

The Scout Time Out

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Southeast Arizona Butterfly Association

Southeast Arizona Association Butterfly field trip, April 19, at the Patagonia Lake State Park, on Highway 82 between Patagonia and Nogales. Meet at the trailhead parking area at the east end of park at 9 a.m. Dress for the field by wearing sturdy shoes, hat, water, close-focus binoculars, sunscreen and bring lunch. The cost will be \$5. In case of inclement weather, the trip will be canceled. For more information, call 520-803-9700 or visit www.naba.org/chapters/nabasa/home.html.

Operation sustaining families

Arizona's Ranchers and the Arizona Beef Industry are hosting a barbecue for the families of deployed servicemembers, April 27, 2-5 p.m. It will be held at the La Hacienda Ramada area. The event will feature live entertainment, jumping castles. To reserve space, call the unit Family Readiness Group leader, or Pam Allen at 533-5919. Invitations must be brought in order to gain admittance.

Local art displayed at area businesses

The Huachuca Art Association announces its artists scheduled to display their artwork at Sierra Vista businesses in April. Jane Pitts will have her paintings on display at ACE Hardware. The work of Jane Ballard will be gracing the Bella Vista Water Company. Cake Janssen's art will be exhibited at the Ethel Berger Center.

Two artist's, Louise d'A. Fairchild and Susan Boyle, will show their work at Fidelity National Title at 2435 E. Fry Blvd. Liz Plaisance's art will be viewed at Fidelity National Title at 333 Wilcox Drive. Lupe Rulapaugh and Jane Ballard, will show their work at Southwest Gas Corp.

For more information, call Sue Thatcher 378-2000, John Marvin 803-6697, Sue Olivo 803-1035, or Wendy Breen 378-1763.

Schedule physicals

Beat the rush, schedule your sports/school physical now for children ages 5-13. To schedule an appointment, call 533-920.

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Cochise Classic

Three post schools lead the way at the Cochise Classic, 26 schools competed. See page B2.

ICW's superstars of wrestling battle it out at Eifler gym



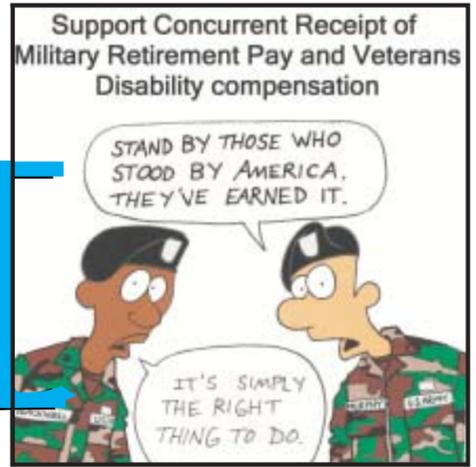
Bad guy Buff Bagwell incites the crowd before losing his match against Britain's Norman Smiley. Bagwell went on to acknowledge soldiers in Kuwait and Afghanistan.



The Disco Inferno brings the pain and evokes a painful scream from the Navajo Warrior, Saturday at Eifler Gym.

BY STAFF SGT.
SHARRON STEWART
TIME OUT EDITOR

More than 500 screaming fans packed Eifler Gym Saturday in order to enjoy six International Championship Wrestling matches. The night also featured a bought between ICW nemeses, Erica and Nikki.



By Mark Baker

Pat Murphy's Law

111th hosts Commander's Readiness Conference run

BY CAPT. BRIAN GREENE
306TH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE
BATTALION

The 306th Military Intelligence Battalion sponsored the 111th Military Intelligence Brigades Commander's Readiness Conference run Friday. This is a monthly event designed for the leadership within the 111th MI Bde. to build esprit de corps while promoting healthy competition.

With the deactivation of the 112th MI Bde., two battalions, 304th and 306th reorganized under the 111th MI BDE. April's CRC event gave the 111th MI Bde. a chance to welcome the 304th and 306th.

The 306th sponsored the 5-mile run team run event which was composed of five and two man teams from the 111th MI Bde. Prior to the run, all participants donated food to the Main Post

Chapel's Food Locker Program. Based on the amount of food donated by each team, time would be subtracted from the final teams' score.

The route was a challenging run from Apache Flats up to Radar ridge and back. The winners were:

Five-man team run:
111th brigade staff team with an average time of 45 minutes and 54 seconds

Maj. Ed Riehle
Maj. George Peters
Capt. Daniel Octaviano
Mast Sgt. Mark Myers
Sgt. 1st Class Jeremy House

Two man team run
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 111th with an average time of 39 minutes and 49 seconds.

Capt. Salah Kayed
Sgt. 1st Class William Reed.

Five man team run with food subtraction: 306th MI

BN Staff team with an average time of 43.45

Maj. Jim Baker
Maj. Dan Corey
Sgt. Thupten Tsering
Sgt. Brian Flower
Staff Sgt. John Copeland
Two man team run with food subtraction:

Company A, 309th with an average time of 41.06
Capt. Khot Soumaniphanh and 1st Sgt. David Sargent.

This event lead to tremendous donations being given to the Chapel's Food Locker Program. Overall, nearly 100 bags of groceries were donated along with three to 400 pounds of dried goods. Not only was the event a great way to restock the Food Locker Program during the part of the year when donations are lowest, but the CRC run was a successful event promoting healthy competition and a winning spirit by all.

