

Special Events

+ Chef Robert Irvine's Warrior Kitchen

Tickets and Travel

+ Columbus Day Weekend
in Northern Morocco

Library

+ Halloween Bookmark Contest

Liberty

+ Cardboard Boat Regatta

Community Classes

Remembrance 9.11 Walk/Run

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OURMISSION

OURVISION

OURGUIDING PRINCIPLES



MWR Admin/Support Services, 727-1517 Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

CYP

CDC, 727-1100

Monday-Friday, 6 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, Closed

SAC, 727-2839

Monday-Friday, 6 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, Closed

Youth Center: Jams and Gravity, 727-4625

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 2:35-6:30 p.m. Wednesday, 1:35-6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, Closed

Youth Sports, 727-4721

Monday-Friday, 9:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, Closed

RECREATION

Aquatics Center, 727-2129 Starting Sept. 2:

Monday-Friday, 6 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Closed U.S. Holidays, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Community Classes, 727-2354

Fitness Center, 727-2565

Monday-Thursday, 5 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday, 5 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, 8 a.m.-8 p.m. 24 hours unmanned fitness access available for registered patrons.

Golf. 727-2260

Daily, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.

Housing Pool, 727-4882

From Sept. 6-Oct. 13: Saturday, Sunday and U.S. Holidays, Noon-7 p.m. Monday-Friday, Closed

Liberty, 727-2527

Daily, 1-10 p.m.

Library, 727-2418 Monday, Wednesday and Friday,

9 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday, Closed Sunday and U.S. Holidays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Outdoor Recreation and Tickets & Travel, 727-3101

Monday-Friday and U.S. Holidays, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Closed



FOOD AND BEVERAGE

Gourmet Bean

Fleet Landing Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Closed

Library Cafe

Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Closed

El Patio

Bombers Fresh Mex, 727-3712 Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday, Sunday, Closed

The Tower Pub. 727-3712 Monday-Friday, 4-11 p.m. (last order 10:30 p.m.) Saturday-Sunday, Noon-7 p.m. (last food order 6:30 p.m.)

Flix, 727-3709

El Patio Indoor Theaters Wednesday-Sunday.

Check navymwrrota.com for movie times and schedule

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Pinz, 727-2112

Sunday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Pinz American Cafe Sunday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m.-10 p.m.

La Plaza, 727-6323

Champion's Bar Wednesday-Sunday, 4-11 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Closed

Pizza Villa, 727-3212

Daily, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Hours of operation are subject to change. Check our website for the most up to date hours of operation. navymwrrota.com





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Crispy Tortilla Chips topped with Sliced Chicken, Spicy Cheese Sauce, Roasted Corn and Black Beans, Fire-Roasted Salsa, Fresh Pico De Gallo, and a Cilantro Ranch Drizzle

sPecial events



BOARD GAME SATURDAY

Saturday, Sept. 13, 4-10 p.m. at la Plaza. All ages.

Enjoy a fun game session at la Plaza! Bring along your favorite board games to share. Friendly competition, and a chance to connect with fellow game enthusiasts! Food & Beverages available for purchase. Free admission. Open to DoD ID card holders only. For more information, call the Liberty Center at 727-2527.



LAUGTHER, PRIZES AND MEMORIES AWAIT!

WEDNESDAY **SEPT. 24** AT LA PLAZA 4:30 p.m.

Free admission! ALL AGES!

No registration required. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. U.S. DoD card holders only.

WHERE IS CANDELITA?

Candelita is hiding somewhere in our VAMOS Magazine! Look carefully and investigate every nook and corner of the pages.

YOU FOUND IT?

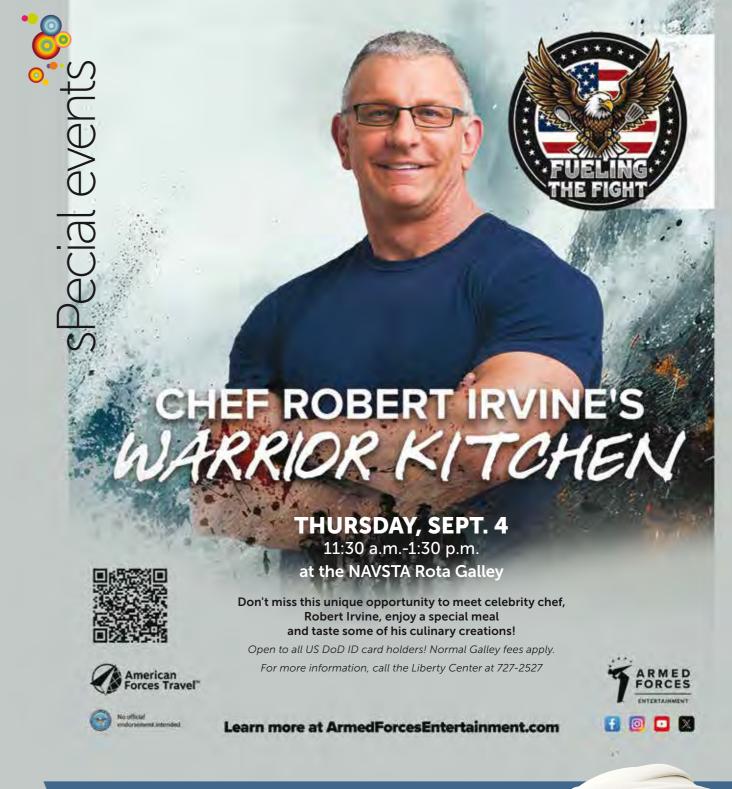
Be the first person to tell us the right location and get a prize!

