

Chafee Bulldawgs win to raise perfect record to 6-0

Story and photo by Randy Dela Cruz

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Down early by a score of 7-0, USS Chafee (DDG 90) Bulldawgs rebounded to overtake USS Hopper (DDG 70) Spartans, 15-7, and gain their sixth straight win of the season on Oct. 25 in an Afloat Division intramural flag football game at Ward Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

After struggling on offense, the Bulldawgs got back into the game on the heels of a tight defense that recorded three picks to spark the come-from-behind

Chafee remains as the only team in the Afloat Division with an undefeated record of 6-0, while the Spartans dropped their third game against four

"We knew our defense was going to have our backs the whole time," said Chafee quarterback Boatswain's Mate 3rd Class Cole Swanson. "They came up with huge plays and capitalized on a lot of mistakes the other team

Facing an uphill climb early in the game, the Bulldawgs defense went to work and stopped the next two Spartan drives on interceptions by Engineman 1st Class Curtis Kimber and Seaman Daivontae Lumpkin.

Lumpkin's pick gave the Bulldawgs great field position at the Spartans 18-yard line and on the first play from scrimmage, Swanson connected with Logistics Specialist Seaman Recruit Tyron Davis in the back of the end zone for the team's first touchdown of the game.

Chafee went on to convert their two-point-conversion attempt to take a 8-7 lead that stood through halftime.

the Spartans looked like they were about to duplicate their game-opening-scoring drive, Conwell drove Hopper from



Coming out of intermission, Seaman Daivontae Lumpkin zeros in on his first of two interceptions.

when quarterback Sonar Technitheir own 15 down to the Chafee goal, Conwell's throw to the end cian (Surface) 3rd Class Austin eight-yard line on 10 plays.

However, facing third and to stop the drive. zone was picked off by Lumpkin the quarterback, but I saw him

"Normally, I don't even look at

look at him (receiver)," Lumpkin said. "So I just broke on the ball and caught it."

After the teams exchanged possessions on downs, Chafee, with time running down, put the icing on the cake by driving the ball 44 yards on seven plays for a touchdown

Once again, Davis was on the receiving end of the scoring pass that covered seven yards and led to the final score of 15-7.

"If a play breaks down, they (receivers) just go to the open space," Swanson said. "Davis found a great place where the safeties were split up in back of the end zone. I saw him, threw it to him and he made a great

While Lumpkin's two interceptions might have been the difference in the game, the Chafee defensive back downplayed his heroics and stated that the win was a team effort.

"It's a whole team movement," he acknowledged. "We got to take it as a team and think of the game as 0-0. We take the half like it's supposed to be the first half and just continue to play through it."

Although the team is one of a few remaining squads on base with an unbeaten record, Lumpkin said that neither he nor his teammates are feeling the pres-

In fact, he said that after all the hard work they do on the ship, playing football is a walk in the park.

"We go through so much pressure just being on the ship, so when we come out here, this is like a stress reliever," he noted. "For a lot of us, this is something to get us together to be more tight as a team. Every time we practice, we make it fun."

Swanson added that as long as the team takes things one game at a time, the pressure of maintaining the perfect record shouldn't be a factor.

"We got a lot of good players," he pointed out. "We just got to put the right people in the right

Sidelined Lady Paniolos open door for Wahine Koa

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The old saying in sports is, "In order to be the champs, you've got to beat the champs," but the cliché doesn't apply when the defending champions and past-season leaders are forced out of the league title

The much anticipated showdown between the unbeaten Lady Paniolos and former league powerhouse Wahine Koa never materialized after Ohana Sports Alliance officials took the Lady Ps out of the title matchup after it was determined that the team used an ineligible player in its 31-0 semifinal victory over the Wardawgs.

The forfeit made for an anticlimactic finish as the Wahine Koa, behind strong support from active-duty Navy personnel, easily dispatched the Wardawgs, 19-0, to win their fourth championship in five years.

Both the Wardawgs and Wahine Koa are a mixture of civilians and active-duty military or armed forces family members.

