

John Paul Jones nails down postseason berth

Story and photo by Randy Dela Cruz

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USS John Paul Jones (DDG 53) Revolution lost a four-run lead, but came back to score eight times in the bottom of the fourth to secure a 15-9 win over USS Louisville (SSN 724) Sluggers on the final day of the regular season, June 20, in an Afloat Division intramural softball game at Millican Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

The win locked up a playoff spot for the Revolution, which will be a twoday event at both Millican and Ward fields from June 27-28.

As the Afloat Division pennant winner with a final record of 7-2, the Revolution earned a bye in the first round and will play against the winners of the 735th Air Mobility Squadron (735 AMS) and Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard Sharks on June 27 at 2 p.m. at Millican Field.

"We've been strong all season," said Gas Turbine Systems (Mechanical) 2nd Class Logan Chatigny. "It's pretty much the same lineup. We're feeling good going into the playoffs, but there are a lot of good teams out there for sure."

Against the Revolution opened up the bottom of the second inning tied at 2-2 before unleashing their first big rally of the throwing error to score the fifth run game by using what they do best: playing small ball.

After starting off the innings with a putout at short, the Revolution got two singles and a walk to load the bases for Boatswain's Mate 2nd Class A.J. Huffman, who promptly stepped into the batter's box and swatted a double to drive in two runs.

Chatigny immediately followed up with an RBI single, which eventually led to two more runs and a 7-2 lead.

The Sluggers bounced back behind a sacrifice by Lt. John Grider and a run-scoring single by Lt. Cmdr. Rob Given to score four times to cut the lead down to one before knotting it all up at 7-7 with a run in the top of the

Instead of succumbing to the pressure by Louisville, the Revolution accepted the challenge and responded by putting up a big number in the bottom half of the frame.

Chatigny set the table with a leadoff single and scored with the first of two runs that were chased home by a double off the bat of Command Master Chief Richard Terrell.

Then with two runners in scoring

Sluggers, the position, Lt. j.g. Steven Manning stroked a single to drive in two more runs before circling the bases on a of the inning.

> "We try to come out and give it all we got and stay there 100 percent for the whole game," said Manning about hustling around the bases. In total, the Revolution sent a dozen batters up to the plate and scored eight runs to gain a 15-7 lead at the end of the fourth.

> "We never go up to the plate look ing to crush it out," Manning said. 'It's always get a base hit and advance the runners. The main focus is to get everybody a chance to get up there. Just put the ball in play.

> Chatigny said that the win over a very tough team like Louisville is just what the Revolution needed to gain momentum going into the playoffs.

> While the team finished on top in its own division, Manning said that the team can't be satisfied to rest its laurels and must keep focused in order to reach the finals in the play-

> "We're always looking to improve," Manning said. "We continue to work on our bats and try to get a little better. We just got to win the next game. It's all about the next game."



Lt. j.g. Steven Manning slides safely into home to score for USS John Paul Jones (DDG 53) Revolution during an eight-

Picnic on the Pier set for July 4



Photo courtesy of Battleship Missouri Men

Fireworks, live music, raffle prizes, tours of the "Mighty Mo" and sunset views from Pier Foxtrot-5, where the Battleship Missouri Memorial is berthed, will highlight the Fourth of July Picnic on the Pier event.

The Battleship Missouri Memorial will celebrate Independence Day "Mighty Mo" style with its Picnic on the Pier on July 4.

The public is invited to the event at Pier Foxtrot-5 on Ford Island. It will begin at 6 p.m. and wrap up following a fireworks show over Pearl Harbor, which begins at 9 p.m.

Guests can bring their own picnic gear, food and drinks (no glass bottles or grills permitted). The event will include music by Chris Salvador, raffle prizes, children's activities, and tours of the "Mighty Mo."

Pre-sale tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 4-12 and can be purchased online at www.ussmissouri.org/picnic.

Tickets are also available at the door at \$15 for adults and \$10 for children. Complimentary round-trip shuttle service will be available to those without base access from the Pearl Harbor Visitor Center.

(For more information, call 1-877-644-4896.)

