

## Navy chaplains...dedicated to the end

Chaplain Lt. j.g. Aloysius Schmitt was the acting chaplain on the battleship USS Oklahoma (shown below his photo) at the time of the Dec. 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor. Photo of USS Oklahoma courtesy of Naval Historical Center  
Photo of Chaplain Schmitt courtesy of Navy Chaplain Corps

Chaplain Capt. Thomas L. Kirkpatrick was the chaplain aboard the battleship USS Arizona (shown below his photo) when the ship was sunk during the Dec. 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor. Photos courtesy of Naval Historical Center



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Dec. 7, 1941 dawned as a beautiful, tranquil day - complete with blue skies and sunshine - at Pearl Harbor, Hawai'i. But soon after the morning had begun, Japanese zeroes blackened the skies over Oahu and bombs rained down on the Navy's ships in the harbor. Through the death and destruction and utter chaos that ensued, two dedicated Navy chaplains ministered to the Sailors aboard their ships until the end.

Chaplain Capt. Thomas Leroy Kirkpatrick, assigned to the USS Arizona, and Chaplain Lt. j.g. Aloysius H. Schmitt, acting chaplain aboard the USS Oklahoma, were killed during the attack on Pearl Harbor. They were the first chaplains of any branch of the United States military forces to give their lives in World War II and the second and third to die in action in the history of the

U.S. Navy.

The "History of the Chaplain Corps" details the final moments in the lives of the two Navy chaplains.

Chaplain Kirkpatrick, born July 5, 1887 in Cozad, Neb., was nearing the end of his time in the military - a career Navy man who had served his country for more than 20 years. He reported to the USS Arizona in September 1940 and had been promoted to captain just a few months earlier on July 1, 1941. As a Protestant chaplain aboard the ship, he not only held Sunday worship services, but also performed duties in the role of psychologist, social worker and social coordinator to his fellow shipmates.

It was prophetic that just a few days before the Dec. 7 attack, Chaplain Kirkpatrick penned a note to a friend and fellow chaplain on the USS North Carolina. "This is a tense week with us out here, and before you get this it will be decided one way or another, doubtless," he said.

On the tragic morning, Kirkpatrick was in the wardroom of the Arizona, enjoying a cup of coffee with some of his fellow officers. Historical reports explain that the wardroom mess was across from the admiral's cabin on the left side of the second deck and presume that when the attack began, the chaplain rushed to his battle station in the sickbay to minister to any casualties. The reports note that the location of sickbay on the Arizona was on the same deck and just forward of gun turret number one. Most of the men in that area of the ship instantly died when the massive explosions of the forward magazines rocked the mighty battleship.

Chaplain Kirkpatrick, along with 1,176 other Sailors, lies forever entombed in the remains of the battleship on the bottom of Pearl Harbor.

Roman Catholic Chaplain Lt. j.g. Aloysius H. Schmitt, born Dec. 4, 1909 in St. Lucas, Iowa, was at the beginning of his naval career. Appointed as acting chaplain on June 28, 1939, he was serving his first tour of duty at sea onboard the USS Oklahoma (BB-37) at the time of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. He had just finished celebrating his morning mass when the attack began. As the assault on the Navy's fleet raged, Chaplain Schmitt went to the ship's sick bay to minister to the injured and dying.

When the Oklahoma was struck and water poured into her hold, the ship began to list and roll over. Many men were trapped. Schmitt found his way - with other crew members - to a compartment where only a small porthole

provided enough space to escape.

Chaplain Schmitt helped other men, one by one, to crawl to safety. When it became his turn, the chaplain tried to get through the small opening. As he struggled to exit through the porthole, he became aware that others had come into the compartment from which he was trying to escape. As he realized that the water was rising rapidly and that escape would soon be impossible, he insisted on being pushed back through the hole so that he could help others who could get through the opening more easily. Accounts from eyewitnesses that have been published in the Arizona Memorial newsletter relate that the men protested, saying that he would never get out alive, but he insisted, "Please let go of me, and may God bless you all."

Within 20 minutes after the first torpedo hit, the USS Oklahoma rolled over and settled into the mud in the harbor. There were 448 crew members who died with the ship.

It is believed that Father Schmitt was buried at National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific (Punchbowl) in Hawai'i, in a grave with about 400 other unidentified bodies recovered from the Oklahoma. His name is engraved there in the Courts of the Missing.

On Oct. 23, 1942, the Navy posthumously honored Chaplain Schmitt with a Navy and Marine Corps Medal for "distinguished heroism and sublime devotion to his fellow man."

"His magnanimous courage and self sacrifice were in

keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service," the citation said. "He gallantly gave up his life for his country."

