



Highlights of the Month

- *Sig's The Season*
- *A December to Remember*
- *Missoula Children's Theatre*

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Teen Programs

Eligibility

In order to participate, please enroll in our Youth Program by coming into the Youth Complex or calling 624-1750 for more information. Members must be 11 years old and have started the 6th grade to 18 years of age and still in high school.

Check out the Youth Complex Calendar!

You can find more events, clubs and fun happening throughout the month! Pick one up at the Youth Complex in Marinai or email jasmine.t.mailoto.naf@us.navy.mil

FACILITY CLOSURES:

Dec 13 (Field Trip) · Dec 24-25 (Christmas Holiday)

Dec 30 - Jan 3 (New Year's Holiday & Missoula Children's Theatre Support)

MONDAY, 9

Table Talk Sessions

Location: Youth Complex **Time:** 4:30 pm

Youth Complex table talk sessions provide a safe and open space to discuss any and all topics related to being a teen. From learning more about identity and self esteem, to navigating safe and positive social interactions, everyone is welcome to express themselves and promote self-growth in a variety of ways! This month, Mrs. Jess and the teens will dive deep into topics of holiday spirit, introspective thinking, and safe conflict resolution strategies, amongst other fun topics driven by youth input!

MONDAYS, 9 & 23

Torch Club Meetings

Location: Youth Complex **Time:** 3:30 - 4:30 pm **Ages:** 11-13

Torch club provides leadership development opportunities to Sigonella preteens, ages 11-13 (grades 6-8). This month's meetings will involve planning and executing our club service project for the month in the spirit of spreading the joy, brainstorming ways to improve Youth Complex programming for our middle schoolers, and continuing the ongoing garden project!

WEDNESDAY, 11

Keystone Club Meeting

Location: Youth Complex **Time:** 1:45 - 2:45 pm **Ages:** 14-18

Keystone club provides leadership development opportunities to Sigonella teens, ages 14-18 (grades 9-12), in four focus areas including Academic Success, Career Preparation, Community Service and Teen Outreach. This meeting will involve planning our respective service projects for our spread the joy initiative, brainstorm other events and teen driven activities for the charter year based on our goal for...LEGACY STATUS!

FRIDAY, 13

December Field Trip - Catania & Holiday Shopping

Depart: Youth Complex 9:00 am **Return:** 4:00 pm **Cost:** \$10

Need to go holiday shopping for your loved ones, but want to keep it a secret? Come to our field trip on Friday to enjoy the Christmas markets in Catania followed by shopping at the Centro Sicilia mall! Make sure to bring euro for shopping and lunch at the mall's food court. Then, you can even bring your gifts to Youth Complex on Monday from 4-5 p.m. for a gift wrapping workshop to complete your top secret mission!



ART SHOW

Now accepting art for our annual Art Exhibit to be displayed in the Midtown Atrium. See Youth Complex for more information. Ages: 5-18

SNEEK PEAK

Military Youth of the Year Contest

JANUARY 15 · Midtown 2 Theaters. Everyone welcome!

Winter Break Camp at SAC

DEC 23 - 27 & DEC 30 - JAN 3

Kindergarten-12 years old
Register at Militarychildcare.com

For questions or more information call
School Age Care at 624-3712 (095-56-3712)



FRIDAY, 20

High School Only Night

Location: Youth Complex **Time:** 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Attention all high schoolers! Our Keystone club is hosting an exclusive High school night to kick off the holidays! Any and all are welcome - even if you aren't registered, a Keystoner can sponsor you to the event- so come enjoy the exclusive night full of holiday fun!

Library

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ALL MONTH

Community Puzzles

Time: 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

Puzzles are always available throughout the month at the MWR Library for the community to work on together. Spend a relaxing afternoon making social connections and connecting pieces of the puzzles together.

EVERY WEDNESDAY

Early Literacy: Full STEAM Ahead!

Time: 10:30 - 11:15 pm **Ages:** 1-5 and caregivers

Join us to jump-start early literacy skills for toddlers and preschoolers! Caregivers and children will learn together while we sing, read, play, and grow. This program is best suited for pre-readers (ages 1-5) and their caregivers.