To participate, let us know where Candelita is hiding:

Rota_MWRSpecialEvents@us.navy.mil Open to U.S. DoD I.D. cardholders only - All ages Deadline Sept. 5.



for more information.





SATURDAY, 5-9:30 P.M.

MWR DRIVE-IN MOVIE THEATER

FAMILY REGISTRATION: STARTING OCT. 1
STAY TUNED FOR A NEW WAY TO REGISTER FAMILIES ONLINE.

TRUNK REGISTRATION: STARTING SEPT. 1 MWR provides the candy and you hand it out! For a reserved space in this year's event, you must register your themed vehicle at the Liberty Center **by Oct. 15** or until full.







NIGHT KAYAK AND SANCTI PETRI CASTLE Wadnasday Cant 2 520 4445 Wednesday, Sept. 3, 5:30-11:45 p.m.

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S85 per person. Must register by Sept. 1.

Fexperience one of the most scenic, relaxing, and sept. 1.

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protected the entrance of Sancti Petri. Here, you will sacrifice and teamwork, which the troops of Sancti Petri. discover the true meaning of virtues like courage, loyalty, castle fought for two and a half years fighting for the roundtrip transportation, quide, kavak and life yest. No. values of spain's first Constitution of 1812. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, guide, kayak and life vest. No how to swim.



SURF AND SUP XXL BAY OF CADIZ IN ROTA

Saturday, Sept. 6, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. \$85 per person. Must register by Sept. 3. Get ready to enjoy a discipline in which we combined

rowing and surfing. Big SUP, big fun! Surfing is a great way to stay fit, de-stress yourself and meet new people. By the end of the course, you should have enough knowledge to be able to practice the skills taught at your local beach. Our instructors will be with you at all times, in and out of the water. The course will also cover beach and water safety theory. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, expert guide, equipment and life vest. No experience required. Must know how to swim.

ONE DAY MULTI-ACTIVITIES IN SANTA TERESA SALT **FACTORY ESTUARY** IN CHICLANA

Tuesday, Sept. 9, 4-11 p.m. \$100 per person. Must register by Sept. 5. Three activities in one hot summer day in Chiclana's estuary zone consisting of: Speed boat tour by the Las Salinas Santa Teresa ocean water canals, kayak/SUP paddle board tour at the ocean water canals and thalassotherapy (natural SPA circuit) consisting of two hypersaline pools, a magnesium pool, and a mud pool. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, and all the activities. Meals are not included.

CANYON DESCENDING

Saturday, Sept. 13, 6:45 a.m.-8 p.m. \$85 per person. Must register by Sept. 10. Canyoneering (also called canyon descending) consists of descending rivers by combining the techniques of climbing, caving and swimming. This activity is experiencing a spectacular popularity because of the beauty of its routes and the ideas of true adventure. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, insurance, gear and professional guide. Must know how to swim.



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QUADS TOUR IN TARIFA

Saturday, Sept. 20, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. \$130 per person. Must register by Sept. 15.

R Navy Outdoor Recreation for this fun 4-wheel quad tour in Tarifa. Our guide will take you through the natural reserve of Los Alcorno hery of Tarifa and will experience the wonderful scel vs, goats, and meet domestic animals including co of Santuario de horses. You will also be taken to the to la Luz to enjoy the amazing views of Tarifa First time riders are welcome

and no experience is necessary! Trip includes

HIKING AT GRAZALEMA NATURAL PARK

Saturday, Sept. 27, 7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.
\$45 per person. Must register by Sept. 24.
Gaiz province and solids into the north west of Malaga
and El Gastor reservoir which through the summer is a

ROCK CLIMBING

Saturday, Oct. 4, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

\$75 per person. Must register by Oct. 1.

Rock climbing is an activity in which participants climb
up, down or across natural rock formations or artificial
up, the goal is to reach the summit of a formation. op, down or across natural rock formations or artificial rock walls. The goal is to reach the summit of a formation or the endpoint of a pre-defined route without falling. Rock climbing is a physically and mentally demanding sport, one that often tests a climber's strength, endurance, againty and balance along with month. sport, one that often tests a climber's strength, endurance, agility and balance along with mental control. Climbing rock walls in a secure way can be a great way to enjoy the scenery from a unique and surprising perspective. Now it's time to get out and test surprising leading in Signa de Grazalema, with MMID. your skills climbing in Sierra de Grazalema, with MWR Navy Outdoor Recreation. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, guides and climbing equipment.

