

LIFESTYLES

Hawaii Marine B Section

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The tangled mess of entwined bodies, called a scrum, is one way to contest possession of the ball. Ruggers from the K-Bay Sharks rugby team recently went head-to-head with members of the Hawaii Pacific University rugby team during K-Bay's debut game in the Hawaii Rugby Union Tournament.



Cory Ioa, K-Bay Sharks scrum-half, pulls the ball from the tangled mess of a scrum and passes it to a teammate to start a drive downfield.



A Hawaii Pacific University rugby player towers over the K-Bay Sharks during a lineout.

K-Bay rugby team makes debut in HRU tourney

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The oddly misshapen ball, slightly resembling a football, sails off of the tee as it is kicked downfield. A player makes the catch and begins his drive upfield. He pitches the ball back to a teammate moments before being destroyed by a devastating tackle.

This may seem like the latest installment in the Extreme Football League, but it is not. This is a pad-free, carnage-filled Saturday afternoon rugby game featuring the newest rugby team to Oahu, the K-Bay Sharks from Marine Corps Base Hawaii, Kaneohe Bay.

This team of rag-tag, mismatched men take the field to practice four nights a week and play every weekend in Hawaii Rugby Union play, facing teams from Hawaii Pacific University, Brigham Young University Hawaii, the University of Hawaii and many more teams of rugby enthusiasts, which meet weekly to spread their own special brand of sport to the fields of Oahu.

The K-Bay Sharks made their playing debut in a tournament at Waikiki's Kapiolani Park

March 17, winning their first game against HPU 5-0, and losing the second against the Hawaii Harlequins 3-12.

Many of the players who came out to participate in the Sharks debut had no experience playing rugby outside of the team's practices and were just getting their first taste of competition on the battlefields of the sport.

As well as playing in Hawaii Rugby Union Matches, the Sharks also hope to jump-start intramural rugby leagues on base. These leagues would offer units the opportunity to be represented on the rugby field in seven or ten-man team leagues. This would differ from Hawaii Rugby Union play, which consists of 15-man teams. The next step in the team's path to glory is recruiting more players, whether they have experience with the game of rugby or not, said Pete A. Asplund, a Sharks member.

As their numbers grow, the Marines of the K-Bay Sharks look to further spread carnage and chaos on the clawed, muddy battlefields of Oahu and the Hawaii Rugby Union.

For more information about the K-Bay Sharks, or for information on joining the team, call Asplund at 256-5753, or e-mail club president Andrew Brown at apie8man@aol.com.



Rich "Smooth" McCormick attempts to put two more points on the board with a kick following a try.

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POSSIBILITIES IN PARADISE

By Debbie Aisoff, MCCS Public Affairs

Smashing Spring Splashing

Go ahead—make a splash at Ocean Concepts, Dave's Hawaiian Ice Cream & Gordon Hansen Shapes' Spring Splash, Saturday at the Manana pool (rain date, April 8). From noon–4 p.m., you'll enjoy free Red Cross swim evaluations and lessons, introductory surfing and scuba diving lessons, and watch the Pool Hawk Swim Team's racing challenge. You can also pre-register for upcoming swimming lessons for the kids as well as for the Jr. Lifeguard program. A bouncy house will keep all the land-dwellers entertained, as will the music, games and many door prizes.

In addition to the nautilus festivities at Manana, bring the family a bit earlier and walk, run, even stroll the 1.2 mile Family Fun Run at 10 a.m. This free event is complete with activities along the route. You may register that morning on-site at 9:30 a.m.

Join Water Safety's open house and make a splash this season. For more information call 254-7655.

March into Savings

You're athletic. You're busy. You need a shoe that can keep up with your life demands all while sporting fashion. The Marine Corps Exchange's Shoe Department invites you to attend their "Athletic Shoe Clinic," this Saturday from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Representatives from Asics, New Balance and Adidas will be on-site to offer proper fitting tips and product care advice. In addition to your newfound knowledge, you'll also receive 20 percent off on your brand-named purchase. (Some restrictions apply). Get the right fit. Get the right fashion. Get a great price. Call 254-3890.

Splat Attack

Which Armed Forces branch will be the best of the paintball best? Will the

Marines, Navy, Air Force, Army or Coast Guard prevail to become Paintball Champions during the SM&SP's Interservice Paintball Tournament, this Saturday aboard MCB Hawaii behind Lemon Lot Field from 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Five-person teams may compete with their own equipment or rent it for \$10. You may also bring in your own paint or purchase 2000 rounds for \$75. Registration fee is \$150 per team. The top three teams will receive awards. Spaces are limited and time is running out.

