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## WING ANNOUNCEMENTS

### March 5 CDAC looking for panel members

The Cultural Diversity Awareness Committee (CDAC) is looking for 8-9 women to serve as panel members for a Women's History Month luncheon and panel discussion. The panel members will be composed of equal numbers of local nationals, spouses, officers and enlisted (2 each). For more information, contact 2Lt Tina Adam ([tina.adam@lajes.af.mil](mailto:tina.adam@lajes.af.mil)) by this Friday, March 5.

### Women's History Month activities

- March 8-** Women's Day Fair from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the CAC
- March 18-** Library reading at 3 p.m. at the base library

- March 19-** Self Defense Class from 2-4 p.m. at the Chace Fitness Center
- March 19-** Luncheon and panel discussion from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Contact 2nd Lt. Tina Adam for any questions.

### March 11 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual TOP III CHILI COOK-OFF

The 2nd Annual TOP III CHILI COOK-OFF is scheduled for March 11 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Base Chapel (T-805). For more information, contact POC: MSgt Brian Holes, 65th CES / 535-4210 or TSgt Richard Glockner 729th AMS/535-3482

**SMSGT PROMOTION RELEASE PARTY** will be March 4 at 4 p.m. at the TORC. All are invited to attend to congratulate Lajes' newest E-8's.

**COMMANDER'S CORNER:** The next Commander's Corner will be Thursday, March 4 at 10 a.m. Tune into 96.1 FM to listen. The program allows the 65th Air Base Wing commander to address issues, concerns and questions members may have. For more information, call the Defense Media Activity Center at 535-3497.

### LAJES 2010 AFAF

The 37th Annual Air Force Assistance Fund, "Be, a Hero" campaign has kicked-off and will run through March 19. Team Lajes' goal this year is to raise \$20,160. The Air Force Assistance Fund is a unique campaign because it is managed by Airmen, who are helping Airmen. Members should contact their AFAF representatives to find out more information on how to donate.



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**LAJES CGOC MEETING:** The Lajes Company Grade Officer Council holds their meetings every first Tuesday of every month at 11:30 a.m. at the TORC. The next meeting is Tuesday, April 6th. All CGO's are invited to attend.

**TOP THREE MEETINGS:** Top 3 meetings are held every third Friday of the Month at the TORC at 3 p.m. Next meeting will be Friday, March 19.

**9 PIN NO TAP BOWLING TOURNAMENT** will be Friday, March 26 from 1-5 p.m. at the Bowling Center. Contact MSgt Frances Jackson at 535-6197 if you have any questions.

**LAJES SOCIETY OF AMERICAN ENGINEERS:** The next LSAME meeting is Wednesday, March 17 at 11:30 a.m. at the TORC. All career fields are invited to attend.

**MILITARY ROAD CLOSURE UPDATE:** The Military Road repair project is now expected to be completed March 31. For a map of the closed roads or for more details, check the Crossroads Xtra newsletter, Commander's Access Channel and the Lajes website. If you have any questions, contact Capt. Matthew Altman at 535-68127 or the Public Affairs Office at 535-3413.

**TAX SEASON IS HERE**  
Tax season has begun and will continue until June 16th. Walk-in drop offs and screenings will take place at the legal office every Tuesday and Thursday from 10 – 12 a.m. Walk-in tax assistance at the legal office will be every Tuesday and Thursday from 12-4 p.m.  
Current Unit POCs:  
FSS, MDG, CS: contact TSgt D. Anchundia at 535-1454  
OSS, CONS, AMS, LRS: contact SSgt R. Boyd at 535-6796  
WSA, SFS, CES: contact MSgt V. McIver at 535-1142  
\*All others members should contact the legal office at 535-3546 for additional information.

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## NEW LIBRARY HOURS

The library wishes to inform the populace about its new hour of operations that started March 1.

Here are the new library hours:

Monday: Closed

Tues-Fri: 11a.m.-7 p.m.

Sat and Sun: Noon-4 p.m.

Closed Portuguese Holidays

For details, call the Library at 535-3688 or visit

<http://www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=02&id=255>

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or [robin.burnard@lajes.af.mil](mailto:robin.burnard@lajes.af.mil).

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65 FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON HAPPENINGS E-NOTES

Pick up a copy of *ACCENTS* or go to [www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com) for more events and details. Please "Refresh".

