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Honolulu receives \$5 Million Federal Grant for Hybrid Buses

Mayor Peter Carlisle today thanked the U.S. Department of Transportation, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Hawai'i's congressional delegation for a \$5 million grant the City will use to replace diesel buses in Waik $\bar{k}\bar{k}$ with turbine hybrid-electric buses that are quieter, more fuel-efficient and produce lower emissions.

"By providing quieter and cleaner buses to the busy Waikīkī area, this project will help to create a more livable community for both residents and visitors," Carlisle said. "The new vehicles will also be evaluated for their ability to reduce energy and greenhouse gas emissions."

Honolulu's project was selected on a competitive basis through a green transit initiative called the Transit Investments for Greenhouse Gas and Energy Reduction (TIGGER II) Program.

The program is a result of the Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010, which appropriated \$75 million for grants to public transit agencies for capital investments that will reduce the energy



consumption or greenhouse gas emissions of their public transportation systems.

Honolulu's project objectives are to:

- Reduce Greenhouse gases and energy consumption on one of the busiest bus routes in Honolulu;
- Increase the livability and vitality of Waikīkī, a major tourist destination, employment center and residential
 area, by operating quiet, low-emission turbine buses through this densely populated area;
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- Evaluate the performance of a 45-foot bus in Waikiki allowing a reduction in the number of bus trips;
- Evaluate the use of electrically-powered components including A/C system, air compressor, and power steering pump;
- Eliminate the use, and disposal of, engine oil, transmission fluids, and engine coolant;
- Improve service reliability;
- Compare turbine hybrid buses with conventional hybrid buses and with conventional diesel buses;
- Reduce operations and maintenance costs;
- Prepare an evaluation report which will be used nationwide to advance the knowledge of innovative technologies in transit systems.

International Waikīkī Hula Conference Update

Online registration for the 4^{th} Annual International Waik \bar{i} k \bar{i} Hula Conference has ended with a 10% increase in attendance from last year!

New this year, WIA is offering 'walk-in' daily rates at \$150 per day for visitors and \$100 per day for kama'āina (Hawai'i ID required) for the conference, taking place at Hawai'i Convention Center. Feel free to share this information with employees and guests.

The 'walk-in' daily rate includes three seminars and workshops and lunch and is offered on a space available basis for:

- Friday November 19 includes opening ceremonies starting at 7:30 am
- Saturday, November 20
- Sunday, November 21

Hula has been a part of Hawai'i's culture for centuries and the International Waikīkī Hula Conference (IWHC) offers hula enthusiasts, at all levels of training and skill, many opportunities to learn, share and dance hula in Hawai'i, the land of its birth.

This is the only conference of its kind. IWHC's format includes:

- bringing together the widest variety of hula teachers: seasoned elders to new kumu hula, representing differing styles or lineages of hula
- welcoming conferees with all levels of expertise (beginners to kumu hula)
- offering public performance as part of the learning experience
- providing a very comfortable, non-competitive environment
- presenting unique seminars on hula-related topics, sometimes controversial, inviting discussion

For more details on the conference schedule, visit www.waikikihulaconference.com



Hyatt Waikiki offers a Special Holiday Wine Walk

Experience the popular Wednesday Wine Walk while discovering sophisticated holiday wines

Hyatt Regency Waikiki Beach Resort and Spa invites adults, ages 21 and older, to discover sophisticated holiday wines that will spice up any dinner party at the popular Wednesday Wine Walk held every Wednesday from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The event is \$25 per person and includes four distinct wines - Clifford Bay Sauvignon Blanc, Cakebread Chardonnay, Sonoma Cutrer Pinot Noir, and Wild Oak Merlot. Hyatt Regency Waikiki's Food and Beverage professionals provide a description of each wine and some samplings of food while guests also tour some of the resort's more distinct venues. Reservations are available by calling (808) 237-6140.

"The Wednesday Wine Walk is definitely an experience that takes participants beyond wine tasting. Since the beginning, we have brought something unique to Wednesday nights and now with the holidays upon us, we felt this would be a great opportunity to share some more unique selections," says Vincent Brunetti, Food and Beverage Director at Hyatt Regency Waikiki Beach Resort and Spa.