Upcoming blood drives

- June 29, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., 205th Military Intelligence Battalion, building 520, Fort Shafter. • June 30, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m., Schofield Barracks
- Health Clinic, building 683. • July 1, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard, building 1770, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-
- July 7, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, Marine Corps Base Hawaii.

For more information, call 433-6699 or 433-6148 or email michelle.lele@amedd.army.mil.



Afloat Training Group bats usher team into playoffs

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It may have taken the final game of the regular season, but Afloat Training Group got what they needed from their bats to make it into the playoffs with an 11-4 win over Fleet Area Control and Surveillance Facility (FACSFAC) Pearl Harbor on June 22 in a Red Division intramural softball matchup at Millican Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

Needing a victory to get into the postseason, ATG went to work and posted runs in every inning except for one to earn a berth in the playoffs, which will be held on June 27-28 with games at Millican and Ward Fields.

ATG, which finished the regular season with a record of 5-3, plays Naval Submarine Training Center Pacific (NastyPac) on June 27 at Millican Field starting at 1 p.m.

"Our team has a really good defense," said Information Systems Technician 1st Class Jamie Bannister about ATG's chances in the playoffs. "We can play really well together. If we got our sticks on that night, look out, here we come."

Against FACSFAC, it didn't take long to see that the bats of ATG were hot and

Damage Controlman 1st Class William Pesicka opened up the team's hit parade with a double in the team's first at-bat.

Then with two outs, Bannister and get a nice swing and it worked out the bottom of the third inning when, with some runs and keep the bats hot."



Damage Controlman 1st Class William Pesicka swings and goes yard for a two-run homer to give Afloat Training Group a 5-0 lead.

recorded the team's first big bash of the game, when he shot a liner through the gap before rounding the bases for a tworun, inside-the-park homer.

"I felt like, being this was the last game of season, I really needed to go out there, try hard and hit it hard and kick it off for the team," Bannister said about his two-run bash. "I managed to get lucky

pretty good."

No sooner than Bannister crossed home plate, Senior Chief Master-at-Arms Danny Moreaux crushed a pitch to almost the exact spot with the same result for a back-to-back, inside-the-park job to give ATG a fast 3-0 lead.

After going down in order in the second inning, ATG picked it up once again in Pesicka promised. "We've got to score

one runner on base, Pesicka pulled a shot that hugged the right-field line and cleared the foul pole for a two-run blast and a 5-0 advantage.

"It (the pitch) was down and in and I pulled it as hard as I could," Pesicka said. "I thought it (the ball) was tailing, but it made it over."

Pesicka barely missed out on a second home run but delivered an RBI single in the bottom of the fourth for a 6-0 lead.

A couple of fielding errors and three walks in the top of the fifth by ATG allowed FACSFAC to score four runs and close the gap down to two runs, but two runs in the bottom of the fifth and three runs in the sixth put the game away for

"I hope this builds momentum and we keep it moving forward," Pesicka said about the playoff-clinching win. "The bats are heating up and it's a good time to get hot."

Although ATG will enter the playoffs as a long shot to win it all, both Pesicka and Bannister believe that anything can happen in a single-elimination tournament.

In order to get to the final game, ATG will need three wins, which could be a tough thing to do considering that among the teams included in their bracket are the defending intramural champs 647th Security Forces Squadron (647 SFS) Pound Town.

"We're going to make some noise,"

Volleyball's 'greatest coach' tutors players at JBPHH

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For the second year in a row, the winningest collegiate women's volleyball coach in history brought members of the current University of Hawaii Rainbow Wahine squad for a camp to teach military personnel the finer points of the game.

Held at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Fitness Center on June 22, the two-and-a-half hour clinic was a welcome break from the daily duties and came just in time for the intramural volleyball season, which kicked off just two days later.

"It's an honor," said Yeoman 2nd Class Joshua Wright, Pacific Command (PACOM), who has set up the clinic for two years. "Everybody here, as soon as they found out that the Rainbow Wahine and Dave Shoji were coming out, I was getting phone calls left and right. I remember we did this last year, and the level of play in our in tramural league went up tremendously.'

