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Hawai'i State Art Museum

While cities like Berkeley, Santa Fe and New York City may come to mind when thinking about the arts, Honolulu ranks high on lists of most artistic medium-sized cities in the United States, and as high as third on Art Bistro's ranking of funding for the arts.

Hawaii became the first state to adopt a "Percent for Art" law in 1967, mandating that 1 percent of construction appropriations for state buildings must be set aside for art, setting a national standard for support of the arts in public places.

In the following decades, the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts amassed more than 5,000

pieces that became nomads, given temporary housing within state buildings and public spaces, with no permanent home of their own.

That changed in 2002, when the art pieces finally found a home in the heart of Honolulu's business district. Many of the works can now be viewed on a rotating basis at the Hawaii State Art Museum (HiSAM), across the street from the State Capitol Building.

The site has a story of its own, as the location of one of Hawaii's first hotels, opened in 1872 after American politicians in King Kamehameha V's cabinet convinced the legislature to fund the lodging space. The hotel was converted to a YMCA in 1917 and used by the military in World War I. The original building was torn down in 1926, replaced by the Spanish mission style building that now houses two main second-floor galleries, one dedicated to contemporary artists and one capturing a visual history of Hawaii.



"Mr. Chickenpants" by May Izumi is a maquette for a commissioned work set to be installed in the HiSAM Sculpture Garden this summer. Photo credit Nadine Kam

Here, visitors are witness to a timeline that shows how Hawaii's isolation led artists to express the feeling of distance through works that are original and self-reverential. Continuous waves of immigrants added elements of their own rich cultures to the unique palette.

Included in the state's collection are strong graphic, fresco-style oils by Juliette May Fraser and Jean Charlot, completed in Hawaii of the 1950s, when mainland artists were discovering Hawaii for the first time with the growth of air travel. There are also striking black-and-white portraits of Hawaiians by Franco Salmoiraghi and Francis Haar, as well as works

by the Metcalf Chateau, a small cadre of post-war Japanese-American artists who traveled to New York City in the 1950s, contributing to the American abstract expressionist movement. They include Isami Doi, Tadashi Sato, Satoru Abe and Tetsuo Ochikubo, among others.

The artists' powerful language will resonate with anyone curious about Hawaii's history, visually captured through a timeline that starts with vibrant red lava flows, depictions of the arrival of the isles' first Polynesian inhabitants and subsequent explorers, the cultural influences of immigration, a reawakening of the Hawaiian spirit in the 1970s, and contemporary graphic expressions reflecting a unique melting pot culture.

That immigration of people from throughout Asia and the Pacific plays heavily into the artistic diversity on view as people who arrived from other places, speaking

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Empty Bowls can fill empty bellies



A bowl of soup offers nourishment for body and soul, but on April 12, that bowl of soup will do much more.

Hundreds of hands, literally, have gone into making the return of Empty Bowl Hawaii into a success. Members of the Hawaii Potters Guild, which launched the project a decade ago, have spent months shaping clay bowls, glazing and firing the vessels that will be offered up for sale and filled with soup and other tasty bites during the fundraiser that helps to raise awareness of the plight of the hungry and their unfilled bowls.

The event will benefit Aloha Harvest, a nonprofit organization that rescues excess, quality, donated food from restaurants and other food purveyors and delivers it free of

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Publisher's Letter



we've been Hacked!

We've been hearing about them in the news a lot lately. Russian trolls. Well, I'm here to tell you, they really do exist. And apparently, they are interested in talking to all of you. Last month I received a series of email messages from Instagram. Someone tried to log into your account using the wrong password was that you? Click here if not. We got a request to reset your Instagram password. Was that you? If you didn't request a password reset let us know. And then, the email on your Instagram was changed, if you didn't change your email, revert the change. Plenty of opportunities to tell them it wasn't me. The problem was all of this happened between 2 and 3 in the morning, and I was asleep. By the time I woke up and saw the messages and clicked on them, it was too late. The link went to a page that was no longer available. The @OahuConcierge Instagram had been taken over by someone with an email ending in .ru, a domain used in Russia. The name has been changed and some random chicks picture has been uploaded. The account is linked to our Facebook, so if they post anything, it could show up there, so apologies in advance if they do. However, a quick Google search tells me although this has become a more and more common, they rarely post anything once they take over the account, so let's hope that's the case here. Because the password, phone number, and email address were all changed, it's virtually impossible to follow Instagrams help topics to report the account, and it has turned into a extremely difficult and frustrating process to regain access, and clearly the emails are being handled by an automated system, as I am getting auto-replies to all of my inquiries that direct me to their normal recovery options, which again, are no longer valid given everything has been changed. I am not giving up, and will continue to reach out to Instagram to try to get my account back. There is no reason to think that any the people that follow that account are in jeopardy in any way. But, to be safe, please do not like, comment or interact with my account. You can very easily see if I have it back. The first thing I will do is change the account name back to @oahuconcierge. For now, if you look at the page, the name that is listed there is @walkeroty_7_hoyt. I will post on FB, Twitter and Instagram that I have regained access to my own account. If it isn't one thing.....

Yada Yada



Rissa Williams

Rissa Williams has been named *The Ritz-Carlton Residences, Waikiki Beach* Director of Residences. She is responsible for managing relations for the more than 500 owners from as far as Japan, China, Canada, Korea, and the U.S.A. Williams was born in Athens, Greece and lived around the world before moving to

Hawaii. She brings with her over 25 years international hospitality experience. • *The Prince Waikiki* recently welcomed **Mei Jiajun Kang** to their front desk team. • Also new to the team? **Victoria Ulimo**, who just joined *VIVE Honolulu* as the concierge desk. • **Jacob Keanaaina** has been hired by the *Hyatt Centric Waikiki Beach* as their Associate Director of Sales. • Last but not least, **Mai Huynh** oinhas joined the front office cast at the *Aulani, a Disney Resort & Spa*.

HAWAII ♥ SPAM

Hawaii's obsession with that pink gelatinous canned meat product is well known, so it is no surprise that the Waikiki SPAM JAM® Festival is one of the biggest street fests in Waikiki. Visitors and local residents gather to enjoy a variety of live musical entertainment, creative dishes featuring SPAM® products, a variety of local retailers and special SPAM® branded merchandise, including their annual custom collectible t-shirt that nearly always sells out.

Kalakaua Avenue is closed to car traffic for the event, and three entertainment stages are set up on the street. Between the stages, several of Honolulu's finest restaurants will be serving up SPAM® in many different ways, so you can experience the enormous variety of its applications.

The 17th annual event takes place on Saturday, April 27th from 4 – 10 p.m. as nearly 30,000 people descend onto Kalakaua Avenue to enjoy the festivities, and taste some of the delectable ways some of our top restaurants prepare Hawaii's favorite food item. We're not talking your run-of-the-mill musubi here either, although I'm sure those will be around somewhere. No, chefs take this opportunity to get as creative as they can. Like a Spam Popsicle from OnoPops, or Kimo's famous Hula Pie with Candied Spam from Duke's. Stripsteak will offer up some Spam Nachos, while Noi Thai offers Spam Pineapple Fried Rice, and Atlantis Steak & Seafood will create a Spam Lau Lau. In all, twenty restaurants will set up booths along Kalakaua Avenue selling their Spamalicious dishes for all to try.

In between tasting as many creative renditions of Spam-tastic food dishes you can eat, merchandise tents will be selling SPAM®-themed items and a variety of Hawaiian craft



Over 30,000 people are expected on Kalakaua



Hawaiian though. Hawaii's own Kings of Spade will be rocking Kalakaua at one point of the evening, and trust me, you don't want to miss them.

New this year will be a Spam Musubi contest (see I knew they would be there) with local celebrities on the Alaska Airlines/L&L stage around 6 p.m. Chinese Lion dancers will kick off the festivities when the festival opens at 4 p.m. Hormel, known for coming out with a variety of Spam flavors (Jalapeño anyone?) will offer complimentary tastings of their latest product, SPAM® patties.

Although the party is huge, traffic will be disrupted for the majority of the day, so please plan accordingly. Lane closures will begin at 12:30 p.m. when two lanes will be closed for setup. The event will close Kalakaua Avenue, all traffic lanes/sidewalk areas, from Seaside Ave. to Liliuokalani Ave. from 1:30 p.m. and will not reopen until midnight. Aside from being a fun celebration of all thing SPAM®, the event stands for a greater purpose. Last year alone, the Festival raised over \$25,000 in donations and 2,000 pounds of food, enough to provide 60,000 meals in Hawaii. The Hawaii Foodbank, Waikiki Community Center, and the Visitor Aloha Society of Hawaii will benefit from monies raised from this celebration.

A complete list of performers, vendors, restaurants and menu items will be available on their website once they're confirmed. Be sure to log onto SpamJamHawaii.com for all of the details of the evening, and get your Spam on!

EXTRA EXTRA EXTRA Newsflash

DUKE'S OPENS SURF SHOP

Duke's Waikiki opened an official Duke's branded Surf Shop, next-door to the restaurants entrance. The Shop will continue to feature traditional Duke's branded apparel, but also showcase more water sportswear such as rash guards, board shorts and ladies active wear. Additional items available for purchase include surf wax, sunscreen, jewelry, aloha attire, Turkish towels, Duke's branded Hydro Flasks® and the brand's iconic aloha shirt print. Duke's Surf Shop is open daily from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. For details visit dukeswaikiki.com.

WAIKELE PREMIUM OUTLETS LAUNCHES AIRPORT SHUTTLE

Waikale Premium Outlets announced the launch of a new shuttle service airport and the Outlet Center. Travelers arriving at the airport will now have the option to head to the outlets before being shuttled to their hotel in Waikiki, with the option to add passage from their hotel back to the airport at the end of their stay. Designed for those flights that arrive in the early morning, the goal of this service is to allow vacationers something to do rather than wait to check in. Shuttles depart the airport outside the FIT exit at 8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m., and leave Waikale at noon and 2 p.m. \$40. premiumoutlets.com/waikale

FORBES FOCUS ON FIVE-STAR LIST

Forbes recently unveiled its annual Star Rating list, naming the Trump International Hotel Waikiki as one of the recipients of the 2019 Forbes Travel Guide Five-Star Hotel Award, maintaining its place as the only Forbes Travel Guide Five-Star Hotel on the island of Oahu. In fact, there are only six Five-Star business in the state. The Four Season on Maui, Lanai and the Big Island made the list as did the Montage Kapalua Bay. Here on Oahu there are two, Trump, and the other being given to La Mer.

