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CELEBRATING 25 YEARS... KEEPING THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY INFORMED SINCE 1998

It's Sony Open Time

The Sony Open in Hawaii celebrates its 60th anniversary this year when it returns to town January 12-18. With the cancellation of the Sentry in Kapalua, the Sony Open becomes the full-field competition of the 2026 PGA Tour, setting the tone for the season and giving players a chance to start the year off strong.

Held annually at the exclusive, members-only Waialae Country Club, the Sony Open gives golf fans a rare chance to watch the world's top players in action at this prestigious venue. For those who see themselves as better than your average Sunday golfer, the Open also offers amateurs a chance to join in the fun and play a few holes as locals and celebrities take out their clubs and gather on the greens to compete for prizes and bragging rights. The tournament is also the largest charity golf event in Hawaii, donating over \$26 million to more than 350 local charities in need since Sony took over sponsorship in 1999.

Waialae Country Club is among only 30 to 40 courses nationwide selected to host a sanctioned PGA Tour event. Spectators tune in to see an outstanding lineup of 120 golf professionals compete in a gorgeous location. Waialae stands out because it challenges low-handicap players without disadvantaging high-handicap players, and the event's global reach extends to more than 980 million households across approximately 216 countries and territories through 42 national and international broadcasters. As one of the most international events in the PGA TOUR season, the Sony Open



Canadian pro Nick Taylor won last year's Sony in a playoff, marking his 5th PGA win. See this year's action Jan. 12-18.

After the first two rounds held on Thursday and Friday, a cut is made at the end of the second round. Only the top 65 qualify to play the final two days on Saturday and Sunday. If players are tied for 65th place, they also advance through the cut. Don't miss seeing some of the biggest names in the business compete for their share of the \$9.1 million purse against the stunning backdrop of the Pacific Ocean.

Canadian Nick Taylor earned his fifth PGA TOUR victory in last year's Open after coming from behind to win in the final round on Sunday after a sudden-death playoff with Nico Echavarria after they both tied at -16 at the end of regulation. He became the 11th international player to win the Sony Open in Hawaii. Who will win it this year? Could it be Nick again? There have been five players to win the Open twice, and three of them did win back-to-back, although it's been over a decade since Jimmy Walker did it last in 2014/2015.

The course is also known for players posting record-low scores. In 2017, Justin Thomas was the first player to put up the lowest score for a single round, 36-hole, 54-hole, and 72-hole total. His score of 253 was not only a tournament record but the lowest 72-hole score ever

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Celebrates 10 Years of Live Music!

Blue Note Hawaii marks its 10th anniversary this month, celebrating a decade as Hawaii's premier live music destination. Located in the iconic Outrigger Waikiki Beach Resort, the venue opened on January 14, 2016, in the former Society of Seven showroom, debuting with performances by Kenny G and Jake Shimabukuro. Since then, it has become a cornerstone of the islands' music scene, hosting nightly shows across genres including jazz, Hawaiian, reggae, rock, pop, and comedy.

A Global Legacy with Local Roots

Blue Note Hawaii is part of the renowned Blue Note Entertainment Group, whose flagship New York club has been an international jazz institution for over 44 years. That legendary stage has welcomed icons such as Dizzy Gillespie, Sarah Vaughan, Lionel Hampton, and Oscar Peterson. Building on this legacy, Blue Note has expanded worldwide with venues in Brazil, China, Hollywood, Washington D.C., Tokyo, and Milan—and a London location on the horizon.

Honolulu's Blue Note carries this global brand while embracing Hawaii's unique cultural identity. Since opening, it has presented more than 3,500 performances—averaging over 400 shows annually—making it one of the busiest music and comedy clubs in the Pacific. This consistency has positioned Blue Note Hawaii as a year-round stage for both international stars and local talent.

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Happy
New Year!

Can you believe it's already 2026? Time has a way of sneaking up on us! I'm well into my 26th year sharing *The Oahu Concierge* with you, and my gratitude only grows with each edition. The aloha you show—leis, smiles, and the surprise Christmas gifts at our last gathering—truly warms my heart. Thank you for your generosity and kindness. A special shoutout to everyone who contributed to our food drive: together, we collected 534 pounds of food for the Hawaii Foodbank, providing 445 meals to local families. It feels wonderful to revive our such an important charitable act. I'm thrilled we were able to bring back the food dive that we had done for nearly 20 years pre-COVID, and I hope we can make it a annual event once again going forward. The Foodbank needs our help now more than ever.

Piecing together this issue felt a bit like planning New Year's Eve while still nibbling on Halloween candy. The holiday whirlwind sweeps everyone up, leaving next year's plans a mystery. But one thing we can always count on is the Sony Open. Their contract is up this year, so fingers crossed for a renewal! I never thought I'd be a golf fan, but meeting the players and catching the Sony's excitement up close has made me a convert. Maybe one day I'll swing a club myself, but for now, I'm eager to see what January brings.

I've gathered details on the Open and Blue Note's 10th anniversary for you, and I'm sure even more events will pop up once the holiday glitter settles. I hope you got to experience the dazzling Christmas immersive at the Convention Center and Tiki's wildly festive Christmas Bar—both were an absolute blast! Word is, 'Twas the Light Before Christmas on ICE could be even bigger next year. Is it wrong to wish there was an ice rink at the Convention Center year round?

Wishing each of you a magical Christmas filled with joy, and may Santa deliver every wish on your list.

See you next year!



Deni Ohlsen-Dukic

The *Halekulani* recently announced **Deni Ohlsen-Dukic** as its Executive Assistant Manager. Mr. Ohlsen brings over three decades of extensive international luxury hospitality experience across with him. • **Retail Merchants of Hawaii** has appointed **Dave Erdman** as Interim President & CEO to lead the organization through its transition. A longtime advocate for the industry, Erdman brings over 30 years of involvement with Retail Merchants of Hawaii and previously served as Founder, President, and CEO of PacRim Marketing

Group. • **The Hyatt Regency Waikiki Beach Resort and Spa** welcomes **Richard Taylor** as its new Director of Sales and Marketing. A current Hyatt team member, Richard previously worked at Hyatt Regency Vancouver, setting revenue records and growing market share. With over 13 years in hospitality sales, marketing, and events, he's led teams domestically and internationally. He also held executive roles at Pinnacle Hotel Vancouver Harbourfront and Renaissance Vancouver Harbourside Hotel.



Concierge Events 101: A Mini Tutorial

I know some of you are thinking, "Here she goes again," but stick with me—there are still plenty of new faces who don't know what these events are, and others who aren't taking advantage of them. Maybe you think there's a catch? Spoiler alert: there isn't.

What are Concierge Events?

Concierge Events are FAMs—short for familiarization tours. These experiences give you a chance to try local restaurants, activities, and services firsthand. Why? Because you can't recommend what you don't know! You are fortunate enough to be in an industry where people want you to come experience their establishment firsthand. While everyone knows your primary responsibility is to promote on-property options, guests don't spend their entire trip at the hotel and often ask about off-property experiences. Your knowledge can make a big difference in their stay and satisfaction. And there's a better way to learn about the various restaurants and activities out there than experiencing it yourself.

What's Included?

No two events are alike. It changes every single time. Often you're invited to enjoy food—sometimes a full dinner, sometimes a tasting menu. Drinks may or may not be included. The only cost to you? A tip for your server and anything extra you order beyond what's offered. I'll always share details ahead of time so you know what to expect. And no, attending doesn't mean you have to endorse the venue—but supporting places you love

helps keep these opportunities coming.

RSVP and Attendance

Here's the big one: communication matters. There's only one of me and so many of you! Please respond to invites—even if you can't make it. If you do RSVP and plans change, just let me know. No excuses needed—I get it, life happens. But repeat no-shows will be removed from the list. Seats are limited, and there's often a waiting list. If you cancel, I can let the host know to prepare for less people and then offer your spot to someone waiting in the wings. Grabbing seats and then ghosting leaves your coworkers and the hosts out in the cold—and that's no fun for anyone.

Who's Invited?

It changes each time. If your team didn't get an invite, it's not personal! Each host is looking to reach different audiences and resources are limited. Always concierge ad GSAs, sometimes PBX and Bell, less often sales and management, but it's up to them and I send the invite to those they asked me too. But please, never share the invite outside of your department without asking, it gets very awkward. No one wants to be told they aren't invited.

Ready to Join Us?

These events are a great way to learn, connect, and enjoy some amazing experiences—all while making your job easier. So when the next invite hits your inbox, say yes and come have a fabulous time learning about something new!

EXTRA EXTRA Newsflash

MINI GOLF COURSE NOW OPEN IN THE HEART OF WAIKIKI

Birdie Time Mini Golf has opened its newest location in Waikiki. Featuring a custom-designed course inspired by island life, the venue provides welcoming environment for guests to come have some fun! This addition introduces a distinctive, family-friendly experience in the heart of Honolulu. Located on the Grand Lanai of the International Market Place, it's open from 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. birdietimeminigolf.com.

WAIKIKI'S FIRST CHOCOLATE AND RUM PAIRING EXPERIENCE

Kō Hana Rum and Mānoa Chocolate have launched a unique rum & chocolate tasting event at the new House of Mana Up store on the ground floor of the Royal Hawaiian Center. Visitors can explore items from over 70 local entrepreneurs and enjoy immersive tastings that share Hawai'i's farm stories through four pairings of artisan chocolates with classic rums and Hawaiian cocktails like the Mai Tai and Daiquiri. The store features a glass "lei wall" by North Shore artist Arlie Pemberton that includes 174 hand-blown puakenikeni blossoms, transforming the entrance into a luminous work of art worth the visit itself. ManaUpHawaii.com.

MEET VALORENT, AN 8-FOOT DINOSAUR AT CHOMPEZE

Valorant is a stunningly realistic 8-ft tall fully interactive animatronic dinosaur. He is almost and moves his head, tail, eyelids and even emits authentic sounding roars! Check out the store, Chompeze Dinosaur Experience, on the 2nd floor at IMP and Valorent offers daily shows. @chompeze

THE END OF AN ERA... ALOHA PARADISE COVE

After 47 years, Paradise Cove closed on December 31 to make way for "The Cove," a \$135 million dining, retail, and entertainment complex planned for the 10.9-acre oceanfront property. The new development, Waianiani at The Cove is expected to open in approximately two years. Expect a groundbreaking in 2026.

