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*Left: Military members and their families enjoy dinner at Bambusa. The Support Site restaurant will celebrate its one year anniversary next month.*

*Right: Bambusa bartender, Giovanna Della-Monica, prepares a drink for a customer as a soccer game plays on the flat screen TV. Bambusa is kicking off happy hour with American favorites and drink specials.*



## One year on, Bambusa

Story and photos by MCI(SW) Edward Vasquez, Navy Public Affairs Support Element-E. Det. Europe

Headed out for dinner and drinks? Bambusa, the American-style restaurant at the Support Site, has revamped its services in celebration of its upcoming one year anniversary, and it might just be what you're hungry for tonight.

Luigi Ferrucci has owned and operated Bambusa since it opened last summer. He has over 30 years experience as a restaurateur and runs three other successful restaurants in the local area. Over the last year, he's asked Bambusa patrons for their input about what

they would like to eat at their base restaurant. Ferrucci and his staff have made improvements based on the community's feedback.

"As we come into our second year of operation, we are starting new hours of operation," said Sandra Laird, a manager at Bambusa. "We are also kicking off our happy hour."

The new hours will be Monday through Thursday from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m., Friday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to midnight, and Sunday 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Although lunch will only be available Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Bambusa is introducing happy hour with American favorites and drink specials, Monday through Thursday from 5 to 6 p.m. and Friday through Saturday from 9 p.m. to midnight.

Laird also explained they've adjusted the menu a little, too. The full menu, which has always featured American favorites such as sandwiches, steaks, salads, desserts, a kid's menu and more, has been expanded to include homemade hamburgers—giant hamburgers with tons of toppings.

"I like to come here for lunch because they have the best food on base," said Cryptologic Technician 2nd Class Michael Brown, attached to Commander, Task Force 69.

One thing that won't change is the spirit of the operation, said Tom Goodman, NSA Naples Navy Exchange general manager. Bambusa will continue to serve generous portions of delicious food at reasonable prices to our community.

"What we are trying to do is to create a home-style family restaurant that fits into both our American culture and our Italian culture," Goodman said. "Working together, we have been able to create an environment that works and is getting better."

Help the Bambusa staff better serve you! Submit an ICE comment through the Naples CNIC website [www.cnic.navy.mil/naples/](http://www.cnic.navy.mil/naples/) with ways the restaurant can improve.



Salvatore Carelli, a Bambusa waiter, serves a giant hamburger loaded with tons of toppings.



Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class Patrick Heraty (left), and Culinary Specialist 2nd Class Jennifer Spade (right) look through the Bambusa menu. The full menu has expanded to include homemade hamburgers in addition to American-style sandwiches, steaks, salads, desserts and more.

## Revised instruction announces changes to physical readiness program

From Navy Personnel Command Public Affairs Office

In order to improve the overall health of sailors and enhance the administration and execution of the Physical Readiness Program, Navy announced the revision of OPNAVINST 6110.1J in NAVADMINS 203/11, July 12.

The revised instruction will strengthen program compliance, improve physical fitness assessment (PFA) documentation and encourage sailors to maintain the level of physical fitness required to support mission readiness. This is the first major revision to the physical readiness program since 2005.

"We reduced the instruction to just what leadership needs to know and the rest is contained in the Physical Readiness Program Operating Guide, which will be a how-to manual," said Bill Moore, Physical Readiness Program director. "It will provide information, procedural guidance, and supplementary information."

Several changes are reflected in the new instruction, including the requirement to complete the medical screening process prior to participating in the PFA as well as a reduction of the number of PRT scoring categories to five, ranging from "outstanding" to "failure."

The rules have also changed regarding medical waivers. Sailors granted two medical waivers in a 12-month period will be referred to a medical treatment facility for a medical evaluation board.

In addition, failing the body composition assessment (BCA) is now considered an overall PFA failure, and sailors can no longer request a "bad day" exception for the BCA and are limited to one PRT retest for a given PFA cycle.

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AFN's satellite delivery platform is changing. By July 31, direct-to-home viewers will need to reconfigure their home decoder and realign their satellite dish to the new satellite, Eurobird 9A (EB9A) at 9 degrees East, to receive AFN. AFN Europe has posted manuals and how-to videos at [www.afneurope.net](http://www.afneurope.net). Click on the Eurobird 9A icon for info.

### NSA Naples Community Weekly Crime Statistics for July 4-10, 2011

- Vehicle Break-in . . . . .	4
- House Break-in . . . . .	1
- Theft of Personal Property . . . . .	1 on base
- Damage to Personal Property . . . . .	1 on base
- Stolen Vehicle . . . . .	1
- Unlawful Entry . . . . .	1 on base
- Traffic Accidents . . . . .	9 1 on base, 8 off base

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### Events around town this weekend

- 15 - Towns throughout Italy celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. In Naples, the festivities culminate in the "burning" of the city's tallest bell tower. Fireworks surrounding Campanile di Fra' Nuvoletto della Chiesa del Carmine are shot off, and the display lasts about 20 minutes and ends with the arrival of the painting of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, who miraculously stops the fire and saves the tower.
  - 15-16 - It's the last weekend of the Pozzuoli Jazz Festival. Check out [www.pozzuolijazzfestival.it](http://www.pozzuolijazzfestival.it) for show times and venues.
  - 15-17 - Expect more than grilled meat at "Sagra della brace" in Sant'Agata dei Goti. Ribs, sausages, pork, pecorino cheese, fresh vegetables and more are sure make your mouth water.
- Check out <http://wikinapoli.com/events> for more information.

### Naples' weekend forecast

<b>FRIDAY</b> High 81 Low 73 SUNNY	<b>SATURDAY</b> High 79 Low 70 SUNNY	<b>SUNDAY</b> High 81 Low 70 SUNNY
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# Captain's Corner

By Capt. Scott Gray  
NSA Commanding Officer



Happy Friday everyone! Hopefully you're keeping cool in these warm Mediterranean afternoons. The pools and beaches are full of people making the most of their summer, and I know most of you are taking advantage of these months to do some traveling as well. I'm really enjoying getting around and meeting all of you and enjoying the hospitality of the Naples community.

Here are some issues I would like to highlight:

- I know that the grass is long in many places on the Support Site, and no, we're not following the corn farmer proverb of "knee high by the 4th of July." We're a little behind due to the strike last week but we're working to catch up as quickly as possible. Please bear with us until we get back to normal conditions.
- We've started a crime stats column that should give you some idea of what's being reported to our security personnel. This isn't necessarily indicative of crime trends in the area, but should be a good snapshot of what's happened in the larger NSA Naples community. There's a pretty big rumor mill surrounding crime here, and some of the stories are true and recent, some are true but happened fifteen years ago, and some are flat-out false. Hopefully this column helps provide a more accurate view of what's happening in the community. If you are a victim of a crime, REPORT IT. Remember to be a hard target for crime. Don't wear expensive jewelry when going downtown. Don't leave valuable or tempting items visible inside your vehicle. Fly below the radar and the criminals will look elsewhere.
- We are still in the 101 Critical Days of Summer, and I can't urge you enough to make good decisions while enjoying these blazing hot days. Remember to wear sunscreen outside, hydrate, keep cool and listen to your body if you feel the heat getting to you. I know there's a lot to see out there, but don't feel bad about taking a rest in the middle of the day while touring to cool down and let your body recover. The museum or monument will still be there tomorrow, and with some good decision-making you will be as well.
- Energy conservation is a challenge this time of year. With the sun beating down and the temperatures still rising, it's tough to stay cool at home or in the office. Turning off unnecessary lights and electronics can help lower the temperature inside. Cold drinks or fans help you feel cooler even if the ambient temperature is warm, which allows for a few more degrees on the thermostat. If you're going out of town, please remember to adjust your air conditioning. If you live on the economy you know this already, because you're the one paying, but if you're in government quarters please be good stewards of the taxpayers' money. I know you've all heard the rumbly about decreased budgets and leaner times ahead, so let's start making energy conservation a part of our everyday life. We may be able to use some of the money we save collectively through our conservation efforts on projects that will make NSA Naples a better place to live and work.
- For incoming military personnel, make sure you get all your medical appointments done this summer before the back-to-school physicals start up. Medical readiness is a part of our job and appointments that can be hard to schedule during peak times are available now, so take advantage of this opportunity. I'll also put in a plug for the clinic to remind you to please keep your appointments or cancel 24 hours in advance.

Be safe this summer,  
and don't miss the amazing opportunities to travel close to home!

# Base Notes

From Panorama staff reports

## Missoula Children's Theater performance July 15

Missoula Children's Theater, together with Naples Child & Youth Programs, proudly presents a live production of "King Arthur's Quest" at Naples High School cafeteria today, July 15 at 6 p.m. The event is free and open to the public. For more information, call the Youth Center at 081-811-4722.

## Sesame Street Live July 22

USO Naples and MWR are proud to present the Sesame Street Show live at the Youth Center gym July 22. To please as many kids as possible, there will be two shows: 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Doors will open one hour before each event. Admission will be free and on a first come, first served basis. Don't miss this opportunity to bring your little ones to see and enjoy their favorite Sesame Street characters live! For more information, call 081-568-4880.

## Captain's Cup volleyball and golf tournaments July 22-24

Register before July 21 for the Captain's Cup volleyball and golf tournaments to be held the weekend of July 22-24 at Carney Park. Register at the Support Site Fitness Forum or call 081-811-6611/6604.

## Pet policy reminder

As a reminder to all residents of the Support Site, as well as those residents in town who bring pets to the Support Site, please review and comply with the pet policy posted on the NSA Naples website: [www.cnic.navy.mil/naples](http://www.cnic.navy.mil/naples).

## Capo Inn 15-minute parking space reduction through July 20

The two 15-minute parking spaces in front of NGIS (Capo Inn) are not available for temporary parking through July 20. The buses will be using

this area for pickup and drop-off due to the ongoing painting project. We regret the inconvenience. Remember to continue to use the additional temporary parking lot near the Capo front gate.

## Web scheduler for PSD ID services

All PSD ID services customers are reminded to use the web scheduler to book appointments. Waits for walk-ins can be substantial, but booking online can dramatically reduce wait time and frustration. Log on to <http://appointments.cac.navy.mil/> and follow the steps listed.