"We've spent countless hours of trying to come up with something to stop that team (Lady Paniolos)," said Wahine Koa head coach August Young. "That (Lady Paniolos) is who we wanted. Unfortunately, rules, bylaws and regulations go the



Corpsman 2nd Class Adriana Tirado-Young, Naval Operational Support Center, is about to haul in a bomb from quarterback Crytologic Technician (Technical) 2nd Class Michelle Dannenberger, Navy Information Operations Command (NIOC) Hawaii.

board member Richard Fikani said that the Lady Paniolos used a player who wasn't on their roster during the team's win over Wardawgs.

Once the investigation was completed, Fikani said that the league had no choice but to slap the Lady Ps with a forfeit and advance the Wardawgs to the title game.

"Basically, there was a violation in the rules," Fikani stated. "Players are supposed to be reported prior to the start of any game. The

Ohana Sports Alliance the time they played the ing a degame. According to the rulebook, the team with the ineligible player, if they're winning the game, the score changes to the other team winning 8-0. That's what happened.

> Although the Lady Paniolos appealed the sanction, Fikani said that by a majority vote of all of the league's coaches, the Lady Ps forfeit was upheld.

With the Lady Paniolos ouster looming over the championship game, the Wahine Koa took full advantage of the situation and player was not eligible at had no trouble in dispatch- Dannenberger, Navy Infor- quarterback. (I told her) just man in the whole world."

mation Operations Com- identify what mand (NIOC) Hawaii.

In the second half, Dannenberger went to the air and delivered two passes for touchdowns to seal the

The first scoring pass came on a 21-yard completion to Dee Hawkins, who is the wife of former Koa offensive coordination Lt. j.g. Gennaro Hawkins.

Then after an interception by

Wahine Koa safety Gas Turbine System Technician (Mechanical) 2nd Class Shaluan Douglas, USS Chafee (DDG 90), Dannenberg went back to work and pitched a scoring toss to Hospital Corpsman

2nd Class Adriana Tirado-Young, Naval Operation Support Center, the final score.

"I just told them to play their game," said current Koa offensive coordinator Gas Turbine System (Mechanical) 2nd Class John Lennon about the team's in-

creased offensive

production in the Crytologic Technician (Tech-second half. "Tree (Dannen-

the defense is doing and throw between them."

Wardawgs head coach Hospital Corpsman 2nd Class Arthur Manning, 3rd Marine Regiment, said that while his team gave 100 percent, the lack of reserve players eventually took its toll.

We lost a lot of girls to injuries, PCS and everything like that," he explained. "It's a bad situation that the team that should be here is not here, but our name was called and we stepped up to it. We picked up the fight but came out on the losing end.'

Despite the cloud that hung over the championship game, Young said that the win takes nothing away from the great job turned in by his team and coaching

Young, who is headed for Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton with his wife Adriana, leaves a legacy that set the precedence for women's flag football in Hawaii with four championship titles that included a three-peat.

But before the Youngs depart, the family will celebrate another milestone with Adriana getting commissioned aboard the Battleship Missouri Memorial in December.

The whole thing has been a great experience," he said. "I believe, regardless of nical) 2nd Class Michelle berger) is a pretty awesome dollar wise, I am the richest

Weather Squadron tops Bushmasters for second straight win

pleted War-

dawgs squad

in Honolulu.

on an

eight-yard

on Oct. 26 at

Keehi Lagoon Park

After both teams

exchanged the ball

on downs to start the

game, the Koa struck

for their first score

run by quarterback

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The 17th Operational Weather Squadron (17 OWS) picked up a touchdown early in the first half and then let their defense go work to earn a 6-0 win over the 25th Air Support Operation Squadron (25) ASOS) Bushmasters on Oct. 28 in a Red Division intramural flag football at Ward Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

The victory was the second in a row for the 17 OWS, which started off the season at 1-5, but are moving up the standings with a record

"We're going," said 17 OWS quarterback Senior Airman Stephen Edwards. "It's all about getting on the same

While the 17 OWS are beginning to turn things around, the hardluck season for the Bushmasters continues on as the team dropped its sixth game against only a single

"A lot of our losses this year have been really good games that were close," said Capt. Christopher Curtis, quarterback of the Bush-

masters. "It's just those little things, like missed opportunities. If you take the opportunities you have and capitalize on them, you're going to win games. We're not capitalizing on those opportunities.

