



Schweinfurt Dispatch

Serving the military community of Schweinfurt

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News Briefs

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Halloween Events

The USAG Schweinfurt community offers a variety of Halloween events and gatherings, including a haunted house, trick-or-treat, photos with a monster and a harvest festival. [More...](#)

Friday Black Out

Join in and do your part for Energy Conservation Month, which ends this week. On Friday, Oct. 29, all members of the community should shut off all non-essential electronics from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. See how little electricity you require to live your life in these two hours, and adjust your habits accordingly. [More...](#)

Palm Beach Trip

Outdoor Recreation is hosting a trip to Palm Beach in Nürnberg on Saturday, Oct. 30. This indoor pool and beach park is the perfect way to beat the chilly weather. The bus leaves Bldg. 50 on Conn Barracks at 10 a.m. and returns at 5 p.m. Transportation costs \$10, admission from €3.50-13.50, depending on age. Call 09721-96-6225.

SMS Family Fun Night

Schweinfurt Middle School hosts this event on Saturday, Oct. 30, with chili cook-off, a café run by the 8th grade and bingo. Support for our Middle School. [More...](#)

Fall Backward

Daylight Savings Time for 2010 ends at 1 a.m. on Sunday, Oct. 31. Before going to sleep on Saturday night, be sure to set your clocks back one hour.

SNAPS Week

Learn about life in Germany, including shopping, healthcare and more at the weeklong Schweinfurt Newcomer's Awareness Program for Spouses, 9 a.m., Monday, Nov. 1 at ACS, Bldg. 242, Ledward Barracks. Advance registration recommended. Call 09721-96-6933. [More..](#)

NAF Open Season

From Nov. 1-30, regular NAF employees (RFT & RPT) will be eligible to make changes to health insurance, life insurance and long-term care plans. Call Elke Davis, 09721-96-6444. [More...](#)

Open Sporting Events

Register now through Nov. 19 for the Turkey Trot fun run, a free event on Nov. 20. Also register now through Nov. 15 for unit level basketball, open to male and female Soldiers, with coed teams allowed. Season begins Nov. 23. Register for either basketball or the fun run at the Finney Fitness center. [More...](#)

Food Handling Permit

Food handling certification is a requirement if you are serving any prepared foods to the public. This certificate can be a requirement for many jobs on post. The next certification class is Dec. 16. Space is limited to 30 people per class, so reserve a spot now. Call 09662-83-2041. [More...](#)

Clinic Closure

The Health Clinic will be closed Nov. 25-26 in observance of Thanksgiving. Please plan accordingly. In the event of a medical emergency, go to the nearest German emergency room. For health-related questions, call the TRICARE Nurse Advice Line, 0800-825-1600.



Returning Soldiers ease into home life

By Charles Stadlander

As Soldiers from 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment, 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team return from their yearlong deployment to Afghanistan, some of them may face unexpected debts and legal issues arising from problems that may have been small when they left a year ago, but grew into major obstacles while they were gone.

Though the first Soldiers of the squadron have arrived in Schweinfurt, hundreds more are due to come home over the next several weeks. For many of them, the stresses of battle may be replaced by more domestic troubles, complicating what they expect to be a joyful return home.

Read the complete article [here](#).

Soldiers from 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment, 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team listen to a briefing from Capt. Amy Stone from Schweinfurt's JAG office on their first day of reintegration after a year in Afghanistan. Part of the reintegration is helping Soldiers fix legal or financial problems that may have arisen while deployed.



Bracing for the Winter

There are free and easy ways to save energy in winter. Open your curtains during the day to let sunshine warm the air in your home. If you have a fireplace, don't use it. It's more efficient to block it up to stop warm air from escaping.

