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"Working is a way of keeping one's
self-respect."
— anonymous

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AYA Senior League excels in tournament

by John Gregg

The AYA Senior League Baseball All-Stars represented Berlin well this year by going farther than any Berlin Little League team had gone in quite a few years.

The team consisted of Richard Allen, David Aura, Billy Bourbo, Venny Gore, Mitch Hancock, Kent Jenkins, Marvin Kelker, Doug Kincaid, Steve Kincaid, Kevin Lewis, Walter Nettles, Robert Popour, Tim Sheppard and Ron Steward.

Managing this team was ISG Robert Bourbo of 287th MP Company, who had help coaching the team from SGM Lee Rowe of C.E. Division and SFC Rufus Magee also of 287th MP Company.

Double elimination

For the first round of the playoffs, Berlin traveled to Bremerhaven—site of the District Two tournament. Teams in this tournament were Bremerhaven, Bonn, Berlin and Wuerz-

burg. This also was a double elimination tourney.

On July 15 they met a strong Bremerhaven nine and after a little rough going in the early innings came from behind to win 8-5. The winning pitcher for Berlin was Doug Kincaid. Kelker, Bourbo and Nettles were hitting stars in this game.

The next day Berlin faced their toughest opponent of the tournament, Wuerzburg. The much smaller Berlin team made winning a habit by running up a 7-0 score until the top of the sixth when Wuerzburg scored one run, followed by another in the top of the seventh to make the score 7-2.

Day off

Pitcher Nettles got the win and was helped by the hitting of Steve Kincaid (3 for 4), Bourbo (3 for 4), Kelker (2 for 4), Sheppard (2 for 4), and Hancock (2 for 4).

By winning that game the Berlin

Team got Tuesday the 17th off. During this free time the Berlin team was taken on an enjoyable tour of Bremerhaven by their AYA.

On Wednesday, July 18, Berlin faced Wuerzburg, who had eliminated Bremerhaven the day before. Wuerzburg found numerous holes in the Berlin defense with six hits and six Berlin errors to defeat Berlin 8-2.

By winning, Wuerzburg forced the "if necessary game" to be played the next day. Overnight the Berlin team regrouped and were determined to give their utmost. This hustle paid off as Berlin won a trip to Wiesbaden and the Germany Playoffs by beating Wuerzburg in a dramatic 3-2 game.

Wuerzburg scored their only two runs in the bottom of the fifth. But Berlin answered with a run in the sixth, so the Berliners needed a run desperately going into the top of the seventh.



Senior League All-Stars

Left to right, first row: Billy Bourbo, Marvin Kelker, Robert Popour. Second row: coach SGM Lee Rowe, Kevin Lewis, manager ISG Robert Bourbo, Ron Steward, coach SFC Rufus Magee. Third row: Walter Nettles, Venny Gore, Richard Allen, David Aura, Kent Jenkins, Steve Kincaid, Mitch Hancock, Doug Kincaid, Tim Sheppard.

(Photo by William Satterwhite)

Kincaid got a base on balls and Sheppard followed with a single putting two men on as Nettles stepped up to bat. Nettles smashed a triple which put Berlin ahead by a slim margin 3-2.

Two put-outs by Sheppard at short stop and a caught fly ball by Jenkins retired Wuerzburg and gave Berlin the District Two Championship.

Four teams left

The Berlin All-Stars then traveled to Wiesbaden where the Germany Senior Little League Championships were held. There were only four teams left: Berlin, Hanau, Stuttgart and Wiesbaden. This was also a double elimination tournament.

In their first game played at nine o'clock the morning of the 21st, the Berlin All-Stars, still rubbing their eyes, lost to Hanau 8-3.

Eight Berlin errors led to this defeat. Kelker, Steve Kincaid, and Bourbo were all two for four but

their hitting wasn't enough. Faced with elimination the Berlin All-Stars came back the next day and played the much bigger Stuttgart All-Stars a valiant game before bowing 9-2.

Nine Berlin errors hurt the team in this game. Popour played a fine game at shortstop, and Kincaid laid down a beautiful squeeze-play bunt to score Popour. Then Allen stole home on a passed ball by the Stuttgart catcher.

Overall the Berlin All-Stars played outstanding baseball, considering that the other teams in the tournament had many more teams in their AYAs to choose from, plus the fact that we were a much smaller team than any team we faced.

Throughout the playoffs the team could only hold their heads high and be proud of the trophy from District Two and the consolation of being at least the fourth best team in Germany for 1973.

Junior League fares well, too

by John Gregg

The AYA Junior League Baseball All-Stars also made a fine showing by winning the second place trophy in the District Two tournament at Wiesbaden.

The team consisted of Andre Cameron, Arnold Coville, Michael Crew, Jeff Flounoy, Hubert Herring, Robby Hotchkiss, Kenny Kubilins, Kelly Plastridge, Willie Ross, William Sewell, Derek Tremain, Alan Ward, DeLeon Willis and Eric Ziel.

SSG Bill Matthews of Service Company managed this team and SGT Larry McCallum of 287th MP Company and Dick Miller of Pan Am were the coaches.

Entered in this tournament were Darmstadt, Rhein-Main, Wiesbaden, Berlin and Hanau.

In their first game Saturday the 21st at Wiesbaden, Berlin defeated Darmstadt 7-1 behind the two hit pitching of Cameron and an excellent defense. Cameron also hit a towering homer run, knocking in two runs this game.

On Sunday, Berlin found Wiesbaden a little too tough and lost 11-6. Eight errors didn't help Tremain and

Ziel's pitching efforts.

The next day the best performance of the tournament was turned in by the Berlin All-Stars. Herring pitched only 42 pitches and two hits as they won 2-0.

The offensive punch was supplied by Cameron with an inside-the-park home run driving in Robby Hotchkiss. The Berlin team played errorless ball paced by Flounoy on second base, Hotchkiss at shortstop and Tremain on third.

By winning Berlin earned the right to play Wiesbaden again for the Championship. Cameron started for Berlin pitching, but developed a sore arm. After two hit batters and a couple of hits, Cameron was relieved by Ziel.

The Berlin All-Stars played good ball with only two errors, but the big bats from Wiesbaden came through as they beat Berlin 8-1.

The players and coaches are to be commended on their fine performance in the 1973 playoffs.

Understanding

by John Spiezia

Project Partnership, originally established by USAREUR in 1968, aims at promoting understanding and contact between U.S. Forces and other member forces in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. A corollary objective of the program is to explain the presence of U.S. Army personnel in Europe, particularly in their NATO role.

In Berlin, the unique prototype of Project Partnership has been in existence for over 28 years. Although all Berlin forces, British, French and Americans, are technically not committed to NATO, the spirit of understanding and mutual discovery encouraged by Partnership goals is everpresent.

AIMING PARTICULARLY toward the lower grade levels, Partnership intends to motivate and inform the individual soldier about his Allied counterpart's organization, training and life style by encouraging, through grassroots participation, all activities which promote closer personal and professional relationship.

Such activities are exchange programs, joint field exercises, combined sporting events, one day exchange visits, weapons and equipment demonstrations and, of course, social gatherings!

Previous examples of Berlin Brigade activities oriented as such were the three-week joint field training exercise conducted by 4/6 and Company A of the Duke of Edinburgh's Royal Regiment (April 72); the "Rhondo IV" exercise conduct-

ed jointly by the 592d Signal Company's Direct Support Platoon and their British and French signal counterparts (April 73); the 287th Military Police Company and British Army pistol match (May 73); the Officers' Call sponsored by HHC, 4/6 at the Hall of Honor for their British Sister Unit (Kings Own Scottish Borderers) (June 73); the attendance of a platoon from A 3/6 at French Commando School (Apr. 73); and most recently the individual escorting of 50 British and 50 French soldiers by a similar number of American soldier to the 1973 German-American Volksfest.

EACH AMERICAN will host one British and one French soldier and provide free entrance to the Volksfest, along with gratis tickets for rides, food and drink. This last event, under the auspices of "Allied Friendship Day," is a prime example of the individual contact concept proposed by the Project Partnership plan.

The value of Project Partnership lies not only in the joint military cooperation induced by the fraternal bonds established, but also in the continued recognition provided by each of the three Allied Commands. USAREUR has devised several means to recognize and emphasize Partnership activities.

The first is the Sister Unit Scroll program, a means of tangibly recognizing sister unit relationships. Units can apply for scrolls if relationships conducted have consisted of at least four organized Project Partnership-type activities with their sister unit within the past year, including one within the pre-

ceding 90 days. For newer relationships, two organized activities within the first six month of existence are recommended. Scrolls are produced by USAREUR and should be applied for through Public Affairs Office, USCOB.

THE SECOND MEANS of recognition consists of a Project Partnership Awards program. Again sponsored by USAREUR, the program awards plaques or trophies in the following categories: single outstanding event (for a one-time event of particular effectiveness), unit programs (for progressive, on-going programs), newspaper support, published article or editorial support, and most notably, outstanding soldier support (for the outstanding soldier who best demonstrates Project Partnership ideals through either supervision or personal action).

Further information on the scrolls and awards program can be obtained from the Command Information Branch, Public Affairs Office.

In summary, Project Partnership is more apparent and perhaps more alive in West Berlin than in any other area of Europe. From the day-to-day working relationship of the Allied Staff Berlin to the grassroots training exercise held between tactical units, Project Partnership — Berlin style — is underway. Exposing your unit's Partnership activities is only a start in encouraging a better professional and social relationship among our Allies.

VOLKSFEST CROWDS — The 1973 German-American Volksfest has been drawing big crowds since its opening one week ago. On pages 4 and 5, pictures by photographers Don Jenkins and Dave Bauler capture some of the fun and excitement of this annual affair. Also on page 4 is a history of the Volksfest, and on page 5 is the Volksfest entertainment schedule.

SOFTBALL PLAYOFFS — The heavy daily rains we had last week played havoc with the schedule for the annual Berlin Brigade Softball Tournament. The playoffs ended yesterday, making it impossible

to have the final results in time for this issue. But senior co-editor Vince Drosdik has details of the big games through Wednesday on page 6.

COLA — Yes, readers, The Berlin Observer has the answers to your questions about the Cost of Living Allowance, which was recently authorized for soldiers in Berlin, Helmstedt and other areas in USAREUR. The Comptroller's Office has supplied us with a detailed chart, with which you should be able to determine how COLA will affect your paycheck. See page 3.

what's inside

Refund is possible on Added Value Tax

In accordance with an agreement of the Berlin Kommandatura, the Berlin Senat, subject to the fulfillment of certain conditions, will reimburse members of the Allied Forces for Added Value Tax paid on purchases made on the economy in Berlin and the Federal Republic of Germany.

Applications from members of the American military community will be submitted through the Office of the Adjutant General, Berlin Brigade, Attention: Personnel Actions Branch.

Applications must be accompanied by an invoice or other validating documents from the commercial firm involved. Documents must indicate the date, name of purchaser and seller, goods or services provided, total price and amount of Added Value Tax.

The refund applies to the following categories of U. S. personnel: Members of the United States military forces stationed in Berlin; civili-

ans who are in service with the United States authorities in Berlin who possess United States citizenship; members of the immediate families of above persons who possess United States citizenship.

The individual invoice must be for at least DM 500; and the purchase must have been for the personal use of the applicant's family.

Total reimbursement of tax may not exceed DM 1,000 in any calendar year, except in case of purchase of an automobile.

Applications for refunds must be submitted NOT LATER THAN 12 months from the date of the transaction. After review and approval by the Adjutant General, applications will be forwarded to the Berlin Senat for reimbursement direct to the applicant.

Application forms will be available at the Adjutant General Division, Personnel Actions Branch, HQ Berlin Brigade Room 1015, Building 1, Telephone: 6911/6536.

