

Boutiki Gift Shop

*sells souvenirs,
donates proceeds
to base charities*

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Looking for the perfect island gift or souvenir while at Pearl Harbor? Before spending your hard earned cash at a shop in Waikiki, try setting your sights on a local non-profit shop where you can expect a unique selection of merchandise at reasonable prices, and leave knowing that your purchase just contributed to a better cause – charity.

Just past Scott Pool and adjacent to the Bravo piers on board Naval Station Pearl Harbor sits a small gift shop, the Boutiki. As you make your way from the parking lot of the modest looking store and continue through the entrance, you find yourself standing amidst a beautiful array of unique Hawaiian-style gifts and island souvenirs. Quickly you're welcomed to the shop by one of the gracious volunteers who operate the store. The shimmering glass pineapple which caught your eye upon entrance of the store is carefully wrapped by the volunteer, protecting it as you make your way home from the store.

"Our motto on the store is "It's all for charity" and that's true," said Kelly Smith, interim chairperson of Boutiki.

The Boutiki Gift Shop is a non-profit organization which sells antique Chinese furniture, one-of-a-kind jewelry, art, ceramics and Hawaiian gifts. The proceeds of all items sold are distributed to various charities at Naval Station Pearl Harbor, includ-

ing YMCA and the American Red Cross.

Even though Boutiki's normal working hours are 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Monday, Friday and Saturday and 3 p.m. – 7 p.m. Wednesday, the store still gathers an enormous amount of customers, which resulted in more than \$30,000 donated to charities in the Pearl Harbor area last year.

"Because of our number of volunteers, we are only open a certain amount of hours, but we believe there's enough variety in the times that everyone has a chance to shop here," said Smith.

Since its opening in 1973, when the store was operated from the homes of Navy wives from Pearl Harbor, Boutiki has been one of the modestly priced spots to buy Hawaiian souvenirs in the Pearl Harbor area for military personnel and their families.

"We're here to help the military and military families," said Smith. "Our hope is that when they come in and look at the items, they say 'Wow!'"

The customers of Boutiki are extremely happy with not just the crafts for purchase at the area, but also the knowledge that they are helping people in the neighborhood by shopping there.

"The items here are lovely, affordable and knowing that the money is going to charities is a great feeling," said the wife of a Sailor assigned to Pearl Harbor.

Today and tomorrow from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Boutiki will host a 'tent sale' with selected items marked 30 to 70 percent off their regular price.

For more information about the Boutiki, call 422-6662 or visit www.greatlifehawaii.cnmc.navy.mil.





JEMS Job Fair 2007 set for Sept. 5

Joint Employment Management System

Joint Employment Management System (JEMS), in partnership with the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, will hold its 20th annual job fair from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Sept. 5 at Club Pearl at Naval Station Pearl Harbor.

More than 100 companies and agencies are expected to participate in the event. The JEMS Job Fair is open to military

family members, active duty personnel, military retirees, guard and reservists, and federal employees with base access.

Attendees will have an opportunity to talk to recruiters, drop off resumes, pick up applications and research the job market. No children will be admitted so please plan accordingly.

Parking will be allowed in the bachelor quarters parking lot adjacent to the club.

For more information visit www.JEMSjobs.com or call 473-0190.

Free chow for Navy housing workers



Photo courtesy of Forest City Military Communities

Forest City Military Communities recently donated free lunches for Navy housing construction workers. Andy Anderson, project manager of Catlin Park (center), along with Conrad Spence, senior field manager (orange vest), took some time to have lunch with the workers.

Registration opens Sept. 8 for Joint Spouses' Conference

Joint Spouses' Conference Publicity

Registration opens Sept. 8 for the 13th Annual Joint Spouses' Conference (JSC) which will be held Oct. 19-20 at the Hickam Officers' Club at Hickam Air Force Base.

The conference provides a forum for spouses of active duty, reserve and retired military members of all services to uplift, motivate, educate and strengthen those in challenging roles as spouses, parents, professionals and community leaders through a variety of workshops and keynote speakers.

A forum to empower, enlighten, motivate and educate military spouses, attendees may choose to attend either Friday or Saturday or both days. During the two-day conference, attendees may select five one-hour workshops, choosing from over 50 workshops, on such topics as Hawaiian culture and history, health and wellness, communication and parenting skills, and entertaining tips. Attendees also benefit from printed resource materials on topics such as health care, family support, recreation activities, and volunteer opportunities.