The Wednesday Wine Walk is every Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. Space is limited and reservations are required. Please call (808) 237-6140 for reservations.



Hula Grill Waikiki offers Live Island Music and Hula throughout November

Hula Grill Waikiki will serenade guests throughout November with live music Mondays through Thursdays from 7-9 p.m. and hula on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. In addition to live entertainment, the open-air, oceanfront dining offers delicious entrees accompanied by breathtaking views of Diamond Head and Waikiki Beach. Hula Grill Waikiki's entertainment schedule for November features:

Mondays Eric Lee

Wednesdays Jeremy Cheng

Tuesdays

Thursday

Kamuela Kahoano, November 2, 23rd, & 30th

Sheila Waiwaiole & Mara Sagapolu

David Asing, November 9th & 16th

Fridays

David Asing & Alika Souza with Jaime, November 5th, 19th, & 26th Alika Souza & Kalani Maio with Jaime, November 12th

Saturdays

Kalani Maio & Ron Kamano with Kahanu, November 6th & 20th Kaipo Dabin & Kauokalani with Kahanu, November 13th & 17th

Sundays

Bruce Spencer and Sonny Kalua with Jaime

Hula Grill Waikiki is located directly above its sister restaurant Duke's Waikiki, on the second level of the Outrigger Waikiki on the Beach, 2335 Kalakaua Avenue. The open-air restaurant is open for breakfast from 6:30 to 10:30 a.m., dinner from 5 to 10 p.m., with the Plantation Bar open from 4 to 11:00 p.m. daily and Aloha Hour with food and beverage specials from 4 to 6 p.m. daily. Valet parking is available. For reservations or more information, call (808) 923-HULA (4852).

Plan your Holiday events at Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa with Value-Added Packages

Receive a complimentary stay, double Marriott Rewards points, and more!

Tis the season of giving and sharing! To make your holidays even merrier, Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa (marriottwaikiki.com) is offering value-added event packages for those planning last-minute holiday celebrations. The more you spend, the more you will receive!

"We realize our customers may still be feeling the effects of the economy and we'd like to ease the strain on their wallets with these event packages, especially during the holidays," said Mike Nisky, general manager of Waikiki

Beach Marriott Resort & Spa. "Our variety of indoor and poolside venues, 'ono cuisine with local flavors, and royal service makes for the perfect place to hold your holiday party."

Sumptuous cuisine by Executive Chef Miles Togikawa is featured in three Winter buffet menus, each created to please the local crowd. Favorite items include Chicken with Sweet Hoisin Garlic Sauce, Kalua Pig, Kalbi Shortribs with Sweet Teriyaki Glaze, Steamed Mahi Mahi with Peanut Oil Sear, Ahi Poke, and Lomi Lomi Salmon. The menu can be enhanced with specialty chef carving stations such as Roast Prime Rib of Beef.

Parties that spend \$14,000 on food and beverage items (excluding tax and service charge) will receive:

- * One complimentary room for one night after the event
- * Gift certificate for a future two-night stay, valid for one year from date of issuance
- * Double Marriott Rewards points
- * 15% savings on AV equipment
- * Two self-parking passes

Parties that spend \$10,000 on food and beverage items (excluding tax and service charge) will receive:

- * Gift certificate for a future two-night stay, valid for one year from date of issuance
- * Double Marriott Rewards points
- * 15% savings on AV equipment
- * Two self-parking passes

Parties that spend \$6,000 on food and beverage items (excluding tax and service charge) will receive:

- * Gift certificate for a future two-night stay, valid for one year from date of issuance
- * Double Marriott Rewards points
- * 15% savings on AV equipment

Parties that spend \$3,000 on food and beverage items (excluding tax and service charge) will receive:

- * Gift certificate for a future one-night stay, valid for one year from date of issuance
- * Double Marriott Rewards points
- * 15% savings on AV equipment

Subject to availability, restrictions may apply. Restaurant charges will not apply. For more information, visit www.marriottwaikiki.com or call 921-5185.



Starwood Hawaii's Top Picks in Paradise - November 2010

A lot of work goes into preparing for Thanksgiving. This year, get out of the kitchen and truly celebrate Thanksgiving with Starwood Hotels & Resorts Hawaii. Whether you are looking for the perfect setting for a Thanksgiving feast, searching for a romantic venue to host a wedding, needing some rest and relaxation to rejuvenate your soul, or longing to experience the spirit of aloha and the culture of the Hawaiian Islands, Starwood Hotels & Resorts Hawaii can provide the perfect setting to suit your needs.