Andrews mess is best

by Dee Downey

The Consolidated Dining Facility was presented an award on the 25th of July by Brigadier General Robert D. Stevenson. The award was presented to SFC Beck for the best dining facility for the fourth quarter.

The consolidated dining facility competed against all of the other dining facilities in the Berlin Brigade. Each dining facility was inspected by the Berlin Brigade Food Service

Team, headed by Mr. O'Day. The Food Service Team held three inspections during the last quarter. Each inspection was unannounced prior to their arrival at each facility.

The Team inspected each dining facility for sanitation and the preparation of one complete meal to be served to the men. The inspections were judged on a point basis to determine the best dining facility in the brigade.

Contest under way

WASHINGTON (ANF) — The annual "Freedoms Foundation" writing contest is under way. This year's subject is "Human Goals — Values for Living." Active-duty servicemen, Guardsmen, Reservists and ROTC cadets are urged to compete for the Valley Forge Patriots Award. The winner will receive \$1000. Other awards of \$100 and \$50 will also be presented.

Entries may be in the form of either a letter, essay or poetry, and from 100 to 500 words in length. Entries must be received prior to Nov. 1.

The writer should include his name, rank, serial number, branch of service, complete unit address as well as his complete permanent home state address.

Entries should be sent to: Freedom's Foundation, Valley Forge, Pa. 19481.

LIBRARY CORNER

Alta Davis and I just came back from Heidelberg where 60 USAREUR librarians met for a professional work shop. It was most exciting, but it was all very much a case of being down here looking up. The new techniques, equipment and materials are absolutely stunning in their infinite variety of possibilities for use in the library — particularly the electronic devices.

Being down here looking up, I watched a Telex transmission to Ft. Campbell, Ky., and wished for just an electric typewriter. Being down here looking up, I watched a cassette recorded television program, instantly available for replays, and wished for any old cassette recorder and cassettes to go with it.

Being down here looking up, I watched the transmission of a facsimile reproduction, and wished for a simple microfilm reader that isn't a prize antique. Slowly but surely these items are coming to the FRG. Berlin, how about us?

Anyway, back in Berlin the Volksfest is in full swing. It's great fun and a wonderful place to spend an evening or two. This week — instead of reading — go to the Volksfest. — Miriam Steward

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spotlight

SFC James O'Connor, station manager at AFN-TV, has spent 19 years in the Army. Out of that 19 years, most of it has been spent in the radio and television field or film production.

O'Connor first got into the business "many years ago," as he puts it, as an engineer working with AFN Munich. Since that time he's worked his way around the world with the Army. He spent two years with AFN Munich and then went on to spend a year as a TV director for American Forces Korea Network.

From there he went to the other side of the globe to work four years in the Panama Canal Zone at the Southern Command Network, which is a radio, TV and newspaper operation serving U.S. Forces from Costa Rica to Tierra del Fuego.

O'Connor has also had some closed-

circuit television experience while working with WFM-TV Fort Monmouth, NJ, and at Fort Knox, KY. He also got a little know-how concerning film production while working with a motion picture film team in Monterey, Calif.

With all this experience, you can be sure that SFC O'Connor is a guy that knows his business. O'Connor came to Berlin in April of this year as part of AFN's television team to make the transition of AFN-TV control from Air Force to Army.

Even with the difficulties that are a way of life for television people, it seems that SFC O'Connor copes pretty well.

This Observer "Spotlight" is another in a series which recognizes individuals or groups whose activities may be of interest to our readers.



SFC James O'Connor

August heralds summer's end

August heralds the approach of the end of the summer in Berlin. Temperatures usually begin to lower gradually with the shorter days of the latter part of the month, although good weather normally prevails. The average rainfall is about the same as in July.

The average August temperature is 65° F. The average daily maximum during the month is 73° F while nightly lows dip to an average of 58° F. Record temperatures vary from a high of 98° F, recorded in 1949, to a low of 40° F in 1964.

Rain normally occurs on 14 days and thunderstorms occur on 4 or 5 of

those days. Usually, this precipitation falls as showers between the hours of 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Average rainfall for the month is 2.4 inches, but it should be noted there can be considerable variation from this average from year to year. For example, on August 14, 1949, Berlin had 5 inches of rain.

People in Brief

Awards

AG Awards announces the following awards have been presented for the month of July:

Legion of Merit
 LTC Gunther J. Rathnow, 287th MP Co.

Meritorious Service Medal
 LTC James A. Conley, HHC 4/6; MAJ James E. Mossburg, HHC 4/6; MAJ Wendell J. Duncan, 287th MP Co.

Army Commendation Medal
 Special Troops: MAJ Billy J. Campbell, Avn Det; CW2 Charles D. Hunt, Avn Det; SSG Booker T. Henry, 287th MP Co.; SP4 Michael L. Evans, 287th MP Co.; SP4 John F. Martinson, 287th MP Co.; SP4 John B. Ness, 287th MP Co.; SP4 Michael J. Parker, 287th MP Co.; SFC Nathaniel Boone, Svc Co; SSG Lawrence Hackett, Svc Co; MAJ William J. Trunkes, HHC; MAJ William J. Kerans, HHC; SFC James T. Hammett, HHC.

2/6 Infantry: SFC Charles E. Spiker, HHC; SSG Robert Miehme, Battery C/94th FA; SGT Edward F. Roop, HHC; SP4 Robert M. McDuffey, HHC; CPT Leon R. Griffin, USCOB.

3/6 Infantry: 1LT Peter F. Sun, Co F/40th Armor; PSG Arthur White, Co F/40th Armor; SGT William Balenger, C Co; SP4 Frederick P. Hacker, C Co.



Two engineers go for 6!

Two men from the 42nd Engineer Company, Special Troops, re-enlisted July 25 for six years. SP4 Ronald D. McDowell (left) re-enlisted to attend the 76Y30 (supply) school at Ft. Lee, Va. McDowell will depart Berlin on August 18. Sergeant Clyde Stevens (center) re-enlisted for the overseas re-enlistment option and will leave August 10 for command in the Panama Canal Zone. BG Robert D. Stevenson, commander of the Berlin Brigade, congratulates the two men after conducting the ceremony. (Photo by Richard Bailey)



Ceremonies honor AF general, British commander

Two honor ceremonies last week honored Air Force General George J. Eade, the deputy chief of USCOM, and MG the Earl Cathcart, who is leaving his post as the British Commander of Berlin. In the left photo, Eade stands during the ceremony held July 25 with MG William W. Cobb, the U.S. Com-

mander, Berlin. In photo at right, Cathcart and Cobb review the honor guard during the ceremony held last Friday. Escorting Cathcart is CPT Alex Woods, commander of Company C, 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry, who served as commander of the honor guard. (Left photo by Klaus Anger, right by Dick Kurtz)



New WAC uniform tested

PFC Ellen Finley (left) of Clarksville, Ohio, SP6 Irene Cole of Winnfield, La., and PVT Charlene Circle of Detroit, Mich., model three design concepts of light, machine-washable summer uniforms currently under consideration to replace the summer cords. The five-month test is aimed at developing an attractive summer uniform which is comfortable, durable and has easy wash-and-wear maintenance. (AFPS)

4/6 NCO does well at 7th Army school

by Norman G. Ham

Since only the best are selected to attend the Seventh Army Noncommissioned Officer's Academy, graduating as an honor graduate is quite an accomplishment.

Sergeant Edwin G. Garvin, Company C, 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry, recently made such an accomplishment in June, when he graduated third out of 111 students in class NCO-1-18 of the Seventh Army Academy at Bad Tölz with a final grade average of 94.1.

In addition to Basic Leadership, the four week course covered such subjects as map reading, infantry tactics, method of instruction and general subjects.

By distinguishing himself in that company, Garvin achieved one of the

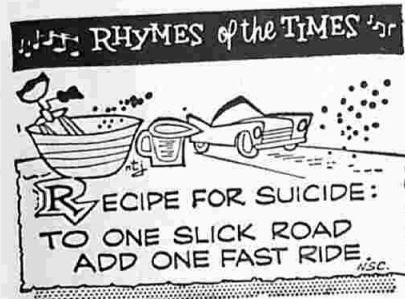
highest goals a noncommissioned officer may attain, and this is not the first time he has graduated with honors.

In November 1972, Garvin graduated first out of 32 students in class NBC 42-E-10, NBC Defense NCO Course, of the Combat Support Training Center, United States Army School, Europe. Compiling a final grade average of 97.05, his academic endeavors earned him the distinction of being "Distinguished Honor Graduate."

Born and raised in Hamilton, Ohio, Garvin entered the Army in 1969 and took basic training at Ft. Dix, N. J. After advanced infantry training at Ft. Lewis, Wash., he was stationed at Phu-Bai, Vietnam, as a rifle squad leader with the 101st Airborne Division.

Upon leaving Vietnam in October 1970, Garvin was assigned to Ft. Benning, Ga., as an instructor on the combatives committee, where he taught hand-to-hand combat to soldiers attending Officers Candidate School.

Garvin was later assigned to the Berlin Brigade as a squad leader in the Cougar Company of 4/6.



Variety marks KONTAKT's August offerings

by Ned Morse

For all of you who feel Berlin is a hole and would rather be stationed anywhere in the states (including Ft. Dix N.J., with the wonderful, fun-filled city of Wrightstown the main entertainment center), this column is not for you. For anyone interested in bowling, photography, swimming, scuba diving, seeing Berlin by bicycle, horseback riding, dancing, going to night spots, jazz festivals, dining, camping, folk singing, picnicing, or moonlight boat-rides while meeting Berliners and having a good time, then this column is for you.

All of the things mentioned are going on this month in KONTAKT. Bowling and photography meet Thursday at Tempelhof at 6:30 and 7 p. m. respectively. Swimming, followed by a new pizza joint or kneipe, is every Monday at 7 p. m. in the Andrews pool. A scuba diving club is being set up and will begin meeting, planning trips and playing underwater rugby (it's a European competition sport) come the end of August or the first of September.

The bicycle group pedals off every other Sunday for a day of seeing various parts of Berlin. The next tour leaves the main PX parking lot at 10 a. m.

COLA

As recently announced in the various news media, a Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) has been approved for Berlin and Helmstedt. COLA is designed to defray the average excess living cost in areas outside the Continental United States.

The rates are determined by comparison of the average cost of living of members for each geographical area as compared to the average cost in the U. S. Generally, any member of the Active Forces

Berlin, Helmstedt servicemen get Cost of Living Allowance

whose family resides in the approved geographical area and any single member authorized to ration separately will be authorized COLA.

This allowance is payable in addition to Station Housing Allowance to those otherwise authorized and is also payable to members occupying government quarters. The rates for Berlin and Helmstedt are shown in the charts at right.