DUKE'S TO OPEN NEW LOCATION IN WEST OAHU

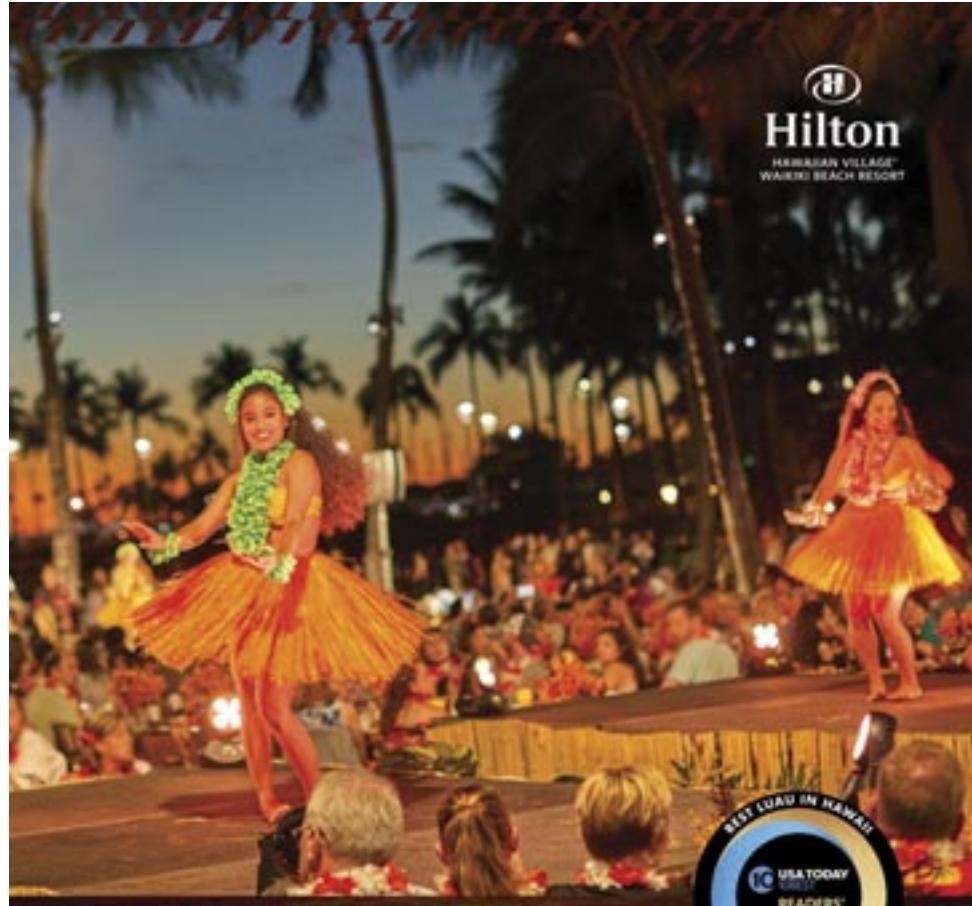
TS Restaurants announced plans to open Duke's at The Cove, featuring open-air dining with sweeping ocean views, seamlessly integrating with Waianiani at The Cove's expected coastal landscape and pedestrian-friendly village walk.

TICKETS ON SALE NOW FOR THE NEW KAULA LUAU IN KO OLINA

The Hawaiian Council will debut Kaula Luau in mid-February at a newly built amphitheater inspired by the Sydney Opera House, located next to Ko Olina Marina. This family-friendly luau offers an immersive Hawaiian, Tahitian, and Samoan storytelling experience. Shows run Friday through Monday at 5:30 p.m. Guest may choose from a cocktail show, or a dinner show catered by Moani Island Grill. Tickets start at \$119. luaukaula.com.

HAWAII NAUTICAL LAUNCHES NEW LUXURY PRIVATE CHARTER

Experience the ultimate ocean adventure with Hawaii Nautical's new private luxury charter from Ko Olina. Perfect for up to six guests, the 38' Boston Whaler 380 Outrage combines cutting-edge features with spacious decks, plush seating, and premium finishes for unmatched comfort and style. Enjoy personalized service, breathtaking views, tropical refreshments as you enjoy your custom itinerary. Prices start under \$1,000. hawaiinautical.com.



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Vintage Books Hawaii, a cozy speakeasy-style restaurant located in the former 3660 on the Rise location, hosted hospitality members to explore its global small-plates menu and craft cocktails, showcasing its seasonal decorations. The bar, cocktail, and dining lounge are all hidden behind a bookstore. Enjoy Happy Hour daily from 4-6pm and 9-11pm. Tequila Tuesdays features specialty margaritas, tequila & mezcal flights with inspired bites. Live music on Wednesdays from 8-10pm. Free validated parking. Follow @vintagebookshawaii.

Sony Open Time

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recorded on the PGA Tour. That score has yet to be beaten to this day, but Ludvig Aberg tied him in 2023, and Scottie Scheffler put up a 253 last year at the 2025 CJ Byron Nelson. It looks as if Thomas is out for the first part of the 2026 Tour as he recovers from back surgery, but time will tell if someone else can beat that score on this Par 70 course in our classic Hawaiian conditions.

If all this golf talk has your guests eager to hit the back nine, Oahu offers a variety of stunning courses at different difficulty levels and scenic settings where you can practice your swing. Locals and travel guides often regard Ko Olina Golf Club as the top golf course on O'ahu. It features a challenging 18-hole championship layout with gorgeous water hazards, multi-tiered greens, and no parallel fairways. Other well-liked courses include Turtle Bay Golf on the North Shore, Coral Creek Golf Course, Hawaii Prince Golf Club in Ewa, and the Waikiki Golf Club. With beautiful scenery and a wide array of courses and difficulty levels, there's likely a perfect fit for every guest, regardless of skill. Watching the Sony Open might even motivate beginners to take a lesson or two while in paradise, where top golfers aspire to play. As Jack Nicklaus famously said, "Don't be too proud to take lessons. I'm not."

Now let's talk parking, there really isn't any nearby. There is no public parking at the Waialae Country Club, and street parking is limited. Spectators can enjoy free parking from Thursday, January 15 through Sunday, January 18, 2026, at Kahala Community Park. Please be aware that public parking is unavailable from Monday to Wednesday. We encourage tournament attendees to utilize public transit, ridesharing, carpooling, or to park on nearby streets while adhering to all street signs and no-parking regulations.

A complimentary shuttle bus operates between Kahala Community Park (located at the corner of Pueo Street and Moa Street) and the intersection of Kealaolu and Kahala Avenues. For disabled or handicapped spectators, the designated drop-off point is the Pro Shop parking lot next to the main entrance.

Another option is to hop onto the official Sony Open Trolley for the easiest ride to the course. Operated by the Waikiki Trolley, they offer one way and round-trip tickets. Tickets are \$10 one-way and \$15 for a round-trip ticket. Prices

are the same for adults and children, kids 2 and under ride for free. Shuttle tickets do not need to be purchased online but drivers accept cash only, so if guests plan to pay by credit card, it is recommended they purchase their tickets online instead. Online bookings are instant for shuttle only tickets, and tickets can be purchased just a few minutes before boarding. The shuttle will make stops at the Prince Waikiki, Ka Lai Waikiki Beach, Waikiki Shopping Plaza, Duke Kahanamoku Statue, Honolulu Zoo/Waikiki Beach (ocean side), and the Waialae Country Club. Expect the trolleys to be packed during the prime days, especially during the mornings. The first shuttle may be full, and you might have to wait for the next one. It is recommended that guests arrive a little earlier than the scheduled pick-up time, especially at the first 3 stops and at the Waikiki Shopping Plaza hop on the trolley at that stop.

Please remind your guests to review the bag policy before heading to the Sony. There will be no bag check at the tournament. Only bags smaller than 6" x 6" x 6", clear bags smaller than 12" x 6" x 12", diaper bags and medically necessary bags will be allowed in. Camera cases, backpacks, binocular cases, tote bags, seat cushions and



The Waikiki Trolley offers a dedicated Sony Open Shuttle throughout the tournament.

folding chair bags are prohibited.

Daily admission tickets are \$40 and available online and at the gate during tournament week. Season badges are \$100 and grant access all week. All military and dependents are admitted free with a military ID. For those seeking an upgraded experience, check out the Sweet 16 Chalet at Waialae's #16, a shared hospitality venue on Waialae's iconic "W" hole, that offers an elevated dining experience with gourmet dishes from G.LION HAWAII, including options from Hy's Steak House, SOLERA, and Quiora. Each hospitality badge includes tournament admission and access to the Sweet 16 Chalet for the day with a gourmet bento box, soft drinks, and two glasses of wine or beer. Tickets are \$265 (Thursday or Friday) or \$290 (Saturday or Sunday). sonyopeninhawaii.com

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10 Years of Music

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Bringing the World to Waikiki



Macy Gray is one of the many Grammy Winners to take the stage here in Hawaii. Photo by Erik Kabik.

Because of its global reputation, Blue Note Hawaii attracts artists who previously bypassed the islands. International jazz and soul icons such as Chick Corea, Marcus Miller, Robert Glasper, Chris Botti, Kenny G, and Eric Benét have graced its stage. Legendary vocalists and Grammy winners including Macy Gray, Lisa Fischer, Brian McKnight, and Tower of Power have also performed, making the venue a magnet for world-class talent.

Championing Hawaiian Music and Culture

Blue Note Hawaii is more than a showcase for global artists—it is a vital platform for Hawai'i's own musicians. Each month, the club curates a mix of homegrown talent, from Hawaiian music and island reggae to singer-songwriters and rising indie artists. It presents more local musicians than any other Blue Note worldwide, offering them the same stage, sound quality, and promotional support as international headliners.

For many Hawai'i artists, Blue Note serves as a professional showcase venue where they debut albums, celebrate milestones, and connect with fans from around the world. The club provides access to world-class audio engineering, HD multi-camera video capture, and experienced production crews. Local legends such as Jake Shimabukuro, Henry Kapono, and Robert Cazimero have headlined numerous sold-out shows, making Blue Note one of their most successful recurring stages.

This commitment reflects the aloha spirit—welcoming global audiences while sharing the stories and sounds that define Hawai'i's cultural identity. By elevating local voices alongside international icons, Blue Note Hawaii strengthens cultural pride and fosters a vibrant exchange of traditions.

