



KEIKI FISHING TOURNAMENT

features a day at the pond

**Senior Airman
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This year marked the 12th annual Keiki Fishing Tournament, hosted by Friends of Hickam from Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, held May 30 at the Ho'omaluhia Botanical Gardens.

The event provided many opportunities for participants to make life-long memories. Fathers taught their sons and daughters how to fish, moms unhooked the fish from the end of the line, and for a moment, having a good time together was the only mission that mattered.

"[For my children,] this was their first time ever fishing," said Master Sgt. Dennis Leskovec, 15th Maintenance Group crew chief section chief. "I saw the registration via email and thought it would be a good opportunity, with the kids out of school, to

go and enjoy the beautiful Hawaii scenery."

The botanical garden provided a picturesque backdrop for a perfect day on the pond, but with more than 175 participants and lines in the water, the competition was stiff.

"At first it was kind of frustrating because two other people around me kept catching fish and I hadn't caught any yet," said Zachary Rebarchak, 9, son of Maj. Michael Rebarchak, 13th Air Force director of operations for the theater patient movement requirement center.

"Then finally, I caught a

seven-inch fish. I caught four fish total, but the last one I caught was my favorite because it only had one eye."

The day focused on the children of military members and spending quality time as a family, while eating pizza and hot dogs and casting a line into the serene pond.

Kunia Gallos and 352nd NWS end in 0-0 deadlock

Story and photo by Randy Dela Cruz

Sports Editor

The defending base champions and current Blue Division leaders Kunia Gallos outshot, but couldn't score on, the second-place 352nd Network Warfare Squadron (352 NWS) as the teams fought to a 0-0 stalemate June 2 at Earhart Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

With the draw, Kunia maintained their position at the top of the division with 31 points and a record of 10-1-1, while the 352 NWS stayed close with a mark of 8-1-3 and 27 points.

Against 352 NWS, the Gallos booted five shots on goal in the first half and followed up with six more attempts in the second half, but was thwarted each time by their opponent's aggressive and quick defense.

"We were just putting people on bodies - making sure that everyone was covered - and I was just hustling back and forth," said 352 NWS goalkeeper Staff Sgt. David Schiller, who was constantly directing his players near the goal. "We were just making sure on both sides and didn't leave any opportunities for them to take advantage of on the field."

Staff Sgt. Winston Jackson of the Gallos explained that while his team was getting open shots to take, Kunia was out of sync after losing team captain Cryptologic Technician



Kunia Gallos forward Senior Airman Akira Hose tries to kick start a fast break by booting the ball ahead of the 352nd Network Warfare Squadron (352 NWS) defense during a battle between the two top teams in the Blue Division.

(Interpretive) 1st Class Steven Bloom, who may have suffered a concussion after colliding with another player in the opening minutes of the game.

"I think a lot of the problem was we lost Bloom on the field," Jackson admitted. "He's

normally our field general, so it was kind of a shock to the team. That (352 NWS) was a good team. They had a great defense, but I think it was more on us because we got the majority of the shots. I'd have to say that the team, as a whole, just

didn't feel right." Although the Gallos was shutdown on offense, the team compensated for their lack of goals by playing outstanding defense.

In the first half, the Gallos limited the 352 NWS to a single free kick and allowed only two

shots on goal with two more free kicks in the second.

"We wasn't getting good looks at the goal," said 352 NWS forward Tech. Sgt. Jason Maldonado, who accounted for one of the team's kicks on goal in the second half. "We didn't

have too many opportunities to take shots on them. We didn't get shots in the first half, but in the second half, we got a lot more help with the wind. We got a couple of good looks, but nothing went in."

While neither team walked off the field with a win, Airman 1st Class John Barlow, head coach of the 352 NWS, said that he is proud of the way his team fought tooth and nail against the defending champions.

"Yeah, zero-zero, it's always good not to concede a goal to this team," Barlow said. "You hear about them scoring and destroying people. We know a lot of them, and I know that they're looking forward to playing us again in the playoffs. So we're going to try and help them honor that."

Last year, the 352 NWS struggled through the season with a losing record, but Barlow pointed out that a renewed commitment by the players has turned the team's fortunes around.

"This year, we organized it and built a team of people that would commit and play," Barlow acknowledged. "That's the big difference, and we're seeing it right now."

Meanwhile despite the tie, Jackson appeared to be confident that the Gallos are still the team to beat.

"For us to come off the field today, it's not a loss," Jackson noted. "It just means we missed opportunities. We had the majority of the shots in the game. We just didn't put any of them away."

Sweep of doubleheader puts 613th AOC back in the race

Story and photo by Randy Dela Cruz

Sports Editor

With a backlog of Gold Division teams jamming the top of the standings with only two defeats, the 613th Air and Space Operation Center (613 AOC) created some breathing room by toppling the league-leading 735th Air Mobility Squadron (735 AMS), 14-13, and Pearl City Peninsula (PCP), 29-14, to take both sides of a twin bill June 5 at Hickam Softball Complex, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

The wins boosted the 613 AOC from fifth place all the way up to second with a record of 7-2, behind the 9-2 Kunia Kavemen, while the 735 AMS and PCP suffered their third loss of the season.

"This was huge for us," said 613 AOC infielder Maj. J.B. Wills, who launched a grand slam and solo inside-the-park shot in the nightcap. "Confidence and getting some good players back helped us a lot."

In the opener, the 613 got into trouble early when the 735 AMS immediately flexed their muscles with a two-run shot over the center-field fence by Staff Sgt. Alejandro Lopez in the first inning.