Berlin						Helmstedt							
Grade	Members without dependents	Members with Dependents					Grade	Members without dependents	Members with Dependents				
		1 dependents	2 dependents	3 dependents	4 dependents	5 or more dependents			1 dependents	2 dependents	3 dependents	4 dependents	5 or more dependents
0-10	\$0.80						0-4	3.55	4.40	4.60	4.85	5.10	5.35
0-9		\$0.95	\$1.00	\$1.05	\$1.10	\$1.15	0-3	3.35	4.10	4.30	4.50	4.75	5.00
0-8		.95	1.00	1.05	1.10	1.15	0-2	3.05	3.65	3.85	4.05	4.30	4.55
0-7	.75	.90	.95	1.00	1.05	1.10	0-1	2.70	3.20	3.35	3.55	3.80	4.00
0-6	.75	.90	.95	1.00	1.05	1.10	W-4	3.45	4.25	4.45	4.70	4.95	5.20
0-5	.70	.90	.95	1.00	1.05	1.10	W-3	3.35	4.05	4.25	4.50	4.70	4.95
0-4	.65	.80	.85	.90	.95	1.00	W-2	3.10	3.75	3.95	4.15	4.40	4.65
0-3	.60	.75	.80	.85	.90	.95	W-1	2.95	3.50	3.70	3.95	4.15	4.40
0-2	.55	.65	.70	.75	.80	.85	E-9	3.40	4.10	4.35	4.55	4.80	5.05
0-1	.50	.60	.65	.70	.75	.80	E-8	3.20	3.90	4.10	4.30	4.55	4.80
W-4	.70	.80	.85	.90	.95	1.00	E-7	3.05	3.65	3.85	4.05	4.25	4.50
W-3	.65	.75	.80	.85	.90	.95	E-6	2.85	3.35	3.55	3.75	3.95	4.20
W-2	.60	.70	.75	.80	.85	.90	E-5	2.55	3.00	3.20	3.40	3.60	3.80
W-1	.60	.70	.75	.80	.85	.90	E-4	2.30	2.75	2.90	3.10	3.25	3.40
E-9	.70	.80	.85	.90	.95	1.00	E-3	2.20	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
E-8	.65	.75	.80	.85	.90	.95	E-2	2.15	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
E-7	.60	.70	.75	.80	.85	.90	E-1	2.05	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
E-6	.55	.65	.70	.75	.80	.85							
E-5	.50	.60	.65	.70	.75	.80							
E-4	.45	.55	.60	.65	.70	.75							
E-3	.45	.50	.55	.60	.65	.70							
E-2	.45	.50	.55	.60	.65	.70							
E-1	.40	.45	.50	.55	.60	.65							

KONTAKT aids adjustment

by Ed McCulloch

With inflation and devaluation a topic of prime concern for all of us these days, a good bargain is a welcomed relief. But, for the uninformed, knowing where to find the bargain often poses a seemingly insurmountable barrier.

Granted, the library and bookstore abound with travel guides offering an abundance of information. But their factually written descriptions don't go far in really helping the average single GI or young couple to "get over" in a foreign country.

Language, of course, is usually the biggest obstacle. Next, is the natural uncertainty that comes with finding yourself in a situation in which things are done differently from the way in which you are accustomed.

So what often happens is that, rather than venturing forth in an attempt to get to know the country and its people, the new arrival wraps himself in the security of the enlisted or service clubs' familiar setting.

Unfortunately, he misses a lot and may return to the States with little more knowledge of the country than when he arrived.

Need help

The help of someone who knows

his way around a city as big and diversified as Berlin would certainly aid a lot in trying to overcome some of these problems. And who is better qualified to fill this position than an actual Berliner?

Project KONTAKT is an organization that has as one of its main goals the lessening of the "culture shock" on the new arrival in a foreign country. While it obviously can't guarantee to provide all the answers to some of the difficulties everyone encounters, it goes a long way in making the adjustment a bit easier, and, at the same time, much more enjoyable.

Many people don't dare board the U-Bahn or buses for fear of meeting with the same fate of "the man who never returned." To jump that hurdle, KONTAKT formed its Stadtbummel, or "how to" instructional tours of the city.

To narrow the communication gap, a tutoring program was established that consists of Germans and Americans interested in improving their mastery of the other's language. A referral system was devised that matches partners according to their ability.

'Watergate' to be televised

A special AFN-TV program, "Watergate: This Week," will be televised here tomorrow at 5:20 p.m. The program focuses on the key witnesses appearing before the Watergate committee during the week of July 16-20, as the committee continued its efforts to sift fact from fiction from a parade of witnesses.

The program is climaxed by a hoax in which Chairman Ervin was duped into believing that on the telephone he was speaking with a high government official ready to reveal substantial matters about illegal do-

ings. He was later to learn he was the humiliated victim of a crank.

A revelation also was President Nixon's declaration that secret electronic surveillance would no longer be the modus operandi of White House procedures.

Still such words as subpoena and impeachment echoed in the hearing chamber, and the large question still loomed as to whether President Nixon would continue to shelter himself behind the cloak of "Executive Privilege." To date he has refused to make the secret tapes available to the Committee.

TOPS softball

by Reesie Harvey

The Chubby Chasers beat the Oddballs 23-18 in a softball game played July 28. The Chubby Chasers is made up of the local TOPS Club GE #8 Berlin. TOPS is Taking Off Pounds Sensibly.

Some of the girls on both teams had not played softball since grade school or junior high. There were quite a few pulled muscles, jammed fingers, bruises and aching muscles for both teams. We may have been short on talent but long on errors. However, a great time was had by everyone participating and watching.

Both teams will be holding practice sessions and games into September if possible. Any woman who is interested in playing an informal game of softball is welcome to join us. We are looking for new teams to play. Anyone interested can call 813-6839 or 813-6787.

The TOPS Club also has an interesting program lined up for the month of August. August 3 — program on nutrition; 10 — weight watchers' diet; 17 — baggy dress parade; 24 — revival; 31 — a dietician from the Hospital is tentatively scheduled to speak and answer questions on nutrition and health. Anyone 10 pounds or more overweight is allowed two visits to the club. The group meets every Friday morning at 33 Flanagan Strasse #1. The weigh-ins start at 9 a.m. with the meeting itself starting at 9:30 a.m.

Sunday, Aug. 12, and heads for Pfaeuinsel and other points in south-west Berlin. Information on the three KONTAKT saddle clubs can be obtained through the KONTAKT office.

On August 24 we're having a dance, with live band, in the Hi-Lite Service Club beginning at 8 p. m. On the 21st we're going to a popular student night spot, the Lierkasten. Next Friday, August 10, we're hitting another performance of Jazz in the Garden.

If camping is for you then KONTAKT's camping trip to the Lueneburg Heath on August 18 and 19 will interest you. Or how about dining? KONTAKT is hitting France, Holland and America this month in its continuing tour of international gastronomic delights. Folksinging and picnicing come off the weekend of the 25th and 26th respectively. Finally, a moonlight boat-ride is on tap for September 1.

It's all available. And it's not hard to get in on the action. Simply pick up a newsletter at the nearest service club, see your unit coordinator or call the KONTAKT office at 6809 for details.

So if Ft. Dix isn't for you, and if you do want to have some fun while meeting Berliners, then why not let KONTAKT take you places.

Volkfest activities continue

Attendance at this year's German-American Volkfest shows promise of surpassing the record set by last year's event.

Approximated attendance figures released by the Volkfest office for the first six days are as follows: Friday, 13,000; Saturday, 38,000; Sunday, 41,000; Monday, 12,000; Tuesday, 13,000; and Wednesday, 14,000. (These figures are the latest available at press time.)

Anyone who has worked at any of the various food concession stands knows how hungry those Volkfest visitors are! No figures are available, but hamburgers, milk shakes, ears of corn, soft drinks, beer and other food and drink items are being sold by the thousands.

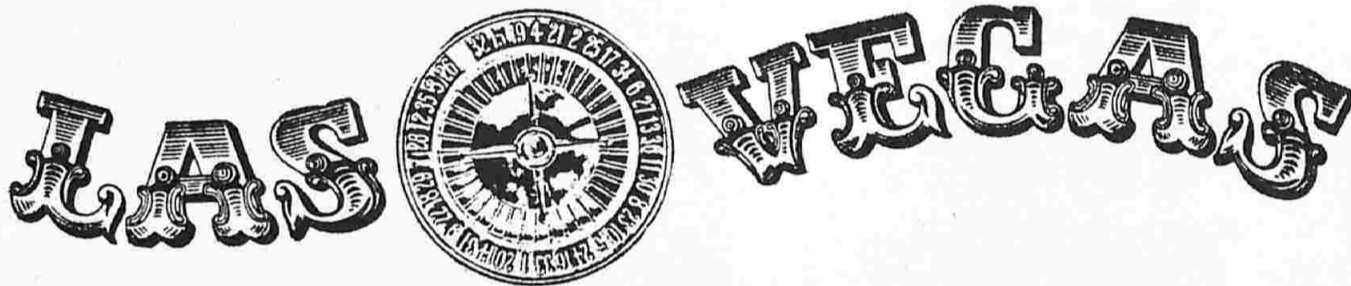
Between 350,000 and 400,000 people attended last year's Volkfest. They bought 83,000 half-pints of ice cream, 100,000 hamburgers, 60,000 ears of corn on-the-cob and 200,000 liters of American beer, plus lots of popcorn, German beer, Cokes and other goodies.

The entertainment schedule printed on the facing page will give our readers some idea of the wide variety of entertainment available at this year's Volkfest.

BRITISH SEND GREETINGS

The headquarters of the British forces in Berlin have sent best wishes for the success of the Volkfest. The message sent by the British allies reads as follows:

"The commandant and all members of the British community, Berlin, send greetings and all good wishes for the success of the 13th Annual German-American Volkfest 1973."



Patience appreciated

The Public Affairs Office, US Command Berlin, would like to express its appreciation to you, the members of the Berlin-American community, for the tolerance you have shown regarding the several unavoidable inconveniences created by this year's German-American Volkfest.

The traffic, noise and congestion problems resulting from the Volkfest are quite recognizable to us, as is the valuable German-American friendship which is fostered by this event. Your continued patience will be very much appreciated.



There's a German quiz show.

A BIG ATTRACTION for German visitors to the Volkfest is Fritz Koelliker's "Quiz Show." Here the show's host interviews two young contestants. (Photo by Don Jenkins)

Annual Volkfest symbolizes policy of U. S. Army, Berlin

The United States Army, Berlin, has been a primary expression of Army policy regarding Berlin since July 1945. During various crises such as the Berlin Airlift of 1948 and the construction of the infamous Wall which still divides the city, the Allies, including the British, French and American Forces, have shown a united front in the face of pressure from the east.

Forces of all three nations work in close cooperative harmony on a day-to-day basis. The Allies in turn have experienced unusually cordial relations with all levels of the West Berlin population.

Maintaining and improving these relations is a major objective of the United States Army, Berlin. This objective is pursued in a multitude of ways. The annual German-American

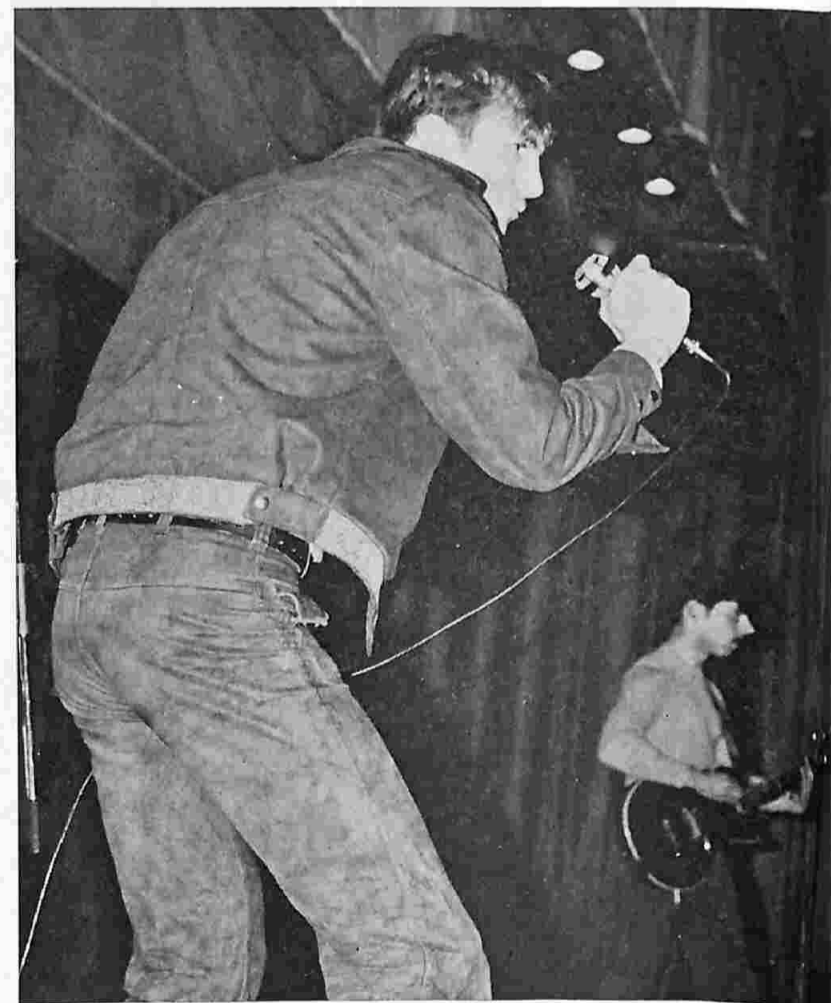
Volkfest is the most important single U. S. Army effort to reach a broad cross section of the West Berlin population.