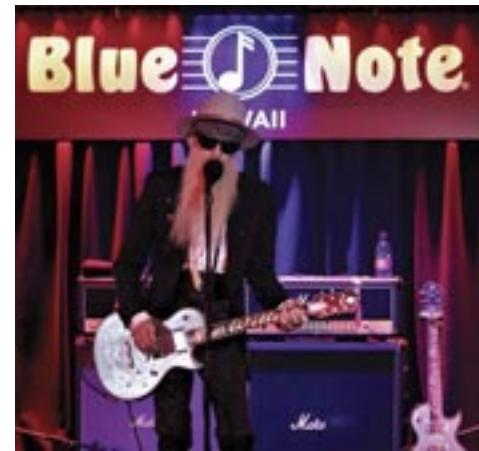
Celebrating with Josh Tatofi

To celebrate its 10th anniversary, Blue Note Hawaii will host two unforgettable nights headlined by award-winning Hawaiian music artist Josh Tatofi on January 16 and 17. A multi-time Nā Hōkū Hanohano Award winner and Grammy nominee, Tatofi has become one of the venue's most in-demand performers, frequently selling out multiple-night runs.

"No one embodies the heart of Hawai'i's music today like Josh Tatofi," said Steven Bensusan, President of Blue Note Hawaii. "It's only fitting that he takes the stage to mark this milestone anniversary. His voice, artistry and deep connection to the islands represent everything we strive to celebrate."

Looking Ahead: A New Era

"OUTRIGGER has been incredibly blessed to host this world-class entertainment venue in the OUTRIGGER Waikiki Beach Resort for nearly a decade," says Sean Dee, EVP and Chief



ZZ Tops Billy Gibbons is another regular at Blue Note Hawaii. Photo by Alden Fukushima.

Commercial Officer. "We are looking forward to extending our partnership with Blue Note Hawaii in this famous showroom for the next decade to come."

As Blue Note Hawaii enters its second decade, it stands as more than a music venue, it's a place where the rhythms of Hawai'i meet the sounds of the world. Its commitment to showcasing local talent alongside global icons has created a space where traditions thrive, innovation flourishes, and the aloha spirit resonates with every note — one unforgettable performance at a time. Watch their website to see what's next. bluenotehawaii.com



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

Live Contemporary & Hawaiian
The Barefoot Boys 5:30-8:30pm

Chart House **941-6669**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Kamaka Camarillo (or others) 6-9pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki **922-2268**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Paul Dunlap (or Grace Welton) 4:30-6:30pm

Bryan & Halekahu 7:30pm
Ellsworth Simeona 9:30-12am

Hard Rock Cafe **955-7383**

Contemporary Rock or Production duo
ODDible 8-10pm

Heydey at the White Sands **475-6864**

Contemporary Rock
Laupepa Letuli 7-9pm

House Without a Key **923-2311**

Hawaiian music & hula by former Miss Hawaii Allison Chu
Pa'ahana Trio 5-8pm

Mike Tulba 8:15-10pm

Hula Grill **923-4852**

Live Contemporary Hits
Keoni Ku (or others) 2-4pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille **924-4992**

Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
Sean Na'auao 6-9pm

Lewers Lounge **923-2311**

Jazz Pianist
Johnny Kukui 8-10:30pm

Mahi'ai Table **670-2778**

Live Contemporary
Jenna Keala 5-8pm

Mai Tai Bar at Ala Moana **947-2900**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Mark Caldeira 7-10pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian **923-7311**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Brad Kawakami 11am-2pm

Mark Caldeira 8-10pm

Maui Brewing Company **843-2739**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Randy Allen 8-10:30pm

Merriman's Honolulu **215-0022**

Live Slack Key guitarist
Ruth & Norm Foster 5:30-7:30pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina **381-4086**

Live music 3x a day
Jason Midro 12:30-2:30pm

Lana (or others) 3:30-5pm
Sienna Souza 7-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki **900-4226**

Live music 3x a day
Pono 12:30-2:30pm

Shawn Garnett 3:30-5pm
Dustin Park 7-9pm

Roys Hawaii Kai

Live Contemporary Hits
Nick La'a 4:30-6:30pm

Rumfire

Live Contemporary Hits
Christian Yrizarry 6-9pm

Signature Prime Steak

Contemporary Pianist in the bar
Keith Montross 6-9pm

Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani **921-4600**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Lovejack 6-9pm

Swell at the Alohilani

Solo Contemporary Guitarist
Kamuela Kahoano 6:30-9:30pm

The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Jesse Kuikahi 3:30-6:30pm

The Edge at the Sheraton

Live Hawaiian Music
Stephen Inglis (1/12 - Paul Dunlap Jr.) 1-4pm

AJ Keolanui 4:30-7:30pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar

Live Contemporary
Derrick Lee 1-3pm
Mike Piranha 5:30-7:30pm
Savannah Fliers 8-10pm

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

Live Contemporary
Keith Batlin 1-3pm

TUESDAY**Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach**

Backyard Hawaiian
Ben Kama & Kimo Baker 5:30-8:30pm

Chart House

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Hernan & Darin 6:30-9:30pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Walt Keale Duo 4:30-6:30pm
Stephen Inglis 9:30-12am
Duva (1/27) 9:30-12am

House Without a Key

Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Hawaii '24 Hayley Kane
Delima Ohana (or others) 5-8pm
Johnny Kukui 8:15-10pm

Hula Grill

Contemporary Hawaiian
Kawika Kahiafo 2-4pm

Hula's Lei Stand

New Orleans Blues and Jazz
Cajun Peaches 6-9pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille

Highlighting the Henry Kapono Foundation "On the Rise" artist series the first Tuesday of every month.
Ryan Hooley 5-7pm

396-7697

Kala'e Camarillo 6-9pm

Lewers Lounge

Jazz Pianist 923-2311

Mahi'ai Table

Tommy James (1/6 - Ethan Capone) 8-10:30pm
Keoni Ku 5-8pm

Mahina & Sun's

Electrifying Acoustic on the Lanai
Kokonut Point 6-8:30pm

Mai Tai Bar at Ala Moana

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Aaron Ono (or others) 4-7pm
Sam Kapu III (or others) 8-11pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Liam Moleta 11am-2pm
YOZA (1/6-Johny Helm) 6-9pm

Maui Brewing Company

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Mike Piranha 8-10:30pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina

Live music 3x a day
Tehani & Sidney Spencer 12:30-2:30pm
Pono 3:30-5pm
Soul Purpose 7-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki

Live music 3x a day
Chris Murphy 12:30-2:30pm
Tiare and Keala 3:30-5pm
John Akapo 7-9pm

Queensbreak at the Marriott

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Christian Yrizarry 6-9pm

Roy's Hawaii Kai

Live Local Contemporary Hawaiian
Mike Tulba 4:30-6:30pm

Rumfire

Live Contemporary Hits
Dave Watanabe 6-9pm

Signature Prime Steak

Contemporary Pianist in the bar
Keith Montross 6-9pm

Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani **921-4600**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Kosuke 6-9pm

Swell at the Alohilani

Solo Contemporary Hawaiian
Lovejack 6-9:30pm

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Live Contemporary Hawaiian
Stephen Inglis 3:30-6:30pm
Alex Oasay 7-10pm

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Live Hawaiian Music
YOZA 1-4pm
Johnny Kukui 4:30-7:30pm

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Tiki's Grill & Bar

Live Contemporary

Keone 1-3pm

Eddie Somera (or Johnny Helm) 5:30-7:30pm

Lindsey Wells 8-10pm

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

Live Contemporary

Ben Kama 1-3pm

923-TIKI

Live Contemporary Hits

Kamuela Kahoano 6-9pm

466-2629

Moani Waikiki

Contemporary Hawaiian/Country Music

AJ Keolanui 7-10pm

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Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki

Live music 3x a day

Kailua Moon 12:30-2:30pm

Jasmin Nicole 3:30-5pm

Chante 7-9pm

396-7697

Roy's Hawaii Kai

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Maui Manahoe 4:30-6:30pm

921-4600

Rumfire

Live Contemporary Hits

Jesse Kuikahi 6-9pm

949-3636

Signature Prime Steak

Contemporary Pianist in the bar

Pierre Grill 6-9pm

921-4600

Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Brad Kawakami 6-9pm

294-4108

Swell at the Alohilani

Solo Contemporary Guitarist

Eddie Somera 6-9:30pm

922-3111

The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Alika Souza 3:30-6:30pm

Simple Souls 7-10pm

921-4600

The Edge at the Sheraton

Live Hawaiian Music

Kupu Dalire Na'aao 1-4pm

Dave Watanabe 4:30-7:30pm

923-TIKI

Tiki's Grill & Bar

Live Contemporary

Derrick Lee 1-3pm

Hula w/ Malu Productions 5:30-7:30pm

Malu Productions 8-10pm

949-4321

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

Live Contemporary

Randy Allen 1-3pm

David Swanson 6:30-10pm

921-4600

Vintage 1901 at the Moana

Contemporary Piano

Stephen Inglis (1/14-Keoni Ku) 11am-2pm

Johnny Valentine (or others) 6-9pm

THURSDAY

Maui Brewing Company

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Scott Magz & Ethan Nash 8:10:30pm

Merriman's Honolulu

Live Contemporary

Kamaka Camarillo 5:30-7:30pm

MINA's Fish House

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Ala Moana Center 6:30-9:30pm

843-2739

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach

Live Contemporary & Hawaiian

Ala Moana Center 5:30-8:30pm

215-0022

Chart House

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Tito Berinobis 6:30-9:30pm

679-0079

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

922-2268

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15th ANNIVERSARY



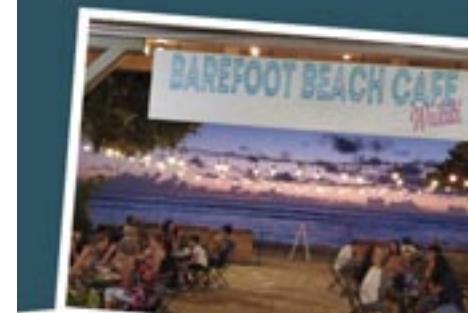
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Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Duva (or others) 4:30-6:30pm
 Gabriel Goes (or others) 7:9-30pm
 Scott Magz 9:30-12am

Eating House 1849 Waikiki **924-1849**

Live Traditional Hawaiian
 Shane Kainoa 5:30-8:30pm

House Without a Key **923-2311**

Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Universe '97 Brook Lee

Walea 5-8pm
 Bronson Varde 8:15-10pm

Hula Grill **923-4852**

Contemporary Guitarist
 YOZA (or Uluwehi Young) 2-4pm

Hula's Lei Stand **923-0669**

Contemporary Guitarist
 YOZA 6-9pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille **924-4992**

Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians
 Sean Na'auao 6-9pm

Lewers Lounge **923-2311**

Jazz Pianist
 Ethan Capone & Rocky Holmes 8:30pm-12am

Mahi'ai Table **670-2778**

Live Contemporary
 Alex Oasay 5-8pm

Mahina & Sun's **923-8882**

Hawaiian Contemporary on the Lanai
 Kelly Boy DeLima 6-8:30pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian **923-7311**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Christian Yrizarry 11am-2pm

Stephen Inglis (1/15- Drew Henmi) 8-10pm

Maui Brewing Company **843-2739**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Sean Cleland 8-10:30pm

Maui Brewing Kailua **518-2739**

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Grace Welton (or others) 6-8pm

Merriman's Honolulu **215-0022**

Live Contemporary
 John Kema 5:30-7:30pm

MINA's Fish House **679-0079**

Live Contemporary Hits
 Jesse Kuikahi 6-9pm

Moani Waikiki **466-2629**

Contemporary Island Music
 Allan 7-10pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina **381-4086**

Live music 3x a day
 Jesse Kuikahi (or others) 12:30-2pm

Nick Wong (or others) 3:30-5pm

Chante Duo 7-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki **900-4226**

Live music 3x a day
 The Mauve 12:30-2:30pm

Bronson Varde 3:30-5pm

Javin Kai 7-9pm

Queensbreak at the Marriott

Live Contemporary
 Cory Oliveros 6-9pm

Roy's Hawaii Kai

Live Hawaiian Contemporary
 Hoku Zuttermeister 4:30-6:30pm

Rumfire

Live Contemporary Hits
 Brad Kawakami 6-9pm

Signature Prime Steak

Contemporary Pianist in the bar
 Grant Carvalho 6-9pm

Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Tad Jennings 3-6pm

Kaimi Hananoeau 6-9pm

Stripsteak

Live Contemporary
 Jason Laeha 6-9pm

Swell at the Alohilani

Solo Contemporary Guitarist with dancer
 Keoni Ku 6-9:30pm

Alika Souza (1/22) 6-9:30pm

The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Christian Yrizarry (or others) 3:30-6:30pm

Kaimi Hananoeau 7-10pm

The Edge at the Sheraton

Live Hawaiian Music
 Alika Souza 1-4pm

Chris Salvador 4:30-7:30pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar

Live Contemporary
 Roddy Lopez 1-3pm

Johnny Helm 5:30-7:30pm

Roots Kai 8-10pm

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

Live Contemporary
 Jegaan 1-3pm

Vintage 1901 at the Moana

Contemporary Piano
 David Swanson 6:30-10pm

Ginny Tiu (12/25) 6:30-10pm

FRIDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Art Kalahiki & Friends 5:30-8:30pm

Chart House

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 TJ 4:15-7:15pm

BK & Friends 8-11pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki

Live Contemporary Hawaiian
 Maunalua 4-6pm

Kawaika Kahiau 7-9:30pm

Randy Allen 9:30-12am

Hard Rock Café

922-6611

396-7697

921-4600

949-3636

896-2545

294-4108

922-3111

921-4600

923-TIKI

949-4321

921-4600

924-2233

941-6669

922-2268

955-7383

Live Contemporary

Psycho Tropical (or others) 8:30-10:30pm

House Without a Key

923-2311

Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Hawaii '73 Kanoe Miller

Sunset Serenaders 5-8pm

Tad Jennings 8:15-10pm

Hula Grill

923-4852

Hula's Lei Stand

923-0669

Kalau 6-9pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille

924-4992

Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians

Ka Hehena 6-9pm

Lewers Lounge

923-2311

Jazz Pianist

Maggie Herron & Dean Taba 8pm-12am

Mahi'ai Table

670-2778

Live Contemporary

Eddie Somera 5-8pm

Mahina & Sun's

923-8882

Slack Key on the Lanai

Jeff Rasmussen 6:8:30pm

Mai Tai Bar at Ala Moana

947-2900

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Aaron Ono (or Paul Dunlap Jr.) 4-7pm

Every Day Aloha Band (or others) 8:30-11pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian

923-7311

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Brandon Serrano 11am-2pm

Johnny III 6-9pm

Maui Brewing Company

843-2739

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Keith Batlin (or Deah & Duva) 8:10-30pm

Maui Brewing Kailua

518-2739

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Randy Allen (or others) 6-8pm

Merriman's Honolulu

215-0022

Live Contemporary

Matt Cockey 3-5pm

Stephen Harris 5:30-7:30pm

MINA's Fish House

679-0079

Live Contemporary Hits

Jenna Keala 6-9pm

Moani Waikiki

466-2629

Traditional Hawaiian Trio

Keolu 6-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina

381-4086

Live music 3x a day

Noe (or others) 12:30-2pm

Lance Reid 3:30-5pm

John Akapo 7-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki

900-4226

Live music 3x a day

Freddy Leone 12:30-2:30pm

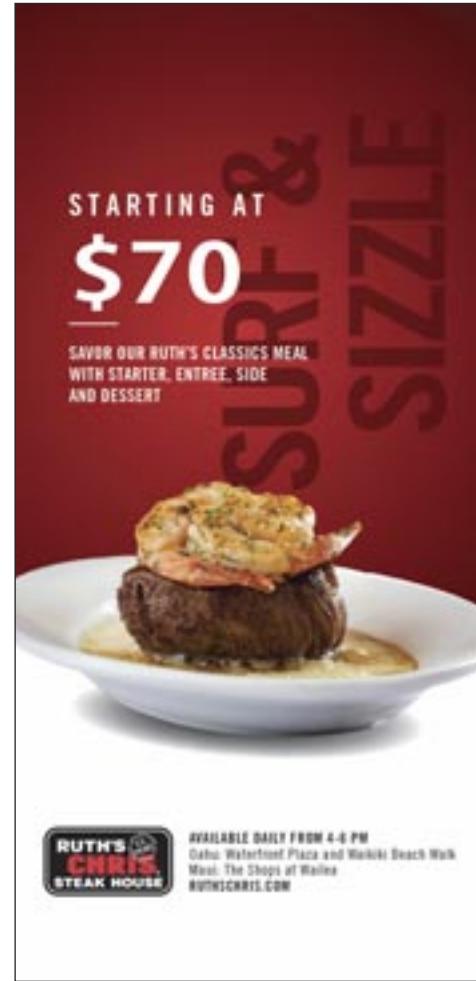
Nick Wong 3:30-5pm

Izik (or others) 7-9pm

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Original Magoos Pizza	949-5381	Ells Simeona w/hula Sean Cleland	7:30pm 9:30-12am	Solo Country Buck Giles	5:30-8:30pm
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>					
Ernie Kanoa	5:30-8:30pm				
Queensbreak at the Marriott	922-6611	Hard Rock Cafe	955-7383	Queensbreak at the Marriott	922-6611
<i>Live Contemporary</i>		<i>Live Contemporary</i>		<i>Live Contemporary</i>	
Johnny Kukui	6-9pm	Tad Jennings	8:30-10:30pm	Kalau Crisotomo	6-9pm
Rumfire	921-4600	House Without a Key	923-2311	Rumfire	921-4600
<i>Live Contemporary Hits</i>		<i>Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Hawaii '73 Kanoe Miller</i>		<i>Live Contemporary Hits</i>	
Stephen Inglis	4:30-7:30pm	Sunset Serenaders	5-8pm	YOZA	4:30-7:30pm
Paul Dunlap, Jr. (1/23)	4:30-7:30pm	Eddie Somera	8:15-10pm	Bronson Varde	8:10-30pm
Drew Henmi	8:10-30pm				
Signature Prime Steak	949-3636	Hula Grill	923-4852	Signature Prime Steak	949-3636
<i>Contemporary Pianist in the bar</i>		<i>Contemporary Rock</i>		<i>Contemporary Pianist in the bar</i>	
Keith Montross	6-9pm	Kamaka Camarillo (or others)	2-4pm	Keith Montross	6-9pm
Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani	921-4600	Hula's Lei Stand	923-0669	Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani	921-4600
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian, DJ KK/Jem spins from 1-4p</i>		<i>Contemporary Guitarist</i>		<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian, DJ spins from 1-4p</i>	
Ben Kama Duo & Dancer	4:30-7:30pm	Johnny III	6-9pm	Brad Kawakami Duo & Dancer	4:30-7:30pm
Johnny Helm	7:45-9:45pm			Tangi Tully	8-10pm
Stripsteak	896-2545	Kani Ka Pila Grille	924-4992	Stripsteak	896-2545
<i>Live Contemporary</i>		<i>Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians</i>		<i>Live Contemporary</i>	
Shane Kainoa	6-9pm	Ho'okena	6-9pm	Dustin Park	6-9pm
The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider	922-3111	Lewers Lounge	923-2311	The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider	922-3111
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		<i>Jazz Pianist</i>		<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>	
Chris Salvador	12-3pm	Maggie Herron & Dean Taba	8-10:30pm	Brad Kawakami	12-3pm
Kailua Moon	3:30-6:30pm			Bronson Varde (or others)	3:30-6:30pm
Kamuela Kahoano	7-10pm			Koa Atwood	7-10pm
The Edge at the Sheraton	921-4600	Mahi'ai Table	670-2778	The Edge at the Sheraton	921-4600
<i>Live Hawaiian Music</i>		<i>Live Contemporary</i>			
Christian Yrizarry	1-4pm	Danielle Parente	5-8pm		
Brad Kawakami	4:30-7:30pm				
The Grove at the Modern Pool Deck	943-5800	Mai Tai Bar at Ala Moana	947-2900		
<i>Live Contemporary</i>		<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>			
Justin Edwards	2-5pm	John Fearly Trio (or others)	4-7pm		
The Veranda at the Kahala Hotel	739-8760	Last Minute Band (or others)	9:30-11pm		
<i>Live Contemporary</i>					
Johnny Valentine	6-10pm	Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian	923-7311		
Tiki's Grill & Bar	923-TIKI	<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>			
<i>Live Contemporary</i>		Alika Souza	11am-2pm		
Keone	1-3pm	Dave Watanabe	6-9pm		
BK Espiritu	5:30-7:30pm	Maui Brewing Company	843-2739		
Scott and Koko	8-10pm	<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>			
Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian	949-4321	Ben Kama Duo (or others)	8-10:30pm		
<i>Live Contemporary</i>		Maui Brewing Kailua	518-2739		
Mike Piranha	1-3pm	<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>			
Vintage 1901 at the Moana	921-4600	Scott Magz (or Dion "Boogie" Scott)	7-9pm		
<i>Contemporary Piano</i>		Merriman's Honolulu	215-0022		
David Swanson	6:30-10pm	<i>Live Contemporary</i>			
		Kapu Copp	5:30-7:30pm		
SATURDAY		MINA's Fish House	679-0079		
Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach	924-2233	<i>Live Contemporary Hits</i>			
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		Alex Oasay	6-9pm		
Ernie Kanoa	5:30-8:30pm	Moani Waikiki	466-2629		
Chart House	941-6669	<i>Live Contemporary</i>			
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		Gil Bitanga	6-9pm		
Hi'ilalo	7-11pm	Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina	381-4086		
Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki	922-2268	<i>Live music 3x a day</i>			
<i>Live Contemporary Hawaiian</i>		Sierra Lucia	12:30-2pm		
Beach 5 (or others)	4-6pm	Javin Kai	3:30-5pm		
		Izik	7-9pm		
		Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki	900-4226		
		<i>Live music 3x a day</i>			
		Randy Allen	12:30-2pm		
		Pono	3:30-5pm		
		Javin Kai (or others)	7-9pm		
		Original Magoos Pizza	949-5381		