## Garbage volume reduction

As a reminder, various areas in the Campania region are experiencing ongoing difficulties with garbage collection and disposal. If you live off base, please do not bring your trash on base for disposal, and speak with your landlord about ways to maximize participation in your comune's recycling program. If you live on base, please continue to make every effort to reduce the volume of trash thrown away and to recycle and reuse as much as possible.

## Helping children cope with deployment

The "With You All the Way!" deployment kit is designed to support families with children ages six years and older who have a family member deployed with the U.S. military. The kit is filled with resources that help and comfort military children and their families, including the DVD "With You All the Way! Dealing with Deployment," created by The Trevor Romain Company in collaboration with the USO. Call the USO for more information at 081-568-5713.

## FYI POSSIBLE STRIKES

**July 21** - Local public transportation personnel will strike for 24 hours from 9 p.m. July 21 to 9 p.m. July 22. TRENITALIA personnel will strike for 24 hours.

**July 27 & 28** - Unions announced a gas station strike across Italy including stations along the Autostrada.

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## NSA Naples Community Weekly Crime Report for July 4-10, 2011

**Unsecured Theft of Personal Property.** On July 4 at approximately 12:30 a.m., E-4/USAF reported to security at Carney Park of theft of wallet. Victim placed his wallet in a rented cabin and after returning approximately one hour later, noticed it was missing. Wallet later recovered but missing cash.

**Damage to Personal Property.** On July 4 at approximately 3:15 p.m., E-4/USN reported damage to POV from a softball while at Carney Park that occurred the previous afternoon. Damage to vehicle includes shattered windshield and a dent to the hood.

**House Break-In/Vehicle Break-In.** On July 5 at approximately 11:05 a.m., E-7/USN reported a vehicle break-in that had occurred that morning in Teverola, Italy. Victim parked his vehicle inside his garage and departed residence. Upon returning to his vehicle, he noticed the passenger side window broken but no items missing.

**Vehicle Break-In.** On July 6 at approximately 11:41 a.m., E-3/USN reported a vehicle break-in that had occurred on July 2 in Vicenza, Italy. Victim reported that the vehicle registration, vehicle title and vehicle insurance paperwork was stolen from the glove box of the vehicle.

**Vehicle Break-in/Theft of Personnel Property.** On July 6 at approximately 11:51 a.m., E-6/USN reported a vehicle break-in that had occurred on July 4 in Bari, Italy. Victim reported that her rear passenger window was broken and many items stolen.

**Stolen Vehicle.** On July 6 at approximately 6:20 p.m., E-4/USN reported a stolen vehicle in Naples, Italy. Victim reported he parked his vehicle at Hotel Renaissance and in the morning could not locate his vehicle.

**Vehicle Break-In.** On July 8 at approximately 8 a.m., E-4/USN reported a vehicle break-in that had occurred the previous evening in Naples, Italy. Victim reported that he parked his vehicle at an unknown coffee shop and returned approximately 10 minutes later to find his gym bag (clothes and a wallet) was missing.

**Vehicle Break-In.** On July 10 at approximately 5:15 a.m., E-5/USMC reported a vehicle break-in that had occurred in Lago Patria. Victim reported that the driver's side window was broken and his iPod was missing.

**Unlawful Entry.** On July 8 at approximately 7:06 p.m., CIV/DEP reported an unlawful entry on board NSA Naples Support Site. Complainant stated that she noticed

two individuals in an apartment whose occupants were on leave. The investigation found that while the dependent of the occupant gave the suspect permission to be in the residence, the adult occupants had not.

We would like to remind the Naples community to avoid being a soft target. Be vigilant when driving. Beware of other motorists around you, and make sure to leave enough space with other vehicles. When parking your vehicle, make sure that your vehicle is locked, and it is strongly recommended not to leave any valuable items in plain sight (e.g. GPS devices, NATO gas coupons, MP3 players, etc.). Do not leave any visible evidence that might induce a criminal to take a chance on breaking in to your vehicle, i.e. change in the center console, a mounting bracket for a GPS, etc. etc. When leaving the residence or when sleeping, make sure that all doors and shutters are secured and alarm is activated.

*Note: These crime statistics are not necessarily representative of the greater Naples area and reflect only what is reported to NSA Naples Security.*

**If you are a victim of a crime contact NSA Naples Emergency Dispatch at 081-568-4911.**

## Italian News Briefs

Compiled by Teresa Merola

### Archeological discoveries made near Rome

Police discovered a big Roman statue, believed to be of Emperor Caligula, at the site of an illegal dig near Lake Nemi, south of Rome, where the emperor had one of his imperial residences. The statue was broken into several large pieces to be sent abroad. The police's operation led to the arrest of two "tomb raiders" who dig up the countryside looking for archaeological treasures to sell on the black market. The marble statue shows a robed man sitting on an ornate chair, like the Greek god Zeus. He wears the traveling sandals of Roman legionnaires, called "caliga" from which Emperor Caligula's nickname was derived. The statue will be restored and housed in the Museum of Roman Ships in Nemi.

In another location, just 18 kilometers east of Rome, a sarcophagus at the site of the ancient Roman city of Gabii was discovered during a major archeological dig by over 70 American students and 20 graduates and archeologists from the University of Michigan. The Gabii Project began in 2007 with the objective of studying and excavating the ancient city of Gabii, a city-state that was both a neighbor and a rival to Rome in the first millennium B.C. This is probably the largest U.S.-led excavation in Italy.

### Armani to outfit Italian Olympic team

The Italian Olympic Committee for next year's London Olympics announced the famous fashion designer, Giorgio Armani, will dress the national team for the 2012 Summer Games. This is the first time one of the world's leading fashion designers has been chosen to dress Italy's Olympic team.

### 'As long as there is pizza, there is hope'

A school for pizza making is going to be opened as part of a project organized by the famous Neapolitan chain of pizzerias Fratelli La Bufala, together with the administration of the Nisida youth correctional

facility and the "Scugnizzi" (street children in Neapolitan) Association. The project, "As long as there is pizza, there is hope," will teach detained youths how to make pizzas so they have a better chance at reintegrating into society. The school will offer theoretical and practical lessons on the pizza and the secrets behind producing a high quality product. Students, including 15 boys between 17 and 19 years old inside the juvenile detention center of Nisida, can learn how to make pizza. A course on making pizzas started a long time ago at the facility, and one of the youths who took the course had the opportunity to work for the famous pizzeria chain. The project is planned to be extended to other youth rehabilitation centers across Italy.

### Italian scientists develop powerful anti-aging tomato

The Italian farmers association, Coldiretti, announced that scientists and farmers developed an anti-aging tomato called Sun Black. According to Coldiretti, the tomato is rich in lycopene, a red pigment that is one of the most powerful antioxidants in fighting aging and preventing cardiovascular diseases. The tomato will be commercially available within a few days.

### George Lucas calls former Umbrian monastery home

Many celebrities have chosen Italy as second home. George Lucas paid €6 million for a house in the hills of Passignano sul Trasimeno, in Umbria—the green heart of Italy. The former monastery with spectacular views of Lake Trasimeno and the Umbrian olive groves was completely renovated by architecture studios in Milan. The new house is 800 square meters and is spread over three floors. There are rooms for his closest friends—such as Steven Spielberg, Robert De Niro, Francis Ford Coppola and Ron Howard—with independent entrances and private bathrooms. The house includes a large library, a billiard room, a 20-seat high-tech cinema hall and an exclusive spa.

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### JULY FFSC EVENTS

Call FFSC at 081-811-6372 to reserve your spot for events and classes.

- 18 **SCHOOL TRANSITION CLASS** (8:30-9:30 a.m.) Find out more about the impact of transition on your child's education.
- 19, 26 **EASY ITALIAN** (9 a.m.-12 p.m.) An introduction to basic Italian language and conversation.
- 19, 26 **AL-ANON SUPPORT GROUP** (11 a.m.-12 p.m.)
- 20 **SHOPPING IN AN OPEN AIR MARKET** (8 a.m.-2:30 p.m.) Departs from JFC.) Discover all of the goods for sale in an open market. Wear comfortable shoes.
- 20 **SEXUAL ASSAULT PREVENTION & RESPONSE (S.A.P.R.)** (8 a.m.-4 p.m.) Command liaison training.
- 20 **PARENTS OF SPECIAL NEEDS CHILDREN SUPPORT GROUP** (5-6 p.m.) Parents of special needs kids can share information and provide mutual support.
- 21 **SMOOTH MOVE** (8 a.m.-12:30 p.m.) Don't let your upcoming transfer catch you off guard, start planning today. Registration is required prior to attending. All non-Navy personnel should arrive at 9:30 a.m.

### JULY

- 21 **MONTHLY BABY BASICS Class** (9 a.m.-12 p.m.) offered by the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society visiting nurses. The course is in the NMCRS office at Capo, Admin II, Room G-016. Topics include newborn care (i.e. bundling, diapering & bathing); feeding, crying & comforting; health & safety; etc. Contact NMCRS at 081-568-3913 for registration and info.
- 22 **CONNECT THE TOTS CLUB COFFEE TALK** at 9:30 a.m. at the Support Site Navy Lodge cafe. Prospective members welcome! Find out what Connect the Tots is all about. Bring a ball and/or toys to share, so children can play in the grassy area. For more information on the club and to see more upcoming activities, visit [www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/](http://www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/).
- 27 **TRIP TO A LOCAL WATERPARK WITH CONNECT THE TOTS CLUB** Pack your bathing suit for a fun day at Acquadream Water Park in Succivo. Prospective members welcome! RSVP at [www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/](http://www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/). Cost is €6 each for those taller than 3 feet, and swim caps are required.

### AUGUST

- 10-11 **APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS TRAINING** Explore your experiences with and your attitudes about suicide. Better understand the needs of a person at risk of suicide and learn how to use suicide first-aid to meet those needs. If you are interested in attending or if you have any questions, contact one of your trainers in the CREDO office at 081-568-5255.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**ATTENTION PHOTOGRAPHERS!** Are you interested in taking photos of Naples Elementary School students during 2011-2012? Contact Dr. Johnson at 081-811-4159 or [donita.johnson@eu.dodea.edu](mailto:donita.johnson@eu.dodea.edu).

