

# Minister, astronaut to visit here

by R. Gibson

The Berlin Brigade Staff Chaplain, Col. Joel E. Andrews announced the expected visit of two of the most renowned religious leaders of our time.

Dr. Robert Schuller, of the Reformed Church of America, and Astronaut, Col. (Ret.) James B. Irwin, will visit the walled city Thursday through June 25 at various locations throughout the city.

On Thursday, Schuller will speak to soldiers in a "Duty Day With God" service starting at 10:30 a.m. at the McNair Chapel. He will also conduct a worship service at 7:30 p.m. in the American Community Chapel.

At 7 a.m. on June 26, Schuller will speak to brigade leaders during a breakfast at the Harnack House, and 7 p.m. that evening, he'll be the key-

note speaker at a special banquet at the Harnack House.

On June 28, both Schuller and Irwin will speak at the American Community Chapel at 10:30 a.m. and at the Kaiser-Wilhelm Memorial Church at 6 p.m. For those American service and family members wishing to attend the evening's engagement, (Continued on Pg. 8)



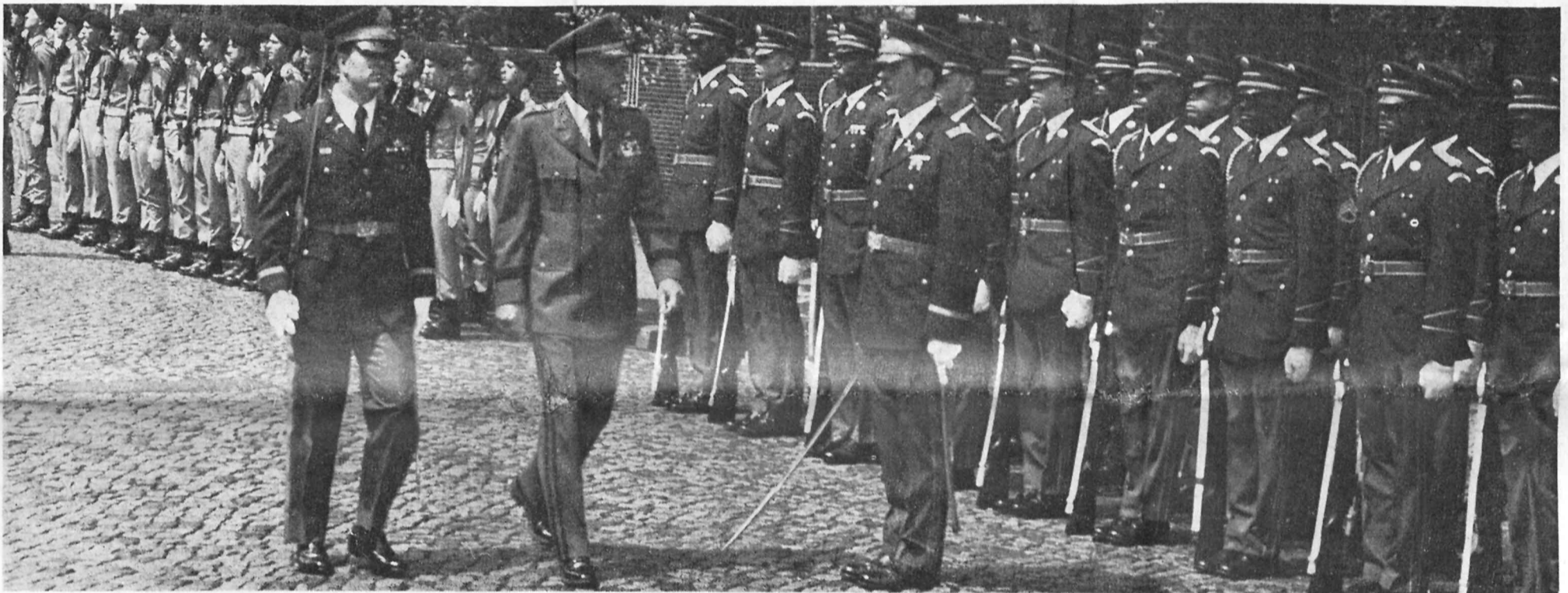
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FAREWELL REVIEW — Maj. Gen. Calvert P. Benedict, U.S. Commander, Berlin, passes in review of the Tripartite Honor Guard accompanied

by the Honor Guard Commander, Capt. Anthony Bullard, commander of Company A, 2nd Battalion. Benedict is scheduled to depart the command July

5 after serving longer than any other U.S. Commander before him. (Photo by Willie Allen)

## AFN hosts VIP

AFN Berlin TV will present "A Conversation With The Chancellor, Helmut Schmidt" tomorrow at 6:30 p.m.

The 30-minute program features an extended interview and biographical sketch, as well as a look at the history of the chancellor's position in the Federal Republic of Germany.

During the program, Chancellor Schmidt discusses his close ties with the United States and his thoughts regarding a United Europe.

For an in-depth view of West Germany, today and yesterday, watch for "A Conversation With The Chancellor," produced by the Air Force's European Broadcasting Squadron.

## Red Cross helps in disaster inquiries

Any person unable to establish contact with family members living in the tornado or flood stricken areas of Colorado, Minnesota, Ohio, Illinois and Texas, can call the Red Cross Office at 6437 and request a disaster welfare inquiry.

## Final farewell bid to Benedict

by R. Gibson

On June 11 the French and British commandants along with the three Allied Troop Commanders and the three Ministers here in Berlin paid an official farewell to the U.S. Commander of Berlin, Maj. Gen. Calvert P. Benedict.

Benedict arrived in Berlin June 7, 1978, and has served in Berlin as the U.S. Commander longer than any of his predecessors. Now he plans to retire to the Washington D.C. area with his wife Gene and five children.

Benedict passes on the helm to Maj. Gen. James G. Boatner when he assumes command on July 6.

## Housing allowance surveys coming

If you are one of 10,000 USAREUR soldiers who have family members residing in the states, you may be receiving a Variable Housing Allowance Survey. USAREUR surveys will be combined with stateside surveys to establish VHA rates for CONUS.

VHA is designed to pay most of the difference between a servicemember's BAQ and the rental cost, plus utilities, in an area where the rental cost average is more than 15 percent of the servicemember's BAQ.

Benedict will depart the command on the morning of July 5.

At the ceremony held outside the building of the Allied Komandatura a Tripartite "Guard of Honor" took their place as the 298th Army Band played appropriate honors to the Allied commanders.

Then the departing U. S. Commander, accompanied by the Tripartite Honor Guard Commander Capt. Anthony Bullard, commander of Company A, 2nd Battalion, inspected the honor guard. Following the in-ranks inspection, the USCOB returned to the docket for a final farewell salute, then departed the area.

Servicemembers must complete the form and return it to a designated survey agency.

Sponsors who lack information to complete the survey will send it, with complete instructions, to their spouse or family member's in the states for completion. The family member will forward the form on to the agency.

USAREUR surveys should be sent by July 3.

For more information on the survey, contact ODCSPER, USAREUR at Heidelberg Military (2121-) 6373/6984. (EURNEWS)

# editorial

## Army asking soldiers' view on 'homebasing'

The Army is asking about 10,000 Forces Command soldiers at 15 Continental U. S. posts for their views on homebasing.

Homebasing is a proposed new program that would revolutionize the way the Army assigns its soldiers. Under the program, a soldier would be assigned to one unit when entering the Army and stay with that unit throughout the entire service career.

"The fact that you are taking this survey does not mean that the 'homebasing' concept will be immediately implemented or that it will be implemented at all," the survey cover letter states.

The survey offers questions on two separate types of homebasing. Under the simplest type of

homebasing, a soldier would be assigned to an Army post (Homebase) and would serve all stateside tours at that homebase except when TDY for training. A soldier serving overseas would return to the "homebase" after completing the overseas tour.

Soldiers would serve all stateside tours at one post throughout their entire Army career, unless they requested a change of homebase. This plan would offer soldiers a choice of homebase location whenever possible.

The second type of homebasing is similar to the first, but soldiers would be assigned both a permanent homebase and a unit. In this program, the

whole unit would be deployed overseas for a three-year tour of duty.

After the overseas tour was completed, the entire unit would return to its stateside homebase. The cycle would then begin again with a soldier moving with the same unit between the same homebase and the same overseas area throughout the entire Army career.

The survey asks soldiers to tell their degree of support for each homebasing concept. They are also asked where they would like to be homebased.

The survey is being given mainly to company level units, however, a few battalions are also included. Final results and conclusions from the survey are expected in August. (ARNEWS)

### Orders needed for East/West travel

People stationed in Berlin who are expecting a visit from another U. S. servicemember in the near future can probably save the visitor a few headaches by providing them with a little information about traveling to West Berlin.

All U. S. military personnel traveling to West Berlin must have permanent change of station orders, temporary duty orders, or leave/pass authorization (DA Form 31) that specifically states that travel to West Berlin is authorized. Travel to Berlin will be denied personnel who do not have proper documents.

Also, visiting military personnel planning to travel to East Berlin must have PCS orders, TDY orders, or leave/pass authorization that specifically states that travel to East Berlin under restrictions imposed by the U.S. Commander, Berlin, is authorized, otherwise, travel to East Berlin will be denied.

### Bicycle thefts on rise

Each year more and more people purchase and ride bicycles, and, unfortunately, with the arrival of summer months, the larceny of bicycles also increases.

Bicycle larceny is a preventable crime, if people will just take the time to secure their property.

A few tips on how to keep your bike safe from theft are: to lock up your bike whenever you park it; use a good quality chain and lock; place the chain through the frame and wheels and lock it to an immobile object and store your bike in your quarters or secured storage rooms.