With the Bushmasters competing with one player short of a starting seven, the 17 OWS used that to their advantage and camped out on the 25's side of the field for most of the opening minutes.

The team advanced from its own 40 to the 25 ASOS seven-yard line on its first possession, but Edwards was picked off in the end zone to end the threat.

However, on the Bushmasters' second play from scrimmage, Edwards put the 17 OWS back in good field position by coming up streak, so we want to keep that with an interception of his own to set his team up at the 25 ASOS 17-

A tough defensive stand by the Bushmasters pushed the 17 OWS all the way back to the 36 to force a punt on fourth down.

Curtis rushed for 28 yards on second down to put the ball on the 36, but with three minutes remaining before halftime, the Bushmasters QB was picked off by 17 OWS defensive back Senior Airman Matthew Lisiac, who ran the ball back to the 34-yard line.



Senior Airman Stephen Edwards rushes for short gain during an intramural flag football Red Division game.

Nine plays later, with the ball the 17 OWS 15-yard line. resting on the Bushmasters one. Edwards connected with Senior Airman Johnny McGuire for the game's only score.

The Bushmasters did mount one serious drive in the second half by moving the ball all the way down to

With time running out, Curtis went to the end zone on four straight passes but could not connect and was forced to turn the ball over to the 17 OWS with only two minutes remaining on the clock.

"I think we definitely should having fun."

have run the ball more," said Curtis following the team's sixth defeat. "I just have a lot of confidence in my throwing. We had some open receivers and good opportunities. We just didn't connect on it."

After getting the lead, Edwards said that the 17 OWS used the clock to their advantage and adjusted their coverage as the seconds wound down.

Once the Bushmasters were forced to use the Hail Mary, Edwards said that 17 OWS just went into a prevent defense to secure the win.

"We usually just run a zone," he explained. "Then we pretty much ran man (coverage) and finally pre-

For the Bushmasters, Curtis said that despite the team's struggles this season, no one on the squad is ready to throw in the towel.

While he admits that the playoffs may be out of reach, he said that the team is committed to compete on every down.

"We're all competitive by nature," he said.

"The season hasn't gone as planned, but it hasn't discouraged us. We know we're not fighting for a championship, but now we're just

515 AMOW hosts its first annual haunted house attraction at JBPHH

Kristine Hojnicki

515th Air Mobility Operations Wing Public Affairs

Nearly 400 people in the Halloween spirit braved the spooks and scares of the 515th Air Mobility Operations Wing's first annual haunted house held Oct. 24-25 at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

Located at the wing's headquarters on Vickers Avenue, the haunted house featured, among many frights, live-action clowns, zombies and monsters; an electric chair and graveyard displays; a terror filled hospital ward; and a creepy elevator freight Modified tours were available from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. daily for children under the age of 12 who wanted to experience a less intense version of the haunted house.

Approximately 55 volunteers spent an estimated 1,000 off-duty hours over the last six months putting together plans and installing



Photo courtesy of 515th Air Mobility Operations Wing The 515th Air Mobility Operations Wing's first annual haunted house held Oct. 24-25 took

place at the wing's headquarters. the different "scare" compo-

nents of the attraction's

experience. thankful for all of the sup- Sergeant Bill Vanek, booster come."

port we received from the club president. "We've had joint base community. I could nothing but positive feednot be more proud of the "This was a hugely sucteam and how this event cessful event and we're came together," said Tech.

back from all the attendees and hope to make this a tradition for many years to

Free Veterans Day barbecue to be held Nov. 11

A free Veterans Day sizzling barbecue will be held from noon to 4 p.m. Nov. 11 at Hickam Harbor, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

The event is a partnership between joint base Morale, Welfare and Recreation and Cooks from the Valley. Cooks from the Valley are a group of people who donate their time and money to grill steaks for servicemen and women.

In honor of Veterans Day, the event will include a barbecue lunch including steak and "fixins" on the side, bottled water, sponsors and prize drawings, beach activities and demonstrations and entertainment from military service bands.