Both chaplains are memorialized on a plaque at the USS Arizona Memorial Visitors Center. The inscription reads, "Dedicated to the glory of God and the memory of Capt. Thomas L. Kirkpatrick, CHC, USN, Chaplain, USS Arizona; Lt. Aloysius H. Schmitt, CHC, USN, Chaplain, USS Oklahoma; who gave their lives in the service of their country, 7 December 1941."

Kirkpatrick was also memorialized with the dedication of the destroyer escort USS Kirkpatrick, which was launched by his widow on June 5, 1943, and which remained in service until 1960.

A destroyer named USS Schmitt was commissioned in 1943 by the Navy in Chaplain Schmitt's honor and served the Navy until 1967 when it was transferred to Taiwan. The Christ the King Chapel at Loras College was dedicated in his memory and contains some of Father Schmitt's property that was donated to the school.

However, the story doesn't end there. In 1996, Kirkpatrick's son, Tom, donated some of his father's personal effects that were recovered from the sunken Arizona battleship to the Arizona Memorial Museum. One of the items, a desk clock from the chaplain's quarters, is on display and is almost intact except for the face. But it tells the time when it stopped - 8:04:35.

The latest honor was bestowed on Chaplain Kirkpatrick and Chaplain



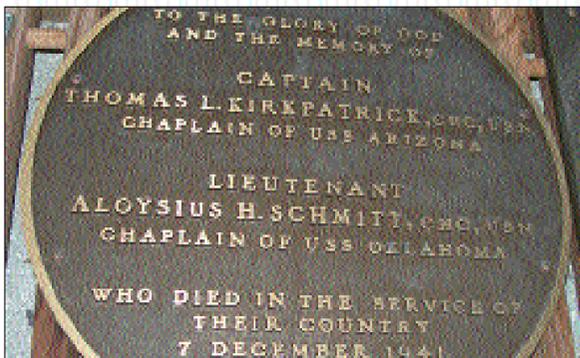
Photo courtesy of USS Arizona Memorial Museum  
A photo of Chaplain Capt. Thomas L. Kirkpatrick and his family while stationed at Pearl Harbor, Hawai'i. Chaplain Kirkpatrick reported to the Arizona in September 1940 and was killed during the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941.

Schmitt when streets were dedicated in memory of their sacrifices at ceremonies held July 6, 2005 at McGrew Point family housing.

The new Kirkpatrick Loop, located at Radford Terrace, pays tribute to Chaplain Capt. Thomas Leroy Kirkpatrick. Schmitt Parkway, also at Radford Terrace, was named in honor of Chaplain Lt. j.g. Aloysius H. Schmitt.

The newly-named streets serve as a reminder - to those who live there or drive through the community - of the courage and self-sacrifice of the two Navy chaplains who gave their lives to their country on the morning of Dec. 7, 1941.

(Some information provided by Navy Chaplain Corps and Naval Historical Center.)



U.S. Navy photo by JO2 Corwin Colbert

A plaque on display at the USS Arizona Memorial Museum memorializes Chaplain Capt. Thomas L. Kirkpatrick and Chaplain Lt. j.g. Aloysius Schmitt, who were killed during the Dec. 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor.

# Karate - martial arts at MWR community centers

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Meet Joe Bunch, karate teacher and former Marine. Karate is just one of the martial arts available and appeals to a wide range of youth. "Karate" means "empty" (Japanese - kara) and "hand" (te), so it means self-defense without weapons. "When you join karate, you have to have the right mindset," said Bunch. "Of course, self-defense is the objective, but there are four important things to understand beyond this.



You must understand humility and practice it. Just because you know karate, you don't advertise and brag about your ability. Learn self-control so your anger or other emotions do not lead you down the wrong path. Have courtesy and respect for everything. And last, practice perseverance. You must stick to your goal without giving up," explained Bunch. Bunch got started in karate when he was stationed in Okinawa in 1962. Originally, he started out sparring with a buddy, for lack of better things to do. "It was fun kicking and sparring," he said. He soon began studying the principles of the sport and took them to heart. Bunch and his entire family are involved with karate. He is an eighth degree black belt and his wife, Linda, is a fourth degree black belt. They are both teachers at the Hawai'i Okinawa Karate School, a contracted service for the MWR leisure class program. His daughter, a teacher at Radford High, is credited with getting karate accepted

as part of the physical education curriculum, the only public school in Hawai'i to do so. His grandson, University of Hawai'i Warrior Kenny Patton, has also excelled in sports - much due to his karate training. His athletic ability has opened many doors for him, including full-paid scholarships. "To be successful in life," said Bunch, "you have to have discipline, perseverance, sacrifice and work hard. No one is reinforcing these things to kids these days, so they get in trouble. Karate training teaches you the value of respect for yourself and others," he added. To further help the full education process, Bunch checks the students' report cards from school, making sure their grades are good. Classes are held Monday and Wednesday evenings, from 6 - 7 p.m. at the Ford Island gym. Students range in all ages, beginning from five years old. The cost is \$35 per month. For more information on this class and other leisure class opportunities, call MWR Community Central at 471-8658.