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Ledward Theater

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

Thu, Oct. 28	7 p.m.	Eat, Pray, Love (PG13)
Fri, Oct. 29	7 p.m.	Eat, Pray, Love
Sat, Oct. 30	4 p.m.	Secretariat (PG)
	7 p.m.	Lottery Ticket (PG-13)
Sun, Oct. 31	4 p.m.	Secretariat
	7 p.m.	Lottery Ticket
Mon, Nov. 1	closed	
Tue, Nov. 2	closed	
Wed, Nov. 3	7 p.m.	Vampires Suck (PG-13)
Thu, Nov. 4	7 p.m.	Vampires Suck
Fri, Nov. 5	7 p.m.	Red (PG-13)
Sat, Nov. 6	4 p.m.	The Last Exorcism (PG-13)
	7 p.m.	Red
Sun, Nov. 7	4 p.m.	The Last Exorcism
	7 p.m.	Red

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

Fri, Oct. 29:



Circus Roncalli is still in the Würzburg Talavera, a 35 minute drive. This acclaimed circus takes down the bigtop Oct. 31. Tickets between €14-49. [More...](#)

Jazz and Blues at Brauhaus Keller, Marktplatz, 8 p.m. Sydney Ellis, sings jazz and blues with The Mid-night Preachers. USD accepted. [More...](#)



Sat, Oct. 30:



Halloween Party at Stadtbahnhof, Alte Bahnhofstraße 8-12, 10 p.m. Come for a spine-chilling time and the best dancing in town. Of course, costumes are strongly encouraged. €3 admission. [More...](#)

Gypsy Jazz and Swing at Dis-harmonie, Gutermann Promenade 7. The Joscho Stephan Quartet plays their hot guitar French-style jazz at 8 p.m. [More...](#)



Sun, Oct. 31:



Dubliners, 8 p.m. at the JAKO Arena in Bamberg, a 40 minute drive. This iconic Irish folk band has been performing traditional music from the Emerald Isle for nearly 50 years. Tickets from €26-€40. [More...](#)

Sun, Oct. 31 (continued):



Italian brunch in the Schloss Sulzheim, a 20 minute drive. Enjoy an indulgent Italian brunch in a local castle. For reservations, call 09382-8628.

Wed, Nov. 03:

Maceo Parker at the Posthalle in Würzburg, a 30 minute drive. This legendary funk and soul saxophonist played in Parliament-Funkadelic and James Brown's band. Tickets are €30. [More...](#)



Thu, Nov. 04:



BANE, the well-known hardcore punk band from Boston, comes to the Stadtbahnhof, Alte Bahnhofstraße 8-12, 8:30 p.m. Opening acts include Trapped Under Ice and Alpha & Omega. [More...](#)

Fri, Oct. 29:

FABO at Megadrom, Adolf-Ley-Straße 6. This Atlanta rapper, once part of D4L, brings hip-hop to Schweinfurt through Megadrom's Mega-Friday American Rap nights. [More...](#)



Sat, Nov. 11:



WWE SmackDown in Nürnberg's Arena Versicherung, an 80 minute drive or train ride. Buy tickets early for this event featuring Undertaker and Kane. Tickets from €49-90. [More...](#)

FORCE PROTECTION

IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

What do I need to know about Facebook?

- Protect your personal information from people you don't know. You can set your information to private and allow it only for people that are your "friends."
- Of course, in order for this to protect you, you should be careful who you add as friends. Only add people you know personally, not people who have been recommended to you that you have never met.