Additional beverages will be available for purchase at Sam Choy's Island Style Seafood Grille.

Free parking will be available within walking dis-

tance of the event.

The meal is open to military affiliated personnel. No glass items or pets are allowed at the site.

About 20-25 volunteers are being sought to help support the cooks. For more information about volunteering, email Lesly.Johnson@navy.mil or call 473-2570.

For more information on the event, visit www.greatlifehawaii.com.



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Live the Great Life

Thanksgiving made easy with restaurants on base

Reid Tokeshi

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Two restaurants at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam are offering options to ease the stress that sometimes comes with the Thanksgiving celebration.

Joint Base Catering at the Historic Hickam Officers' Club will hold its annual Thanksgiving Day lunch buffet featuring traditional menu items.

Three seating times are available to choose from—on the lanai at 11 a.m. or 2 p.m. and in the air-conditioned dining room at noon.

Prices are \$31.95 for adults, \$17.95 for children ages 7 to 12, \$11.50 for kids ages 4 to 6. Children 3 years and under are admitted free. Reservations are required and will be taken beginning Monday. For more information, call 448-

Sam Choy's Island Style Seafood Grille offers a twist on the Thanksgiving buffet with a menu featuring items beyond the traditional. Diners can



MWR Marketing photo

Two restaurants at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam are offering Thanksgiving options.

take in the backdrop of Thanksgiving celebration at Hickam Beach as they choose from a menu featuring not just turkey, but also salmon, pasta salad and oven-roasted pork

The special buffet is open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., making it an option for lunch or dinner. Prices are \$29.95 for adults and \$14.95 for children ages 6 to 12. Children ages 5 and under are admitted free. Reservations are being taken

For more information, call 422-3002.

home, Joint Base Catering can help with their Thanksgiving turkey to-go. For \$130, customers get a ready-made meal for six to eight people. The package includes a 10-to-12 pound turkey, stuffing, gravy, dinner rolls, cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie. Customers can pick up the package from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Thanksgiving morning at Wright Brothers. Reservations for the to-go deal will be accepted beginning

For more information, call For those who prefer a the catering office at 448-4608.



Bowlers can begin earning entries Nov. 7 at Hickam Bowling Center.

Bowlers have chance to win Thanksgiving turkeys

Helen Ko

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Bowling fans have an opportunity to win their Thanksgiving dinner with this year's annual turkey roll held at the Hickam Bowling Center.

From Nov. 7 to 21, customers who bowl a game at the Hickam Bowling Center and bowl a game during open bowling can enter the turkey roll contest. Four winners will receive an uncooked Thanksgiving turkey just in time for the holiday. There is a limit of one turkey per family or individual.

Open bowling is Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The winners will be announced at 9 a.m. Nov. 22 and will be contacted to pick up their turkey by Nov. 24.

Patrons can receive one entry per person for each game bowled. If they bowl three games, they can get a fourth entry free. This contest is valid only at the Hickam Bowling Center. It is open to active duty, their family members ages 10 years and older, retirees and Department of Defense civilians.

For more information, visit the Hickam Bowling Center, www.greatlifehawaii.com, or call 448-

Your Weekly Fun with MWR

Halloween Costume Parties for children ages 12 years and under will be held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. today at the Hickam Bowling Center and the Naval Station Bowling Center. There will be free punch and cookies for participants. FMI: 448-9959, 473-2574.

"Trunk-or-Treat" will be held from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. today at Hickam Harbor. Patrons can join in this free event by "spooking up" the trunks of their vehicles and providing treats for kids. Preregistration is required at the Outdoor Recreation-Hickam Harbor office. FMI: 449-5215.

Halloween Bowling Party will be held from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. today at The Escape Bowling Center (Wahiawa Annex). Treats will be available for patrons. FMI: 473-2651.

Halloween Night will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. today at Sam Choy's Island Style Seafood Grille & Hapa Bar. There will be entertainment, dancing, costume contests and all-night specials. Patrons must be 21 years and over. There is no cover charge. FMI: 422-3002.

