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Cover Photo: Ke'ehi Memorial Park, Obelisk.

Photo by COL, Ret. Arthur Tulak, Editor, Commandery News

If you have patriotic photos you'd like to share, submit them for consideration for the cover of our next issue!

Commander's Comments.

*Aloha
Companions!*



I would like to congratulate Hawaii MOFW Companions for the great work over the last three months in service to the community. In the pages of this issue you will see our continuing commitment to Hawaii's Cadet programs, supporting Veterans outreach efforts, promoting the study of military history and military science, and supporting commemorations and memorials. Companions of the Hawaii Commandery are having a very positive effect in establishing bonds of cooperation and partnership with other Veterans and Civic organizations to work on shared goals.

Thanks to Sr. Vice Commander, Manny Manchester for arranging an enjoyable meeting at the Home of the Brave's *Browseum*. At that event, we were reminded of the benefits of camaraderie that is such an important part of being a Companion of the Order. Also, special thanks to Brig Gen., USAF, Ret. Stan Osserman for presenting to the Cadets of the Youth Challenge Academy. This is one of our most important community service programs.

A theme of our magazine has been to highlight Military HQs and Memorials to Veterans across the Hawaiian Islands. The cover of this issue highlights the **Ke'ehi Memorial**. Originally built in 1964, "dedicated to the living, in memory of our fallen comrades who gave their lives to our country" — The Obelisk is a symbol that perpetuates the reverence we hold for those who died in defense of our country. It is a reminder to ourselves and the community of their sacrifice for our future.

I wish to thank those companions who supported the Inaugural Veterans Summit 21-22 June at the Hawaii Convention Center, where we managed two booths! Through these efforts, the Hawaii Commandery demonstrated that we are a reliable partner to the State DoD in its efforts to conduct commemorations and support Veterans.

The Hawaii MOFW Commandery has been a proud Hawaii WWI Centennial Commemoration Partner over the last four years, and our fellow companions played key roles in leading this effort. This issue captures its final events, and ongoing efforts to thank volunteers. Thank you to all Companions who supported this important multi-year commemoration effort that saw 44 events successfully conducted.

Please welcome new Companion Sumner Hunnewell, whose short biographical sketch can be found alongside the Companion News section.

Looking to the future, the term of office of the current leadership will end with the establishment of a new Officer Slate in January 2020. I ask all of you to consider serving in a leadership position so that we have a full officer slate and a good distribution of the work to ensure that the Commandery maintains its high standards and professionalism.

"Deus et Libertas"

**COL, Ret. Chris Spear
Commander**



Chaplains Corner

By Dr. Fred Staedel, ThD

Yes, it is approaching that time of year. We call it the “Holiday Season.” And the lyrics ‘Tis the season to be jolly” comes to mind. But for some folks the days that end the year can be anything but “jolly.” Sad memories, loneliness, loss, and self-pity can dominate one’s thought. What can offset these negative emotions? For “yours truly” the answer is “gratitude.” For me our national holiday of Thanksgiving has been of paramount importance to me, even more than Halloween, Christmas, and New Year.

My mother taught my brother and me that whenever we find ourselves “down” and unhappy with our situation in life that we should “count our blessings” by literally making a list of everything we are grateful for starting with being alive, being an American, and being able to serve others. As the list grows, so does the growth of one’s positive attitude towards life and what future good may be revealed in one’s life. So what our mother was teaching is what we all can have: Thanksgiving every day and not just on the last Thursday of November or during the three final months of the year called the “Holiday Season.”

So dear reader, as we approach the holiday season and as we issue the verbal gesture of “Happy Holidays” to others, be aware that we are actually saying a prayer to and for them. We are wishing happiness for others. And give yourself a prayer by being grateful to your one God and be blessed for all the goodness you have and will have. If we dwell on the positive we automatically negate the negative.

