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The 4<sup>th</sup> annual Hawaii Food and Wine Festival Returns



The fireworks at the end of the Hawaii Food and Wine Festival are always spectacular. Don't miss this year's closing event, It's a Food World After All.

World famous, exclusive, elegant, delicious – taste buds are already watering for the 2014 Fourth Annual Hawaii Food & Wine Festival, August 29 to September 7th. Stretching across three islands the Festival has something for everyone to enjoy – it's a sip and sup spectacular.

You can be an expert in fine wine or a fan of whatever bottle is on sale at the corner grocery store. You can be a fan of chef Michelle Bernstein of Michy's in Miami or Mark "Gooch" Noguchi's Lunchbox in Honolulu. The festival has something for every budget and every pallet and a guarantee that attendees will advance their knowledge of food and wine. Of the fourteen events, five are wine focused. Many of the wine and food events will be presented at the Halekulani with one the Grand Tasting event set for the Hawaii Convention Center. Thirty-plus wineries are featured in the

line-up. Many of the elite wines exceed \$400 a bottle. All but one event is adults only. Tickets, ranging from \$50 to \$2,000, can be purchased on line. Three packages make it easier to navigate the endless list of decadent indulgences. (One or two events are already sold out.) Printed tickets and a driver's license or passport are necessary for entry.

The recipe for this festival was created by Hawaii chefs, Alan Wong and Roy Yamaguchi. Foodies and wine lovers trekked to mainland destinations to attend food fests. James Beard Award Winning chefs, Wong and Yamaguchi, were often stars of mainland shows. Trips were short because they each had eateries to tend here at home. Many fans have heard the story that they came up with the idea of a Hawaii festival so the national and international renowned chefs and wine experts, most already their friends, would happily join them to tantalize taste buds in our islands.

The events begin on Friday, August 29th with Aloha 'Aina, Aloha Kai, Lover of the Land, Love of the Sea at the Waikoloa Beach Marriott on Hawaii Island. Sunday, August 31st Maui takes the lead with the Ka'anapali Kitchen Stadium Under a Maui Moon at the Hyatt Regency Maui, along with Ka'anapali Fresh culinary events at the Ka'anapali Beach Resort.

September 3rd, kicking off the Elysian lineup on Oahu is a luxurious, and already sold out, Halekulani event that pairs two of France's greatest treasures – Sturia Caviar and Champagne Krug. Watch for this unparalleled indulgence again next year.

On September 4th **A Lucky Modern Buddha Belly at the Modern Honolulu** calls out Hawaii as a unique culinary hub of the Pacific where East meets West. Fourteen top chefs, including Charles Phan of The Slanted Door in S.F., Peng Yu from Qing Yun Lou in Beijing, Michael Ginor from

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## Party Like the Royals



Hawaiian Airlines float with the first Hokule'a crew in the 2013 Aloha Festivals Floral Parade. Photo: Aloha Festivals

Every September, for 68 years, Hawaii has thrown a great party for itself. Called Aloha Festivals, it is one of Hawaii's most highly regarded, and oldest cultural celebrations. Of course visitors lucky enough to be in Waikiki are all invited. Many attend once, become true fans, and plan a trip every year in time for one or more of the free, fun events. The 2014 Festivals take place from September 6th to 27th at various locations on Oahu.

This year the Aloha Festivals theme is Maluhia Honua – World Peace With Aloha, celebrating the worldwide voyage of the Polynesian Voyaging Society's Hokule'a and its mission to promote world peace. The events are an opportunity to share and learn the history and traditions of Hawaii, celebrate the spirit of Aloha – and hang out with kamaaina, locals, and malihini, visitors.

Royal Hawaiian Center's director of marketing, Helene "Sam" Shenkus, is co-chair of the Aloha Festivals board of directors. She has years of experience with every event, often being the first

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## Publisher's Letter



## September Madness

September already? Wow. This year is flying by. and somehow we've come around to the 2nd craziest month I have all year. Nothing tops December of course as far as the crazy scheduling goes, but September sure comes in a close second. First off the work load is insane. This is one of the months that every magazine I have goes on deadline at the same time. If that's not enough, it's the tail end of distance season. Paddling distance is like a full time job, and the closer we get to Molokai the more intense the demands on your schedule get. Aside from the ramped up training, the logistics are constant. For those of you out there that paddle, you know what I am talking about. Then there's close to 100 miles of races in the first three weeks of the month. An iron race in Kona, Hawaii Kai to Nanakuli and of course Molokai to Oahu.

On top of that this is a crazy busy food month – and we all know how much I like the those types of things! This self-proclaimed Food Network junkie goes on sensory overload with the Hawaii Food and Wine Festival. There will be so many Michelin stars and Food Network stars on this island it will be crazy. And the wines! Joseph Phelps, Jim Clendenon, and Opus just to name a few. Some of the most amazing vintners are bringing their best wines to accompany these amazing chefs and their creations. I want to go to it all! Every single event. But no, it's paddling season, I hardly think eating all that rich food and drinking all those amazing wines are part of the training program. But I of course cannot resist them all, so I am choosing my events sparingly and wisely. Last year worked out ok however. After paddling 32 miles from Hawaii Kai to Nanakuli I hitched a ride over to the Ihilani where a friend let me use his hotel room to freshen up and change into the dress I had shoved into my dry bag the night before and I was able to attend the final event at Ko Olina before I hitched a ride back to town with someone I ran into at the event. I winged it the whole day but it seemed to work out pretty well, so if all goes well this year, I am going to try pull off the same trick. Just going to need to find some generous soul to lend me their hotel room to clean up in first like last year. Hmmm, who's staying out there this year? (hint, hint) However it plays out, I'm sure it will all come together, and strolling barefoot in the sand around the gorgeous lagoons, tasting delicious creations and sipping amazing wines while watching a beautiful sunset before an explosive fireworks show closes out the evening is most definitely my new favorite way to end a long day.

If that's not enough there are a few concierge events on the books that I couldn't move, some family milestone birthdays and thankfully a vacation at the end. Of course by the time I get there I may very well sleep through it from start to finish I'll be so exhausted. Either way, it's a jam packed month and I hope you all get a chance to get out there and enjoy it your own way.



# Yada Yada



Brad Logsdon

**Brad Logsdon** has been named director of sales and marketing at *Moana Surfriider*, A Westin Resort & Spa. Brad comes to the Moana from the Hilton Hawaiian Village where he held a similar position. • The *Hawaii Lodging & Tourism Association (HLTA)* has announced

**Jared S. Higashi** as its new Director of Government and Community Affairs, representing HLTA members and liaising with government and elected officials, in addition to managing the Association's many community and charitable programs, including the Visitor Industry Charity Walk. • Local businessman and Navy veteran, **Tim Guard** has been named Chairman of the Board of Directors of the *USS Missouri Memorial*

*Association*. Guard is just the third Chairman in the Association's 20-year history and will lead the implementation of its new five-year strategic plan for the Battleship Missouri Memorial. Robert Dewitz has been appointed as Vice Chairman. • Welcome **Krista Salomone** who recently joined the reception desk at the *Hale Koa Hotel*. • Congrats go out to **Cassandra Robinson**, formerly of Expedia and Elite who is now working with *YMT Vacations*. • We would like to extend a warm welcome to **Ruth Bolan** who has taken over as President of the Hawaii Theatre Center, succeeding Sarah Richards who retired at the end of May after nearly 25 years as the organization's top executive. Ruth brings an extensive history of theater management and fundraising to the job as well as a ton of enthusiasm to fulfill both the Theatre's mission and her vision of taking the Theatre to the next phase.

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person to greet the parade participants and the last person to say good night after the Aloha Festivals street parties. She says, "this year, we honor the round-the-world voyage of the Hokue'a, which encourages people to spread awareness of world peace, and we invite the community to take part in Aloha Festivals' celebration of Hawaii's cultural heritage, aloha and Island traditions."

The song, "For a Peaceful World," composed by Irmgard Farden Aluli and translated into Hawaiian by Napua Stevens-Poire, inspired the Aloha Festivals' honoring of the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the intrepid navigators and crews of the Hokule'a and its companion vessel, Hikianalia. Both of these cultural icons were for many years participants in and supporters of Aloha Festivals.

"This is an opportunity for locals and visitors to share in Hawaii's culture," says Hawaiian Airlines exec, Debbie Nakanelua-Richards. A former Miss Hawaii, she has served many terms on the Aloha Festivals board of directors and is the wife of Billy Richards, a Hokule'a navigator. "The festival theme, Maluhia Honua – World Peace with Aloha, is creating positive energy in the Islands, particularly among the Hawaiian ocean voyaging community, as the Polynesian Voyaging Society makes its world tour."

The celebration kicks off Saturday, September 6th from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with the investiture of the 2014 Aloha Festivals Royal Court on Sept. 6th at the Royal Grove of the Royal Hawaiian Center. The volunteer court, king, queen, prince and princess, represent the alii of Hawaii. They are presented with the adornments of royalty; the royal cloak, helmet, lei po'o, head lei, and traditional symbols of their royal status. The event is a favorite "photo op" for visitors. Not only do they get to grab pictures of the Royal Court in full regalia, but they also get a chance to hear and see traditional chant and hula, as it is presented to honor the royal family.

On Saturday, September 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Pearlridge Center Uptown will celebrate the Festival with a family ho'olaule'a party, including continuous stage performances, demonstrations and entertainment by keiki musical groups and hula halau.

Through history, the royalty of Hawaii have



The 2013 Royal Court at Royal Hawaiian Center Royal Grove for the Opening Ceremony. Photo by Aloha Festivals

been renowned for their parties. Saturday, September 20th, the Waikiki Ho'olaule'a begins at 7 p.m. with a party to please a king. The street will be closed to vehicle traffic and Kalakaua Avenue will become Hawaii's largest, most festive block party. Thousands of people take to the streets for great food, fun and entertainment. Top Island entertainers will perform along with hula halau while Hawaiian crafts and flower lei will be on display and available for purchase.

On Saturday, September 27th the 68th Annual Aloha Festivals Floral Parade, begins at 9 a.m. The three hour parade begins at Ala Moana Park, proceeds along Kalakaua Avenue to Kapi'olani Park. Great photo ops begin very early as the floats and riding units gather at Ala Moana Park. The parade includes marching bands and marching units, pa'u riding units with horses garlanded with giant lei, princess riders draped in satin and velvet, and floats with cascades of Hawaiian flowers, hula h?lau, dignitaries. More photo ops happen as the units and floats reach their final destination at Kapiolani Park.