The blast seemed to give the 735 momentum as the team scored three runs in the first and five in the second.

However, despite the quick outburst by the 735, the 613 AOC hung in and trailed by only two runs, 8-6, after two innings of play.

After holding the 735 scoreless in the top of the third, the 613 tallied three times in the bottom half of the frame for a 9-8 advantage.

A leadoff double by 735 AMS Master Sgt. Cory Cameron led to a 9-9 tie in the top of the fourth, but the 613 retook the lead in their turn at-bat by crossing home four times, with three of the



Senior Airman Rich McGraw of the 735th Air Mobility Squadron (735 AMS) ducks out of the way as Tech. Sgt. Jason Gaddis, shortstop for the 613th Air and Space Operation Center (613 AOC), throws to complete a double play.

runs scored after two outs.

Tech. Sgt. C.J. Hodge drove in the first of the four runs with a single and, after Tech. Sgt. Jason Gaddis doubled to put men on second and third, Master Sgt. Thornton Thompson came up with a clutch two-run single.

While both teams exchanged zeroes in the fifth inning, Lopez came back in the top of the sixth and set off another rally for the 735 by blasting a solo shot that cleared the left-field fence.

Once again the Lopez bomb ignited the 735, which proceeded to add three more runs in the inning to draw even with the 613 at 13-13.

Then in the bottom of the sixth with one out, Hodge slugged a solo jack to put the 613 up by one.

The slim advantage was all the 613 needed as pitcher Department of Defense civilian Rod Cline set down the 735 in order in the top of the seventh to preserve the victory.

Senior Master Sgt. Chad Nixon, manager of the 735, expressed some concern about absorbing his third loss of the season, but added that as long as he has the right people in place he still expects to make the playoffs.

"It's scary right now because so many teams had

only two losses, now we've got three, and they're only taking the top four (to the playoffs)," pointed out Nixon, who collected three hits in the team's loss. "I have a good lineup in my mind, I have not seen it on the field all year, but I think it's going to be here just in time. We're really close. I think we can wreak havoc on any team out here."

In the second game, the heavy bats in the heart of the 613 batting order went right to work and came out swinging against PCP.

Gaddis, who was playing in his first games all season, blasted a three-run homer in the top of the first to

quickly put the 613 out in front.

Hodges continued his hot hitting at the plate by matching Gaddis with a three-run shot of his own in the top of the second, before Wills broke the game wide open with a monstrous deep fly over the left-field fence for a grand slam in the top of the fourth.

"The middle and the end of our lineup showed up big," said Wills about the team's strong night at the plate. "They were hitting the gaps and coming up with consistent hits that kept us in there. Fourteen runs in the first game and it just carried over."

Although the 613 said goodbye to the services of versatile player Lt. Cmdr. Grant Hartfield, the team welcomed back the powerful-hitting Gaddis, who also solidifies the infield with his play at shortstop.

After getting his first look at this year's edition of the squad, Gaddis pronounced that the 613 AOC has the makings of a championship team.

"We're definitely competitive," he said. "I think we have a good shot to run through the playoffs. Obviously, if we come out and hit like that, we can play with anyone. We just got to keep hitting."

Doubleheader sweep raises 25th ASOS to 10-1

Story and photo by
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Sports Editor

The 25th Air Support Operation Squadron (25 ASOS) intramural softball squad kept pace with the top teams in the White Division by sweeping both games of a twin bill June 4 at Millican Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

In the first game, the 25 ASOS beat the Divers, 12-3, and then came back to defeat the 647th Civil Engineer Squadron (647 CES), 13-8, to gain their 10th victory of the season against only one defeat.

"This was real big right now," said 25 ASOS shortstop Capt. Dave Kelley, who anchored a tough defensive infield. "We were in third place coming into this game and hopefully we can either stay in third or move up to second. Also with an exercise coming up, we've got pick up as many wins now, before we move on to the exercise."

Against the Divers, the 25 ASOS broke out on top quickly by posting five runs on six hits in the top of the first inning.

Kelley singled in his first at-bat, while teammates Capt. Rob Montgomery sliced a two-run double and pitcher Tech. Sgt. Timothy Evans drove in the fifth run of the frame with a single.

While the bats came alive right from the start for the 25 ASOS, Evans was tossing a gem versus the Divers by posting three straight shutout innings.

After giving up back-to-back singles to the Divers to open the bottom of the first, Evans settled down and retired the next nine batters in a row to help the 25 ASOS build up an 8-0 lead going into the bottom of the fourth.

Evans said that being around the strike zone and adjusting his throws to the stance of each hitter were the keys to his success.

"I was taught to pitch to their feet," Evans explained. "Basically,



Tech. Sgt. Chris Currie of the 25th Air Support Operation Squadron (25 ASOS) beats the ball to third on a sacrifice fly in the top of the third inning against the Divers.

how someone sets up, if their toes are in, or whatever it is, I pitch to their feet and nine out of 10 times, if I do it correctly, I end up with pop balls. I think we had seven pop balls in three innings."

The Divers finally broke the drought when Navy Diver 2nd Class Sean Soblin stroked a two-run triple with two outs to narrow the margin down to six at 8-2.

However, the 25 ASOS responded immediately with four runs in the top of the fifth to put the game safely away.

Montgomery chipped in with a two-out, two-run single in the decisive inning.

Later, an inside-the-park homer by Navy Diver 2nd Class P.J. O'Dell tallied the game's final run.

In the nightcap against the 647 CES, the 25 ASOS broke out the

bats early once again and grabbed the lead in the first inning on a three-run shot over the left-field fence by Staff Sgt. Kenneth Bartle.

