

# Life & Leisure

## JBP HH hosts Hawaii Special Olympics

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Military service members from across Oahu joined a total force of more than 1,800 volunteers participating in the bi-annual Special Olympics held Nov. 21 through 23 at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

More than 12,000 athletes, family members and coaches from various parts of Oahu and neighboring islands of Maui, Molokai, Kauai, Lanai and Hawaii's Big Island attended the events.

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam and Marine Corps Base Kaneohe Bay held and sponsored this year's games of bowling, bocce and basketball.

"I have been doing [Special Olympics] on this base for 10 years. To me this is my way of giving back," said Melissa Miller, volunteer lead.

"I want our people to be

able to see these athletes as an athlete, not as somebody who has a physical or mental handicap."

The Holiday Classic event marks the end of the season for the athletes and is one of the two largest game competitions held during the year.

"Today was day one of the two-day winter classics for Special Olympics Hawaii," said Air Force Maj. Chandra Pasillas, attached to the 613th Air and Space Operation Center (AOC). "Every year there is a state competition with all the islands together who have come forward to Oahu."

Miller stated that support and backing of the military bases has provided an example for corporations in the community and other military bases in hopes of support in future games.

"I think it's a great community cooperation," said Pasillas, who began her volunteering work in 2004 while stationed in Germany. "For multiple decades the military has come together with the local com-

munities. I think it shows that military is more about supporting the community and that we care and want to be an active part of it."

Pasillas said that people who may not know about Special Olympics or may be nervous about working with people with a disability should know that it is a great volunteer opportunity. Organizers are always looking for people to work one-on-one with the athletes or just assist in preparations, cleanups and handling of awards, Pasillas added.

The non-profit group was established in 1968 to provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities.

The goal is to give them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.



# Medical Group clinches Blue Division championship

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The 15th Medical Group (15 MDG) ended their regular season by beating Naval Health Clinic Hawaii – DDS, 12-7, on Nov. 20 to clinch the Blue Division intramural flag football championship at Ward Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

Clinging to a five-point lead late in the game, the 15 MDG locked down the victory when Airman 1st Class Christopher McCloud intercepted a pass with less than two minutes remaining in the contest.

The win secured the Medical Group's place at the top of the division with a record of 9-1 and clinches the Blue's number-one seed going into the playoffs, which are scheduled for Dec. 13-15.

NHCH-DDS has one more game to play in the regular season, but since the team's record stands at 3-6, it won't be advancing to the post-season where only the top four teams from each of the four divisions qualify.

"I knew that he (NHCH quarterback Hospitalman Jarvis Tavares-Somildam) was going to check down to the lineman," McCloud said about his game-saving interception. "So what I did was I tried to bait him like I was going to rush and then try to pull back. I couldn't get my two hands on it, so I batted it up until I could come down with it. We knew we needed a stop, so it was a crucial one."

At first, the game appeared to have the makings of a shootout as both teams were able to take it all the way on their opening possessions.

Starting from their own 15, NHCH-DDS drew first blood by going on a 65-yard march to the end zone on nine plays.

The final 10 yards were covered on a scoring pass from Tavares-Somildam to Hospitalman Daniel Harper for a 6-0 lead.

NHCH-DDS converted their point after touchdown to go out in front at 7-0.

Going back the other way, the 15 MDG answered the call on an impressive drive to pay dirt that took



Airman 1st Class Christopher McCloud reaches up for an interception.

only four plays to cover 65 yards.

Medical Group quarterback Tech. Sgt. Tommy Hazlewood started off the drive with a 13-yard gain on a pass to McCloud.

Hazlewood then found Senior Airman Chris Bowlds for 11 yards before keeping it on the ground for a 12-yard pickup to the NHCH-DDS 31-yard line.

Then on the very next play, Hazlewood went back to air and connected with Bowlds for a touchdown to make it 7-6, which stood through halftime.

In the second half, the 15 MDG started off by moving the ball deep into NHCH-DDS territory on only two plays to set up first and goal at the eight-yard line.

Hazlewood got the ball down to the two and then on third and goal-to-goal, the 15 MDG quarterback took it in himself to give his team its first lead of the game at 12-7.

With only four minutes remaining in the game, NHCH-DDS got one final attempt from their own 13 to pull out a victory.

Tavares-Somildam had the team on the move and into 15 MDG territory on six plays.

