



Community and Leaders Information Forum (CLIF)



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Corso SS. Felice e Fortunato

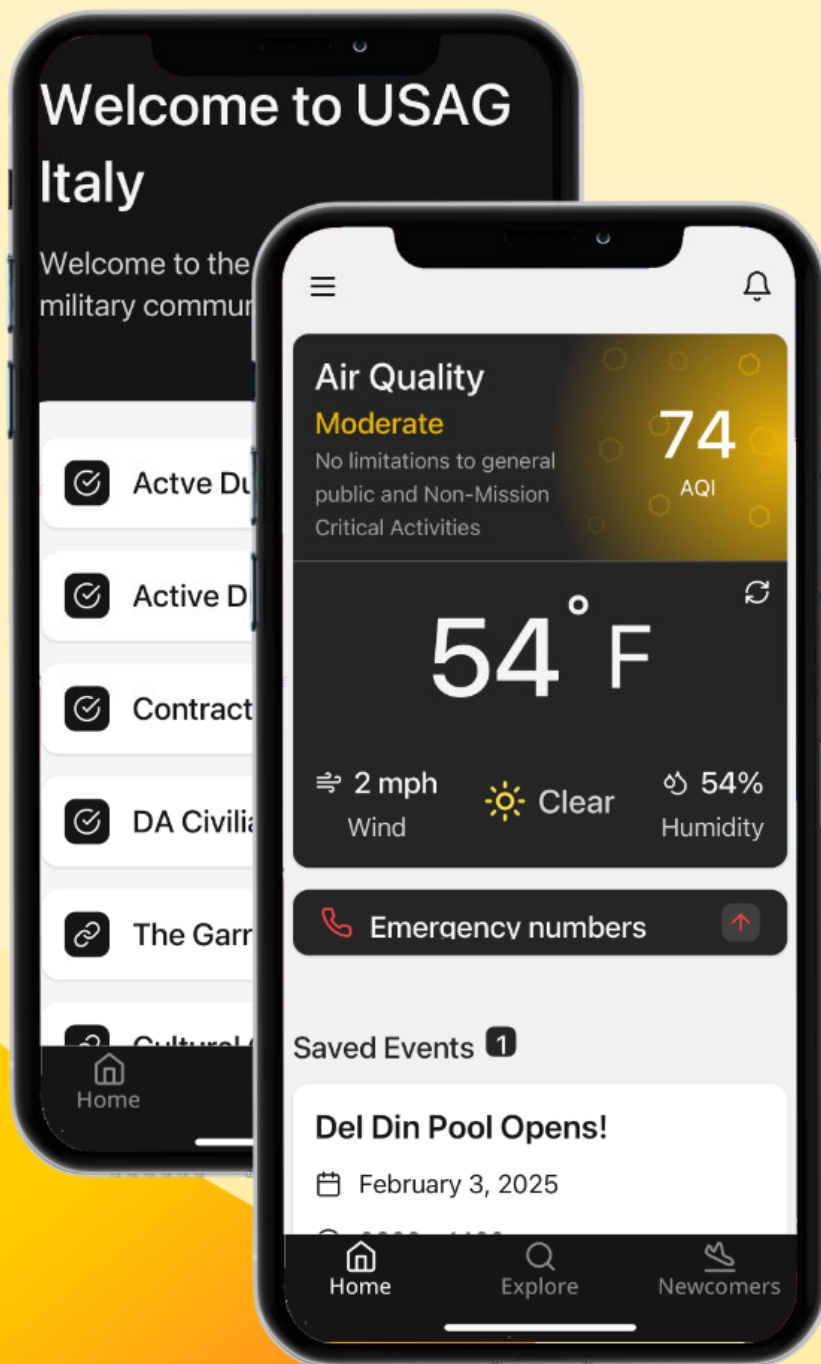


Porta Santa Maria Pisa

19 March 2025

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AVAILABLE NOW

MY ARMY POST APP

Installation Services

Gate Hours

Community Events

Important Notifications

Newcomers Information



OPENING REMARKS



- **Community Recognition**
- **DoDEA** – Schedules and Information
- **Health Clinic** – Healthcare
- **DHR** – Summer Surge & CPF Move
- **FMWR** – Upcoming Events
- **DES** – MVRO Digital System
- **ACS** – Blended Retirement
- **CR2C** – OHA Survey
- **RSO** – Spring Events
- **PAO** – Upcoming Host Nation Events