KUALOA RANCH ADDS TOURS AND ADJUST PRICES

Kualoa Ranch has added 5 new tours options to their menu, including a new UTV route, and tour, adding a family-friendly option for those 5 years of age and older. They have also added a later return transfer so your guests can stay and play a bit longer. Most importantly, remember that Kualoa will be raising their prices on April 1st. Be sure to update prices on your side to avoid confusion. kualoaranch.com.

CONVENTION CENTER OFFERS NEW ROOM FOR NEW MOMS

The Hawaii Convention Center (HCC) now offers a private, comfortable and clean space to pump or nurse. Look for the nursing pod located at the Lobby Level near Exhibit Hall 1. HCC's ADA compliant Mamava lactation pod is spacious, secure and offers seating, dual outlets and USB ports. meethawaii.com.

JTB INTRODUCES ELECTRIC POWERED BUS FLEET

JTB Hawai'i is introducing three full-size electric-powered buses to operate through Waikiki and Honolulu in JTB's efforts of working towards a sustainable tourism business model. Each air-conditioned bus carries up to 77 passengers, can reach a top speed of 65 mph, and can travel for 250 miles on a single charge. The buses fully charge in three hours and 30 minutes. Each bus features a unique, colorful exterior wrap inspired by Hawai'i keiki through Blue Planet Foundation's "Driving Forward" Art Challenge program. jtb-hawaii.com.

THE DINNER DETECTIVE COMES TO HONOLULU

The largest award-winning, interactive comedic murder mystery dinner show is coming to the Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Alana Waikiki every Saturday night, beginning April 27th, from 6 - 9 p.m. The culprit is hiding among you, and it's your job to figure out whodunit before dinner is over. \$69.95 includes the full murder mystery experience, a four-course dinner with choice of entree, gratuity, and prizes for the top sleuth. For \$19.95 more you can designate a someone in your party as a prime suspect without their knowledge. thedinnerdetective.com/honolulu.



FREE Cultural Activities

TRADITIONAL HULA
Ka Lei Hula "The Adorned Dance"
FRIDAYS, 4-5PM

Ka Lei Hula is a traditional Hawaiian dance program that focuses on the philosophical approach of human interactions. The Hula is utilized to engage with the participant in a sequence of carefully orchestrated practices. The program begins with an oli (a Hawaiian chant of prayer and welcoming). This is followed by stretching and breathing exercises, learning five basic hula steps along with its history, and a Hawaiian song while implementing it with dance.

HAWAIIAN STAMPING
'Ohe Ka Pala - **MONDAYS, 4-5PM**

'**Ohe Ka Pala** is the traditional Hawaiian art of stamping. These printing techniques were used on tapa (mulberry paper) by ancient Hawaiians. Bamboo carved motif designs and symbols are lined with paint and imprinted on luggage tags and/or book markers. Participants will be able to craft their own keepsakes. The history of Hawaiian stamping and the symbolic meaning behind each pattern are shared with the participants. Keepsake free. Other options available at nominal fee.

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April happens to be National Distracted Driving Month, so please alert your guests that it is illegal in the City & County of Honolulu to operate a hand-held electronic device, aka their cell phone, when operating a vehicle. Ok, now that I'm done with my PSA and your guests are no longer distracted in their rental cars, let's distract them from that Mai Tai in your lobby bar for some theatrical fun.

If the beach boys on Waikiki beach are just not enough, send your guests down to the **HAWAII THEATRE** on April 9th at 8 p.m. for some Surfin'-Fun-Fun-Fun with *The Beach Boys* for the ultimate "Surfin' USA" concert. The band will be led by original Beach Boy Mike Love, in addition to Bruce Johnson, who joined the band in 1965 replacing Brian Wilson, who wanted to stay home with this family and spend more time in the studio. How many Beach Boys songs can you name? Since 1961's "Surfin'" The Beach Boys have written dozens of hits creating the iconic sounds of the Californian surf scene. Let's see there is "Fun, Fun, Fun," "California Girls," "Good Vibrations," "I Get Around," "Wouldn't It Be Nice," "Help Me Rhonda," "Barbara Ann," "Kokomo," and.... I give up! Can you tell me what I missed? Tickets are \$100 - \$150 plus ticket fees. There is also a special VIP dinner-concert package by Chef Kevin Lee from PAI for \$500 with proceeds going to the Hawaii Theatre Center. Seating is very limited for this dinner. For more details call the box office at 528-0506. Tickets can be purchased online at hawaii theatre.com.

Now if the California surf scene isn't to your guest's liking, what about the idea of seeing hula at San Quentin Prison? Halau Na Lei Hulu I Ka Wekiu can do just that and more with its production of *I Mua: Hula in Unusual Places* on April 19th and 20th at 7:30 p.m. This epic production, under the direction of Kumu Hula Patrick Makuakane from the Bay Area, will take your guests on a journey from the Black Rock Desert and the San Quentin Prison to New Year City's Time Square and the San Francisco Opera House. Your guests will experience hula in a different way from what they normally would see in Waikiki. Tickets are \$40, \$45, \$50 and \$100 and can be purchase through the normal channels listed above.

April finishes up with a lovely distraction, the 50th Anniversary Concert of Arlo Guthrie's "Alice's Restaurant" on April 27th at 8 p.m. For those of you not familiar with the Arlo Guthrie, he is an American folk singer and songwriter. His father Woody Guthrie wrote

"This Land is Your Land" and is considered one of the most significant figures in American folk music. Arlo is best known for writing ballads that tell a story and those stories, like in his debut work, "Alice's Restaurant Massacre" deal with political protest and social justice. The 18-minute song is a protest of the Vietnam War draft and based on Arlo's own experiences. In this comical tune, the songwriter is arrested for dumping trash, which ultimately aids in him being rejected from the draft because he has a criminal record. The song was also adapted as film in 1969 with Guthrie playing himself. Subsequently the hit song has become Arlo's signature work and was recently selected by the National Recording Registry of the Library of Congress to be preserved for its historical significance. Tickets for this one-night concert are \$58, \$78, \$88 and can be purchased through hawaii theatre.com.

Clearly the marquee of the Hawaii Theatre has distracted me a lot this month from other arts organizations, so I feel at this time I should show some love to **THE ACTORS' GROUP**, or **TAG** as we all know it, at Dole Cannery. On April 27th TAG presents Pulitzer Prize winner playwright Lynn Nottage's play entitled *Sweat* which not only won the Pulitzer, but also the Obie Award, and a Tony and Drama Desk nomination for best play. The story follows a group of friends and their children who work for a steel plant in a blue-collar Pennsylvania town where friendship is tested when one friend, Cynthia, is promoted to management and the other, Tracy, is not and accuses the plant for hiring Cynthia only on the basis that she is black. The play is set in 2000 and 2008, the former was a time when the stock market dropped and Reading, Pennsylvania was 10 billion dollars in debt. As a direct result the steel plant is forced to ask workers to take a 60% pay cut or lose their jobs. Cynthia is blamed by her friends for the cuts at the plant and ask her to join the fight against management, which she refuses to do. As you can guess tensions rise and something tragic happens. If you want to know, you'll need to send some of your guests to the show. The production runs April 12 to May 5th Thursday through Saturday at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$30 for adults, \$25 for seniors and \$20 for students and military. For tickets, call 722-6941 or visit taghawaii.net.

Please support our local theatres as much as you can. I know it's a tough sell, when most of your guests want to be outdoors and those few who aren't, they only want to shop. Most of these theatres sell alcohol, at decidedly cheaper prices than your hotels, so that might be the hook.

~ Lance Rae

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1| NEW 6PM RETURN TRANSFER

Kualoa has recently started a 6pm daily transfer return so now you can book all of the afternoon activities... UTVs, ATVs, Horseback, Movie Tours, etc. Combine this late return with the mid-day pickup for a whole lot more selling options.

There's even 40 more Kualoa Experience packages available daily in the afternoon.

4| NEW 1-HOUR ELECTRIC BIKE TOURS

Ready for sale... a new eco-friendly option for those who want a way to experience our beautiful Ka'a'awa "Jurassic" Valley up close and personal with nature. The 2 hour tour will go into Hakipu'u Valley on the new bike trails and the 1 hour tour will go into Ka'a'awa Valley.

6| NEW PRICES START APRIL 1st

Starting April 1st, Kualoa tour prices will be increasing. Please be sure that your rates are updated to avoid any confusion.

8| CELEB SCENE

Recent visitors have included the entire Obama entourage... with the President, Michelle and the kids, David Spade, Zoe Kravitz, Adam Sandler... and don't forget to checkout the new Triple Frontier NETFLIX film which was filmed here at the ranch.



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Empty Bowls

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charge to social service agencies helping to feed the hungry in Hawaii. Since 1999, the organization has rescued more than 21 million pounds of edible food that would have become waste.

The public is invited to help by purchasing one of the handcrafted ceramic bowls made for the event, inspired by a Michigan fundraiser that started in 1990, itself modeled after a Michigan high school project during which art students made ceramic bowls, served a meal of soup and bread, and invited guests to keep the bowl as a reminder of hunger in the world.

Locally, there will be more than 3,000 bowls to choose from during the event taking place at Dole Cannery's Pomaika'i Ballroom, which is expected to draw more than 2000 people. More than 35 HPG potters were tasked with the challenge of making 50 or more bowls, each, for the event. Other participating organizations are the Friends of Ala Was Art Center, Honolulu Museum of Art, and University of Hawaii at Manoa.

Bowls made by Hawaii high school students will be showcased in a special area for those who wish to support the next generation of potters. Public and private schools participating in the event are Iolani, Kamehameha, La Pietra-Hawaii School for Girls, Mid-Pacific Institute, Moanalua High, Punahou, Roosevelt, and Sacred Hearts Academy.

Along with the artisan bowls that go home with attendees as a memento of the event, purchasers will receive tickets to redeem for a diverse selection of soup made by some of Honolulu's top chefs, plus bread and other small bites from food stations.

Guests will also be able to enjoy live music by Coyne Street and try their luck at a silent auction that will include signature artworks by HPG potters.

