care Dec. 11, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. \$20 per child, all immunizations must be current. Contact Parent Central Services, 09721-96-6517.
- Operation Askren Clean Sweep meets in front of the commissary at 9 a.m. Volunteers wanted!
- Every Saturday until February ODR offers night skiing and snowboarding in Wasserkuppe, Rhön. Depart 5 p.m. and return 11 p.m. Transportation cost is \$19. Call 09721-96-8080

Community outlook calendar

NAVY ENTERTAINMENT AND ARMED FORCES ENTERTAINMENT PRESENT

SPALDING
THE ORIGINAL
HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS
www.harlemglobetrotters.com

Mon, December 6
Finney Fitness Center
Conn Barracks, Bldg. 64
Doors Open: 6 p.m.
Game Begins: 7 p.m.
Autographs: 9 p.m.

NAVY ENTERTAINMENT ARMED FORCES

Free tickets available for military ID cardholders at Finney starting Mon, Nov 22. For more info, call 09721-96-6225.

SWEET DREAM STORY TIME
Fri, November 19: 6:30 p.m.

In honor of Native American Heritage Month, we'll share tall tales of tricksters & ravers! Be sure to wear your best PJs. Customers of all ages are welcome to participate.

Ledward Library
Ledward Barracks, Bldg. 242
09721-96-1740/DSN 354-1740

the edge

Have Fun with Us in November & December!

Photography
Bowling & Pizza
Fitness
Auto Maintenance
Arts & Crafts

Edge is free & for youth in grades 6-12

★ Winter Break Bonus! ★
Basketball Camp & Ice Skating

For details & sign up, call Parent Central Services: 09721-96-6414/DSN 354-6414

2010 ARMY PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST
ENTRY DEADLINE NOV 30

Submit entries, view category descriptions, see official rules & view gallery of 2009 winners at arts.armymwr.com

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