Drugs seized

A total of \$18 million worth of heroin was seized during the first two months of USAREUR's push to decrease drug abuse. The amount taken during January and February of this year equals the amount seized during all of 1978.

Apprehensions of pushers totaled 356 for the two months while 1978 efforts netted 168 for the same period.

LTC John Valieant, chief of the

Command's newly formed Drug Suppression Operation Center, attributed the increases to additional law enforcement assets and the coordinated efforts of commanders and German and American police units.

The suppression center was formed as a keystone of USA-REUR's plan to provide soldiers in Europe with a cleaner, more drugfree environment, said a USAREUR

spokesman. The plan includes nearly 30 specific actions aimed at eliminating pushers, helping users overcome drug problems and providing non-users additional support

As the suppression center becomes fully operational and additional resources are approved and supplied under the plan, officials anticipate continued increases in arrests and seizures.

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It's time for spring clean-up

Spring is sprung.
The grass is riz.
I wonder where
the flowers iz?

(Oh, there they are - under the litter!)

Isn't it a shame that when the snow melts and the trees, grass and flowers begin to flourish great deposits of litter mar the landscape? Berliners have begun already their cleanup efforts. They're out sweeping, raking and planting.

Now it's our turn. The American Community in Berlin will launch a massive cleanup campaign on April 16 to beautify and police housing areas, community support areas, caserns and training areas.

A number of projects will be conducted, for two weeks, to improve the appearance of the American Community.

Common use areas will be the target of DYA, Girl Scout and Boy Scout trash squads. The youngsters will be policing the grounds around Truman Plaza and the theaters.

The Self Help Issue Point (see centerspread story) will be open, in addition to its regular hours, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on April 21 to distribute fertilizer, grass seed, paint and other spruce-up items to authorized personnel. (Unfortunately, flowers will not be available until the middle of May.)

The Directorate of Engineering and Housing will be sweeping streets on April 18 — American community north of Huettenweg; April 19 — American community south of Huettenweg and Leichhardt housing area; April 20 and 21 — Dueppel housing area; April 23 — Turner Barracks and US Army Hospital; April 24 — Schlangenbader and Sundgauer Strasse housing area; April 25 — McNair Barracks and April 26 — Andrews Barracks and Baseler Strasse housing

area. Residents are asked to move their cars to allow sweepers to move freely.

Clean up activities will be followed on April 30 by a judging of the housing areas for the best buildings and grounds awards. Area coordinators will be the judges. A separate inspection will be conducted the same day by the community commander and his staff. If you have any

questions about cleanup activities, call SGM Charles F. Gupton, project officer, at 6307.

Come on! Drag out those old work clothes, rakes and hoes and get ready for Spring Cleanup. If everyone pitches in with his or her talents and energies, the American Community in Berlin will be a showplace of which we all can be proud.



LITTER HURTS — When trash hides the beauty of spring, it's time for everyone to pitch in and help clean up the area. (Photo by Carol Capers)

by Marcia Smith Editor

Hope y'all have an enjoyable Easter. Take it easy on the chocolate candies and jelly beans though!

A special "Thanks, but no thanks" to the Berlin Observer for publishing an erroneous movie schedule in the March 30 issue. It just goes to show that anyone can make mistakes, so I will personally take my two thousand lashes with a wet typewriter ribbon!

Seems many people really enjoyed the Medieval Banquet held at the All American Rec Center Saturday. Word has it that the dinner was delicious and the entertainment



divine. Three gold stars to Susan Frankart, All American director, and to all the others involved in this unusual night of delight. Hopefully, it won't be the last!

Someone told me that she was going to "blow the Andrews Launderette off the face of the earth" because the dryers are always running out of hot air. According to Bob Brooks, AAFES general manager, since they've switched to water as a heating element instead of steam, they've had some problems, but they are working on it.

It's time for everyone to "clean up their act" and their housing areas when the spring cleanup begins April 16 and lasts till April 30. This is something everyone can get involved with and be proud of.

Here are a few mini-Tidbits about AAFES you might like to know. The Four Seasons Store is now expanding its stock of furniture and outdoor living merchandise. Did you know that you get a free oil change when you buy your oil from the AAFES garage? Also, remember that active duty soldiers who are caught shoplifting may be court-martialed. Dependents caught shoplifting will lose their PX privileges for a minimum of six months.

Till next week . . .

New policy

Effective April 16, Americans shopping in East Berlin hard currency retail outlets, such as Intershop, Intertank and Genex, may be asked to show identity documents.

For active duty military personnel, their uniforms will suffice as identification. USFB-ID card holders may show their USFB-ID cards to establish their status. Individuals should not relinquish control of their cards. Passport carriers should show their passports.

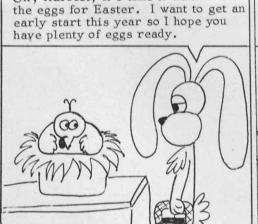
The controls will be the result of a new hard currency coupon system scheduled to be introduced for residents by the GDR government April 16 that has been extended to the Soviet sector of Berlin.

The new coupon system will not apply to non-GDR citizens. Americans and other non-GDR citizens will still be able to make purchases for cash in hard currency stores.

Holiday schedules

Everyone is reminded that due to the training holiday on Monday, April 16, the American buses will be operating on the holiday schedule. Also, be sure and check the newsnote section for complete AAFES schedule during the holidays.

Rubin Rabbit

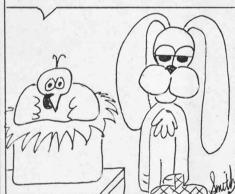


OK, Harriet, it's time to hand over

Buzz off, Rubin. I quit. Every year it's the same old story. Give me the eggs Harriet. Hurry with the eggs, Harriet. No more! As for Easter..



You'll just have to be happy with jelly beans!!!



It's the law

German road ordinances require several safety features on your bicycle prior to riding on public streets or bicycle paths. Yellow reflectors must be on both sides of both pedals, and your bicycle must be equipped with a bell, not a horn. Both front and rear wheels must have brakes, although the rear wheel brake may be hand- or pedal-operated. Bicycles ridden at night must have a taillight at least 153/4" and not more than 233/4" above the ground. In addition, a headlight with at least three watts of power, capable of illuminating the road five meters to the front of the bicycle, is required during the hours of darkness.

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new uniform policies Latest reg has

If you haven't already bought yourself a pair of patent leather low quarters, don't. They're not authorized. But if you're a female soldier who's spotted a pair of black patent leather pumps you'd like to have, go ahead.

And if you like to wear your fatigues tailored to fit your form, forget it.

Tie tacks have joined clasps on the black tie approved list, by the way. And if a Windsor or half-Windsor knot is your thing when wearing the Army green or blue uniforms, you're a member of the "in" crowd.

These are a few of the many rules found in recently-fielded AR 670-1, Wear and Appearance of Army Uniforms and Insignia.

Most of what's in the reg isn't really new. But the Feb. 15, 79, edition pulls together into an easy-to-read package a large pile of interim changes and updates.

When he went through the consolidated reg, USAREUR CSM Frederick K. Tracey took out his yellow highlighter and marked a few provisions he thinks need special emphasis.

Handlebar mustaches and flared sideburns. They're out. Female soldiers' uniform skirts and dresses. The hem can't be more than two inches below or one inch above mid-knee.

Cold weather coat (field jacket). OK with field, hospital and food service uniforms. Not OK with tans and khakis. Shoulder patches go on the field jacket, but not on the woolly winter shirt.

Hair. If it won't fit under your hat properly, or comes down over your eyebrows, ears or collar, you've got too much.

Overcoat. The green one goes with greens, blues, mess blues and hospital duty uniforms, but will be replaced someday by the black raincoat with liner. The black combination raincoat/ overcoat (with or without liner) goes with the tan, khaki, green, blue, evening dress and mess uniforms. If your neck's cold, an Army black scarf is authorized with the black coat.

Sweater. The one for male soldiers has buttons. When you have it on, button up - all the way. You can wear it with civvies. Windbreaker. It has a zipper. Keep it zipped at least 3/4 of the way up. Wear it only with the tan, food service and hospital duty uniforms. It can go with civvies after you take off the insignia.

Combat boots. Make them plain or capped toe. Wear only olive green socks inside.

Shoes. No patent leather except for female pumps. Male troops can wear black chukka boots with all uniforms except field and utility, provided the toes are plain, they have non-contrasting soles and any buckles are small and plain. Female soldiers can wear plain-toed, ankle-high black jodhpur boots with their green

Undershirts. Soldiers now have the option of wearing V-neck shirts. Colored baseball caps.