The 25 ASOS doubled their lead to 6-0 by scoring three more times in the top of the third, but momentum swung to the 647 CES, which got two runs in the bottom of the third.

Then after cutting the lead in

half with a run in the fourth, the 647 CES came from behind to surprise the 25 ASOS with five runs in the bottom of the sixth and an 8-6 advantage.

Faced with their first uphill climb of the night, the 25 ASOS started off their final at-bat with back-to-back singles.

One out later, Evans sliced a single to cut the lead down to one before Capt. Chris Young tapped another hit to drive in Bartle with the tying run.

Staff Sgt. Charon Chavious followed with a blooper into center field for two more runs and the lead and was followed by Capt. Time Swierzbis, who knocked a two-out single for two more runs and finalized the rally with a 13-8 lead.

Although Evans started off the bottom of the seventh by walking the first 647 CES batter, he came back to induce a fly out before Kelley sealed the game with a double play.

"We were in a great spot in our lineup," said Kelley about the team's impressive seven-run seventh. "We had some of our best hitters coming up right at the end of the game. So being down two runs, we were pretty confident going into the last inning that we could at least pick up two runs. Tying the game was all we were hoping for, but we broke it open with the bottom of the lineup."

Following the double win, Evans said that the victories not only kept the team in the hunt for a pennant, but also shows that the 25 ASOS belongs among the best in the league.

"I think we could actually give some of the best teams a run now," said Evans, who added that hitting is the key. "Keeping our bats alive. The first two innings of that last game, we didn't do a whole lot, and so we didn't score a whole lot. Then out of nowhere, we started making solid contact, nice flat hits, and everything worked out well."



JOINT BASE Sports PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM

Photos by Randy Dela Cruz

Clockwise from top left

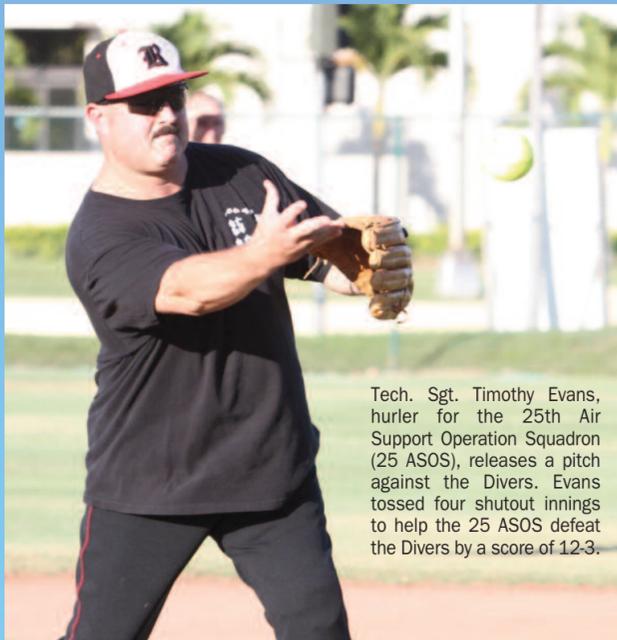
Tech. Sgt. Jason Maldonado, 352nd Network Warfare Squadron, kicks a shot on goal during the second half of the team's Blue Division showdown against the defending base champions Kunia Gallos.

Senior Airman Rich McGraw, shortstop for 735th Air Mobility Squadron (735 AMS), steadies himself before catching an infield pop-up to retire a 613 AOC batter.

Master Sgt. Cory Cameron of the 735 AMS slides safely at home to beat the throw to 613th Air and Space Operation Center (613 AOC) catcher Staff Sgt. Ryan Kniss.

Senior Master Sgt. Chad Nixon, player/manager of the 735 AMS, stretches a single into a double by sliding under the tag of 613 AOC second baseman Maj. J.B. Wills.

Tech. Sgt. Jeff Camacho, leadoff hitter for the 613 AOC, gets ready to drive a pitch, while batting against the 735 AMS.



Tech. Sgt. Timothy Evans, hurler for the 25th Air Support Operation Squadron (25 ASOS), releases a pitch against the Divers. Evans tossed four shutout innings to help the 25 ASOS defeat the Divers by a score of 12-3.



Aftermath of Dec. 7, 1941 ultimately led to Battle of Midway

Charles Nicholls

PACAF historian

After destroying U.S. forces in Hawaii and the Philippines on Dec. 7, 1941, Japan achieved most of its war goals to conquer resource-rich areas in the Pacific.

But after the Doolittle Raid on their home islands and their defeat in the Coral Sea, the Japanese sought to expand their defensive perimeter, prevent further raids on the home islands and destroy the U.S. Pacific Fleet's aircraft carriers.

In pursuit of these objectives, the commander of the Combined Fleet, Adm. Isoroku Yamamoto, led an invasion force to conquer the Midway atoll near the western end of the Hawaiian chain.

Supporting the invasion was a strike force led by the same commander that had attacked Oahu on Dec. 7 – Adm. Chuichi Nagumo and four of the six aircraft carriers from that raid – Akagi, Kaga, Soryu and Hiryu. The other two carriers, Shokaku and Zuikaku, had fought in the Coral Sea and were being repaired and refitted. Japan's ultimate objective was to convince the United States to negotiate an end to the war.

U.S. communications intelligence allowed American commanders to guess what Yamamoto was up to. Adm. Chester W.



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Nimitz, the U.S. Pacific Fleet commander, sent the aircraft carriers Enterprise, Hornet and Yorktown to meet the Japanese.

