



# Team Lajes Weekly Bulletin

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## WING ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **MSGT PROMOTION RELEASE PARTY:**

The Lajes Top III invites all base members to the Master Sergeant Promotion Release Party, Friday, 20 May 2011, 4 p.m. at the TORC Ballroom. For more information, contact MSgt Elliott G. Weir at 535-5095.

### **MONDAY MENTORSHIP**

The Lajes Field Career Assistance Advisor presents May's Monday Mentorship Lunch and Learn seminars. The third and fourth installments of this series will address time management strategies and overcoming test anxiety. These one hour lunchtime seminars will be presented by the Lajes Military Family Life Consultant, so please come join us in the Education Center Auditorium (Bldg T-146, 1st

Floor) at 1100 hrs. The seminar for Overcoming Test Anxiety (Testing for Promotion) will be on 23 May.

In June we will have an opportunity to discuss mentorship with two of Lajes Field's CMSgts. On 6 June, CMSgt Curt Storms will be conducting a seminar on mentorship principles and the benefit of mentorship. One week later on 13 June, CMSgt Glen Robinson will be talking about taking control of your career. Please plan ahead for these seminars as space is limited.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact MSgt Michael Hanks at 535-3276.

### **JOB OPENING**

PenFed is hiring a part-time Branch Service Representative. Banking experience is preferred, but not a must. This position is

opened to all U.S. citizens or "green card" holders. For more information contact 295-513221. Job applications are available at bldg. T-202.

### **POLICE WEEK GOLF MAY 20**

A Police Week Golf Tournament is scheduled for 20 May. The flyer could be viewed by clicking the following links. Click here for the [flyer in English](#) and [for Portuguese](#). The National Police Week and the other are planned for the week of 16-20 May.

### **ASIAN PACIFIC HERITAGE MONTH EVENTS**

Asian Pacific Heritage Month has started. Here are the events scheduled.

For the month of May: Heritage Displays @ the Base Library, @ Lajes Elem./High School.

For the Month of May: Japan Disaster relief Drive, APAHA is collecting New or Gently



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Used (but clean) Blankets, Jackets & any other Children's Clothing & any un-needed Stuffed Animals in good shape & clean. POC Mr. John Peters @ the DoDDS Lajes E/H School @ 535.1106 or 966.46.8217 OR bring them by the Lajes E/H School.

May 18th Korean Food Cooking Demo with free food Sampling @ Base Chapel from 1830

May 24th Asian Pacific Heritage Sponsored S.U.M. Dinner @ Base Chapel from 1730  
MENU: Japanese Style Beef Curry, Tandoori Chicken, Sticky Rice & other Asian/Pacific Foods

## **AFSA MEMORIAL DAY RELAY**

Get your "A" team of runners together and come join AFSA Chapter 1653 for some healthy team competition during our memorial day half

marathon relay race! Please read [slide for details:](#)

- Monday, 30 May 11/0830 HRS at the Base Track

- 4 Person Teams

- \$40 per team

- There will be prizes awarded to the 1st, 2nd, 3rd place winners/teams

- We will also hand out prizes for the participant w/the most patriotic running attire and for the unit w/the largest turn out/participation.

- All of team Lajes (Military, Civilian, etc.) is welcome to participate!

- Not interested in running/racing? Come out and walk, we will be asking for donations for those folks not participating in the run/race portion of the event. All of the proceeds from

our team entry fees & donations will be going towards fallen patriot & wounded warrior charities, so the more teams the better!

Please contact MSgt Carlo Gutierrez NLT Tuesday 24 May to sign up & for additional details.

## **PROUD BULLS BOOSTER CLUB BOWLING TOURNAMENT**

The Proud Bulls Booster Club will be having a bowling tournament fundraiser on 17 May from 1300 to 1600L at the Bowling Alley, please see attached slide. If you have any questions or concerns, contact 535-3283.

## **65th ABW COMBAT DINING OUT**

The Lajes Field Combat Dining Out is scheduled for 21 May 2011  
Location: Building T-605



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Social Hour: 1700

Dinner: 1800

Cost: \$20 E6 and below, \$25 E7 and above

Military UOD: ABU's, Flight Suits and Utility

Uniforms only

Civilian UOD: Don't wear your Sunday's best!