Yes, but only for aircraft and ground crew members when used for safety and identification measures. They must be a solid color, authorized by the local commander and issued to troops without charge. Colored baseball caps are out for everyone else.

Identification tags. Required when in field training, flying or reporting to an Army medical treatment facility, and anytime you're outside of CONUS - like now.

Civilian rings. Don't wear more than two when in uniform, and these must be conservatively styled and in good taste.

Food handlers and hospital duty uniforms. Only bright pin-on rank insignia and a nameplate are authorized for wear on these uniforms.

Enlisted insignia. The "U.S." and branch collar brass must be gold in color. No domed brass and no anodized aluminum. Measurement is the same distance as always, but now you measure from the collar notch. Positioning is the same on tans and khakis as on greens.

As an item of general interest, anodized aluminium buttons are still authorized with the green uniform. But only gold colored brass can be worn.

Those are just a few highlights. Details are in the Feb. 15, 79, edition of AR 670-1, which went into distribution in mid-February.

participating

Berlin has always been a mecca for friends of the fine arts. There are so many museums, galleries, private collections and special showings that trying to see them all could easily turn into a daily adventure!

One show you shouldn't miss is the 9th Free Jury Exhibition at the Funkturm, which opened Sun. and can be viewed daily until May 6 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. in exhibition halls 11-15. Entrance fee is DM 3. A catalog costs DM 15.

One thousand eight hundred and thirty pieces of art, attractively displayed, present the contemporary art scene in Berlin. The works of professors and students of the Hochschule der Kuenste Berlin, big-name professionals and unknown amateurs hang side-by-side. Whether your preference is people, posies, politics or pollution, you can be sure to find and even buy something that suits your taste in art objects. On opening day a steady stream of several thousand viewers stepped closely to get a better look at paintings, sculptures and displays. Jazz bands, a children's workshop and a refreshment center added to the cheerful mood.

In the midst of this gala art extravaganza, 16 artists of the American Community are represented by "The American Art Guild" (exhibit hall 15, booth 64) and "Selbsthilfe Berliner Kuenstler" (exhibit hall 11, booth 59). Their presentation contains a wide range of media: oil, acrylic, drawing, pen and ink and collage.

Each Sunday morning this Super Art Festival offers "Fruehschoppen" at 11 a.m. with Jazz, Dixieland and Afro-Latin-American music and,

on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m., art-talkshows with well-known journalists. Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays, the printing press is in opera-

tion and you can learn about this technique. Each Saturday guided tours are available at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

April - Cancer Control Month

Cut out this easy reminder and at-tach it to some convenient spot, like the back of the bathroom mirror.

Seven Warning Signals

Change in bowel or bladder habits

A sore that does not heal

Unusual bleeding or discharge

Thickening or lump in breast or elsewhere

Indigestion or difficulty in

swallowing Obvious change in wart or mole

Nagging cough or hoarseness

If you have a warning signal, see your doctor.

Know Signs of Cancer

Check the letter next to the answer you think is right. Check your score with correct answers given below.

What is the best way to protect yourself against cancer?

A. Have annual checkups B. Eat natural foods C. Exercise daily

2 Which one of the following statements about breast cancer is

A. Breast cancers are the result

of a blow

B. Birth control pills increase the chance of breast cancer

C. Most women discover their breast lumps themselves

Breast self-examination can help find cancer early when it is most curable. How often should a woman practice it?

A. Just before a visit to the doctor
B. Once a month
C. Whenever she feels like it

What percentage of breast lumps actually are cancerous? A. About 90% B. About 20% C. About 50%

5 If breast cancer is detected and treated early before it has spread, what are the chances of being saved? A. 85% B. 45% C. 25%

I.A. 2. C. 3. B. 4. B. 5. A. 6. A. 7. C. 8. B. 9. B. 10. A

What helps save more older adults from cancer than any other procedure in a health checkup? A. Proctoscopy B. Chest X ray C. Urinalysis

How many years longer can a man of 25, who has never smoked, ex-pect to live than a man of 25 who smokes 20 to 30 cigarettes a day?

A. 1 year B. 3 years C. 6½ years

Normally, if you stop cigarette smoking, actual benefits to the body will begin

A. Within six months B. Almost immediately C. After one year

Fewer women die of cancer of the cervix today because of what simple, quick test? A. Tine test B. Pap test C. Rabbit test

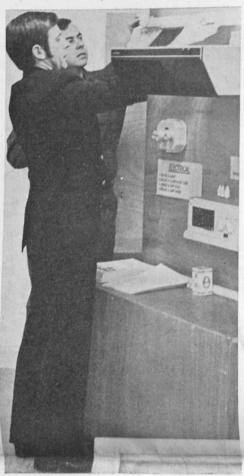
10 What is your best every day protection against cancer? A. Knowing the 7 warning signals B. Jogging C. Taking multi-vitamins

Scoring: 8-10 excellent; 5-7 good; 0-4 study answers.

Learn to make basic household

Story and photos by Carol Capers Staff writer

It's Saturday night and you've invited three couples to dinner. Your



ON-THE-JOB TRAINING — Allan Chilla, D. O. D. civilian, demonstrates what he has learned in class.

appliances are buzzing, hissing and whirring as you make last-minute preparations. Suddenly, the house goes black, silent. You've blown a fuse.

You grab the phone and call the Directorate of Engineering and Housing (DEH), report that your electricity is on the blink and ask to have someone check it out. You wait in the dark for what seems like several hours before an electrician shows up. Your party has to be canceled. You curse the engineers for being so slow and inefficient.

But the change in your plans is your fault, not DEH's. Probably, you could have prevented the blackout in the first place by not overloading wall sockets with your lamps, mixer, vacuum cleaner, hair dryer, electric frying pans, transformers and stereo equipment.

But, even after the fuse blew, you could have changed it yourself in two minutes if you'd known how to do it. Instead you put in an emergency call, which cost the government about 80 Deutsche Marks, and spoiled your entire evening.

Quit depending on DEH to make minor household repairs and replacements for you. Learn to help yourself!

It's easy when you attend the Self Help Issue Point's (SHIP) training class. In about an hour and a half SSG George A. Moore, SHIP instructor, will teach you how to replace fuses, fluorescent tubes, kitchen exhaust fan filters, bathroom faucet handles, faucet washers and toilet seats.

He'll also show you how to hang drapes; unstop drains and unclog commodes; replace shower heads; install weather stripping, coat hooks and door stoppers; tighten and oil hinges; repair small holes in screens and more.

"People constantly call DEH to make minor repairs that they could accomplish themselves," Moore said. "Some actually put in work orders to have light bulbs changed!" Moore's goal is to have tenants in government housing take on the responsibilities normally assumed by prudent homeowners who are trying to save money and preserve their property.

In his class, Moore outlines some obligations of tenants. He stresses that they should support utility conservation by weather stripping windows and doors, moving furniture and drapes that block radiators and laying rubber mats under carpets as insulation. (Weather stripping and the rubber mats are available, free of charge, at the SHIP.) Moore said a recent test showed that weather stripping an apartment saves, in three months, about 150 Deutsche Marks in fuel costs.

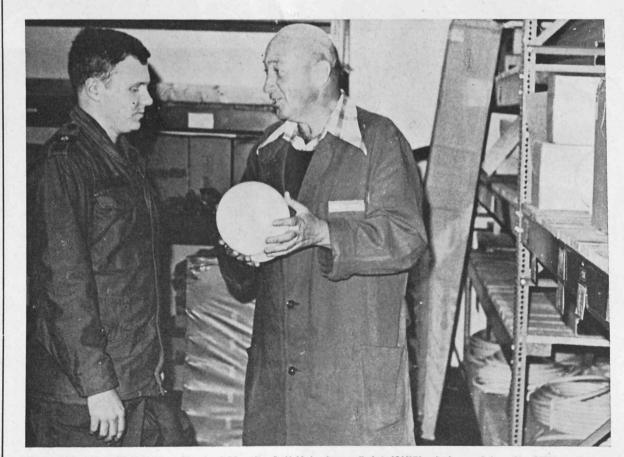
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When toilets do become stopped up, tenants should try using that ole faithful plumbers' helper, the plunger (available free at the SHIP), to unclog them before calling DEH, Moore said. He added that it's unauthorized to use commercial drain cleaners to clear blocked pipes in government housing. He explained that the chemicals burn plumbers' hands when the pipes are opened and damage the pipes.

Moore said there are many repair jobs that should be handled only by DEH. They include altering walls, floors, balcony doors and ceilings; erecting fences; spraying for household pests; installing electrical wiring; repairing leaky pipes and moving items like exhaust fans and heating equipment. For such jobs, call in a service order, Moore said.