Three armed forces hotels in Europe to close early

BY HARRIET E. RICE
ARMY NEWS SERVICE

Three Armed Forces Recreation Center hotels in Germany - two at Lake Chiemsee and one in Garmisch - will close a year earlier than planned, Army officials announced.

Remaining AFRC-Europe facilities in Garmisch will stay open while the new 330-room hotel on Sheridan Kaserne is under construction and proceeding on schedule to open in October 2004, when the Army originally planned to end all operations in Chiemsee and the hotel operations in Garmisch.

"Because of the world situation, we've had to adjust

our operations," said Pete Isaacs, chief operating officer at the U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center, which operates four Armed Forces Recreation Centers.

"Many of our customers in Europe are deployed to Operation Iraqi Freedom and their families are taking care of business at home. Understandably, vacations are on hold. As a result, current and predicted occupancy has fallen dramatically," Isaacs explained.

The Von Steuben Hotel in Garmisch will close on April 15. The Chiemsee Lake and Park Hotels will remain open through Labor Day and close permanently Sept. 2. This will allow for a full summer

of Lake Chiemsee operations, which will be heavily promoted for those who look forward to one last chance to enjoy the lakeside resort, officials said.

"We know this is a disappointment to those who love Lake Chiemsee, but we can't continue to operate at a substantial financial loss," said Isaacs, who was stationed in Germany while on active duty and is well aware of the sentiments attached to the historic hotel and grounds.

Another factor that impacts operations is increased force protection, which also tends to reduce vacation travel. "And we've had to deal with a 19-percent de-

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Too much, too little H2O can prove fatal

BY STAFF SGT.
SHARRON STEWART
TIME OUT EDITOR

"Drinking too much water can be as fatal as not drinking enough," said Bruce Heran, post safety officer. He said the symptoms of dehydration and over-hydration are similar to each other. Heat injuries are one of the top five safety areas of concern for the Army because many soldiers don't realize they can be life-threatening.

"Heat injuries can and have been fatal. Tragically there has already been an Army-related heat fatality this calendar year at another post," Heran said.

Heran said Fort Huachuca has been fortunate enough to have only four soldiers suffer climate-related injuries in the past two years. Two soldiers suffered from too much heat while the other two injuries were the result of soldiers over-hydrating themselves. "You can over-do the amount of water you drink. It's hard but it's possible," Heran said.

Hyponatremia, over-hydration, can occur by drinking too much water too quickly which dilutes sodium from the blood stream. The symptoms of over-hydration resemble the symptoms of heatstroke and heat ex-

haustion and include confusion, nausea, fatigue, muscle cramps, and weakness. He said the Army has suffered at least two deaths from soldiers drinking too much water. Heran said because over-hydration can be deadly, only trained medical professionals should make that diagnosis. "It's hard to tell which one you've got. If you are not trained and the person can't talk, get medical aid right away," Heran cautioned.

So far this year, Fort Huachuca does not have any climate related injuries.

"Here at Fort Huachuca, we are accustomed to heat. In the desert, we have learned to understand it and respect it. It's a tribute to our soldiers and leaders and in particular the drill instructors; they understand the dangers of heat injuries and monitor the troops closely. Simply put, people here watch out for and take care of their folks," Heran said.

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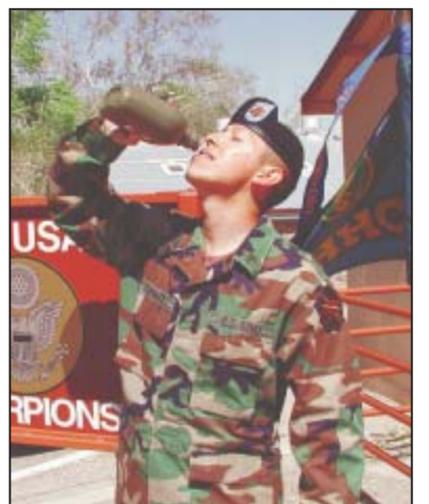


Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart

Sgt. Cuahutemoc Fernandez takes a break and keeps himself hydrated.

Post schools lead the way at Cochise Youth Classic, 26 schools compete

BY DON TORDSEN

MYER PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER

Five hundred and forty young athletes from twenty-six area schools, as well as home school, ran in six age and gender specific runs at the Eighth Annual Cochise Youth Classic Run but it was the three Fort Huachuca Accommodation Schools that lead the way. The event was held on Saturday, March 29 at Loveless Field on the Buena High School campus and was hosted by the Thunder Mountain Running Club under cold and very windy conditions.

The weather however did not dampen the enthusiasm of the participants or the spectators as many outstanding efforts were made on the new route that included parts of the Buena cross-country course. The four older children runs were 2.1 miles in length while the two younger class runs were just a little less than one mile. Team points were awarded for the first fifteen runners in each race as well as for total number of participants of the top three schools overall.

Letitia Luch, home schooled from Anchorage, Alaska and running in her second Cochise Youth Classic led seventy three other girls from start to finish and established the new course record in the 11 and 12 year old girls race with a clocking of 12:47.

Sister Delia Luch was second in 13:13 while Maria Bowman, Amanda Hupp, Mckeisha Daniels, and Viona Miller all of Smith Middle School claimed third place thru sixth with times of 13:25, 14:06, 15:04 and 15:05. Smith School then had two other runners cross the finish line among the next nine to claim the team championship trophy with 49 total points.