MONDAY, 9

Origami Stars & Gnomes

Time: 3:00 - 5:30 pm **Cost:** Free

Today we're making beautiful origami stars or simple winter gnomes that you can use to decorate your home, office, car, or wherever you want to feel festive. We'll have colorful origami paper on hand, but feel free to bring your own if you'd like!



MONDAY, 16

Tombola & Panettone

Time: 3:00 - 5:30 pm **Cost:** Free

Tombola is a game (similar to bingo) that originated in Southern Italy and is traditionally played during the winter holidays. Come together for a few friendly rounds, and enjoy panettone and a hot chocolate bar.



Youth Sports

Basketball & Indoor Cheer

Season: Jan 13 – Mar 8

Ages 5-18

Practice: Mon-Thurs | NAS I Gym & MHS Gym

Games: Saturday | NAS I Gym & MHS Gym

Cost: \$60 (Includes uniform)

Start Smart Basketball

Season: Jan 21 – Feb 27

Ages: 2.5-5 **Cost:** \$25

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

December 13

Youth Complex in Marinai
Tues-Fri 9 am – 4 pm

OR Email to:

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Midtown 2 Theaters

Cost: \$6 Adults (12 years & older)
 \$4.50 Kids (6-11 years old) Free (5 years & under)
 Visit www.navymwrsigonella.com/movies
 for showtimes.

TUESDAY, 17

Baby & Me Movie: The Grinch (2018)

Time: 10:30 am

Enjoy a family-friendly movie experience with dim lights, lower sound volume and plenty of stroller parking! Available the third Tuesday of every month.



WEDNESDAY, 18

Way Back Wednesday: Die Hard (1988)

Time: 7:00 pm **Cost:** Free Admission

Enjoy a classic movie at Midtown 2 Theaters, featuring the movie "Die Hard" (1988). Concessions will be available for purchase.

DEC 18 - 22

Classic Holiday Movies at Midtown 2 Theaters

Time: 4:00 pm **Cost:** Free Admission

Enjoy a free PG holiday movie each day at Midtown 2 Theaters including:

December 18 Jingle All The Way

December 19 Home Alone

December 20 A Christmas Story

December 21 Elf

December 22 National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation



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Bowling Center

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A December to Remember



SUNDAY, 1

Letters to Santa

Time: 12:00 - 6:30 pm

Get ready for a day of strikes, spares and holiday cheer. While you are here, write your family letters to Santa Claus! We will provide festive stationary and a special mailbox for your holiday wishes.



DEC 3 - 31

Holiday Bowling Tournament

Divisions: Men, Women and Children

Cost: \$20 (includes 3 games and shoes)

Get into the holiday spirit with our exciting holiday bowling tournament, perfect for all ages and skill levels. This joyous event promises fun, competition and plenty of cheer. Men, women and children divisions. Highest score will receive a special prize!



DEC 6, 20 & 27

Rudolph the Red Pin Bowling

Time: 5:00 - 10:00 pm **Cost:** Regular priced games

In this special event, keep an eye out for the red Rudolph bowling pin! Whenever he comes out, let the team know and try to strike to win a special prize! Only one (1) prize per person.



FRIDAY, 13

No School & Decorating Contest

Cost: \$5 per person (includes bowling pin, 1 game of bowling and shoe rental)

Unleash your artistic flare at our Bowling Pin Decorating Contest! Transform a plain bowling pin into a holiday masterpieces! Arts and crafts materials will be provided.

FRIDAY, 13

No School Glow Bowl

Time: 11:30 am - 4:00 pm **Cost:** \$5 per person

No school?! Enjoy unlimited glow bowling including shoes and popcorn for just \$5 per person!



SATURDAY, 14

Bowling with Santa

Time: 1:00 - 10:00 pm

Have a jolly good time at our Bowling with Santa event! Bowl alongside Santa and capture the moment with a vintage photo. This merry celebration combines your love for bowling with a dash of holiday spirit.