Mrs. Lauren Lawrence & Mrs. Kristen Furgal

Mrs. **Lauren Lawrence** and Mrs. **Kristen Furgal** both demonstrated unwavering dedication to the **HHC SFRG and Military Intelligence Ball Planning Committee**, consistently volunteering to support **Brigade efforts, spouse sponsorship, and meal trains**. Their long-standing efforts to ensure spouses were welcomed in a meaningful way across the brigade built the unit's underlying readiness. Their commitment to **fundraising and event coordination** directly contributed to reaching the **\$5,000 goal**, reducing ticket costs for junior Soldiers and enhancing morale across the **207th MIB-T**. They both dedicated **countless hours** to decorating the MI Ball venue, ensuring a **memorable experience for over 290 attendees** from the **Vicenza Military Community**. Their selfless service and commitment to building **unit cohesion** reflect great credit upon themselves and the **207th Military Intelligence Brigade - Theater**.

2025 YOUTH OF THE YEAR



Avonlea S. USAG Italy - Vicenza

Defining Characteristics:
Compassionate & Ethical

"The Youth Program has been more than just a place to spend my time. It has been a cornerstone of my growth and resilience. Here I've learned the value of community, discovered my passions, and gained the confidence to turn challenges into opportunities. The support and inspiration I have found has shaped me into a stronger more compassionate leader."



Mr. Robert Johnson, Vicenza Schools Administrative Officer

The DoDEA Europe South district recognizes Mr. Robert Johnson, Administrative Officer for the Vicenza schools complex at Villaggio.

An electrical fire occurred in a pre-kindergarten classroom, Thursday (13 March) morning, and Mr. Johnson jumped into action to initiate the safe evacuation of both the elementary and middle schools. After activating the alarm system, Mr. Johnson ran down the hallways adjacent to the pre-K classroom to provide a verbal alert as well. He used a fire extinguisher to keep the fire contained until the fire department arrived, and he even assisted them in the unfurling of their hoses to quickly put out the fire. Mr. Johnson spent the rest of the day managing the logistics required to relocate nine classrooms so that school could open on time the next day.

Mr. Johnson's actions during this emergency exemplify his commitment to the safety of the students and staff of the Vicenza schools.

Important Dates:

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|--------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 26 March | End of Quarter 3 |
| 27 March | Teacher Workday |
| 28 March - 4 April | Spring Break – No School |
| 21-25 April | Month of the Military Child Spirit Week |

Instructional Focus Area:

- Increasing direct writing instruction to support writing in all content areas.
- Providing actionable feedback to students about their writing.



Important Dates:

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|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 18 March | IAC Meeting (VES/VMS Library) – 15:30 |
| 20 March | SAC Meeting (Puma Den) – 15:30 |
| 21-22 March | VMS Leadership Lock-In |
| 26 March | End of Quarter 3 |
| 27 March | Teacher Workday – No School |
| 28 March - 4 April | Spring Break – No School |
| 16 April | PIE Event for MOMC |



Important Dates:

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| 18 March | IAC Meeting (VES/VMS Library) – 15:30 |
| 26 March | JROTC Ball |
| 26 March | End of Quarter 3 |
| 27 March | Teacher Workday – No School |
| 28 March - 4 April | Spring Break – No School |
| 14 April | Teacher Training Day – No School |



Appointment Line: 0444 61 9000

<https://mhs-europe.tricare.mil/Vicenza>

<https://www.facebook.com/VicenzaArmyHealth/>



• Closures

- *Annual* Federal Holidays
- Training: 1st & 3rd Thu PM

• Patient Information Flyers

- *UPDATED*: MHS-Genesis Tools
- Recent: Medical Travel Process
- Recent: Space Available Services