Yorktown had been badly damaged at the Battle of the Coral Sea, but despite estimates that she would require several months of repairs at Puget Sound, the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard restored Yorktown to a battle-ready state in just 72 hours.

On June 3, 1942, at 3:30 p.m., nine B-17s from Midway found the Japanese invasion fleet 570 nautical

miles west of the island. They attacked through heavy anti-aircraft fire but inflicted no damage on the Japanese ships.

Then on June 4, 1942, at 9:30 a.m., U.S. Navy torpedo planes from the Hornet, Enterprise and Yorktown made a series of attacks on the Japanese carriers. Only six heavily outnumbered Wildcats were on hand to engage the intercepting Japanese Zero's. The torpedo bombers suffered almost total losses and scored no hits. However, their attacks delayed the

Japanese preparations to strike the U.S. carriers and disorganized the defensive fighter screen.

At 10:20 a.m., three squadrons of U.S. Navy dive bombers, two from Enterprise and one from Yorktown, found Akagi, Kaga and Soryu – partially by following a Japanese destroyer that was hurrying to rejoin the fleet after driving off an American submarine.

The U.S. dive bomber squadrons attacked almost simultaneously. In five minutes, all three Japanese

carriers were on fire and out of action. Nagumo was forced to transfer his flag from Akagi to the cruiser Nagara. By dawn on the following morning, Akagi, Kaga and Soryu had all sunk to the bottom of the Pacific.

A few hours after the destruction of Akagi, Kaga and Soryu, Japanese aircraft from Hiryu struck back at 1 p.m. USS Yorktown was bombed and torpedoed. Her crew was forced to abandon ship.

Late in the day, at 6 p.m., U.S. Navy dive bombers

found and bombed the Hiryu.

On June 6, the U.S. Navy was trying to salvage Yorktown when she was torpedoed by a Japanese submarine. Yorktown sank early the next morning.

The Battle of Midway was the equalizer in the Pacific war.

Yamamoto called off the attempt to invade Midway and retreated west. Afterwards, Japan could not match American military resources and initiative, and the United States went on the offensive.

The Battle of the Philippine Sea on June 19 and 20, 1944 took place as U.S. forces invaded the Mariana Islands, which allowed U.S. Army Air Forces to base heavy bombers within range of Japan itself.

Americans nicknamed the action as the "Great Marianas Turkey Shoot" due to the disproportionate Japanese aircraft losses.

Ultimately, the Japanese Navy lost approximately 600 aircraft and hundreds of pilots in addition to three aircraft carriers. Shokaku sank after torpedo hits from the U.S. submarine Cavalla started a chain reaction of fires and explosions.

Later, on Oct. 25, 1944 in the Battle of Leyte Gulf, U.S. forces moved to retake the Philippines and isolate Japan from its conquered territories, including its supply of oil and other war materials.

Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor remembers The Battle of Midway

Story and photo by Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor

Hundreds of attendees at the Battle of Midway symposium June 2 and 3 at Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor heard presentations by experts in the fields of codebreaking, logistics, aerial maneuvers and reconnaissance.

Commemorating the 70th anniversary of the epic battle, the "turning point in the Pacific," speeches by a panel of military, civilian, Japanese and American speakers made the day memorable.

Gen. Gary North, commander of the Pacific Air Forces, delivered the keynote address, stressing the importance of the com-

memoration "so that we never do this again," he said.

Other speakers on day one of the event included Navy Capt. James Fanell, Navy Retired Capt. Stan Carpenter, museum curator Burl Burlingame, Retired Vice Adm. Yoji Koda, Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force, Mike Jones and Russell Matthews.

Speakers on day two of the symposium included retired Navy Capt. Stan Carpenter, Daniel Martinez, John DiVergilio, Karl Lau and Battle of Midway survivor retired Marine Corps Sgt. Ed Fox.

Both days of the symposium also included a showing of the film "Battle of Midway."

