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WRAC SOLDIERS FROM BIELEFELD COMMUNICATION CENTRE BRING A TOUCH OF GLAMOUR TO THE 4th/7th ROYAL DRAGOON GUARDS.....

A group of WRAC soldiers visited the Regiment in March amid squallid snowstorms and biting Easterly Winds. They had been invited to Detmold from Bielefeld Communications Centre in order to spend a morning with Command and Recce Troops. This boosted the morale of the soldiers tremendously! "They are great students who soon got used to driving Scorpions and Ferrets" said one. It was a unique visit as far as Cpl Sugden was concerned as his wife was one of the visitors! The PRO attributed camera shake to the bitter winds though some would say he is too old to be taking photographs of young girls.



Cpl Brian and Mrs (LCpl) Tonia Sugden

NSPCC CHARITY CONCERT.....



Mrs Tessa Hobbs, wife of the 4th Armoured Divisional Commander recently accepted a cheque for over DM4150 from Mrs Joanna Duxbury on behalf of the NSPCC. The money was raised at a Charity

Concert held in the cinema in Hobart Barracks.

"I am very grateful to you, for all your hard work" Mrs Hobbs said. (Story & picture: Capt Steve Reeves)

HEY !!



Don't Forget

ROLL UP FOR A GREAT TIME AT THE HAKEDAHL FAIR

Spectacular Great Pram Race plus the Kiddies Delight - The Noddy Train. Stalls, Music and Beer Tent. And there are Competitions too....

DON'T MISS IT !!!!
SATURDAY 9th MAY

fun for the whole family

fun for the whole family

Hello,

An extra day off school is usually memorable for any schoolboy. There was a day in May that was always a holiday. It was not always the same day of the month because it was always a Thursday. Why should it be that I should have a days holiday on a Thursday in May?

It all has to do with something that happened a long time ago. Forty days after Easter there was a very special event in the Christian calendar. We tend to forget it because it is not a day when most people have a holiday. Here in Germany we might be more likely to notice because it is a German Public holiday in some parts of Germany.

Ascension Day is the time when Christians celebrate the return of Jesus Christ to his place of heaven. It is the day that marks the end of the time when the physical presence of the Son of God was with man. It marks the return of the resurrected body of Jesus to his place with the Father in Heaven. So it is the day when we can triumphantly affirm that the work of redemption is done. The promise of God has been fulfilled and the action needed to restore the relationship between man and God has been completed. It is a day just as important in the Christian

Padre's Pen..

Year as Christmas and Easter.

There will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 2000 hrs on Ascension Day (28th May).

See you there

FIND A PADRE

No this is not the follow up to Exercise Parsons Pleasure. You are not being asked to go out into the countryside and find a padre under some hedge or in a farm building. But some people feel that it is just that difficult to find a Padre when they need one. Here are the telephone numbers that you need.

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(Hobart Barracks)

The Reverend G Michael Bass CF

Office: Garrison Headquarters

Home: 19 Immelmann Str.

Detmold Military 2227

Detmold Civil 22233

CHAPLAIN RC

Fr. Frank Rowe

Office: Garrison Headquarters

Home: 3 Wellenkamp

Detmold Military 405

Detmold Civil 31301

CHAPLAIN

(Lemgo)

The Reverend David A Hart CF

Office: 1 RRW

Home: 27a Mudenkamp

Lemgo Military 280

Lemgo Civil 15918

SALVATION ARMY

Captain and Mrs M Caffull

Office: Red Shield Club

Home: 15b Eckener Str.

Detmold Civil 24558

Detmold Civil 31945

In an emergency call any chaplain.

CHURCH CALENDAR - MAY

SUNDAY 3 MAY

Easter 2

1100 - Parish Communion

SUNDAY 10 MAY

Easter 3

1100 - Morning Service sponsored

by 15/19H (Preacher The Revd D

A Hart CF)

1145 - Holy Communion.

SUNDAY 17 MAY

Easter 4

1100 - Parish Communion

SUNDAY 24 MAY

Easter 5

1100 - Morning Service sponsored

by 4 Armd Wksp REME

THURSDAY 28 MAY

Ascension Day

2000 - Holy Communion

SUNDAY 31 MAY

Sunday after Ascension

1100 - Morning Service sponsored

by the Youth Organisations.

1145 - Holy Communion.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

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Go to the BUZZ CLUB in the Chapel

behind the Red Shield Club. Every

Sunday at 0930 - 1030.

