

## Media Advisory

Public Affairs Office U.S. Army Garrison, Hawaii (808)656-3157/542-9489 "Malama na Koa"

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**WHO:** U.S. Army Soldiers and family members

**WHAT:** Physical training in the park with Disney characters

**WHEN:** 6:30 - 7:30 a.m., April 7

WHERE: Bennett Youth Center Field, Schofield Barracks

**DETAILS:** Roughly 100 children and their parents will join Mickey and friends for a morning of physical fitness fun as the Army celebrates "Month of the Military Child."

The event aims to introduce children to the joys of physical fitness, as well as teach parents how to make exercise a family oriented event.

Since 1986, April has served as a time that the Army recognizes military children for the daily sacrifices they make and challenges they overcome as a part of the military. Challenges such as frequent moves and repeated deployments of parents are particular to military families.

Media is invited to participate in the event, as well as enjoy a continental breakfast afterwards.

MEDIA NOTE: Media wishing to attend should R.S.V.P. no later than 8 p.m., April 06. Media should meet at Lyman gate at 6 a.m. For further information, please contact Loran D. Doane, Media Relations chief, at 808-656-3157 or 317-847-2222.