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Gabriel Medina (BRA) finds a barrel during last year's Billabong Pipe Masters. WSL/Masurel

Winter in Hawaii means the surfs up on the North Shore and it's time for Vans Triple Crown of Surfing. The waves are up, the boards are waxed and the most talented and bravest surfers in the world are ready for three world-famous events over the course of thirty-nine days. From November 12th to December 20th the North Shore is surf central. The total prize purse is \$1,150,000 plus a \$50,000 bonus for the winner. The competitions will take place on the biggest and best four days of surf. Admission is free. Parking is tough but well worth the search.

Lauren Rolland, taking on the job of media wrangler, says, "competition, action, sheer athleticism – it all culminates on the North Shore of Oahu for the most celebrated surfing series in the world, the Vans Triple Crown of Surfing. Known as the longest running and most prestigious surf event in history, the Vans Triple Crown of Surfing is comprised of three jewels – the Hawaiian Pro, Vans World Cup of Surfing and Billabong Pipe Masters. With a history like no other, this coveted series is the finale of the World Surf League (WSL) Samsung Galaxy Championship Tour and also the deciding factor of many competitors' careers."

For many years we have heard all the news from the North Shore from Jodi Wilmott, surfer and surf reporter. She is quoted worldwide with lines like "our waves can be massive mountains or a golf course." In summer, she says, Waimea looks like a lake or a bathtub. Right then it is hard to imagine that in a matter of weeks the waves will be life-threatening walls of water. Wilmott has stepped up to be the director of the events. Rolland, a non-

competing surfer, has taken over the big job of communications.

Rolland's very first bit of news is that Pancho Sullivan and Sonny Garcia are retiring from the Triple Crown after this season. Not retiring from surfing of course, just from the competitions that take them around the world. Still, this is the time to see them at their most competitive. Garcia is still traveling but Sullivan is in town.

Pancho Sullivan's story is really an inspiration to young surfers and fun for surf fans to read and understand. He says twenty-five years is a good amount of time to compete. "I grew up on the North Shore and as a kid I thought surfing was a dream come true. I didn't compete at all. I worked with the family business. It took all my energy. I surfed but wasn't considered the best. One day in 1991 I sold a surfboard because I needed the money. On the way home I pulled up and watch the heats of the contest. The announcer called for entries. I had the money in my pocket. I signed up, made it through eight heats and won \$1,000. Media and sponsors took notice. When I was thirty-one I thought I might retire. After qualifying for eighteen events I was on the world tour for four years and finished seventh in 2007."

Never still, Sullivan has opened his own internet business, Aultasurf.com, that sells high-quality watches for the lifestyle he knows best. He supports and instructs "walk on water" events for special needs children and continues to be involved in surfing. He hopes for those El Nino waves everyone keeps talking about, calling this the "greatest show on earth."

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## Bigger & Better

Ala Moana's Ewa Expansion Opens



This artist rendering of Ala Moana Center's Ewa Expansion is about to become reality when it opens November 12th.

The gatekeepers of Honolulu's shopping magic are delivering on time and beyond our wildest dreams. Ala Moana Center and General Growth Properties has made good on their promise. Eighty stores on a new promenade, headlined by Bloomingdales, are completed and 39 will open November 12th. Plus, 4,500 parking stalls will re-open the same day making it easier to shop at the world's largest open air mall. In total, when all construction is finished, there will be 11,000 parking stalls, more than either the airport or Aloha Stadium.

Scott Creel, senior marketing manager of Ala Moana, says he was curious, so he measured the length from one end of the mall to the other. "The walk is a full one-third mile from Bloomingdales to Macy's. Happily the nearly open walk has many sit-and-rest options. A new stage area, planted with fully grown palm trees, is designed to host musical trios and a dancer or two.

The totally renovated Center Stage in the center of Ala Moana will continue to host the weekly hula performances, Royal Hawaiian Band concerts and choral groups, beginning on November 14th with fashion shows from noon to 5:00 p.m. St. John,

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## Publisher's Letter



### Event Madness Continues....

Hard to believe the year is almost over. Is it just me or has this one just flown by? I feel like I just celebrated New Years Eve and yet we're almost there again. Event wise, we started this year off rather slowly, but things have certainly picked up in the past few weeks. I want to thank you guys for rolling with me as the invitations have come fast and furiously. As many of you know, I am dealing with a massive database issue, and have been winging it via webmail to the best of my ability, and trying to rebuild my contact list. It's not necessarily the most efficient way of working, but thanks to a lot of patience from you guys I've been able to still communicate with most of you. Hopefully I can get an expert in here soon to fix this problem.

In the meantime, it looks like I need to touch an old topic that seems to have raised its ugly head again. Thankfully this doesn't apply to most of you, but there's a lot of new faces out there that apparently need a gentle reminder. There are far more of you than there are seats at an event. I try my hardest to spread them out to as many of you as possible, within the parameters the host sets. If you're new to the events, and have secured a seat, kindly let me know if you're not going to be able to attend after all. I understand things come up. Stuck at the desk, kid issues, not feeling well. I get it. These things happen. Just be kind enough to send me an email or a text or something when that does happen, so I can let the host know or fill your seat with someone else if time permits. There have been a lot of no shows without any communication lately. Remember, half the time one of your co-workers would have taken your seat in a heartbeat. Hey, I'm not judging. It happens. Life happens. I actually completely forgot about an event I had RSVP'd to recently and no showed myself. I was mortified, but I had been so busy it completely escaped my mind. However, as soon as I remembered (read: saw the pics on Facebook) I reached out to apologize and explain why. That's all I'm asking. Just communicate. Most of all, please respect the process. That means you do not have your friend come to the event and lie to me about where they work in order to get in. There are some new faces out there that I don't recognize, but to take advantage of that by telling your friend to just say they work with you is insulting. Someone did just that at a recent event. How they thought I wouldn't eventually realize it is ridiculous. You should know that person is no longer welcome at any future events. It's disrespectful to me, it's disrespectful to the company hosting the event and it's disrespectful to your co-workers. I've said it before, but we are very fortunate to be able to experience so many great new places. Don't let your co-worker ruin it for the rest of us. It's simply common courtesy.

Speaking of events... as you can see on the opposite page, the big one is almost here. I'm pleased to announce the 15th annual Mahalo Party will be held on December 15th at Sky Waikiki! It's not an invitation folks... just a save the date, so don't start RSVPing now. Official invites will be sent out around December 1st. Happy Thanksgiving everyone!



# Yada Yada



Joe Ibarra

The Kahala Hotel & Resort has promoted **Joe Ibarra** from director of front office to director of rooms. In his new position, Ibarra will manage both the Front Office and Housekeeping departments, overseeing more than 150 associates between the two teams. Many of you may be familiar with Ibarra as he has previously worked at the Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort and Spa, The Waikiki EDITION Hotel and the JW Marriott Ihilani Resort & Spa. • There have been some more changes over at the Kahala. **Nicolas Vargas** was recently hired to join the concierge team and **Bill Hinkley** as been appointed as Director of Security. • Moving around.. **Junka Kosugi Xue** from the Sheraton PK has transferred over to the concierge desk at the **Moana Surfrider, a Westin Resort**. • Speaking of the **Sheraton Princess Kaiulani**, **Makoto Seno** has joined their concierge team full time. • **Cami Tanouye** and **Kristin Tait** have both been hired as catering sales managers in the Food and Beverage Department at the **Hawaii Convention Center** and will be responsible for planning catered events at the Center. • **The Ritz-Carlton Residences Waikiki** has named **Douglas Chang** as the property's general manager. Currently working on the mainland, Chang is a local boy that has previously

worked as the general manager of The Ritz-Carlton Kapalua Bay and spent time managing the Hotel Hana-Maui. • Congrats to **Dara Young**, who has been named Complex Director of Public Relations for **Starwood Hotels & Resorts**. She is responsible for overseeing PR efforts for all four of Starwood's Waikiki properties. She joined the company earlier this year as its public relations manager, a job she also held at the Hilton Hawaiian Village several years back. • **The Hawai'i Visitors and Convention Bureau** hired **Tom Mullen** to fill the newly created position of senior vice president and chief operating officer. Tom spent 27 years in Hawaii in various roles with American Express and is excited to be returning to the islands after a stint with the Los Angeles Tourism and Convention Board. In his new role, Mullen will be responsible for finance and corporate services, contract compliance, business development and travel industry partnerships. • **Hilton Hawaiian Village** has hired **Ivette Toro** as the resort's new senior training manager. Toro was previously responsible for developing and implementing all training programs at the Mauna Kea Beach Hotel and Hapuna Beach Prince Hotel, and spent time with Starwood prior to that.



Dara Young

## HIFF HAWAII INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL



### 35 Years of Film Festival Magic

World premieres, U.S. premieres, films from 41 countries headline a film festival like no other. From November 12th to November 22nd the 35th Hawaii International Film Festival, presented by Halekulani, brings a roster of foreign language Oscar entries plus thirty two world premieres included in the list of 181 films. Seventeen are from the U.S., fourteen are international films.

The festival is easy to attend. Films show at Regal Dole Cannery Stadium 18 Theatres & IMAX, Consolidated Theatre at Koko Marina Shopping Center, Courtyard Cinema at Ward Villages, Consolidated Ward 16. Ticket Prices: \$14 general public, \$12 seniors, military, students, children, \$10 HIFF Ohana members. Tickets can be purchased online at [hiff.org](http://hiff.org) or in person at the box office, 447-0577. Many visitors plan their Hawaii vacation to attend this premier international film event, others discover the festival after they arrive.

According to Anderson Le, director of programming, "HIFF serves as a festival of discovery for new talent in the Pacific Rim; a "yearbook" of the very best films that have played on the festival circuit; and a new destination to present awards buzz titles that are vying for industry attention during the height of the awards season." He calls this the best from the east and west.

The opening night film is South Korea's official entry to the Oscar Foreign Language category with award-winning director Lee Joo-ick's "The

Throne." The story at the center of this lush historical drama is the struggle between the long-ruling King Yeongjo (Song Kang-ho from "Snowpiercer") and his son, Sado (Yoo Ah-in) and the real life incident of the king's grim decision to lock up his son in a wooden barrel in which the royal heir died after eight days.

The centerpiece film, "Carol", is set in 1950s New York where two women from very different backgrounds (Rooney Mara as a young shop clerk and Cate Blanchett as a sophisticated, but unhappy housewife) find themselves in the throes of love. The world premier of the Todd Haynes drama was at the Cannes Film Festival, where Mara won Best Actress.

The festival closes with a romantic drama based on real life events. In its U.S. premiere, Mabel Cheung's "A Tale of Three Cities" is an epic period drama about individuals overwhelmed by the times, their trajectories shaped by rapidly changing circumstances beyond their control. Lau Ching-wan and Tang Wei (Lust, Caution) play ill-fated lovebirds who meet with a backdrop of the final days leading into WWII. The film is based on the epic love story of Jackie Chan's parents.

Halekulani Corporation, HIFF's key presenting sponsor, will again present the Festival's coveted Halekulani Golden Orchid Awards for best narrative feature, best documentary feature and for the first, time, best narrative short film.

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## HAWAII FASHION MONTH

It's Hawaii Fashion Month and there will be events the entire month to promote and elevate all aspects of Hawaii's fashion industry. Local designers, stylists, retailers, manufacturers and others will showcase their work in fashion shows, exhibitions and events. Royal Hawaiian Center will host Royal Designer Walk on the 10th with trunk shows and designer meet & greets throughout the center. Fashion Week takes place the 20-22 with celebrity designers and fashion shows at the Convention Center. [hawaiifashionmonth.com](http://hawaiifashionmonth.com)

## BISHOP MUSEUM OPENS CAFE

Bishop Museum has partnered with Highway Inn to offer their guests a chance to nosh on some of the restaurants Hawaiian food favorites at the Bishop Museum Cafe. Open from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. daily, the cafe currently offers breakfast, snacks, Hawaiian plates and more. Plans for a completely renovated eatery with expanded menu and beverage options are underway with construction slated to begin later this year. [bishopmuseum.org](http://bishopmuseum.org).

