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# The 29th annual World Fireknife Festival



Falaniko Penesa after winning the 2019 Men's Championship. Photo courtesy Polynesian Cultural Center

It's a tradition of every luau – a barechested Polynesian man in a lavalava quickly spinning a fiery pole so quickly the fire looks like a burning "O" in front of them. The fire dancer is an integral part of any luau or Polynesian Show and is always a crowd-pleaser. Every year it seems the speed of twirling and variety of movements are constantly increasing, thereby increasing the excitement of these performances.

For centuries, performers have been twirling, throwing, catching, and dancing with a Samoan war club known as a nifo oti. Still, it wasn't until 1946 when a young street performer in San Francisco named Uluao "Freddie" Letuli noticed a Hindu fire eater and a baton twirler nearby and became inspired. The story goes that Freddie asked the fire-eater for some fuel, wrapped towels around his blades, set them on fire, and started his routine again.

Since 1992, the Polynesian Cultural Center has held an annual competition to name the World Fireknife Champion. Those that attend this competition will be treated to a cultural experience unlike any other they have ever seen. In addition to crowning the best in the

world, the festival seeks to maintain the integrity, quality, and high level of performance of this ancient skilled art form and serves to educate the public about the history and culture behind this ceremonial dance. Since its inception, the competition has grown from an original thirty competitors to over 65 performers last year from around the world.

The most talented fireknife dancers from across the country, Samoa, Tahiti, Japan, and Australia, will come together at the Polynesian Cultural Center for four nights of fiery competition. Competitors ranging in age from as young as six years old to the most experienced and celebrated performers will compete in their respective divisions seeking to win the coveted title of World Fireknife Champion.

To do so won't be easy. Fireknife dance judges have an extensive checklist. In addition to how skillfully and dramatically dancers twirl their nifo oti, fireknife dance judges are also looking for several traditional movements or actions. They will judge them on the difficulty of their motions and the speed of their spins. The

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# Waikiki Beach Walk





How many of you remember the Lewers Street of old? Restaurants such as Waikiki Broiler, Lewers Street Fish Company, Pieces of Eight Restaurant, Chuck's Steakhouse, and Davey Jones Ribs lined the road throughout the years, with the Trattoria Restaurant around the corner tucked underneath the Outrigger Edgewater hotel. After dinner you could get your drink on hopping from the Jazz Cellar to the Red Lion and Lewers Street Annex. (Fun Fact: the Annex was next door to Wendy's and they shared a bathroom. For a while there, those of us who weren't quite old enough to get in through the front door, could walk into the bathroom on one side, and walk out the other! Not that I would know anything about that of course!) At the end of the night, if you had overindulged a bit too much to drive home, you could stumble up to the front desk of the OHANA Waikiki Village or the Edgewater and usually grab a reasonably priced

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# Publisher's Letter Getting back into the swing of things

Here we go! Every day that goes by, things seem to be getting closer and closer back to normal. The calendar is chock full of live entertainment. It seems every artist who canceled a show one, two, three, or even four times is beelining back to the Islands to fulfill their contract. And every event save for two in our calendar is actually live. There are two holdouts. Hawaiian Airlines May Day Celebration and the highly popular Lantern Festival remain virtual one last time. But, aside from that - everything else seems to be all systems go!

So much so that I finally decided its time to bring back the That's Entertainment page. There were just too many changes, and most hotels had not brought back all of their lobby entertainment that it didn't make sense before now. It's by no means as complete as it once was. I expect it will grow as we go forward, but for now, you can find all sorts of free entertainment options at hotels and shopping malls. In addition, I have moved some of the events you've been seeing in the continuing events section of the calendar to this section. If you're looking for cultural activities at a mall or a farmers market, they are now listed on page 19. Lastly, I have also included some basic information on some of our top attractions and museums on that page as well. You can rest assured I have spent the past two weeks updating this, so the information there is current as we go to press, but I'm sure I have missed some. Please bear with me as we all get things back up and moving, but slowly but surely, we should have this section filled back up again.

I have also re-introduced the concierge card. Remember, this is not a card. You simply need to mention the offer and show them your hotel ID to get the discount, so please do not cut up the magazine. They don't need to see it. Lastly, we have added a help wanted section. There are many places out there looking for full- and part-time help. If you are looking for some extra hours to pay your gas bill or have a friend not working, please share the information. Hope to see you around soon!

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Amy Taylor

There's been a lot of movement in the GM world lately. The *Hyatt Centric* has welcomed **Amy Taylor** as their new general manager. Most recently at the Andaz Maui, she has spent the past 15 years with Hyatt

Hotel. • Steve Miller has been named general manager of the Outrigger Waikiki Beach Resort. He comes to the island from his most recent post as the complex general manager at the Westin/Sheraton Birmingham in Alabama. • Coming from a bit further away is the new general manager of the Shoreline Hotel. Ibonne Pinilla just moved here from Columbia. In years past she worked with Melia Hotels in properties from Atlanta to Costa Rica. • Lastly, our dear friend Thomas Foti, the general manager of the Waikiki Beach Marriott has accepted the position of Dual General Manager of the Moana Surfrider and the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani effective May 21. Congratulations! • The Ritz-Carlton Residences, Waikiki Beach announced the appointment of Cohco Harbour as Sales Manager. She joined the property in 2017 as a Front Desk Agent. Prior to joining the resort, she was with the Aulani and JTB Hawaii. • Castle

Hospitality Group has announced that Hawaii hospitality veteran Revell Newton has been named Vice President of Sales. Revell has more than 25 years of hospitality experience and previously served



Revell Newton

as GM of the Aston Maui Kaanapali Villas and Outrigger Waikiki. • Please welcome Darian Pang who joined the International Market Place as Marketing Sponsorship Specialist. • Pleasant Holidays has recently hired Mary Lancaster and Miyuki Asai to join their Marriott Complex team. • The Turtle Bay Resort has recently expanded their team. Please welcome the newest members of their staff including Tomasina Aalona, Concierge; John Fayette, Guest Service Manager; Ana Arcolas, Asst Director of Rooms; Ednette Foster, PBX; Foa Afalava, Bungalow Host, and Maryam Zakeri, Ocean Bungalow Manager. In addition to all these great hires, there was some news shared as well. Dado Corpuz, our 2014 Concierge of the Year passed away last month. He was such a pleasure to work with. We would like to extend our deepest condolences to his friends, family, and Turtle Bay 'ohana.



Sunday, May 8th is Mother's Day. Most every restaurant in town will be offering a special menu, and you better make reservations at your favorite soon if you haven't already. Additionally, there are several special concerts being offered.

#### Comedy Brunch with Frank DeLima

Enjoy a special brunch at Blue Note Hawaii followed by a special comedy show from everyone's favorite comedian, Frank DeLima. Doors open at 11 a.m., Show starts at 1 p.m.\$35-\$45 bluenotehawaii.com.

#### Royal Hawaiian Band's Free Concert

The Royal Hawaiian Band is the oldest municipal band in the United States. It's been entertaining Honolulu residents and visitors since its inception in 1836 by Kamehameha III. They will perform a free concert for Mother's Day at the Kapi'olani Park Bandstand at 1 p.m. rhb-music.com.

#### Na Leo's Mother's Day Concert 2022

Hoku Award winning Na Leo Pilemehana returns for their annual Mother's Day concert at the Hawaii Theatre. 1:30 p.m. \$45-\$75. hawaiitheatre.com

#### Celebrate with Amy Hanaiali'i

The Halekulani will present its first ever Mother's Day concert. Amy Hanaiali'i, will perform in the Halekulani Ballroom with a special buffet brunch menu. Each mother will be presented with a complimentary mimosa, a long-stemmed rose, and a special giveaway. Doors open at 10 a.m., concert starts at 11:00 a.m. Adults: \$116, \$58 per child (5 – 12 years). 518-2019.

# EXTR Newsflash XTRA

#### HAWAI'I HANDWEAVERS HUI SPRING CLASS SCHEDULE

The Hawai'i Handweavers Hui offers classes in weaving and related fiber techniques in their brand new Hui Studio located at the Downtown Art Center. All skill levels are welcome and classes offered for all experience levels. Get tips from experts in classes ranging from basic weaving techniques, hat making, lauhala bracelets, soap making, coconut frond critters, dyeing, quilting and more. Learn more at hawaiihandweavers.org.

# AFFORDABLE PARKING FOR INDUSTRY WORKERS IN WAIKĪKĪ

The Waikiki Shopping Plaza is now offering discounted rates to hospitality workers for an affordable and reliable place to park their cars. Industry workers with proof of Waikiki employment can purchase special stickers at the discounted rate of \$10. Each sticker can be used to park for up to 10 hours during parking lot hours. Submit proof of employment and a valid driver's license to qualify to purchase these validations. waikikishoppingplaza.com/industry.

#### ALA MOANA CENTER ADDS SEVERAL MORE FOOD OUTLETS

Ala Moana Center continues to grow with the addition of several new stores and restaurants. MangoMango Dessert just opened on Level 3 outside of Bloomingdale's and Illy Caffé on Level 2. Popular Kaimuki restaurant Himalayan Kitchen opened in the Diamond Head Wing on Level 1 and over 18,000 feet of a candy goodness called It'Sugar, opened in the 3rd level of the Mauka Wing, Yomie's Rice X Yogurt opened in Center Court and Sharetea in The Lanai. A Taiwanese dessert shop called Meet Fresh and Wahlburger open this month in the Ewa Wing, alamoanacenter.com

# PASSPORT TO PEARL HARBOR TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE

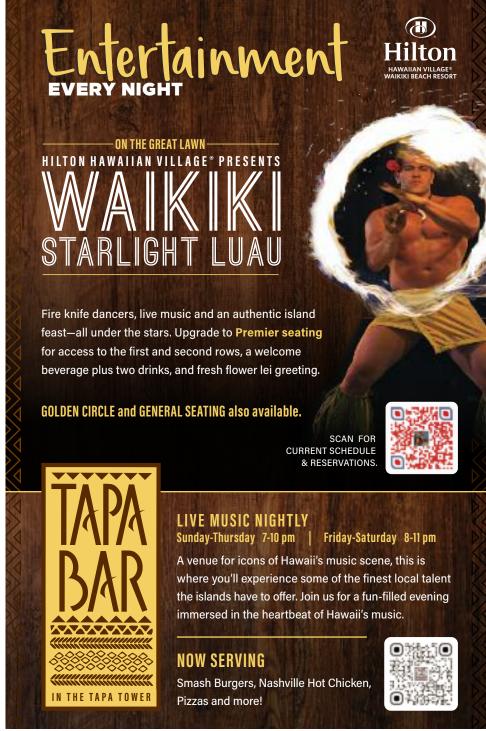
Passport to Pearl Harbor Tour tickets can now be purchased online. The Passport includes self-guided narrated tours and museum admissions to each of the four Pearl Harbor Historic Sites. Visitors will have a chance to learn more about the December 7, 1941, attack and World War II through an audio tour and virtual reality experience, as well as admission to the Pearl Harbor Aviation Museum, the Pacific Fleet Submarine Museum, and the Battleship Missouri. Note: it does not include program reservations for the USS Arizona Memorial recreation.gov.