# Just because the summer's over... The dangers of heat-related illness

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Department

Summer is over and that long delayed outdoor project finally comes up. You start early, thinking you can get the job done before the hottest part of the day, but the project is bigger than you thought and you're still working several hours later. By midday you've got a headache and are feeling a little nauseous. You've worked with headaches before so you keep going. By early afternoon, you're not feeling well at all and you're having a hard time remembering your planned tasks. Believe it or not, you're just minutes away from needing immediate medical attention. According to the American Academy of Family Physicians, 240 people die each year due to heat stroke and there are reports of up to 20 cases of heat stroke for every 100,000 people - who may become ill in urban areas during hot periods. In the opening scenario, headache and nausea were the first signs of heat exhaustion. Treatment with hydra-

tion and a cool, shady environment would stop it there. Working beyond heat exhaustion may lead to heat stroke. In this case, experiencing delirium, having trouble concentrating and other nervous system disorders would require medical treatment, including immediate full-body cooling, ice baths and careful monitoring by a physician. Carried further, the body begins to shut down, leading to death. According to James Glazier, M.D., writing for the American Family Physician, exertion heatstroke primarily affects younger, active persons and has a rapid onset and high body temperature, frequently between 104 and 111 degrees Fahrenheit. Heat stroke is a medical emergency with a mortality rate of nearly 10 percent. In 20 percent of cases, the damage is permanent, with some degree of nervous system injury. All of this is preventable. Dr Glazier recommends:

- Avoiding heat exposure if possible.
- If not possible, try to acclimatize yourself by working outside a little at a time until your body becomes used to the heat.

- Wear loose-fitting, light clothing.
  - Drink fluids and monitor your exertion.
  - If you overdo it one day, give yourself 24-48 hours break before exposing yourself to high heat again.
  - Certain medications can also affect your ability to handle heat. Consult your doctor if you are on medication.
- No yard work project or other outside activity is worth risking your life for, causing a lifelong disability, or widowing a spouse. Using safe practices and procedures will reduce the risk of injuries or death.



# TRICARE Retiree Dental Program (TRDP) offers low cost benefits

**Special to Hawai'i Navy News from Delta Dental**

The TRICARE Retiree Dental Program (TRDP), first authorized by Congress in 1997, continues today to offer one of the few affordable, comprehensive dental benefit programs available to the nation's uniformed services retirees, as well as to retirees of the Reserve and Guard. The TRDP is a nationwide, combined fee-for-service/preferred provider program that offers enrollees access to any licensed den-

tist in all 50 states, plus the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands and Canada. Enrollees may seek care from any licensed dentist, with optimal benefits available when choosing a participating Delta Dental PPO or Delta Dental Select dentist in over 90,000 locations nationwide. The nation's largest voluntary, all-enrollee-paid dental program continues to offer coverage for diagnostic and preventive services, basic

restorative services, periodontics, endodontics, oral surgery, dental emergencies and a separate dental accident benefit with no waiting period. The program currently covers over 890,000 retired members of the uniformed services, including National Guard and Reserve personnel, and their families. Eligibility for the TRICARE Retiree Dental Program extends to all retirees of the Reserve and Guard and their family members, including those in the "gray area" who are entitled to retired pay, but will not begin receiving it until age 60. Although

eligibility for this group has been in effect since the TRDP first began in 1998, many retired Reserve and Guard members, and even more "gray area" retirees, still do not realize they are eligible. It is important to note that as with all new retirees, the 120-day period during which a "gray area" retired member can enroll in the TRDP to qualify for the 12-month waiting period waiver begins with his/her retirement effective date, not the date he/she reaches age 60. The TRDP carries a \$50 per person annual deductible. The program

also includes a family deductible cap of \$150 and an annual maximum amount of \$1,200, against which preventive and diagnostic services are not counted. In addition to the annual maximum, the TRDP also has a separate dental accident annual maximum of \$1,000 and a lifetime orthodontic maximum of \$1,200. Eligible retirees and their family members can find answers to their questions about the program as well as enroll using Delta Dental's dedicated TRDP Web site at [www.trdp.org](http://www.trdp.org) or by calling the toll-free number at (888) 838-8737.