AVAILABLE DAILY FROM 4-8 PM
Oahu: Waterfront Plaza and Waikiki Beach Walk
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Live Hawaiian Music

Justin Edwards 1-4pm
Eddie Somera 4:30-7:30pm

The Grove at the Modern Pool Deck

943-5800

Live Contemporary

Andy Vibe 4-7pm

The Veranda at the Kahala Hotel

739-8760

Live Contemporary

Cory Oliveros 6-10pm
Jeremy Hirokawa (1/3) 6-10pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar

923-TIKI

Live Contemporary

Tangi 1-3pm
Roots Kai 5:30-7:30pm
Phil Schneider 8-10pm

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

949-4321

Live Contemporary

Darrell Aquino 1-3pm

Vintage 1901 at the Moana

921-4600

Contemporary Piano

David Swanson 6:30-10pm

SUNDAY

Barefoot Beach Café at Queen's Beach

924-2233

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Ben Kama 10am-1pm
Art Kalahiki 5:30-8:30pm

Chart House

941-6669

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Paka 10:30am-1:30pm

Dean & Tito 6:15-9:15pm

Duke's Canoe Club Waikiki

922-2268

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Henry Kapono 4-6pm

Alex Kawakama Band (1/25) 4-6pm

Kaiona Duo 7-9:30pm

Tad Jennings 9:30-12am

Hard Rock Cafe

955-7383

Contemporary Rock

Allie and the Waves 8-10pm

Hau Tree Lanai

921-7066

Live Contemporary music

Izik 2:30-5pm

House Without a Key

923-2311

Hawaiian music & hula by Miss Universe '97 Brook Lee

Pu'uhonua Trio 5-8pm

Jason Midro 8:15-10pm

Hula Grill

923-4852

Contemporary Rock with Hula

Stephen Inglis (or others) 2-4pm

Kani Ka Pila Grille

924-4992

Hoku Award Winning Hawaiian musicians

Nathan Aweau 6-9pm

La Hiki Restaurant at the Four Seasons

679-0079

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Jenna Keala (1/4 - Kamuela Kahoano) 11am-2:30pm

Lewers Lounge

923-2311

Jazz Pianist

Nick La'a 8-10:30pm

Mahi'ai Table

Live Contemporary

Johnny III 5-8pm

Mai Tai Bar at the Royal Hawaiian

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

Denny Ono & Kanoe Arola 11am-2pm

Christian Yrizarry 6-9pm

Maui Brewing Company

Live Contemporary

Jason Laeha 8-10:30pm

Merriman's Honolulu

Live Contemporary Piano

Grant Carvalho 5:30-7:30pm

Moani Waikiki

Contemporary Island/Reggae

Dustin Park 7-10pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Ko Olina

Live music 3x a day

Kush 12:30-2:30pm

Sierra Lucia 3:30-5pm

Teanu (or others) 7-9pm

Monkeypod Kitchen Waikiki

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Randy Allen (or others) 12:30-2:30pm

Koa Inna Vision 3:30-5pm

Soul Purpose 7-9pm

Original Magoos Pizza

Kanikapila Night

Leonard Jenkins & Joe Chang 5:30-8:30pm

Queensbreak at the Marriott

Live Contemporary

Stephen Inglis 6-9pm

Denny Ono (1/11) 6-9pm

Roy's Hawaii Kai

Live Hawaiian Contemporary

Kanikapila Sunday 4:30 - 6:30pm

Rumfire

Live Contemporary Hits

Jenna Keala 4:30-7:30pm

Alex Oasay 8-10:30pm

Signature Prime Steak

Contemporary Pianist in the bar

Keith Montross 6-9pm

Splash Bar at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani 921-4600

Live Contemporary Hawaiian - DJ Mau spins from 1-4pm

Kailua Moon & Dancer 4:30-7:30pm

Mark Murray & Dancer (1/18) 4:30-7:30pm

Chris Luke 7:45-9:45pm

Swell at the Alohilani

DJ KK Spins Poolside from 2-5 pm

Jason Laeha 4:30-7:30p

The Beach Bar at the Moana Surfrider

Live Contemporary Hawaiian

YOZA 1-4pm

Keoni Ku 3:30-6:30pm

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The Grove at the Modern Pool Deck

943-5800

Live Contemporary

Mike Tulba 3-6pm

Tiki's Grill & Bar

923-TIKI

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Joe Kingston 1-3pm

Ellsworth Simeona 5:30-7:30pm

Kelandy Diaz 8-10pm

Tropics Bar at the Hilton Hawaiian

949-4321

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Anna O'Brien's 946-5190

Deck 931-4488

Hard Rock Cafe 955-7383

Irish Rose Saloon 947-3414

Kelley O'Neil's 926-1777

Lucky Strike Honolulu 664-1140

Off the Wall 593-2337

Tommy Bahama 923-8785

The Capital Grille Hawaii has rolled out Capital Hours, its sophisticated spin on happy hour, every day from 4 to 6 p.m. in Waikiki. Sip on signature cocktails for \$12 or a \$9 wines, and graze on chef-inspired small plates in the bar area. Most bites fall between \$10 to \$20, like the sliced dry-aged NY Strip for \$20 or their famous cheeseburger for \$28. I tried the

Mushroom Truffle Arancini for \$15 and was instantly hooked! 762-0020. • While we're on the subject of happy hours,

Heydey Tiki Bar at the White Sands is a true hidden gem. I could easily spend an afternoon swaying on a swing, sipping \$8 to \$10 drinks, and nibbling on Gooey Cheesy Toast for \$7 or Grilled Coconut Shrimp for \$14. Their happy hour

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stretches daily from noon to 6 p.m. • The Zetton Group keeps the momentum going with **Botanico**, an urban Italian oasis tucked into the ground floor of Waikiki Shopping Plaza. The menu is a treasure trove: I fell for the Moussaka with Pinsa Bread (\$16), Beet & Cauliflower Hummus (\$14), House Bolognese (\$28), and the generous Burrata & Tomato (\$26), perfect for sharing. Botanico's Greek Moussaka is a delightful twist, and their lunch curries are already calling me back. Kama'aina can enjoy 20% off lunch and 10% off dinner with a Hawaii State ID. Lunch is served from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., happy hour from 2 to 6 p.m., and dinner from 5 to 10 p.m. daily. • Over in Hawaii Kai, **Heavenly Island Lifestyle**'s breakfast is such a hit that it's now served all day. Their expanded lunch and dinner menus tempt with dishes like the Chirashi Unagi Bowl Set (\$30), Sukiyaki and US Wagyu Beef Combo (\$25), Chivito Steak Sandwich (\$24), and Prime Rib (\$55). • I was recently invited downtown to explore **Olohana Brewpub by Kalihi Beer**, and chat with its founder, *Chris Cook*. Chris started brewing beer on his lanai 18 years ago with a homebrew kit from his brother-in-law. That hobby blossomed into a 2,600-square-foot modern brewery in the heart of Honolulu's Chinatown, complete with four 20-barrel fermenters. Olohana serves up inventive takes on classic brews, paired with chef-driven cuisine in a relaxed setting. The current menu features small bites like Truffled Deviled Eggs (\$15), Pizzas (\$27), and crave-worthy Mexican food on Tuesdays. With a new chef on board, as you'll read in Chef's Corner, expect fresh menu surprises soon. The drinks, brewed in-house, rotate often, and their housemade frozen slushies (Lilikoi Margarita and Pina Colada) are a must-try. Swing by for Happy Hour Monday through Friday from 4 to 6 p.m. 220-2042 • If you are a fan of **Hoku's**, you best get a reservation in soon. Although no closing date has been announced at press time, we all know the end is near as **Chef Alan Wong** prepares to open **Alan Wong's at the Kahala** in the next few months. It sounds as if they are still taking reservations through January, but February is currently on hold. That means there may only four more opportunities to have that fabulous Sunday Brunch buffet. 739-8760.



Chef's Corner

Olohana Brew Pub Chef Damian Early

Damien Early brings with him over 15 years of experience in the food & beverage industry, specializing in menu creation, quality control, and team leadership. His culinary career has taken him from Italian Bistros and British pubs in California to Hawaii where he began working in the hotel world at the Hilton, before moving onto the Hard Rock, the Outrigger Canoe Club, Off the Wall, The Deck at Queen Kapiolani, a preschool, giving him a great deal of insight into nutrition count, and then taking that knowledge to Kahala Nui. He is excited to explore the possibilities of creating a menu for a brewery.

What is your first childhood food memory?

I remember my Nonna teaching me how to cook in her kitchen. She and my Auntie taught me how to make pasta.

When did you know you wanted to be a chef and how did you make that happen?

I learned to cook with family and on the job. I studied culinary arts at the Institute of Technology in Roseville, Calif., and 21 years later, here I am.

Who would you consider your mentor?

The Food Network was the best mentor – you can't beat having access to all those incredible teachers.

What was your first job in the industry?

I was 15 years old and started as a host at Kings Family Restaurant. I also worked there as a bus boy, prep cook, and occasionally, I got to cook.

What did you learn from that experience?

To have a lot of patience in the kitchen.

You've worked at restaurants, hotels, private clubs, retirement homes.. What did you learn?

Working in retirement homes taught me the importance of paying very close attention to how you prep, cook and serve, because even a small mistake can have a big impact on someone who is medically vulnerable.

What are you looking forward to creating at the brewery?

I'm excited to help create an experience. With Olohana Brewpub, we have a unique opportunity to add to the vibrant mix of cuisine available in Chinatown.

Do you have any plans for the menu?