Remember, the key to crime prevention is you.

### Affects most POV drivers

## Car insurance rates increase

If you see a jump in your POV auto insurance rate after July 1, you aren't being bilked by the company that insures you. Insurance companies are just complying with the German Government ruling that increased the minimum liability insurance POV operators must carry.

The coverage about doubles the liability protection in effect now.

According to a USAREUR Provost Marshal spokesperson, about 95 percent of U. S. Forces motorists will see a five percent increase in their insurance cost. They are car owners that have NATO tariff insurance, a type not available to Germans, based on such factors as age, grade and marital status.

Motorists who are under the German tariff may see different increases because of a revision of the German tariff rates and rating structure.

German law states that insurance companies

must automatically increase the minimum insurance coverage, even if motorists have in their contract a fixed rate for the insurance period. Policyholders need not make the amendment themselves, unless they desire to carry more insurance than the minimum.

The minimum insurance for personal injury and death will increase to DM one million (one and a half million if more than one person is injured), property damage will be DM 400,000, and consequential damage will become DM 40,000. Consequential damage is material loss due to an accident — for example, a person who loses his car in an accident and must have a car for work.

The increased coverage was allowed by the German Insurance Commission to enable insurance companies to deal with serious accident cases where claims may be much higher than the present protection can cover. (EURNEWS)

### Pro pay... a maybe for combat NCOs

Proficiency pay for combat unit NCOs in leadership positions could be a reality as early as October, say Army officials.

When Army Chief of Staff, Gen. E. C. Meyer, announced his Army cohesion and stability changes last September, he said the Army plans to look at proposals aimed at acknowledging the degrees of experience and responsibility of top NCO leaders.

Under the Pro Pay Plan, combat squad and section leaders will get an added \$90 per month and platoon sergeants will receive \$125 more per month. Those in first sergeant slots will get \$150 per month.

A large number of NCOs who left combat arms specialties last year for other skills prompted the move, officials say. The program, approved by the Secretary of Defense, is expected to also attract the most qualified NCOs in leadership positions with combat units.

The proficiency pay will only go to these leadership positions in armor, artillery, infantry, combat engineer and air defense units at the company, battery and troop levels.

The Army has still to decide which specific slots will get the additional pay. (ARNEWS)

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# calendar

## Deutsche Oper Berlin

Tonight — Ein Maskenball — in Italian — at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tomorrow — Der Troubadour — in Italian — at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. — Der Fliegende Holländer by Richard Wagner at 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. — Aschenbroedel by Gioacchino Rossini at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. — Der Troubadour by Giuseppe Verdi — in Italian — at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. — Die Zauberflöte by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart at 7 p.m.  
 Thu. — Ein Masekenball by Giuseppe Verdi — in Italian — at 7:30 p.m.  
 Fri. — Der Türke in Italien by Gioacchino Rossini at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. — Krieg und Frieden — ballet night at 7 p.m.  
 Sun. — Carmen by Georges Bizet — in French — at 7 p.m.

## Deutsche Staatsoper

— East sector, Unter den Linden —

Tonight — Salome at 7 p.m.  
 Tomorrow — Il Seraglio at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. — Salome at 7 p.m.  
 Mon. — closed —  
 Tue. — String Quartet of the Deutsche Staatsoper at 8 p.m.  
 Wed. — Chamber Music (limited supply of tickets) at 8 p.m.  
 Thu. — The Schoolmaster/Kaffee Cantata/The Four Years Post at 8 p.m.  
 Fri. — Rigoletto at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. — The Flying Dutchman at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. — The Marriage of Figaro at 7 p.m.  
 Mon. — closed

## Philharmonie

Tonight — Master of the Classical Guitar: Siegfried Behrend, Michael Tröster and Thomas Bittermann, beginning at 8 p.m.  
 Tomorrow — Berliner Philharmonisches Orchester under the direction of Erich Leinsdorf — works of Schoenberg and

Schubert — at 8 p.m.  
 Sun. — same performance as above at 8 p.m.  
 Mon. — Berliner Philharmonisches Orchester, directed by Erich Leinsdorf — works of Schoenberg and Schubert — at 8 p.m.  
 Wed. — Berliner Philharmonisches Orchester, directed by Zubin Mehta with soloist Brigitte Engerer — works of Mozart and Mahler — at 8 p.m.  
 Thu. — same performance as above at 8 p.m.  
 Sun. — Berliner Philharmonisches Orchester, directed by Giuseppe Sinopoli — works of Schubert, Joachim, Schumann and Schoenberg — at 8 p.m.  
 Mon. — same performance as above at 8 p.m.

## Special Concerts

Tonight — Blues-Festival '81, Waldbühne at 6 p.m.  
 Tue. — Puhdys, Waldbühne, at 7 p.m.  
 Sun. — Ritchie Blackmore's Rainbow with guests Def Leppard at 8 p.m. at the Waldbühne.  
 June 28 — Reggae Festival '81 with Burning Spear and Band, The Nighthawks and other reggae groups at 4 p.m. at the Waldbühne.  
 July 9 — Golden Reggae Summer Night with Peter Tosh, Jimmy Cliff, Black State and Mother's Finest, at 6 p.m. at the Waldbühne.

Programs are subject to change. Tickets may be purchased at the Truman Plaza Ticket Agency, located at American Express Travel Agency or at the ITT office.

## Berlin Club happenings

Tonight — Friendship Lounge — Slick-Moore, Inc. from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Starlight Grove — Pierre on the Air from 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.  
 Gator NCO Club — The Gambler from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Checkpoint NCO Club — Prince from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Harnack House — Henry Whö from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Tomorrow — Friendship Lounge — PPI from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Starlight Grove — 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.  
 Gator NCO Club — The Gambler from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.  
 Checkpoint NCO Club — Star Patrol from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Harnack House — Tony Philson, pianist, from 7 to 10 p.m.  
 Sun. — Starlight Grove — Dual Disco with Prince and Star Patrol from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Checkpoint NCO Club — PPI from 8 p.m. to midnight  
 Harnack House — Michael Seals, pianist, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
 Mon. — Friendship Lounge — Master C from 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 Tue. — Friendship Lounge — Pierre On The Air from 8 p.m. to midnight  
 Starlight Grove — Prince from 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 Wed. — Friendship Lounge — Master Blaster from 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 Starlight Grove — Master C from 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 Thu. — Friendship Lounge — Pierre On The Air from 8 p.m. to midnight.  
 Fri. — Friendship Lounge — Slick-Moore, Inc. from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Starlight Grove — Pierre On The Air from 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.  
 Gator NCO Club — The Gambler from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.  
 Checkpoint NCO Club — Prince from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Harnack House — Band: "Brandenburg Express" from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Sat. — Friendship Lounge — PPI from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
 Starlight Grove — Star Patrol from 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.  
 Gator NCO Club — The Gambler from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.  
 Checkpoint NCO Club — Country Girl from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

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## June 19 through June 27

**Outpost — Clayallee (6524)**  
 Fri. Oh! Heavenly Dog (PG), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. Children's Matinee Toklat (G), at 2 p.m.  
 Sat. Oh! Heavenly Dog (PG), at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.  
 Sun. Oh God, Book II (PG), at 2 and 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. Heart Beat (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. The Fog (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Thu. Coal Miner's Daughter (PG), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Fri. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. Special Showings Walt Disney's Song of the South (G), at 2, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

**Columbia — Tempelhof (5522)**  
 Fri. The Warriors (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. The Hearse (PG), at 7:30 p.m.

Sun. The Jerk (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Oh! Heavenly Dog (PG), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. Oh God, Book II (PG), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Thu. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Fri. Heart Beat (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. The Fog (R), at 7:30 p.m.

**Coliseum — McNair Brks. (3131)**  
 Thu. It's My Turn (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. The Black Stallion (G), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. Popeye (PG), at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. The Warriors (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. The Hearse (PG), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Thu. The Jerk (R), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Fri. Oh! Heavenly Dog (PG), at 7:30 p.m.

Sat. 7:30 p.m. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. Oh God, Book II (PG), at 7:30 p.m.

**Andrews — Barracks (3538)**  
 Fri. Klute (R), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Sat. The Frisco Kid (PG), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Sun. It's My Turn (R), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Same show as above, at 6:30 p.m.  
 Tue. The Black Stallion (G), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Wed. Popeye (PG), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Thu. Same show as above, at 6:30 p.m. and 12:30 a.m.  
 Fri. The Warriors (R), at 6:30 p.m.  
 Sat. The Hearse (PG), at 6:30 p.m.

**Jerboa — located on Theodor-Heuss-Platz near the Summit House**  
 Fri. The Jazz Singer (A), at 7:30 p.m.

Sat. Children's Matinee Calamity The Cow (U), at 10 a.m.  
 Sat. The Jazz Singer (A), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. The Formula (AA), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. Return From Witch Mountain (U), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. Blood Relatives (X), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Thu. — closed —  
 Fri. Private Benjamin (AA), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. Children's Matinee The Johnstone Monster (U), and the serial Dead End Creek, Ep. 1 at 10 a.m.  
 Sat. Private Benjamin (AA), at 7:30 p.m.

**Astra — located on the Royal Air Force Gatow compound**  
 Fri. Private Benjamin (AA), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. Children's Matinee

Swiss Family Robinson (U), at 2 p.m.  
 Sat. Private Benjamin (AA), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sun. Dirt and The Octagon (X) at 7:30 p.m.  
 Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.  
 Tue. Star Trek (U), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Wed. — closed —  
 Thu. Amityville Horror (X), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Fri. Hopscotch (AA), at 7:30 p.m.  
 Sat. Children's Matinee Calamity The Cow (U), at 2 p.m.  
 Sat. Hopscotch (AA), at 7:30 p.m.