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IT GLOWS IN THE DARK — Manfred Moeritz Self Help Issue Point (SHIP) clerk, explains the SHIP policy to a customer, while giving him the items he needs.

SHIP has from

Story and photos by Carol Capers Staff writer

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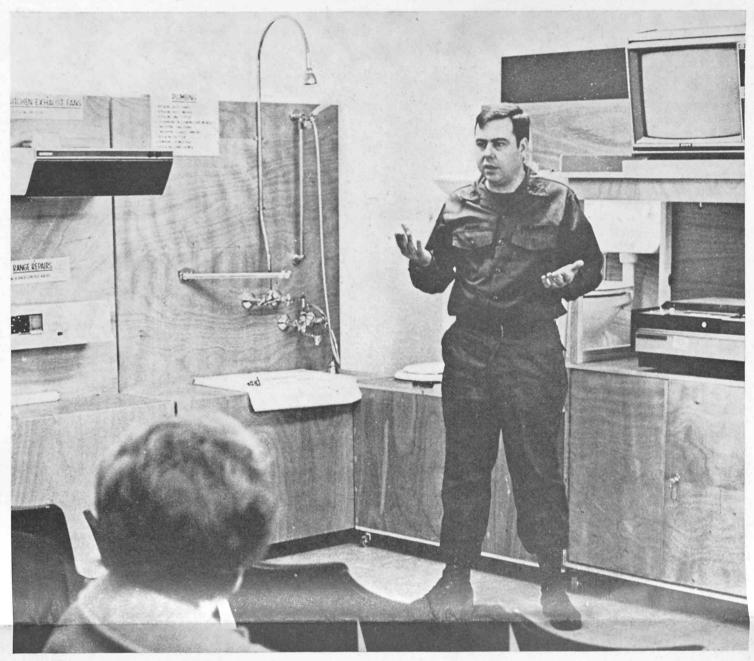
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There are SHIPs on almost all Army installations, according to SGM Charles F. Gupton, DEH's assistant facilities engineer. "But the SHIP here is more generous and offers a greater variety than most," he said. "For example, you have to buy your own light bulbs in the FRG and the States."

So if you need light bulbs, sink stoppers, curtain rollers or other household items, save yourself some money. Stop by the SHIP and get the supplies you need. And don't forget to call 6791 and register for the Self Help class.



 $867\dots868\dots869\dots870$ — Werner Schulenburg inventories one of the more than 3,000 different items stocked by the SHIP.

Weekend Workshop

George Peabody College will be presenting a weekend workshop Apr. 28-29, on Parent Training and Education, For more information call 5847.

AWCB Luncheon

Explore the "Fear of Flying" with a panel of local pilots when the American Womens Club of Berlin gathers for its monthly luncheon, Wed. Apr. 18, 11:30 a.m., at the Harnack House. Reservations must be made by 3 p.m. Fri., call 802-7887, 801-7595 or 832-4499. All American women in Berlin are invited.

AWCB Tours

Let May be your get-away month and travel with the American Women's Club. Try Holland May 4-6 for DM265; a motor coach tour that takes in everything from a cheese farm to the tulip fields. OR how about Rome May 10-13 for DM520 by chartered jet and room at a 1st class hotel. OR you could travel to Greece May 26-June 2. Seven nights in Athens for DM689 or spend time touring classic Greece for DM989. For booking info, call 813-8741 or 801-1842.

Boston University Offers

Boston University in Berlin offers a Master of Science in Business Administration and a Master of Arts in International Relations. Registration for classes for the summer semester will begin Apr. 23 and go through Apr. 27. Anyone interested in either program can stop by the office in room 228 of the Army Education Center at McNair Barracks or call 3179.

Course Offered

George Peabody College offers the opportunity to earn masters and postmasters degrees in Human Development Counseling, Registration for Summer Term will be from Apr. 23-27. Psychological Testing and Statistical Analysis are two of the classes to be offered. For more information call 5847.

Keep That Appointment!

Did your car break down? Did you misplace your car keys? Did you miss the bus to the hospital? Did you forget to write down your appointment at the hospital on your calendar? If you are unable to keep your clinic appointment at the US Army Hospital, Berlin PLEASE LET US KNOW by phoning the Central Appointment System at 4211. This includes all clinic appointments as well as appointments for physical examinations. Don't be a "no show." Call 4211.

Dancing Bears Graduation

On Apr. 20, the Berlin Dancing Bears square dance club will hold a graduation for their current square dance class. The graduation will include fun, frolic and food. After they graduate, the class members will be eligible for membership in the club and will be able to enjoy all the fun and fellowship which is square dancing. The Dancing Bears square dance every Fri, in the TAR school auditorium.

Clothing Drive

Troop 46, Boy Scouts of America will conduct a drive for infant clothing Sat. Please have bags marked "DRIVE BSA" and placed at the main door of your stairwell by 10 a.m. The Dueppel, Sundgauer, BB and Leichthardt housing areas will be covered. Also a collection point will be set up at the PX.

USC offers

The University of Southern California will offer two lecture courses and other directed readings courses beginning Apr. 23, Classes will be conducted at the Berlin American High School on Mon.-Wed. and Tue.-Thur, evenings. EdAD 500 Organization and Administration of Public Education, a three-unit course will be conducted on Mon.-Wed. and EDAD 599 Special Topics also 3 graduate units will be on Tue.-Thur, Please call the USC office at 6794 for details of the courses offered and information on the Ms. Ed. program.

General Membership Meeting

The Women's Crisis and Support Group (formerly, N.O.We)

The Women's Crisis and Support Group (formerly N.O.W.) will hold its April general membership meeting on Sun., Apr. 22, at 3 p.m. The meeting will be at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center, Andrews Barracks.

Locker Room closed

Due to renovations, the women's locker room at the TCA gymnasium will be closed for a three-month period, effectively immediately. An alternate locker/shower room will be provided in room 6267.



by Rik De Lisle

THE BEARS BEST...1) Will Survive — Gloria Gaynor
2) Tragedy — Bee Gees 3) Heaven Knows — Donna Summer & Brooklyn Dreams 4) Shake Your Groove Thing —
Peaches & Herb 5) What A Fool Believes — Doobie Brothers 6) Sultans Of Swing — Dire Straits 7) What You Won't
Do For Love — Bobby Caldwell 8) Don't Cry Out Loud —
Melissa Manchester 9) Every Time I Think Of You — Babys
10) Lady — Little River Band.

BEAR COUNTRY... Here's another of our "Mini Biographys." This time Willie Nelson is the subject. Willie is
46 years old and it took him about 20 of those years to become an "Overnight Success." Along the road, Willie was told by most everyone that he wouldn't make it in the music business. Now that he has, he wants to sing as long

music business. Now that he has, he wants to sing as long as he can. It was back in 1961 when Willie moved to Nashas ne can. It was back in 1961 when Willie moved to Nashville, where he found success as a songwriter. And he says now that writing music is "like having a baby," and he doesn't look forward to it, writing only when he has to. In 1972, Willie Nelson moved from Nashville to Texas after earning the "outlaw" title from the Country Music establishment. He thinks the label comes from just doing things his own way. As a result, it may have taken him longer to reach his present level of success but "it was a prior" reach his present level of success, but "it was a nicer

BEAR FACTS... We are now in the planning stages of a remote broadcast from the TCA open house next month. Be watching this column for details, but for right now I can say we have some super prizes that we'll be giving away to AFN listeners.

American Church in Berlin

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A series of special services will be held by the American
Church in Berlin during Holy Week. All services are in the
Old Village Church of Zehlendorf, at the corner of Clayallee
and Potsdamer Str. Apr. 12, 7:30 p.m., Maudy Thursday liturgy
with Lord's Supper and washing of feet; Apr. 13, noon-3 p.m.,
Prayer vigil; 7:30 p.m., Good Friday liturgy and Apr. 15,
11:15 a.m., Easter communion service.

New DYA Operating Hours

The DYA announces the following operating hours for DYA Game Rooms, effective Apr. 16. Mon.-Thur., 2-7:30 p.m.; Fri., 2-9 p.m.; The DYA will open at noon for the Easter Holiday week of Apr. 16-20. This change is due to the decrease in participation during the weekday evening hours. DYA operating hours will change whenever necessary to meet the needs of the community. For more information contact the DYA at 6239.

Holiday Banking Hours

The Military Banking Facility and the American Express (AM-EXCO) Travel Agency will be closed on Fri., Apr. 13 and Mon., Apr. 16 (German Holidays). However, the Service Federal Credit Union will be open on those days for business as usual. Check cashing and DM conversion service on Apr. 13 and Apr. 16 will be available at the finance office in the head-quarters compound from 8 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m.