Aloha Festivals was first held in 1946 as Aloha Week, and over the past six and a half decades has become a celebration of Hawaiian culture, integrating the traditions and cultures of the Islands through music, dance, cuisine and art. All festivities are free and open to the public. The events are coordinated by a volunteer board of directors. Aloha Festivals is funded by the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, corporate and private sponsorships, plus the sales of Aloha Festivals ribbons and merchandise – available at the Ho'olaule'a events. Be sure to check their website for all the details. Alohafestivals.com ~Lynn Cook

# EXTRA Newsflash EXTRA

## AIR FORCE GETS IN FREE

In honor of the U.S. Air Force's birthday on September 18th, 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 September 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. Just present a valid military ID at the entrance to redeem. PearlHarborHistoricSites.org.

## LEIMATION E-GREETINGS

Ever wanted that perfectly Hawaiian-themed e-vite but couldn't find the artwork? Now you can. LeiMation™ is an animated e-greetings website that features hand painted artwork by Honolulu artist Laura Margulies has announced the addition of animated e-vites. The e-vites come in a variety of themes including party, holiday, luau, in memoriam, events and wedding/engagement. Individual e-cards cost \$3.25 each. Subscriptions are also available. Check it out. LeiMation.com.

## KIDS GO FREE

This is the last month kids can go free to the Legendary Cocktail Show (with a free soft drink) at Legends in Concert's Rock-A-Hula. Only one child per paying adult qualifies and the option to upgrade to the Terrace Dining buffet or the Stageside VIP is available. Hurry if you want to take advantage of this special soon though as the offer ends September 30th. 629-SHOW (7469) or Rock-a-Hula.com.

## CONTEMPORARY HATS

Hats are definitely 'in' at the moment, and Royal Hawaiian Center has announced a new tenant focusing on the chic headgear. Contemporary Hats has opened in Bldg A, Level 2. Offering hats, bags and accessories for every style and budget. Contemporary Hats currently carries an extensive collection of headwear for men and women with plans to add children's and Hawaiian-inspired hats in the near future. RoyalHawaiianCenter.com

## COURTYARD CINEMA

Ward Village continues their partnership with HIFF and Consolidated Theatres to present their new monthly film series, Courtyard Cinema in the courtyard in the old IBM building 1240 Ala Moana Boulevard This month's event will take place on September 11th, with the feature film "16 Acres" about the rebuilding of Ground Zero. Events start at 6 p.m. Free. wardvillagecourtyardcinema.com.

## ART & FLEA

There's a new urban market happening every month also at Ward Village. Taking place every last Thursday from 5 p.m. - 10 p.m. Over 60 vendors can be found on September 25th behind Marukai Market featuring products ranging from vintage to art to fashion to food to music and everything in between. Find out more about this event at artandflea.com

## MORE WAIKIKI MARKETS

Hopping onto the bandwagon, the Pacific Beach Hotel has launched a farmers market on the corner of Kalakaua and Liliuokalani Avenue twice a week. 20 local vendors will offer fresh fruits, produce and other local food products such as Pacificool Ginger Syrups, Pipikaula and Olay's Thai Food to go every Sunday and Monday from 3-7 p.m. Customers can also park at the hotel and receive a four-hour parking validation for \$5.

## FASHIONISTAS UNITE

Ala Moana Center presents its Fall Fashion Event celebrating all that is fashion September 12-14th. On Friday the 12th, shoppers can enjoy cupcakes and DJs throughout the mall and a special gift for the first 500 customers. Fashion Shows will happen on the hour Saturday afternoon from 12-5 p.m. and Sunday from 12-4 p.m. Shoppers who redeem \$200 in receipts at the Customer Service Center will receive a clutch by local designer Jana Lam while supplies last. alamoanacenter.com

## GRAND ISLANDER STARTS

The newest member of the Hilton Hawaiian Village family, The Grand Islander, is now under construction in the area front of the Alii Tower on Kalia Road. Construction is expected to finish in 2017.

## NATIONAL MUSEUM DAY

Museum Day Live! is an annual event hosted by Smithsonian Magazine in which participating museums across the country open their doors to anyone presenting a Museum Day Live! ticket, and get in FREE on Saturday, September 27. Participating museums are Iolani Palace, the Hawaii State Art Museum, the Japanese Cultural Center and Pacific Aviation Museum. Download a ticket at smithsonianmag.com/museumday/tickets

## STUDY HALL

The MODERN Honolulu has launched a new monthly event called Study Hall, where else, but in their lobby bar known as The Study. Everyone is welcome to enjoy an evening with varying influential artists as they present their story. This month features famed Mixologist Tony Abou-Ganim. He's the bartender to the bartender. He has been creating "craft cocktails" before people started ordering "craft cocktails". Hear (and taste) his story September 2nd at 5:30 p.m. Free and open to all.

## IHILANI A FOUR SEASONS?

After months of rumors, it was announced that the Ihilani is scheduled to close temporarily at the end of the year and most likely will reopen shortly thereafter as a Four Seasons. We'll see. We will all be watching.

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# arts with aloha



September is a really an exciting time in Honolulu theatrical scene. Most of the local theatres start their seasons will shows that have never been produced in Hawai'i and this September is no different. So if

your guests are in the mood for a kooky spooky finger snapping family, or a spoonful of sugar pushing au pair or want to experience a little suburban Chekhov to help sooth their Mai Tai hangover, then get them one of the following theatres on time for some fun outside of the sun!

There is no better place to be outside of the sun, than inside the dining room of *The Addams Family* that is unless your guests are from Ohio. **MANOA VALLEY THEATRE** presents the musical of the same name this month, which is based on the characters from the popular 1964-66 television show of, yes, the same name – *The Addams Family*. (How many of you knew that “Addams” had two “d-s” in it?) This original story with original music opened on Broadway in 2011 with Nathan Lane as Gomez Addams and Bebe Neuwirth as his wife Morticia. All your favorite family members are present from Wednesday & Pugsley to Uncle Fester and Grandma and of course Lurch. The story surrounds a blossoming Wednesday who is changing from the ultimate princess of darkness to a girl who loves red roses and fuzzy dogs much to the discontent of her parents. Wednesday has fallen in love with a sweet, normal guy from Ohio and has decided to invite him and his parents over for dinner. You guests will enjoy as these two worlds collide in kooky Addams-style. The show opens September 4 and runs until September 21, but count your snapping fingers, this production must likely will get extended into October to help us get into that Halloween mood!

**DIAMOND HEAD THEATRE'S** production this month, may not get you into the Halloween mood but it definitely has a woman flying around town dressed in black, but instead of a broom stick she has a magical umbrella with a parrot head handle that would make Jimmy Buffett jealous. Have you guessed the name of the musical yet? Just take a spoon full of sugar and your memory will come back...it's *Mary Poppins* which opened on Broadway in 2007. Most of your guests of course should be familiar with the musical film that gave Julie Andrews her Oscar not to mention Dick Van Dyke as Bert, the cockney-man-of-all-trades. The stage version follows the same story of the Banks children looking for the perfect nanny and the adventures they take with her. In addition to all the songs you know form the movie, there are also new songs and dance numbers that taking you deeper into the world of P. L. Travers, the writer of the original *Mary Poppins* books. This production opens on September 26 and runs through October 12, but this family fun show most likely will be extended as well, so get your guests to fly a kite over to the third-oldest, continuously operating theatre in the entire United States.

**THE ACTORS' GROUP**, which is affectionately referred to as TAG, has been running for twenty years and its model of producing great American plays has solidified its success here in Hawai'i.

TAG opens this season with a comedy play written by Christopher Durang entitled *Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike* and it involves middle-aged siblings Vanya and Sonia who share a home and all they do is bicker and complain about everything wrong in their lives. While their cup in half empty, cracked and dry), their sister Masha's cup is over-flowing with wine. Masha's a movie star and she decided to stop by for a while with her new boy toy boyfriend named Spike. Typical with all families, I'm sure your guests will easily relate, old resentments flare up and all the arguments and accusations lead to threats to sell the family house. The original Broadway production starred David Hyde Pierce, Kristine Nielsen, Sigourney Weaver and Billy Magussen. Some elements of the play was derived from the works of Anton Chekhov. If your guests are not familiar with him, he's the Russian writer who wrote *The Seagull*, *The Cherry Orchard* and *Three Sisters*, hence the use of names like Vanya, Sonia and Masha in the play. If none of this is familiar with your guests, don't worry, they will still enjoy the play, just tell them to drink several Mai Tais and hop in a cab. The production runs from September 12 to October 5. Tickets are \$20 and \$15 for seniors, but the best night to go is on Thursdays when all tickets are \$12. Visit taghawaii.net or call 722-6941. The original show won a Tony Award for Best Play in 2013.

If there was a Tony Award for Best Theatre to showcase plays set in Hawai'i or dealing with the Hawaiian experience or residents, the lifetime achievement award would go to **KUMU KAHUA THEATRE** for its continuing efforts to provide theatrical opportunities for the expressions of local community lifestyles, whether contemporary or historical. Its current production, *Shoyu on Rice* by local writer Scot Izuka runs through September 21st. The part drama, part comedy is set at a private Catholic high school here in Hawaii and deals with teen peer pressure and identity issues. The play is set in the mid-1980s and centers on a substitute teacher from Kansas who takes over a classroom at an all-boys high school. Many of your guests will identify with the main character as she tries to comprehend the intricacies of pidgin English. This play serves as a great look into our general local culture which your guests should find revealing and fascinating. Tickets are \$20 and \$16 for seniors 62 and older. For more information, visit KumuKahua.org or call 536-4441.

Be sure to suggest to your guests that they visit the **HAWAII THEATRE CENTER** for playwright Marion Lyman-Mersereau's production of *Eddie Wen' Go* which uses hula, chant, masks and puppetry to tell the story of famed waterman Eddie Aikau's attempt to save the crew of the Hokule'a when the canoe capsized in 1978. This is a one night performance not to be missed. Tickets for the September 30 show can be purchased online at HawaiiTheatre.com or by calling 528-0506.

As you can see, this month's theatre calendar is filled with fun exciting shows that shouldn't be missed, so please even if your guests can't make it, you and your fellow hotel industry friends should stop by and support Honolulu theatres.

~ Lance Rae

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As the famous line from the famous Broadway musical states... "Life is a cabaret ol' chum so come to the Cabaret." Well, this is one show that rates your attention, so you should definitely come to this CabaRAE, the newest show in town at the Hilton Hawaiian Village. Although technically not even open yet, the show has been running sneak-peek preview shows in the Tapa Ballroom while their new \$5-million dollar theater in the round is being finished downstairs.