Designated drivers will be provided by LADD.

(964-995-992). Tickets are very limited so

contact your Unit POC's:

729th: MSgt Billie Clark 535-7292 and SSgt

Jessica Chase 535-1408

AFN/OSI: SSgt Jason David 535-3497

CES/MSG: SrA Gregory Siaumau 535-3307

and SSgt Stephen Hildreth 535-1282

CONS and CPTS: SSgt Amanda Hildreth 535-

3184 and A1C Mark Jenkins 535-3184

CS: SrA Jermaine Johnson 535-2666 and A1C

Sharonda Williams 535-4585

FSS: TSgt Alejandra Anderson 535-1454 and

TSgt Donna Anchundia 535-1454

LRS: A1C Jordan Skeely 535-4373 and SrA

Tommy Thomas 535-4373

MDG: TSgt Stephanie Butcher, TSgt Deanne

Jackson and SSgt Latinya Ransaw 535-4141

OSS: SSgt Richard Riel 535-3669 and SSgt

Elizabeth Scheid 535-3283

SFS: SrA Terrence Ollis 535-6252 ad A1C

Justin Bass 535-3222

WSA: Capt Fred Doehle 535-2123 and A1C

Nicholas Fisher 535-3403

## **MILITARY SPOUSE FINANCIAL COUNSELOR FELLOWSHIP**

The Association of Financial Counseling and Planning Education - AFCPE - is working with the National Military Family Association and the FINRA Investor Education Foundation to provide up to 200 military spouses each year with funding to pay for the education they need to enter the financial counseling career field.

Their sponsored Military Spouse Financial Counseling Fellowships cover the cost of completing association's education program and the first two attempts at required examinations. The AFCPE's credential is awarded to all spouses who successfully complete program requirements, including a practicum with an organization that needs well-trained financial counselors to serve its clientele.

As spouses move from duty station to duty station, many public and private organizations want to hire knowledgeable, caring, ethical financial counselors, including on and off-base credit unions, financial aid offices, community housing offices and health and human service organizations. Military spouses can help fill these needs and maintain a portable career in one of the fastest growing sectors in America - financial services. Making the pot doubly sweet, there are career ladders in this field



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making it possible for credentialed spouses to accept increasing levels of responsibility and higher salaries despite their mobile military lifestyle. Applications for Military Spouse Financial Counselor Fellowships are now being accepted by the National Military Family Association. So, don't miss this opportunity to get started on a rewarding financial education, career and employment opportunity. For more information, visit

<http://www.militaryfamily.org/get-info/support-family/spouse-employment/financial-counselor-fellowship-faqs.html>

## WEBINAR

To better serve our customers and allow more direct communication between the members and AFPC, we prepared several webinars on retirement issues that we will be broadcasting on a recurring basis. The next scheduled webinar is designed to cover, "Navigating the

vMPF to Submit a Retirement Application". We've also prepared other webinars which cover things to consider when contemplating retirement, the application process, and pertinent data on benefits and entitlements, retired pay, and so forth, and what to expect once approved. We will broadcast these briefings on a rotating basis the third Thursday of every month. The upcoming schedule is as follows:

19 May 11 - I'm Approved for Retirement-Now What? 2011

16 Jun 11 - Retirements-101 for Enlisted Members 2011

21 Jul 11 - Retirements-101 for Officers 2011

18 Aug 11 - Navigating the vMPF to Submit a Retirement App 2011

## 65th MDG INTERACTIVE CUSTOMER EVALUATION (ICE)

The 65th MDG wants to hear from you! Please

go to <http://ice.disa.mil/> to evaluate the services provided by the 65th Medical Group. Your feedback is used to improve our products and services. Thank you for your feedback.

**CAN YOU PLAY THE BASS?** The wing band is looking for an experienced bass guitarist. The member can be active duty, U.S. or a Portuguese civilian employee. Contact Tommy Brooks at [Donald.Brooks@LAJES.AF.MIL](mailto:Donald.Brooks@LAJES.AF.MIL) if you're interested.

## VA BENEFIT TELECONFERENCE

A Veterans Affairs benefits briefing is scheduled for May 11 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Airman & Family Readiness Center.