**God bless America,
God bless the world,
and God bless us all.
“Enter His gates with
thanksgiving, Give
thanks to Him.”
(Psalms 100:4)**

Fred



Hawaii Commandery Awards Youth Challenge Cadets

Companion Manchester and Brig. Gen. USAF, Ret. Stan Osserman presented the MOFW and MOWW Medals at the Graduation Ceremony of Hawaii National Guard Youth CHaLlENGe Academy Class 18-2 (the 50th graduating class), on June 16, 2019. The ceremony took place at the Pearl City Cultural Center Auditorium. Companion MG Joe Logan was the senior official presiding. The Commandery greatly appreciates Brig Gen. Osserman once again taking the time to serve as a presenter in support of Hawaii's Cadet programs.



From Left to right, Sina Atanoa, Director, BG, Ret. Olivera, Cadet, BG Ken Hara, MG Joe Logan, Brig. LTC, Ret. Manny Manchester



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From the Cover— Story of the Ke’ehi Memorial

The Commandery continues to highlight military and Veterans memorials in the State to share with all Companions of the Order, here in Hawaii, and Internationally. Our cover page features the Ke’ehi Memorial, which is a historical gem hidden in plain sight.

The story of the memorial begins in 1949, when the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii established the Pacific War Memorial Commission to create memorials to those who had lost their lives in the Pacific Theatre during World War II. In 1952, the tenth Territorial Governor of Hawaii, Oren E. Long, set aside 11 acres of land to the Commission for what would later be known as the Keehi Lagoon Project. By agreement between the Commission and Disabled American Veterans (DAV), a permanent living war memorial would be constructed. In 1961, driven by the steadfastness of then Hawaii DAV membership, along with community volunteers, the project began to take shape with the completion of a Master Plan and clearing of the former mangrove swamp that comprised most of the land. By 1965, construction of the Obelisk, Memorial Hall, entry road and parking area were complete. Construction of the community halls would be completed over the next 30 years.

Ke’ehi Lagoon Memorial (“KLM”) continues to serve as a living memorial dedicated to honoring all veterans with a special remembrance of those who made the ultimate sacrifice in the defense of our Nation. The Ke’ehi Memorial Organization, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization cares for and maintains the Memorial while ensuring that it meets its stated purpose to support disabled veterans and their families and the youth of our community.





Commandery Operations —

Hawaii Veterans Summit

The State of Hawaii Office of Veterans Services held the Inaugural Hawai'i Veterans Summit, June 21-22, 2019.



The Hawaii Commandery supported the first ever Veterans Summit, organized by the Hawaii State DoD Office of Veterans Services. Companions Manchester, Hirai, and Tulak set up and manned both the HI WWI Centennial Commemoration and HI MOFW Commandery Tables Friday and Saturday.

The WWI Centennial table featured three poster boards highlighting the 44 events conducted by the HI WWI Centennial Task Force. Companion Manchester displayed his vintage collection of Veterans organizations insignia and medals at the MOFW table, and his WWI Trench Art collection at the WWI table. This was another demonstration of how the Commandery has fulfilled its duties as a WWI Commemoration Partner. Through its support of the HI WWI Centennial Task Force, the Commandery has established good partnerships with the American Legion, AMVETS, MOWW, VFW, VVA, and other Veterans Organizations. Companion, MG Joe Logan provided keynote speaker remarks about the importance of the Veterans' Summit, which will be a biennial event, that will rotate around the Hawaiian islands. You can see the musical performances and speakers at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6c-N385BT-ItlflzgV-zQ/videos?disable_polymer=1