The Luch sisters scored 29 points between them to claim second place team for the home schooled while Apache Middle School, led by Cassie Butler in 9th and Katherine Eggers in 10th place scored 13 team points to take third. Myer Elementary School had Maddisyn Blue 11th in 16:29 and Kendra Messinger 13th in 16:34 to take fourth over-all with 8 team points.

There was a surprise of sorts in the 11 & 12 boys' race. Derek Lane of Smith Middle School outpaced Luis Martinez of Faras

School (Pirtleville) by nine seconds, 13:26 to 13:25 to win individual honors in front of 54 others. Jarom Shaver of SVMS then crossed the line in 14:09 to take third place while Cody Bayne of Myer Elementary School claimed 4th place in 14:13. Gordon Scott of Coronado then came in 5th in 14:13 and teamed up with Jake Bailey who finished 9th in 14:51. Myer School runners Raymond Pyle (11th, 15:10) and Matthew Krause (13th, 15:30) teamed up with Bayne to give Myer School just enough team points to take the first place team trophy with 20 total points. Both Smith Middle School and Coronado finished with 18 team points but Smith School was awarded second place team on basis of first overall runner.

A third Luch sister, Marcelyn, was the first of 97 9 and 10 year old girls to finish in a time of 13:16 but it was not enough to overcome the complete team effort of the General Myer Elementary School girls who had seven of the next 12 finishers: Angel Green (2nd in 14:32), Amadi Cooper (3rd in 15:09), Tasha Saffo (5th in 15:36), Brittany Gouger (8th in 16:09), McKinzie Frisbie (9th in 16:12), Gabriele Lesieur (11th in 16:18) and Breana Thompson (13th in 16:39). Jackie Saucedo of Town & Country finished 4th in 15:21 while teammate Alexis Labiche finished in 10th in 16:14 to give Town & Country School 2nd Place overall team with a total of 18 points. Home schooled was third with 15 points while the Myer School team had the best team score of the day with a total of 61 points to claim the championship trophy.

There were a total of 93 9 and 10 boys and the race closely mirrored that of the 9 & 10 girls as the General Myer Elementary School boys easily outpaced the competition. Myer School was led by Juan Ventura who finished first with a time of 14:15 and was joined by five more Myer School boys in the top fifteen: Ty Jenkins finished 4th in 15:09, Alex Sanchez; 5th in 15:13, Israel Ruiz; 7th in 15:38, Zachary Malotte; 8th in 15:47 and Justin Graham; 11th in 15:54 to give Myer School a total of 60 team points and the team championship. Brandon Stewart of Carmichael finished 6th in 15:37 to team up with Chalino Sanchez who was 2nd overall in 14:45 to give Carmichael Elementary the



Photo by Don Tordsen

Myer's nine- and ten-year-old girls participate in an awards ceremony.

second place team trophy while Luke Milloy of Town & Country finished 10th in 15:54 and was helped by teammates who finished in places 12-15 to score a total of 16 team points and finish in third place. Matthew Bowman of Col. Johnston Elementary School finished in third place with a time of 14:57 and scored 13 points to place Johnston School in fourth overall.

The younger runners races have historically been the largest and the Eighth Annual Cochise Youth Classic Run was no exception. Kimmy Barwick of Village Meadow Elementary School finished ahead of 95 other 6, 7 and 8 year old girls on the new out and back course that is measured at just less than one mile in length in a time of 7:03. Edith Baltierrez of Town & Country School finished in second with 7:06 and was joined by teammates Kirsten Storey (5th in 7:32), Fabiola Rubio (7th in 7:35), Alexandra Aguilar (12th in 7:41) and Brianna Hinson (14th in 7:43) to give Town & Country a team score of 40 points and the championship trophy.

Barwick had help from teammates Sarah Dunbar (8th in 7:37) and Aleiha Nelson (15th in 7:50) to give Village Meadows the second place team trophy with 24 points while Vanessa Zwiers of Col. Johnston Elementary School finished in 9th with a time of 7:37 and was helped by teammates Hannah Devine

(10th in 7:38), Jennifer Baier (11th in 7:40) and Sara Joiner (13th in 7:42) to help Col. Johnston School to the third place team trophy with 21 total points.

The largest run of the day was the last. At least 124 boys between the ages of 6-8 toed the start line with at least three parents who refused to leave the course.

Note: Next year any parent who refuses to follow race official directions will result in the disqualification of their child from the event.) David Martinez of Faras School (Pirtleville), was the overall winner with a time of 6:14 but was challenged by Ron Kendrick of Coronado (2nd in 6:25), Quentin Mendez of Village Meadows (3rd in 6:31), Jonathan Rodriguez of Town & Country (4th in 6:32) and Jordan Haymore of Huachuca Mtn. Elementary in 5th with a time of 6:33. Town & Country also had runners finish in 6th, 7th, 11th, 12th, and 13th to give them a team total of 43 points and the championship trophy. Mendez of Village Meadows was joined by Dillon Snyder (10th) and Jayden Keeler-Hill (14th) to give that school second while Faras of Pirtleville took home the third place team trophy with 15 points. Town and Country Elementary School had 202 runners registered while General Myer Elementary School had a total of 107 for 2nd place team participation. Col. Johnston Elementary had 56 total runners and finished in third place.