Prices of admission for Jerboa and Astra: Adults pay DM3.60 and children DM1.80. For Children's Matinees: Adults admission is DM2.80 and for children DM1.40.

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## June 19 through June 28

**Friday**  
 8:35 AFN Morning News  
 8:35 Kartoon Karnival  
 9:05 Sesame Street  
 10:05 BJ And The Bear  
 10:55 Chopper Squad  
 11:50 AFN Midday News  
 12:00 Chisholms  
 12:45 Donahue (A)  
 1:35 Ryan's Hope (A)  
 2:00 General Hospital (A)  
 2:45 Jeffersons  
 3:10 Green Acres  
 3:35 Afternoon Fun Time  
 4:05 Sesame Street  
 5:05 Mod Squad  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 7:00 Eight Is Enough  
 7:50 M\*A\*S\*H  
 8:20 Quincy (A)  
 9:10 Dallas (A)  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:35 Second City TV (A)  
 11:00 Shock Theater: "Creature Of The Walking Dead"  
 12:10 Fridays (A)  
 1:00 Soul Train  
 1:15 Sign Off

**Saturday**  
 8:00 Kartoon Karnival  
 8:50 Battle Of The Planets  
 9:15 Kids Are People, Too  
 9:55 My Three Sons  
 10:20 Soul Train  
 11:10 Let's Rock  
 11:35 NFL Team Highlights: "N.Y. Giants"  
 12:00 International Race Of Champions  
 12:30 Greatest Sports Legends  
 12:50 Wide World Of Sports  
 1:45 Boxing From The Boat  
 3:10 NFL Team Highlights: "St. Louis Cardinals"  
 3:35 Baseball: "N.Y. vs. Cleveland"  
 6:00 AFN Evening News

6:30 A Conversation With Chancellor Schmidt  
 7:00 Laverne And Shirley  
 7:25 Viewer's Choice: "55 Days At Peking"  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Miss USA Pageant  
 12:20 AFN Theater: "The Bootleggers" (A)  
 2:10 Sign Off

**Sunday**  
 8:00 Kartoon Karnival  
 8:55 Inch High Private Eye  
 9:15 Krofft's Superstars  
 9:40 Music And The Spoken Word  
 10:10 Tell A Vision  
 10:45 This Is The Life  
 11:10 Jumpstreet  
 11:45 Nova  
 12:40 Sunday Afternoon Movie: "New Adventures Of Heidi"  
 2:20 Sunday Afternoon Movie: "Belle Starr"  
 4:00 Sports Probe  
 4:20 WCT Challenge Cup  
 5:10 Solid Gold  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 6:30 Sixty Minutes  
 7:20 Alice  
 7:50 Real People  
 8:40 Taxi  
 9:10 Rockford Files  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Best Of Carson  
 11:40 Forum Presents  
 12:30 Hee Haw  
 1:20 Sign Off

**Monday**  
 8:30 AFN Morning News  
 8:35 Kartoon Karnival  
 9:05 Sesame Street  
 10:00 Eight Is Enough  
 10:55 Rockford Files  
 11:50 AFN Midday News

12:00 Dallas (A)  
 12:50 Donahue (A)  
 1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)  
 2:00 General Hospital (A)  
 2:45 Celebrity Revue  
 3:10 Alice  
 3:35 Afternoon Fun Time  
 4:05 Sesame Street  
 5:05 Combat  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 6:00 Misadventures Of Sheriff Lobo  
 7:50 Incredible Hulk  
 8:40 Mary Tyler Moore  
 9:10 Hart To Hart  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Benny Hill (A)  
 10:55 AFN Theater: "The Seekers"  
 12:55 High Chaparral  
 1:30 Sign Off

**Tuesday**  
 8:30 AFN Morning News  
 8:35 Gasthaus  
 8:40 Kartoon Karnival  
 8:50 Froozles  
 9:15 Viewer's Choice: "55 Days At Peking"  
 11:50 AFN Midday News  
 12:00 Incredible Hulk  
 12:45 Donahue (A)  
 1:35 Ryan's Hope (A)  
 2:00 General Hospital (A)  
 2:45 Green Acres  
 3:10 Krofft's Superstars  
 3:35 Afternoon Fun Time  
 4:15 The Flintstones  
 4:40 Battle Of The Planets  
 5:05 Rawhide  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 7:00 Waltons  
 7:50 Dukes Of Hazzard  
 8:45 Three's Company  
 9:10 Knots Landing (A)  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Race Of Champions  
 11:00 AFN Theater: "A Matter Of Life And Death"

12:40 Perry Mason  
 1:30 Sign Off

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 8:30 AFN Morning News  
 8:35 Kartoon Karnival  
 9:05 Sesame Street  
 10:05 Waltons  
 10:55 Dukes Of Hazzard  
 11:50 AFN Midday News  
 12:00 Knots Landing (A)  
 12:50 Donahue (A)  
 1:35 Ryan's Hope (A)  
 2:00 General Hospital (A)  
 2:45 Three's Company  
 3:10 Bewitched  
 3:35 Afternoon Fun Time  
 4:05 Sesame Street  
 5:05 Gunsmoke  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 7:00 Welcome Back, Kotter  
 7:25 Variety Special: Mac Davis  
 8:15 Love Boat  
 9:05 Fantasy Island  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Life And Times Of Eddie Roberts (A)  
 10:55 AFN Theater: "The Seekers"  
 12:35 Burke's Law  
 1:30 Sign Off

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 8:30 AFN Morning News  
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 11:50 AFN Midday News  
 12:00 Love Boat  
 12:50 Donahue (A)  
 1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)  
 2:00 General Hospital (A)  
 2:45 That Nashville Music  
 3:10 Wildlife Cinema  
 3:35 Afternoon Fun Time  
 4:10 Inch High Private Eye  
 4:40 3-2-1 Contact

5:05 Bonanza  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 7:00 Little House On The Prairie  
 7:50 Jeffersons  
 8:15 Chopper Squad  
 9:05 FBI  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Tim Conway  
 10:55 The Duke  
 12:35 Big Valley  
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 3:35 Baseball: Houston Astros vs. Philadelphia Phillies  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 6:30 Laverne And Shirley  
 6:55 BJ And The Bear  
 7:50 Mary Tyler Moore  
 8:15 Viewer's Choice: "Rio Grande"  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Tony Awards  
 12:40 AFN Theater: "The Gunfighter"  
 2:00 Sign Off

**Sunday**  
 8:00 Kartoon Karnival  
 9:05 Inch High Private Eye  
 9:30 Krofft's Superstars  
 9:55 Christopher Closeup  
 10:20 Hour Of Power  
 11:15 Sacred Heart  
 11:30 In Search Of Immortality  
 11:50 Nova  
 12:55 Sunday Afternoon Movie: "End Of The World"  
 2:20 Sunday Afternoon Movie: "Some Will, Some Won't"  
 3:55 Sports Probe  
 4:15 NFL Team Highlights: "Baltimore Colts"  
 4:40 Washington Week In Review  
 5:10 Solid Gold  
 6:00 AFN Evening News  
 6:30 Sixty Minutes  
 7:20 Alice  
 7:50 Real People  
 8:40 Taxi  
 9:10 Rockford Files  
 10:00 AFN Evening News  
 10:30 Best Of Carson  
 11:40 Forum Presents  
 12:30 Hee Haw  
 1:25 Sign Off

# news notes

## UoO offers course

Theoretical Foundations of Human Relations will be offered by the University of Oklahoma for one week during off-duty hours beginning July 26 at the TCA Education Center. Dr. Thomas Wiggins will conduct the three semester hour course. This course may be taken for graduate transfer credit or applied toward a University of Oklahoma, Masters of Human Relations degree. For more information, please call 819-5237.

## Special bus service

Bus transportation to the Brigade Review, June 26 will depart the Truman Plaza Bus Terminal, Dueppel, and Park Manor Estate at 10 p.m. After the parade, all buses will return to the bus terminal for further routing.

## Bus service interrupted

Scheduled bus service to McNair barracks will be interrupted on the morning of the Brigade Review, June 26. East and West buses will serve all other stops during the interruption. Full service will resume after the parade.

## Claim lost property

Numerous lost, found, abandoned, unclaimed articles are currently being held at the Provost Marshal Office. Categories of property include: cameras, wallets, keys, bicycles, luggage, clothing rings, watches, tools, books, and other miscellaneous items. Inquiries concerning specific items should be made to the Military Police Abandoned Property custodian, 819-3470.

## Thrift shop needs help

Volunteers are needed for the Thrift Shop. If you can volunteer four hours a week please come by Monday, Tuesday or Thursday, between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. and enjoy working with others. Child care is provided.

## Plans for women

The Federal Women's Week Program will be discussed at the next Berlin's Women's Advisory Council meeting. All interested community members are welcome. Bring your suggestions and ideas to help plan this important event. The meeting will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Comptroller's Conference Room, Bldg. 2, Clay Headquarters.

## Section closes for afternoon

On June 26 between noon and 4:30 p.m. the ID Card section of AG Customer Service will be closed and the remainder of the AG Division will be providing only limited services.

## Gift shop sale

At the Beefeater Gift Shop all patterns of Royal Roulton and Minton China will be on sale with 10 percent off. Savings up to 40 percent on augmented pieces in stock. All military and civilian ID card holders are welcome. The Gift Shop is open Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. through 6 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m. through 7 p.m. and Saturday from 11 a.m. through 4 p.m.