**THE ALLIED SPOUSES CLUB (ASC) IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS.** For more information on ASC, e-mail [el\\_karniati@hotmail.com](mailto:el_karniati@hotmail.com) or visit <http://www.alliedspousesclub.50webs.com/>.

**THE PTSA (PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ASSOCIATION) BOARD** is seeking new officers for the 2011-12 school year. Positions open include president, vice president, treasurer, teacher representative, membership, publicity and secretary. Monthly meetings determine activity and funding requests, event sponsorships, event planning, fundraising and other important topics vital to our middle and high school! For more info. or to apply, e-mail [nhptsa@gmail.com](mailto:nhptsa@gmail.com).

**NAPLES HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC BOOSTERS** needs volunteers for board member positions. If you're looking for a way to make a positive impact in our community, then this is your opportunity. You don't need any special musical talent; just the desire to help! Contact Mike Maschmeier at [crashmasch@gmail.com](mailto:crashmasch@gmail.com).

**NAPLES AMERICAN RED CROSS (ARC) NEEDS VOLUNTEER INSTRUCTORS.** The Fundamentals of Instructor Training (F.I.T.) is a prerequisite course to the Instructor Training course. FMI or to sign up, contact the office at 081-568-4788.

**NAVY LEAGUE OF THE U.S./NAPLES COUNCIL** is seeking board members.

Those interested, contact Betty Reese at 081-526-8051 or [breesec@cybernet.it](mailto:breesec@cybernet.it).  
**NAVY-MARINE CORPS RELIEF SOCIETY OPERATION CLIP & SAVE (coupons):** 081-568-3913.

**NAPLES OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION NEEDS REFEREES.** Anyone interested should contact Nigel Alexander at 081-721-5413 or 346-680-3282 or by e-mail to [nalexander@afsouth.nato.int](mailto:nalexander@afsouth.nato.int).

### ONGOING/ON THE HORIZON

**PWOC SUMMER SESSIONS** continue on Tuesdays through August 2 at the SS Fellowship Hall. Free child care provided. No homework. Bring a snack or drink to share. For questions, contact Audrey de Rivera at 345-872-9947.

**GAETA/NAPLES AREA GIRL SCOUTS** Now accepting registrations for the 2011-12 school year. We are still in need of leaders and co-leaders. Training and support provided. For more information, contact [naplesgs@yahoo.com](mailto:naplesgs@yahoo.com).

**SURE START APPLICATIONS** for the 2011-12 school year can be picked up at the Naples Elementary School front office. Sure Start is a unique program committed to providing the highest quality of education for command-sponsored children of enlisted personnel (priority to E1-E4) who are 4-years-old by Sept. 1. FMI, call Karen Rodrigues at 081-811-4682 or the school at 081-811-4037.

**PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS WELCOME AT ALL CONNECT THE TOTS CLUB ACTIVITIES!** The CTT Club hosts events, crafts and outings designed for you and your child (infancy through preschool). For more information on the club, visit [www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/](http://www.meetup.com/Connect-the-Tots-Club/).

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Sailors from High Speed Vessel Swift (HSV 2) open boxes of school supplies for Gabonese children. The school supplies, which consisted of paper, pens, markers, rulers and more, will be used by children attending the Les Cocotiers Catholic school. Naples High School student Zack Rady, an Eagle Scout Candidate with Naples' Boy Scout Troop 007, organized the collection of school supplies for his Eagle Scout project. The supplies were donated through Project Handclasp.

## Swift visits Gabon in support of Africa Partnership Station 2011

From U.S. Naval Forces Europe and Africa  
U.S. 6th Fleet Public Affairs  
Photos by MC3 Ian Carver

High Speed Vessel Swift (HSV 2) made a stop in Port Gentil, Gabon, July 8, making it the first port visit in support of Africa Partnership Station (APS) 2011.

While in Gabon, Swift offloaded much needed school supplies that was collected by a Naples-area Eagle Scout Candidate and consigned to Project Handclasp for delivery to students in Gabon.

Crew members from Swift visited the Les Cocotiers Center, a Catholic school and career-training center, in Port Gentil, Gabon, to deliver nearly 1,000 pounds of school supplies collected by Boy Scout Troop 007's Zack Rady during a school supplies drive he organized outside the Naples NEX. Coordinating with the Navy in Rota, Spain and Naples, Rady donated rulers, markers, backpacks, paper and more to the Project Handclasp program.

One of the Les Cocotiers volun-

teers emphasized the importance of donations, such as the one Swift brought. "School supplies in this area are very expensive, and there are a lot of children that can't afford regular school supplies, so the donations really help," said Meghan Rubin of Fredericksburg, Va., a volunteer at the school through Vides Missionary Program.

Swift sailors also brought APS soccer balls to give away and played a match with the kids.

"I'm very, very happy to have the U.S. Navy here. I have no words for how I feel right now," said Sister Claire, director of Les Cocotiers.

"Through our work with APS, I feel it gives us a better sense of connection with this country and its people. It gives you a real eye opener as to the needs other countries have," said Seaman Jacob J. Lemke.

Additionally, Swift will host instructional courses dealing with boarding team operations and expeditionary combat first aid.

Seventeen Gabonese military students will participate in two weeks of classroom and practical training which takes the students through controlled simulations of mock boarding, close quarter battle, and tactical team movements.

"This training helps build their knowledge of how to work as a team in boarding operations," said Master-at-Arms 1st Class Paul N. Francois, lead instructor. "Most of the students are junior sailors and only a handful of the students have prior boarding experience, so students in the course are learning a lot of new concepts."

In addition to boarding operations, APS provides an expeditionary combat first aid class to teach students advanced first aid techniques. The curriculum focuses on the importance of tourniquets to control bleeding, improvised medicine and patient evacuation techniques.

"We are teaching both good tactics and good medicine, so the [Gabonese] can better accomplish their mission objectives and save lives," said Hospital Corpsman 2nd Class Joseph H. Davies.

APS is an international security cooperation initiative, facilitated by Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Europe-Africa, aimed at strengthening global maritime partnerships through training and collaborative activities in order to improve maritime safety and security in Africa.



Information Systems Technician 1st Class Damion Williams from High Speed Vessel Swift plays soccer with Gabonese children.

### PHYSICAL READINESS

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Mandatory administrative separation will continue for sailors who have failed three PFAs within the most recent four-year period. While the instruction allows for waivers for those with three PFA failures, individuals may still face separation and may be prevented from transferring, reenlisting or extending in-service.

The instruction also stresses that passing the physical fitness assessment is a requirement for continued Navy service and failure to meet these requirements can result in administrative separation processing.

The Physical Readiness Program Operating Guide is now in place, accompanied by an updated version of the Navy Nutrition Guide and Fitness Enhancement Program (FEP) guidance that will reside online at the Navy Physical Readiness Web page.

The new guide incorporates policy guidance from OPNAVINST 6110.1H and NAVADMINs 293/06, 277/08, 073/09, 247/09 and 131/10.

"A sailor can achieve long-term health and fitness by making regular physical activity and a solid nutrition plan a lifestyle priority. That commitment is consistent with Navy Core Values and helps ensure Sailors remain competitive," said Moore. "Every sailor competes to stay and fitness is one component of this process."

For a full explanation of the changes, read NAVADMIN 203/11 at <http://www.public.navy.mil/bupers-npc/reference/messages/Documents/NAVADMIN/NAV2011/NAV11203.txt>.



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**ONGOING/ON THE HORIZON continued**

**RELIGIOUS SERVICES AT U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL NAPLES** *Tuesday* Meditation & Prayer (7:15-7:45 a.m.) in the hospital chapel. Traditional hymn and praise and worship music will be provided during this time. *Wednesday* Roman Catholic Mass (11:30 a.m.-12 p.m.) in the hospital chapel. Call 081-811-6451 to confirm that Mass is being held. *Thursday* Men's Fellowship and Bible Study (6-7 a.m.) in the hospital galley.

**FILIPINO-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NAPLES, ITALY** meets every 1st Sunday of the month at the SS Fellowship Hall at 12 p.m. FMI, contact Christian Rodriguez at christian.rodriguez@eu.navy.mil, Catherine Katimbang at catherine.katimbang@eu.dodea.edu or visit their Facebook page: Fil-Am Naples.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN OF THE CHAPEL** meets monthly in the Support Site Fellowship Hall for prayer and fellowship. Child care provided. For information, contact Eileen Mayette at cwcnaples@gmail.com.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS IS LOOKING FOR INTERNS** to fill leadership positions. Opportunities include publicity, volunteer administration, youth volunteer administration, marketing/fundraising, and they will also work with people looking for experience in a specific field. Interns must be at least 18 years old. Apply at their office at Capo, Admin II, Room G028.1 or contact them at 081-568-4788 or lambertg@usa.redcross.org.

**CUB SCOUT PACK 007** Want to camp in Nettuno, hike in Cuma, go bowling or participate in swimming and archery? Then Cub Scouts is the place for you! Boys in first through fifth grade meet three times per month to learn skills that they apply on hiking, camping and service outings. FMI, contact naplescubmaster@gmail.com or visit www.cubscoutingnaples.org.

**THE FFSC CAPO OFFICE**, located on the first floor of Admin II, is open Thursdays and Fridays from 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m. A licensed clinician and an Information & Referral/Intercultural & Relations Specialist are available to service the needs of the Capo community. Please call for further details, questions or to schedule an appointment at 081-568-3761.

**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**, San Gennaro council 14853, meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday of each month at the Support Site Fleet and Family Support Center. E-mail Jaime Gonzalez at kofcnaples@gmail.com or visit http://sites.google.com/site/kofcnaples/home.

**NAPLES CHRISTIAN HOMESCHOOL ASSOCIATION** meets regularly to support families on their homeschooling journey. FMI, contact Susan Van Cleave at sdwvanleave@msn.com.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 007** holds troop meetings every Monday from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Support Site Community Center. FMI, contact Scoutmaster Dennis Smith at 081-811-5585 or dennis@sulfurcreek.com.

**HARRY S. TRUMAN LODGE** No. 649 meets every Friday at 7:30 p.m. FMI, contact Kevin Baker at 338-479-7023 or hst649sec@yahoo.com. Visit http://www.hst649.org.