COLUMBUS DAY WEEKEND MULTI-ADVENTURE TRIP IN ALMUÑECAR (GRANADA)

Friday-Monday, Oct. 10-13. Departure: 4 p.m. Return: 6 p.m. \$395 per person in a double room. Must register by Sept 29.

Enjoy canyon descending and kayaking during this 4-day adventure tour. **Saturday**, you will journey to Rio Verde, the most attractive canyon descending in Andalucia. You will have to rappel (under waterfalls), jump (one with a height of 12 meter), slide slip, swim, walk... Sunday, we will do an ocean caves kayak tour in the beautiful bay of La Herradura at the beginning of the Maro cliffs.
It is full of orange coral and has an interesting history. Trip includes roundtrip transportation by van, lodgingin a three or four-star hotel in a double occupancy with breakfast, activities (canyon descending and ocean kayak) equipement, local guides and free time. The activity is designed for an active person. It requires some skills and endurance. You need to be able to swim. Meals other than breakfast in the hotel are not included.



DIFFICULTY LEVEL 1: Low

1-2 2: Low/Moderate

3: Moderate **3-4 4:** Moderate/High

5: High **5-6 6:** Very High

TICKETS AND TRAVEL

MALAGA **HISTORICAL TOUR**

Saturday, Sept. 6, 7 a.m.-9 p.m. \$90 per adult / \$55 per child 2-14 years old / No cost for child under 2 years old. Must register by Sept. 3.

The city of Malaga, the capital city of the province of Malaga, is the second-largest city of Andalucía and lies along the Costa Del Sol. Famous for the "pasas" (raisins), Malaga is also well known for its superb wines. This historical tour will take you to the cathedral, Castle of Alcazaba, the harbor area, the local market and the location where Picasso was born. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, local guide, entrance to a monument and free time to shop and enjoy the local food and wine.

NAUTICAL TOURISM -SAILBOAT AND TAPAS IN THE BAY OF CADIZ

Friday, Sept. 12, 6-10:30 p.m. \$115 per person. Must register by Sept. 10.

Unwind yourself, and join Tickets and Travel to one of its sailboat rides around the Bay of Cadiz. Feel the peace and harmony with nature while navigating at sea. Enjoy the breeze and gentle wind blowing, the ocean scent, the caress of sun on your skin, and the wonderful blue sea horizon; a treat to all the senses. Tapas and drinks will be served onboard. The trip includes roundtrip transportation, sailboat ride, and tapas and drinks.

GRANADA SELF-GUIDED

Saturday, Sept. 13, 6 a.m.-11 p.m. \$70 per person / No cost for child under 14 years old. Must register by Sept. 10.

Explore the home to the fortress La Alhambra, Granada Granada was the Moors final stand on the Iberian Peninsula. After over 700 years of reign, the Christian's final siege laid on this city and its palace perched high above. Today the city still retains much of its North African influence through stores, restaurants and teahouses. The long-time capital of Moorish Andalucía, offers some of the most important reminders of this time in Spanish history. The city offers charming narrow streets filled with flowers, taverns serving up the famous Trevélez jamon, flamenco in the gypsy caves of Sacromonte, shopping and more. This trip includes roundtrip transportation only.

CEUTA (SPANISH AFRICA) HISTORICAL TOUR

Saturday, Sept. 20, 7 a.m.-9 p.m. \$120 per adult / \$90 per child 2-14 years old / No cost for child under 2 years old. Must register by Sept. 17.

Up until now, not too many people can say "Been theredone that," when it comes to visiting the continent of Africa, without actually leaving Spain. MWR will take you to Ceuta, an autonomous city of Spain located on the North African side of the Strait of Gibraltar which separates it from the Spanish mainland. It is approximately an hour by ferry from the port of Algeciras and it basks in the waters of the Atlantic ocean and the Mediterranean sea, bordering Morocco in the west. The area of Ceuta is approximately 28 square kilometers (11 sq mi). Ceuta is dominated by a hill called Monte Hacho, on which there is a fort used by the Spanish Army. The city enjoys a mild Mediterranean subtropical climate. Passport required. We will need your passport information beforehand. Trip includes: bus, ferry, panaromic tour, historical walking tour, lunch (modest meal and is optional) and some free time to shop. Note: The trip itinerary is subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances i.e., ferry schedule and availability and weather condition to cross the Strait of Gibraltar.

SEVILLA HISTORICAL TOUR

Saturday, Sept. 27, 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. \$80 per adult / \$60 per child 2-14 years old / No cost for child under 2 years old. Must register by Sept. 24.