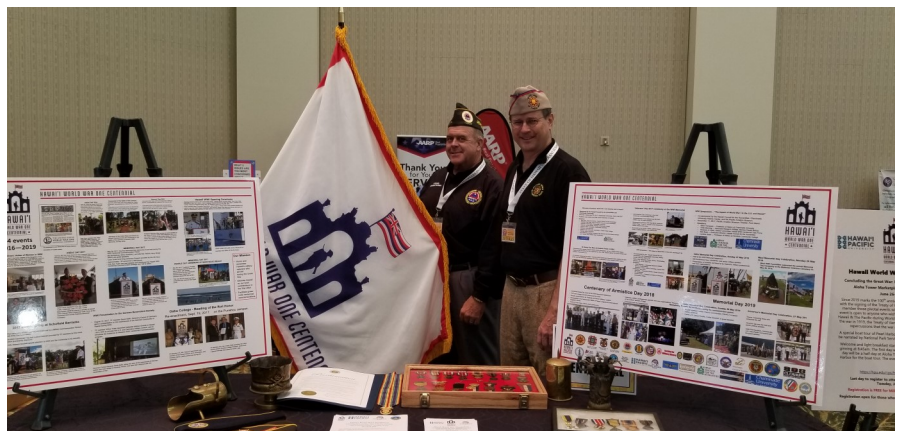


Photo Left and right above: AMVETS Pearl Harbor Post Commander Michael "Mick" Ferreira co-man the tables at the Hawaii Veterans Summit. Mick has served as the Chaplain for HI WWI Centennial Events supported by multiple Veterans organizations. The posters on the right provide a story board of the 44 events conducted by the Task Force from 2016-2019



Photo Left: The Hawaii Youth Challenge Academy Cadet Color Guard presents the colors at the start of the Veterans' Summit on 21 June, 2019.



Photo Center: Companion MG Joe Logan provides his remarks on 21 June 2019.



Photo Right: Companion Hirai during take-down after a successful summit on 22 June, 2019.



Companions in Action —

Hawaii World War One Symposium

The penultimate event of the Hawaii WWI Centennial Commemoration was a three-day academic symposium hosted by Hawaii Pacific University at its Aloha Tower Campus 26-28 June, and chaired by Professor Brenden Bliss. Companions Manchester and Tulak were among 19 presenters over the three day symposium. Companion Manchester presented twice, his first presentation was on *The American Expeditionary Force in Siberia*, on the first day, and his second presentation given on the final day was entitled *"History of Veterans & Service Organizations in the Wake of World War I."*

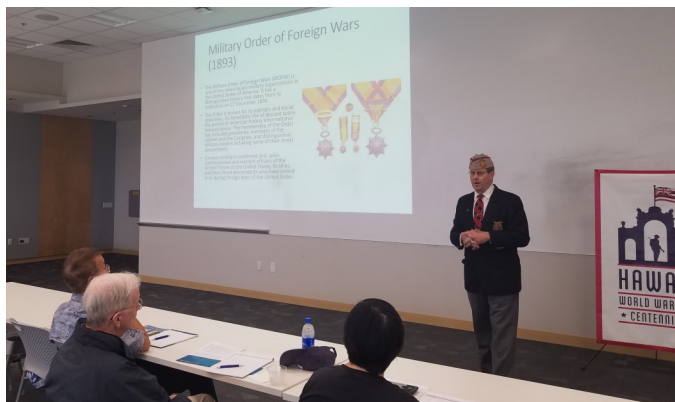


Photo Left: Companion Manchester briefing the Military Order of Foreign Wars in his overview brief of Veterans organizations. **Photo Right:** Companion Tulak presenting on the origins and legacy of the Military Order of World Wars.

Companion Tulak gave a presentation entitled *"The Origins and Legacy of the Military Order of World Wars"* discussing the War's impetus on the development of various Veterans organizations, the challenges they faced at the time, and their lasting contributions. The MOWW was one of several Veteran organizations formed after the Great War, along with the American Legion, Disabled American Veterans, Reserve Officers Assn., and the National Defense Industrial Assn. Unique among these is the MOWW, formed as a Military Order of Officer Veterans of that War by Officers who had served under General John J. Pershing. Companion Tulak also provided comments to all participants as the Chairman of the Task Force about the multi-year effort that was concluding that week, and then recognizing with WWI Centennial Medals key volunteers and contributors.