Personally I thought they were being silly. We've all seen one show after another in this town open and close soon thereafter. Some were good enough they never should have shut down, but something always went wrong and the show ends up closing shortly after it opens. Remember Benise? Great show gone wrong on so many levels. Here was this major mainland group with plenty of money behind them that seemingly was doing everything right to open the show, but since their showroom wasn't quite ready yet, were jumping the gun to open in a temporary location while the showroom was finished. Recipe for disaster right? Opening and moving locations a few weeks later? Letting everyone see the show in the wrong place that won't give them the true sense of the performance. Nope. I was 100% wrong. Although I have yet to see this amazing showroom they've been building for over a year - I could care less. If anything, I'm excited that I'll get another chance to see it because it was that good, and apparently will just get better once it moves into its permanent home.

CabaRAE is a play on the word cabaret, with the RAE standing for "random acts of entertainment". Random they are but thoroughly entertaining. I had tears running down my face for most of the show I was laughing so hard. Both the 7-foot domainatrix who grabbed unsuspecting (and some more than willing) participants from the audience - excuse me, 7-foot 'yodeling' dominatrix - as she corrected me on Instagram, and their resident clown, Peter Pitofsky, also known as "The Human Cartoon" with his physical comedy routines using his roly-poly body and amazingly elastic face to entertain between incredible athletic acts that were reminiscent of Cirque du Soleil, and rounded out with an old fashioned roller skating act and a Hula Hoop act by a rather flamboyant looking Elvis impersonator that will have you on your feet in applause.



What this athlete does on this pole is sheer athletic grace

There is a lot of innuendo but it goes straight over the kids heads making this an entertaining show for all ages. The show is well choreographed, and the athletes on the silks, a pole, or other aerial type acts are former gymnasts showcasing breathtaking athleticism, and ladies, I promise you will never look at a bottle of Jack Daniels the same again after Ryan James gets off the silks and leaves the stage. The main showroom should be open in late September. 354-0629. CabaRAE.com. ~Pam

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## Auntie Lynn's Adventures X



September, remember – that life is a CabaRAE, old chum(s). And, yes, that is the new favorite phrase for everyone who has had the good fortune to make their way to the Hilton Hawaiian Village and catch the preview of Waikiki's new blockbuster show. The thing is – the new showroom wasn't completed but the show in the Tapa Ballroom temporary quarters accommodated a performance so stunning that Hawaii's TGIF entertainment reviewer, John Berger wrote that the show is "what Hawaii has been waiting a long time for - something big and new and different."

Berger said every act brought a new "wow" to the stage in the round. Personally, I lost the ability to do anything but cheer and hold my breath when one of the gymnast/dancer/skater/comic/aerialist performers outdid the next – flying, twirling, pole dancing (but tastefully so) or going for the "ouch" pratfall. It was funny, exciting and highly entertaining.

O.K. truth be known, the evening was also enhanced by the fact that I was seated next to one of my all-time favorite actors, Daniel Dae Kim, of LOST and Hawaii Five-O fame. We were in the second row watching some of his pals "volunteering" from the first row – going on stage – being thankful it wasn't us. Call this show a three-ring circus, vaudeville at it's best, #stunning!

**FOLLOW A STAR** – through the web site for our voyaging canoe, [hokulea.org](http://hokulea.org), as they navigate around the world. To get up close and personal and learn about celestial navigation, follow the crowd to the Outrigger Reef on the Beach when the FHH, friends and voyagers of Hokulea & Hawaiiiloa fill the lobby with exhibits, video, crafts and a beautiful koa outrigger canoe (small kine) with a great story. September 13th, 9 to noon. Print voyaging petroglyph images with yours truly.

**FIVE STARS** – preceded by a stunning sunset the weather was perfect, the sea calm and evening was non-stop music and fine food on the Five Star Sunset Dining and Jazz Cruise aboard the Star of Honolulu. Boarding the Star was tied to memories of watching whales on a sunny morning – so much fun that none of our group remembered to take photos. Or possibly it was that our tiny cameras couldn't snap as fast as a whales tail? On the invitation of Mitzi Howard, VP of sales for the Star, watching the lights of Honolulu and Waikiki twinkle across the waves is an entirely different sail. The ship carries 1,500 passengers but only a few can opt for the evening fine dining experience in the Super Nova Room on the top deck, with seating for 130.

The menu was the first big surprise, course after course of gourmet fare served on fine china - Villeroy & Boch, no less. Menu changes happen by season but the theme is local grown creations featuring Kamuela tomatoes, Waimanalo greens, Kahuku corn, Big Island goat cheese, adding in lobster flown in from Maine, prime tenderloin, and exquisite desserts. Hungry yet? Yes, fine wines accompany every course – as does the sound of jazz to Bach. Kenny Keys rocks the baby grand piano, Riya Davis belts out songs like a diva and Tommy Aristo plays a saxophone – music that makes guests just get up and dance by their table. One table over a young woman said to a gentleman beside her, "my boyfriend doesn't dance, would you like to?" The boyfriend waved them away with a smile and then promptly ate her dessert.

Speaking of writers for the *Honolulu Star-Advertiser*, (i.e. John Berger - TGIF), more cruise details can be found in Cheryl Chee Tsutsumi's Today Section feature, August 3. Google it and learn more. Better yet, all aboard.

**FAIR WEATHER** – is generally expected in Kailua for the I Love Hula In Kailua series of events sponsored by the Harold K.L.Castle Foundation. Monthly, top hula halau present their best in the parking garage behind Longs in Kailua Town. Hula in a garage? Not exactly scenic, but cool and covered and convenient to shopping. Bringing beach chairs is encouraged. Parking is plentiful, as is food. Whole Foods has "take out" as well as "dine in", with a wine bar! From 3 to 4 p.m. September 14th Pumehana Cullen bings Puamana Hula Studio, October 5th the dancers of Charlani Kalama's Halau Ha'a Hula 'O kekau'ilani Na Pua Hala 'O Kailua present their line of hula. On November 2nd, Mapuana de Silva presents the dancers of Halau Mohala 'Ilima.

**FOR THE BAG LADY** – or those of us who want to carry our keys, cash and cards in something that says something, Hadji Baba Bags (original bags for original women) has a show of bags at the Gallery at Ward Center. Designer Lynda Sakraida is sewing re-purposed rice sacks, Chinese silk cheongsams from Hong Kong, vintage kimonos and even some gently worn designer clothing, creating bags that no one else can have – because she only makes one of each.

**FAMILY STYLE** – or you might say it's all relative in the world of theater. Diamond Head Theater opens its 100th season with the family "rescued" by the magical Mary Poppins. Manoa Valley Theatre has invited the Addams Family and Kumu Kahua serves up Shoyu on Rice, all about being local, family style. See you there!



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# Food & Wine

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The Modern Honolulu plays host to the first Oahu event

Hudson Valley Foie Gras in N.Y., will honor the Lucky Buddha with creative dishes, joined by sixteen Master Sommelier. "Relax, meditate and reach Nirvana" is the description of the evening's most zen experience, Sushi, Sake & Soju for four offered on the private lanai by Chef Morimoto.

September 5th the morning features a \$50 per ticket cultural experience at the loi and fishpond, **Laulima @ He'eia**, with chefs Jose Garces, Hubert Keller, Mark Noguchi and Christina Tosi. This is a get in and get muddy and change clothes for lunch kind of event. Clean up and head to the **Halekulani Master Chef's Gala Series: Chefs who Cook to Compete**, cocktails at 5:00 and dinner at 6:00 p.m. with ten top chefs, from Miami to Japan. This one will cost you \$1,000 a ticket, but oh what a night!

A nap might be necessary before **Campari USA presents the After Party**, at the Republik from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. Great music, creative bar food by six Hawaii chefs like Cocina's Quinten Frye and The Pig and the Lady's Andrew Le with wildly creative drinks served up by six of New York city's master mixologists including several from Brooklyn's cocktail mecca, Clover Club, including Ryan Liloia, Julie Reiner and Ivy Mix, as been recognized by many within the culinary and cocktail industry as being one of the best bartenders in the country.

On September 6th, the day begins at 9:30 a.m. at the Halekulani with Master Sommelier Richard Betts leading a once in a lifetime experience for an unprecedented vertical tasting of four of Colgin Cellars' distinct and exceptional wines, **The Majesty and Mystique of Colgin Cellars**. Next up, from 11 a.m. to noon, **Masters of the Chardonnay Universe: through the eyes of Kermit Lynch**, answering the question: What wines do master sommeliers cherish?

From 4:00 to 5:00 at the Hawaii Convention Center, **Caymus Vineyards: Verticle Tasting of Cabernet Sauvignon** will include the tasting of the 2012 40th Anniversary Cabernet and an eight year verticle tasting.

The one family event of the festival, **HMAA Presents Keiki in the Kitchen**, stretches from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Honolulu Zoo. Keiki 8 to 17 years of age submitted their favorite original recipe for a chance to compete in front of judges Chef Nobu Matsuhisa, Iron Chef Hiroyuki Sakai from Japan and Chef Jason Fox of San Francisco. The Kellogg's and Foodland Healthy Lunchtime Challenge recipe submissions feature at least one fresh locally-grown or raised ingredient, all simple to prepare, which they will do at the zoo. First place

winners will win a "Keiki Night Out" party for 10 by either Chefs Roy Yamaguchi or Alan Wong and a two-night stay in an oceanfront room at the Outrigger Reef on the Beach in Waikiki.

One of the most anticipated signature events of the festival begins at 6 p.m on the rooftop of the Hawaii Convention Center. From sunset to starlight this is the venue to sip and savor at the **Hawaiian Airlines Presents Corks and Forks**, featuring 20 world-renowned chefs and 20 of Napa Valley's most celebrated wine estates, serving up some of the most sought after wines. Chefs, to name a few, include Cat Cora, Iron Chef America, Raphael Lunetta, JiRaffe Restaruant, San Francisco, Toshihiko Yoroizuka of Toshi Yoroizuka - Japan, and Eric Siebold, CityZen, Washington D.C. and sommeliers from Mexico, California, and Germany.

On Sunday, September 7th, a new twist on the popular Brunch event joins the roster. **The Battle of the Brunch Showdown** at SHOR at the Hyatt Regency Waikiki will be hosted by Adam Richman. Chef duos including three female master chefs, will be paired with their male counterparts for a breakfast challenge. Guests will judge the dishes and pick the winners.