SATURDAY, 21

Ugly Sweater Contest

Time: 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Come to the bowling center with your ugliest sweater for a chance to win a prize!

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**FRIDAY, DEC 13
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FRIDAY, DEC 6
NAS | MIDTOWN

4-8 PM

Tree Lighting • Craft Vendors
Letters to Santa • Arts & Crafts • Glühwein
Photos with Santa • Cookie Decorating
Holiday Music • Ugly Sweater Contest

8 PM-12 AM

Ages 18+
Holiday Trivia & Karaoke
in Connections
Ornament Painting • Glühwein



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Auditions
Monday, DEC 30 • 10 am - 12 pm
Ages: 5 (in Kindergarten) - 18

Rehearsals
DECEMBER 30 - JANUARY 3
No rehearsal on January 1

Performance
Saturday, JAN 4 • 2 pm
Sigonella Elementary School Knights Hall



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Community Activities

Registration for classes is available at Community Recreation or the Liberty Center. Please refer to each class description for any registration deadlines.

MONDAYS 2, 9 & 16

Crochet: Teen & Adult Beginner Series

Location: DEC 2 & 16 MWR Compass Room | DEC 9 Classroom

Time: 4:00 - 5:00 pm **Ages:** 13+ **Cost:** \$65 (includes entire series, 3 classes)

Crochet is back! Learn the gentle art of crocheting while a personal coach teaches you how to make basic crochet stitches. This class is designed for those with little to no experience. Crocheting can calm the mind, increase concentration and promote mindfulness. Materials are included for the classes in this series.

TUESDAY, 10

Artisan Hand-Lettered Gift Wrapping Class

Location: MWR Compass Room **Time:** 5:30 - 8:00 pm **Ages:** 10+

Cost: \$35 (Includes wrapping paper (36" max) and decorations)

Bring a gift ready to wrap and learn how to make a beautiful & personalized wrapped package that will make someone feel extra special this holiday season. All supplies (wrapping paper and decorations) will be included! Take home the skills needed to recreate this time and time again for any gifting occasion. *Please note: if your gift is small, bring two gifts to wrap.

WEDNESDAY, 11

Indoor Belay Certification

Location: "The Cave" Rockwall **Time:** 2:00 - 5:00 pm

Ages: 14+ **Cost:** \$30/\$25 Liberty

This class will walk you through the steps of belaying a climber. To earn your Belay Certification Card, each participant must be able to show the ability to tie knots correctly and safely belay and actual climber.



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568 Lounge

EVERY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

Karaoke Night

Wednesday: 8:00 pm - 12:00 am **Ages:** 18+

Friday: 10:00 pm - 2:00 am **Ages:** 18+

EVERY SATURDAY

DJ Nights

Time: 10:00 pm - 2:00 am **Ages:** 18+

FRIDAYS, 6 & 20

Latin Dance Lessons

Lessons: 8:30 - 10:00 pm | **Dancing:** 10:00 pm - 2:00 am

Ages: 18+ **Cost:** Free

MWR is hosting Latin Salsa, Bachata & Merengue lessons in our newly renovated facility, 568 Lounge, on NAS III! Join us for lessons and then spend time afterwards practicing by dancing the night away!

TUESDAY, 31

New Year's Eve Party!

Time: 8:00 pm - 2:00 am **Ages:** 18+ **Cost:** Free

Head to 568 Lounge for a night with DJ Mija to ring in the new year!



Auto Skills Center

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TUESDAYS - SATURDAYS

2 Hours Free at Auto Skills

Time: 9:30 am - 5:30 pm **Ages:** 16+

Complete your vehicle maintenance this December! Order \$20 or more of auto parts from Auto Skills, and receive 2 hours of free facility usage! This includes all tools and equipment.



Diagnostic Computer

\$20 - Scan for engine fault codes or lights on the dashboard.

Compatible with all vehicle makes and models.

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Oil in Stock!

We offer oil change assistance with Fully Synthetic 0W20, 5W30, and 5W40 premium engine oil for all vehicle types.

\$40 for four liters/quarts + \$10 for each additional liter/quart for larger capacity engines.

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AC Leak Testing also available.