Recognizing Volunteerism

Companions of the Order who served on the WWI Centennial Task Force are now finishing up the efforts to recognize volunteers and Commemorative Partner Organizations who made a difference by going to the meetings of organizations they belong to, and presenting the WWI Centennial Medal on behalf of MG Joe Logan. Companion Manchester, along with American Legion Post 11 Commander Gordon Lee pinned WWI medal on Ron Lockwood, Commander of

VFW Post 8616 on July 6, 2019 at the VFW Post/Elks Club. Commander Lockwood was the Master of Ceremonies for the Centennial Memorial Plaque dedication at the War Memorial and Natatorium on Nov. 2, 2018. Companion Tulak recognized Bruce Mayes at a meeting of the Daedalian Society at the Hickam Officers' Club on August 29, 2019. Bruce conducted ceremonial flyovers for the Centenary of the Armistice on Nov. 11, 2018, and for Memorial Day 2019, at Hawaii's only WWI Memorial at Waikiki.



Photos: Left: Companion Manchester congratulates Commander Lockwood after pinning the WWI Volunteer Medal. **Right:** Companion Tulak presents Bruce Mayes with the certificate signed by MG Logan after pinning the medal.

Commandery Operations —

Hawaii World War One Centennial Closing Ceremony

The Commandery played a significant role in running the closing ceremony of Hawaii's WWI Centennial Commemoration on June 28, 2019, the centennial of the signing of the Peace Treaty of Versailles. The ceremony was held at the Governor's Mansion, and Companion, MG Joe Logan was the presiding Officer and keynote speaker. Companion Manchester was the Master of Ceremonies, and Companion Tulak assisted with presenting the WWI Centennial Volunteer Medal. Punahou Army JROTC Cadet 2LT Christine Mau assisted with the awards ceremonies, and along with fellow Cadet SGT Adam Kwock, read aloud the proclamations from the Mayor and the Governor recognizing the closing of the Centennial Commemoration, and the work of the hundreds of volunteers who brought Hawaii's unique and rich WWI history to life.

The event was sponsored by the Colonial Dames of the 17th Century, Morgan, Morgan Chapter of Hawaii, the Hawaii's Daughters of American Colonists, and the LoPresti family.

Awardees came from a great number of organizations, to include:

- Consular Corps of Australia, Germany, and New Zealand
- Military commands to include the Army Medical Center, U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii, & the Hawaii National Guard.
- The Veterans Affairs and Hawaii State DoD Office of Veterans Services.
- Veterans organizations to include: American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, AMVETS, MOWW, VFW, and Vietnam Veterans of America.
- Military professional associations, such as the Navy League, Council of Honolulu.



Photos: Top Left, Companion MG Joe Logan delivers his remarks on the conclusion of a successful commemoration. **Top Right** , MG Logan presenting medals to (L-R) Cpl Ullis of the Junior Marines, Kristin and Tory Laitilla, et al. **Below:** MG Logan pins a medal on Lt.Col. Air National Guard, Ret. Chuck Anthony, as other awardees await their pinning.

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- Civic organizations to include the Daughters of the American Revolution, Sons of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames of the 17th Century, Daughters of American Colonists, the Hawaii Society of Mayflower Descendants, the Elks Lodge, Friends of the Natatorium, and the Hawaii Historic Arms Association.
- Individuals from a variety of organizations to include the National Parks Service, Army JROTC Battalions, Junior Marines, the City of Honolulu, and others.

The ceremony concluded with the casing of the Hawaii WWI Centennial Flag conducted by Companion Tulak, Gordon Lee, Commander of the American Legion Kau Tom Post #11, and Chief of Staff for the Hawaii Dept. of the VFW, Stan Fernandez. The teamwork of these organizations over the course of the 4 years of effort, begun in May 2015, was sustained by creating a team of teams that leveraged each supporting organizations unique capabilities and specialties.