"Nightmare on McChord Street, Part II" Teen Center Lock-In will be held from 8 p.m. today to 7 a.m. tomorrow at the Hickam Teen Center for youth ages 13 to 18 years old. There will be scary games and a costume contest. Teens need to have a current registration form on file in order to attend. The cost is \$25 or \$20 with a canned food donation. FMI: 448-0418.

Halloween Costume Party will begin at 11:30 p.m. today at The Country Bar. Registration for Visit www.greatlifehawaii.com or subscribe to MWR's digital magazine Great Life Hawaii.

this free event will begin at 11 p.m. Prizes will be given for best male costume, best female costume and best overall couple. FMI: 473-

Machine Quilting: Christmas Tree Skirt and Table Runner class will be held from 9 a.m. to noon every Saturday from Nov. 1 through Nov. 29 at the Hickam Arts & Crafts Center. Students can learn how to cut fabric and assemble the pattern while learning quilting tips. Tuition is \$100. FMI: 448-9907.

Sunday Brunch will be offered from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Nov. 2 at Sam Choy's Island Style Seafood Grille. The new Sunday brunch menu now includes traditional favorites, as well as appetizers, soup and sal-

ads, and lunch entrees. FMI: 422-3002.

Sunday Family Bowling Day will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Nov. 2 at Naval Station Bowling Center. Families will get one pepperoni pizza, one game of bowling and rental shoes for a family of four for \$25. FMI: 473-

Stretching and Core class will be held from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. every Tuesday and Thursday starting Nov. 4 at the Hickam Channel Pathway. DumBell Fitness will conduct a 60-minute class that utilizes a form of body conditioning designed to lengthen, strengthen and sculpt muscles. Attendees should bring a yoga mat and water to class. The fee is \$5 per class. FMI:

OCTOBER

TODAY — Halloween night trick or treating hours at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam will be from 6 to 8 p.m. In addition, there will be free X-ray screening of candy inside joint base Air Mobility Command (AMC) Passenger Terminal from 6 to 10 p.m. to make sure there aren't any hidden tricks inside the treats. FMI: 449-6833, option 7.

AMOW HAUNTED HOUSE

TODAY — The 515 Air Mobility Operations Wing (AMOW) Booster Club will conduct its first haunted house fundraiser at building 1050 on Vickers Avenue from 8:30 to midnight.

COMBINED FEDERAL CAMPAIGN

NOW—The 2014 Hawaii-Pacific Area Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) deadline has been extended to Nov. 14. The CFC is the annual fund-raising drive conducted by federal employees in their workplace. The mission of the CFC is to encourage philanthropy and to provide all federal employees the opportunity to improve the quality of life for all. FMI: www.cfc-hawaii.org.

LANE CLOSURES ANNOUNCED

NOW — The outbound lane of Kuntz Gate is closed through Dec. 3 for repaying. Motorists should obey all lane closure signs and traffic cones, which will be posted throughout the repair work. Large trucks exiting the base should use O'Malley Gate.

A-OK PROGRAM

NOW — The Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange is giving back to students with good grades through the A-OK Program. Patrons can bring their child's most recent report card to the NEX to register for the program to receive monetary awards. Patrons can visit the aloha center in the NEX rotunda for details.

NOVEMBER

BLOOD DRIVES

Currently scheduled Tripler Army Medical Center blood drives include:

• Nov. 3 and 4, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., 3rd Radio Battalion, Marine Corps Base Hawaii.

FMI: 433-6699 or 433-6148 or michelle.lele@amedd.army.mil.

ACING THE INTERVIEW

6 — A workshop titled "Acing the Interview" will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. at Military and Family Support Center Hickam. The event will include information on what to bring for a job interview, various interview formats, and how to prepare to ask and answer questions effectively. FMI: 474-1999 or www.greatlifehawaii.com.

ARBOR DAY CEREMONY

7 — Hickam Communities and Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam will hold an Arbor Day ceremony beginning at 9 a.m. on 11th Street, Hale Na Koa Village. The event will include a tree planting ceremony, symbolizing commitment to making neighborhoods and the world a greener and healthier place. FMI: 423-2300 or www.hickamcommunities.com.