~Nadine Kam

Empty Bowl Hawaii • Where: Dole Cannery is at 735 Iwilei Road • **When:** VIP and sponsor early entry from 5 to 6 p.m., general admission 6 to 8:30 p.m. April 12 • **Tickets:** \$40 advance (on or before April 11) includes three food tickets, bread and bowl; \$45 general at the door; \$85 VIP includes five food tickets, two drink tickets, bread and bowl. emptybowlhawaii.org

Rick Bayless is Hawaii Food & Wine Festival's Culinary Hero

The Hawaii Food and Wine Festival has announced that seven-time James Beard Awardee and the winner of season one of Bravo's *Top Chef Masters*, chef Rick Bayless, as its second Culinary Hero. Bayless was a pioneer in introducing traditional Mexican cuisine to a Tex-Mex-eating America in the 1980s, and has achieved national and international acclaim in the culinary world ever since with numerous restaurant concepts including Frontera Grill, a hit television series, *Mexico: One Plate at a Time*, and has been bestowed with the Mexican Order of the Aztec Eagle, the highest decoration given to

What are you going to eat? Here is a list of participating restaurants and the soup or bread they'll be offering at the event:

Basalt: Hamakua mushroom barley soup

Cafe Kaila: Chicken tortilla soup

Duke's Waikiki: Roasted tomato bisque with garlic-spiked croutons

Eat Honolulu: Coconut curry carrot soup with sweet garlic-pickled carrot garnish

Koko Head Cafe: Vegan tomato lemongrass bisque, with mac-nut cream

La Tour Bakehouse: Lentil and bacon soup with artisan rolls

Murphy's Bar and Grill: Black-eyed pea and ham soup

MW: Kauai shrimp bisque

Nosh: Brazilian cheese bread

The Nook: Miso fish chowder with taro, and limu broth

PAI Honolulu: Chilled spiced carrot soup, with sourdough croutons and curry leaf

The Pig and the Lady: Pork, mung bean soup

Pomaika'i Ballrooms: Roasted eggplant, chicken soup

Tiki's Grill: African chicken peanut soup, island moringa

Zippy's & Pili Group by chef Mark Noguchi: Local-style saimin

foreigners whose work has benefitted Mexico and its people.

Bayless will be in town later this month for two special events. The five-course wine paired Culinary Hero dinner will be held on April 25th at Ka 'Ikena Laua'e at KCC for \$350 per person. Bayless will also be a part of the grand tasting launch party event, No Borders, on April 26th, where guests can experience his Mexican flavors, as well as dishes by nine of Hawaii's best chefs who will craft dishes inspired by the traditional cuisines of their own heritage and a fireworks finale. \$150. To purchase seats, please visit HFWF.me. ~ Pam



"Wheel No. 5" a copper and bronze sculpture by Metcalf Chateau artist Satoru Abe is one of the works on display at HiSAM. Photo: Frank Sojka.

different languages, had to learn other ways to communicate their emotions, thus inventing a visual language understood by those growing up here.

This need for expression might also explain the prevalence of working artists in the state. Hawaii ranked No. 6 among states on the National Endowment for the Arts 2005 report—the only time the study was made—of artists per percentage of the population, at 84.1 artists per 10,000 people. Topped ranked New York had 101.1 artists per 10,000 people.

Recently, the Friends of HiSAM, a nonprofit group focused on promoting the museum and the arts in Hawaii, launched the HiSAM Top Picks Project which involved asking 10 local art connoisseurs to select their personal top 25 picks from the 6,000-plus works from the SFCA Collection of Relocatable works (vs. commissioned permanent installations) to bring greater attention to the museum and raise awareness of the importance of visual artists in Hawaii's history.

The Friends are now inviting the public to weigh in on which of their picks are favorites. Visit friendsofhisam.org to cast a vote for your favorite piece. Voting is open through June 30, 2019.

Here's what's currently on display at the museum:

"Emphasized: Eye on Scale": Exploration of the ways artists play with scale, and how this affects the viewer's responses and understanding. Second floor Diamond Head gallery.

"Hawai'i": Change & Continuity: Examination of the overlapping influences of nature and human impact on a fragile environment. Second floor 'Ewa gallery. Through June 8, 2019.

"State of Art: New Work": Engage with a selection of recent additions to the collection from across the Hawaiian Islands. The 31 works acquired from 18 exhibitions offer an insight into current trends and themes in the local arts scene and provides an opportunity to see the diversity of works being created in Hawaii today. Second floor Diamond Head gallery. Through "Young Artists of Hawai'i": An annual student art exhibition recognizing creative excellence among Hawaii's public and private school students from Kindergarten through sixth grade. A panel of distinguished judges select 96 works for exhibition from school submissions. Opens May 3, continuing through June 28, 2019.



"Ko Ke Kumulipo (The Drummer)" oil on canvas by Jean Charlot is one of the works up for vote as public favorite in the HiSAM Top Picks Project. It is not currently on display at the museum. Photo credit Paul Kodama

Events

April 5: First Friday, when the museum is open from 6 to 9 p.m. for an evening of live music, refreshments and special exhibitions. There will be a fashion show featuring Honolulu Biennial and Hawaii Craftsman artists, an art demonstration by Gaye Chan and HiSAM Gallery Museum Shop x MORI opening reception for artists from the University of Hawaii at Manoa glass department in collaboration with Japan glass artists. Free admission. Event takes place monthly.

April 6: Slow Art Day with free tour of the museum. Call for time.

April 13: Second Saturday, with free make-and-take project sessions taking place 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. for all ages. Free, monthly.

April 30: Art lunch from noon to 1 p.m. Free "Meet the Artist" lecture takes place the last Tuesday each month. Bring your own lunch or buy one at Artizen Cafe on the premises, operated by MW Restaurant owners Wade Ueoka and Michelle Karr-Ueoka.

~ Nadine Kam

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Chef's Corner

Hyatt Regency's Chef de Cuisine Jae Lee

Chef de Cuisine Jae Lee works alongside Executive Chef Jeff Szombaty to oversee the daily activities at the Hyatt Regency Waikiki's various dining venues, including SHOR, SWIM, and the Buffet at Hyatt. Originally from South Korea, Lee studied at the Korean Food Institute in Seoul and graduated with a degree in Culinary Arts from Massachusetts Newbury College. Lee has over fifteen years of experience, coming to the islands when he was named Sous Chef at the Four Seasons Resort Lanai in 2017.

What is your first childhood food memory?

Kalbi. The first time I ate Kalbi I almost burned my mouth. I couldn't eat it slowly because it was so delicious!

When did you decide you wanted to be a chef?

High school. I enjoyed watching food TV shows when I was in high school. It was a whole new world for me. I wanted to learn more about cooking and life as a chef.

What was your first job in the industry?

Hilton Hotel Back-Bay in Boston, MA.

What was the first dish you made (or tasted) that inspired you to be a chef?

I wanted to cook with fresh seafood and good quality ingredients every time I had the opportunity to.

Who would you consider your mentor and why?

Chef Jerome, who I worked with at the Four Seasons Hotel Boston. I thought he was genius because he always had an answer and always came up with a new and awesome dish. I learned a lot of my cooking skills (and attitude) from him.

How would you describe your style of cooking?

I'd like to say modern cuisine. I think modern society is a mixture of every culture, which is like my style of cooking.

Where are you from originally?

Seoul, South Korea

Does that influence your style of cooking?

Yes, I grew up around Korean food and learned how to cook it the traditional way.

How did you make your way to Hawaii?

Hawaii is my honeymoon spot. It holds one of my best memories. Plus, I always dreamed of living here!

Have you made any changes to the menu since you arrived at the Hyatt Regency?

Yes, I revamped our Swim Ocean Bar & Restaurant menu and events menu as well. I am now working on a new menu for The Buffet at Hyatt.

What are your plans there going forward?

No matter where I am, I will always create tasty food and be the best chef that I can be. I will also always provide quality service to our guests.

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

I love to go out and eat with my family. Choosing a restaurant are both the toughest, but yet happiest affliction.

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

It is hard to choose one, but I enjoy both Tonkatsu Tamafuji and Hamjibak Honolulu.

If you had to stop being a chef tomorrow, what would you do?

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Kalbi Burger



Ingredients:

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 80g Brioche bun | 8g sauté yellow onion |
| 1ea Sunny side up egg | 18g sauté shiitake mushroom |
| 7oz Marinated ground beef | 30g Sliced cabbage |
| 6g Pickled radish | 20g Teriyaki aioli |
| 20g Compressed cucumber | 20g Apple butter |
| 10g sauté carrot | Garnish with chopped parsley |

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MONDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach	924-2233
<i>Cool Surf Vibes</i>	
Danny Galura	5:30-8:30pm
Chart House Waikiki	941-6660
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Camarillo Brothers	6:30-9:30pm
Cheesecake Factory	924-5001
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Christian Yrizarry	7-10pm
Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki	922-2268
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Taz Vegas	4-6pm
Ellsworth Simeona	9:30-12am
Hard Rock Cafe	955-7383
<i>Bluesy Monday</i>	
Danny Wassman	9-11am
Candy Bullets or others	9-11pm
House Without a Key	923-2311
<i>Live Hawaiian & Hula by Jeanne Kapela</i>	
DeLima Ohana	5:30 - 8:30pm
Hula Grill	923-HULA
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Eric Lee	7-9pm
Kani Ka Pila Grille	924-4992
<i>Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians</i>	
Sean Naauao	6-9pm
Ke Olu (4/15, 4/29)	6-9pm
LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel	922-0811
<i>Live Contemporary Acoustic Hits</i>	
Sean Cleland	7-10pm
Lewers Lounge	923-2311
<i>Live Contemporary & Light Jazz</i>	
Tommy James	8:30-12am
Mahina & Sun's	923-8882
<i>Monday Vibes on the Lanai</i>	
City Boys	7-9pm
Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian	923-7311
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer</i>	

Dave Watanabe	8-10 pm
Maui Brewing Company	843-2739
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Christian Yrizarry	3:30-5:30pm
Rumfire	921-4600
<i>Solo Contemporary Guitarist</i>	
Desmond Oliveria	5-8pm
Jeremy Cheng	9:30-11:30pm
Signature Prime Steak	949-3636
<i>Contemporary Pianist in the bar</i>	
Isao Motomochi	6-9pm
Sky Waikiki	979-7590
<i>Live Contemporary</i>	
Yoza	6-9pm
The Edge at the Sheraton	921-4600
<i>Live Hawaiian Music</i>	
Vance Texiera	1-4pm
Pu'uhonua Duo	6:30-9:30pm
Tiki's Grill & Bar	923-TIKI
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
P & L Experience	6-8:30pm
The Kristi Masuhara Band	9-11pm
Tommy Bahama Restaurant	923-8785
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Chris Mercado	6-9pm
Tropics Bar & Grill	949-4321
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Acoustik Playground	2-5pm