Visit the cathedral, the old Jewish quarters and the Plaza de España. Sevilla, the capital of Andalucía, is home to the 3rd largest Gothic Cathedral in the world, where you can enjoy views of the city from the top of the famous La Giralda Minaret Across from the Cathedral is the Alcázar a 14th-century palace built in a Moorish style. Some say it's comparable to the Alhambra in Granada. The city is also known for its many tapas bars, so even without the sites, you are sure to have a pleasant day walking and shopping your way through the winding streets of the Triana Quarter in the old part of the city. Historical tour includes roundtrip transportation, local guide, entrance fee and some free time. Passport or Spanish Driver's License number is required at sign-up. Information needed to book entrance to the cathedral of Sevilla.

RONDA HISTORICAL TOUR

Saturday, Oct. 4, 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. \$90 per adult / \$55 per child 2-14 years old / No cost for child under 2 years old. Must register by Oct. 1.

Visit with MWR one of the most beautiful places in Spain. Some artifacts found around Ronda date back to prehistoric times, as far as 28,000 BC. The forces of Catholic Spain took control of the town in 1485. Three bridges, Puente Romano ("Roman Bridge"), Puente Viejo ("Old Bridge") and Puente Nuevo ("New Bridge"), span the canyon. The term "nuevo" is a bit of a misnomer since this bridge was completed in 1793. Another important site in Ronda is the Plaza de Toros de Ronda, the oldest bullfighting ring in Spain that is still used today. The partially intact baños árabes ("Arab baths") are found below the city and date back to the 13th and 14th centuries. Ernest Hemingway and Orson Welles resided in Ronda for many years, and both wrote about its beauty. Trip includes roundtrip transportation, local guide, entrance to monuments and some free time

COLUMBUS DAY WEEKEND IN NORTHERN MOROCCO

Saturday-Monday, Oct. 11-13. Departure: 6 a.m. Return: 11 p.m.

\$775 per person in a double room \$805 single room | \$550 child under 14 years old. Must register by Sept. 28. Ages 9 years and older.

Tickets and Travel will introduce you to North African culture and history. Spend three unique days and two splendid nights in Morocco. We will visit four cities: **Tetouan** the old capital of the Spanish Protectorate, the beautiful Blue city of **Chefchaouen** with its mountainous surrounding, **Asilah** and **Tangier**, the economic and administrative capital of Northern Morocco. The trip includes roundtrip bus transportation, ferry tickets, lodging in four star hotel, all meals, and guided visits of the cities. No refunds after payment deadline. Note: For active duty, a country clearance must be obtained through APACS (https://apacs.dtic.mil/apacs/) prior to the trip. Passport information required at the time of











Outdoor Recreation trips are open to adults 18 years and older only.







AUTUMN LEAVES

by Mirka Hokkanen

Discover the incredible journey of leaves each season and their essential role in nature! As winter fades into spring, the big job of leaves begins-unfurling from buds and stretching out to soak up the sun. From delicate maple leaves to the large fronds of ferns and everything in between, learn what leaves can do in this pitch-perfect picture book for young readers.

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THE COURT OF THE DEAD

by Rick Riordan

A few months after returning from the depths of Tartarus, demigods Nico di Angelo and Will Solace agree to join Nico's half-sister Hazel Levesque at Camp Jupiter on the West Coast. She needs their help in managing a situation that the boys inadvertently brought about: the demigods showed the monsters of the Underworld that they have options; they don't have to be evil. Now some of those monsters have taken up residence at Camp Jupiter to seek refuge. Nico and Will are on site assisting Hazel when one by one monsters start disappearing from camp.

YOUNG ADULT

CROOKED KINGDOM

by Leigh Bardugo

The Dregs Edition of the #1 New York Times bestseller Crooked Kingdom, sequel to Six of Crows, features new cover art, black stained edges, and updated maps. When you can't beat the odds, change the game. Kaz Brekker and his crew have just pulled off a heist so daring even they didn't think they'd survive. But instead of divVying up a fat reward, they're right back to fighting for their lives. Double-crossed and badly weakened, the crew is low on resources, allies, and hope. As powerful forces from around the world descend on Ketterdam to root out the secrets of the dangerous drug known as jurda parem, old rivals and new enemies emerge to challenge Kaz's cunning and test the team's fragile loyalties.

ADULT

WHAT WE CAN KNOW

by Ian Mcewan

2014: At a dinner for close friends and colleagues, renowned poet Francis Blundy honors his wife's birthday by reading aloud a new poem dedicated to her, 'A Corona for Vivien'. Little does anyone gathered around the candlelit table know that for generations to come people will speculate about the message of this poem, a copy of which has never been found, and which remains an enduring mystery. 2119: Just over one hundred years in the future, much of the western world has been submerged by rising seas following a catastrophic nuclear accident. Those who survive are haunted by the richness of the world that has been lost. In the water-logged south of what used to be England, Thomas Metcalfe, a lonely scholar and researcher, longs for the early twenty-first century as he chases the ghost of one poem.