## BISHOP MUSEUM CHANGES

The Bishop Museum also began opening their doors every day from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. last month. The museum was previously closed on Tuesdays. Also, effective November 1st, the Museum will no longer offer free parking, charging a \$5 fee per vehicle. An exception will be made for museum members, who will still be able to park for free.

## MARINES GO FREE

In honor of the U.S. Marine Corps birthday on November 10th, Pearl Harbor Historic Sites will waive the admission of all active duty and retired Air Force personnel and their families into the Battleship Missouri Memorial, Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor, and the USS Bowfin Submarine Museum and Park on November 7th and 8th. Just present a valid military ID at the ticket booth to enter. [PearlHarborHistoricSites.org](http://PearlHarborHistoricSites.org).

## INDUSTRY DISCOUNT

Lilikoi, the casual chic women's clothing store in the lobby of the Outrigger Reef Waikiki, is offering 25% off all merchandise during the month of November 2015 to those employed in the tourism industry in Waikiki. Open daily from 9 a.m to 9 p.m. Just mention code word TOURISM at time of purchase to redeem. 737-3337. [lilikoiboutique.us](http://lilikoiboutique.us).

## TAKE TEA?

Relax and savor tea at the Louis Pohl Gallery in Chinatown. On First Friday, November 6th, six of Hawaii's most famous ceramic artists will join Tea Master Dick Mills to premier a show of tea and their bowls. Japanese tea cookies, tea and Mills' expertise are all free. The show continues thru November 23rd. 521-1812. [louisphogallery.com](http://louisphogallery.com).

## SUNNY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN

Sunny Days, a healthy new brunch spot has opened in the former Surf 'n' Turf Tacos location on Monsarrat Avenue. This is the first restaurant in the states for Hanafru, a popular chain in Japan that specializes in high-quality products and fresh fruits. Visitors can expect fresh-pressed juices, healthy takes on local faves such as Loco Moco & Quinoa, fruit bowls, light and fluffy pancakes, eggs benedicts, sprout sandwiches, daily special plate lunches as well as vegan options. Open from 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. daily. [sunnydays-hanafru.com](http://sunnydays-hanafru.com)

## ALOHA TRIKKE ARRIVES



There's a new vehicle in town offering a different way to tour the island. Aloha Trikke has brought in the Trikke Pon-e 48v, a user-friendly, electric personal mobility device. Its 3-wheeled design provides extra stability to riders. Located on the 2nd floor of King's Village, tours are available through Waikiki, around Diamond Head, and Magic Island. Also available to rent in Kailua and the North Shore. 926-3090. [alohatrikke.com](http://alohatrikke.com)

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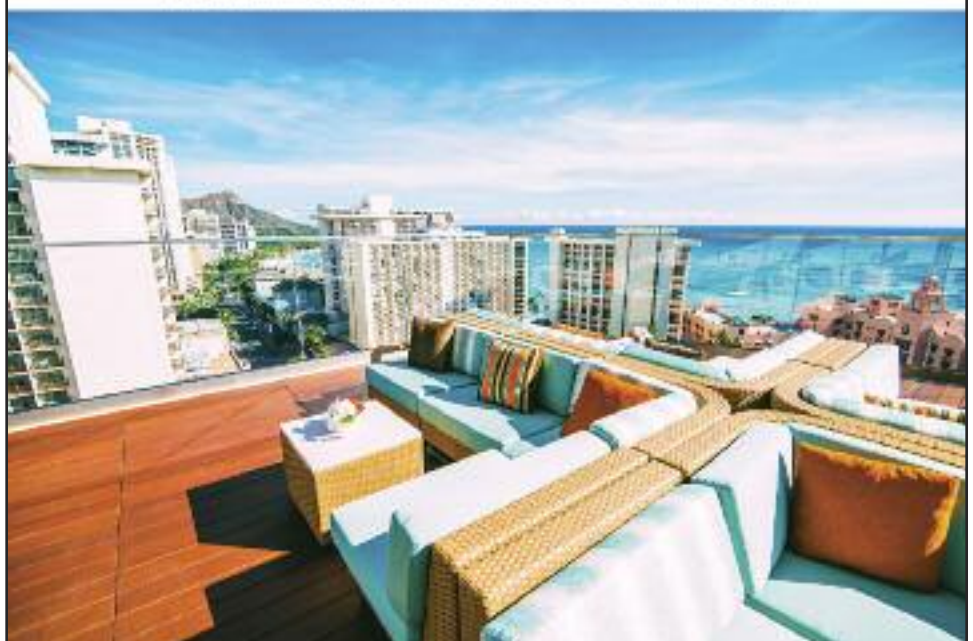
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I will give you the Five Ws, the Who, What, Where, When and Why, that make this November a terrific month for Honolulu's theatrical scene.

So let's start with the **WHO**. Have you ever heard of Peter Townshend and Des McAnuff? If you haven't, their band, The Who, created a double album rock opera called *Tommy* in 1969. It was made into a film in 1975 that starred Ann-Margret, Oliver Reed, Eric Clapton, Tina Turner, Elton John and Jack Nicholson but it wasn't until 1992, that the album came to life as a stage musical and won five Tony Awards which included Best Musical Score and Direction of a Musical. This story of a deaf, dumb, and blind pinball-playing boy who over comes his physical and mental challenges only to succumb to the pitfalls of celebrity opens at **MANOA VALLEY THEATRE** on November 12th and runs through the 29th. If your guests are fans of rock music and are looking for something different to do beyond the beach, this high energy production is the perfect place to send them. The production runs 2 hours and 15 minutes and tickets are \$39 for adults, \$34 for seniors/military, and \$20 for those 25 years old and younger. Show times are Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 4 p.m. For more details on this production at Hawai'i's Off Broadway Theater call the box office at 988-6131 or visit [ManoaValleyTheatre.com](http://ManoaValleyTheatre.com).

**WHAT** makes you laugh? What makes me laugh is the fact that comedian Augie T's claim to fame is that he is one of Hawai'i's Top 100 influential Filipinos. Augie is celebrating 25 years of making Hawai'i audiences laugh and the Filipino community proud with his *"More Haole Than You Think"* standup comedy tour which stops at the **HAWAII THEATRE CENTER** on November 13th at 7:30 p.m. for one night only. He will be debuting new material as well as some of his familiar tales of local life and family. Over his career he has won two Hawai'i Music Awards and two Na Hoku Hanohano Awards. Tickets start at \$25 with VIP seating tickets at \$45. Call the box office at 528-0506 Tuesday through Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to purchase tickets or go online to [HawaiiTheatre.com](http://HawaiiTheatre.com)

**WHERE** is one of the best places to hear Hawaiian music? Well, that's back at the **HAWAII THEATRE CENTER** this month for *"Makana and Friends: A Tribute to Sonny Chillingworth"* on November 14th at 7:30 p.m. Most of you of course are familiar with Makana and his slack-key guitar rock performances but did you know that he received a grant from the Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts to study under Hawaiian slack key legend Sonny Chillingworth? Sonny is considered to be one of the most influential slack key guitarists in the history of Hawaiian music and performed for many years with Gabby Pahinui. This concert, many years in the making, is a tribute to Makana's kumu and is a musical night not to be missed. VIP seats to the concert are already sold out, but there are still many goods seats left at \$32 and \$47. To purchase tickets call the box office at the number listed in the paragraph above.

**WHEN** was the last time you saw a *Saturday Night Live* comedian live at a theatre? Truth be told, that last time I saw a Lorne Michael's prodigy was at the St. James Theatre in New York City last April for the opening night of the musical "Something Rotten." I walked in behind a short elderly man who was escorting Tina Fey. Even though she wasn't on stage, I did enjoy her sense of humor when I accidentally hit her butt with my hand due to the unintentional pushing of the crowd entering the theatre behind me. But I digress...the reason I asked that question to you is that if you've never seen a *Saturday Night Live* comedian perform live, November 27th is your chance at the **HAWAII THEATRE CENTER**. *Deuce Bigalow: Male Gigolo* himself **Rob Schneider** is performing stand up for one night only and I personally am looking forward to perhaps "accidentally" hitting his butt in the lobby! Tickets are \$40, \$48 and \$56 and can be purchased through the normal avenues listed above. Rob performed on *Saturday Night Live* from 1990 to 1994 and some of his regular characters included The Sensitive Naked Man, Orgasm Guy and Richard Laymer, the office worker who annoyed people by giving them nicknames. He is most famous for his films with Adam Sandler such as *50 First Dates* and *The Waterboy*. Rob is a frequent visitor to Hawai'i and currently stars in and produces the comedy series *Real Rob* for Netflix.

**WHY** do we go to the theatre? Like books and movies, the theatre allows us to escape from the real world and enter someone else's universe, but unlike books or movies, the theatre is more real since the actions of the characters occur in the same space as the audience. This is no more evident than at **KUMU KAHUA THEATRE** where locally written plays set in Hawai'i or dealing with the Hawaiian experience present a different perspective on what it is to live in Hawai'i that goes beyond the hapa haole luaus and music seen by most tourists in Waikiki. This month the theatre debuts *My Boy He Play Ball* by Tammy Haili'opua Baker. This coming



of age story about a local high school football star trying to figure out whose dream he is living may be a familiar tale at first glance but as the main character Kahalewai discovers his Hawaiian roots, the audience gets to witness the struggles of Hawaiian identity and the universal conflicts of fathers and sons. The production runs Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from November 5th to December 6th at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for general admission. The intimacy of the theatre means there are no bad seats. There are discounted tickets for seniors and students. For more information call the box office at 536-4441 or visit online at [KumuKahua.org](http://KumuKahua.org).

Now that you know the Who, What, Where, When and Why of this month's theatrical scene in Honolulu, the only question left is **HOW** are you going to persuade your guests to leave the pool side bar for a night on the town?  
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*Aunty Lynn's Adventures*



Following the star of gladness, Hokule'a, is easy for those of us who know how to click on the World Wide Voyage web site. We hum the song sung by IZ and hold good thoughts when the canoe is voyaging for thirteen days of open ocean. We feel great pride when the leaders of every country greet her and participate by brining hundreds of young students to every port to learn the lesson of Malama Honua.

**SAILING** – on land, on Saturday, November 14th the Outrigger Reef on the Beach will host the final 2015 free event organized by Outrigger and Friends of Hokule'a and Hawaiioloa event, from 9 a.m. to noon. The star compass will be spread out on the lobby floor with voyagers explaining how they read the sky to navigate across an ocean. Crew from all three canoes will share their adventures. Meet a ship's doctor or medical crew and learn about the health of the voyagers as they come in contact with critters and bacteria foreign to our Hawaiian islands. Hear their message about Malama Honua, to care for our island earth. Hawaii's canoe is on a voyage of discovery to learn how we can all participate in the health of the ocean.

**STAY** – take a craft moment and make a paper "star of gladness" ornament, Weave coconut frond or ti leaf. Try carving a canoe part with an adz. Learn about canoe plants, what foods travel well and the challenge of cooking and eating at sea. Watch video of the voyages of all three canoes, Hokule'a, Hikianalia and Hawaiioloa. In the lobby gallery, see the many canoe paintings by Herb Kane. Celebrate the launch and blessing of the restored and sea-ready Hawaiioloa and talk with the crew who put years of work into the total restoration of the all wood canoe.

**STORY TIME** – Here is a bit of story from navigator Billy Richards. He calls it "Manaiakalani, Bite the Hook." He is on Hokule'a with Nainoa somewhere in the ocean near Mozambique. As a writer and story-teller he leaves us all in the dust, or maybe that would be "in the waves." Billy wrote this story about the day Hokule'a changed his life – and, for that matter – all of us who are lucky enough to sail with them in our dreams.