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[www.afhoops.com](http://www.afhoops.com)

Pick up your scratch cards at the TORC, Bowling Center and Oceanview Grill.

## **PLACES TO GO**

Call Outdoor Recreation, 535-4140 for reservation information.

### **INTERMEDIATE GOLF CLINIC**

Saturday, March 6, 2 p.m. \$16/person.

### **HEART OF ANGRA**

Saturday, March 6, 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person  
Children 5-12 years old \$20.00. Enjoy a guided tour through Angra's beautiful Cathedral, step back in time with a journey through the convent of Sao Goncalo, visit the city museum and the Sao Joao Baptista Castle. Lunch included.

### **FAITH, FISH, EARTH AND CHEESE**

Saturday, March 13, 10:30 a.m. \$39.95/person  
You'll visit a pottery shop, taste cheese at the Vaquinho Cheese Factory, meet a local ceramics artisan and enjoy a seafood lunch. As an added bonus you will get a free round of cheese and decorative tile.

## **THINGS TO DO**

### **BLARNEY STONE**

March 1-16

The "Blarney Stone" was left at the Community Center many years ago by a sweet but altogether deranged Leprechaun traveling through the Azores after being deported from Ireland. Stop by the Community Center and guess the weight of this rock (without touching it because the green paint is still wet) and win a prize. 535-5216.

### **5K RUN**

Friday, March 19, Fitness Center; Show time 7:15 a.m. Run starts at 7:30 a.m. Call 535-6126.

### **SQUADRON SPECIAL BOWLING EVENT**

DUI FREE squadrons for a quarter receive **3 hours of free** bowling (shoe rental not included). Schedule any Friday from 1-4 p.m.  
<http://www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=02&id=241>. 535-6169.

### **TEXAS HOLD'EM**

Saturdays, March 6 & 20, 6 p.m.  
TORC, 535-1122.

### **BINGO**

Wednesdays, March 3 & 17 Luck o' the Irish Night, 6:30 p.m. TORC, 535-1122.

## **YOUTH & FAMILY**

### **YOUTH BASEBALL REGISTRATIONS**

March 1 - April 5, at the Community Center, T-307. Call the Lajes Youth Center, 535-1192.

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**MONEY MATTERS: MAKE IT COUNT- FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAM**  
Thursdays, March 4 & 18, 5 - 6 p.m. Teens grades 7-12 learn money management and skills needed for financial independence. 535-1192.

**CAREER LAUNCH-CAREER EXPLORATION & MENTORING**  
Mondays, March 8 & 22, 5 - 6 p.m. Teens grades 7-12 take an interest survey, explore careers, identify training or college requirements, seek out financial aid and play skill-building games through the Career Launch Website. 535-1192.

**FAMILY INVOLVEMENT FOR CDC FAMILIES**  
**Read "Green Eggs and Ham" by Dr. Seuss**  
Friday, March 12, 4 p.m.  
Join us for the reading of "Green Eggs and Ham," followed by a snack of Green Eggs and Ham! Call 535-3188.

**NATIONAL NUTRITION MONTH**  
Thursdays, March 4 & 11, Library, 3 p.m.; Children will discover the importance of nutrition through activities. 535-3688.

**FREE BOWLING!!! KID'S NIGHT**  
Every Thursday, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Kids 17 and under, bowl free. Shoes included. Subject to lane availability. 535-6169.

**SPACE CAMP**  
Apply to fly! Experience the excitement of Space Exploration at Space Camp. Interested youth can contact the Youth Center at 535-1192 or drop by the Community Center, T-307.  
[www.afyouthprograms.com](http://www.afyouthprograms.com).

**AIR FORCE TEEN AVIATION CAMP**  
5 - 10 June; AF Academy in Colorado Springs. This is a residential 6-day program which provides youth a glimpse of what Cadets attending the United States Air Force Academy experience. Apply now through Apr 2 at

[www.afyouthprograms.com](http://www.afyouthprograms.com). Call 535-1192 for more information.

## **FUN THINGS TO LEARN**

**BEGINNING ACRYLIC PAINTING**  
Saturdays, March 6, 13 & 20; three day class, from 1-3 p.m. \$48/person, plus supplies. The instructor has developed methods designed to get you painting right away. Arts & Crafts, 535-3909.