- Purpose & Organization
- Compensation & Pension
- Health Care
- Readjustment Counseling
- Education
- Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment
- Life Insurance



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Home Loan Guaranty  
Burial & Survivor Benefits  
Other Benefits & Services

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

For details, contact the Airman and Family Readiness Center 535-4138

## REFLECTIVE BELT ROE REMINDER:

AFI 91-207 USAFE Sup:

3.5.2.1. (Added) In cases where separation of pedestrian and motor vehicle traffic is not feasible, military personnel in uniform must wear reflective accessories during periods of reduced visibility (hours of darkness, inclement weather, etc). Personnel in civilian attire are encouraged to wear light-colored clothing or reflective accessories. This requirement must be briefed during newcomers' orientation and addressed in the installation traffic code.

## MDG TRAINING DAY & TRICARE

**ONLINE:** The 65th Medical Group and the appointment line will be closed on the 2nd Wednesday every month from 0800-1300 for unit training. Normal operations will resume at 1300 hours. As a reminder, TRICARE On-line (TOL) is always available as an option for appointment booking. All beneficiaries must register at [www.tricareonline.com](http://www.tricareonline.com) for an account. If you have any questions, please call 535-3261.

## WICO:

The Women, Infants, and Children Overseas program helps ensure you child's nutritional needs are met. The program provides several important benefits for pregnant or nursing mothers, and children under 5 years old. Contact the Lajes WIC Overseas office, and give your child the healthy start they deserve. Open Tuesday-Thursday 0900-1400.

## ACTION LINE at 535-4240

The Commander's Action Line is your link to the commander for suggestions, kudos and as a way to work problems or issues within the 65th Air Base Wing for which you can't find another solution. Your chain of command should always be your first option, but when that is not the answer, call the Commander's action line at 535-4240 or email: 65 ABW/CC Action Line.

## MANGO LANGUAGES PROGRAM

Mango Languages is an award-winning, highly acclaimed, self-paced online language learning system! Mango is designed to teach users simple, practical, and polite conversation skills in a foreign language. For more information contact the Base Library at 535-3688.

## LFAMC ROOMS AVAILABLE:

The Lajes Field Airman Ministry Center



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(LFAMC) has two rooms available that are conducive to hold a wide range of events (i.e., having a pleasant conversation with a friend and a good cup of coffee from Café Bean, watching football games on the BIG screen TV, ballet classes, group meetings, game tournaments such as ping-pong, chess, dominoes, XBox and Wii games, etc.). The LFAMC is located at Bldg T-307. For reservations of the multi-use rooms, please call 535-4019 or 535-5216.

## Course 14 “Lunch and Discuss” Session

Are you enrolled in Course 14? If not! Sign up today. Why? Because we have a plan for you. Every Wednesday from 1130-1230, we will have a “Lunch and Discuss” Session.

What is this? A session designated to sit down with your peers and discuss the high points of each module. WOW! This is just like

NCOA...now that’s the Lajes Way.  
Course 14 Lunch and Discuss Schedule

18 May-Module 3 Behavioral Analysis

25 May-Module 4 Human Resource Development

- 01 June-Module 5 Organizational Maintenance Management

- 08 June-Module 6 Re-start the cycle...

Please note: The purpose of these sessions are to discuss what has already been read, so please come prepared and have already read the Module being discussed for that week. If you have already taken the test for the Module being discussed, please wait until the week we will be discussing the Module you are currently on; as we don’t want any negative perceptions of test compromise.\*\* Enroll today....we are only a

week away. For more information please feel free to contact: TSgt Shari Owoh at 535-2325.

## MORE OHA? TIME TO SPEAK UP

Would you like to see more money in your paycheck from OHA? Now is the time to speak up! Annually the Per Diem Committee (PDTATAC) Division of the Defense Traffic Management Office conducts an Overseas Housing Allowance (OHA), Utility, and Move-In-Expense Allowance survey to collect utility and recurring maintenance data from service members receiving an Overseas Housing Allowance. PDTATAC uses this data to prescribe and compute the OHA Utility/Recurring Maintenance Allowance payable to service members worldwide. From now until 31 May, the Lajes survey is available online for members living off base. It is imperative that as many members as possible



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complete this survey ASAP due to the relatively small population of Lajes.

This is your chance to make a difference! Follow the link below and let your voice be heard.