The first Volkfest was held in 1961 as a modest fund-raising for AYA. It was to provide Germans and Americans in Berlin with entertainment during the months of July and August when residents of the city, not always able to enjoy holidays elsewhere, seemed in need of diversion.

The original Volkfest was a carnival with Ferris wheels, ghost rides, raffles and a refreshment tent with a Bavarian Band. It was not designed to carry out a public relations theme. It closed on August 13, 1961 — a day which added a new dimension to West Berlin-U. S. Army, Berlin relations.

It was 2 a.m. on that same day that units of the Soviet Zone "People's Police" took up positions along the Soviet Sector boundary dividing it from West Berlin and began to seal it off with barbed wire entanglements, a move which all but halted intersector traffic. Two days later, work was commenced on the building of The Wall. An estimated 4,000 East Germans attended the first Volkfest; the Wall would prevent them from visiting again.

After 1961, the Volkfest grew in importance to become the major community project of the U. S. Army, Berlin. It has been used to portray various aspects of American history in a way that is meaningful and entertaining to Berliners.



...and American music

AMONG MANY INDIVIDUAL and group talent presentations featured at the Volkfest is "Transom." Here lead singer Mike Smith and guitarist Michael Gubanez perform on the outdoor stage. (Photo by Don Jenkins)

Volksfest entertainment schedule

The following is an abbreviated schedule of the major events planned for the 13th Annual German-American Volksfest through August 10. This schedule is subject to frequent changes. Items marked with (*) will be presented on the outdoor stage; other events will be on the indoor stage. Not all entertainment features are listed; the "Rainbow Revue," V Corps Command Chorus and variety show, and the 82nd Army Band will give daily or almost daily performances. Also not listed are numerous individual talent presentations.

August 3 — 82nd Army Band * (2:30), V Corps Command Chorus (6:00), TASCOM Showcase (8:30), Rainbow Revue (10:30)

August 4 — 82nd Army Band * (4:30), TASCOM Showcase (10:00), Rainbow Revue (11:00)

August 5 — 82nd Army Band * (4:30), Berlin-A-Chords Barbershop Chorus (5:00), Rainbow Revue (8:00), TASCOM Showcase (9:30)

August 6 — 298th Army Band * (4:30), TASCOM Showcase (8:00), Rainbow Revue (10:00)

August 7 — British Army Band * (4:30), 7th Army Chorus (6:00), Rainbow Revue (6:30), 3/6 Drill Team * (7:00)

August 8 — 298th Army Band * (4:30), 7th Army Chorus (6:00), TASCOM Showcase (6:30), 7th Army Chorus (10:00)

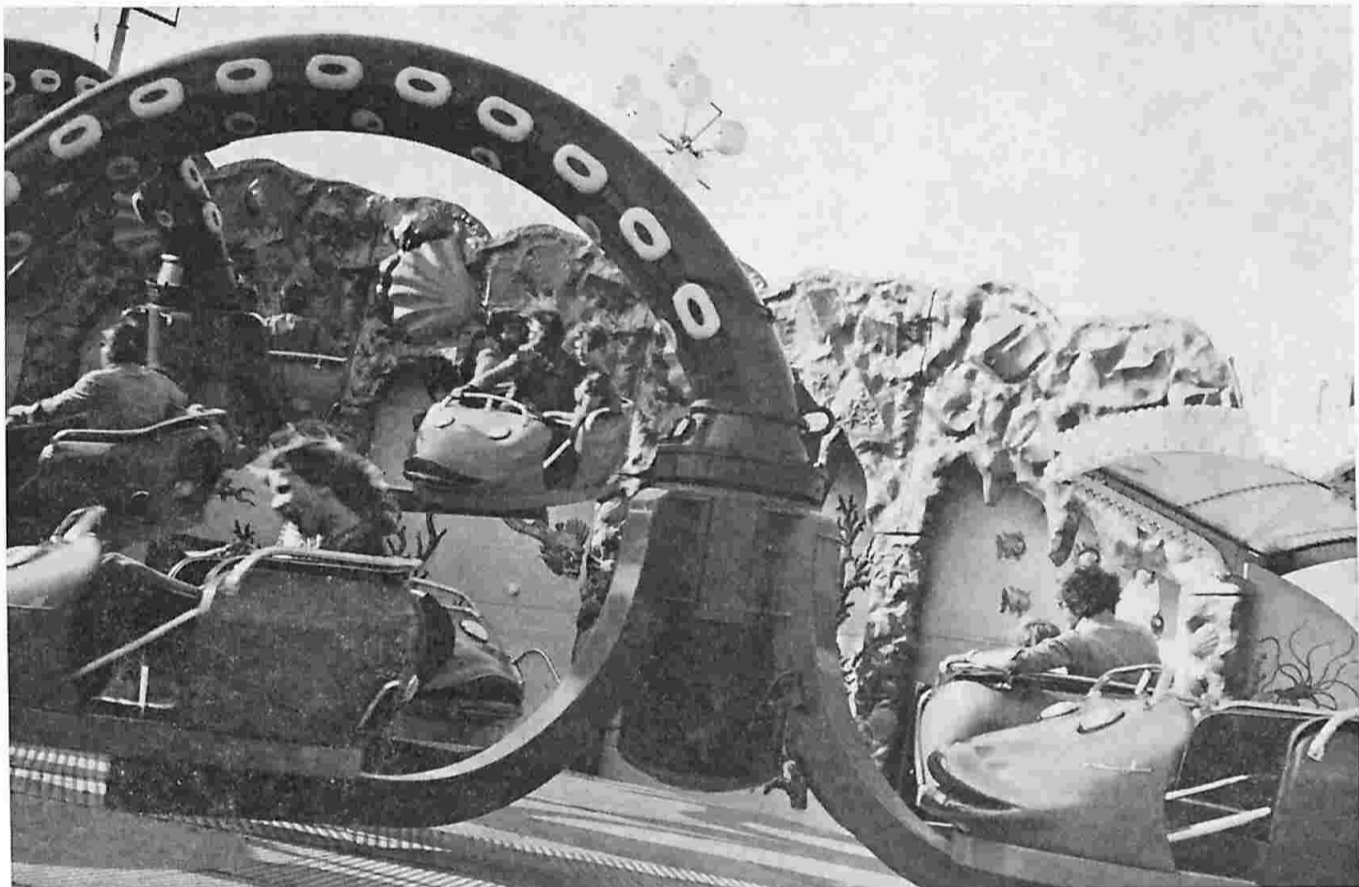
August 9 — 298th Army Band * (4:30), TASCOM Showcase (6:00), 7th Army Chorus (8:00)

August 10 — 298th Army Band * (4:30), 3/6 Drill Team * (7:00), 7th Army Chorus (8:00), TASCOM Showcase (10:00), Rainbow Revue (11:00)

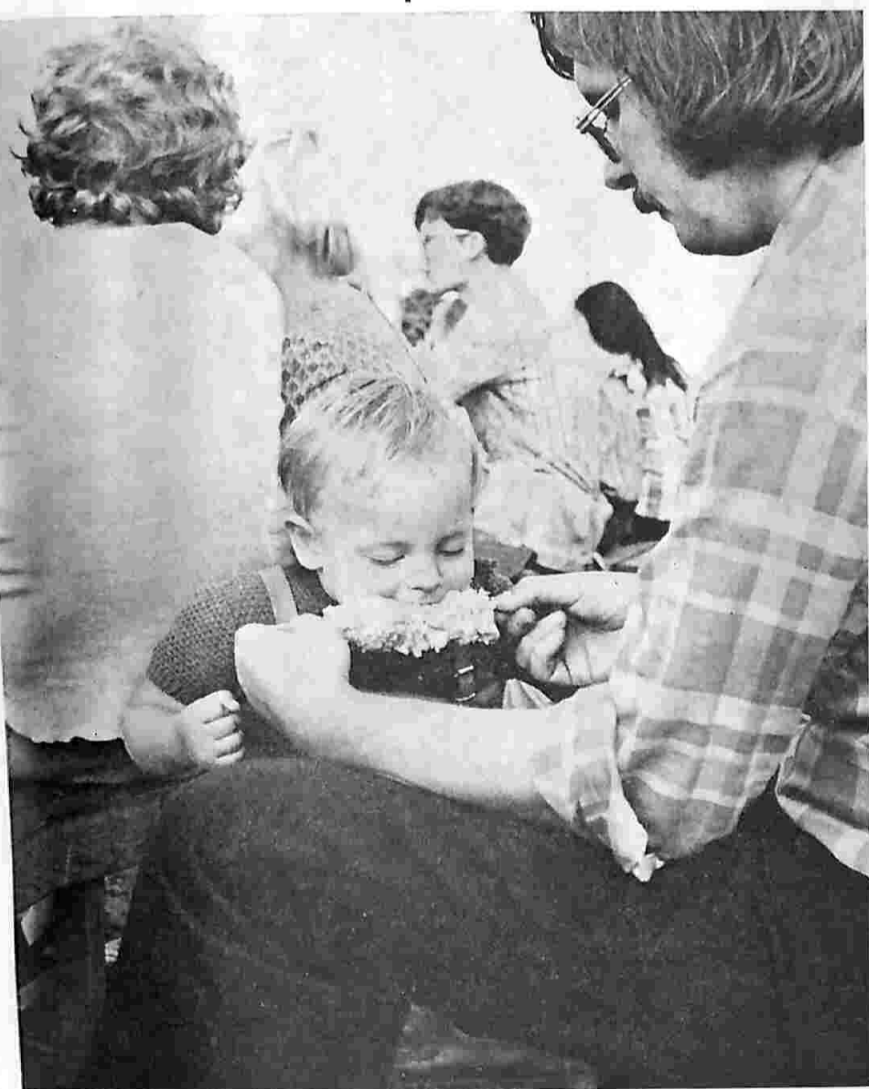


A swinging affair

The rides at the Volksfest are among the favorites for children attending the annual event. Here a young boy swings away for new thrills. (Photo by Don Jenkins)



Many Volksfest visitors find thrills on the rides available



Food is fun for little ones

Kids like to eat, messy or not. On the left, a two-year-old German boy works furiously and enthusiastically on his second ear of corn.

On the right, another young man gives a dissertation on the various foods he'd been sampling at the Volksfest. With kids like this attending the carnival, you'd better get on over soon if you want to tickle your taste buds. (Photos by David Bauler)





BARRELING BACK INTO SECOND base is Charlie Pearce, outfielder with HHC-3/6, after driving in two runs with a single against HHC-2/6 Monday. Tagging him out is second baseman Tim Rasmussen after receiving it from third baseman Dennis Grabner. HHC-3/6 beat HHC-2/6 5-3. (Photo by Joe Bolduc)



SLIDING INTO SECOND safe on a wild pitch is Charlie Smith, outfielder for Co. A, FSB, with Signal shortstop John Spiezia waiting for a throw. The rightfielder is Billy Klinner. Co. A won the Monday game 10-4. (Photo by Joe Bolduc)

Four Andrews teams in semi-final

by Vincent A. Drosdik, III

The 1973 Berlin Brigade Company Level Softball Championship Tournament came to a close yesterday with the 287th MP Co. and Headquarters and Service Co., Field Station Berlin competing in the final game(s). The results were not available at press time. See next week's Berlin Observer for full details, box-score, photos and statistics.