Finally, like all great Hawaii experiences, the last party is on the beach. With a roster of dozens of the

best chefs, **It's A Food World After All**, takes place from 6 p.m. until fullness. The beach on the lagoon at Ko Olina Resort, Aulani: A Disney Resort, and JW Marriott Ihilani Resort will be filled with the creations by fifteen chefs, taking guests on a culinary journey across the world. Add slippers to the wardrobe for "resort casual" attire, allowing comfort on the sand. An exclusive silent auction will take place at this event only. As the organizers say, hindsight is 20/20, you will not want to miss it!

The Hawai'i Food & Wine Festival is the premier epicurean destination event in the Pacific. The Festival features a roster of more than 80 internationally renowned master chefs, culinary personalities, and wine and spirit producers. The Festival will showcase wine tastings, cooking demonstrations, one-of-a-kind excursions, and exclusive dining opportunities with dishes highlighting the state's bounty of local produce, seafood, beef and poultry. Proceeds support local beneficiaries committed to sustainability and cultural and educational programs in Hawaii.

For more information and a complete list of chefs and vintners participating in each event go to [HawaiiFoodandWineFestival.com](http://HawaiiFoodandWineFestival.com) and follow them on Twitter: @HIFoodWineFest, Instagram: @HIFoodWineFest and on Facebook. ~Lynn Cook

## Schedule of Events

Wednesday, September 3, 2014

### Seminar

**Caviar & Krug Dégustation**  
Halekulani @ 5:00pm to 6:00pm  
- SOLD OUT -

Thursday, September 4, 2014

### Signature Event

**A Lucky MODERN Buddha Belly**  
The MODERN Honolulu  
VIP Early Entry at 5:00pm  
General Entry at 6:00pm

Friday, September 5, 2014

### Cultural Experience

**Laulima @ He'eia** with Jose Garces, Hubert Keller, Mark Noguchi & Christina Tosi  
He'eia @ Cultural Experience at 9:00am  
Lunch Provided at 11:00am

### Signature Event

**Fourth Annual Halekulani Master Chefs Gala Series: Chefs Who Cook to Compete**  
Halekulani  
Cocktail Reception at 5:00pm  
Dinner at 6:00pm

### After Party

**The Official After Party**  
REPUBLIC @ 10:00pm to 2:00am  
with DJ/Chef Hubert Keller

Saturday, September 6, 2014

### Daytime Event

**HMAA Presents Keiki in the Kitchen: Food, Fitness & Fun!**  
Honolulu Zoo @ 9:00am to 4:30pm

### Wine Seminar

**The Majesty & Mystique of Colgin Cellars: A Vertical Tasting of Colgin Cellars Terroirs**  
Halekulani @ 9:30am to 10:30am

### Wine Seminar

**Masters of the Chardonnay Universe: Through the Eyes of Kermit Lynch**  
Halekulani @ 11:00am to 12:00pm

### Wine Seminar

**My Favorite Wine Producers in the World**  
Halekulani @ 12:30pm to 1:30pm

### Wine Seminar

**Caymus Vineyards: Vertical Tasting of Cabernet Sauvignon Special Selection**  
Room 301A at Hawai'i Convention Center  
4:00pm to 5:00pm

### Signature Event

**Hawaiian Airlines Presents Corks & Forks**  
Rooftop Garden at the  
Hawai'i Convention Center @ VIP Early Entry  
& Reserved Seating at 5:00pm  
General Entry at 6:00pm

Sunday, September 7, 2014

### Sunday Brunch

**Battle of the Brunch Showdown**  
SHOR at Hyatt Regency Waikiki Beach Resort  
& Spa @ 11:00am to 1:00pm

### Signature Event

**It's a Food World After All**  
Ko Olina Resort with Aulani, A Disney Resort  
& Spa, and JW Marriott Ihilani Resort & Spa  
VIP Early Entry & Reserved Seating at 5:00pm  
General Entry at 6:00pm

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*Return of the Lotus is three layers of cook pine with pyrography (burning) on edges. Wenge wood at center with a polyurethane finish by artist Michael Patrick Smith. Photo from: Hawaii Forest Industry.*

Pleasing to the eye. Silken to the touch. Koa, kiawe, kamani, milo, mango, macadamia nut, Norfolk pine – Hawaii grown woods that are

turned, carved, sanded, polished by artists who share the love of wood and the desire to create beautiful things. They also share a cadre of friends who call them and say, “get here fast - a tree is being cut!”

Every year, wood fans jam the Honolulu Museum Art School at Linekona for the annual Hawaii's Woodshow, sponsored by the Hawaii Forest Industry Association. The show is free, open every day from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. through September 14th.

The 2014 exhibition includes woodworkers from every career path. Few are able to do their art full time. Most turn a corner of their garage into a wood shop displacing cars to a driveway. Andy Cole, one of the key people in the organization, says he repaired bicycles and did building maintenance until he could turn his passion into a career. The pun there is that he turns bowls, sometimes as many as seven from one chunk of macadamia nut tree.

The show includes the work of a father, Tak Yoshino, and his two sons all from Japan. They live in the shadow of Mt. Fuji. The rules of the show are that the wood must be from Hawaii so they have to take koa home to bring it back, carved. The boys Yuuki and Kai entered ukuleles made of Koa.

Bruce Young, one of six Kailua carvers in the show, paddled on an outrigger canoe team, did the Molokai to Oahu race and even went to Tahiti to paddle the Bastille Day races. Using his wood craft learned at Kailua Intermediate School, he made the canoe paddles. For Tahiti he made twenty-five Hawaiian style laminated paddles. The Tahitians, still using solid wood paddles, asked “how did you do that?” Bruce says they took him to their full-on woodshop. “It was heaven for a wood worker,” he says. They gave him the large piece of wood that would make one Tahitian paddle. He taught them as he turned the wood into ten Hawaiian-style paddles finished in two days, becoming somewhat of a hero in the process. Now, 700 or 800 bowls later, he says, “I make round things.” His woodshop is behind the garage. His yard is filled with burls and large logs that become award-winning bowls. His lathe faces the workshop door, “in case a bowl breaks loose and launches like a rocket,” as it is being turned. More than woodshow prizes, he says his finest moment was being invited to turn a bowl to be presented in Belgium for Saint Damien, “I felt so humble. I am just a wood turner.” Learn more about the Hawaii Forest Industry Association at [hawaiiforest.org](http://hawaiiforest.org). ~ Lynn Cook

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# Chef's Corner

## Acclaimed Chef Hubert Keller

Hubert Keller is one of the most widely-recognized chefs in America. Born, raised and schooled in France, he was classically trained under some of the most iconic names in the industry such as Paul Bocuse and Paul Haeberlin. His restaurant, Fleur de Lys in San Francisco has been ranked of one of the 25 best restaurants in the United States. His Burger Bar in Vegas is known for its delicious \$60 wagyu/foie/truffle burger. Keller is also an accomplished DJ you can see in action this month!

### What is your favorite childhood food memory?

It is called a Baeckeoffe, it is a 3 meats and potato stew. The meats used are beef, pork and lamb marinated over night with lots of aromatic vegetables and white wine. Baked the next day with thinly sliced potatoes in a special terrine for 4 hours.

### You started as a pastry chef. What made you move away from pastries?

I never moved away from pastries, I have added the savory part © and it became a passion.

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

I did my apprenticeship at l'Auberge de l'ill in Alsace, and the first job was in pantry.

### You've trained with some of France's most legendary chefs. Who would you consider your mentor and why?

I was extremely lucky for having been able to train under Chefs like Paul Haeberlin, Paul Bocuse, Roger Verge and Gaston Lenotre. They are all my mentors! I have learned from their own style, in cooking, managing, marketing, and creating.

### Out of all of your restaurant concepts (Fleur de Lys, Burger Bar and Fleur) which one is your favorite?

I have no favorite, they are all like my children! They have different tempers and personality

### What cultural style of food intrigues you the most?

Besides French Cuisine of course, it would be Chinese.

### You've participated in Top Chef Masters as a competitor and as a judge in Top Chef. Which do you prefer?

Judging is definitely less stressfull that competing in TCM but I would say competing is my cup of coffee.

### Who would you be most excited to see dine in your restaurant and why?

Angelina Jolie, Napoleon and Jack Nicolson at the same table! All 3 are so different and amazing characters. And I would love to listen to their conversation.

### What do you think about the TV food show craze?

It launches young chef's careers with the exposure. What does it do for a celebrity chef such as yourself.

### What is your go to ingredients?

All root vegetables.

### What's always in your fridge and freezer at home?

Dark chocolate, homemade vanilla ice cream made with lots of real vanilla beans and dried cherry ice cream.

### What was the one dish you've ever tried that you remember the most and why? Where was it from?

Grilled spiny lobster in Anguilla! Because the lady chef preparing them had that technique so under control like I have rarely seen in a professional kitchen.

### What do you have planned for the upcoming Hawaii Food & Wine Festival?

I will be serving the Mac & Cheese with local lobster like the one I made on Top Chef Master in the dorm-room

### Anything fun planned while you're in the islands?

Beside working at the event I am planning on doing some serious hiking with my wife Chantal....and of course eating out every night.

### What's next for you? Anything in the works?

Always figuring out what will be next in the industry but prior it becomes a trend.



## Red Wine Braised Short Ribs

serves 4 - 6

by Chef Hubert Keller

### Ingredients:

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| 4 pounds bone in short ribs                        | 2 garlic cloves, peeled & chopped            |
| Salt and pepper                                    | 1 stalk lemongrass                           |
| 3 tablespoons olive oil                            | 1½ cups red wine, pinot noir                 |
| small onions, peeled, sliced                       | ¼ of a 1 quart can diced tomatoes with juice |
| 2 carrots, peeled and coarsely chopped             | 2 tablespoons brown sugar                    |
| 2 celery stalks, chopped                           | 2 tablespoons parsley, chopped               |
| 1 2-inch piece fresh ginger, peeled, sliced thinly | 3 tablespoons tomato paste                   |
|  | 3 cups beef stock                            |
|  | 1 sprig fresh sage                           |

### Preparation:

- Preheat the oven to 350° F
- Heat olive oil in 5 quart sauté or casserole pan over high heat.
- Lay the short ribs out on a clean work surface and season all sides with salt and pepper.
- When oil is almost smoking, add ribs and let sear on high heat, 5 minutes per side or until well browned. Use tongs to rotate the ribs.
- Once browned on all sides, remove ribs with tongs and place on a baking tray.
- Add onions, carrots, celery, ginger, and garlic to the same pan.
- Smash the lemongrass stalk with the back of knife, slice, and add to pan. Sauté vegetables for 2 minutes, or until softened.
- Over high heat, add red wine and scrape the bottom of pan with wooden spoon as wine comes to a boil.
- Add tomato paste, diced tomatoes, brown sugar, parsley, beef stock and sage leaves to pan and bring to a simmer. Add ribs back into pan and cover with a tight fitting lid.
- Place casserole in preheated oven for 1.5 hours. Remove cover and continue cooking for an additional 1 hour.
- When rib meat is very tender, remove ribs from oven, using tongs to place on baking tray. Cover with aluminum foil to keep warm.
- Pour the sauce through a fine mesh strainer into a saucepan, removing all of the vegetables. Over medium low heat, simmer the sauce for 5 minutes until darker in color and thicker. Add the ribs to reheat.
- Serve ribs with sauce over polenta or other side dish of your choice.