**WOMEN, INFANTS, CHILDREN (WIC) OVERSEAS PROGRAM** is offered at NSA Naples. Women who are pregnant, breastfeeding, postpartum or have an infant or child under the age of five may qualify for the program. WIC Overseas is a nutrition education program that provides nutritious supplemental foods. For more information, contact the WIC Overseas Office at 081-811-4962.

**EDIS SCREENINGS NOW AVAILABLE** Room W09, Support Site Village Forum. For eligible children who have not reached their third birthday. If you are concerned about your child's development, contact EDIS at 081-811-4676.

**MONTHLY CHILD FIND SCREENINGS AT NES.** Ongoing identification of children with special needs as part of Naples Child Find, which identifies children between the ages of three and five who may have developmental delays and may need special education and related services. If you are concerned about your child's motor, cognitive, speech, language and/or social-emotional development, call 081-811-4037 for an appointment.

**NAPLES AMERICAN RED CROSS** holds orientation the first Wednesday of every month at their Capo office from 8:30-10 a.m. and the first Tuesday of every month at the hospital from 9:30-11 a.m. Call 081-568-4788 for info.

**THE WELFARE & RECREATION ASSOCIATION** is available to meet associates every Thursday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at their location on the first floor of Building 450 upstairs from Capo Landing. FMI, visit http://www.wraitalia.it/.

**ATTN MILITARY RETIREES AND SURVIVORS:** Connect to the retired community through membership in the U.S. Military Retiree Association of Southern Italy (USMRA-SI). For info. and an application, visit http://usmra-si.tripod.com or call 329-208-7315.

**SECURITY NOTE** All DoD military and civilian personnel hosting an event must complete a Special Event Force Protection Plan (SEFP) 45 days in advance, regardless of organization, if held off base and involving 50 or more personnel, distinguished visitors, or where military uniforms will be worn. For more information, contact Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection at 081-568-5525 or 081-568-5595, or visit their office in the Capodichino Security Precinct in Bldg. 403.

**RECEIVE DAILY REFLECTION** an inspirational thought-for-the-day e-mailed throughout the work week. To receive Daily Reflection, e-mail Chaplain Charles Luff at charles.luff@eu.navy.mil.

**NSA CHAPEL/USNH NAPLES MEDITATION GROUP**, 7 p.m., Mondays (first-timers arrive at 6:30 p.m.) Support Site side chapel (use side door under the clock tower). FMI, send an e-mail to Laura Hitchcock at laura.poodle@gmail.com.

**SPOT A STRAY OR LOST PET?** Contact Emergency Dispatch Center, 081-568-5638/39.

**CARNEY PARK LADIES GOLF ASSN** meets at 9 a.m. Mondays. All skill levels welcome. Discounted play with membership. FMI, Carol Borkowski, 081-804-3345, or Carney Park Golf Course at 081-526-4296.

**SAIL WITH THE NAPLES NATO YACHT CLUB (NNYC) AMERICAN TEAM.** We are looking for Americans interested in participating in dinghy races sailed at the NNYC facilities on the island of Nisida. Experience not required. FMI, contact Kate Royal at kathryn.royal@gmail.com.

**LATINOS UNIDOS WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS** Meetings are at 2 p.m. the first Sunday of every month at the Support Site park. For more info, contact Michael Cortez, Michael.cortez@eu.navy.mil, 334-6771-0327, or Gabriel Sermeno, Gabriel.sermeno@eu.navy.mil, 081-811-5554.

**Reel Times cinema**

**Friday, July 15**  
 4:30 p.m. Prom, PG  
 5:30 p.m. Zookeeper, PG  
*Premiere Showing*  
 8 p.m. Green Lantern, PG-13  
 9 p.m. Horrible Bosses, R  
*21 Plus Movie*  
*Premiere Showing*

**Saturday, July 16**  
 Noon Cars 2, G  
 2:45 p.m. Zookeeper, PG  
 4:30 p.m. Transformers: Dark of the Moon, PG-13  
 6 p.m. Hoodwinked Too: Hood vs. Evil, PG  
 8:30 p.m. Priest, PG-13  
*Premiere Showing*

**Sunday, July 17**  
 Noon Cars 2, G  
 2:45 p.m. Prom, PG  
 5 p.m. Priest, PG-13  
 6 p.m. Something Borrowed PG-13  
 8:30 p.m. Horrible Bosses, R

**Monday, July 18**  
 4:30 p.m. Zookeeper, PG  
 5:30 p.m. Jumping the Broom, PG-13  
 6:30 p.m. Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides, PG-13  
 8:30 p.m. Thor, PG-13

**Tuesday, July 19**  
 4:30 p.m. Prom, PG

5:30 p.m. Something Borrowed, PG-13  
 6:30 p.m. Transformers: Dark of the Moon, PG-13  
 8:30 p.m. Bridesmaids, R

**Wednesday, July 20**  
 Noon Hoodwinked Too: Hood vs. Evil, PG  
*Last Showing*  
 2:45 p.m. Thor, PG-13  
 5 p.m. Priest, PG-13  
 6 p.m. Green Lantern, PG-13  
*Last Showing*  
 8:30 p.m. Horrible Bosses, R

**Thursday, July 21**  
 Noon Cars 2, G  
 3:30 p.m. Jumping the Broom PG-13  
 5 p.m. Fast Five, PG-13  
*Last Showing*  
 6 p.m. Transformers: Dark of the Moon, PG-13  
 8:30 p.m. Bridesmaids, R

**Friday, July 22**  
 4:30 p.m. Kung Fu Panda 2, PG  
 5:30 p.m. Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 2 PG-13, *Premiere Showing*  
 8:30 p.m. Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 2 PG-13  
 9 p.m. Bridesmaids, R  
*21 Plus Movie*

**Movie descriptions**

*No Children Under 10  
 Admitted to R-Rated Movies*

**HARRY POTTER AND THE DEATHLY HALLOWS PART 2**, PG-13. Action/Adventure, Science Fiction/Fantasy, Adaptation and Sequel, 118 min. Cast: Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson, Rupert Grint, Ralph Fiennes, Helena Carter. In the epic finale, the battle between the good and evil forces of the wizarding world escalates into an all-out war. The stakes have never been higher, and no one is safe. But it is Harry Potter who may be called upon to make the ultimate sacrifice as he draws closer to the climactic showdown with Lord Voldemort. It all ends here.

**PRIEST**, PG-13 for intense sequences of violence and action, disturbing images and brief strong violence. Suspense/Horror, Thriller, Western and Adaptation, 87 min. Cast: Paul Bettany, Karl Urban, Cam Gigandet, Maggie Q, Lily Collins. A legendary warrior priest from the last Vampire War now lives in obscurity among the other downtrodden human inhabitants in walled-in dystopian cities ruled by the Church. When his niece is abducted by a murderous pack of vampires, Priest breaks his sacred vows to venture out on an obsessive quest to find her before they turn her into one of them. He is joined on his crusade by his niece's boyfriend, a trigger-fingered young wasteland sheriff and a former warrior priestess who possesses otherworldly fighting skills.

**ZOOKEEPER**, PG for some rude and suggestive humor, and language. Comedy, Kids/Family, 104 min. Cast: Kevin James, Rosario Dawson, Leslie Bibb, Donnie Wahlberg, Ken Jeong. The animals at the Franklin Park Zoo love their kindhearted caretaker, Griffin Keyes. Finding himself more comfortable with a lion than a lady, Griffin decides the only way to get a girl in his life is to leave the zoo and find a more glamorous job. The animals, in a panic, decide to break their time-honored code of silence and reveal their biggest secret: they can talk! To keep Griffin from leaving, they decide to teach him the rules of courtship—animal style.

**HORRIBLE BOSSES**, R for crude and sexual content, pervasive language and some drug material. Comedy, 93 min. Cast: Jennifer Aniston, Jason Bateman, Charlie Day, Jason Sudeikis, Colin Farrell. For Nick, Kurt and Dale, the only

thing that would make the daily grind more tolerable would be to grind their intolerable bosses into dust. Quitting is not an option, so with the benefit of a few-too-many drinks and some dubious advice from a hustling ex-con, the three friends devise a convoluted and seemingly foolproof plan to rid themselves of their respective employers...permanently. There's only one problem: even the best laid plans are only as foolproof as the brains behind them.

**PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: ON STRANGER TIDES**, PG-13. Action/Adventure, Comedy and Sequel, 137 min. Cast: Johnny Depp, Penelope Cruz, Ian McShane, Geoffrey Rush, Stephen Graham. When Captain Jack Sparrow crosses paths with the enigmatic Angelica, he's not sure if it's love—or if she's a ruthless con artist who's using him to find the fabled Fountain of Youth. When she forces him aboard Queen Anne's Revenge, the ship of the legendary pirate Blackbeard, Jack finds himself on an unexpected adventure in which he doesn't know whom to fear more: Blackbeard or Angelica, with whom he shares a mysterious past.

**TRANSFORMERS: DARK OF THE MOON**, PG-13 for intense, prolonged sequences of sci-fi action violence, mayhem and destruction, and for language and some sexuality. Action/Adventure, Science Fiction/Fantasy and Sequel, 154 min. Cast: Shia LaBeouf, John Turturro, Tyrese Gibson, Josh Duhamel, Frances McDormand. The interstellar war between the Autobots and Decepticons shifts into overdrive following the discovery of Sentinel Prime (voice of Leonard Nimoy) in this sequel from director Michael Bay. Only a precious handful of officials in the government and military realize that the 1969 moon mission was the result of an event that threatened profound repercussions for the entire human race. When Apollo 11 astronauts discover the wrecked remains of Sentinel Prime on the surface of our natural satellite, they bring him back to Earth. But Sentinel Prime wasn't the only alien object on the moon, and when a malevolent new enemy makes its presence known, only the Autobots can save humankind from certain destruction.

