

Rescue highlights need for caution

Summer is here and one Baumholder resident has already had a brush with disaster while swimming in Baumholder Lake. Eight-year-old Daniel Carrier was saved from drowning in the lake June 8 by German lifeguards who responded when they heard his cry for help. Carrier was attempting to swim from the bank of the lake to the trampoline in the middle of the lake and most likely underestimated his ability.

Carrier called out for help and Mareike Heinz, Patrick Geibel and Patrick Hansmann, all junior DLRG lifeguards on the trampoline, imme-

diately swam to the child, whose head was already submerged, and stabilized him above water until the rescue boat arrived and took the boy to safety. Carrier is reported to be in good condition.

Although Baumholder Lake is one of several authorized swimming areas in the local area, people looking to beat the heat by going for a swim are advised to exercise extreme caution and avoid plunging into disaster.

Other authorized swimming areas are available on the Baumholder web site by clicking on Summer Safety.



Photo by Ignacio "Iggy" Rubalcava

Although the trampoline in the middle of Baumholder lake is an ideal location to splash and cool off on a hot summer day, reaching it from the shore can prove challenging for those who are not proficient swimmers.

Buccaneer Night breaks fund raising records

By Ignacio "Iggy" Rubalcava

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Records were broken on Buccaneer Night May 16 when the Baumholder community raised \$17,878 in scholarship money for the graduating seniors of Baumholder American High School.

"We made several thousand more dollars than they had made in the past several years, which is great with the soldiers gone, 'cause we didn't know how well we'd do," said Pamela Kesling, Buccaneer

Night coordinator.

The hottest money maker of the evening was the auction and the hottest items were the numerous theme baskets that community members and organizations donated. The baskets covered such themes as travel, well stocked bar, coffee, pasta Italian, romance, pamper yourself, polish pottery, movie night out, stress relief, and Americana.

Although the baskets were going like hot cakes at a lumberjack convention, the individual auction item that raked in the most coin was

a hand made quilt that went for \$1,000.

"We also had an oriental rug that was donated and auctioned off," said Kesling.

Although the soldiers are deployed and attendance included mostly family members, Kesling was pleased with the results. "I think we had more quality items and I think the women were ready to spend some extra money that they had," she said.

Before anyone jumps out of their skin and screams bloody sexual profiling, Kesling also added, "The

quilt went to a man, so it wasn't a woman that bid on that. But I'm sure he did it for his wife."

"I just want to say, for the community, it was wonderful. And I want to make sure to thank everyone in Baumholder that helped. We had German merchants that donated items and we also had a raffle that generated several thousands of dollars. We raffled off different things from TVs from the Power Zone to a CD player and a VCR. A Don Stivers print also really helped with the raffle," said Kesling.

A thank-you also goes out to all

who donated their personal time. "I really appreciate all the volunteers that helped, all the senior parents and the seniors who contributed with the decorations and all the kiddie games that they helped with," she said.

"The community was very generous and really helped to make it a success, because it was, like a said, quite a bit more than what it has been in the past.

"All around, every thing went very well," said Kesling.

Cook International

ACS presents free international cooking classes with lots of fun, friends, cultural attractions and great food.

The first class is June 26 and will feature American Fourth of July Holiday foods

Participants will learn how to prepare a traditional Fourth of July holiday feast. Foods featured include barbecue, fried chicken, southern green beans, sweet potatoes.

The second class is July 31 and features German sauerbraten day. A typical German meal of sauerbraten (marinated beef roast) will be prepared, along with rotkohl

(red cabbage) made from scratch and spaetzle (Southern German pasta) and knoedeln (dumplings).

The lunchtime classes are from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. in the ACS kitchen/lounge.

The evening classes are from 6 to 8 p.m. in the ACS kitchen/lounge. Reservations are required and class size is limited to 12. Call ACS at mil 485-8188 or civ (06783) 6-8188 to reserve your slot.

Call ACS for dates and times of international cooking classes at Neubrücke and Strassburg.