Need auto parts?

Auto Parts Ordering is now available with **two day delivery included for most vehicles!** Call today or visit the Auto Skills Center on NAS II.

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Trips & Tours

Pick Up & Drop Off

NAS I: CDC Parking lot. **MARINAI:** In front of Youth Complex.

NAS II: Flight Line Clinic parking lot. Return times are subject to change.

All children 17 years and younger must be accompanied by a parent or guardian on ALL trips. Children 3-11 are 1/2 price on all tours, unless otherwise noted. Children 2 and under are free.

Swan Lake Ballet



SATURDAY, 7 Metropolitan Theater

Depart: NAS II 7:00 pm, Marinali 7:15 pm, NAS I 7:30 pm
Return: 11:30 pm **Cost:** \$55 (Cost includes transportation, guide, and entrance ticket) **Ages:** 5+

SUNDAY, 1

Sperlinga, Nicosia & Buffalo Cheese Factory with Beer Tasting

Depart: NAS II 6:30 am, Marinali 6:45 am, NAS I 7:00 am

Return: 7:30 pm **Cost:** \$85 (Includes transportation, guide, entrance fees, lunch, beer and cheese tasting) **Ages:** 18+

On this walking tour, visit the medieval town of Sperlinga and the Norman castle excavated from rocks. Explore the castle, built on top of caves, that has been inhabited by people since 1080. Climb to the top of the castle and take in the beautiful views of the surrounding town and countryside. Nicosia's interesting architecture, both Medieval and Baroque, also offers an impressive number of palaces and churches. This walking tour will be followed by a lunch and 24 Barons beer tasting at the cheese factory, which produces buffalo cheese. Patrons are encouraged to wear comfortable walking shoes.

FRIDAY, 6

Catania by Day

Depart: NAS II 8:30 am, Marinali 8:45 am, NAS I 9:00 am

Return: 2:00 pm **Cost:** \$20 (Includes transportation only)

Want to spend some time at the markets, find a new restaurant or just wander around and shop? Join Community Recreation for a trip to Catania by day.

SATURDAY, 7

Cooking Class at Bastonaca Winery

Depart: NAS II 8:00 am, Marinali 8:15 am, NAS I 8:30 am **Return:** 5:30 pm

Cost: \$95 (Includes transportation, guide, lunch with wine tasting)

Visit Bastonaca Winery for cooking class where you will learn to prepare 3 types of Arancini (2 savory and 1 sweet). Afterwards, enjoy a typical Christmas lunch, your prepared arancini and a wine tasting.

SUNDAY, 8

Palermo Baroque Architecture & St. Caterina Monastery

Depart: NAS II 6:30 am, Marinali 6:45 am, NAS I 7:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm **Cost:** \$60/\$50 Liberty (Includes transportation, guide and entrance fees). Bring euro for shopping and food

Discover the baroque side of Palermo and the sites that make it so beautiful. Visit the Monastery Church of Santa Caterina, including the kitchens, courtyard and the terraces from where it will be possible to see all the domes of Palermo. This was a monastery of cloistered nuns and was closed to the public until 2017. In this monastery, as tradition dictates, you have the opportunity to buy the typical biscuits prepared by the nuns: the martorana fruit, the best cannoli with ricotta cheese or the famous cassatelle. Afterwards, spend some free time shopping or grabbing a bite to eat.

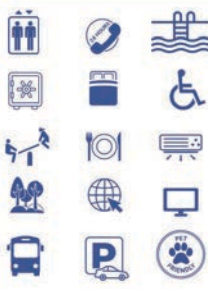
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JAN 25 | Glow Crazy Skate Night

Skate Night is back! Come and get your glow on as we host a "glow themed" roller skating event. Bring your roller skates and show off your skills inside the rink. Roller blades will be available for rent through Community Recreation.

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THURSDAY, 12

Pottery Shopping in Patti

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinai 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am
Return: 3:30 pm **Cost:** \$55 (Includes transportation and guide. Bring euro for lunch and shopping)

Tour a small town along the northern coast, founded by the Normans in the 11th Century. Patti plays host to one of the most famous ceramic manufacturers in Italy. Patrons will have the opportunity to purchase hand-painted pottery with discounts ranging from 15-20% off wholesale prices.