Check out our top picks for November!

The Sheraton Waikiki's hotspot RumFire will spice things up with the search for Hawaii's hottest mixed drink at "Rum Fuego." A friendly cocktail competition will fire up at 2 p.m. on Monday, November 8, as local mixologists create spicy drink concoctions by blending RumFire's new hot sauce, Rum Fuego, with a variety of Bacardi elixirs. A panel of celebrity judges will pick a winner with prizes including a one-night stay at the Sheraton Waikiki. RumFire will also be offering prize giveaways and all-day drink specials including Spicy Peach Coolers and Jell-O-shots. The happy hour menu will be available from 4 – 6 p.m. E-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com or call 808-921-4600.

The Sheraton Waikiki invites guests to indulge in a Thanksgiving Day brunch at Kai Market on Thursday, November 25. The brunch will offer locally-inspired items including alae salt-crusted slow-roasted prime rib, panfried Hawaiian sea bass with Thai lobster curry sauce, Niihau Hawaiian style seafood chowder and Kula Farms strawberry and local spinach salad topped off with candied walnuts. Brunch will be served from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and is priced at \$55 for adults and \$15 for children ages 6 – 12. Children 5 and under are free with each paid adult. E-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com or call 808-921-4600.

The Sheraton Waikiki's Kai Market will again be the place to be that same evening as it hosts a Plantation Nights Thanksgiving dinner (Thursday, November 25). The menu will include a bevy of locally inspired dishes, highlighting roasted Kahlua drunken duck, Island-style sashimi served with shaved turnips and soy wasabi sauce, and Portuguese sweet bread pudding with Hawaiian vanilla anglaise sauce. Dinner will be served from 5 to 9:30 p.m. and is priced at \$59 for adults and \$15 for children (ages 6-12). Children 5 and under are free with each paid adult. For reservations and more information, call 808-921-4600 or e-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com.

The Royal Hawaiian, a Luxury Collection Resort, presents an elegant Thanksgiving dinner buffet in its legendary Monarch Room. Guests will enjoy a bounty of offerings including sliced gourmet prosciutto di San Daniele with melon, Szechuan slippery lobster stew with snow peas and shitake mushrooms, and flambéed apple bananas with dulce de leche and vanilla bean ice cream. The cost will be \$88 per adult and \$57 per child 5 to 12 years of age, excluding tax and gratuity. Children 4 years and under eat free, and complimentary parking is included in the price of the dinner. The Thanksgiving dinner buffet will be held on Thursday, November 25, from 5 to 8 p.m. For reservations and more information, call 808-921-4600 or e-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com.

The Royal Hawaiian, a Luxury Collection Resort's Azure Restaurant will indulge guests in a premier oceanfront four-course Thanksgiving dinner, featuring a traditional roasted turkey with Hawaiian pipikaula stuffing and creamy Yukon potatoes with white wine and herb gravy. Azure Restaurant's Turkey dinner, for \$60, will be served from 5:30 to 9 p.m. For reservations and more information, call 808-921-4600 or e-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com.

The Sheraton Princess Kaiulani's Pikake Terrace will treat guests to a Thanksgiving dinner buffet. The relaxed outdoor garden setting at the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani is an ideal Thanksgiving gathering place. Featured offerings will include a traditional carved golden-roasted Thanksgiving turkey accompanied by giblet gravy, applechestnut stuffing and fresh cranberry sauce, steamed crab legs with drawn butter and cocktail sauce, and hot apple macadamia nut bread pudding with a cinnamon custard. The price for adults is \$36.50 and for children ages 5-12 is \$12.50. Dinner will take place Thursday, November 25, and seating will be from 5 to 9:30 p.m. For reservations and more information, please call 808-921-4600 or e-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com.