Then with the ball on the MDG 36, Tavares-Somildam tried to lob a pass to the middle of the field, but the toss never made it to the intended receiver as McCloud intercepted the ball to come up with the game-winning stop.

Hazlewood then ran out the clock to preserve the win.

"It definitely wasn't a factor looking past them," said Hazlewood about the close game.

"I'm not going to make excuses for our guys. Our heads weren't in the game. But we had a lot of key plays, too. We pulled together when we had to."

While the 15 MDG will get two weeks off before the playoffs, McCloud said that there would be no resting for the team.

With the thought of a championship on their minds, McCloud said that the team would use the next two weeks to polish up its game.

"No relaxing. We had that problem last year," he said. "We definitely have a championship team this year and we want to take it all the way."

# NIOC 'A' Team stuns 647th CES with late comeback

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The Navy Information Operations Command (NIOC) Hawaii "A" Team scored two touchdowns in the final two minutes of the game to come from behind and shock the 647th Civil Engineer Squadron (647 CES), 25-20, on Nov. 20 in a Blue Division intramural flag football game at Ward Field, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam.

The win all but solidified NIOC's entry into the playoffs with a record of 7-3, while the 647 CES fell out of a tie for first place with their second loss of the season against seven wins.

"When we're under pressure, that's when we do our best," said NIOC head coach Cryptologic Technician (Interpretive) 1st Class Antonio Grimm. "We've only had one loss since week three, so we're looking pretty good."

At first, the game belonged to the 647 CES as the team marched to scores on its first two possessions to take a 14-0 lead.

Quarterback Staff Sgt. Chris Miranda finished off the team's first drive by rushing six yards for a touchdown after moving the 647 CES 65 yards on only six plays.

Then after the 647 CES defense forced NIOC to punt on the A Team's first possession, Miranda completed back-to-back passes from midfield before connecting with Staff Sgt. Nelson Ward for the team's second touchdown of the game and a 14-0 lead.

While the 647 CES appeared to be in total control of the game, NIOC began to gain momentum on their very next drive as quarterback Cryptologic Technician (Maintenance) 2nd Class Joshua Miyashiro led a methodical march from his own 15 down to the 647 CES 28-yard line on eight plays.

Two plays later, Miyashiro took it into the end zone on a 28-yard scamper to cut the lead down to 14-7 after the converted extra point.

Although NIOC still trailed by seven going into

halftime, Grimm said he felt that the team was about to turn things around.

"The turning point of this game was when we were down 0-14," he recalled. "We just started to make a comeback and started killing it."

Fresh off their first touchdown, NIOC opened the second half with another scoring drive to cut the lead down to a point at 14-13.

On the drive, Miyashiro got his team down to the 647 CES 11-yard line on six plays and then threw a pass to receiver Cryptologic Technician (Maintenance) 3rd Class Darius Griffin, who made a leaping grab before landing just inside the goal line for six.

With the game now in a dead heat, Miranda interrupted NIOC's comeback by leading his team on a 65-yard drive to the end zone.

The big play on the drive came on an option from Miranda to Airman 1st Class Ty Robinson, who took the pitch and rambled 51 yards to the NIOC 14-yard line.

On second and goal-to-goal from the eight, Miranda hit Staff Sgt. Joseph Torres with a bulls-eye in the end zone for six points and a 20-13 lead.

With only four minutes in the game, NIOC needed to score quickly and the team didn't disappoint their supporters.

Miyashiro led the team downfield and with the ball resting on the 647 CES seven-yard line, the QB connected with Cryptologic Technician (Collection) 2nd Class Jason Heidelbaugh for a touchdown to pull to within a point at 20-19.

With only a minute remaining on the clock, it appeared that the 647 CES would be able to run out the clock and preserve the win.

However, after misfiring on three straight passes, the 647 CES looked to punt the ball away on

fourth down with the ball

at their own 20.

Instead of getting the punt away, a bad snap from center sailed the ball over Miranda's head to give NIOC first and goal at the 647 CES eight-yard line with 40 seconds on the clock.

Two plays later Miyashiro connected with Heidelbaugh for the game-winning touchdown.

"We usually call that play on goal line," Heidelbaugh said about his two touchdown catches. "I sit there and delay and both times the corner was sleeping on that side."

Miranda said that while the loss was a tough one to swallow, it's better to lose now than fall short in the playoffs.

