



## Ford Island Bridge Run

*For fun, for exercise,  
for charity*

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As the sun rose on the island of Oahu Saturday morning, more than 1,400 military and civilian personnel donned their running gear and muscled their way to the starting line of the 2006 10K Ford Island Bridge Run.

The entrance of the Admiral Bernard "Chick" Clarey (Ford Island) Bridge served as the starting point for the race and a portal to the scenic running route on historic Ford Island.

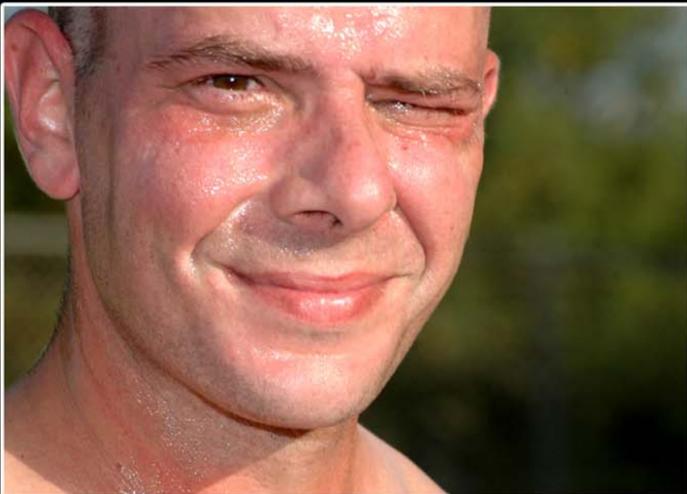
"This is not only a run to emphasize physical fitness but it's also an opportunity to relive a little bit of World War two," said Capt. Taylor Skardon, chief of staff, Navy Region Hawai'i and Naval Station Pearl Harbor commanding officer.

Silhouetted by the rising sun, military and civilian athletes waited anxiously as Doug Beter released his multi-colored Rainbow Pigeons as part of the traditional opening ceremony for the race. Skardon fired the starting cannon and the massive crowd of runners headed off across the bridge towards the island.

"We're very fortunate to be care-



Doug Beter, owner of the multi-colored Rainbow Pigeons, releases his birds during a traditional opening ceremony of the Admiral Bernard "Chick" Clarey (Ford Island) bridge run.



CTM1 Paul Laprairie achieves his goal of finishing under 50 minutes.



Corina Moorehead (left) and Melissa Boyer, two civilian runners from Kailua, Hawaii, pose for a picture after completion of the 2006 Ford Island 10k Bridge Run. "The run is really enjoyable and different from other races on the island. A lot of people never get to see Ford Island, it's really nice that the community is allowed to come in, see it, and support the military," said Moorehead.

As final results are posted, runners flock to see their overall placement.



takers of a historic landmark and it's wonderful to let the public come in and view the [historic] monuments we see everyday," said Skardon.

As runners passed the Battleship Missouri and Arizona Memorial, they continued around the perimeter of the island. Holes and strafe marks from stray bullets and the semi-submersed USS Utah are just a few reminders of the December 7, 1941 attack.

The participants continued around the rest of the island, back across the bridge and ended at Richardson Field across from Aloha Stadium.

After crossing the finish line, the competitors enjoyed refreshments, fruit and ice cream, provided by Commander, Navy Region Hawai'i's Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) department and race sponsors.

"The first year we did this

[race], we had approximately 8,000 runners and it was such a success... we've been doing it ever since," said Rodney Gouveia, MWR athletics director and Ford Island Bridge Run coordinator.

According to Gouveia, the number of runners competing in the Ford Island Bridge Run has tapered down over the years to between 1,400 and 1,500, but it is still the largest 10k in the state of Hawai'i.

While runners waited at Richardson Field for the final results of the race, they cooled off under shade trees and tents relaxing to the smooth sounds of the KEELA band.

"The [run] is really enjoyable" and different from other races on the island, said Corina Moorehead, a civilian runner from Kailua, Hawai'i. "A lot of people never get to see Ford Island, it's really nice that the

community is allowed to come in, see it, and support the military."

Fifty cents of each participant's entry fee is donated to the Navy and Marine Corps Relief Society (NMCRS), a non-profit charitable organization that offers financial, educational, and other assistance to members and families of the Navy and Marines.

Each runner received a race t-shirt and a certificate of participation for the race. Overall winners received prizes and awards at a brief ceremony after completion of the race.