Participants at the event were in agreement that the State had conducted a fitting tribute to its WWI Veterans, and a fitting ending to the community effort.

The Task Force set a new model for how the state should approach such commemorations in the future by giving recognition to core and partner organizations at every step of the way, and by getting members of organizations to work with their like organization counterparts to plan and carry out events with shared credit.

The Hawaii Commandery can be certain that it will again be invited to participate in the planning and execution of the next major commemoration, such as the 75th Anniversary of the end of WWII, the 70th Anniversary of the start of the Korean War, and others.

Throughout this process, the Hawaii Commandery played a critical role in leading the Task Force, with two of ten core members being Hawaii MOFW Companions, and by having MOFW Companions serve as Task Force Chairman, the master of ceremonies to the opening and closing ceremonies, speaker at commemorations and symposiums, testifying before the Hawaii State Legislature and City councils, conducting outreach to bring in sponsors, commemoration partner organizations, and volunteers, and fully supporting major events which were treated as Commandery Operations.

Mission accomplished—Job well done!



Photos: Above Companion Arthur Tulak cases the HI WWI Centennial Commemoration Flag with assistance from Gordon Lee, Commander of American Legion Kau Tom Post #11 and Chief of Staff Hawaii Department VFW, Stanley Fernandez. **Below:** Sr. Vice Command Manny Manchester and Jr. Vice Commander Peter Hirai at the post event reception celebrating the close of thee commemoration.



Upcoming Commemorations and Ceremonies

Civil Air Patrol Cadet Awards Ceremony

The Hawaii Wing, Civil Air Patrol Cadet Awards Banquet is to be held on Saturday, 7 September 2019 at 1800-2000 hrs. at the PME Building on Hickam Air Force Base. The POC is LtCol Tony Terrara, CAP at tony4atmos@aol.com tony4atmos@aol.com.



National POW/MIA Recognition Day ceremony

The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency has sent out a "Warning Order" to Hawaii Veterans and Patriotic Organizations for this year's National POW/MIA Recognition Day ceremony. The event will be held once again at the Punchbowl on 20 September at 1000. Organizations are invited to participate and to present will participate and if you will be presenting a lei or a wreath.

Participants should be in place NLT 0930 so we have time to place the wreaths in order of presentation. As always send me any questions you might have. Mahalo nui for your continued support of this event and DPAA's mission.



Memorial Service for the 100th Bn, 442nd Inf. Regt.

The Go For Broke Association is sponsoring a memorial service for the 100th Battalion, 442nd Infantry Regiment, USAR, on Saturday, October 26, 2019, at 0900 hrs at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. The guest speaker will be BG (Ret.) Raymond E. Gandy Jr. This ceremony will honor those who were killed-in-action, and will recognize the 50th Anniversary of the mobilization for the Vietnam War (1968-1969) and the 15th Anniversary of the Deployment to Iraq (2004-2006). Uniform for the event is Veteran Attire, Civilian Business Casual, or Army Class B Uniform. For more information, contact Calvin Nomiya at cncomi@Hawaiiintel.net



Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam in Hawaii is holding a 2019 Annual Retiree Seminar on Nov. 2, 7:30 a.m. to noon. Activities include exhibitor tables, speaker/presentations and door prizes in the Hickam Officers' Club. The theme of the event is "Retiree Whole Health." Speakers will present topics about changes to various health care programs that may affect retirees. Because of historically high numbers of attendees at past seminars, all attendees must register by visiting www.jbphh.greatlifeohawaii.com, under the "support" tab, MFSC Class Calendar or by calling 808-474-1999 for assistance. Registration will be available beginning Oct. 1. Email can be sent to MFSCHawaii@navy.mil.