## Hours change

On Wednesday the S&S Div Laundry & Dry Cleaning Pick-Up-Points will conduct a required inventory. Operating hrs will be:

Pick-Up-Point 1, McNair	noon — 5 p.m.
Pick-Up-Point 2, TCA	11 a.m. — 5 p.m.
Pick-Up-Point 3, Truman Plaza	1 p.m. — 6 p.m.
Pick-Up-Point 5, Andrews	10 a.m. — 5 p.m.

## Tow service available

US Forces personnel wishing to dispose of POV's should contact the Security Police for arrangements to have non-operative vehicles towed to the TCA salvage lot. This service is free of charge and is also available to the general public. For further information, please call 5180.

## Please watch requirements and deadline!

News Notes and Classified Ads for each week's issue will be printed space available only, and are due by close of business Tuesday. They must either be typewritten or printed. Thank you for your consideration.

## Rock the night away

The Friendship Lounge presents an All Night Rock Party, featuring the Top Rock Band: "Godzilla." Pierre On The Air will also be spinning records for your listening enjoyment, so come on out and Rock the Night Away on July 4! The fun starts at 9 p.m. and goes until the wee hours of the morning. Come early or buy a ticket in advance from the manager on duty. Just \$5 per person.

## Upcoming MSAD events

Taco Party at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center June 30 at 5 p.m. with lively entertainment. Cost is only \$1. Must sign up by June 26. Call 3554 or 3527 for more information.

Wanted! Teachers for leisure classes to be sponsored by the Hi-Lite Recreation Center! Especially interested in instructors to teach Disco dancing, ballroom dancing, fencing, and cooking classes but also need other teachers too! Call Hi-Lite Recreation Center at 3554 or 3527 for details by August 1.

Can you name an experience in which you can be simultaneously decisive, creative, artistic, and have a group of people under your total control? No, we don't mean ghost writing your CO's memoirs, we mean directing a play! If you want to learn how, register for our directing workshop which takes place tomorrow, Sunday, June 27 and 28. Basic background information and specific techniques will be covered to give you a proper start in this field. Come by the Music & Theatre Center or call 3550 to find out more.

The 1981 German-American Volksfest will soon be here! Once again the Music & Theatre program is providing the entertainment for this fabulous 18-day event and you can still get involved if you have an act we can use. To find out, call 3550 or, if you just want to watch the action, be there July 30 to August 16 from 2 p.m. until midnight.

There is a Summer Arts and Crafts Show being held in the Main Library until June 30. Stop by and see what kinds of things are available to you for your summer leisure.

Due to instructor leave, McNair Multi Crafts will be operating on an adjusted schedule. The schedule of operating hours for that period is as follows: tomorrow and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Monday, closed for inventory and training; Tuesday, 5 to 10 p.m.; Wednesday, 4 to 10 p.m.; July 4 and 5, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; July 6 and 7, 5 to 10 p.m.; July 8, 4 to 10 p.m.

What do a Sgraffito Duster, a ribbon tool, a deep clean-up and a sanding screen have in common? They are all new tools in stock at Andrews Ceramics. These and many other new tools are currently in inventory.

McNair Multi-Crafts has new belt buckles and new leather kits for your summer crafting pleasure. Andrews Wood Shop now has aluminum sectional frames in silver, pewter, gold, black and bronze, in various sizes.

Due to the increased cost for both slip ingredients and molds the Andrews Ceramics Shop will increase the fees for ceramic pouring effective July 1. The new fee schedule will be based on the amount of slip held in a mold on the initial pouring. The new fees will be as follows: mini molds, (using 1 cup of slip or less), \$.50; small molds, (using up to 1/2 gallon of slip), \$1; medium molds, (using up to 1 gallon of slip), \$2; large molds, (using up to 2 gallons of slip), \$3; extra large molds, (using over 2 gallons of slip), \$4.

MSAD Crafts is looking for skilled and talented people who are skilled in one or two craft areas and would like to get paid for teaching a craft. You name the craft, the time and the price — MSAD wants your skills. For more information call Linda Watkins at 6907.

A recital of classical and contemporary songs will be presented at the Music and Theater Center, Andrews on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. There is no admission charge for this special concert featuring Robert Edwards and Andrew Sullivan.

On June 25 at 6 p.m. the All American Recreation Center will offer a free pizza party. Come over and make your own special type! Telephone 3125 for information.

All MSAD Crafts patrons are reminded that projects left in the shop without being worked on for 30 days will be disposed of. If you are going on leave this summer make sure all your projects are tagged and properly updated.

Andrews Auto Craft Shops patrons need to be aware that the following changes have been made in gate usage to the Auto Shop: during the first hour of operation on weekends and American holidays, the Andrews interior gate will be used. At all other times the Baseler Strasse gate will be used. All autos will exit the Baseler Strasse gate. Patrons should further note that untagged vehicles left outside the craft shop area are considered abandoned, subject to vandalism and stripping as well as being processed as a violation of Reg 190-1 which prohibits the abandonment of privately owned vehicles on government installations. Therefore all auto crafts patrons are advised to keep their vehicle inside the crafts shop lot if room is available or in storage at the Andrews or McNair No-Op lot, if not.

## Explore Berlin with ITT

Everyone loves the zoo! Visit the Tiergarten Zoo in East Berlin with ITT June 30. For more information about this marvelous opportunity call ITT at 6523/7189.

The Freedom Bell in Rathaus Schöneberg echos the words of Abraham Lincoln and John F. Kennedy every day at noon. Lincoln's words are inscribed on it and Kennedy spoke in front of it. Come with ITT to hear this gift of 17 million Americans, whose signatures are on display, proclaim freedom in Berlin. This Special tour takes place on the anniversary of President Kennedy's visit to Berlin in 1963 when he declared "I am a Berliner." As a "Berliner" join ITT for a visit to this historic freedom landmark. Call ITT at 6523/7189 for more details.

Luebars. See this tranquil farm village dating back to the 1700's with ITT. Get away from it all right here in Berlin Tuesday. For more details about this peaceful day in the country call ITT at 6523/7189.

ITT announces another brand NEW SUMMERTIME TOUR! First, see Berlin from the heights of the Glockenturm. Then continue on to Gatow to view a historic collection of planes. Enjoy the tranquility of the Glienickeersee on the East German border and literally look through the "Wall" as you head for your final destinations of Spandau Prison and the Citadelle. Intrigued? Call ITT at 6523/7189 for more information.

Back by popular demand is ITT's tour to the Reichstag on Father's Day, Sunday. Learn more about this historic building and enjoy a three course meal while treating dad to a special day! What a way to satisfy your curiosity.

## DYA activities

The DYA invites all Preteens ages 6-12 years to a fun movie and lots of popcorn all for free Wednesday from 6-8 p.m.

The DYA Children's Tours Program announces a summer boat trip on the Wannsee for Preteens ages 6-12 years on Thursday from 1-4 p.m. The cost will be DM3 per child and parents are welcome to join at a cost of DM5. Spaces are limited so sign up early at the DYA Program Office.

Rock into the summer at the DYA Preteen Disco June 27 from 7-10 p.m. The Disco is open to all Preteens, ages 9-12 years. Cost will be \$1 with a DYA Card and \$1.50 without a DYA Card.

Get a super spin at the Fantastic DYA Do-Nut Rolling Contest. The special DYA event is for all preteens, ages 6-12 years, June 20 at 4 p.m.

Girls, its not too late to join the DYA Dance Team!! If you are between the ages of 13 and 19 like to dance, come perform at Volksfest with us. Contact Ms. Nelson at the DYA for information.

The DYA will again be organizing temporary Summer Jobs through the Volksfest Clean-up Project. These jobs will be open to all DYA members, ages 10 and over. Pay is \$1.50 an hour. Registration has been going on since Monday and will continue until July 17 at the DYA. Final selectees for the jobs will be chosen from a lottery which will be held July 22, starting at 10 a.m. in the Sports Center Gym. Call DYA Admin, 6249, for more information.

## Traffic on Hüttenweg reduced

Due to the attachment of heating lines from the TAR School to the heating plants, traffic flow at Hüttenweg was cut in half and will remain so until June 30. One lane of the road will be closed at a time.

## TOPS is moving to TAR

Thursday, TOPS GE-123 moved to the Thomas A. Roberts school cafeteria. The times are the same — weigh-ins from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. in the Nurses Office and the meeting in the cafeteria at 7 p.m. For more information call 801-4157 or 813-8934.

## Job opening at Andrews

The Ceramics Crafts Shop at Andrews has a job opening for a full-time supervisor. The position is a C-VI, DM-paid opening. For more information, please call Linda Watkins at 6907.

## Use Crosswalk

The Berlin Provost Marshal's Office and local Berlin police are concerned with the American community's failure to use the crosswalk in front of the US Consulate when crossing Clayallee. For your own safety, please make use of the crosswalk. It is there to protect you!

## 81-82 school schedule announced

Due to circumstances beyond our control student schedules have not yet been prepared for the year 1981-82. This will necessitate some changes in our normal registration procedures.

Parents of returning students are requested to complete the necessary registration forms, (health bus, emergency cards, equipment, forms etc.) with the exception of the schedule card according to the times listed below.

If you are unable to come during your assigned time, please come during the morning, any day.

Monday	July 6	A-D	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Tuesday	July 7	A-D	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Thursday	July 9	E-I	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Friday	July 10	E-I	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Monday	July 13	J-M	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Tuesday	July 14	J-M	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Thursday	July 16	N-R	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Friday	July 16	N-R	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Tuesday	July 31	S-V	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Monday	July 20	S-V	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Thursday	July 23	W-Z	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Friday	July 24	W-Z	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Schedules for returning seventh through 10th grade students will be prepared by counselors in early August. Returning 11th and 12th grade students will come in by appointment during the morning hours of the week of Aug. 10. Please call the guidance office at 819-6393 or 819-6359 to make these appointments or for further information.