Billy says, "On the day that the canoe was to depart, Hokule'a's crew came to the shoreline, many dressed in malo, and wearing leis of maile and ti-leaf, which added to the visual that recalled another time, when we were "we".

I was standing on the rocky shoreline watching them with my friend Andrew who paddled for the newly formed Keoua Canoe Club, when Hokule'a

's captain, whose name I later learned to be Herb Kane, approached and asked if we would help take the crew out. "Shoot, of course" we said, and commenced to shuttle the crew from shore to vessel.

When all were aboard, including two kupuna from the area, Aunty Clara Manisse and Papa Moses, they formed a circle at the stern, and bowed their heads as Aunty started to pray. Out of respect Andrew and I waited in our koa outrigger racer until they finished before heading back to shore.

"Amene"... At one point during their pule, a crew member looks down at me from Hokule'a's deck as we're sitting along side in the outrigger. When the prayer ends, he jumps down into the hull of the large canoe and says, "I think you belong on this boat". Confused at first, I say "what?" And he holds his hand out as if to invite me aboard and says again "I think you belong on this boat."

I grasp his hand, he pulls me aboard and I enter the making of a whole new world of responsibility, enlightenment, and change... There occurred at that moment for me, a shift in the axis of time, and it was from that point on that I have existed in two worlds, with one foot planted in the past, and the other in the present.

An elder I have known named Hale Makua, who has since passed but who I continue to respect and admire once said, "Sometimes the Gods will send down a hook. And when you see it, bite it. Bite that hook as hard as you can so it will set, and you will find yourself being pulled up and then be amazed at what you will see..."

Out of Africa ...It is forty years later, and my cell phone buzzs. I check the caller ID to see who it is... Nainoa Thompson. I smile a bit, because you can never reach Nainoa on his cell, but he can reach you. I answer, hello?!

"Hey Billy, this is Nainoa. You wanna go to Africa?"

So here I am, along with other members of the Leg 15 crew, aboard a Hawaiian Airlines plane called Heiheionakeiki, the Hawaiian name for the constellation Orion. We are making our way to the island nation of Mauritius to rendezvous with Hokule'a, which is something that more than a few of us have been doing for three or four decades.

The crew consists of long time veterans, next generation voyagers, and a first timer. They are both male and female, of all ages, from different backgrounds and locations, and all walks of life. But they have one thing in common. They all bit the hook...

On Saturday, November 14th, it will all depend on wind and weather, but check the ocean beyond the waves at Waikiki. You might get a first-ever view. See you there!



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# The Triple Crown

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After 33 years of distinction, the Vans Triple Crown of Surfing returns in an El Nino year that some are predicting to bring the biggest surf ever for this event. The news stories talk about watching as "waves and athletes collide for an anticipated season of big surf" – they're speaking of the boards colliding with waves, hopefully not the surfers crashing into each other. The event showcases the endurance and the versatility of around 170 surfers. It's time to watch as the world's best fight for points, money and glory in the world's most elite waves as they chase that elusive crown.



The first event, *Julian Wilson from Australia won the Pipe Masters and Vans Triple Crown of Surfing, WSL/Masurel* Hawaiian Pro, Haleiwa, will take place from November 12 to 23. Featuring the top 128 surfers in the world, the Pro takes place at the powerful beach break known as Haleiwa at Ali'i Beach. The prize is \$250,000 and defending champion Dusty Payne from Maui returns to fight for his title.

An easy spectator experience, this event allows for front row seating on the sand as surfers tackle the tricky conditions that make this wave so noteworthy. Flanked by the Haleiwa Harbor on one side and a grassy field on the other, it's a great venue to kick off the Triple Crown of Surfing. The facilities include public restrooms, showers, picnic tables. The trees provide some shade but mostly fans are dealing with sand and sun for the very best view of the event. The first rule for all surf events? Sunscreen - don't leave home without it.

The second star in the crown is the Vans World Cup of Surfing at Sunset Beach held November 24 to December 6. (Note: the competition will not be held on Thanksgiving Day.) The second jewel of the Vans Triple Crown of Surfing is held at a world-famous big wave venue that showcases the extraordinary level of fitness each surfer must possess, since the waves are spread across a very large playing field. The Vans World Cup of Surfing is held at Sunset Beach, one of the most powerful and challenging waves on the planet. As the last qualifier event of the 2015 WSL Samsung Galaxy Championship Tour, tension is high for the athletes on the cusp of qualifying for the 2016 tour with 128 surfers competing for a \$250,000 purse. The defending champ is Michel Bourez of Tahiti.

This event is not as up-close and personal, so it is highly recommended to bring binoculars to get the best view of the surfers. The beach is sandy, without shade. Restrooms are across the highway.

The final world title deciding event of the Samsung Galaxy Championship Tour, the Billabong Pipe Masters, takes place at one of the most intense and exhilarating surf locations on earth – the Banzai Pipeline. The event started in 1971. From December 8 to 20, spectators can revel in this IMAX theatre-like venue, where surfers free fall twenty feet down the face of waves a mere 10 yards away. Ground-shaking

performances happen at Pipe and three separate champions are crowned. It is the culmination of the Vans Triple Crown of Surfing and a display of power like no other.

Day one of the final is comprised of the Pipe Invitational, which features 32 of Hawaii's best Pipe surfers and offers an additional \$100k prize purse. The overall prize purse is \$500,000. This is

the final stop on the 2015 WSL Samsung Galaxy Championship Tour. The defending champion is Julian Wilson from Australia.

Facilities at this location include public restrooms, showers and picnic tables on upper grassy level. There is really no shade on the beach but Ehukai Beach Park does have some shade trees.

Parking for any of the events is a challenge. Be sure to look for the signs and obey their directions. Some school, open area and church parking is available for a fee. The Bus gets you there and gets you home. Tour companies have special shuttles.

On event days the competition runs from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. There are no tickets, nor is there paid seating, however the following suggestions may enhance the enjoyment of the competition:

Use sunscreen, gallons of it, not just in the sun. U.V. rays are strongest on overcast days. Bring plenty water. Wear sunglasses. Double all this for kids. Portable potties are plentiful. Take wet wipes.

If you can, bring binoculars as well as your camera and a beach chair, towel or mat to sit on. A sandy okole gets old quickly. Bring a rain jacket and a hoodie. Remember, it's winter in Hawaii.

Take water and food with you, lines can be long for the food trucks, but be sure to take your trash with you when you go. If your neighbor forgets his, please grab their trash if they walk off without it. Remember, the beach is someone's front yard.

Very early arrivals may find parking. Check road signs, warnings and driveways to avoid tickets and towing and don't leave valuables in your car.

If you can't find a space, park at Turtle Bay Resort and buy a ticket for the shuttle to the appropriate contest beach. Two 14-passenger vans will shuttle from the hotel to the beach four times a day. Back at the hotel, The Point Lounge is a great spot to recap the day, and Surfer the Bar should be going off.

Always heed lifeguard warnings. Waves can double in size while you are focused on a great ride. Watch all kids, yours and others. Sitting too close to the waters edge may soak you and all your belongings and can pull a child into the surf in an instant. No smoking on the beach. No pets. Beach umbrellas launch like spears in the wind. Take good care to have a great day. ~ Lynn Cook

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# Ala Moana

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Bloomingdale's, Ted Baker London, Nordstrom, BOSS Hugo Boss, and Banana Republic. November 15th from noon to 4 p.m. the stage will feature Macy's, Spiral Girl, Desigual, SwimSpot and Pepsi.

The buzz among veteran shoppers is all about the high style, high fashion jewelry by David Yurman, and the sophisticated mens and womens fashion of Ted Baker. Other shops with names we only recognize from VOGUE include, Pierre Marcolini, The North Face, Pierre Marcolini, and ivivva.

Nancy Lueck, director of Public Relations for Bloomingdales, confirmed that we no longer have to dig out the coats and boots and fly ten hours to New York to find the holiday magic of classic Christmas movies. Bloomingdales, filled with Christmas cheer and merchandise, much of it never seen before in Hawaii, opens their first store in Hawaii on November 12th, along with thirty-nine of the eighty-plus new stores in the world's largest open-air shopping center.

Lueck says, "beyond our opening gala events, our new three level, 165,000 square-foot store will be a shopping paradise. The list of great brands, many new to Hawaii, goes on for pages." The list does seem a bit like the giant fall, 3-pound issue of *Vogue* with styles and trends formerly seen only on elegant magazine pages.

In addition to three floors of all new shopping experiences, the store interior decor includes work by many of Hawaii's top local artists and a good range of local products, including Honolulu Cookie Company, Sea Salts of Hawaii, Big Island Bees, and Honolulu Coffee Company.



This rendering of the Bloomingdales home department gives us a feel of what the store will look like.

Of course the store comes with bag check, concierge services, style consultants, package delivery and a visitor center on the main floor that will serve as a retreat and information hub for international visitors. Services will include a multi-lingual staff ready to assist in Japanese, Korean, Chinese, both Mandarin and Cantonese, as well as Spanish and French.

A dedicated Tourism Manager, Chris Masfield, that some of you have already met, will work closely with hotels and tour groups to create unique shopping experiences. The Hawaii store will be first in the nation with a VIP lounge with light food and beverage, Bluetooth printer and iPads, a changing station and a private restroom.

One of the most anticipated attractions by Bloomingdale's will be the opening of their famed 40 Carrots restaurant, under the direction of renowned local chef, Jon Matsubara. One of the most popular items on the menu is their frozen yogurt. Bloomingdales has brought in a frozen yogurt truck as a way to introduce themselves and it will be cruising all over the island, offering complimentary cups of fro-yo wherever they go.

The Ewa Expansion is opening up just in time for the holidays. Ala Moana Santa arrives at the mall on November 21st. The new home for photos with Santa is now located in the new end of the mall. A giant gift box sits beside an even larger (22-foot tall) Christmas ornament. Families will enter through the gift box to wait by a tree decorated in Hawaiian quilt print ornaments and a backdrop of Big Santa. A few steps away, in the center of the air-conditioned ornament, Santa waits in his gilded, velvet chair to hear Christmas wishes.

Happily the tradition that four or five generations have treasured in Honolulu will continue to stand tall. Creel, says "Big Santa" will be keeping watch over the holidays from his usual spot, facing Ala Moana Park. "To get everything in place," Creel says, "we started the day after Halloween."

Many of the new retailers will be open for the holiday season. Others will be re-located and open and another large group open in 2016 as the mall continues to complete construction. In March 2016 Nordstrom will move to the new location facing Piikoi Street. No word yet on what, or how many stores will take over the old Nordstrom location. Creel says once the Nordstrom move is complete they will assess the space and the list of possible tenants.

Locally there is a big buzz about the arrival of New York City's Magnolia Bakery. If the name sounds familiar, think back to "Sex In The City", Saturday Night Live and The Devil Loves Prada. The bakery started in New York, spread around the world and comes to Hawaii under the management of returning local boys, David Morimoto and Jonas Low.

Island Slipper has built a 2,500 square foot store resembling a courtyard concept. Surrounding the courtyard are six Island Slipper "shops" that feature the unique elements of the brand.

All new and perfect for Hawaii's climate, Nitrogenie ice cream shop is a scientific marvel. Originally invented in Australia, the magic is created with eggs, milk and cream, blended with fresh flavors and frozen with liquid nitrogen – think of the blast from Jack Frost in the Santa Clause. In three minutes the ice cream is ready and the nitrogen goes back into the air.

Two very exciting shopping destinations, Foodland Farms and Shirokiya Japan Village Walk, are set to open on the street level in the summer of 2016. Listing shopping alleys, a festival and events square, a food court, a beer garden and a guardian spirit sanctuary, the Village Walk will offer new experiences for all shoppers. The new use of the old Shirokiya space has not been determined but the Vintage Cave will remain on the lower level.

A large JTB center will open on the street level, with an escalator direct to the center of the first shopping level of Bloomingdales. Special parking for the Whale Tale busses will face Ala Moana Boulevard.