**PENCIL DRAWING**  
Saturdays, March 6, 13 & 20; three day class, from 3:30-4:30 p.m. \$32/person, plus supplies. Learn mark-making, line variety and shading techniques. Minimum age is 10yrs. Arts & Crafts, 535-3909.

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**METAL EMBOSsing CLASS**  
Wednesday, March 10 & Thursday, 11, 5:30-7:30 p.m. \$25/person. All materials provided. A superb selection of works can be created including picture frames, greeting cards and gift tags. Arts & Crafts, 535-3909.

**DANCE AND MUSIC CLASSES**  
The Community Center offers Violin, Guitar, Piano, Flute, Music Reading, French and Portuguese Language, Ballet, Ballroom, Belly and Hula dance classes. Call 535-5216.

**SILVER LEVEL CERTIFIED BOWLING COACHING**  
March 6 - Class Red (Average under 100)  
March 13 - Class White (Average 101-170)  
March 20 - Class Blue (Average 170 and Up)  
11 a.m. - Noon \$10.00 per adult, \$5.00 per child (18 and under). 535-6169.

**AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS CENTER**  
Call 535-4138 to register for workshops.

**SMOOTH MOVE**  
Mondays, March 8 & 22, 2 - 4 p.m.  
The Smooth Move class is held twice monthly and is mandatory for military members departing the island. Obtain information from Housing, Legal Office, Finance, TMO, MPF, A&FRC and much more!

**BASIC MONEY MANAGEMENT**  
Tuesday, March 9, 10-11 a.m.

**VA BENEFITS TELECONFERENCE**  
Friday, March 12, 9a.m. to 1 p.m. Learn about Compensation & Pension, Health Care, Readjustment Counseling, Education, Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment, Life Insurance, Home Loan Guaranty, and Burial & Survivor Benefits. For active duty members

who are one year from separating or two years from retirement. Open to all veterans, service members and their families.

**GET SMART AT THE EDUCATION CENTER**  
Call 535-3355 for details.

**OTS BOARD:** Summer 2010. BOT guide available on AF Portal for 2010 OTS candidates.

**UMUC**  
On-site courses for Spring 2: WRIT 101 Intro to Writing or IFSM 201 Intro to Computer-Based Systems. Register through 21 March, call 535-4187 or email smerwin@ed.umuc.edu.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**  
NOW is the time! Master's in Human Relations. Register now for on-site class: Adolescent Issues, April 2010. Start this spring  
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and finish by summer 2011. For more information: [aplajes@ou.edu](mailto:aplajes@ou.edu) or 535-3171.

## **NAF JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

HRO, 535-6582, Bldg T-112, Room 20

**Barista** – Café Bean (Community Center)  
Open until filled.

**Animal Caretaker (groomer)**, Atlantic Island Kennels - Open until filled

**Child and Youth Program Assistant** (Open Recreation), Youth Center - Open until filled.

**Child and Youth Program Assistant**-Before/After School Youth Center - Open until filled

**Child and Youth Program Assistant** (Child Development Center) - Open until filled

[www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=01&fac=21](http://www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=01&fac=21)

## **THINGS WORTH NOTING**

### **OCEANVIEW TEMPORARY CLOSURE:**

Due to a water outage, the Oceanview Grill will be closed Monday, March 8 from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Food is available at the TORC, T-121: coffee shop 7 a.m.- 1 p.m.; lunch 11 a.m.-1p.m.; and lounge from 4 to 11 p.m. The TORC is open for evening dining. Call 535-1122.

### **ODR TEMPORARY CLOSURE:**

Outdoor Recreation will be closed Tuesday, March 16 for maintenance. 535-4140.

### **NEW TOP ATLANTICO HOURS**

Tuesday – Thursday: 12 p.m. - 6 p.m.  
Friday: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
Call 351 295 214 035.

### **NEW LIBRARY HOURS**

Monday: Closed  
Tuesday-Friday: 11a.m.-7 p.m.  
Saturday & Sunday: Noon - 4 p.m.  
Closed Portuguese Holidays  
535-3688

### **MASSAGE THERAPY SPECIAL**

Relaxation massage only \$25 for 30 minutes. Call 968-196-083 for an appointment. Call Chace Fitness for details 535-6126.

