



HOT HAPPENINGS

65 FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON HAPPENINGS

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NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY
2014

TUESDAY DEC 31 | NEW YEAR'S EVE

Bar Opens 7 p.m.

Very Heavy Hors D'oeuvres 9 p.m.

CHAMPAGNE at Midnight

Breakfast 0:45 a.m.

Animation w/ live DJ

MEMBERS \$10

NON-MEMBERS \$25

TOP OF THE ROCK CLUB
www.lajesfss.com
www.facebook.com/65fss 535-1122

CHRISTMAS EVE Special

Tuesday, Dec 24
7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Win a bowling ball!
Earn a ticket and a chance to win for each game played!

For more information e-mail dustin.schmidt.1@us.af.mil

BOWLING
Lajes Park Bowling Center
535-6169
www.lajesfss.com
www.facebook.com/65fss

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PLACES TO GO

Call **Outdoor Recreation**
535-4140 for reservation information on these trips.
Please sign up 3 days prior to trips. Minimum and maximum number of participants apply to all.

A TASTE OF THE NORTHERN COAST

Saturday, Dec 28; 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person, 5-12 y/o \$20
Travel to Biscoitos for 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.

FAITH, FISH, EARTH AND CHEESE

Saturday, Jan 4, Feb 22, Mar 8; 9:30 a.m.
\$39.95/person, 5-12 yrs \$20
First we'll visit a rustic pottery shop. Then on to Vaquinha Cheese Factory to taste cheeses. Followed by a seafood lunch and beautiful sights in Sao Mateus.

LAND ROVER FAMILY SAFARI

Saturday, Jan 4, Feb 17, Mar 29; 9:30 a.m.
Adults \$39.95, Children \$29.95 (5-12 y/o).
Five hour jeep safari trip including a delicious picnic.

HEART OF ANGRA

Saturday, Jan 11, Feb 1; 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person
Enjoy a guided tour through Angra's beautiful Cathedral and the Palace of the Captain General. We'll visit the city museum, Sao Joao Baptista Castle, and enjoy a great lunch.

THINGS TO LEARN

Register at Arts and Crafts at least three days before the class begins, 535-3909.

HANDS ON PICTURE FRAMING

Jan 15 & 16, Feb 19 & 20, Mar 12 & 13
This class guides you through the picture framing process. Including hands-on mat cutting (including double mats), hands-on frame making, measuring / design, basic mounting techniques, frame fitting and hardware. 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. \$40/person.

KIDS CRAFTS DAY FREE CLASSES

Saturday, Jan 18
Reservations required for each class.
Child and Parent Tile Handprint Tile

Ages 1-5 • 10:30 - Noon
This tile class creates a beautiful memory. Here's how it works: Kids paint an assortment of light colors cover the surface of a bisque tile. With the help of the instructor, a darker colored acrylic is applied to the palm of the child's hand and then to the palm of the parent's hand. While the acrylic is still wet, the palms of your hands will be pressed against the surface of the tile.

Ages 6-9 • Noon - 1:30 p.m.
Jan: Paint by numbers
This is the ideal introduction for the young artist to work with brightly colored paints.

THINGS TO DO



December MASSAGE SPECIAL

CANDLE MASSAGE: \$45

CHRISTMAS DOUBLES Classic

9-Pin No-Tap Doubles Tournament
DECEMBER 14-31
\$10 per Team Entry

Enter as many times as you like! May only cash once per team, but find a new partner and Re-enter!

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Dec 24, 2013

YOUTH & FAMILY

YOUTH BASKETBALL / CHEERLEADING

Volunteer Coaches and Officials Needed

Contact Scotte Mendiola DSN 535-1197

Registration: Wednesday, Nov 13 - Wednesday, Jan 8

Coaches Training: Tuesday, Jan 7

Parents Meeting: Thursday, Jan 9

Skills Day: Saturday, Jan 11

Season: Monday, Jan 13 - Saturday, Mar 1

HOLIDAY CAMP

Monday, Dec 23 - Friday, Jan 3

Registration starts Monday, Dec 9

Tennis
ONGOING LESSONS

Register at the Youth Center
TWICE a WEEK
AGES 5 - 18
\$40/MONTH

TUMBLING & GYMNASTICS LESSONS

18 mo + to Adults
\$40 a month/4 lessons
Register at the Youth Center
NEW CLASSES STARTING IN JANUARY 2014!

One Page At A Time
"Cover to Cover Something to Discover"

The More You Read The More Prizes You Earn
A reading program for youth 5 to 13 years old

Reading takes you places only your imagination can create.
Start your adventure, go to: www.MyAirForceLife.com/youth or contact Youth Programs for more information.

A reading incentive program for ages 5-13
More Pages • More Prizes!

WEEKLY Pre-Toddler TIME
Every Wednesday at 11 a.m.

December Events

- DEC 4 SSGT CHRISANNA WALTON LETTERS TO SANTA
- DEC 11 SSGT NICOLE THOMPSON HOLIDAY WREATHS
- DEC 18 sra gregory walton NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

January Events

- JAN 8 SSGT CHRISANNA WALTON NATIONAL BIRD DAY
- JAN 15 SSGT NOLAN COPPEDGE HAT DAY
- JAN 22 SSGT RUSTY BUENTELLO FIRE DEPARTMENT (Meet at the Fire Dept)
- JAN 29 SSGT NICOLE THOMPSON NATIONAL PUZZLE DAY

WEEKLY TODDLER TIME
Every Wednesday at 11 a.m., Base Library

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SCHOOL/SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICE

Laurie Salafia, SLO, 535-5711.