Since 1997 the Ford Island Bridge Run has been the largest 10k run and the third largest running event overall for the island. This year the event generated \$688 for the NMCRS and remains a popular athletic event available to both military and civilian runners.



The Battleship Missouri and Arizona Memorial can be seen in the background as a runner makes his way across the bridge towards the finish line of the 2006 Ford Island 10k Bridge Run.

# Superstars of Wrestling headed to Pearl Harbor

Karen S. Spangler

Assistant Editor

Disco Inferno, Doink the Clown, the Black Dragon, Kharma, the Native Bloods – they're some of the biggest names in International Championship Wrestling (ICW) and they'll be here at Naval Station Pearl Harbor on April 27.

Twelve wrestlers from ICW are on a Pacific 2006 tour, visiting Hawai'i, Korea, Japan and Guam. The ICW provides wrestling entertainment to the U.S. military and allies of the United States throughout the world.

The local wrestling event is sponsored by Navy Region Hawai'i Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) and Armed Forces Entertainment (AFE).

The wrestling superstars have two appearances planned. Fans will have an opportunity to meet the stars of the wrestling ring from 4-5 p.m. at Catlin Clubhouse. They will talk about healthy lifestyles, the importance of education, staying drug and alcohol-free, and fitness.

The 12 wrestlers will also be available for photos and autographs at an appearance for single Sailors from 6-7:30 p.m. at Beeman Center.

The Navy community will have an opportunity to meet Disco Inferno, Norman Smiley, Virgil, Doink the Clown, the Black Dragon and Corporal Koeller, Michelle Morgan and Kharma; and Tag Teams: the Native Bloods and the Ballard Brothers.

The event is free and is open to all service members and guests.

For more information, visit [www.greatlifehawaii.com](http://www.greatlifehawaii.com) or call 473-0606.



Images courtesy of International Championship Wrestling

## 2006 National Volunteer Week is April 23-29

Louella Cazimero-Bactad

Fleet and Family Support Center

Think about the services that your community and nation provide with little funding. How is this done? Some of the organizations receive monetary donations; however, without the many volunteers who roll up their sleeves and pitch in to help, these services would cease to function. Your neighborhood, church, schools and military community have numerous individuals who volunteer their time to coach youth activities, provide various ministries, accompany class excursions, build homes, participate in charitable events, feed the homeless, take meals to the elderly, etc.

Sponsored by the Points of Light Foundation & Volunteer Center National Network, National Volunteer Week began in 1974 when President Richard Nixon signed an executive order establishing the week as an annual celebration of volunteering. Every president since has signed a proclamation promoting National Volunteer Week.

"Inspire by Example" is the 2006 theme selected by the Points of Light Foundation to reflect the power that volunteers have to inspire the people they help, as well as to inspire others to serve. This year's National Volunteer Week is April 23-29. During this week, let's take the time to thank one of America's most valuable assets – volunteers – and call the public's attention to all that volunteers do to improve our communities.

The Pearl Harbor Fleet and Family Support Center will recognize, honor and celebrate their volunteers at a luncheon. We encourage all organizations to also recognize their volunteers and their commitment to serve.

The rewards of volunteering are greater than you can imagine and appreciated even more. The Aloha United Way maintains a volunteer Web site that contains agencies and volunteer opportunities at [www.volunteerhawaii.org](http://www.volunteerhawaii.org). For more information, contact Louella Cazimero-Bactad at 473-4222, extension 245.

## Buy roses for mom, support Navy Enlisted Ball

Mother's Day is just around the corner – mom's special day is Sunday, May 14.

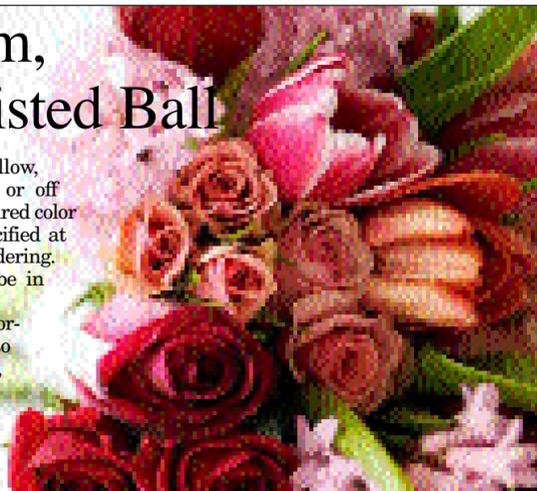
You can buy roses for mom and, at the same time, support the 2006 Enlisted Navy Ball.

