



65 FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON HAPPENINGS

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HOT HAPPENINGS

KOMBAT KITCHEN
 May 17, 4:30 p.m. TORC
 Teams of 3 create a dish from 4 MREs
 Judges select the winner

HOT & SPICY AB WINGS

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BIG BLOCK PARTY
 May 26

FAMILY & PET 2x RUN/WALK
 10-11 a.m. - Fitness Center

BOUNCY CASTLES, MUSIC, FACE PAINTING,
PETTING ZOO & CART RIDES
 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

ART IN VINEYARD
 6 - 8:30 p.m. Community Center

ALL DAY SWIMMING & DJ at the Pool
 25% OFF Pool passes this day only!

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Art in the Vineyard
May 26, 6-8:30 p.m.
Community Center

\$12 in advance
or \$15 at the door
Only 140 tickets available.
Price includes 5 wine tastings
and hors d' oeuvres.

Beautiful commemorative
wine glass with each ticket.

  

COMMUNITY CENTER

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PLACES TO GO

Call **Outdoor Recreation**, 535-4140 for reservation information on these trips:

CAVE EXPLORING

Saturday, May 19, 3 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. \$15/person.
 Explore Gruta do Natal and Algar do Carvão.
 These "beginner" caves do not represent a challenge even if you are a bit claustrophobic, scared of the dark and not real sure of foot.

HEART OF ANGRA

Saturday, May 19, 8 a.m. \$39.95/person.
 São Gonçalo city museum ~ Delicious traditional lunch ~
 São João Baptista Castle.

GEOCACHING TOUR

Saturday, May 19, 9 a.m. FREE
 Geocaching is an outdoor treasure hunt that combines hiking and exploring, using a hand-held GPS to locate treasure caches.

HIKING PICO NEGRÃO TRAIL

Saturday, May 26, 10 a.m. \$10/person
 Experience the great outdoors, see landscapes dotted by junipers, laurel heathers and volcanic cones.
 Location: Serreta - Length: 7km - Difficulty: Medium -
 Time: 2 hours and 30 minutes. Minimum age is 8yrs.

A TASTE OF THE NORTHERN COAST

Saturday, May 26, 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person, 5-12 yrs \$20.

Travel to Biscoitos for a tour of the beautiful vineyards, winery and museum. Here you'll be treated to a tasting and a free bottle of the famed Verdelho wine. Next to a wood crafters shop and then a traditional church. A wonderful lunch tops off this tour.

THINGS TO DO

BINGO

Wednesday, May 16, TORC Dining Room
 Card Sales at 6:15 p.m. Games at 7 p.m. 535-2327.

BUCK NIGHT AT THE BOWL

Every Wednesday, \$1 games from 4 p.m. until closing.
 \$1.50 shoe rental. Color pin prizes. 535-6169.

BOWLING LUNCH SPECIAL

Tuesday - Friday, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
 Have lunch at the Lajes Park Snack Bar and get 2 FREE games of bowling! Shoes not included. Please show receipt. 535-6169.

COSMIC BOWLING NIGHT

Every Friday & Saturday, 7:30 - 11 p.m.
 Bowl all night under the lights. Jam to your favorite tunes with your family, friends, coworkers or anyone else you want to drag along. 535-6169.

ADULT PRE-SUMMER READING

Library, May 1 - June 28

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Lajes Field Air Base

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May 15, 2012

Adults 18+. Read 1500+ minutes to be entered in a drawing for 1 of 15 beach bags. Grand prize is a Sony e-Reader! 535-3688.

TELL THE LIBRARY WHAT YOU THINK

Please take our short survey. It will help us serve you better. Thank you.

<http://questionpro.com/t/AHfHsZMOY2>

DELICIOUS DONUTS!!

National Police Week

May 14 - May 18

8 - 9 a.m. @ the Coffee Shop

HOT FRESH DONUTS!

75¢ each
\$8/dozen

Made every morning
THIS WEEK ONLY
Call a day prior
for large orders



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FUN THINGS TO LEARN

Call the Community Center, 535-5216 to sign up and schedule these classes:

DRUM LESSONS

Every Tuesday, 30 minutes. PRIVATE lessons-- \$55/month. Ages 12 and up.