FRIDAY, 13

Scacciata Making at the Lemon House

Depart: NAS II 4:00 pm, Marinai 4:15 pm, NAS I 4:30 pm
Return: 11:30 pm **Cost:** \$55/\$50 Liberty (Includes transportation, guide, and scacciate)

Spend the evening at the Lemon House learning how to prepare a famous holiday Sicilian dish called Scacciata. This savory Italian pie features ingredients such as broccoli, cheese, meat or potatoes. While the dough rises, take a visit to Pozzillo village and view the nativity scene in the nearby church. Afterwards, prepare your dish for the stone oven and enjoy once fully cooked!



SATURDAY, 14

Taormina & La Vite Winery

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinai 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am
Return: 5:00 pm **Cost:** \$70 (Includes transportation, guide, wine tasting and lunch; bring euro for optional entrance fees and shopping)

Soak in the sights of one of the most sought-after tourist towns in Sicily - Taormina! Explore the history of this cliff-side town with a walking tour through the streets, enjoying scenery and stories as you stroll along. We will end our afternoon with lunch at La Vite Winery with their featured tasting of Almond Sweet Wine and Moscato.

THURSDAY, 19

St. Stefano di Camastra Ceramic Shopping

Depart: NAS II 6:30 am, Marinai 6:45 am, NAS I 7:00 am **Return:** 4:30 pm
Cost: \$55 (Includes transportation and guide. Bring euro for lunch and shopping)
 Don't miss out on one of our last pottery shopping trips before the holidays! Head to the quaint town of St. Stefano to shop the uniquely bright-colored ceramics influenced by Arabic design! Whether you're looking to treat yourself or send something home, this is the perfect trip for you!

FRIDAY, 20

Catania by Night

Depart: NAS II 5:30 pm, Marinai 5:45 pm, NAS I 6:00 pm
Return: 11:30 pm **Cost:** \$20 (Includes transportation only)
 Want to spend some time at the Christmas markets, find a new restaurant or just wander around and shop? Join Community Recreation for a trip to Catania by night.



SATURDAY, 21

Caltagirone Nativity Scenes, Honey Tasting & Borgo Antico

Depart: NAS II 8:00 am, Marinai 8:15am, NAS I 8:30 am
Return: 5:30 pm **Cost:** \$80 (Includes transportation, guide, honey tasting entrance fees and lunch)

Caltagirone is not only famous for its ceramics but also for other products such as the honey. This trip will give you an inside look into the Cannizzaro Farm known for its beekeeping and mead production (the Viking's favorite drink). Afterwards, visit the town to see the different nativity scenes and the House of Santa Claus. Finish this trip with lunch at the Borgo Antico Agriturismo.

SUNDAY, 22

Novara di Sicilia Town Visit

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinai 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am
Return: 8:00 pm **Cost:** \$65/\$60 Liberty (Includes transportation, guide, entrance fees, lunch)

Experience the town of Novara di Sicilia by visiting the town water mill, local church with a the nativity scene, theater and much more. As a bonus, this tour offers incredible pastries and outstanding view over the Alcantara River and the Aeolian Islands. Afterwards, enjoy lunch inside the ruins of the Novara Castle. Lunch will be made with fresh ingredients from the Peloritani region: fresh pasta with mushrooms, Sicilian black pork meat and maiorchino cheese.