Be your own action hero and star splatting! For more information, call Dawn Williams at 254-7636.



MCCS Celebrates Children

Four incredible events rolled into one happening holiday! Mark your calendars now for MCCS' Keiki Festival of Fun!

April 14, MCCS will host the annual "MCCS Celebrates Children," commemorating Mokapu Mall's 3rd Birthday, the Month of the Military Child, Child Abuse Prevention Month and Easter at the Mokapu Mall Courtyard.

Activities for the entire family, you'll enjoy Art in the Park, an information Expo, entertainment, bouncy houses, games, prizes and an Easter Egg Hunt. For more information, call 254-7417.

Semper Fit Shorts

All-Marine Triathlon Resumes are due to the Semper Fit Athletic Office by April 1. Resumes must include any competition results from the past two years. Competition takes place June 4 – 12 aboard MCB Camp

Pendleton, Calif. Resumes must also be command authorized for consideration. For more information, contact Steve Kalnasy at 254-7590.

Spring Softball Tournament, April 6 – 8 aboard MCB Hawaii. This double-elimination sporting event is open to the public and the entry fee is \$175 per team. All teams must enter no later than Monday at the Semper Fit Center, Bldg. 3037.

Command General's Semper Fitness Series continues. The 8th annual 3D Marines 10-Mile & 10k Run is staged for April 21 at 7 a.m. Entry fee is \$12 which includes an exclusive race T-shirt. Participants registering after April 13 are not guaranteed a T-shirt. Awards will be presented to the top three overall performers as well as to the top performer in various age categories. Call 254-7597.

Get well. Be well. We can show you how. Contact Dan Dufrene, the new Health Promotion Coordinator and he will provide health-related insight to individuals and units in nine categories. The most important investment you can make in life is in yourself. Call to find out more, 254-7636.

Hot Summer Sun-Sations

Soaking up the rays and hours of PlayStation may not be what you envision for your little bundle-of-joy this summer. What will your kids be up to while you're away at work? Don't take a chance. Enroll your keiki into Youth Activities' Summer Sun-Sation adventure program. This summer adventure for kids in grades K-6th is a supervised program that keeps the kids socializing, stimulated with sports, crafts, field trips and water activities both at K-bay and Camp Smith.

Registration for Summer Sun-Sations begins on April 1 at the Youth Activities Office, Bldg. 5082 (K-bay)

or Bldg. 832 at (Manana / Camp Smith). Cost is determined by total family income. Space is limited to the first 65 children and minimum deposit of \$100 is required upon reservations. For more "sun-sational" information, call 254-7612.

\$25—What a Stretch

What would Allen Greenspan say if we all had our own private money tree? Well, since that is never going to occur, each one of us must find ways to make every dollar count and to stretch every dollar as much as possible.

As of April 1, Youth Activities will initiate a price increase to include a one-time annual fee of \$25 for the first family member, \$15 for the second and \$10 for any there after. This cost will aid to offset the costs of other Youth Activity programs and events.

Here are some of the exciting events and activities your money will be contributing to MCB Hawaii's youth:

Reduced prices for sport and dance fees
School Age Care Program
Gymnastics Center
Arts & Crafts
Overnighters
Parents Night Out

Who knew that \$25 could go so far? The Youth Activities' staff is committed to providing quality programs for your children. If you have any concerns, please give Director, David Kawada a call at 254-7610.

Strike up a Contingency Plan

Should the teachers of Hawaii go on strike, Youth Activities has a contingency plan ready for your keiki to include both K-Bay and Manana. For children in grades K-4th Youth Activities is working in conjunction with Kama'aina Kids and offers a full-day program for \$20 a day. Children ages 10 – 17 may take part in Youth Activities

Drop-in-Center open from 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. This center is free to members (\$25 annual membership fee applies).

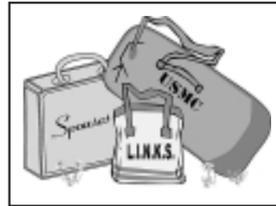
Don't be left in a state of panic. Make arrangements now. Call 254-7610 to find out how. Kama'aina Kids may be reached at 254-7931.