The Sheraton Princess Kaiulani will dazzle guests with a spectacular display of Santa's German Gingerbread Village. Created by Executive Chef Ralf Bauer and his team of culinary architects, it will be on display in the lobby of the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani starting November 24. The Gingerbread Village will be constructed with

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120 gallons of icing, 60 pounds of dark chocolate, 20 pounds of white chocolate and 30 sheets of gingerbread. For more information, please call the Sheraton Princess Kaiulani at 808-922-5811.

Moana Surfrider, A Westin Resort & Spa's luxurious Beachhouse at the Moana will pamper guests with its impressive six-station Thanksgiving Dinner Buffet. The oceanfront buffet offers an array of fresh seafood including wild Atlantic salmon with a light Beachwood smoke, Kahana Bay cooked cold water shrimp with vodkaspiced cocktail sauce and ahi poke with ogo seaweed and sweet Kunia onion, to a carving station with features such as roasted Tom turkey with macadamia nut and water chestnut dressing and cinnamon honey mustard glazed Farmer John ham with vintage Madeira wine sauce. The buffet will also present a cornucopia of desserts ranging from traditional rich pumpkin and nutmeg pie, Dutch apple tart, and pecan pie to Dino's bread pudding with Kahlua vanilla sauce and fresh sliced tropical fruit, macadamia nut cream tart and pumpkin mousse. The buffet is \$79 for adults and \$45 for children. Dinner will be served Thursday, November 25, from 3 to 8:30 p.m.

For reservations or more information, please call 808-921-4600 or e-mail tdrc.hawaii@starwoodhotels.com.

Star of Honolulu's new Early Bird Whale Watch offers low price, Whale guarantee and "Child Free"

There's no excuse to miss whale watching this year! The Star of Honolulu's brand new Early Bird Whale Watch® gives guests the opportunity to spot whales at an affordable price, plus sightings are guaranteed and children are free (1 per paid adult)!

Offered daily from December 15, 2010 through May 8, 2011, the cruise sails 8:45-10:45 a.m.

All aboard Hawaii's largest tour vessel, the 1,500-passenger A.D.A. compliant Star of Honolulu, which departs from Aloha Tower Marketplace and cruises beyond Diamond Head to give passengers the most opportunities to view whales and their newborn calves. With a spacious 60' high observation deck, four walk-around decks and three types of stabilizers, the STAR also offers the most outdoor deck space as guests cruise in comfort. Cruisegoers can also learn about Humpback whales from the trained Naturalist crew and narration, with snacks and drinks available for purchase onboard.

Whale sightings are guaranteed; if whales are not spotted a free return cruise voucher is issued to try again.



Photo courtesy Star of Honolulu

Special Kama'aina and military prices are \$22.49 for adults and \$13.52 for keiki (ages 3-11), available via phone or in person only, with valid Hawaii I.D.

For information about the later Premier Whale Watch or Spirit of Lahaina Whale Watch Eco-Adventure on Maui, please call 983-STAR (7827), toll-free at 1-800-334-6191 or visit www.starofhonolulu.com.

Organizing your important documents and records

Speaker: Barbara Cook, M.A., Gerontologist

What you will learn:
How to quickly find what you are looking for
Which documents to update and when
Who to designate as a personal representative
What you will receive:

A free copy of "Getting It Together Before You Go - How to organize your life, estate and personal wishes"

Wednesday, November 17, 2010 10:00 - 11:30 AM

Waikiki Community Center Chapel 310 Paoakalani St. Registration Deadline – 11/15/10

Sign up by calling 923-1802 Cost: \$2.00 Members/\$4.00 Guest Or visit our web site: www.waikikicommunitycenter.org

Waikīkī Ping Pong

You can call it "ping pong" or you can call it "table tennis" and it's fun at Waikiki Community Center every Tuesday at 3:00 – 5:00 p.m., and Friday at 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. "Ping Pong aka Table Tennis is one of few activities you can play at any age and one of few sports where children can compete against adults," according to James Peralta coordinates. "So many old players are in tremendous shape and none look their age." Come to Waikiki Community Center and enjoy a match with new friends.

There are single and double play-offs, depending on the player's desires. Some of the tables are used for practice volleying; others are used for social competition. Most players play the "old fashioned" way: games are played to 21 points and serves alternate every 5 points.