Founder and CEO Chris Cook is focused on elevating the standard pub menu by offering high-quality tapas, hand-tossed pizzas and small bites that pair well with his selection of craft beer on tap (we have four 20-barrel fermenters on site). I'd like to add some easily sharable, well-loved snacks like fresh-baked Challah (a braided bread), and rotating specials. We're creating a dynamic menu that takes our guests on a creative culinary journey.

How did you get from Pennsylvania to Hawaii?

My best friend and I took an Amtrak trip across the U.S., and I landed in California, where I lived for about 20 years. I've been in Hawaii for the past 12 years.

What do you like most about living here?

I've met all different kinds of people – it's a beautiful thing. Also, the ocean is within walking distance from my place.

What do you miss most about the mainland?

Having Latin food at my fingertips.

What's your favorite restaurant in town?

My favorite restaurant is my home kitchen; I'm picky about who cooks my food.

What do you like to do on your days off?

After catching up on sleep, I grab ingredients for cooking, and of course I'll visit the beach.

Any other information you want to share?

I look forward to bringing happiness and great food to everyone who visits Olohana Brewpub. Also, our Hoppy Hour launched in November and features \$6 house pints; \$6 slices; and \$8 wine from 4-6 p.m. weekdays.

Fresh Catch Ceviche



Ingredients:

1 lb. fish	5 oz. serrano
6 oz. cucumber	1 avocado
6 oz. tomato	½ cup citrus juice
4 oz. red onion	¼ cup Big Island Honey
4 oz. cilantro	Salt and pepper to taste

Directions:

Combine and allow to sit for 30-40 minutes. Adjust seasoning as needed. Serve with 6 pc. flour tortilla fried to order.

Olohana Brewpub by Kalihi Beer is located downtown at 96 North King Street
 Open: Tues. - Sat. 11 - 9pm • Sunday 11 - 7pm • Hoppy Hour: 4 - 6pm
 Phone: (808) 200-2042 • Web: olahanabrewpub.com • IG: @kalihibeer

JANUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Continuing Events

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

Honoring the rich history and sense of place of the International Market Place through song & dance, beginning at sunset with the lighting of the Lamakū Torch Tower on Kalākaua Avenue and leads to the Queen's Court. Free. 6 p.m. shopinternationalmarketplace.com.

TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY ARTS AT MARKS LATEST EXHIBIT

Don't miss the latest monthly exhibit at the Arts at Marks, and be sure to stop by and meet the artists at Pau Hana Friday on the first and final

Friday of the month from 5 - 8 p.m. Open Tues-Sat. 12 - 5 p.m. artsatmarks.com.

THIRD WEDNESDAY (JANUARY 21) KAIWI'ULA NIGHT MARKET

The Kaiwi'ula Night Market takes place at the Bishop Museum every third Wednesday. It's a new monthly opportunity to gather, enjoy good eats and amazing crafts from a rotating list of local vendors. bishopmuseum.org.

WEDNESDAYS, SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ALOHA STADIUM SWAP MEET

The Aloha Stadium Swap Meet has been going strong since 1979, but recently relocated to the Upper Halawa Parking Lot. Featuring over 400

vendors, crafters and artists, grab low-prices on a wide selection of quality products with food trucks to snack from. Wednesdays & Saturdays: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., Sundays, 6:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. \$2 admission ages 12 & up, \$1 for locals. alohastadium.hawaii.gov.

FRIDAYS

ROYAL HAWAIIAN BAND LUNCHTIME SHOW

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

FRIDAYS

CHAMPAGNE FRIDAYS AT PARK WEST

Watch a live painting session as resident artist Cam Rose paints in the window along Lewers Street while sipping on a complimentary glass of bubbly at Park West Gallery. Waikiki Beach Walk. 4-9 p.m. parkwestgallery.com/hawaii.

FIRST FRIDAY (JANUARY 2)

DOWNTOWN GALLERY WALK & CRAFT FAIR

Downtown comes alive the first Friday of every month as art lovers fill the streets for Honolulu's outdoor self-guided arts tour. Stores spill out onto the sidewalk, and artists are on hand to chat about their works, and restaurants are ready to serve you. firstfridayhawaii.com.

SECOND FRIDAY (JANUARY 9) BISHOP MUSEUM AFTER HOURS

Enjoy after-hours access to the Museum and explore the grounds, experience unique exhibitions, hear about the latest scientific discoveries, and engage with Hawaiian cultural practitioners in an evening of tributes, mele, and hula. Spend the evening on the Great Lawn. This evening watch the original Jurassic Park on the Great Lawn. 5 - 9 p.m. \$15 at the door. (\$10 pre-sale). bishopmuseum.org.

FRIDAYS • HOMA NIGHTS

On Friday nights, explore the galleries, stargaze in the courtyards, enjoy art experiences and music, and connect with the museum community, bar service at the HOMA Cafe, and other interactive art experiences until 9 p.m. honolulumuseum.org.

SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS ART ON THE ZOO FENCE

Art on the Zoo Fence is a group of resident Hawaii artists that meet every Saturday and Sunday to display and sell art and photography on the Zoo fence on Monsarrat Avenue opposite the Kapiolani Park Bandstand. This is the only outdoor art venue in Honolulu that has proudly been displaying art since 1953. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Free. artonthezoofencehi.com.

SECOND SATURDAY (JANUARY 13) KANIKAPILA MA KAIWI'ULA

Bring your 'ukulele, or borrow one that's there. Join in to learn some new techniques, share mo'olelo or just enjoy the music as Ukulele Guild of Hawai'i members lead guests through selections from the Hawaiian Songbook. Free with admission. Bishop Museum Native Hawaiian Garden. 10 a.m. bishopmuseum.org.

SECOND SUNDAY (JANUARY 11) KAMA'AINA SUNDAYS

Kama'āina Sundays offer entertainment and



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cultural workshops. Held every second Sunday, the free monthly event provides unique opportunities to enjoy live performances, engage in Hawaiian crafts and explore the historical significance of 'Iolani Palace. Take advantage of free tours, entertainment, activities and food options. Free tours available to the first 500 guests with proof of residency. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. iolanipalace.org.

THIRD SUNDAY (JANUARY 18) COMMUNITY DAY

The third Sunday of the month is Community Day at the Honolulu Museum of Art. Enjoy exploring the galleries and outdoor spaces and get creative with two art activities. Free for kama'aina. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. 532-8700. honolulumuseum.org



JANUARY 1-2 IAM TONGI

Hawaii's own American Idol, Iam Tongi, returns home for two nights of performances. One of the most popular contestants to ever appear on the show, Tongi proudly returns to the islands with his heartfelt performances during Season 21. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$85-\$95. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 2-4 THE WHOLE BEAD SHOW

Featuring jewelry, precious and semi-precious stones, Swarovski crystal beads, glass beads, chains, pearls, handmade glass and uniquely handcrafted paper word beads—each one rolled, sealed, and designed with intentional sayings, affirmations, and uplifting themes, and more. Free admission. Fri. 4 - 7 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Sun. 12 - 4 p.m. Blaisdell Exhibition Hall. wholebead.com.

JANUARY 6 SANTIGOLD

Santigold is the stage name of singer, songwriter, and producer Santi White, known for her eclectic style blending elements of indie rock, electronic, reggae, and hip-hop. She gained critical acclaim with her debut album "Santogold" in 2008 and has released several albums since. She is recognized for her distinctive voice, innovative sound, and artistic music videos, and often incorporates themes of empowerment and social commentary in her work. She is joined by special guest Troy Baker Sound. The Republik. Tickets: \$39.50. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

JANUARY 7 THE CAROLE KING & JAMES TAYLOR STORY

Following critically acclaimed sell-out runs at The Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Adelaide Fringe, and sold-out shows in the UK and the US, The Carole King & James Taylor Story is coming to Hawaii. Featuring passionate renditions of "Fire and Rain," "Sweet Baby James," "Natural Woman," "You've Got a Friend," and many more, this astonishing back catalogue is presented with authenticity by Phoebe Katis and Dan Clews, both well-established artists in their own right. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$30-\$40. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 9 THE EXPENDABLES

The reggae band from Santa Cruz, California, known for their "laid-back" surf sound, blends reggae, ska, surf rock, punk, and metal. Tickets: \$29.50. The Republik. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.

JANUARY 9-10, 23-24 • THE GREEN



For over 15 years, The Green has been a cornerstone of the reggae music scene, seamlessly blending island roots with global appeal. Based in

Hawaii, the band has become one of the most beloved and influential acts to emerge from the islands, pioneering U.S. mainland tours and sharing stages with reggae legends like Rebelution, Iration, SOJA, and Jamaica's own Damian Marley. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$65-\$85. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 10 • HANABIE

The Japanese metal core band from Tokyo is making its first appearance in Hawaii. Notable parts of the band's image include contemporary Japanese culture and fashion, centered around several districts in Tokyo. Tickets: \$39.50. The Republik. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.



JANUARY 11

2026 NEW YEAR'S OHANA FESTIVAL

Celebrate the Year of the Horse with Japanese New Year traditions, live performances, festival foods, cultural activities, and the 74th Cherry Blossom Festival Opening Ceremony at the 33rd annual New Year's 'Ohana Festival. This community celebration includes the most beloved local and Japanese New Year traditions in the islands. The festival features food, cultural demonstrations, and entertainment for all. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Japanese Cultural Center of Hawai'i. jcchawaii.org.

JANUARY 12 WHEATUS LIVE IN CONCERT

Calling all Teenage Dirtbags! It's been 25 years since the release of "Teenage Dirtbag," and somehow Wheatus' now iconic debut single is arguably the biggest it's ever been. The last few years have been a whirlwind for the band. In 2022, "Teenage Dirtbag" became the centerpiece of a massive TikTok movement. The "Teenage Dirtbag photos" trend has now been embraced by nearly a million people, including celebrities such as Madonna, Lady Gaga, Mark Ruffalo, Lil Nas X, Jon Bon Jovi, Chevy Chase, and many more, causing the hashtag #teenagedirtbag to be viewed over 2 billion times worldwide. And if that wasn't enough, in 2023, it surprised everyone again by re-entering the UK Top 40 charts. Wheatus will be playing their debut album in full. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$44. bluenotehawaii.com.

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INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE

The International Market Place hosted its highly anticipated annual Concierge Appreciation Party. This year's celebration took place at Peter Lik Fine Art and featured mini massages by Shiatsu & Massage Center, culinary offerings from Herringbone and Kuhio Avenue Food Hall, and music by DJ Gem. Guests enjoyed the ambiance around the iconic Banyan Tree and were treated to a special appearance by Valorent, an eight-foot animatronic dinosaur from Chompeze. Mahalo IMP!!