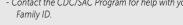
CHILD CARE AVAILABILITY

Childcare is available for all eligible personnel from 6 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., Monday-Friday at the CDC for ages 6 weeks to 5 years, before and after care for Universal Pre-Kindergarten, and PSCD enrolled children. Come to the CDC for more information! At the SAC we provide before and after school care during the school year for Kindergarteners through 12 years of age and provide summer camps.

Please call us for more information.

CDC. SAC. YSF. TEEN AND SL **REGISTRATION AND SIGN-UP INFORMATION:**

- CYP Registration- All documents are accessible via the QR code or via the MWR webpage (www.navvmwrrota.com). Submit the forms for SAC/Youth/YSF registration to SAC, Bldg 41 or for the CDC at Bldg. 1963
- Use MCC.com for: Reserving a CDC/SAC FULL TIME and SAC CAMP for your child:
- Use CYPOnline.com for:
- Sign-ups for Teen/YSF programs (after registering for CYP)
- Reserving a CDC/SAC- Camp and Hourly Childcare space
- After registering for CYP, Sign-ups for Teen/YSF Programs
- You must already have a registration form on file with
- CYP to use the online system. Contact the CDC/SAC Program for help with your









ONLINE PORTAL CHILD CARE





• CCC (6 weeks -5 years)

956-82-1100 or DSN 727-1100 usn.rota.navstarotasp.mbx.fleet-readiness-cdc@us.navy.mil Bldg. #1963. Open: 6 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Read to the Children

As the new school year starts, come join us by reading to the children in your child's classroom!

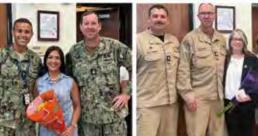
Your voice can inspire a love of books. Whether it's a childhood favorite or a fun new story, we would love for you to join us for a special read-aloud time! Come make memories and spark imaginations. Talk to the front desk receptionist to coordinate a time







SEPTEMBER















HONORING NAVY OMBUDSMAN

On September 14, 1970, Admiral Elmo Zumwalt Jr, then Chief of Naval Operations, took a step toward strengthening the bond between service members families and the command when he issued Z-gram 24. This directive established the Navy Family Ombudsman Program.

Appointed by the Commanding Officer, Ombudsmen are official command volunteers who act as trusted links between command leadership and the families of Sailors. They work to ensure information flows smoothly, concerns are addressed, and resources are accessible. By bridging the gap between home and command, Ombudsmen contribute directly to family readiness and mission success.

The role requires compassion, discretion, and unwavering dedication. Whether providing updates during deployments, assisting in times of crisis, or simply being a listening ear, Ombudsmen serve as pillars of strength within the Navy community.

Each September, we take time to recognize these exceptional individuals, with September 14th designated as Ombudsman Appreciation Day. Throughout the month, commands and communities across the fleet host events and offer thanks to those who serve in this unique and essential role.

To all Navy Ombudsmen—past and present—Thank You. Your commitment, resilience, and care do not go unnoticed. You are the quiet professionals who stand watch with our families, and for that, we are deeply grateful.

As we celebrate Ombudsman Appreciation Day, let us remember that behind every Sailor is a family, and behind every family, there is an Ombudsman ready to serve.

DATES PROGRAMS

LEADERSHIP & CFS AWARENESS FORUM

COMMAND SPONSORSHIP

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INTER-CULTURAL RELATIONS (ICR)

LEADERSHIP & CFS AWARENESS FORUM

TRANSITION WORKSHOP Sept. 15-19, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

TUE 16

OMBUDSMAN BASIC TRAINING

ONE LOVE WORKSHOP **EFMP TRAINING**

18/19

FINCA LA PINTORA GASTRONOMIC TASTING ROTA

INTER-CULTURAL RELATIONS (ICR)

ept. 22-24, 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

10 STEPS TO A FEDERAL JOB

EFMP PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

LEADERSHIP & CFS AWARENESS FORUM

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BOOTS TO BUSINESS Sept. 26-27, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. **VA HOME LOAM** 1 a.m.-12:30 p.n

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INTER-CULTURAL RELATIONS (ICR)

16-30

BASIC SPANISH CLASSES Tuesdays, Sept 16, 23 & 30, 9-10:30 a.m. INTERMEDIAL SPANISH CLASSES







For any other class availability, please call us.









ONGOING PROGRAMS

FAMILY FUN DAYS Every Sunday, 1-8 p.m.

FREE USAA* RANGE BALLS FOR US ACTIVE DUTY **MILITARY**

Tuesdays and Thursdays,

4:30-6 p.m.

With PGA tips by appointment only on Thursdays.

TWILIGHT SPECIAL

Seven days a week. 4:30-8 p.m. \$17 unlimited golf. Carts are \$13 double rider or \$15 single rider.