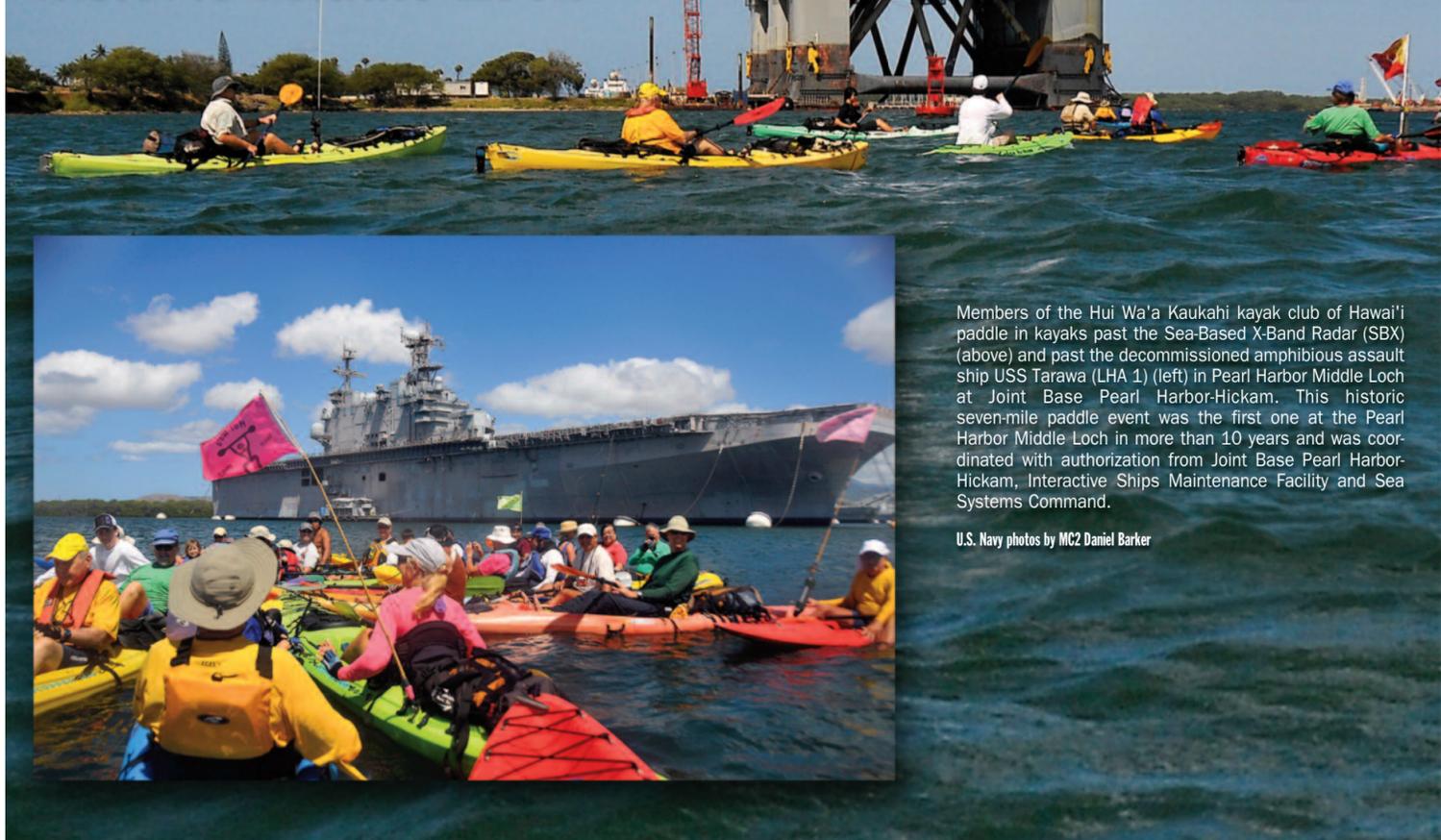


At the close of the symposium, the museum dedicated the "Battle of Midway" model exhibit, a gift from donor Fred L. Turner, former chairman and CEO of McDonald's Corp.

For more information on the museum, call 441-1007 or visit the website www.PacificAviationMuseum.org.

(From left) Daniel Martinez, USS Arizona historian, greets retired U.S. Navy Adm. Mac Showers who was involved in the Japanese code breaking during the Battle of Midway in World War II. They were participants at Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor's Midway Symposium held June 2 and 3.

Kayak club members paddle through Pearl Harbor's historic Middle Loch



Members of the Hui Wa'a Kaukahi kayak club of Hawai'i paddle in kayaks past the Sea-Based X-Band Radar (SBX) (above) and past the decommissioned amphibious assault ship USS Tarawa (LHA 1) (left) in Pearl Harbor Middle Loch at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam. This historic seven-mile paddle event was the first one at the Pearl Harbor Middle Loch in more than 10 years and was coordinated with authorization from Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Interactive Ships Maintenance Facility and Sea Systems Command.

U.S. Navy photos by MC2 Daniel Barker

PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM Manawa Nanea LEISURE

Morale Welfare & Recreation

♣ ADULT HAND-BUILDING WITH CLAY

A class on hand-building with clay will be held Saturdays from June 9 to 30 at the Hickam Arts and Crafts Center. The class runs from 9 a.m. to noon and is for patrons 16 and older. The cost of the class is \$40 per person. FMI: 448-9907.

♣ FREE GOLF CLINIC

There will be a free golf clinic for all military personnel at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at the Navy-Marine Golf Course. FMI: 471-0142.

♣ MWR NEWCOMERS LUNCH

The MWR Newcomers Lunch will be held June 12 at the Tradewinds Enlisted Club. The buffet lunch starts at 11 a.m. A base tour begins at 12:30 p.m. Separate registrations are required for the lunch and tour. This event is open to all military-affiliated personnel during their first six months of arrival in Hawaii. FMI: www.greatlifehawaii.com.

♣ PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Preschool story time will be from 9 to 10 a.m. June 13 at the Hickam Library. The theme will be "food." FMI: 449-8299.

♣ SUSHI-MAKING DEMONSTRATION

A free, all-ages sushi making demonstration will be held from 10 a.m. to noon June 15 at the Hickam Library. Adults will learn to make sushi without fish. Children will make a unique Twinkie and fruit roll-up sushi. FMI: 449-8299.

♣ BOTTOM FISHING

There will be a bottom-fishing trip from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. June 16 sponsored by outdoor recreation-Hickam Harbor. Sign-up must be completed by June 12. The cost is \$30 per person. Fishing gear, and bait and boat are provided. FMI: 449-5215.

♣ FATHER'S DAY SUNDAY BRUNCH

A Father's Day brunch will be held June 17 at the Hickam Officer's Club. Seatings are at 10 a.m. and noon. The cost is \$28.95 for adults, \$14.50 for children ages 7 to 12, \$7.25 for children ages 4 to 6, and free for children age 3 and under. There is a \$2 members first discount on adult price. Wright Brothers Cafe will be closed due to the Father's Day event. Reservations are required. FMI: 448-4608.