CATANIA FC Soccer Games

COST: \$60 | Includes Transportation & Entrance Fees
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DEC 14
Catania vs Potenza
5:30 pm

DEC 22
Catania vs Sorrento
3:30 pm

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Outdoor Sports Equipment Rentals

DAY | WEEK

Mountain Bike/Road Bike	\$15	\$55
Helmet	\$3	\$12
Trekking Poles	\$4	\$15
Snorkel Set	\$5	\$25
Kayak/Paddleboard	\$20	\$65

Rentals

DAY | WEEK

Camping Chair	\$1	\$3
Cooler (120 qt)	\$5	\$15
Cornhole Set	\$10	\$30
Flat Grill Small (Charcoal)	\$20	\$45
Flat Grill Large (Charcoal)	\$15	\$60
Table 6ft	\$4	\$12
Table 8ft or Rounded	\$5	\$15
PA System	\$20	\$60



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Outdoor Recreation

●●●○ SATURDAY, 7

Kayak: Alcantara Gorge

Depart: NAS II 8:00 am, Marinali 8:15, NAS I 8:30 am

Return: 6:00 pm **Ages:** 18+ **Cost:** \$100 (Includes transportation, gear, kayak, guide and lunch)

Experience another view of the beautiful Alcantara Gorge, by kayak! Famous for its volcanic formations and cold water, take the river all the way to the sea surrounded by a pebbled coast. Please bring an extra pair of shoes. During registration, please provide your wet suite size and height.

●○○○ SUNDAY, 8

Tandem Sky Diving

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinali 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am **Return:** 3:00 pm

Recommended Age: 18+ **Cost:** \$35 (Includes transportation only; the tandem jump with video and photo is €270 to be paid on site)

Take advantage of this amazing opportunity to sky-dive in Sicily. See spectacular views and experience an adrenaline rush with "Skydive Sicilia" during the tandem jump. Transportation and dive reservations are provided, but be sure to bring your own courage! Note: The weight capacity for this trip is 220 lbs.

●●●● SATURDAY, 14

Hike: Mt. Etna

Depart: NAS II 6:30 am, Marinali 6:45 am, NAS I 7:00 am **Return:** 6:30 pm

Ages: 16+ **Cost:** \$150 (Includes transportation, guide and lift fees. Please bring water and euro for food)

Are you ready to tackle Mt. Etna? Ascend 3,000 meters (or more) up the mountain to enjoy the view of Sicily! This 8-hour, round-trip hike will take participants to the maximum hiking threshold based on the daily condition of volcanic activity. Due to the nature of the trip, there are a very limited number of spots.



6 PM NAS I CHART ROOM

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THURSDAY NIGHTS

AGES 18+

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HOLIDAY EVENT

DECEMBER 19



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SATURDAY, 21 ●●●○

Descend the Taormina Stairs

Depart: NAS II 8:00 am, Marinai 8:15 am, NAS I 8:30 am

Return: 6:00 pm **Ages:** 6+ **Cost:** \$70 (Includes transportation, guide and BBQ lunch. Please bring euro for souvenirs)

Descend more than 1,000 stairs for spectacular views of Mt. Etna and the Ionian Sea. This hike will start near Castelmola, continue through Madonna della Rocca, and end in the town of Taormina where there will be free time to explore. A Sicilian BBQ lunch will be provided back at the lemon house. Please remember to wear comfortable shoes and to bring water and snacks.

SATURDAY, 21 ●●●○

Quad Tour: Mt Etna

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinai 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am

Return: 5:00 pm **Ages:** Children 13+ can ride along with an adult driver.

Cost: \$130 per person (Double rider) | \$180 per person (Single rider)

(Includes transportation, guide, quad fees for 3hrs, and lunch)

Discover Etna like never before - on 4-wheels! Hold on as we tour the south side of Etna by quad, viewing everything that makes it so special, including explosive craters and caves, lava flows, charming old buildings, and expansive green forests. This ride will be one for the books! Please note, that all drivers must have a valid U.S. Driver's License. (The equivalent of an Italian B or B1 Motorcycle license).

●●●○ **SUNDAY, 22**

Rocca Novara Hike

Depart: NAS II 7:00 am, Marinai 7:15 am, NAS I 7:30 am

Return: 8:00 pm **Ages:** 18+ **Cost:** \$55/\$50 Liberty (Includes transportation, guide, hiking tour and lunch)

Experience the Peloritani Mountains by hiking their beautiful woods of Rocca Novara (1,340 m s.l.) named "The Dolomite of Sicily". Start with incredible pastries and an outstanding view over the Alcantara River and the Aeolians Islands. After the hike, enjoy lunch inside the ruins of the Novara Castle made with ingredients from the Peloritani region such as: fresh pasta with mushrooms, Sicilian black pork meat and maiorchino cheese.



