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14th Annual

# Hawaii Book & Music Festival



Fans line up to get their favorite author to sign their book at last years Barnes & Noble booth.

Think books, music, authors, theater, hula and more books. Book festivals are celebrated in many cities – usually in big hotels or conference centers, often with a high ticket price. Here in Honolulu the two-day 14th Annual Hawaii Book & Music Festival celebration, May 4th and 5th, is outdoors under the trees at Honolulu Hale, city hall, and all totally free – even the parking is free.

At the festival you can enjoy presentations by Pulitzer Prize award-winning authors, hear great Hawaiian music, watch hula - plus savor a multitude of food booths selling everything from burgers to burritos and gelato, plus coffee – with clusters of tables and chairs under the shade trees for a respite between presentations. Food from the international food court includes lumpia, an Istanbul restaurant tent, soft serve, and sugarcane.

By the numbers: in the two full days there are eight venues with 130 programmed events including over 500 participants and presenters. "Something for everyone," is how Roger Jellinek, executive director and creator of the event describes the two day festival. The venue spreads across the entire Honolulu Hale vast lawn plus non-stop events in the Mission Memorial Auditorium on the ewa end of the grounds. As you can imagine, authors

love to be invited to Hawaii vs. a mainland indoor environment.

Of course the entire schedule is on line at hawaiibookandmusicfestival.com to make notes and develop a plan. (Fact: no one has ever been able to see it all but it is fun to try). Program changes do happen, but, once at the Festival it is easy to wander and "map out a plan of attack". Every venue will have a full schedule printed on a poster beside the stage or the tables and tents.

The primary venues include the Mission Memorial Auditorium, the Main Stage, the Authors Pavillion with fourteen solo presentations and panel presentations, the keiki stage and the Kristy Yamaguchi Reading Corner. The Publishers Village is filled with booksellers and local publishers presenting their newest publications. Local author, musician and storytellers will be there for signings, with the longest lines at the Barnes & Noble National Author Signing.

The Mission Memorial Auditorium has nonstop presentations. Cool, air conditioned with seating for a large audience, it is a respite and a spot to savor the authors words. First up and getting the attention of would-be writers is Pulitzer Prizewinner William Finnegan

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# 20 years of Lanterns Floating



This touching ceremony is a beautiful testament to those we lost. Shinnyo Lantern Floating Hawaii

Since man's existence, human beings have coped with death through rituals to deal with grief while honoring cherished memories of loved ones.

Traditions vary with each culture. Ancient Egyptians practiced mummification to preserve the body and keep its spirit intact in the next life. Similarly, Hawaiian tradition involved washing the body with salt water before preserving it with the grated roots of ti plants and dressing the body in bark cloth before burial.

Today, funerals are often private affairs attended only by close family and friends but feelings of loss can linger for years, with no outlet for sharing one's grief because to do so often makes others feel uncomfortable.

Shinnyo-en, an international Buddhist

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# Publisher's Letter



# Pam vs. Instagram... the fight continues

So the good news is I got my Instagram back... momentarily. Instagram must have finally noticed my dozens of emails and out of the blue I got an email sent to the right user name, and I was able to get in, change the user name, the email, the password and the picture. Success, right? That's what I thought. Then I created a statement as an image to post to let you guys know I got the account back, and Instagram wouldn't let me upload. I redid the post (this time without the words Russian hackers) thinking maybe their A.I. picked up on those words and denied it. No go. Then I tried putting up the picture of Leimomi Consylman and myself at this years Concierge of the Year event knowing you all would recognize it. Nada. So, I got busy and moved on to other things, happy in the fact I at least wrested control back to my side for the moment. I tried again about a week later, and again, I was prevented from uploading. And now, the account is gone. I guess Instagram finally got through all of the emails I sent, and my account has been shut down for "violating their terms of service." Not sure what that means, but it looks like once I can get JPGs of a few legal documents over to them, I may finally be able to put this fun little episode behind me. Yay hackers! Not.

Until then, Facebook is it. No website, no Instagram, and I can't remember the last time I logged into Twitter. I've also made the decision after running straight into two deceptive, incompetent website designers after another, that I am simply going to buckle down and learn how to do the website myself. Apparently the programs out there these days make it pretty easy, so I have set some time aside at the end of May to work on this and with any luck, I might get that site back up in June.

In the meantime, summer is starting, the whales are leaving, and the schedule starts to fill up with festivals. I finally got to see some whales before the season ended. Is there anything better that watching a calf learn how to breach with mom? They're like pogo sticks. It's so cool. I ended up catching that experience twice, allowing me to see more breaches in a day, than I have seen in the past few years. Definitely one of my favorite parts about living in Hawaii. The Lantern Floating Ceremony, a solemn yet beautiful event on Memorial Day weeked is another. The sight of thousands of lanterns taking your messages to loved one as they float away as the suns fades is just so poignant. Aloha!





The King Kamehameha Celebration Commission has selected marketing and event production specialist Amy Hammond as their new executive director. In her new role, Hammond will oversee all fiscal and administrative

Amy Hammond fiscal and administrative matters related to the annual Commission-sponsored King Kamehameha Celebration, including securing public contributions, private foundation grants or donations and the coordination of the O'ahu King Kamehameha Celebration parade. • Marisa Yamane, longtime award-winning journalist, has been named director of communications

and public relations for the Hawaii Tourism Authority. Currently seen as the anchor on the KITV evening news, she begins her new position in early May. • Denis Ebrill has been named managing director of Aqua-Aston



Marisa Yamane

Hospitality, succeeding Kelvin Bloom, who is pursuing new opportunities after over 20 years with Aston. Ebrill brings with him over five decades of experience as he steps into the role of overseeing all aspects of the business and directs the expansion of their portfolio that is made up of nearly 40 hotels across Hawaii, the US and Central America.

## 20 years of Lanterns

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community with Japanese roots, recognizes the need to memorialize and honor the legacy of our loved ones and this has resulted in one of the most breathtaking events of the summer.

The organization will present the 20th Anniversary Shinnyo Lantern Floating Hawaii ceremony on Memorial Day, May 27. During the free sunset

event, a stunning display of 7,000 lanterns bearing remembrances and names of loved ones will be set adrift in the ocean at Ala Moana Beach Park. At the end of the evening, the lanterns will be collected for reuse in following years. The messages are also collected and handled in a ceremonial way.

The powerful ceremony is expected to draw more than 50,000 residents and visitors to witness the magical moment when the candle-lighted lanterns cast their red-orange glow over the deep blue ocean.

The sound of conch shells will signal the start of a formal multicultural entertainment program including a taiko performance by Shinnyo Taiko, Hawaiian oli (chant), hula and music, and the recitation of Buddhist sutras. Shinnyo-en head priest, Her Holiness Shinso Ito, will share a message of hope and peace before being joined by four community leaders for the lighting of the Light of Harmony. After the lighting, the ringing of a bell signals the passing of candles from person to person, as people wade in hip- to chest-deep in the water to release their lanterns, altogether representing thousands of souls as they bob silently and gracefully on the water.

The day starts early for those who want to float a lantern. A Lantern Request Tent will open at the park beginning at 10 a.m. the day



The lights reflecting off the water as they float away is powerful

of the event. A single lantern will be available per party or family on a first-come, first-served basis until 3 p.m., or until lanterns run out.

There is no cost for the lanterns, but donations are welcome and will be gifted to the City & County of Honolulu for the beautification of Ala Moana Beach Park.

After picking up a lantern, volunteers will be on hand to help individuals to assemble them and provide markers for writing messages.

Some people who are unable to get a lantern have resorted to bringing homemade ones in recent years as the event continues to grow in popularity. These homemade vessels are not allowed because the official lanterns have been tested for flammability in all weather conditions and were designed for easy recapture to avoid polluting the ocean.

Those who are unable to attend the event can participate by writing a remembrance at a Shinnyo-en temple or submitting it online to lanternfloatinghawaii.com. The event will also be live-streamed on the website and broadcast live on Hawaii News Now KGMB from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The first Lantern Floating Hawaii ceremony took place in 1999 at Keehi Lagoon and has grown in response to community interest. For more information about this powerful event, visit lanternfloatinghawaii.com. ~ Nadine Kam

# EXTR News flash XTRA

#### **MELE MAI**

Mele Mei is the celebration of Hawai'i's music, hula and culture. What used to be a month long celebration of music in Hawaii in May, it has now grown into a celebration spread across several months beginning in Los Angeles in February with a collaberation with the Grammy Museum to as far away as Japan. May is the biggest month, however, and there are an array of events planned at various venues all month long leading up the Na Hoku Hanohano Awards on May 25th. Too many to list, so see the full schedule online at melemei.com.

#### WAIKIKI BEACH WALK OPENS NEW STORES

While Breakout Waikiki has still not quite opened their doors, there are plenty of other news shops to peruse at Waikiki Beach Walk. Opened recently is Big Wave Dave Surf & Coffee that opens at 5:30 a.m. and includes a children's corner. Lanikai Juice also just opened their doors. offering freshly squeezed juices, tonics, smoothies and healthy snack items. Retail outlets SoHa Living, popular for their coastal chic accesories and home decor is now open, as is Coco Mango, offering a collection of swimwear and resort fashions. Last but not least, Spa Royal Hawaiian specializes in elite massage practices, therapeutic care and more. waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### **INDUSTRY COFFEE NIGHTS**

That's right, industry nights can apply to places other than bars & nightclubs. Knots Coffee in the lobby of the Queen Kapi'olani Hotel offers 50% of the entire bill every Monday to Thursday from 5 to 10 p.m. for anyone in the hospitality industry. If you are a restaurant or hotel employee, please present a valid commission card, business card or paystub to enjoy some discounted signature cocktails, beer, wine, coffee and more. knotscoffee.com.

### **GOLDEN GOOSE**

Italian luxury brand Golden Goose, is known for creating a complete lifestyle for its consumers has opened its first store in Hawaii at Luxury Row at 2100 Kalakaua Avenue. The young Venetian designers offer a collection that includes a ready-to-wear line, accessories and footwear, that combines a sophisticated, modern style, vintage taste, and strong Italian tailoring, goldengoosedeluxebrand.com

#### **HIKE PONO.. WITH PONO**

Pono, the official canine ambassador of the Turtle Bay Resort, is now offering an opportunity to "Hike with Pono". The one-year old Labrador Retriever Service Dog will lead you along a leisurely mile and a half hike along the coastline every Tuesday and Thursday from 10-11 a.m. Free with reservations, 293-6020.

# WORLD FIREKNIFE CHAMPIONSHIP RETURNS

During the Annual World Fireknife Championship, the world's most talented fireknife warriors come together for three-nights of heated competition. Competitor ages start as young as six years old, and this year, they are reitroducing the women's division. Don't miss this fiery festival May 8 - 11th. Last year's champion Hale Motu'apuaka will not be defending his title this year, as he did not have enough to train for this, and keep up with his football regimen, so the door is open for a new champion to be crowned. worldfireknife.com.

#### FEED THE KOI AT ALA MOANA

Ala Moana Center is now hosting a daily fish feeding experiences where shoppers are invited to feed the koi located in the Center's Diamond Head Wing and Ewa Wing koi ponds. The koi have been a part of Ala Moana Center since 1959, and they currently have 16 different types of koi ranging in age from 2 - 30 years old. Free and open to the public, the koi fish feeding happens daily in the Ewa Wing at 10 a.m. on Mall Level 2, and then in the Diamond Head Wing, also on Mall Level 2, at 10:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. alamoanacenter.com.



# AT WAIKIKI BEACH WALK

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Ukulele Lessons, 10:30am & 4:30pm,
The Ukulele Store – 2nd floor

#### MONDAY

 Ohe Käpala: The Art of Hawaiian Stamping, Plaza, 4-Spm, Class Registration: (808) 664-0102

#### TUESDAY

- Hawailan Qulit Demonstrations
   10:30am-12:30pm, Hawailan Qulit
   Collection 2nd Floor (fee for pillow kit)
- Ku Ha'aheo Hula Show, 4:30-6pm

#### THURSDAY

 Farmers Market on the Lawn Grown, Made and/or Manufactured Products of Hawaii, 4-8pm

#### FRIDAY

 Ka Lei Hula: The Art of Hawaiian Dance, Plaza, 4-5pm, Class Registration: (808) 664-0102

#### SATURDAY

- Yoga on the Lawn
   Courtesy of La'akea Spa at 4:30pm
- Hoopdance Fitness on the Lawn, 5pm

#### SUNDAY

- Mele Hali'a

A Hawaiian Musical Series Featured once a month on Sundays, 5-6pm (see walkikibeachwalk.com for listings)

Dates, times, performances and activities are subject to change without natice - weather permitting.







Here are my picks for this May's arts and cultural scene in Honolulu. It's all about big hair, big egos and big hearts for mother.