Padre Michael Bass



A NEW REGULAR
FEATURE BEGINS
THIS MONTH WITH
"NEWS FROM HIVE"
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36 AEC LIBRARY

ALL CHANGE AT 36 AEC LIBRARY

Due to their husbands posting out of Detmold Station, the library bid farewell to Mrs Jackie Powell and Mrs Vivien Auger, now talking their way into the Guinness Book of Records in UK. The photograph shows them with their respective replacements Mrs Chris Zambelli and Mrs Liz Lynch at the Main Branch in Hobart Barracks, and Mrs Kath MacDonald who has taken over from Mrs Zambelli at the Hakedahl Library.

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1000-1230 & 1400-1700

FRIDAY

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BE PASSED TO
THE EDITOR
AT 36 AEC
BY TUESDAY
19 MAY 1987
AT THE LATEST

DRIVE WITH CONFIDENCE WITH 4/7 DG DRIVING SCHOOL.....



John Lott hands the keys to Lt Col Daukes

Two driving instructors are the kingpins behind the 4th/7th Royal Dragoon Guards Driving School, which got off to a roaring success recently. Starting as a pilot scheme just before Christmas, with a car loaned from Military Car Sales Detmold, the Commanding Officer, Lt Col Clendon Daukes saw it had great potential and gave the go ahead for the School to be a permanent part of the Regiment.

John Lott of Military Car Sales donated the new car in a gesture of goodwill as he was most conscious of the fact that a large proportion of his customers came from the Regiment, initially allowing it to remain in the Regiments' hands for one year.

"Though we only charge DM15 an hour (or only DM120 for ten lessons)" Capt Steve Reeves the PRI Fund Manager said "We do not penny pinch on the quality of driving instruction and this is obviously a contributory factor to the heavy bookings I have received." The two instructors, SSgt Eddie Bennett and LCpl Steve Jenkins, are fully booked until after Easter.

The Regiment was shrewd enough to add 15 minutes to the one hours' driving tuition to allow for collection from quarters and return as well as briefing and debriefing.

One student is already about to sit her test and feels confident enough to pass. "Luckily the heavy snow has passed!" she said.

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THE CUSTOMARY CEREMONY OF THE PLAQUE PRESENTATION

4th/7th ROYAL DRAGOON GUARDS(WITH NEWS OF A VERY SPECIAL VISIT)

C and D Sqns have deployed to Hohne, which they know so well, in order to carry out Annual Firing.

Mr Ernie Roland originally served in the Regiment between 1953 and 1956. His regard for his Regiment has never waned but when he left he retired to Jersey making it difficult to visit - that is until he had the opportunity recently to visit his son in Sennelager. He immediately contacted Major Patrick Snowball of C Squadron (his old Squadron) to arrange a visit and recall old times. He came down from Sennelager in the CO's staff car remarking "As a tank driver in Fally I was never given this treatment!" and was hosted throughout by C Squadron. Major Snowball showed him an old scrap book in the Officers Mess to help Mr Roland recall the old days, old faces, old names. "I was only three when Ernie Roland joined up", Major Snowball said, "so I don't know all these old colleagues of his!" He was shown over the tanks and before leaving he was presented with the customary plaque. The Driving School serges ahead and bookings already reach into May.

TARA'S EVENING GOWN HIRE

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DETMOLD AND DISTRICT PPA BRANCH NEWSLETTER...

RESOURCES CENTRE. At last I'm pleased to tell you all that the P.P.A. Shop/Resources centre is now open, in the cellar of the education centre, and has as wide a range of stock as we can afford.

Items such as paint, glue and glue spreaders, paint brushes and pots, scissors, tissue and crepe paper, card, activity books and lots more are available at very reasonable prices.

OPENING TIMES: TUESDAY AFTERNOON 2-3.30 pm
WEDNESDAY MORNING 10-11.30 am.

PLAY DAY. The play day during half term was very successful and we would like to put more of these on in the future. Unfortunately, though, for several reasons, we are not planning a play day during the Easter break. Volunteers are needed for future play days.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.

May 28th at Hakedahl School
SSAFA Social Worker Miss Pratt to talk about and show the video "KIDS, SAY NO TO STRANGERS".
Time 8 pm

July 8th IDEAS FOR OCCUPYING YOUR CHILDREN during the holidays.
Venue to be arranged, everybody

welcome to come and bring your own ideas.

To celebrate P.P.A. Play group week we are hoping to hold a TEDDY BEAR'S PICNIC. This will be held on May 29th at the Hakedahl hall. If the weather's kind to us bring a picnic and your teddy and eat outside, if it's not we'll have to take it inside. There will be activities for the children to play with. All

these events are for everybody in the garrison, they are arranged by a few people on the Branch Committee. We need help from anybody who is interested in the under fives, so any mums and dads out there who would like to help please contact us either at the Resources centre or phone CHRIS on Detmold 31522 or JO on Detmold 35530.

Alex' HAIRPORT



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