# DRIP HAWAII OPENS FIRST WAIKIKI IV WELLNESS SPA

Waikiki's first full-service IV Wellness & Lifestyle Med Spa is open at the Alohilani Resort. The 800 square foot luxury medical spa, located on the second floor, has two treatment suites, 3 IV infusion stations and boasts state of the art non-invasive body shaping equipment such as the FDA approved Emsculpt NEO, for targeted body sculpting, and the BTL Emsella, a breakthrough treatment for incontinence. driphawaii.com.

# INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE ADDS SEVERAL NEW TENANTS

International Market Place has welcomed new tenants recently. Joining their retail selections are Mashka Jewelry, Opal Fields, Foot Locker, and Spirit of Masters, a unique home-decor store. Opening their first storefront is Aloha Motorsports, offering rental opportunities from Harley's to Slingshots, and HUB Coworking Hawaii now offers 24/7 access to those who are looking for office space. shopinternationalmarketplace.com.



## Fireknife Festival

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height of their throws has to be at least twice the dancer's height. They will even judge them on their entrance and exit. The men will be judged on their aggressive warrior-like moves, while the ladies are judged on how they maintain their grace as they perform their movements. Winning the Championship is not easy, and the dancers will put on the performance of a lifetime. Attendees will be treated to a cultural experience unlike any other, and the best of the best will be crowned a World Champion in Women, Junior, and Senior Divisions.

While visitors may think of the fireknife dance as simply an exciting part of a luau, it is so much more than that. For most of the competitors, this is a way of life. Some of these competitors have lived and breathed fireknife all their lives as these are traditions passed down through generations. For them, it's a mindset. Fireknife dancing isn't a team sport. It's a competition against yourself. Whether you succeed or fail is all on you. A close look at the competitors' last names will show how deeply these connections run.

The Polynesian Cultural Center has created a special film series to showcase this lineage. JERI is a three-part short film series that highlights the story of a woman fireknife dancer named Jeri Galea'i. The films, directed by Tay Steele, showcase the history and importance of fireknife dancing in the Samoan culture. Born into a fireknife dynasty, Jeri is the daughter of 3x world champion David Galea'i, who learned the art from his mother. Alongside the cultural background of

fireknife dancing, the film follows her journey in preparing to compete in the 2019 World Fireknife Championships on her way to becoming the first-ever women's world champion.

The World Fireknife Championship is one of the highlights of the We Are Samoa Festival, Hawaii's largest Samoan cultural gathering and the premier showcase of Samoa's traditions. Hawaii high school students of Samoan ancestry will demonstrate their knowledge of Samoa's culture by competing in a series of traditional practices, including



Jeralee Galeai performing before securing the 2019 Women's World Champion. Photo courtesy Polynesian Cultural Center.

protocol and speech-making, basket weaving, coconut husking and fire making, costuming, and poise, dance, and interpretation.

These events are a unique celebration of cultural traditions that is fun and fascinating for the whole family. The World Fireknife Championship is a oncein-a-lifetime opportunity for many of our visitors who may never have a chance to see a competition like this again.

Tickets to attend the Junior and Intermediate on May 4 and the Men and Women's Competition on May 11 cost \$15 for all ages.

The Men's Division Finals take place on May 12 during intermission of Ha: Breath of Life. Tickets start at \$89.95 and include admission to 'Ha'.

For more information, call 293-3333 or visit polynesia.com.



# A Special Event 15 Years in the Making

Join us for our kickoff celebration of our 15th anniversary and a fabulous afternoon of music, hula, bamboo stamping classes, and of course, some of the best food in Waikiki just footsteps away.

## Sunday, May 15 at 4pm



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#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### World Fireknife Championship

- Wednesday, May 4, 6:30 p.m. Junior and Intermediate Competition Pacific Theater
- Wednesday, May 11, 6:30 p.m. Men and Women Competition Women's Finals

Pacific Theater

Thursday, May 12, 7:30 p.m. Men's Finals Pacific Theater

#### We Are Samoa Fealofani Day / High School Samoan Cultural Arts Festival

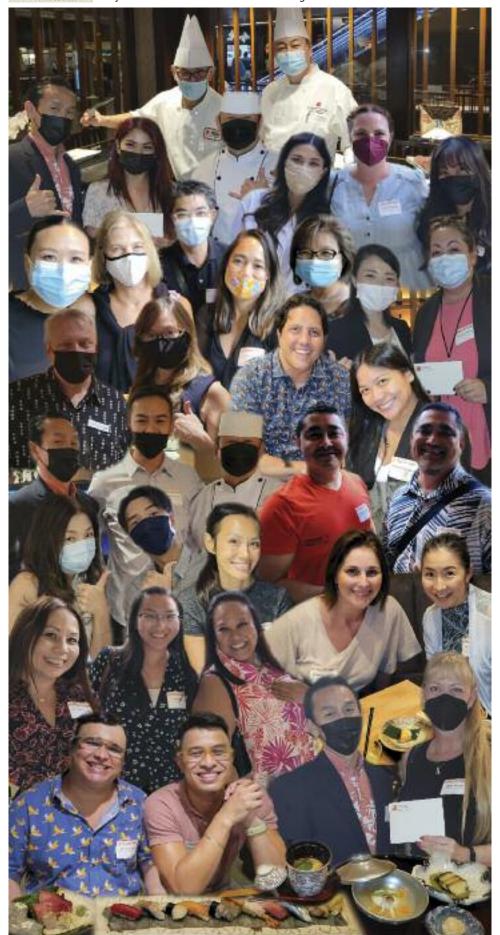
• Saturday, May 7, 11:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. - Pacific Theater

#### **JERI Series Film Screening**

Saturday, May 7, 3:00 p.m. – Hawaiian Journey Theater



After patiently waiting for months for Restaurant Suntory to reopen, the restaurant finally opened its doors to its beautifully renovated location. The restaurant held several days of opening events to make sure concierge, industry executives, media, and tour group agents got a look before they opened to the public. Guests were able to try food from all three of their new dining rooms. For reservations call 922-5511.





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### Waikiki Beach Walk's 15th

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room for the night so you could put off the drive until morning. It was a young adult's dream, but the street had more than its share of problems and the buildings were quite old, and it was an expensive struggle to keep ANNIVERSAR them up. So, although the Trattoria is still missed by many to this day (can we talk about their cannelloni!), when Outrigger came up with a master plan to redesign that area of Waikiki, although it was a daunting task that took well over a decade to complete, but succeeded in not only completely revitalizing the area, but it did so in a way that was inviting to visitors and locals alike. Many say that the Waikiki Beach Walk redevelopment was the turning point for the transformation of Waikīkī and re-establishing Waikiki as the preeminent urban resort destination.

Waikiki Beach Walk was the largest project in Waikīkī since the 70's and played a significant role in reversing Oahu's decline in visitor arrivals and welcoming residents back to Waikiki. "Reflecting on Waikiki of 15 years ago, our iconic Waikiki Beach Walk project was the catalyst and turning point for the renaissance and revitalization of Waikiki," said Barbara Campbell, vice president/ retail, Outrigger Hospitality Group. "We are pleased that 15 years later the project's original vision is still very much alive. It's our hope that through our dining and merchandise mix, combined with our Hawaiian cultural offerings and special events, our customers will find Waikiki Beach Walk to be every bit as exciting as the day it opened."

This month they celebrate 15 years in Waikīkī, with Hawaiian culture inspiring its architecture, landscaping, tenant mix and an outdoor entertainment plaza. It is a shopping and dining destination with an emphasis on local businesses. Among its collection of small, locally owned businesses are Blue Ginger, Big Wave Dave Surf & Coffee, Coco Mango, Hele Mai Salon, Kahala, KaiAloha Supply, Kolohe, Mahina, SoHa Living, The Ukulele Store and Hele Mai Salon.

Outrigger has long been committed to preserving and perpetuating Hawaiian music and culture over the years, and its deep connection to Hawaii's music industry can be seen at Waikiki Beach Walk on a regular basis. From free weekly concerts to monthly showcases featuring some of Hawaii's most

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Therefore, it comes as no surprise that Waikiki Beach Walk has decide to celebrate their anniversary with a special musical performance. From 4 – 5 p.m., quests can participate in 'ohe kapala," the art of stamping by using carved wooden sticks that are inked to create intricate patterns on the Plaza Lawn. Taking the stage from 5 – 6 p.m is Kumu Hula Hiwa Vaughan, daughter of the late, great Palani Vaughan, and her Halau Hula Ka Lehua Tuahine. Palani Vaughn performed at Waikiki Beach Walk many times over the years before his death in 2016. Her halau will dance to music provided by a few members of Palani's old group the "King's Own" including Kawika Kahiapo, Kimo Artis, Kai Artis, and Eric Lee to honor the legendary musician who would h How many of you remember the Lewers Street of old? Restaurants such as Waikiki Broiler, Lewers Street Fish Company, Pieces of Eight Restaurant, Chuck's Steakhouse, and Davey Jones Ribs lined the road throughout the years, with the Trattoria Restaurant around the corner tucked underneath the Outrigger Edgewater hotel. After dinner, you could go bar hopping from the Jazz Cellar to the Red Lion and Lewers Street Annex. (Fun Fact: the Annex and Wendy's shared a bathroom. There was a time when those of us who weren't quite old enough to get in through the front door could walk into the bathroom on one side and out the other! Not that I would know anything about that, of course!) At the end of the night, if you had overindulged a bit too much to drive home, you could stumble up to the front desk of the OHANA Waikīkī Village or the Edgewater and usually grab ridiculously reasonable room for the night so you could put off the drive until morning. It was a young adult's dream, but the street had more than its share of problems, and the buildings were guite old, and it was an expensive struggle to keep them up. So, although some of the businesses there are still missed to this day (can we talk about Trattoria's cannelloni!), Outrigger came up with a master plan to redesign that area of Waikiki. It was the largest project in Waikīkī since the '70s and a daunting task that took well over a decade to complete, but it succeeded completely revitalizing the area. It also created a destination that was inviting to visitors and locals alike. Many say that the Waikiki Beach Walk redevelopment was the turning point for the transformation of Waikīkī and re-establishing Waikiki as the preeminent urban resort destination.