<http://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/ss/wsb.dll/s/eg4f>

NOTE: This survey applies only to members who reside off base.

## S.U.M DINNER

TUESDAY, 24 MAY 2011

1730 – 1900

CHAPEL T-305

MENU: Tandoori Chicken, Spicy Beef Thai Salad, Pork Curry, Bibimkooksoo (Korean noodles),

Hoisin Sauce Green Beans,

Rice, Hawaiian Delight Cake, and Plantation tea/Water

HOSTED BY: Asian Pacific American

Heritage Association

SPONSORED BY: Lajes Field Base Chapel

## AFSA LOBBYING RESULT:

Did you know? That thanks to AFSA's lobbying efforts on Capitol Hill on May 4, 2011 the House Armed Services Personnel Subcommittee rejected DoD's plans to raise retirees TRICARE Prime enrollment fees 13 percent and approved a 1.6 percent across-the-board pay raise for active duty personnel in FY 2012.

**Scroll down or click on the FSS Happenings tab for events & activities!**



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## 65 FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON HAPPENINGS

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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<http://www.facebook.com/65fss>

### HOT HAPPENINGS

**BIG BLOCK PARTY**  
May 28

- FAMILY & PET 2K RUN/WALK**  
10-11 a.m. - Fitness Center
- BOUNCY CASTLES, MUSIC, FACE PAINTING**  
11 a.m. - 3 p.m. - Pavilion
- FREE FOOD**  
12 - 3 p.m. Pavilion
- OPENING REMARKS**  
1 p.m. Pavilion
- KITE KARNIVAL**  
3 - 5 p.m. Running track
- Miss USA & Miss TEEN USA**  
6 p.m. Café Bean Handshake & Autograph Visit
- ART IN VINEYARD**  
6 - 8:30 p.m. Community Center
- ALL DAY SWIMMING & DJ at the Pool**

**Art in the Vineyard**  
May 28, 6-8:30 p.m.  
Community Center

**\$10** in advance  
or **\$15** at the door

**Only 150 tickets available.**  
**Price includes 5 wine tastings and hors d' oeuvres.**

**Beautiful commemorative wine glass with each ticket.**  
**Additional wine glasses for sale, \$10 ea.**

**COMMUNITY CENTER**  
535-5216  
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## **PLACES TO GO**

Call Outdoor Recreation, 535-4140 for reservation information.

### **SIGHT-SEEING TRIP TO SPLIT-ROCK**

Saturday, May 21, 10 a.m. \$74/person. This trip takes you to Split-Rock and weather permitting we'll embark on an inflatable dinghy and go inside the Split-Rock caves.

### **GEOCACHING TOUR**

Saturday, May 21, 9 a.m. FREE  
GPS units provided by ODR.

High-tech treasure hunting game played throughout the world by adventure seekers equipped with GPS devices.

The basic idea is to locate hidden containers, called geocaches, outdoors and then share your experiences online. Anyone can use coordinates found on Geocaching.com to locate geocaches.

### **A TASTE OF THE NORTHERN COAST**

Saturday, May 28, 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person, 5-

12 yrs \$20. Enjoy vineyards, wineries, museum, and a free bottle of wine. Then on to a basket weaver, a delightful folk museum and church. A wonderful lunch tops off this tour.

### **PRAIA WALKING TOUR**

Saturday, May 28, 9 a.m. FREE

The best way to discover Praia da Vitória is on foot. Our tour starts at a local coffee shop, where we will enjoy coffee and pastries then we are off to discover the attractions of this charming town.

### **TROLLING TRIP**

Sunday, May 29, 8 a.m. \$70/person.  
Barracuda, Bluefish and Atlantic Bonito.

### **DOLPHIN WATCHING**

Monday, May 30 (Memorial Day), 9 a.m.  
\$50/person. Sit back and enjoy the beautiful coastline while Capt. Dino seeks out bottlenose, common and spotted dolphins in his catamaran.

### **TRADITION OF BULLFIGHTING ON TERCEIRA ISLAND**

Monday, May 30 (Memorial Day) 9:30 a.m., \$39.95/person. This tour showcases the Portuguese bullfighting tradition. We will visit a ranch, watch a traditional bullfighter practice with a real bull and visit the equestrian center. Lunch is included.