Woman Marine Association Promotes Wreaths Across America in Hawaii

The Hawaii Woman Marines Assn, Wahine Koa, Chapter 2 is preparing for a special memorial on December 14, 2019, as part of the Wreaths Across America day.. The event is meant to honor Veterans and POW/MIA. The organization is looking for individuals and organizations to sponsor wreaths for \$15 through the WMA and the Wreaths Across America organization (WAA). Sponsorship is accomplished on-line at wreathsacrossamerica.org/pages/158061/Overview/?relatedId=15762



\$5 of the transaction goes to the Chapter's Marine Corps JROTC Scholarship fund for the Cadets at Kapolei High School. The Chapter invites other Veterans Organizations and patriots to attend the ceremony on December 14, 2019 at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. For more information, visit womenmarineshawaii2.org

Companion News—

Companion Peter Hirai returned to the Army working in the G-34 Protection Division as an Emergency Management Program Coordinator. Peter retired after 20 years as the Deputy Director for the City and County of Honolulu's Department of Emergency Management. After retiring from the City, Peter began his Federal civilian career as a Radiological Emergency Management Specialist at the Pearl Harbor Shipyard. In July of 2019, Peter accepted a promotion to the U.S. Army Pacific (USARPAC) where he will be conducting program management for all emergency management entities in the Pacific Area of Responsibility (AOR). This includes all Army installations, units, and entities throughout the Indo-Pacific and Asian AOR. After 33 years in the Army National Guard and Army Reserves, it will be a great opportunity for Peter to return to the Army as a Civilian. He is proud to continue his service to Soldiers and the Nation!

Companion “Manny” Manchester started a new job with USARPAC G-34 Emergency Management Staff Section on Fort Shafter HI. Manny will be working with a team focused on protection.

Companion Arthur Tulak received the VFW Commendation Medal from VFW Post 10276 at the Oahu Veterans Center on August 17, 2019 for service to the Hawaii WWI Centennial Commemoration.



Photo: From left to right VFW Stan Fernandez, Chief of Staff VW Dept. of Hawaii, , Companion Tulak, VFW Post 10276 Commander, Steve Mortimer

Feeling left out? Share your news with your fellow Companions!!

Commandery Meetings

The Commandery's August meeting was held on the evening of Thursday the 6th at the Home of the Brave “Brewseum,” immediately adjacent to the museum. Glenn Tomlinson, proprietor of the museum and a supporter of local military units, military professional and Veterans organizations and historic commemorations, led an entertaining game of “Battleship.” Special guests were Michael and Christine Bazarin. Mike is a retired Canadian Army Officer who served in the Airborne Infantry. Christine is a Major in the Royal Canadian Air Force. This meeting was primarily a social get-together, with some business attended to, but mostly reinforcing the bonds of camaraderie.



Photo: From left to right clockwise: Fred Staedel, Michael and Christine Bazarin Vice Commander Peter Hirai, Commander Chris Spear, Sr. Vice Commander Manny Manchester, and Treasurer Arthur Tulak, after a successful game round of “Battleship.”

Welcome New Companions!

Hereditary Companion Sumner Hunnewell was admitted into the Order on June 13, 2019, on the qualifying service of his ancestor, Captain Isaiah Higgins, who served in the 2nd Massachusetts Regiment during the Revolutionary War 1 July 1775 – 1780. Capt. Higgins participated in the defense of Boston in 1776.

Sumner is the President of the State Society of the War of 1812 in Missouri; a Governor of the Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of Missouri, Deputy Governor of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Missouri. Sumner is also the founding President-General of the National Society of Descendants of Colonial Indentured Servants.

He is a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. His education includes a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mathematics and Computer Science from Central Missouri State University, and a Master of Telecommunications Management from Washington University in St. Louis. Sumner retired after a successful career in telecommunications after 33 years with Southwestern Bell, SBC, and AT&T.

Sumner has served as a Red Cross Responder since Aug 2015 and is a member of the Community Emergency Response Team. He has taken part or led teams to help with disaster relief in New Orleans, Cedar Rapids, and Joplin, as a Relief Work organizer for St. John's Lutheran Church, in Arnold, MO since June 2009.