First up let's start with the "big hair" in the form of

"Beehive: The Musical" at DIAMOND HEAD THEATRE opening May 17th and running through June 9th. This show is a powerful look back at what women experienced and accomplished during the 1960s through some of the iconic songs from that period. It's everything from the harmonic "My Boyfriend is Back" and "Be My Baby" to the dissident "Son of a Preacher Man" and "Me and Bobby McGee." The show begins with simple world of the Chiffons, the Shirelles and the Supremes and moves dramatically into the worlds of Aretha Franklin, Janis Joplin and Tina Turner and the evolution of female performers and fashion. The production consists of six characters: Wanda, Jasmine, Laura, Allison, Pattie and Gina who take turns bringing to life such songs as "One Fine Day," "Where the Boys Are," "It's My Party," "Will You Still Love Me Tomorrow," "To Sir With Love," "Piece of My Heart," "Downtown," "You Don't Have to Say You Love Me," "A Natural Woman," "I Sold My Heart to a Junkman," "A Fool in Love," "Proud Mary," "Respect" and many more songs you will remember. Performances are Thursday through Saturday at 7:30 p.m., Saturday matinee at 3 p.m. and Sunday matinee at 4 p.m. Tickets range in price from \$15 to \$50 for each performance. For more information visit diamondheadtheatre.com or call the box office at 733-0274.

Now, if Beehive hairdos are not to your guests' liking, what about a wedding with big egos, tons of pasta and no Japanese tourists? If that's the case, send them down to MĀNOA VALLEY THEATRE, which by the way is celebrating it's 50th season, for its third incarnation of the Off-Broadway hit show "Tony & Tina's Wedding." For those of you not familiar with the show, it's set during the wedding and reception of New York boy named Tony Nunzio and his bride Valentina "Tina" Vitale. It's an audience interactive show, where the audience becomes the guests at the wedding reception. The evening is filled with improvisations moments by the actors with the help of audience members to move the story of Tony & Tina and all their crazy relatives to hopefully a happy ending. You guests will enjoy dinner, dancing and drinking. There will be the cutting of the cake, the first dance, the tossing of the garter and bouquet and some special toast by family members. All the elements of a tacky wedding are present. There's a pregnant bridesmaid, a cousin who is a nun, the stripper girlfriend of the groom's father, and Tina's exboyfriend. It's like Thanksgiving dinner in Nānākuli. Here's at trivia note – I was in the original production. Can you guess who I played? The production runs May 16th to June 2 with a possible extension. Wednesday & Thursday performances are at 7:30 p.m., Friday & Saturday performances at 8 p.m. and Sunday matinees at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$50 for adults, \$45 for seniors and military and \$32 for 25 and under. For more information visit manoavalleytheatre.com or call the box office at 988-6131.

If your guests are over 50 years old, their mothers most likely had a Beehive at some point in their lives and participated in at least one wedding, hopefully their own. Regardless of the age, all of your guests will want to celebrate Mother's Day with something special while in Hawai'i. I suggest sending your guests and their mothers to the HAWAI'I THEATRE to experience "For You Mom" a Na Leo Mother's Day Concert. I'm

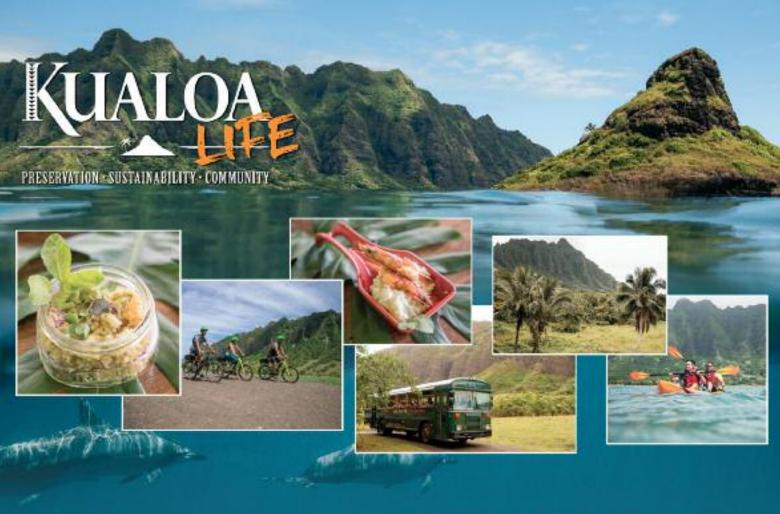


Na Leo Pilemehana

sure most of you already know this, but for the few who do not, Na Leo Pilimehana, which means the voices blending together in warmth, is the most popular and best selling female

Hawaiian group in the world. Na Leo consists of Nalani Jenkins, Lehua Kalima and Angela Morales. Did you know that Na Leo has 22 Hōkū Awards? That's 7.33 per member. The Mother's Day concert is May 12th at 1:30 p.m. at the historic Hawai'i Theatre. Tickets begin at \$35 with VIP tickets at \$75 that include VIP seating, Leo Mother's signed commemorative CD, opportunity with Na Leo, Ed and Don's chocolate and red rose. Since your guests will be coming downtown, the theater is offering a pre-paid Mother's Day Brunch that can be added onto the ticket order. Brunch will be offered at various restaurants downtown that day, even PAI Honolulu is opening their doors for their first-ever brunch. They will be offering two seatings at 10:30 a.m. and noon. For \$55 Chef Kevin Lee has created a four-course. family-style brunch with housemade breakfast potatoes, sausage, Pain Perdu, Smoked Salmon Eggs Benedict with ikura and a Lilikoi Panna Cotta for dessert. For more information visit HawaiiTheatre.com or call the box office at 528-0506.

I hope one of these May picks will bring an extra laugh or smile during your guests visit to Hawai'i, and don't forget to give your Mom a big hug if she's around. ~ Lance Rae



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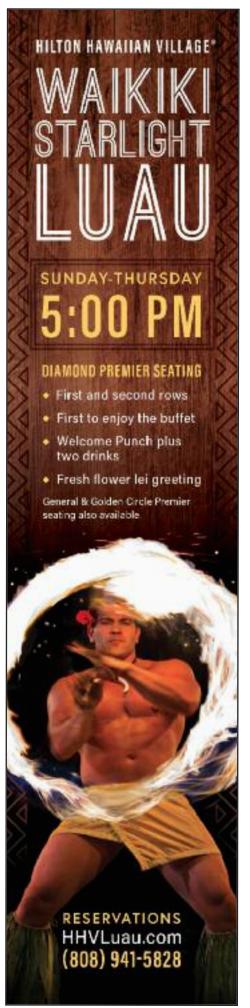
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Waikiki and Kakaako communities, they hosted an informative dinner at Wolfgang's Steakhouse, sharing their many services, including free transportation, house/hotel room calls, in-house pharmacy and more. 922-2112. Open from 8 a.m. to midnight, 7 days a week. doctorsofwaikiki.com.



## Hawaii Book & Music Festival

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Kristi Yamaguchi in her Reading Corner

discussing his book on the Art and Craft of Longform Journalism. Since 1984 he has contributed to the New Yorker, reporting from Africa, Central America, South Africa and other destinations. He is the author of five books and won the Pulitzer Prize for biography in 2016.

One of the most anticipated authors, Alan Brennert, speaks on Saturday at 2 p.m. His book, "MOLOKA'I," sold 600,000 copies. He wrote "HONOLULU" and now comes to talk about "DAUGHTER OF MOLOKA'I," the sequel story of a Japanese young Moloka'i woman sent to the internment camp during World War II. For those who saw the recent presentation of the Broadway hit, 'Allegiance' by Manoa Valley Theater (presented to standing room only audiences at Hawaii Theatre) this book brings to life what happened to the Japanese living in the U.S. during the war with Japan. As a baby, Ruth Kalama was taken from her mother in Kalaupapa, adopted by a Japanese couple in California. The story recounts her life. In the midst of World War II the adoptive family is taken to Manzanar, a "relocation center" for Japanese living in the U.S. where life was far worse than Kalaupapa.

Also on the Saturday list, Cece Bell, winner of the Nene Award - Hawai'i's Children's Book Award for "ElDefo", voted in by 4,5,and 6th graders.

Sunday is filled with more stars. The renowned Sam Horn, founder of the Maui Writer's Conference and former Kailua resident, now an internationally acclaimed communications strategist, will present her new book, "Someday Is Not A Day in the Week". Her credentials go on for paragraphs and her books have helped some of the world's top entrepreneurs and executives achieve their goals.

Another multiple Pulitzer Prize winner, Gilbert King, will present his book, "Beneath A Ruthless Sun". That will be followed by Privayada Natarajan, author of "Mapping The Heavens: The Radical Scientific Ideas that Reveal The Cosmos". She is a professor of Astronomy and Physics at Yale University. Prepare for answers about Black Holes.

Connected to this award is a special guest

speaker David Kawika Eyre at the Alana Hawaiian Culture Pavillion. Also at the Pavillion, Elmer Omar Bascos Pizo with "Leaving our Shadows Behind Us". From the Philippines, he lost his short-term memory in a crash. His neurologist suggested he try writing as therapy. He was a Poetry Fellow at the 2000 Stillman National Writers Workshop plus many other outlets. He works as a handyman in 'Ewa Beach. Another panel will discuss poetry, stories and essays by Indigineous Micronesian authors in Indigenous Literatures from Micronesia.

Next up, Life of the Land panel discussion with Wanda Adams Connie Hale, Kaui Philpotts, George Tanabe, moderated by Bob Segall. On Sunday the Bamboo Ridge authors will present readings from their various publications. Tom Coffman heads up a panel on 'Tadaima! I Am Home', a fifth generation history of migration. Journalist Don Chapman will open a conversation on 'The Godfather: The Life of Larry Mehau (in his own words)'. For bird lovers, Susan Scott presents 'The Wings of Honolulu's Wild Side: Terns, Shearwaters and Golden Plovers'. Back by popular demand – Aloha Shorts brings the writers from Bamboo Ridge to tell their stories. Stu Globerman will talk with Bob Jones and Ambassador Charles Salmon about their witness of the Laos "Secret War."

Hawaiian centric discussions abound. David Kawika Eyre and Carl Franklin Ka'aila'au Pao will discuss "Niuhi Shark: Honoring Kamehameha the Great in Paint and Prose". The Mission Houses Museum & Archive brings Thomas Woods back to Hawaii for a discussion of three new books created for the Bicentennial of the Hawaii Mission. Panels include the five transformations: Introduction of Christianity, Written Language, Polyphonic Music, Constitutional Monarchy, and Western Medicine.

Both days of the festival the Alana Hawaiian Culture Pavillion will host many of Hawai'i's cultural specialists discussing the transformation of the Hawaiian Kingdom, the Mid-Nineteenth-Century Change in Hawaii, Na Kahu: Portraits of Native Hawaiian Pastors, plus the 35th Anniversary Edition of Mary Kawena Pukui's Olelo No'eau Hawaiian Proverbs started when Pukui was fifteen years old, and Ho'oulu Hawai'i: The King Kalakaua Era. The humanities pavillion includes: "Breaking News" Telling Our Own Stories, Paper to Pixels, Journalism in the Digital Age.

At the Wellness Pavilion presentations will include 'Marijuana/Cannabis, Gateway or Gatekeeper? from Brian Goldstein of NOA Botanicals, Transforming the Health of Hawaiian Women, and Lt. Governor Josh Green will deliver a report on Homelessness. More discussions on Housing and Healthcare, Death with Dignity, Regenerative Medicine, Vaping, Teenage Depression and Suicide, Nutrition and Cancer, The Caregivers for Dementia fill the days.

The event was always called the Book &

Music Festival, like many on the mainland, but one of the great additions to the festival was the "only in Hawaii" presentation of hula. Amy Hammond, right hand to Roger Jellinek, says that adding what is often called the 'heart of Hawaii' - hula, changed up the entire festival experience. Hammond says, "like storytelling, music and hula add life to the event – being very appropriate for the Hawaii celebration." The first halau invited was Halau Mohala 'Ilima under the direction of kumu hula Mapuana deSilva. De Silva says that the Festival is a perfect venue for the younger dancers, from keiki class to teens, giving them a chance to perform to a large audience. The festival is a place for parents, friends, family and an all new audience to appreciate the commitment of students to hula.



The Saturday lineup for the main stage begins at 10 a.m. with the Royal Hawaiian Band, Mayor Kirk Caldwell, Kawika Kahiapo, Kumu Hula Leimomi Maldonado, the singing State Senator, Brickwood Galuteria, returns to his entertainer roots, Kumu Hula Cynthia Maklapua, and singer Robi Kahakalau. Kimo Kahoano, the voice of almost every Hawaii hula event (including Merrie Monarch Festival), is the master of ceremonies at the stage

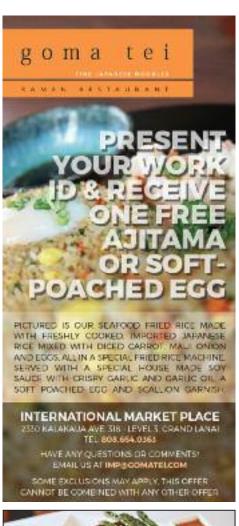
Kumu hula Miki'ala Lidstone and Halau 'o Kaululaua'e opens the Main Stage on Sunday, followed by Na Hoku Hanohano Award Winner, Jeff Rasmussen, Kumu Hula Mapuana de Silva with the dancers of her Halau Mohala 'Ilima. At 1 p.m. Ken Makuakane, now Kahu of Kawaiaha'o Church and eleven-time Na Hoku Hanohano Award winner will present just a few of his 1,500 original songs.

Next up, Kumu Hula Pohai Souza, followed by the singer-songwriter competition (directed by Ken Makuakane) – followed by Alan Akaka and the Islanders.