The School Liaison Officer provides information to families on PCSing to another school, transitions, bullying, and more.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Lajes School is now on Facebook. Type in Lajes Community Schools to gain access.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

When your child is too sick to return to school after lunch or has an appointment, notify the school by calling 535-4151. For the safety and security of our children, it is very important to sign your children in/out for appointments.

SCHOOL QUEST

Visit www.schoolquest.org a Military Child Education Coalition website for information on any public school in the United States and DoD schools overseas. You can join a blog, visit their resource library, use their scholarship finder, college option services or ask questions.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

If you are requesting an extension to your orders till the end of the school year, please take a copy of your amendments to your orders to the school secretary.

WINTER BREAK

There will no school from Monday, Dec 23-Friday, Jan 3, 2014. Students return to school on Monday, Jan 6, 2014.

The school office will be open from Dec 23-Jan 3, 2014 from 9:00 a.m. to 1130 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The office will be closed all day Dec 25th and Jan 3, 2014.



**General Henry H. Arnold
EDUCATION GRANT
PROGRAM**

Awards: \$2,000 need-based grants

Open to: Dependent children of Active Duty, Title 10 Reserve, Title 32 AGR, Retired, Retired Reserve, and Deceased Air Force members; spouses of Active Duty and Title 10 Reserve; and surviving spouses of Deceased Air Force members

Requirements:

- Minimum 2.0 GPA
- Enrolled full-time as an undergraduate student

Apply Online:
Air Force Aid Society's website
<http://www.afas.org/education-grants>

Deadline:
Mar 7, 2014 for the 2014-2015 academic year

GRANT OPPORTUNITY

For eligibility requirements and deadlines go to <http://afas.org/education-grants> from November to March.

AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS

Child and Youth Behavioral Military, Family Life Consultant (CYB-MFLC) 969-651-065
Military & Family Life Consultant (MFLC) 967-435-590 or 535-3529 **Call 535-4138 to register for all workshops.**

COPING WITH HOLIDAY STRESS

(Presented by MFLC)
Friday, Dec 20, 3 - 4:30 p.m.
This presentation identifies the impact stress has on the holidays, healthy coping mechanisms, suggests ways to assist and ideas on how to develop a plan for the holidays.

JUMP START YOUR EDUCATION

NCO CRS 15

Contrary to what was previously advertised, Course 15 is NOT available to active duty members. All members who had been erroneously enrolled have been disenrolled.

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Start and finish your Master's Degree with OU! . Contact Megan @ 535-3171 or aplajes@ou.edu.

CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE

Contact Paul at 535-6722 or lajes@europe.ctcd.edu . For go <http://online.ctcd.edu/schedule/schedule.cfm> for upcoming classes and registration deadlines.

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**EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSTIY-
WORLDWIDE**

Online and EagleVision Home classes available. Create a map of your degree that will guide you to graduation. Contact DSN: 226-2464 or email lakenheath@erau.edu for more details!

NATIONAL TEST CENTER

Funded CLEP and DSST testing has resumed. Mon, Wed and Fri 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. To schedule, call Scott at 535-4187 or email Joe at ntclajes-europe@umuc.edu.

PA PROGRAM

The Physician Assistant commissioning program will accept applications from Nov 1, 2013 to Jan 25, 2014. For more information about the program and application go to <https://kx.afms.mil/afbsceducation>

SELF ASSESSMENT TOOL – KUDER

The Kuder Assessment Career and Transition System are specifically designed for the US Military. It is a comprehensive online resource to help you plan for the future, learn about your interests, skills and work values and use those results to build a personal career plan. Go to <http://dantes.kuder.com>

NAF JOBS

Non-appropriated 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.

ANIMAL CARETAKER (Groomer)

NTE 6 months
NA-5045-05, Atlantic Island Kennel
Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Vacancy closing date: Open until filled.

ANIMAL CARETAKER (Atlantic Island Kennel)

NTE 6 months
NA-5048-04/05, Atlantic Island Kennel
Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Vacancy closing date: Open until filled

RECREATION ASSISTANT (Auto Hobby Shop)

NTE 30 SEP 2014
NF-0189-II, (T-424)
Flexible Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Closing date: Open until filled

**CHILD AND YOUTH PROGRAM ASSISTANT
(Before & After School Program & Open
Recreation)**

CY-01/02, Youth Center (T-240)
Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Vacancy closing date: Continuously Opened

**CHILD AND YOUTH PROGRAM ASSISTANT
(CDC)**

CY-01/02, Child Development Center (T-209)
Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits
Vacancy Closing Date: Continuously Opened

GOOD TO KNOW



DOG OBEDIENCE

Hosted by the Security Forces K9 unit and Atlantic Island Kennels

Every 3rd Saturday of the month
SFS Football Field at 10 a.m.



Help your family and your dog discover what it takes to have a calm and balanced relationship! Bring a bag of small treats to help with training. Arrive early to allow your dog to settle down. Kids are encouraged to come.

FREE!

Dogs must be leashed
If dog is aggressive, please bring a muzzle.