**If you have been sexually assaulted or need to speak with a S.A.P.R. victim advocate, call 335-640-6621 24/7 for information and support.**



http://www.uso.it  
 Capodichino 081-568-5713  
 Support Site 081-811-4903

**USO DAILY TOURS**

<b>July 15</b>	Neapolitan folklore show and dinner .....	€50
<b>July 16</b>	Mini cruise of Amalfi Coast.....	€60
<b>July 17</b>	Caserta Royal Palace and gardens.....	€20
<b>July 22</b>	Island of Capri with lunch .....	€75
<b>July 23</b>	Mini cruise of Amalfi Coast.....	€60
<b>July 24</b>	Naples Underground & pizza lunch .....	€34
<b>July 25</b>	Mid summer night wine tasting.....	€25

**WEEKEND TOURS**

<b>July 23-24</b>	Weekend under a Tuscan sun . . . .	€190
<b>Aug. 20-21</b>	Dolce vita Roman weekend . . . . .	€203
<b>Sept. 1-5</b>	Labor Day at the Cinque Terre . . .	€429
<b>Sept. 21-26</b>	Oktoberfest 2011. . . . .	€385
<b>Oct. 15-16</b>	Perugia Euro Chocolate Festival . .	€187
<b>Nov. 24-27</b>	Thanksgiving in Prague. . . . .	€509



### NSA Naples CO makes religious offering on behalf of NSA Naples

Naval Support Activity (NSA) Naples Commanding Officer Capt. Scott Gray presented Let Me Take You to Africa, a volunteer organization that provides assistance to African children and communities, a donation of €500 on behalf of the generous NSA Naples religious community. The money was from the NSA Religious Offering Fund.

Let Me Take You to Africa's current project is located on the Ivory Coast and is named the Oasis of St. Frances. It includes an orphanage, church, medical center and primary school. The plans were drafted in Saviano, near Nola, Italy, and the building work in Africa is well on the way to completion. The organization's president Doctor Enzo Mallamaci said the most important thing about this association is that there are no go-betweens and all donations go straight into the hands of the needy.

From left to right: Doctor Enzo Mallamaci, NSA Naples Chaplain Lt. Cmdr. Charles Luff, Father Costa and NSA Commanding Officer Capt. Scott Gray (Photo by MC1(NAO) John Parker)



Anna Austin and Luxon Molina, members of Le Piume Nere, continue to climb uphill during the Pistoia-Abetone Ultra Marathon. (Story and photo by Nat Pacchiarotti)

## Le Piume Nere centurions finish ultra marathon

By Nat Pacchiarotti

Eleven members of Le Piume Nere, a running and leisure club, made their way to Tuscany to compete in the 36th edition of the Pistoia-Abetone Ultra Marathon. These true ultra marathoners were eager to face this challenge head on.

With their running gear, food, drinks, sunscreen, bug spray and overnight bags loaded into the van, Le Piume Nere participants made their way to Pistoia, Tuscany. During the five-hour drive from Gricignano, they discussed their strategies and goals. Some wanted to "just finish" and others wanted to "improve their time and efforts" from the 100-K in Tuscany a month before.

Though the Pistoia-Abetone Ultra Marathon covered a distance of 50 kilometers, the race route, well-known for the gorgeous views, was extremely difficult and steep. Some team members shouted, "Finish it!" at every kilometer marker to get them through to the next one or sang motivational songs throughout the journey.

At the end of the race, Le Piume Nere welcomed four members into the "Centurions" category—meaning they walked or ran at least 50 kilometers in one race or event.

The event organizers recognized the entire club for coming in fifth for the club with the most participants. Gianni Interbartolo, the group's founder, was so proud to be recognized like this at one of the most prestigious races in Italy. "It is no longer a dream!" Interbartolo said.

The great reality is that "Le Piume Nere" is now represented in the exciting ultra marathon world, where the participants challenge themselves in adventures feared by average runners. It's the world of centurions. "I'm extremely proud I've been able to start such a team," said Interbartolo. "It will grow day-by-day because we represent the best of the running."

Other competitive and noncompetitive races are on the club's schedule. The club will be represented in the Netherlands for the International Nijmegen Four Day March, and other Centurions with travel later this month to Rimini for a 100-K.

Individuals and families interested in the club's activities can contact Gianni Interbartolo at g.interbartolo@ncnp.nato.int for more information.

## A message from the chaplain Hobbits, elves and ethics

By Lt. Jason B. Sluder, CHC USN

Over the past two weeks, I have been reading J.R.R. Tolkien's "The Fellowship of the Ring." No doubt, you have probably read the books which make up "The Lord of the Rings" trilogy, or you have seen the movies. The books, and probably more so, the movies have been wildly popular appealing to people scattered across varied segments of the world's population. Naturally, I began to contemplate the sweeping appeal of Tolkien's masterpiece. What had Tolkien captured in the human condition which appealed so broadly and endearingly to so many people? Why do people like "The Lord of the Rings"? Of course, as many answers to my questions as there are fans of the series may truly exist. Some may cry out, "I like wizards," or "I like orcs and goblins." Nevertheless, I believe there is at least one issue of broader and more sweeping appeal which connects with every human being on a deeper level: good versus evil.

Tolkien has created a world where good and evil clearly exist, and there are forces struggling on either side for dominance over their opponents. He left no gray areas in Middle Earth. The world

that he created in literature is a world of conflict between good and evil. The heroes of Tolkien's world do what is right, and they do it without desire for reward or recognition. Rather, they do what is good simply because it is the right thing to do. They struggle against the dark lord Sauron because they will not sit idly by while evil triumphs over Middle Earth. This part of Tolkien's stories forms the connection between Frodo, Aragorn, Gandalf and every human being.

We, as humans, have always had an understanding of right and wrong. No matter how primitive or how advanced the society, the conception that some actions are approved and some actions are disapproved has existed. Philosophers have long argued over ethics, moral judgments and ethical rubrics. Theologians have also been involved in the argument as the Scriptures are not silent on the issue. Romans 2:14-15 ESV reads, "For when Gentiles, who do not have the law, by nature do what the law requires, they are a law to themselves, even though they do not have the law. They show that the work of the law is written on their hearts, while their conscience also bears witness, and



Chaplain Sluder is Southern Baptist. (Photo by Tracie Sluder)

their conflicting thoughts accuse or even excuse them." These verses indicate that a remnant of God's law exists in every human being informing them of the difference between right and wrong.

The heroes of Middle Earth face the internal struggle of mastering vice and achieving virtue. Each of us is engaged in this same struggle. Regardless of how you name the concept, we all have a conscience. In some individuals, the voice of conscience is louder than in others. Nevertheless, we should all listen. We should all contemplate the rightness or wrongness of our actions. We could improve our community, our Navy and our world if we would do the right thing.

Join Aragorn, Legolas, and Elrond in doing good without selfish desire. Do what is right because it is the right thing to do.

## Navy revises career paths to emphasize service at sea

From Chief of Naval Personnel  
Public Affairs

The Navy released a message announcing revisions to the sea/shore flow for enlisted career paths July 12.

NAVADMIN 201/11 provides the Fleet with the updated sea shore flow for every rating. Thirty-six ratings will see an increase in sea time, and 18 will now be classified as sea intensive. Sailors in these ratings can expect to spend more than half their careers at sea.

"Our nation knows the importance and effectiveness of our forward-deployed Navy, whether delivering aid to those in need, or hunting terrorists. The skills and capabilities of our sailors are in great demand as an integral part of our national security and maritime strategy," explained Rear Adm. Cynthia Covell, director, Total Force Requirements Division (OPNAV N12). "As a result, the Navy has increased the number of sea duty billets and decreased the number of shore

duty billets since 2008."

To meet the new sea/shore requirements, Navy Personnel Command may adjust some sailors' projected rotation dates (PRD) based on the length of tour remaining. As a general rule, PRDs of March 2012 or earlier will not be adjusted, unless requested by the sailor or if their commanding officer submits a request based on unit readiness or deployment needs.

To maintain proper career progression, no sea tour lengths will involuntarily exceed 60 months for sailors with less than 20 years of service (YOS) and 48 months for sailors with more than 20 YOS. Sailors are advised to contact their community manager or detailer for information on the availability of incentives such as sea duty incentive pay for volunteering to serve additional time at sea.

**FFSC tip of the week:****Nurture your newborn's development***From Fleet and Family Support Center*

- Newborns use different cries to let you know they are hungry, tired or bored. When your newborn cries, observe them carefully to help you figure out what your baby's cries are telling you.
- Soothe your baby. When you respond to your baby's cries and meet their needs, you let them know they are loved.
- Talk and sing to your baby. This helps to support socialization skills, even at a young age. Babies connect sounds with their sources and love when you talk and sing to them.
- Offer your baby lots of different objects to look at, touch and even grip in his or her palms. This helps to develop a sense of curiosity and awareness of the world.
- Play tracking games by moving yourself and interesting objects back and forth. First he will use his eyes to follow. Eventually he will move his head from side to side. This helps strengthen neck muscles as well as exercise his visual abilities.

# Family Advocacy Program

*By Fleet and Family Support Center*

Domestic abuse is the most frequently reported type of family violence in the Navy and frequently co-exists with child abuse. Physical assaults occurring within the family merit the same concern and level of intervention as any physical assault between unrelated persons. Adult victims of domestic abuse, unlike child victims, may seek services at the Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC), the medical treatment facility or with a chaplain without triggering a report to the Family Advocacy Program (FAP), law enforcement or the sailor's command. Certain exceptions may apply.

All Department of Navy personnel must report any incident or suspected incident of child abuse occurring on a military installation or involving persons eligible for Family Advocacy Program services to the local Family Advocacy Representative (FAR).

To report domestic or child abuse during duty hours contact the FFSC at 081-811-6372 or 081-811-6533 and ask to speak to the on-call social worker. If the report is determined to meet the threshold of "reasonable suspicion" that abuse or neglect has occurred, a Family Advocacy Program case will be opened and contact will be made with the family and the command of the service member to assess further. No further information will be provided to the caller. Reports can be made anonymously with the exception of mandated reporters such as child care providers. Every attempt will be made to keep the name and information of the reporter confidential.

After normal business hours, contact security at 911 if on base or 081-568-4911 if off base for an immediate (security) response to an incident of abuse or neglect.

Family Advocacy Program staff are not first responders and do not go to the scene of an incident to investigate. Law enforcement, to include NCIS, will investigate incidents of domestic or child abuse. The FAP on-call worker will be contacted by security to inform of an incident and to consult regarding safety and immediate needs of those involved.

All victims of domestic and child abuse should be referred to medical for treatment and documentation of their injuries as soon as possible, even when the injuries seem minor.