### **NEW AEROBICS SCHEDULE**

<http://www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=02&id=252>

### **NEW PET SUPPLIES**

Atlantic Kennels has a new shipment of cat and dog leashes, collars, harnesses, muzzles and toys. Call 535—3855.

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## ADOPT ME



**DEPLOYMENT BOWLING:** Every Saturday, Bowling Center, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m., 535-6169  
**DEPLOYMENT CHILD CARE:** 10 free hours of hourly child care – all per child of deployed members, 535-3188. *Pick up a DePLAYment Tag Pass Pack at the Airman and Family Readiness Center, T-126 by providing a copy of the sponsor's deployment orders. Then log on to the [www.myairforcelife.com](http://www.myairforcelife.com) website to register.*

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**DEPLOYMENT BOWLING**  
Every Saturday - 9 a.m.  
T-169 Bowling Center

**DEPLOYMENT KARATE LESSONS**  
FREE, Mondays & Wednesdays  
5:30-6:30 p.m.  
for youth 4-7, (beginners)  
6:30-7:30 p.m.  
for ages 6 and up, (experienced)

Hi! I'm Lucy and I know I'm cute because everyone says so. I'm VERY quiet and love to play. I'm only 9 weeks old and have all my shots. Come see me at the Kennel, T-587. 535-3855. (Pink kerchief included☺).

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## SUPPORTING AGENCIES

## CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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### CATHOLIC SCHEDULE

#### Worship

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): 4:00 p.m. every Saturday or by appointment to facilitate work schedules. For more information, call (Ch Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

Saturday Evening Mass: 5:00 p.m. Saturdays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

Daily Mass: 11:30 a.m. Tuesday through Friday at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Lent Schedule

Stations of the Cross & Meager Meal: 6:00 p.m. Fridays at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Prayer Line

Catholic Prayer Line - For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Choir Rehearsal

Catholic Choir Rehearsals for Mass: 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Children/Youth Ministry

Catholic Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD): 9:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Men/Women Ministry

Catholic Women Bible Study "Corinthians": 6:30 p.m. Mondays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

#### Knights of Columbus (all Catholic Men):

7:45 a.m. every Tuesday morning at the TORC; a table has been reserved and the coffee is free for this group. For more information, call (Ch, Lt Col) William Bartoul at 535-4211.

### PROTESTANT SCHEDULE

#### Worship

Traditional Service: 9:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

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## **Praise Service:**

Noon Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Lent Schedule**

Lenten Devotionals/Soup & Bread: 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays during Lent at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Choir Rehearsals**

Chancel Choir Rehearsals for the Traditional Service: 5:30 p.m. Thursdays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Body of Praise Rehearsals for Praise Service:**

6:30 p.m. Thursday at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Women Ministry**

Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC) Bible Study "Your Signature Fragrance – Pursuing the Fragrance of Christ: 6:30 p.m. Mondays at the

chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Children/Youth Ministry**

AWANA (Approved Workman Are Not Ashamed): 6:00 p.m. Tuesdays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **Parish Council Meeting**

Protestant Parish Advisory Board Meeting: 11:45 a.m. Feb 25 at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **ECUMENICAL PROGRAMS**

(SUM) Dinner Hosted by AAHC: 5:30 p.m. Feb 26 at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

## **COMMUNITY PROGRAM**

### **Chapel Charities Committee:**

The Charities Committee works to help meet the needs of base personnel as well as local nationals. The committee accents their attention on the local orphanages as well as the local nursing homes.

There is a "Chapel Charities Closet", Bldg. T-112. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Ismael Rodriguez at 535-4211.

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### MOVIE SCHEDULE

**THU MAR 04** - 1900 Avatar (PG-13)

**FRI MAR 05** – 1900 Daybreakers (R)

**SAT MAR 06** - 1900 Avatar (PG-13)

**SUN MAR 07** - 1600 Avatar (PG-13)

**1930** Daybreakers (R)

**FRI MAR 12** - 1900 The Spy Next Door (PG)

**SAT MAR 13** - 1900 The Book of Eli (PG-13)

2200 Nine (PG-13)

**SUN MAR 14** - 1600 Nine (PG-13)

1900 The Book Eli (R)