AAFES Hours

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All Exchange facilities will be open on Fri., Apr. 13 except the following. Garage and Parts Store, All concession activities (Barber & Beauty Shops, Tailor Shops, Optical Shop, Flower Shop, Gift Shop and Andrews Furniture Store).

The Main Exchange, Truman Plaza will be closed on Easter Sun., Apr. 15.

All Exchange facilities will be open Mon., Apr. 16 (Easter Mon.) except the following:

Main Exchange Store, Andrews Retail Store, Four Seasons, Pick-up Point Shopping Center, Garage and Parts Store, All concession activities (Barber & Beauty Shops, Tailor Shops, Optical Shop, Flower Shop, Gift Shop and Andrews Furniture Shop).

The AAFES Main Cafeteria will be open Fri., Apr. 13 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sat., Apr. 14 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun., Apr. 15 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Mon., Apr. 16 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Holiday Hours

The operating hours for the Supply & Services Division for pr. 13, Good Friday, and Apr. 16, Easter Monday, are as

The operating hours fo Apr. 13, Good Friday, a follows: Commissary Store Ldry & Dry Clng Plant All Pick-Up-Points Administration Central Issue Facility Food Service Branch Self Svc Sup Center Services Branch TISA TISA Supply Branch

Closed Closed Closed Open (LN's off) Open Open (LN's off) Closed Closed Closed Open (Emergency Issues Only) Bakery Clothing Sales Store

For Sale

1976 Alfa Romeo Alfasud 5m, sand yellow, 50,000 km, Ziebart rustproofed, five forward gears, front/rear fog lamps, stereo cassette/radio, heated rear window, laminated windscreen, inertia reel seat belts, front headrests, dealer serviced and garaged from new, DM7,000, contact Mr. Phillips at 309-4185.

General Electric washer, 110V, like new, \$95. Call 813-8858 after 6 p.m.

BASEMENT SALE — Apr. 14 at 7 Steward Strasse, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. women's clothing size 10 and 12, sweater, toys, children's clothes, toy chest with matching bedspread and curtains, books, etc.

1973 VOLVO 164E with power steering, power 4-wheel disc brakes, air conditioning, rear window defroster, AM/FM stereo cassette, leather interior, fuel injection. Call 811-8186. Can be seen at 148A Sundgauer Str., Apt. 17.

Singer "Spartan" sewing machine. Sews well, needs overhauling, selling as is for \$25; child's baseball glove (7--9 yrs. old), \$2; life jacket for child weighing 45-90 lbs., \$3. Call 832-8401 after 5 p.m.

Pioneer QX-646 4-channel receiver, \$375; Sony TC-134 SD cassette tape deck, \$150. Call 813-3842 after 6 p.m.

Patio or balcony umbrella, blue with white trim, comes with stand, used one summer, excellent condition. Bought new for \$40, will sell for \$20; Queen size mattress with box springs and adjustable metal frame. Good condition, firm support "Englander", 3 years old, \$100; Montgomery Ward vacuum cleaner with assorted attachments, 1.5 hp, 110V, 3 years old, \$30; Wood stained shelves with standards and brackets: 2 shelves 79" x 14", 9 shelves 39" x 10", selling entire lot for \$75; 1969 VW in good running condition, some body rust, last inspection Nov. 78, will sell as is, available first week in June, \$350. Call 831-3602 after 6 p.m.

SPORTS EQUIPMENT FOR SALE. — Golf club set: Women's Wilson, Patty Berg, half set with blue bag and Dunlop trolley. Used only for lessons — like new. \$150 complete. Golf shoes: Women's beige Hush Puppies, size 10, like new, \$6. Golf balls: 30 new balls, 10 practice balls, \$10. Golf umbrella: (2) \$3 ea. Bowling ball and bag: Women's 10 lb. ball, white with black marbeling, beige bag, \$15. Bowling shoes: Women's beige, size 9, \$4. Bicycle rack for station wagon: Folds under bumper for trunk access without removal. Cost \$35. Now \$15. Square dance petticoat and ruffled bloomers: White, size 12, set \$5. Call 813-6861 after 5:30 p.m. or weekends.

Onkyo stereo system, two speakers, amplifier/turntable/ AM-FM radio, needs conversion to 220/60, but other-wise works OK. \$75 or best offer. Call 802-5252.

Three registered long hair Dachshund puppies. For more information call 831-3615.

Kenwood turntable, beam box, Optonica cassette, programer, Technics AM-FM stereo tuner, Technics integrated amplifier, two Technics speakers and Technics stand. 3 Ping woods — used 3 months — (1, 3, 5), If interested call 813-6377 after 6 p.m., Sat. and Sun. all day.

Wanted

Babysitter wanted, occasional evenings, Düppel area, one child. Call 801-2339 after 5 p.m.

Adjustable-type roof luggage rack for car, to fit VW or other small car. Call 802-5252.

Thrift Shop Closed Apr. 14

Due to the Easter weekend, the Thrift Shop will be closed this Sat., Apr. 14.

Flying Bear Meeting

Next meeting of Berlin Flying Bears, RC Club is Tue., Apr. 17, 7:30 p.m., at the Hi-Lite Service Club, Andrews. Purpose: Annual general election of officers.

Recreation Services Offers

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ENAMEL WORKSHOP — Learn the art of enameling on copper and silver during the workshop being held at McNair Crafts beginning May 2 at 7 p.m. The workshop will be 4 weeks long. Call 3180 for more information.

DYA GOLDEN EGG RELAYS — The DYA will sponsor the "Golden Egg Relays" on Sat., beginning at 1 p.m. at the DYA. Children ages 6-12 are invited to participate in a series of relays and contests, For more information, contact the DYA at 6239 or 6249.

DYA EASTER EGG HUNT — The DYA Easter Egg Hunt will be at 1 p.m. on Apr. 15 Easter Sunday. Everyone is invited! For more information, call 6239 or 6249.

VARIETY SHOW GROUP "BROOKS" — "BROOKS", a professional variety show group from Chattanoga, Tenn. Will perform free of charge at the All American Recreation Center, McNair Barracks on Tues., Apr. 17, beginning at 7:30 p.m. This group, sponsored by the Berlin Chaplain's Division, provides excellent entertainment for all ages, and should not be missed! The entire community is invited to attend for a memorable evening. For further information please call 3168 or 3181.

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THE CIRCUS IS IN TOWN AGAIN — Circus Althoff is in town until Apr. 16 at the National Galerie. Performances are on weekdays at 4 and 8 p.m.; Sundays and Holidays at 3 and 6 p.m. Morale Support Activities has coupons available to purchase tickets at reduced price. Contact or pick up coupons at the Tours Office, Bldg 2, BBde — Tel: 6523; All American Rec Ctr, McNair Bks — Tel: 3147 or 3254; Hi-Lite Rec Ctr, Andrews Bks Tel: 3527 or 3554; and DYA Tel: 6239 or 6952.

PIANO INSTRUCTION — Have you always had the urge to learn to play the piano? Recreation Services, Creative & Performing Arts Branch is going to give you the chance. Starting the week of Apr. 16 lessons will be offered at the Music Center, Andrews Barracks, Interested students can sign up for ten weeks for \$65, far less than "economy" prices. Lessons are held once per week for an hour and can be arranged for afternoon or evening time slots. Call 3550 for more information.

GUITAR LESSONS — The Recreation Services Creative & Performing Arts Branch announces the start of a new "Guitar Magic" series. Classes will begin Apr. 16 and be offered for beginning, intermediate and advanced students. A children's class (ages 10—14) will also be offered. The cost is just \$20 for ten lessons. Call 3550 for more details.

STEAK NIGHT AT THE HI-LITE. Steak night at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center, Andrews, will be on Thur., Apr. 19, starting at 5 p.m. A complete meal is only \$2, a price everyone can afford! Paid reservations are necessary. Call 3527 or 3534 for more information.

SLIMNASTIC CLASSES TO START SOON. The Hi-Lite Recreation Center will sponsor a slimnastic class in the BB area, Mon, and Thur. evenings either 7-8 or 8-9 p.m. Call the instructor directly for registration, 831-3678. Class fee is \$16.50, class begins on Apr. 23.

MCNAIR PHOTO CALENDAR, Apr. 13-19

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Apr. 13 — Closed

Apr. 14 — Oil coloring of b/w prints

Apr. 15 — Texture Screens

Apr. 16 — "All you ever wanted to know about your Camera

Gear, but didn't know whom to ask", 1:30 and 7 p.m.