SNEAK PEEK

JANUARY 4
Mt. Bike Tour: Simeto River

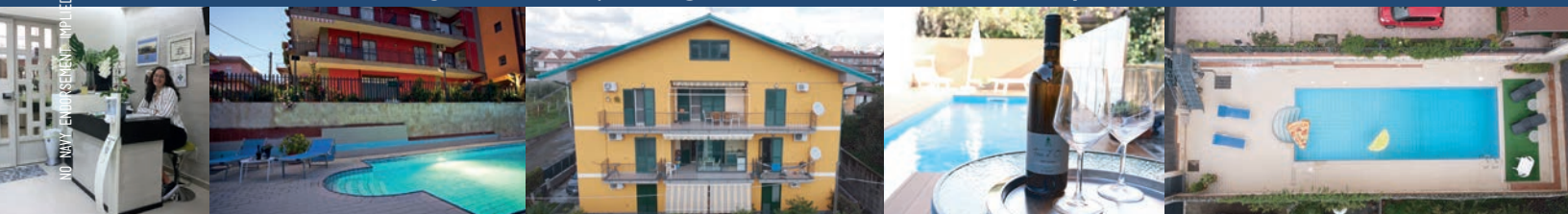
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TUESDAY, 10

Centro Sicilia

Depart: NAS II 5:00 pm, NAS I 5:20 pm

Return: 8:00 pm



FREE MALL SHUTTLE SERVICE

TUESDAY, 17

Porte di Catania

Depart: NAS II 5:00 pm, NAS I 5:20 pm **Return:** 8:00 pm

SATURDAY, 21

Outlet Mall Shuttle

Depart: NAS II 10:00 am, NAS I 10:20 pm **Return:** 3:00 pm

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH **OCTOBER 2024**



Tanyka Rodriguez
RECREATION ASSISTANT

Tanyka has worked tirelessly to transform the Liberty Center into a go-to destination for sailors on NAS II since being hired as the new Recreation Assistant. Her creativity and attention to detail are extremely impressive. She leads a team of outstanding individuals who have revitalized Liberty's facility and programming and has taken over the staff schedule, working closely with the entire team to ensure full and effective coverage of Liberty operations. Tanyka has made an immediate and extensive positive impact on the Liberty eligible population at Sigonella and MWR is fortunate to have her as a part of our team. Thank you, Tanyka, for all that you do for the Sigonella Community!



WEDNESDAY, 25

Liberty Snack: Christmas Cookies & Cocoa

Location: Liberty Center **Cost:** Free

Looking for a sweet Christmas treat? Come into the Liberty Center on Christmas and join us for some cookies, cocoa and camaraderie. We're here for you guys every day, and Christmas is no exception!



Eligibility

E1-E6, Active Duty Military or Unaccompanied Military. All programs are held at the Liberty Center on NAS II unless otherwise stated.

EVERY MONDAY

Monday Magic: The Gathering

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 4:00 - 7:00 pm **Cost:** Free
"Gather" with your fellow deck builders and see if you have the best strategy to reign supreme. Swing by to challenge others to play!

EVERY SATURDAY

Warhammer Weekends

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 12:00 - 7:00 pm **Cost:** Free
Need a reason to stop by the Liberty Center on the weekends? Well, how about 40K of them. Bring your army and battle others in this epic tabletop game. If you don't have the required equipment yet, stop by and learn all you can about Superman's favorite game.



DEC 2 - 13

Liberty: 12 Days of Christmas

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 10:00 am - 7:00 pm **Cost:** Free
Check out our Holiday Games at the Liberty Center and play for a chance to win awesome prizes. Sponsored by USAA. You won't win four calling birds or a partridge in a pear tree, but you could win a pair of headphones, gift cards or other great gifts!

WEDNESDAY, 4

Liberty Lunch: Musubi & Mac Salad

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 11:00 am - 3:00 pm **Cost:** Free
Come in and enjoy a crowd favorite with a side of Mac Salad. Musu-bi there, or be square!