MAKAHIKI CELEBRATION

8 — Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam and Navy Region Hawaii will celebrate Kapuaikaula Makahiki starting at 9 a.m. at Hickam Harbor Beach. Military and civilian personnel, their families and sponsored guests are invited to observe the free celebration, an ancient Hawaiian festival known as a "Hawaiian Thanksgiving." FMI: Tom Clements, Navy Region Hawaii environmental public affairs office, at 473-0662, or Patty Colemon, Navy Region Hawaii environmental outreach coordinator at 473-0369.

MEET DOC MCSTUFFINS, OLAF

8, 15 — Doc McStuffins will make an appearance on Nov. 8 at the Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange and Olaf will be in attendance Nov. 15 at NEX. Both events will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Authorized patrons can meet the popular children's character and enter prize giveaways. FMI: 423-3287.

WITH THEIR VOICES RAISED

FREE VETERANS DAY BARBECUE

11 — In honor of Veterans Day, a free barbecue will be held from noon to 4 p.m. at Hickam Harbor. The event will include steaks and bottled water. In addition, the event will include prize drawings, beach activities and entertainment by military bands. The event is open to military affiliated personnel. FMI: www.greatlifehawaii.com.

FAMILY ALOHA ORIENTATION

13 — A family aloha orientation informational fair for Navy and Air Force military families new to the islands will be held from 8 a.m. to noon at Military and Family Support Center Moanalua Services Center. The event will include representatives from Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange, Information, Tickets and Travel, JEMS, Tricare and other programs. FMI: 474-1999 or www.greatlifehawaii.com.



INTERSTELLAR (PG-13)

With our time on Earth coming to an end, a team of explorers undertakes the most important mission in human history; traveling beyond this galaxy to discover whether mankind has a future among the stars.

SHARKEY THEATER

TODAY 10/31

7:00 p.m. A Walk Among the Tombstones (R)

SATURDAY 11/01

4:00 p.m. Advanced screening of Interstellar (PG-13)
Admission is free to the first 400 authorized patrons. Tickets will be distributed at 2:30 p.m. at the theater ticket booth.
Active-duty military ID cardholders can receive up to four tickets. Military family members, retirees and DoD cardholders can receive up to two tickets per ID card. FMI: 473-0726.

7:30 p.m. The Maze Runner (PG-13)

SUNDAY 11/02

2:30 p.m. The Boxtrolls (3D) (PG) 4:40 p.m. Dolphin Tale 2 (PG) 7:00 p.m. This Is Where I Leave You (R)

THURSDAY 11/06 7:00 p.m. Annabelle (R) HICKAM MEMORIAL THEATER

NOT AVAILABLE AT PRESS TIME

JBPHH Pumpkin Patrol helps keiki stay safe

Sr. Airman **Christopher Stoltz**

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Public Affairs

Children are four times more likely to be injured or killed by a vehicle on Halloween, compared to the rest of the year, according to a recent study from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. This is why the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH) Pumpkin Patrol, led by JBPHH Security Forces, plays a critical role in the community.

Created more than 10 patrol program was devel-

oped by the JBPHH Security helping provide a safe trick-forming people and redirect-pering before eating them. far edge of the road facing safety of the children out "trick-or-treating" in installation housing. Every year, security forces units, along with volunteers, cover multiple areas deemed "high traffic." This includes: Makalapa compound housing, Hickam housing and Ford Island officer, senior enlisted and junior enlisted housing.

The annual pumpkin patrol is an amazing effort by our joint base security department," said Chief Master Sgt. Charles Orf, 647th Air Base Group superintendent. "The depart-

Department to ensure the or-treat environment for our children."

> Orf said a part of the environment on base that many do not think about is base housing.

> "Some of the areas in the base housing are pretty crowded," he said. "Many of the areas in between the homes and the roads that often go between the housing units aren't the most welllit. This makes it harder to see parents and their children at night, especially if they are wearing darker costumes.

"Having the extra patrol years ago, the local pumpkin ment and the additional members helps alleviate volunteers do a great job of some of these issues by in-

ing them to a safer path, along with keeping an eye out for motor vehicles," Orf

One way to stay safe this Halloween is to follow the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention "safe Halloween" tips:

- Swords, knives and other costume accessories should be short, soft and flex-
- alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult.
- Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers see vou.
- Examine all treats for choking hazards and tam-

Limit the amount of treats vou eat.