<i>Live Contemporary & Light Jazz</i>	
Dan Del Negro & Rocky Holmes	8:30-12am
Mahina & Sun's	923-8882
<i>Hawaiian and R&B Poolside on the Lanai</i>	
Shyne	7-9pm
Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian	923-7311
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer</i>	
Christian Yrizarry Duo	6:30-8:30pm
Mi Almita Cantina	377-6915
<i>Acoustic Folk Rock</i>	
John Helm	6-8:30pm
Maui Brewing Company	843-2739
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Chris Murphy	3:30-5:30pm
Rumfire	921-4600
<i>Solo Contemporary Guitarist</i>	
Mike Tulba	5-8pm
Kai Roots Duo	9:30-11:30pm
Roy's Hawaii Kai	396-7697
<i>Na Hoku Hanohano Award Slack Key Artist</i>	
Stephen Inglis	6:30-9:30pm
BC Band plays the oldies (4/9)	6:30-9:30pm
Signature Prime Steak	949-3636
<i>Contemporary Pianist in the bar</i>	
James Woo	6-9pm
Sky Waikiki	979-7590
<i>Live Contemporary</i>	
John Akapo	6-9pm
SWIM at the Hyatt	923-1234
<i>Live Contemporary Guitarist</i>	
David Watanabe	7:30-9:30pm
The Deck at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel	931-4488
<i>Soul/R&B/Rock/Reggae</i>	
Jeffrey James	5:30-8:30pm
The Edge at the Sheraton	921-4600
<i>Live Hawaiian Music</i>	
Mike Tulba	1-4pm
Brad Kawakami Duo	6:30-9:30pm
Tiki's Grill & Bar	923-TIKI
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
K.B. Riley	5:30-8:30pm
Sani & Friends	9-11pm
Tommy Bahama Restaurant	923-8785
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Alex Oasay	6-9pm
Tropics Bar & Grill	949-4321
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Kailua Bay Buddies	2-5pm

TUESDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach	924-2233
<i>Live Vintage Hawaiian Trip</i>	
The Barefoot Boys feat. Pokii Vaughn	5:30-8:30pm
Chart House Waikiki	941-6660
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Shyne	6:30-9:30pm
Cheesecake Factory	924-5001
<i>Classic Hawaiian</i>	
Ryan Tenney Duo	7-10pm
Ben Kama Duo (4/2)	7-10pm
Denny Ono Duo (4/9)	7-10pm
Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki	922-2268
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Haumea Warrington & Mike Ellsworth Simeona	4-6pm
Hard Rock Cafe	955-7383
<i>Live Contemporary</i>	
Mike Piranha	9-11am
Piranha Brothers	9-11pm
House Without a Key	923-2311
<i>Live Hawaiian & Hula by Brook Lee</i>	
Pa'ahana	5:30 - 8:30pm
Hula Grill	923-HULA
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
David Asing	7-9pm
Kani Ka Pila Grille	924-4992
<i>Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians</i>	
Weldon Kekauoha	6-9pm
LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel	922-0811
<i>Live Contemporary Funk, Jazz, Hip Hop & Reggae</i>	
Lina	7-10pm
Lewers Lounge	923-2311

The Deck at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel	931-4488
<i>Soul/R&B/Rock/Reggae</i>	
Jeffrey James	5:30-8:30pm
The Edge at the Sheraton	921-4600
<i>Live Hawaiian Music</i>	
Mike Tulba	1-4pm
Brad Kawakami Duo	6:30-9:30pm
Tiki's Grill & Bar	923-TIKI
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
K.B. Riley	5:30-8:30pm
Sani & Friends	9-11pm
Tommy Bahama Restaurant	923-8785
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Alex Oasay	6-9pm
Tropics Bar & Grill	949-4321
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Kailua Bay Buddies	2-5pm

WEDNESDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach	924-2233
<i>Hawaiian Melodies</i>	
Kimo Baker	5:30-8:30pm
Bin1901 at the Moana	921-4600
<i>Piano Wine Bar</i>	
Ethan Capone	6:30-9:30pm
Chart House Waikiki	941-6660
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Tito Berinobis & David Kauhikaua	6-10:30pm
Cheesecake Factory	924-5001
<i>Classic Hawaiian</i>	
Kimo Artis Duo	7-10pm

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Jeremy Hirokawa (4/3) 7-10pm
Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki 922-2268
Acoustic, Soul, R&B
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm
 Ellsworth Simeona 9:30-12am
Gordon Biersch 599-4877
Jazz Wednesdays
 Varying Artists 6:30-9:30pm
Hard Rock Cafe 955-7383
Live Contemporary
 Dave Watanabe 9-11am
 Saloon Pilots (or others) 9-11pm
House Without a Key 923-2311
Live Hawaiian & Hula by Brook Lee
 Pa'ahana 5:30 - 8:30pm
Hula Grill 923-HULA
Live Contemporary Music
 Alika Souza 7-9pm
Hy's Steak House 922-5555
Live Soft Contemporary
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm
Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992
Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
 Kapena 6-9pm
LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel 922-0811
Live Contemporary Funk, Jazz, Hip Hop & Reggae
 Evan Khay 7-10pm
Lewers Lounge 923-2311
Live Contemporary & Light Jazz
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12am
Mahina & Sun's 923-8882
Acoustic Guitar Poolside on the Lanai
 Nu'u Sing 7-9pm
Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311
Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer
 Jeremy Cheng 6:30-8:30pm
Maui Brewing Company 843-2739
Live Acoustic Folk Rock
 John Helm 3:30-5:30pm
Roy's Hawaii Kai 396-7697
Acoustic & Slack Key Top 40
 Dayton Watanabe 6:30-9:30pm
Rumfire 921-4600
Solo Contemporary Guitarist
 Thomson Enos 5-8pm
 Son Caribe Band 9:30-11:30pm
Signature Prime Steak 949-3636
Contemporary Pianist in the bar
 Pierre Grill 6-9pm
Sky Waikiki 979-7590
Live Contemporary
 Randy & Kanoë 6-9pm
SWIM at the Hyatt 923-1234
Live Acoustic Guitarist
 Izzy 7:30-9:30pm
The Deck at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel 931-4488
Island-inspired Blues
 Tavana 5:30-8:30pm
The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600
Live Hawaiian Music
 Kama Kakaio 1-4pm
 Keoni Ku Duo 6:30-9:30 pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar 923-TIKI
Live Contemporary - 1/2 off Wine Wednesdays
 Canoes for Rent 5:30-8:30pm
 John Helm 9-11pm
Tommy Bahama Restaurant 923-8785
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Sean Cleland 6-9pm
Tropics Bar & Grill 949-4321
Live Contemporary Rock
 Jook Joint 2-5pm

THURSDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233
Island Music
 Shaka Madali 5:30-8:30pm
Bin 1901 at the Moana 921-4600
Piano Wine Bar
 Kapena Delima 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
 Alex Oasay 6:30-9:30pm
Cheesecake Factory 924-5001
Classic Hawaiian
 Kona Chang Duo 7-10pm
Duke's Canoe Club 922-2268
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Haumea Warrington 4-6pm
 Denny Ono Duo (4/4) 9:30-midnight
 Kelandy Diaz (4/11) 9:30-midnight
 Ryan Tenney (4/18) 9:30-midnight
 Scott Magz & Brady (4/25) 9:30-midnight
Hard Rock Cafe 955-7383
Live Contemporary
 Zanuck Lindsay 9-11am
 Kailua Bay Buddies 9-11pm
House Without a Key 923-2311
Live Hawaiian & Hula by Brook Lee
 Eric Lee Trio 5:30 - 8:30pm
Hula Grill 923-HULA
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Kimo Baker 7-9pm
Hy's Steak House 922-5555
Live Soft Contemporary
 Audy Kimura 6:30-10pm
Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992
Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
 Kawika Kahiapo 6-9pm
LBL at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel 922-0811
Live Contemporary Pop/Rock
 Sunway 7-10pm
Lewers Lounge 923-2311
Contemporary Jazz
 Maggie Herron & Rocky Holmes 8:30-12am
Mahina & Sun's 923-8882
Mellow Acoustic Sounds Poolside on the Lanai
 Frank Taua III 7-9pm
Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311
Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer
 Dave Watanabe 8 - 10pm

Maui Brewing Company 843-2739
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Ryan Tenney 3:30-5:30pm
Michel's at the Colony Surf 923-6552
Live Slack Key
 Jeff Peterson 7:30-10:00pm
Roy's Hawaii Kai 396-7697
Na Hoku Hanohano Award Slack Key Artist
 Stephen Inglis 6:30-9:30pm
Rumfire 921-4600
Solo Contemporary Guitarist
 Mark Calderia 5-8pm
Signature Prime Steak 949-3636
Contemporary Pianist in the bar
 Isao Motomochi 6-9pm
Sky Waikiki 979-7590
Live Contemporary
 Randy & Kanoë 6-9pm
The Deck at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel 931-4488
Acoustic Contemporary Hawaiian
 Tahiti Rey 5:30-8:30pm
The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600
Live Hawaiian Music
 Christian Yrizarry 1-4pm
 Christian Yrizarry Duo 6:30-9:30pm
Tiki's Grill & Bar 923-TIKI
Hot Hula Thursdays - hula dancers perform
 Malu the Band 5:30-7:30pm
 Ellsworth Simeona 8:30-10:30pm
Tommy Bahama Restaurant 923-8785
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Chris Mercado 6-9pm
Tropics Bar & Grill 949-4321
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Nohelani Cypriano 2-5pm

FRIDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233
Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Beach BBQ
 Art Kalahiki & Friends 5:30-8:30pm
Bin 1901 at the Moana 921-4600
Piano Wine Bar
 Keith Montross 6:30-9:30pm
Chart House Waikiki 941-6660
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Mark Yim's Pilikia I 6-9pm
 Mark Yim's Pilikia II 9:30-12:30am
Cheeseburger Waikiki 941-2400
Contemporary Hawaiian
 Aku 6:30-9:30pm
Cheesecake Factory 924-5001
Live Acoustic Folk Rock
 John Helm Duo 7-10pm
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
 Maunalua 4-6pm
 Chris Murphy Duo 9:30-12am
 Kona Chang Duo (4/12) 9:30-12am
 Preston Kauwe Duo (4/19) 9:30-12am

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Live Contemporary
 Alex Oasay 9-11am
 The Fresh Preps or others 9-11pm

House Without a Key 923-2311
Live Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoë Miller
 Kapalama 5:30 - 8:30pm

Hula Grill 923-HULA
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 The Camarillo Brohers 7-9pm

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

Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992
Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
 Ka Hehena 6-9pm

LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel 922-0811
Live Contemporary Pop/Rock
 Sunway 7-10pm

Lewers Lounge 923-2311
Live Contemporary Jazz
 Rocky Holmes, Maggie & Dean 8:30-12:30am