SATURDAY, 7

Catania Christmas Market Shuttle

Depart: NAS II 3:00 pm, NAS I 3:20 pm **Return:** 7:00 pm
Cost: \$15 (Includes transportation only)

Want to go to a European Christmas market, but can't make it to Austria or Bavaria? No worries, we will take you to Sicily's very own Catania Christmas market. What the market lacks in snow, it more than makes up for it in handmade Christmas crafts and food. This is a great way to find something to send your family back home for the holidays.

WEDNESDAY, 11

Liberty Lunch: Mashed Potato Bowls

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 10:00 am - 3:00 pm **Cost:** Free
Don't be shy, come in to try our take on the famous mashed potato bowl! End the day with a warm meal and good company!



WEDNESDAY, 18

Taste of Home with USO

Location: Liberty Center **Time:** 5:30 - 6:30 pm **Cost:** Free
Swing by the Liberty Center for a home cooked meal provided by your friendly neighborhood USO. Food, friends and games; what more could you want?



DEC 22-25

Countdown to Christmas Movie Marathon

Location: Liberty Center **Cost:** Free
We are playing all the hits from the Grinch to the Santa Clause. Stop in and request one of your childhood favorites!





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All Day

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MWR Administration

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Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

NAF Personnel Office

Phone 624-0522

Mon, Wed - Fri: 7:30 am - 4 pm
Tues: 12:30 - 4 pm

Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

FITNESS

Adult Sports Coordinator

Phone 624-3785

Fit District NAS I

Phone 624-4483

Mon - Fri: 5 am - 9 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: 8 am - 3 pm
24-Hour access can be granted.
Register at NAS I or NAS II
Front Desk.

Flight Line Fitness Center NAS II

Phone 624-5243

Mon - Fri: 5 am - 9 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: 8 am - 3 pm
24-Hour access can be granted.
Register at NAS I or NAS II
Front Desk.

Grinderz Skate Park NAS I

Mon - Sun: 8 am - 8 pm

AQUATICS

Splashers Pool NAS I

Phone 624-4334

Lap Swim
Mon - Fri:
11 am - 1:30 pm & 3 - 6 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

NAS II Flight Line Pool

Phone 624-4766

Lap Swim:
Mon, Wed & Fri:
5:30 - 8:30 am & 10 am - 1 pm
Tues & Thurs:
11 am - 1:30 pm & 3 - 6 pm

COMM RECREATION

Liberty Center NAS II

Phone 624-5602

Mon - Fri: 9 am - 7 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays:
10 am - 7 pm

**Trips and Tours;
Equipment Rental;
Compass & Chart Room
Reservations**

Phone 624-4396 or 624-4777

Mon - Fri: 9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

COMM RECREATION

Library NAS I

Phone 624-3875

Mon - Fri: 10 am - 6 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

CYP

CDC NAS I

Phone 624-3736

Mon - Fri: 6 am - 6:30 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

SAC (School Age Care)

Phone 624-3712

Mon - Fri: 6 am - 6:30 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

School Liaison Office

Phone 624-3242

Youth Complex: Teen

Center & Youth Sports

Phone 624-1750 or 624-1747

Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri: 2-7 pm
Wed: On NAS I (YC Closed)
No School days: 12-6 pm
Sat, Sun & Holidays: Closed

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Auto Skills Center NAS II

Phone 624-5244

Tues - Sat: 9:30 am - 5:30 pm
Sun, Mon & Holidays: Closed

Midtown 2 Theaters

Phone 624-4216

Please See Movie Schedule

Spare Time Bowling

Phone 624-4302

Mon: Closed
Tues - Thurs: 11:30 am - 8 pm
Fri & Sat: 1:30 - 10 pm
Sun: 11 am - 6:30 pm

Connections NAS I

Phone 624-4264

Fri & Sat: 5 pm - 12 am
Sun - Wed: Closed

568 Lounge - NAS II

Phone 624-5603

Sun - Thurs: 5 pm - 12 am
Fri & Sat: 7 pm - 2 am

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