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For more information on Waikiki Beach Walk and its anniversary celebration, head to waikikibeachwalk.com.



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922-2268 Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Britt Kino (or Taz Vegas) 4-6pm 7-9pm Scott Magz (or others) Dave Watanabe (or Ben Kama) 9:30-11:30pm

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| Maui Brewing Compan        |              | 843-2739    | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     | an                 |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              |             | Jenna K (or others)           | 4-6pm              |                |
| Scott Magz                 | 3:30-5:30pm  |             | Taulia Love Duo (or others)   | 7-9pm              |                |
| Dustin Park                | 6-8pm        |             | Darrell Aquino (or Ben Kama)  | 9:30-11:30pm       |                |
| Merriman's Honolulu        | ·            | 215-0022    | Giovanni Pastrami             |                    | 923-2100       |
| Live Slack Key guitarist   |              |             | Acoustic Soul, R&B and Pop    | )                  |                |
| Freddy Leone               | 5:30-7:30pm  |             | YOZA (or others)              | 6:30-9:30pm        |                |
| Moani Waikiki              | ·            | 466-2629    | <b>House Without a Key</b>    |                    | 923-2311       |
| Contemporary Island Musi   | c            |             | Hawaiian music & hula by l    | Miss Hawaii USA '2 | 21 Allison Chu |
| AJ Keolanui                | 6-8pm        |             | Delima Ohana                  | 5:30-8:30pm        |                |
| Monkeypod Kitchen Ko       | '            | 381-4086    | Pu'uhonua (5/10)              | 5:30-8:30pm        |                |
| Live Contemporary          |              |             | Kani Ka Pila Grille           | •                  | 924-4992       |
| Koa & Yaz                  | 3:30-5pm     |             | Hoku Award Winning Hawa       | aiian musicians    |                |
| Rumfire                    |              | 921-4600    | Kala'e Camarillo              | 6-9pm              |                |
| Live Contemporary Hits     |              | 721 4000    | Mahi'ai Table                 | •                  | 670-2778       |
| Chris Salvador 6 -9:30pm   | 1            |             | Live Contemporary             |                    |                |
| Signature Prime Steak      |              | 949-3636    | Johnny III                    | 5-8pm              |                |
| Contemporary Pianist in th | e har        | 747 0000    | Mahina & Sun's                | •                  | 923-8882       |
| Keith Montross             | 6-9pm        |             | Electrifying Acoustic on the  | Lanai              | 7_0 000_       |
| Splash Bar at the Sherato  |              | 921-4600    | Laupepa Letuli                | 6:30-9:30pm        |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              |             | Mai Tai Bar at the Royal H    |                    | 923-7311       |
| Kaleo Kahumoku             | 6-9pm        | э орт       | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     |                    | ,,,            |
| Swell at the Alohilani     | o , p        | 294-4108    | Eric Lee (or Chris Salvador)  | 6-9pm              |                |
| Solo Contemporary Guitari  | st           | 274-4100    | Maui Brewing Compan           |                    | 843-2739       |
| Drew Henmi (or Brad Kawaka |              |             | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     |                    | 040 2707       |
| SWIM at the Hyatt Regence  | •            | 923-2311    | Christian Yrizarry            | 3:30-5:30pm        |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              | 723-2311    | Johnny Suite                  | 6-8pm              |                |
| Alex Oasay                 | 5-8pm        |             | Merriman's Honolulu           | '                  | 215-0022       |
| The Beach Bar at the Moa   |              | 922-3111    | Live Contemporary             |                    |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              | 722-3111    | John Kema                     | 5:30-7:30pm        |                |
| Eric Lee (or Keoni Ku)     | 4:30-6:30pm  |             | Moani Waikiki                 | '                  | 466-2629       |
| Johnny Valentine           | 7-10pm       |             | R&B Soul                      |                    | .00 _0_7       |
| The Edge at the Sheraton   |              | 921-4600    | Freddy Leon                   | 6-8pm              |                |
| Live Hawaiian Music        |              | 7=1 .000    | Rumfire                       | •                  | 921-4600       |
| Stephen Inglis             | 1-4pm        |             | Live Contemporary Hits        |                    | 7=1 1000       |
| The Point Sunset Pool      | •            | 293-6000    | Christian Yrizarry (or Dave W | atanabe) 6-9:3     | 0pm            |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              |             | Signature Prime Steak         | ,                  | 949-3636       |
| Mike Cheape                | 4-7pm        |             | Contemporary Pianist in the   | e bar              | 2 12 0000      |
| Tiki's Grill & Bar         | '            | 923-TIKI    | Keith Montross                | 6-9pm              |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   | an           | 7_0         | Splash Bar at the Sherator    |                    | 921-4600       |
| Michael Piranha            | 5-7pm        |             | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     |                    |                |
| BK Espiritu                | 7:30-9:30pm  |             | Ronson Asuncion               | 6-9pm              |                |
| Tommy Bahama Restau        | -            | 923-8785    | Swell at the Alohilani        | '                  | 294-4108       |
| Contemporary Hawaiian. I   |              |             | Solo Contemporary Guitaris    | st                 |                |
| Jeremy Hirokawa            | 5-8pm        | - 1         | Kamuela Kahoano               | 6:30-9:30pm        |                |
| •                          |              |             | SWIM at the Hyatt Regency     |                    | 923-2311       |
|                            | ESDAY        | 007 5400    | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     |                    | ,              |
| Amuse Wine Bar             |              | 237-5428    | Drew Henmi                    | 5-8pm              |                |
| Live R&B & Contemporary    | 7 0nm        |             | The Beach Bar at the Moa      |                    | 922-3111       |
| Chris Salvador             | 7-9pm        | 004 0000    | Live Contemporary Hawaiia     |                    | • • • •        |
| Barefoot Beach Café at (   | ueen's Beach | 924-2233    | Stephen Ingles                | 4:30-6:30pm        |                |
| Backyard Hawaiian          | E.20 0.20    |             | Alex Oasay (or Brad Kawakam   |                    | om             |
| Ben Kama                   | 5:30-8:30pm  | 044 / / / 0 | The Edge at the Sheraton      |                    | 921-4600       |
| Chart House Waikiki        |              | 941-6660    | Live Hawaiian Music           |                    |                |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii   |              |             | Eric Lee (or Brandon Serano)  | 1-4pm              |                |
| Ryan Tang Group            | 6-9pm        |             | The Point Sunset Pool B       | •                  | 293-6000       |
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Live Contemporary Hawaiian Kala'e Camarillo Live Contemporary Hawaiian Danielle Parente 4-7pm Shane Kainoa 5-8pm Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina 381-4086 Tiki's Grill & Bar **923-TIKI** Live Contemporary **Giovanni Pastrami** 923-2100 Live Contemporary Hawaiian & Reggae Shaun Garnett 12:30-2pm Live Contemporary Biku 5-7pm Billy Sage 6:30-9:30pm **Rumfire** 921-4600 Kelandy Diaz 7:30-9:30pm Live Contemporary Hits **House Without a Key** 923-2311 Mike Tulba Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Universe '97 Brook Lee **Tommy Bahama Restaurant** 923-8785 6-9:30pm 5:30-8:30pm Contemporary Hawaiian. Happy Hour Daily 2 - 5 p.m. Signature Prime Steak 949-3636 Ei Nei Johnny Kukui 5-8pm Contemporary Pianist in the bar Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992 6-9pm Pierre Grill Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians **WEDNESDAY** Kawika Kahiapo 6-9pm Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani 921-4600 921-4600 Live Contemporary Hawaiian - DJ spins from 3 - 6pm **Lewers Lounge** 923-2311 Dave Watanabe Jazz Pianist 5:30-8:30pm 8:30pm-12am Ethan Capone Swell at the Alohilani 294-4108 924-2233 Jim Howard (5/12, 5/19) 8:30pm-12am Solo Contemporary Guitarist 6:30-9:30pm Danielle Parente Mahi'ai Table 670-2778 5:30-8:30pm Live Contemporary **SWIM** at the Hyatt Regency 923-2311 941-6660 Alex Oasav 5-8pm Live Contemporary Hawaiian Kapena Delima (5/26) 5-8pm Kupu Dalire-Na'auao (or others) 5-8pm Mahina & Sun's 923-8882 The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider 922-3111 922-2268 Hawaiian Contemporary on the Lanai Live Contemporary Hawaiian Kelly Boy DeLima 6:30-9:30pm **Christian Yrizarry** 4:30-6:30pm, 7-10pm 4-6pm Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311 The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600 Live Contemporary Hawaiian Live Hawaiian Music 9:30-11:30pm Stephen Inglis 8-10pm Kaleo Kahumoku 923-2100 The Point Sunset Pool Bar at Turtle Bay **Maui Brewing Company** 843-2739 293-6000 Live Contemporary Hawaiian Live Contemporary Hawaiian 6:30-9:30pm Alex Oasay 4-7pm

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**THURSDAY** 

6-8pm

Contemporary Hawaiian. Happy Hour Daily 2 - 5 p.m.