KEY GOLF SPECIAL

Are you PCSing or TDY to Rota? Present your hotel key at the golf shop and save \$2 off your green fees (green fees are based on rank) and save \$2 off your cart fees. Note: Not valid with other programs.

LIBERTY GOLF DAY

Sunday, Sept. 28, 1-8 p.m..

*No U.S. Navy endorsement is implied **USE THIS COD**



SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

Shotgun start 9 a.m. \$20 plus green fees. (100% of the entry fee is returned to the prize fund as gift certificates).





FOR MORE INFORMATION

PLEASE CALL 956-82-2260 OR DSN 727-2260

ONGOING

Active Duty Members in Uniform Lunch Bowling

Mondays-Sundays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Free game of bowling, including shoe rental, for Military personnel in uniform with the purchase of a complete meal and drink

Family Night

Mondays, 4-8 p.m. Families up to 5 people per lane can bowl for one hour including shoes rental for \$15.

Couples Night

Tuesdays, 5-10 p.m. Groups of up to four people can bowl for one hour including shoe rental and one pitcher for only \$35.

Barracks Bash

Wednesdays, 6 p.m.

Barracks Bash - Challenge anyone to an hour of bowling for Ultimate Bragging rights. \$10 for 1 Hour. Head to Head. Shoe rental Included. Win 10x Head-to-Head Challenges and become the Pinz Barracks Challenge Champion.

Liberty's Bowling Night

Thursday, Sept. 11, 7-9 p.m.

Enjoy a free night of bowling and pizza with Liberty (free for single unaccompanied AD E-6 and below). On the second Thursday of each month sign in on the Liberty sign-up sheet at the front counter at Pinz.

Cosmic Bowling

Fridays and Saturdays, 7-11 p.m.

Groups up to five people can bowl for \$23 per lane for one hour, including shoe rental.



FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

727-3232 (on base) and 956-82-3232 (off base) Located on the first floor of the Community Support Building #3293 Email: usn.rota.navstarotasp.mbx.ffsc@us.navy.mil

646-407-871 Sexual Assault Helpline

24/7 NAVSTA Rota

PINZ FALL BOWLING LEAGUE

Pinz Fall Bowling League is around the corner. Gather your team of friends, your command, or a bunch of cool people that you've never met before and sign up for our Fall Bowling League. Registration ends Sept. 30.







TO AIKIDO (6-WEEK PROGRAM) Tuesdays, Sept. 16-Oct. 15, 5:30-6:30 p.m.



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Come join us every Monday this month to complete your own

your shirt to upcycling clothes you aren't ready to throw away

into bandanas we will guide you through it all. Provided: Space

and materials to design your own western crafts.

Come join the Liberty staff for a free movie. Enjoy hot

buttered popcorn and an ice-cold soft drink on us! On the

Come to the Liberty Center to see if you can get a Black

Come to Liberty and create your own WANTED Poster. We

will use them to decorate for our End of Summer Rodeo on

the 19th. Provided: Template for your poster, and a Polaroid

Jack against our Dealer!

Wednesday, Sept. 10, 7-9 p.m.

camera for your mugshot... we mean photo.

across the pool, don't sink!

Provided: All building materials and transport of boats to the

pool. Supplies will be available for pick up at the Liberty center.

Pizza and water guns will be provided.

day of, sign in on the Liberty sheet at the front counter of Flix.

Western themed craft. From embroidering a western design on

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INTRODUCTION

Sign-up at Liberty Center. Want to explore and enjoy the world of martial arts? Stop by the Liberty Center to sign up for this 6-week Aikido introductory course. Once you learn and practice the basics, continue perfecting your Aikido skills through Community Classes! Fee: \$30 activity deposit. Deposit is refundable at the end of the 6-week program based on individual Sailor attendance



Canyon Decending

Saturday, Sept. 13, 6:45-8 p.m.

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\$68 for single/unaccompanied E6 & below. Must register by Sept. 10.

Join ODR for Canyon Descending! Canyoneering (also called canyon descending) consists of descending rivers by combining the techniques of climbing, caving and swimming. This activity is experiencing a spectacular popularity because of the beauty of its routes and the ideas of true adventure. Provided: Roundtrip transportation, insurance, a wet suit, harness/helmet, and professional guide.

Ceuta (Spanish Africa)

Saturday, Sept. 20, 7 a.m.-9 p.m. \$96 for single/unaccompanied E6 & below. Must register by Sept. 17.

MWR takes you to Ceuta, an autonomous city of Spain located on the North African side of the Strait of Gibraltar, on the Mediterranean, which separates it from the Spanish mainland. It is approximately an hour by ferry from the port of Algeciras and it basks in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea, bordering Morocco in the west. The area of Ceuta is approximately 28 square kilometers. Ceuta is dominated by a hill called Monte Hacho, on which there is a fort used by the Spanish Army. The city enjoys a mild Mediterranean subtropical climate. Trip includes: bus, ferry, panaromic tour, historical walking tour, lunch (modest meal and is optional) and some free time to shop.