In the Know and Room to Grow

Have you just arrived to MCB Hawaii? Have you been able to find your way around? Has anyone provided insight to the vast resources, services and products both the base and MCCS offer? Yes, it would be nice if we all had such a friend. Better yet, you can meet many friends and contacts at the New Arrival Orientation on April 5 at the Base Theater, Bldg. 219 at from 7:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Free coffee and donuts aren't the only tremendous benefit, you'll also be briefed from various agencies aboard the base and MCCS which will better prepare you for your tropical tour.

In the lobby area, you'll have a chance to mingle through the Marketing Information Station and receive products and information from GEICO Insurance, Windward Wireless and United Benefits. Members from TRI-Care, Personal Services and Base Safety are just a few of the stops you may make on your information quest. Getting settled is never easy. Make your situation—your new duty station work for you. For more information, call Marie Jesus at 257-7790.



L.I.N.K.S.

You may have seen the name. You may have heard a

bit about this networking program for new military spouses, but who has time to attend a L.I.N.K.S. session in the middle of the week? Now you can.

As part of the Marine Corps Family Team Building program, Lifestyles, Insights, Networking, Knowledge and Skills (L.I.N.K.S.) is a path to assist military spouses to the many customs, traditions and resources available to your and your family while living the military lifestyle. You'll meet new friends and make contacts.

Now L.I.N.K.S. is hosting a special Saturday session April 7 from 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. at the L.I.N.K.S. House located next to the Armed Services YMCA, Bldg. 579 on Reed Road. For more information, call 257-2368.

National Library Week

Your mind can take you places. Where do you want to go today? The Base Library can help you get there. When is the last time you dropped by the library? Are you aware of all the services and collections they offer? From StoryTime, computer usage, special exhibits to the Warrior's Reading List, your Base Library is your information hub.

The Base Library is currently seeking talented, young artists to design their official Base Library Bookmark. In commemoration of National Library Week, children of all ages are invited to pick up an entry form at the Base Library, Bldg. 219 and design a bookmark with this year's theme: "@ Your Library."

This bookmark contest is open from April 1 – 7. All entries must be submitted to the Base Library no later than 3 p.m. April 7. One winner from five age categories will be chosen and announced at the MCCS Celebrates Children Event on April 14 at Mokapu Mall.

For more information, call 254-7624.

SM&SP



Vision Statement

To provide a forum that inspires, informs and unites the Navy, Marine Corps Team in the spirit of Aloha by improving the Quality-of-Life and Morale for both the military and civilian community.

Program Preview

Saturday — Inter-service Paintball Tournament. All active duty—all branches, \$150 team of five. Awards for top three teams.

Saturday — Polynesian Cultural Center Trip. Single, active duty, E-5 & below. Tour seven villages, pageant of long canoes, tram tours, brass concert, evening show & IMAX, \$38.

May 26 – 28 — Maui Memorial Weekend Trip, \$205, includes airfare, shared accommodations & rental car. Limited to the first 20 people.

For more information, call the SM&SP Coordinator, Dawn Williams at 254-7636.

SemperToons By Staff Sgt. Charles Wolf



Ford Island 10K scheduled for April 14

JoAnne Yow-Fairchild
NB Pearl Harbor MWR

PEARL HARBOR — All branches of services are invited to race across the harbor at the Ford Island Bridge 10K Run on April 14 at 7 a.m.

The 6.2-mile run will start at the entrance to Admiral Bernard "Chick" Clarey Bridge. Participants will race across the scenic bridge onto historic Ford Island, circle around some of the

most beautiful parts of the Island, race back on the bridge and finish at Richardson Field, across from Aloha Stadium.

Entry fee, which includes an official event T-shirt, is \$25 for all.

Last day to enter the event is on April 11.

No race-day entries will be taken.

Prizes will be awarded to the top three overall finishers in the male and female military and

non-military categories and the first and second place in each age category.

This event is part of MWR's continuing effort to provide enhanced quality of life programs to sailors and family members.

Proceeds from this event will benefit the Navy's Morale, Welfare and Recreation programs.

For information, call the Pearl Harbor MWR Athletic Office at 473-2494 or 473-2437.

MOVIE TIME

Prices: Adults (12 and older) \$3, Children (6 to 11) \$1.50, Children (5 and younger) free. Matinee prices are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children. Parents must purchase tickets for "R" rated movies in person at the box office for children 16 years old and younger.

For E-5 and below, admission is free to the second show on Friday and Saturday evenings only. Sunday evenings, the price is \$1 for all patrons. Please show your ID at the box office. Phone 254-7642 for recorded information.