ACS at a glance

For safety reasons, children are not allowed. Day care is not provided.

Bright Eyes close

In the past, if the service member's child/children qualified for the Free or Reduced School Lunch Program, the child/children automatically qualified for \$50 off their next pair of glasses. Each child in the household was allowed one free pair per year. Unfortunately, the Baumholder Community Spouses' Club has had to put a hold on the Bright Eyes Program. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Army Community Service at mil 485-8188 or civ (06783) 6-8188.

School lunch

Applications for the 2003-2004 school year school lunch program will be distributed and accepted for all kindergarten and school age children, including all sure-start students starting July 1, Mondays

through Fridays from 8 a.m. to noon at ACS, Building 8746, room 3. Applicants will be required to provide the appropriate paperwork in order for ACS to determine eligibility.

Formore call civ (06783) 6-8188.

Spouse group

The next meeting for the International Spouses' Club and International Spouses' Support Group is July 1 and 15 from 10:30 a.m. to noon at the ACS lounge in Building 8746. The topic will be "German holidays - valuable information for everyone. Learn about German customs and culture. You will receive a handout with dates so that you can avoid scheduling shopping or trips on days when Germany shuts down.

For more information, please call ACS at civ (06783) 6-8188.

Hello newcomer's

Newly arrived spouses learn about German customs and culture, the German and American communities in Baumholder, German shop-

ping and dining out in Idar-Oberstein, and the local public transportation system by attending the Newcomer's Orientation and Welcome. They are also introduced to the German language. The class concludes with a day of Army Family Team Building Level 1 class. NOW is a three day class from 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Free child care is available on a first come, first serve basis. Call civ (06783) 6-8188. for more.

Readiness

The Employment Readiness Program at Baumholder Army Community Service offers an employment orientation class July 1 and 15 in the ACS lounge from 9 to 10:30 a.m.

This class includes insights as to the employment opportunities in the Baumholder community and its surrounding area. Participants will receive information concerning military spouse preference, defining federal and private sector opportunities, and application procedures, basic Resumix start-up information, and volunteer opportunities. For more information, contact Camille Jackson at mil 485-8188.

Well women

The Baumholder Health Clinic now offers 45-minute well woman appointments on Fridays from 8:30 a.m. – noon. These longer appointments will allow more time for the health care provider to focus on each woman's individual needs and concerns. The clinic still has 20-minute well woman appointments available on a daily basis but in light of the stress created by the deployment of our soldiers to Iraq, the health clinic is looking to improve their service to the women remaining in our community. The clinic will schedule appointments up to three weeks out. To make an appointment call mil 485-8080/8070 and ask for a Friday morning well woman visit.

Be a buddy

The Baumholder Buddies Program was established in conjunction with other community services to assist the families of the Baumholder Community during Operation Iraqi Freedom. The Army Community Service's goal for this program is to strengthen the Baumholder Community by incorporating the support of neighbors who are willing to become volunteers of our community.

The program consists of two categories, community members willing to assist others and those who need assistance with certain tasks.

Participants must register with the 222nd Base Support Battalion volunteer coordinator's office and provide information such as where they live and how they can help, or, how what they need help with.

Participants will be matched with a volunteer interested in providing assistance in the particular category indicated on the registration form. Those who wish to provide assistance will be asked if they are interested in providing assistance. If so, they will be placed with a volunteer who has requested assistance in the designated category.

For more details call mil 485-6565.

New management

The thrift shop is currently holding an "under new management sale" going on now. They are located next to the Service Mart in Building 8544, cross from the post exchange. Their hours of operation are:

Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays from 10 – 2 p.m. and Thursdays from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Consignment hours are:

Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. and Thursdays from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 2 – 4 p.m..

The thrift shop also pays cash for all transformers that are in good condition. While at the thrift shop, check out the new antique corner. For more information call Natasha LaRock, thrift shop manager at civ (06783) 6-6653 or mil 485-6653.