The FAP social worker will arrange a meeting with the victim and the alleged offender and/or non-offending parent as soon as practical following the incident. Appointments with service members are generally arranged through the FAP command POC.

The FAP social worker provides an in-depth clinical assessment to determine safety and treatment needs. The FAP social worker will coordinate with law enforcement, medical, behavioral health, the command as well as other professionals who have direct information to assist the family.

All cases assessed by FAP staff are presented to the multidisciplinary Case Review Committee (CRC) to determine if the act and impact meet criteria to be entered into the Navy Central Registry. The CRC is an administrative process not a legal process. Information in the Navy Central Registry is used by Family Advocacy Program staff:

- when conducting clinical assessments to determine treatment needs;
- to screen Navy employees and volunteers who work with children to determine appropriateness for their position;
- at DoD to prepare reports to Congress on the incidence of domestic and child abuse in the military.

Individuals, couples and families are provided intervention, safety planning, treatment and referrals, as needed to prevent further abuse or neglect. All FAP staff are licensed clinical social workers.

Commanding officers should appoint a FAP command POC to coordinate safety, intervention and treatment needs for sailors within their command who are referred to the FAP for an incident of domestic or child abuse. Training for FAP command POCs can be arranged by calling the FAR at the Fleet and Family Support Center.

For more information contact the FAR, Kathleen Williams at 081-811-6537.

## Summer program at Naples Elementary keeps minds engaged



**U.S. Navy Investigator Travis Bachorski, assigned to Naval Support Activity Naples Criminal Investigations division, shows children how to dust for fingerprints. The demonstration was part of the Summer Enrichment Program for children in kindergarten through seventh grade.**

*Story and photos by MC2(SW/AW) Felicito Rustique  
Navy Public Affairs Support Element-East Detachment Europe*

Naval Support Activity (NSA) Naples Summer Enrichment Program, a type of summer school for children in kindergarten through seventh grades, began June 27 and ends July 22. Children enrolled in the program attend classes for half a day at Naples Elementary School, Monday through Friday.

Sharon McGourty, the teacher-in-charge for the program, said this year's theme is entitled "Mysteries and Media Magic." The "Mysteries" portion, aimed at kindergarteners through fifth graders, seeks to explore various subjects within science and nature such as fossils, the universe, the ocean and the ancient world. "Media Magic" gives older kids an introduction into mass communications in the United States and the history of some of the media involved, such as newspapers and mobile messaging.

McGourty said studies have shown that kids who attend some sort of schooling over the summer tend to do better in the fall. "Our program is a great opportunity for kids to maintain their readiness

skills over the summer," said McGourty. "This is something positive to do where they're using their brains, but not only at a computer screen."

In keeping with the program's theme, teachers recently welcomed sailors from NSA Naples Criminal Investigations division and NSA Naples Military Working Dog program.

"We wanted to have something like an on-site field trip for the kids, and they seemed to be very receptive," said McGourty. "We want to make our summer program as fun as possible, so it's nice to do something different and interactive instead of just having traditional learning."

During their visit, Investigators Travis Bachorski and William Owens entered classrooms and demonstrated fingerprinting techniques to various age groups. "It's kind of neat because I remember when I was a kid, cops would come to my school and show us what they were about," said Bachorski. "Now I'm doing the same thing, and I think it's great. And who knows, maybe one day, one of these kids will end up in law enforcement as well."

Owens also said he enjoyed spending his day with the elementary school kids. "Any time I can work close with the community and help them open up to us is worth it," said Owens. "If the community knows what we do, it makes my job easier, especially with kids. They can trust us."



**Master-at-Arms 2nd Class Thomas Bohannon, NSA Naples Military Working Dog (MWD) program, presents his dog, MWD Lluther, M154, to a group of children during a working dog demonstration at Naples Elementary School.**

# A daytrip to Lago d'Averno

Story and photos by Lt. Adam Allegro

You have probably driven past it dozens of times and never actually stopped to enjoy it. Lago d'Averno is a wonderful place to visit; beautiful vineyards and citrus groves surround it.

A volcanic crater lake, measuring roughly a mile in circumference, the lake was important to the ancient Romans, who considered it the entrance to Hades. This was thought because birds were said to drop dead while flying over the lake. Though it is unclear whether the lake was actually that deadly, it is possible that volcanic activity could have produced poisonous fumes. However, this didn't stop the Romans from building temples and villas, and establishing vineyards on its shores.

In 37 B.C., the Roman general Marcus Vipsanius Agrippa established a strategic naval



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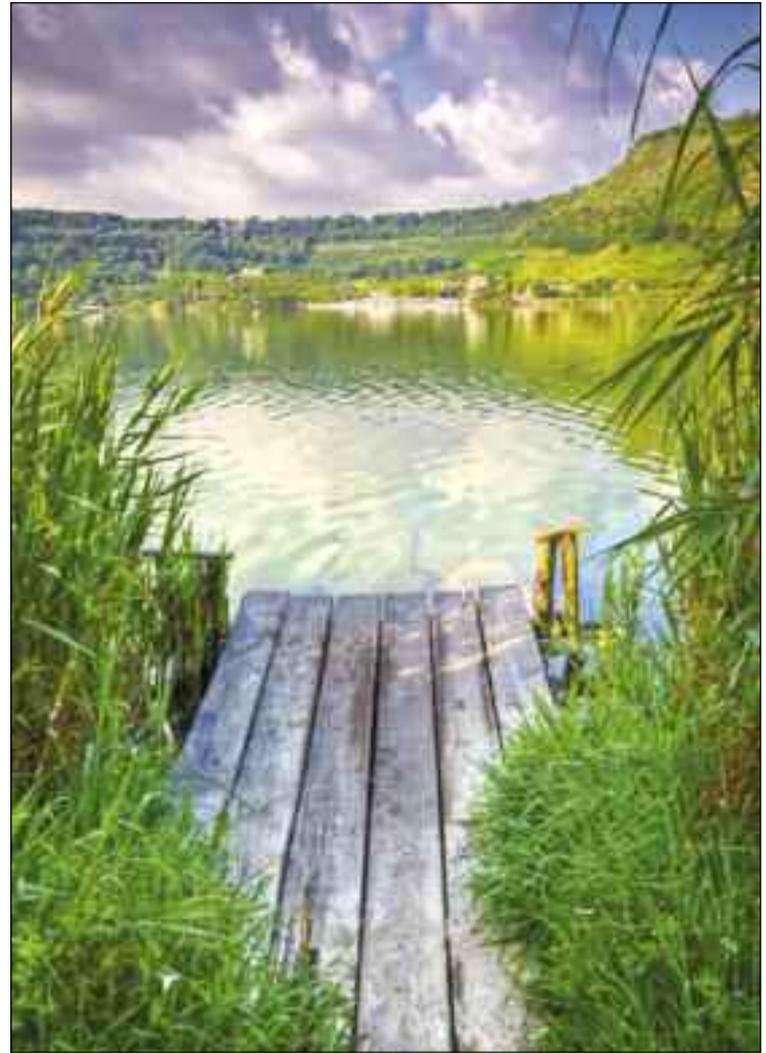
dockyard at the lake to safely house many Roman ships and protect them from weather and attack. A canal was constructed to connect the lake with the nearby (but much smaller) Lago Lucrino and from there to the sea.

Today, some ruins from Roman times remain, but it's hard to imagine Lago d'Averno was ever considered hellish. Runners and walkers use the trail around the lake as a peaceful escape from the confusion of Naples. This serene place also provides refuge for birds, fish and other wildlife. It's the perfect site for a

picnic or evening stroll. For a truly local experience, enjoy an Italian meal cooked at the small family-run vineyard.

By car, exit the Tangenziale at Pozzuoli and follow the signs to Bacoli, taking a right into the tunnel with many speed bumps ("the bumpy tunnel"). After going through the tunnel, continue straight until the roundabout. Take the second right, via Milliscola, and then the next right onto via Lucrino Averno. Follow the street to the lake.

*Lt. Adam Allegro maintains a daily photoblog at [catchthejiffy.com](http://catchthejiffy.com).*



It's hard to imagine that the calm and quiet Lago d'Averno of today was considered the entrance to the underworld by the Romans.

## Grape adventures

# Fables of sulfites past

Story and photo by Heather Fay, CSW

Winemaking has changed over the last thousand years, but many things persist: the use of quality grapes from well-suited vineyards, the use of barrel and amphora for ageing and transporting wine, and the use of sulfites to preserve the wine. Wait, that last one can't be correct, can it? Actually, yes.

Roman winemakers 1,000 years ago used sulfites, but they did so unintentionally. Producers, retailers and customers noticed wine stored in amphorae that had been dried with lamps or fires between uses spoiled less frequently, and sulfur is a natural byproduct of flame. Before people even understood what they were using, various forms of sulfur were used in preservation of many foodstuffs.

Many people think sulfites are responsible for wine headaches, and while there are people with legitimate sulfite allergies, these people are very rare. They would be far more affected by dried fruits and deli meats, which contain more sulfites than wine. In fact, a single serving of dried apricots contains twice the amount of sulfite found in an entire bottle of wine.

Sulfites are produced naturally during wine fermentation, which means that there are some sulfites present in all wine (in concentrations of roughly 15-30 parts per million (ppm)). In both the U.S. and the EU, wines which



Many people mistakenly associate headaches with the sulfites in wine. If you want to experience fewer headaches when drinking wine, remain mindful of the production methods and the truly potent chemical it contains, alcohol.

contain more than 10 ppm of sulfite must carry the 'contains sulfite' warning on the label.

I can't tell you how many times I've heard a version of the following, "Cantina XYZ has fantastic, sulfite-free wine that doesn't give me headaches, not even the white!" and while I have no interest in discouraging you from patronizing your favorite cantina, I would like to explore some of the other reasons why this wine might not give you headaches.

Large wineries often add many things to their wines, including citric acid, oak chips, concentrated grape juice and various chemical preservatives. Your local cantina likely doesn't use any of these additions (why use expensive additives on wine that is supposed to be drunk almost immediately?). Also, and by far more important, this wine likely has a significantly lower alcohol level than wines you were drinking back in the States. Many local wines are somewhere in the 10 to 12 percent alcohol by volume (abv) range, while many U.S. wines are 13.5 to 15 percent abv.