## **THINGS TO DO**

### **CHIEF BENNETT FAREWELL**

Friday, May 20, Enlisted Lounge  
NEW SUMMER SPECIAL Country BBQ buffet featuring

#### **\*Austin Blues BBQ\***

- \$19.95 Non-members
- \$15.95 Members (\$6.95, 6-12 yrs)

RSVP for dinner by COB May 18. Enjoy karaoke, country music and dancing. 535-2327.

### **BOWL ALL SUMMER PASS**

NOW ON SALE, May 1 - Aug 31, only \$59.

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Shoe rental not included. Not good towards: - League fees - Dollar Daze - Cosmic bowling - Coach lessons or any other offer. 535-6909.

## SILVER LEVEL BOWLING INSTRUCTION

Saturday, May 28, 12 - 3 p.m.  
\$20/per person Includes: Bowling ball fit analysis, basic ball dynamics, lane play and bowling instruction. 535-6909.

## 2011 AIR FORCE CLUBS MEMBERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

To enter, write and submit a one page essay of 500 words or less on the topic: “My Contribution(s) to the Air Force”. Application forms located at the TORC, Community Center, Library, A&FRC and the Education Center. Applications, rules, and last year’s entries are found at [www.afclubs.net](http://www.afclubs.net). Submit essays to Ms. Karen O’Camb, TORC Mgr., by **July 1, 2011**. 535-2327.

## BINGO!

Wednesday, May 25, TORC Dining Room  
Card Sales start at 6 p.m. - Games begin at 6:30 p.m. 535-2327.

## KARAOKE

Every Friday, 9 p.m. TORC, 535-2327.

## YOUTH & FAMILY

### GIVE PARENTS A BREAK

Saturday, May 21, Noon. to 5 p.m.  
Ages 5-12 at the Youth Center. Vouchers are due by noon on Wednesday, May 18.  
Drop in slots \$10 -- pre-paid. 535-3273.

### 2011 ARMED FORCES KIDS RUN

Saturday, May 21, 9 a.m. Register by May 20.  
All ages - No fees. 2k Kid’s Run through base housing. Free T-shirts. 535-3273.

### TEEN NIGHT OUT IN PRAIA

Friday, May 27, 6-9 p.m. Register by May 26.  
Meet at Youth Center, Ages 13 – 18 No fees

Dinner/ Dessert & walk along the beach, bring Euros for dinner. 535-3273.

## FUN THINGS TO LEARN

Call Arts & Crafts at least three days before class to register. 535-3909.

## SCRAPBOOKING

Saturdays, May 21 & 28, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. \$40/person. Materials provided. Get your photos out of shoeboxes and into beautiful albums. Best of all, no experience is required—we’ll show you how to cut and glue—imagination is up to you.

## JASMIM-AROMATHERAPY “SCENT-SATIONAL” CLASS

Saturday, May 21, 2-4 p.m. \$18/person.  
Materials provided. Learn essential oil recipes for bath and massage; make your own glycerin soap and a facial mask.

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## **AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS CENTER COUNSELING**

Child and Youth Behavioral Military and Family Life Consultant, (CYB-MFLC) 969-651-065 and Military & Family Life Consultant (MFLC), 967-435-590 or 535-3529.

**Call 535-4138 to register for all workshops.**

## **FINANCIAL WORKSHOP SERIES**

Take one or all of the classes, which are offered by an Accredited Financial Counselor. Mr. McDaniel is available to provide one-on-one or couple's personal financial counseling. The next in the series are Insurance Essentials and Avoid Drowning in Debt.

## **READY FOR EVERYTHING INSURANCE ESSENTIALS**

Thursday, 19 May, 3 - 4:30 p.m.

This presentation covers insurance provided through the government for you and your family

as well as insurance in general. Learn what you really need versus making a costly mistake.

## **AVOID DROWNING IN DEBT**

Thursday, 26 May, 3 - 4:30 p.m.

Learn simple steps to become a responsible borrower. Learn how to avoid digging a deeper debt hole.