Mahina & Sun's 923-8882
Slack Key Poolside on the Lanai
 Jeff Rasmussen 7-9pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311
Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer
 Ben Kama 6:30-8:30pm
 Jeremy Ching 8:30-10:30pm

Maui Brewing Company 843-2739
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Sienna Souza 3:30-5:30pm
 Kona Chang Duo (or others) 9-11pm

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
Instrumental, Electric Guitar
 Jimmy Funai 5:30-8pm

Roy's Ko Olina 676-7697
Slack Key Guitar
 Chris Rego 5:30-8pm

Rumfire 921-4600
Solo Contemporary Guitarist
 Shar Carillo 5-8pm

Signature Prime Steak 949-3636
Contemporary Pianist in the bar
 Grant Carvalho 6-9pm

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

The Deck at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel 931-4488
Acoustic Folk Rock
 Johnny Helm (or others) 5:30-8:30pm

The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600
Hawaiian Music with conch/torch ceremony at 5:30 p.m.
 Christian Yrizarry 1-4pm
 Na'ehu Duo 6:30-9:30pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar 923-TIKI
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Randy Allen 5-7pm
 Vaihi 7:30-9:30pm

The Kristi Masuhara Band 10:30-midnight

Tommy Bahama Restaurant 923-8785
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Chris Murphy 6-9pm

Tropics Bar & Grill 949-4321
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Nohelani Cypriano 2-5pm
 Sam Kapu 8-10:30pm

SATURDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233
Queen's Surf + Turf w/ Hawaiian Chalang-alang music
 Bronson Bernades 5:30-8:30pm

Bin1901 at the Moana 921-4600
Piano Wine Bar
 Dan Del Negro 6:30-9:30pm

Chart House Waikiki 941-6660
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Tito Berinobis & Billy Beimes 7-12pm

Cheeseburger Waikiki 941-2400
Contemporary Hawaiian
 Sean Cleland 6:30-9:30pm

Cheesecake Factory 924-5001
Classic Hawaiian
 Dennis McClees Duo 7-10pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki 922-2268
Live Hawaiian Entertainment
 Beach 5 (4/6) 4-6pm
 Kaiona Band (4/13) 4-6pm
 Kapena (4/20) 4-6pm
 Vaihi (4/27) 4-6pm
 Kaiona Duo (4/6) 9:30-12am
 Ryan Tenney Duo (4/13) 9:30-12am
 Christian Yrizarry Duo (4/20) 9:30-12am
 Camarillo Brothers Duo (4/27) 9:30-12am

Hard Rock Cafe 955-7383
Live Contemporary
 Sean Thibadeaux (or others) 9-11am
 CTD 9-11pm

House Without a Key 923-2311
Hawaiian & Hula by Kanoë Miller
 Kapalama 5:30 - 8:30pm

Hula Grill 923-HULA
Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer
 Christian Yrizarry 7-9pm

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

Kani Ka Pila Grille 924-4992
Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
 Ho'okena 6-9pm
 Christian Yrizarry (4/27) 6-9pm

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Live Contemporary Blues & R&B
 Tahiti Rey 7-10pm

Lewers Lounge 923-2311
Live Contemporary Jazz
 Rocky Holmes, Maggie & Dean 8:30-12:30am

Mahina & Sun's 923-8882
Soul Poolside on the Lanai
 Special Guest Saturdays (varying artists) 7-9pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian 923-7311

Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer
 Naehu Duo (4/6, 4/27) 6:30-8:30pm
 EIA Du (4/13, 4/20) 6:30-8:30pm

Maui Brewing Company 843-2739
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 David Sedlak (or others) 3:30-5:30pm
 Mark Caldeira (4/20) 3:30-5:30pm
 Chris Mercado Duo (or others) 9-11pm

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Live Contemporary Slack Key & Jazz
 Jeff Peterson 7-11pm

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 Chris Rego 5:30-8pm

Rumfire 921-4600
Solo Contemporary Guitarist
 Desmond Oliveria 5-8pm

Signature Prime Steak 949-3636
Contemporary Pianist in the bar
 Grant Carvalho 6-9pm

Sky Waikiki 979-7590
Live Contemporary
 John Akapo 6-9pm

SWIM at the Hyatt 923-1234
Live Acoustic Guitarist
 Hana Hou Joe 7:30-9:30pm

The Edge at the Sheraton 921-4600
Hawaiian Music with conch/torch ceremony at 5:30 p.m.
 Christian Yrizarry 1-4pm
 Tino Jacob Duo 6:30-9:30pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar 923-TIKI
Live Contemporary Hawaiian & Reggae
 Johnny Helm 4:30-6:30pm
 Guidance (or others) 7:30-9:30pm
 Ellsworth & Piko 10-midnight

Tommy Bahama Restaurant 923-8785
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Chris Murphy 6-9pm

Tropics Bar & Grill 949-4321
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Henry Kaponu 3-5pm
 Acoustik Playground (or others) 7-10pm

SUNDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach 924-2233
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Rudy Saravia 5:30-8:30pm

Chart House Waikiki 941-6660
Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Dean & Dean 6-9pm

Cheesecake Factory 924-5001
Classic Hawaiian
 Chris Murphy Duo (4/7, 4/21) 7-10pm
 Ben Kama Duo (4/14, 4/28) 7-10pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki 922-2268
Live Hawaiian Entertainment
 Henry Kaponu 4-6pm
 Maiko Duo 9:30-12am
 Chris Mercado Duo (4/7) 9:30-12am

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DINING ENTERTAINMENT PAU HANA EAT DRINK BE MERRY HAPPY HOUR

- Derrick Lee Duo (4/28) 9:30-12am
- Hard Rock Cafe** 955-7383
- Live Acoustic Folk Rock*
- Johnny Helm (or others) 9-11am
- Analog (or others) 9-11pm
- House Without a Key** 923-2311
- Live Hawaiian & Hula by Debbie Nakanelua*
- Pu'uhonua Trio 5:30 - 8:30pm
- Hula Grill** 923-HULA
- Live Traditional Hawaiian with dancer*
- Alika Souza and friends 7-9pm
- Kani Ka Pila Grille** 924-4992
- Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians*
- Maunaloa 6-9pm
- Brother Noland (4/7) 6-9pm
- Kelley O'Neil's** 926-1777
- Live Irish Music*
- Various Celtic Bands 4-7pm
- LBLE at the Hilton Waikiki Beach Hotel** 922-0811
- Live, Energetic Mix of Pop and Rock Hits*
- Kristi Masuhara 7-10pm
- Lewers Lounge** 923-2311
- Live Contemporary & Light Jazz*
- Tommy James 8:30pm - 12am
- Mahina & Sun's** 923-8882
- Hawaiian Past & Present Poolside on the Lanai*
- Dustin Park 7-9pm
- Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian** 923-7311
- Live Contemporary Hawaiian with Hula Dancer*
- Christian Yizarry 6:30-8:30pm
- Maui Brewing Company** 843-2739
- Live Contemporary Hawaiian*
- Denny Ono 3:30-5:30pm
- Maiko (4/14) 3:30-5:30pm
- Scott Magz & Brady K 9-11pm
- Roy's Ko Olina** 676-7697
- Slack Key Guitar*
- Chris Rego 5:30-8pm
- Rumfire** 921-4600
- Solo Contemporary Guitarist*
- Johnny Kukui 5-8pm
- Signature Prime Steak** 949-3636
- Contemporary Pianist in the bar*
- Isao Motomochi 6-9pm
- Sky Waikiki** 979-7590
- Live Contemporary*
- Da Push-O-Verse 6-9pm
- The Edge at the Sheraton** 921-4600
- Hawaiian Music with conch/torch ceremony at 5:30 p.m.*
- Christian Yrizarry 1-4pm
- Kailua Moon Duo 6:30-9:30pm
- Tiki's Grill & Bar** 923-TIKI
- Live Contemporary Hawaiian*
- Kapu the Band 2:30 - 5:30pm
- Vaihi 6-8pm
- Ellsworth & Piko 9-11pm
- Tropics Bar & Grill** 949-4321
- Live Contemporary Rock & Hawaiian*
- Piranha Brothers 2-5pm
- Uncle's Fish Market & Grill** 275-0063
- Live Slack Key*
- Jeff Peterson 5:30-8:30pm

Dining Dish



Seventeen months after closing their doors at the Ward Village, **REAL gastropub** has reopened in its new location at Keauhou Lane on the corner of Keawe Street and Halekuwila Street. The restaurant will feature 38 taps, Open daily from 11 a.m. - 11 p.m., 12 a.m. on weekends, REAL will serve lunch and dinner, with a seasonal menu offering pub fare with a twist. 200-2739 (BREW). • **Hank's Haute Dogs** is offering up happy hour! Enjoy a special pupu menu featuring duck, lamb, pastrami, or fish sliders, zucchini fries, fried chorizo tacos and select beers for \$3-\$4, with 20% off all dogs and burgers from 4 - 6 p.m. Wednesday through Sundays. 532-4265. • **AZURE** is now offering a new monthly late-night lounge event in the upper deck every third Friday, featuring new beverages from around the world with commentary by industry experts and resident Sommelier Micah Suderman. Enjoy a welcome cocktail, samples of the featured beverage and appetizers, in their latest event, Raising the Bar at AZURE. Tickets will be \$50. The next event features Kō Hana Rum on April 19th from 8 - 9:30 p.m. 931-7440 • **Bills Hawaii** is offering kama'aina 20% off their entire bill and 2 free hours of parking (excluding happy hour items) through May 15th. 922-1500. • **Liliha Bakery** has opened their 3rd restaurant in the former Pineapple Room location at Macy's Ala Moana. The bakery is on the left as you walk in from the parking lot with the restaurant on the right. Expect the same favorite dishes to choose from with a few new ones, and beer and wine to boot! I grabbed the mushroom chicken, and it was legit - but want a hot tip? Order the fried chicken. What a sleeper. I had no idea they could make fried chicken so well. It was amazing. Open daily from 6:30 a.m. - 10 p.m. 944-4088. • **Chef Nico Chaize** has opened **Nico's Upstairs**, well, upstairs from Nico's at Pier 38. He took back the space that Harbor Restaurant occupied for the past few years to offers a higher end bistro-style menu that explores Nico's French background and love for fresh fish. The appetizer menu at dinner includes escargot, Spanish octopus, steak tartare and tableside poke preparation to name a few. The entree menu has a variety of fresh fish preparations. His steak frites is on point, and he actually figured out the recipe for the green steak sauce he remembers tasting as a child at Le Relais de L'Entrecôte in Paris. A few of my faves? The Poisson Cru and of all things, the pork chop. The chop was cooked perfectly and came with a Brie sauce that was out of this world. Their cocktail list was pretty good as well. Their bar manager used to work at Pint + Jigger, so she definitely knows her stuff. They also offer Sunday Brunch. 550-3740. • **Doraku Sushi** at the Royal Hawaiian is closed for renovation all month long. Scheduled to reopen on May 8th. ~ Pam



Dining Calendar

April 12: *Vino Sociale Fridays* Appetitio Craft Pizza & Wine Bar hosts amonthly wine event from the 2nd Friday. Enjoy a lovely wine flight and paired menu in their secluded patio. Limited seating. \$55. 5:30 p.m. 922-1150.