"Honestly, I think it's probably a good thing for us," Miranda admitted. "This gets us back into focus and we'll be ready to go for the playoffs."

Meanwhile, Grimm said that the win over a playoff-caliber team just prior to the postseason proves that NIOC has what it takes to go all the way.

"That's why they call us the 'A' Team," he said.



(Above) Cryptologic Technician (Maintenance) 3rd Class Darius Griffin goes up to make a catch before touching down in the end zone for six points. (Left) Cryptologic Technician (Maintenance) 2nd Class Joshua Miyashiro, quarterback for NIOC "A" Team, throws a pass against 647th CES.

## Hickam officers share leadership advice with ROTC cadets

Tech. Sgt. Terri Paden

15th Wing Public Affairs

More than 35 company grade officers (CGO) from Hickam's CGO council took their leadership skills to the University of Hawaii for a career day held Nov. 13 at the school's Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachment.

About 80 UH students attended the leadership laboratory which provided the prospective new officers with insight into the various available Air Force specialty codes.

"We had a diverse group of officers, which allowed for high exposure to an assortment of jobs in the Air Force," said 1st Lt. Jay Zeigler, 613th Air and Space Operations Center collection requirements management chief.

"This hopefully helped the cadets choose which AFSCs will best suit them as they continue toward their commission."

Cadet 2nd Lt. Jacob Perri, Det. 175 special project officer, said the annual mentoring session is the most highly regarded among cadets.

"It's the favorite leadership laboratory because everyone gets to see the different careers, and it's a laid back learning environment but you learn about what the Air Force offers," he said.

The career day also offers an opportunity for CGOs to get involved in the community and help cadets find their way as young officers.

"In addition to telling the cadets about the personnel career field, I was able to share with them some things that I have learned as a

young lieutenant that I wish someone would have told me when I was a cadet," said 1st Lt. Molly Morrissey, 15th Wing deputy sexual assault response coordinator.

"Hopefully, even if they weren't interested in my career field they were able to take away some tips to become a more effective officer."

Zeigler said the career day is just one of the many ways the CGOC gives back to the community while also contributing to the professional development of the council members.

"In my opinion, professional development is essential to all Airmen, regardless of rank," he said. "It allows for all members of the Air Force to build upon their foundational qualities to become better leaders, wingmen and military members."



U.S. Air Force photo by 1st Lt. Andrea Dykes  
Air Force Capt. Marcus Hunt, Hickam Company Grade Officer Council vice president, (right) shakes hands with an Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachment 175 cadet.

## Navy SAPR program to be held at Sharkey

The Department of the Navy Sexual Assault Prevention and Response (SAPR) Office will visit Navy Region Hawaii the first week of December.

An organized communications team from California State University Long Beach will perform in a program called InterACT at Sharkey Theater during this time.

There will be a total of six presentations at the theater, including two shows daily from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. Dec. 1 to 3.

This all hands presentation is designed to be an honest and engaging look at sexual assault prevention, awareness and bystander intervention. It is tailored to reach today's younger

Sailors but is appropriate for all adults.

The communications-based group will perform in actor-educator roles, which engage the audience throughout the learning process. By creating a respectful environment to facilitate positive interaction with the audience, a rapport is established that empowers members of the audience to participate on stage (voluntarily) in real-life scenarios.

These shows are an opportunity for Sailors to be involved and actively engaged in a SAPR minded event.

For more information, call Cmdr. Jeanie Blankenship at 473-1819 or email Jeanie.blankenship@navy.mil.

## Annual Festival of Lights to begin Dec. 8

Lt. j.g. Eric Galassi

Navy Region Hawaii Public Affairs

Ships and submarines in Pearl Harbor will be displaying ornamental lights and decorations for the annual Festival of Lights from Dec. 8 to 25. A competition to select the winning ships and submarines will take place on the evening of Dec. 8 and be judged by representatives from U.S. Pacific Fleet, U.S. Pacific Command, Submarine Force Pacific, Joint Interagency Task Force West, and Navy Region Hawaii/Naval Surface Group Middle Pacific.

Following the contest, there will be free boat tours for both military/DoD ID cardholders and the general public. Military/DoD tours will depart from Merry Point Landing.

General public tours will depart from the Pearl Harbor Visi-

tor Center. Tours will be approximately 15-20 minutes long aboard Arizona Memorial white boats.