Public Television star, Mr. Steve will host the Keiki Stage with numerous guests including storyteller Jeff Gere, Uncle Wayne & the Howling Dog Band. Kristy Yamaguchi, Olympic Gold Medalist, will again host the Reading Corner with celebrity readers.

The bookseller booths will host the authors and have pens for autographs, including Bess Press, Mutual Publishing and NaMea Native Books. One of the best deals of the weekend is the Bank of Hawaii booth, everyone is invited to bring five gently used books to the table, and take five new-to-you books home. hawaiibookandmusicfestival.com. ~ Lynn Cook

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# MINAS

The Four Seasons Resort at Ko Olina celebrated the one year anniversary of Mina's Fish House and introducing their Fish Sommelier, Ryan Houser. Yes, you read that right, a fish sommelier. Offering guests a tableside education of Hawaiian fish, while explaining the restaurant's various fish preparations, Houser helps guests choose the right fish dish for them.

Guests got to tour the spa, the grounds, while noshing on Executive Chef Garrick Mendoza's dishes





# Chef's Corner

#### Japanese TV Host and Cookbook Author Harumi Kurihara

Japan's most famous cookbook writer is coming to Hawaii to launch a new partnership with Big Island Candies. Often been called the "Martha Stewart of Japan," she's been popular for twenty years, and is known in the US due to her PBS show. She hosts a number of television shows, has a quarterly recipe magazine which has sold 5 million copies, written over 20 bestselling cookbooks and magazines, including three in English, owns a chain of stores, and even has a line of cookware named after her.

## What is your first childhood food memory?

It was a delicious sesame miso soup cooked by my mother.

# You describe yourself not as a chef, but as a housewife. Where did you learn to cook?

My mother was a good teacher. She had me taste her dishes. That is how I gained a good sense of taste.

Most housewives in the US also work and raise children. What's advice would you give them? Don't forget to enjoy cooking.

#### Do you have any culinary mentors?

I admire Yoshiko Tatsumi. I respect the way she lives, her life and how she sees the Japanese minds, their ways and their diets. I often read her books again and again.

## How do you come up with your recipes?

Every little thing in my daily life gives me a lot of hints.

#### How do you deal with those culinary fails?

I cook one dish as many times as possible. Take for example, bread without kneading. One day I had an idea. What if I could make bread without kneading? Then my journey started. It took me 50 times to make a good bread without kneading. Then 100 times till the taste became right. I have baked it 600 times so far.

# What made you decide to start writing cookbooks? How many have you written?

A publishing company asked me to write the first book. I have published 91 books so far plus my quarterly magazine. Most of her books are in Japanese, but she has also published a handful of cookbooks in English.

# When did your cooking show begin in Japan and is it still going on?

I started with the first cooking show more than 30 years ago. Then I had many shows one after another. Now I have a TV cooking show with NHK, and a show that airs on PBS.

How do you keep it fresh after all these years? I always take care and am on the lookout for new chances and tastes. In this way I gain the trust of my fans.

# What staple ingredients would people always find in your kitchen and or fridge?

You will find many staple ingredients in my kitchen. I have ethnic, western, Chinese, Thai and Vietnamese ingredients. I try many recipes with a variety of ingredients to cook with.

#### What brings you to Hawaii?

I love Hawaii very much. I can be relaxed and feel at ease mentally and physically in Hawaii. I regularly teach young students Japanese recipes at KCC. I am coming this time to introduce my new Hawaiian salt cookies I made in conjunction with Big Island Candies.

### Will there be an chance for fans to meet you? Yes! I will be doing a book signing on May 10th. I appreciate it when I have an opportunity to meet/talk my fans.

### Is there anything you want to do while here?

I really want to meet my friends and spend my time with them. I want to enjoy the nature in Hawaii. I also like to find new things in Hawaii.

#### Is there anything else you'd like to share?

Yes, my dream is that I could teach Hawaiian people how to cook Japanese dishes.

#### Fried Chicken with Leek Sauce



2 chicken thighs
½ tbsp soy sauce
½ tbsp sake
potato starch for coating
oil for deep-frying

Leek Sauce

1 Japanese leek

½ tbsp vegetable oil 1 red chili pepper, chopped

#### Combined seasonings

½ cup (100 ml) soy sauce

1 tbsp sake

2 tbsp vinegar

1+½ tbsp sugar

Directions: Allow the chicken to reach room temperature before cooking. Pierce the chicken skin in several places with a fork, skin in several places with a fork, cut the chicken in half, and marinate in the soy sauce and sake. 2. Make the leek sauce: Mix the ingredients for the combined seasonings. Pierce the leek with the tip of a knife all over. Then, chop it finely starting from the end. Stir-fry the leek and red chili. Stir constantly and add the combined seasonings. Turn off the heat. 3. Heat the oil to 180° C (356° F) Cover the chicken completely with potato starch. Deep-fry the chicken for 2-3 minutes. Put it on a rack and leave fir about 4 minutes while it continues to cook with the residual heat. Then, deep-fry it for 1-2 minutes over high heat again. 4. Drain and cut the chicken into bite-sized pieces. Place on a serving plate and pour the leek sauce over the top.

You can meet Harumi Kurihara at the Big Island Candies location at Ala Moana Center on May10th from 5 - 7 p.m.

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| МО   | NDAY                 |                            | Maui Brewing Company                                   |             | 843-2739           | Hawaiian and R&B Poolsid                          |                  |           |
| Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233              |                      | Live Contemporary Hawaiian | 2 20 5 20  |             | Shyne              | 7-9pm   |                  |           |
| Cool Surf Vibes  |                      | 7-1                        | Christian Yrizarry                                     | 3:30-5:30   |                    | Mai Tai Bar at the Royal H                        |                  | 923-7311  |
| Danny Galura   | 5:30-8:30pm          | 1                          | Rumfire  |             | 921-4600           | Live Contemporary Hawaii                          |                  |           |
| Chart House Waikiki  | '                    | 941-6660                   | Solo Contemporary Guitarist                            | F 0         |                    | Christian Yizarry Duo                             | 6:30-8:30pm      |           |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia                                  | n                    |                            | Desmond Oliveria                                       | 5-8pm       | .20 11.20          | Mi Almita Cantina                                 |                  | 377-6915  |
| Camarillo Brothers   | 6:30-9:30pm          | 1                          | Jeremy Cheng   | ን           | :30-11:30pm        | Acoustic Folk Rock                                |                  |           |
| Cheesecake Factory   |                      | 924-5001                   | Signature Prime Steak                                  |             | 949-3636           | John Helm   | 6-8:30pm         |           |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia                                  | n                    |                            | Contemporary Pianist in the b<br>Isao Motomochi        |             |                    | Maui Brewing Compan                               |                  | 843-2739  |
| Christian Yrizarry   | 7-10pm               |                            |  | 6-9pm       | 070 7500           | Live Contemporary Hawaiia                         |                  | _         |
| <b>Duke's Canoe Club Wail</b>                              | ciki                 | 922-2268                   | <b>Sky Waikiki</b><br>Live Contemporary                |             | 979-7590           | Chris Murphy                                      | 3:30-5:30pm      |           |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia                                  | n                    |                            | Yoza   | 6-9pm       |                    | Rumfire   |                  | 921-4600  |
| Taz Vegas  | 4-6pm                |                            | The Edge at the Sheraton                               | 0-7piii     | 921-4600           | Solo Contemporary Guitari<br>Mike Tulba           |                  |           |
| Ellsworth Simeona  | 9:30-12am            |                            | Live Hawaiian Music                                    |             | 721-4000           | Kai Roots Duo                                     | 5-8pm            | 0-11:30pm |
| Hard Rock Cafe   |                      | 955-7383                   | Vance Texiera  | 1-4pm       |                    |   | 7.30             |           |
| Bluesy Monday  |                      |                            | Pu'uhonua Duo  | 6:30-9:30   | nm                 | <b>Roy's Hawaii Kai</b><br>Na Hoku Hanohano Award | Clack Kow Artist | 396-7697  |
| Danny Wassman  | 9-11am               |                            | Tiki's Grill & Bar                                     | 0.00 7.00   | 923-TIKI           | Stephen Inglis                                    | 6:30-9:30pm      | 1         |
| Candy Bullets or others                                    | 9-11                 | 1                          | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                             |             | /23-11KI           | Signature Prime Steak                             |                  | 949-3636  |
| House Without a Key  |                      | 923-2311                   | P & L Experience                                       | 6-8:30pm    |                    | Contemporary Pianist in th                        |                  | 747-3030  |
| Live Hawaiian & Hula by Jea                                |                      |                            | The Kristi Masuhara Band                               |             | <sup>2</sup> -11pm | James Woo   | 6-9pm            |           |
| DeLima Ohana   | 5:30 - 8:30pr        |                            | Tommy Bahama Restaura                                  |             | 923-8785           | Sky Waikiki                                       | 0 / piii         | 979-7590  |
| Hula Grill   |                      | 923-HULA                   | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                             |             |                    | Live Contemporary                                 |                  | 777-7370  |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia                                  |                      |                            | Chris Mercado  | 6-9pm       |                    | John Akapo  | 6-9pm            |           |
| Eric Lee   | 7-9pm                | 004 4000                   | Tropics Bar & Grill                                    | •           | 949-4321           | SWIM at the Hyatt                                 | σ / μ            | 923-1234  |
| Kani Ka Pila Grille  | iion musisions       | 924-4992                   | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                             |             |                    | Live Contemporary Guitaris                        | st               | 723 1234  |
| Hoku Award Winning Hawa<br>Sean Naauao                     |                      |                            | Acoustik Playground                                    | 2           | !-5pm              | David Watanabe                                    | 7:30-9:30pm      | 1         |
|  | 6-9pm                | 000 0044                   | TUES   | DAV         |                    | The Deck at the Queen Ka                          |                  | 931-4488  |
| LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki B<br>Live Contemporary Acoustic |                      | 922-0811                   |  |             |                    | Soul/R&B/Rock/Reggae                              | ,                |           |
| Sean Cleland   | 7-10pm               |                            | Barefoot Beach Café at Que                             | een's Beach | 924-2233           | Jeffrey James                                     | 5:30-8:30pm      | 1         |
| Lewers Lounge  | 7-10pm               | 923-2311                   | Live Vintage Hawaiian Trip                             |             | 20.0.20            | The Edge at the Sheraton                          | ·                | 921-4600  |
| Live Contemporary & Light                                  | la77                 | 723-2311                   | The Barefoot Boys feat. Pokii Va                       | aughn 5     | :30-8:30pm         | Live Hawaiian Music                               |                  |           |
| Tommy James  | 8:30-12am            |                            | Chart House Waikiki                                    |             | 941-6660           | Mike Tulba  | 1-4pm            |           |
| Mahina & Sun's   | 0.00 12411           | 923-8882                   | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                             | /.20.0.20   |                    | Brad Kawakami Duo                                 | 6:30-9:30pm      | 1         |
| Monday Vibes on the Lanai                                  |                      | 723 0002                   | ,  | 6:30-9:30   | •                  | Tiki's Grill & Bar                                |                  | 923-TIKI  |
| Kala'e Parish  | 7-9pm                |                            | Cheesecake Factory Classic Hawaiian                    |             | 924-5001           | Live Contemporary Hawaii                          |                  |           |
| Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Ha                                |                      | 923-7311                   | Ryan Tenney Duo  | 7           | '-10pm             | K.B. Riley  | 5:30-8:30pm      |           |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia                                  |                      |                            |  |             | •                  | Sani & Friends                                    |                  | 1pm       |
| Dave Watanabe  | 8-10 pm              |                            | Duke's Canoe Club Waikil<br>Live Contemporary Hawaiian | KI          | 922-2268           | Tommy Bahama Restau                               |                  | 923-8785  |
|  |                      |                            | Haumea Warrington & Mike                               | o Kaaawa A  | -Anm               | Live Contemporary Hawaii                          |                  |           |
| à 3  | 8                    |                            | Ellsworth Simeona                                      |             | 2:30-12am          | Alex Oasay  | 6-9pm            |           |
| 0 16   |                      |                            | Hard Rock Cafe   | ,           | 955-7383           | Tropics Bar & Grill                               |                  | 949-4321  |
|  | EAREFOOT             |                            | Live Contemporary                                      |             | 733-7303           | Live Contemporary Hawaiia                         |                  |           |
|  | CATE                 |                            | Mike Piranha   | 9-11am      |                    | Kailua Bay Buddies                                | 2-5pm            |           |
|  |                      |                            | Piranha Brothers                                       |             | -11pm              | WED   | NESDAY           |           |
| - 4  |                      |                            | House Without a Key                                    | •           | 923-2311           | Barefoot Beach Café at 0                          | Queen's Beach    | 924-2233  |
| 970ka Silbania a 184                                       | e in house the sales | istorius:                  | Live Hawaiian & Hula by Broo                           | k Lee       |                    | Hawaiian Melodies                                 |                  |           |
| "I like it best at nigh<br>sparkles under star             | ry skies and lin     | e musac                    | Pa'ahana   | 5:30 - 8:30 | Орт                | Kimo Baker  | 5:30-8:30pm      | 1         |
| is offered. The bes  |                      |                            | Hula Grill   |             | 923-HULA           | Bin1901 at the Moana                              | 1                | 921-4600  |
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Mahina & Sun's