7:30-9:30pm

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Tiki's Grill & Bar

Ben Kama

TJ Rosimo

Stan Albrecht

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

**Tommy Bahama Restaurant** 

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Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Deck. at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel

**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Kona Chang Duo (or Chapter II)

Eating House 1849 Waikiki

Uluwehi Young (or Kaimi) 9:30-11:30pm

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach

Contemporary Piano

**David Swanson** 

Chris Salvador

Noly Paa

Keoni Coelho

Tito & David

Live Contemporary

Freddy Leone (or others)

Scott Magz (or others)



923-TIKI

923-8785

921-4600

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David Sedlak 6-8pm **Maui Brewing Kailua** 518-2739

Live Contemporary Hawaiian Jason Laeha (or others) 6-8pm

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Live Contemporary

Laupepa 5:30-7:30pm

**MINA's Fish House** Live Contemporary Hits

Christian Yrizarry 6-9pm

Moani Waikiki 466-2629

Contemporary Island Music

Kimo Opiana 6-9pm

Rumfire 921-4600

Live Contemporary Hits

**Dustin Park** 6-9:30pm

949-3636 **Signature Prime Steak** 

Contemporary Pianist in the bar

Grant Carvalho & Rocky Holmes 6-9pm Sky Waikiki 979-7590

Live Contemporary

John Akapo 5-8pm

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#### **FRIDAY**

100 Sails at the Prince Waikiki 944-4494 Live Contemporary & Hawaiian Mike Tulba 6-8pm 921-4600 Azure at the Royal Hawaiian Live Contemporary Hawaiian Ethan Capone 5:30-8:30pm Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233 Live Contemporary Hawaiian Art Kalahiki & Friends 5:30-8:30pm **Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660 Live Contemporary Hawaiian Mike Tulba 6-9pm Deck. at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel 931-4488 Live Contemporary Shane Kainoa (or others) 6pm-9pm 922-2268 **Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** Live Contemporary Hawaiian Maunalua 4-6pm

7-9pm Kawika Kahiapo

9:30-11:30pm Shar Carillo (or BIKU) **Hard Rock Cafe** 

Live Contemporary Kailua Beach Buddies 6-9pm

**House Without a Key** 923-2311 Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Hawaii '73 Kanoe Miller

955-7383

Kapalama Trio 5:30-8:30pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992

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Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians Kamakakehau Fernandez 6-9pm 923-2311 **Lewers Lounge** Jazz Pianist

Tommy James 8:30pm-12am

Mahi'ai Table 670-2778 Live Contemporary

Brandon Serano 5-8pm

Mahina & Sun's 923-8882 Slack Key on the Lanai

Dustin Park Duo 6:30-9:30pm 923-7311

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian Live Contemporary Hawaiian Johnny III 6-9pm

Mariposa 951-3420

Live Contemporary Chris Salvador 2:30-5:30pm

843-2739 **Maui Brewing Company** Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Keith Batlin (or Koa Lopes) 3:30-5:30pm City Boys 6-8pm

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Jenna Keala 6-9pm

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| Live Hawaiian Music  |  | 721-4000  |
| Christian Yrizarry (or Ben K   | ama) 1-4nm   |   |
| The Grove at the Modern  |  | 943-5800  |
| Live Contemporary  | rooi Deck  | 743-3000  |
| Jeremy Hirokawa (or other  | rs) 4-7nm  |   |
| The Point Sunset Pool I  |  | 293-6000  |
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| Biku   | 3-5pm  | ,   |
| RootsKai   | 5-7pm  |   |
| Malu Productions   | 7:30-9:30pm  |   |
| Tommy Bahama Restau  | urant  | 923-8785  |
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| Chris Murphy   | 5-8pm  | •   |
| Vintage 1901 at the Moa  | ına  | 921-4600  |
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| Mariposa  |                   | 951-3420 |
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| Maui Brewing Compan                                     |                   | 843-2739 |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii                                |                   | 043-2737 |
| Ben Kama (or Deah Duo)                                  | 3:30-5:30pm       |          |
| Chapter II (or Jenna K)                                 | 6-8pm             |          |
| Maui Brewing Kailua                                     | •                 | 518-2739 |
| Live Contemporary Hawaii                                | an                |          |
| Scott Magz (or others)                                  | 7-9pm             |          |
| Merriman's Honolulu                                     |                   | 215-0022 |
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| Shane Kainoa  | 5:30-7:30pm       |          |
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| Mark Caldeira   | 4:30-7:30pm       |          |
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Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani 921-4600

Live Contemporary Hawaiian - DJ spins from 3 - 6pm

The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Kupu Dalire Na'au (or others) 1-4pm

The Grove at the Modern Pool Deck

The Point Sunset Pool Bar at Turtle Bay

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The Edge at the Sheraton

Live Hawaiian Music

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Live Contemporary Hawaiian

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| Mahina & Sun's   |                  | 923-8882 | Kamuela Kahoano (5/21)                          | 6pm-8pm                     |            |
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| Dave Watanabe  | 6-9pm            |          | Tommy Bahama Restaurant                         |                             | 923-8785   |
| Mariposa<br>Live Contemporary                            |                  | 951-3420 | Contemporary Hawaiian. Chris Murphy             | Happy Hour Daily .<br>5-8pm | 2 - 5 p.m. |
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| Scott Magz (or others)                                   | 7-9pm            |          | Barefoot Beach Café at                          | Queen's Beach               | 924-2233   |
| Merriman's Honolulu                                      |                  | 215-0022 | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                      |                             |            |
| live Contemporary  |                  |          | Alika Souza                                     | 11am-2pm                    |            |
| Shane Kainoa   | 5:30-7:30pm      |          | Art Kalahiki                                    | 5:30-8:30pm                 |            |
| MINA's Fish House<br>Live Contemporary Hits              |                  | 679-0079 | Chart House Waikiki<br>Live Contemporary Hawaii | an                          | 941-6660   |
| Johnny Helm  | 6-9pm            |          | Dean & Dean                                     | 6-9pm                       |            |
| <b>Moani Waikiki</b><br>Contemporary Island Music        |                  | 466-2629 | Duke's Canoe Club Wa                            | ikiki                       | 922-2268   |
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| Live Contemporary Hawaiia   | an           |          |
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| Ben Kama (or Ronson Asuncio | on) 10an     | n-noon   |
| Stephen Inglis (or others)  | 1-3pm        |          |
| Henry Kapono                | 4-6pm        |          |
| Kaiona Duo (or Ono Kine)    | 7-9pm        |          |
| Denny Ono                   | 9:30-11:30pm |          |
| Ellsworth Simeona (5/22)    | 9:30-11:30pm |          |
| Alika Souza (5/1, 5/29)     | 9:30-11:30pm |          |
| Giovanni Pastrami           |              | 923-2100 |
| Reggae Pop Music            |              |          |
| Kelandy                     | 6:30-9:30pm  |          |

**House Without a Key** 923-2311 Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Hawaii USA '21 Allison Chu Pa'ahana Trio 5:30-8:30pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992 Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians

Nathan Aweau 6-9pm La Hiki Restaurant at the Four Seasons 679-0079

Live Contemporary Hawaiian Jenna Keala (or Kamuela Kahoano) 11am-2pm Longboard Lounge at the Alohilani 294-4108

DJ/Big Wave Pro Surfer Keala "KK" Kennelly Spins DJ KK (or DJ Casey) 11am-2pm

Mahi'ai Table 670-2778 Live Contemporary **Dustin Park** 5-8pm

Mahina & Sun's 923-8882

Award-winning ukulele on the Lanai Trishnalei 6:30-9:30pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311

Live Contemporary Hawaiian 6-9pm Delima Duo (or Christian Yrizarry)

Mariposa 951-3420

Live Contemporary Zaysha 12-3pm

Maui Brewing Company 843-2739

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The Point Sunset Pool Bar at Turtle Bay 293-6000 Live Contemporary Hawaiian Derrick Lee 4-7pm

**923-TIKI** 

Tiki's Grill & Bar Live Contemporary Hawaiian Eddie & the Coconuts 3 - 5pm Ellsworth & Friends 5:30-7:30pm

**Tommy Bahama Restaurant** 923-8785 Contemporary Hawaiian. Happy Hour Daily 2 - 5 p.m. Glen Domingo 5-8pm

Vintage 1901 at the Moana 921-4600

Contemporary Piano **David Swanson** 6:30-9:30pm Keith Montross (5/14) 6:30-9:30pm

Koko Head Cafe has opened in its new location at the former 12th Avenue Grill location, and their seating is almost double! Currently, only open for brunch Wed-Sun from 7 a.m. to 2 a.m.; the plan is to expand to 7 days a week soon, then

a happy hour, then dinner! The new location is perfect for them. We will keep you informed as they move forward. 732-8920. • Moving into their former space? Chubbies Burgers. The popular Kaka'ako food truck, named Honolulu Magazine's "Best Burger" in 2021, is looking forward to its first brick-and-mortar location and is expected to open early this month. • There's a new poke shop open at the International Market Place. Uncle Sharkii Poke Bar opened on Level 2, Banyan Court. Uncle Sharkii's menu offers Poke Bowls with ahi tuna, salmon, shrimp, spicy scallops, tofu, and Boba Milk Teas with Asian-infused flavors and tropical ice cream. 501-0388. • Dean & DeLuca has restarted their weekend brunch at The Artisan Loft. From 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Most items cost between \$20-\$27 and include items such as Truffle Vichyssoise Egg Kunoa Beef Waqyu Loco Osmosis, Moco, sweet and savory waffles, and more. 729-9720. • Bali Oceanfront has introduced over a dozen new items to their menu, including starters such as Charred Octopus with Tomato & Fennel Salad, Spiced Tomato Jam, Toasted Kukui Nuts (\$24), Little Neck Clams with Garlic, Sake, Dashi, Butter, Grilled Bread (\$25) and Fritto Misto including Kauai Head-On Prawns, Calamari, Island Catch, Ulu, Kabocha, Jalapeño, Broccolini, Charred Lemon, Bacon, and Saffron Aioli Dipping Sauce (\$35). New entrees include a 2 lb. Kiawe Smoked Bone-In Short-Rib (\$70), a Grilled 1/2 Rack of Lamb (\$75), and Garlic Lobster Ravioli (\$65). 941-2254. • The Original Magoo's Pizza has closed its Kapahulu location and opened next to Top of the Hill on Waialae Avenue. Open for dine-in, pickup, or take-out, call 949-5381. • Did you know Ruth's Chris Steak House has been running a Prime Time All Night Long Special? Available Monday through Wednesday. Guests can enjoy a 3-course menu starting at \$57.95. This awesome deal runs thru May 31st. • Please extend a warm welcome to Rafe Hull, who has been named Assistant GM at Pesca. Rafe has been with Wolfgang's Steakhouse for the past 13 years and previously was a manager at Roy's Kahana. Be sure to ask for him and introduce yourself the next time you stop by. Located at the top of the Ilikai, Pesca is open for lunch from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., happy hour from 3 - 6 p.m., and dinner from 4 - 10:30 p.m. 777-3100.