• New Initiatives

- NOW: PEB Liaison Officer info briefings
- Coming Soon: MHS Virtual First Strategy!
- Coming Soon: Aviano MTF Primary Care Options

• Reminder: Behavioral Health Resources

- USAHC-V BH Group Classes & Workshops
- AFWC Individual & Group Stress & Sleep
- MFLC, Chaplain, R2 Performance Center



OUT-PROCESSING

- All SMs, DACs and Contractors assigned to USAG Italy must clear the installation prior to departure.
- Upon receipt of orders visit Central Processing Facility Bldg 393.
- **PREPARE EARLY:**
 - ✓ Research Family Travel & Immigration Requirements
 - ✓ Initiate Pet Passports, Immunization & Transportation Requirements
 - ✓ Resolve Vehicle Fees Resolve Vehicle Shipment Issues
 - ✓ Reconcile Utility bills
 - ✓ Housing and Banks
- **PCS ORDERS & CLEARING TIMELINE:**
 - ✓ RECEIVE ORDERS - NLT 10 duty days after request submitted.
 - ✓ OUT-PROCESSING DAYS - Not less than 5 duty days or more than 10 duty days based on local situation.
 - ✓ RECEIVE CLEARING PAPERS - Issued 12 working days prior to departure.
- **ARRANGE TRAVEL AT SATO OFFICE** (Orders Required)
- **MARCO POLO AIRPORT SHUTTLE** - Available to Patrons with a DoD-issued ID card.
 - ✓ **MAKE SHUTTLE RESERVATIONS:**
 - Site is CAC Driven.
 - If any RFIs or site is down call DSN 646-5147 or COMM: 0444-71-5147.
 - ✓ Priority given to PCS/ETS/Retiring and Emergency Leave; system automatically approved.
 - ✓ All other Passengers notified of Approval/Disapproval, by email, 3 days before the requested date.


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OUTBOUND - REQUESTING ORDERS

- **SM.** Log-on to  . Receive notification of Assignment Instructions and complete “Member Elections”.



NOTE: If PCSing to another OCONUS location, SM must initiate Family Travel Screening through  .
If approved for Family Travel, submit Command Sponsorship Packet with Levy Packet.



- **SM. TAKE LEVY BRIEF:**

- ✓ Conducted In-person, every other Tuesday at the CPF, 2nd Floor from 0900-1130.
- ✓ E6 and below are required to attend the In-person briefing. E7 and above and all officers may view the Levy Briefing slides online at the MPS page on **USAG Italy Website**



- **ALL. REQUEST PCS ORDERS:**

- ✓ **SM.** Submit Levy Packet to MPD through unit S-1. PCS Orders will be emailed. Print Special Instructions Page.
- ✓ **CIV.** Coordinate and submit RFO through organization’s Civilian Personnel or HR representative.

INBOUND PERSONNEL

- **ALL. PCS ARRIVAL RESOURCES:**

Research Family Travel & Immigration Requirements
Initiate Pet Passports, Immunization & Transportation Requirements