# Historical Center research team visits wreck of WWII mini sub

## Naval Historical Center Public Affairs

The Naval Historical Center (NHC), in partnership with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) and the National Park Service (NPS), participated in an expedition in August to examine a sunken World War II Japanese mini submarine lying just outside Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

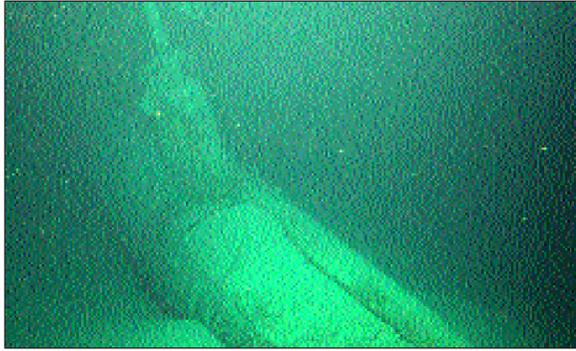
The expedition's main objectives included collecting the necessary baseline data on the wreck's condition, as well as collecting data on the conditions of the surrounding environment to determine the best approach to protect the wreck.

The wreck may be that of a Japanese midget submarine, believed to have been sunk by the destroyer USS Ward (DD 139) a little more than an hour before the air assault on Pearl Harbor began Dec. 7, 1941.

Barbara Voulgaris, a representative from the NHC's underwater archaeology branch, visited the wreck site as part of the multi-agency expedition. All work was performed from the Hawaii Undersea Research Laboratory's (HURL) research vessel R/V Ka'imikai-o-Kanaloa and its two mini submarines, Pisces IV and Pisces V.

"It was very hard to grasp that what we were looking at might well be the first casualty of the Pearl Harbor attack so many years ago. Fortunately, the sub sank before reaching its intended target," said Voulgaris.

After being submerged for so many years, the sub



A Japanese mini submarine lies just outside Pearl Harbor.

appeared to be in very good condition with no sign of depth charge damage to the hull or any damage to the sub's bottom from striking the ocean floor after sinking 1,200 feet. The wreck was sitting upright with its periscope in the up position.

"The periscope was fouled with several lines that waved and fluttered in the current's flow," said Voulgaris.

Pisces IV and Pisces V worked simultaneously, setting up environmental monitoring equipment and collecting corrosion rate measurements to assist in determining the submarine's corrosion rate and how the surrounding environment may be affecting the submarine's integrity. Additional objectives included surveying the sub's interior using the least invasive methods to ensure no harm was done to the wreck, and conducting video and photographic surveys of the sub's interior and exterior.

"Our research goals - gathering the appropriate data for long term management - are

really focused on the preservation of this significant maritime heritage site for the benefit of present and future generations," said Dr. Hans Van Tilburg of NOAA, the midget sub's project director and maritime heritage coordinator. "The fact that this submarine is a war grave, due all the proper honor, dignity and respect associated with such military vessels, serves as the guiding principle to all that we do in the name of preservation and protection."

Both submersibles were deployed during the two-day expedition for approximately eight hours each day. Both days were successful in collecting the necessary data to better understand how the environment may be affecting the wreck. This information will be the basis for the development of a management plan that will evaluate the various threats to the wreck and determine how best to mitigate these threats to protect and preserve what may be the first casualty of the Dec. 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor.

# Tripler gears up for flu season

## Tripler Army Medical Center Public Affairs Office

The Tripler Army Medical Center staff is gearing up for the flu season and is scheduled to receive the vaccine on or around Oct. 15.

Information about the Tripler flu program will be announced as soon as the staff has the information available. The Tripler staff is working on scheduling flu vaccination clinics once the vaccine is received and will let patients know as soon as possible what those times and dates will be.

Flu season can begin as early as October and last as late as May, according to Capt. Lisa Lute, head nurse of Tripler's immunization clinic. October or November is the best time to receive the flu vaccine, according to the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

Tripler patients who are eligible for services through the Veterans Administration or civilian providers should check with those facilities as the vaccine may be available at other sites.

For updates, contact the influenza information hotline at 433-3357 or log on to the Tripler Web page, [www.tamc.amedd.army.mil](http://www.tamc.amedd.army.mil).