Dan Del Negro & Rocky Holmes

8:30-12am

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| Live Contemporary Ha  | waiian                      | /LO HOLA                  | Piano Wine Bar  |           | 721 1000 |  |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---|-----------|----------|--|
| David Asing   | 7-9pm                       |                           | Ethan Capone  | 6:30-9:30 | om       |  |
| Kani Ka Pila Grille<br>Hoku Award Winning<br>Weldon Kekauoha  | Hawaiian musicians<br>6-9pm | 924-4992                  | <b>Chart House Waikiki</b> <i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i> Tito Berinobis & David Kauahikaua  6-10:30pm |           |          |  |
| <b>LBLE</b> at the Hilton Wai<br>Live Contemporary Fu<br>Lina |                             | <b>922-0811</b><br>Reggae | <b>Cheesecake Factory</b><br>Classic Hawaiian<br>Kimo Artis Duo   | 7-10pm    | 924-5001 |  |
| <b>Lewers Lounge</b> <i>Live Contemporary &amp; L</i>         | ight Jazz                   | 923-2311                  | <b>Duke's Canoe Club W</b><br>Acoustic, Soul, R&B   | /aikiki   | 922-2268 |  |

Haumea Warrington Ellsworth Simeona

4-6pm

9:30-12am

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|   |                              |                  | PAU HANA,  | EAT                 | DRINK      |  |                   |          |
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| Gordon Biersch  |                              | 599-4877         | John Helm  | 9-11pm              |            | Ryan Tenney                                    | 3:30-5:30pm       |          |
| Jazz Wednesdays   |                              |                  | Tommy Bahama Restau                                |                     | 923-8785   | Michel's at the Colony Sur                     |                   | -6552    |
| Varying Artists   | 6:30-9:30pn                  |                  | Live Contemporary Hawaiiai                         |                     |            | Live Slack Key                                 |                   |          |
| Hard Rock Cafe  |                              | 955-7383         | Sean Cleland                                       | 6-9pm               |            | Jeff Peterson                                  | 7:30-10:00p       | m        |
| Live Contemporary   | 0.11                         |                  | Tropics Bar & Grill                                |                     | 949-4321   | Roy's Hawaii Kai                               |                   | 396-7697 |
| Dave Watanabe   | 9-11am                       | 1                | Live Contemporary Rock                             |                     |            | Na Hoku Hanohano Award                         | ,                 |          |
| Saloon Pilots (or others)   | 9-1                          | 1pm              | Jook Joint   | 2-5pm               |            | Stephen Inglis                                 | 6:30-9:30pm       | 1        |
| House Without a Key   |                              | 923-2311         | THUI   | RSDAY               |            | Rumfire  |                   | 921-4600 |
| Live Hawaiian & Hula by Br  |                              |                  |  |                     | 004.0000   | Solo Contemporary Guitaris                     |                   |          |
| Pa`ahana  | 5:30 - 8:30p                 |                  | Barefoot Beach Café at On Island Music             | ueen's Beach        | 924-2233   | Mark Calderia                                  | 5-8pm             |          |
| Hula Grill  |                              | 923-HULA         | Shaka Madali                                       | E.20 0.20nn         |            | Signature Prime Steak                          |                   | 949-3636 |
| Live Contemporary Music   | 7 0nm                        |                  |  | 5:30-8:30pn         |            | Contemporary Pianist in the                    |                   |          |
| Alika Souza   | 7-9pm                        | 000 5555         | Bin 1901 at the Moana                              |                     | 921-4600   | Isao Motomochi                                 | 6-9pm             |          |
| Hy's Steak House  |                              | 922-5555         | <i>Piano Wine Bar</i><br>Kapena Delima             | 6:30-9:30pn         |            | Sky Waikiki                                    |                   | 979-7590 |
| Live Soft Contemporary  | 4.20 10nm                    |                  | •  | 0.30-7.30pi         |            | Live Contemporary                              |                   |          |
| Audy Kimura   | 6:30-10pm                    | 004 4000         | Chart House Waikiki                                | n                   | 941-6660   | Randy & Kanoe                                  | 6-9pm             |          |
| Kani Ka Pila Grille   | niian musisians              | 924-4992         | Live Contemporary Hawaiiai<br>Tito Berinobis       | 6:30-10pm           |            | The Deck at the Queen Kap                      |                   | 931-4488 |
| Hoku Award Winning Hawa<br>Kapena                                 | 6-9pm                        |                  |  | 0.30-10piii         | 044 0400   | Acoustic Contemporary Hav                      |                   |          |
| 1   |                              |                  | Cheeseburger Waikiki                               | Dock                | 941-2400   | Tahiti Rey                                     | 5:30-8:30pm       |          |
| Eric Lee (5/1)<br>Ke Olu (5/8)                                    | 6-9pm<br>6-9pm               |                  | Contemporary / Old School I<br>Alex Oasay          | коск<br>6:30-9:30pn | 1          | The Edge at the Sheraton                       |                   | 921-4600 |
|   | '                            | 922-0811         | ,  | υ.ου-7.ουμπ         |            | Live Hawaiian Music                            | 1 4               |          |
| <b>LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki I</b><br>Live Contemporary Funk, Ja |                              |                  | Cheesecake Factory Classic Hawaiian                |                     | 924-5001   | Christian Yrizarry                             | 1-4pm             |          |
| Evan Khay   | 7-10pm                       | gya <del>c</del> | Kona Chang Duo                                     | 7 1                 | Орт        | Christian Yrizarry Duo                         | 6:30-9:30pm       |          |
| Lewers Lounge   | i-Tobill                     | 923-2311         | Duke's Canoe Club                                  | 7-1                 | 922-2268   | Tiki's Grill & Bar                             | lamanus (         | 923-TIK  |
| Live Contemporary & Light   | 1277                         | 923-2311         |  | n                   | 922-2208   | Hot Hula Thursdays - hula o                    | ,                 |          |
| Maggie Herron & Rocky F   |                              | 0-12am           | Live Contemporary Hawaiiar<br>Haumea Warrington    | 4-6pm               |            | Malu the Band<br>Ellsworth Simeona             | 5:30-7:30pm       |          |
| Mahina & Sun's  | 10111163 0.5                 | 923-8882         | Denny Ono Duo (5/2)                                |                     | 0-midnight |  | 8:30-10:30p       |          |
| Acoustic Guitar Poolside on                                       | the Ionai                    | 723-000Z         | Scott Magz & Brady (5/9)                           |                     | 0-midnight | Tommy Bahama Restau                            |                   | 923-8785 |
| Nu'u Sing   | 7-9pm                        |                  | Alika Souza (5/16)                                 |                     | 0-midnight | Live Contemporary Hawaiia<br>Chris Mercado     | <i>n</i><br>6-9pm |          |
| Mai Tai Bar at the Royal H  |                              | 923-7311         | Jesse Kawa (5/23)                                  |                     | 0-midnight |  | 0-9pm             | 040 4224 |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiia   |                              |                  | Preston Kauwe (5/30)                               |                     | 0-midnight | Tropics Bar & Grill                            | ın.               | 949-4321 |
| Jeremy Cheng  | 6:30-8:30pn                  |                  | Hard Rock Cafe                                     |                     | 955-7383   | Live Contemporary Hawaiia<br>Nohelani Cypriano |                   |          |
| Maui Brewing Compan   |                              | 843-2739         | Live Contemporary                                  |                     | 700 7000   | • •  | 2-5pm             |          |
| Live Acoustic Folk Rock   | y                            | 043-2737         | Zanuck Lindsay                                     | 9-11am              |            | FR   | IDAY              |          |
| John Helm   | 3:30-5:30pn                  | n                | Kailua Bay Buddies                                 | 9-1                 | 1pm        | Barefoot Beach Café at 0                       | ueen's Reach      | 924-2233 |
| Roy's Hawaii Kai  | 0.00 0.00                    | 396-7697         | House Without a Key                                |                     | 923-2311   | Live Contemporary Hawaiia                      |                   |          |
| Acoustic & Slack Key Top 40                                       | )                            | 0.0.0            | Live Hawaiian & Hula by Bro                        | ook Lee             |            | Art Kalahiki & Friends                         | 5:30-8:30pm       |          |
| Dayton Watanabe   | 6:30-9:30pn                  | n                | Eric Lee Trio                                      | 5:30 - 8:30p        | m          | Bin 1901 at the Moana                          |                   | 921-4600 |
| Rumfire   |                              | 921-4600         | Hula Grill   | •                   | 923-HULA   | Piano Wine Bar                                 |                   | 721 1000 |
| Solo Contemporary Guitaris  | st                           | 7=1 .000         | Live Contemporary Hawaiiai                         | n                   |            | Keith Montross                                 | 6:30-9:30pm       | 1        |
| Thomson Enos  | 5-8pm                        |                  | Kimo Baker   | 7-9pm               |            | Chart House Waikiki                            |                   | 941-6660 |
| Son Caribe Band   | 9:30-11:30p                  | om               | Hy's Steak House                                   | •                   | 922-5555   | Live Contemporary Hawaiia                      | n                 | 7 000.   |
| Signature Prime Steak   | '                            | 949-3636         | Live Soft Contemporary                             |                     |            | Mark Yim's Pilikia I                           | 6-9pm             |          |
| Contemporary Pianist in the                                       | e bar                        |                  | Audy Kimura  | 6:30-10pm           |            | Mark Yim's Pilikia II                          | 9:30-12:30aı      | m        |
| Pierre Grill  | 6-9pm                        |                  | Kani Ka Pila Grille                                | '                   | 924-4992   | Cheeseburger Waikiki                           |                   | 941-2400 |
| Sky Waikiki   | ·                            | 979-7590         | Hoku Award Winning Hawa                            | iian musicians      |            | Contemporary Hawaiian                          |                   |          |
| Live Contemporary   |                              |                  | Kawika Kahiapo                                     | 6-9pm               |            | Aku  | 6:30-9:30pm       | l        |
| Randy & Kanoe   | 6-9pm                        |                  | LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki B                       | each Hotel          | 922-0811   | Cheesecake Factory                             | '                 | 924-5001 |
| SWIM at the Hyatt   | ·                            | 923-1234         | Live Contemporary Pop/Roci                         | k                   |            | Live Acoustic Folk Rock                        |                   |          |
| Live Acoustic Guitarist   |                              |                  | Sunway   | 7-10pm              |            | John Helm Duo                                  | 7-10pm            |          |
| Izzy  | 7:30-9:30pn                  | n                | Lewers Lounge                                      |                     | 923-2311   | Dave & Busters                                 | •                 | 589-2215 |
| The Deck at the Queen Kap   |                              | 931-4488         | Contemporary Jazz                                  |                     |            | Pau Hana Fridays Live Local                    | Bands             |          |
| Island-inspired Blues   |                              |                  | Maggie Herron & Rocky H                            | olmes 8:3           | 0-12am     | Varying Hawaiian Artists                       | 6-8pm             |          |
| Kuhio Travis  | 5:30-8:30pn                  | n                | Mahina & Sun's                                     |                     | 923-8882   | Duke's Canoe Club Wai                          | kiki              | 922-2268 |
| The Edge at the Sheraton  | ,                            | 921-4600         | Hawaiian Contemporary Poo                          | olside on the Lai   | nai        | Live Contemporary Hawaiia                      |                   |          |
| Live Hawaiian Music   |                              |                  | Sani Apuakeha                                      | 7-9pm               |            | Maunalua                                       | 4-6pm             |          |
| Kama Kakaio   | 1-4pm                        |                  | Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Ha                        | waiian              | 923-7311   | Chris Murphy Duo                               |                   | ) -12am  |
| Keoni Ku Duo  | 6:30-9:30 pı                 | m                | Live Contemporary Hawaiiai                         |                     | cer        | Kaiona Duo (5/10, 5/24)                        | 9:30              | ) -12am  |
| Tiki's Grill & Bar  | •                            | 923-TIKI         | Dave Watanabe                                      | 8 - 10pm            |            | Hard Rock Cafe                                 |                   | 955-7383 |
|   |                              |                  |  |                     |            |  |                   |          |
| Live Contemporary - 1/2 off                                       | Wine Wednesda                | ays              | Maui Brewing Company                               |                     | 843-2739   | Live Contemporary                              |                   |          |
|   | Wine Wednesda<br>5:30-8:30pn |                  | Maui Brewing Company<br>Live Contemporary Hawaiiai |                     | 843-2739   | Live Contemporary<br>Alex Oasay                | 9-11am            |          |