Tours for military/DoD ID cardholders will be offered per the following schedule:

- Dec. 8, 7:15 – 9 p.m.
- Dec. 9, 6 – 8 p.m.
- Dec. 10, 6 – 8 p.m.

Tours for the general public will be offered per the following schedule:

- Dec. 11, 6 – 8 p.m.
- Dec. 12, 6 – 8 p.m.

These harbor tours are offered as a free service by the National Park Service. Seats are limited and tickets for the general public will be distributed on a first come, first served basis beginning at 5:30 pm on the day of the tour at the visitor center.

There are no tickets or reservations for military/DoD ID cardholders. People are asked to meet at Merry Point Landing for seats to be filled on a first come, first

served basis. Guests of military/DoD personnel may accompany their sponsors for tours from Merry Point Landing.

No backpacks, fanny packs, luggage, diaper bags, camera bags, purses, large cameras/tripods or other items which provide concealment are allowed in the visitor center or aboard the boats.

Valuables should not be left in vehicles. Please note that cameras and videos are allowed on-board for photos of the decorated ships. However, photographing security activities such as the patrol boats and shore or water security personnel is prohibited. A light jacket or sweater is recommended.

For more information about the event and tours, contact Lt. j.g. Eric Galassi at eric.galassi@navy.mil or (808) 473-0660 for military/DOD or Amanda Carona at (808) 422-3315 for the general public.



# Live the Great Life

## Black Friday alternatives announced for non-shoppers

Reid Tokeshi

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

Today, the day after Thanksgiving, is commonly known as Black Friday. The term refers to the day in which stores across America offer huge specials to draw in customers. Many of those customers actually take the day off, not to have a long weekend, but rather to get in line and get a jump on holiday shopping.

But not everyone thinks spending the day standing in lines and racing from store to store for the best deals is a fun way to start the weekend. For those people, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation has a few options today to make Friday fun.

J.R. Rockers recently announced that their twice-monthly TGIF is now open to everyone. Previously only for club members and their guests, now all are welcome to come down, grab a bite to eat, and maybe even win a prize. A buffet is offered for \$9.99 or free if you are a club member. Pupus



MWR Marketing photo

Patrons can relax over a game of pool during chill 'n' grill at Brews & Cues.

will also be available for half price for those looking for something different from a buffet. TGIF runs from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

For more information, call 448-2271.

Over on the other side of the base, Brews & Cues at Club Pearl will hold a Chill 'n' Grill this afternoon starting at 6:30 p.m. As the name implies, the atmosphere is meant to be a place to unwind either after work or as a lead-in to the weekend. Free pupus will be available (while supplies last) and a free mini pool tournament is an

activity for those looking for a little competition.

For more information, call Club Pearl at 473-1743.

Another alternative is to get some fresh air and hit the beach. Thanks to Hawaii's year-round good weather, Hickam Beach is a place to unwind, decompress and be away from the crowds. If thirst or hunger strikes, patrons can head over to the Hapa Bar at Sam Choy's where daily food and drink specials are offered from 2 to 5 p.m.

For more information, call Sam Choy's at 422-3002.



MWR Marketing photo

This year's Tower Lighting Celebration will be held Dec. 12.

## Tower Lighting festivities return in two weeks

Reid Tokeshi

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Morale, Welfare and Recreation

The 45th Annual Tower Lighting Celebration, a longtime holiday tradition at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, will return Dec. 12. The festivities begin at 4:30 p.m. and patrons can bring lawn chairs or blankets and claim their spot to view the lighting ceremony, which will be held at 7 p.m.

Live entertainment, prize giveaways (including a \$500 holiday shopping spree), food and other activities are planned for the entire family during the celebration.

MWR will set up bounce houses for children and holiday crafts. A kid's clinic, will allow *keiki* to learn to build and create. The event will also include a trampoline demonstration.

The Air Force Band of the Pacific and the Navy's Pacific Fleet Band will also perform.

Free photos with Santa Claus will be available beginning at 5 p.m.

Parking in the surrounding area will be limited as portions will be cordoned off. MWR will provide free round trip shuttle service from the Hickam BX Garden Shop to the celebration from 4:15 p.m. to the end of the event. For more information, visit [www.greatlifehawaii.com](http://www.greatlifehawaii.com).