FRIDAY, JULY 27

Tom Rakes hit home runs his first two times at bat for Headquarters and Service Co., FSB in a 16-5 rout of HHC-2/6. In the first game played in four days because of rain, Jerry Alley pitched the win, yielding only four hits, though walking seven. Rakes batted in four runs on the homers, while teammate Jim Smith added a three-run homer and a sacrifice fly and Mike Maupin drove in a pair with a triple and sacrifice fly.

Signal Co. won a 7-0 forfeit when Charlie 2/6 failed to show for the game.

Royce Belzung drove in two runs on a single and triple and "Chris" Hernandez and Rob Meter combined for a two hitter as Co. A, FSB beat C-3/6 9-6. Charlie Co. scored four runs in the fifth inning off Hernandez on a hit, two walks, a passed ball, a wild pitch and an illegal pitch, with Meter entering the game with one out to get the save. Hernandez was the winner, while Joe Bradby was the loser after giving up four runs in the second inning with no outs.

SATURDAY, JULY 28

Bob Crawford, who didn't hit a home run in the regular season, blasted two over the left field fence

for five runs batted in to lead the MPs over Co. B, FSB 6-3. Rod Clarida drove in the other MP run with a single in the third inning. The only earned run off winner Jim Bradshaw came then losing pitcher Glenn Roell tripled and scored on John Duback's single.

Signal Co. jumped on "Top" Garman of HHC-3/6 for six runs in the first inning with two walks, a hit batter, three singles, a sacrifice, and three errors. Paul Maggio drove in three runs in the contest with a two-run single in the first and a sacrifice fly in the sixth inning. HHC scored its two runs in the first inning on a single by Charlie Pearce, a double by Mike Tuller and an error.

H&S, FSB won a 7-0 forfeit when Alpha 2/6 failed to show up for the game.

HHC-4/6 won a 7-0 forfeit when Bravo 4/6 failed to field nine players at 15 minutes past game time.

SUNDAY, JULY 29

"Big Ben" Hoyle pitched a four-hit, seven strikeout shutout of Alpha 4/6 in 42nd Engineer's 4-0 victory. Chuck Deyo and Hoyle batted in a run each while catcher Randy Hoff scored two runs. Bill Webb was the losing pitcher.

Neither Combat Support 2/6 nor Charlie 2/6 showed up for their scheduled game and therefore both forfeited, dropping out of the tournament.

Headquarters 4/6 upset Co. B, FSB when Jim Tremko won a 2-0 shutout. Co. B was unable to hit Tremko's slow pitching, HHC outfielders getting 12 putouts and Co. B managing only five hits, two by Mike Delabarre. HHC scored both runs in

the first inning when Mike Hill reached on an error, Tremko singled and Jorge Lopez tripled to clear the bases.

MONDAY, JULY 30

Headquarters 3/6 downed Headquarters 2/6 5-3 behind the pitching of "Top" Garman who struck out five batters. Mike Tuller batted in the winning run on a two-run single in the sixth inning, in which HHC-3/6 batters collected six straight singles off loser Ed LeClair. Dennie Grabner hit a solo homer for the losers.

In the first game between two undefeated two-win teams, Co. A, FSB beat Signal Co. 10-4. Responsible was an eight-run outburst in the sixth inning on five walks, two singles and four errors by Signal. Leading the offensive for Co. A were Hank Kinsey and Charlie Smith who each rapped two-run singles. "Chris" Hernandez was the winner with Rob Meter pitching the last inning for the save. Dick Westerman got the loss.

The MPs remained undefeated by outlasting Headquarters and Service Co., FSB 5-1. Errors allowed all but one MP run to score. For the MPs, Roger Paek hit a lead-off triple in the first inning and scored on a wild pitch. Bob Crawford scored three times after walking, hitting a single (that got by the center fielder for a three-base error) and getting hit by a pitch. Pete Scalise hit an inside the-park home run for H&S. Winner was Jim Bradshaw and the loser was Jerry Alley.

TUESDAY, JULY 31

Ten errors were the downfall of HHC-4/6 as Charlie 3/6 won 8-6. Allan Sandoval pitched the victory, his second of the series. Center fielder Don Barron led the Charlie offense with two runs batted in on a single and a sacrifice fly. Loser Jim Tremko had two hits in four at-bats to drive in a run, while teammate Roger Larker hit a single and double for an rbi.

Ben Hoyle pitched a three-hitter as 42nd Engineers won a 12-1 laugh-off over HHC-3/6 in five innings. The Engineers collected 12 hits off loser "Top" Garman with Chuck Deyo and John Gonzalez each collecting two singles and a double and two runs batted in.

Charlie 3/6 played its second game of the day and was eliminated from the tournament at the hands of Headquarters and Service Co., FSB 7-3. Winner Jerry Alley yielded six hits, two to Charlie shortstop Larry Morrison. Shortstop Terry Cowan collected three of H&S's nine hits to drive in three runs, two on a double. Jim Smith drove in two H&S runs with a first inning triple.

Signal Co. overturned favorite 42nd Engineers 4-2 behind the pitching of Dick Westerman and with excellent fielding, committing only one error that didn't figure into scoring. Ben Hoyle pitched well, giving up seven hits, walking none and striking out four. Two of Signal's runs were unearned, the result of errors. Westerman got two of the Signal hits and scored twice. Rick Davis, Paul

Maggio and Ted Shaw each drove in a run. Hoyle's earned run average in four games of the playoffs is 0.84, lowest of all hurlers in tournament except Jim Tremko.

WEDNESDAY, August 1

The MPs made it four straight without defeat by edging Co. A, FSB 2-1 in an exciting ballgame. Co. A scored its run in the top of the fourth inning when Dan Winkler walked, reached second on a sacrifice by Radley and scored on Charlie Smith's single.

The MPs tallied their first run in the bottom of the fourth when Martin Israel tripled and went home. Bob Crawford's single. Their winning run came the next inning when Charlie Spencer was hit by a pitch, got to third on an infield hit, crossed the plate on Crawford's sacrifice fly. Jim Bradshaw was the winner, "Chris" Hernandez the loser.

H&S, FSB stayed alive by eliminating Signal Co. 11-7. Winner Jerry Alley limited Signal to four hits, walked seven. Losing pitcher Dick Westerman and teammate Doug Torff each drove in two runs for Signal. Leading the H&S attack was Jim Smith with a three-run homer, Mike Maupin with a solo hit and Terry Cowan with three hits and two rbi.

H&S came back only a half inning later to eliminate Co. A, FSB. Iron man Jerry Alley limited Co. A to only three hits and two walks, getting his opponents to pop up, fly out 14 times. Tom Rakes and Charlie Pierson drove in runs for winners. Rob Meter was the loser.

Yarr leads Forces in goals

by Ray Stahl

Here are the first-half season statistics of the U. S. Forces soccer team.

Individual scoring statistics:
League games — Yarr 12, Wilson 9, Salmon 4, de Albuquerque 3, Stahl 3, Milhado 2, Cogbill 1, Elwood 1, Cheney 1, Veenstra 1, Wright 1, Newton 1.

Cup games — Cogbill 3, Cheney 2, de Albuquerque 2, Veenstra 2, Blaufuss 1, Kreuzscher 1, Salmon 1, Yarr 1.

Second half starts

The Forces open up the second half of league play tomorrow at 2 p.m. at McNair against VSC 64.

STANDINGS

	W	L	Ties	Goals	Points
1. GASAG	10	1	1	42:14	21:3
2. Rex Wunnicke	9	2	1	39:16	19:5
3. Borsig	8	2	2	32:13	18:6
4. U. S. Forces	8	3	1	39:13	17:7
5. Blau-Weiss	7	3	2	19:17	16:8
6. VSC 64	5	3	4	41:28	14:10
7. Karl Weiss	6	5	1	35:27	13:11
8. Drager FC	5	6	1	25:43	11:13
9. FC Turbon	2	6	4	29:44	8:16
10. BVG Zehlendorf	1	6	4	13:37	6:16
11. EWI 66	2	9	0	12:28	4:18
12. Deutsches Patentamt	0	8	4	16:35	4:20
13. H. W. Hamacher	1	10	1	15:42	3:21

AYA Football registration

AYA Football registration is being held this month. Physicals for the AYA Football Season for all 8-11 year-olds is today at 1 p.m. at the Hospital. Physicals for all 12-16 year-olds will be Monday at noon at the Hospital.

Prior to the physical, you must get a physical slip (which must be signed by parents) at the AYA House. This physical is mandatory for all boys wishing to play football. If you need a ride to the Hospital, at 12:30 p.m. today and at 11:30 a.m. Monday there will be a bus leaving from the AYA.

Tryouts for AYA Football will be held August 11 at 10 a.m. for 11-13 year-olds and at 1 p.m. for 13-16 year-olds. They will be held at the Steward Strasse baseball field.

GRA Fall Tennis Tournament

Entry for play in the annual Garmisch Recreation Area Fall Tennis Tournament, Sept. 7-9 may now be made. Deadline for entries is Sept. 5.

Open to all military personnel, their dependents and civilians authorized to use the AFRC facilities, competition will be held in men's singles and doubles, ladies singles and senior singles. Entry fees are \$5 for singles and \$3 for doubles and include court fees and balls.

Entry may be made by writing the GRA Tournament Section, APO 09053 or by calling Garmisch Military (2535) 824 or 679.

Contestants must make their own billeting arrangements and may do so by writing the GRA Billeting Office, Attn: Fall Tennis Meet, APO 09053 or by calling GM (2535) 757 or 557.



WANTED

If anyone knows the whereabouts of this man, please inform some member of the U. S. Forces Soccer Team as soon as possible. His capabilities are of particular need during the second half of the season. (Photo by John Kato)

Chess piece is Ryan O'Neil's calling card as jewel thief

by The Synopsizer

Ryan O'Neil is a sharp jewel thief who leaves a chess piece as a calling card at the scenes of his robberies in **THE THIEF WHO CAME TO DINNER**, rated PG. A stubborn insurance investigator turns his hunt of the criminal into a test of wits that is destined to make one of the two look very foolish. The object of their match is a six million dollar diamond. Also stars Jacqueline Bisset. Increased admission.