## Dogging it out for first place

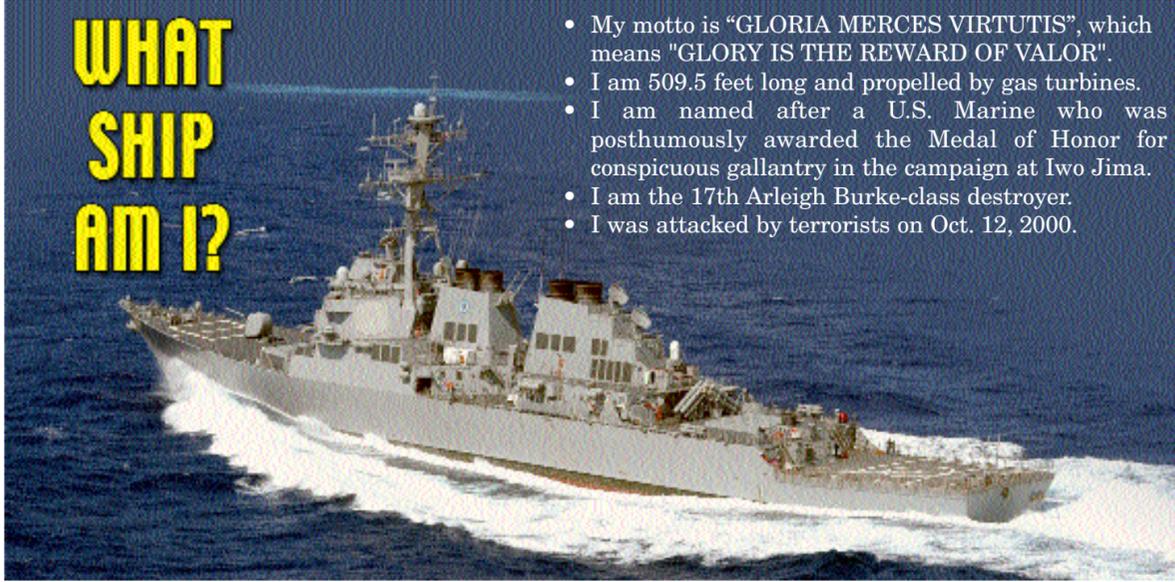


Photo courtesy of Forest City Residential Management

Aircrew Survival Equipmentman 3rd Class Dale Jacoby and his family were the Yard of the Month winner for September for the Moanalua Terrace community. Other Yard of the Month winners in September were: Hospital Corpsman 1st Class (SW) Ivory Barksdale and family, Hokulani; Lt. Cmdr. Timothy Sparks and family, McGrew Point; and Machinist's Mate 2nd Class Joseph McGee (SW) and family, Radford Terrace. Chief Electrician's Mate Michael D. Jackson (SW/AW) and family were the Yard of the Month winners for October for Halsey Terrace.

# Skylark Central

## WHAT SHIP AM I?



- My motto is "GLORIA MERCES VIRTUTIS", which means "GLORY IS THE REWARD OF VALOR".
- I am 509.5 feet long and propelled by gas turbines.
- I am named after a U.S. Marine who was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor for conspicuous gallantry in the campaign at Iwo Jima.
- I am the 17th Arleigh Burke-class destroyer.
- I was attacked by terrorists on Oct. 12, 2000.



## Leaders in wartime

"We have learned that terrorist attacks are not caused by the use of strength; they are invited by the perception of weakness. And the surest way to avoid attacks on our own people is to engage the enemy where he lives and plans. We are fighting that enemy in Iraq and Afghanistan today so that we do not meet him again on our own streets, in our own cities." - **George W. Bush**

"You ask, what is our policy? I will say; It is to wage war, by sea, land and air, with all our might and with all the strength that God can give us: to wage war against a monstrous tyranny, never surpassed in the dark lamentable catalogue of human crime. That is our policy. You ask, What is our aim? I can answer with one word: Victory - victory at all costs, victory in spite of all terror, victory however long and hard the road may be; for without victory there is no survival." - **Sir Winston Churchill**

### Intrinsic who'll crush

S I R   W I N S T O N   C H U R C H I L L

### Where bugs go

G E O R G E   W   B U S H

**Know your Navy**

In what year was an airplane first launched from an aircraft carrier?

Last week's question...

Who is responsible for carrying out the requirements of command damage control training?

Answer - The XO

# MWR

## Movie Call

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

### TODAY

7:00 p.m. Red Eye (R)

### SATURDAY

2:30 p.m. The March of The Penguins (G)

4:45 p.m. The Brothers Grimm (PG 13)

7:00 p.m. Transporter 2 (PG 13)

### SUNDAY

2:30 p.m. The March of The Penguins (G)

4:45 p.m. The Man (PG 13)

6:45 p.m. The 40-Year-Old Virgin (R)

### THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. Transporter 2 (PG 13)

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

### TODAY,

### SATURDAY AND

### THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. Red Eye (R)

### SUNDAY

7:00 p.m. The Cave (PG 13)

### WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. The Cave (PG 13)

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

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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.*

## OUTDOOR ADVENTURE EVENTS

• **Oct. 22:** Kailua Bay body-boarding, 9 a.m., \$10. Register by **Oct. 19.**

• **Oct. 23:** ATV riding, 2:30 p.m., \$70. Register by **Oct. 20.**

• **Oct. 29:** Kaunala Trail hike, 8:30 p.m., \$5. Register by **Oct. 26.**

## POKER TOURNAMENT

Put your poker skills to the test at the Texas Hold 'Em Poker Tournament at Pearl Harbor. Qualifying rounds will be held **today, Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 18 and 25** at Club Pearl Paradise Lounge on Naval Station Pearl Harbor. The tournament is open to active duty personnel from all branches of the U.S. military. Free entry is limited to the first 320 registrants each night. Registration begins at 5 p.m. at the event with play beginning at 6 p.m. Qualifying round winners will receive various electronics prizes such as Apple iPods, DVD players, Sony Playstation portables (PSP), TVs and more. A minimum of 10 qualifiers each round will advance to the finals. The final round will be held at 6 p.m. **Dec. 2** at Beeman Center at Naval Station Pearl Harbor. The tournament winner will receive the JN Chevrolet jackpot valued at over \$1,500. For more information, call 473-2582 or 473-4279.