Some merchants on the Macy's side of the mall will move, others will trade places. What Creel calls the "Miami Vice" pink of the Macy's end of the mall is being repainted to be more inviting and welcoming for both the merchants and shoppers. Creel says not to worry about the lovely carp that generations of families have grown up with. "They were on vacation while we cleaned and updated the ponds." One wonders, "where do carp go on vacation?" Enjoy your shopping!"

~ Lynn Cook



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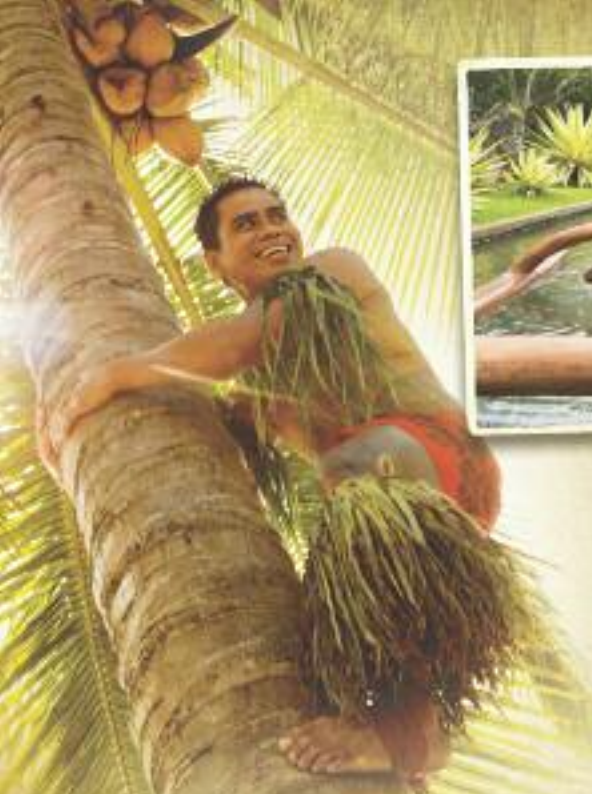
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# Chef's Corner

## P.F. Chang's Executive Chef Blaine Pyun

Blaise joined P.F. Chang's in 2011 as their restaurant manager and in July of this year was promoted to the Executive Chef position. Blaise honed his skills working at various restaurants around town including Chili's Grill & Bar, California Pizza Kitchen, Buzz's Steak & Lobster and Island's Fine Burgers and Drink.

### What is your first childhood food memory?

As a child I ate what ever my parents put in front of my face (yes, I was a fat boy) My first food love is and always will be fries.

### When did you decide you wanted to be a chef?

Watching the original Iron Chef series on Food Network.

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

I started off working as a stock boy at Nick's Fishmarket in Waikiki.

### Can you remember one of your first dishes that didn't work?

Trying to deep fry a snickers bar...don't do it.

### Who would you consider your mentor and why?

My mother, she always made delicious food!

### How would you describe your style of cooking?

Pacific Rim or Asian Fusion style of cooking.

### Favorite ingredient you like to work with?

Salt, it makes almost everything taste better.

### Name your favorite restaurant in town you like to go to when not working?

Gyu-kaku

### What's your favorite dish on the menu?

My favorite dish at P.F. Chang's is the Mahimahi

### What do you have in plan for the menu?

We are currently working on some new dishes.

### What are your favorite food combinations?

Burgers and fries

### What's your biggest pet peeve about working in a kitchen?

When I let someone borrow my knife and they return it dull.

### What staple ingredients are in your kitchen and or fridge?

Salt, butter, heavy cream, chicken/beef stock, soy sauce, brown sugar, ginger, garlic, gochugaru/tien tsin (chili pepper flakes), green onions, sesame oil, olive oil, sake...just to name a few.

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

Spending time with my family.

### Is there any other information about yourself that you want to share?

Thank you for taking the time to get to know me and I'll see you soon at P.F. Chang's Waikiki! Aloha!

## Ginger Chicken Stir-Fry Romaine Wraps with Citrus Soy

Recipe courtesy of P.F. Chang's China Bistro



### Ingredients:

1 pound chicken	1/2 cup fresh orange juice
3 Tbls fresh ginger, minced	1 Tbl. fresh lime juice
1 Tbl. garlic, minced	1 Tbl. fresh lemon juice
1/2 tsp dry chili flakes	1/4 cup soy sauce
3 Tbl soy bean oil or vegetable oil	1 Tbl. hoisin sauce
2 heads romaine lettuce, cleaned	1 ounce scallions, sliced thin
	2 Tbl. soy sauce

### Procedure:

Dice the chicken into tiny pieces. Place the chicken in a mixing bowl and add 2 tablespoons soy bean oil, ginger, garlic, chili flakes and 2 tablespoons soy sauce. Mix together in circular motion until well mixed. Let marinate in refrigerator for 2-4 hours.

Mix together the citrus juices, soy, and hoisin sauce with a whisk. Reserve until needed. Clean the romaine lettuce, chopping off the stem, peeling each 'spear' and running under clean cold water. Reserve in refrigerator until ready to use. Chop scallions into rings and reserve chilled.

Coat a very hot sauté pan lightly with soy bean oil. Lay the chicken around the sauté pan being careful not to lay too many on top of each other. Sear the chicken until crispy and golden brown, about 2 1/2 minutes. Once chicken is brown, toss gently in pan and sear another 2 1/2 minutes. The pan will appear to "burn", but that is the caramelization and where all the flavor comes from.

Add 1/2 of the citrus soy mixture to the sauté pan and coat well. Let the sauce coat the chicken until it is glazed, and thickens on the chicken. Add more or less depending on how "wet" you want your mixture. Spoon chicken onto a plate.

Wrap the chicken mixture in romaine lettuce and top with scallion rings. Serve and enjoy

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**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Christian Yrizarry Duo 8-11pm

**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Taz Vegas 4-6pm  
 Ellsworth Simeona 9:30-12am

**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Bluesy Mondays*  
 The Fat Cat (artists vary) 9-11pm

**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Skyler Kamaka*  
 DeLima Ohana 5:30 - 8:00pm

**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Eric Lee 7-9pm

**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Ashley Lilinoe 7:00-9:30pm

**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kupaoa (11/2) 6 - 9pm  
 Lehua & Shawn (11/9) 6 - 9pm  
 Hi'ikua 6 - 9pm

**LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Acoustic Hits*  
 Johnny Helm 6-9pm

**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Live Contemporary & Light Jazz*  
 Noly Pa'a 8:30-12:30am

**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Johnny Helm 6:30-9:30 p.m.

**Rumfire** 921-4600  
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 Jeremy Cheng 5-8pm

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*Live Contemporary*  
 Yoza 5-8pm

**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Alex Oasay 5-8pm

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 Widdy Loo 1:30-3:30pm  
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**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
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*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
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## TUESDAY

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*Contemporary Ukulele*  
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**Bin1901 at the Moana** 921-4600  
*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm

**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
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 Weldon Kekauoha 6-9pm  
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 Jason Laeha 6-9pm

**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Live Contemporary & Light Jazz*  
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am

**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Johnny Helm 6-9pm

**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Kapala Duo 6:30-9:30pm

**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Rock*  
 Randy Allen 5-8pm  
 Twilight Audio 8:30pm-12:30am

**Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636  
*Contemporary Pianist in the bar*  
 James Woo 6-9pm

**Sky Waikiki** 979-7590  
*Live Contemporary*  
 John Akapo 5-8pm

**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Cory Oliveros 5-8pm

**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a firedancer at 7:30 p.m.*

Eric Lee 1:30-3:30pm  
 Ho'okani Duo 6:30-8:30pm

**The Study at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Alex Oasay & Jeremy Cheng 7:30-10:30pm

**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Live Hawaiian - \$2 Taco Tuesdays*  
 K.B. Riley 5:30-8:30pm  
 Sani & Friends 9-11pm

**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kailua Bay Buddies 5:30-8:30pm

## WEDNESDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café** at Queen's Beach 924-2233  
*Instrumental Ukulele*  
 Paul Wilcox 5:30-8:30pm

**Bin1901 at the Moana** 921-4600  
*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm

**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tito Berinobis & David Kauahikaua 6-10:30pm

**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Kimo Artis Duo 8-11pm

**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Acoustic, Soul, R&B*  
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm  
 Ellsworth Simeona 9:30-12am

**Gordon Biersch** 599-4877  
*Jazz Wednesdays*  
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**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Adam Crowe (11/4, 11/12) 9-11pm  
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**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Lauren Matsumoto*  
 Pa'ahana 5:30 - 8:00pm

**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Contemporary Music*  
 Brandon Serrano 7-9pm

**Hy's Steak House** 922-5555  
*Live Soft Contemporary*  
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm

**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Shawn Garnet 7:00-9:30pm

**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Slack Key*  
 Ben & Malia 3-5pm  
 Cyril Pahinui 6-9pm

**LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Funk, Jazz, Hip Hop & Reggae*  
 Soul Tree Music Factory 6-9pm

**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
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 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am

**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Jason Lehua 10-12:30am

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*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*



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 Dayton Watanabe 6:30-9:30pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kamuela Kahoano 5-8pm  
 Twilight Audio 8:30pm-12:30am  
**Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636  
*Contemporary Pianist in the bar*  
 Pierre Grill 6-9pm  
**Sky Waikiki** 979-7590  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Randy & Kanoe 5-8pm  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Classic*  
 Kailua Bay Buddies 6-9pm  
**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tahiti Rey & Sean Cleland 5-8pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 922-4422  
*Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 Albert Maligmat 1:30-3:30pm  
 Keoni Ku Duo 6:30-8:30pm  
**The Study at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Melanie and Drew 6:30-9:30pm  
**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Live Contemporary - 1/2 off Wine Wednesdays*  
 Canoes for Rent 5:30-8:30pm  
 Johnny Helm 9-11pm  
**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Rock*  
 Acoustik Playground 5:30-8:30pm

## THURSDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Instrumental Ukulele*  
 Paul Wilcox 5:30-8:30pm  
**Bin1901 at the Moana** 921-4600  
*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm  
**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tito Berinobis 6:30-10pm  
**Cheeseburger Waikiki** 941-2400  
*Contemporary / Old School Rock*  
 Jeremy Chang 6:30-9:30pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 T & J Duo 8-11pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club** 922-2268  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm  
 Randy and Kanoe (or others) 9:30-12am  
**Gordon Biersch** 599-4877  
*Live Contemporary Funk and Classics*  
 Acoustic Playground 7-10:30pm  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Kailua Bay Buddies 9-11pm  
**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Radasha Ho'ohuli*  
 Pa'ahana 5:30 - 8:00pm

**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kamuela Kahoano 7-9pm  
**Hy's Steak House** 922-5555  
*Live Soft Contemporary*  
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm  
**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Shawn Garnet 7:00-9:30pm  
**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Jeff Rasmussen & Robi 3-5pm  
 Kawika Kahiapo 6-9pm  
**LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Pop/Rock*  
 Sunway 6-9pm  
**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Contemporary Jazz*  
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am  
**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Local Uprising 6-9pm  
**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Delima Ohana 6:30-9:30pm  
**Michel's at the Colony Surf** 923-6552  
*Live Slack Key*  
 Jeff Peterson 7:30-10:00pm  
**Roy's Hawaii Kai** 396-7697  
*Acoustic Hawaiian Guitar*  
 Steve English 6:30-9:30pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Rock*  
 Johnny Helm 5-8pm  
 DJ Miked 8:30pm-12:30am  
**Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636  
*Contemporary Pianist in the bar*  
 Isao Motomochi 6-9pm  
**Sky Waikiki** 979-7590  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Randy Allen 5-8pm  
**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Christian Yrizarry Duo 5-8pm  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Classic*  
 Acoustik Playground 6-9pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 Ellsworth Simeona 1:30-3:30pm  
 Christian Yrizarry Duo 6:30-8:30pm  
**The Study at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Simple Souls 6:30-9:30pm  
**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Heineken Hot Hula Nights - hula dancers perform*  
 Malu the Band 5:30-7:30pm  
 Ellsworth Simeona 8:30-11:30pm  
**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Nohelani Cypriano 5:30-8:30pm

## FRIDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233

*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Beach BBQ*  
 Art Kalahiki & Friends 5:30-8:30pm  
**Bin1901 at the Moana** 921-4600  
*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm  
**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Mark Yim's Pilikia I 6-9pm  
 Mark Yim's Pilikia II 9:30-12:30am  
**Cheeseburger Waikiki** 941-2400  
*Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Alex or Aku 6:30-9:30pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Johnny Helm Duo 8:30-11:30pm  
**Busters** 589-2215  
*Pau Hana Fridays Live Local Bands*  
 Varying Hawaiian Artists 6-8pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Maunualua 4-6pm  
 Keith Omizo Duo (11/6) 9:30 -12am  
 Kona Chang Duo (11/13) 9:30 -12am  
 Christian Yrizarry (11/20, 11/27) 9:30 -12am  
 9:30 -12am  
**Gordon Biersch** 599-4877  
*Live Contemporary, R&B, Funk*  
 Ben & Malia 5:30-9pm  
 Mojo 9 - 12:30am  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Mantra 10-12am  
**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoe Miller*  
 Hiram Olsen Trio 5:30 - 8:00pm  
**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Aloha Friday Lunch Luau with hula dancer*  
 David Asing 12:30-2:30pm  
 Keoki & Russell 7-9pm  
**Hy's Steak House** 922-5555  
*Live Soft Contemporary*  
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Mantra (11/14, 11/28) 10pm-12am  
 The Fresh Preps 10pm-12am  
**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Missing Dave 9:30 - 11:30pm  
**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Hawaiian Contemporary*  
 Christian Yrizarry 3-5pm  
 Ho'okena 6-9pm  
**LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Pop/Rock*  
 Sunway 6-9pm  
**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Live Contemporary Jazz*  
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am  
**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Manoa DNA 6-9 p.m.  
 Vinyl Wine 10-12:30am  
**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311

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*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Kapala Duo 6:30-9:30pm  
**Michel's at the Colony Surf** 923-6552  
*Live Slack Key Stylings & Jazz*  
 Jeff Peterson & Ernie Provencher 6:30-10pm  
**Roy's Hawaii Kai** 396-7697  
*Keyboardist*  
 Brian Robert Shaw 6:30-9:30pm  
**Roy's Ko Olina** 676-7697  
*Slack Key Guitar*  
 Chris Rego 5:30-8pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Rock*  
 Kristi Masuhara 5-8pm  
 DJ Euphoric 8:30pm-12:30am  
**Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636  
*Contemporary Pianist in the bar*  
 Grant Carvalho 6-9pm  
**Sky Waikiki** 979-7590  
*Live Contemporary*  
 John Akapo 5-8pm  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Classic*  
 Taimane 6-7pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 Brad Kawakami 1:30-3:30pm  
 Delima Ohana Duo 6:30-8:30pm

**The Study at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tahiti Rey 6:30-9:30pm  
**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Randy Allen 5-7pm  
 Vaihi 7:30-9:30pm  
 Solanna and Selwyn 10-12am  
**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Piranha Brothers 3:30-6:30pm  
 Nohelani Cypriano 8:00-10:30pm

## SATURDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Beach BBQ with Live Contemporary Hits*  
 Chris Salvador 5:30-8:30pm  
**Bin1901 at the Moana** 921-4600  
*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm  
**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tito Berinobis & Billy Beimes 7-12pm  
**Cheeseburger Waikiki** 941-2400  
*Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Alex or Aku 6:30-9:30pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Dennis McClees Duo 8-11pm  
 Keith Omizo Duo (11/7) 8-11pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Hawaiian Entertainment*  
 Beach 5 (11/7) 4-6pm  
 Vaihi (11/14) 4-6pm  
 Kapena (11/21) 4-6pm  
 Brothers Camarillo Duo (11/26) 4-6pm  
 Brothers Camarillo Duo (11/7, 11/21) 9:30-12am  
 Darrell Aquino Duo (11/14) 9:30-12am  
 Solid Rock Duo (11/26) 9:30-12am  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 EMKE 10-12am  
**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoe Miller*  
 Hiram Olsen Trio 5:30 - 8:00pm  
**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer*  
 Kaipo Dabin & friends 7-9pm  
**Hy's Steak House** 922-5555  
*Live Soft Contemporary*  
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm  
**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Local Uprising 9:30-11:30pm  
**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Mike Kaawa 3-5pm  
 Del Bezley (11/28) 3-5pm  
 Ka Hehena 6-9pm  
**LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Blues & R&B*  
 YOZA 6-9pm  
**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Live Contemporary Jazz*

Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am  
**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Kapala Duo 6:30-9:30pm  
**Michel's at the Colony Surf** 923-6552  
*Live Contemporary Slack Key & Jazz*  
 Jeff Peterson 7-11pm  
**Roy's Hawaii Kai** 396-7697  
*Acoustic Guitar*  
 Jimmy Funai 6-9:30pm  
**Roy's Ko Olina** 676-7697  
*Slack Key Guitar*  
 Chris Rego 5:30-8pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Rock*  
 Tavana McMoore 5-8pm  
 DJ Betty 8:30pm-12:30am  
**Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636  
*Contemporary Pianist in the bar*  
 Grant Carvalho 6-9pm  
**Sky Waikiki** 979-7590  
*Live Contemporary*  
 John Akapo 5-8pm  
**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kainalu 5-8pm  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Acoustic*  
 Randy Allen & Kanoe Gibson 5 - 8pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 John Valentine 1:30-3:30pm  
 Tino Jacobs Duo 6:30-8:30pm  
**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian & Reggae*  
 Johnny Helm 5-7pm  
 Varying Artists 7:30-9:30pm  
 Ellsworth & Piko 10-midnight  
**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Henry Kaponu 4-6pm  
 Juke Joint 6:30-9:30pm

## SUNDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Contemporary Ukulele*  
 Shaka Madali 5:30-8:30pm  
**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Dean & Dean 6-9pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Chris Murphy Duo 8-11pm  
 Eric Ho Duo (11/22, 11/29) 8-11pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Hawaiian Entertainment*  
 Henry Kaponu 4-6pm  
 Chris Mercado Duo (11/1) 9:30-12am  
 Randy Allen (11/6) 9:30-12am  
 Typical Hawaiians (11/15) 9:30-12am  
 Kapena Delima (11/22, 11/29) 9:30-12am  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Youth on Stage 12 noon



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Analog	9-11pm	
Jason Owens (11/8)	9-11pm	
Jive Nene (11/22)	9-11pm	
<b>House Without a Key</b>		<b>923-2311</b>
<i>Live Hawaiian &amp; Hula by Debbie Nakanelua</i>		
Pa'ahana	5:30 - 8:00pm	
<b>Hula Grill</b>		<b>923-HULA</b>
<i>Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer</i>		
Art Kalahiki Duo	7-9pm	
<b>Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber</b>		<b>791-1200</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		
Randy Allen	7:30-10pm	
<b>Kani Ka Pila Grille</b>		<b>924-4992</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian Masters on stage</i>		
Mailani Makainai (11/1, 11/22)	6-9pm	
Waipuna (11/8, 11/29)		
<b>Kelley O'Neil's</b>		<b>926-1777</b>
<i>Live Irish Music</i>		
Various Celtic Bands	4-7pm	
<b>LBL E at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel</b>		<b>922-0811</b>
<i>Live, Energetic Mix of Pop and Rock Hits</i>		
Pushoverse	6-9pm	
<b>Lewers Lounge</b>		<b>923-2311</b>
<i>Live Contemporary &amp; Light Jazz</i>		
Noly Pa'a	8:30pm - 12am	
<b>LuLu's</b>		<b>926-5222</b>
<i>Acoustic R&amp;B</i>		
Simple Soulz	7-10pm	
<b>Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian</b>		<b>923-7311</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer</i>		
Eric Lee Duo	6:30-9:30pm	
<b>Michel's at the Colony Surf</b>		<b>923-6552</b>
<i>Classical Slack Key &amp; Jazz Stylings</i>		
Jeff Peterson	6-9pm	
<b>Roy's Ko Olina</b>		<b>676-7697</b>
<i>Slack Key Guitar</i>		
Chris Rego	5:30-8pm	
<b>Rumfire</b>		<b>921-4600</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		
Alex Oasay	5-8pm	
Twilight Audio	8:30pm-12:30am	
<b>Signature Prime Steak</b>		<b>949-3636</b>
<i>Contemporary Pianist in the bar</i>		
Isao Motomochi	6-9pm	
<b>Sky Waikiki</b>		<b>979-7590</b>
<i>Sunset Sessions</i>		
Randy Allen	4-7pm	
<b>SWIM at the Hyatt</b>		<b>923-1234</b>
<i>Contemporary, Pop, Rock</i>		
Sunway	6 - 9pm	
<b>The Edge at the Sheraton</b>		<b>922-4422</b>
<i>Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.</i>		
Dave Watanabe	1:30-3:30pm	
Ellsworth Simeona Duo	6:30-8:30pm	
<b>The Study at the Modern</b>		<b>943-5800</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian &amp; Jazz</i>		
Jeremy Cheng	6-9pm	
Smooth Jazz (varying artists)	10-2am	
<b>Tiki's Grill &amp; Bar</b>		<b>923-TIKI</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		
Vaihi	6-9pm	
Ellsworth & Piko	9-11pm	

**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Rock & Hawaiian*  
 Piranha Brothers 2-5pm  
 Beach 5 5:30 - 8:30pm



## Hot Lines

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.

Gordon Biersch	599-4877
Irish Rose Saloon	947-3414
Kelley O'Neil's	926-1777
Mai Tai Bar Ala Moana	947-2900
Moose McGillycuddy's	923-0751

## Dining Dish



There's so much going on in Honolulu's food scene I barely know where to begin. I guess I better start with the openings. **Tommy Bahama Restaurant Bar & Store** opened on Beachwalk late last month. The new three-level location will host a store on the first level with the restaurant and bar area on the second floor. A rooftop bar and lounge will be on the third level with a beach-inspired cocktail area complete with a fire pit. Open at 11 a.m. daily, call 923-6090. • In case you missed it in our Ala Moana Expansion story, **Chef Jon Matsubara** has left Japengo to head over to Bloomingdales and run their signature restaurant, **40 Carrots**. Tell you more once it opens. • A high end Thai restaurant is set to open at the beginning of the month at the Royal Hawaiian Center in the former 5,500 sq. ft. Five Star Buffet location. **Noi Thai Cuisine** is the latest restaurant from the famed Bai Tong Family. The restaurant is being built to remind diners of the Royal Thai Palace in Bangkok. There will be two private dining rooms as well as a Secret Chef's Table, that can only be reserved for the most VIP of guests. Four of Noi Thai's dishes made CNN's Worlds Best Foods list back in 2011. • **VINO** re-opened their doors last month. They've done a great job renovating the former Bonsai location in Restaurant Row. The place is significantly bigger than their former space across the way and the restaurant is now multi-leveled, has two private dining rooms, added in a pizza oven and will be open six nights a week. Closed Mondays. 524-8466. • **Hank's Haute Dogs** has also re-opened in a larger space directly next to their former location. In addition to making his Lobster Dog available daily, Hank has also brought back the Foie Gras Dog on Saturdays and introduced Hankfast, his version of late breakfast from 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. daily (noon on weekends) offering a Breakfast Dog, an English banger wrapped in egg and cheese. (\$5.50) and Breakfast Fries which has a poached egg over a bed of fries, cheese, onion and green peppers topped with Hollandaise (\$8.50). Open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. 532-4265. • That should cover all the openings, now lets move onto the menu additions. **MAC 24/7** **Chef James Aptakin** has added several delicious new dishes to his menu. There's Homemade Biscuits and Gravy (\$15), a Kona