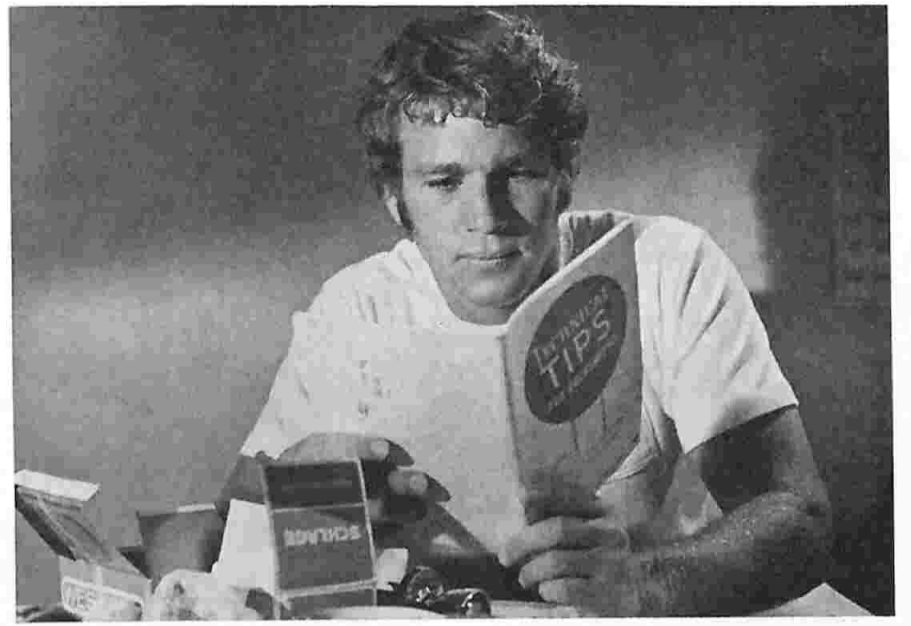
A Vietnam deserter who has decided to turn himself in is swayed in his resolve when he meets an intriguing young woman on his way out of Morocco in **TWO PEOPLE**. Peter Fonda must make the rough decision whether to stay in Europe as a fugitive or face trial in the U. S. Also stars Lindsay Wagner and rated R.

A young couple moves into a small town and become the victims of a sinister plot in **NECROMANCY**. Evil

Orson Welles needs a certain life force to resurrect his dead son and the new people in town are exactly suited to his twisted designs. Starring Pamela Franklin and rated PG. Also: "The Matador and the Troubador."

B. J. Hammer is picked up by a crime syndicate to make a play for the heavyweight boxing championship and then lose the title fight so the boys can collect on big odds in **HAMMER**. Trouble is, Hammer won't cooperate. There is extreme violence and profanity in the film. Starring Fred Williamson and Bernie Hamilton and rated R.

The second Peanuts-based cartoon movie has Snoopy and his trusty secretary Woodstock making a pilgrimage to visit Snoopy's former owner who is sick in **SNOOPY COME HOME**. It's a dangerous journey full of adventures that the whole family can enjoy. Also: a Terrytoon. Rated G.



BONING UP ON TECHNIQUES after locking his keys in his locker for the fifth time is Ryan O'Neil in a scene from *The Thief Who Came to Dinner*. (Photo courtesy Warner Bros., Inc.)

Sports Shorts

Chess tourney

The United States Chess Federation (USCF) is sponsoring a rated chess tournament primarily for military personnel but which is also open to anyone who becomes a member of USCF. The tournament is being held at the Skyriders Recreation Center at TCA August 11-12. Everyone interested should contact Mr. Bob Booth at 841415 or the Skyriders Recreation Center at 5167. Nonmembers of USCF may join at the tournament.

Bird blaster

WASHINGTON (ANF) — Not all Texans carry six-guns. Army SP4 David N. Smith, Irving, Texas, is more at ease with a shotgun.

Smith is a member of the Army Marksmanship Team which won the Armed Forces International Skeet Championship at Colorado Springs, Colo. in June and the International Interservice Shooting Championships the previous month.

In daily practice of 100 birds, he averages 98 with a few perfect days to his credit. During the recent Peach State International Open Skeet Tournament, he blasted an incredible 297 of a possible 300 birds to tie the present world record and beat the Olympic and National records.

Could John Wayne do any better?

Tennis at AFRC

The Garmisch Recreation Area will conduct its annual Summer Tennis Doubles Tournament August 17-19 at the Garmisch Sports Center courts. Open to all military personnel, dependents and civilians authorized to use AFRC facilities, the deadline for entering the meet is Aug. 5.

Competition will be held in men's, ladies and mixed doubles with entry fees set at \$3.50 per person for each event entered. The entry fee includes court fee and tennis balls.

Entry may be made by writing the GRA Tournament Office, APO 09053 or by calling Garmisch Military (235) 824 or 679.

Each contestant must make their own billeting arrangements and may do so by writing the GRA Billeting Office, Attn: Tennis Doubles Meet, APO 09053 or by calling GM (2535) 737 or 557.

New AFN programs

AFN Berlin program officials have announced an increase in public affairs programs from network headquarters in Frankfurt.

Starting Monday, the following will be heard weekly: Face the Nation, Monday; Meet the Press, Tuesday; Issues and Answers, Wednesday; Capitol Cloakroom, Thursday; Northwest Reviewing Stand, Friday. Each will be aired at 8:35 p.m. Special guests will be announced during the day before the broadcasts.

Ed Tooma of the late afternoon show becomes the host of the network American Music Hall Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Tooma specializes in soul in the new series which can be heard at 9:30 p.m.

AFN TV Sports

SATURDAY, August 4

1:55 p.m. Major League Baseball St. Louis Cardinals vs Los Angeles Dodgers

The Western Division leading Los Angeles Dodgers meet the Eastern Division St. Louis Cardinals at Busch Stadium in St. Louis. A win for the Red Birds would put them on top of their division.

Dodger pitcher Andy Messerschmitt (9-6) faces Cardinal hurler Reggie Cleveland.

3:55 p.m. (Approx.) Boxing from the Olympic

Two scheduled bouts — welterweights — The 10-round main event pits Thurmon Durden against Oscar (Shotgun) Albarado; and the 6-round event sees Lola Barrientes counter Vic Basilio.

4:45 p.m. (Approx.) American Sportsman

Pittsburgh Steelers quarterback Terry Bradshaw fishes for tarpon in the Florida Keys and Bing Crosby and entertainer Phil Harris engage in a wintry pheasant hunt in Iowa.

SUNDAY 1:55 p.m.

Canadian Football Calgary Stampeders vs Montreal Alouettes

Calgary Stampeders challenge the Alouettes at Montreal in an exhibition game taped July 12.

Calgary (6-10) has two fine QBs in Jerry Keeling (10) and Jim Lindsey (12). Their favorite target: All-Western receiver Gerry Shaw (72).

3:45 p.m. (Approx.) CBS Sports Spectacular

At Nassau Veteran's Memorial Coliseum on Long Island, New York, boxing's top amateurs of the USA challenge the young Canadian hopefuls, many of whom are looking to

battle their way to a place on their respective teams for this event in the 1976 Olympics to be held in Canada.

The Judo World Championships held at Luzanne, Switzerland, found the Japanese team taking home the lion's share of the top honors, with the US licking its wounds after finding itself without a representative in this final competition.

And with brilliant photography recording the event, two young men demonstrate the rigors and dangers of mountain-climbing in a special feature titled "Break On Through."

4:55 p.m. (Approx.)

Boxing from Madison Square Garden Mike Quarry (39-2-2) meets Billy "Kelly" Wagner (31-5-1) in a scheduled 12-round bout to decide the American Light Heavyweight Championship at New York's Madison Square Garden. Quarry, ranked fifth by the WBA, is a crafty boxer who can slug it out in close. Wagner is unranked, but is considered by Ring Magazine to be the second best puncher in the division, next to Bob Foster, the World Champion. This is Wagner's first Garden main event.

Sportscaster Chris Schenkel calls the blow-by-blow action and Canadian heavyweight fighter George Chuvalo provides the expert commentary.

THURSDAY 10:15 p.m.

Major League Baseball All-Star Game

The National Leaguers out-slugged and silenced the much vaunted power of the American League.

The game is preceded by the Joe Garagiola Show. Joe makes some good points with the assistance of Casey Stengel, Orlando Cepeda, Umpire Shylock as to the designated hitter.

AFN frequencies on your radio dial: AM 935 KC; FM 87.85 MC. FM Berlin presents its "Golden Sound" around the clock in STEREO.

(August 4)

- 0:00 World News and Markets
- 0:05 Night Beat
- 1:05 Night Time Experience
- 3:05 Bill Stewart
- 4:00 Fire Report
- 4:05 Bill Stewart
- 5:00 Jimmy Wakely Show
- 5:55 This is AFN
- 6:05 C & W Hit Parade
- 7:00 News, Sports and Markets
- 7:15 Notes from Nashville
- 7:30 Service Scenes
- 8:05 Morning Request Show

RADIO Saturday

- 1:05 American Top 40
- 2:00 Weekend World
- 6:00 World News and Comments
- 6:10 Sports Journal
- 6:30 New Breed (TASCOM)
- 6:45 This is Germany
- 7:00 World News
- 7:05 Those Were The Days
- 8:00 World News
- 8:05 Those Were The Days
- 9:00 News, Comment, Special Announcement Summary
- 9:05 Statewide Sports Standby Schedule
- 9:15 Bill Stewart Show
- 11:05 The Young Sound

- 0:05 Night Beat
- 1:05 Johnnie Darin Show
- 2:00 Special Announcement Summary or Drive Time
- 2:05 American Top 40
- 3:05 Bobby Troup Show
- 4:00 The American Hall of Fame
- 4:05 Young Sound
- 5:55 This is AFN
- 6:05 Just Music
- 7:05 Message of Israel
- 7:30 Viva
- 8:05 AFN Tree House
- 9:00 World News
- 9:05 Protestant Hour
- 9:30 Heartbeat

Sunday

- 6:10 Sports Journal
- 6:30 Golden Days of Radio
- 6:55 Fire Report
- 7:00 World News
- 7:05 Jazz Poetry and the Girl
- 8:00 World News
- 8:05 British Rock Invasion
- 8:50 This is Living
- 9:00 World News / Special Announcement Summary
- 9:05 Statewide Sports Standby Schedule
- 9:05 The Young Sound
- 11:05 Just Music

- 0:05 Wolfman Jack
- 1:05 San Francisco Scene
- 2:00 Special Announcement Summary or Drive Time
- 2:05 Bob Kingsley Show
- 4:00 Rock Genesis
- 4:05 Don Tracy
- 5:00 Town and Country with Earl Freudenberg
- 5:55 This is AFN
- 6:00 Six O'Clock Report
- 6:15 Wake Up Easy, with John Proffitt
- 6:55 Berlin AM Regional News
- 7:00 The Seven O'Clock Report
- 7:30 Wake Up Easy, continued
- 9:05 Charlie Tuna
- 9:50 Songs By ... with Mark White

Weekdays

- 6:00 The Six O'Clock Report, with Today in Europe
- 6:30 Nightside
- 8:25 Paul Harvey News and Comment
- 8:35 Face the Nation (M)
- 8:35 Meet the Press (T)
- 8:35 Issues and Answers (W)
- 8:35 Capitol Cloakroom (Th)
- 8:35 Northwest Reviewing Stand (F)
- 9:05 Concert Hall with John Proffitt (Mon-Fri on AFN-FM)
- 9:05 Radio Plays and Dramas
- 9:30 American Music Hall (T, Th) with Ed Tooma
- 10:00 The Ten O'Clock Report
- 10:30 Old Gold — Retold
- 11:05 The Pete Smith Show