## WALK-TOBER

A healthy lifestyle is just a step away when you improve your fitness walking skills by participating in MWR's free clinics. A clinic will be held at 4 p.m. **Oct. 17** at Bloch Arena. Advance registration is required. For more information, call 473-0793.

## FINANCIAL FAIR

In celebration of Credit Union Day, Pearl Harbor Federal Credit Union and its partners will hold a financial expo from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Oct. 17** at the main office (near PHNSY). There will be free food, free prizes and free entertainment. MWR will be one of the many vendors participating with exhibits including Sam Snead's Tavern, Information, Tickets & Travel (ITT), fitness centers, Liberty in Paradise and outdoor recreation. For more information, visit [www.phfcu.com](http://www.phfcu.com) or call 473-0606.

## WINTER LITTLE LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Registration for minors, majors and juniors for winter little league will be held through **Oct. 21** at the youth sports office. The season begins in November. Registration is open to children born from August 1987-July 2001. The cost is \$100 for minors, \$120 for majors and juniors.

Bring participant's birth certificate and a current physical (dated no more than one year ago) to registration. For more information, visit [www.greatlifeofhawaii.com](http://www.greatlifeofhawaii.com) for this year's calendar or call 474-3501.

## MWR SUPER GARAGE SALE AND CRAFT FAIR

More than 150 vendors will sell their products at the Navy Region

Hawai'i MWR Super Garage Sale and Craft Fair which will be held from 8 a.m.-noon **Nov. 5** at Richardson Field. Admission is free. The event is open to the public. For more information, call 473-0606.

## WINNERS TO SUPER BOWL XL

Get your entry into the grand prize drawing to be held at the end of the year for a trip to Super Bowl XL. The winner and a guest will go to Detroit to see the Super Bowl XL. The prize includes airfare, hotel and tickets to the big game. The more you play, the more chances you have to qualify at Pool & Pizza at Pearl Harbor. Events begin at 6:30 p.m. every Monday. The drawing will be held **Dec. 26.** For more information, call 473-1743.

## "BELLY" GOOD EXERCISE

Learn authentic Arabic and Egyptian dance moves while tightening and toning your body. Month-long class sessions are \$25 and begin the first Tuesday of each month at Bloch Arena. Classes are held from 7:30-8 p.m. For more information, call 473-0793.

## SHOWING AT SHARKEY

Movies at Sharkey Theater at Naval Station Pearl Harbor are free for all active duty. There are specials each Thursday and the theater also offers keiki matinees and full length sneak peeks at upcoming blockbusters. Patrons can also celebrate birthdays at Sharkey. The party package includes popcorn, beverage and the reserved seating of their choice. The cost is \$6 per person. To make a reservation or for more information, call the customer hot line at 473-2651.

## DEEP-SEA FISHING

Fishing charters are available daily aboard the Coreene C, a 47-foot sport fishing boat. Incidentally, a world record unlimited class catch of a 1,805-lb. blue marlin was set. For more information, call the Rainbow Bay Marina 473-0279 or Capt. Joe Irvin at 386-9024.

## GAMES NIGHT

Games night is now ongoing at Pearl Harbor with fun, food and games. Monday Madness is at 6 p.m. each Monday at Club Pearl; afternoon matinees are from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. each Tuesday at Club Koa, Iroquois Point. Games are open to patrons ages 18 and up only. For more information, call 222-0071.

## RESERVE A PARTY PLACE

Too many friends and not enough space? Consider hosting your next get-together at a neighborhood community center. Each of the MWR facilities offers ample space and several amenities to make the party a success. Reservations are available only to those living in Navy family housing. To reserve a center or equipment rental needs, call 473-2569.



## Weekly events:

- Sunday:** Chess tournament, 6:30 p.m.
- Monday:** WWE wrestling, 6:30 p.m.
- Tuesday:** 8-Ball tournament - 7 p.m.
- Wednesday:** Game show - 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday:** 9-Ball Pool tournament - 7 p.m.



**The 40-Year-Old Virgin:** 40-year-old Andy has done quite a few things in his life. But there's just one little thing he hasn't quite gotten around to doing yet--something most people have done by his age. Andy's never, ever, ever had sex. His friends at the store consider it their duty to help, but nothing proves effective enough until he meets Trish, a 40-year-old mother of three. Andy's friends are psyched by the possibility that "it" may finally happen...until they hear that Andy and Trish have begun their relationship based on a mutual no-sex policy.