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| The Fresh Preps or others  | 9-11pm           |                | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                              |                |                  | Naehu Duo  | 6:30-8:30pi       | m                      |
| House Without a Key  | , p              | 923-2311       | Chris Murphy  | 6-9pm          |                  | Maui Brewing Compan                                  |                   | 843-2739               |
| Live Hawaiian & Hula by Kan  | oe Miller        | 7202011        | Tropics Bar & Grill                                     | '              | 949-4321         | Live Contemporary Hawaii                             |                   | 040 2707               |
| Kapalama   | 5:30 - 8:30pr    | m              | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                              | ,              |                  | David Sedlak   | 3:30-5:30pi       | m                      |
| Hula Grill   |                  | 923-HULA       | Nohelani Cypriano                                       | 2-5pm          |                  | Chris Mercado Duo (or oth                            | ers) 9-1          | 11pm                   |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiian   |                  |                | Sam Kapu  | 8 -10:30pm     |                  | Michel's at the Colony Sur                           | f                 | 923-6552               |
| The Camarillo Brohers  | 7-9pm            |                | CATU  | IDD AV         |                  | Live Contemporary Slack K                            | ey & Jazz         |                        |
| Hy's Steak House   |                  | 922-5555       | SAIU  | IRDAY          |                  | Jeff Peterson  | 7-11pm            |                        |
| Live Soft Contemporary   |                  |                | Barefoot Beach Café at Qu                               |                | 924-2233         | Roy's Hawaii Kai                                     |                   | 396-7697               |
| Audy Kimura  | 6:30-10pm        |                | Queen's Surf + Turf w/ Hawa                             |                |                  | Instrumental, Electric Guita                         |                   |                        |
| Kani Ka Pila Grille  |                  | 924-4992       | Bronson Bernades  | 5:30-8:30pm    |                  | Jimmy Funai  | 5:30-8pm          |                        |
| Hoku Award Winning Hawaii  |                  |                | Bin1901 at the Moana                                    |                | 921-4600         | Roy's Ko Olina                                       |                   | 676-7697               |
| Ka Hehena  | 6-9pm            |                | Piano Wine Bar  |                |                  | Slack Key Guitar                                     | F.20 0000         |                        |
| LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Be  | ach Hotel        | 922-0811       | Dan Del Negro   | 6:30-9:30pm    |                  | Chris Rego   | 5:30-8pm          | 004 4/00               |
| Live Contemporary Pop/Rock<br>Sunway                                     | 7.10nm           |                | Chart House Waikiki                                     |                | 941-6660         | Rumfire  | at.               | 921-4600               |
| •  | 7-10pm           | 000 0044       | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                              |                | On m             | Solo Contemporary Guitari Desmond Oliveria           | 5-8pm             |                        |
| <b>Lewers Lounge</b><br>Live Contemporary Jazz                           |                  | 923-2311       | Tito Berinobis & Billy Beime                            | 35 /-1.        | 2pm              | Signature Prime Steak                                | 3-opin            | 949-3636               |
| Rocky, Maggie & Dean   | 8:30-12:30ai     | m              | Cheeseburger Waikiki                                    |                | 941-2400         | Contemporary Pianist in th                           | a har             | 747-3030               |
| Mahina & Sun's   | 0.30 12.30ai     | 923-8882       | Contemporary Hawaiian<br>Sean Cleland                   | 6:30-9:30pm    | n                | Grant Carvalho                                       | 6-9pm             |                        |
| Slack Key Poolside on the Lar  | ai               | 723-0002       | Cheesecake Factory                                      | 0.50 7.50pm    | 924-5001         | Sky Waikiki  | o , p             | 979-7590               |
| Jeff Rasmussen   | 7-9pm            |                | Classic Hawaiian  |                | 724-3001         | Live Contemporary                                    |                   | 7777070                |
| Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hav   | •                | 923-7311       | Dennis McClees Duo                                      | 7-10pm         |                  | John Akapo   | 6-9pm             |                        |
| Live Contemporary Hawaiian   |                  |                | Duke's Canoe Club Waiki                                 |                | 922-2268         | SWIM at the Hyatt                                    |                   | 923-1234               |
| Ben Kama ′ ′   | 6:30-8:30pm      |                | Live Hawaiian Entertainment                             |                | 7-1-1-00         | Live Acoustic Guitarist                              |                   |                        |
| Jeremy Ching   | 8:30-10:30p      | m              | Kaiona Band (5/4)                                       | 4-6pm          |                  | Hana Hou Joe   | 7:30-9:30pi       | m                      |
| Maui Brewing Company   |                  | 843-2739       | Beach 5 (5/11)  | 4-6pm          |                  | The Edge at the Sheraton                             |                   | 921-4600               |
| live Contemporary Hawaiian   |                  |                | Vaihi (5/18)  | 4-6pm          |                  | Hawaiian Music with concl                            |                   | y at 5:30 p.m.         |
| Maiko  | 3:30-5:30pm      |                | Kapena (5/25)   | 4-6pm          | 0.40             | Christian Yrizarry                                   | 1-4pm             |                        |
| (ona Chang Duo (or others)   | 9-1              | 1pm            | Ryan Tenney Duo (5/4)                                   |                | 0-12am           | Tino Jacob Duo                                       | 6:30-9:30pi       |                        |
| Michel's at the Colony Surf  |                  | 923-6552       | Camarillo Brothers Duo (5/1<br>Sets on the Beach (5/18) |                | 0-12am<br>0-12am | Tiki's Grill & Bar                                   | 0 D               | 923-TIKI               |
| <i>ive Slack Key Stylings &amp; Jazz</i><br>leff Peterson & Ernie Provel | achor 6.21       | 0-10pm         | Christian Yrizarry Duo (5/25)                           |                | 0-12am           | Live Contemporary Hawaiia<br>Johnny Helm             |                   | 30-6:30pm              |
| Roy's Hawaii Kai   | 10101 0.50       | 396-7697       | Hard Rock Cafe  | , , , , , ,    | 955-7383         | Guidance (or others)                                 |                   | 30-9:30pm              |
| nstrumental, Electric Guitar   |                  | 370-7077       | Live Contemporary                                       |                | 700 7000         | Ellsworth & Piko                                     |                   | -midnight              |
| immy Funai   | 5:30-8pm         |                | Sean Thibadeaux (or others)                             | 9-11am         |                  | Tommy Bahama Restau                                  |                   | 923-8785               |
| Roy's Ko Olina   | '                | 676-7697       | CTD   |                | 1pm              | Live Contemporary Hawaii                             |                   |                        |
| Slack Key Guitar   |                  |                | <b>House Without a Key</b>                              |                | 923-2311         | Chris Murphy   | 6-9pm             |                        |
| Chris Rego   | 5:30-8pm         |                | Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoe N                              |                |                  | Tropics Bar & Grill                                  |                   | 949-4321               |
| Rumfire  |                  | 921-4600       | Kapalama  | 5:30 - 8:30pi  | m                | Live Contemporary Hawaii                             |                   | _                      |
| Solo Contemporary Guitarist  | - 0              |                | Hula Grill  | , ,            | 923-HULA         | Henry Kapono   |                   | 5pm                    |
| Shar Carillo   | 5-8pm            |                | Live Traditional Hawaiian with                          |                |                  | Acoustik Playground (or of                           | hers) /-1         | 10pm                   |
| Signature Prime Steak  |                  | 949-3636       | Christian Yrizarry                                      | 7-9pm          | 000 5555         | SII  | NDAY              |                        |
| Contemporary Pianist in the I<br>Grant Carvalho                          |                  |                | Hy's Steak House<br>Live Soft Contemporary              |                | 922-5555         |  |                   | 004 0000               |
| Sky Waikiki  | 6-9pm            | 979-7590       | Audy Kimura   | 6:30-10pm      |                  | Barefoot Beach Café at C<br>Live Contemporary Hawaii |                   | 924-2233               |
| Live Contemporary  |                  | 7/7-/370       | Kani Ka Pila Grille                                     | 0.00 100111    | 924-4992         | Rudy Saravia   | 5:30-8:30pı       | m                      |
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| The Deck at the Queen Kapio  | •                | 931-4488       | Ho'okena  | 6-9pm          |                  | Live Contemporary Hawaii                             | an                | 741-0000               |
| Acoustic Folk Rock   | , iuiii 110toi   | 701 1100       | Hi'ikua (5/11)  | 6-9pm          |                  | Dean & Dean  | 6-9pm             |                        |
| Mike Izon  | 5:30-8:30pm      | 1              | Eric Lee (5/18)   | 6-9pm          |                  | Cheesecake Factory                                   | - ·  -···         | 924-5001               |
| (uhio Travis (5/10, 5/24)  | 5:30-8:30pm      | า              | LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Be                           | ach Hotel      | 922-0811         | Classic Hawaiian                                     |                   |                        |
| he Edge at the Sheraton  | 921              | I-4600         | Live Contemporary Blues & R                             |                | _                | Chris Murphy Duo (5/5, 5/                            | 19) <b>7-10pm</b> |                        |
| Hawaiian Music with conch/t  |                  | at 5:30 p.m.   | Tahiti Rey  | /-10           | 0pm              | Ben Kama Duo (5/12, 5/26)                            | 7-10pm            |                        |
| Christian Yrizarry   | 1-4pm            |                | Lewers Lounge   |                | 923-2311         | Duke's Canoe Club Wai                                |                   | 922-2268               |
| la`ehu Duo   | 6:30-9:30pm      |                | Live Contemporary Jazz                                  | 0.20.10.20     | 100              | Live Hawaiian Entertainme                            |                   |                        |
| iki's Grill & Bar  |                  | 923-TIKI       | Rocky, Maggie & Dean                                    | 8:30-12:30a    |                  | Henry Kapono   | 4-6pm             | 0.20.40                |
| ive Contemporary Hawaiian  | F 7              | 2 122          | Mahina & Sun's<br>R&B Poolside on the Lanai             |                | 923-8882         | Jeff James Duo (5/5)                                 |                   | 9:30-12am              |
| Randy Allen<br>/aihi   | 5-7 <sub>1</sub> | pm<br>0-9:30pm | Special Guest Saturdays (fea                            | at. Maile) 7-9 | nm               | Chris Mercado Duo (5/12)                             |                   | 9:30-12am<br>9:30-12am |
| ramı<br>The Kristi Masuhara Band   |                  |                | Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hav                            |                | 923-7311         | Maiko Duo (5/19)<br>Derrick Lee Duo (5/26)           |                   | 9:30-12am<br>9:30-12am |
| Tommy Bahama Restaura  |                  | 923-8785       | Live Contemporary Hawaiian                              |                |                  | Hard Rock Cafe                                       |                   | 955-7383               |
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DINING , ENTERTAINMENT ,

, DRINK , BE MERRY , HAPPY HOUR

Live Acoustic Folk Rock
Johnny Helm (or others)

9-11am

Analog (or others) 9-11pm

House Without a Key
Live Hawaiian & Hula by Debbie N

923-2311

Live Hawaiian & Hula by Debbie Nakanelua Pu'uhonua Trio 5:30 - 8:30pm

Hula Grill 923-HULA

Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer Alika Souza and friends 7-9pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992

*Mele Mai Sundays in May* Robi Kahakalau (5/5, 5/19)

Robi Kahakalau (5/5, 5/19) 6-9pm Kuuipo Kumukahi (5/12, 5/26) 6-9pm

Kelley O'Neil's 926-1777

Live Irish Music

Various Celtic Bands 4-7pm

LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel 922-0811

Live, Energetic Mix of Pop and Rock Hits Kristi Masuhara 7-10pm

Lewers Lounge 923-2311

Live Contemporary & Light Jazz

Tommy James 8:30pm - 12am

Mahina & Sun's 923-8882

Hawaiian Past & Present Poolside on the Lanai

Dustin Park 7-9pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311

Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer
Christian Yizarry 6:30-8:30pm

Maui Brewing Company 843-2739

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

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Denny Ono (or others) 3:30-5:30pm Scott Magz & Brady K 9-11pm

Roy's Ko Olina 676-7697

Slack Key Guitar

Chris Rego 5:30-8pm

**Rumfire** 921-4600 Solo Contemporary Guitarist

Johnny Kukui 5-8pm

Signature Prime Steak 949-3636

Contemporary Pianist in the bar

Isao Motomochi 6-9pm

Sky Waikiki 979-7590

Live Contemporary

Da Push-O-Verse 6-9pm

The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600

Hawaiian Music with conch/torch ceremony at 5:30 p.m. Christian Yrizarry 1-4pm

Kailua Moon Duo 6:30-9:30pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar 923-TIKI

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

2:30 - 5:30pm

Vaihi 6-8pm Ellsworth & Piko 9-11pm

Tropics Bar & Grill 949-4321

Live Contemporary Rock & Hawaiian
Piranha Brothers 2-5pm

Uncle's Fish Market & Grill 275-0063

Live Slack Key

Kapu the Band

Jeff Peterson 5:30-8:30pm

Music calendars subject to change. Always call to verify when seeking to see a specific performer.



