

Pack 311 January 2024 Hike-athon!

Start the new year with our favorite hikes! No matter what den you are in, you are free to join any of these hikes. Just RSVP to the leader either by email or scoutbook. Also – remember to bring your 6 Essentials – water, snacks, flashlight, whistle, first aid kit and sun protection.

January 6 Pu'u Ma'eli'eli (aka Digging Hill/Kaneohe Pillbox)

Time: 7 am

Meetup: Ko'olau Shopping Center (Times)

Leader: Ryan Watanabe email: ryan.watanabe@navy.mil

Miles: 2.5 miles

Description: This Kaneohe hike ends with a pillbox and amazing views of Kaneohe. This is a moderate hike that has several uphill portions and can be muddy if it's been raining.



January 7 Waimanalo Ditch Trail (Holy Grail)

Time: 10am-12pm

Meetup: Meet at the Waimanalo end of the Maunawili Demonstration Trail / Maunawili Ditch Trail which is off Waikupanaha St, just past Mahiku Pl. in Wamanalo.

Leader: Jonathan Crosson email: jonathanandkara@yahoo.com (808)222-8188

Miles: 2 miles

Description: easy loop trail, but bring shoes that can get wet if you plan to walk into the water tunnel to find the holy grail.



January 14 Waipuilani Falls

Time: 8:30 am

Meetup: Pali Lookout. Park in the Pali lookout parking lot. The trail starts a short way down the road.

Miles: 2 miles

Hike Leader: Sam Sutera email: sutera44@yahoo.com

Description: Starting right next to the Pali, this hike will go through a diverse range of trees and plants to reach two waterfalls. There's also an old irrigation tunnel to explore at the end. This is a medium hard hike, expect muddy conditions *these waterfalls need lots of rain to be flowing at more than a trickle.

<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/waipuilani-falls?u=i>



January 20: Old Pali Road

Time: 9 am

Meetup: Ko'olau Ballrooms/Golf course. Parking is \$10 per car

Miles: 2.5

Hike Leader: Daniel Enyart Email: danielenyart1@gmail.com

Description: This historic hike, follows the Old Pali highway and is paved for around 2/3rds of the hike. Great views of Kaneohe at the top, plus the chance to go beneath the current Pali Highway. An easy hike. <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/old-pali-road?u=i>



January 27 Upper Waimano Tunnels (Loop)

Time: 2:30pm

Meetup: LJA. Parking can be limited at the trailhead so we encourage families to meet at LJA and carpool to the hike

Miles: 3

Hike Leader: Theresa Rakotonirina email: theresarakotonirina@yahoo.com

Description: Scouts will get to explore old irrigation tunnels on this kid favorite. Don't forget your flashlights and bug spray! <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/lower-and-upper-waimano-trail?u=i>



Additional Hike Ideas:

Lanikai Pillboxes: <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/kaiwa-ridge-lanikai-pillbox-trail?u=i>

Likeke Falls: easy ½ mile hike to a waterfall <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/likeke-falls-trail?u=i>

Judd Loop trail (aka Jackass Ginger swimming hole) 1 mile loop with a swimming are and rock slide <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/judd-trail?u=i>

Lulumahu Falls: <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/lulumahu-falls-trail?u=i>

Makapu'u Lighthouse: <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/makapu-u-point-lighthouse-trail?u=i>

Kawainui Marsh: great for walking, running, and biking
<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/kawainui-marsh-trail?u=i>

Pu'u O Hulu (aka pink pillbox): A popular pillbox hike for sunsets
<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/puu-o-hulu?u=i>

Ka'ena Point: beautiful ocean views, plus the chance to see monk seals, albatross, and even dolphins and whales! Heads up that this one has almost no shade, so bring sun protection and extra water
<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/kaena-point-trail-from-south?u=i>
<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/hawaii/oahu/kaena-point-via-farrington-highway?u=i>