♣ FATHER'S DAY BOWLING

Take your dad bowling from noon to 3 p.m. on Father's Day, June 17 at the Hickam Bowling Center and Naval Station Bowling Center. He will bowl free with one paying family member and get a free medium soft drink free from the snack bar. FMI: 448-9959 or 473-2574.

♣ FATHER'S DAY MOVIE SPECIAL

Dad gets a free movie pass with one paying family member at the 4:45 p.m. show June 17 at Sharkey Theater. FMI: 473-0726.

For more information on events, visit www.greatlifehawaii.com.

Community Calendar

♣ June

♣ 12 ~ The Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association buffet luncheon will be held at 11 a.m. at the Fort Shafter Hale Ikena Club. The guest speaker will be Col. Kent Simon, commander, Director, Defense Information Systems Agency Pacific Command discussing the latest developments affecting the Pacific area of responsibility. FMI: www.afceahawaii.org or Ken at 441-8524 or Barry at 284-2464.

♣ 13 ~ Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam will host a "space available" brief from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Hickam Theater for anyone interested in exploring the benefit. FMI: 448-9949 or the terminal Facebook page at http://on.fb.me/Ma65DE.

♣ 15 ~ Former UFC heavyweight champion Rashad "Suga" Evans and Hawaii's undefeated Travis "Hapa" Browne will appear from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange for a meet-and-greet and autograph session honoring service members. This is a free event for authorized patrons only. FMI: 423-3287.

♣ At a glance

♣ The Department of the Interior has started offering free annual passes for national parks to active duty military and their dependents with ID cards. This promotion is in conjunction with the "Joining Forces" initiative. FMI: http://store.usgs.gov/pass/military.html.

♣ Military and Family Support classes scheduled in June include stress management from 8 to 11 a.m. June 12, managing money and credit from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. June 20, and anger management from 8 to 11 a.m. June 26. The classes are also free and open to Department of Defense civilian employees. FMI: 474-1999.

♣ The A-OK Program is for children. Bring your child's most recent report card to the Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange to register for the program. The child could win \$5,000, \$3,000, \$2,000 or \$1,000 in U.S. savings bonds. Open to authorized patrons only. FMI: 423-3287.

Movie Showtimes



The Three Stooges (PG)

Left on a doorstep of an orphanage run by nuns, newborns Larry, Curly and Moe waste no time finger-poking, nyuk-nyuking and woo-woo-wooing their way into trouble. Years later, and with the orphanage forced to close its doors, the three grown Stooges embark on a mission to save their former home.

SHARKEY MOVIE THEATER

TODAY
7:00 PM The Lucky One (PG-13)

SATURDAY
2:30 PM The Pirates! Band of the Misfits (PG)
4:45 PM The Three Stooges (PG)
7:00 PM Lockout (PG-13)

SUNDAY
2:30 PM The Three Stooges (PG)
4:45 PM The Lucky One (PG-13)
7:00 PM The Cabin In the Woods (R)

HICKAM MEMORIAL THEATER

TODAY
6:00 PM The Three Stooges (PG)
8:30 PM Raven (R)

SATURDAY
4:00 PM The Pirates! Band of the Misfits (PG)
7:00 PM Safe (R)

SUNDAY
2:00 PM The Pirates! Band of the Misfits (PG)



My Favorite Photo...

Photo by Lt. Cmdr. Allen Unger

As part of his recent visit to the island of Maui, Navy Lt. Cmdr. Allen Unger snapped this scenic photo of the pools of Oheo at Haleakala National Park. Unger is employed at Naval Supply Systems Command Fleet Logistics Center Pearl Harbor.

How to submit

Do you enjoy taking pictures and have a favorite photo? Would you like to see it featured in Ho'okele? Here is your opportunity. Submissions must be from people affiliated with the military services, including active duty, family members, Reserve, retired and Department of Defense civilians, etc.

Your favorite photo can be just about anything, but keep in mind that it should be in good taste. We aren't looking for posed family shots or group shots. But if you have a photo that you think is interesting and creative, here is your chance to see it published.

Photo submissions will be reviewed by Ho'okele editors who will determine if/when they will run in the newspaper. Along with your photo, please send a little bit of information about the photo, such as where it was taken or any interesting details. Also include the name of the photographer and contact information.

Please send your photos to editor@hookelenews.com and "cc" Karen Spangler, managing editor, at karen.spangler@navy.mil and Don Robbins, assistant editor, at drobins@hookelenews.com.

Brush up on your photography skills. Ready, set, shoot!



Battleship Missouri Memorial announces 'free pass' days for military

In 2012, the Battleship Missouri Memorial will commemorate the official birthdays of each branch of the U.S. military by offering free "Mighty Mo" passes to respective active-duty and retired members and their dependents.

Mighty Mo passes will be free for:

- Army from June 9 to 17 (birthday is June 14).
- Coast Guard from July 28 to Aug. 5 (birthday is Aug. 4).
- Air Force from Sept. 15 to 23 (birthday is Sept. 18).

- Navy from Oct. 13 to 21 (birthday is Oct. 13).
- Marine Corps from Nov. 10 to 18 (birthday is Nov. 10).
- National Guard from Dec. 8 to 16 (birthday is Dec. 13).

In addition, general admission to the Missouri is free for all guests attending the following two annual ceremonies held on the battleship:

- 67th anniversary of the end of the war in the Pacific, Sept. 2, from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m.

- Battleship Missouri Veterans Day sunset ceremony, Nov. 11, from 4:45 to 5:45 p.m.