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Here's a few numbers for you to find out the latest in live music from places that change daily or don't update us regularly, since we can't possible list them all.

| Anna O'Brien's             | 946-5190 |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Cheesecake Factory Kapolei | 670-2666 |
| Gordon Biersch             | 599-4877 |
| Irish Rose Saloon          | 947-3414 |
| Kelley O'Neil's            | 926-1777 |
| Lucky Strike Honolulu      | 664-1140 |
| Lulu's Waikiki             | 926-5222 |
| Mai Tai Bar Ala Moana      | 947-2900 |
| Moose McGillycuddy's       | 923-0751 |



Did you know Benihana is no longer at the Hilton? Benihana is gone, but the restaurant remains better than ever. In November, the Aoki family renamed the restaurant in honor of the legendary Rocky Aoki, known as the "Father of Teppanyaki." Rocky Teppanyaki offers new dishes prepared teppan-style, such as hamburgers, Japanese burritos, okonomiyaki and teppan sushi, as well as traditional teppan favorites. Open daily for lunch from 11:30 - 2 p.m., and dinner from 5 - 10 p.m., don't miss out on their happy hour, on the patio, where diners diners can enjoy 50% off all drinks, and choose from a special pupu menu with 4 hours of free parking. 955-5955 or rockyhawaii.com. • Appetito Craft Pizza & Wine Bar has introduced new lunch sets starting at \$10. The three-course lunch sets include your choice of either garden salad or mushroom soup along with one main dish, followed by gelato for dessert. Entrée choices include a selection of pizzas, pastas, sandwiches or Hanger steak and price depends upon selection. Available from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. 922-1150. • Right down the road, T.R. Fire Grill, known for their delicious smoked prime rib (complete with tableside presentation and all) has added quite a few tasty new items to their menu. Not to be missed is the Fire Grill Wellington (\$48), the Smoked Rib Eye (\$43), Smoked Rack of Lamb (\$53) and the Char-Grilled Portobello Mushroom (\$12) are also winners. I hear they changed my Chicken & Waffles to Chicken Fried Steak & Waffles (\$23), but will still make the previous dish on demand. Check out their happy hour at the bar daily from 11 a.m. - 10 p.m., with an extensive \$5-\$6 menu to choose from. Open daily for breakfast, lunch and dinner from 6 a.m. - 10 p.m. 921-2330 or trfiregrill.com. • When was the last time you went bar hopping downtown? For me it's been quite some time, so it was an unexpected treat to get invited on a progressive pau hana thru downtown. First stop was Ferguson's Pub, the beautiful tiny bar with plenty of personality in the historic Dillingham

Transportation Building. The place reeks of oldschool charm. 521-9020. From there we headed to Bethel Union, a bistro style trattoria the former Du Vin location. I liked it so much, I decided to celebrate my birthday a few weeks later. Chef Robert Paik has done a great job with the menu, and the whiskey and wine selction was impressive. The alumni of Avenues, Azure and Vintage Cave has put together a menu of Italian meets Meditteranean. Think fresh Oysters with a Meyer Lemon Aioli, Calabrian Clams (\$15), Grilled Shimp & Tomato Bacon Jam Toast (\$12). and Italian Classics such as fresh Pappardelle and a Ravioli of the Day. It's a quaint wine bar that has the same feel I liked so much about Du Vin. I thought it was a different bar there, but really glad I got to see what it really about. 524-0447. Last but not least we went to J. Dolan's. Yes, that's right, J. Dolans. Singular. They not only lost one of the J's as a partner, they lost one of the J's in the name. They did not however, lose any of the flavors in those pizza's they're known for. I could eat the New York style ricotta they use with a spoon. 537-4992. • May 12th is Mother's Day Since everyone has something fabulous to offer, there's not enough room to mention everyone, so, instead I look for what is different than usual, like how Stage Restaurant opens up for it's once a year brunch that Sunday. for \$55. Call 237-5429. For the first-time ever, PAI Honolulu is doing Sunday brunch, Also prined at \$55, Chef Kevin Lee presents a fourcourse, family style brunch with housemade breakfast potatoes, sausage, pain perdu, salmon benedict with ikura and more for \$55.744-2531



# Dining Calendar

May 10: Vino Sociale Fridays Appetitio Craft Pizza & Wine Bar hosts amonthly wine event from the 2nd Friday. Enjoy a lovely wine flight and paired menu in their secluded patio. Limited seating. \$55. 5:30 p.m. 922-1150.

May 11: Moana Masters Cooking Class Chef Colin Sato plays with pork, and serves the items he demonstrates during this multi-course lunch and cooking class that is served with wine. 12 - 2 p.m. \$100. HonoluluBoxOffice.com.

May 12: Sans Souci Beach Club at Barefoot Beach Cafe offers a family-friendly day filled with lawn games, keiki scavenger hunt, campfire s'mores and DJs from 3 - 7 p.m. the 2nd Sunday of every month. BarefootBeachCafe.com.

May 23: Amuse Wine Bar hosts a monthly, spirit tasting. Explore the world of Gin 6-7 p.m. \$35. 237-5429. stagerestauranthawaii.com.

**Wednesdays:** Wine & Dine Wednesdays Stop by the Veranda every Wednesday from 6-9 p.m. for a 3-course meal with paired wines for \$65++. Additional glasses at \$12. kahalaresort.com.

# MAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

# Continuing Events

#### MONDAY - FRIDAY LYON ARBORETUM TOURS

The lush gardens at the top of the UH Manoa for guided tours daily. open Knowledgeable guides will introduce the highlights of all 193.6 acres of botanical rainforest. Reservations Req. 12 participants max. Donations accepted. 988-0461.

#### **MONDAY-FRIDAY FOSTER BOTANICAL GARDENS**

Guided garden tours of rare and beautiful plants from tropical regions throughout the world. 50 N. Vineyard. 1 p.m. Adults: \$5. Reservations recommended. 522-7066.

#### **TUESDAYS** TOURS OF THE HAWAII THEATRE

Get a behind-the-scenes tour of this historic theatre including history, architecture, and a performance on the 1922 Robert Morton theatre organ. Hawaii Theatre. 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. \$10. 528-0506.

#### TUESDAYS • THE TASTING ROOM

Stop by for complimentary libations including craft beers, wines, liquors, and small-batch spirits every Tuesday. 5:30–6:30 p.m. Mahina & Sun's. FREE. surfjack.com.

#### TUESDAYS • KU HA'AHEO

Enjoy music and hula led by kumu hula Blaine Kamalani Kia. Waikiki Beach Walk, Plaza Lawn. 4:30-6 p.m. waikikibeachwalk.com. FREE.

#### TUESDAYS • KCC FARMERS MARKET

The Saturday Market is so popular they added another day. Head up to Kapiolani Community College to stock up on fresh, island produce, seafood, flowers and more, from several dozen vendors. 4 – 7 p.m. Free. 848-2074.

#### **TUESDAYS** INDOOR YARD SALE & THRIFT SHOP

The Waikiki Community Center has changed this weekly event into a community yard sale. Residents can rent a table and buy and sell items. 310 Paoakalani Avenue. 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Free. 923-1802. waikikicommunitycenter.org.

#### **TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS** FARMERS MARKET AT THE HYATT REGENCY

The Waikiki Farmers Market is offered twice a week. A great place for visitors and locals to stock up on fresh local organic fruits, vegetables, jams, honeys, baked goods and more. The market is spread out throughout the ground floor of the Pualeilani Atrium Shops. 4 - 8 p.m. hyattregencywaikiki.com.

#### TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS & SUNDAYS **TOUR & TEA AT THE HONOLULU ACADEMY OF ARTS**

Tours are led by volunteer docents and designed for visitors, who would like to explore the galleries, learn more about art and culture, and socialize over a cup of tea. Docents lead discussions in the galleries and offer insight into many cultures and time periods. 2:30 - 4 p.m. in selected galleries. Free with admission. Reservations required. 532-8700.

#### TUESDAY - SATURDAY HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES TOURS

Visit the Print Shop, coral block Chamberlain House, and 1821 Mission House and learn about the 19th century history and culture preserved at this historic site. Docent-led tours of the historic houses begin on the hour, every hour from 11 a.m. for \$8 - \$10. No charge for the self-guided tour of the grounds. Hawaiian Mission Houses. Tues. - Sat. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 447-3910 or missionhouses.org.

#### WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS YOGA ON THE LAWN

Waikiki Beach Walk offers free yoga every Wednesday. Call 926-2882 to sign up. Wednesdays 4:30 p.m., Saturday 7:30 a.m. Plaza Lawn, waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### THIRD WEDNESDAY (MAY 15) KONA NUI NIGHTS

Kona Nui Nights honors and highlights Hawaiian language and music, as well as the art of hula on the third Wednesday of every month with a cash bar available. Free. Ward Village Information Center Courtyard. 6-8 p.m. wardvillageshops.com.

#### SECOND THURSDAY (MAY 9) **COURTYARD CINEMA**

Ward Village hosts its monthly film series event, Courtyard Cinema, on the 2nd Thursday of each month. The showing features free popcorn, refreshments, food vendors and entertainment. Courtyard Cinema is free and open to the public. Seating is limited. Reserve tickets at wardvillagecourtyardcinema.com.

#### THURSDAYS • MARKET ON THE PLAZA

Browse locally grown produce and a variety of made in Hawaii products at Waikiki Beach Walk's Market on the Plaza. Free. 4 - 8 p.m. Also held on select Sundays, see online schedule. waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### **THURSDAYS COURTYARD YOGA**

Take a complimentary yoga class with CorePower Yoga at the Ward Village Information Center Courtyard. Open to the first 50 in attendance. All experience levels welcome. 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. For more information visit wardvillageshops.com/yoga.

#### FIRST FRIDAY (MAY 3) DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR

Honolulu's largest monthly outdoor selfguided arts tour takes place the first Friday of each month. This event has exploded into a huge downtown party with galleries and open for exhibitions, artist studios demonstrations, and special performances as most galleries and art-related retail shops, restaurants and museums participate. Downtown Honolulu/Chinatown. 6 - 9 p.m. Free. 521-2903 or artsatmarks.com.

#### FINAL FRIDAY (MAY 31) ART AFTER DARK

Art After Dark is back with one of the hippest events all month. Honolulu Museum of the Arts. 6-9 p.m. artafterdark.org.

#### **SATURDAYS** KCC FARMERS MARKET

Fresh island produce, seafood, flowers and



# MAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

more are available from over two-dozen vendors at Kapiolani Community College. Free. 7:30 - 11 a.m. 848-2074.

# SATURDAYS PEARLRIDGE FARMERS MARKET

Over 40 vendors offering locally grown fruits and vegetables, plants and freshly made treats. A pop-up cafe offering seating and live music rounds out the day. Free. 8 a.m. - noon. PearlridgeOnline.com.

#### SATURDAYS • KAKA'AKO FARMERS MARKET

The Kaka'ako Farmer's Market hosts an abundance of fresh local produce, artisan foods and wares from over 50 different vendors with a 70-seat café to sit back and relax in while munching on the treats you have picked up. The Farmers Market recently moved to the former Ward Warehouse location. Free. 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. wardvillage.com.

#### SECOND SATURDAY (MAY 11) DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR

First Friday has become such a success that events carry over to the second Saturday. HiSAM, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. 586-9958. Other events around downtown Honolulu all afternoon including slam poetry and open mic events at The Arts at Marks from 3 -5 p.m. Free. 521-2903 or artsatmarks.com.

## SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ART ON THE ZOO FENCE

More than 35 local artists display their works on the Zoo fence on Monsarrat Avenue opposite the Kapiolani Park Bandstand. Works include original paintings, prints and photographs. 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Free. artonthezoofence.com.

#### SUNDAYS ALA MOANA FARMERS MARKET

The Ala Moana Farmer's Market is back with over 20 vendors in a new location fronting Atkinson. 9 a.m.-12 p.m. alamoanacenter.com.

# FIRST SUNDAY (MAY 5) LEI-MAKING CLASS WITH MELEANA ESTES

Bringing back the practice of lei-making, the International Market Place offers a monthly lei-making workshop, with contemporary lei artist Meleana Estes every first Sunday of the month from 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. in Queen's Court. Free shopinternationalmarketplace.com.

## SECOND SUNDAY (MAY 12) KAMAAINA SUNDAYS AT THE PALACE

On the second Sunday of each month, Iolani Palace lets kamaaina tour the historic landmark for free. Choose from the Guided Tour or Self-Led Audio Tour. A Hawaii or active Military ID is required for free tickets. iolanipalace.org.

#### THIRD SUNDAY (MAY 19) BANK OF HAWAII FREE SUNDAY

The Honolulu Museum of Art opens its doors to the public free of charge on the third Sunday of every month thanks to Bank of Hawaii. Plenty of activities for all to enjoy. 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Free. 532-8700.

#### FOURTH SUNDAY (MAY 26) NA MELE NO NA PUA SUNDAY CONCERT

The Sunday Concert Series features award winning musicians and song writers. waikikibeachwalk.com.

#### MAY 1 MAY DAY

As we all know, May
Day is Lei Day in
Hawai'i. This is the
92nd anniversary of this
annual celebration that sets

aside one day each year to celebrate lei, the skill and artistry of Hawaii's lei makers, and honor Hawaii's people and their rich heritage. Kapiolani Park will be filled with the fragrance of flowers and live entertainment from 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. honolulu.gov/parks/program.

#### MAY 1 MAY DAY ON THE GREAT LAWN

Hawaii's Finest presents their annual May Day event with an entire evening dedicated to hula and Hawaiian music with performers such as Raiatea, Weldon K., Na Hoa, Liam Punahele, Na Wai Eha, and Kapena to name a few. Two free tickets available per person. Reserved seats and VIP also available for a fee. The Great Lawn at Bishop Museum. 4:30 - 10 p.m. hifinest.com.

#### MAY 1 • HAWAIIAN AIRLINES MAY DAY 2019: THE TRADITION CONTINUES

The star-studded program will feature Keauhou, Robert Cazimero and his halau the big-band sounds of Kahulanui, the Kamehameha Schools Concert Glee Club, and more. Enjoy May Day Mākeke, a marketplace featuring local vendors and artisans and the reunion of Nā Palapalai, with lots of food and beverage for purchase from chef, Mark Noguchi from 3 – 7 p.m. Concert at 7 – 9:30 p.m. \$35. keauhouband.com.