You can meet Hubert Keller at this year's Hawaii Food & Wine Festival!

He will be at Lualaba at He'eia on 9/5 and Corks & Forks on 9/6. He will also be handling the DJ duties center stage at the Republik for the After Party on 9/5. For tickets go to hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

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## MONDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Local Contemporary*  
 Shaka Madali 5:30-8:30pm

**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Tito Berinobis & David Kauahikaua 6:30-9:30pm

**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Christian Yrizarry Duo 8:30-11:30pm

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

**Hang Ten Bar at Turtle Bay** 293-6000  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with dancer*  
 Phil Strauss 5:30-7:30pm  
 Billy Sage V (9/8, 9/22) 5:30-7:30pm

**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Zanuck & Piranha Duo 5-7pm  
 Blue Mondays Varying Artists 9-11am

**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*  
 Sean Na'auao 6 - 9pm

**LBL 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  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Jeremy Cheng 5-8pm  
 DJ Super CW 8:30pm-12:30am

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

**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a fire dancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 Randy Allen 1:30-3:30pm  
 Ka'ala Boys 6:30-8:30pm

**The Study at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kaleo 7-10pm

**Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kapu the Band 6-8:30pm  
 Jason Alan & Ian O'Sullivan 9-11pm

**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Acoustik Playground 5:30-8:30pm

## TUESDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Local Contemporary Hits*  
 Chris Salvador or 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*  
 The Camarillo Brothers 6:30-9:30pm

**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Art Kalahiki Duo 8:30-11:30pm

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

**Hang Ten Bar at Turtle Bay** 293-6000  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kapena Delima 5:30-7:30pm

**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Alex Oasay Duo 5-7pm  
 Da Push-O-Verse (or others) 9-11pm

**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Radasha Ho'ohuli*  
 Po'okela 5:30 - 8:00pm

**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kamuela Kahoano 7-9pm

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*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Mike Huhn 7:00-9:30pm

**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Weldon Kekauoha 6-9pm

**LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live Contemporary Funk, Jazz, Hip Hop & Reggae*  
 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

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

**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
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 Kelly Villaverde 1:30-3:30pm  
 Ho'okani Duo 6:30-8:30pm

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*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

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*Instrumental Guitar*  
 Paul Wilcox 5:30-8:30pm

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*Piano Wine Bar*  
 Scott Smith 6:30-9:30pm

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

**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Kimo Artis Duo 8:30-11:30pm  
 Koa Siu Duo (9/24) 8:30-11:30pm

**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Acoustic, Soul, R&B*  
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm  
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**Du Vin** 545-1115  
*Sessions at Du Vin features Live Jazz Wednesdays.*  
 Shoji Ledward 7-9pm

**Gordon Biersch** 599-4877  
*Jazz Wednesdays*  
 Varying Artists 6:30-9:30pm

**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 John Valentine 5-7pm  
 Piranha Brothers 9-11pm

**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*  
 Jeremy Chang 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*  
 Cyril Pahinui 6-9pm

**LBL 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  
*Live Contemporary & Light Jazz*  
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12:30am

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

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**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Eric Lee Duo 6:30-9:30pm  
**Roy's Hawaii Kai** 396-7697  
*Acoustic & Slack Key Top 40*  
 Dayton Watanabe 6:30-9:30pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kamuela Kahoano 5-8pm  
 Twilight Audio 8:30pm-12:30am  
**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 firedancer at 7:30 p.m.*  
 Albert Maligmat 1:30-3:30pm  
 Keoni Ku Duo 6:30-8:30 pm  
**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 Guitar*  
 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*  
 Jeremy Hirokawa Duo 8:30-11:30pm  
 T & J Duo (9/11, 9/25) 8:30-11:30pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club** 922-2268  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm  
 Tahiti Rey Duo (or others) 9:30-12am  
**Five-O Bar & Lounge** 922-0550  
*Live Acoustic Contemporary & Reggae*  
 K Love Duo 7:30-10:30pm  
**Gordon Biersch** 599-4877  
*Live Contemporary Funk and Classics*  
 Acoustic Playground 7-10:30pm  
**Hang Ten Bar at the Turtle Bay** 293-6000  
*Live Hawaiian Contemporary*  
 Gordon Freitas 5:30-7:30pm  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*

Tim Rose (or others) 5-7pm  
 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*  
 Sheila Waiwaiole & Mara Sagapolu 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*  
 Kawika Kahiapo & Del Beazley 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  
**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 firedancer 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 7-8:30pm  
**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  
**Dave & Busters** 589-2215  
*Pau Hana Fridays Live Local Bands*  
 Varying Hawaiian Artists 6-8pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Maunaloa 4-6pm  
 Chris Murphy Duo (9/5) 9:30 -12am  
 Christian Yrizarry Duo (9/12, 9/26) 9:30 -12am  
 Imua Garza Duo (9/19) 9:30 -12am  
**Five-O Bar & Lounge** 922-0550  
*Live Island Reggae*  
 Kimo Opiana 9-12am  
**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*  
 Johnny Helm 5-7pm  
 Mantra 10-12am  
**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoë Miller*  
 Hiram Olsen Trio 5:30 - 8:00pm  
**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer*  
 David Asing & Alike Souza 7-9pm  
**Hy's Steak House** 922-5555  
*Live Soft Contemporary*  
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Johnny Helm 5-7pm  
 Mantra 9-11pm  
**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*  
 Varying Hawaiian Artists 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*

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Manoa DNA 6-9 p.m.  
 Vinyl Wine 10-12:30am  
**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 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*  
 Johnna Padenken 5-8pm  
 DJ Euphoric 8:30pm-12:30am  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Classic*  
 Taimane 6-7pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a firedancer 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*  
 Kaleo Del Sol 5-7pm  
 Vaihi 7:30-9:30pm  
 Tahiti Rey Duo 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  
**Cheesburger Waikiki** 941-2400  
*Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Alex or Aku 6:30-9:30pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Dennis McLees Duo 8:30-11:30pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Hawaiian Entertainment*  
 Beach 5 (9/6) 4-6pm  
 Simple Sessions (9/13) 4-6pm  
 Vaihi (9/20) 4-6pm  
 Kona Chang Duo (9/27) 4-6pm  
 Kamuela Kahoano (9/6) 9:30-12am  
 Kaiona Duo (9/20) 9:30-12am  
 Terry Stebbins Duo (9/13) 9:30-12am

Chris Murphy Duo (9/27) 9:30-12am  
**Five-O Bar & Lounge** 922-0550  
*Live Island Reggae*  
 Christian from Hoonua 9:30-12:30am  
**Hang Ten Bar at the Turtle Bay** 293-6000  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Billy Sage V (9/6, 9/20) 5:30-7:30pm  
 Tim Rose (9/13, 9/27) 5:30-7:30pm  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 20 Degrees North 5-7pm  
 Tavana (or others) 10-1am  
**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 & Tommy Chock w/ Kahanu 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*  
 Ka Hehena 6-9pm  
**LBLE 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  
**Sunrise Pool Bar at the Modern** 943-5800  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Kainalu 5-8pm  
**SWIM at the Hyatt** 923-1234  
*Contemporary Acoustic followed by karaoke at 8*  
 Randy Allen & Kanoe Gibson 5 - 8pm  
**The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600  
*Live Hawaiian music with a firedancer 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  
 Sani and Friends (or others) 7:30-9:30pm

Ellsworth Simeona 10-1am  
**Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Henry Kapono 4-6pm  
 Juke Joint 6:30-9:30pm

## SUNDAY

**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach** 924-2233  
*Live Instrumental Guitar*  
 Paul Wilcox 11am -2pm  
**Chart House Waikiki** 941-6660  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Dean & Dean 6-9pm  
**Cheesecake Factory** 924-5001  
*Classic Hawaiian*  
 Chris Murphy Duo 8-11pm  
**Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki** 922-2268  
*Live Hawaiian Entertainment*  
 Henry Kapono 4-6pm  
 Imua Garza Duo (9/7) 9:30-12am  
 Kaiona (9/14) 9:30-12am  
 Typical Hawaiians (9/21, 9/28) 9:30-12am  
**Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383  
*Live Contemporary*  
 Brothers Rize 5-7pm  
 EMKE (or others) 9-11pm  
**House Without a Key** 923-2311  
*Live Hawaiian & Hula by Debbie Nakanelua*  
 Pa'ahana 5:30 - 8:00pm  
**Hula Grill** 923-HULA  
*Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer*  
 Art Kalahiki Duo 7-9pm  
**Jimmy Buffett's at the Beachcomber** 791-1200  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*  
 Randy Allen 7:30-10:00pm  
**Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian Masters on stage*  
 Nathan Aweau 6-9pm  
 Jeff Rasmussen & Sistah Robi (8/24, 8/31) 6-9pm  
**Kelley O'Neil's** 926-1777  
*Live Irish Music*  
 Various Celtic Bands 4-7pm  
**LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811  
*Live, Energetic Mix of Pop and Rock Hits*  
 Pushoverse 6-9pm  
**Lewers Lounge** 923-2311  
*Live Contemporary & Light Jazz*  
 Noly Pa'a 8:30pm - 12am  
**LuLu's** 926-5222  
*Acoustic R&B*  
 Simple Soulz 7-10pm  
**Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*  
 Hawaiian Time Duo 6:30-9:30pm  
**Michel's at the Colony Surf** 923-6552  
*Classical Slack Key & Jazz Stylings*  
 Jeff Peterson 6-9pm  
**Roy's Ko Olina** 676-7697  
*Slack Key Guitar*  
 Chris Rego 5:30-8pm  
**Rumfire** 921-4600  
*Live Contemporary Hawaiian*