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## For sale

A wide variety of house plants are available for viewing and sale this week. Some of these plants are in Macrame hangers, some in wall-mount hangers and some are tabletop plants. All prices are firm. You may see these plants at 33, Flanagan Str., Apt. 2 in the BB housing area. Also for sale are over 250 tropical fish, assorted aquatic plants and aquarium accessories for decorating your aquarium. The aquariums are not for sale. For more information concerning these items you may call 813-6355 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily.

The Property Disposal Office is offering the following vehicles for sale: 1978 Fiat 131S Mirafiori, American Specs., two door sedan, blue, four cycle gasoline engine, S/N 131A30347605, Odometer 28882 \$700; 1968 Mercedes 220, European Specs., four door sedan, blue, four cycle gasoline engine, automatic transmission, S/N 11501012004290, Odometer 84971km, \$250; 1971 Opel Record 1900, European Specs., two door sedan, green, four cycle gasoline engine, automatic transmission S/N 5128976, Odometer 129486km, \$200; 1968 VW Beetle, European Specs., silver, without engine S/N 118085677, Odometer 77072km, \$100. The sale will be held Friday, June 26 at noon. Vehicles are sold "As Is" for "Cash Only" at the time of sale. Vehicles may be inspected from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. the week of the sale, starting June 22. For more information contact the DPDO at 819-3174.

White painted, wooden storage cabinet, \$15. two-piece kitchen cabinet, in excellent condition, \$40. 10 decorator mirrors, \$4 each. Various transformers. Call 772-3399 after 5 p.m.

Going PCS Must Sell — Grundin super color 22-inch television (220V), excellent condition, \$275. Following items all 220V: toaster, mixer, transformers, odds and ends: prices negotiable. Tomorrow and Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 14, Lutzelsteiner Weg (duck pond area). Call 832-8283.

Items: Marantz 2275 Tuner/Amplifier. Sony color TV KC 1517, 110V; Sunbeam Spray/Steam Iron, 110V; Two boys' 19" bikes; tennis rackets, complete sets of playmobile, Fischer Price and Playskool block toys. Complete sets of Big Jim and GI Joe toys. Tonka trucks. Give away: guitar with cracked box. Call 831-3666 after 6 p.m.

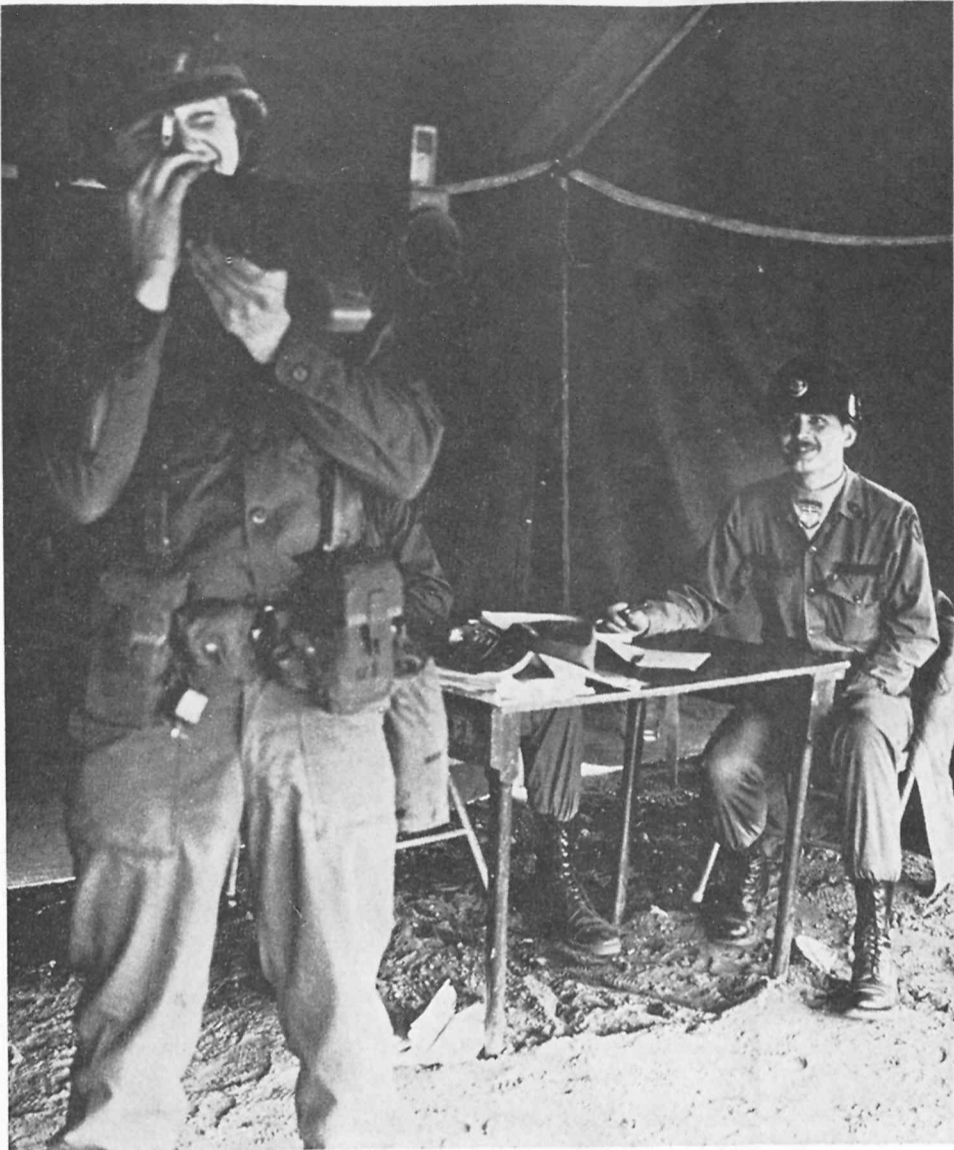
PCS Basement Sale — Tomorrow and Sunday from 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Items include space heaters, transformers, clothes, some baby furniture, electric bottle sterilizer, and many more items. 29, Flanaganstrasse by Kentucky Fried chicken. Basement Sale — 8, Charles H. King Strasse tomorrow and Sunday from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Clocks, plants, toys, and much more. Call 801-3958.

For Sale — 1969 VW Beetle German specs., good mechanical condition, some rust, good second car, very dependable, \$295. Call 813-8783.

PCS Yard Sale — tomorrow 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. 5, Stewardstrasse, 20" boys bicycle, transformers, children's games and toys, extension cords, guinea pig cage, and lots more.

## Wanted

Cat Sitter Wanted for three weeks in July in your home. We will pay \$40 to someone who will take care of our two-year old female cat while we are on vacation. All you have to do is change the litter box every few days, feed her and love her. Call 819-5331 ask for Debbie.



ZEROING IN — Sp4 Randolph E. Rhymers, Company B, 4th Battalion, takes aim with the Light Anti-tank Weapon during one station of his SQT, while SSgt. David A. Zak,

makes sure that he is doing it correctly. This was just one of the many stations that the soldiers of 4th Battalion were tested at during their SQT. (Photo by Linda Jach)

# Unit soldiers SQT qualify

by Linda Jach

After four long weeks of practice, pre-testing and record testing, most of 4th Battalion's soldiers have finished their Skill Qualification Test for MOS's 11B, 11C and 11H, on McNair Compound.

The soldiers were tested on a wide variety of soldiering skills, including, qualification with an M16A1, reading a compass and proper radio/telephone procedures. Specialized tasks were given for specialized Military Occupational Specialties, too.

"About 70 soldiers went through the stations each day," said SFC Fritz E. Humphries, Company C, 4th Battalion.

During the practice phase of the SQT, soldiers went through the test as if it was "real." If they made a mistake, then they were told they did wrong. The next step for the soldier who got a "no-go" was to repeat the task over and over again until the correct procedure was used, according to Humphries.

To ensure that the testers were also

qualified, CSM James E. Clark, the battalion command sergeant major, made the NCOs go through the testing themselves. He asked a lot of questions, testing the testers to make sure that everything was done correctly!

"I must make sure that all scorers are proficient at their stations by making them perform the tasks themselves. This way, I ensure that the soldiers are evaluated properly," explained Clark.

"I think it was good and necessary training. I learned a little more about my job, too," said Sp4 Paul M. Czub, Company B, 4th Battalion.

All 11Bs in skill levels one and two were tested at 13 hands-on stations, while those in skill levels three and four were tested in nine areas. For 11C and 11H MOS's, soldiers were tested in 14 areas for skill levels one and two, and nine areas were scored for skill levels three and four.

The soldiers finished their SQT Thursday, just to wait until next year, when the qualification testing comes up again.

## Berlin graduates hailed at ceremony

Sixty-eight Berlin soldiers were honored at a graduation ceremony held Wednesday morning at the Coliseum Theater on McNair Compound.

The 1981 Graduation Ceremony, sponsored by G-3's Education Branch, featured many speakers and presentations of diplomas, certificates and degrees, according to Margaret Walters, education guidance counselor at the McNair Education Center.

During the past year, more than 140 soldiers have received their high school diplomas, however, some were unable to attend the ceremony, said Walters.

The student speaker, Sp4 Gregory Holden, Company A, 4th Battalion, focused his speech towards what education means to him — the importance of it.

Six units were represented at the ceremony: 2nd, 3rd and 4th Battalions, Combat Support Battalion, Field Station, Berlin and MEDDAC.

Among the guest speakers was Brig. Gen. John E. Rogers, Berlin Brigade commander, who awarded the soldiers their certificates.

Chaplain (Capt.) Darryl Goldman, gave the invocation and benediction. The 298th U. S. Army Band supplied the entertainment for the 300 guests in attendance.

## Turns writing into art

# PFC enjoys 'painting' letters

by Sue Sweeney

The original manuscript of the Declaration of Independence was written by a calligrapher, or someone who writes letters and words as beautifully as they can be written.

PFC Benny Crawford, Combat Support Company, 2nd Battalion is a calligrapher. He's been painting letters for seven years and has done several projects for his company and battalion.

"My dad had the most influence on my painting," said Crawford, a native of Athens, Georgia. "He was a professional artist. When I told him that I wanted to learn about it seriously, he gave me a book to read that had many illustrations of types of letters. He then bought my first set of brushes."

Crawford says that his dad still offers advice on his work. He smiles as he says that his favorite type of lettering is Old English, because each letter and word is sharp, clear and defined.

"It looks beautiful," he said.

"My favorite thing to work on is a race car," admits Crawford. "It is very exacting because you have to make both sides look exactly alike. First you do one side and see if the owner likes it. Then you do the other side. It has to be identical."

Crawford says that he often works on his projects during his spare time and is now working on a Distinguished Guardian board. He also letters doors, walls, boards and other things.

The amount of time that it takes to complete a project depends on the number of letters and words necessary. A car door or board would take about two hours.

"I haven't used my talent to earn money since I've been in Berlin," said Crawford, but before I got here I could earn money for everything that I painted."

Crawford, has been in the Army for 13 months and has other hobbies besides painting.

"I really enjoy sports," said Crawford. "I would say that running is my favorite sport. I would like to become a national champion in the 800-meter run. Before I left Georgia I could run as fast as the state record. Someday I hope to be able to beat that."

Since I've been in Berlin I have done about 25 projects," said Crawford. "Overall I would say I've done over 1,000 and have photo albums packed full with pictures of the projects."



**LEARNING AND INSTRUCTING** — Members of the Support Company of the 1st Kings own Royal Border Regiment look on as a class on the "Four-Duece Mortar" is given by

NCO's of Combat Support Company, 2nd Battalion. The visitors also had an opportunity to try out the Combat Training Theater at Rose Range.

(Photo by R. Gibson)

# British counterparts view 'our' unit's job, compare it to their own

by Sue Sweeney

Soldiers from Combat Support Company, 2nd Battalion hosted their British counterparts at Parks Range and their company area on Monday.

The Support Company, 1st Kings Own Royal Border Regiment, compared and contrasted the methods the American soldiers use at Doughboy City and the Combat Training Theatre as well as living areas found in the company to their own.

First the soldiers visited the company and they were surprised that offices, like the First Sergeants' or the Orderly Room would be found in the same building as the soldiers' sleeping area.

Also, the soldiers were surprised that Americans are responsible for maintaining the conditions of their billets.

"When we showed them the upstairs, we were in the process of maintaining and painting it. They mentioned that they would have a crew come in to do that," said SFC John Coslick, acting first sergeant.

After they were done seeing the company area, they proceeded to

Parks Range where they watched a demonstration of 4.2 mortars, TOW weapons systems tracking on target boards, night vision devices, weapons displays and more.

"They tried several of our TOW systems and were good with them," said Coslick. "They are our sister unit. They have the same mission as we do and practice on the same equipment, basically. Their methods and techniques, however, are different. This was their chance to learn about ours."

"On July 3, we will visit the British unit and learn about how they operate and practice," added Coslick.

"This was an opportunity for us to work with our sister unit," said Capt. Kerry Abbington, commanding officer of Combat Support Company.

During the American-style lunch and throughout the day the soldiers got a chance to share ideas about each others training methods, and living conditions.

"This visit and the one we have scheduled helps further Allied solidarity in the four-powered city of Berlin," said Abbington.

## Soldiers tested under 'real' situations

# 3rd Battalion live-fires in West Germany

During 3rd Battalion's recent training exercise held at Grafenwoehr, West Germany, Company A's soldiers participated in realistic and stressful squad and platoon live-fire exercises.

The day after their arrival at rainy Grafenwoehr, members of Company A moved to the field and established a tactical bivouac site from training and operations were conducted.

For the next five days, squads and platoons moved out to the maneuver/live-fire ranges where they tested their proficiency in Army Readiness Training and Evaluation Program tasks. To test these skills under realistic situations, live ammunition was used in all individual and crew-served weapons against targets.

The climax of the exercise came when Cobra gunships, 8" artillery and the company's 81mm mortars fired support for the maneuvering platoons.

This, like any other live-fire exercise, depended on the skill, alert-

ness, and self-discipline of the individual soldier and the leadership ability of the team, squad and platoon leaders to be successful.

"The squad live-fire was the best and the most interesting part of the trip. We were using live ammunition and learned a lot about fire and maneuver," said Pvt. 1 Leslie A. Hallonquist. "The chow in the field was good."

The soldiers qualified on their individual and crew-served weapons and to wrap it up, Company A's soldiers participated in a field training exercise using a vast expanse of off-post training areas. During this phase, the squads and then the platoons were sent on long-range patrols.

"It was great training," said Sp4 David D. Williams, "I hadn't done anything like it since leaving Korea three years ago. In the city, we get away from walking with our rucksacks and this was a good way to get

back into shape and see who in the squad can hang in there when the going gets tough."

The soldiers of Company A proved

that they could hang in there and at the same time, improved the skill and self-confidence needed in their daily work.



**MOVING OUT** — Soldiers from Company A, 3rd Battalion move out during the recent major training area exercise held in Grafenwoehr, West

Germany. The soldiers were able to use live rounds during their training, making the training more realistic.

(Photo by Mark Bixler)

# Unit gives VIPs first-hand look

by Linda Jach

Combat Support Battalion got their chance to host the mayor and district officials of Neukoelln June 11 and since the battalion is somewhat different from the infantry units here, the visit proved to be unique for the visitors and hosts alike.

Approximately 30 officials came on the tour,



**STUDENT AND TEACHER** — District Councillor, Professor Guenter Mardus, learns the basic techniques of "sweeping" for mines at 42nd Engineer Company's SQT site. This was just one of the "events" the officials participated in on their visit to Combat Support Battalion last week.

(Photo by Lyn Garrett)

including the Neukoelln District Mayor, Dr. Heinz Stuecklen.

Their day started, as with all tours, at the Berlin Brigade Army Museum, where the dignitaries received a briefing about the Combat Support Battalion and the battalion's role here in Berlin.

From there, it was on to Andrews Compound where the officials observed the soldiers of the 42nd Engineer Company take their Skill Qualification Test. Some of the visitors even got free lessons on sweeping for mines and were allowed to handle a Light Anti-Tank Weapon. Heavy construction equipment was also shown to the Berliners at the company's motor pool.

By this time, it was getting near lunch, so it was off to Parks Range, where the district officials were served a meal from a field mess trailer.

After lunch, the officials were loaded onto trucks and driven over to one of three stations set up at the range.

At the first station, the visitors were invited to ride in and drive some of Company F, 40th Armor's

tanks.

Next they viewed the operation of some of Battery C, 94th Field Artillery's equipment and some even fired a 14.5 sub-caliber device that the battery uses for training.

The visitors were particularly impressed by one of the Howitzers because it was named after the district Neukoelln. Stuecklen was so impressed that he presented the battery's commander, Capt. Mario A. Cervantes with a plaque of the district crest.

At the last station, the officials were taken into the Combat Training Theater where they were given the chance to fire at the targets.

Lt. Col. William N. Johnson, Combat Support Battalion commander, ended the tour by presenting the officials with a certificate, making all who participated, honorary members of the Berlin Brigade.

"I liked explaining to the Berliners about my unit and why we're here," explained Sgt. Herman F. Wash, Battery C, 94th Field Artillery. "I really think they liked it, too."



**AND AWAY WE GO...** — Neukoelln officials and soldiers of Company F, 40th Armor climb aboard and find a spot as District Mayor of Neukoelln, Dr.

Heinz Stuecklen, takes the group for a spin. The visiting officials were all given a chance if they wanted to ride in or drive the tracked vehicles.

(Photo by Lyn Garrett)

by Linda Jach

If anyone in the command has lost their keys, a wallet or any other small item, they should try looking for it at the Lost and Found Property Room at the Provost Marshal's Office.

At present, there are about 100 items including four bicycles, that haven't been claimed, according to Sgt. David S. Elliott, property NCO, PMO.

"It seems like the members of the command who have lost something and do call, may not find what they're looking for, however, for those members who don't call, we usually wind up having their property," he explained.

The room accepts any item that is turned in as lost, he said. "You'd be surprised at some of the items turned in. One time, we had a whole stereo unit turned in!"

## Lost items found at property room

The property that is turned into the room and isn't claimed, may end up anywhere of three places.

If it's of no use to the government, it's destroyed, according to Elliott. If it is valuable, it'll probably be turned over to the Property Disposal Office to be resold to the public. "Other times, the merchandise will just be partially used, for its scrap value."

To claim an item, all that is needed is verbal identification of the item, continued Elliott. Also, the person must have personal identification such as an ID card or passport.

For those members of the command who have found an item and would like to turn it in or for those members who have lost something, the Lost and Found Room is open Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The items are only kept for 120 days, so "losers" should call as soon as possible.

# Wannsee facilities offer 'water' fun

by Dean Brown

At the Wannsee Harbor and Recreation Center, summer activity takes many forms, ranging from pure relaxation in the sun to boating lessons, water skiing, and windsurfing.

The Wannsee facilities center is a large house formerly used as a residence by high officials of the German government during the World War II era.

Sloping away from the back of the mansion is a large grassy area perfect for lounging in the sun. At the end of that area, Lake Wannsee offers its waters to several kinds of boats you can rent at the recreation center.

Boats range from a tour-boat-with-driver to the simplest of paddle boats. The rest of the spectrum includes motor boats, sailboats of varying sizes, windsurfers, and rowboats.

Rental prices for these vessels range from \$10 per hour for the tour-boat-with-driver to as little as 50 cents per hour for windsurfers, paddle boats and rowboats. Altogether, the center has more than 50 boats available for use.

Lessons in operating these boats are also available. You can learn windsurfing or sailing at reasonable rates.

If you prefer being towed on the water, get into water skiing for \$1, a sum which will get you three rounds of skiing.

Early-morning fishing tours have been added to the list of harbor services. This activity allows you a chance for sport even before you head off for work.

House parties add still more to the spectrum of harbor activities. If you want a very-pleasant atmosphere for your next gathering, arrange a Friday or Saturday night event at the Wannsee facility by calling 6696 between 8 a.m. and noon.

The recreation center also has barbecue facilities available for use on the lawn near the waters of the Wannsee. These are yours on a first-come, first-serve basis without any charge.

If you feel like leaving Berlin, but do not care to pay any hotel bills, take advantage of the camping equipment you can rent from the Wannsee Recreation Center. The equipment includes tents of all sizes, sleeping bags, trailers and much, much

more. Call 6696 for details.

The Wannsee Harbor operating hours are from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and American holidays falling on a Monday. For more information, call 6555. Camping equipment rental hours are from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8 a.m. to noon on Saturdays.

Military buses to Wannsee Harbor leave Truman Plaza daily at 9:35 a.m., 1:05 p.m. and 4:05 p.m.



*BREAKING THE WAVES — Sail boats, paddle boats, boards for windsurfing or ski boats are all available from the Wannsee Recreation Center.*

*With the summer weather now upon us water sports seem to be a favorite past-time of many members of the American military command here. (Photo by Jim Joerger)*

## Radio station airs all new sounds

Bright new super sounds of summer will come charging through your radio starting Saturday, the first day of summer.

AFN Berlin officials announced an all new sound on AM Radio with newly produced stateside jingles and prizes galore for identifying the "Mystery Sound" of the summer season.

These sounds will be aired periodically and listeners correctly identifying the sound within 10 minutes of the broadcast will be the lucky winners. Details on live program starts Sunday.

AFN will kick off their new super summer program tomorrow with a three-hour live FM broadcast in front of the Main Exchange at Truman Plaza.

All of your favorite radio personalities will be on hand during the three-hour broadcast free photos will be taken by AAFES of guest posing in front of a photo facade showing old-fashioned men and women's bathing suits. Produces for this show will be SSgt. Dan Chapman and SSgt. Greg Foss.

A special three-hour program of Beatlemania, hosted by TSgt. Rik DeLisle will be heard on AFN Berlin FM Saturday from nine to noon.

## 'Mork and Mindy' top list

# AFN announces new shows

by Mark White

June has busted out all over with warm, sunny weather (something of a rarity in Germany) and now in comes July with our country's Independence Day, fireworks, picnics, barbecues, swimming, sailing and all the assorted summer pleasures that time will allow.

AFN TV has a number of new shows for your summertime enjoyment with one of the country's most popular, "Mork and Mindy", joining the gala lineup of top shows.

Two more top-rated shows return to the AFN line-up: "White Shadow" and "Charlie's Angels" starting Cheryl Ladd and Jaclyn Smith.

Top movies of the month feature the regular Saturday night specials on "Viewers Choice" (the ones you voted for remember) including "From Here to Eternity" starring Burt Lancaster, Ernest Borgnine and Frank Sinatra plus a brilliant performance by Montgomery Clift.

The second Saturday presentation is the classic "Alexander The Great" with Richard Burton portraying the heroic Alexander with Frederick March and Clair Bloom.

Elvis Presley plays a returning soldier in the scenic "Blue Hawaii" co-starring with Joan Blackman and Angela Lansbury. John "The Duke" Wayne finishes up the month with Susan Wayne and Dennis O'Keefe in "The Fighting See Bee," a rousing war melodrama loaded with action in the South Pacific.

August and September will highlight "All About Eve," "Robin Hood," "On the Way to the Forum"

and the "Over the Hill Gang" along with "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof"; "Khartoum" and "Arsenic and Old Lace."

Other flicks throughout the month are well worth the viewing as AFN presents William Holden and Richard Widmark in the historical western "Alvarez Kelly," based on a true incident during the Civil War.

Dean Martin slips into his agent role as Matt Helm for the comedy called "The Ambushers" co-starring the lovely Austrian actress, Senta Berger.

The hilarious "Fun with Dick and Jane" stars George Segal and Jane Fonda as an upper middle-class couple who turn to robbery when their over-extended life style is threatened when George gets fired.

Be looking for "Bye, Bye Birdie" with Janet Leigh and Dick Van Dyke; Peter O'Toole and Omar Sharif in "Night of Generals" and Lee Meriweather and Robert Vaughan with Loretta Swit in "Mirror, Mirror."

The only shows dropping off the schedule for awhile are "Chopper Squad;" "Tim Conway" and "Sheriff Lobo."

We are anticipating airing several "live" satellite baseball games during the season so watch your local papers.

Swing into summer with a super Independence Day and our best wishes for cool and delightful viewing.

If you have a comment about AFN's radio or TV programming, give us a call at 6145, or write to: Programming, AFN Berlin, APO 09742.

# Berlin softball, baseball underway, going strong

by R. Gibson

With the baseball and softball season well underway in four different leagues, the action stays pretty hot and heavy.

In the women's league, the team from Speak Easy is undefeated after four games and is one game in front of the team from TCA.

The current league standings are:

Speak Easy	4	0
TCA	3	1
Hits & Misses	1	0

MEDDAC	1	1
HHC (P)	1	2
AAFES Spoilers	1	2
4/6 Ladies	0	2
40th Armor Ladies	0	4

If you want to watch the women's league in action, head down to Andrews field or the field at TCA any Sunday or Wednesday.

No standings were available for the active duty men's league but games are being played at the Andrews

Field on Saturday. The action is good and rumor has it that the competition is pretty keen!

The Dependent Youth Activity started their season of three weeks ago and hosts eight leagues with a total of 52 teams. The top teams in the T-ball league at press time were the Padres and the Royals, each with an 3-0 record.

In the minor league, the Red Sox are walking away with a 5-0 string of victories. The boys bantam league has the Angels out in front with a 4-1

record while the girl's bantam finds the Raiders on top with a 4-1 standing.

The boy's junior league has the Cubs and the Padres tied for first, each with a 3-2 record. The girl's junior league Blazers are doing well with a 5-1 lead over the next competitors.

The senior boys, a traveling DYA team, is off to a charging start with a 5-1 record and the seniors girl's team is undefeated and well on its way with a six-game winning streak.

## Visit the outdoors

### Rec Centers offer fun

Three special events for the outdoor recreation fan are coming soon to Ansbach, Chiemsee and Garmish, all of them open to fun seekers from Berlin.

In Ansbach, a U. S. Army Europe (USAREUR) archery tournament is slated for July 25-26, and again Aug. 22-23. All active duty service members and their guests and families may participate in the tournament, and good luck.

In Chiemsee camping is the key word for Sept. 18-20 when the first USA-REUR camping jamboree will be held there. The jamboree will feature not only some of the best camping in Europe, but many activities and events such as archery, mini-golf,

volleyball and tennis. Not to mention boating, water skiing and sailing. Look for information posters to be out soon giving details of the event.

In Garmish, the Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC) will host the USAREUR kayaking championships Aug. 1-2. Kayakers will have to negotiate high speed currents through difficult, narrow passages that will require complex maneuvering skill and perhaps occasional scouting from shore.

For more details on any of these events give the Sports Office a call at 6768 or 6168. Or drop by the office on Clay Headquarters Compound, Building 2, 3rd Floor.

### Berlin women's volleyball team pleased with USAREUR finish

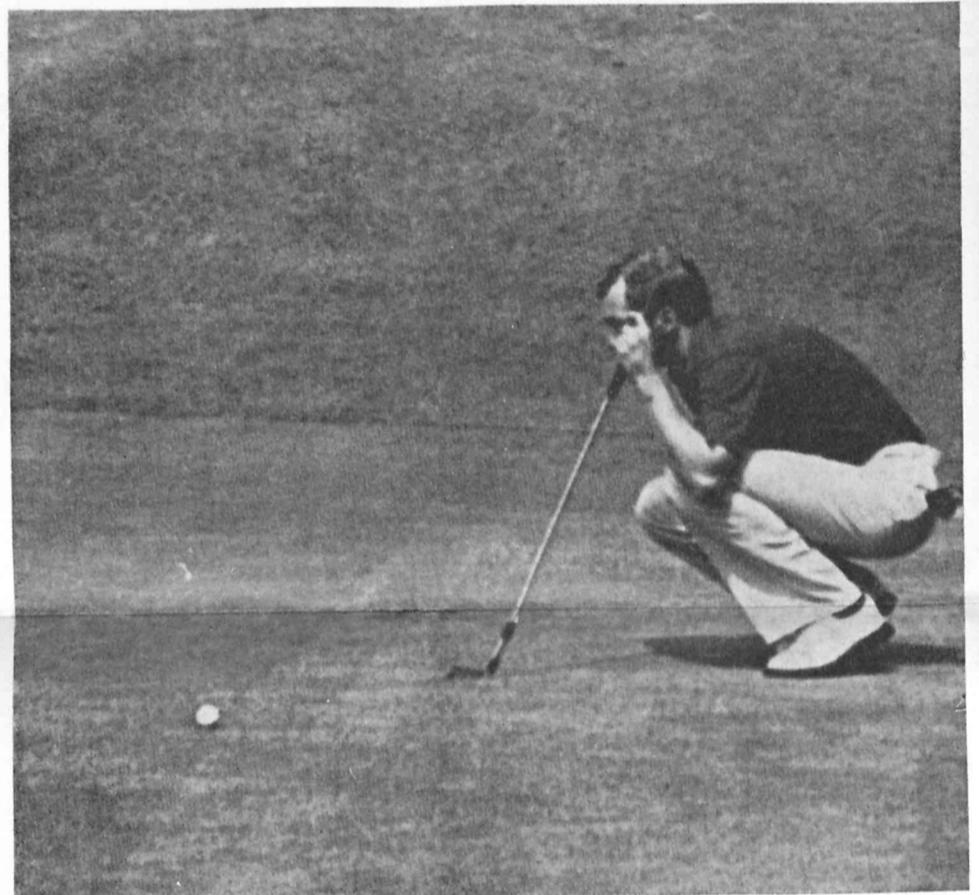
by R. Gibson

The Berlin women's volleyball team recently traveled to Wuerzburg, West Germany to take part in the (USAREUR) volleyball championships.

Tying for fifth place was a satisfactory performance according to Mike Simonsen, coach of the Berlin team. The team members had never played together, and had only one

opportunity to practice before the tournament.

Now the team is back and recruiting players to bolster their roster. They plan to enter the German league where they feel they can face some great competition. If you are interested in playing volleyball with the brigade women's team, Mike Simonsen is the point of contact at 3430.



### Eagle eye

*LINING UP A PUTT — Marco Spellacy stoops to line up a putt while playing in the Berlin Open Golf Tournament here last weekend. Spellacy finished second behind Jim Benning from Stuttgart. Spellacy is from Ramstein Air Force Base and*

*came to Berlin to take part in the tournament. The weather threatened to cancel out regular tournament play, but as the clouds passed the tournament was played in scattered sun light. (Photo by Jim Joerger)*

## sports shorts

### Rugby is catching on

If you're interested in fast-moving, hard-hitting sports, then now's the chance you've been waiting for.

A Rugby team is now practicing at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the McNair Barracks field, across from the School of Standards.

The team still needs players and all military, U. S. employed civilians, and family members over 18 years of age are eligible.

For more information on how you can join this exciting

game, contact Brian McConnell at 6112 or 6188.

### Using Dueppel facilities

ID card holders have first priority on the Dueppel Sportsplatz facilities.

The tennis courts and multi-purpose court are available on a first come, first served basis and anyone desiring use of fields should contact the DYA Sports Director.

Unauthorized users can be required to leave upon presentation of an ID card by an authorized user. If no response

is obtained, MPs can be called upon for assistance.

### Tennis Championship

The 1981 U. S. Army Berlin tennis championships will be held on June 29 through July 1 at the Harnack House courts. For the team competition, each battalion will be allowed six entries in the singles event and three entries in the doubles event. The three divisions for the men will be the open division, junior vets, for players 35-44 years of age, and the seniors division for players 45

and over. The women's competition will be an all open division. Military personnel who plan to compete as individuals may do so. For further information please contact your battalion athletics and recreation NCO or the Sports Office at 6168/6768.

### Women's basketball

The DTV Charlottenburg women's basketball team holds practice twice a week and would like American players to join them. If you are interested please contact Sheila Graham at 6768 or 6168.

# Speakers

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transportation will be provided and the buses will depart the American Community Chapel at 5 p.m.

Irwin will also speak at the Trinity Church at Lipschitzallee 7, Berlin Buckow on June 27 at 8 p.m. A film of his moon flight will be shown during

this service and buses for this engagement will leave the American Community Chapel at 7 p.m.

Schuller invented the drive-in church 25 years ago in Garden Grove, Calif. Today, he preaches to nearly 10,000 people, some sitting in traditional pews, while the rest are parked in cars.

Schuller earned his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1950 at Western Theological Seminary in Holland, Mich. He built his first church in 1961 after beginning his ministry at the Orange Drive-in Theater near the Santa Ana Freeway.

The new church was designed by Richard Neutra and seated 1,700 people. This chapel was soon overcrowded with worshipers, so planning for the new "Crystal Cathedral" began a few years ago. The spectacular new cathedral has recently been completed at a cost of \$15 million and seats 4,000 people.

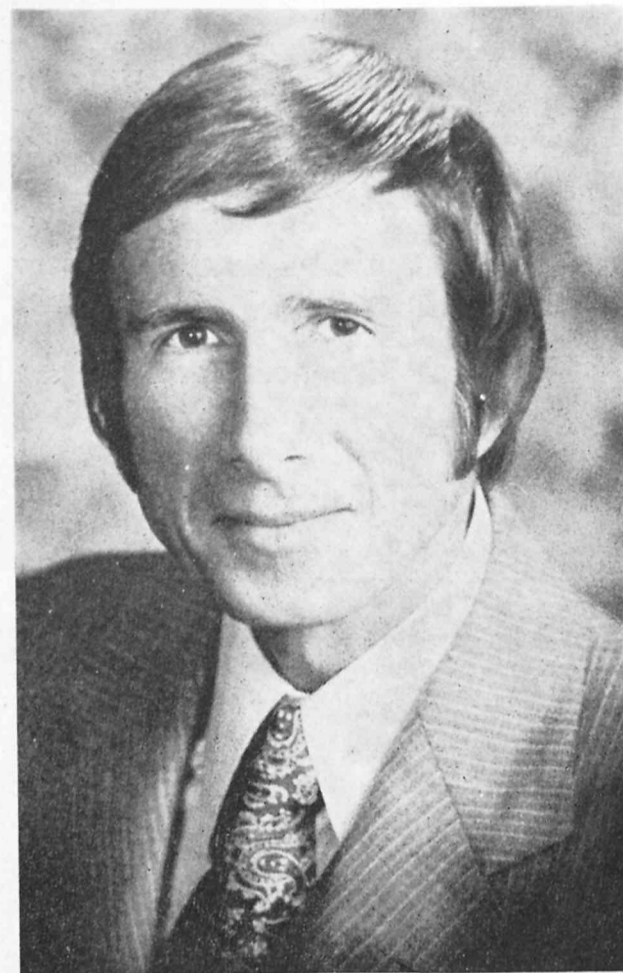
Schuller preaches a message of "Possibility Thinking" spiced with slogans like "Put a soul in your goal" and "Turn your scars into stars."

Irwin was commissioned into the Air Force after graduation from the Naval Academy. He has been an integral part of four Apollo Space Missions, and has accumulated nearly 300 hours of space flight. He retired from the Air Force in 1972 and founded the High Flight Foundation, an organization from which he shares his Christian Faith.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Distinguished Service Medal, the Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, the United Nations Peace Medal, the Military Chaplains Citizenship Award are just a few of his many awards and decorations.



Dr. Robert H. Schuller

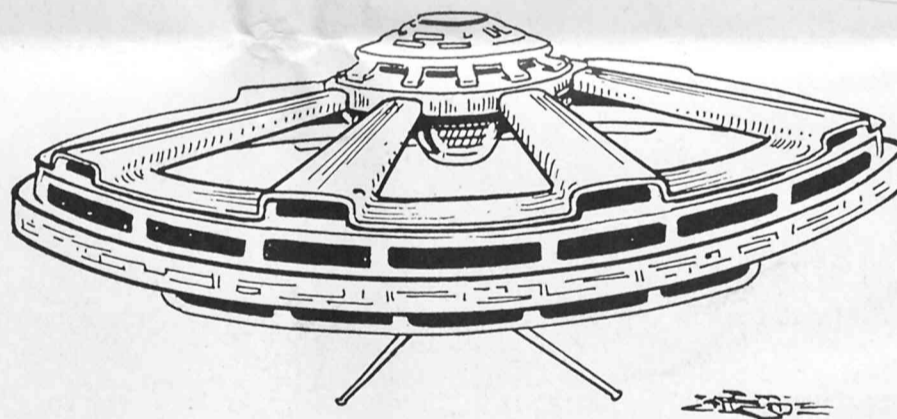


Col. (Ret.) James B. Irwin

## Library riding high with Starship Berlin

Hey kids, clones, robots and androids! Hop on board the "Starship Berlin" and join the Library's summer reading program. Win prizes, earn certificates and read your way through the summer.

If you are in 6th grade or below come to the main library next to the Outpost Theater and register beginning the last week of June to be part of the crew on the "Starship Berlin." Call 6559 for more information.



### 'Losing control' no excuse

## Paying attention is driving key

"What's new?"

"You mean new accidents?"

"Yes, are Berlin drivers finding new and different ways of cracking up?"

"Not really. Oh, here and there you'll find a freak accident, but by and large they're involved in the same old types of accidents."

"For instance?"

"Well, following too closely, improper backing and backing without a ground guide, failure to yield at intersections, and accidents resulting from going too fast for existing conditions. There are a couple of others just as familiar."

"Why?"

"The traps are always there and there's always a fair percentage of drivers who don't drive defen-

sively. These drivers don't devote their full attention to the task at hand — driving. As a result they fall into the traps. They just don't learn from the mistakes of others."

"What kind of reasons do they give? I mean, why do they say the accidents couldn't be prevented?"

"Here again they give the same excuses we've heard for years. All of the sudden the other guy slammed on his brakes, there was no way I could avoid hitting him; or, how about, he just appeared in the intersection from nowhere; or, as I started to back up I struck a vehicle that pulled up behind me. And some drivers seem to think 'lost control' will get them off the hook. Most accidents are caused by dumb mistakes."

"May be there's a message there."