## Your Weekly Fun with MWR

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**Bowl with Santa** registration will be open from Dec. 1 to 5 for children ages 12 years and younger. Breakfast & Bowl with Santa will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. Dec. 7 at Naval Station Bowling Center. Lunch and Bowl with Santa will be held from noon to 2 p.m. Dec. 14 at Hickam Bowling Center. These events are limited to the first 30 authorized patrons. The cost is \$8 per child. FMI: 473-2651.

**Stretching & Core class** will be held from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. Dec. 2 and Dec. 4 at the Hickam channel pathway at the grassy area near Wright Brothers Café. 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: 471-2019.

**Youth Beginner Sailing classes** will be held from noon to 2 p.m. or from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays from Dec. 2 to 30 at Rainbow Bay Marina for youth ages 10 to 17 years old. The class is taught by a certified instructor and consists of classroom theory and on-the-water group instruction. The cost is \$50. FMI: 473-0279.

**Ladies Golf Clinic** will begin at 9:30 a.m. Dec. 3 at Barbers Point Golf Course. The

pros will offer tips for female golfers at this free clinic. FMI: 682-1911.

**Alteration & Custom Sewing class** will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. every Wednesday from Dec. 3 to Dec. 17 at the Hickam Arts & Crafts Center. Students can learn how to do simple to advanced alterations on clothing. Tuition is \$60. FMI: 448-9907.

**Moonlight Paddle at Hickam Harbor** will begin at 7 p.m. Dec. 5. Patrons of all paddling abilities are welcome to participate. The trip will be led by the MWR Outdoor Adventure Center staff and includes all required gear. The cost is \$25. The sign-up deadline is Dec. 2. FMI: 473-1198.

**Moonlight Hike at Koko Head** will begin at 7 p.m. Dec. 6. MWR Outdoor Adventure Center staff will lead a climb up Koko Head for views of the southeast side of Oahu by moonlight. This hike is about one hour to the top and is suitable even for a first-timer. The cost is \$15. The sign-up deadline is Dec. 3. FMI: 473-1198.

**Mountain Biking Mokuleia excursion** will begin at 8:30 a.m. Dec. 7. MWR Outdoor Adventure Center staff will lead an intermediate-level ride on a trail with some difficult terrain. Participants should bring nutritious snacks and water. The cost is \$25 including a bicycle (or \$20 without). The sign-up deadline is Dec. 4. FMI: 473-1198.

**NOVEMBER****VEHICLE REGISTRATION ONLINE APPOINTMENTS**

**NOW** — The Pearl Harbor Vehicle Registration office now offers a new online appointment system. Walk-in customers will no longer be taken. Office hours are from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The online appointment system is now open for reservations each Monday at 9 a.m. for Tuesday and Thursday appointments for that week. FMI: <http://go.usa.gov/s8Jk> or <http://www1.honolulu.gov/csd/satellite/jbphh.htm>.

**PEARL HARBOR DAY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Navy and National Park Service are looking for active duty military personnel from all services to volunteer in various events commemorating the anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor. FMI: JBPHH Public Affairs Office at 473-2926 or 473-2880 or [www.pacifichistoricparks.org](http://www.pacifichistoricparks.org).

**DECEMBER****NEW CVIS HOURS**

**1** — Effective Dec. 1, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam commercial vehicle inspection stations' (CVIS) hours of operation will change to the following:

- Halawa CVIS: 5 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday (excluding holidays).
- Kuntz CVIS: 5 to 9 a.m. and 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, 5 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday.
- Saipan Gate CVIS (Wahiawa Annex): 6 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday (excluding holidays).
- West Loch Back Gate: 6 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday (excluding holidays).

**EMPLOYMENT IN HAWAII WORKSHOP**

**2** — An Employment in Hawaii workshop will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Military and Family Support Center Pearl Harbor Moanalua Services Center. FMI: 474-1999 or [www.greatlifehawaii.com](http://www.greatlifehawaii.com).

**COMPANY RECRUITMENT: FBI**

**4** — A company recruitment: Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) event will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Military and Family Support Center Pearl Harbor Moanalua Services Center. FMI: 474-1999 or [www.greatlifehawaii.com](http://www.greatlifehawaii.com).

**FORD ISLAND BRIDGE CLOSURES**

**5, 7** — All lanes of the Ford Island Bridge will be closed from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Dec. 5 and from 7 to 10 a.m. Dec. 7 for operations in support of ceremonies commemorating the Dec. 7, 1941 attack. All motorists and pedestrians are asked to plan accordingly. The small craft gate must be closed during the bridge

opening to minimize collision hazards when the roadway pontoon is in motion. Boat traffic under the causeway will be prohibited during that time.