Gymnastic festival

The city of Baumholder's sports club, VfR Baumholder, holds a district children's gymnastic festival July 6. Competition begins at 9 a.m. at the Bruehlhalle, Westrichhalle, both gyms, and at the soccer field. About 250 children are expected to participate. The festival provides an opportunity to see what a local sports club offers. Festival coordinators offer a special family fitness competition at 1 p.m. at the soccer field. Mothers or dads must accomplish several stations together

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with their children. Participants will receive certificates. Persons interested may sign up the day of the event. For more information, call Petra Heinz, gymnastic coach, at civ (06783)3639.

EFMP survey

In order to meet the needs of the community, interested persons are encouraged to stop by ACS and fill out a support group survey. This will let EFMP officials know when, where and how often persons would like a support group to meet and what topics they would like covered. The Baumholder military community has more than 700 diagnoses for exceptional family members in a variety of categories. Caring for an individual with any type of special need puts an extra demand on the caregiver and the Exceptional Family Member Program wants to help. EFMP officials are in the process of forming EFMP Support Groups but need your help. Stop by and fill out a survey or contact Robert Sheely at mil 485-8188 or civ (06783) 6-8188 for more information.

Support sites

Numerous organizations supporting U.S. soldiers in Iraq have sprung up on the internet since troops first starting deploying. Some send messages to the soldiers. Others send packages and some even correspond with individual soldiers.

One such organization based on the internet made up of dozens of volunteers has sent hundreds of packages to soldiers and is looking for more addresses to send packages to soldiers. Although it is neither wise nor allowed to provide names and address of individual soldiers through cyber space or any other means without permission from the individual, it is not forbidden to jump on the website and see what they have to offer.

For those who want to learn more the grass roots support soldiers are receiving, go to www.operationmilitarysupport.com. It is a public site and its appearance in this publication does not imply endorsement by the U.S. government.

For a more official view and to learn even more about deployment activities and other support agencies go to the Pentagon based web site www.defendamerica.mil.

Baseball clinic

Youth Services offers a major league envoy program July 14, 15 at Iron Soldier Field. The program is free and open to children ages 6-12 from 9 a.m. – noon and ages 13 – 18 from 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. Children can learn baseball skills from former MLB coaches.

A coaches clinic will be offered July 14 from 6 – 7 p.m. at the Rheinlander in conjunction with the program.

Registration is limited to 60 youth so those interested are encouraged to sign up now. For more information call the youth sports office at 485-6968.

Interviewing

The Employment Readiness Program at the Baumholder ACS offers a class in Interviewing For Success July 18 from 9 to 11 a.m.

at the ACS lounge This class will assist job seekers prepare for an interview, discuss frequently asked and difficult to answer questions and how to dress. Participants are given possible interviewing scenarios and asked to discuss appropriate responses and reactions. For more information, contact Camille Jackson at mil 485-8188.

Resume writing

The resume writing class will assist job seekers prepare and write a winning resume, cover letter, thank-you letter and follow up letter. This class will be offered the last Friday of every month from 9 to 11 a.m.

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Out with old stuff, in with new

Stables will soon house iron horses

Story and photos by
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It was out with the old to make room for the new as German soldiers from the 1st Panzergrenadierbataillon in Aallen, rolled in a German version of an M-88 wrecker into an old horse stall on Smith Kaserne to haul away dozens of 1st Armored Division Museum pieces that had been stored there.

"This area is going to be remodeled into a motor pool," said Eiko Holzinger, 222nd Base Support Battalion director of logistics. Holzinger's logistics personnel and the German soldiers were working together to clear the old horse stable that apparently did serve as a makeshift motor pool at one time. In the middle of one stable is a typical grease pit that would have served no practical purpose for the original occupants of the building.

A walk through the old stables reveals an interesting collection of historical debris. In addition to the tanks, anti aircraft guns, howitzers and even an old helicopter sitting in the stalls waiting to be hauled away, ironically and for some unknown reason, someone actually managed to dig up an old horse made of paper Mache and store it amongst the old military hardware. It might have served as part of a cavalry display at some time. A "wound" in the horse's paper frame reveals newspaper text that dates it back only seven or eight years, making it one of the younger items in the aging collection.