April 13: *Moana Masters Cooking Class* Chef Carmen Montejo leads a Chocolate tasting and beverage cooking demo, multi-course lunch and 2 beverage pairings cooking class. 12 - 2 p.m. \$100. HonoluluBoxOffice.com.

April 14: *Sans Souci Beach Club* at Barefoot Beach Cafe offers a family-friendly day filled with lawn games, keiki scavenger hunt, campfire s'mores and DJs from 3 - 7 p.m. the 2nd Sunday of every month. BarefootBeachCafe.com.

April 16: *PAI Honolulu* presents a special Italian wine 4-course dinner. Two seatings, 5:45 and 8 p.m. \$95. paihonolulu.com.

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

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Continuing Events

MONDAY - FRIDAY LYON ARBORETUM TOURS

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

MONDAY-FRIDAY FOSTER BOTANICAL GARDENS

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

TUESDAYS • HAWAII THEATRE TOURS

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

TUESDAYS • THE TASTING ROOM

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

TUESDAYS • KU HA'AHEO

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

TUESDAYS • KCC FARMERS MARKET

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

TUESDAYS INDOOR YARD SALE & THRIFT SHOP

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

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS FARMERS MARKET AT THE HYATT REGENCY

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

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

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

TUESDAY - SATURDAY HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES TOURS

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

WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS YOGA ON THE LAWN

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

THIRD WEDNESDAY (APRIL 17) KONA NUI NIGHTS

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

SECOND THURSDAY (APRIL 8) COURTYARD CINEMA

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

THURSDAYS • MARKET ON THE PLAZA

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

THURSDAYS • COURTYARD YOGA

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

FIRST FRIDAY (APRIL 5) DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR

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

FINAL FRIDAY (APRIL 26) ART AFTER DARK

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

SATURDAYS KCC FARMERS MARKET

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vendors at Kapiolani Community College. Free. 7:30 - 11 a.m. 848-2074.

SATURDAYS PEARLRIDGE FARMERS MARKET

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

SATURDAYS KAKA'AKO FARMERS MARKET

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

SECOND SATURDAY (APRIL 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. - 4 p.m. 586-9958. Other events around downtown Honolulu all afternoon including slam poetry and open mic events at The Arts at Marks from 3-5 p.m. Free. 521-2903 or artsatmarks.com.

SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ART ON THE ZOO FENCE

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

SUNDAYS ALA MOANA FARMERS MARKET

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

FIRST SUNDAY (APRIL 7) LEI-MAKING CLASS WITH MELEANA ESTES

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

SECOND SUNDAY (APRIL 14) KAMAAINA SUNDAYS AT THE PALACE

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

THIRD SUNDAY (APRIL 21) BANK OF HAWAII FREE SUNDAY

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

FOURTH SUNDAY (APRIL 28) NA MELE NO NA PUA SUNDAY CONCERT

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

APRIL 1-2 HAWAII MISSION HOUSES

Hawaiian Mission Houses Historic Site and Archives is expanding their award-winning signature History Theater Programs by presenting their 2017 Cemetery Pupu Theatre production of "Yesterday's News" in a traditional theater venue at Kumu Kahua Theatre. 7 p.m. Tickets: \$25. kumukahua.org.

APRIL 4 HENRY KAPONO 'S ARTIST 2 ARTIST SERIES

Henry Kapono continues his Artist to Artist Concert Series, as he opens each show with his hits, before talking one-on-one with a featured artist, "deconstructing" their career, artist to artist before offering an intimate jam session between the two. The series continues with Hawaii's top selling female vocalist of all time, Amy Hanaiali'i, making this an evening not to miss, guaranteed to knock locals and tourists alike out of their seats. 7 p.m. Tickets: \$25-\$45. bluenotehawaii.com.

APRIL 6 MISSION HOUSES OPEN HOUSE

It's one of only two days a year that the Hawaiian Mission Houses Historic Site and Archives throws its doors open for all to enjoy for free. Featuring free admission, family and kid-friendly activities, and entertainment. 12 - 4 p.m. missionhouses.org.

APRIL 5-7 • KAWAII KON

Kawaii Kon is a 3-day convention that celebrates Japanese anime (cartoons), manga (comics), and

all facets of Japanese culture. Meet your favorite voice actors and artists from both Japan and the US, grab autographs, watch informative panels, see Japanese animation screenings and check out the gaming rooms, Artist Alley, Dealers' Room, and more, including putting your Cosplay (costume) on display. Tickets: \$25 and up. Hawaii Convention Center. 7 a.m. - 9 p.m. kawaiikon.com.

APRIL 5-14 HIFF SPRING SHOWCASE

The Honolulu International Film Festival presents its 22st annual Spring Showcase, with 30 films from around the world as well as a series of films straight from Sundance. Dole Cannery Theatres. See the lineup at hiff.org.

APRIL 6 • FAMILY FUN DAY

Dole Plantation presents its annual Family Fun Day featuring live musical performances, hula, arts and crafts, prize giveaways, local food, games and more. Everyone gets a buy-one-get-one-free to the Pineapple Garden Maze and Plantation Garden Tour. Reduced admission also available for the Pineapple Express Train Tour and kama'aina get an additional 15 percent discount in the retail store. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. DolePlantation.com.

APRIL 6-7 • HAWAIIAN SCOTTISH FESTIVAL & HIGHLAND GAMES

The annual festival offers two days of Celtic music, performers, highland dancers, swordplay and fencing demonstrations, a children's activity

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area and a clan and genealogy room. There will be plenty of Celtic-themed food (even haggis), wares and whiskey for sale. McCoy Pavilion. \$5 admission. 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. hawaiianscottishassociation.org

APRIL 9 • THE BEACH BOYS

Are you ready for some "Fun, Fun Fun"? The Hawaii Theatre will be shaking with the "Good Vibrations" of one of the most iconic bands of our lifetime. Please note Brian Wilson, Al Jardine, or David Marks will not be in attendance. Tickets: \$100-\$150. 8 p.m. hawaii theatre.com.

APRIL 11-14 • GEORGE CLINTON PARLIAMENT FUNKADELIC



Don't miss this iconic performer in what's being billed as his first and final performances ever in Hawaii. Inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1997, he was presented with a Grammy Lifetime Achievement this past February. One show nightly. 8 p.m. Tickets: \$95-\$150. bluenotehawaii.com.

APRIL 12 • BRASS TRANSIT

Brass Transit pays tribute to the multi-platinum songbook of "CHICAGO." The eight-piece band joins the Hawaii Symphony Orchestra and embodies the music and horn style of the show. 7:30 p.m. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$34-\$92. hisymphony.org. #musicthatrocks

APRIL 12-13 • IOLANI SCHOOL FAIR

Visitors and locals alike are welcome at the Iolani Family Fair. Enjoy food, crafts, rides, games, plant sale, chef demos, crafts, petting zoo, live music, lion dances and more! Food fair staples include giant turkey legs, gumbo, and Okinawan soba noodles. Free admission with plenty of parking at Kaimuki High School. iolanifair.org.

APRIL 12 EMPTY BOWL HAWAII

This unique event brings hundreds of artists and chefs together to fight hunger in Hawaii as attendees receive a handmade bowl they can keep, and 3 tickets in which to taste fill the bowl with the offering of the up to 3 chefs. Tickets: \$40 and up. 5 – 8:30 p.m. Dole Cannery Pomaikai Ballroom. emptybowlhawaii.org.

APRIL 13 • OZOMATLI

This incredibly popular band began as a vibrant fusion of Latin salsa, urban hip-hop, and jazz-funk. In 2015, they revisited their collective Latin music heritage through the lens of the reggae and Caribbean music and remain a crowd favorite wherever they go. Tickets: \$29.50. The Republik. 8 p.m. jointherepublik.com.

APRIL 13-14 • ARABIAN NIGHTS

The Halekulani Masterworks series continues with a solo appearance from David Shifrin, formerly the principal clarinetist with the Hawaii Symphony Orchestra as he collaborates with the new music director of the Fresno Philharmonic, Rei Hotoda, as she conducts Scheherazade, the symphonic story of A Thousand and One Nights. 7:30 p.m., 4 p.m. on Sunday. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$34-\$92. hisymphony.org.

APRIL 14 • THE HAPALUA

Hawaii's half-marathon kicks off the 13.1 mile course at the Duke Kahanamoku Statue with runners westward toward downtown, where they turn at Smith Street, and then head back towards Waikiki ending at the traditional Marathon finish line by Kapiolani Park. Expect multiple lane closures along the course starting at 3 a.m. Race starts at 6 a.m. thehapalua.com.

APRIL 14 • KAILUA SPRING FLING

This pet-friendly market features locally-based vendors selling unique goods, one-of-a-kind finds and hand-crafted treasures when more than 50 of Hawaii's finest furniture makers, artisans, jewelry makers, clothing designers and more will be showcasing and selling their products. Enjoy live music while browsing, and snack from various food booths. 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. 340 Uluniu Street, Kailua. alohahomemarket.com.

APRIL 14 - 20 LPGA LOTTE CHAMPIONSHIP

The 8th annual LPGA event will feature a star-studded field of marquee pros who grace the world stage of ladies' professional golf including defending champion Brooke Henderson, Lydia Ko, Hyo Joo Kim, Inbee Park, So Yeon Ryu and Hawaii's own Michelle Wie. In all 144 players will hit the links over four days for 72-hole stroke play, seeking part of the \$2 million purse. Admission \$10 daily, or get a week pass for \$25. Ko Olina Golf Club. lottechampionship.com.

APRIL 18-20 • TAYLOR DAYNE



The pop icon became an overnight sensation in 1987 with her hit "Tell it to My Heart" selling 75 million albums since then. Two shows nightly, 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$65. buenotehawaii.com.