**The Brothers Grimm:** Folklore collectors and con artists, Jake and Will Grimm, travel from village to village pretending to protect townsfolk from enchanted creatures and performing exorcisms. They are put to the test, however, when they encounter a real magical curse in a haunted forest with real magical beings, requiring genuine courage.

**The Cave:** A rescue team is sent down into the world's largest cave system to try to find the spelunkers who first explored its depths.

**The Man:** A case of mistaken identity forces federal agent Derrick Vann and dental supply salesman Andy Fidler to team up as they speed through the streets of Detroit to pull off a sting operation and solve the murder of Vann's former partner.

**March of the Penguins:** Emperor penguins overcome daunting obstacles in order to return to their breeding grounds for mating season.

**Red Eye:** See Review

**Transporter 2:** Retired in Miami, ex-Special Forces operative, Frank, makes a living driving for the wealthy Billings family. He's a huge favorite with their two small boys, but when the kids are kidnapped and injected with a potentially fatal virus, Frank defies the FBI and works relentlessly to get the boys to safety and discover the kidnapper's master plan.

**JO3 Ryan C. McGinley**  
**Red Eye**

From the master of death, horror and a burned guy with knives for fingers, comes a suspense thriller with very little death, horror or crazy madmen? The world is changing and director Wes Craven, who brought us "A Nightmare on Elm Street," "Swamp Thing" and the "Scream" trilogy, has made an intriguing and well-crafted thriller, which focuses on the living rather than the dead.

"Red Eye" is a simple yet effective film. Lisa is a hotel manager. She meets Jackson in an airport while waiting for a delayed flight to Miami. He seems nice enough and the two begin a pleasant conversation. It ends up they are sitting next to each other on the flight, but things take a drastic turn for the worse when Lisa asks Jackson what he does for a living. He responded by saying, "As fate would have it, my business is all about you." Jackson is there to make sure Lisa transfers the director of Homeland Security from one room in her hotel to another, so they can assassinate him. If she doesn't, her father dies.

The rest of the film is predictable, yet suspenseful. Rising newcomer Rachel McAdams and Cillian Murphy play believable roles as McAdams tries to outwit her so-called captor and save the day. What keeps the film going is its believability. Never does Craven transfer to the implausible or create a world unlike the real one. Each step in the suspense is captivating in its simplicity. Lisa tries to signal other passengers on the flight, or talk her capturer out of his motives. The audience can relate to her fear, and put themselves in her place.

Craven yields his mass horror in "Red Eye," making it an entertaining and suspenseful film, which won't stir any awards or conversation, but ultimately entertains its audience for an hour and a half. It's simple, yet effective, and sometimes that's all movies need to be.

**OVERALL RATING:**

# 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.

In observance of **Fire Prevention Week**, the Federal Fire Department on Oahu will conduct a series of displays and demos at various locations around Oahu.

• **Today - 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.,** Pearl Harbor NEX Commissary, Radford Drive: Fire truck display, "house of hazards" and Sparky the Fire Dog. For more information, call Inspector Victor M. Flint (FFD) at 474-7785.

Learn about a career as a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) at an **FBI career seminar** from 10:30-11:30 a.m. **Oct. 21** at the Pearl Harbor Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC), building, 193, room 205. Special Agent Kal Wong will present the seminar and answer questions from attendees. For reservations, call FFSC at 473-4222. For more information, call Special Agent Wong at 566-4488.

Naval Health Clinic Hawai'i will present a three-day **health promotion workshop** from 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. **Oct. 26-28** at Navy Training Center, building 679 (formerly Navy College). The workshop is designed for Navy instructors who wish to improve their presenting skills on such topics as nutrition, fitness, tobacco awareness, alcohol awareness, healthy heart and sexual responsibility. Deadline to register is **today**. For more information, call 471-9355.

Mufi Hannemann, mayor of the City and County of Honolulu, will be the featured speaker at the second of a series of **Learn From the Leaders** events hosted by Commander, Navy Region Hawai'i's Workforce Development Office. The event will be held from 10:30-11:30 a.m. **Oct. 19** at the Banyans Conference Center at Naval Station Pearl Harbor. Rear Adm. Michael C. Vitale, Commander, Navy Region Hawai'i, will kick off the event with a brief update on the Region's leadership development program.

Cub Scout Pack 189 and Girl Scouts of Pearl Harbor will host a **haunted house** from 6:30-10:30 p.m. **Oct. 28, 4-10:30 p.m. Oct. 29** and 1-4 p.m. **Oct. 30** at the Catlin-Halsey-Radford-Miller Community Center. For more information, call 456-7588.