#### MAY 2 LEI DAY CLOSING CEREMONIES

Contest lei from yesterday's celebration lei are on exhibit one final time. As part of a special ceremony, where the winning lei are presented to Hawaii's monarchy as a sign of honor at The Royal Mausoleum at 2261 Nuuanu Avenue and at Kawaiahao Church (approx. 10:15 a.m.) The public may handle the lei and are invited to drape the lei on the resting places of the Alii. 9-11:30 a.m. honolulu.gov/parks/program.

## MAY 2 • TRADITIONAL SUNSET CEREMONY CELEBRATING THE SEASONS

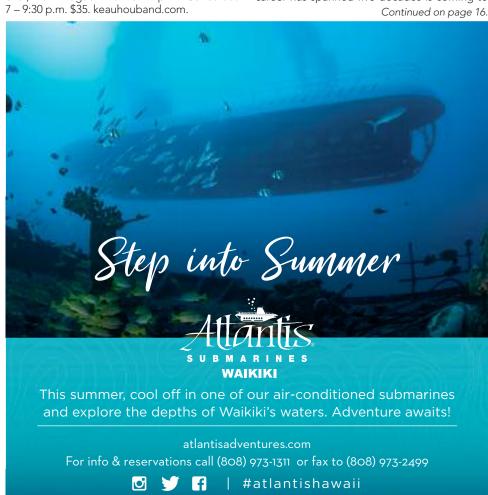


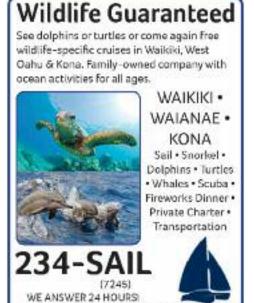
The official changing of the seasons, from Ho'oilo (wet season) to Kauwela (hot or warmdry season), is

a significant occurrence in Hawaiian history. Visitors will appreciate this free sunset ceremony with chant, hula and mo'olelo (storytelling) as the sun sets into the crown of Pu'u o Kapolei, a rare occurrence that only happens once a year. 5:30 – 7 p.m. Prior to the free ceremony, to explore the Waikiki Aquarium while perusing Hawaiian crafts and cultural activities offered from 3 – 5 p.m. waikikiaquarium.com.

#### MAY 2-5 • DIONNE WARWICK

The five-time Grammy Award singer whose career has spanned five decades is coming to Continued on page 16.





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Hawaii for 4 shows., in advance of her latest album, celebrating her 50 years in the industry. 8 p.m. Tickets: \$95-\$150. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 3 MICHAEL FRANTI & SPEARHEAD



Looking for a good show?

Michael Franti always
delivers. The lead singer,
known for as a singersongwriter, poet and spoken
word artist is coming to town
with his band that blends hip
hop with a variety of other

styles including funk, reggae, jazz, folk, and rock for hat has always been a rocking good time. \$38. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

#### MAY 4 CABANA MUSIC FESTIVAL

Jhené Aiko and Tyga headline this all day R&B/hip hop music fet. Other performers include Madeintyo, Yung Pinch, DaniLeigh, Adonis The Greek, and more. Tickets start at \$80. 2–10 p.m. Turtle Bay Resort. Tickets can be found on Eventbright.

#### MAY 4 PARADE OF FARMS

The 4th annual event is a free community fair that includes information on local farming, a variety of locally grown food products, keiki activities, a farm-to-table lunch and explore farming techniques. Guests can also reserve a guided tours of Waianae farms. 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Kahumana Organic Farm & Café. parade-offarms.org.

#### MAY 4 FILIPINA FIESTA

It's time for the 27th annual Filipino Fiesta and 7th annual Flores de Mayo. Enjoy booths filled with Filipino traditions, cultures, arts & crafts and flavors while enjoying live entertainment and keiki activities. Kaka'ako Gateway Park. Free. 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. filcom.org.

#### MAY 4-5 • SHEN YUN



The world's premier classical Chinese dance and music company brings their spectacular performance art to Honolulu for the

11th time. Sit back and enjoy classically trained artists, brilliant choreography, breathtaking costumes, state-of-the-art dynamic backdrops, and a unique orchestra combining the sounds of East and West. Children under 4 will not be admitted. Saturday 2 p.m. & 7:30 p.m., Sunday 2 p.m. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$80 – \$150. ticketmaster.com.

#### MAY 4-5 HAWAII BOOK AND MUSIC FESTIVAL

This popular book and music festival features even more local, national and internationally known authors; performances by musicians, storytellers, actors and dancers; and nonstop entertainment for the kids on multiple stages than ever before. 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Honolulu Hale. hawaiibookandmusicfestival.com.

#### MAY 5 HONOLULU BIENNIAL FINAL DAY

Enjoy all 6 of the art installations at Foster Gardens, and wander the garden for no charge in honor of the final day of this year's. Honolulu Biennial. Foster Botanical Garden. 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. honolulubotanitcalgardens.com.

#### MAY 8-11 FIREKNIFE FESTIVAL

The 27th Annual World Fireknife Championship will be reintroducing the Women's Division this year. Watch the world's most talented fireknife warriors come together for three-nights of heated competition. Competitor ages start as young as six years old to those who are experienced and celebrated. Tickets \$10, except for the finals, which are \$64.95. worldfireknife.com.

#### MAY 10-12 • DAVE KOZ



Platinum selling saxophonist Dave Koz comes to the islands to perform a series of 6 shows with special guests, renowned jazz-guitarist Adam Hawley and producer/vocalist Chris Walker. Two shows nightly, 6:30 & 9 p.m. Tickets: \$55-\$75. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 12 NA LEO MOTHERS' DAY CONCERT

Na Leo Pilemehana is the most recognized music group from the islands. They are the most popular, award-winning and biggest selling female Hawaiian group in the World and has won the most Hoku Awards of any Hawaiian music group, with styles ranging from Hawaiian contemporary to pop ballads, and are coming together to present a special "For you, Mom" concert at the Hawaii Theatre. Tickets: \$35 - \$75. 1:30 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

#### MAY 12 HONOLULU TRIATHALON

All events will start and finish at Ala Moana Beach Park for the 16th annual Triathalon. The elite wave for the Olympic Trials will start at 5:45 a.m. with all other levels starting in waves afterwards. Traffic will be affected in the Ward area for several hours, honolulutriathalon.com.

#### MAY 14-15 THE DAVID BOWIE ALUMNI TOUR

Alumni from the iconic musicians band will perform a mix of his greatest hits. Blue Note Hawaii. Performing two shows nightly, 6:30 & 9 p.m. Tickets: \$45-\$199. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 17-24 HAWAII QUILT SHOW

Check out the works of Hawaii Quilt Guild members and the works of quilt artist Joan Masaki during this years free show at the Blasidell Exhibition Hall. 10 a.m.. – 6 p.m. hawaiiquiltguild.com.

#### MAY 17-19 SPYRO GYRA

This multiple Grammy nominated jazz fusion quintet first got together back in 1974, and has been and has pumped out over 30 albums since that have sold over 10 million copies. Don't miss this chance to see these jazz legends at the Blue

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Note Hawaii. Performing two shows nightly, 6:30 & 9 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$55. bluenotehawaii.com.

#### MAY 17-21 • LA TRAVIATA

Verdi's tragic masterpiece of an ill-fated love closes our Hawaii Opera Theatre's season starring Hawaii's own baritone Quinn Kelsey and New Zealand's Pene Pati from SOL3 MIO. Friday & Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Sunday at 2 p.m. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$29 - \$130. ticketmaster.com.

#### MAY 17-18 ALOHA FROM HAWAII 2019

This two-day reggae fest takes place on the corner of Coral and Auahi Street fronting Salt of our Kakaako. Featuring The Green, Collie Buddz, Fia, Josh Tatofi, Likkle Jordee, Aisaiah Jacobs, Jasmin Nicole and more. \$42-\$110. alohafromhawaiifestival.com.

#### MAY 18 WHY DON'T WE

This popular touring band is made up of five members that had their own solo careers before forming a group, including Daniel Seavey who made the top 12 of season 14 of American Idol. \$89.50. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

#### MAY 19 HONOLULU EIKDEN & MUSIC FESTIVAL

Teams get together for a 26.2-mile relay race followed by the 6th annual music festival featuring big name Hawaiian and Japanese artists. 5:45 p.m. Waikiki Shell. Tickets: \$30-\$100. hnlekiden.org.

#### MAY 25 THE MAGIC OF ADAM TRENT



Direct from Broadway, Adam Trent. the break out star of the world's best-selling magic show The Illusionists, brings his signature brand of magic and illusion to this high-tech spectacle. This is an immersive entertainment extravaganza of magic, comedy and music, perfect for the entire family. Tickets: \$35-\$65. 8 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

#### MAY 25 NA HOKU HANOHANO AWARDS

The Hoku awards honor the best musicians Hawaii has to offer and represents the annual gathering of the biggest names in Hawai'i's music industry coming together for one night. Tickets: GA, \$180 (\$150 for kama'āina), and \$250 for premium seats. Hawaii Convention Center. 5 – 10 p.m. 593-9424 or visit nahokuhanohano.org

#### MAY 25 MELE NO LIKELIKE

The 2019 Mele Series will honor Hawai'i's sibling ali'i composers; Princess Likelike, Prince Leleiohoku, Queen Lili'uokalani, and King Kalākaua, in the Hawaiian Mission Houses annual event collectively known as Nā Lani 'Ehā. evening will feature their compositions of Princess Likelike performed by an array of professional musicians. 5:30 - 8 p.m. \$30. missionhouses.org.

#### MAY 27 LANTERN FLOATING CEREMONY



It's the 20th anniversary of the Lantern Floating Hawaii, one of the more popular festivals that takes place all year long as more than 50,000 people, both

visitors and locals alike, converge at Ala Moana Beach Park to send off specially made candle-lit lanterns into the ocean to honor their loved ones. This is one of the more picturesque events that takes place each year as 7,000 lanterns float way. Ceremonies start promptly at 6 p.m. and are webcast live at lanternfloatinghawaii.com.

#### MAY 27 MAYOR'S MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY

The city is hosting the 70th annual Mayor's Memorial Day Ceremony at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. Free and open to the public, the ceremony features several ceremonial tributes and presentations. Festivities will include speeches, color guard, wreath presentations, firearm salute, aircraft flyover, playing of taps, and performances from the Royal Hawaiian Band and Sounds of Aloha Chorus. 8:30-9:30 a.m.

#### MAY 28 & 29 • PINK MARTINI

Calling themselves a rollicking around-the-world musical adventure, they say if the United Nations had a house band in 1962, hopefully they'd be that band, and that philosophy has earned them fans around the world for the past 25 years, and they come to Hawaii regularly. 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$65-\$95. bluenotehawaii.com

#### MAY 29 & 30 HAWAI'I HOTEL & RESTAURANT SHOW

The Hawai'i Lodging & Tourism Association and the Hawai'i Restaurant Association have joined forces to present one official trade show from both of them. Showcasing the very best from Hawai'i and beyond, discover what's new in lodging, hospitality and food service. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free to attend. Hawai'i Convention Center. hawaiihotelandrestaurantshow.com

#### MAY 31 SYMPHONY IN THE PARK

This FREE family-friendly program features music from the Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra's Halekulani Masterworks series, their #musicthatPOPS series plus a few surprises. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, food and (non-alcoholic) beverages. Kailua District Park . 5 p.m. hawaiisymphonyorchestra.org.

## MAY 31 RAIN: A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES



In celebration of the anniversary of Abbey Road, RAIN brings to life the greatest hits of this epic recording, in

addition to all your early Beatles favorites. This mind-blowing performance will take you back in time with the legendary foursome delivering a note-for-note theatrical event that has been called, "the next best thing to seeing the Beatles". Another show takes place on June 1st. Tickets: \$48-\$78. 8 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.





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#### **HOTELS**

#### HALE KOA HOTEL 955-0555

•MThFS - Poolside music at the Barefoot Bar. 6-11pm

#### 923-2311

- •Daily-Hawaiian Music and hula at House Without A Key from 5:30-8:30pm.
- Daily-Live Contemporary Light Jazz at Lewers Lounge Sun - Thurs: 8:30pm to midnite, till 12:30 Fri - Sat
- •Sun- Sunday brunch at Orchids features Noly Paa on the piano from 10am - 1:30pm.

#### HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE

- •Fri Fireworks return to their normal time, 7:45 pm.
- •FriSat Jerry Santos and Olomana, Paradise Lounge 8-11 pm.
- •Daily Live entertainment, Tapa Bar. 7:30-10:30pm.

#### HYATT REGENCY WAIKIKI

923-1234

- •MW Hawaiian Music 5:30-7pm.
- •TTH Waikiki Farmers Market 4-8pm.
- •Fri Aloha Friday Polynesian show, lei-making 4:30-6pm, 1st Floor, Pualeilani Atrium

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

•TuWThFSat- David Swanson vocalizes on the piano at The Veranda from 7:30-10pm. Hawaiian on Sun/Mon.

#### MOANA SURFRIDER

922-3111

- •Daily-Hawaiian music & hula. The Banyan Court, 6-8 pm, and again from 8 -10 p.m. Weekends from 11:30-2 p.m.
- •MWFri-Guided historical tours at 11am.