Free performance supports U.S. military

DESERT PLAYERS THEATRE

In a show of support for U.S. service personnel and their family members in southeastern Arizona, the Desert Players Theatre is offering a free performance of its upcoming stage production, *Move Over Mrs. Markham*, to military ID card holders. This includes National Guard and Reserve personnel who are currently performing active service as a result of the global war on Terrorism and ongoing operations in Afghanistan and Iraq.

The free performance is scheduled for 2 p.m., April 26, in the Cabaret Theater at the Temple of Music and Art, 330 S. Scott Ave., in downtown Tucson. Doors open at 1:30 p.m.

"The theater's board of directors unanimously agreed to absorb the cost of this performance to thank our troops and their families for the sacrifices they're making for our nation," said Cindy Thomas, president of Desert Players Theatre. "If we can help take their minds off the serious business of defending the country by offering an afternoon of live theater entertainment, then it will be well worth our effort," she added.

The Cabaret Theater's limited seating will only allow attendance by 80 persons, so

reservations are strongly recommended. Reservations may be made by calling Cindy Thomas at (520) 733-1076. Military ID cards must be presented at the door for admittance.

Move Over Mrs. Markham, by Ray Cooney and John Chapman, is a fast-paced bedroom farce filled with brilliant one-liners and double entendres and is not recommended for anyone below the age of 15. The play synopsis reads:

Joanna Markham's husband thinks she's having an affair. Her friend, Linda, wants to have an affair. Linda's husband, Henry, (who is Joanna's husband's business partner) also wants an affair, but not with Linda or Joanna. Even the decorator is after the au pair. This is all happening in the Markham's supposedly empty flat (except the flat is not empty). Confused? You will be in this fast paced comedy.

Now in its tenth season, Desert Players Theatre is an all-volunteer theatre company in Tucson, Arizona, and is a not-for-profit, educational corporation (501-C3).

Its mission is to provide quality theatre at an affordable price. Its repertoire includes comedies, musicals and mysteries. The organization's Website is located at <http://www.desertplayers.org>.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart

Garden Assistance Club

Members of Sierra Vista's Area Gardening Club from left to right, Joyce M. Gray, Robin Stoney, Patricia Walton, Peggy Desoteaux and Diane Levine visited Fort Huachuca's Garden Shop, March 29. They gave away free plants and also offered their expert advice. The group meets every third Thursday. May 3 they will participate in When do I water, which is part of a University of Arizona Water Wise series. On May 15, the group will feature guest speaker Hank Husking who will present the Cochise County Water History Trunk. On June 7 the group will participate in a "You call this soil?" Water Wise Series and on June 19 will conduct another meeting entitled, "Bird Feeding Basics." For more information, call 378-3790.

Treasure trove

Raymond Carter, 5, examines his precious treasure Friday at the New Beginnings Child Development Center. The treasure hunt and other fun activities were held in honor of April being the Month of the Military Child. Today is Job Share day, and Friday will feature a Field day for the full-day kindergartners. Monday is Bear day, Tuesday is Canine Rescue day. Wednesday storyteller Pauline Fredricks will visit the center at 9:30 a.m., and April 17 will be Inside Out and Backward day. Many more fun-filled activities are scheduled throughout the month of April. For more information regarding upcoming activities, call 533-5209/7057.

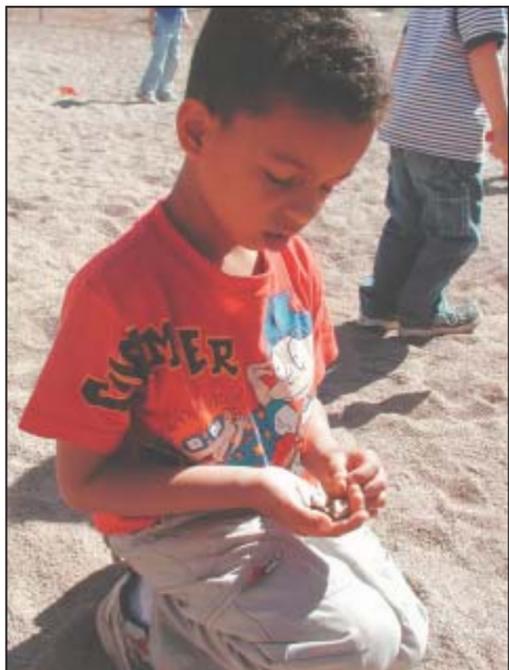


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valuation of the dollar against the Euro, which is the currency used to pay for 50 percent of our operating expenses," Isaacs added.

Like the other three AFRCs in Orlando, Hawaii and Korea, money to sustain operations and fund new construction is derived from customer income. None of the AFRC hotels are funded with taxpayer dollars, officials said, explaining that they must be financially self-sufficient.

The closures will reduce the number of available AFRC-Europe guest rooms from 343 to 119.

"During peak seasons, if we need additional rooms, guests will be referred to commercial hotels in Garmisch at rates comparable to those of the AFRC hotel," said Isaacs.

In Garmisch, the Patton Hotel, the Alpenblick Golf Course, the outdoor recreation equipment checkout center, tours, and the campground will remain in operation.

The adjustment will also affect dozens of employees, who will be separated with severance pay or provided return transportation to the United States in accordance with personnel policy, officials said.