Mighty Mo Passes are all-in-one tickets to the Missouri, including admission and choice of a guided tour. Qualified visitors must present a valid military I.D. upon purchasing their Mighty Mo pass, available at the Pearl Harbor Visitors Center or onsite at Battleship Missouri Memorial ticket window.

The Battleship Missouri Memorial is

open daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For those without access into Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, shuttle buses provide roundtrip transportation from the Pearl Harbor Visitor Center during operating hours. Standard admission, which includes choice of a guided tour, is \$22 per adult and \$11 per child 4-12. For more information or to reserve a tour, call 973-2494 on Oahu, toll-free at 1-877-MIGHTYMO (1-877-644-4896) or visit www.ussmissouri.org.



Best practices for social media outlined at home, in workplace

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Without even blinking for a second, communication has evolved from snail mail to email to chat to blogs and more recently to the expanding world of social media.

Whether it's "friending" or "liking" on Facebook, "following" and "tweeting" on Twitter, sharing your photostream on Flickr or virtually hanging out with a circle of friends on Google+, the digital revolution has changed the way we communicate. But how can we practice safe social networking?

"You can protect yourself by disabling functions on social media, such as geo-tagging, which pinpoints your location," said Lt. Theresa Donnelly, director for public affairs social media at U.S. Pacific Command. "Should you be in a classified location, for the safety of your command, this information must be protected."

Social media sites began

with sharing posts about your life mainly to connect with family and friends. Today, with the rapid growth of social networking, more and more people realize the benefits and simplicity of communicating through social media, thus expanding to the workplace.

"On a daily basis, social media networks provide us with not only the means for sharing information but, more importantly, opportunities to build relationships with the wider Navy family and supporters all around the region," said Chuck Bell, emerging media director at U.S. Pacific Fleet.

While social networking can be useful and fun, service members and their families should consider the risks and vulnerabilities in both personal and command activities by practicing operation security (OPSEC).

Observing OPSEC keeps potential adversaries from discovering critical information on social media sites. Using common sense and limiting detailed information that you share will

help to protect yourself, service members, families and the command's mission.

According to CHINFO's Navy Ombudsman Social Media Handbook, a few tips to also be aware of are to:

- Protect your families by limiting, to the extent practical, detailed information about them (such as addresses, towns or schools).
- Understand profile security settings so you can make informed choices about who sees what on your profile.
- Keep sensitive information safe. Do not discuss sensitive information such as ship/unit movements in advance, personnel rosters, training or deployment schedules, or anything else that may compromise the personal privacy of the crew and their families and the command's mission.
- Educate families about online OPSEC (http://www.facebook.com/NavalOPSEC).

As more commands engage in social media every day, Facebook being the most popular, has proved to be a valuable tool

to communicate instantly with the community and its stakeholders.

"Social media networks are extremely important to our communication efforts, and that's particularly true during a crisis. We witnessed the benefit of social media firsthand last year in the aftermath of the earthquake and tsunami in Japan, as family members in particular turned to the social networks for information and to communicate with both military organizations and their neighbors," Bell said.

Since social media is an open forum, the community needs to be informed of the do's and don'ts of posting. This makes a command policy a valuable part of social media posting.

"It's imperative that social media content managers have a posting policy when engaging on social media and then stick to it. This includes rules regarding third-party advertising, comments that violate operational security, and ensuring that the community is respectful of others," Donnelly added.

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CNRH: www.facebook.com/NavyRegionHawaiiJBPHH
 www.facebook.com/JointBasePearlHarborHickam
 PMRF Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/PacificMissileRangeFacility

Visit these websites for additional links to social media sites:

CNRH: www.cnrc.navy.mil/Hawaii
 JBPHH: www.cnrc.navy.mil/PearlHarbor-Hickam

For more information on social media policies and OPSEC, visit the following websites:

Navy PA resources website:
<https://www.chinfo.navy.mil/chinfo/SocialMedia.aspx>
 National OPSEC program
<https://www.iad.gov/iass/index.cfm>

Department of Defense social media hub
<http://www.defense.gov/socialmedia>

U.S. Navy social media presentations channel
<http://www.slideshare.net/USNavySocialMedia>

Social media allows deployed members to stay in touch with their loved ones at home, reconnects long lost friends and also makes it possible to stay connected through electronic devices around the clock. With the convenience of instant communication, service members and their families are encouraged to appreciate this opportunity while practicing operation security and to be mindful of what information they share on the Internet.

Managing change involves attitude adjustment

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Change is part of life. Because change requires us to adapt and because it involves loss, even grief, change is stressful.

You may have a close colleague who is retiring, a new boss who is arriving, a job that is being redefined or a favorite program that is being let go. Adapting to change is a process and attitude is all-important. Though you may not like the change, you can embrace it.

Journaling or doing something "ceremonial" to say goodbye to the old and bring in the new can help to process the change, rather than "stuffing"

the feelings or "sweeping them under the rug."

How do you deal with change?

Some questions to ask yourself include:

- What change do I anticipate in the next year?
- What is the threat or worst fear regarding the change?
- What is the promise in the change?
- What positive health habits will strengthen me?
- Where can I go for information?
- Who has "been there" before and can help me make a plan?
- What steps can I take now?

Accept all of your feelings as part of moving on. But know you choose where you focus. Focus on the positive.

Remember your successes and learn from your mistakes. Be like bamboo:

strong and flexible.

Military and Family Support Center (MFSC) classes are free and also open to Department of Defense civilian employees. MFSC course offerings can be found on the Quality of Life Navy Hawaii website at <http://www.greatlifehawaii.com>.