Orders are now being taken for a dozen, long-stemmed roses and can be ordered at a cost of \$35. Proceeds will benefit the annual enlisted ball.

Roses may be ordered in the following colors: red,

pink, yellow, orange, green or off white. The desired color should be specified at the time of ordering. Orders must be in by May 1.

For more information or to order roses, call CNOCM David Lajoie at 473-2209 or 864-2449.



## Great Chili Cook-off benefits Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society

**Karen S. Spangler**

*Assistant Editor*

It's time to enter your favorite chili recipe in the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society (NMCRS) Chili Cook-off which will offer local chefs an opportunity to show off their chili peppers.

The event will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 22 at the Mall at the Navy Exchange (NEX) at Pearl Harbor as some of the Navy's best chili cooks compete. The cookoff is a benefit for the NMCRS.

In addition to first, second and third place winners, there will be a prize for the "fans" favorite." The first place winner will receive a \$250 NEX gift card with a \$150 gift card and a \$100 gift card to the second and third place winners, respectively.

The competition is limited to the first 25 teams of three and is open to all military patrons and their immediate families. The entry fee is \$40 per team of three. The deadline to enter the cook-off is April 17.

Entry packages are available at the NEX service desk. For more information, call 423-3274.

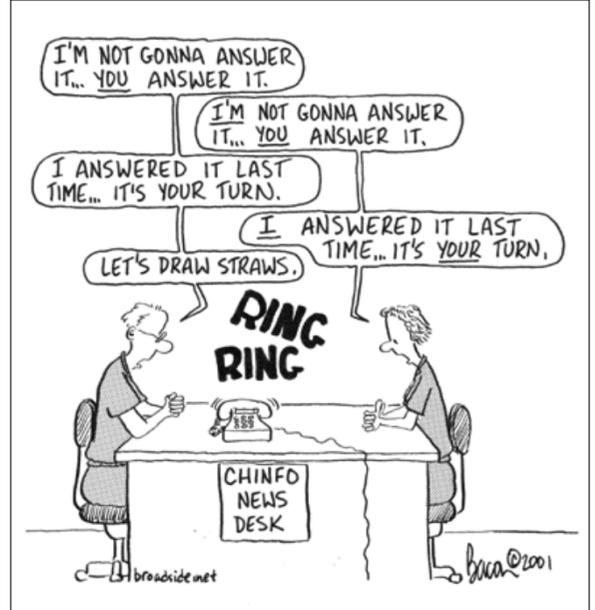
# Skylark Central

## What ship is it?



- Laid down by Bath Iron Works Corp., Bath ME on 21 May 1984
- Launched 8 December 1984, Commissioned 12 April 1986
- Oliver Hazard Perry class frigate
- Hit by an Iranian mine in 1988, resulting in the medevac of 10 Sailors

What ship is it?



## Know your Navy

On what date did the American Revolution begin?

Last week's question...  
The Civil War began on April 12, 1861 at Fort Sumpter, S.C.  
What year did it end?

Answer - 1865

## CIVIL WAR BATTLES

Here are the names of 30 famous civil war battles in last weeks word search

ADAIRSVILLE • ALLATOONA • ANTIETAM • APPOMATTOX • ATHENS • ATLANTA  
 BATON ROUGE • BENTONVILLE • BULL RUN • CHANCELLORSVILLE  
 CHATTANOOGA • DANDRIDGE • FORT FISHER • FREDERICKSBURG • GALVESTON  
 GETTYSBURG • HAMPTON • HARPERS FERRY • JONESBOROUGH • LYNCHBURG  
 MEMPHIS • MOBILE BAY • NASHVILLE • RAPPAHANNOCK ROADS • SHILOH  
 VICKSBURG • WAYNESBORO • WILLIAMSBURG • YORKTOWN



# MWR

## Movie Call

**Sharkey Theater**  
Naval Station Pearl Harbor  
(473-0726)

### TODAY

7:00 p.m. Eight Below (PG)

### SATURDAY

2:30 p.m. The Pink Panther (PG)

4:30 p.m. Madea's Family Reunion (PG 13)

7:00 p.m. Running Scared (R)

### SUNDAY

2:30 p.m. Eight Below (PG)

5:00 p.m. The Pink Panther (PG)

7:00 p.m. Madea's Family Reunion (R)

### Thursday

7:00 p.m. Eight Below (PG)

**Memorial Theater**  
Hickam Air Force Base  
(449-2239)

### TODAY

7:00 p.m. Eight Below (PG)