It is true that wine can cause headaches, but the lead suspect

(and subject of much investigation) is the tannin present in all red wines and white wines which have been aged in barrel. Tannins are not present in lighter white wines. Tannin is a natural preservative derived from the skin of the grape (or the 'skin' of the barrel), but it is also a histamine, which means it can trigger an allergic reaction, causing anything from stuffy noses to raging headaches. Personally, the more tannic the red wine, the more likely I am to have a light allergic reaction—more like stuffy nose than headache.

The moral of this fable is simple: If you want to experience fewer headaches when drinking wine, remain mindful of the production methods and the truly potent chemical it contains, alcohol.

*Heather Fay, CSW, is a member of the Society of Wine Educators, where she was granted the title of Certified Specialist of Wine (CSW) in 2003. A Navy spouse, her many moves have enabled her to gain experience in tasting rooms, wineries, retail, imports and brokerage, as well as the opportunity to visit many wine regions around the world.*

# Safety tip

## Stay safe off the job too



Many accidents and injuries do occur as a result of accidents off the job. Your safety around the clock, seven days a week, is important to the Navy, the command, your supervisor and co-workers.

You should always apply your on-the-job safety training even while at home, on the road and during recreational activities.

Here are some reminders for safety outside of work:

- Keep your home fire-safe. Inspect regularly for fire hazards such as electrical malfunctions and accumulations of combustible clutter.
- Install smoke detectors in all of the recommended locations in your home. Keep them serviced and maintained according to the manufacturer's directions.
- Keep the correct fire extinguishers in your home and vehicle and know how to use them. Make sure they are charged and maintained according to instructions.
- Hold regular family fire drills so each person knows how to get out alive. Have a designated spot where family members are to assemble outside in case of a fire or other emergency.
- Get rid of hazards which could cause falls in your home. Keep stairways and steps in good repair. Maintain adequate lighting along walkways and stairs. Never store things on the stairs, even temporarily. Install non-slip surfaces in bathtubs, showers and on bathroom floors.
- Use ladders safely. Make sure your ladder is in good repair. Don't stand on the top few rungs of a straight ladder or a stepladder. Keep your body

close to the ladder and do not lean away from it because you could cause it to tip. Never use a metal ladder for any electrical work, even changing a light bulb. Keep ladders away from all overhead power lines and electrical installations.

- Avoid other hazards of electric shock. Remember, moisture and electricity is a fatal mixture. Never handle electrical equipment, including kitchen appliances, with wet hands. Use a ground fault circuit interrupter with electrical equipment anywhere moisture might be present, such as outdoors, in the bathroom and kitchen. Take good care of electrical equipment to prevent damage to wiring and insulation.
- Wear your seat belt whenever you are traveling in a vehicle—even to the corner store.
- Never drive under the influence of alcohol or other drugs. Keep in mind that other factors, such as exhaustion or mood/state of mind, can also affect your ability to drive safely.
- Wear correct personal protective equipment (PPE) off the job, too. Using a lawnmower or chain saw calls for safety-toed footwear and ear protection. Using power or hand tools requires eye protection such as safety goggles.
- Make sure any dangerous household substances, such as cleaning products and pesticides, are correctly labeled, stored in their original containers and kept out of the reach of children and pets. Flammable liquids should be stored in a well-ventilated area away from any sources of ignition.

Remember to take your on the job safety awareness home with you. Have a pleasant weekend!



## Restructuring of enlisted advancement exams begins September 2011

By Tom Updike, Naval Education and Training Command Public Affairs

The Navy announced the restructuring of advancement exams to give greater focus on technical rating knowledge, July 8, in NAVADMIN 197/11.

The restructured examinations decrease the number of questions from 200 to 175 and increase the emphasis on rating-specific technical questions. The first advancement examination cycle implementing the new change is Cycle 216 in September 2012. Advancement candidates who will take the September enlisted examinations include active duty, full time support, active guard and reserve, and canvass recruiters.

"The primary reason for the exam structure change is to improve exam validity. We define exam validity as the adequacy with which the test questions successfully represent the content to be measured," said Capt. Katharine Reed, commanding officer of the Naval Education and Training Professional Development and Technology Center (NETPDTC).

More job-specific technical questions improve exam validity and the Navy's ability to rank-order sailors by rating.

"If you know the technical aspects of your rating better than your shipmates, you'll like the change in exam structure," said Reed.

The restructured exams will consist of 25 Professional Military Knowledge (PMK) and 150 job-specific technical questions for each pay grade. The biggest change will be seen by E-6 advancement candidates taking the Chief Petty Officer (CPO) exam. Currently, the 200-question CPO

exam contains 100 job-specific and 100 PMK questions. E-4 exams will have the same number of job-specific questions, and 25 rather than 50 PMK questions.

The exam changes will have no impact on the current Final Multiple Score (FMS). The FMS is a "Whole Person Concept" approach which considers exam score along with other factors to ensure the right sailors are advanced. Other factors considered for E4/5/6 are performance mark average (how well one performs in their job and as a sailor), service in pay grade (experience in the job), awards (accomplishments in the job and as sailor), education points (self-improvement through education (accredited college degrees)), and pass/not advanced points (credit for doing well on previous exam cycles, but not enough quotas available). For those who are CPO board eligible, the FMS is computed using performance mark average and rating exam score only.

Enlisted exams are produced at NETPDTC's Navy Advancement Center (NAC) in Pensacola, Fla. Fleet Subject Matter Experts (FSME) for each enlisted rating gather at exam development conferences to review the job scope and associated tasks at each pay grade. The FSMEs also review their rating exam bank to ensure questions are up-to-date, accurate and meet the statistical requirements to accurately rank-order the most qualified advancement candidates. New exam questions are researched, developed and added at each exam development conference.

Study material will remain available to all sailors preparing for upcoming exams. Exam

bibliographies will reflect the new exam construction, and will be available for exam preparation six months prior to administration dates on the Navy Advancement Center's Web portal on NKO at <https://www.nko.navy.mil/portal/careermanagement/navyadvancementcenter/home/navyadvancementcenter?cacLogin=true>.

## Obtaining your Sojourner Permit

Italian law requires all foreign personnel working or living within Italy, other than an active-duty member under military orders, to obtain a Sojourner Permit within eight days of arrival in Italy. This is different from a visa, which is merely an approval for entry into the country.

All applicants over 14 years of age must apply in person, as each person's signature is required at the time of application.

NATIONALS OF ANY STATE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY COMING TO ITALY DO NOT REQUIRE ANY VISA OR SOJOURNER PERMIT.

As part of the Area Orientation process, the U.S. Region Legal Service Office (RLSO EURAFSWA) assists in the preparation and oversees the acquisition of the Sojourner Permit for all personnel attached to U.S. Navy commands in the Naples area. Army and Air Force personnel stationed at JFC must apply through the Carabinieri at the JFC Provost Marshall's Office, Building L.

Contact Connie Henderson, RLSO EURAFSWA liaison advisor, at 081-568-4639 for more information.

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### Capitals of northern Europe. Answer to last week's puzzle

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*If you are the victim of a crime, report the incident to Security Dispatch at 081-568-5638.*

# The vacation to Stromboli



If you're going to the top of the volcano, bring a timer because if you don't you'll be there until midnight—it's so addicting. (Photo courtesy of Monk family)

By Jack Monk, age 10, and Kazuki Parker age 9

We are ending our vacation with a boom at the amazing island of Stromboli. It is about five hours away from Naples Mergellina Port by ferry.

The island has many different activities like hiking the volcano, going to the beach and also boat rides to the other islands surrounding it. The volcano is approximately 3,038 feet high. To hike to the highest point you can go without a guide, it takes two hours. The mini eruptions are awesome to watch. There is good food. The beach has warm water in the summer.

The island has its water shipped in by boat, so you can't really waste water, but everything else is great. There are not many gas powered cars.



Jack (front) and Kazuki run to the top of Stromboli to see the eruptions. (Photo courtesy of Monk family)

There are many souvenir shops, like 25 percent of the buildings. If you go to the beach, there are some jellyfish ("medusa" in Italian) sometimes, so just keep an eye out for them.

You can get to Stromboli by ferry, and the closest airport is in Reggio Calabria, where you can take a hydrofoil to Stromboli from the closest port by the airport. Also, you can fly to Catania and Palermo and take a hydrofoil from there.

In our experience of Stromboli, the island was great and had many interests. We hiked the volcano and went to the beach. The food was also great, and the water was crystal clear.

Strombolicchio, located just off the coast of Stromboli, is another island that was made out of an old volcano.



This statue outside of a restaurant is holding real, edible pizza. (Photo by Jack Monk)



Strombolicchio is a small island off the coast of Stromboli. (Photo by Kazuki Parker)

## Camp Adventure

By Kelsey Wilcox, age 11

At Camp Adventure, we have a lot of fun. On Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays we are at the Support Site for the Navy in Naples, Italy. In the morning, we go to the Youth Center for camp. When we get there, all of the kids will play on the playground until camp starts. From there, kids are put into groups based on their age.

Wednesdays and Fridays we are at Carney Park. The oldest group of kids gets to go to the rec center while the rest are

under tents outside. We also swim every day at Carney for at least an hour and a half.

Field trip day is on Thursdays. We wear our Camp Adventure T-shirts and either go to the bowling alley or to see a movie. The bowling is fun, and the movies we see are new, so it's exciting when we get to go.

Lastly, at Camp Adventure we always have a blitz and a closing. Both of them involve singing camp songs, and blitz is used to pump us up in the morning while closing is used to calm everyone down.

## It's time to let 'Kids talk'

Kids, do your parents make you journal when you go on family trips? Do you have an opinion about living in Italy or growing up as a military child that you want to share? Are you trying to express an idea, but feel like no one is listening?

Try "Kids talk," a monthly column in "Panorama" where you can talk to other kids and adults (and see your name in print!). Share your perspective on cool places to visit, your own experiences overseas and current events.

Please send articles written by you and photos shot by you to "Panorama" at [naples.panorama@eu.navy.mil](mailto:naples.panorama@eu.navy.mil) or ask your parents or teachers to e-mail them to us.