Apr. 17 — B/W developing and printing

Apr. 18 — Open (normal hours)

Apr. 19 — Closed

For more information please call 3484.

Classes to Begin

The G-3 Education Branch continues its joint education program with the Volkshochschule Steglitz. Class will begin Apr. 23 at the McNair Education Center, RENAISSANCE — REMBRANDT, RUBENS AND THE DAHLEM MUSEUM, Discussing the lives of the artists and the famous paintings in the Dahlem Collection, First meeting is Mon., Apr. 23, 7-8:30 p.m. 10 Sessions, no registration fee. Instructor is Susan E. Sotelo, B.A., M.A. For further information visit your local Education Center or call 3120.

Folk Pub Tour

The Tempelhof Coffee House has scheduled a tour for Apr. 19 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The Folk Pub is located at 1/12 Leibnitz Strasse 56. It will be a night of American entertainment from within the Berlin community. A bus will depart from TCA at 7:45 p.m. and return at 1 a.m. The cost of the bus ride is \$1. The price of admission is \$2 or DM 4 at the door. All drinks must be paid for in DM's. Reservations will be made through the Skyrider Rec. Center at extension 5167.

Closing of Columbia Theater

The Columbia Theater, located across from Tempelhof Central Airport will be closed for approximately three months due to renovation. The floor has to be replaced and the entire facility will be painted. During the time that the Columbia will be closed, movies will be shown in the D-2 Conference Room at Tempelhof Central Airport for those members living in the dormitories. Movies will be shown five days a week.

Berlin Club happenings

Apr. 13 — TCA Club Silverwings — The Country Squires from

9 p.m. to 2 a.m.
Starlight Grove — Cloud Nine Disco from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
— Friendship Lounge — Disco Maestro from 8 p.m. to

- Friendship Locality
1 a.m.
- Harnack House - KOFF from 8:30 p.m. to midnight.
r. 14 - TCA Club Silverwings - Disco with Larry James from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.

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Apr. 16 — Friendship Lounge — Disco Junior from 7 to 11 p.m. Apr. 17 — Starlight Grove — D. J. Larry James from 8 p.m. to midnight — Friendship Lounge — Disco Salsa-Soul from 7-11 p.m. Apr. 18 — Friendship Lounge — Disco Maestro from 7-11 p.m. Apr. 19 — Starlight Grove — Cloud Nine Disco from 8 p.m. to midnight

Apr. 20 — TCA Club Silverwings — Disco with Ragnarok from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. — Starlight Grove — Disco Rock Festival No. 2 with Cloud Nine from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. — Friendship Lounge — Disco Maestro from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

1 a.m. — Harnack House — Cloud Nine Disco from 8:30 p.m. to

1 a.m.

— Starlight Grove — "All Night Disco" from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. with Cloud Nine Disco and from 1 a.m. to 5 a.m. with D. J. Junior. We offer a breakfast buffet from midnight to 2 a.m. and coffee and sandwiches on the bar after 2 a.m.

Apr. 21 — Starlight Grove — Country Squires from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

— Friendship Lounge.

Friendship Lounge — Disco Junior from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Harnack House — Cloud Nine Disco from 8:30 p.m.

TCA Club Silverwings — Live Music with "KOFF" from



April 13 through April 21

1:05 Sign Off

Afternoon Fun Time
The Flintstones

8:30 Variety Special —
Liberace
9:25 Kojak
10:20 ■ Sherlock Holmes
10:50 Fawlty Towers
11:20 AFN Theatre —
London Conspiracy
1:05 Sign Off

\$20,000 Pyramid
Afternoon Fun Time
My Favorite Martian
Electric Company

Mod Squad

THESDAY

10:45 11:15

OUR SINCERE APOLOGIES FOR THE ERRORS IN THE MOVIE SCHEDULE PUBLISHED IN THE OBSERVER DATED MAR. 30.

OUTPOST

Fri Big Wednesday (PG)
at 6:30 and 8:50 p.m.
Sat Dr. Strangelove (PG) (BW)
at 4, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Sat CHILDREN'S MATINEE
Silence (G) at 2 p.m.
Sun Jaws (II) PG) at 2, 6:30 and 8:50
p.m.

p.m. Same show as above at 6:30 and 8:50 p.m.

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COLUMBIA

Closed for renovation

Fri A Piece of the Action (PG)
at 6:30 and 9:05 p.m.
Sat Same show as above
at 6:30 and 9:05 p.m.
Sun It Lives Again (R)
at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Mon Same show as above

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Tue Darby O'Gill and the Little People (G) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Wed Grease (PG) at 6:30 and 8:45 p.m.
Thu Same show as above at 6:30, 8:45 p.m. and midnight
Fri Youngblood (R) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

p.m. Convoy Buddies (PG) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

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Fri It Lives Again (R) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Darby O'Gill and the Little
People (G) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Grease (PG) at 2:30 and 7 p.m.

Mon Same show as above at 7 p.m. Tue Youngblood (R) at 7 p.m. Convoy Buddies (PG)

at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. Thu Big Wednesday (PG) at 7 p.m. Fri Same show as above at 6:30 and 8:50 p.m.

Dr. Strangelove (PG) at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

ASTRA

High Anxiety (A) at 7 p.m.

Same show as above at 7 p.m.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE
Cinderella (U) at 2 p.m.

Speed Trap (A) at 7 p.m. and
Carry on Emmannuelle (AA) at 8:45 p.m.

Same shows as above, same times
Dynamity Brothers (X) at 7 p.m. and
Death in the Sun (X) at 8:25 p.m.

CLOSED
Peeper (A) at 7 p.m. and
Sky Riders (A) at 8:30 p.m.

Herbie goes to Monte Carlo (U) at 7 p.m.

Same show as above at 7 p.m.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE

Same show as above at 7 p.m. CHILDREN'S MATINEE The Railway Children at 2 p.m.

JERBOA

Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo (U)

at 7 p.m.
Same show as above at 7 p.m.
CHILDREN'S MATINEE
The Railway Children (U)
at 10 a.m.

at 10 a.m.

Day of the Animals (AA)
at 7 p.m. and It Lives Again (X)
at 8:45 p.m.

Same shows as above, same times
The Four Feathers (U) at 7 p.m.

Wed Breaking Point (X) at 7 p.m. and Mother, Jugs and Speed (AA) at 8:45 p.m.

at 8:45 p. CLOSED

CLOSED
Force 10 From Navarone (A)
at 7 p.m.
Same show as above at 7 p.m.
CHILDREN'S MATINEE
Texas John Slaughter at 10 a.m.

BRITISH BOARD OF FILM CENSORS

Category U General exhibition.

Category X For adult showing, no one under 18 admitted.

Category A General exhibition but parents are advised film contains material they may not want children under 14 to see. Category AA Persons under 14 years old not admitted.

April 13 through April 22

6:45 Chips 7:35 Donny And Marie 8:30 Carter Country 9:00 James At 15/16 10:45 Love, American Style 10:45 Jericho 11:35 AFN Theatre — Boomerang FRIDAY (April 13) Cartoon Carnival Sesame Street Hardy Boys/Nancy Drew Jericho Newsday 25 Love, American Style Hawaii Five-0 M*A*S*H Fish

Fish Focal Point Muppets Afternoon Fun Time

Afternoon Fun Time
Wonders Of The Wild
Sesame Street
Man In A Suitcase
Newsday 25
Bob Newhart
We've Got Each Other
Project UFO
Lou Grapt

Lou Grant Medical Center 9:20 Medical Center
10:15 Newsday 25
10:45 Betty White
11:10 AFN Theater —
The Deadly Tower
12:45 Sign Off

SATURDAY

9:00 Cartoon Carnival 9:35 Merrie Melodies Bozo Young Peoples Special Young Peoples Special

■ Daniel Boone

■ Voyage To The Bottom
Of The Sea
Greatest Sports Legends
ABC's Wide World Of
Sports
Pro Bowlers Tour
NBA Basketball —
Portland vs Kansas City
Ellery Queen
Newsday 25

Newsday 25 The Time Of Your Life Bonkers 6:45

On Our Own Jack Lemon At The Hasty Pudding Little House On The 8:05 Prairie Love Boat

8:55 Love Boat 9:45 The Quest 10:40 Most Wanted 11:20 AFN Theatre — Carry On Cleo 12:50 Sign Off