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JANUARY 12-18 SONY OPEN IN HAWAII

The world's top golf pros come together at Waialae Country Club for Hawaii's biggest charity golf event. The Sony Open has generously raised over \$26 million for more than 100 nonprofit organizations each year since 1999, and the Open will be broadcast live around the world. sonyopeninhawaii.com.

JANUARY 16 POLYNESIAN BOWL

The Polynesian Bowl is held annually during the Polynesian Football Hall of Fame Enshrinement Week. Doug Pederson and Mike Singletary have been chosen as head coaches this year. This annual all-star game features 100 of the country's top-ranked junior and senior high school football players, who gather in Hawai'i to celebrate culture and play the sport they love. The game is broadcast live and in primetime on NFL Network. Past MVPs include Puka Nacua, and Travis Hunter. The game takes place at Kūnūiākea Stadium on the Kamehameha Kapālama campus. 4 p.m. polynesianbowl.com.

JANUARY 16-17 • JOSH TATOPI: CELEBRATING BLUE NOTE HAWAII'S 10-YEAR ANNIVERSARY

 Josh Tatofi returns to the Blue Note stage to celebrate the club's 10-year anniversary. Catch two nights of the beloved singer-songwriter who has become known as "Polynesian Luther Vandross," bringing the aloha spirit to a global audience through his captivating performances. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. \$55-\$75. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 16-18 HAWAII MARKET EXPO

One of the premier trade show for gifts and jewelry on the island of Oahu, dedicated to showcasing unique products and fostering connections. Their vision is to create a curated experience that celebrates Hawaiian culture while empowering local businesses to discover new merchandising opportunities and grow their reach. All attendees must bring government issued ID and GE License. Business cards, business checks, or business credit cards may also be proof of B2B status. Blaisdell Center. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. hawaiimarketexpo.com.

JANUARY 16-19 TRANS PACIFIC VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hawai'i's premier indoor sporting event, the TransPacific Volleyball Championships, brings together more than 360 youth teams from across the islands, the continental U.S., Canada, and the Pacific. Over three exciting days each January, the Hawai'i Convention Center and venues across O'ahu host elite competition paired with unforgettable cultural experiences—including the Ho'omakaukau Opening Ceremony Luau at the Ala Moana Center and 'Aina Day. transpacificvolleyball.com.

JANUARY 17 • THE POLYNESIAN FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME ENSHRINEMENT CEREMONY

The Polynesian Football Hall of Fame honors Polynesia's greatest players, coaches, and

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contributors. This year's inductees includes Jim Nicholson, who played for 8 years professionally; Chris Kemoeatu, a 2x Super Bowl Champion who played for 7 years professionally, and Coach Kalani Sitake, the first FBS head football coach of Tongan ancestry. Polynesian Cultural Center. 9 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25 and include lunch and admission to PCCs villages. PolynesianFootballHOF.org.

JANUARY 17

EXCORE ICHTHYOLOGY COLLECTION TOURS

Dive into discovery with Bishop Museum's newest exhibition, Explore EXCORE: The Art of Underwater Science. Join Richard Pyle, renowned ichthyologist and director of EXCORE, for an exclusive, behind-the-scenes tour of the museum's fascinating fish collection. Get an insider's look at the science behind the exhibition and examine stunning coral reef specimens up close. Limited to 10 participants per tour. Guests meet in the Atrium of Hawaiian Hall, before proceeding to the fish collection. 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. \$40. bishopmuseum.org.

JANUARY 17-19, 23-25

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ANNUAL MUSIC & BOOK SALE

The 15th annual Music and Book Sale showcases over 25,000 records, 25,000 CDs, DVDs, 15,000 books, audiobooks, artwork, comics, and more! It takes place at Ward Centre in the space previously occupied by Roger Dunn/Famous Footwear. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., or until 7 p.m., depending on the day. friendsofthelibraryofhawaii.org.

JANUARY 18

NĀ MELE HO'OHENO



Join two of Hawai'i's most beloved voices, Robert Uluwehi Cazimero and Kuana Torres Kahele present

Nā Mele Ho'oheno, an intimate evening of mele and mo'olelo. Together, they will share cherished mele—some familiar, some more recent—that celebrate aloha 'āina, mo'okū'auhau, and the beauty of our island home. From nahenahe classics to playful favorites, expect a night filled with laughter, nostalgia, and the kind of deep pilina that only live Hawaiian music can create to listen, to sing along, and to honor the mele that continue to carry our memories forward. Tickets: \$100-\$125. PA'I Arts & Cultural Center 6-7:30 p.m. paifoundation.org.

JANUARY 18 • SEVEN SUNS



Seven Suns is a group of seven artists, producers, engineers, backup musicians, and musical directors from Oceania who come together with a shared

mission to spread love, unity, and peace through their music. Together as Seven Suns, they blend their skills into an energetic and heartfelt sound. Their early recordings grabbed the attention of Billboard's leading independent reggae label, which quickly signed them to release their debut single and album. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$30-\$40. bluenotehawaii.com.



JANUARY 22

LANDON McNAMARA

The singer-songwriter and guitarist from Hawai'i's North Shore is on the verge of a major wave – familiar waters for this accomplished surfer and winner of The 2024 Eddie in 2024 – but this wave is one of song and soul, with his music rooted in reggae and Hawaiian soul. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$45. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 23

SHORELINE MAFIA

Shoreline Mafia is a Los Angeles hip-hop collective celebrated for its raw West Coast sound and street-inspired style. Formed in 2016, the group originally featured OhGeesy, Fenix Flexin, Rob Vicious, and Master Kato. Each member contributes a distinct voice and energy, yet together they share a deep loyalty that fuels their electrifying live performances. Tickets: \$47.50. The Republik. 8 p.m. bampproject.com.



JANUARY 23

ARIES SPEARS

Aries Spears has been a force to be reckoned with in the comedy scene across America since he was 14 years old. His quick wit, charisma, and fiercely aggressive comedy style have earned him critical

acclaim and high praise. Tickets: \$41.50-\$104.50. 8 p.m. hawaiitheatre.com.

JANUARY 25 • MOZART & MAHLER 9

Widely regarded as one of the greatest symphonies ever written, Mahler's Ninth Symphony expresses a profound love for life and the natural world, set against the shadow of mortality. Though Mahler never heard it performed, its opening movement resonates with extraordinary depth and emotion. Tickets range from \$43.50 to \$137.50. Blaisdell Concert Hall. 4 p.m. myhso.org.

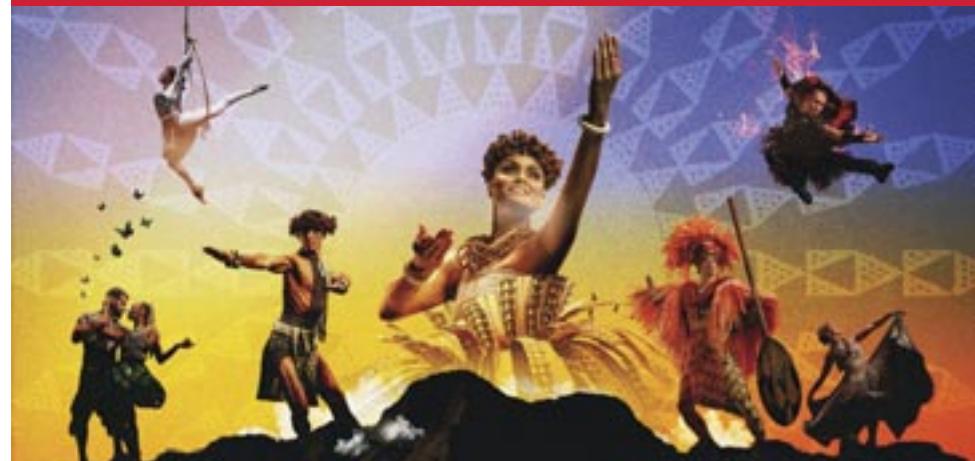
JANUARY 30-31 • THE RECORD COMPANY 10TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR

Blending the soul of Delta blues with the power of classic rock and roll, the trio recorded much of the album live, giving songs like "Off the Ground," "Rita Mae Young," and "On the Move" a raw, immediate feel. They incorporated slide guitar, pedal steel, piano, and harmonica, showcasing both their range and reverence for tradition while infusing it with modern energy. Two shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets: \$45-\$60. bluenotehawaii.com.

JANUARY 31 • SUSTAINABILITY FILM SERIES: STUDENT FILM SHOWCASE 2026

See a collection of student-made short films in the second installment of the Sustainability Film Series, designed to explore contemporary issues at the intersection of human and natural environments. Free with registration, courtesy of the Hawai'i State Climate Commission. 5-7 p.m. Doris Duke Theatre. honolulumuseum.org.

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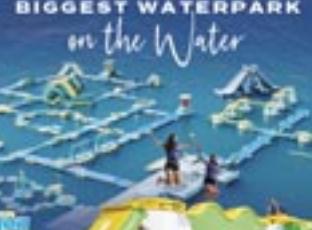
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CANTERBURY KITCHEN COVE Our last event of the year was a dinner around for surrounding properties at Canterbury Kitchen Cove. This vibrant new dining destination—located right across from Hilton Hawaiian Village—features six unique eateries and two lively bars. Specials include \$3 beers, \$8 ramen at Awiwi Grill, breakfast starting at \$10 at Kayak Cafe and all-you-can-eat sushi at Kan Sushi for only \$28.95 at lunch and \$38.95 for dinner. Plus, select restaurants offer free two-hour parking. canterburykitchencove.com.