MOTION PICTURES

Week of August 3 through August 9

OUTPOST	Tue	Bedknobs And Broomsticks (G)	Thu	Dynamite Man From Glory Jail (AA)
Fri Trouble Man (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Wed The Thief Who Came To Dinner (PG) Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:35 p.m.	Thu Same show as above Inc. Adm., 7 p.m.	ASTRA	Monday-Friday 7:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday: 6 and 8:30 p.m., unless otherwise stated
Sat Children's Matinee The Million Dollar Duck, 4:30 p.m.	Thu Same show as above Inc. Adm., 7 p.m.	COLUMBIA	Fri	Adolf Hitler — My Part In His Downfall (A)
Sat Walt Disney's Bedknobs And Broomsticks (G) 6:30, 8:45 p.m.	Sun The Thief Who Came To Dinner (PG) Inc. Adm. 4:30, 6:30, 8:35 p.m.	Fri	Sat	Same show as above Children's Matinee at 2 p.m. Abbott & Costello Lost In Alaska (U), also Danny The Dragon Ep. 10
Sun The Thief Who Came To Dinner (PG) Inc. Adm. 4:30, 6:30, 8:35 p.m.	Mon Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:35 p.m.	Sat	Sun	Cabaret (X) Mon Same show as above Tue The Helst (AA) Wed Same show as above Thu The Omega Man (A)
Mon Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:35 p.m.	Tue Two People (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Mon	Tue	Hammer (R), 7 p.m. Same show as above 7 p.m.
Tue Two People (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Wed Necromancy (PG) 1:30 p.m.	Thu	Thu	Snoopy Come Home (G), 7 p.m.
Wed Necromancy (PG) 1:30 p.m.	Thu Hammer (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	COLISEUM	Fri	Toys Are Not For Children (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.
Thu Hammer (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Fri Toys Are Not For Children (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Sat	Sat	Jory (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.
COLISEUM	Sun Trouble Man (R) 2:30, 7 p.m.	Mon	Mon	Same show as above 7 p.m.
Fri Toys Are Not For Children (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Mon Same show as above 7 p.m.	JERBOA	Fri	Paint Your Wagon (A)
Sat Jory (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m.	Sat Anne Of The Thousand Days (A) 7:30 p.m. only	Sat	Sat	Children's Matinee at 10 a.m. Cartoon Program, also Danny The Dragon, Ep. 9
Sun Trouble Man (R) 2:30, 7 p.m.	Sun Ulzana's Raid (X)	Mon	Mon	Same show as above
Mon Same show as above 7 p.m.	Mon Same show as above	Tue	Tue	The Anderson Tapes (AA)
ATTENTION MOVIEGOERS Andrews Barracks Movie Theater will be closed for renovation throughout September 3.	Tue The Anderson Tapes (AA)	Wed	Wed	A New Leaf (U)
	Wed A New Leaf (U)	French Movie Theater at Quartier Napoleon on Kurt-Schumacher-Damm	Sat	Barbe Bleue, 8:30 p.m. starring Richard Burton, Raquel Welch, Virna Lisi
	French Movie Theater at Quartier Napoleon on Kurt-Schumacher-Damm	Sun	Sun	Vivre Ensemble 8:30 p.m., starring Michel Lancelot, Monique Morelli
	Sun Vivre Ensemble 8:30 p.m., starring Michel Lancelot, Monique Morelli	Tue	Tue	La Reine Du Colorado 8:30 p.m., starring Debbie Reynolds, Harvey Presnell
	Tue La Reine Du Colorado 8:30 p.m., starring Debbie Reynolds, Harvey Presnell	Remainder of L'Aiglon program was not available at press time.		Admission to be paid in Francs. No telephone reservations will be accepted

AFN TELEVISION BERLIN

CHANNEL 25 Dahlem/Zehlendorf

- FRIDAY (August 3)
 - 5:15 News Headlines
 - 5:20 Cartoon Carnival
 - 5:40 Across The Seven Seas "Private Plane Paradise"
 - 6:05 The Addams Family "Fester, The Tycoon"
 - 6:30 The Evening Report Beverly Hillbillies "Gypsy's Warning"
 - 7:25 Wyatt Earp "A Killing At Cowskin Creek"
 - 7:50 Town Crier
 - 7:55 Burke's Law "Who Killed The Grand Piano?"
 - 8:45 The Doris Day Show "The Press Secretary"
 - 9:10 Dick Powell Theater "Boston Terrier"
 - 10:00 The Nightly News
 - 10:15 The Dick Cavett Show
 - 11:15 The Late Show "The Runaway Bus"
 - 12:30 Final Report
- SATURDAY
 - 12:00 News Summary
 - 12:05 Flintstones "The Great Grazzo"
 - 12:35 Jim Bowie "A Fortune For Madame"
 - 1:00 News Summary
 - 1:01 Sesame Street
 - 2:00 News Summary
 - 2:01 Weekend World of Sports
 - 5:00 Information Special to be announced
 - 5:45 Heart Of The City "Artist Story"
 - 6:10 Death Valley Days
 - 6:35 The Buck Owens Ranch Show
 - 7:00 The Weekend Report
 - 7:10 High Chaparral "Bad Day For A Thirst"
 - 8:00 News Summary — Town Crier
 - 8:05 Mod Squad "Yesterday's Ashes"
 - 8:55 Carol Burnett Show
 - 9:40 Sanford and Son
 - 10:03 News Summary
 - 10:05 Double Feature "Theater 'Bluebeard' and 'Mission Mars'"
 - 11:25 "Mission Mars"
 - 12:50 Final Report

CHANNEL 12 Tempelhof

- TUESDAY
 - 5:15 News Headlines
 - 5:20 Cartoon Carnival
 - 5:35 Sesame Street
 - 6:30 The Evening Report
 - 7:00 This Is Your Life
 - 7:25 Temperature's Rising
 - 7:50 Town Crier
 - 7:55 Laredo "Miracle At Massacre Mission"
 - 8:45 All in the Family
 - 9:10 Judd for the Defense
 - 10:00 Nightly News
 - 10:15 Blue Surfari
 - 11:45 Final Report
- WEDNESDAY
 - 5:15 News Headlines
 - 5:20 Cartoon Carnival
 - 5:40 News Zoo Revue
 - 6:05 Information Special — to be announced
 - 6:30 The Evening Report
 - 7:00 The Paul Lynde Show
 - 7:25 Wednesday Night At The Movies "Claudia And David"
 - 8:45 Journey To — A Visit To Russia "The Worker"
 - 8:50 Focal Point
 - 9:10 The Flip Wilson Show
 - 10:00 The Nightly News
 - 10:15 Like It Is
 - 11:05 Pro Bowler's Tour
 - 12:15 Final Report
- THURSDAY
 - 5:15 News Headlines
 - 5:20 Cartoon Carnival
 - 5:40 Bonanza "The Ape"
 - 6:30 The Evening Report
 - 7:00 The Doris Day Show "Peeping Tom"
 - 7:25 Room 222
 - 7:50 Town Crier
 - 7:55 Escape "Hold Down"
 - 8:20 M-A-S-H "Christmas In Korea"
 - 8:45 The David Frost Revue "These United States"
 - 9:10 Country Music Hit Parade — Special
 - 10:00 Nightly News
 - 10:15 Thursday Night Sports Special
 - Major League Baseball All Star Game

Cultural Events Around Town . . .



PHILHARMONIE
Tiergarten, Kemperplatz
Tel: 261 43 83

September 5, 6, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Conductor: Leif Segerstam. Segerstam — Mozart — Sibelius.
September 8, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (in connection with the "International Radio and TV Exhibition 1973, Berlin"). Conductor: Herbert von Karajan. Mozart — Tchaikovsky.
September 15, 16, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (program not yet known).
September 19, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra, presenting "Music of the 20th Century". Conductor: Michael Gielen.
September 26, 29, 30, 7:30 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (program not yet known).



SUMMER CONCERTS

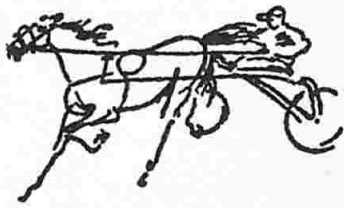
Schloss Charlottenburg
Eosander Chapel
August 4, 5, 8 p.m. — "5th Concert." Muffat — Krebs — Viviani — Rosetti — Telemann — J. S. Bach — C. Ph. E. Bach
August 11, 12, 8 p.m. — "6th Concert." Clerambault — LeClair — Hotteterre — Telemann — Händel — J. S. Bach
August 18, 19, 8 p.m. — "7th Concert." Fasch — Zachow — Vivaldi — J. S. Bach
August 25, 26, 8 p.m. — "8th Concert." Music of the 18th Century — Hertel — Krebs — Kirnberger — C. Ph. E. Bach — Schaffrath
September 1, 2, 8 p.m. — "9th Concert." Buxtehude — Biber — Frescobaldi — Tartini — Hindemith — J. S. Bach

JAZZ IN THE GARDEN

Nationalgalerie
Tiergarten, Potsdamer Strasse 50
Friday, August 10, 6 p.m. New Jazz Trio, Albert Mangelsdorff Quintet
Tickets cost DM 6.

A LOOK AT BERLIN . . .

Horse Races at Mariendorfer Mar
Marlendorfer Damm 222-298
"Trotting Races" at the Mariendorfer Race Tracks are scheduled for Sunday, August 5, at 2 p.m. and Wednesday, August 8, at 6 p.m.



Victory Column, Am Grossen Stern
Tunnel entrances, located on the four corners of Strasse des 17. Juni lead to the Victory Column. Admission for a walk-up view for adults: DM 0.50, children: DM 0.10. Open daily from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., closed on Mondays.

Zoological Gardens
Open daily from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Admission for adults: DM 3.50, children 3 to 13 years of age DM 1.50. "Florida Dolphin Show" — starring "Sindbad" and "Robin" with tentative daily shows at 11 a.m., 2:30 and 5 p.m., Sundays at 11 a.m., 12:30, 2:30, 4, and 5:30 p.m. Admission for adults: DM 2.50, children pay DM 1.

If you want to visit the Zoo and the Aquarium you can buy a combined ticket which costs DM 5 for adults and DM 2.50 for children.

THERE'S MUSIC IN THE AIR . . . when the "Orchester der Berliner Künstlerhilfe" is giving daily concerts from 3-5 p.m. on Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday under the direction of Egon Kaiser. On Sunday the British Military Band of The Worcestershire and Foresters Regiment will be playing from 3-5, and on Wednesday the Unterhaltungsorchester will play for your musical entertainment from 3-5 p.m. under the direction of Artur Krüger.

Every Wednesday afternoon until Aug. 22, there will be a "Kindertag" a Children's Day at the Zoological Gardens from 3-5 p.m. All children who spend their school holidays in Berlin are invited to participate.

Aquarium Berlin
Monday through Saturday 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday and holidays from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Admission for adults: DM 3, children: DM 2.

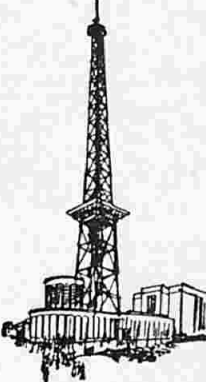
Botanical Gardens
Entrances are at Königin-Luise Strasse 6-8 and Unter den Eichen
The Botanical Gardens are open weekdays from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Admission for adults is DM 1.00 and children under 14 years of age: DM 0.40.
Museum open: Tuesday through Sunday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday until 7 p.m. Admission free.

Wilhelm Foerster Sternwarte (Observatory)
Munsterdamm 30
Guided Tours: Fri, Sat, Tue, Thu at 8 p.m.; Sunday: 3, 4, 5 and 8 p.m. Closed on Monday.
Lectures at Planetarium: Fri, Sat, Tue, Wed, Thu at 8 p.m. Sunday at 5 and 8 p.m. Subject is: "Sternschnuppen und Kometen" (Meteorites and Comets).

Dance and Tea
The Stadion-Terrassen at the Olympic Stadium, Stadionallee 2 hold a "Tanztee" every Sunday afternoon beginning at 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Choir Concert
The "Chamber-Singers" from Santa Barbara, Cal. will give a concert at the Kaiser-Wilhelm-Memorial Church tomorrow at 6 p.m.

Children's Party
Entrance Jaffestrasse
Little visitors are offered a special children's program at the Funkturm Exhibition Ground's Hall 23 during "Children's Party" which will come to an end on Thursday. Party time is Monday through Friday from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and admission is DM2. For lots of fun, games, and entertainment.



Travel Notes

What AFRC isn't

A lot of troops stationed in Europe have a completely wrong impression of the Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC).

Many think it is some kind of military-oriented rest camp, where you have to put up with the same old formations, inspections, etc., only with a smile on your face to show you are enjoying your stay.