Shoji was equally gracious and commented that holding this clinic is a always a joy and is a small way to say thank you to the men and women who do so much for our country.

"I just really wanted to do this for the men and women on base," said Shoji, who is the alltime winningest coach in NCAA Division I women's volleyball history. "For me and the team,



University of Hawaii Rainbow Wahine volleyball coach Dave Shoji spikes a ball in play during one of the drills he conducted at a volleyball clinic held at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Fitness Center.

it's just a little bit of a thank himself to make sure that Shoji Shoji and the girls out here." you for doing what they do. And we're just really happy to be here tonight."

As in the past year, Shoji enarms in explaining various techthem a workout with drills that focused on fundamentals.

coach in action, Wright said that he almost had to pinch have someone iconic like Dave away are the different drills lutely amazing."

was actually in attendance.

"I messaged him last year and asked him if he minded giving back to the military and he quite a bit from the man who is gaged the attendees with open said that he'd be there whenever we needed him," Wright niques and skills before giving recalled. "He has such a calm demeanor and he's a very hum-Watching the legendary does this because he loves the know," Wright admitted. "But on the court afterwards and say game. It's truly an honor to one of the things that I take hi to us, that would be abso-

Wright added that the time spent with Shoji may not seem like much, but he has learned entering his 41st season as head coach of the Rainbow

"I've been playing so long ble guy. He just says that he that the basic skills, I already

and ways to teach the players." While Shoji appeared to be having a great time, so were members of the Rainbow Wahine team that also offered their ex-

Among them was all-conference selection junior outside hitter Nikki Taylor, who will be counted upon, with senior All-America Olivia Magill and fellow conference selectees senior Tai Manu-Olevao and sophomore Kalei Greeley, to anchor a team coming off a 22-7 season and 33rd NCAA Tournament appearance.

Taylor, who was helping out at the first camp, said that getting an opportunity to give back to the military is a huge bless-

"Nobody ever understands how much military families, personnel sacrifice for us," Taylor said. "To be able to give back, this isn't anything for us."

Now that the team has visited JBPHH, Taylor said that she would love to have the military members who attended the

house for the Rainbow Wahine. Shoji and the team will kick off their new season with the Chevron Rainbow Wahine Invitational at the Stan Sheriff Center from Aug. 28 to 30.

"It would be incredible to know that we would be able to give them a show and give back in that way as well," Taylor said. "If they were to come down

Military teens welcome youth contest winners

Olivia Mills

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Teenagers arrived in Honolulu this month to experience life in Hawaii with the company of other military youth.

"I'm looking forward to experiencing the culture and learning new things," said Kelsie Wells, one of the winners who is now a part of the Navy Teen Summer Camp.

The camp's contest selects military children worldwide and grants them opportunities to vacation to various sites and explore the culture.

This year there are six locations: Hawaii, Florida, Italy, Japan, Maryland and Rota. The winners were chosen depending on how they answered the questions "Why do you want to go to this camp, and how will it benefit you?" and "How has being a military family affected you?" There are about 140 total winners and about 30 in

The staff at the Makai Recreation Center welcomed the teens early Friday morning, placing lei around their shoulders, which excited the teens. Hawaii will be a new experience for them. They spent the remainder of the morning enjoying pancakes, movies, and the company of their new

"We are going to be doing all kinds



Youth at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Teen Center present teens arriving on Oahu with lei at the start of the Navy Teen Summer Camp.

island," said Zachary Pigott, leader at members. the JBPHH Teen Center.

The schedule is intended to involve the youth in a variety of island activities. Teens will ride horseback in the country, learn to surf, visit memorials, eat local food, and hike up the trail of Koko Head.

The hope is after this trip, they will have not only memories of Hawaii and new friends, but also new skills. The program is designed to strengthen feelings of excitement and Hickam as well as to those throughof fun and exciting things all over the love of travel in military family out the Navy.

All of the youth are united by their similar histories and lifestyles, giving them common ground even before the event began. Many of the youth could list seven to 10 places when asked where they had lived. This time, however, they are traveling for fun and excitement, not military obligation.