"We deeply regret having to separate employees, both Germans and U.S. citizens, who so capably and enthusiastically serve the customers of AFRC Europe," Isaacs said. "We will do everything possible to assist them with their relocation needs. I am confident that our new hotel will achieve the kinds of operating efficiency and customer appeal that will ensure financial stability to support the military community stationed in the European theater of the future," he said.

The Armed Forces Recreation Centers are open to all Department of Defense ID-card holders, active duty, reserve component, retirees and their families.

(Editor's note: Harriet Rice is the public affairs officer for the U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center in Alexandria, Va.)

Fort Huachuca Directorate of Community Activities Updates



The Directorate of Community Activities is responsible for content appearing on the MWR page in The Fort Huachuca Scout. Questions about this section should be directed to MWR Marketing Director,

Paula German at 538-0836 or send an e-mail to paula.german@hua.army.mil.

In The Spotlight..

Recreation Services introduces golf course manager

Recreation Services Division is proud to introduce Allan Guthrie, manager of Fort Huachuca's Mountain View Golf Course.

A 20-year veteran of the U.S. Army, Guthrie assumed his duties at MVGC in April of 2002. He brought with him extensive knowledge in the operation of golf courses, including experience at courses at Fort Belvoir, Washington, D.C., Westhampton Beach, New York, and Key Largo, Florida.

In addition to his experience in operating golf courses, Guthrie also has an impressive background in the area of training golfers. Guthrie is an honor graduate and scholarship winner in the Professional Golf Association Golf Professional Training Program, and was responsible for mentoring two junior golfers who ranked in the top 20 nationally in Golfweek/Titlist junior rankings. Guthrie was also a Special Olympics Golf Instructor from 1995-2000. Guthrie and the friendly staff at Mountain View Golf Course invite you come out and enjoy this high desert, 18-hole championship course. MVGC is open to the public, and offers a challenging, scenic course that plays well to both high and low handicap golfers.

Services include a putting green and a driving range. The well-stocked pro-shop offers name brand golf equipment, accessories and clothing. Rental equipment such as clubs and carts are also available.

Facilities and services include men's and women's locker rooms, and lessons by the course professional.



for more information

Karate classes for all ages

Eifler Fitness Center offers karate classes to students ages 5 years through adult on Mondays and Wednesdays. Classes for 5 to 7-year olds are held at 5:30 p.m., and adult classes are at 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. Saturday classes for adults are also offered from 9:15 a.m. - noon.

Karate is an excellent way to improve physical condition, balance and self-discipline and to increase self-confidence. Classes include empty hand self-defense, kata, sparring and Okinawan Kobudo weapons.

Classes are \$25 per person, per month, with discounts available for families of three or more members. Classes are taught by Sensei Jeff Hyder, a 7th Degree Black Belt, with over 20 years of martial arts experience.

Sign up now for classes. Payment is received only at Barnes Field House, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

For additional information, call the Sports Office at 538-3180 or 538-5031, or stop by Eifler Fitness Center during scheduled class times and speak to Sensei Hyder.

Expanded hours at MWR Arts Center

MWR Arts Center has expanded their hours. They are now open Mondays from noon-8 p.m. Hours other days of the week will remain the same.

For more information, call Ricardo Alonzo at 533-2015.

Barnes Pool offers water aerobic classes

Water aerobic classes are now being offered at Barnes Pool. Classes are held every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 9-10 a.m. The class is for all ages and open to the public and active duty. For more information, contact Karlie Jo Hale at 533-3858.

Summer hours at MWR Rents

MWR Rents began their summer hours April 1 as follows: Monday, 7 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Friday, 7 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sundays & holidays, closed. Out-processing hours will be Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. For more information, call 533-6707.

Right Arm Night at LakeSide

The LakeSide Activity Centre will host the next CG's Right Arm Night April 25 at 4 p.m. Karaoke with Ken Edwards and a pay-as-you-go bar make this a lively spot to relax and socialize. Finger foods are available.

Family Advocacy Program offers classes

In recognition of April as being Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Fort Huachuca Family Advocacy Program will offer the following classes: April 16, "Assisting Your Newborn's Development," 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.; and April 17, "Moms Meeting Moms", a place for first-time moms and their babies.

The classes will be held at the Army Community Services Conference Room, with a limit of 15 participants. Reservations are required. Please call 533-2330.

What's happening at Desert Lanes?

Desert Lanes will hold a Singles Handicap Tournament April 19. It starts at 1 p.m. The handicap is 80 percent of 200, highest current average. You'll bowl five games across ten lanes. Entry fee is \$40.00 per person.

April 20 will be Nifty Fifty Day at Desert Lanes. Fifty cents will pay for any one of the following: shoe rental, a game of bowling, an ice cold soda or one of Jeannie's great hot dogs.

Call Randy Carter at 533-2849 for more information.

up early. Slots will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, contact Spc. Davis at 533-7395.

Get your tickets for Lonestar

The Country Music Association's 2001 "Vocal Group of the Year," LONESTAR along with special guest Tammy Cochran, will perform at Libby Army Airfield, May 17 for the 2003 Miller Lite Army Concert Tour. Tickets are on sale now at MWR Box Office and Sierra Vista Safeway.

The advance tickets are \$17. The day of the show, the price will be \$20.

Spring Youth Fest set for April 26

The Directorate of Community Activities, Child and Youth Services and Recreation Services Division, along with Lawley Automotive Group, will sponsor the annual "Spring Youth Fest" on April 26, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.. The event will be held at the Youth Services Building, Child Development Center and at Geronimo and Foster Fields.