### SATURDAY

7:00 p.m. 16 Blocks (PG 13)

### SUNDAY AND WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. 16 Blocks (PG 13)

### THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. Running Scared (R)

**Sgt. Smith Theater**  
Schofield Barracks  
(624-2585)

### TODAY

7:00 p.m. Freedomland (R)

### SATURDAY

2:00 p.m. Eight Below (PG)

7:00 p.m. Date Movie (PG 13)

### SUNDAY

2:00 p.m. Eight Below (PG 13)

### WEDNESDAY

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*Editor's note: Every effort has been made to provide the most up-to-date information at the time of publication. However, scheduling of these events is subject to change. It is recommended that you call the contact numbers for the individual events to determine whether or not the activity will be held.*

## SPRINGFEST

Celebrate Month of the Military Child with Morale, Welfare and Recreation **Today** near the Navy Lodge on Ford Island. This year's "Fun with Experiments" theme promises free fun activities, including bounce houses, arts and crafts, hands-on experiments, science demonstrations and more. On-stage entertainment will include Reading with Ronald McDonald and Mad Science. The movie, "Cheaper By the Dozen 2" (PG), will begin at 7 p.m. with free popcorn. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. The event is open to all military-affiliated personnel and their sponsored guests. For more information, go to [www.greatlife-hawaii.com](http://www.greatlife-hawaii.com) or call 471-8658.

## FAMILY FUN AND MOVIE NIGHT

Morale, Welfare and Recreation at Naval Station Pearl Harbor will host family fun and movie night on **April 21** at NCTAMS near Wahiawa. Family fun activities, including games, a bounce house, free cotton candy and popcorn, will begin at 4 p.m. The movie, "Chicken Little" (rated G), will follow at 7 p.m. Children under 10 years of age must be supervised by someone 16 years

or older. For more information, call 471-8658.

## ROCK-N-BOWL

Rock-N-Bowl to your favorite tunes from the 1950s from 7-11 p.m. **April 21** at Naval Station Bowling Center. There will be a free All Natural Band performance. Bowling games will be regularly priced. For more information, call 473-2574.

## ARMED FORCES BODY BUILDING COMPETITION

The Armed Forces Body Building Contest will be held **April 22** at Sharkey Theater, Pearl Harbor. The evening show begins at 7 p.m. The spectator fee is \$10. For more information, call 473-0784 or visit [www.greatlife-hawaii.com](http://www.greatlife-hawaii.com).

## MWR EXPO

Find out everything you need to know about Morale, Welfare and Recreation programs and many of the island's most popular restaurants, shows and island excursions from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. **April 25** at The Banyans. There will be live entertainment, food, prizes and information. Attendees will have a chance to win this year's grand prize - a trip for two to Las Vegas. For more information, visit [www.greatlife-hawaii.com](http://www.greatlife-hawaii.com) or call 473-0606.

## INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP WRESTLING APPEARANCES

Naval Station Pearl Harbor will host 12 of the International

World Championship Wrestling (IWCW) Superstars on **April 27**. Disco Inferno, Norman Smiley, Virgil, Doink the Clown and others will be at Pearl Harbor for two appearances. The wrestlers will make a special appearance for youth from 4-5 p.m. at Catlin Clubhouse and will speak on such topics as healthy lifestyles, the importance of education, staying drug and alcohol-free, fitness and more. They will also be at Beeman Center from 6-7:30 p.m. to "talk story" over a free barbecue dinner. Bring your camera and snap photos with your favorite superstars. The event is open to military affiliated personnel and their guests. For more information, call 473-0606.

## CONCERT IN THE PARK

Come to a Concert in the Park at 6:30 p.m. **April 28** on the grassy knoll behind The Banyans at Naval Station Pearl Harbor. The series of outdoor concert performances will be held on the fourth Friday of each month. This month features one of Hawai'i's most respected jazz ensembles. The Big Band is an 18-member jazz ensemble performing many diverse styles, ranging from the timeless classics of big band swing to exciting contemporary jazz. Roll out your blanket and enjoy a picnic at dusk. If you don't feel like cooking, you can pre-order a picnic bento for \$5.50 per person from A Catered Experience at The Banyans. Orders will be taken up to the **Tuesday** prior

to the event - call 473-1706. Upcoming concert dates are May 26 and June 23. For more information, call 473-0606.