ELECTRIC GUITAR LESSONS

Every Tuesday, 30 Minutes. PRIVATE lessons-- \$55/month. Ages 12 and up – Limited sign up. Call Arts & Crafts, 535-3909 at least three days in advance to schedule these classes.

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HANDS-ON PICTURE FRAMING

Tuesday, May 22 & Wednesday, May 23, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. \$40/person. Materials provided.

BEGINNER CROCHET CLASS

Wednesday, May 23 & Thursday, May 24, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. \$15/person.

PORTUGUESE COOKING - FISH ALCATRA

Saturday, May 26, 5:30 - 8 p.m. \$15/person. Learn the recipe and Alcatra cooking techniques. At the end, join in for a traditional meal

YOUTH & FAMILY

GIVE PARENTS A BREAK

Saturday, May 19, 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Vouchers due by noon, Wednesday, May 16. 535-3273.

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★ America's Armed Forces ★

KIDS RUN

MAY 19, 8 A.M., YOUTH CENTER

ALL AGES! NO FEES!

2K FOR KIDS THROUGH BASE HOUSING.

FREE T-SHIRTS TO ALL PARTICIPANTS.
SIGN UP BY MAY 18, 6 P.M.



YOUTH CENTER

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AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS

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**

MILITARY & FAMILY LIFE CONSULTANT **MFLC**

Are available to help service members, spouses, family members, children and staff address:

Deployment/Reintegration Support, Marriage and Relationship Issues, Stress and Anxiety, Depression, Grief and Loss, Daily Life Issues.

Consultations are free and anonymous. No records are kept. (Exceptions to confidentiality include duty to warn cases and PRP disqualifiers.)

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USA JOBS WORKSHOP

Thursday, May 17, 1 - 3 p.m.

SLEEP, SLEEP, CALMING SLEEP (Presented by MFLC) Friday, May 18, Noon - 1 p.m.

JUMP START YOUR EDUCATION

COLLEGE GRADUATION – JUNE 13

College graduation will be held on June 13 at 3 pm at the TORC. For further information contact 2dLt Peat or Education Services at 535-3355.

CCAF GRADUATES – APPLY for PITSENBARGER AWARD – DUE 22 MAY

Air Force Association (AFA) Pitsenbarger Award provides a one-time grant of \$400 to 2 selected top USAF enlisted personnel graduating from CCAF who plan to pursue a baccalaureate degree. CCAF graduates are urged to apply. Contact the Education Center at 535-3355 for an application form. Due by COB 22 May at T-146.

OFFICERS ADVANCED DEGREE/SPEED

Officers interested in the AAD/SPEED program should go to <https://gum-crm.csd.disa.mil/> (search for AAD/SPEED) for application deadlines for 14 different advanced education programs available this year.

ENGLISH CLEP PREP-PROGRAM

Need a boost to pass the ENGLISH CLEP? Call Heather at 535-3355 to sign up for the May 21 prep class.

STAP – DISCONTINUED AFTER JULY 31

Air Force Aid Society will end the STAP program on July 31. Spouses may apply for financial assistance for the last term of 2012. Call 535-3355 for further information or see your college representative.

SEPARATING / RETIRING?

See your Education Advisor for information about your education plans and benefits.

VA EDUCATION BENEFITS – TRANSFER to SPOUSE /DEPENDENT

Reminder: you have an additional 4 year commitment to serve if you wish to transfer your Post 9/11 Education Benefits to your spouse and/or dependents. Act early while you still have the time on AD. Call 535-3355 for information.

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

On-site summer course, Violence Against Women & Children, July 10 - July 15. Add/Drop date is June 11. Contact Christina at: aplajes@ou.edu or 535-3171.

EMBRY RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY

Upcoming Classes: MGMT221- Introduction to Management Information systems (Blended) from May 28 to July 29 Meetings will be June 8 to 12. MGMT 444- Principles of Supply Chain Management (Eagle Vision Classroom) from May 28 to July 29, this will be the first Eagle Vision Class offered at Lajes. ERAU office Hours: Monday to Thursday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. closed Fridays. For information contact Romi Newman at 535-3375 or email to ecaz@erau.edu

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Summer classes run from June 4 through July 29. Planned on-site classes include Statistics,

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Macroeconomics and Elementary Portuguese I. The schedule for online classes can be found at www.ed.umuc.edu. Contact Scott at 535-4187 or email scott.erwin@umuc.edu

CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE

Crime in America course registration opens May 22. Class dates June 4 – July 27. Contact Paul at 535-6722 or lajes@europe.ctcd.edu See <http://online.ctcd.edu/schedule/schedule.cfm> for online class schedules

UMUC – 25% BOOK DISCOUNT!