- Thu, Oct. 28
 - 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.
 - Haunted House on Conn Barracks, Building 20. 8 p.m.-midnight. \$7 admission / \$3 children aged 9 and under. A kid-friendly version of this event is on Oct. 30. Call 09721-96-6225.
- Fri, Oct. 29
 - Voluntary energy blackout for the garrison. Help practice conservation and shut off all but essential electronics from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. today.
- Sat, Oct. 30
 - Haunted House on Conn Barracks, Bldg. 20. The kid-friendly edition is 2–5 p.m. A more frightening version takes place 8 p.m. –midnight. \$7 admission / \$3 children aged 9 and under. Food and drink for sale at event. For details, call 09721-96-6225.
 - The men’s Invitational Basketball tournament is at Finney fitness center, Conn Barracks, today and tomorrow, 9 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. each day.
- Sun, Oct. 31
 - The PX is hosting their annual Photos with Frankenstein from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. today. Show up in costume prior to the Askren Trick or Treat.
 - Ledward Chapel’s harvest festival at the Ledward Activity Center, 6-8 p.m. Call 09721-96-6860.
 - Haunted House on Conn Barracks, Building 20. 8 p.m.-midnight. \$7 admission / \$3 children aged 9 and under. Food and drink for sale at event. For details, call 09721-96-6225.
 - Trick or Treat Street at the School Age Center, Askren Manor, 3–6 p.m.
 - Community Trick or Treat on Askren Manor, 6–8 p.m.
- Mon, Nov. 1
 - 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. 2
 - Buddhist meditation group meets at Ledward Chapel, 5:30 p.m. For more, call 09721-96-6860.
- Wed, Nov. 3
 - 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.
- Thu, Nov. 4
 - Free class “Basic Brake Maintenance” at the Conn Auto Skills Center, 7 p.m. Call 09721-96-8224.
- Sat, Nov. 6
 - Schweinfurt Middle School flea market sponsored by PTSA, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. For more information, call 09721-966815 or 0151-102-44591. [More...](#)
 - Operation Askren Clean Sweep open to entire community. Volunteers meet at commissary, 9 a.m.
 - The Askren sort yard closes today for renovations, reopening Nov. 8 at the original location.
- Sun, Nov. 7
 - All AAFES/Esso gas ration cards will not work *for today only*. This is for mandatory computer system maintenance. This includes on-post stations and off-post Esso stations. Plan accordingly.
- Tue, Nov. 9
 - Weight loss support group meets at Ledward Library, 5:30 p.m. For details, call 09721-96-6791.
 - BOSS meeting at Finney Rec 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.

Community outlook calendar



See Paris!

**Thanksgiving Weekend:
Thurs, Nov 25-Sun, Nov 28**

Take a city tour, visit the Palace of Versailles & more! Call us today for prices & details. Trip is open to community adults (single soldiers have priority).

Finney Rec Center
09721-96-8476/DSN 353-8474

Opportunities for your Preschooler at the Schweinfurt Child Development Center

Part-Day Preschool:
A program for three-year-olds. Choose Tues & Thurs, 8:30-11:30 a.m., or Mon, Weds & Fri, 8:30-11:30 a.m. Your fee is based on an income scale.

Strong Beginnings:
A preparatory program for children age four who will begin Kindergarten in the next school year. Sessions run Mon-Fri, 1-4 p.m. Your fee is based on an income scale.

For more info, contact:
CYSS Parent Central Services
Ledward Barracks, Bldg. 224
09721-96-6414/DSN 354-6414




NOV FITNESS CLASSES

Finney Fitness Center:
Functional Fitness*:
Group A: Mon & Weds, 6:15-8 p.m.
Group B: Tues & Thurs, 6:15-8 p.m.
*Space limited to five people per group. Sign up in advance.

Kessler Fitness Center:
Pilates: Mon, 12-12:30 p.m.
Power Yoga Beginner: Weds, 9-10 a.m.
Power Yoga: Thurs, 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Spinning*: Mon & Weds, 5:30-6:30 p.m.
*Final class on Nov 17.

Kessler:
09721-96-6735/DSN 354

Finney:
09721-96-8234/DSN 353



HAUNTED HOUSE

CONN BARRACKS, BLDG 20 (DFAC BASEMENT)

Thurs, Oct 28 & Fri, Oct 29: 8 p.m.-Midnight
Sat, Oct 30: 2-5 p.m. (Kid Friendly) & 8 p.m.-Midnight
Sun, Oct 31: 2-8 p.m.

Admission Fees: \$7 for age 10 & up
\$3 for age 9 & under