# Chef's Corner

## Ruth's Chris Executive Chef Ricky Murakami

Chef Ricky began his culinary career as a food runner and then jumped to the back of the house as a dishwasher. From there he started working and training his way up through the ranks, eventually landing a job as part of the Ruth's Chris Steak House opening team at Waikiki Beach Walk as a broiler cook. Just over a decade later, he successfully worked his way to the Executive Chef position and now helms the 33rd year old Restaurant Row location

#### Where are you from?

Born and raised in the islands.

What's your first childhood food memory?

One of my fondest childhood food memories is "Breakfast for Dinner!" My mom would cook us a typical local breakfast for dinner - eggs, rice and spam, bacon or Portuguese sausage.

#### What made you decide to pursue culinary?

When I was working as a server at Hale Ikena, the Kapiolani Community College Dining Room, I was asked to step in to help the kitchen as a dishwasher... and that began my career in the back of the house.

#### What was your first job in the industry?

My first job was a food runner at Perry's Smorgy, one of the first Waikiki buffet restaurants, located at the corner of Kuhio Avenue and Kanekapolei Street.

#### Who would you consider your mentor?

Leighton Miyakawa, the opening Executive Chef at Ruth's Chris Waikiki. Leighton is wellrespected in the local culinary scene and I am grateful to have honed my culinary skills with him during my 12 year tenure at Ruth's Chris

#### Can you name a dish you remember most?

My SMOKED BRISKET! I spent 17 hours preparing and smoking the brisket which I shared with family and friends.

When did you join Ruth's Chris Steak House? I began my career with Ruth's Chris in 2007 as a broiler cook when we opened our Waikiki location and now 15 years later, I am proud to be the Executive Chef at our Honolulu location.

#### What did you do during the shutdown?

We never closed during the pandemic and during lockdown we were able to provide our To Go Menu to the community.

#### Describe your food / leadership philosophy and where you find your inspiration?

I believe it is important to lead by example. My General Manager Jon Kobashigawa has also had a positive influence on my management style and is supportive of my

#### How are things going since it settled down?

We are thrilled to be getting back to normal and our team is excited to be welcome our guests back to Ruth's Chris. It's wonderful to see our dining room filled with guests celebrating with family and friend.

What's your favorite thing on the menu? Bone-In New York Steak!

#### What do you like to do on your days off?

I enjoy spending time with my daughter taking her to movies and shopping.

#### Where do you like to go when not working?

I love to explore Chinatown and shopping for "unique" items to incorporate into my cooking.

#### Any other information you'd like to share?

Every single Ruth's Chris Steak House is run by Ruth's own philosophy that real Southern hospitality makes even the best steaks taste better. We have a great special this month. From now thru May 31, 2022 we are running a Prime Time All Night Long Special. The special is available Monday through Wednesday. Guests can enjoy a 3-course menu starting at \$57.95

## **Bread Pudding**



#### Ingredients:

- 8 oz loaves French bread, cut into 1/k-inch cubes, toasted
- 1 quart milk (may use 2 percent)
- 1 quart half-and-half
- 12 eggs, beaten (egg substitute ok) 2 ½ cups sugar
- 1 cup light brown sugar

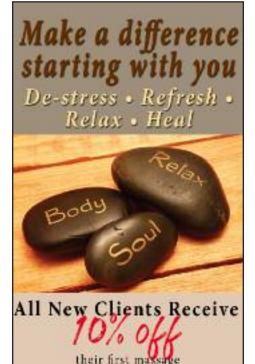
2 sticks sweet butter (may use less)

- 1 cup raisins
- 1 apple, peeled, cored & cut to ½-inch dice
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 2 tablespoons vanilla extract
- 2 tablespoons bourbon
- pinch salt

#### Directions:

Preheat oven to 375° degrees. Combine sugars and divide in half. Add cinnamon, eggs, vanilla, bourbon and salt to half of the sugar. In a saucepan, combine milk, half & half and butter with the other half of the sugar and bring to a boil. Whisk milk mixture into egg mixture, add raisins and apples. Add bread cubes and let stand until soaked through to center. Stir in a few raisins from the bottom and sprinkle a few on top. Pour into buttered baking dish  $(10 \times 13 \times 3 \text{ inches})$  and bake for 45 minutes. Serve warm with vanilla ice cream. Serves 12 hearty portions.

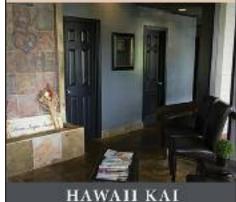
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#### **MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS** O NĀ LANI SUNSET STORIES HULA SHOW

Honoring the rich history and sense of place of the International Market Place through song & dance. It begins at sunset with the lighting of the Lamakū Torch Tower on Kalākaua Avenue and leads to the Queen's Court. Free. 7 p.m. shopinternationalmarketplace.com.

#### WEDNESDAYS, SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ALOHA STADIUM SWAP MEET

The Aloha Stadium Swap Meet has been going strong since 1979. Featuring over 400 vendors, crafters and artists, the Swap Meet offers lowprices on a wide selection of quality products with food trucks to snack from. Wednesdays & Saturdays: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., Sundays, 6:30 a.m. -3 p.m. alohastadium.hawaii.gov.

#### FIRST FRIDAY (MAY 6) **DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR**

Honolulu's beloved monthly outdoor selfguided arts tour downtown is still being held at select vendors. Monthly updates about participants are finalized and published 2 days before each First Friday at each individual participating merchant websites, or, online at firstfridayhawaii.com.

#### FIRST FRIDAY (MAY 6) TASTE OF OAHU

An evening of fun, food and live entertainment. This month features Hoku Zutterrmeister and Ho'aikane. Walk through a car show, see a fashion show, food trucks and bouncy houses.

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#### SECOND FRIDAYS **BISHOP MUSEUM AFTER HOURS**

Extended after-hours access to the Museum with a Pau Hana presentation, living culture demonstration, keiki activities, exhibition tours, J. Watumull Planetarium shows, a Membership Lounge, food trucks, and live music. 5:30 - 9 p.m. \$20/\$10 kama'aina. bishopmusem.org.

#### **FRIDAYS ROYAL HAWAIIAN BAND**

The Royal Hawaiian Band has returned to Iolani Palace for its popular lunchtime concerts. Held on most Fridays, the concerts are free and open to the public. 12 - 1 p.m. iolanipalace.org

#### **SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS** ART ON THE ZOO FENCE

See the works of local artists displayed on the Zoo fence on Monsarrat Avenue opposite the Kapiolani Park Bandstand. Works include original paintings, prints and photographs. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Free. artonthezoofence.com.

# SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS YOGA IN THE PARK

Core Power Yoga have added Saturdays to their free yoga classes at Victoria Ward Park. Registration required. Sat: 12-1 p.m. Sun: 9 -10 a.m. wardvillage.com/explore/activities.

#### **SECOND SUNDAY (MAY 15)** MELE HALI'A

Kumu Hula Hiwa Vaughan takes the Plaza Stage with her Halau Hula Ka Lehua Tuahine. to celebrate Waikiki Beach Walk's 15th anniversary. 5-6 p.m. waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### THIRD SUNDAY (MAY 15) **FAMILY FREE SUNDAY**

The Honolulu Museum of Art Family Free Sunday has been offering free admission to kama'aina on the third Sunday of the month since 2004. Family Sundays are currently a combo of both in-person and virtual events, offering something for all, but for those that want to attend in-person, they can get free museum admission with reservations. 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Free. 532-8700. honolulumuseum.org.

#### MAY 1 94TH ANNUAL LEI DAY CELEBRATION

For the first time since 2019, the Lei Day Celebration is scheduled to return to Kapi'olani Park! The Royal Hawaiian Band kicks off the festivities at 9 a.m. Along with Hawaiian entertainment, demonstrations, and exhibits, the celebration will feature a lei contest exhibit showcasing some of the most exquisitely crafted lei in a variety of colors and methods, with the beautiful scent of flowers wafting through the air. This years theme is Lei Wao Nahele (forest lei). 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. honolulu.gov/parks/program.

#### MAY 1 KALANI PE'A MAY DAY 2022



Celebrate Lei Day with 2x Grammy winner Kalani Pe'a and special quest Ho'okena, Keilana, Hoku Zuttermeister, and Hula Halau O Kamuela. Hawaii Theatre, \$45-\$100, 2 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

#### MAY 1 MAY DAY UNDER THE STARS

Enjoy an evening of hula and Hawaiian music with Nā kumu hula Karl Veto Baker and Michael Lanakila Casupang. \$20-\$50. Waikiki Shell. 7 p.m. ticketmaster.com.

#### MAY 1 • HAWAIIAN AIRLINES MAY DAY **CELEBRATION REMAINS VIRTUAL**

Keauhou headlines the concert experience alongside special guests, Robert Cazimero and his Hālau Nā Kamalei o Līlīlehua, Manu Boyd, Kainani Kahaunaele, Kamalei Kawa'a, various hālau hula, and host, Billy V. The broadcast will premiere statewide on May 1 at 7:00 p.m. on KFVE, and via Facebook Live. The program will be re-broadcast on May 7 on KGMB at 1:00 p.m. and on KFVE at 7:00 p.m., and on May 8 on KHNL at 1:00 p.m.