Some of the activities scheduled for that day include: the rock climbing wall; paintball; laser tag; the jump castles; an obstacle course; "Kids on the Block" puppet shows; First Aid for Today's Families; face painting; balloons; dunk tank; mask making; a table with a card to sign for our troops in Iraq and the Middle East; child safety seat demonstrations; and much more.

There will be food booths, beverage booths, baked goods, gift shop and lots of fun for all ages. B Troop, Army Community Services, Dental Activity Command, Medical Activity Command, Military Police and Military Police canines, the Girl Scouts and others will also be there with their displays.

Bring the kids and come out for a few hours of fun. For more information, call 533-8437.

Army Family Team Building

Level II Army Family Team Building training is available April 22, 24 and 29 at Murr Community Center, 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Free refreshments are provided. Individuals need not attend levels training in order.

For more information, call 533-3686.

Disco at LaHacienda

LaHacienda will discontinue their Saturday night disco program. The final night will be Saturday, 10 p.m.-2 a.m.

Latino and Top 40 music will continue to be offered on Friday nights, 10 p.m.-2 a.m.

Easter egg hunt

Youth Services has scheduled a free Easter egg hunt April 19 at Geronimo and Foster Fields. Ages birth through 5 years will be able to hunt from 10 a.m. - noon. Then, from 2 - 4 p.m., ages 6-9 will have their chance.

In addition to over 9000 eggs available to find, there will be games and prizes for all the children. Plus, the kiddies will get to meet the Easter Bunny, and, for a nominal fee, have their pictures taken with him.

For more information, call 533-8168, 533-3205 or 533-8217.

NAF facilities to close for training

In an effort to participate in soldier/civilian training time, the following Directorate of Community Activities will be closed on Thursdays until 1 p.m., beginning April 17: NAF Human Resources, Plans and Resources, Marketing, Army Community Services and Supplemental Programs and Services.

Youth Services/School-Age Services will be closed Thursdays until 1 p.m. during normal school days. They will be open Thursdays during summer, spring and winter breaks and school-out days, excluding federal holidays.

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

Army Community Services Family Advocacy Program will be offering several classes on Child Abuse Identification, Recognition and Reporting throughout the month of April.

These classes will be open to the community on a reservation basis only, limit 15 per class. They will be held at the ACS Conference Room, Building 50010.

The remaining classes will be offered April 17, 2 - 4 p.m.; April 22, 6 - 8 p.m.; and April 29, 6 - 8 p.m. Call ACS at 533-2330 for more information.

"Family Night" at Pepperoni's

Pepperoni's presents "Family Night" every Tuesday, 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. You'll have the chance to enjoy many different specials, such as a large, one-topping pizza for just \$7; a free soda with any sandwich order; and the all-you-can-eat spaghetti buffet, for just \$5.95 for adults, half price for children 5-11 years, and children under 5 years are free.

The east side of Pepperoni's Restaurant is available for groups, meetings and get-togethers. Please call 533-3802 to reserve this room when planning your functions.

Junior Golf Program

Mountain View Golf Course will offer a summer series of clinics and playing the game of golf beginning in June for youth ages 7-18 years. The instructor will be Jason Pitts, MVGC. A tournament will be held at the end of the program, August 13.

Cost of the program is \$75 and includes all days of instruction and tournament fees. Space is limited, so sign up early. Sign up at the Pro Shop at MVGC or call 538-1690

LakeSide ACTIVITY CENTRE

Easter Buffet at LakeSide

April 20, the LakeSide Activity Centre will prepare an exquisite Easter Grande Buffet from 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. The cost is \$17.95 for adults and \$7.95 for children ages 6-11. Children five years of age and younger dine for free. This event will be a special treat for the whole family. A delectable and delightful dining experience is planned for all who attend this special Grande Buffet.

APPETIZER STATION

Crawfish; Oysters on the Half Shell

CARVING STATION

Roasted Lamb with Mint Jelly or Apricot Sauce

Glazed Pit Ham; Succulent Baron of Beef

BUFFET STATION

Chicken Kiev; Bronzed & Seared Salmon

3-Cheese Au Gratin Potatoes; Smiley Face "Taters"

LakeSide Swiss Benedicts; "Freedom" Toast Sticks

and much, much more!

including, Pasta Station, Omelet Station, Pastry Station, Juice Bar, and Dessert Bar plus an array of vegetables, potatoes, freshly baked rolls, croissants and crusty bread

Call 533-2194 to make your reservations today.

Tickets Available at MWR Box Office

Tickets are now on sale for "Sesame Street Live," at Tucson Convention Center for the following performances: May 1 - 7 p.m., May 2 - 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m., May 3 - 10:30 a.m. & 2 p.m., May 4 - 1 p.m. & 4:30 p.m.

Tickets for the "Mariachi Spectacular" April 25 at TCC are also available.

Other great specials available at the Box Office include:

- Discounted tickets for the Tucson Sidewinders home games. April 18-21, the Sidewinders play the Portland Beavers

- Check out our rates for hotel reservations for the Tucson and Phoenix areas.

