



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DECORATE YOUR STROLLER AND MORE FOR BAYFEST CONTEST

MARINE CORPS BASE HAWAII, Kaneohe Bay, June 15, 2011 – All creative and crafty parents are invited to decorate their child's stroller, wagon or wheelchair for the SoulTrex Decked Out Wheels contest at BayFest. The competition will be held at the Verizon Fest Tent Stage at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 16. Contestants may enter one of three categories: patriotic, Hawaiian or recycled materials. Prizes will be awarded to the top finisher in each group, courtesy of SoulTrex, Inc. Register in advance at bayfesthawaii.com/competitions.shtml or on-site the day of the event at the Fest Tent.

Other children's activities for the day include a Keiki Coloring Corner in the Fest Tent from 2:00-3:00 p.m. Additionally, the E.K.Fernandez carnival rides, games and midway will be open from noon – midnight. Families can enjoy Coconut Island Boat Rides from 12:00-6:00 p.m. for a nominal fee, and children can also explore the military equipment displayed throughout the festival.

BayFest is an annual event hosted by MCCS and MCB Hawaii and is open to the public. The three-day music and family fun festival will include performances by Cecilio & Kapono, Puddle of Mudd, Hoobastank and Joe Nichols and features competitions, food, military displays, the GreenFest @ BayFest Expo and more.

Tickets are available in advance at www.bayfesthawaii.com, all military ticket outlets, the Stan Sheriff Center at UH, Hard Rock Café Waikiki and Pinky's Pupu Bar & Grill. General admission to the BayFest grounds is \$5 in advance and at the gate.

MCCS provides morale, welfare and recreation programs and services which attribute to readiness and retention of Marines, Sailors and family members stationed aboard MCB Hawaii. Proceeds from this and other MCCS events are reinvested into quality of life programs at MCB Hawaii. For more information about MCCS, visit MCCSHawaii.com.

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