5:05 Mod Squad
6:00 Newsday 25
6:45 Etcetera
7:10 Star Trek
8:05 Fish
8:30 Hee Haw
9:25 Baretta
10:20 Newsday 25
10:50 Call Of The West
11:15 AFN Theatre — Billy:
Portrait Of A Street Kid
12:50 Sign Off Cartoon Carnival Scooby Doo Dusty's Treehouse This Is The Life Hour Of Power Sacred Heart John's Gospel In The Modern World Modern World Firing Line Tournament Players Tournament Players
Championship
Sunday Matinee Movie
Kid Millions
Family Hour Festival
Soldier's Diary
Newsday 25
Miracle On Calvary 3:05

9:00 Cartoon Carnival 9:20 Sesame Street 10:20 Chips

Star Trek
Newsday 25
Hee Haw
Baretta
General Hospital
Three's Company
Consumer Byline
Afternoon Fun Time
Green Acres
Sesame Street

Hardy Boys/Nancy Drew Newsday 25 Muppets Rhoda Dick Clark Live Wednes-7:10 7:35

Cartoon Carnival
Sesame Street
We've Got Each Other
Rhoda
Little House On The
Prairie
How The West Was Won
General Hospital
Body Buddies
What Will They Think
Of Next?
Afternoon Fun Time

THURSDAY

Cartoon Carnival
Electric Company
Bozo
Thursday Morning
Movie — Strike Me Pink
Newsday 25

■ The Flintstones
Sesame Street
Jason King
Newsday 25
Profile — The Editor Of
European Stars And
Stripes
Sha Na Na
Three's Company
Spencer's Pilots
Variety Special —
Liberace an You Top This?

Afternoon Fun Time

3:45 ■ Bewitched

4:10 Electric Company

1:10 Young People's Special

1:00 Newsday 25
Wild Kingdom

1:01 M*A*S*H

3:50 How The West Was Won

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Horton And The
Scottsborough Boys
Sign Off

AY (April 26*

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2:10 Pro Bowlers

7:10 Bonkers

6:10 Newsday 25

6:15 The Fire Next Door

7:10 Bonkers

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7:10 How Little House On The
Prairie

8:50 Love Boat
9:40 Love, American Style
11:25 AFN Theatre — Carry On Constable
12:50 Sign Off

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3:25 CBS Sports Spectacular

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7:10 Bonkers

7:10 Bonkers

7:12 Bonkers

7:13 Don Our Own

1:15 Love Boat
9:40 Love, American Style
12:50 Sign Off

SUNDAY

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TUESDAY
9:00 Cartoon Carnival
9:20 Electric Company
9:50 Scooby Doo
10:15 Tuesday Morning Movie
— London Conspiracy
12:00 Newsday 25
12:05 Spencer's Pilots
1:00 Kojak
1:55 General Hospital
2:40 Hollywood Squares 12:40 Sign Off

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Newsday 25
Love, American Style
Hawaii Five-0
Variety Special —
Liberace
Etcetera
Munnets

3:15 3:40 Muppets Wonders Of The Wild

Wonders Of The Wild Sesame Street Man In A Suitcase Newsday 25 Bob Newhart We've Got Each Other Tony Randall Show The Jeffersons Lou Grant Medical Center Newsday 25



10:50 Betty White Show 11:15 AFN Theatre — The Girl In The Empty Grave 12:45 Sign Off 10:50 11:15

SATURDAY

Cartoon Carnival
Merrie Melodies
Kid Stuff
Daniel Boone
Voyage To The Bottom
Of The Sea
Sports Challenge
NHRA Sports Nationals
ABC's Wide World Of
Sports
Pro Bowlers Tour

Review 12:20 NBA Basketball —

Los Angeles vs Philadelphia 2:10 Sunday Film Matinee — Captain's Courageous 3:55

The Captain And Tennille Songbook Family Hour Festival Soldier's Diary Newsday 25 Twenty/Twenty

Chips
Olivia
Carter Country
James At 15/16
Most Wanted

AFN Theatre — Claudia
Sign Off

- ■ Programs in B/W -



Philharmonie

Apr. 13 — JOHANNES-PASSION by J. S. Bach, performed by the Sing-Akademie zu Berlin, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 14 — RIMSKY-KORSAKOFF CONCERT on the 135th anniversary of his birth, with the Sinfonie Orchester Berlin, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 15 — Symphonisches Orchester Berlin, works by Mozart and Sibelius, beginning at 4 p.m.

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Apr. 15 and 16 — Radio-Symphonie-Orchester Berlin under the direction of Gennadi Roshdestwensky, works by Rachmaninoff, Rimsky-Korsakoff and Skrjabin, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 16 — JOHANN STRAUSS CONCERT, playing, singing and dancing, waltzes, polkas, marches and operetta melodies, beginning at 4 p.m.

Apr. 18 — The Sphinx: AMANDA LEAR with the Lear Jets and orchestra, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 20 and 21 — Berliner Philharmonisches Orchester under the direction of Riccardo Mutl, works by Mendelssohn, Schumann and Berlioz, beginning at 8 p.m.

Deutsche Oper Berlin

Apr. 13 - PARSIFAL by Richard Wagner, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Apr. 14 — BALLET NIGHT — Fräulein Julie—Tristan, beginning at 8 p.m. Apr. 15 — TANNHÄUSER by Richard Wagner, beginning at

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p.m. Apr. 17 — TOSCA by Giacomo Puccini, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Apr. 18 — BALLET NIGHT — Fräulein Julie / Tristan, begin-ning at 8 p.m. Apr. 19 — RIGOLETTO by Giuseppe Verdi, beginning at 7:30

Apr. 20 — FIDELIO by Ludwig van Beethoven, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Hochschule der Künste

Apr. 13 - KLAUS DOLDINGER'S PASSPORT, beginning at Apr. 13 — KLAUS BOLDINGER STATES APR. 15 — UNGARISCHE SYMPHONIKER, soloist Maria Littauer (piano), works by Wagner, Beethoven, Dvorak, beginning at 11 a.m.

Apr. 21 — LAKE in concert 79, beginning at 8 p.m.

Deutschlandhalle

Apr. 12-16 — DER TROUBADOUR by Giuseppe Verdi, with Arena di Verona, beginning Apr. 12-14 at 7 p.m., Apr. 15 and 16 at 6 p.m.

Sports

r. 13 — Bicycle Races, Strasse des 17. Juni, Ernst Reuter us, beginning at 8 a.m. r. 14 — Billiard Championships, Yorckstr. 80, beginning at

Apr. 13-15 — International New Talent Swimming Festival, Schöneberger Sportschwimmhalle, Sachsendamm 11, beginning at 3 p.m. on Friday, 4:30 on Saturday and 10 a.m. on Sunday. Apr. 15 and 16 — EASTER VOLKS MARCH and EASTER EGG HUNT sponsored by the Berlin Police Sports Club, beginning at 9 a.m. with the "happy search procedure" for children, at 9:15 people will be divided into three ability groups for the Volks March around one of the lakes in the Grunewald, meeting place is Clayallee at the corner of Königin Luise Strasse. Apr. 22 — 8th Tempelhofer Volks March, "Around the Race Tracks at Mariendorf", for information call 302-8434.

Memorial Church

Apr. 13 — Good Friday Services with brass choir, beginning 6 p.m. 14 — Organ Vesperswith special Easter music, beginning 5 p.m.

at 6 p.m. Apr. 16 — Easter Monday Organ Vespers with Christa-Sylvia Gröschke and Paul Hoffmann, beginning at 6 p.m. Apr. 21 — Organ Vespers, Spanish and French organ music of the 17th and 18th Centuries, beginning at 6 p.m.

Something Special

Apr. 13-16 — Maurice Bejart and his world famous Ballet of the 20th Century, at the ICC, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 21 — HOT JAZZ at the new Congress Center, Hall 1, with Chris Barber, Mr. Acker Bilk, Papa Bue, Ken Colyer, Sir Gusche, beginning at 8 p.m.

Exhibitions

Apr. 8-May 6 — 9th FREE BERLIN ART EXHIBITION, at Hall 14, Messedamm (U-Bahn Kaiserdamm or Bus 4, 10, 65, 66, 69, 92, 94), including an early drink with jazz on Sundays and Holidays from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., and pop, jazz and rock music on Saturdays from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m., open from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m.

Special Concerts

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Apr. 12 — MANFRED MANN'S EARTH BAND, at the Eissporthalle, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 13-22 — SUPER CIRCUS WILLIAMS-ALTHOFF next to the National Gallery at Potsdamerstr. 50, two performances daily at 4 and 8 p.m.

Apr. 20 — JIM CAPALDI at the Metropol, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 22 — ORGAN CONCERT with Peter Wackwits, at the Philipp-Melanchthon-Kirche, Berlin 44, Kranoid-Ecke Hertastrasse, beginning at 5 p.m.