The contest has gained support through the years. It is open to youth within Joint Base Pearl Harbor-

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Dual musical headliners featured for July 4

Reid Tokeshi

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Those who attend the July 4 celebration at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam in two weeks will get double the musical entertainment. For the first time, the base's Independence Day event has two national recordheadlining. ing acts Dishwalla, with hit songs including "Counting Blue Cars," will take the stage at 5 p.m on Ward Field. Then at 7:30 p.m., O.A.R., which counts "Shattered" among their hits, takes over.

The event will conclude with the traditional fireworks show, one of bration on Ward Field. the largest on the island.

Another first-time for performance and auto-Colton, Red Bull streetstunt rider. Scheduled performance participate in many of times are at 4:30 p.m. and 6:45 p.m. The car show and shine will also ing a petting



Photo courtesy of O.A.R.

Dishwalla and O.A.R. (above) headline this year's entertainment at the Fourth of July cele-

return, with island own- batting cage and Xpress ers showcasing their Train ride. the event will be the prized vehicles. That means auto enthusiasts be available for purchase, graph session of Aaron will have two things to along with rides and check out this year.

> Families will be able to Fun. the free activities return- enter a drawing for a the event and other ing from last year, includ-

Food and beverages will inflatables from Xtreme

Las Vegas vacation.

Festivities will begin at greatlifehawaii.com.

3 p.m., and the fireworks show will begin at 9 p.m.

As with all events at Ward Field, certain safety and security restrictions will apply.

For more details on Attendees can also what is permitted at information, go to www.

Inaugural Summer Fun Run will be held next week

Helen Ko

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

This year will be the first Summer Fun Run hosted by the Pearl Harbor Navv Exchange (NEX), Joint Base Morale, Welfare and Recreation and visit our health (MWR), Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA), Naval Health Clinic Hawaii and USO Hawaii.

This event is intended to raise awareness of the importance of daily exercise and healthy habits. run.

The two-mile fun walk/run will be held July 1 at the Pearl Harbor NEX/DeCA parking lot. The walk/run starts at 7 all authorized patrons and civilians who have government ID are welcome. Check-in time will be from 6:15 to 6:45 a.m.

"The goal of the two-mile walk/run is to get our active duty and their families outside moving and exercising," said Jim Cosper, MWR program analyst.

"In addition, it's to educate them on the importance of living a healthy life-style. But most importantly to have fun," he added.

"I hope that people will learn about new health products presented by DeCA, meet new people booths, and speak with professionals on health is-

The event will include giveaways and gift baskets, which will be presented at the end of the

Organizers suggested that participants hydrate themselves before the run. Water will be available at the event as well. Participants are advised to dress in loose, comfortable clothing and wear appropriate shoes.

Pets, strollers and bicycles for participants ages up to 10 are allowed at this event. (For more information and to download the application, visit www.greatlifehawaii.

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Dive-In Movie Night will begin at 9:30 a.m. July 1 at Barbers Point Your Dragon 2" (rated PG) in the clinic. FMI: 682-1911. pool for free. FMI: 260-9736.

Junior Golf Clinic will begin at 1 p.m. Saturday at Mamala Bay Golf Course. Golf pros will offer tips for junior golfers at this free clinic. FMI: 449-2304.

"Read to the Rhythm" Summer Reading Program: Music-Themed Movie will be shown at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam library for free. The movie (PG or PG-13) is still to be announced. FMI: 449-8299.

Ladies Golf Clinic will begin at 0142.

6 p.m. today at Hickam Pool 2. Golf Course. The pros will offer Patrons can watch "How To Train tips for female golfers at this free

> Wii Wednesday will begin at 2 p.m. July 1 at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Library for patrons ages 6 to 16 years old. All gaming consoles, such as Wii U. Xbox One and PS4, have been upgraded and are now available for checkout. The event is free. FMI: 449-8299.

> Golf Demo Day will be held from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. July 1 at Navy-Marine Golf Course. Golfers will have a chance to try out some of the latest golf equipment at the driving range for free. FMI: 471

One-Fifty Wild Wednesdays will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. July 1 at the bowling center on the Hickam side of Joint Base. Patrons with a military CAC card can purchase three games and one hot dog per person. FMI: 448-9959.