#### MAY 1 **MOZART'S REQUIEM**

Hear Mozart's haunting final masterwork, Requiem, at the historic Kawaiaha'o Church as the Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra and Oahu Choral Society are joined by local artists for this special performance. \$38-\$68. 7:30-90 p.m. myhso.org.

#### MAY 1 SUPER AMERICAN CIRCUS



Remember Tuffy Nicolas? He used to present shows at the old IMAX theatre, the Queen Kapiolani Hotel and more. He's bringing his biggest Circus yet to town with acts that have never performed in Hawaii including a thrilling

daredevil motorcycle act, aerialists, acrobats, jugglers, face painting and more. Today is the final day! 1 p.m., 4p.m., 7:30 p.m. Blaisdell Arena. \$16-\$65. ticketmaster.com

#### MAY 2 MAYDAY PARADE

This pop punk rock band was a regular on the Vans Warped Tour for a decade. Celebrating the 11th anniversary of their self-titles Album tour with special guests Real Friends. \$25. The Republik. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

#### MAY 4 JUNIOR WORLD FIREKNIFE CHAMPIONSHIP

As a precursor to the men's and women's finals of the 29th annual World Fireknife Championship later this week, prepared to be amazed as competitors as young as six years old take the stage for the Junior and Intermediate Competition. 6:30 p.m. Polynesian Cultural Center. worldfireknife.com.

#### MAY 5 CINCO DE MAYO BLOCK PARTY

This may be one of the first block parties downtown in two years. Nu'uanu Avenue will shut down and people are invited to dance in the streets. Expect food trucks, stages, and plenty of music. 6 p.m.

#### MAY 5-8 **TOWER OF POWER**

Tower of Power's horn-based hybrid brand of funk and souls has been rocking since 1968. Known as a "musician's band", it's high standard

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for music never waned once in the past 50 years. Two shows nightly at 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. \$86-\$116. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 7 WE ARE SAMOA FESTIVAL

Hawaii's largest Samoan cultural gathering and premier showcase of Samoa's traditions. 11:30 -2 p.m. Pacific Theatre. At 3 p.m. there will be a special screening or the JERI Series Film Screening at the Hawaiian Journey Theatre. Polynesian Cultural Center. Polynesia.com.

#### MAY 10-12 SPYRO GYRA



At last! After being rescheduled three times, this rocking jazz band is heading to town. Their infectious has a longevity that

still bringing down houses 40 plus years later, globe having played over 5,000 shows on five continents. Two shows nightly at 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. \$35-\$55. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 11-12 FIREKNIFE FESTIVAL

Watch the world's most talented fireknife warriors come together for a heated competition the 29th Annual World Fireknife Championship. See the best in the world as they spin, twirl, flip flaming knives to get earn the coveted title of World Champion. Both the men and the women compete on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. and the Women's Champion will be named. \$15, Men's Finals take place at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday during the intermission of Ha: The Breath of Live. Polynesian Cultural Center. \$89.95. worldfireknife.com.

#### **MAY 12 BUMPIN UGLIES**

This punk reggae band features a "melodydriven, free-spirited blend of ska, reggae, and punk with a strong focus on lyrics. \$25-\$100. The Republik. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

#### **MAY 13** HAPASYMPHONY FEATURING **RAIATEA HELM**

The Hawaii Symphony Orchestra wraps up their four-part concert series that combined the talents of the HSO musicians with celebrated Hawaiian musicians, and world-renowned conductors. Join Raiatea Helm for an evening of stunning Hawaiian music and symphonic selections by conductor Takashi Yoshimatsu. \$18-\$99. Hawaii Theatre. 7:30 p.m. myhso.org.

#### MAY 13-14 TONY! TON!! TONÉ!



This R&B group made some of the best R&B music of the '80s and '90s until they went their separate ways in The 1996. group decided last year to come back together as a family and celebrate

one more time with their fans and are working on a new record. Two shows nightly at 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. \$45-\$65. bluenotehawaii.com.

# MAY 14 FILIPINO FIESTA

Sama-samang Muli, Sari-saring Saya (Together Again, Loads of Fun!) Is the theme of the 30th Annual Filipino Fiesta and 10th Annual Flores De Mayo. Enjoy booths filled with Filipino traditions, cultures, arts & crafts and flavors while enjoying live entertainment and keiki activities. Filipino Community Center in Wahiawa. Free. 10 a.m. -4 p.m. filcom.org.

# MAY 14 LEAHI FESTIVAL

The monthly street fair will close all lanes and sidewalk areas of Kalakaua from Seaside to Kapahulu starting at 2 p.m. Wander through retail and craft booths, food trucks and more. 4 - 10 p.m. millwoodohanaproductions.com.

#### MAY 14-15 **BIRDS AND ANGELS**

Keitaro Harada leads the Hawaii Symphony Orchestra in the final indoor Masterworks concert of the season. The performance features three selections from prolific Japanese composer, Takashi Yoshimatsu. Todd Yukumoto plays Nikolai Kapustin's jazz-inspired Concerto for Alto Saxophone. \$18-\$99. Hawaii Theatre. Sat. 7:30 p.m. Sun. 4 p.m. myhso.org.

#### **MAY 15** WAIKIKI BEACH WALK 15TH ANNIVERSARY

The Waikiki Beach Walk kicks off their 15th anniversary with an afternoo of music, games, hula and more on the Plaza Lawn. Featuring a

special performance from Kumu Hula Hiwa Vaughan and her halau. 4 – 6 p.m. waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### MAY 18 • DEEPAK CHOPRA THE FUTURE OF WELLBEING



Join New York Times bestselling author Deepak Chopra as he guides you on how to wake up to new levels of awareness that will ultimately cultivate a clear vision, heal suffering in your mind and body,

and help recover who you really are. Hawaii Theatre. \$45-\$150. 7:30 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

#### MAY 20 BRUDDAH IZ BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

The City and County of Honolulu will pay tribute to beloved Hawaiian singer-songwriter and Hawaiian sovereignty activist, Kamakawiwo'ole, who died in 1997. The event will be held at the Wai'anae Neighborhood Community Center where a bronze bust of him was dedicated back in 2003. 768-6622.

#### MAY 20 **LEI DRAPING**

In honor of Prince Albert Kamehameha's birthday, the son of Queen Emma and Kam. IV, who died at a young age. His statue in the Queen's Court, Level 1 at the International Market Place will be draped with lei in tribute.

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#### MAY 20-21 LEA SALONGA



Known across the world for her powerful voice and perfect pitch, Lea Salonga is best known for her Tony-winning

performance as Kim in Miss Saigon. She was also the first Asian performer

to play Eponine in Les Misérables on Broadway. She wraps up her North American Dream Again Tour at the Blaisdell Concert Hall. \$35-\$125. 8 pm. ticketmaster.com

#### MAY 20-21 TITO JACKSON

Breaking onto the music scene in 1967, The Jackson 5 was one of the biggest phenomenons in pop music during the early 1970s. The entire Jackson family is pop royalty, and Tito Jackson started making his mark as a solo artist in 2016 becoming the ninth and final Jackson family sibling to hit the charts with the hit single "Get It Baby." Two shows nightly at 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. \$45-\$55. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 22 PAULA POUNDSTONE

Known for her clever, observational humor and spontaneous wit, Paula Poundstone's stand-up credentials are endless and have earned her countless awards. She has had numerous television appearances, written two books, the

last which debuted at #1 on the Amazon Bestsellers List in Humor and can be seen and heard on the big screen. Don't miss an evening with this comedy legend. Hawaii Theatre. \$35-\$45.7 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

#### MAY 25 HO'OKENA DINNER SHOW

Three-time Grammy Award nominee and multiple Nā Hōkū Hanohano Award winner Ho'okena will be performing a special dinner show at Plumeria Beach House at 5:30 p.m. kahalaresort.com.

#### MAY 25 THE STYLISTICS



The Stylistics were one of the most well-known Philadelphia soul groups of the 1970s. During the early 1970s, the

group had twelve consecutive R&B top ten hits, including "You Make Me Feel Brand New", which earned them 5 gold singles and 3 gold albums. Mike Izon and Nueva Vida open the show \$65. 6:30 p.m. Blaisdell Arena. ticketmaster.com

#### MAY 26 HENRY KAPONO WITH LEDWARD KAAPANA

Season 5 of Henry Kapono's Artist 2 Artist Legends Series concludes with yet another slack-key master who is also known for his extraordinary baritone and falsetto vocals. 6:30 p.m. \$35 - \$45. bluenotehawaii.com.





#### HOURS OF OPERATION: 8:00AM-12:00AM (OPEN DAILY)

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#### MAY 26 LĀHAINĀ NOON - KAU KA LĀ I KA LOLO

Every May and July, people gather at Sky Gate to observe Lāhainā Noon, also known as kau ka la I ka lolo (the sun rests upon the brain), a time of great mana when the sun is overhead and the aka (shadow) retreats into the body. The Sky Gate's shadow projects a perfect ring and becomes an amazing sight. Live entertainment, crafts, educational activities, and food trucks. Frank F. Fasi Civic Grounds – Sky Gate. 768-6622

#### MAY 27 THE MUSIC OF DEF LEPPARD

Everyone's favorite Windborne Music is back as Conductor Brent Havens takes the podium to present a night of Def Leppard's unforgettable hits performed by the Hawaii Symphony Orchestra and amplified with a full rock band with vocals by Justin Sargent. Waikiki Shell. 7:30 p.m. \$20-\$65. ticketmaster.com.