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Duncan Osorio	5-8pm	
Twilight Audio	8:30pm-12:30am	
<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 firedancer at 7:30 p.m.</i>		
Jeremy Cheng	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 (vaying artists)	10- 2am	
<b>Tiki's Grill &amp; Bar</b>		<b>923-TIKI</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		
Vaihi	6-9pm	
Ellsworth Simeona	9-11pm	
<b>Tropics Bar &amp; Grill</b>		<b>949-4321</b>
<i>Live Contemporary Rock &amp; Hawaiian</i>		
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'Neils	926-1777
Mai Tai Bar Ala Moana	947-2900
Moose McGillycuddy's	923-0751

## Dining Dish



Lots of great changes happening at **Top of Waikiki** these days. Although **Lance Kosaka** was named Executive Chef of the restaurant a year ago, he's been quietly playing with the menu since then and only recently launched new items. Although the entree items are tasty enough, it was the appetizer and salad menus that really knocked my socks off. The Day Boat Scallops were pan seared with sauteed corn and applewood smoked bacon with a balsamic reduction and curry oil for \$16. The Guava BBQ St. Louis Style Ribs for \$17 could have been a meal in themselves. The ribs were huge and the meat just fell off the bone. The Pear Salad (\$13) featured port poached D'Anjou pears and fresh Asian pears mixed with lettuce, candied walnuts, port raspberry vinaigrette balsamic reduction and a Cambozola lumpia that just oozes melted cheese over the salad when you bite into it. Simply fabulous. Last but potentially the best of the bunch was an Asian Inspired Pork Salad. Think deconstructed spring roll. The fresh lettuce mix was blended with pickled vegetables, rice noodles, chili lime dressing, cilantro and grilled lemongrass marinated pork. For some reason this doesn't seem to be their top seller but boy should it be. One of the most explosive and flavorful

salads I've ever had for only \$12! The restaurant also features a brand new dessert menu redesigned by **Heather Bryan**. This self taught dessert aficionado basically turned her hobby into highly educational stints at Nobu and Vintage Cave and has recently been hired at the restaurants' Pastry Sous Chef. Most desserts are only \$9 and my vote goes for the Toasted Hazelnut Gelato Pie. TopofWaikiki.com. 923-3877. • Football Season is back, so don't forget that **Giovanni Pastrami** and their 17 screens will be showing every college and pro game there is. They've also added a few new breakfast items to their menu. The Haupia French Toast is made with haupia bread pudding, coconut and corn flake crust, fresh berries, and coconut rum sauce for \$16 and Pastrami Fried Rice, made with pastrami, corned beef, and kalua pig, with garlic and veggies, topped with three eggs for \$13. 923-2100. • **Barefoot Beach Café's** has launched Ala Moana Bowls at their Ala Moana Beach Park location featuring Fresh Ahi Poke Bowls, Pitaya & Acai Bowls and more. Daily specials include Chili Bowls, Hawaiian BBQ Chicken Bowls and Kalua Pork & Cabbage Bowls, so your visitors taking a day on the beach don't have to pack their own. All bowls are under \$9 & under. Open daily from 11 a.m. to Sunset. 597-1323. • One of my favorite little coffee shops in Manoa has opened a second satellite location in Kaka'ako. **Morning Glass Coffee + Pastry Bar** has opened inside Fishcake, a contemporary home furnishings store and art gallery located at 307C Kamani Street. The Box Jelly is also here, the temporary office spaces where many of your business clientele set up shop while in town. The location will offer handcrafted sandwiches, pastries and gourmet coffees and teas from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Mon - Fri, and 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Saturdays. Tip: Their Molasses Ginger cookies are delicious! morningglasscoffee.com. • With all these wine superstars in for the Hawaii Food and wine Festival you know **Chuck Furuya** had to get into the act. If you're into wines and have never gone to **Vino** before for one of their wine dinners, don't miss this opportunity to dine with two wine superstars, master sommelier **Richard Betts** and one of the coolest winemakers around, **Jim Clendenen**. Details listed under Dining Dish, but these two dinners are not to be missed! • **Iron Chef Morimoto** has launched several new menu items at **Morimoto Waikiki** including Morimoto's take on a Pork Chop and Applesauce. He marinates Kurobuta pork chop in miso and pairs it with Granny Smith apple puree, kimchee with garlic chives and house cut smoked bacon. there's also locally caught seasonal snapper served with yellow Thai curry sauce with Thai chili, black mussels, house polished rice, sea beans and Pohole fiddle head ferns from Hawaii Island as well as Hamachi Tacos. Fried gyoza shells from Sun Noodle, Japanese Hamachi ribbons, nuoc cham with cilantro, jalapeno, fish sauce, avocado puree and crème fraiche, topped with grape tomatoes and micro cilantro. These items are part of their renewed focus on lunch and dinner as after the Labor Day holiday, Morimoto Waikiki will no longer be open for breakfast. 943-5900. ~ Pam



## Dining Calendar

**September 3:** **VINO** hosts an evening with master sommelier Richard Betts. Chef created a 4-course menu to pair with his wines. \$59. Limited seating. 533-4476.

**September 4:** **3660 on the Rise** presents a Moone Tsai Wine Dinner featuring a 5-course dinner paired with the popular Napa winery wines. \$125. 6:30 p.m. Tickets sold exclusively at Tamura's Wine. 735-7100.

**September 6:** **VINO** presents one of my favorite wine guys of all time. Jim Clendenon of Au Bon Climat with a special 5-course menu. \$75. Limited seats. 533-4476.

**September 18:** **3660 on the Rise** presents a special Cooking Class celebrating their 22nd anniversary with some of their past favorites. \$70. 6 p.m. 737-1177.

**Mondays:** **Brasserie du Vin** has combined their weekly wine dinner and tasting events into one, Behind the Cellar Door. 6:30 p.m. 545-1115.

**Wednesdays:** **Beachhouse at the Moana** hosts a weekly wine tasting on the lanai with pupus and parking. \$19+-. 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. 923-2861.

**Wednesdays:** **Bar 35:** House of Brews features a different theme weekly. Taste 6-8 beers, and enjoy Chef Valentini's pizza. \$20. 6 p.m. 537-3535.

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## 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

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

### 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. waquarium.org or 923-9741.

### TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS FRESH FARMERS MARKET AT THE HYATT

Due to its overwhelming success, the Hyatt has added another day of their popular Farmers Market for visitors and locals to stock up on fresh local organic fruits, vegetables, jams, honeys, baked goods and more. Stop by twice on the ground floor of the Pualeilani Atrium Shops. 4 – 8 p.m. Waikiki.hyatt.com.

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

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

### SECOND WEDNESDAY (SEPTEMBER 10) STARGAZING

The Hokulani Imaginarium puts on a live star show while teaching about the mythology surrounding constellations. Windward CC, 45-720 Kealahala Rd., Kaneohe. 7 p.m. Adults \$7, Keiki (ages 4-12) \$5. Tickets: aerospace.wcc.hawaii.edu/imaginarium.html or 235-7433.

### WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS CHADO – THE WAY OF TEA

Japanese enthusiasts can experience the traditional tea ceremony (chanoyu) as it was meant to be both 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.

### THIRD THURSDAY (SEPTEMBER 18) 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 Framers 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 (SEPTEMBER 5) 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 (SEPTEMBER 5 & 19) THE SKY TONIGHT

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 (SEPTEMBER 26) ART AFTER DARK

This month Art After Dark explores the hippest ways to live the green life in Hawai'i. 6 – 9 p.m. Honolulu Museum of Art. 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 KAKA'AKO FARMERS MARKET

The Farmer's Market held Saturdays at Ala Moana has moved to Kaka'a'ako in light of the construction around Sears these days. Check out an abundance of treats from around our islands. Their new home is at Ward Warehouse between Ward and Kamakee Streets. Free. 9:00 a.m. - 1 p.m. 388-9696 or haleiwafarmersmarket.com.

### SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ART ON THE ZOO FENCE

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

### SECOND SATURDAY (SEPTEMBER 13) 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.

### BANK OF HAWAII FREE SUNDAY (SEPTEMBER 21)

#### HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART

Since 2004, Bank of Hawaii has made it possible for the Honolulu Museum of Art to open its doors to the public free of charge on the third Sunday of every month. Activities include art activities, entertainment and films. The theme centers around Koyo, or "autumn leaves" in Japanese. 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Free. 532-8700.

### NA MELE NO NA PUA SUNDAY SHOWCASE (SEPTEMBER 21)

Waikiki Beach Walk has brought back its popular monthly free concert series every third Sunday at the Plaza Stage from 5 – 6 p.m. This month features Na Kama. waikikibeachwalk.com.

### SUNDAYS & MONDAYS PACIFIC BEACH HOTELS FARMERS MARKET

Farmer's Markets are all the rage these days and the Pacific Beach has launched the latest one and put it right out on the corner of Kalakaua and Liliuokalani for passerby's to get some of the island's finest fresh fruits and produce as they walk by. 3-7 p.m.

### SEPTEMBER 1

**45TH ANNUAL WAIKIKI ROUGHWATER SWIM**  
This annual open ocean swim held every Labor Day is a 2.384 mile course from San Souci Beach, out the Outrigger Canoe Club Channel, to the Hilton Hawaiian Village Hotel channel. 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. waikikiroughwaterswim.com.

### SEPTEMBER 3 – 7 HAWAII FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL

The premier culinary event of the year will bring dozens of highly acclaimed and award winning chefs and vintners to the Island for 5 days of seminars, cultural events, wine seminars and signature events filled with amazing food and wine. See cover story for more details. hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

### SEPTEMBER 4

**HAWAII FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL SIGNATURE EVENT: A LUCKY MODERN BUDDHA BELLY**  
Featuring 14 celebrity chefs including Michael Ginor from Hudson Valley Foie Gras, Nancy Silverton from Mozza, Charles Phan from The Slanted Door and our own Chris Kajioka join Morimoto in a zen evening of gastronomical delights as you stroll through The Modern Honolulu pool areas. 6 – 9 p.m. \$200. 738-6245. hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

**SEPTEMBER 5 • HAWAII FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL SIGNATURE EVENT: HALEKULANI MASTER CHEFS GALA SERIES**

The crown jewel of the festival takes diners to delectable heights with a lavish six-course meal prepared by six amazing chefs, like Michelle

# SEPTEMBER CALENDAR OF

Bernstein, Jose Garces and Johnny Iuzzini paired with extraordinary wine pairings. This one comes at a price. Tickets start at \$1,000. 5 – 10 p.m. Halekulani. 738-6245. hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

## SEPTEMBER 6 VINTAGE ROSE & FRIENDS

One stop shopping for all your vintage needs. Clothing, accessories, lace, estate jewelry, handbags, hats and household items are all on display and available for sale. 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Waioli Tea Room. Free entry

## SEPTEMBER 6 HAWAII FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL SIGNATURE EVENT: CORKS AND FORKS

20 celebrity chefs including Hubert Keller, Jonathon Waxman and our own Ed Kenney and Chai are paired with 20 of Napa's greatest vineyards for an amazing this evening of food and wines. Think Opus! 6 – 9 p.m. \$225. Rooftop at Hawaii Convention Center. 738-6245. hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

## SEPTEMBER 6 ALOHA FESTIVALS ROYAL COURT INVESTITURE & OPENING CEREMONY

The Aloha Festivals Royal Court will be introduced on the grounds of Helumoa, originally the home Princess Bernice Pauahi Bishop and where she created the trust that supports Kamehameha Schools. Traditional chant and hula mark the official beginning of the Aloha Festivals events. 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. alohafestivals.com.