- Hold a flashlight while see and others see you. Always walk and don't run from house to house.
- Always test makeup in a small area first. Remove it before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irrita-
- Look both ways before Avoid trick-or-treating crossing the street. Use established crosswalks wherever possible.
 - Lower your risk for serious eye injury by not wearing decorative contact lenses.
 - Only walk on sidewalks whenever possible or on the Halloween.

traffic to stay safe.

- Wear well-fitting masks, costumes and shoes to avoid trick-or-treating to help you blocked vision, trips and
 - Eat only factory-wrapped treats. Avoid eating homemade treats made by strangers.
 - Enter homes only if you are with a trusted adult. Only visit well-lit houses. Never accept rides from
 - Never walk near lit candles or luminaries. Be sure to wear flame-resistant costumes.

For more information, visit www.cdc.gov/family/

Chapel hosts Harvest Festival with dinner, games, costumes

Pearl Harbor Memorial Chapel at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam held a Harvest Festival on Oct. 24. The free event featured a Hawaiian-style dinner, carnival type games, kids' crafts, bounce house, an inflatable obstacle course and a puppet show. The event featured trick-ortreating and kids wore their costumes. Chapel volunteers staffed the activities.

U.S. Navy photos by Capt. Mark Manfredi





AAFES Exchange rewards students with You Made the Grade program

Army & Air Force Exchange Service Public Affairs

Military students can turn good grades into rewards with the Army & Air Force Exchange Service's You Made the Grade program. From first-graders to high school seniors, pupils who maintain a B average or higher are eligible for the program that recognizes academic excellence.



The You Made the Grade program rewards military students with a coupon booklet with free offers and discounts. Those who make

the grade will also receive students who make it their nizes these students' chal-report card. coupons for a free 16-ounce drink, a complimentary hot dog and more.

Other offers include clothing, shoe and gift card discounts. Students with a B average or better can also enter the You Made the Grade semiannual sweepstakes to receive gift cards worth \$2,000, \$1,500 or

"The Hawaii Exchange is proud to reward military Hawaii Exchange recog- booklet for each qualifying exchange.com.

mission to do well in school," said Floyd Wynn, Hawaii Exchange general manager.

"Service members' children face unique challenges inside and outside the classroom," he said, noting MilitaryFamily.org reports that most military children will Schofield Barracks Ex- about the You Made the attend nine different schools from kindergarten through 12th grade. "The can pick up one coupon visit http://www.shopmy

lenges, and they deserve to be rewarded," Wynn said.

Students, including those who are home schooled, can receive a You Made the Grade coupon booklet by presenting a valid military I.D. and proof of an overall B average at the Hickam or change customer service department. Eligible students

Entries for the gift card sweepstakes drawing can be submitted twice a year with drawings typically held in June and December.

Students and guardians can visit the Hickam or Schofield Exchange locations for more information Grade program.

For more information,

2014 Navy League Sea Service Awards recipients to be honored

The Honolulu Council Navy League will host an awards luncheon for the 2014 Navy League Sea Service Award recipients from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Nov. 14 at the Ala Moana Hotel Hibiscus Ballroom.

Recipients were nominated by their commands and selected by their major commands.

The Navy League will announce the grand award recipients at the luncheon. Invitations will be sent to all award recipients at their duty station address. Call the Navy League at 422-9404 by Nov. 10 to RSVP or to purchase tickets. Winners will receive tickets for themselves and one guest.

Tickets cost \$40 per person for all others. Payments for purchased

tickets can be made in cash on the day of the luncheon.
Uniform for Navy personnel will be summer whites for E-7 and above and Navy Service Uniform for E-6 and below, blue delta for Marine Corps personnel and tropical blue for Coast Guard personnel.

For more information about the awards, contact Lt. j.g. Eric Galassi at 473-0660 or eric.galassi@navy.mil or Tiffany Guillermo of the Honolulu Council Navy League at tguillermo@honolulunavyleague.org.