Camping at Hickam Harbor and Movie on the Beach will be held from July 3 to July 4 at MWR Outdoor Recreation-Hickam Harbor. The movie (to be announced) will begin at 7:30 p.m. July 3. Camping registration is at the Hickam Harbor Marina and is not required to watch the movie. Camp setup starts at 4 p.m., and camp breakdown is at 9 a.m. on the next day. The cost for the site is \$30. There is no charge for the movie. FMI: 449-5215.

JBPHH Fourth of July Celebration will be held from 3 to 9:30 p.m. July 4 at Ward Field. This event is open to all military-affiliated personnel and their sponsored guests. The gate will have a 100 percent ID check. FMI: www. greatlifehawaii.com.



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JUNE

HEALTHY LIFESTYLE FESTIVAL

TODAY TO 29 — The Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange (NEX) and the Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA) will hold a healthy lifestyle festival for authorized patrons from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily at the NEX mall. The event will feature a farmers' market theme and will include a petting zoo, barbecue lunch and fresh produce sold by DeCA in the NEX courtyard. NEX will showcase and sell indigenous Hawaiian plants and a variety of local foods. FMI: 423-3287 or email Stephanie.Lau@nexweb.com.

FITNESS DEMONSTRATIONS

TODAY AND 29 —Naval Health Clinic Hawaii and Joint Base Morale, Welfare and Recreation will conduct body-fat analysis and demonstrate the Navy Operational Fueling and Fitness Series training from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. They will also be available to answer questions on health and exercise programs at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Fitness Center (JBPHH). FMI: 423-3287 or email Stephanie.Lau@nexweb.com.

ALL-HANDS CALL

30—Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPON) Mike Stevens is scheduled to conduct two all-hands calls at Sharkey Theater, JBPHH. The first session will be from 9 to 10 a.m. for E-5 and below. The second session will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for E-6 and above.

JULY

SUMMER FUN RUN

1 — The Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange (NEX) and the Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA) will hold a free two-mile summer fun run for authorized patrons beginning at 7 a.m. in the NEX parking lot. Applications for the run will be available and accepted at the NEX aloha center concierge desk. Participants can also sign up on the day of the event from 6:15 to 6:45 a.m. Refreshments will be available after the run. FMI: 423-3287 or email Stephanie.Lau@nexweb.com.

COMEDY IS THE CURE

1 — An all-hands substance abuse prevention and training event will be held from 8 to 9:30 a.m. and 10 to 11:30 a.m. at Sharkey Theater. The event, titled "Comedy is the Cure," will feature Bernie McGrenahan, a stand-up comedian with a substance abuse prevention message. The targeted audience for this training is E-5 and below although all hands are invited to attend. FMI: www.greatlifehawaii.com or call 474-1999.

BRAIN TRAINING PROGRAM

1, 2 — The Brain Institute of the Center for Brain Health at Uni-

versity of Texas at Dallas will hold free high performance brain training program sessions at the Navy College, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam. The event is sponsored by the Armed Services YMCA of Honolulu. Space is limited. Members of all branches of service may attend. Sessions for active duty E-8 and above will be held from 9 a.m. to noon on both days. Sessions for spouses of active duty will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. on both days. FMI: Anne Kornegger at 473-3398 or email anne@asymcahi.org.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

4 — A Fourth of July celebration will be held from 3 to 9:30 p.m. at Ward Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam. The event will include a fireworks display at 9 p.m. and special guests Dishwalla at 5 p.m. in concert and O.A.R. at 7:30 p.m. A performance and autograph session by Aaron Colton, street bike stunt rider will be held at 4:30 and 6:45 p.m. Other free activities include a petting zoo, batting cage, car show and trampoline/gymnastics demonstrations. FMI: www.greatlifehawaii.com.