APRIL 19 I MUA: HULA IN UNUSUAL PLACES

Visitors will be enchanting by Kumu Hula Patrick Makuakane and his halau as they take visitors on a journey from the Black Rock Desert and San Quentin Prison to New York City's Times Square and the San Francisco Opera House, sharing an authentic expression of culture that is inclusive and beguiling. Tickets: \$40-\$100. 7:30 p.m. hawaii theatre.com.

APRIL 19 A TRIBUTE TO BROADWAY

The Hawaii Symphony Orchestra celebrates the music of Stephen Sondheim and Andrew Lloyd Webber with this special tribute. Broadway stars Debbie Gravitte, Hugh Panaro and more join the HSO onstage to sing your favorites from shows like Sweeney Todd, A Little Night Music, Jesus Christ Superstar and Phantom of the Opera. 7:30 p.m. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$27-\$79. hisymphony.org. #musicthatpops

APRIL 19 DESCENDENTS

Punk, pop, buzzing, summery, heartfelt, defiant, adolescent, and wise all at once, the famous punk band sound of the Descendents never gets old. They will be joined special guests Mister Meaner & Superfuct. Tickets: \$39.50. The Republik. 8 p.m. jointherepublik.com.

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APRIL 20

MICKEY AVALON & DIRT NASTY

One of the hottest underground American rappers around, Avalon is joined by ex-MTV VJ Simon Rex (aka Dirt Nasty) and recently collaborated with such artists as Travis Barker, Kid Rock and Katy Perry. Tickets: \$25. The Republik. 8 p.m. jointherepublik.com.

APRIL 20

MAUKA TO MAKAI ENVIRONMENTAL EXPO

The 12th annual family-friendly expo celebrates Earth Month and promotes keeping Hawaii clean, protected and free of pollution. Enjoy live entertainment, a fish release, native plant giveaway, a puppet show, and interactive activities including hands-on learning, arts & crafts, and educational exhibits showing ways to protect and preserve our environment. Waikiki Aquarium. 9 am - 2 pm cleanwaterhonolulu.com.

APRIL 20 • GABBY PAHINUI KANIKAPILA

The 12th annual festival celebrating the musical heritage of Hawaii's favorite sons, Gabby Pahinui is certain to be even more poignant than normal after the recent loss of his son, Cyril Pahinui, who started the festival back in 2007. It is truly one of the premiere celebrations of Hawaiian music where I can guarantee will offer one "chicken-skin" moment after another. Visitors simply won't ever see anything else like it, and in the beautiful locale of Waimanalo Beach Park. Free. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. gabbypahinui.com.

APRIL 20 • SPRING STREET JAM

Millwood Ohana returns with yet another street fair offering food, retail, and handmade products from local vendors from 4 - 10 p.m. Kalakaua will be closed from Seaside to Kapahulu.

APRIL 20-21 • GLASS AND A FIFTH

The Halekulani Masterworks series continues as distinguished former Toronto Symphony Music Director, Peter Oundjian makes his Hawaii Symphony Orchestra debut, conducting Beethoven's iconic Fifth Symphony and a concerto from Philip Glass. Violinist Robert McDuffie and Oundjian performed the world premiere of this Glass Violin Concerto. They team up once again for this Hawaii premiere. 7:30 p.m., 4 p.m. on Sunday. Blaisdell Concert Hall. Tickets: \$34-\$92. hissymphony.org.

APRIL 26

NATHANIEL RATELIFF & THE NIGHT SWEATS

The singer grew up singing gospel, but eventually turned towards folk, and rhythm & blues putting together his own group and becoming a folk-pop hero in his hometown with his massive soulful voice. Tickets: \$39.50. Price increases day of show. The Republik. 8 p.m. jointherepublik.com.

APRIL 27 • ARLO GUTHRIE - ALICE'S RESTAURANT 50TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

Over 50 years ago, Guthrie wrote a folk song about a series of incredulous events that began on Thanksgiving in 1965. "Alice's Restaurant Massacre" struck a chord with the anti-war counterculture. In 1969 the movie "Alice's Restaurant" came out, and Guthrie is touring in honor of the 50th anniversary of the movie. Tickets: \$58-\$88. 8 p.m. hawaii theatre.com.

APRIL 27 • BROWN BAGS TO STARDOM

Hawaii's biggest annual talent show features students of all ages and schools competing in singing, musical bands, dancers, ukulele, magicians, comedians and instrumentalist. Brown Bags has been discovering some of Hawaii's biggest stars since 1980 and promotes "music in the schools." Tourists welcome. Hawaii Convention Center. brownbagstostardom.com.

APRIL 27 • WAIKIKI SPAM JAM

25,000 fans of Hawaii's favorite food will converge onto Waikiki for one of the more unique and popular block parties held all year. The 17th annual Waikiki SPAM Jam will unfold on Kalakaua between 4 - 10 p.m. with plenty of food, entertainment and fun for the whole family. Kalakaua will shut down completely at 1:30 p.m. to prepare. waikikispamjam.com

APRIL 27 • HAWAII FOOD AND WINE FESTIVALS LAUNCH EVENT

Seven-time James Beard Awardee and the winner of season one of Bravo's Top Chef Masters, chef Rick Bayless, will headline at the launch of the ninth annual Hawai'i Food & Wine Festival as their second Culinary Hero in his first appearance on Oahu. He will be joined by nine of Hawaii's best chefs at this fabulous event, which announces who will be participating at this years Food and Wine Festival in October. Tickets: \$150. The Kahala Hotel. HFWF.me.

APRIL 27 • 6TH ANNUAL KO OLINA CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL

The family-friendly afternoon is filled with arts & crafts activities, an interactive percussion studio, superhero booths and at sunset, watch Pixar's "Incredibles 2" on the beach at Ko Olina. Prior to the feature film, Pixar's "Bao" will be shown. 2 - 8 p.m. koolinachildrensfestival.com.

APRIL 27

EAST HONOLULU FOOD FESTIVAL

Top local chefs will serve signature dishes from around the world at this food and wine fest featuring well over a dozen restaurants. There'll be plenty of entertainment, free rides, games, rock climbing and face painting and event a silent auction. \$75 in advance, \$85 at the door. Star of the Sea. 5:30 - 9:30 p.m. starofthesea.org.

APRIL 27-28 • JEFF GOLDBLUM & THE MILDRED SNITZER ORCHESTRA



We all know the actor Jeff Goldblum, from his big screen roles in Jurassic Park, Independence Day and more, but did you know he has been playing jazz piano with his own band for years? Goldblum will take your questions, ask you trivia questions, and play classic jazz. Two shows nightly, 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$65-\$85. bluenotehawaii.com.

APRIL 28 • "I LOVE KAILUA" TOWN PARTY

This beloved community street party returns for the 27th year, featuring live entertainment, a keiki fun zone, a health fair, food booths, a plant sale and nearly 75 artists from the Windward side showcasing and selling their work. Many Kailua merchants will feature in-store specials and sales. Kailua Road. 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. LKOC.org.

HAWAII INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

Spring Showcase



HIFF is back with their Spring Showcase, its annual mini-festival to tide all you movie fans over until November. Like the main festival, the Spring Showcase is a bridge between the East and West, and will include 30 films from 13 countries, including an all new JapanFest showcase and Pacific Focus program.

The films are from around the world, but the one I am most excited about is "The Adventures of Super CW." As some of you know, this was Christa Wittmier's passion project, as she chronicled the trials and tribulations she went through after she was diagnosed with metastatic breast cancer nearly four years ago. Sadly she lost her fight with cancer in early January, but I'm grateful least she got to see a rough cut before she passed away. I saw a preview at her memorial, and I cannot wait to see the entire film. HIFF will show the film twice, and I suspect both will sell out. April 6th at 6 p.m. and the 13th at 2:30 p.m. Full lineup at hiff.org. ~ Pam



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HOTELS

- HALE KOA HOTEL** 955-0555
 •MThFS - Poolside music at the Barefoot Bar. 6-11pm
- HALEKULANI HOTEL** 923-2311
 •Daily-Hawaiian Music and hula at House Without A Key from 5:30-8pm.
 •Daily-Live Contemporary and light Jazz at Lewers Lounge from 8:30pm to midnite.
 •Sun- Sunday brunch at Orchids features Noly Paa on the piano from 10am - 1:30pm.
- HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE** 949-4321
 •Fri - Fireworks return to their normal time, 7:45 pm.
 •FriSat - Jerry Santos and Olomana, Paradise Lounge 8-11 pm.
 •Daily - Live entertainment, Tapa Bar. 7:30-10:30pm.
- HYATT REGENCY WAIKIKI** 923-1234
 •MW - Hawaiian Music 5:30-7pm.
 •TTH - Waikiki Farmers Market 4-8pm.
 •Fri - Aloha Friday Polynesian show, lei-making 4:30-6pm, 1st Floor, Pualeilani Atrium
- THE KAHALA HOTEL & RESORT** 739-8888
 •TuWThFSat - David Swanson vocalizes on the piano at The Veranda from 7:30-10pm.Hawaiian on Sun/Mon.
- MOANA SURFRIDER** 922-3111
 •Daily-Hawaiian music & hula. The Banyan Court, 6-8 pm, and again from 8 -10 p.m. Weekends from 11:30- 2 p.m.
 •MWFri-Guided historical tours at 11am.
- NEW OTANI KAIMANA BEACH** 923-1555
 •FSat- Jazz guitarists in the Sunset Lanai Bar. 6-9pm.
- OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI ON THE BEACH** 923-0711
 •Daily- Daily Cultural Program, front lobby. 11am.
- OUTRIGGER REEF ON THE BEACH** 923-3111
 •Daily- Cultural programs at Kani Ka Pila Hale. 9am.
- SHERATON PRINCESS 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** 293-6000
 •TThFri - Shell Hula Lessons, Lobby at 10am
 •TThFri - Ukulele Lessons, Lobby at 9am
 •Fri- Music & Hula. Lobby Lounge 6:30-8:30pm.
- WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT** 922-6611
 •Daily-Hawaiian entertainment in The Moana Terrace Bar. 6:30-9:30pm.
 •Fri-Local crafters "Aloha Friday Fair" Lobby 9am-2pm

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.
 •Tues- A one-hour guided tour offers a unique insight in the history, art, architecture and restoration of the Hawai'i Theatre with trained docents & a mini-concert on the 1922 Robert Morton Theatre Organ. 11 a.m. Admission: \$10.
- HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART** 532-8726
 •MWF- Japanese Language Tours. Private tours also available. 1pm. Regular admission.
- HONOLULU FIRE MUSEUM** 723-7167
 •3rdSat- Free one-hour guided tours through various exhibits with a firefighter recounting HFDs history the 3rd Saturday: 9am - 2pm. Reservations required. 620 South Street. honolulu.gov/hfd/communityrelations
- IOLANI PALACE** 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. 2-4pm
- HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES** 447-3910
 •Tue-Sat-Learn about the story of cultural change in 19th-century Hawai'i. Docents lead tours through the oldest existing frame house in the Islands, Print Shop, and the Chamberlain House. missionhouses.org
- PACIFIC AVIATION MUSEUM** 441-1000
 •Daily-Vintage aircraft in battlefield hangars at Pearl Harbor. Combat flight simulators. Aviator's Tour takes you through the new Restoration Hangar. Restaurant, Museum Store. Shuttle & Tickets at USS Arizona Memorial Visitor Center or at PacificAviationMuseum.org.
- THE SPALDING HOUSE** 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 aircraft are open to climb in, on and around. Tours: 8am - 4:30pm. \$7 / \$5 children under 18. Kalaeloa Airport. Reservations req'd. Sat/Sun by appt only. www.nampb.org.