## SEPTEMBER 6 REVIVE THE LIVE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Reggae music lovers will love this one-night festival that features five of Hawaii's most talented and sought after bands including Fiji, Kolohe Kai, Maoli, Ekolu & Ooklah The Moc. Closing the night will be one of the top bands out of New Zealand, Katchafire! Waikiki Shell, Doors open at 4 p.m., Music at 4:30 p.m. Tickets: \$20-\$80. HiFinest.com.

## SEPTEMBER 7 MAYOR'S REMEMBRANCE WALK

A procession and ceremonies at various stops are scheduled in observance of the September 11th terrorist attacks. Honolulu Hale. 5 – 6 p.m.

## SEPTEMBER 7 HAWAII FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL SIGNATURE EVENT: IT'S A FOOD WORLD AFTER ALL

The finale of the HFWF features 15 world-renown chefs including Joseph Citrin, Dean Fearing, Cat Cora, and local fave Mark 'Gooch' Noguchi as they create a culinary journey around the world on the lagoon fronting the Aulani and the Ihilani. 6 – 9 p.m. \$200. 738-6245. hawaiifoodandwinefestival.com.

## SEPTEMBER 11



## SEPTEMBER 12-14 THE FALL FASHION EVENT

Ala Moana Center presents a celebration of all things fashion. The three-day event will include fashion shows at Centerstage, an exclusive gift-with-purchase Ala Moana Center clutch created by local designer Jana Lam and a luxurious trip giveaway to Beijing and a \$500 Ala Moana Center gift card. AlaMoanaCenter.com.

## SEPTEMBER 13 HAWAII FIVE-O SUNSET ON THE BEACH

You get to see it first! The 5th season of Hawaii Five-O will premiere at a special Sunset on the Beach two weeks before the rest of the world sees it. As before, expect the beach to fill up with thousands of fans who will drop their blankets in the sand first thing in the morning to "save their seats" in hopes to catch a glimpse of their favorite star and the British rock group Bush will open the show. Waikiki will be a mess with so plan accordingly! Queen's Surf. 6-8 p.m.

## SEPTEMBER 14 UNDER THE BLOOD RED SUN DAY

Author Graham 'Sandy' Salisbury celebrates the 20th Anniversary Edition of this cherished childhood book about a young Japanese-American boy's struggles just after the attack on Pearl Harbor. Join the author, director and cast for a special showing of the newly released movie version of "Under the Blood-Red Sun" and meet and greet them afterwards. Bring your cameras. Noon - 5 p.m. Pacific Aviation Museum. Free with Museum admission and to Museum members. 441-1007 or PacificAviationMuseum.org.

## SEPTEMBER 19-20 • EDDIE WEN' GO, THE STORY OF THE UPSIDE-DOWN CANOE

Don't miss the world premiere of Marion Lyman-Mersereau's inspirational children's book adapted for stage in time to coincide with Hokule'a's round-the-world voyage. The production uses hula, chant, masks and puppetry to tell the story of Eddie Aikau's act of sacrifice when Hokule'a capsized, through the eyes of sea creatures who watched from underneath the upside-down canoe. Slack key guitar virtuoso Danny Carvalho will compose the soundscaping and perform live at each performance. Fri. at 7 p.m., Sat. at 2 p.m. Hawaii Theatre. Tickets \$5, \$7 and \$10; children under 4 free. hawaii theatre.com or 528-0506

## SEPTEMBER 20 MIRANDA LAMBERT



Country superstar Miranda Lambert, the small town girl who first shot to fame on TV's Nashville Star and has been repeatedly named country's "Female Vocalist of the Year" is coming to town for one show only. Blaisdell Arena. 8 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$75. 800-745-3000 or ticketmaster.com.

## SEPTEMBER 20 RON WHITE

Best known as a charter member of the Blue Collar Comedy Tour, a show sold out across the country in over 90 cities and grossed over \$15 million in the early 2000s with Jeff Foxworthy, Bill Engvall, and Larry the Cable Guy. White has continued to tour over the years and brings his act to Honolulu. Tickets: \$35-\$75. Blaisdell Concert Hall. 8 p.m. ticketmaster.com or 800-745-3000.

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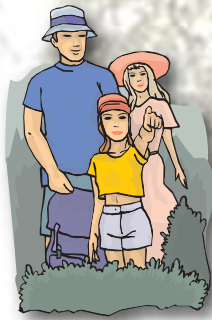
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# HIKER'S CORNER



## NA ALA HELE TRAILS & ACCESS PROGRAM

For detailed information about hiking trails around the state, visit [HawaiiTrails.org](http://HawaiiTrails.org). The website includes an interactive map of each island and trail info that includes length, terrain,

photos, directions, biking information, and printable topographic map links. Also included on the site are trail announcements, local weather, and more. This is an easy way to provide your guests with a lot of helpful information for their hiking trip (without a lot of time on your part). You can also call them directly at 973-9782.

**COORDINATED HIKES:** The hikes listed below are arranged by local clubs and open to visitors. Hikers are recommended to bring a snack, sunscreen, hat, sturdy shoes, insect repellent, & water.

**SIERRA CLUB:** Most hikes meet at 8 a.m. at the Church of the Crossroads (back porch), 2510 Bingham St. Do not leave cars in the church parking lot. Windward outings may meet at First HI Bank, Windward Mall. Requested donation is \$5 (\$1 under 15 years). Please contact for information. Under 18 with adult.

**HAWAIIAN TRAIL & MOUNTAIN CLUB:** All hikes will depart from 'Iolani palace at 8:00am unless otherwise noted. Please arrive 10 minutes early to check in. Please contact for information.

**HIKING HAWAII:** Join a group of up to 15 hikers on a variety of guided treks. Private parties and door-to-door transportation available. Info and reservations at [hikinghawaii808.com](http://hikinghawaii808.com), 855-808-4453 or email [hikinghawaii@yahoo.com](mailto:hikinghawaii@yahoo.com).

**WAIMEA VALLEY GUIDED HIKING SERIES:** Waimea Valley Family Guided Hikes are offered on Thursdays and Sundays. 5 person minimum. Reservations required in advance with credit card (cost includes admission). Keiki under 18 must be with adult. Closed-toe shoes and water required. Cameras strongly recommended! Reservations at 638-5877 or [Lpool@waimeavalley.net](mailto:Lpool@waimeavalley.net).

## WAIMEA VALLEY HIKES

Explore Waimea Valley's hidden trails and scenic wonders with a Native Hawaiian Cultural Educator. Price includes admission to Waimea Valley.

**KAMANA IKI TRAIL:** 3 miles. Moderate. \$40.

**KAMANA NUI TRAIL:** Native flora and fauna. Ridge to valley. 6.5 miles. Strenuous. \$75.

## MONTHLY HIKES

**SEPTEMBER 6 – LULUMAHU FALLS AND KING KAMEHAMEHA III SUMMER HOME**  
4 Miles – Moderate, Valley, Nuuanu. This hike starts near Old Pali Road and ends at the base of

Lulumahu Falls. It's a fairly level hike with 4 stream crossings which requires some rock hopping. Visit King Kamehameha's Summer Home ruins afterwards. Sierra Club: [mhyosh@gmail.com](mailto:mhyosh@gmail.com).

### SEPTEMBER 7

#### KAHANA DITCH TRAIL

8 Miles – Intermediate, Valley, Waikane. Explore the depths of Kahana Valley back to the tunnels and gauging stations. Pause at the helipad to appreciate all the hard work that has been done to restore this important trail. HTMC: 674-1459.

### SEPTEMBER 7

#### PHOTOGRAPHY HIKE

3 Miles – Easy, Countour, Tantalus. Native plants are the highlight on this trail, with scenic views of Manoa and Nuuanu Valley. Sierra Club. 227-9925. [clydekobashigawa@clearwire.net](mailto:clydekobashigawa@clearwire.net).

### SEPTEMBER 13

#### KAWAEWAE HIKE

2.7 Miles – Intermediate, Ridge, Kaneohe. The route starts in the Friendship Gardens in Kane'ohe, but quickly moves beyond the "novice" category. The views are great, and provide a different perspective on Kane'ohe and the bay. HTMC: 729-3811, [turner@ghawaii.edu](mailto:turner@ghawaii.edu).

### SEPTEMBER 14

#### WAIMANO RIDGE HIKE

15 Miles – Strenuous, Ridge,+/- 1700' elevation gain. Pearl City. Don't be put off by the mileage. A combination of irrigation ditch access and CCC trail, this trail is nicely graded and leads to an awesome lookout over the Windward side. Sierra Club: 753-0528. [gsinclair@gmail.com](mailto:gsinclair@gmail.com).

### SEPTEMBER 21

#### KEALIA HIKE

9 Miles – Intermediate/Foothill/North Shore. Switchback up the pali, but at the top are numerous possible routes. Whichever one we take this year, count on some road walking, trail hiking, good views, and plenty of ups and downs.. HTMC: [fred-boll@htmcclub.org](mailto:fred-boll@htmcclub.org).

### SEPTEMBER 27

#### NU'UANU

4 Miles – Intermediate/Valley/Foothill. This trail within trails combines a steep stretch with a level contour through an airy forest for an good workout. HTMC: [laura.owens@htmcclub.org](mailto:laura.owens@htmcclub.org).

For more information on hikes visit:

**Hawaiian Trail & Mountain Club (HTMC)**  
[htmcclub.org](http://htmcclub.org)

**Hawaii Nature Center (HNC)**  
[hawaiinaturecenter.org](http://hawaiinaturecenter.org)

**Hawaii Trail and Access System**  
[hawaiitrails.org](http://hawaiitrails.org)

**Hiking Hawaii**  
[hikinghawaii808.com](http://hikinghawaii808.com)

**Sierra Club**  
[hi.sierraclub.org/oahu/outings.htm](http://hi.sierraclub.org/oahu/outings.htm)

**Unreal Hawaii**  
[unrealhawaii.com/hikes](http://unrealhawaii.com/hikes)

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### SEPTEMBER 20

#### ALOHA FESTIVALS WAIKIKI HO'OLAULE'A

Thousands of people will take to the streets along Kalaniana'olaha Avenue for food, fun and entertainment. There will be multiple stages and various Hawaiian music and hula performances, Hawaiian crafts and flower leis and plenty of food featured throughout the event. 7 – 10 p.m. alohafestivals.com.