HAWAII TRANSITION SUMMITS

8, 9 — Free transition summits and hiring fairs for military service members, veterans and military spouses in Hawaii will be held at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam. The events will feature an interactive forum and panel discussion beginning at 5 p.m. July 8 at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, including a networking reception at Club Pearl. In addition, a transition summit and hiring fair will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. July 9 at Club Pearl and the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Fitness Center. Transition summits will also be held at 5 p.m. July 7 at Schofield Barracks Nehelani Conference and Banquet Center, and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. July 8 at Schofield Barracks Martinez Physical Fitness Center. FMI: email hiringourheroes@uschamber.com or MFSCHawaii@navy.mil or call 474-1999.

STRESS MANAGEMENT

9, 11 — A stress management class will be held from 8 to 11 a.m. June 9 at Military and Family Support Center (MFSC) Pearl Harbor, and from 8 to 11 a.m. June 11 at MFSC Wahiawa. This class is designed to help participants learn how stress affects personal and professional lives, how stress can be decreased, and how the stress cycle can be interrupted. FMI: www.greatlifehawaii.com or 474-1999.

PEARL HARBOR COLORS

16 — The Pearl Harbor Colors ceremony from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at the Pearl Harbor Visitor Center will have the theme "Navy Youth Outreach programs." It will recognize military programs such as the U.S. Sea Cadets, JROTC and Drug Education for Youth, demonstrating the Navy's commitment to youth programs.



ALOHA (PG-13)

A down-on-his-luck military contractor is given the opportunity to return to the site of his greatest career triumphs in Hawaii. While he goes in hope of professional redemption, he also seeks closure with a long-ago love and must deal with unexpected feelings for his partner on the project, a promising young Air Force pilot. The movie was filmed, in part, at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

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SHARKEY THEATER

TODAY 6/26

7:00 PM San Andreas 3-D (PG-13)

SATURDAY 6/27

2:30 PM Aloha (PG-13) 5:00 PM Tomorrowland (PG)

7:30 PM San Andreas (PG-13)

SUNDAY 6/28

2:30 PM Tomorrowland (PG) 5:10 PM Poltergeist (3-D) (R)

7:00 PM Pitch Perfect 2 (PG-13)

THURSDAY 7/2
7:00 PM Aloha (PG-13)

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TODAY 6/26

6:00 PM Tomorrowland (PG-13)

SATURDAY 6/27

4:00 PM Hot Pursuit (PG-13) 7:00 PM Poltergeist (PG-13)

SUNDAY 6/28

2:00 PM Tomorrowland (PG-13)

THURSDAY 7/2

7:00 PM Poltergeist (PG-13)

Joint Base offers kid-friendly summer activities

Story and photo by Blair Martin

Staff Writer, Ho'okele

Summer is a great time for kids to explore a variety of indoor and outdoor recreational activities that they have not been able to experience during the school year. Morale, Welfare and Recreation at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH) offers an array of fun and safe options designed to keep children of all ages engaged and active throughout these hot summer months.

Here is a quick overview of possible options to keep kids occupied during their summer break.

JBPHH Arts and Crafts Center

Summer Crafts Camp: For those who are musically and artistically inclined, a camp that focuses on new creative projects will be held from now until July 31. The camp is held from 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesdays through Fridays at the JBPHH Arts and Crafts Center. For more information, call 448-9907, ext. 103 or visit www.greatlifehawaii.com.

Joint Base pool locations The hot summer months are always a good time for keiki to cool down in one of the five base pools available at JBPHH. All Joint Base pools are staffed by certified lifeguards during pool hours. Usage is free to all active duty military, Reservists, military retirees, Department of Defense civilian employees, their guests and all other authorized patrons. Each pool's daily hours of operation and a monthly schedule of various activities, including dine-in movies and swim lessons can be found at www.greatlifehawaii.com.

Here is a list of pools, their locations and contact information:

Hickam Pool 1 (Hickam side, next to Hickam Fitness Center),

Hickam Pool 2 (Hickam side, near Porter gate), 260-9736.



Charis Deremer Derry, art instructor, works with Sydney McAlexander, camper, on her craft project during a kids' summer craft camp at the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Arts and Crafts Center.

Scott Pool (Navy side, across from Bravo Pier), 473-0394.