Apr. 17-May 5 — DEAR LIAR by Jerome Kilty, a play presented by the newly founded Berlin English Language Theatre, at the Amerika Haus, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 18 — CHAMBER MUSIC EVENING with Christiane Bumke-Vogt, flute, Rainer Vogt, clarinet, and Michael Jones, piano, works by Brahms, John Ireland and others, at the British Centre, Hardenbergstr. 20, beginning at 8 p.m.

Apr. 19 and 20 — A PHOENIX TOO FREQUENT, A Verse Drama by Christopher Fry, at the British Centre, Hardenbergstrasse 20, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

- Programs are subject to change -

Luncheon Menus for the T.A.R. and B.A.H. Schools for the week of Apr 23 are as follows:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		
Italian Meat Sauce/ Spaghetti Salad Corn Fruit Cocktail Bread & Peanut Butter Milk	Hamburger on Bun Lettuce/Pickles French Fries Ice Cream Milk	Vegetable Beef Stew Cole Slaw Apple Sauce Bread & Peanut Butter Milk		
Thursday	Friday			

Creole Macaroni & Cold Turkey Sandwich

Beef Buttered Peas Mixed Salad Pears Bread & Peanut Butter Milk

Go the AFRC way and save

Since it's so unusual to get something free these days, many people don't believe that the Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC) has a group travel program where buses will pick up a group of 25 or more at their unit and transport them to any AFRC facility and return them to their unit, free of charge.

Yes, there is just such a program, and has been for some time.

The Armed Forces Recreation Center will give free round-trip transportation to any group of 25 or more stationed in the Federal Republic of Germany. Those stationed in Berlin can make arrangements to be picked up at the Frankfurt RTO upon arrival.

Located deep in southern Germany, the Garmisch, Berchtesgaden and Chiemsee recreation centers are all situated just minutes from the Austrian border in the magnificent Bayarian Alps.

These areas are simply beautiful, in the middle of winter or in the heat of summer. With snow and ice or sunshine and flowers, you will enjoy your visit to any of the AFRC facilities.



Enjoy a few days of skiing, tennis, golfing or kayaking, or get involved with one of the LEARN-TO programs. There are many more things to do. However, if you just want to relax and get away from normal duty and routine, you also can use the free group travel program.

Group travel is one of the best ways to enjoy your vacation at AFRC. Once your group is formed a bus will pick you up and all you have to do is sit back and enjoy the comfortable and scenic ride on a big comfortable bus.

Since the beginning of the year more than 6,000 group travelers have taken advantage of the program.

With the value of the dollar being somewhat down these days, groups can enjoy their vacations even more by spending dollars at any AFRC facility.

In addition to spending dollars,

coupon booklets are purchased for use at any of these facilities before departure, and the booklet is your ticket to a fun-filled vacation.

Naturally, with a vacation dollar being really worth a dollar and free bus charters, reservations for AFRC hotels can go quickly. So call or write for your reservations up to 90 days in advance.

Your Recreation Services director or unit first sergeant can help you in setting up your group travel — so get all the information on the program and enjoy some exciting fun at AFRC.

For more information write or call: Berchtesgaden and Chiemsee, Group Travel Coordinator, APO 09029, Berchtesgaden military 2538-666, Civilian 08652-58666. Or contact Garmisch and Munich, Group Travel Coordinator, APO 09053, Garmisch military 2535-856, Civilian 08821-750856.

Volksmarching in the FRG

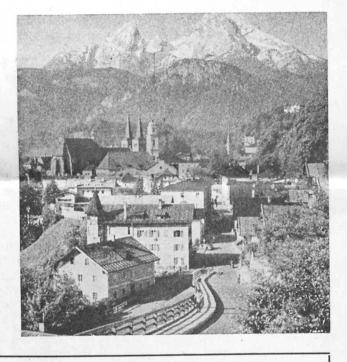
Love volksmarching but hate the all-morning, all-evening drive it takes to get there and back?

Well, grab your walking stick, forget your car and get a train to Berchtesgaden and the Armed Forces Recreation Center, AFRC. The International Volksmarch Verein, IVV, will hold at least seven marches in and around Berchtesgaden this year, and AFRC will have buses from AFRC hotels to the starting points for six of the seven. The seventh starts and ends in Berchtesgaden itself.

Check into an AFRC hotel the night before, and then rise with the dawn to march on the mountain. Then after lunch and a short siesta, if you've just got to get back, hop back on the train. First of the marches will be in Mitterfelden-Ainring, April 21 and 22. Opposite Salzburg, but still in the Federal Republic, the march can be reached with an AFRC bus that costs \$2 per person. Marchers pay their own entry fees.

Other marches in the region will be held May 26 and 27 in Salzburg, Austria; June 31 and July 1 in Biding, Germany; July 7 and 8 in Hallein, Austria; Sept. 1 and 2, Puch-Hallein, Austria; Sept. 16 in Groedig, Austria, and Sept. 15 and 16 in Berchtesgaden.

Bus transportation will range in cost up to \$3.50. For trips into Austria dependents and civilians need passports while active duty personnel need leave papers endorsed for Austria and military ID's.





DYA Soccer transportation

The Transportation Division will provide bus transportation for DYA soccer on Apr. 14, 21, 22, 28 and 29 and May 5 and 6. Busses will depart the PX Bus Terminal at 12:45 p.m. for the TCA soccer field. All busses will be marked with a sign for DYA soccer. These busses will depart the soccer field at 3:45 and 6:30 p.m. to return to the bus terminal. There will be no intermediate stops.

Wannsee Habor Facility Opens

The Wannsee Habor Facility will begin operation on Apr. 21 at 11 a.m. All water craft at the habor will be offered at no charge on opening day. The facility will continue to operate every Tues. through Sun., 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. After the 4th of July weekend, the

operation will be seven days a week. Tour boat reservations can be made by calling 6555.

Learn Scuba Diving

The Berlin American Scuba Club will conduct a Scuba Diving Course for members of the Military Community.

The six-week course will be taught by certified instructors, for NAUI & PADI. The course will be taught each Tue. and Thu. evening, beginning on Apr. 25, 6 to 9 p.m., at the Andrews Pool.

Test: Swim 500 meters non-stop; Tread water and/or stay afloat for 10 minutes; Swim the entire width of the pool submerged; Recover a 6 kg. (13 lbs.) weight from the bottom of the pool and transport it 25 meters along the surface.

For further information, see or call a club officer on Fri. from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Scuba Club. Phone 3660.

Marathon Update

The first U. S. Army Berlin Championship will be held on May 13 in conjunction with the Spandau Sports Club. Long distance runners should contact their battalion A & R representative by Apr. 20 to ensure they are entered. All entry fees will be paid by Rec-

reation Services Division. Plans are being made for a May 5 reconnaissance of the marathon course and a May 12 pre-marathon banquet and film.

DYA Body-Training Workshop

The DYA will offer a Body-Training Workshop for DYA members, ages 6-19. This workshop is designed to develop creativity and sensitivity through body movement. The instructor is Rosemary Stein, an instructor at the Volkshochschule. The four-week session begins on Apr. 24 and will take place on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$9. Registration is Apr. 16 to 20, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, contact the DYA at 6239.

DYA softball/baseball coaches needed

Anyone interested in coaching a DYA Softball or Baseball team, please contact the DYA at 6239/6247.

DYA tennis classes

The DYA will offer tennis classes for DYA members ages 6-19. The classes will be 10, one-hour sessions. Beginners, ages 6-12, and advanced, ages 8-19. Cost is \$13. Registration will be held Apr. 9-13, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information contact the DYA at 6239.

DYA soccer season kicks off

By Bob Bush

The DYA E league soccer action got into full swing this weekend at TCA with a full schedule of games. In Saturday's action the Sting led by "Iron man" Chris Franklin, Dennis Harbison and Matt Stpierre displayed awesome power in beating the Cosmos 5-0. The Metros scored the most goals of the day in beating the Earthquakes 6-0. Chuck Swartout and Eric Carpenter were standouts on offense while Lisa Oberst was great on defense. The Rowdies and the Tornados battled to a hardfought 1-1 tie. In that game each team traded goals in each half with the Tornados scoring first.

In Sunday's action the Sting once again won 4-0 over the Tornados. The game was tied 0-0 at the half as the rock Tornado defense of Sincavage, Hickman and Ferguson refused to yield as they turned back all Sting efforts. But the Sting finally broke through in the second half for three

quick goals and scored a final one at the game's end. The Rowdies led by Fred Carcia, Troy Underwood and Kevin Rhyne edged out a close 1-0



victory over the inspired Earthquakes who were led by Urguhart, McGrath and John Goff.