Vehicle Shipment
DODEA Schools Housing

PCS Guide



FAQ



YouTube Playlist



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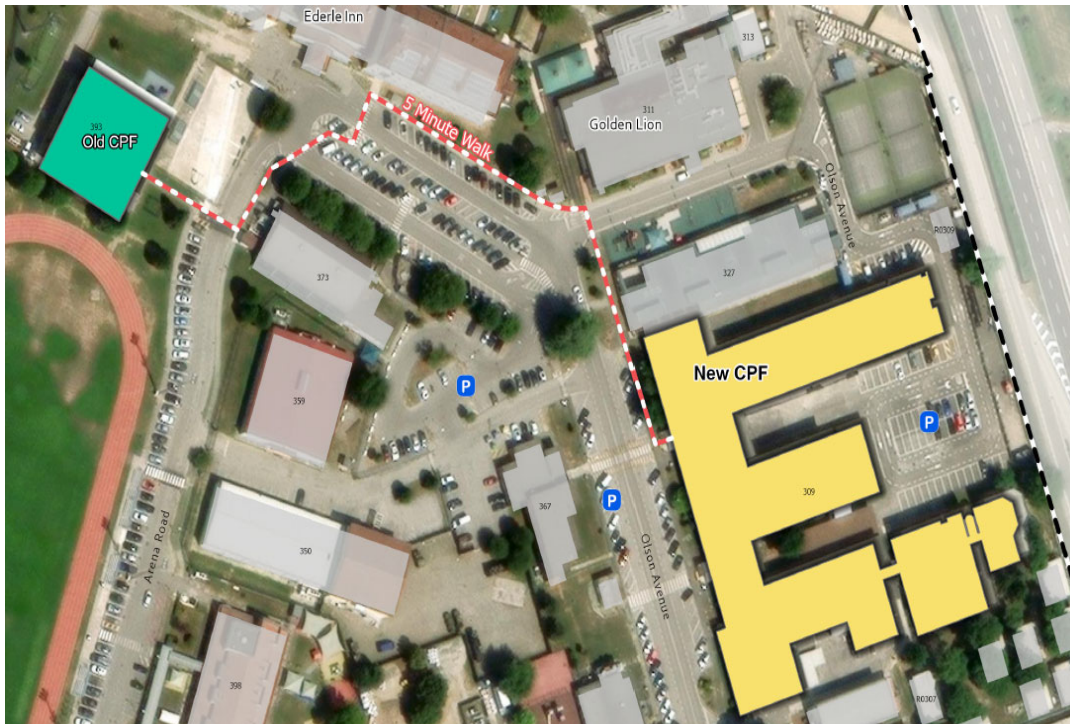


ALL. *REQUIREMENT: OFFICIAL/NO-FEE PASSPORT AND MISSIONE VISA.

- **SM.** Request Command Sponsorship if sponsor would like family to accompany them in Italy.
SM must initiate Family Travel Screening through  
- **SM.** Contact your local MPD for Levy Brief, Command Sponsorship Packets and Requests for Orders.
- **ALL.** Request local Postal Box up to 45 days from the report date contacting the local postal service center.
- **ALL. *REQUIREMENT: Official/No-Fee Passport and Missione visa must be obtained at the losing installation for all Military Dependents, DA Civilians, Contractors and their Dependents.**
- **ALL. AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION:** Arrival location is Marco Polo Airport (VCE) in Venice, IT. The airport Team will assist newly arrived personnel with a basic in-processing screening, ID card checks and with lost luggage claims and will issue free snacks and water provided by the USO.



DHR – Central Processing Facility Relocation



WHAT: The Central Processing Facility (CPF) in Bldg 393 will relocate to the old Vicenza High School (HS), Bldg 309.

WHEN: Tentative 16-18 Apr 2025.

WHERE: Vicenza HS, Bldg 309.

1ST Floor SVCS: In & Out-processing, Sponsorship, DEERS (ID Cards), Soggiorno, Housing satellite office, Transportation Personal Property and Driver's Testing.

2ND Floor SVCS: Finance, Quality Control (QC), and 173rd Reception Platoon (RSOI).

WHY: Consolidating all front facing services in one location and striving to provide a more efficient customer service experience.

No impact newcomers and community members overall activities during this transition.



Central Processing Facility Bldg 393



Vicenza Highschool Bldg 309

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MWR – Color Run/Walk

Color Run/Walk for Child Abuse Prevention Month:

- **Date:** Wednesday, 9 April
- **Time:** 14:30 – Proclamation Signing
- **Location:** Ederle Track & Field
- **What to Expect:**
 - Family-friendly color run/walk
 - Raising awareness of Child Abuse Prevention Month
- **Who are Involved:**
 - Sports, Fitness and Aquatics
 - Army Community Service



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MWR – Month of the Military Child

Month of the Military Child:

- **Date:** Thu, 10 Apr
- **Time:** 16:00-18:00
- **Location:** In front of Villaggio CDC/SAC
- **What to Expect:**
 - Celebrating the Month of the Military Child
 - Activities
 - Refreshments



The poster is purple and white. At the top left are logos for the U.S. Army, MWR, and other organizations. The top right text reads 'MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD' and 'M.O.M.C.' with a website link. The center features the text 'Celebrating Military Children and Youth: Building Stronger Character & Relationships' above a collage of photos of smiling children. The bottom section contains the event details: 'Thursday, April 10 from 4-6 p.m. In Front of Villaggio CDC/SAC'. It also includes the slogan 'Come celebrate the Month of the Military Child with us! Enjoy activities, refreshments, and more!', the website 'italy.armyMWR.com', and a QR code with the text 'STAND STRONG WITH MILITARY CHILDREN!'.

UNITED STATES ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND
A Subordinate of Army Materiel Command
ArmyMWR.com/MOMC

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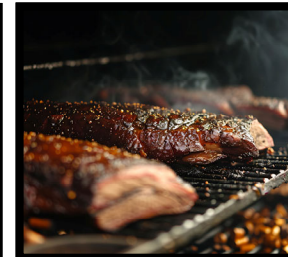
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Eggstravaganza:

- **Date:** Sat, 12 April
- **Time:** 10:00-13:00
- **Location:** Ederle Track and Field
- **What to Expect:**
 - Egg hunts by age category
 - Ages 0-3 at 11:00
 - Ages 4-7 at 11:30
 - Ages 8-10 at 12:00
 - Ages 11-12 at 12:30
 - Pictures with the Easter Bunny
 - Animal Expo
 - Family-friendly environment
 - Hot food and cold drinks
 - Kids games and inflatables
 - Sponsor tents and giveaways



Vehicle Registration is going digital!

Site is now active with limited actions available!

Vicenza Military Community members are able and encouraged to conduct routine vehicle registration actions online from any computer or phone.

New process:

1. Submit your information via the secure, online form.
2. Send required documents to MVRO via email.
3. Receive license plate information.
4. Make an appointment once MVRO confirms documents are verified and your registration is ready.

Benefits:

1. Appointments reduced to 10 min, and do not compete with walk-ins.
2. Frees up clerks to answer phones and emails.
3. Allows more time for clerks to personally handle unique situations as necessary.

FINANCIAL READINESS *SUPPORTS* MISSION READINESS

Did you know that if you joined between 2014 and 2017, you may be eligible for a retention bonus as part of the Blended Retirement?

Over 6200 soldiers, Army-wide, have missed their opportunity to request over \$72 million in bonuses—approximately \$11,000/per soldier.

- Soldiers who opted into the Blended Retirement System (BRS) in 2017 or joined the Army in 2018 are currently eligible for a Continuation Pay retention bonus.
- If you joined the Army in or after 2018, you were automatically enrolled in the BRS. In 2025, if you are between your 8th and 11th year of service, you are currently eligible for your bonus. Contact your Retention POC.

If you are eligible for the retention bonus and do not apply before your 12th year, you will lose eligibility.

- Financial Readiness Common Military Training (CMT) milestones must be conducted across the military lifecycle to promote sustained financial well-being and resilience. 1 of 13 CMTs is Continuation Pay, a training that could help lower the occurrence of overlooked bonuses.

OVERSEAS HOUSING ALLOWANCE (OHA)

LAST CHANCE FOR 3 YEARS!