Some 40 historical items that had been stored in the old horse stables are being shipped to a holding area in Germersheim, Germany. About 10 additional items will be stored at the airfield because they are part of the history of the units stationed in Baumholder.

"For example, the operational Sherman, were not going to give that to Germersheim," said Daniel Peterson, 1st Armored Division Museum curator. "That's a valuable vehicle and the unit responsible for maintaining it (1-35 Armor Battalion) wants to continue maintaining it when they come back," he said.

The history of the rusty old relics is not limited to their operational days. Some continue to make history well after their heydays. A cigarette smolders between Holzinger's fingers as he motions to a World War II vintage half track. In a gravelly voice familiar to all in the 222nd BSB, he points out, "See, each one of these vehicles has a history, like this one here. This vehicle right here belonged to the 1-6. They used it during changes of command not long ago. It still runs. Before it ended up here it was sitting in front of their motor pool," said Holzinger.

Because much of the equipment that could have been used to haul the old vehicles away is currently deployed with the soldiers in Iraq, the logistics crew has utilized what they have on hand to help the German soldiers move the equipment out and what they have on hand are some old vehicles that are still



Employees from Baumholder's directorate of logistics position an old anti aircraft gun into position for transport out of the old Horse stalls holding area.



Stabsunteroffizier Martin Plonus and Hauptgefreiter Philipp Bormann from the 1st Panzergrenadierbataillon in Aallen, remove a tow bar from an old tank to help with towing the old vehicles to the airfield.

operational. So the engine of a massive old truck was turned over and the old relic was used to haul some of the other old-timer machines.

"We've been at it for five days. It will take another two days before we can take all of this out," said Holzinger.

"This will either be part of the new expanded motor pools for 1-6 or 2-6 Infantry," said Peterson. When complete, the site of the old military horse stalls will still be housing horses, but of a newer more lethal breed. The new occupants will be the iron horses of the 2nd Brigade Combat Team.



The instrumentation of an old army helicopter is surprisingly in good condition after sitting in storage for years. Another surprize was an old Opel Blitz ambulance whose wooden interior still had a shine on it.

July has summer events for all

By Heather Ybarra
Morale Welfare and Recreation Marketing

School is out and summer is officially here and Baumholder's Morale Welfare and Recreation has many events planned to help you enjoy your summer to the fullest.

Begin the month of July with our American Pride Celebration on July 4. We will have sporting competitions, game booths, great food, a live band, fireworks and more. The fun will take place at the Hall of Champions Complex and will begin at 2 p.m. with the fireworks at approximately 10:30 p.m. Get your friends together and come out for an Independence Day celebration.

Rolling Hills Golf Course is offering many junior programs this summer. On July 11, juniors

ages 7-17 can participate for free in a junior putting tournament. There is no registration required, just show up at 5 p.m. and play to win prizes. The German American Junior Golf Clinic will be held June 24–July 29. The clinic is open to youth 7-18 and will take place every Tuesday from 4:30 – 6 p.m. Sign up today for instruction in all elements of golf.

Explore Europe this summer with Outdoor Recreation. We are going to Legoland, Six Flags Belgium and Holland, Paris, Metz and will have adventures in white water kayaking, sea kayaking, paragliding and so much more. Not sure if we offer the trip you want? Just give us a call. We will work with you—you get the people we will help you plan the trip.

Baumholder Rod and Gun Club has many new activities for children and parents alike. Every Thurs-

day from 5-7, we will show a kids' movie and serve free popcorn and kool-aid. Come watch a children's classic or new release for free and enjoy the evening. On July 13, children ages 5-12 can come play Kiddie Bingo and have the chance to win toys as the prizes. The games begin at 3 p.m. On July 16, parents can come out for White Elephant Bingo. "One woman's trash is another's treasure." Bring items from home to be used as prizes. The fun begins at 7:30 p.m. Don't forget Baumholder Rod and Gun Club offer food delivery on Baumholder. Call mil 485-6345 or civ (06783) 6 6345 if you don't feel like cooking tonight.