## **JUMP START YOUR EDUCATION**

### **OFFICERS - 2012 AAD - SPEED APPLICATIONS**

Applications due May 31- Sep 30, 2011 for the Advanced Academic Degree and Special Experience Exchange Duties programs. POC AFPC/DPASF, DSN 312-665-2668, [afpc.dpasf@us.af.mil](mailto:afpc.dpasf@us.af.mil)

## **EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY**

HUMN 400 - Science and Aviation/Aerospace Technology in Society, June 21 - Aug 22, face

to face meetings will be July 25-31. Instructor from Rota is Professor Eduardo Bastidas. Embry-Riddle is currently looking for faculty, if you have a master's degree in a technical field please contact Romina at 535-3375, Mon-Fri, 9 to 3.

## **UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**

**On-site** summer term June 6-July 31. Online classes run June 13 - Aug 20. On-site: lunch time College Mathematics; teatime Microeconomics; Port 111 Elementary Portuguese. The latest class schedules can be found by clicking on "Current Schedules" at <http://www.ed.umuc.edu>. Call Scott today at 535-4187 or email [serwin@europe.umuc.edu](mailto:serwin@europe.umuc.edu) for more information.

## **UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**

Unsure about taking online classes? Register **Scroll for more**



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for a free online seminar with UMUC 411. In just three days, you can familiarize yourself with UMUC's flexible online format. You will have the opportunity to interact with prospective students and university representatives from all over the world. Log in at days and times that are convenient for you-just like you would in a real online course! Once you complete UMUC 411 and apply to the UMUC Europe campus, we will *waive your application fee*. View upcoming session dates and register for UMUC 411 at <http://www.ed.umuc.edu/spotlight/411.html>

## UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE – attention Spouses

New military family scholarship for \$500! **Spouse or dependent of an active-duty member** (all ranks). Degree-seeking with UMUC or BSU in Europe. For more information visit

[http://www.ed.umuc.edu/financial\\_aid/militaryfamilscholarship.html](http://www.ed.umuc.edu/financial_aid/militaryfamilscholarship.html)

## UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Add/Drop date is May 16 for the June 14-19 course, Theoretical Foundations, HR5003-225. This is a core class and is designed to expose students to fundamental theories upon which practice in human relations is based and to facilitate a greater understanding of how these theories can be applied by the human relations professional. For more info, contact Christina Adams at 535-3171 or [aplajes@ou.edu](mailto:aplajes@ou.edu).

## CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE

Upcoming class: CJSA 1312 – Crimes in America – The study of American crime problems in historical perspective, social and public policy factors affecting crime, impact and crime trends, social characteristics of specific crimes and crime prevention. Classes are Tuesdays & Thursdays June 6-July 29 from 6 to 9 p.m. Registration May 16-27.

## GRADUATION – 15 JUNE

If you are graduating this spring and would like to walk in the 15 June commencement ceremony, please contact Maria at 535-5291.

## NAF JOB OPPORTUNITIES

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

**Child and Youth Program Assistant** (Before & After School Program) - Youth Ctr (T-240)

Open until filled

**Child and Youth Program Assistant** (Open Recreation) - Youth Center (T-240)

Open until filled

**Child and Youth Program Assistant** -CDC (T-209)

Open until filled

**Animal Caretaker Supervisor**

NS-03, Atlantic Island Kennel (T-587)

Open until filled

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**Barista**  
NA-02, Café Bean, Community Center (T-307)  
Part-time  
Open until filled  
[www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=01&fac=21](http://www.lajesfss.com/index.php?do=01&fac=21)

One to two grand prizes winners and multiple second prize winners will be randomly selected bi-monthly (2x month).

## THINGS WORTH NOTING

[www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com) is currently under repair. We anticipate full restoration soon.

## First grand prizes awarded June 13:

- Two-day Graciosa trip & spa for two-from Top Atlântico
- Scuba Cert Course from Anfibus  
No federal endorsement of sponsors intended.

## LOOKING AHEAD

**SUMMERQUEST CONTEST**  
June 1 – August 27  
\$14K in prizes!  
Answer Summer Campaign/ FSS related riddles on [www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com)

**Lajes SUMMER QUEST**  
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## HELPING AGENCIES

### CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### CATHOLIC MAY SCHEDULE

#### Worship

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):** 8:30 a.m. every Sunday or by appointment to facilitate work schedules. For more information, call (Ch Capt) Dominic Vitaliano at 535-4211.