#### MAY 27 SEW A LEI FOR MEMORIAL DAY

One of the more distinct traditions is the placing of lei upon every gravesite within Punchbowl for Memorial Day. Every year the members of the community work together to make some 38,000 lei to fulfill this ambitious goal. The City requests donations of loose plumeria flowers or strung lei – to be dropped off at Honolulu Hale Courtyard on King Street or Kapolei Hale between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Donate fresh flowers, learn how to make a lei, and help make the lei yourself! The lei will be taken to Punchbowl Cemetery on Memorial Day, May 30th to honor all U.S. military personnel who have died while serving. 768-3002

# MAY 28 THE MUSIC OF THE ROLLING STONES

The Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra and conductor Brent Havens perform Windborne's The Music Of The Rolling Stones: Mick Jagger and Keith Richards 1969 to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of The Rolling Stones' iconic albums with a full rock band and vocals by Justin Sargent. Waikiki Shell. 7:30 p.m. \$20-\$65. ticketmaster.com

#### MAY 30 MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY

Since 1949, the City and County of Honolulu has worked with numerous veteran, community, and educational organizations to help facilitate this time honored ceremony. The ceremony is open to the public and normally includes speeches, wreath presentations, music, aircraft flyover, a military salute, and the tradition of placing of lei upon every gravesite within Punchbowl for Memorial Day. National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific at Punchbowl. 8 a.m.

#### MAY 30 LANTERN FLOATING STAYS ONLINE

The Lantern Floating Ceremony has decided to remain virtual once again. Alternate activities will once again include an interactive experience on the Shinnyo-en Hawaii temple grounds that will be open to the public by reservation from May 27 through June 5. Her Holiness Shinso Ito will appear live from Japan to offer her blessing on a special 30-minute television broadcast from 6:30 – 7 p.m. KHON2. The special will be simultaneously streamed on their social media accounts. lanternfloatinghawaii.com



I love a good hole-in-the-wall just as much as I love a 5-star restaurant. Let's be clear, a hole-in-the-wall does not mean the place is beat up or the food is junk. But it does mean it's probably a momand pop type place that didn't waste much time and effort on design. In fact, people may often discount a place based on its looks or lack of decor. However, these small businesses tend to put their focus on the quality of their food, and oftentimes, they tend to focus just on a few items and do them well. After all, it's the quality of the food that will keep their customer coming back -- not the trendy decorations or fancy Instagram reviews. And lastly, the price point is fairly comfortable because they don't have to pay for all that other stuff. I have a few favorite hole-in-the-wall's in town, and I just added another one to the list.

Beef Volcano opened at 429 Nahua Street, just up the road from Legends Sports Bar across from the back side of the White Sands. Offering new approaches to the Japanese gyu-don concept this tiny storefront offers premium roast beef bowls using tender slices of high-quality USDA black Angus beef tenderloin slow cooked at low temps for maximum flavor. Owner Shoko Yamanaka, a yoga and fitness instructor who designed her own brand of fitnesswear that she sells at Kaplili Hawaii at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, was looking for healthier dining options and decided to open her own place serving premium roast beef bowls. She knows what she does well, and she focuses on that. They offer four types of beef bowls with several toppings to add on if you wish. They offer



The Japanese style Beef each their own. Volcano. Pic by Toby Tamaye The Roast Beef

a Japanese-style,
Spicy Korean,
Hawaiian-style
and Maui Onion.
Personally, the
creamy pineapple
sauce on the
Hawaiian-style
bowl with truffle
mash was my
favorite – but to
each their own.

Musubi's were also winners. Open for lunch daily from 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. and dinner from 5 - 8 p.m. 650-8907. beef-volcano.square.site

I asked around for some of your favorite hole in the walls, and the responses were pretty varied. One name that popped up again and again was 8 Fat Fat 8 Bar & Grille. It definitely hits all of the checkmarks. A no-frills dimly-lit neighborhood gathering spot offering great Chinese food, darts, pool, and kraoke since 1986. Known for their Fat Fat Special Chicken, it's a 1/2 chicken cooked so that the skin is super crispy, but the meat inside is tender and juicy. They are alsoknown for their Gau Gee, cake noodle and lup chong fried rice. Hear pretty consistent things about their cold ginger chicken and tofu. Definitely a dive-bar kind of feel to the place, but it's clean and the food is spot on. Open Mon-Fri 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. and Sat-Sun from 2 p.m. - 11 p.m., they'll close early if its dead or stay open a bit later if its packed. Located at 1327 S. Beretainia Street. The share the parking lot with Midas next store after 5 p.m., and there's usually plenty of street parking. 596-2779. 8fatfat8hawaii.com

#### **Adela's Country Eatery**

During a trip to Japan, Adela and her team learned about Japanese ramen noodle making from the masters. They decided to bring a noodle making machine back to Hawaii with them and Adela's has become known for their famous Noodles made from scratch each day using fresh, locally grown Ulu, Taro, Okinawan Sweet Potato, Moringa and Avocado (when available). They are passionate about working with local farmers which enables them to create the freshest, seasonal dishes while also providing real support to Hawaii's farming communities. The noodles have recevied rave reviews and one of their most popular dishes is the Lechon Malunggay Pasta. The portion sizes are huge. Open Monday - Saturday. Closed Sunday from 10:30 a.m. - 8 p.m, Located in Kaneohe at 45-1151 Kamehameha Hwy. 236-2366.adelascountryeatery.com.

#### Ray's Cafe

This popular old school eatery is known for their home cooking comfort food. Some menu favorites include the Fried chicken thighs and prime rib. They also run daily specials and weekend specials usually includes Rack of Lamb, and either Lobster or King Crab Legs. Most days they post a picture of their menu on Facebook. Leave your credit cards at home, as this place is cash only but they have an ATM on site if you don't have enough. They have moved around a lot over the years, but are currently located at 2033 N King Street, it's street parking only. Open at 6:30 a.m. daily, they stay open until 7 p.m. during the week and 5 p.m. on weekends. 841-2771

#### **Kyung's Seafood**

We've talked about this place before. A chef favorite, they are known for their meat jun, kalbi, poke, and super fresh sashimi. Open Wednesday thru Monday from 10 a.m. - 11:45 p.m., closed Tuesdays.1269 S King Street. 589-1144.

#### Sam's Kitchen

You can't talk about hole in the walls without bringing up Sam's Kitchen. They're famous for their stseak and garlic shrimp, their fried chicken, their fresh fish caught daily, and the seven delicious side sauces. It's Waikiki, so parking is slim. Open daily from 10 a.m. - 1 a.m. 353 Royal Hawaiian Avenue. 491-6266. samskitchenhawaii.com

#### **Harbor Pub**

I'm not sure if this ia a hole in the wall or a dive bar, but whichever one it is, it was mentioned several times, and I happen to love it! They have some of the best pizzas and nachos in town, and if you haven't checked out their breakfast, their crab benedict on the weekends is a must. Breakfast begins daily from 7 a.m., and is served until 11:30 a.m. on weekdays, 12:30 p.m. on Saturdays and 1:30 p.m. on Sundays. The place is open until 2 a.m. daily. Bonus points: you never know what, or who, you're going to see in there. 941-0985. harborpubhawaii.com

#### La Mariana

Again, is it a hole in the wall - or is just off the beaten path? Whatever it is La Mariana is one of the best kept secrets in town - although Magnum P.I. isn't helping with that much. It's been closed since the pandemic, but they are gearing up to open soon. They thought they would April 1st, but it didn't work out, but they are actively trying to reopen so keep your eyes on their Facebook Page.

## I am a Front Desk Host



Years ago, Laura LinKee of the `llima Hotel sent me this article to make me smile. It certainly did. Sadly, she passed on years ago, and this is only a fraction of the entire article, but given the chaos that is about to descend, I figured it was as good of a time as any to bring a smile to your face!

I am a front desk host. I have a degree in accounting, public relations, marketing, business, computer science, psychology, civil engineering, Hawaiian history, and Chinese. I also read minds.

Of course I have the reservation that you booked six years ago, even though you don't have the confirmation number and what nae you booked it under.

Of course I know that when you booked your reservation for Friday, you really meant Saturday, and I'll be sure to have the beach moved closer to our hotel before you arrive.

I am a front desk host. I am expected to speak all languages but even though I don't. Don't worry, I can yell the words slowly if you still don't understand me.

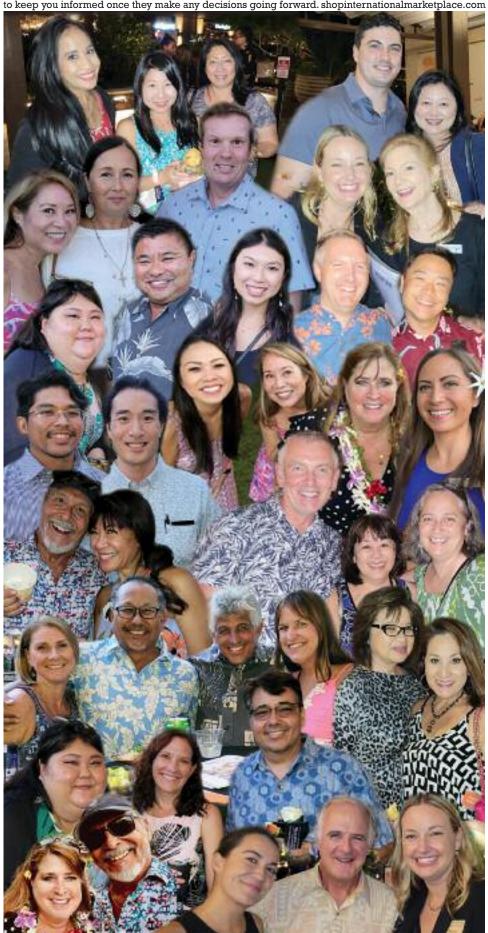
I am a front desk host. I'm quite capable of checking three people in, two people out, while taking five reservations and answering fifteen phone calls, running interference for the manager, while getting last minute instructions from reservations, all at the same time.

I am a front desk host. I take personal blame for the weather, lost luggage, traffic jams, rental cars, flat tires, the national economy, and pandemic.

I am a front desk host, an operator, bellhop, houseman, lei maker, concierge, housekeeper, sales coordinator, a map, entertainment critic, restaurateur, hula dancer, computer technician, postman, dispatcher, bank teller, Hawaiian cultural expert, travel agent, psychologist and verbal punching bag ... and I also know why so so-and-so isn't answering the phone.

