

Aloha from Marine Corps Base Hawaii

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Community Announcements and Reminders

• Volunteers needed for the Air Show. Hundreds of volunteers are needed for the Kaneohe Bay Air Show and Open House to assist in food service, marketing, ticketing and more, October 16-18. Volunteers will receive an airshow volunteer t-shirt and certificate of appreciation. Volunteering provides an opportunity to help the community, build self-confidence, gain new job skills and meet new friends! More information and sign-ups are available at this website: http://www.kaneohebayairshow.com/volunteer.html

• Throughout the year, 13 races come together to make up the Commanding Officer's Semper Fit Series. **The Commanding Officer's Series is open to the public.** Run along the shoreline of the Pacific Ocean, up mountainous terrain, and even through swampy waters...the challenge is always new and exciting. The next event is the Sunset Flight Line 5K, Friday, Sept. 18, 5:30 p.m., at Hangar 102, Marine Corps Base Hawaii. **Online registration closes Sept. 14.** Registration details and information can be found on the MCCS website: <u>http://mccshawaii.com/races/</u>

• Marine Corps Base Hawaii will host the Kaneohe Bay Air Show and Open House Oct 17-18, 2015. This is an Open House event, including FREE admission, FREE parking, and a FREE world-class air show. The show will feature the U.S. Navy Flight Demonstration Team, the Blue Angels, along with a list of exhilarating professional performers and historical Warbirds, static displays, Keiki events, and much, much more. Please bring your family and friends to this great event! For those who wish to upgrade their viewing experience, premium seating is available for purchase. Marine Corps Community Services' seating and private, shaded chalets provide the ultimate one-of-a-kind airshow experience. http://www.kaneohebayairshow.com/index.html

News

Marine Corps Base Hawaii – Kaneohe Bay, Story by <u>Cpl. Brittney Vito</u> - MARINE CORPS BASE HAWAII -For Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting Marines, in peace or wartime, precious lives lie in the palm of their hands. Marines with ARFF Marine Corps Air Station Kaneohe Bay, first responders from the Federal Fire Department and Soldiers with Charlie Company, 3rd Battalion, 25th Aviation Regiment based out of Wheeler Army Airfield, conducted loading and offloading casualty training at the MCAS Air Terminal aboard Marine Corps Base Hawaii, Sept. 3, 2015. Read the full story here: <u>https://www.dvidshub.net/news/175540/marines-first-responders-soldiers-trainemergency#.VfN17zZUCis</u>

Texting While Driving Campaign - A new Texting and Driving Campaign goes into effect Aug. 1. If you are caught texting and driving aboard Marine Corps Base Hawaii or neighboring Marine Corps facilities, the following fines will be incurred:

* 1st Offense: 3 points; 30-day base driving suspension; U.S. District Court Violation notice 1805; and a maximum fine of \$347

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* 2nd Offense: 3 points; 120-day base driving suspension; U.S. District Court Violation notice 1805; and a maximum fine of \$347

* 3rd Offense: Installation debarment

Press Release, Hawaii Red Cross – Hurricane season runs June 1 through Nov. 30 for the Central Pacific Area. The Hawaii Red Cross is urging families and individuals to prepare for the storm season ahead. Hurricanes can cause life and property-threatening hazards such as flooding, storm surge, high winds and tornadoes. The Hawaii Red Cross recommends that residents reevaluate their family evacuation plan, emergency preparedness kit and get better prepared. Preparation is the best protection against the dangers of a hurricane. Read the full release:

http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/News/HawaiiMarine.aspx

Marine Corps Base Hawaii and Training Areas

Marine Corps Air Station Kaneohe Bay hours of operation:
Monday - Thursday: 7 a.m. – midnight
Friday: 7 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Saturday: 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
*Aircraft maintenance will occur 24/7, as required to maintain aircraft safety.
Exceptions: Saturday, Sept. 12, 7:30-8 a.m.
Marine Corps Training Area Bellows: Monday – Sunday: 24 hours a day
*Quiet hours are from 10 p.m. – 7 a.m. Monday through Friday, and 10 p.m. – 9 a.m. on weekends and holidays
Ulupa'u Crater Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 6 a.m. – 11 p.m.
Pu'uloa Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Marine Corps Base Contacts and Information

- The Aloha Newsletter is a weekly newsletter issued by the Marine Corps Base Hawaii Public Affairs Office. If you would like to be added or removed from this distribution list, please forward your request to KBAZ_PAO@USMC.mil
- To express concerns about noise concerns or about base operations, including flight operations and base personnel, please call our hotline, 257-8832, or send a message via the website: http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/Departments/BaseInspector/FormalComplaint.aspx . This number is monitored Monday Friday, 8 a.m. 4 p.m.
- Information about MCB Hawaii's Marine Corps Community Services (MCCS) programs, on-base business, and special events are available at <u>http://www.mccshawaii.com</u>
- Submit requests for Marine Corps support, to include Non-federal Entity Requests, aerial events, speakers, and color guards, via this website:

http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/Departments/PublicAffairs.aspx

- Submit requests for the Marine Forces Pacific band via this website: <u>http://www.marforpac.marines.mil/band</u>
- For additional information about community or media events, contact the MCB Hawaii Public Affairs Office at 257-8876, or send an e-mail message to KBAZ_PAO@USMC.mil