**Pouhala Marsh Work Days** have been scheduled for cleanup and removal of pickle weeds at the north end of Pearl Harbor's West Loch. The project will cover a Hawaiian fish pond and coastal marsh of about 70 acres. Volunteers are needed for the following dates and times: 8:30-11:30 a.m. **Nov. 5** and **Dec. 3.** Anyone who is interested in participating should call 473-1203 or e-mail [adeline.lopes@navy.mil](mailto:adeline.lopes@navy.mil).

Former prisoner of war (POW) and inspirational speaker, Capt. Gerald Coffee (U.S. Navy retired), will be honored as the 2005 American Patriot of the Year at the **American Patriot Award Benefit Dinner** on **Nov. 11** at the Coral Ballroom of the Hilton Hawaiian Village. The award will be presented by the Honolulu Council of the U.S. Navy League. A 28-year Navy veteran, Coffee distinguished himself during the Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962 and during the Vietnam War. In February 1966 while flying combat missions over North Vietnam, his reconnaissance jet was downed by enemy fire and Coffee was captured. He was held a prisoner for seven years in the communist prisons of North Vietnam. Proceeds from the benefit dinner will support programs for men and women in the sea services - Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard and Merchant Marine. Tickets for the black tie gala event are \$150 per person. Sponsor tables of 10 are

available at the admirals' level at \$5,000, the captains' level at \$3,500 and the commanders' level at \$1,500. Reservations may be made by calling the Honolulu Council office of the Navy League at 422-9404 or via email at [navyleague@hawaii.navy.mil](mailto:navyleague@hawaii.navy.mil). For more information, visit [www.PacificRegionNavyLeague.org](http://www.PacificRegionNavyLeague.org).

A committee consisting of members of the U.S. Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard is working on a one-day symposium to proactively educate, identify and address issues that face all women (junior and senior) in today's sea services. Survey takers are needed to help the committee plan for the **2006 Sea Services Women's Leadership Symposium** which will be held March 21, 2006 at Marine Corps Base Hawai'i - Kaneohe Bay. The symposium will focus on mentoring and professional development through inspirational and informative speakers, panelists and breakout sessions. The theme of the symposium is "Make A Difference." To take the survey, go to <http://tinyurl.com/araat>. The deadline to complete the survey is **Nov. 18.** The primary target audience for the symposium consists of female enlisted and officer active duty, reserve members, and retirees from the U.S. Coast Guard, Marine Corps and Navy. The secondary target audience consists of male enlisted and officer active duty or reserve interested in challenges/issues affecting women. There are also volunteer opportunities. If you are interested in helping with the conference or for more information, contact HMC Celeste at [holly.celeste.hickam.af.mil](mailto:holly.celeste.hickam.af.mil) or at 448-1616 or OSC Tortora at [diane.tortora@navy.mil](mailto:diane.tortora@navy.mil).

The Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) is seeking Navy **volunteers to help with the MDA dinner and auction** to be held **Nov. 19** at the Sheraton Waikiki Hotel in Waikiki. The evening's activities include a silent auction and a live auction. Volunteers are needed to assist with the auctions. MDA will provide a free dinner to each volunteer. For more information, call 593-4454.

Registrations are now being accepted for the **Armed Forces Communications Electronics Association (AFCEA) TechNet Asia-Pacific Golf Tournament 2005** will be held **Dec. 9** at the Kaneohe Klipper Course, Marine Corps Base Hawai'i - Kaneohe Bay. The tournament will be in a scramble format with four-player teams. Prizes will be awarded for closest to the pin, longest drive and hole-in-one. Registration on tournament day begins at 9:30 a.m. The tournament will begin with a shotgun start at 11 a.m. and an awards banquet will begin at 5 p.m. Entry fees are \$55 for active duty enlisted military, \$65 for active duty military officers and retired military, \$70 for DoD employees, and \$75 for civilians and contractors. For more information, call Danny Matsuura at 659-1416 or email at [dannymatsuura@att.com](mailto:dannymatsuura@att.com).

The Hickam Hurricanes **swimming team is looking for a head coach.** Previous coaching experience is desirable. The team also has an immediate opening for an assistant coach. No previous coaching experience is required for the assistant coach position. For more information, contact Peggy Glasgow at 389-5063 or email at [information@HickamHurricanes.com](mailto:information@HickamHurricanes.com) with a current resume.

How to contact **TriWest/TRICARE** services - Beneficiaries can contact TriWest with enrollment; Primary Care Manager and address changes; program benefits questions; claims status; fee payments and locating network providers in the area by calling 1-888-TRIWEST (1-888-874-9378), visiting their Web site at [www.triwest.com](http://www.triwest.com), or visiting TRICARE Service Centers located at Makalapa Medical Clinic and Kaneohe Bay Medical Clinic. The TRICARE Service Center located at the Pearl Harbor Makalapa Clinic is open from 7:30-11:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. The TRICARE Service Center located at the Kaneohe Clinic is open from 7-11:30 a.m. and 12:30-4 p.m.