The keynote presentation will feature Holly Scherer and Kathie Hightower, military spouses who write and speak about military life. Since 1994, Holly and Kathie have presented their trademarked workshop, "Follow Your Dreams While You Follow the Military," for military spouses in the United States, Europe and Japan. They have also co-authored columns in the following military publications and Web sites: Mobile Careers in Military Money magazine, Strategic Careers at



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military.com, Your Dreams and Possibilities at CinCHouse.com and Married to the Military in the Air Force / Army / Marine Corps/Navy Time. In addition, they are advisors for military.com and co-authors of "Help! I am a Military Spouse, I Get a Life Too!" More information is available on their Web site at www.militaryspousehelp.com!

Registration forms for the event may be picked up at military exchanges, commissaries, family support centers, thrift shops, fitness centers, and chapels. Register online or download registration forms at www.JSCHAWAII.com. The cost is \$30 for both days or \$20

for Friday or Saturday only. The fee includes workshops, continental breakfast and lunch, and a conference tote bag filled with donations from local businesses. Seating is limited to 300, so get your registration forms in early. All forms must be postmarked by Oct. 6. Children are not permitted to attend. Childcare is not available and must be pre-arranged.

Whether you have been on the island for a while or are new to Hawai'i, the conference offers a unique opportunity to meet and network with other spouses. For more information and to preview some of the workshops, visit www.JSCHAWAII.com.

STORY IDEAS?

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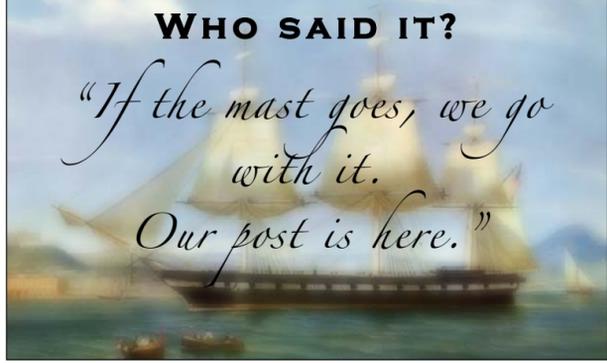
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WHO SAID IT?

"If the mast goes, we go with it. Our post is here."

Answer to last week's Who said it?

"A powerful Navy we have always regarded as our proper and natural means of defense; and it has always been of defense that we have thought, never of aggression or of conquest. But who shall tell us now what sort of Navy to build? We shall take leave to be strong upon the seas, in the future as in the past; and there will be no thought of offense or provocation in that. Our ships are our natural bulwarks."



-Woodrow Wilson

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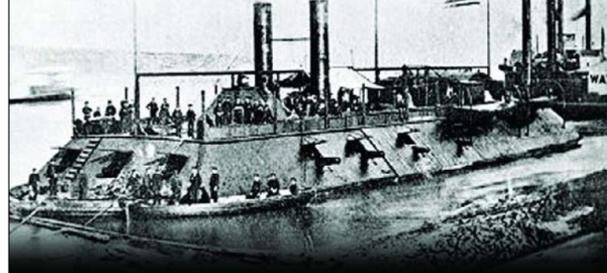
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Q. In the national anthem, what type of rocket was Francis Scott Key referring to in the line, "the rockets red glare?"



Last week's question...
What was the first ship sunk by an electronic mine?

Answer... Cairo

Navy Region Hawai'i Manawa Nanea

Morale Welfare & Recreation

☛ SAM SNEAD'S MILITARY APPRECIATION DINNER SPECIAL

To honor military service members, Sam Snead's Tavern will offer a military appreciation dinner special every Tuesday and Wednesday night throughout September. All patrons who order an oak-grilled specialty dinner entrée will receive 50 percent off a second entrée. FMI: 421-SAMS.

☛ PEE WEE SOCCER

Register your child for Pee Wee Soccer Sept. 14 at the Morale Welfare and Recreation youth sports office, located at 620 Main St. (off Valkenburgh) at building 3456. When registering, bring your child's birth certificate and a current physical examination card. Season runs from September to December 2007. The cost is \$35. This sport is open to all military-affiliated youth, ages three to five. FMI: 474-3501