## MARINA FAMILY FUN DAY

Bring the family to Rainbow Bay Marina on **April 29** for a day of fun in the sun at Marina Family Fun Day. There will be free outrigger canoe paddling, sailing, kayaking, paddle boating, bounce house and other activities from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Free food will be available from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. For more information, call 473-0279.



**Today:** Dave and Busters, 7 p.m., bring \$\$.  
**April 15:** Polynesian Cultural Center (village tour and night show), noon, \$65.

**April 16:** Surfing lessons and lunch, 9:30 a.m., \$7.

**April 17:** WWE wrestling/ free food, 5 p.m., free.

**April 19:** "There's something going on at Beeman" 6:30 p.m., free

## Weekly events:

**Sunday:** Chess tournament, 6:30 p.m.

**Monday:** 8-Ball tournament (Beeman Center)- 7 p.m.

**Tuesday:** 8-Ball tournament - 7 p.m.

**Wednesday:** Game show - 6:30 p.m.

**Thursday:** 9-Ball Pool tournament - 7 p.m.



## 16 Blocks

A troubled NYPD officer is forced to take a happy, but down-on-his-luck witness 16 blocks from the police station to 100 Centre Street, although no one wants the duo to make it.

## Date Movie

The story of hopeless romantic Julia Jones, who has finally met the man of her dreams, the very British Grant Fonkyerdoder. But before they can have their Big Fat Greek Wedding, they'll have to Meet the Parents, hook-up with The Wedding Planner, and contend with Grant's friend Andy - a spectacularly beautiful woman who wants to put an end to her Best Friend's Wedding.

## Eight Below

Inspired by a true story, Eight Below is an action-adventure about loyalty and the bonds of friendship set in the extreme wilderness of Antarctica. The film tells the story of three members of a scientific expedition: Jerry Shepard, his best friend, Cooper, and a rugged American geologist, who are forced to leave behind their team of beloved sled dogs due to a sudden accident and perilous weather conditions in Antarctica.

## Freedomland

A white woman blames an African-American man for the death of her son, but a white reporter and an

African-American detective think otherwise.

## Madea's Family Reunion

An unstoppable force of nature, southern matriarch Madea may have finally taken on more than she can chew. She has just been court ordered to be in charge of Nikki, a rebellious runaway, her nieces Lisa and Vanessa are suffering relationship trouble, and through it all she has to organize her family reunion. As the reunion approaches, secrets are revealed and tensions rise. Madea must use every tactic in her arsenal to not only keep the peace, but keep her family together.

## The Pink Panther

A world-famous soccer coach has been murdered and his priceless, legendary ring has been stolen--a ring set with the stunning diamond known as the "Pink Panther." The French government needs a master detective to solve the crime and recover the gem, but he's not available so they recruit none other than Inspector Jacques Clouseau.

## Running Scared

Two 10-year-old boys get their hands on a mob gun with which a cop was shot. The father of one of the boys must take to the streets in a desperate bid to recover the weapon before the mob finds out it's missing.

# Community Calendar

*To have your activity or event featured in the Community Calendar, e-mail your requests to [hnn@honoluluadvertiser.com](mailto:hnn@honoluluadvertiser.com) or fax 473-2876. Deadline is Thursday for the following week's issue. Items will run on a space available basis.*

**Road construction near NEX** - Until **May 31**, there will be delays in vehicle and pedestrian traffic near the Navy Exchange (NEX) due to road improvements on Bougainville Drive and the Bougainville/Valkenburgh intersection. The construction will affect the following NEX areas: Home Gallery, Outdoor Living Center, Pet Stop, customer pick-up and nearby areas.

**Food drive** - Naval Health Clinic Hawai'i will collect food for the Hawai'i Food Drive from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. **tomorrow** and **April 22** in front of the Pearl Harbor Commissary. A representative from the clinic will distribute food donation bags to residents of local Navy housing communities through **April 19**. Those who wish to donate food should leave the filled bags outside their doors for pickup from noon-4 p.m. **April 22**.

**Kim Taylor-Reece appearance** - Meet local artist/photographer Kim Taylor Reece from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **tomorrow** at the rotunda of the Navy Exchange (NEX) as he features his brand new collection of hand-crafted lamps in the image and likeness of his style and art of hula. For more information, call 423-3330.

**Military spouse scholarships** - The National Military Family Association (NMFA) is now accepting applications for NMFA'S Joanne Holbrook Patton Military Spouse Scholarships. Any uniformed service spouse - active duty, retired, National Guard, Reserve, or survivor - studying toward professional certification or attending post-secondary or graduate school is encouraged to apply. Scholarships may be used for tuition, books, fees and school room and board. The number of scholarships awarded each year varies. More information can be found at [www.nmfa.org/scholarships2006](http://www.nmfa.org/scholarships2006). Applications will only be accepted online and must be submitted by midnight **tomorrow**.