And don't forget to include your name (we want to make sure the author/photographer receives credit for his or her hard work), age and a title.

# Jobs

## HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE (HRO)

**NEW LINK:** <http://cnic.navy.mil/Europe/About/Jobs/index.htm>. The Human Resources Office is located at Capo Admin I, first floor. Customer service hours are **Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.** Applications are accepted at the Security Pass and ID Office at Capodichino and Gricignano, or at HRO, located in Admin 1, Capodichino, or by mailing to HRO, PSC 817 Box 29, FPO, AE 09622, or at the Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC) located on the TLA first floor at Support Site. HRO must receive mailed applications by the closing date of the vacancy announcement.

## U.S. POSITIONS

For a current list of U.S. vacancies and application process information, visit <http://cnic.navy.mil/Europe/About/Jobs/index.htm>.

**CLOSING JULY 21**

**Inspector General**, GS-1801-13, ANN#EUR11-041500-AV, Full-time permanent  
**Realty Specialist**, GS-1170-12, ANN#EUR11-045475-AV, Full-time permanent  
**Support Assistant (O/A)**, GS-0303-06, ANN#EUR11-049232-SC-RI, Full-time permanent

## OPEN CONTINUOUS ANNOUNCEMENT

**Educational Aid (CDC/CYP)**, GS-1702-02 KPP 03 KPP 04, ANN#EUR11-920861-AG, (multiple positions), Full-time permanent. Next cut-off date is July 21.

## COURTESY US VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Naples Religious Ministries Department** hiring Religious Education contractors. The paid service contracts of Protestant Director of Religious Education (PDRE) and Catholic Coordinator of Religious Education (CCRE) will be available Oct. 1, 2011 through Sept. 30, 2012 with options to continue for one or two additional years. Detailed Statements of Work for both contracts are available at the Support Site and Capodichino Chaplains' offices. Résumés need to be turned in by Wednesday, July 20. For more information, contact the NSA Chaplains' offices at 081-811-4600 or 081-568-3539.  
**Marketing Plus is seeking** an independent contractor to call on the NEX. They are looking for a person to merchandise as well as demonstrate lines (SHARP LED and LCD panels, CONAIR, CUISINART, HASBRO and more) carried in the Exchange. Weekends are mandatory. Pay: \$14/hour, 15 hours/week. Contact Peter Grasser at [pgrasser@marketingplus.cc](mailto:pgrasser@marketingplus.cc).

## LOCAL NATIONALS (LN) POSITIONS

For a current list of LN vacancies and application process information, visit <http://cnic.navy.mil/Europe/About/Jobs/index.htm>.

**CLOSING JULY 21**

**Supv. Financial Management Analyst**, Ua-0501-03 KPP Ua-02/01 or Ua-0501-02 KPP Ua-01 or Ua-0501-01 ANN#3049B-055159-SC  
**Financial Technician**, Ua-0503-06 ANN#LKUDJ0-084906-AG, Full-time permanent

If you have any questions/comments with regard to HRO Naples' services, contact the director's office at 081-568-5770. You can also contact the HRO Naples Help Desk: <http://cnic.navy.mil/Europe/About/Jobs/AboutWorkingHere/>

*index.htm. You will be contacted within 24 hours, so be sure to provide your contact information. Thank you and we appreciate your input, whether negative or positive, so that we can find ways to improve the HRO services, or continue to provide excellent service. As a reminder, an HRO Representative is available for the bi-weekly "Meet & Greet" at the NSA Support Site, Navy Exchange food court area 8 to 9 a.m. Please feel free to come by, pick up a copy of a vacancy announcement that you may be interested in applying for or ask questions. If the HRO representative is unable to provide you a response, he/she will bring the question back to the HRO office and you will be provided an answer or a call back the same day. The next "Meet & Greet" is July 18.*

## NON-APPROPRIATED FUND (NAF) POSITIONS

*Fleet & Family Readiness NAF Local Naples job announcements within CNREURAFSWA may be viewed at [https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Naples/Recreation/CNICD\\_A059280](https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Naples/Recreation/CNICD_A059280).*

*The necessary application forms are also available online. For any questions, call 081-568-5612/4164.*

## NSA NAPLES POSITIONS, MWR OPEN CONTINUOUS POSITIONS

**Child Program Assistant**, CY-1702-III, ANN#11-024, (multiple positions) flexible, Child Development Centers, School Age Care, Capodichino/Support Site. Job Summary: Performs routine, day-to-day care of infants and children ranging from 6 weeks to 5 years old.  
**Youth Program Assistant**, CY-1702-III, ANN#10-069, (multiple positions) flexible/regular, Youth Programs, Support Site and Carney Park. Job Summary: Assembles materials and equipment necessary to execute School Age Care for children ranging from 6 to 9 years old; School Age Care Pre-Teen for children ranging from 10 to 12 years old; Teen Center Program for children ranging from 13 to 18 years old. Receives and releases children to/from authorized parents and guardians.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-022, flexible, NOR Center, Carney Park. Job Summary: Provides and maintains recreation and athletic equipment issue.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-064, flexible part-time, Bowling Center, Support Site. Job Summary: Provides oversight of activities and necessary services to authorized patrons.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-065, flexible part-time, Liberty Division, Capodichino. Job Summary: Helps customers in the recreation center with recreational events.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-091, flexible, Auto/Wood Skills Center, Support Site. Job Summary: Provides information concerning facility operations and regulations. Ensures adherence to regulations and safety procedures.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-113, flexible, Community Services, Capodichino. Job Summary: Provides information concerning facility operations and regulations.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-119, flexible, Golf Course, Carney Park. Job Summary: Collects green fees (monthly and daily), locker fees and fees for electric cart rentals. Employee will act as starter when needed on weekdays and assist when needed as cashier.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#10-127, flexible, Fitness Forum, Support Site. Job Summary: Assists in the operations of the fitness program.

**Motion Picture Projectionist**, NA-3910-07, ANN#10-084, flexible part-time, Reel Times II Theater, Support Site. Job Summary: Operates permanently installed 35 mm motion picture projectors,

ensuring a standard quality of sound and picture projection.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#11-048, flexible part-time. Aquatics, Support Site/Carney Park (seasonal employment). Job Summary: Oversees activities and necessary services to authorized patrons, including general information on the use of equipment. Open until filled.

**Recreation Aid (Lifeguard)**, NF-0189-01, ANN#11-040, flexible part-time, Aquatics, Support Site/Carney Park (seasonal employment). Job Summary: Safeguards and supervises swimmers and bathers in pool areas and enforces swimming and bathing regulations. Continuously observes patrons, warns swimmers of unsafe conditions and actions, rescues those in trouble and administers emergency first aid if necessary. Open until filled.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#11-082, flexible, Reel Times II Theater, Support Site. Job Summary: This position transacts the sale of refreshments at the theater snack bar. Open until filled.

**Recreation Aid**, NF-0189-01, ANN#11-086, flexible, Fit Zone, Capodichino. Job Summary: Performs maintenance on various types of recreation and athletic equipment to ensure that all equipment is in good condition and safe for patron use. Open until filled.

**Food Service Worker**, NA-7408-04, ANN#11-091, Flexible, Bowling Center, Support Site. Job Summary: Performs a variety of tasks such as grilling or frying pancakes, hamburgers, hot dogs, bacon, eggs, sausage, by watching while the items are cooking, turning as required; regulating temperature and removing when done. Open until filled.

**Central Cashier**, NF-0530-02, ANN#11-107, regular full-time, Administrative division, Capodichino. Job Summary: Performs a full range of cash management duties to include receipt, disbursement, examination, deposit and safeguarding of cash and checks, and cash and cash equivalent items such as gift certificates, promotional vouchers and fuel coupons. First cut-off date is 07/22/11. Open until filled.

## CNREURAFSWA NRBO NAF U.S POSITION

**Accounting Technician**, NF-525-03, ANN # 11-094, flexible full-time, NRBO, Capodichino. Job Summary: Maintains and reconciles budget and accounting records by implementing principles of accounting and double entry bookkeeping. Open until filled.

## NEX EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**Gricignano, Building 2091-B**  
Call 081-813-5252/5253/5254  
**Monday through Friday**  
**8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

*NEX job opportunities are posted on the Web at <http://www.navy-nex.com>.*

*Submit completed applications to NEX Human Resources Office located above the main Exchange. If you have questions, please call the above numbers.*

## U.S. NAF POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**CURRENT U.S. FLEXIBLE POSITIONS MAY BE NON-COMPETITIVELY CHANGED TO REGULAR POSITIONS**

**GRICIGNANO MAIN STORE**  
**Ann#054-11** Supervisory Sales Clerk/SL Ladies/NF-02/RFT- Clo-

ses: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$10-12. Supervises associates engaged in selling, stocking, and merchandising a variety of retail and/or service items.

**Ann#023-11** Lead Cashier Checker/CC/NF-01/RFT- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-11. Responsible for leading a minimum of three associates engaged in the operation of cash registers to record sales in retail check out areas.

**Ann#006-11** Sales Clerk/A6A/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

**Ann#002-11** Sales Clerk/SL-Watches/Sunglasses/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

**Ann#034-11** Sales Clerk/SL-Children's/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

**Ann#051-11** Security Guard/52/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/15/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Performing assignments on a patrol basis or at a fixed post with responsibility for enforcing security measures.

## GRICIGNANO MINI MART

**Ann#011-11** Sales Clerk/MM/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

## DISTRIBUTION CENTER GRICIGNANO

**Ann#028-11** Warehouse Worker/72/NA-05/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11.

Pay Rate: \$12.75. Responsible for one or more functions (receiving, storing, issuing and shipping, etc.) within a warehouse area. May be assisted by several lower grade associates.

## CAPODICHINO NEX MART

**Ann#016-11** Customer Service Clerk/MM/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-11. Performs a variety of duties in connection with NEX internal and external customer services operations. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

**Ann#014-11** Sales Clerk/MM/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

## JFC-NATO MINI MART

**Ann#018-11** Sales Clerk/MM/NF-01/Flex- Closes: 07/22/11. Pay Rate: \$8-10. Sells general merchandise to customers exercising professional selling techniques. Works as part of a sales team to provide service which anticipates and exceeds customer expectations.

## LOCAL NATIONAL POSITION

No Vacancies