#### NEW OTANI KAIMANA BEACH 923-1555

•FSat- Jazz guitarists in the Sunset Lanai Bar. 6-9pm.

### OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI ON THE BEACH 923-0711

•Daily- Daily Cultural Program, front lobby. 11am.

#### OUTRIGGER REEF ON THE BEACH 923-3111

## •Daily- Cultural programs at Kani Ka Pila Hale. 9am.

- SHERATON PRINCESS KA'IULANI •Daily-Live Hawaiian music & halau at the lounge
- from 6-8:30pm, then poolside from 8:30-10:30pm. •Th-Princess Kajulani historical tour at 9:30am.

#### THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN

923-7311

•TTH- Free guided resort tour at 1pm.

## TURTLE BAY RESORT

293-6000

- •TThFri Shell Hula Lessons, Lobby at 10am
- •TThFri Ukulele Lessons, Lobby at 9am
- •Fri- Music & Hula. Lobby Lounge 6:30-8:30pm.

#### WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT 922-6611

- •Daily-Hawaiian entertainment in The Moana Terrace Bar. 6:30-9:30pm.
- •Fri-Local crafters "Aloha Friday Fair" Lobby 9am-2pm

#### HAWAI'I STATE ART MUSEUM

•TWThFSat - Inaugural exhibition "Enriched by Diversity: The Art of Hawai'i." Free. Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Located in the Capital District.

•Tues- A one-hour guided tour offers a unique insight in the history, art, architecture and restoration of the Hawai'i Theatre with trained docents & a mini-concert on the 1922 Robert Morton Theatre Organ. 11 a.m. Admission: \$10.

#### HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART 532-8726

•MWF- Japanese Language Tours. Private tours also available. 1pm. Regular admission.

#### HONOLULU FIRE MUSEUM 723-7167

•3rdSat- Free one-hour guided tours through various exhibits with a firefighter recounting HFDs history the 3rd Saturday: 9am - 2pm. Reservations required. 620 South Street. honolulu.gov/hfd/communityrelations

#### IOLANI PALACE

586-0900

- •Mon-Sat-45 minutes docent-lead or self-guided audio tours available in English or Japanese. Japanese-led tour is available only at 11:30 a.m. All tours include re-tour video and entrance into the Palace Galleries. Adults: \$14.75-\$21.75 / Keiki (5-12): \$6. 9am-5pm
- •Sat-Hawaiian Quilt Classes. Old Archives 9:30a-12p.

#### LUCORAL MUSEUM

•TTh- Learn how to plan your jewelry project and more in this beaded jewelry workshop \$10. 2-4pm

#### HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES

•Tue-Sat-Learn about the story of cultural change in 19th-century Hawai'i. Docents lead tours through the oldest existing frame house in the Islands, Print Shop, and the Chamberlain House. missionhouses.org

#### PACIFIC AVIATION MUSEUM 441-1000

• Daily-Vintage aircraft in battlefield hangars at Pearl Harbor. Combat flight simulators. Aviator's Tour takes you through the new Restoration Hangar. Restaurant, Museum Store. Shuttle & Tickets at USS Arizona Memorial Visitor Center or at PacificAviationMuseum.org.

#### THE SPALDING HOUSE

•Daily-Docent-led tours given daily. 1:30pm. Garden tours or Japanese language tours are by appointment.

#### NAVAL AIR MUSEUM BARBERS POINT 682-3982

•Mon-Fri- A unique museum experience about aviation history in Hawaii. All aircraft are open to climb in, on and around. Tours: 8am - 4:30pm. \$7 / \$5 children under 18. Kalaeloa Airport. Reservations req'd. Sat/Sun by appt only. www.nambp.org.

PAPARAZZI

#### SHOPPING CENTERS

#### ALA MOANA CENTERSTAGE

- •Mon-Sat- Ala Moana Hula Show. Centerstage 1-1:20pm
- •MWF- Hawaiian music Mauka Wing 2:30-3:30pm
- •Sun Keiki Hula Show. Centerstage 1-1:20pm

#### INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE 921-0536

- •Daily Ceremonial lighting of Lamaku Torch Tower just after sundown followed by a hula show.
- •1st3rd Sun Free Yoga class. 10-11am.
- •1st Sun Free cultural lei-making class. 12-3pm.
- •2nd Sat Free Yoga class. 9:30-10:30am.
- •2nd Sun Paint class 1:30-4:30pm.
- •1st3rd Fri Live painting demonstration.3:30-4:30pm.

#### ROYAL HAWAIIAN CENTER 922-2299

- M- Keiki Hula lessons 3:30pm, Royal Grove
- MWF- Learn Lomilomi 11am-12pm, Bldg. B, 3rd floor
- MTF-Hula 10am (4pm on Wednesdays), Royal Grove
- TThSat- Rock-a-Hula Pre-Show 7pm, Royal Grove
- TWTh- Lauhala Weaving 1pm, Bldg B., 3rd floor
- TThF- Ukelele 12pm, Helumoa Hale
- TWThF- Live Hawaiian music 6-7pm, Royal Grove
- Sat- Hula Kahiko 6-6:30pm, Royal Grove
- Daily- Heritage Room/Cultural Videos Helumoa Hale

#### WAIKIKI BEACH WALK www.waikikibeachwalk.com

- Daily-The Ukulele Store offers free lessons at 10:30am & 4:30pm.
- •Tues Hawaiian Quilt Collection demonstrations, 2nd floor. 10:30am - 12:30pm
- •Tues Ku Ha'aheo Hula Show. Plaza Stage. 4:30-6pm
- •WSat Free Yoga Wed 4:30pm, Sat.7:30am Plaza Stage
- •Sat- Hoopdance Fitness Classes on the Lawn. 5pm

#### **ATTRACTIONS**

#### KALAKAUA AVENUE

527-5666

955-9517

•Fri - Strolling Hula from 8-10:00pm.

#### KAPI'OLANI BANDSTAND

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- •Fri-Hawai'i's finest musicians perform. 5:30-6:30pm •Sun-Royal Hawaiian Band performs 2-3:15pm.
- KUHIO BEACH HULA SHOW 843-8002

### •TThSat- Free hula show 6:30 - 7:30pm. Hula mound.

TAMARIND PARK - DOWNTOWN 527-5666 •Fri- Mayor's Aloha Friday Music from 12-1pm

#### WAIKIKI TOWN CENTER

922-2724

•Mon-Sat-The songs and dances of Hawai'i, New Zealand, & Tahiti. Free shows begin at 7pm.

EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE ... PLEASE CALL TO CONFIRM PRIOR TO ATTENDING



Raising Cane's Todd Graves (Founder, CEO, Fry Cook & Cashier) came to visit the Hawaii location along with Panda Restaurant Group's Co-CEO & Founders Andrew & Peggy Cherng and dancers from Tihati Productions.

#### Nico's Upstairs Grand Opening



 $\label{thm:condition} \textit{Juliana and Nico Chaize celebrated the grand opening of}$ Nico's Upstairs, their latest restaurant in the space above Nico's at Pier 38 formerly occupied by Harbor Restaurant with Yana and Joey Cabell. nicospier38.com/upstairs.

### He Mele Lahui Hawaii at Iolani Palace



In an effort to convey the monarchy era splendor, Iolani Palace offers He Mele Lahui Hawaii, featuring pop-up performances twice a month by Kuuipo Kumukahi in the Palace's Imprisonment Room. Catch her May 15 & 29.

# concierge card

Bill's Sydney Waikiki - 20% discount off food and beverage (not applicable on happy hour or other offers). Must show hotel ID to receive discount. 280 Beach Walk. 922-1500

**Dole Plantation -** 1 FREE Adult Admission to the Maze with purchase of 1 Adult Admission. 621-8408

**Giovanni Pastrami -** 15% Off Full Bar, Dine-in or Take-Out at anytime with ID. 227 Lewers St. 923-2100.

Hard Rock Cafe - 15% off food, beverage (non-alcoholic), or merchandise. Hotel ID req'd. 280 Beachwalk Ave. 955-7383.

**Hawai'i Prince Golf Club -** \$5 off Standard Kamaaina Green Fees. Tee Times: 944-4567

**Hawaiian Mission Houses -** Free tour with hotel ID. 553 S. King Street. 447-3910

**Hy's Steakhouse** - 25% VIP Discount Off Food And Beverage (up to 2 persons) 2440 Kuhio Ave. 922-5555

**Hyatt Regency Waikiki** - 15% discount by mentioning this offer and presenting your hotel ID at SHOR, The Buffet at Hyatt and SWIM. 2424 Kalakaua Ave. 923-1234.

**'Iolani Palace -** Free Admission. Regular rate \$21.75. 364 S. King Street, Reservations & Hotel ID required. 522-0832.

**IHOP** - Receive 20% on entire bill. Must show valid hotel ID. Not valid with any other offer or discount. Valid only at Aqua Palms, 949-4467 and OHANA Waikiki Malia, 921-2400.

II Lupino - 15% discount off food and beverage (not applicable on liquor or specials). Must show hotel ID or business card to receive discount. Royal Hawaiian Center. 922-3400.

Kaiwa - 20% off food & beverage between 5 & 7 p.m. 924-1555

**Maui Divers Jewelry** - 35% discount off purchases made at the Design Center and 20% at all stores. Must show hotel ID to receive discount. 1520 Liona Street. 946-7979.

Noi Thai - 20% discount off food and beverage (not applicable on liquor, happy hour or specials). Must show hotel ID. Royal Hawaiian Center, Bldg. C. Level 3. 664-4039

**Pacific International Skydiving Center -** 50% discount on Jump, 68-760 Farrington Hwy., 637-7472.

P.F. Chang's Waikiki - Receive 20% on all appetizers, entrees, desserts and beverages 11 am - 5 pm daily (not valid for Pau Hana menu) Royal Hawaiian Center. Ph: 628-6760

Romano's Macaroni Grill - 10% Off Food for up to 2 guests. (Not valid for Happy Hour Menu). Ala Moana Center, 1450 Ala Moana Blvd. 356-8300.

Ruth's Chris Steak House - 10% Off Food for up to 2 guests. (Not valid for Happy Hour & Prime Time menus). Restaurant Row, 599-3860. Waikiki Beach Walk, 440-7910.

**Honolulu Museum of Art Spalding House -** FREE Admission for you and one guest with hotel ID. 526-1322.

Stripsteak Waikiki - 20% off Food Only for up to 4 guestswith hotel ID. Does not include alcohol & Happy Hour. 800-3094.

**The Original Glider Rides** - Experience the joy of soaring for yourself. Concierge / GSA may receive a complimentary scenic ride. Request the "GSA flight special" when booking reservation. Hotel ID required. Dillingham Airfield. 637-0207

Tiki's Grill & Bar - FREE order of ANY appetizer with any purchase! One pertable. OahuconPOKE. ASTON Waikiki Beach. 923-8454

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# Guest Services Director of the Month



NAME: Jordyn Kilgore

**HOTEL:** The Surfjack Hotel

TITLE: Director of

Experience

Q. How long have you been with the Surfjack?

**A.** Since their soft opening in April of 2016. I started in guest services, and was promoted to Director of Experience last year

## Q. What's your job description and a typical day at work? (What your responsibilities include)?

A. The Director of Experience is the personality of the Surfjack. A typical day is filled with emails! Haha, but my job is fun. I coordinate photoshoots for content. Meet people from all over the world and show them the best things Oahu has to offer. I've learned the creative side to coordinating events & programming based on specialty talents of influencers around the world. In addition as the Surfjack is entering its 3rd year we are focusing now more than ever on the kama'aina community through our events, menu at Mahina & Suns and new offers during their stays. I also work with events & our regular programming, social media, the VIP & influencer point of contact and revenue.

#### What brought you to the Surfjack?

**A.** It was new hip spot opening and my mother suggested I should apply.

Q. Describe your typical day at work.

**A.** A typical day good be full of emails, or I could have meetings with local or national creatives that would like to collaborate. It could be meeting with a VIP and recommending places to eat or see and possibly accompanying them. Or it could be a photo or video shoot. It really is something new and exciting every day. It never stops!

#### Q. What did you do before joining the industry?

**A.** I was attending Columbia College Chicago before I moved here to start working at the Surfjack.

Q. What is your biggest challenge at the hotel?

**A.** My biggest challenge is not having enough time to do all the great ideas for collaboration.

**Q.** What do you like most about this industry? **A.** All the connections we make.

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Q. What makes your property/team special?

**A.** The Surfjack is all about the experience. Maya Angelou said it best, "I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."

Q. Is there a guest that sticks out more than others?

**A.** First timers for sure! I love their energy. It helps us to remember how lucky we are to live here.

Q. What's the most unusual request you've heard?

**A.** The most unusual request was for bathing suit rentals. I cannot make this up! Haha.

Q. What is your favorite thing to recommend?

**A.** Lanikai Pillbox hike for sunrise & all the delicious eats around town.

Q. What off site eatery do you recommend most?

A. Ono Seafood, Scratch Kitchen, Mud Hen Water and Mai Tai bar for a sunset and Mai Tai.

Q. Where are you from originally?

**A.** I'm from Lahaina, Maui. My family moved to Oahu while I was on the Mainland.

**Q.** What do you like to do most when not working? **A.** Drink, eat, catch up with my friends and travel.

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