Lobster and North Shore Shrimp BLT (\$20) and a BBQ Kalua Pulled Pork Eggs Benedict (\$16). One of my favorites was the Thai Grilled Kalbi Steak Salad. Perfectly grilled slices of kalbi lay on a bed of 'Nalo greens, iceberg lettuce, Thai basil, mint, tomatoes, green papaya, avocado, peanuts, friend shallots, cucumber, cilantro, sesame seeds and Thai lime vinaigrette created was an explosion of flavors (\$17) 921-5564. • **Chez Kenzo's** menu is already huge, but after **Chef Tabo Kishimoto** went vegan, he started playing with dishes he could eat and as a result, a significant amount of vegan and vegetarian friendly dishes have been added to the menu. Don't miss the Asian cold pasta (\$7) at happy hour. Tastes like a deconstructed summer roll. 941-2439. • More new menu news, this time from the **Top of Waikiki** which is currently celebrating its 50th anniversary. **Chef Lance Kosaka** has updated the menu to include several new dishes including a few new appetizers, salads, entrees, desserts and a signature Over the Top Surf and Turf for Two. It really is over the top with a 22 oz. bone-in prime porterhouse steak, 2 Tristan de Cunha lobster tails, 2 Maris cut crab legs, triple garlic butter, roasted red bliss potatoes and parmesan, asparagus, and carrots for \$185. 923-3877. • Looking for some really good sashimi on your way back from Hanauma Bay? **Gokoku Sushi** in Koko Marina launches new menu items November 1st that will appeal to many. Getting much of their fish shipped in directly from Japan several times a week, diners can choose from several kaiseki meals from \$29.95 - \$48.00 to accompany their newly introduced sake samplers. Check out the Lychee Nigori Sake. Delicious & dangerous! Open for lunch and dinner. 888-7777. • Last but not least, **Lee Anne Wong's Hale Ohuna** has just launched a happy hour Monday thru Friday from 5 - 6:30 p.m. Guests can nosh on Kalo Chips and seasonal vegetable dip (\$5), Jidori chicken wings (\$6), Dumplings of the day (\$6) and a Kimchi Spaetzle made with bacon, caramelized onions, and Emmmenthaler (\$8) while enjoying drink specials between \$4-\$7. 744-7564. ~ Pam



## Dining Calendar

**November 4:** *Study Hall* at the Modern is dedicated to Hawaii Fashion Month as Toronto designer and HFX Mentor Henry Navarro presents *AHOLA: A Site Specific Fashion Project*. Live models will showcase the designs from the project, and Henry and the team will show a video and presentation about the creative process. Free. Doors open at 6pm, presentation at 6:30. Live music to follow. 6-8 p.m. 943-5800.

**November 6:** *The Veranda First Friday Flights* at the Kahala Hotel will pair three wines of a particular region with their cuisine. This month they explore the food and wines of the Loire Valley. \$60+ 6-9 p.m. 739-8760.

**November 8:** *Courtyard Brunch* at Ward Village Food and Farmers Market set up in this chic tent area Free to enter, \$7 per ticket or pre-buy tickets for discounts. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. wardvillageshops.com.

EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

# NOVEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## Continuing Events

### MONDAY – FRIDAY LYON ARBORETUM TOURS

The lush gardens at the top of the University of Hawai'i Manoa are open for guided tours daily. Knowledgeable guides will introduce the highlights of the botanical rainforest's 193.6 acres. Reservations required. Limit of 12 participants daily. Donations accepted. 988-0461.

### MONDAY – FRIDAY FOSTER BOTANICAL GARDENS

Guided garden tours of rare and beautiful plants from tropical regions throughout the world. Foster Botanical Gardens, 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 • KU HA'AHEO**  
An afternoon of hula from multiple groups featuring adults and keiki performing contemporary and traditional dance and music led by kumu hula Blaine Kamalani Kia. Waikiki Beach Walk Plaza Lawn. 4:30 – 6 p.m. FREE. waikikibeachwalk.com or 931-3591.

**TUESDAYS • KCC FARMERS MARKET**  
Head up to Kapiolani Community College for a smaller version of their popular Saturday market. 4 – 7 p.m. Free. 848-2074.

### FIRST & THIRD TUESDAYS MEET THE MONK SEALS!

Learn about monk seals in the wild and meet two resident seals up close. Designed for participants 7 and up but anyone is welcome. Waikiki Aquarium. 3 p.m. \$4 – \$6. waikikiaquarium.org or 923-9741.

**TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS  
FRESH FARMERS MARKET AT THE HYATT**  
The Hyatt holds a Farmers Market for visitors and locals to stock up on fresh local organic fruits, vegetables, jams, honeys, baked goods and more. Stop by twice weekly on ground floor of the Pualeilani Atrium Shops. 4 – 8 p.m. Waikiki.Hyatt.com.

**TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS & SUNDAYS  
TOUR & TALK STORY AT THE HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART**  
Museum docents lead tours of art themes and special exhibitions, which include discussions in the galleries that inspire guests to consider art, cultures and eras in new ways. 2:30-4 p.m. meet at museum entrance. Free with admission. No reservations required. 532-8700.

**TUESDAY – SATURDAY  
MISSION HOUSES MUSEUM GUIDED TOURS**  
Visit the Printing Office and Frame House while learning about the 19th century history and culture preserved at this beautiful museum. Galleries also open to explore on your own. Mission Houses Museum. Tues. – Sat. 11 a.m. & 2:45 p.m.; Tues. – Fri. 1 p.m. \$6 – \$10. 531-0481 or missionhouses.org.

**WEDNESDAYS  
HONOLULU FARMERS MARKET**  
Meet the farmers and select from a wide variety of fruits, vegetables, flowers, beef, seafood, baked

goods and more. This market is held weekly on the Concert Hall Lawn at the Blaisdell. On days an event is in the Concert Hall, the Market will be in the Arena parking lot on the corner of Kapiolani Blvd and Ward Ave. Free Entrance and Parking. 4-7 p.m.

**WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS  
CHADO – THE WAY OF TEA**  
Japanese enthusiasts can experience the traditional tea ceremony (chanoyu) as it was meant to be seen, and taught, at the Urasenke Foundation of Hawaii. No prior knowledge required. Demos at 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. \$5. 923-3059.

**SECOND THURSDAY (OCTOBER 8)  
COURTYARD CINEMA**  
Ward Village hosts its monthly film series event 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 your tickets and learn more about future shows at wardvillagecourtyardcinema.com.

**THIRD THURSDAY (OCTOBER 15)  
DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR**  
The Arts at Marks Garage continues to build on downtown activities offering execs an excuse to hang out after work and giving everyone else a reason to head downtown. Free. 521-2903. artsatmarks.com.

**FRIDAYS • CULTURAL CRAFT FAIR**  
The Hyatt has had so much success with its weekly Farmers Market featuring fresh local produce that they are applying the same principle to local craft items. Each week the craft fair will feature local vendors featuring arts & crafts, jewelry. Photography, woodwork and more. 3 – 7 p.m. Waikiki.Hyatt.com

**FIRST FRIDAY (NOVEMBER 6)  
DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR**  
Art lovers are advised to head to downtown Honolulu the first Friday of each month. This event has exploded into a downtown party with galleries and studios open for exhibitions, artist demonstrations, and special performances. 23 galleries and art-related retail shops, restaurants and museums participate. Downtown Honolulu/ Chinatown. 6 – 9 p.m. Free. 521-2903 or artsatmarks.com.

**FIRST & THIRD FRIDAYS (NOVEMBER 6 & 20)  
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Learn about our Hawaiian skies and current events in space at the J. Watumull Planetarium. Bishop Museum. 8 p.m. No late seating. GA \$6, Keiki \$4. 848-4168 or bishopmuseum.org.

**FINAL FRIDAY • ART AFTER DARK**  
The hip hit artsy party is on hiatus until the beginning of next year. artafterdark.org.

**SATURDAYS • KCC FARMERS MARKET**  
Fresh island produce, seafood, flowers and more are available from over two-dozen vendors at Kapiolani Community College. Free. 7:30-11 a.m. 848-2074.

**SATURDAYS  
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# NOVEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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**SECOND SATURDAY (NOVEMBER 14)  
DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR**  
First Friday has become such a success that events carry over to the second Saturday. HiSAM, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. 586-0900. Other events around downtown Honolulu all afternoon. Free. 521-2903 or [artsatmarks.com](http://artsatmarks.com).

**NA MELE NO NA PUA SUNDAY SHOWCASE (NOVEMBER 8 & 22)**  
Waikiki Beach Walk has brought back its popular monthly free concert series. See Maunaloa on November 8th and Jeff Rasmussen on the 22th at the Plaza Stage from 5 – 6 p.m. [waikikibeachwalk.com](http://waikikibeachwalk.com).

**THIRD SATURDAY (NOVEMBER 21)  
HONOLULU NIGHT MARKET**  
The folks behind Eat the Street bring this monthly art event to Kakaako. Food, art and fashion will close Auahi Street down from Keawe to Coral as artists, food trucks, live entertainment and more fill the streets from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. Lane closures begin at noon. [streetgrindz.com](http://streetgrindz.com)

**BANK OF HAWAII FREE SUNDAY (NOVEMBER 22) HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART**  
Explore the Middle Ages, dress like a Mongol warrior and play ancient games. Honolulu Museum of Art. 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Free. 532-8700.

**NOVEMBER 5  
HAWAII'S MODERN MASTERS**  
Waikiki's Luxury Row plays host to Cedar Street Galleries 10th annual celebration of the arts with the exhibits from photographers, ceramics, multi-media artists, sculpture and more on display at participating stores. The exhibit will be open for public viewing from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. through December 1st.

**NOVEMBER 11  
LA'IEIKAWAI: PRINCESS OF PAL'ULI**  
In celebration of its 55th season and the 20th anniversary of this composition, the Hawaii Youth Opera Chorus presents this youth opera based on the legend of the same name from Hawaii Island. 528-5535 or [hawaiiitheatre.com](http://hawaiiitheatre.com).

**NOVEMBER 11  
VETERAN'S DAY SUNSET CEREMONY**  
As an official Regional Site for the observance of Veterans Day by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, a ceremony on the fantail of the retired USS Missouri will pay tribute to the sacrifice of all our nation's veterans, both past and present with speakers U.S. Representative Tulsi Gabbard, Capt. Gerald "Jerry" Coffee, USN (Ret.). Free and open to the public. Complimentary roundtrip shuttle service from the Pearl Harbor Visitors Center . 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. [usmissouri.org](http://usmissouri.org).

**NOVEMBER 12  
32ND ANNUAL VAN'S TRIPLE CROWN**  
It's time for three jewels of professional surfing are back as surfers from around the world come try their hand at The Reef Hawaiian Pro, The Van's World Cup of Surfing and the Billabong Pipe Masters. Times and dates vary depending on surf conditions. The event kicks off today and runs at various times and events through December 20th. See story and website for details. [vantriplecrownofsurfing.com](http://vantriplecrownofsurfing.com)

**NOVEMBER 12-22  
HIFF**  
The 35th annual Hawaii International Film Festival returns with nearly 200 film and events to enjoy. See story and website for all the details. [hiff.org](http://hiff.org)

**NOVEMBER 12-23  
VANS TRIPLE CROWN HAWAIIAN PRO**  
The first jewel of the Triple Crown takes place in Haleiwa at Alii Beach Park next to the harbor. Dusty Payne of Maui will return to defend his title against 128 other surfers. [vanstriplecrownofsurfing.com](http://vanstriplecrownofsurfing.com)

**NOVEMBER 13 • AUGIE T LIVE**  
Celebrating 25 years of making Hawaii audiences laugh, Augie T will present brand new material alongside old school favorites. Tickets: \$28 - \$48. 7:30 p.m. 528-5535 or [hawaiiitheatre.com](http://hawaiiitheatre.com).