When: Now – 31 Mar 2025

Who: Service members or their spouses, if you:

- Have been stationed in Italy for at least 3 months
- Reside in privately leased quarters
- Receive OHA

What: Utility and Move-In Expenses Survey

Where: Scan the QR code or visit this link:

<https://www.travel.dod.mil/Allowances/Overseas-Housing-Allowance/OHA-Data-Collection-Surveys/>

Why: Determine the Utility/Recurring Maintenance and Move-In Housing Allowances paid to service members in Italy





2025 VICENZA CHAPEL SERVICES

CATHOLIC SERVICES

- WED 05 MAR 0815
- WED 05 MAR 1145 & 1730
- FRI's during LENT 1730
- FRI 04 APR 1730
- SUN 13 APR 0900
- THU 17 APR 1800
- FRI 18 APR 1730
- SAT 19 APR 2000
- SUN 20 APR 0900

Ash Wednesday Services at Sigholtz Center
 Ash Wednesday Services at Ederle Chapel
 Stations of the Cross at Ederle Chapel followed by meatless dinner
 Outdoor Stations of the Cross
 at Santuario del Pieve – Chiampo, followed by dinner at local restaurant
 Palm Sunday Mass at Ederle Chapel
 Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper at Ederle Chapel
 Good Friday: The Lord's Passion at Ederle Chapel
 Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass at Ederle Chapel
 Easter Sunday Mass of the Resurrection at Ederle Chapel

PROTESTANT SERVICES

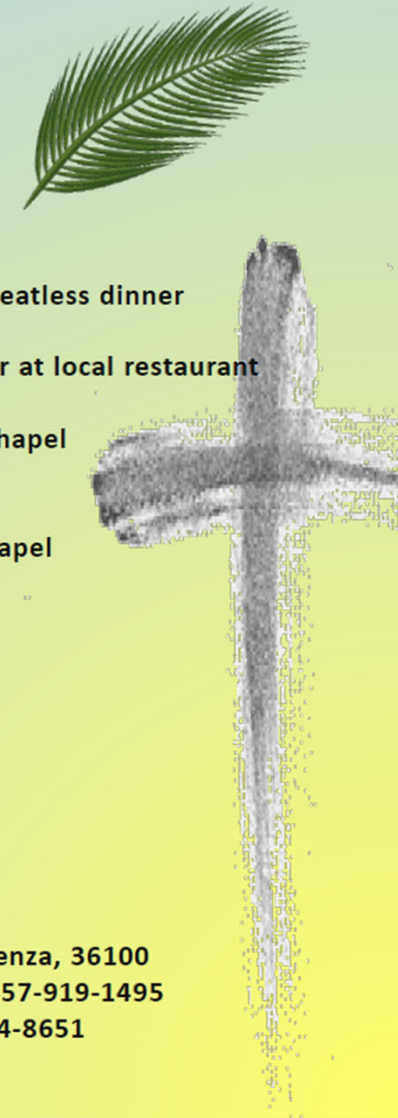
- WED 05 MAR 0830
- SUN 13 APR 1100
- SUN 13 APR 1000
- SUN 18 APR 1900
- SUN 20 APR 1100
- SUN 20 APR 1000

Ash Wednesday Services at Ederle Chapel
 Palm Sunday Service (Protestant) at Ederle Chapel
 Palm Sunday Service at (Gospel) Sigholtz Center
 Good Friday Service at Ederle Chapel
 Easter Sunday Service at (Protestant) Ederle Chapel
 Easter Sunday Service at (Gospel) Sigholtz Center

OTHER SERVICES


- SUN 20 APR 1100
- SUN 12-20 APR
- FRI 28 FEB- 28 MAR

LDS Easter Sunday Service, Via Enico Fermi, 227, Vicenza, 36100
 Jewish Passover for info contact Mikhael Smits- +1-857-919-1495
 Ramadan for info contact Lacina Fofana- +39-348-574-8651





Comune di Venezia <https://cda.ve.it/en/>

 **Venice Access Fee**
Comune di Venezia

Home What is the Access Fee F.A.Q.

- **Dates:**
 - Applicable from **18 Apr to 4 May**
 - Every **weekend from 10 May to 27 Jul**
- **Exemptions** apply to residents and VMC members; booking required.
- **Fee Structure:**
 - **€5** for bookings made **at least 4 days in advance**
 - **€10** for bookings made **within 3 days prior to the visit**



Monticello Conte Otto & Vigardolo





Next CLIF

21 MAY 25

1030-1130

GOLDEN LION, CASERMA EDERLE

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