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Aloha All,

I have been incognito but the time has come! Please forward to any interested teams - participation is open to public, private and homeschool teams.

MATE-BIRR (Big Island Regional ROV) competition will be held on/at:

Sparky Kawamoto Pool
Saturday, May 9, 2009
7:45-3:30PM
Ranger & Scout Classes
please check the http://marinetech.org/rov_competition/index.php for team sign ups.

Mission details can be found at the link below.
http://marinetech.org/rov_competition/2009/design_and_mission.php

Hawaii Teams - if you are interested in participating in the 2009 MATE-BIRR competition, please contact Cindy Fong. I currently have Act 111 funds to purchase kit supplies for teams. A short application will be posted shortly but let me know if you are interested.

The 2009 MATE International ROV Competition will be held
June 24-26, 2009
Massachusetts Maritime Academy
Buzzards Bay, Massachusetts

MATE has posted the missions for the 2009 MATE International ROV Competition.

Planning is underway locally for the MATE 2010 International ROV Competition to be held hopefully, Hilo, Hawaii.

Cheers!
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