**AIR FORCE SPOUSE 101**

**5** — An Air Force Spouse 101: Heart Link program will be held from 7:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Military and Family Support Center Pearl Harbor Moanalua Services Center. The event is for new Air Force spouses or those who still have questions. The event will include a free lunch. FMI: 474-1999 or [www.greatlifehawaii.com](http://www.greatlifehawaii.com).

**PACIFIC AVIATION MUSEUM ANNUAL GALA**

**6** — The annual fundraiser for Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor will be held from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Captain Chesley B. Sullenberger will be this year's guest speaker. Emcee for the evening will be actor, journalist and TV host David Hartman. Honoree of the evening is the museum's past chairman of the board Adm. Ronald J. Hays. Tickets are \$250 for the event in the battlefield hangars of Ford Island. FMI: [PacificAviationMuseum.org](http://PacificAviationMuseum.org) or call 441-1006.

**PEARL HARBOR DAY**

**7** — The National Park Service and Navy Region Hawaii will co-host the Pearl Harbor Day commemoration beginning at 7:45 a.m. at the Pearl Harbor Visitor Center. Attendees should arrive at the World War II Valor in the Pacific National Monument by 6:30 a.m. Guest speaker Adm. Harry B. Harris, commander of Pacific Fleet, is scheduled to introduce the featured speaker, Gen. Lori Robinson, Pacific Air Forces commander. The event will include a moment of silence at 7:55 a.m. A floral tribute on the USS Arizona Memorial follows the official ceremony. The theme of this year's commemoration is "Preserving the Memory." FMI: [www.PacificHistoricParks.org](http://www.PacificHistoricParks.org).

**BLACKENED CANTEEN CEREMONY**

**7** — The National Park Service will host the annual Blackened Canteen Ceremony at 11:30 a.m. aboard the USS Arizona Memorial. Following the ceremony, a roundtable discussion will be held at the Pacific Aviation Museum. Two Army Air Force B-29s collided and crashed during a bombing raid over Shizuoka, Japan in June 1945. The canteen pulled from the wreckage will be used to pour whiskey into the waters of Pearl Harbor as a symbol of peace, honor and reconciliation. FMI: [www.pacificaviationmuseum.org](http://www.pacificaviationmuseum.org).

**PEARL HARBOR MEMORIAL PARADE**

**7** — The Pearl Harbor Memorial Parade will begin at 5 p.m. at the U.S. Army Museum of Hawaii at Fort DeRussy in Waikiki. It will travel down Kalakaua Avenue and end at Kapiolani Park.

**JOHN WICK (R)**

An ex-hitman comes out of retirement to track down the gangsters that took everything from him. With New York City as his bullet-riddled playground, John Wick is a fresh and stylized take on the assassin genre.

**SHARKEY THEATER****TODAY 11/28 - DOUBLE FEATURE FRIDAY**

Watch two movies for the price of one admission ticket.

6:00 p.m. Dracula Untold (PG-13)  
7:50 p.m. John Wick (R)

**SATURDAY 11/29**

2:30 p.m. Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good Very Bad Day (PG)  
4:30 p.m. The Best of Me (PG-13)  
6:50 p.m. St. Vincent (PG-13)

**SUNDAY 11/30**

2:30 p.m. The Book of Life (3-D) (PG)  
4:20 p.m. Nightcrawler (R)  
6:50 p.m. Fury (R)

**THURSDAY 12/4**

7:00 p.m. Nightcrawler (R)

**HICKAM MEMORIAL THEATER****TODAY 11/28**

6:00 p.m. Gone Girl (R)

**SATURDAY 11/29**

4:00 p.m. The Book of Life (PG)  
7:00 p.m. Dracula Untold (PG-13)

**SUNDAY 11/30**

2:00 p.m. The Book of Life (PG)

**THURSDAY 12/4**

7:00 p.m. Dracula Untold (PG-13)



## ***My Favorite Photo...***

Lisa L. Jones, secretary to the staff judge advocate at Pacific Air Forces, took this recent photo of the Sea-Based X Band Radar at sunrise.



How to submit: send your non-posed photo to [editor@hookelenews.com](mailto:editor@hookelenews.com).