Sumner is an avid genealogist and military historian, and a published author. Read his article "The Battle at Moore's Brook, Scarborough, Maine, June 29, 1677" at <http://www.hampton.lib.nh.us/hampton/history/military/mooresbrook.htm>



Photo: Sumner attending a General Society of 1812 event in his Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company mess dress uniform.

Veterans Day Ho'olaule'a 2019, by Jr. Vice Commander Peter Hirai

The Oahu Veterans Council is holding two events on Monday, November 11, 2019 to honor Veterans on Veterans Day. The first will be a ceremony up at Puowaina, the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific.

At 0900 a ceremony will honor Veterans that we have lost and those who are still missing in action. There will be speeches, songs, and an F-22 jet Missing Man Formation. The Oahu Veterans Council (OVC) will provide buses to members of registered Veteran Service Organizations (VSO's) such as ours. If you park at the Oahu Veterans Center at 1298 Kukila St, Honolulu, HI 96818 and board the buses at 0800, they will take you right up to the ceremony and bring you back to the OVC! Stay at the OVC for the second event, a Veterans Ho'olaule'a!

At 1100-1500 at the OVC, they are honoring living Veterans who are members of registered VSOs, again including MOFW! Please bring your Families and plan to spend an entertainment-filled afternoon with other Veterans. There will be a catered lunch, live bands, door prizes, and a silent auction to benefit the Center. All this is FREE to honor your service! Bring your kids, because there will be a bounce house, games, a shave-ice truck, and snacks!

Plan to spend a day honoring those that sacrificed, then enjoying the afternoon with your fellow Veterans and Families!

Remember that the Ho'olaule'a is sponsored by the Oahu Veterans Council to thank Veterans who are members of registered Veterans Service Organizations such as the MOFW. Please don't send an invitation beyond MOFW.

Upcoming events:

- **9 September — Hawaii Civil Air Patrol Cadet Awards Ceremony**, 1800-2000 hrs. at the PME Building on Hickam Air Force Base. POC is LtCol Tony Terrara, CAP.
- **16 September, National Sojourner's Presentation of the Lodge of Military Tribute Ceremony**, Honoring Veterans of all Services and Conflicts. 6:00 p.m. at the Makiki Masonic Temple at 1227 Makiki Street (corner of Kinau and Makiki Sts). This event is being sponsored by Pearl Harbor Lodge F & AM. All veterans are encouraged to wear their service uniforms or appropriate civilian attire. Contact [Roy Ota](mailto:Roy.Ota@pacafball.org) (808) 354-4528
- **20 September — Memorial Service for the 100th Bn, 442nd Inf. Regt.**
- **20 September— 72nd PACAF Air Force Ball**, Royal Hawaiian Hotel. Visit <http://pacafball.org/>
- **29 SEP —Gold Star Mothers/Family Day.**
- **03 October —NOAA 49th Birthday** (anniversary of establishment under Dept. of Commerce in 1970).
- **08 October Columbus Day**
- **13 October —244th Birthday of the United States Navy**
- **19 October — Hawaii Navy Ball** The Navy Ball Committee and the Honolulu Navy League will host the Navy's 244th Birthday Ball at the Hilton Hawaiian Village. For more information, visit the [Honolulu Navy League page](#)
- **2 November —Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam is holding a 2019 Annual Retiree Seminar** all attendees must register by visiting www.jbphh.greatlifeohawaii.com, under the "support" tab, MFSC Class Calendar or by calling 808-474-1999 for assistance.
- **10 November — 244th Birthday of the United States Marine Corps**
- **10 November — Veterans Day Ceremony** at the Hawaii World War Memorial and Natatorium.
- **11 November— Veterans Day Ceremony** at the NMCP
- **?? November— 73rd Annual Wahiawa Lions Club Veterans Day Parade**
- **7 December Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day**
- **14 December — Wreaths Across America in Hawaii**, National Military Cemetery of the Pacific



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