

# BRM Set Events & Meetings Schedule, Winter 2017-2018

Here are the times, dates and locations for forthcoming meetings, and events:

BRM/CERT Classes:

1. **Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>**, is and has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Boardroom**
2. **Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>**, has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Presentation Room**
3. **Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup>** has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Presentation Room**
4. **Wednesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>** has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Presentation Room**
5. **Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>** has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Presentation Room**
6. **Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>** has been reserved from **5:00 to 8:30 PM – Presentation Room**
7. The Field Exercise is on **Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>**, is schedule to begin at **7:30 AM – Battery Harlow.**

BRM Executive Committee's Monthly Meetings:

1. **Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**, has been reserved from **8:00 to 10:00 AM – Boardroom**
2. **Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**, has been reserved from **8:00 to 10:00 AM – Boardroom**
3. **Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>** has been reserved from **8:00 to 10:00 AM – Boardroom**

BRM usage of the Manoa Valley District Park to stage two events in 2018.

A. **Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> 2018, 8:00 am to 12:00 Noon**, Annual Exercise at the Multipurpose Room

B. **Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 am to 1:00 pm**, Manoa Preparedness Fair, at the Main Gym

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## Ham Radio Class in Manoa Valley

This FREE class covers the study for Ham Radio license, taking the license (optional) and hands-on practice with Ham Radio gear (optional). Students will need to purchase the ARRL Ham Radio License Manual Third Edition before the class. The test session on October 12, 2017 is \$15. So your investment would be the License Manual (cost will vary depending where you look which is approximately \$30) and the test fee if you choose to take the exam. Morse Code is no longer required. Contact Glenn Otaguro ([glenn.otaguro@gmail.com](mailto:glenn.otaguro@gmail.com)) to sign up for the class—include your name, email address, and phone number.

LOCATION: Manoa Innovation Center (2800 Woodlawn Drive)

DATES, TIMES & LOCATIONS:

Thursday, September 7th, 7 to 9 PM Ideation Room  
Thursday, September 14th, 7 to 9 PM Board Room  
Thursday, September 21th, 7 to 9 PM Board Room  
Thursday, September 28th, 7 to 9 PM Ideation Room  
Thursday, October 5th, 7 to 9 PM Board Room  
Thursday, October 12th, 7 to 9 PM\* Board Room  
Thursday, October 19th, 7 to 9 PM\*\* Board Room

\* October 12th is the optional License test (\$15)

\*\* October 19th is the optional Hands-on with Ham Radio equipment

CERT trained volunteers with Ham Radio licenses could qualify to receive a Ham Radio equipment loan from the DEM. However, for BRM CERT volunteers, you will be required to participate in BRM events and exercises relating to Ham Radios. Additionally, you will be required to take on comm shifts during BRM disaster responses.

Space for the Ham Radio class is limited to 20 students. Ham Radio licenses are good for 10 years. Mahalo Nui Loa to EARC for providing the instructors for this FREE class. Big thanks to Be Ready Manoa for organizing this effort to train CERT volunteers to operate Ham Radios during emergencies. Big Thanks to Manoa Innovation Center for allowing us to use their facilities for such a valuable event.

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## Upcoming Events – Summer and Fall 2017

### **Windward CERT ‘Round Robin’**

August 26, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Kaneohe LDS Church, 46-117 Halaulani St.,  
Kaneohe, HI 96744

### **Manoa CERT Battery Harlow Exercise (Diamond Head)**

September 2, show up at 7:15 am, should end around 1:00 pm

### **Manoa CERT Graduation Celebration (Potluck)**

September 2, 5:00 pm

U.H. Manoa College Hill, 2230 Kamehameha Ave

## **Ewa Beach Preparedness Fair**

September 9, 8:00-10:30 & 10:30-1:00 (two shifts)

Ewa Makai Middle School, 91-6291 Kapolei Parkway

## **Kailua CERT Exercise**

September 23, 8:00 am-12:00 pm

Kailua High School ROTC Building