Baumholder Auto Crafts can help you with car detailing, car maintenance and more. We offer auto detailing and customizing by appointment. Do you need to learn the basics of car maintenance? Ev-

ery Monday we offer a basic car maintenance class. If you are interested in having this class presented at your next family readiness group meeting, we can help you with that as well. Just call mil 485-6344.

Baumholder Fitness is offering a new aerobics schedule. All classes are held at the Rec Emporium on Wetzel Kaserne. Water Aerobics is held at the Baumholder Indoor Swimming Pool located in the Rec Emporium. Call mil 485-6156 for more information. If you need child care during the aerobics classes—Wetzel CDC offers child care from 8:45 a.m. to 7:15 p.m. Call mil 485-7133 for more information.

Baumholder Sports and Fitness will soon begin offering personal training services as well as aerobic classes on Smith, Neubrücke and Strassburg Kasernes. Watch for more information.

Baumholder Youth Services is going to Europa Park on July 19. The cost is only \$35 plus spending money. Feeling the need for speed? On July 26, we will go bobsledding in Braunshausen for \$10 plus spending money. Get signed up now. Call mil 485-7276 for more information.

We will wrap up the month of July with a free live concert July 30 when Amy-Jayne McCabe will come to Baumholder and perform. The location and time of this concert is to be determined. Watch for more information to come.

Fourth of July celebration, golf, trips, bingo, car detailing, fitness, youth activities and a free concert, Baumholder MWR has something for everyone this month. Enjoy your summer.

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Junior golf clinic

Encourage your sons and daughters to join the ranks of the growing number of young golf enthusiasts. The German/American Junior Golf Clinic will be offered every Tuesday from 4–6 p.m., July 8 through Aug. 12 at Rolling Hills Golf Course in Baumholder. The Rolling Hills Junior Golf Championship will be Aug. 12. Your child, 7–18 years old will be placed in beginner or intermediate groups to learn or improve their swing, putting, chipping, pitching, and golf etiquette. The cost is \$75 per child. There is a maximum of 20 participants allowed. Sign up at the pro shop. Call mil 485-7299 for details.

Juniors

The junior putting tournament is free and open to golfers ages 7–17. The Rolling Hills Golf Course hosts this event July 11 and Aug 8 from 5–7 p.m. Prizes will be awarded and hamburgers and hot dogs will be served.

Open for lunch

The new Windmill Pub at the Rolling Hills Golf Course is open and serves daily lunch specials. Lunch hours are 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays.

Jobs

The 222nd Base Support Battalion Child and Youth Services is hiring program assistants to work in their Baumholder, Strassbourg and Neubrücke facilities. Entry-level pay is \$8.20 per hour and is based on training and experience. CYs provides free training and advancement opportunities. For more information contact the Baumholder nonappropriated fund civilian personnel office at Ausweiler Strasse 1, mil 485-6566 or civ (06783) 6-6566.

MWR Job Fair

Job seekers, opportunity awaits you at the Morale, Welfare and Recreation job fair on the second Wednesday of every month at the Rheinlander. Doors open from 9–10 a.m. You'll learn of MWR positions, have an opportunity to fill out applications and receive interviews on site. The Rheinlander is located in Building 8085 on Smith Barracks. Call mil 485-1550 for details.

Work at home

If you'd like an income while staying at home, consider becoming a Family Child Care provider. You'll receive free training and a government subsidy to help pay for food and other child care costs. Contact your community FCC office.

Learn to fly

A weekend paragliding course is offered by Baumholder Outdoor Recreation. This two-day introduction course costs \$155 and includes three hours of classroom instruction, paragliding, transportation and gear. Our next course is scheduled for July 12–13.

Be your own boss