Some MFSC classes scheduled in June are:

- Stress management June 12 from 8 to 11 a.m..
- Managing money and credit, June 20 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m..
- Anger management, June 26 from 8 to 11 a.m.

Call the customer service desk at 474-1999 to register for any class. To obtain CEAP information, assessment, referral and/or brief counseling call 474-1999, ext. 6201 or 6202.

Top seven health screenings for men unveiled

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Prostate cancer is the most common cancer in men, regardless of their age or ethnicity, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

So for Father's Day this year—which is June 17—why not encourage the men in your life to get tested?

"Prostate cancer screening means looking for cancer before it causes symptoms. This helps to find cancer at an early stage when it may be easier to treat," the CDC says on its website.

One such test is called the PSA test. And it's as simple as drawing some blood. TRICARE covers prostate screening tests for men who are:

- Older than 50.

- Older than 40 and had a vasectomy.
- Ages 40 to 49 with a family history of prostate cancer.

In addition to prostate cancer screenings, men should receive these remaining top six tests to stay at optimal health:

- Cholesterol, every five years, and yearly starting at age 35.
- Blood sugar levels, every three years.
- Colon cancer screening, starting at age 50; colonoscopies are recommended only once every 10 years.
- Blood pressure, every year.
- Digital rectal exam, starting at age 50.
- Skin cancer screening, every three years ages 20 to 40, and every year for anyone older than 40.

For more tips on screening recommendations, visit TriWest.com/HealthyLiving and visit the screening guide under "health and wellness."

Fitness, wellness fair at new center to be held June 27

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation will hold a fitness and wellness fair at the new Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Fitness Center, building 1338, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. June 27. View and share the new state-of-the-art "green" center with the Department of Defense (DoD) and families. The event is free and open to all DoD cardholders. The event will highlight fitness and group

exercise classes with demonstrations and food samplings included. Healthy food and drinks will be provided by the Pearl Harbor and Hickam Defense Commissary Agency. Speak to experts about recycled materials, rock-scapes, maintenance-free plants and the center's 1,400 photovoltaic cells. For more information, visit www.greatlifehawaii.com

Hawaiian luau planned for June 29

Celebrate a Hawaiian luau from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. June 29 at Ward Field at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, hosted by Morale, Welfare and Recreation. Celebrate RIMPAC Hawaiian style with an evening of aloha spirit and local fare. Enjoy Hawaiian activities, a KALUA pork sampling, hula dancers and a

Polynesian fire knife show. The cost is \$40 for adults and \$20 for children ages 4 to 10. The luau is free for children ages 3 years and under. Get your tickets at Information, Tickets and Travel-Fleet Store, ITT-NEX and ITT-Hickam offices. For more information, call 448-4608 or visit www.greatlifehawaii.com

June Armed Services Blood Program drives scheduled in June at area bases

Tripler Army Medical Center Blood Donor Center has updated its schedule of upcoming blood drives as part of the Armed Services Blood Program. Dates and locations are updated regularly online as new drives are scheduled. Donors are encouraged to schedule an appointment online, call to make an appointment, and check the website for the latest information.

Currently scheduled drives include:

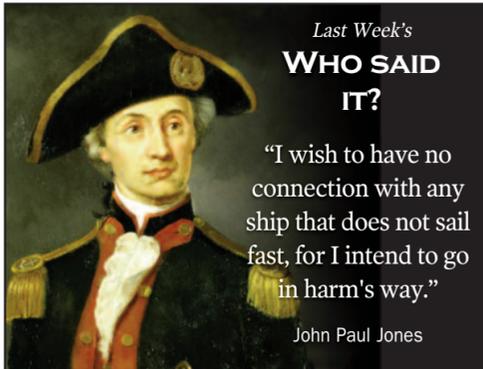
- June 8, 6:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., 715th MI Battalion, B Co. Naval Computer Telecommunications Area Master Station Pacific gym.
 - June 11, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Marine Corps Base Hawaii Kaneohe chapel.
 - June 12, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Tropics, Schofield Barracks.
 - June 13, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Pollack Theater, Camp Smith.
 - June 14, 9 a.m. to noon, Tripler Army Medical Center Veterans Administration.
 - June 18, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Schofield Exchange, Schofield Barracks.
 - June 19, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Fort Shafter U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.
 - June 22, 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard, building two, JBPHH.
 - June 25, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., U.S. Coast Guard Sand Island Club 14.
 - June 26, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., NEX, Tripler Army Medical Center.
 - June 27, 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Makalapa Naval Clinic, JBPHH.
- For more information, call 433-6699 or 433-6148 or email michelle.lele@amedd.army.mil.

Fourth of July extravaganza set for Hickam Officer's Club

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation will hold a Fourth of July extravaganza from 2 to 9 p.m. at the Hickam Officers Club. Admission is free and open to all military-affiliated personnel and their sponsored guests. The night will wrap up with one of the largest fire-works displays on Oahu starting at 8:30 p.m. The event will feature David Cook, winner of "American Idol" season seven. Activities include an "xpress train," airbrush tattoo, petting zoo, pony rides, inflatable bounce houses, rides, games and mini golf. For more information, visit www.greatlifehawaii.com.

WHO SAID IT?

"The only man who makes no mistakes is the man who never does anything."



This Week's Trivia

When did the Air Force Academy graduate its first class?



Last Issue's Question: Who was Henry Eckford, and what was his role in the War of 1812?
Answer: He was a New York shipbuilder whose ships became a key to U.S. Navy success in the War of 1812.

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