That's Entertainment

HOTELS

- ALA MOANA HOTEL** 923-2311
 • **MWFSat** - Live music in the lobby, 4-6pm
- 'ALOHI LANI RESORT** 922-1233
 • Daily - Fish Feeding 10:30am & 2:30pm *O Bar*
 • Daily - Live Music 6:30-9:30pm *Swell Bar*
 • Daily - Light Monument Video Art Series 7-9pm *Swell Bar*
 • **SunWedSat** - Tank Talk 9am. *O Bar*
- HALEKULANI** 923-2311
 • Daily - Music & Hula 5-8pm *House Without a Key*
 • Daily - Live Jazz 8:30-10:30pm, *Lewers Lounge*
 • **TWThFS** - Afternoon Tea in the Veranda 2-5pm
 • **Sun** - Sunday brunch w/Noly Paa on piano 9:30am - 2pm
- HILTON HAWAIIAN VILLAGE** 949-4321
 • Fri - Fireworks at 7:45pm
 • **ThSSun** - Live entertainment, Tapa Bar. 7-10pm
- HYATT REGENCY WAIKIKI** 923-1234
 • **MWed** - Farmer's Market from 4-8pm
 • **Mon-Fri** - Cultural Programs at the Ho'okela Culture Center
 • **TTh** - Walking Tour thru parts of Waikiki at 10am
 • **TTh** - Live Hawaiian music at Pualeilani Atrium, 4-6 pm
- KAHALA HOTEL & RESORT** 739-8888
 • **MTWThFSat** - Free Hawaiian activities at The Veranda, 10am
 • **ThFSat** - Live entertainment at The Veranda from 6-8pm.
 • **FriSat** - Afternoon Tea at The Veranda at 2pm & 3:30pm
 • **Sun** - Brunch at Hoku's w/Lovejack from 10am-1pm
 • Daily - See the interactive dolphin programs every hour
- KA LA'I WAIKIKI BEACH** 683-7777
 • **FSSun** - Live music at Wai'olu Ocean Cuisine, 5:30-7:30pm
- LUANA WAIKIKI HOTEL & SUITES** 955-6000
 • **MWF** - Enjoy live music and hula on the Mezzanine 5-6pm
- MOANA SURFRIDER** 922-3111
 • Daily - Live music at The Beach Bar, 4:30-6:30pm, 7-10pm
- WATERFRONT HOTEL** 922-5811
 • Daily - Live music poolside 6-9pm. DJ from 3-6pm.
- THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN** 923-7311
 • Daily - Live Hawaiian music at the Mai Tai Bar. 11am-2pm
- OUTRIGGER REEF WAIKIKI BEACH** 923-3111
 • Daily - Live Hawaiian music at Kani Ka Pila Grille. 6-9pm
- PRINCE WAIKIKI** 956-1111
 • **ThFSSu** - Live music at 100 Sails from 6-8pm
 • **Sat** - DJ KK poolside from 2-5pm, Sun from 2:30-5:30pm
- SHERATON PRINCESS KA'IULANI** 922-5811
 • Daily - Live music poolside 6-9pm. DJ from 3-6pm.
- TURTLE BAY RESORT** 293-6000
 • Daily - Live music at The Pointe Pool Bar, 4-7pm
 • Daily - Live music at Off the Lip, 7pm
 • Daily - The Stable at Turtle Bay offers a variety of experiences
- WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT** 922-6611
 • **ThFSat** - Live music, Queensbreak Restaurant 6-9pm
 • **Sun** - Stephen Inglis plays in the Lobby 6-9pm

FARMERS MARKETS

- WBW OPEN MARKET**
 • **Mon** - Set up on the Plaza at Waikiki Beach Walk. 4-8pm.
- HYATT REGENCY FARMERS MARKET** 225-4002
 • **MonWed** - Hyatt Regency 1st floor waterfall atrium 4-8pm
- HAWAII FARM BUREAU MARKET** 848-2074
 • **Wed** - Set up on the Blaisdell Concert Hall Lawn 4-7pm.
- HALE'IWA FARMERS MARKET** 388-9696
 • **Thurs** - Located at Waimea Valley. 2-6pm
- KCC FARMERS MARKET** 848-2074
 • **Sat** - Kapiolani Community College 7:30-11am
- KAKA'AKO FARMERS MARKET** 388-9696
 • **Sat** - 919 Ala Moana Blvd & 210 Ward Avenue. 8am-12pm
- PEARLRIDGE FARMERS MARKET** 388-9696
 • **Sat** - Pearlridge Mauka by Macy's. 8am-12pm
- MALAMA MARKET** 225-4002

- **2ndSat** - Ala Moana Center Wing Level 2. 11am-4pm
- ALOHA HOME MARKET** 225-4002
- **Sun** - Kailua 340 Uluniu Street 9-2pm
- ALOHA MARKET AT WAIKIKI** 735-4510
- **Sun** - Jefferson Elementary 324 Kapahulu Ave. 8-2pm
- KAILUA FARM BUREAU MARKET** 848-2074
- **Sun** - Kailua Town Center. 4-7pm
- KAILUA TOWN FARMERS MARKET** 388-9696
- **Sun** - Enchanted Lake Center by Kailua Cinema. 8am-12pm

ATTRACTI0NS

- FOSTER BOTANICAL GARDEN** 768-7135
 • **Daily** - Hawaii's oldest Botanical Garden in the midst of downtown open 9am - 4pm. \$5/\$1 keiki (kama'aina \$3)
- **Daily** - Free docent-led tours at 10:30am. Reservations rec.
- HONOLULU ZOO** 926-3191
 • **Daily** - The Zoo is open from 10am - 4pm. Last Entry at 3pm. GA \$19 adult/\$11 keiki (kama'aina \$8/\$4).
- **Sat** - Explore the Zoo after the gates close 5:30-7:30pm.
- KILOHANA HULA SHOW**
 • **MTW** - Free hula show 9:30- 10:30am. Kuhio Hula Mound
- KUHIO BEACH HULA SHOW** 843-8002
 • **Sat** - Free show 6:30-7:30pm. Kuhio Hula Mound
- THE RETURN OF KAPAE MAHU** 629-9895
 • **Wed** - Free show 6:30 - 7:30pm. Kuhio Hula Mound
- WAIIKIKI AQUARIUM** 923-9741
 • **Daily** - The Aquarium is open from 9am - 4:30pm. GA \$12 adult/\$5 kids (kama'aina \$8).
- **1st3rdTue** - Hawaiian Plant Tour. 1:30pm. Free w/admission

MUSEUMS

- BATTLESHIP MISSOURI MEMORIAL** 455-1600
 • **Daily** - Relive stories of war, victory, and the road to peace onboard the "Mighty Mo." Join a guided tour in English, Japanese, Chinese, or Korean or explore the ship at your own pace. Digital tour maps in various languages are available. 8am-4pm. More info available online at ussmissouri.org.
- BISHOP MUSEUM** 847-3511
 • **Daily** - The 15-acre campus offers a chance to learn about the cultural and natural heritage of Hawai'i across three different exhibition buildings. Daily planetarium shows, a native Hawaiian botanical garden and more. 9am-5pm.

CAPITAL MODERN

- **Mon-Sat** - Formerly known as the Hawai'i State Art Museum. Admission is always free. Open 10am - 4pm.
- **1stFri** - Live entertainment and food vendors. 6-9pm
- **3rdFri** - Fri. Night Tempo, live music & food vendors. 6-9pm
- **Sun** - Museum Closed

HONOLULU FIRE MUSEUM

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

HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES

- **TW** - Docents lead tours through the oldest existing frame house in the Islands. 11am, 12pm, 1pm and 2pm.
- **ThFSat** - 11am, 12pm, 1pm, 2pm and 3pm tours
- **TWThFSa** - Gift shop open 10:30am - 4pm

HONOLULU MUSEUM OF ART

- **ThFSSu** - Tour & Talk Story 11am. Free with admission.
- **ThFSSu** - Highlights tour 2pm. Free with admission.
- **Fri** - Ho MA Nights, open until 9pm. Free with admission.
- **MonTues** - Museum Closed
- **TThS** - Audio tours available from 9am - 4pm
- **WTh** - Docent-led tours available from 9am - 4pm
- **EveryOtherWed** - He Mele Lahui Hawaii with Ku'uipo. 9am
- **Fri** - Royal Hawaiian Band. Free. 12-1pm
- **SunMon** - Museum Closed

LUCORAL MUSEUM

778-8189

- **Mon-Fri** - Free self-guided tours featuring gemstones, a one-of-a-kind dinosaur egg, and create your own jewelry. 10% off gift shop with mention of Oahu Concierge. 10am-5pm.

PEARL HARBOR AVIATION MUSEUM

441-1000

- **Daily** - Vintage aircraft in battlefield hangars at Pearl Harbor, outdoor exhibits, flight simulators, and the Bob Hope: An American Treasure Exhibit. Shuttle & Tickets at USS Arizona Memorial Visitor Center or PearlHarborAviationMuseum.org.

SHOPPING CENTERS

ALA MOANA CENTER

955-9517

- **Daily** - Hula Show, 5pm. *Centerstage*
- **EveryOtherWed** - Royal Hawaiian Band. 11am.
- **Sat** - Local entertainment, 3pm. *Centerstage*
- **Sun** - Keiki Hula Show, 1pm. *Centerstage*
- **Daily** - Pau Hana Music Series, 5:30pm. *'Ewa Wing Stage*

HALE'IWA STORE LOTS

203-5700

- **Sat** - Live Hawaiian entertainment from 2 -4pm

INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE

921-0536

- **MWF** - Ceremonial sunset lighting of Lamaku Torch Tower
- **MWF** - Sunset Stories Hula Show, 6pm. *Queens Court*
- **1stTh** - Royal Hawaiian Band. Free. 12pm. *Queens Court*
- **3rdTh** - Free Lei Making Workshop. 12pm. *Queens Court*
- **4thSat** - Free Fitness. 9am. *Queens Court*
- **1st3rdSu** - Free Fitness. 9am. *Queens Court*

ROYAL HAWAIIAN CENTER

922-2299

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

WAIIKIKI BEACH WALK

waikikibeachwalk.com

- **Daily** - The Ukulele Store offers free lessons at 4:30pm
- **Tues** - Ku Ha'eo Hula Show. 4:30-6pm. *Plaza Stage*
- **Sun** - Free hula lessons, 9-10am



AIR PARK KARAOKE

Complimentary Karaoke Room Rental when purchase average 2 drinks per person per hour (exclude Fri. & Sat.). Must show Hotel ID. 510 Piikoi St. 2nd Fl. 591-8292.

BALI OCEANFRONT

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

HAWAIIAN MISSION HOUSES

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

IOLANI PALACE

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

MAUI DIVERS JEWELRY

Receive 20% off every purchase at any location. Hotel ID or business card is required for verification. Cannot be combined with other discounts or promotions. 946-2929.

RUTH'S CHRIS STEAK HOUSE

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

SAN PAOLO PIZZA AND WINE

20% off food and drinks with hotel ID. Not combinable with any other discounts. 1765 Ala Moana Blvd. 425-5396

You will be required to show Hotel ID or business card to claim offer. Magazine not needed. Just mention offer when presenting hotel ID. Discounts available to Guest Service Professionals ONLY. Not valid with other promotions or special offers. A minimum 20% gratuity on original order requested for all food orders.

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