

2018 AOGS Field Trips



Pacific Tsunami Warning Center

Fee Per Person: 90 Singapore Dollars

Participation: Minimum of 10, Maximum of 14

Available: Tuesday, June 5

Depart HCC 8:15am Return to HCC 11:45am

Guide: Stuart Weinstein

Website: http://ptwc.weather.gov/

Description:

- PTWC is located on Ford Island in Pearl Harbor
- Responsible for broadcasting tsunami alerts to all countries around the Pacific Ocean.
- This tour will introduce AOGS scientists to the new high-tech home of PTWC and to the scientists responsible for analyzing large earthquakes and deciding whether or not to issue an alert.

For a history of PTWC, see: http://www.tsunami.gov/?page=history

The Fine Details:

- PTWC is located on Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, a US Naval base.
- Upon receipt of your registration for this field trip, advance paperwork will be sent to you so that you
 may be pre-approved for access to the base.
- This paperwork must be returned to AOGS by April 1, 2018.
- No refunds or substitutions after April 1, 2018.

On the date of the field trip all participants must carry proper identification to secure their pass. International visitors must present a passport. A secondary picture ID is also suggested, but it is not a substitute for a passport. Domestic visitors should bring U.S. issued drivers license or government issued picture ID. A secondary ID is also suggested.

Agenda:

8:15am Depart Hawaii Convention Center from main entrance

8:45am Base clearance/secure passes
10:15am Tour of PTWC (approx. 1 hour)
11:45am Arrive Hawaii Convention Center