Clinic to be closed Nov. 7

All Naval Health Hawaii operations will be closed on Nov. 7.

This includes all medical and dental facilities at Branch Health Clinics Makalapa, Camp Smith, Wahiawa, Marine Corps Base Hawaii Kaneohe Bay and Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard. Providers will be attending required training to ensure delivery of the best and most current patient care.

Beneficiaries are asked to take this into consideration when scheduling care. All routine care should be planned prior to or after Nov. 7. This includes appointment scheduling, prescription refills, laboratory

All clinics will re-open for regular business hours on Nov. 10. For NHCH hours of operation, visit the website at http://www.med.navy.mil/sites/nhch.

Beneficiaries can speak to a health care provider at any time the clinics are closed by calling the tollfree "Nurse Advice Line" at 1-800-874-2273, ext. 1. For emergencies, dial 911 or go to Tripler Army Medical Center. For active duty dental emergencies, dial (808) 864-4705.

Naval Health Clinic Hawaii is online

Naval Health Clinic Hawaii (NHCH) now offers its enrolled beneficiaries a way to connect with their medical home port team through NHCH Online powered by RelayHealth. Relay-Health is a web-based service in which providers and patients can securely communicate online. Patients can still call the clinic or come in for a face-toface visit.

The RelayHealth service is designed to be safe, secure and confidential. This is a service purchased by Navy Medicine to communicate with service members and families who are enrolled to NHCH for their care. According to clinic officials, the service is as easy to use as e-mail but incorporates stronger security measures that ensure privacy.

Visit http://ow.ly/DxMU1 to register for NHCH Online. For more information about registration, call the toll-free RelayHealth customer support line at 1-866-RELAYME (1-866-735-2963).



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Things Sailors need to know about online security

U.S. Fleet Cyber Command/U.S. 10th Fleet Public Affairs

FORT MEADE, Md. (NNS)—There has been a steady stream of reporting on criminal and other malevolent cyber actors who seek information using hoax emails, also known as phishing, to gain access to finances or other sensitive information.

Safety and security are always the highest priority for the Navy and, therefore, the recent reports on social media risks and new or recycled phishing scams do not necessarily mean there is an increased threat. The Navy, however, can never let its guard down.

Private, personal and sensitive information could become available to adversaries or criminals via social media or phishing if service members and their families do not practice operations security (OPSEC).

To avoid disclosing private, banking, and other sensitive information publicly via social media, Sailors should keep in mind the following five things:

- Sailors and their families should never share anything online they would
- not tell directly to the enemy.

 Never post private or personal infor-
- Assume any information shared electronically will be made public.

Phishing scams tend to have common characteristics that make them easy to

- Spelling and punctuation errors.
- Scare tactics to entice a target to provide personal information or follow links.
- Sensational subject lines to entice targets to click on attached links or provide personal information.
- ersonal information.

 They include a redirect to malicious http://ow.ly/DAvrZ

URL's which require you input usernames and passwords to access.

- They try to appear genuine by using legitimate operational terms, key words and accurate personal information.
- They are from a fake or unknown sender

When in doubt about a suspicious email from a supposed bank, Sailors and their families should contact their financial institutions or check with the command information assurance (IA) lead. The command IA can also assist with other types of suspicious email.

The Naval OPSEC Support Team, part of Navy Information Operations Command Norfolk, highlights "Knowledge is power—for both you and the adversary," and advises:

- Understand the value of information.
 Be suspicious of unsolicited phone
- Be suspicious of unsolicited phone calls, online requests or emails.
- Sailors should be suspicious when information about them and their families are requested.
- Always ask, do they have the "need to know?"

Ensure OPSEC is a way of life, 24/7/365. Navy leaders should remind Sailors and their families to assess how they use social media with OPSEC in mind — and the need to best protect themselves, their loved ones, and all with whom they serve.

It is everyone's responsibility help keep Sailors, civilians, and families safe by not sharing personal or sensitive military information in email or in any online environment.

For more information, and for links to OPSEC review materials, visit Naval OPSEC Support Team's website at: http://ow.ly/DAvrZ