### SEPTEMBER 20

#### 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.

### SEPTEMBER 21

#### NA WAHINE O KE KAI

Head down to the beach fronting the Hilton Hawaiian Village to catch the end of the Molokai to Oahu canoe race as close to 100 teams from around the world cross the Kaiwi Channel in this 36th annual women's event. Good luck to all of the readers who will be competing this year. nawahineokekai.com.

### SEPTEMBER 24 • ROCK AND ROLL HALL OF FAMER MAVIS STAPLES

Mavis Staples, one of the most iconic voices in rock and roll, and founding member of the Staples Sisters, comes to town for one show only. Don't miss this Grammy® Lifetime Achievement Award winner in concert at the Hawaii Theatre. 7:30 p.m. Ticket prices are \$35-\$65. 528-0506 or hawaii theatre.com.

### SEPTEMBER 26

#### EAT THE STREET

Food trucks galore take over the lot directly mauka of Waterfront Towers from 4 - 9 p.m. for this monthly food frenzy. 555 South Street. streetgrindz.com.

### SEPTEMBER 27

#### ALOHA FESTIVALS FLORAL PARADE

The 68th annual parade will start at Ala Moana Park and head to Kapi'olani Park with plenty of horses, pau riders, lovely floats filled with cascades of flowers, Hawaiian music, hula dancers and marching bands. 9 a.m. – noon. alohafestivals.com.

### SEPTEMBER 27

#### KATT WILLIAMS

Last year, stand-up comedian Katt Williams held his first performance in Hawaii and the show quickly sold out. He is bringing his outrageous brand of comedy back to the islands for an encore. Blaisdell Arena. 8 p.m. Tickets: \$45-\$150. ticketmaster.com or 800-745-3000.

### SEPTEMBER 28

#### 5TH ANNUAL RICE FEST

This unique one day event will be packed with family fun, entertainment, food booths, activities, SPAM Musubi eating contest, rice products and much more including trying to break the Guinness World Record™ for Largest SPAM® Musubi. Ward Centers. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. ricefest.com.

### SEPTEMBER 28

#### AMERICA IN CONCERT

For over 40 years, classic-rock band America has been rocking America – and the world – with such classic hits as "A Horse With No Name," "Ventura Highway," "Sister Golden Hair," and "You Can Do Magic." One night only. Blaisdell Concert Hall. 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$49 - \$69. ticketmaster.com or 800-745-3000.



In honor of reaching this milestone, Diamond Head Theatre held a their first ever concierge event, a special sneak peek of their upcoming 100th anniversary season. Attendees were treated to song selections of each of the upcoming musicals as well as a special performance by Artistic Director John Rampage, who rarely sings onstage anymore. Don't miss this groundbreaking season of Hawaii's oldest performing arts center. Show times and schedules are online at [diamondheadtheatre.com](http://diamondheadtheatre.com).



# That's Entertainment

## HOTELS

- HALE KOA HOTEL** 955-0555  
 •**TuSat** - High and Right Comedy Show takes the stage at the Warriors Lounge at 8pm.  
 •**MThFS** - Poolside music at the Barefoot Bar. 6-11pm
- HALEKULANI HOTEL** 923-2311  
 •**Daily**-Hawaiian Music and hula at The House Without A Key from 5:30-8:00pm.  
 •**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 (formerly the King's Jubilee), 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.  
 •**Daily** - Live entertainment at the Hau Tree Bar and the Tapa Bar from 8-11pm.
- THE KAHALA HOTEL** 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**- Local jazz guitarists plays live 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. 6-9pm.  
 •**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.
- IOLANI PALACE** 522-0832  
 •**Mon-Sat**-45 minutes docent-led or self-guided audio tours available in English or Japanese. Japanese-led tour is available only at 11:30 a.m. All tours include re-tour video and entrance into the Palace Galleries. Adults: \$14.75-\$21.75 / Keiki (5-12): \$6. 9am-5pm  
 •**Sat**-Hawaiian Quilt Classes. Old Archives 9:30a-12p.
- LUCORAL MUSEUM** 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  
 •**Tue-Sat**-Learn about the dramatic story of cultural change in 19th-century Hawai'i. Docents lead tours through the oldest existing frame house in the Islands, Printing Office, and the coral block Chamberlain House. Reservations required. www.missionhouses.org
- PACIFIC AVIATION MUSEUM** 441-1000  
 •**Daily**-Vintage aircraft in battlefield hangars. 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 www.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.nambp.org.

## SHOPPING CENTERS

- ALA MOANA CENTERSTAGE** 955-9517  
 •**Tues** - PCC Polynesian Revue Show. 6pm.  
 •**Sun** - Keiki Hula Show. 10-11am.
- KING'S 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  
 • **TWThF**- Beginner Ukelele 10-11am, *Helumoa Hale*  
 • **MW**- Learn Lomilomi 11am-12pm, Bldg. C, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
 • **MF**- Hawaiian Storytelling 12pm, *Helumoa Hale*  
 • **TTh**- Intermediate Ukulele 11:30am, Bldg. C, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
 • **TTh**-Hula (T) 11am-12pm (Th) 4-5pm, *Royal Grove*  
 • **TWThF**- Live Hawaiian music 6-7pm, *Royal Grove*  
 • **MTWThSat**- Lei making 1-2pm, *Bldg A, 1st floor*  
 • **Sat**- Hula Kahiko 6-6:30pm, *Royal Grove*  
 • **Sat**- Hawaiian musicians 7:30-8:30pm, *Royal Grove*  
 • **WSat** - PCC Performs. 11-11:45am, *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

Aulani cast members check out Keana Farms Zipline in Kahuku



Aulani Concierge Wako Mimura, Aina Kam, and Sharilyn Kazunaga get dressed to check out Oahu's first legitimate zip line... Keana Farms Zipline, by Climbworks in Kahuku. Happy to report all found it safe and fun!



Also checking out the FAM at Oahu's latest attraction were Aulani's Pua Valdez, John Delos Reyes, Moli Mapu, Matt Ragudo, and Alex Quizon. Everyone reported back that they enjoyed it thoroughly.

Do you have a picture you would like us to run?  
 Send them to: publisher@oahuconciierge.com

Welcome back Gail Omura!



Friends gathered to celebrate HGVC's Gail Omura surviving cancer! Shown here Pam, Pleasant's Kelly O' Sullivan, Gail, Hilton's La Roy Richardson, Ocean House GM David Nagaishi, HGVCs Karen Sundstrom and Kelly's mom.

**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.

**Hy's 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

**Royal Hawaiian Center** - get your FREE Malama Card which offers special retail and dining discounts to local Waikiki workers. Royal Hawaiian Center, 2201 Kalakaua. 922-2299.

**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

**The Contemporary Museum** - 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 Prime Rib Poke with any purchase! One per table. OahuconPOKE. ASTON Waikiki Beach. 923-8454

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

**HELP us update this card for 2014. If you know of an offer not being honored let us know. As management changes, sometimes offers can get lost. Also as we work on updating this, let us know if there is something you would like to see here & we'll see what we can do!**

You may be required to provide identification. One special per person per business. Offers valid on regular-priced merchandise only. Discounts are available to Guest Service Professionals ONLY. Not valid with other promotions or special offers. A minimum 15% gratuity required for all special food offers.  New offer

## Activity Concierge of the Month



NAME: **Aiko Storm**  
HOTEL: **Sheraton Waikiki**  
TITLE: **Tour & Activity Consultant**

- Q. How long have you been at the Sheraton Waikiki?**  
A. I've been with Starwood Hotels a little over two years. I do mostly work out of Sheraton Waikiki as Concierge & Activity Consultant but also work at Travel Desk of Moana Surfrider as well.
- Q. How big is your team there?**  
A. We have fabulous Director, two Supervisors, ten Activity Concierge and three Dining Reservationists.
- Q. How did you come to work in the hotel industry?**  
A. I've always enjoyed sharing Ho'okipa and Spirit of Aloha. Concierge was "the job" for me.
- Q. What do you think makes your property unique?**  
A. We are the only resort on the Fabled North Shore of Oahu (Surf Capital of the World).
- Q. What's your favorite part of the job?**  
A. Meeting people from around the world and help create the memories of their life time!
- Q. What do you think makes your property unique?**  
A. Us! The workers. ;) We take pride in working in one of the best hotels in Waikiki. We always work as a team and inform each other. Thanks to all of my Sheraton Waikiki Team, Royal, Moana and PK Concierge!!
- Q. How has the job changed since you started?**  
A. It is constantly changing job. But I always try to keep up with new information by going to events and walking around myself.
- Q. What has been your biggest challenge at the desk?**  
A. When restaurants are full or bad weather, things that out of our control.
- Q. What's the one skill that every concierge must have?**  
A. Multi-tasking! (Which I need to practice more) ☺
- Q. Do you have one particular guest that stands out?**  
A. My first guest! Mr. John Cole. He asked me where was Denny's. I gave him directions and the quickest way to get there. He came by every day to thank me.
- Q. What's the most bizarre question you've been asked?**  
A. Is Starbucks started from Hawaii? Their logo is "Pele" right? (A: Started in Seattle, logo is a 16th century Norse woodcut of a twin-tailed mermaid, or Siren)
- Q. What do you find is the biggest perk of this industry?**  
A. I love the "Every day is the new day" Meet new people, find different information and learning new things every day gets me excited!
- Q. What's the one activity most of your guests do here?**  
A. Pearl Harbor / Arizona Memorial
- Q. What is your favorite off-property restaurant to recommend?**  
A. Azure / Ocean House / 53 by the Sea
- Q. What's your favorite activity to recommend?**  
A. PCC and Dolphin Snorkel at Ko'olina.
- Q. Where do you see yourself in 5 years?**  
A. Here at Starwood Hotels but with better and even more knowledge.
- Q. What do you like to do when you're not working?**  
A. Simply play tourist! ☺ Hiking, Snorkeling and I love dining out. This job gives me an excuse to drag my husband out to explore new (or long-established) restaurants!
- Q. Any other thoughts you'd like to share?**  
A. I am so grateful working with you all. I am humbled to receive the honor. I am here because of support of the team.



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