Arizona Pool (Ford Island, near Nob Hill Housing area), 472-7582. Towers Pool (Big Makalapa housing area), 471-9723.

JBPHH Library

The base library offers an array of activities throughout the summer geared for young readers and military families.

year, the library is hosting "Read to the Rhythm" from now until July 28. Participants can earn prizes by completing reading goals and logging them during an allotted timeframe. For more information, call 449-8299 or visit www.greatlifehawaii.com.

JBPHH Teen Center

The JBPHH Teen Center is hosting a monthly "lock-in" event from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. on July 10 to 11. The fee for each person is Youth Sports office at 473-0789.

\$25 or \$20 with a canned food donation. The center will provide food, fun and games throughout the night. For more information, call 448-0418.

Sports summer camps

Basketball camp: This camp will run from June 29 to July 3 at the Bloch Arena Gym and for youth, ages 7 to 15 years old. The cost is \$100 Summer reading program: This per person. For more information, call the Youth Sports office at 473-0789.

> Tennis camp: There will be held from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. during three sessions that run from July 6 to 10, July 13 to 17, and July 20-24 at the Pearl Harbor Wentworth Tennis Pro Shop. The camp will be held for youth, ages 6 to 17 years old.

The cost is \$100 per person. For more information, call the



July 4 'shout-out' for all Sailors

Navy Office of **Community Outreach**

This Fourth of July, Navy Office of Community Outreach (NAVCO) is offering the opportunity to create and share short, recorded shout-outs (15-20 seconds) with a Navy key message for all Sailors to their families.

To participate, Sailors can call 1-855-OUR-NAVY (1-855-687-6289) and record their shoutouts before July 1 at

11:59 p.m. EST. Sailors who wish to participate should dial the number, wait for the 3-5 second pause after voice directions and record the message, using the times.

template, after the beep. Once they hang-up, the audio file will automatically be sent to names), Happy Fourth

it will be screened before being shared with radio media outlets in the Sailors' home town.

Below is a sample script. Sailors should tailor it to their command, area of responsibility, home town and family and deliver it with enthusiasm. Sailors should speak audibly and clearly.

"Hi, I'm Navy (rank) (full name) from (home town), (home state), and currently serving at (command) or aboard (ship and hull number).

"We are operating out of (duty station) or forward in the (AOR) and ready to defend America at all

"I want to wish my family, mother, father, spouse, children, etc., (specific NAVCO's email where of July! I love you!"

Defense Media Activity

The recent breach of the U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) personnel record systems potentially impacts 4 million federal employees and has been in the

In this digitally connected world, it's more important than ever to know how to protect yourself from online identity theft that can lead to someone using your Social Security number or other personal information to open new accounts, make purchases or get a tax re-

Here are five things you can do to protect yourself:

• Check your account information. Monitor it regularly and report immediately any suspicious or

nancial institution.

• Keep an eye on your credit report. Request a free credit report at www.AnnualCreditReport.com or by calling 1-877-322-8228. Consumers are entitled by law to one free credit report per year from each of the three major credit bureaus — EquifaxR, ExperianR, and TransUnionR —for a total of three reports every year. Contact information for the credit bureaus can be found on the Federal Trade variation in spelling or a different Commission (FTC) website, domain (e.g., .com vs. .net). www.ftc.gov.

information. Be suspicious of unso- traveling it's important to only licited phone calls, visits or email take what you need. Lock your walmessages from individuals asking let or purse in a safe place at work about you, your employees, your and limit what you carry with you. colleagues or any other internal in- When you go out, take only the formation. If an unknown individ- identification, credit and debit unusual activity to your bank or fi- ual claims to be from a legitimate cards you need.

• Stay vigilant online. Do not reveal personal or financial information in email, and do not respond to email solicitations for this information. This includes following links sent in email. Pay attention to the URL of a website. Malicious websites may look identical to a legitimate site, but the URL may use a

• Keep your documents in a safe Verify who is asking for your place. At home and when you are

Preventing identity theft: Things you need to know

organization, try to verify his or her identity directly with the com-