Columbus Day Weekend Multi-Adventure Trip in Almuñecar (Granada)

Friday-Monday, Oct. 10-13. Departure: 4 p.m. Return: 6 p.m. \$316 per person in a double room.

Must register by Sept 29.

Enjoy canyon descending and kayaking during this 4-day adventure tour. Saturday, you will journey to Rio Verde, the most attractive canyon descending in Andalucia. You will have to rappel (under waterfalls), jump (one with a height of 12 meter), slide slip, swim, walk... Sunday, we will do an ocean caves kayak tour in the beautiful bay of La Herradura at the beginning of the Maro cliffs. It is full of orange coral and has an interesting history. Trip includes roundtrip transportation by van. lodgingin a three or four-star hotel in a double occupancy with breakfast. activities (canyon descending and ocean kayak) equipement, local guides and free time. The activity is designed for an active person. It requires some skills and endurance. You need to be able to swim. Meals other than breakfast in the hotel are not included. Moderate/High difficulty.

LIBERTY'S BOWLING NIGHT AT PINZ

Thursday, Sept. 11, 7-9 p.m. Free for single/unaccompanied E6 & below. Enjoy a free night of bowling and pizza with Liberty. On the day of, sign in on the Liberty sheet at the front counter in Pinz. Bowling lanes, shoe rental and pizza are provided.

LIBERTY POOL TOURNAMENT

Friday, Sept. 12, 7 p.m.

Come see who will be named the Liberty Pool Champion. The winner gets a prize, and bragging rights. Provided: Pool tables, pool cues, and a prize for the winner!

NERF BUCK HUNTER

Wednesday, Sept. 17, 7-8 p.m.

Come show off your hunting skills, and take a shot at our Nerf Buck Hunter course! Prize for whoever brings home the biggest "Buck". Provided: Nerf guns, obstacle course, and a prize for the winner!

LIBERTY'S END OF SUMMER RODEO

Friday, Sept. 19, 7-9 p.m.

Come join liberty staff as we play games, sing karaoke, line dance, and enjoy the final moments of summer together on the patio. Bring your cowboy boots/best western oufit!

LIBERTY POKER NIGHT

Tuesday, Sept. 23, 7-9 p.m.

Put your best poker face forward to try your hand at Liberty Poker Night! Provided: \$500 worth of chips to compete in a friendly game of poker.

WILD WEST ESCAPE ROOM

Wednesday, Sept. 24, 7-9 p.m.

Come enter the Liberty Salon where you'll have 1 hour to escape following the clues left by the missing barkeep.

GOLD PANNING FRIDAY

Friday, Sept. 26, 7-9 p.m.

We don't know what has been lurking beneath the soil here on our grounds, but hope you can help us strike gold! Come try your luck at panning for gold here at the Liberty Center.

TOY STORY MARATHON

Saturday, Sept. 27, 7-9 p.m.

Come join liberty staff in the movie theater as we escape the heat in the air-conditioning and watch everybody's favorite deputy in his many adventures.

LIBERTY GOLF DAY

Sunday, Sept. 28, 12-3 p.m. Free for single/unaccompanied E6 and below. Spend your Sunday afternoon relaxing in the sun. Liberty Golf Day includes green fees and club rentals. Liberty patrons need to check in with the front desk at the Pro Shop before noon

DOGGIE DATE RAWL NIGHT

Monday, Sept. 29, 5:30 p.m.

Pamper a RAWL pup and uplift your spirits at Doggie Date Night, a tail-wagging event for mental health awareness! Join us for a night of furry companionship, laughter, and love – because sometimes, a canine cuddle is the best therapy. Let's fetch joy together!

MAKE YOUR OWN TRAIL MIX

Tuesday, Sept. 30, 7-9 p.m.

Join the Liberty Team as we teach you how to put together your own high protein trail mix to hit the Oregon Trail with!





HALLENGE OF THE MONTH:

Thursdays in September, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Ready to get your feet moving and wheels spinning? Our Mini Duathlon is calling our name Picture this: you start

with a sprint, hop on the bike for a thrilling ride, and then

CFL Meeting for Command Fitness Leaders and Assistant

Command Fitness Leaders. MWR will be starting practical

training and updated information for continuing education

Mini Duathlon

finish strong with another sprint.

Wednesday, Sept. 17, 11:30 a.m.

CFL Meeting

of the CFL's in Rota.

Monday-Friday, Sept. 29-Oct. 3.

At the Fitness Center and NGIS Cadiz

• Command Fitness Leaders (CFLs) play an integral

part in the overall fitness and readiness of Sailors.

