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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Schofield museum offers Living History Day

**SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Hawaii** – The Tropic Lightning Museum, here, will once again bring history to life at its Living History Day, Oct. 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

This free, public event commemorates the longstanding history of the 25th Infantry Division, which is celebrating its 71st birthday this month.

Farrington High School’s JROTC will lead the opening ceremony at 10 a.m., followed by several local performers.

The Hawaii Jitterbugs Lindy Hop and Swing dancers will perform in vintage WWII-era clothing at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., and The Bluegrass Barnstormers band will entertain with a Civil War version of “Soldiers Joy” and other traditional bluegrass songs at noon.

Throughout the day, visitors can chat with current Soldiers in combat gear, re-enactors in vintage war uniforms, and Hawaii’s historical preservation organizations. Additional highlights include an antique firearms display, a K-9 working dogs demonstration, restored military vehicles and historic memorabilia. Special activities for children, like camouflage face painting and designing a unit patch, will keep the keiki entertained.

Non-military visitors should enter through Schofield’s Lyman Gate and will be asked to show photo identification, current car registration and proof of insurance.

For questions, contact the [Tropic Lightning Museum](#) at (808) 655-0438.

**DIRECTIONS:** From H-2/Wilikina turn left on Kunia Road. Turn right at Lyman Gate (2nd traffic light). From Lyman Road, take the 2nd right onto Flagler Road. Go past the first stoplight, and you will see signs for parking on your left.



Re-enactors playing the part of Civil War Soldiers during Living History Day entertain visitors with music and stories. Living History Day is held annually by Tropic Lightning Museum on Schofield Barracks.

*(Photo courtesy Tropic Lightning Museum)*