Summer Book Discount--25% off textbooks purchased through WebText through May 25! Contact Scott at 535-4187 or email scott.erwin@umuc.edu

NATIONAL TEST CENTER

The NTC offers computer-based exams: CLEP, DSST (including Speech), Excelsior and PearsonVue (professional licensures and certifications). Mon, Wed and Fri 0830 and 1330. To schedule, call Scott at 535-4187 or e-mail Joe at ntclajes-europe@umuc.edu. For study material, call Heather at 535-3355.

NAF JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Nonappropriated Fund positions are available to US military, US Civilians, their spouses and dependents on command sponsored orders. All applicants must be US

citizens or citizens of a NATO country. Applicants must be 18 and over. All positions require background checks.

Child and Youth Program Assistant (Before & After School Program)

CY-01/02/03, Youth Center (T-240) Part-time
Vacancy closing date: Open until filled.

Food Service Worker (Barista)

NA-02, Café Bean, Community Center (T-307)
Flexible Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Vacancy Closing Date: Open until filled.

For more info: <http://www.lajesfss.com/Human-Resources-Office.html>

To apply go to www.nafjobs.org or call HRO, 535-6582 or go to Bldg T-112, Room 203. 535-6582.

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

Check out the updated Civilian Personnel page at: <http://www.lajesfss.com/Civilian-Personnel-Office.html>



PAW PRINTS

DOGGY PLAY DAYS

Every Saturday, 10 a.m., the SFS softball field. Big/rowdy dogs come out to play the first, third, and fourth Saturday. The second Saturday is reserved for small (under 20 lbs or not hyper/fast moving) dogs. Water and doggy bags are provided. 535-3855.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

19 May 2012
10-12 at the SFS Football field
Join us for a very special Doggy Play Day as we celebrate the birth of one of our favorite clients! Onyx Jeffery-Williams will be turning ONE! We will have a doggy pool, so bring towels! Also, we will have a dog-friendly birthday cake to enjoy!



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SCHOOL INFO

School Liaison Office

CARNIVAL

The PTO will hold a Carnival at the school on May 18, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The cost will be \$10.00 for a keepsake wristband with unlimited access to games or you can pay \$.50 per game.

PTO

The PTO has t-shirts, polo's, and sweatshirts for sale at the school. Office hours at the school;
 Tues-10:30-2:30 Wed-12:30-2:30
 Thurs-10:30-2:30 Fri-11:30-3:00

SPIRIT WEEK

Spirit Week will run from Monday, May 14, 2012 to Friday, May 18, 2012 for all LEHS students. Each day is themed for students to "think outside the box" as to how they will dress. The following is the list for each day:

- Mon-Dress like a Boss Day
- Thurs-Super Hero/Villain Day
- Tues-Military Day
- Fri-Blue and Gold Day
- Wed-Disney Day

SOCCER

The soccer team will leave from the commercial airport to compete in Germany on May 19, 2012. Show time for the students will be 12:30 p.m. The team will return from Germany on May 25, 2012 at 7:50 p.m. Please come out and support our soccer team by being at the airport for their departure or return.

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

The last School Advisory Council (SAC) meeting will be held on May 23, 2012 at 2:45 p.m. The council is seeking new parent members to be part of the SAC during school year 2012-13. The SAC is composed of parents and professionals who meet four times a year to advise or address issues with the principal concerning the school. Parents are highly encouraged to attend and be part of the council. For more information, contact Laurie Salafia at 535-5711

SLO NEWS On the Move

Families who are moving to another base with school-aged children are welcome to contact Laurie Salafia at 535-5711 to assist you in transitioning your children to a new school.

THINGS WORTH NOTING



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<http://kanal.meo.pt/209700>