**Sunday Mass:** 9:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Capt) Dominic Vitaliano at 535-4211.

**Daily Mass:** 11:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch Capt) Dominic Vitaliano at 535-4211.

**CATHOLIC PARISH APPRECIATION DINNER FOR THE VOLUNTEERS:** 6:30 p.m. May 22 at Casa do Peixe Restaurant. For more information, call (Ch Capt) Dominic Vitaliano at 535-4211.

### MAY PROTESTANT SCHEDULE

#### Worship

**Traditional Service:** 9:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Praise Service:** 10:30 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Church of Christ Sunday School:** 10:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Church of Christ Service:** 11:00 a.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Lajes Open Circle** - A parent must accompany anyone under the age of 18: 2:00 p.m. Sundays at the Airman Ministry Center. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Burnservice:** 5:00 p.m. Sundays at the Community Activity Center. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

#### PRAYER TIME

**Protestant Parish Prayer Meeting/Lunch:** Noon. Wednesdays at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.



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## BIBLE STUDIES/FELLOWSHIP

**Officer Christian Fellowship/Lunch:** 11:45 a.m. Wednesdays at Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Protestant Bible Study** – Open to All: 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Protestant Love Dare Dinner “a romantic dinner for couples”** – Please sign up by 25 May. 7:00 p.m. May 27 at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## CHOIR PRACTICE

**Body of Praise Practice for Praise Service:** 6:30 p.m. Thursday at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## DANCE MINISTRY PRACTICES

**Protestant Lajes Praise Motion/Jesus & Me Dance Ministry Practice:** 3:00 p.m. Sundays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Protestant Lajes Praise Motion/Jesus & Me Dance Ministry Practice:** 5:30 p.m. Mondays at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## Children’s Ministry

**AWANA (Approved Workman Are Not Ashamed):** 6:00 p.m. May 17 at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**AWANA Store & Awards Night:** 5:00 p.m. May 22 at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## Women’s Ministry

Protestant Ladies Fellowship: 6:30 p.m. May 2

at the chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

**Protestant Ladies Bible Study:** 6:30 p.m. Mondays at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## Men’s Ministry

**Protestant Men’s Bible Study and Breakfast:** 8:00 a.m. Saturdays at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## ECUMENICAL PROGRAMS

Sunday Fellowship: 10:00 a.m. Sunday at the Chapel. For more information, call (Ch, Maj) Hector Colón at 535-4211.

## COMMUNITY PROGRAM

**The Lajes Field Airman Ministry Center**





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(LFAMC) has two rooms available that are conducive to hold a wide range of events (i.e., having a pleasant conversation with a friend and a good cup of coffee from Café Bean, Faith Group Gathering, watching football games on the BIG screen TV, ballet classes, group meetings, game tournaments such as ping-pong, chess, dominoes, XBox and Wii games, etc.). In an Alcohol, Tobacco and Profanity free environment. The LFAMC is located at Bldg T-307. For reservations of the multi-use rooms, please call 535-4019 or 535-5216.

**Family Hike:** On Saturday, 21 May at 0830 leaving from The Lajes Field Airman Ministry Center T-307. Organized by Airman Ministry Center and Men of the Chapel, and Sponsored by the Lajes Field Chapel.

**SUM Dinner:** On the last Thursday of each month the Chapel sponsors a Single/Unaccompanied Members (SUM) Dinner. The meal is hosted by one of the

squadrons, organizations, or groups from around base. This month will be hosted by Asian Pacific American Heritage Association on TUESDAY, 24 May from 1730 until 1900 at the Chapel.

**Chapel Charities Committee:** The Chapel Charities Committee works to help meet the needs of base personnel as well as local nationals, orphanages, nursing homes and Mercy House Institutions. Please drop-off the donations of clothes and toys at Lajes Field Chapel to be sorted at Chapel Charities Closet Bldg. T-112. We need volunteers to help sort the donations by age and gender, so it can be delivered to the places mentioned above. For more information please call the chapel at 535-4211. POC: Mrs. Jacinta Pires.

**Santa Rita Project (Sept–Jun):** This is a ministry that helps provide food to 57 Children. We are asking for a weekly donation of Wonder

Sliced Bread, Cereal, Canned Fruit, Peanut Butter & Margarine.