I am a front desk host. I do all of these things and more. Hear me roar!

INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE
The International Market Flace Restaurant Week with The Taste of the Grand Lanai, a fabulous dine-around event. Although the event sold out on the consumer side in days, IMP held back a few dozen seats for industry VIPs and a handful of concierge to allow them to see how the event worked, as IMP is looking forward to offering a similar dine-around experience in the future. We'll be sure to keep you informed once they make any decisions going forward. Shopinternationalmarketplace.com



# **That's Entertainment**

#### **HOTELS**

#### 'ALOHILANI RESORT

922-1233

- Daily Fish Feeding 10:30am & 2:30pm O Bar
- Daily Live Music 6:30-9:30pm Swell Bar
- Daily Light Monument Video Art Series 7-9pm Swell Bar
- SunWedSat Tank Talk 9am. O Bar
- Sun Sunday Club Brunch with DJ KK 11:30am 2:30pm **HALEKULANI** 923-2311
- Daily Music & Hula 5:30-8:30pm House Without a Key
- WThFSSu Live Jazz 8pm 12am, Lewers Lounge
- Sun- Sunday brunch w/Noly Paa on piano 9:30am 2pm.

#### HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE

949-4321

- SunMTWTh Live entertainment, Tapa Bar. 7-10pm
- FriSat Live entertainment, Tapa Bar. 8-11pm

#### HYATT REGENCY WAIKIKI

923-1234

- ThFSat Live music at SHOR 5:30-8:30pm
- TTh Farmer's Market from 4-8pm
- Mon-Fri Cultural Programs at the Ho'okela Culture Center

#### THE KAHALA HOTEL & RESORT 739-8888

- ThFSat Live entertainment at The Veranda from 6-8pm.
- FriSat Afternoon Tea at the Veranda at 2pm & 3:30pm
- Daily See the interactive dolphin programs every hour

#### MOANA SURFRIDER

922-3111

- Daily Live music at The Beach Bar, 4:30-6:30pm, 7-10pm
- WThFSSu David Swanson at Vintage1901, 5:30-9:30pm
- SatSun Afternoon Tea at the Veranda, 11:30am -2:30pm

#### **OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI BEACH** 923-0711

- Daily -Live music at Duke's 4-11:30pm, Sat/Sun from 10am OUTRIGGER REEF WAIKIKI BEACH 923-3111
- Daily Live Hawaiian music at Kani Ka Pila Grille. 6-9pm PRINCE WAIKIKI 956-1111
- ThFSSu Live music at 100 Sails from 6-8pm
- FSSu Live music Hinana Bar from 5-7pm
- Sat DJ Jem poolside from 2-5pm

#### SHERATON PRINCESS KA'IULANI 922-5811

• Daily - Live music poolside 6-9pm. DJ from 3-6pm.

#### THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN 923-7311

- Daily Live Hawaiian music at the Mai Tai Bar. 11am-2pm
- TWFSSu Live Hawaiian music at the Mai Tai Bar. 6-9pm
- MTh Live Hawaiian music at the Mai Tai Bar. 8-10pm

#### TURTLE BAY RESORT 293-6000

- Daily Live music at The Pointe Pool Bar, 4-7pm
- Daily Live music at Off the Lip, 7pm
- Daily The Stable at Turtle Bay offer a variety of experiences

#### WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT 922-6611

• Daily - Live music, Queensbreak Restaurant 5:30-8:30pm

#### FARMERS MARKETS

#### WBW OPEN MARKET

- Mon Set up on the Plaza at Waikiki Beach Walk. 4-8pm.
- 388-9696 WAIKIKI FARMERS MARKET
- MonWed Hyatt Regency 1st floor waterfall atrium 4-8pm
- HAWAII FARM BUREAU MARKET 848-2074
- Wed Set up on the Blaisdell Concert Hall Lawn 4-7pm.

MAHIKU FARMERS MARKET 225-4002

• Thurs - Bottom level International Market Place 4-8pm.

HALE'IWA FARMERS MARKET 388-9696

• Thurs - Located at Waimea Valley. 2-6pm

KCC FARMERS MARKET

848-2074

- Sat Kapiolani Community College 7:30 -11am
- KAKA'AKO FARMERS MARKET 388-9696
- Sat 919 Ala Moana Blvd & 210 Ward Avenue. 8am-12pm PEARLRIDGE FARMERS MARKET 388-9696
- Sat Pearlridge Mauka by Macy's. 8am-12pm
- KAILUA FARM BUREAU MARKET 848-2074
- Sun Kailua Town Center. 4-7pm

#### KAILUA TOWN FARMERS MARKET 388-9696

• Sun - Enchanted Lake Center by Kailua Cinema. 8am-12pm

#### **ATTRACTIONS**

#### FOSTER BOTANICAL GARDEN 768-7135

- Daily Hawaii's oldest Botanical Garden in the midst of downtown open 9am - 4pm. \$5/\$1 keiki (kama'aina \$3)
- Daily Free docent-led tours at 10:30am. Reservations rec.

#### **HONOLULU ZOO** 926-3191 • Daily - The Zoo is open from 10am - 4pm. Last Entry at 3pm.

- GA \$19 adult/\$11 keiki (kamaaina \$8/\$4).
- Sat Explore the Zoo after the gates close 5:30-7:30pm.
- WAIKIKI AQUARIUM 923-9741
- Daily The Aquarium is open from 9am 4:30pm. GA \$12 adult/\$5 kids (kamaaina \$8).
- •1st3rdTue Hawaiian Plant Tour. 1:30pm. Free w/admission

#### **MUSEUMS**

#### **BISHOP MUSEUM**

847-3511

• Daily- The 15-acre campus offers guests a chance to learn about the cultural and natural heritage of Hawai'i and the Pacific across three different exhibition buildings. Daily planetarium shows, a highly unique native Hawaiian botanical garden, and more. 9am-5pm.

#### HAWAI'I STATE ART MUSEUM

- Mon-Sat 'Museum Interpreters' on-site to provide visitors with basic information about the museum and artwork. Special evening events as listed below. Open 10am - 4pm.
- 1stFri Live entertainment and food vendors. 6-9pm
- 2ndFri "Vibe" Jazz performances and food vendors. 6-9pm
- 4thFri Hawaiian music night. 6-9pm
- 3rdSat Family Arts & Crafts Day 11am 3pm

#### HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART 532-8726

- ThFSSu -Tour & Talk Story 11am. Free with admission.
- ThFSSu Highlights tour 2pm. Free with admission

#### HONOLULU FIRE MUSEUM 723-7167

•3rdSat - Free one-hour guided tours through various exhibits with a firefighter recounting HFDs history the 3rd Saturday of every month. 9am - 2pm on the hour. 620 South Street. Reservations required. Book online: fire.honolulu.gov then hit the submit request botton and click museum tours.

#### **IOLANI PALACE** 522-0832

- Wed Docent-led tours available from 9am 12:30pm
- Thur Docent-led tours available from 9am 2:30pm
- Fri Royal Hawaiian Band. Free. 12-1pm

#### LUCORAL MUSEUM

388-8905

• Daily- Learn how to plan your jewelry project and more in these beaded jewelry workshops. Open by appointment only.

#### **HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES** 447-3910

- TWThFSat Docents lead tours through the oldest existing frame house in the Islands. 11am & 1pm (also 3pm on Sat)
- TWF Different Perspective Tours. 3pm. Advance res req'd
- PEARL HARBOR AVIATION MUSEUM 441-1000
- Daily Vintage aircraft in battlefield hangars at Pearl Harbor, outdoor exhibits, flight simulators, and the Bob Hope: An American Treasure Exhibit. Shuttle & Tickets at USS Arizona Memorial Visitor Center or PearlHarborAviationMuseum.org.

#### **SHOPPING CENTERS**

#### INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE 921-0536

- MWF Ceremonial sunset lighting of Lamaku Torch Tower
- MWF Sunset Stories Hula Show, 7pm. Queens Court
- Thurs Mahiku Farmers Market. 4-8pm. Banyan Court • 1stTh - Royal Hawaiian Band. Free. 11am. Queens Court
- 1stSaSu Island Crafters Market. 11am-5pm. 2nd level
- 1st3rdSu Free Yoga Class. 10-10:45am. Queens Court

#### **ROYAL HAWAIIAN CENTER**

- Daily Heritage Room/Cultural Videos, Helumoa Hale
- Mon Free Ukelele Lessons 11pm, Helumoa Hale
- Tues Free Hula Lessons 11am, Royal Grove
- Wed Free Lauhala Weaving 11am, Bldq A, Level 2
- Thur Free Keiki Hula lessons 12pm, Royal Grove
- Fri Free Lei Making Class 12pm, Bldg A, Level 2
- Sat Hula Kahiko 5:30pm, Royal Grove
- TWThF Live Hawaiian Entertainment 5:30pm, Royal Grove

#### WAIKIKI BEACH WALK waikikibeachwalk.com

- Daily The Ukulele Store offers free lessons at 4:30pm
- Mon Open Market 4 8pm
- Tues Ku Ha'aheo Hula Show. 4:30-6pm. Plaza Stage
- Wed Free feather lei making 11am, 2pm. Royal Room
- Sun Free hula lessons, 9-10am



BALI OCEANFRONT - 20% off all Food & Beverage. Hilton Hawaiian Village, 941-2254.

**GUAVA SMOKED** - 20% off food and drinks with hotel ID. 567 Kapahulu Ave, 2nd floor. Entrance/parking on Campbell Ave. 913-2100

HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES - Free tour with hotel ID. 553 S. King Street. 447-3910.

IOLANI PALACE - Free Admission with hotel ID. GA \$30. Kama'aina \$19.95. 364 S. King Street, Reservations Required. 522-0832.

MAUI DIVERS JEWELRY - 35% discount off purchases made at the Design Center and 20% at all stores. Must show hotel ID for discount, 1520 Liona St. 946-2929.

RUTH'S CHRIS STEAK HOUSE - Complimentary Appetizer valued up to \$22 with the purchase of 2 entrees. Waikiki Beach Walk, 440-7910. Restaurant Row, 599-3860.

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