Prices vary. Call 533-2404 for information or drop by the MWR Box Office located in the MWR Plaza, Bldg. 52008 on Arizona Street. MWR Box Office is open Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Volksmarch at Sportsman's Center

A 10K Volksmarch will be held April 27, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Cost to take part in the event is \$5, and you should pre-register at the Sportsman's Center.

Take a leisurely outdoor walk through scenic view in the Huachuca Mountains. Refreshments will be available, and you'll have the opportunity to enjoy lots of fun and fresh air.

For more information, call Mick at 533-7085.

Fort hosts Festival of the Southwest

The Festival of the Southwest, which has been held in Sierra Vista at Veterans Memorial Park in past years, has moved to the R.L. Anderson Special Events Park on Fort Huachuca this year. The event is set for May 2 - 4. The festival is open to the public and there is no admission fee.

There will be many attractions for the entire family, including the City of Fun Carnival. Advance tickets for the carnival are on sale now at the price of \$6 for 10 tickets, at the following locations: MWR Box Office, Desert Lanes, MWR Rents and Sierra Vista Safeway. During the carnival, the cost will be \$8 for 10 tickets.

Food, craft, nonprofit private organizations, military units, Family Readiness Groups and information vendors are wanted. For information on space available, contact Recreation Services Division at 538-1690.

All Army Chess

The 2003 All Army Chess Championships will be held June 20-27 at Ft. Myer in Arlington, Va. Players must have played in a U.S. Chess Federation rated tournament or have a USCF rating.

Anyone interested in competing should contact Les Woods at 533-3180.

Intramural Coed Golf program

The Intramural Coed Golf program will begin May 19 at the Mountain View Golf Course. The team coaches meeting will be conducted at Barnes Field House, April 22 at 10 a.m.

All units interested in participating in this program should attend this meeting. A letter of intent with coach's/captain's name, duty phone and e-mail address should be included with the letter of intent.

Golf teams will consist of four members, and matches are scheduled to begin May 19 at 3 p.m. This is a minor Commander's Cup Sport. For more information, contact Michelle Kimsey at 533-3180.

B.O.S.S. to host golf tournament

The Fort Huachuca Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers will host a golf tournament on April 18, beginning at 8 a.m. This event, which will be held at Mountain View Golf Course, is open to everyone. The entry fee is \$30 per person.

First, second and third place prizes will be awarded, as well as prizes for the longest drive, closest to pin and a putting contest. Format is a four-person scramble.

If you don't have a team, you will be placed on one. Sign

Showings

The Cochise Theater movie prices are \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children, except on Wednesdays and Thursdays, when all admission is 99 cents.

All movies will be showing at 7 p.m., unless otherwise indicated.

For more information, call 533-2950 or visit www.aafes.com.

Today at 7 p.m.

Deliver us from Eva

LL Cool J, Gabrielle Union - Hardened by her parent's death, Eva gives up her dreams for her three sisters. The sisters honor and obey Eva's every decision often at the expense of the self-absorbed men. Fed up, the three men conspire to rid themselves of Eva for once and for all. Rated **R** (Sex-related dialogue). 105 Min.

Friday at 7 p.m.

Gods and Generals

Bruce Boxleitner, Billy Campbell - Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson, the famous Confederate general who, along with fellow General Robert E. Lee, must weigh the mighty consequences of his actions, as each battle costs the lives of thousands of men. Over on the Union's side there's Colonel Joshua Chamberlain, who like Jackson and Lee, is fond of making long, poetic speeches to his troops.

Beginning with the start of the war and ending with Jackson's death, the film chronicles the three main battles leading up to Gettysburg. Rated **PG-13** (Sustained battle

sequences). 229 Min.

Saturday, April 17, at 7 p.m.

Cradle 2 the Grave

DMX, Jet Li - When an international criminal kidnaps the daughter of a gang leader as part of a diamond heist, it causes a city's police to engage in an intensive search aided by the father's gangsters. Rated **R** (Violence, language, and some sexual content). 101 Min.

Sunday, Wednesday at 7 p.m.

The Life of David Gale

Kevin Spacey, Laura Linney - Dr. David Gale, a Texas professor and advocate for the elimination of the death penalty, is falsely accused and convicted of the rape and murder of another activist, Constance Harroway and ends up on the state's notorious death row himself. Rated **R** (Violent images, nudity, language and sexuality). 130 Min.

April 18, 23 at 7 p.m.

Old School

Luke Wilson, Will Ferrell - The story of three guy's in their early 30's, Mitch, Frank and Beanie, who try to relive their old college glory days by moving into a large house near their old campus.

The inadvertently form an "unofficial fraternity", where students can enjoy the riches of the partying lifestyle without the commitment that comes with having to abide by the university's fraternity rules. Rated **R** (Some strong sexual content, nudity and language). 91 Min.

April 19, 24 at 7 p.m.

Daredevil

Ben Affleck, Michael Clark Duncan - The story of Matt Murdock, son of a boxer who gets killed by petty criminals for refusing to take a dive. This drives young Matt to fight crime, despite a childhood accident that robbed him of his sight. Rated **PG-13** (Action/violence and some sensuality). 102 Min.

April 20 at 7 p.m.

The Hunted

Tommy Lee Jones, Benicio del Toro - Tommy Lee Jones is an FBI deep-woods tracker who captures an assassin who makes a sport of killing deer hunters. When the killer escapes in the city, he must team up with another agent to hunt sown this thrill killer before he starts to hunt them. Rated **R** (Strong bloody violence and some language). 94 Min.