**NEW!**

## SPIRITUAL REFUELING EVENTS

MAY 2011

Mondays / 1730 Protestant Lajes Praise  
Motion/Jesus & Me Dance Ministry Practice

Mondays / 1830 Protestant Ladies Bible Study

Mondays – Thursdays / 1130 Daily Mass

Tuesdays – 1800 AWANA

Wednesdays / 1145 Officer Christian  
Fellowship/Lunch

Wednesdays / 1200 Protestant Parish Prayer  
Meeting/Lunch



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Wednesdays / 1900 Protestant Bible Study

Thursdays / 1830 Protestant Body of Praise Practice for Praise Service

Saturdays / 0800 Protestant Men’s Bible Study and Breakfast

Sundays / 0830 or by appointment - Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Sundays / 0900 Catholic Mass

Sundays / 0900 Protestant Traditional Service

Sundays / 1000 Ecumenical Fellowship Brunch

Sundays / 1030 Protestant Praise Service

Sundays / 1000 Church Of Christ Sunday School

Sundays / 1100 Church Of Christ Service

Sundays / 1500 Protestant Lajes Praise Motion/Jesus & Me Dance Ministry Practice

Sundays / 1400 Lajes Open Circle at Airman Ministry Center

Sundays / 1700 Burnservice at Community Activity Center

2 May / 1830 Protestant Ladies Fellowship

21 May / 0830 Family Hike – Leaving from the Airmen Ministry Center. Organized by Airman Ministry Center and Men of the Chapel and Sponsored by the Lajes Field Chapel

22 May / 1700 AWANA Store & Awards Night

22 May / 1830 Catholic Parish Appreciation Day for the Volunteers at Casa do Peixe Restaurant.

24 May / 1730 SUM Dinner Sponsored by the Lajes Field Chapel and Hosted by Asian Pacific American Heritage Committee

27 May / 1900 Protestant Love Dare Dinner “a romantic dinner for couples” – sign up by 25 May.

**Please check out our [facebook.com/LajesFieldChapel](https://www.facebook.com/LajesFieldChapel) – If you have any information that you would like to post, please e-mail the information to [65abw.hc@lajes.af.mil](mailto:65abw.hc@lajes.af.mil).**

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## ENTERTAINMENT /COMMUNITY EVENTS

### MOVIE SCHEDULE

**FRI, May 20** – 1900: Sucker Punch PG-13

**SAT, May 21** – 1900 The Lincoln Lawyer R

**SUN, May 22** – 1600 Sucker Punch PG-13

1900 The Lincoln Lawyer R

### **USAFE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP**

USAFE will be holding the 2011 USAFE Golf Championship from 18-21 July at RAF Lakenheath. Permissive TDY is authorized for this event. Rules and registration are can be found by clicking: [Rules](#). and [Registration Information](#).

### **BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU (BBB) TOP SCAMS OF 2010**

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1. Job-hunting scams: they advertise fake jobs in an effort to get your social security number or bank account information. Only deal directly with the employer or well known placement agencies if you are looking for work.

2. Debt-relief services: they require you to pay money upfront and then they don't do anything for you and you never hear from them again. Start by talking to a consumer credit counselor. Contact the National Foundation for Credit Counseling at [www.nfcc.org](http://www.nfcc.org) where you can access one of the 800 member agencies in their network.

3. Work-from-home schemes: this scam has been around since the 70's and we even see yard signs in our area advertising this opportunity. It must still be working otherwise it wouldn't be on the top ten list. Scammers promise to give you secrets to finding work to do at home or they sell you craft kits that you must assemble for which they will pay you. Then when you send them the completed kits, they tell you the work doesn't match up to their standards. The BBB reminds consumers to be mindful of scammers and if you have any questions contact the BBB online at [bbb.org](http://bbb.org) or your local office. <https://www.affirst.org/skins/affsc/resources/common/clear.gif>

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Beware of these scams or others like them.



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## **MILITARY FAMILY HOUSING FACILITIES EXCELLENCE**

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26-27 May, 0830-1600 Building T-521  
MFH residents are encouraged to take pride in  
their units and we are providing FREE flowers  
and shrubs, lava rocks, stepping stones and  
potting soil to enhance your exterior. We also  
provide a variety of hand tools and garden tools  
to help residents take care of their unit. For  
more information, contact Randy Phillips,  
Housing Maintenance Supervisor, at 535-2363.