**NOVEMBER 14  
MAKANA AND FRIENDS:  
A TRIBUTE TO SONNY CHILLINGWORTH**



Don't miss this special opportunity to see Makana pay tribute to one of the most influential slack key guitarists in history, Sonny Chillingworth, with whom Makana was fortunate enough to train under. 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$32 - \$47, VIP already sold out. 528-5535 or [hawaiiitheatre.com](http://hawaiiitheatre.com).

**NOVEMBER 14  
UH RAINBOWS VERSUS FRESNO STATE**  
The University of Hawaii Football Warriors play against the Fresno State Bulldogs, 6 p.m. Aloha Stadium. [hawaiiathletics.com](http://hawaiiathletics.com).

**NOVEMBER 14 • MAKAHIKI FESTIVAL**  
The 4th Annual Makahiki Festival features the return of the Kealohi Hula Competition. Catch live music, local vendors, cultural activities, traditional Hawaiian

games & competitions, artisans, workshops, demonstration and more. 10 a.m. Waimea Valley. 638-7766 or [waimeavalley.net](http://waimeavalley.net).

**NOVEMBER 20 • SUNSET MELE**  
Enjoy an evening of family fun, entertainment and Hawaiian Culture, live entertainment from Jeff Rasmussen and Cool Aina followed by the feature film Inside out. The Sunset Mele Marketplace featuring food booths, arts & crafts booth and more opens at 5 p.m. Feel free to bring low-slung beach chairs, mats or blankets. Movie starts at 7 p.m. 943-3025. [facebook.com/HawaiiConventionCenter](http://facebook.com/HawaiiConventionCenter).

**NOVEMBER 20-21  
GOLDEN MOMENT ON ICE**  
Kristi Yamaguchi and Brian Boitano headline a star-studded cast on ice along with Meryl Davis & Charlie White, Shizuka Arakawa (Japan's first female gold medalist), Kurt Browning, Yuka Sato and more. 7 p.m. Tickets: \$50 - \$100. Blaisdell Arena. [Ticketmaster.com](http://Ticketmaster.com)

**NOVEMBER 20 – 22  
INTERNATIONAL WAIKIKI HULA CONFERENCE**  
Three days of hula & hula related workshops & seminars on modern and ancient hula, chant, history, costume, lei-making, Hawaiian language, songs, music, implement-making. There will be hoike hula shows, a vendor mall and closing concert. Hawaii Convention Center. [waikikihulaconference.com](http://waikikihulaconference.com).

**NOVEMBER 20 • EAT THE STREET**  
Eat the Street will take place a week early due to the holiday. Check out over 40 food trucks at their new location at Fishermans Wharf. [eatthestreethawaii.com](http://eatthestreethawaii.com)

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## HIFF *Continued from page 2.*

Robert Lambeth, HIFF executive director, says, "this year's crop of nominated films brings exciting new perspectives from emerging filmmakers in the Asia Pacific plus award-worthy socially conscious documentaries that have premiered at major film festivals including Sundance, Cannes, Venice and Toronto." He notes that a \$5,000 cash prize will be presented for the winning film in Best Narrative Feature and Documentary Feature categories. The festival also includes the U.S. premiere of "American Epic," a new series by executive producers Robert Redford, T Bone Burnett, and Jack White.



Ryoko Hirose

During the festival, HIFF will also honoring many stars from Asia, the Pacific, and North America, including actress Ryoko Hirose, one of the most recognized faces in Japan, who will be honored with HIFF's 2015 Career Achievement Award. Also being honored is Korean superstar, Ha Jungwoo, and popular Japanese actor, Tadanobu Asano.

Alfred Hitchcock fans can look forward to a celebration of the life and legacy of one of the greatest directors of all time. Called the maestro of suspense, the Hitchcock Spotlight, presented by the Vilcek Foundation, will include a 70th anniversary presentation of Spellbound starring Gregory Peck and Ingrid Bergman. After the screening, there will be an extended Q&A session with the late director's granddaughters, Tere

Carubba and Mary Stone, discussing their grandfather's familial legacy from a very personal and intimate perspective. The celebration of Hitchcock includes the Hawaii premiere of Kent Jones' documentary Hitchcock/ Truffaut, direct from its premier at the Cannes Film Festival.

The Creative Lab at HIFF encourages international creative collaboration, building new business relationships through a global lens. Three new programs will be introduced: The Ebert Foundation Young Critic's Program in honor of Roger Ebert's legacy support of HIFF, the Oscar Documentary Lab lead by Oscar winning filmmakers Freida Lee Mock and James Moll, and the first annual Asia Pacific Entertainment Finance Forum presented by Winston Baker.

The buzz around town is the premier of "Pali Road", directed by Jonathan Lim. A young doctor wakes up from a car accident and discovers she is married to another man and living a life she can't remember. Her search for the truth to her past life will lead her to question everyone around her and her entire existence. Shot entirely in Hawaii and starring Chinese superstar Michelle Chen, Twilight's Jackson Rathbone and Sung Kang (Fast Five), "Pali Road" is a story for the search for true love between two worlds.

Established in 1981, the Hawaii International Film Festival is dedicated to the advancement of cultural exchange and media awareness in the Pacific Rim. HIFF's programming has two particular mandates: to be a festival of record for emerging films from Asia, the Pacific, and North America and to present the top festival films from around the world, annually screening films from over 45 countries.

~ Lynn Cook



The Hawaii Symphony Orchestra kicked off their 2015-2016 concert season with a \$5 peevue concert that offered a "taste" of what the season will offer. Artistic Advisor JoAnn Falletta conducted the one-hour performance which also featured concertmaster and renown violinist Iggy Jang, and a hilarious bit of audience participation. A special gathering was held backstage, before the show where participants were able to mingle with Symphony staffers and JoAnn and Iggy discussed the upcoming season and held a Q & A session. The season is fully underway with some fabulous performances planned including everything from Disney in Concert to an 80s night to a Judy Garland tribute and more. Check out the schedule online at [hawaiisymphonyorchestra.org](http://hawaiisymphonyorchestra.org).





# NOVEMBER CALENDAR CONT

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**NOVEMBER 21**

## UH RAINBOWS VERSUS SAN JOSE

The University of Hawaii Football Warriors play against the San Jose Spartans, 6 p.m. Aloha Stadium. [hawaiiathletics.com](http://hawaiiathletics.com).

**NOVEMBER 22**

## HOLIDAY WIKI WIKI ONE DAY VINTAGE COLLECTIBLES & HAWAIIANA SHOW

The annual Christmas sale is an all vintage collectible and antiques show and sale. 92 tables of vendors offering antiques, estate jewelry, vintage fashion, aloha shirts, Hawaiiana and more. Neal Blaisdell Center. 10:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. \$4.50. Early entry \$15 from 9 a.m. [ukulele.com](http://ukulele.com).

**NOVEMBER 12-23**

## VANS WORLD CUP OF SURFING

The second jewel of the Triple Crown takes place at Sunset Beach. Michel Bourez of Tahiti will return to defend his title. Binoculars recommended. Through December 6th, except for Thanksgiving. [vanstriplecrownofsurfing.com](http://vanstriplecrownofsurfing.com)

**NOVEMBER 25**

## ROYAL CHRISTMAS KICKOFF

Waikiki kicks off the holiday season at the Royal Hawaiian Center in an evening full of family entertainment. Santa makes his entrance, ushered in by the Celtic Pipes & Drums through the Center. At 6:30 p.m., Santa will select two keiki from the crowd to help him flip the switch to illuminate the Center's 25-foot tree. After which he'll stay for photos until 8:30 p.m. while Kawika Trask & Friends plays holiday classics and Hawaiian favorites. 6 p.m. Royal Grove. [RoyalHawaiianCenter.com](http://RoyalHawaiianCenter.com)

**NOVEMBER 26**

## HAPPY THANKSGIVING

**NOVEMBER 27**

## WAIKIKI HOLIDAY PARADE

The Waikiki Holiday Parade commemorates Pearl Harbor by honoring survivors and veterans in memory of the attacks from December 7, 1941. Local Hawaiian bands, marching bands from the mainland, military units, local officials and dignitaries march down torch-lit Kalakaua Avenue to Kapiolani Park.. Held annually the Friday following Thanksgiving Day and hosts thousands of spectators, residents and visitors alike. 7 p.m.

**NOVEMBER 27**

## ROB SCHNEIDER

Deuce Bigalow, aka Rob Schneider, is coming to town for one hilarious night of comedy. Hawaii Theatre. Tickets: \$44 - \$60. 8 p.m. 528-5535 or [hawaiiitheatre.com](http://hawaiiitheatre.com).

**NOVEMBER 28**

## UH RAINBOWS VERSUS LOUISIANA

The University of Hawaii Football Warriors play against the Louisiana Monroe Warhawks, 6 p.m. Aloha Stadium. [hawaiiathletics.com](http://hawaiiathletics.com).

**NOVEMBER 28**

## CELEBRATING FRANK SINATRAS 100TH BIRTHDAY

Celebrate what would have been Ol' Blue Eyes 100th birthday with special guest Jimmy Borges with the Hawaii Pops Orchestra for an evening of old favorites, as well as new music and songs from their just released first new album in years. Hilton Hawaiian Village - Coral Ballroom, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$45 - \$99. 528-5535 or [hawaiipops.com](http://hawaiipops.com)



There's been a lot of confusion surrounding Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber so they held a fun Concierge Game Night on their lanai to let everyone know they're still going strong. Lance Rae emceed the event with giant Jenga, Connect Four, bean bag games and hand-passed samples of some of their new menu items. To set the record straight, the restaurant is currently being operated by Peter Merriman's Handcrafted Restaurants. Sometime next year, it will close for a complete renovation and reopen later that year as a totally different restaurant. Until then.. Margarita On! 791-1200.





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## MAKERS & TASTERS

Kewalo

If you've driven past Fisherman's Wharf lately, you've seen the food trucks pop up, but no one really knew what exactly was happening there until now, after they held a fun event to introduce themselves to the industry. Meet Makers & Tasters Kewalo. A new permanent food truck park with at least 11 different trucks to choose from for lunch & dinner and a full service bar that even serves drinks tableside via a mobile cart. [makersandtasters.com](http://makersandtasters.com)

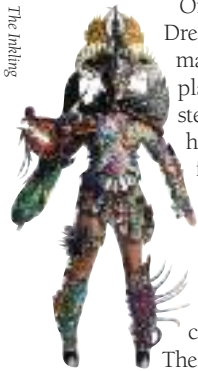




# WOW FACTOR

If you read the words “wearable art” the thought of the spring MAMo show comes to mind – often wild but also things you can actually wear. Through February 1, Bishop Museum Castle Memorial Building offers up WOW, “World of Wearableart” is possibly the wildest dreamworld fantasy you will ever see. We are talking ocean dieties, warrior women, and alien beings, created, according to the museum, by everyone from professional designers to stay-at-home moms. All of these folks are from New Zealand and all of their work makes you want to know more about them.

The Inklings



One entry, called “American Dream”, is vinyl, leather, paiper-mache, builders foam and plastic. It is a girl holding a steering wheel, wind blowing her dress, so real that you forget there is no 1960’s hot rod involved. The Inklings by Gillian Saunders, is a tattoo - no, actually dozens of tatoos - come to life. It is made of velcro, auto trim, ceramic feathers and coins.

The muse was a thought process based on her facination with tattooed women in old-time circuses. She says, “I love tattoos and started thinking about commingling of blood and ink and what would happen of the ratio of ink became so high that the images started bursting out of skin in a 3-D transformation.

Who remembers the plentiful nightmares caused by the 1981 television show, Hitchhiker to the Galaxy created by Ray Bradbury. The story line was a tattooed man, sleeping beside the road. Each tattoo came to life in a less-than-happy story and caused viewers to sleep with the lights on.