Saving Silverman (PG-13)
The Wedding Planner (PG-13)
3000 Miles to Graceland (R)
Valentine (R)
Recess: School's Out (G)
Gladiator (R)
Sweet November (PG-13)

Friday at 7:15 p.m.
Friday at 9:45 p.m.
Saturday at 7:15 p.m.
Saturday at 9:45 p.m.
Sunday at 3:30 p.m.
Sunday at 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday 7:15 p.m.

MARINE MAKEPONOS

HAWAIIAN FOR "MARINE BARGAINS"

The deadline for submitting Marine Makeponos ads is 10 a.m. Friday the week prior to publication. Makepono ad forms may be filled out Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the MCB Hawaii Public Affairs Office, located in Bldg. 216.

Ads must be submitted in person and will be accepted only from active duty and retired military personnel, their family members and MCB Hawaii civil service workers.

Ads are free and will appear in two issues of the Hawaii Marine. Marine Makeponos may be used only for non-commercial classified ads containing items of personal property offered by and for individuals authorized to use this service. Such ads must represent incidental exchanges, not of a sustained business nature.

Ads are run on a first-come, first served, space-available basis.

Auto

1988 BMW 636 automatic, 2 door, sunroof, new tires, good condition. No stereo, no antenna. \$8,000. Call 254-1018.

1990 BMW 525, white w/ black leather, automatic, power seats, locks, windows. Sunroof, 95K miles. \$10,500 OBO. K-Bay lemon lot. 254-4968.

2000 Mazda 626 LX, chestnut 4 cyl, AM/FM/CD, power driver set, power windows/locks. Alloy wheels tinted glass. Call Ron or Juanita. 254-3006. \$17,000.

1999 Dodge Stratus, 17K miles, like new condition, power everything, C/C, A/C, 6 yr/80K miles bumper-to-bumper warranty, 24-hour roadside assistance. Only asking payoff of \$16,999. 254-1724.

1987 Ford Ranger STX, Super Cab, 6 cyl., auto, full power, bed liner, sport rack, new paint, cold A/C, great buy, \$2,900. 262-5922.

1989 Ford Ranger XLT, 91K miles, V-6 auto, A/C, cassette, AM/FM, heavy duty suspension. Excellent condition, \$4,000 OBO. Call 477-0888 or 778-4020.

1991 Mitsubishi Eclipse, turbo GS, 5 speed, air conditioning, AM/FM stereo and cassette, runs well. Blue Book retail, \$5,220, asking \$4,000 OBO. Call 2534-2134.

2000 Ford ZX2 fully loaded, asking payoff, only \$11,500. Six CD changer, sun roof, extras. Please call 254-8052 or 780-3982.

1996 Plymouth Breeze, low miles, new tire and brakes, January inspection. Great car! Call 254-0223 for details. \$8250 OBO.

1993 Nissan Sentra, \$3,900. Mint engine, no leaks, A/c, cruise, AM/FM cassette, automatic, always maintained. Reliable — never broken down. Call 254-5362.

1997 Honda Accord LX p/w, p/l, p/m, automatic, 4 door, CD player, AM/FM. 45K miles, A/C. Good condition, \$13,000 OBO. Must sell! Call 254-8014 or 256-7529.

1983 BMW 733i, body in excellent shape, needs some work, excellent project/island car. 124K miles. Asking \$1,400 OBO. Call 254-6545. Must sell.

1997 Jeep Wrangler. Excellent condition. Must see. 50K miles, cd changer, soft top, \$13,000. Call 263-2736.

1990 Chrysler Lebaron, convertible, 5 speed, new tires, runs great, well cared for,

\$2,000. Call 257-2420 ext 226.

1994 Ford Ranger, green, new transmission, great condition. Runs smooth, asking \$8,500 OBO. Call Roman or Tricia at 254-8893.

1991 Ford Ranger XLT, 91K miles, V-6/auto/AC/cassette, heavy duty suspension. Good condition. \$3,800 OBO. Call 456-4020 or 778-4020.

1993 Honda Accord EX, \$8,000 OBO. Black, two-door coupe, 5-speed alloy wheels, available June 5. PCSing. For more information, call 263-6065.

Miscellaneous

Dresser, five drawer, wood grain, good condition, \$25. Futon bed (two singles or queen), comfortable, good condition, \$100. Call 262-5922.