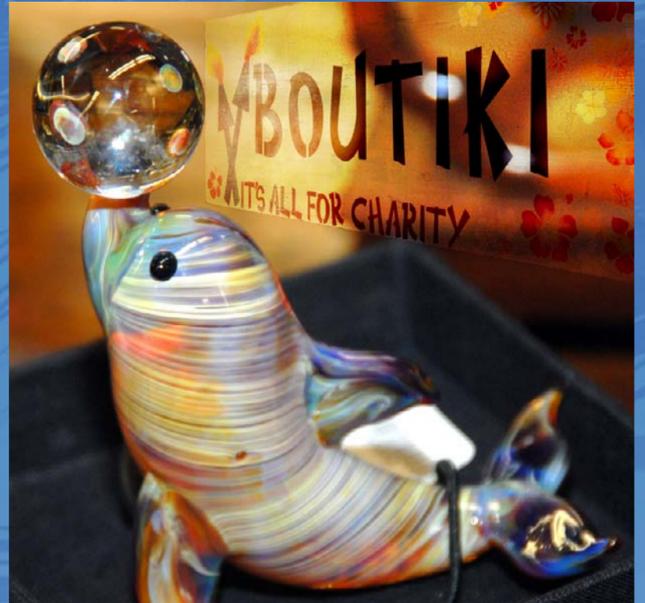


For more information on Navy Region Hawai'i MWR events, visit www.greatlifeohawaii.com

Community Calendar

☛ September

☛1 ~ The Boutiki gift shop at Naval Station Pearl Harbor will host a tent sale from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Club Road. Proceeds from The Boutiki benefit military and local charities. FMI: 422-6662.



☛4 ~ Hawai'i's public school students will bring home federal census survey cards on Sept. 4. The cards need to be filled out by parents and returned to school the following day. It is extremely important to complete the federal survey cards and return them promptly to your child's school. The data collected from these forms, and turned into the Federal Department of Education, determines the funding received by the Hawai'i Department of Education (DOE). For more information about Joint Venture Education Forum funding, visit: <http://www.pacom.mil/jvef/funding.shtml>.

☛7 ~ Duane "Dog the Bounty Hunter" Chapman will be at the Navy Exchange at Pearl Harbor from 4-6 p.m. to promote his new book entitled, "You Can Run But You Can't Hide." FMI: 423-3330.

Sharkey Showtimes



No Reservations (PG)

A top notch female chef's life is turned upside-down when she must care for her niece after her sister is killed. She now has to adapt to a different lifestyle and uses food as a means to express her roller-coaster life.

TODAY

7:00 PM Hairspray (PG)

SATURDAY

2:30 PM UnderDog (PG)

4:45 PM The Simpsons Movie (PG 13)

7:00 PM No Reservations (PG)

SUNDAY

2:30 PM UnderDog (PG)

4:45 PM Hairspray (PG)

7:15 PM I Know Who Killed Me (R)

THURSDAY

7:00 PM No Reservations (PG)



'Paws' and smell the roses



Machinist Mate 1st Class (SS) John W. White Jr. and his family was the Yard of the Month winner for August for the Moanalua Terrace community. White's yard was selected by the Forest City Resident Advisory Board for the honor. Each month, board members scour Forest City communities to seek a home that warrants being named "Yard of the Month." Homes that exemplify curb appeal through cleanliness, decorations, flower enhancements, color, imagination, and overall appearance are among those selected. Winners receive a \$50 gift certificate to the Navy Exchange and a sign for their front yard declaring their home as "Yard of the Month."

Photo by Amy Ritch

Scholarship program for military spouses

Council of College and Military Educators Military Spouse Scholarship Program

The Council of College and Military Educators Spouse Scholarships (CCMEMSSP) are awarded to spouses of uniformed services members (active duty, National Guard and Reserve) to attend post secondary or graduate school.

Scholarships are in the amount of \$500 and 10 are awarded each year. Scholarship funds may be used for tuition, fees and school room and board. The CCMEMSSP is a need-based education assistance program designed to provide military spouses with financial assistance in pursuing

educational goals. The purpose of the program is to assist spouses in gaining the education required to allow them to qualify for increased occupational opportunities.

Active duty military personnel are not eligible. The deadline to apply is Sept. 17.

To be eligible, applicants must be:

- A uniformed services spouse (active duty, reserve, guard).
 - Currently enrolled in an associates, bachelor's, or graduate degree program.
 - Attending a regionally or nationally accredited academic institution.
 - Have a minimum 3.0 GPA
- For more information, visit http://www.ccmeonline.org/scholarship_sp.asp.

USO to host 8th Annual USO Base Race on Ford Island

USO of Hawai'i, in partnership with community sponsors, will host the 8th Annual USO Base Race Series Event on Sept. 22 at Ford Island. The event will include all branches of the military and the gen-

eral public in Hawai'i. The 10k race will start at 7 a.m. followed by the 5k race at a.m. Entries received after Sept. 8 will be considered late. Race participants will have an opportunity to win door prizes, such as a neighbor island get-

away for two, a Waikiki getaway for two (four packages), Hawai'i Opera Theatre tickets, Hawaiian Waters Adventure Park tickets, and more. Race forms are available online at www.uso-hawaii.org or call 836-3351.