The final game of the day proved to be a real cliffhanger as the Metros turned back the Cosmos 1-0. In that game, Scooter Autry was fantastic in the Cosmos net and John Bittle was a standout on the offense.

LEAGUE STANDINGS:

		W	L	T	PTS
. 1	STING	2	0	0	4
	METROS	2	0	0	4
	ROWDIES	1	0	1	3
	TORNADOS	0	1	1	1
	COSMOS	0	2	0	0
	EARTHQUAKES	0	2	0	0

Other league action

The DYA D league soccer action

saw 11 and 12 year olds kick of the season with three games last Saturday.

In the first game, the Heroes lost to a defensive Thunderbirds 1-0. Game two saw the Red Barons roll over the Blue Bombers 1-0, and in game three, Manchester United tied the Warriors 1-1.

"All the players played excellent defense considering these were the first games of the season," explained John Fort, D league director. "Hopefully, as the season progresses, we'll see more offense."

The soccer season is in full swing now and it looks like it will be a good learning experience for all involved.

FSB volleyball

by Gary Meyers FSB correspondent

Field Station Berlin, women's volleyball team moved into a first place tie with MEDDAC's women, by virtue of a hard fought win over the Berlin American High School women's team. This victory pushed FSB women's team record to 8-1, tieing them with MEDDAC, 8-1.

FSB got off to a very good start, blowing BAHS out 15-0 in the first game. Karen Nance started the route by six consecutive points. Karen's serves eased FSB out to a 9-0 lead. BAHS called a time out to hopefully slow FSB's momentum. Karen muffed her next serve but her teammates picked up where she left off. Excellent efforts by Maridee Chavez, "Feather Featherson", and Bev Rupp kept BAHS out of the first game, not allowing them to score a point in the 15-0 match.

BAHS was not discouraged by the loss, as they consistantly used their

three hits to their advantage beating FSB in the second game. BAHS did a fine job at moving and setting the ball in the second game. Their ball movement combined with FSB's sloppy play allowed BAHS to erase a 6-0 lead by the FSB women. BAHS tied the score at seven and went on to win, 15-10.

Field Station women slightly shocked by BAHS turn-around in the second game, jumped out to a 9-0 lead in the final and deciding game of the match. After taking the large lead, FSB women coasted into a 15-3 victory to take the match two games to one.

This victory set the stage for the upcoming FSB, MEDDAC game for sole possession of first place. MEDDAC will be looking to avenge an earlier loss to Field Station. This game promised to be an exciting one, in that both teams have vastly improved since their first meeting.



Get involved!

Warm weather and athletic recreation go together. Why not get involved in one of the many sporting activities offered by Rec. Services?

To Staff Sergeant

Simmons, Raymond

To Sergeant

Whipple, Terry L. Gerr

Whipple, Terry L. Bundy, Barbara J. Bundy, Maurice H. Collins, Carolyn Diblin, Curtis W. Donley, Dean Jr. Robinson, Mark Gerry, Thmas F. Hatch, Kathryn D. Haugen, Rutherford M. L Laughman, Boyd L. Long, Kimberly S. Sienkiewicz, Charles J.

To Specialist Five

Venema, Elayne Coleman, James A. Souerbry, John A. Kent, Clark

Jones, Rickie L. A. Johnson, George W. A. Robles, Gregorio V.

To Specialist Four

Black, Christopher Atkins, Claude L. Haggerty, James Miser, Ernest J. E.

Awards & Promotions

Meritorious Service Medal

Marrs, Edward W.
Dantzler, James L. III
Toms, Alan H.
Hubbert, David N.
Foster, Franklin D.

Webb, James R. III Caldwell, Kenneth Mason, James D. Moore, Norman L.

Army Commendation Medal

Weddell, John S. Yantz, Marvin C. Burnette, Charles R. Duran, Harry T. Weres, Michael A. Jorgensen, Frank A. Ellsworth, Richard P. Ordiway, Arthur D. Franklin, Daniel G. Manthey, Fred R. III Moon, Gary E.

Driver of the Quarter

PFC Martin Wann, Co. B, 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry, won the Berlin Brigade Driver for the Quarter competition for the first quarter of CY 1979. SP4 Gooch, 42d Engineer Company, was the runner-up.

Mechanic of the Quarter

SP4 Martin M. Murken, Company F, 40th Armor, has been selected as the Berlin Brigade Mechanic of the Quarter.

Soldier of the Month

SP4 Daniel L. Revas II of CSC 2-6 has been selected as Soldier of the Month for March.

Easter Customs
Stem From Antiquity



Many of our present Easter customs stem from antiquity. For example, the sunrise service. It was a common belief among early Christians that the sun danced in honor of the resurrection, and many people rose long before dawn to see the event.

Today, such services are held on mountaintops, at the seashores, and in hundreds of spots in between. The most elaborate is the service staged in the Hollywood Bowl, Calif. On Easter morning an estimated 30,000 people are on hand for the service.

The Easter egg also had its beginnings in the ancient past. Early philosophers gave special significance to the oval shape of elemental things, from the raindrop to the seed, and the oval Easter egg is an outgrowth of ancient pagan rites associated with the rebirth of nature.

The name, Easter, comes from the Scandinavian and Teutonic words, Ostra and Ostern, both goddesses of mythology signifying the coming of spring.

As for the traditional Easter parade, it goes back thousands of years to the time when the Christian emperor Constantine commanded his council to bedeck themselves in their more elegant robes to observe the day honoring Christ's resurrection. Coupled with this was a popular

belief that one must wear a new article of clothing on Easter to ensure good fortune for the rest of the year.

As one writer points out, many of our Easter customs are the direct result of the early Church's attempts to combat pagan customs: "It was the invariable policy of the early Church to give a Christian significance to such of the extant pagan ceremonies as would not be rooted out. In the case of Easter, the conversion was peculiarly easy. Joy at the rising of the natural sun, and at the awakening of nature from the death of winter, became joy at the rising of the son of righteousness, at the resurrection of Christ from

4-6ers learning to be good NCOs

Story and photo by Bob Bonilla 4-6 Correspondent

"My squad leader doesn't care." How often have you heard that line? To teach squad leaders how to be good leaders and NCOs, the 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry, took the initiative and began a Squad Leaders Course.

Thirty-two hours of in-class instruction took place recently at the McNair Education and the 4-6 Learning centers. Lectures, discussions and practical applications were all included. Sessions concerned: methods of instruction and the use of training aids; counseling and promotions;

Skill Qualification Testing and communications; the protective mask and the functions of PAC and CDAAC. Guest Speakers and instructors included COL W. A. Holbrook, deputy brigade commander, and CSM T. D. Offutt, brigade sergeant major.

The goal of the course was to enhance NCO professionalism by providing squad and team leaders with the basic knowledge necessary to instill confidence in themselves and their men, and to teach the NCOs everything they need to know to perform their duties and successfully accomplish their mission.

Over 80 per cent of the squad leaders assigned to 4-6 participated in the course, and

they all agreed that they wanted to spend even more time learning to be even better NCOs. Now, no one in this unit can honestly say, "My squad leader doesn't care."

the grave."

Passover

Continuing Quest for Freedom

Passover, which begins on April 12th this year, is one of the first and most important festivals of the Jewish year, commemorating the deliverance of Israel from bondage in Egypt.

The Passover feast starts at nightfall, and unleavened bread, called matzo, is served to remind the participants of the hasty departure of the Jews from Egypt when they had no time to let the dough for their bread rise.

Four cups of wine are drunk at special parts of the meal or service, each representing one of God's promises to the Israelites. At a solemn moment, the doors of the house are thrown open for the prophet Elijah, who may appear to announce the coming of the Messiah, followed by the words: "Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord."

At another point in the meal, the youngest son asks the reasons for the celebration and he is answered by the recital of the Haggadah, an account

of the story of slavery under the Pharaoh and the deliverance of the Israelites from Egypt.

Various items of food are eaten during the meal and service, each having special significance. The hard-boiled egg is the symbol of life, Israel's optimistic affirmation of the sanctity of life. It is dipped in salt water in sympathy with the bitter lot of the Jewish ancestors. For the same reason, bitter herbs are eaten. A mixture of nuts and apples reminds the family of the mortar used by the Jewish slaves in the building of cities for their cruel taskmasters.

The feast of Passover has become the symbol of mankind's oldest and most cherished ideal, freedom from enslavement. To the Jew it is an annual reminder that the work to insure freedom is never ended.

As the Haggadah, recited during the service declares, "In each generation, the Jew must regard himself as though he personally had been delivered from the hands of the Egyptians."



Squad leaders at 4-6 learn how to be good NCOS.