Put your mind at ease. At the AFRC you are invited to do as you like as long as you are here. All the AFRC facilities at Berchtesgaden, Chiemsee, Garmisch and Munich are there for your enjoyment and convenience, but if you just want to sit around and doze through your vacation, you are indeed welcome to do that too.

When you plan your next vacation, do yourself a favor. Don't cross the Armed Forces Recreation Center off the list. The "Armed Forces" bit is just part of the name, the main word is "Recreation." Look into the possibilities a little further, at your service club or library. You'll be glad you did.

Gas coupons for Spain

MUNICH — The European Exchange System has announced a clarifying statement concerning the obtaining of CAMPASA gasoline coupons for use in Spain.

To obtain gasoline coupons from EES, customers must first obtain authorization and a CAMPASA decal from the Provost Marshal or Base Security Office in their country of assignment. The authorization and CAMPASA decal is issued at no cost to the customer after a valid ID card, USAREUR vehicle registration and leave orders are presented. The orders are stamped as authorization for the purchasing of coupons.

CAMPASA gasoline coupons are available only to U.S. military personnel, Department of Defense civilians and U.S. nonappropriated fund employees.

Once the CAMPASA sticker has been obtained, the individual need only present the vehicle registration, ID card and stamped leave orders at one of the POL counters located in selected EES retail stores. The customer may

purchase coupons equal in the amount of the rationed allowance he is authorized in the country where he is assigned. Only regular gasoline coupons are offered and are redeemable at all commercial service stations in Spain. Upon departing Spain, the CAMPASA decal must be thoroughly removed from the windshield and destroyed. Refund on unused coupons may be obtained by mailing the coupons to Headquarters EES, ATTN: CM-G, APO 09245. Be sure to include the full name and return address for refund.

Gas prices up again

MUNICH — In February 1973 the European Exchange System (EES) was compelled to increase the price of gasoline sold in Germany. The increase was approximately 16%, and substantially covered increased product cost of 5.4% and an 11.2% devaluation of the dollar. At that time the rate of exchange changed from 3.20 to 2.90 Deutsche Marks to the Dollar.

Since April, the dollar has been devalued an additional 24% with the Deutsche Mark changing from 2.90 to 2.36 for one dollar and the product cost of bulk gasoline increased 10%. Therefore, EES is again compelled to increase its gasoline prices.

Effective now gasoline price will be as follows:

Product	Unit	Price
Premium	100 Liter Book	\$11.50
Regular	100 Liter Book	\$ 9.40
Diesel	100 Liter Book	\$ 9.10

The Commander of the European Exchange System is deeply concerned that an increase in gasoline price is necessary during this period when Americans in Europe are finding it difficult to cope with the rising cost of living. However, the Exchange System has no control over the value of the dollar versus the Deutsche Mark and has negotiated with the gasoline supplier to get the most favorable prices obtainable.

Community Observations

New bank hours

In order to provide optimum operating hours for the American Express Bank, new hours of operation are being tried. For four Saturdays starting August 11, the Shopping Center branch will be open 10 a.m. — 1 p.m. and will be closed the following Monday. The branch at Andrews Barracks will be open on Tuesday and Fridays 11 p.m. — 1 p.m. The bank offices at McNair and Tempelhof remain unchanged.

day, August 13, A-D; August 14, E-K; August 15, L-R; and August 16, S-Z. Parents must register their children each school year.

Requirements for the 1973-74 registration are: a) sponsor's or spouse's official DoD identification card; b) sponsor's social security number; c) birth certificate for kindergarten and newly-arrived first grade students; and d) report card from previous school for students new to Berlin.

Children who will be five years old by Dec. 31, 1973 are eligible for the kindergarten program at the TAR Elementary School.

Photo contest

All military personnel are reminded that August 20 is the deadline for submission of entries in the Berlin level of the 15th Interservice Photo Contest. Get your black & white prints, color prints, color transparencies or cinematography entries into the Andrews or McNair photo centers now! Prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be awarded for the best entries in the Berlin phase of the competition.

Gray matter

The greatest unexplored areas of high potential lies under your hat, between your ears! It is smaller than a bread box and larger than a pin head! Put that gray matter to work to your advantage. Boston University offers you the opportunity to earn a master of arts or a master of science degree. Register now for the next semester. For information, contact B. U. at the Army Education Center, McNair Barracks, Building 1001D or call 819-3179.

\$\$ problems?

Financial problems? Debts? Do you find that your pay check is gone before the next is due? You're not alone. The Economy Couples Advisory Council is sponsoring an informal get-together to discuss budgeting, money management, loans — in short, how to stretch your pay to cope with your situation. The council would like you to join them at the McNair Chapel Fellowship Hall August 14 at 7:30 p.m. There will be an opportunity for questions and answers.

TAR registration

Registration for the 1973-74 school year has been set for August 13-17 at the Thomas A. Roberts Elementary School 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. It is requested that parents follow the alphabetical listing of their last names on the days indicated: Mon-

during regular duty hours. You are invited to come and listen to music, explore the library, enjoy cup of coffee and doughnuts, or just rap. Every Monday evening the Coffee House will have one of our Berlin community leaders come in and conduct a special rap session aimed at you and your interest.

Whirlpool dryers

Any EES patron in Berlin having had a "Whirlpool" clothing dryer installed by EES (Berlin) should call the EES Engineer Office immediately at 815-5903. It is possible the electrical connection is defective in which case EES will take the necessary corrective action at no cost to the customer. This applies to the Whirlpool brand only. You are encouraged to call as soon as possible in that safety condition could be involved.

Coffee House

Andrews Barracks' first coffee house is now open. Located at the Andrews Chapel library, it is open

ON THE HOME FRONT . . .

- All American Service Club**
Fri (August 3) — 8 p.m. — Family and Singles Games
Sat 2 p.m. — Chess Tournament
8 p.m. — Giant Scrabble
Sun 9 a.m. — Coffee Call with Bert
10:30 a.m. — Brunch
1:15 p.m. — Excursion to Freedom Bridge
8 p.m. — Voice Your Choice
Mon 8 p.m. — Kitchen Kraze
Tue — closed —
Wed 8 p.m. — Ping Pong Tourney
Thu 8 p.m. — Shuffleboard Tourney

- ALL AMERICAN TOURS**
Aug. 5 — "Excursion to Freedom Bridge"
Aug. 12 — "Charlottenburg Palace"
Aug. 18 — "Wannsee Moonlight Cruise"
Aug. 19 — "Boat Trip to Peacock Island"
Aug. 26 — "West Berlin"

- Hi-Lite Service Club**
Fri (August 3) — 7 p.m. — Casino Night
Sat 2 p.m. — Billiards Tourney
7 p.m. — Australian Food Night
8 p.m. — Australian Films
Sun 9:30 a.m. — Coffee Call
11 a.m. — Pinochle Tourney
1 p.m. — Wannsee Boat Cruise
7 p.m. — Film Night
Mon — closed —
Tue 7:30 p.m. — Stamp Club Meeting
7:30 p.m. — Spades Tourney
Wed 8 p.m. — Couples Games
Thu 7 p.m. — Learn to Play Bridge
7:30 p.m. — Ping Pong Tourney

- HI-LITE TOURS**
Aug. 5, 1 p.m. — "Wannsee Boat Cruise"
Aug. 12, 1 p.m. — "Charlottenburg Schloss"
Aug. 18, 7:15 p.m. — "Evening Wannsee Boat Cruise"
Aug. 19, 2 p.m. — "Peacock Island"
Aug. 26, 1 p.m. — "Free Tour of West Berlin"

AFRICAN CULTURE
A special film night will be held at the Hi-Lite on Sunday at 7 p.m. The film to be shown will be on "Black Artists and African Culture". All members of the Berlin Command are invited to attend.

LEARN TO PLAY BRIDGE
Learn to play bridge nights are on the program at the Hi-Lite on Thursday nights 9 and 16 August at 7 p.m. An experienced player will be on hand to show you the art of playing bridge.

- Club 50**
Fri (August 3) — 8 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Nashville Express"
Sat 8 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Country Squires"

- Starlight Grove**
Fri (August 3) — 8 p.m.-midnight — "Driftice"
Sat 8 p.m.-midnight — "The Edsels"

- Harnack House**
Fri (August 3) — 8:30 p.m.-0:30 a.m. — "The Edsels"



13th German-American Volksfest
Until August 12 there is a little bit of Las Vegas in Berlin on Hüttenweg. Typical Las Vegas attractions like old time saloons, 20th century casinos, and blazing neon signs are set up and hungry carnival-goers can treat themselves to such specialties as hotdogs, hamburgers, tacos and corn-on-the-cob. More than 100 rides and amusements will round out the carnival atmosphere of the German-American Volksfest site beginning daily at 2 p.m. Admission is 50 pfennigs, only!

FORUM THEATER

Kurfürstendamm 203
Tel: 881 79 47
Until Aug. 8, daily at 8 p.m. — "A Violation Study" by Helmut Eisendle, a Guest Performance presented by the Tübinger Zimmer Theater.
Aug. 9, 8 p.m. — Premiere of "Die Reise nach China" a guest performance by Modernes Theater, Munich

THEATER DES WESTENS

Kantstrasse 12
Tel: 313 72 50/93 20
Aug. 14, 15, 16, 8 p.m. — "Shanghai — Acrobats from China"
Premiere of "HAIR" will be on August 18. Daily performances are at 8 p.m. Sundays at 7 p.m.

On even-numbered days "Hair" will be presented in English.



DEUTSCHE OPER BERLIN

Bismarckstrasse
Tel: 3 43 81
The opera is closed until August 22 inclusive.

FOX-MGM present:

MGM Kurfürstendamm 197-98
Tel: 881 40 99
Atelier am Zoo
Hardenbergstr. 29 b, Tel: 261 40 40
"A Disney Cartoon Jubilee" (in German) will be presented at the MGM and Atelier am Zoo. Daily performances at the MGM are at 1, 3:30, 6 and 8:30 p.m., and at the Atelier am Zoo at 3:30, 6, and 8:30 p.m.

Studio Halensee
Lehninerplatz
Roman Polanski's "The Fearless Vampire Killer" (in German). Daily performances are at 4, 6:30 and 9 p.m.

Smoky im Ku'damm-Eck
at Joachimstaler Platz
"Cabaret" (in German)
Marmorhaus I
Kurfürstendamm 236, Tel: 881 15 22/23
"Don't Give Up The Ship" (in German), starring Jerry Lewis

Cinéma Paris
Kurfürstendamm 221, Tel: 881 07 89
"La Vieille Fille" (in German)

Filmtheater Berlin
Kurfürstendamm 193/194, Tel: 881 55 08/09
"A Man Named Horse" (in German)

Parkhaus



Concerts

At the English Garden
August 26, 11:30 a.m. — "Special Concert." Thorand-Quartett, Munich. Haydn — Beethoven — Schostakowitsch
September 11, 8 p.m. — "5th Concert." Pro Arte-Streichtrio. Schubert — Reger — Beethoven
September 18, 8 p.m. — "6th Concert." Piano Recital by Maria Littauer. Beethoven — Debussy — Bartok — Liszt

HEBBEL THEATER

Stresemannstrasse 29
Tel: 251 22 12
Daily at 8 p.m. — "Pepsi" a comedy by Pierette Bruno. Sunday performance begins at 6 p.m.

THEATER AM

KURFÜRSTENDAMM

Kurfürstendamm 207
Tel: 881 24 89
Daily at 8 p.m. — "Geld in der Tasche" a comedy by Istvan Bekefi and Andrew Solt.

KOMÖDIE

Kurfürstendamm 206
Tel: 881 38 93
Daily at 8 p.m. — "Bleib doch zum Frühstück" a comedy by Gene Stone and Ray Cooney