April 25, 30 at 7 p.m.

Agent Cody Banks

Frankie Muniz, Hilary Duff - Teenager Cody Banks is recruited by the U.S. government to be a special agent that they call upon when they're faced with a mission that can be only be accomplished by someone who wouldn't be old enough for such a mission. Rated **PG** (Action violence, mild language and some sensual content). 101 Min.

April 26, May 1 at 7p.m.

Tears of the Sun

Bruce Willis, Monica Delucci - A team

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gers of heat injuries and monitor the troops closely. Simply put, people here watch out for and take care of their folks," Heran said.

He went on to say soldiers may be at more of a risk for heat injuries when they are participating in leisure activities after hours or off post. He said during physical training, soldiers are monitored and told to drink water. "If you are downtown playing baseball on a Sunday afternoon, no one is watching you, telling you to drink water. Soldiers have to keep an eye on their recreational safety also," Heran said.

He went on to say servicemembers also need to monitor the fluid intake of their children because they have a high risk for heat injuries. Heran said their bodies aren't fully developed and can't get rid of heat like adults. They are also at risk because they can't recognize the signs or symptoms of heat injuries.

He noted they're several factors that contribute to heat injury. He says a person new to an area or a post is at risk for a heat injury because they are not acclimatized properly. He said increased risks also occurs if there is an unusual temperature that is 10 or 15 degrees above normal. Humidity increases the risk of heat injury because it causes the body to sweat less efficiently so it can't cool itself down, Heran noted.

of Navy SEALs is sent into the jungle in the heart of Nigeria on a search-and-rescue mission for a doctor.

Can a handful of U.S. soldiers get to their rendezvous point before the several hundred African Soldiers on their tail get to them first? Rated **R** (Due to frequent graphic violence, involving depictions of military combat and atrocities; occasional profanity; fleeting nudity and depictions of rape in war-torn settings. Parental caution is **Strongly urged**). 121 Min.

April 27 at 7 p.m.

Willard

Crispin Glover, Laura Harring - Pestered by his co-workers, Willard exacts revenge when one of his rats is killed at work. Led by the unusually intelligent rat named Ben, an army of rats descends on those who did Willard wrong. Rated **PG-13** (Terror/violence, some sexual content and language). 100 Min.



Fort Bowie evokes images of earlier days

BY NELL DRUMHELLER
SCOUT STAFF

For many years the deserts of southern Arizona was the home of a bitter conflict between local residents the Chiricahua

Apaches and the United States military. Dozens of army forts were built to help the ranchers, miners and farmers who flooded west to discover the untold treasures of the newest regions of America.

Fort Bowie, located near the present day Bowie, Ariz., remains in ruins as one of those installations.

For more than 30 years Fort Bowie and Apache Pass were the focal point of military operations eventually culminating in the surrender of Geronimo in 1886 and the banishment of the Chiricahuas to Florida and Alabama.

It was the site of the Bascom Affair, a wagon train massacre, and the battle of Apache Pass, where a large force of Chiricahua Apaches under Mangus Colorados and Cochise fought the California Volunteers.

The remains of Fort Bowie today are carefully preserved, the adobe walls of various post buildings and the ruins of a Butterfield Stage Station.

Travel to Fort Bowie from Fort Huachuca by taking U.S. Highway 90 to Interstate 10, east, to Bowie, follow signs to the Fort Bowie parking area.

It is an easy, but somewhat rocky, hike for one and a half miles to the visitor center and ruins. The park is open 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., closed Christmas day.

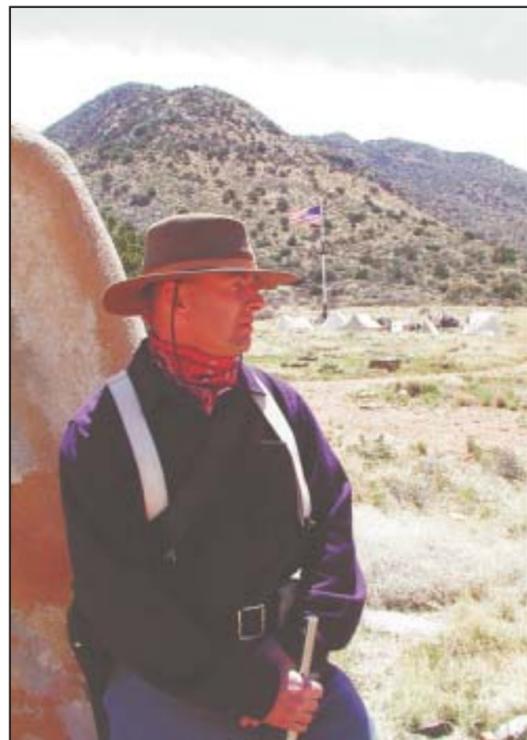


Photo by Nell Drumheller

Staff Sgt. Christian P. Rogerson, a trooper with Fort Huachuca's B-Troop, 4th U.S. Cavalry, Memorial participated in a Roll-Call at Fort Bowie last weekend. The troop is an all-volunteer unit and supports special events locally and nationally.

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Celebration of learning

Tammy Robinson and daughter Brashae, 11, a fifth-grader at General Myer Elementary School, browse through the selection during Myer's spring book fair and stargazing party, Thursday. The event had telescopes set up by the Astronomy Club of Sierra Vista.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart