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FALL FEST 2023

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ZOMBIE RUN

Get ready to out run those zombies! Full details on pg. 29

HAUNTED HALLOWEEN GLOW GOLF

Join Alpine Golf Course for some glow in the dark fun! More on pg. 30

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FALL FEST

2023

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

6PM: Zombie Run 5K – Dragon Fitness Center

6PM: Haunted Halloween Glow Golf - Alpine Golf Course
(Check in begins at 4:30pm)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH:

3PM-6PM: AYP's Trunk or Treat - Freedom Park

3PM-9PM: **Fall Fest Main Event** - Freedom Park

Non-Scary Hours: 3pm-6pm

Scary Hours: 6pm-9pm

Enjoy Food, Face Painting, Petting Zoo, Pumpkin Patch, Costume Contest, Pirate Ship, Entertainment, & SO much more!

SCAN FOR MORE INFO
ON FALL FEST 2023



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SPONSORS OF THE MONTH



SSgt Nathan Smith & SSgt Lukas Myers
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SSgt Nathan Smith and SSgt Lukas Myers teamed up to provide an exceptional sponsor experience for their newest team member. They were on top of their game, ensuring that the incoming Wyvern was contacted early on, received a welcome letter, sponsor package, phone calls, emails, and of course - the First 31 website link. Both sponsors were said to be extremely communicative, informative, and outstandingly helpful throughout the PCS process. Once their team member arrived, they ensured they were at the airport to welcome them, and helped them get settled in Aviano. The sponsee exclaimed they would "10/10 recommend SSgt Myers & SSgt Smith", and that there was nothing more they could have done to make them feel welcomed. Thank you, SSgt Myers & SSgt Smith!

EDUCATION CENTER

⇒ **INITIAL TA BRIEFINGS:** Covers everything you need to know to get your education started using Military Tuition Assistance. Mandatory for Airmen that have never used TA. In-person briefings every Wednesday at 9AM at the Education Center (Building 147, Area 1). First come, first served!

⇒ **COMMISSIONING TOWN HALL (VIRTUAL):**
<https://www.31fss.com/force-support/education-center>

⇒ **THE DoD SKILLBRIDGE PROGRAM** is an opportunity for members to gain valuable civilian work experience through specific industry training, apprenticeships, or internships during the last 180 days of service. For more information, visit dodskillbridge.usalearning.gov and email us at: 31fss.fsde.edcenterstaff@us.af.mil

⇒ **QUESTIONS ABOUT THE GI BILL?** In person briefing will be held at the Aviano Education Center on **October 25th**. First come, first served!

⇒ **VA REPRESENTATIVE?** Michael Leahy
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OCTOBER 1ST - 15TH

Veterans Affairs Advisor Visit
 MFRC | Monday, Oct. 2nd & Wed, Oct. 4th

Ditch the Dorms
 MFRC | Wednesday, Oct. 4th

18+ Cash Bingo
 La Bella Vista Club | Wednesday, Oct. 4th

Trenches Overnight Hiking
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Friday, Oct. 6th to Saturday, Oct. 7th

Base Championship Golf Tournament
 Alpine Golf Course | Friday, Oct. 6th to Sun, Oct. 8th

Amalfi Coast
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 7th to Monday, Oct. 9th

Bike Ride in Siena and Chianti
 Outdoor Recreation | Saturday, Oct. 7th to Monday, Oct. 9th

Trieste and Barcolana
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Sunday, Oct. 8th

Plan My Move
 MFRC | Tuesday, Oct. 10th

Pre-Separation Counseling
 MFRC | Tuesday, Oct. 10th

Vesting in TSP Financial Touch Point
 MFRC | Wednesday, Oct. 11th

Halloween Bingo
 Community Center | Friday, Oct. 13th

Country Night
 La Bella Vista Club | Friday, Oct. 13th

Ferrari and Lamborghini
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 14th

Cammina con Cristina
 Community Center | Saturday, Oct. 14th

Overnight Canyoning and Rafting in Slovenia
 Outdoor Recreation | Saturday, Oct. 14th to Sunday, Oct. 15th

Milan
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Sunday, Oct. 15th

OCTOBER 16TH - 31ST

Sponsorship-Taking Care of Our Own
 MFRC | Monday, Oct. 16th

Basic Italian Intro
 MFRC | Tuesday, Oct. 17th

Volunteer Orientation
 MFRC | Tuesday, Oct. 17th

Learnin' Linked in
 MFRC | Wednesday, Oct. 18th

Paint 'n Sip
 La Bella Vista Club | Saturday, Oct. 21st

Trenches Hike
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 21st

Bologna and FICO
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 21st

Tuscany Overnight
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 21st

Skydive Venice
 Outdoor Recreation | Saturday, Oct. 21st

Venice Islands Boat Tour
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Sunday, Oct. 22nd

Hiking Vajont Dam
 Outdoor Recreation | Sunday, Oct. 22nd

Veterans Affairs Advisor Visit
 MFRC | Monday, Oct. 23rd & Wed., Oct. 25th

Plan My Move
 MFRC | Tuesday, Oct. 24th

Membership Meal
 La Bella Vista Club | Wednesday, Oct. 25th

Zombie Run
 Fitness Centers | Friday, Oct. 27th

Haunted Halloween Glow Golf Event
 Alpine Golf Course | Friday, Oct. 27th

Final Friday - Harry Potter Night
 La Bella Vista Club | Friday, Oct. 27th

Fall Fest
 Base-wide Event | Saturday, Oct. 28th

Innsbruck and Swarovski Crystal World
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 28th

Villa Sandi Wine Tasting
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Saturday, Oct. 28th

Karaoke Night
 La Bella Vista Club | Saturday, Oct. 28th

Gardaland Halloween
 Information, Tickets, & Travel | Sunday, Oct. 29th

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

ARTS & CRAFTS

OCTOBER SPECIALS

- 15% off Felt and Fabric
- October 23rd - 28th:
- 15% off select Halloween balloons! Add 5+ latex balloons for an additional 5% off

EVENTS:

- **Vino & Vetro**
Friday, October 20th | 5-7PM | \$35 per person*
**Includes: 2 glasses of wine, supplies & instruction.*
Limited spaces available. Contact Arts & Crafts for more information.

ARTS & CRAFTS CLASSES

- Art Classes with Elena: Ages 6-12, 13-17 & 18+
- Teen Ceramic / Clay Class: Ages 13-17
- Paint with Melinda: Ages 7-13, 14-17, & 18+
- Bring Your Own Craft Art Class (BYOC): Ages 18+
Learn knitting, crochet, & other crafts for free!
Classes meet every Wednesday!



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OCTOBER SPECIAL

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HOLIDAY CARD DECORATING CONTEST:

Units and Private Organizations can register and pick up wood from Arts & Crafts from October 1st - November 24th!
Cards must be set up by November 30th!

THE LIBRARY



Weekly Wonders:

► Take-N-Make Crafts

A new, free craft will be available each Monday in front of the Library (while supplies last)! This month features Fall leaves with rhinestones, a 'Hello Fall' sign, Fall harvest, and a Halloween parachute!

► Story Time

Every Tuesday at 10:30AM: Come enjoy wonderful songs, playtime, and read-alouds with our favorite children's books!

► Lego Club

Wednesdays from 2:30-4PM: Strengthen your creativity and engineering skills with Legos! Build whatever you can imagine! All ages welcome. Lego blocks provided.

October Events:

► CRAFTernoon

Thursday, October 5th at 2PM

Join us for an afternoon of crafting fun! The first Thursday of each month, we will offer crafts aimed at school-age children and themed to the season. This month: Witches and Warlocks!

► Homeschool Libratory

Thursday, October 12th at 10:30AM

A special program for homeschool families! Meet up at the Library on the 2nd Thursday of every month during the school year to learn about an art or science concept, then get hands-on with a related project. This month's project: Mondrian Art!

► Library Dogs

Saturday, October 14th at 10AM - 12 PM

Come meet the American Red Cross-certified Library Dogs in a fun, friendly setting! You can practice your reading skills and bond with these furry friends who just love to listen!

► Project STEAM

Thursday, October 19th at 2PM

Do your kids love building, engineering, and experimenting? If so, come to the Library on the third Thursday of each month to participate in our STEAM project! Our STEAM projects focus on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math in a fun and inventive way. All supplies are provided. Ideal for school-aged children! This month's projects: Chemical Reaction!

Myths and Legends Trivia: (find the answers at the Library)

1. Name 3 Cryptids
2. Are all witches bad?
3. What can make a person or animal exhibit zombie qualities?
4. Is lycanthropy a common problem?
5. What are some symptoms of porphyria that seem vampiric?



BookWyrms!

Thursday, October 12th at 2PM

Calling all teens! Join us on the second Thursday of each month for BookWyrms! At our first meeting, we will explore cryptozoology. Tell us about your favorite cryptid, learn about some new ones, and find out what may be hiding out there!



MILITARY & FAMILY READINESS CENTER

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WYVERN WELCOME

EVERY WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
OCTOBER 4TH & 5TH, 11TH & 12TH,
18TH & 19TH, 25TH & 26TH.
WEDNESDAYS | 7:30AM - 3:30PM
& THURSDAYS | 7:30AM - 4:15PM

Held at the Mass Briefing Facility, this 2-day workshop introduces newly arrived members to Aviano. Mandatory attendance for Active Duty and GS civilians; spouses are highly encouraged to attend. Bring extra copies of your PCS orders, a copy of the front & back of your CAC, and a copy of the photo page of spouse's no-fee passport & Italian Visa to apply for the Codice Fiscale.

BENVENUTI TOUR PART OF WYVERN WELCOME

OCTOBER 6TH, 13TH, 20TH, & 27TH

Every Friday, join us for a tour of the local area. Visit a winery, grocery store, & enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. The tour is free, but participants pay for their own lunch (€ 23 for a traditional Italian meal). M&FRC gives priority to Wyvern Welcome attendees, however offers this tour for others on a space-available basis. Call Wednesdays after 2PM to check for space.

VETERANS AFFAIRS ADVISOR VISIT

OCTOBER 2ND, 4TH, 23RD & 25TH,
9AM-3PM

The Vicenza Veterans Benefit Advisor will be hosting 1-on-1 (30-minute) appointments for any Active Duty, Reserve/Guard, Retiree, Veteran, Widow/Widower, or Dependent that needs to speak to a VA Benefits Advisor.

DITCH THE DORMS

OCTOBER 4TH, 8AM-9:30AM

Ready to move off-base? Learn about costs associated with moving off-base & how to manage utilities. Home Fuels will brief about the unpredictable Italian utility bill system.

PLAN MY MOVE

OCTOBER 10TH & 24TH, 8AM-10AM

For those PCSing, separating or retiring, attend ideally 4 months prior to your DEROS month. Learn about out-processing requirements from base agencies (TMO, vehicle shipment, clearing housing, mail forwarding, etc.). Spouses encouraged to attend.

PRE-SEPARATION COUNSELING

OCTOBER 10TH, 8AM-12PM & 24TH, 1PM-5PM

The first Mandatory step of the Transition Assistance Program (TAP). Start as early as 24 months, but NLT 365 days, prior to anticipated date of separation/retirement - even if you are planning on re-enlisting or extending. Email the Aviano TAP Team for details at 31FSS.FSH.UTAP@us.af.mil

VESTING IN TSP FINANCIAL TOUCH POINT

OCTOBER 11TH, 8AM-9AM

DoD mandated financial touch point workshop for Airmen nearing their 2nd year of service based on Pay Entry Based Date (PEBD). Members will learn more about features of BRS system and how it relates to their TSP account and investments. Can be taken in lieu of MyVector online training.

KEY SPOUSE CONTINUING EDUCATION

OCTOBER 12TH, 10AM-12PM

Come get your continuing education, Key Spouses! Offered quarterly by the M&FRC, appointed Key Spouses are highly encouraged to attend.

SPONSORSHIP - TAKING CARE OF OUR OWN

OCTOBER 16TH, 9AM-11AM

Become the best sponsor ever! This course prepares sponsors to meet the myriad of requirements and needs of inbound members and families. This is required training for all newly-assigned sponsors, as well as annual training.

BASIC ITALIAN INTRO - A SURVIVAL LANGUAGE AND CULTURE CLASS

OCTOBER 17TH, 9AM-11AM

Not quite an Italian language class, but designed to assist in learning conversational Italian in everyday situations. Topics include typical greetings, directions, traveling, shopping, & other survival techniques.

VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

OCTOBER 17TH, 1PM-3PM

Volunteers are needed to support on- and off-base agencies, both on a regular basis and for one-time events. This workshop provides training and guidance for all volunteers accepted into new positions or looking to fill a position.

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OCTOBER 18TH, 1:30PM-4PM

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COMMUNITY CENTER



OCTOBER EVENTS

Halloween Bingo

Friday, October 13th at LBV

Doors open at 5PM, Game begins at 6PM

\$15 for the 1st card (per player) / \$6 each additional card

Food available to order from LBV. Come dressed in your best Halloween Costume to win a prize! Call the Community Center to pre-pay with card, or pay cash at the event.

Cammina con Cristina - Nature Walk!

Saturday, October 14th

Join us for a leisure hike in the Aviano Area!

Meeting Point: Community Center

Cost: \$3 - includes water and a small backpack

Please call the Community Center to sign up (min. 5 people)

Pre-registration is required by October 12th.

Difficulty Level: Medium

Fall Fest

Saturday, October 28th

Time: 3PM-9PM | Location: Freedom Park

Enjoy Food, Face Painting, a Petting Zoo, Pumpkin Patch, Costume Contest, Pirate Ship, Entertainment, & SO much more!



WE HAVE CLASSES FOR EVERY INTEREST!

Ballet Lessons

Ballet Beginner (Ages 5-7)

Ballet Intermediate (Ages 8-11)

Ballet Advanced (Ages 12+)

Pointe (By Invitation Only)

Adult Ballet & Flexibility

Dance Lessons

Toddler Smooth (Ages 2-4)

Toddler Rhythm (Ages 2-4)

Jazz Beginner (Ages 5-7)

Jazz Advanced (Ages 8+)

Lyrical Beginner (Ages 6-11)

Lyrical Advanced (Ages 12+)

Hip Hop Beginner (Ages 5-9)

Hip Hop Advanced (Ages 10+)

Competition Dance (Ages 6+)

Tap Beginner (Ages 5-7)

Tap Advanced (Ages 8+)

Music Lessons

Beginning Beats for Bambinos (Ages 4+)

Bass (Ages 8+)

Cello (Ages 8+)

Drums (Ages 5+)

Guitar (Ages 6+)

Piano (Ages 6+)

Trombone (Ages 8+)

Trumpet (Ages 7+)

Voice (Ages 7+)

Violin (Ages 6+)

Italian Classes

Conversational Italian, Customs, & Traditions with Sonia

Italian 1

Italian 2

Italian 3

Private & Small Group Tutoring

Conversational Italian & Lifestyle with Mina

Italian 1

Italian 2

Italian Tutoring

Scan Here for
the October
Class Schedule



Contact the Community Center for more information!

What's happening in

OCTOBER

EVERY MONDAY
Take-n-Make Crafts
Library

EVERY TUESDAY
Story Time with Mr. Eric
Library
Tacos & Trivia
La Bella Vista Club
Homeschool Open Gym
Aviano Youth Programs

EVERY WEDNESDAY
Wyvern Welcome Day 1
M&FRC
Initial TA Briefings
Education Center
Bring Your Own
Craft-BYOC
Arts & Crafts
Lego Club
Library

EVERY THURSDAY
Wyvern Welcome Day 2
M&FRC

EVERY FRIDAY
Benvenuti Tour
M&FRC

MONDAY | OCTOBER 2ND

— Veterans Affairs Visit
MFRC

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 3RD

— Taco & Trivia Night
La Bella Vista Club

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— Ditch the Dorms
MFRC
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MFRC

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— CRAFTernoon
The Library

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 6TH

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Alpine Golf Course
— Trenches Overnight Hiking
Information, Tickets, & Travel

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 7TH

— Amalfi Coast
Information, Tickets, & Travel
— Bike Ride in Siena and Chianti
Outdoor Recreation
— Tabletop Night
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SUNDAY | OCTOBER 8TH

— Trieste and Barcolana
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— Library Dogs
The Library

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 15TH

— Milan
Information, Tickets, & Travel

MONDAY | OCTOBER 16TH

— Sponsorship-Taking Care of Our Own
MFRC

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 17TH

— Basic Italian Intro
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— Volunteer Orientation
MFRC
— Taco & Trivia Night
La Bella Vista Club

WEDNESDAY | OCTOBER 18TH

— Learnin' Linked in
MFRC

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 19TH

— Basic Italian Intro
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— Project STEAM
The Library

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 20TH

— Vino & Vetro
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Outdoor Recreation
— Paint 'n Sip
La Bella Vista Club
— Tabletop Night
La Bella Vista Club

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 22ND

— Venice Island Boat Tour
Information, Tickets, & Travel
— Hiking Vajont Dam
Outdoor Recreation

MONDAY | OCTOBER 23RD

— Veterans Affairs Advisor Visit
MFRC

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 24TH

— Plan My Move
MFRC
— Pre-Separation Counseling
MFRC
— Tacos & Trivia Night
La Bella Vista Club

WEDNESDAY | OCTOBER 25TH

— Veterans Affairs Visit
MFRC
— Membership Meal
La Bella Vista Club

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 27TH

— Harry Potter Night/Final Friday
La Bella Vista Club
— Zombie Run
Fitness Centers
— Haunted Halloween Glow Golf
Alpine Golf Course

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 28TH

— Innsbruck and Swarovski Crystal World
Information, Tickets, & Travel
— Villa Sandi Wine Tasting
Information, Tickets, & Travel
— Tabletop Night
La Bella Vista Club
— Karaoke
La Bella Vista Club
— Fall Fest
Community Center

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 29TH

— Gardaland Halloween
Information, Tickets, & Travel

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 31ST

— Tacos & Trivia Night
La Bella Vista Club

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LA BELLA VISTA CLUB

OCTOBER EVENTS CALENDAR

TRIVIA NIGHT

Tacos & Trivia | 6:30PM

Every Tuesday: October 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st

Every Tuesday is Trivia Night! Grab a seat at the bar and take your best guesses on themed trivia questions with a chance to win prizes!

CASH BINGO

18+ Bingo Night | 6:30PM

Wednesday, October 4th

Members \$25, Non-Members \$35

Come out and play to win for the LBV's CASH PRIZE Bingo night! Players could win up to \$2100! It is a progressive jackpot, meaning if there's no winner, the jackpot will be even bigger the next month! No reservation required. Free early bird play from 6-6:30pm.

Tabletop Night | 6:30 PM

Every Saturday, Oct. 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th

Come on out to the Hall of Heroes for LBV's Tabletop Night! This event includes D&D, as well as other fan-favorite tabletop games.

Country Night | 8:00 PM

Friday, October 13th

Come two step the night away to some of your favorite country tunes! Food and drink specials will be available for purchase. This event is for Ages 18+.



Paint 'n Sip | 6PM | Saturday, October 21st

Members \$30, Non-Members \$35

Please RSVP by October 17th by calling 0434-30-4303.



Membership Meal | 5PM | Wednesday, October 25th

Calling all members! Our monthly membership meal this month is New Orleans/Southern Style. The menu includes Hoppin' John, Creamed Spinach, Mac and Cheese, Baked Cod with Confetti Salsa, & Jambalaya

Please RSVP by October 23rd by calling 0434-30-4303.



Final Friday - Harry Potter Night | 4 PM | Friday, October 27th

Bring your family and friends out to LBV to celebrate Harry Potter Night! Includes an alcoholic Butter Beer Special, Drink Specials representing the "Four Houses" (Red, Yellow, Green, & Blue), screenings of the Harry Potter Movies, Harry Potter Trivia, and a Drawing for Harry Potter Gear!

Family Friendly: 4PM-8PM | Adults 18+ Only: 8PM-Close



Karaoke Night | 8 PM | Saturday, October 28th

Sing your heart out to your favorite songs! With a wide arrangement of song choices and a great sound system, we will be sure to drown out your out-of-tune pitches and make you sound like a professional! Delicious food & drinks available for purchase.

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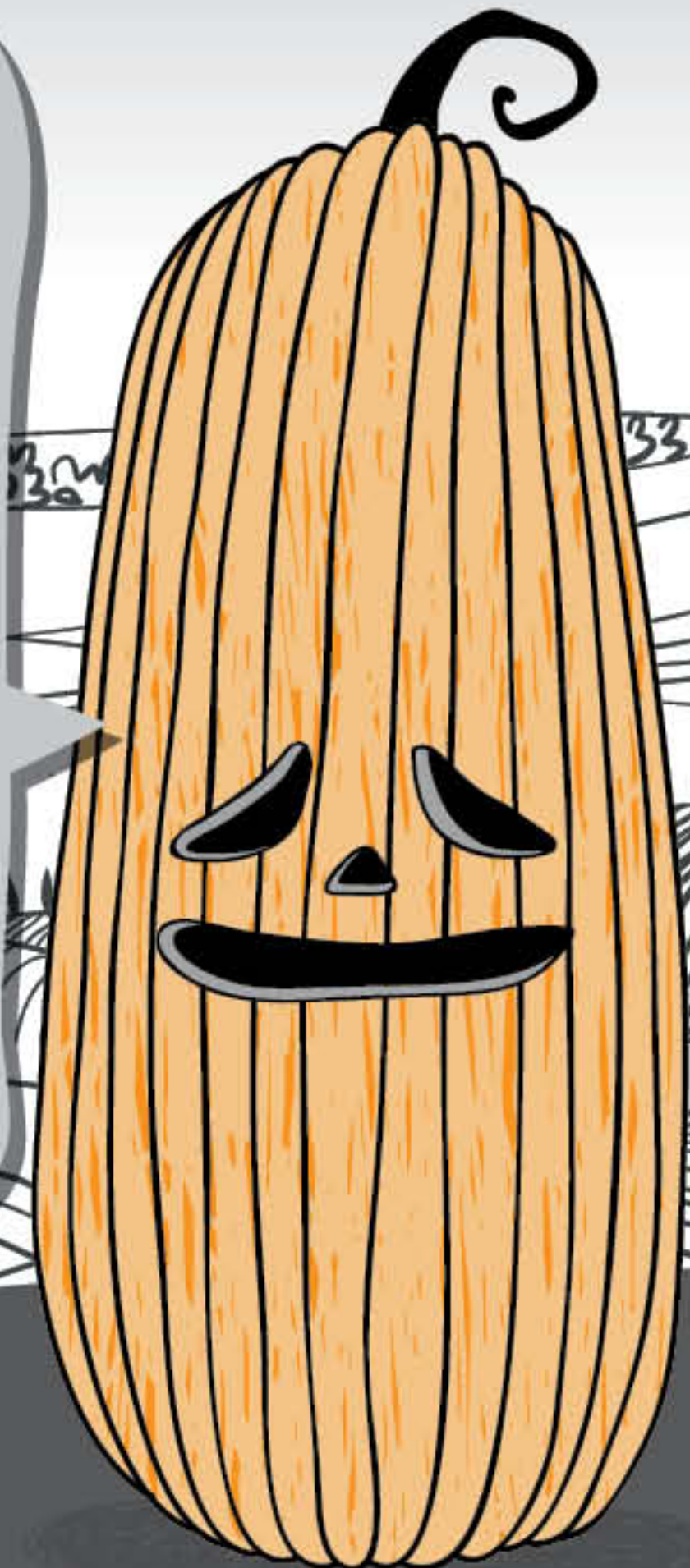
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- Private truffle hunting excursions
- Meet the wine maker and taste authentic Tuscan wines made locally
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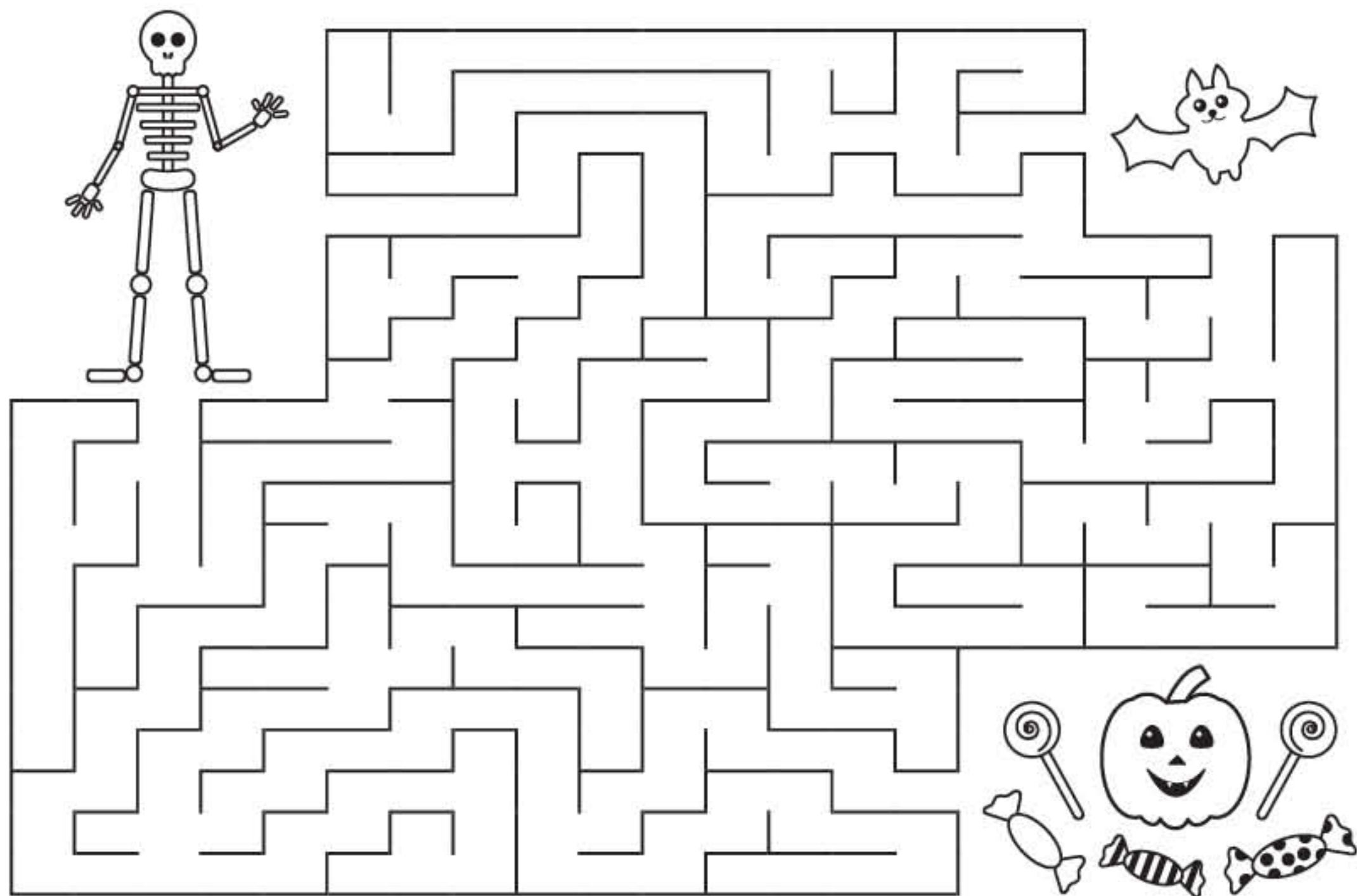
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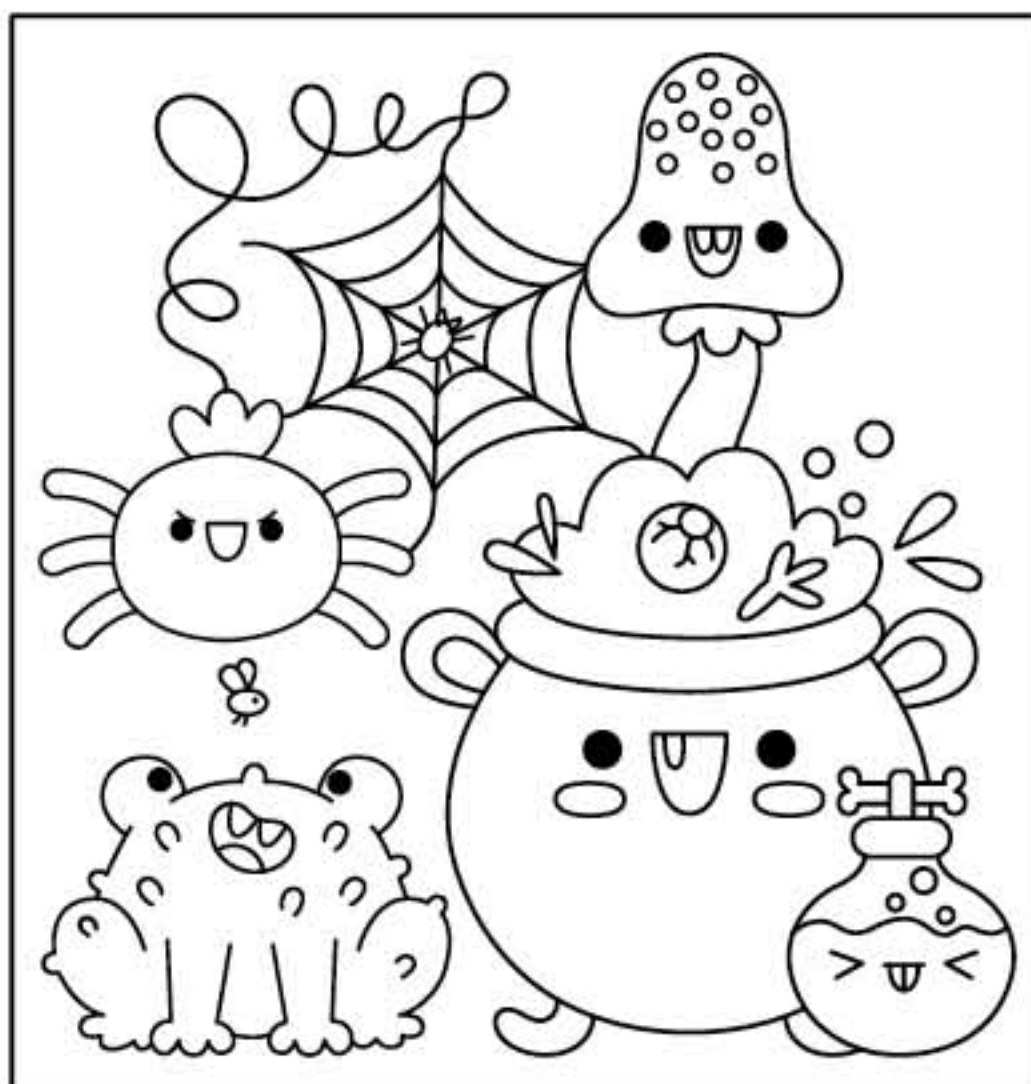
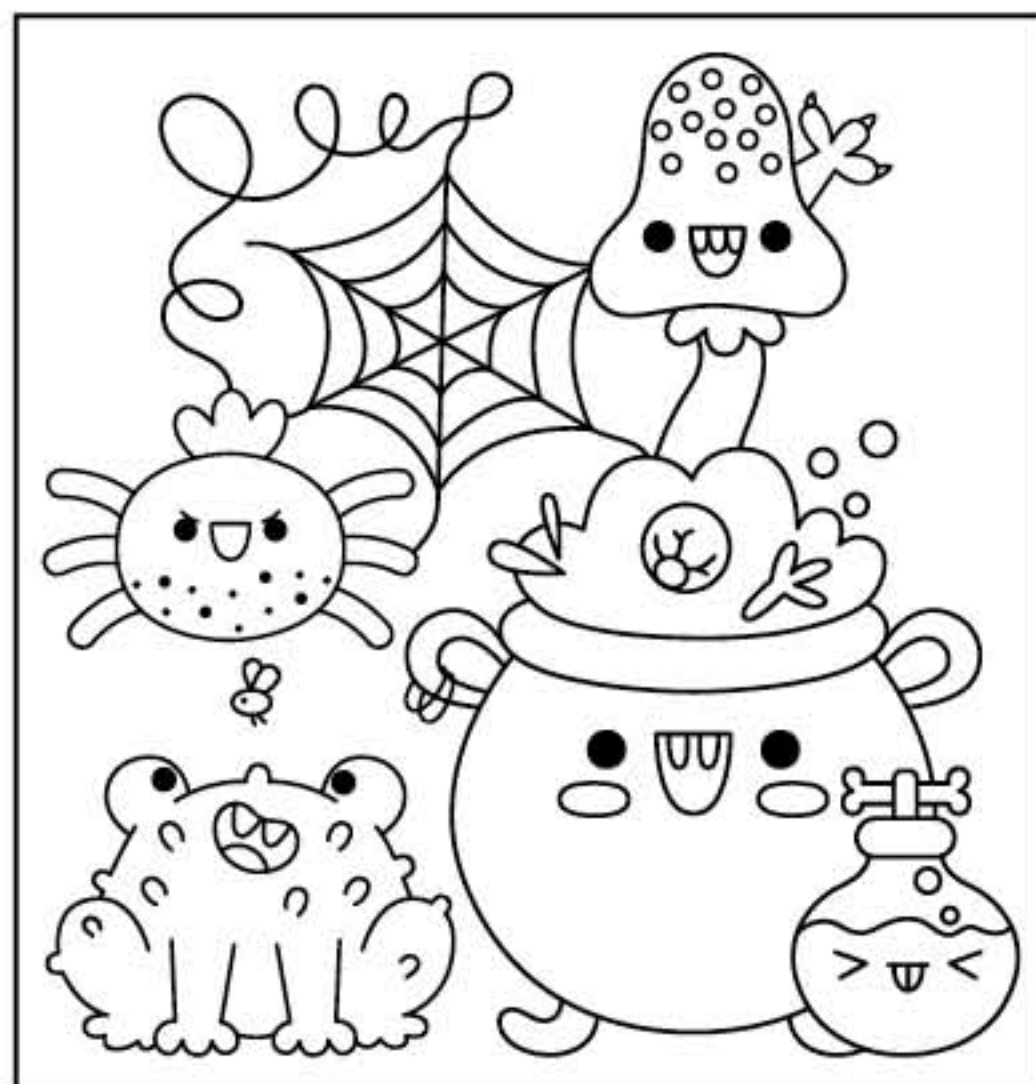
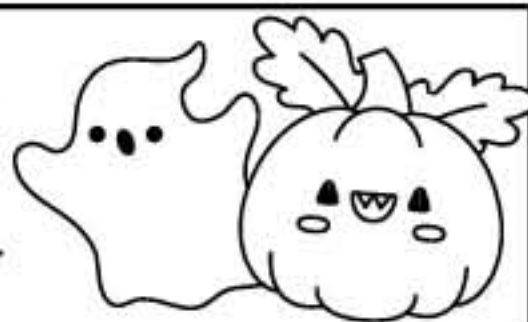


CDC Character Parade and Family Fall Fest October 27th, 3:30PM at the Child Development Center

Come join the fun at the CDC Annual Character Parade followed by our very own Family Fall Fest. This event is for enrolled CDC families only! The Parade will begin at 3:30PM, with Family Fall Fest activities beginning right after on CDC playgrounds.



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Dragon & Wyvern FITNESS CENTERS

ZOMBIE RUN

Friday, October 27th | 6 PM

Don't be scared - join us for our annual Zombie Run! Participants will run a nighttime course that starts at the Dragon, lined with spooky-fun decorations and Zombies waiting in the shadows. Feel free to dress in your Halloween best! Scan to sign up! *Dogs welcome!



CAN YOU LIFT A C-17?

October 1st - October 31st

During the entire month of October, earn lbs towards your 285,000 goal by lifting weights consisting of only leg exercises. Anyone who can lift the C-17 will be eligible for the grand prize! Scan the QR below to sign up. Registration ends October 7th!



HAUNTED HALLOWEEN GLOW GOLF

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

Start Time: 6:00PM, Check-in: 4:30PM

Cost: Members - \$25
Non-Members - \$35

Includes: Green Fee, Food, Prizes, & Costume Contest for players. Glow golf supplies included, no handicaps required.
Max 60 players

Format: 2-man scramble, 9-holes (walking only!)

Registration deadline October 25th.
Payment due at time of registration,
no exceptions. Sign up at the Pro Shop.



**Aviano Base Championship
October 6th-8th**


Contact the Pro Shop for more information at 0434-30-7386.

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OCTOBER 6TH - 7TH
\$310 (AGES 12+)



TRENCHES HIKE
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**VILLA SANDI
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OCTOBER 28TH
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WINE TASTING**
NOVEMBER 11TH
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AMALFI COAST
OCTOBER 6TH - 9TH
\$590 (SSF \$140)



BOLOGNA & FICO
OCTOBER 21ST
\$95



**GARDALAND
HALLOWEEN**
OCTOBER 29TH
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MODENA FOOD TOUR
NOVEMBER 18TH
\$155



**TRIESTE &
BARCOLANA**
OCTOBER 8TH
\$70



TUSCANY OVERNIGHT
OCTOBER 21ST - 22ND
\$290 (AGES 18+)



PISA & LUCCA
NOVEMBER 4TH
\$140 / SAI \$70



**AQUARDENS
THERMAL SPA**
NOVEMBER 18TH
\$110 / DAP \$55



**FERRARI &
LAMBORGHINI**
OCTOBER 14TH
\$140 / SAI \$70



**VENICE ISLANDS
BOAT TOUR**
OCTOBER 22ND
\$139



**BIRRIFICIO GJULIA &
BALSAMIC TASTING**
NOVEMBER 4TH
\$120 (AGES 18+)



**PARIS FOR
THANKSGIVING**
NOVEMBER 22ND - 26TH
\$730



MILAN
OCTOBER 15TH
\$75



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Arts & Crafts Center

- 2989
Retail—Mon-Fri: 9AM-5PM, Sat: 9AM-5PM
Closed: Sundays & holidays
Wood Shop—Thur: 2PM-5PM, Fri-Sat: 9AM-5PM
Closed: Mon-Wed, Sundays, & Holidays
Engraving—Mon-Fri: 9AM-5PM
Closed: Family Days, Weekends & holidays

Auto Hobby Shop

- 2277
Mon-Fri: 9AM-5PM, Sat: 9AM-5PM
Closed: Sundays & holidays

Aviano Lanes Bowling Center

- 7487
Grill Mon: 7AM-2PM, Tue-Thur: 7AM-5PM
Fri: 7AM-7PM
Sat: 11AM-7PM
Cosmic Bowling Fri-Sat: 4PM-7PM
Lanes: Mon: 9AM-2PM, Tue-Thur: 7AM-5PM
Fri: 7AM-7PM
Sat: 11AM-7PM
Closed: Sundays, Mondays & holidays

Child Development Center

- Area F:5199
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Civilian Personnel Office

- 7307
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Wed: 7:30AM-1PM
Closed: Weekends, holidays, & family days

Community Center

- 5479
Mon-Fri: 8AM-4PM
Closed: Weekends & holidays

Deja Brew

- 2739 Area 1
Mon-Fri: 7AM-3PM
Closed: Holidays & weekends

6012 Area F

Mon-Fri: 6:30AM-5:30PM
Sat & Sun: 9AM-3PM Closed: Holidays

DFAC - La Dolce Vita

- 8206
Mon-Sun, Family Days, Holidays, Down Days:
Breakfast: 6-8AM, Lunch: 11AM-1PM, Dinner: 5-7PM

Education Center

- 5330
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Customer Service: Mon-Fri: 8AM-1PM

Fitness Centers

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7459 Dragon

Mon-Fri: 5AM-9:30PM
Sat & Holidays: 8:30AM-4PM
Down Days & Sundays: Closed

7574 Wyvern

Mon-Fri: 2PM-8PM
Weekends, Down Days & Holidays: Closed

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Italian Mensa

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La Bella Vista Club

- 4303
Lunch Mon-Fri: 11AM-1PM
Dinner Tue-Thu: 4PM-10PM
Fri: 4PM-11PM
Sat: 6PM-9PM
Verns Pub
Tues-Thu: 4PM-10PM
Fri: 4PM-2AM
Sat: 6PM-10PM
Cafe 31
Mon & Wed: 1PM-7PM
Sat: 11AM-4PM

Library

- 5382
Mon-Wed & Fri-Sat: 10AM-5PM
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Lodging - Mountain View Lodge

- 4040

Manpower

- 7308 Chief Line
- 4065 Superintendent Line

Marketing

- 5080
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- 5404
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NAF Human Resources

- 5747
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Wed: 8AM-1:30PM
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Outdoor Recreation

- 8623
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Pool: Tue-Sun: 10AM-7PM
Last Day of the Season: Sept. 3rd

Post Office

- 7119
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Mon-Fri: 10AM-6PM Sat: 10AM-2PM
Finance
Mon-Fri: 10AM-5PM Sat: 10AM-2PM
Customer Service
Mon-Fri: 10AM-4PM
Registered Mail
Mon-Fri: 10AM-4PM
Customer Service & Registered Mail closed Sat.
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8010

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Mon-Fri: 10AM-4PM
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School Liaison

- 6084
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Youth Programs

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Mon-Fri: 6:30AM-6PM
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