



## Base Advisory

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### **Volunteers needed for the 70 Years of Peace commemorative events**

PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM - Active duty military personnel from all services are needed to volunteer for events commemorating the 70th Anniversary of the End of World War II in the Pacific to be held at Ford Island on Aug. 14 and 15. The "70 Years of Peace" commemorative events are hosted by sister cities, Honolulu and Nagaoka, Japan, along with the U. S. Navy. The commemoration begins on Aug. 14 with a private evening memorial service and floral tribute open to invited guests. On Aug. 15, Ford Island will open to the public with festivities beginning at 4 p.m. and culminating in the spectacular Nagaoka fireworks display at 8 p.m.

Volunteer tasks include the following: Site preparations, setup, and teardown (Aug. 11-15); parking and traffic control (Aug. 14-15); trash pickup (Aug. 15); floral tribute assistance and ushers (Aug. 14), and floating lantern assistance (Aug. 14).

Civilians and military dependents (age 16 and over) with base access are also welcomed to volunteer. To volunteer, call (808) 471-3521 or contact LCDR Alex Torres, alex.n.torres@navy.mil or Chief Charles Tweedy, charles.v.tweedy@navy.mil.

Volunteering provides an opportunity to contribute to this historic and significant event that honors the memory of war victims and celebrates 70 years of continuing peace and friendship.

For more information on 70 Years of Peace commemorative events, visit the website, [www.cnic.navy.mil/70yearsofpeace](http://www.cnic.navy.mil/70yearsofpeace), or call the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Public Affairs Office at (808) 473-1173 or 473-2926.

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