Wanted, Doll house, plastic or wooden. Please call Katie at 254-1056.

Carpet for sale, burgundy, 13 1/2 x 21 1/2 living area plus hallway, padding included. 254-5175 — call ASAP, moving.

Found: Men's wedding ring near Officers' Beach in December. Please call Mike or Christina at 254-2038 to claim.

Surfboard, 9-foot longboard. Purchased for \$425, asking \$300. Call 254-2134.

Nursery Monitor (Gerry), \$20. Call 253-0090 for more information.

Two Roadmaster tricycles, \$15 each. Call 253-0090.

WebTV Plus with wireless keyboard and remote. Internet without a computer! Call 254-2114.

Sewing machine, Nelcor mdl #5102FSB \$150. Call 253-0090.

Two piece entertainment set, \$75,

Bissell Big Green Machine, \$50. Wodden Korean hat box, TV/VCR stand and storage chest, antique dresser. Call 456-7557.

Sears ProForm 580SI spacesaver treadmill. Six preset programs, auto incline. Four years old. \$150. Call 282-2048.

Cannondale R300 road bike, yellow with black trim, Shimano Sora components, 54cm frame, comes with clip in pedals, AREO bars and bike shoes included size 43CM (size 9), 7 months, \$800 invested, asking \$725 OBO. Call 254-1724.

Wanted: Swingset. Metal or wood. Please call 254-1056.

Gateway Computer System, 733MHz PC, CDROM, DVD, Cambridge soundworks speakers, color printer, microphone, 17" monitor, lots of software. 8 months old — like new, must see! \$1,200 OBO. Call 254-8014 or 256-7529.

Three-piece sectional sofa, w/ottoman, \$500. Standing floor lamp, \$45. Recliner, \$150. Call Jodi at 253-0072.

Babysitter needed for two children, 2 1/2 years and 15 months. Hours are flexible. If interested, please call us at 254-2007.

Dog sitter needed to look after our two English cocker spaniels. Very friendly, well behaved dogs. If interested, call 254-2007.

Baby items, changing table, bassinet, breast pump, two swings, girl clothes (ages 0-12 months,) etc. Call 386-9407.

Furniture, Queen oak futon, glass table, solid wood table w/ four chairs, computer desk, metal desk, etc. Call 386-9407.

Garage Sale, Lt. Col., USMC PCSing. April 7, 971 Luna Ho'oko Pl. in Kailua. Left on Aulua Rd., just past Castle Hospital (Maunawili.) Call 263-6065 for more information.

WORD TO PASS

Ft. Shafter Arts and Crafts Shop

The Ft. Shafter Arts and Crafts Shop is open to all active duty retired servicemembers, DoD civilians and their family members.

Facilities, instruction and supplies available at the shop are: wood working, ceramics, pottery, stained glass, polymer clay, lei making and children's classes. The shop is open every Friday from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sundays from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information, call the shop at 438-1071 during their hours of operation.

WAVES

Active, retired and reserve women in the sea services interested in joining or obtaining info on Na Nalu O'Hawaii, the local WAVES chapter, call Eugenia Woodward at 623-4735. Meetings are held the second Saturday of every month

and are open to women in the Navy, Navy Nurse Corps, Coast Guard, and Marine Corps.

Rod and Gun Club

The Kaneohe Rod and Gun Club meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the Bachelor Officers' Quarters conference room. For more information on joining, call Wally Heyer at 254-5739.

Third MarDiv Reunions

The Third Marine Division Association will hold its 47th Annual Family Reunion in Irving, Texas Sept. 26-30. All Marines who have served with or been attached to the Third Marine Division are encouraged to attend.

For more info, logon to www.caltrap.com, or call Sgt. Maj. Bill Krueger at (703) 451-3844 or Bill Ervin at (303) 494-7752.

1/3 Reunion

Marines from 1/3 will hold their annual reunion in conjunction with the Third MarDiv Reunion in Irving, Texas.

For more information, logon to <http://members.aol.com/hatch101> or call Bill Ervin at (303) 494-7752.

Society of Military Widows

The Society of Military Widows meets the first Friday of the month at 6 p.m. at MCB Hawaii, Kaneohe Bay Officers' Club for an informal Mongolian Barbeque.

They also meet every third Saturday of the month at different locations. For more information, call 262-7953.

Heart Disease

Worried about heart disease and strokes? Call the American Heart Association at 1-800-242-8721 for information on your concerns.