CFLs are not only responsible for conducting the

bi-annual Preventive Health Assessment (PFA) for

programming and guidance throughout the year to

ensure the members of their command maintain

• All CFLs must be trained and certified through

Important Notice: The cardiovascular assessment

of the PRT will include the 1.5 mile run/walk only

(no swim, treadmill or bike will be substituted). If

you do not meet the BCA requirement for a CFL

and do not score an overall of Excellent or higher

on the PRT you will be removed from the course.

Contact MWR Fitness Center for more information.

the five-day Command Fitness Leader

their commands, but also provide exercise

Room. Active Duty only.

physical readiness.

Certification Course.

SWIM LIKE A SHARK, BIKE LIKE A TIGER AND **RUN LIKE** A GAZELLE!



10 a.m. Ages 4-17 at the Indoor Pool

THEM!!! The kids Triathlon is an opportunity for young kids

SUPPORT

aged 4-17 to learn about triathlon and competition in a friendly and fun way thanks to courses and distances adapted to their capacity.

The children are divided into categories according to their age, to enable them to practice with other children on their level.



Are you a **MORNING** or an **AFTERNOON** person?

3on3 clock running basketball games for 3 min or 3 points, whatever comes first! Sign up your team (max 5 players, coed) or sign up as a free agent (+18) at IM Leagues. Snacks and beverages will be available to all participants. Winning team will receive a GYM essentials bag for each participant.

WITH IMLEAGUES

THURSDAYS, SEPT. 18 and 25

- SUNSET 333: Thursday, Sept. 18, 7 p.m.
- SUNRISE 333: Thursday, Sept. 25, 7 a.m.

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CREATE YOUR PROFILE 956-82-1916 or DSN 727-1916

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

and 500 Pound Club

Friday, Sept. 19, 4:30 p.m.

1000 Pound Club

Ages 18 years and older.

Must register at the Fitness Center. Join the elite and see if you can muscle up 1000 pounds total weight. Events will include bench press, squat and deadlift. Please train safely and start now to prepare for this event.

Youth Fitness Certification

Youth certification teaches the fundamentals of fitness,

proper use of equipment in the facility and DOD policy that

a facility orientation, one-on-one weight, cardio training

certification, youth ages 10-17 years old will be able to use

orientation, and a written test. After completing this

pertains to physical fitness in MWR facilities. Youth are given

Thursday, Sept. 18, 5 p.m.

Ages 10-17 years old.

the fitness center facility.

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EVENT	DATES	GAMES	DEADLINE	MEETIN
SEPTEMBER				
CC Pickleball League	11 (Thursdays)	-	8	-
Lacrosse Tournament	19 (Friday)		16	-
Outdoor Soccer Fall Tournament	23-27 (Tuesday-Saturday)	Tue & Thu 5-6pm	19	22
OCTOBER				
Volleyball Conditioning Clinic	18 (Saturday)		16	1-
Volleyball Tournament	21-23 (Wednesday-Thursday)	Sat 12-1pm	17	-
CC Volleyball League	27 (Mondays & Wednesdays)		22	24
NOVEMBER				
30+ Basketball Tournament	18-20 (Tuesday-Thursday)	Mon & Wed 5-6pm	14	~
Flag Football Turkey Bowl	22 (Saturday)	-	19	20

- 1. You can sign up your team/command using the Teams QR code, or you can sign up individually using the Free Agents QR code.
- 2. Sign ups will be over at NOON of the deadline date.
- 3. Regulations and schedules will be sent at least 24 hours prior the event and/or coach meeting.
- 4. Any questions and/or suggestions to Rota_Sports@eu.navy.mil

• aquatics center, 956-82-2129 or DSN 727-2129

• outdoor pool, 956-82-4882 or DSN 727-4882

Rota_MWRAquatics@us.navy.mil

INDOOR POOL **HOURS OF OPERATIONS**

Monday-Friday, 6 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Closed U.S. Holidays, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Returning to normal hours on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Navy Second Class Swim Testing available by appointment only.

LEARN-TO-SWIM LESSONS Parent & Child Swim Class

Sept. 10-12 and 17-19,

Wednesday-Friday, 10-10:30 a.m. Two week session. Ages 8 months-3 years old.

Sept. 10-12 and 17-19, Wednesday-Friday, 3:15-4 p.m. | 4-4:45 p.m. | 5-5:45 p.m. Two week session.

OUTDOOR POOL EXTENDED HOURS

From Sept. 6-Oct. 13: Saturdays, Sundays and US Holidays, Noon-7 p.m.

Monday-Friday, Closed

Lap swim: One lane available by appointment only.

- Annual Navy Youth Swim Test required every year. Youth, 17 and below, who have demonstrated the necessary skills will have FULL access to the Aquatic facility, including slides, diving boards, swimmer's zone/deep end, and other recreational amenities, as determined Naval Station Rota MWR Aquatics program.

Eligibility: U.S. active-duty service members & dependents DoD civilians & dependents, and U.S. retirees, Spanish military, dependents and base civilians who meet eligibility criteria with Spanish protocol. 100 percent ID check.





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