**Easter Sunrise Service** - An Easter sunrise service, hosted by Navy chaplains from Navy Region Hawai'i and Army chaplains on Oahu, will begin at 6:30 a.m. **April 16** on the fantail of the USS Missouri Memorial. Chaplain Army Col. Hanson Boney will deliver the sermon, "Standing and Beholding." The event is open to the public. All purses, backpacks, cameras, diaper bags and other items that may offer concealment are prohibited. Following the service, a continental breakfast will be provided piarside by the Army chaplains. For more information, call 473-3971.

**Patriot World Tour**-The Patriot World Tour, headlined by Lee Greenwood and including country rock band Restless Heart, comedian Dick Hardwick, the New England Patriot Cheerleaders and the Air Force Band will perform on Hickam Air Force Base **April 16** at 6 p.m. All DoD cardholders are invited. For more information, call 449-6368.

**Naval Station Golf Tournament** - The Naval Station Pearl Harbor Golf Tournament will begin at 12:30 a.m. **April 21** at Barbers Point Golf Course. The event is hosted by Naval Station Security, Department of Defense police and Hui O Ka Koa. The tournament will be in a modified scramble, best ball format. Prizes will be awarded for first and second place as well as closest to the pin and longest drive. The entry fee is \$10 per player. Players are responsible for their own greens fees and cart; walking is okay. Proceeds will go to Naval Station Pearl Harbor's holiday celebration. The deadline to sign up is **April 18**. For more information or to sign up, contact MMC Gaetano Critelli at 473-1574 or [gaetano.critelli@navy.mil](mailto:gaetano.critelli@navy.mil) or MA1 Bradley Borum at 349-0265 or [Bradley.borum@navy.mil](mailto:Bradley.borum@navy.mil).

**Earth Day** - Navy Region Hawai'i will conduct its third annual Earth Day Fair from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. **April 21-22** at the Navy Exchange (NEX) at Pearl Harbor. Visit exhibits by Hoku Scientific, Hawaiian Electric Company, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Fisheries, the Dolphin Institute and many others and learn about ways to conserve and heal our planet Earth. Earth Day at the NEX is a family event filled with games, prizes and fun ways to learn about preserving our planet. Military family members who are 10 years old or younger are invited to enter the Navy Earth Day Coloring Contest, co-sponsored by Navy Region Hawai'i and the Navy Exchange. Entries may be picked up and turned in at the NEX mall customer service counter. The deadline to enter is **April 18**. All entries will be posted and prizes will be awarded to all winners at the 2006 Navy Earth Day Fair at 11:30 a.m. **April 22**. For more information, call Terri Kojima at 473-2926.

**NMCRS Chili Cook-Off Fundraiser** - Enter your favorite chili recipe at the first Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society (NMCRS) Chili Cook-Off from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. **April 22** at the Navy Exchange (NEX) at Pearl Harbor. The contest is limited to the first 25 teams of three people. The entry fee is \$40 per team and deadline to enter is **April 17**. The Chili Cook-Off benefits the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society. For more information and entry packages, visit the NEX customer service desk or call 423-3274.

**Fishing Tournament** - Naval Station Pearl Harbor is hosting its first-ever fishing tournament on **April 24-30**. The grand prize is a six-hour, expenses paid fishing trip, sponsored by Aikane Sport Fishing Charters at Hickam Air Force Base. Those who plan to "go fishin'" should meet at 5 a.m. at the Hickam Air Force Base fishing pier (on the right before Mamala Golf Course) to complete registration and a captain's safety brief. Cast-off will be at 5:30 a.m. with a planned return time of about 3:30 p.m. Fish will be weighed after return to the pier. The winner for each trip will be awarded a \$50 discount on a return trip and other fishing accessories. The grand prize winner will be announced **May 1**. The entry fee is \$120 per person and includes all tackle, water and soda. A maximum of six persons will be able to participate each day. Fishermen (or women) should bring their own food and other beverages. No glass bottles will be allowed. The entry deadline is **April 18**. A portion of the proceeds will go to the Naval Station holiday event. For more information or to register, call 473-1574 or email at [gaetano.critelli@navy.mil](mailto:gaetano.critelli@navy.mil).

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## STORY IDEAS?

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