SHOPPING CENTERS

- ALA MOANA CENTERSTAGE** 955-9517
 •Mon-Sat- Ala Moana Hula Show. Centerstage 1-1:20pm
 •MWF- Hawaiian music *Mauka Wing* 2:30-3:30pm
 •Sun - Keiki Hula Show. Centerstage 1-1:20pm
- INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE** 921-0536
 •Daily - Ceremonial lighting of Lamaku Torch Tower just after sundown followed by a hula show.
 •1st3rd Sun - Free Yoga class. 10-11am.
 •1st Sun - Free cultural lei-making class. 12-3pm.
 •2nd Sat - Free Yoga class. 9:30-10:30am.
 •2nd Sun - Paint class 1:30-4:30pm.
 •1st3rd Fri - Live painting demonstration.3:30-4:30pm.
- ROYAL HAWAIIAN CENTER** 922-2299
 •M- Keiki Hula lessons 3:30pm, *Royal Grove*
 •MWF- Learn Lomilomi 11am-12pm, Bldg. B, 3rd floor
 •MTF-Hula 10am (4pm on Wednesdays), *Royal Grove*
 •TThSat- Rock-a-Hula Pre-Show 7pm, *Royal Grove*
 •TWTh- Lauhala Weaving 1pm, Bldg B., 3rd floor
 •TThF- Ukelele 12pm, *Helumoa Hale*
 •TWThF- Live Hawaiian music 6-7pm, *Royal Grove*
 •Sat- Hula Kahiko 6-6:30pm, *Royal Grove*
 •Daily- Heritage Room/Cultural Videos *Helumoa Hale*
- WAIKIKI BEACH WALK** www.waikikibeachwalk.com
 •Daily-The Ukulele Store offers free lessons at 10:30am & 4:30pm.
 •Tues - Hawaiian Quilt Collection demonstrations, 2nd floor. 10:30am - 12:30pm
 •Tues - Ku Ha'aheo Hula Show. Plaza Stage. 4:30-6pm
 •WSat - Free Yoga Wed 4:30pm, Sat.7:30am Plaza Stage
 •Sat- Hoopdance Fitness Classes on the Lawn. 5pm

ATTRACTIONS

- KALAKAUA AVENUE** 527-5666
 •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- Free hula show 6:30 - 7:30pm. Hula mound.
- TAMARIND PARK - DOWNTOWN** 527-5666
 •Fri- Mayor's Aloha Friday Music from 12-1pm
- WAIKIKI TOWN CENTER** 922-2724
 •Mon-Sat-The songs and dances of Hawai'i, New Zealand, & Tahiti. Free shows begin at 7pm.

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PAPARAZZI

HFWF donates \$384,750 to charity



The Hawaii Food & Wine Festival presented \$384,7450 to a total of 23 non-profits that contribute to the Festival through various capacities. This donation brings the total community giving to nearly \$2.5 million in 8 years.

Seoul Tofu House Opens



The owners of Seoul Tofu House at their opening last month. the restaurant has been getting rave reviews since their soft opening. Located under the Laylow next to Paia Fish Market on Kuhio Avenue

Old Palí Road Whiskey is now available



Not the greatest picture I know, but can you see what's in their hand? Ko'olau Distillery partners Lt. Cols. Eric Dill and Ian Brooks recently launched their hand-crafted whiskey made with pure artesian water from the Ko'olau.

conciierge card

April 30, 2019

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

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

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

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

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

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

Hilo Hattie - 25% on Hilo Hattie labeled garments, 15% off other fashions/gifts and 10% off Hilo Hattie labeled foods. Not valid on sale items. Ala Moana Center. 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 by mentioning this offer and presenting your hotel ID at SHOR, The Buffet at Hyatt and SWIM. 2424 Kalakaua Ave. 923-1234.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Tiki's Grill & Bar - FREE order of ANY appetizer with any purchase! One 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.

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Conciierge of the Month



NAME: Dean Shingaki
HOTEL: The Kahala Hotel & Resort
TITLE: Conciierge

Q. How long have you been with the Kahala?
A. I have been here for just about 3 years

Q. What brought you there?
A. It's all about timing. Fond childhood memories with my family at The Kahala have always been very dear to me. I remember wishing that someday maybe my dream job would be to work here. Fast forward... a friend told me there was an opening and my dream came true!

Q. How did you get your start in the industry?
A. I started as a PBX linguist for a large hotel right out of college and I left the industry to pursue a career in high end retail.

Q. What is your biggest challenge at the desk?
A. Sometimes I overthink things, making it more complicated than it should be. Being my own worst critic is tough to break.

Q. People talk about your professionalism and positivity, how do you maintain that outlook?
A. I think my family and faith have a lot to do with my daily attitude. I came from a strict upbringing, but it was full of love and caring. My colleagues at work also have those similar qualities that bring a calm and ease when I am at work.

Q. What do you like most about this industry?
A. Each day is never the same. I meet people from all over the world and I truly enjoy each interaction. It is very special when a guest comes back super excited to tell me about their day and they allow me to share their excitement and happiness.

Q. What makes your hotel/team so special?
A. They are my family away from my home. We all get along and since I don't have siblings, this is how I imagine it would be if I did. We have this unconditional love for each other and get together as much as we can outside of work and like karaoke.

Q. Is there a guest that sticks out more than others?
A. One guest, responsible for a family gathering, was unable to get reservations at another hotel's restaurant. They reached out to us and through our conciierge network, we got them in. We later found out that someone in the family was battling cancer and this was a very special breakfast.

Q. What's the most unusual request you've had?
A. A guest need to replace a particular water toy in a specific color. We called around to look for the particular brand and color to no avail. I finally recalled seeing it at an ABC Store and found it!

Q. Your guest has one day, what should they do?
A. A customized tour around the island with a visit the Kahala Legacy Forest at Gunstock Ranch where they can plant their own endemic Hawaiian Milo tree, dedicate it to someone special and leave their own legacy, forever being connected to Hawaii.

Q. Where are you from?
A. I am born and raised in Moiliili.

Q. What do you like to do most when not working?
A. I love spending time with my family. If they are both at school and working, nothing beats a lovely nap or watching a baseball game on TV.

Q. Any other thoughts you'd like to share?
A. I would like to thank them for being such a supportive family and guiding me in this wonderful profession. I would also like to thank the entire staff at The Kahala Hotel as well. Without each and every one, the Kahala Experience would not be possible.

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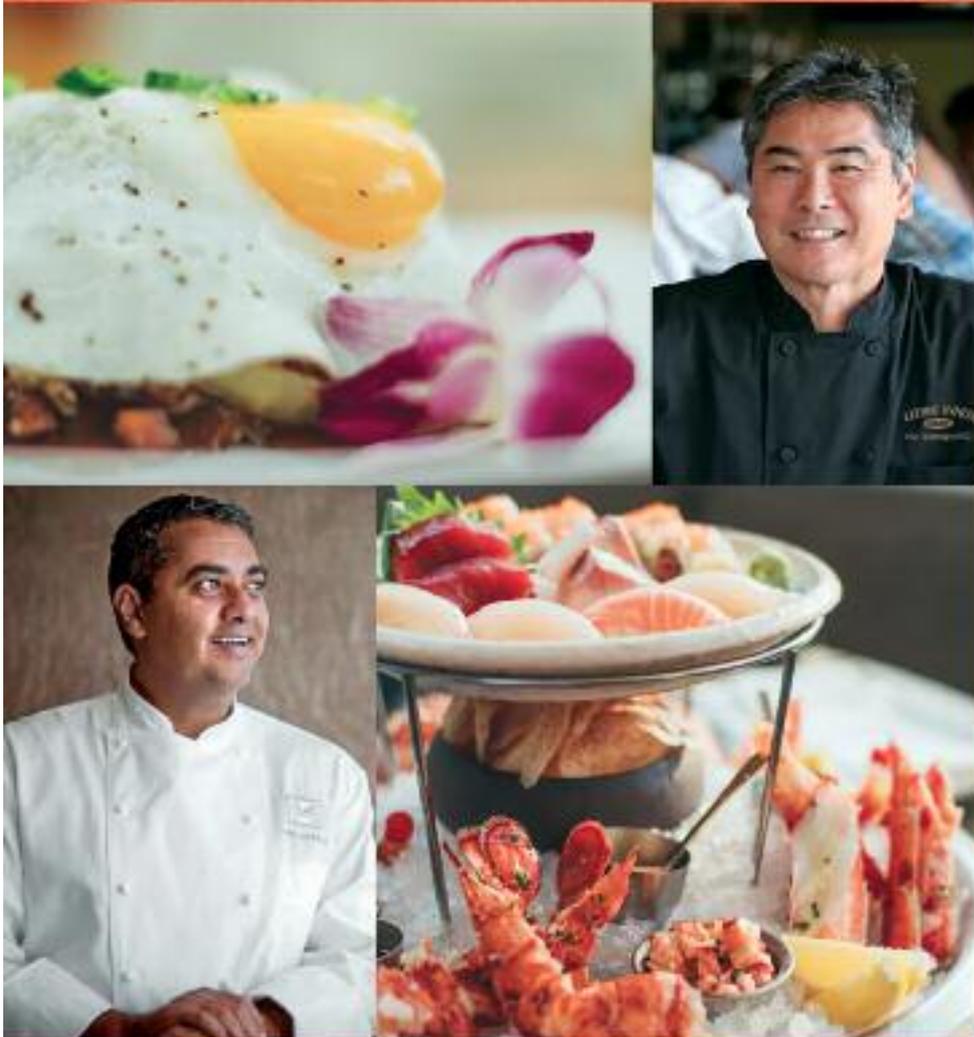
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