The WOW show draws 50,000 in New Zealand. It was launched in 1987 and has only gotten wilder and better each year. The show is composed of 32 winning pieces from hundreds of entries. Winning can mean work with films including Mad Max and Avatar. This year brought a win of a one-month workshop with Cirque du Soleil.

Just about any material is used for the art pieces, including foam from yoga mats. Walk through the exhibit and it is easy to see why the artists and the audience talk to the creations, actually expecting them to move or speak. Just for fun the show offers a boost to creative spirit with the opportunity to dress up paper dolls and pin them to a wall. No doubt the show and the interactive art experience will have a major impact on Hawaii’s artists already planning for the May MAMo Show.



Chica Under Glass, Peter Walkeman

The show is open Wednesday to Monday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. except December 25th. Tickets range from \$19.95 to \$8.85 with children 3 and under free. 847-3511, bishopmuseum.org/WOW.

~ Lynn Cook

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## HOTELS

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 •**MThFS** - Poolside music at the Barefoot Bar. 6-11pm
- HALEKULANI HOTEL** 923-2311  
 •**Daily**-Hawaiian Music and hula at House Without A Key from 5:30-8pm.  
 •**Daily**-Live Contemporary and light Jazz at Lewers Lounge from 8:30pm to midnite.  
 •**Sun**- Sunday brunch at Orchids features Noly Paa on the piano from 9:30 - 2:30pm.
- HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE** 949-4321  
 •**Fri** - Fireworks at 7:45pm.  
 •**Fri** - The Rockin' Hawaiian Rainbow Revue, a musical salute to King Kalakaua, at the Super Pool. 7 pm.  
 •**FriSat** - Olomana at the Tapa Bar from 8-11pm.  
 •**Sun** - Jeff Apaka at the Tapa Bar from 5-7pm.  
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- THE KAHALA HOTEL & RESORT** 739-8888  
 •**TuWThFSat**- David Swanson vocalizes on the piano at The Veranda from 7:30-11pm. Live Jazz on Sun/Mon.
- MOANA SURFRIDER** 922-3111  
 •**Daily**-Hawaiian music & hula. The Banyan Court, 6-8 pm, and again from 8 -11 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  
 •**Mon**- Kukui Nut Bracelet Making. 1pm.  
 •**Th**- Ukulele Lessons. 1pm.  
 •**Fri**- Aloha Fridays bring back old Hawai'i with music, hula, ukulele & lei making lessons. 9am-1pm.
- OUTRIGGER REEF ON THE BEACH** 923-3111  
 •**Daily**- See guest artists at work in Kuloko Arts of Hawaii 9am-1pm and again from 6-9pm.
- SHERATON PRINCESS KAIULANI** 922-5811  
 •**Daily**-Live Hawaiian music & halau at the lounge from 6-8:30pm, then poolside from 8:30-10:30pm.  
 •**Th**-Princess Kaiulani historical tour at 9:30am.
- THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN** 923-7311  
 •**TTh**- Free guided resort tour at 1pm.
- TURTLE BAY RESORT** 293-6300  
 •**MTWThFSat**- Lei Making, Main Lobby at 10am.  
 •**ThSun** - Fire Dancer, Hang Ten Pool Bar at Sunset  
 •**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 9a-2pm

## MUSEUMS

- HAWAII STATE ART MUSEUM** 586-0900  
 •**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.
- HAWAII THEATRE** 528-0506  
 •**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  
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- IOLANI PALACE** 522-0832  
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 •**Sat**-Hawaiian Quilt Classes. Old Archives 9:30a-12p.
- LUCORAL MUSEUM** 922-5381  
 •**TTh**- Learn how to plan your jewelry project and more in this beaded jewelry workshop \$10. 2-4 p.m.
- MISSION HOUSES MUSEUM** 447-3910  
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 •**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** 526-1322  
 •**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 of the aircraft are open to climb in, on and around. Tours: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. \$7 / \$5 children under 18. BLDG 1792, Midway Road, Kalaeloa Airport. Reservations required. Sat/Sun by appt only. www.nampb.org.

## SHOPPING CENTERS

- ALA MOANA CENTERSTAGE** 955-9517  
 •**Tues** - PCC Polynesian Revue Show. 6pm.  
 •**Sun** - Keiki Hula Show. 10-11am.
- KINGS VILLAGE** www.kings-village.com 237-6344  
 •**MW** Famer's Market offering fresh produce, baked goods and local food items from 4-9pm.  
 •**Daily** King's Guard Museum features a variety of collectibles and memorabilia. 10a-10:30p. FREE.
- ROYAL HAWAIIAN CENTER** 922-2299  
 •**MWF**- Learn Lomilomi 11am-12pm, Bldg. B, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
 •**MF**- Hawaiian Storytelling 12pm, *Helumoa Hale*  
 •**MTWF**-Hula 10am (4pm on Wednesdays), *Royal Grove*  
 •**ThSat**- Rock-a-Hula Pre-Show 7pm, *Royal Grove*  
 •**WTh**- PCC Show 11am, *Royal Grove*  
 •**TWTh**- Lauhala Weaving 1pm, Bldg A., 1st floor  
 •**TThF**- Ukelele 12pm, *Helumoa Hale*  
 •**TWF**- Live Hawaiian music 6-7pm, *Royal Grove*  
 •**ThSat**- Rock-a-Hula Pre-Show 7pm, *Royal Grove*  
 •**Sat**- Hula Kahiko 6-6:30pm, *Royal Grove*
- WAIKIKI BEACH WALK** www.waikikibeachwalk.com  
 •**Tuesdays** - Ku Ha'aheo featuring Hawaiian song and dance on the Plaza stage. 4:30-6pm  
 •**Wednesdays** - Yoga Classes 4-4:45pm. Free.Plaza Stage
- WAIKIKI SHOPPING PLAZA** 923-1191  
 •**Daily** Hula Lessons. 10am, 12pm  
 •**MTTh** - Polynesian Review 1st & 3rd floor 7-9pm

## ATTRACTIONS

- KALAKAUA AVENUE** 527-5666  
 •**Fri** - Strolling Hula from 8-10:00pm.
- KAPI'OLANI BANDSTAND** 527-5666  
 •**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**- City & County presents a free hula show at sunset. 6:30 - 7:30pm at the hula mound.
- TAMARIND PARK - DOWNTOWN** 527-5666  
 •**Fri**- Mayor's Aloha Friday Music from 12-1pm features live music from Hawaiian to Jazz to Pop.
- 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

# PAPARAZZI

## Shriner's Hospital Benefit Fashion Show



Lance Rae was joined by Calypso St. Barth GM Mabel Wong, Mahealani Richardson, former Miss Hawaii 2001 Denby Dung and patient ambassadors at Shriners Hospital fashion show at Calypso St. Barth at Royal Hawaiian Center

## Chez Kenzo adds Vegan menu



When Chef Tabo Kishimoto (left), who works for Chef Kenzo Tokishi at Chez Kenzo Bar & Grill, went vegan recently he began creating vegan friendly dishes to eat himself. They were so good they've now added them to the menu at Chez Kenzo.

Do you have a picture you would like us to run?  
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## "The Book of Mormon" is coming to town



AJ Holmes, Billy Harrigan Tighe and WestCoast Productions and TicketsWest president Jack Lucas flew to town to announce the Broadway musical "The Book of Mormon" is coming April 13 - May 1, 2016.



# conciierge card

November 30, 2015

**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 Café** - 15% off food, beverage (non-alcoholic), or merchandise. Hotel ID required. 280 Beachwalk Ave. 955-7383.

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

**Hilo Hattie** - 25% on Hilo Hattie labeled garments, 15% off other fashions/gifts and 10% off Hilo Hattie labeled foods. Not valid on sale item. Ala Moana Center and Nimitz Hwy Ph 535-6500.

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

**Hyatt Regency Waikiki** - 15% discount with the presentation of a concierge business card at SHOR, Japengo and SWIM. 2424 Kalakaua Ave. 923-1234.

**Iolani Palace** - Free Admission. Regular rate \$20. 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. Aqua Palms, 1850 Ala Moana Blvd restaurant only. Free parking available. 949-4467.

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

**Longhi's** - 25% off food & beverage up to 2 persons, not applicable with any other promotion or discount. 947-9899.

**Mission Houses Museum** - Free tour with hotel ID. 447-3910

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

**Plaza Café** - 15% off all food items. Best Western the Plaza Hotel. 3253 N Nimitz Highway. 836-3636.

**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, 637-7472

**Romano's Macaroni Grill** - 20% Off Food and Beverage 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** - 20% Off Food and Beverage for up to 2 guests. (Not Valid for Happy Hour & Prime Time menus). Restaurant Row, 500 Ala Moana Blvd. 599-3860. Waikiki Beach Walk, 226 Lewers Street. 440-7910

**Honolulu Museum of Art Spalding House.** - FREE Admission For Cardholder and One Guest. 526-1322

**The Kahala Resort** - Complimentary appetizers for a concierge and a guest with the presentation of a concierge business card at Hoku's, Plumeria Beach House, Seaside Grill, The Veranda. 5000 Kahala Avenue. 739-8888

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

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

**Wooloughby's Restaurant** - 15% off all food items. Ohana Honolulu Airport Hotel. 3401 N. Nimitz Hwy. 836-0661.

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## Conciierge of the Month



NAME Keren Gray

HOTEL: Waikiki Parc

TITLE: Conciierge &amp; Front Desk GSA

**Q. How long have you been with the Waikiki Parc?**  
A. 8 years.

**Q. How big is your team there?**  
A. Our concierge team consists of three and front desk of ten.

**Q. Describe what makes the Parc different?**  
A. There are many different features at Waikiki Parc Hotel compared to the other traditional Hawaii theme hotels. As you enter the hotel, you will feel that the hotel is nice and cool since we are one of few hotels where the lobby is completely closed and fully air conditioned. If you walk through our lobby, you will notice that our theme of the hotel is ocean and waves. There are few amazing photos of the waves by Zak Noyle as well as decors that resembles the movement of the waves. Every four months, we feature upcoming talented artist from UHM department of art. We also offer free programs such as fitness class and stand up paddle demonstrations everyday catering to many of our guests who are active in their life style.

**Q. Where did you work before then?**  
A. I started at Sheraton Moana Surfriider and worked as a GSA for 18 years. Had a year of rest then worked full time at both the Hilton Hawaiian Village Mandara Spa for 2 years and Waikiki Parc Hotel presently.

**Q. How did you get your start in the industry?**  
A. Through a friend who was in the travel industry. She introduced me to the hospitality business and from there on I knew this was something I would really enjoy doing.

**Q. What is the biggest challenge at the desk?**  
A. Trying to put together a daily itinerary for guest who wanted to do everything in a week and a half. It's like a puzzle trying to get the times and dates all to coincide. It feels great when you accomplish it since guests are happy to experience everything they wanted to do in Hawaii.

**Q. What do you like most about this industry?**  
A. Being able to talk to guests and listen to all the amazing stories also to learn about their cultures. Guest are so happy to learn what "ALOHA" & "MAHALO" means and how to do the Shaka sign.

**Q. What off property restaurant do you recommend?**  
A. Ocean House for their seafood. I love their seafood clam bake and fresh fish. I try to introduce guests to seafood and share how Hawaii prepares different seafood dishes.

**Q. Do you have one particular guest that stands out?**  
A. I do. He was a handsome, tall, and soft spoken gentlemen with a slight accent. He asked to hold his fiancé's ring in the safety deposit box at the desk while they had dinner at Nobu. When the time was right, I had the honors to walk the ring over to Nobu with my manager's assistance. It was placed on a special dessert and the proposal was made.

**Q. What's your favorite thing to recommend?**  
A. Taking a helicopter ride on the outer islands.

**Q. Where are you from originally?**  
A. I was born & raised in Kalihi & the McCully area.

**Q. What do you like to do most on your days off?**  
A. I like to stay busy even on my days off. I help friends with their business, try different hiking trails, babysitting, standup paddle, yoga, working out, and tend to work both of my part time jobs.



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