Come February 11th, 2011 from 1:00 p.m. join the "2nd Waikiki Community Center Ping Pong Tournament" with loads of prizes and great attendance that we want you to come and build your table tennis skills so you'll be ready for the next tournament. With 5 tables there is plenty of opportunity to learn how to slice, slam and finesse the ball over the net. Cost \$1 members, \$3 non-members.

Waikiki Community Center located in the heart of Waikiki (310 Paoakalani Avenue) offers innovative programs for children, families and senior adults and has been serving the community for the past 32 years. Complimentary parking is available to students while attending classes. For further information call (808) 923-1802 or visit our website at: www.waikikicommunitycenter.org.



Sunday Showcase at Waikiki Beach Walk® Entertainment Line-up for November

The busy holiday season is upon us, which can sometimes bring added stress to an already hectic schedule. So why not head down to Waikiki Beach Walk® on Lewers Street to enjoy some free, fun, live entertainment courtesy of Waikiki Beach Walk, Outrigger Enterprises Group and Embassy Suites-Waikiki Beach Walk.

This popular weekly show takes place from 5:00pm – 6:00pm (weather permitting) and features a wide array of talented island entertainers. Valet parking for up to four hours is available for \$6.00 at the Embassy Suites-Waikiki Beach Walk (201 Beachwalk) and the Wyndham Vacation Ownership-Waikiki Beach Walk (227 Lewers Street), with any same-day purchase from any Waikiki Beach Walk merchant.

For more information, contact the Waikiki Beach Walk's management office at (808) 931-3591.

November 7 - Halau Hula 'O Nawahine Halau O Nawahine

Halau Hula O Nawahine began in 1983 with a hula style that comes from the late Aunty Bella Richards of Kailua. This halau is based in Kaneohe and Japan under the tutelage of Kumu Hula Marlene Nawahine Haili Kuraoka. The Halau actively continues to share their history with hula performances at venues across the State of Hawaii, in Japan and on the mainland.

November 14 - BeachWalkers

The Beachwalkers, featuring band members Brickwood Galuteria, Zanuck Lindsey, Gordon Freitas, and Bully Soares, return to Waikiki Beach Walk for another hana hou performance. The group, a crowd favorite, will again delight the audience with their Hawaiian/Variety musical styling.

November 21 - Shining Star Featuring Kai Kalama (top photo)

Kai Kalama, 2009 American Idol contender, makes a special appearance at Waikiki Beach Walk with musical group Shining Star. Kai Kalama, the great nephew of legendary Hawaiian singer Alfred Apaka, has been performing since early childhood and devotes his life to making music as medicine. An advocate for the American Diabetes Association, he hopes to bring his positive message and understanding to the Hawaiian Islands as well as the mainland. Together, Shining Star and Kai Kalama will entertain and keep the crowd moving.



Kamuela Kahoana, one of the hardest working musicians in Hawaii, is inspirational, soft spoken, and dedicated to his love for music. Born to a musical family, Kamuela began playing the ukulele at age six, moving on to the guitar at age fourteen. His father is iconic local entertainer Kimo Kahoano. He is the youngest of three brothers, with brother Ikaika garnering national recognition on the reality boy-band show *Making the Band*.



Hawaiian Diacritical Marks

Waikīkī Improvement Association recognizes the use of diacritical marks (i.e., glottal stop ('), macron (ā) in place names of Hawai'i, such as Waikīkī and Kalākaua Avenue and will include them whenever possible. We also respect the individual use (or not) of these markings for names of organizations and businesses.

There will also be times when we may not have a chance to add or change the markings in all of the articles submitted and when that happens, e kala mai.

ANTEPRIMA/WIREBAG - Three New Kinds of WIREBAGs Available Now!

Also Starts Thanksgiving Campaign from November 15

ANTEPRIMA/WIREBAG, A luxury handbag brand designed in Italy by a well-known Japanese designer, Ms. Izumi Ogino, has launched three new kinds of WIREBAGs, which are already extremely popular with fashion-conscious people. Also ANTEPRIMA/WIREBAG will offer a special thanksgiving holiday campaign from November 15, 2010.

1. New WIREBAG: "Decorotivo" (\$353-\$477)

Having a good reputation among ANTEPRIMA's Fall/Winter 2010-2011 Collection, "Decorotivo" is a cute WIREBAG featuring female's eternal favorite motif, ribbon. This bag adds a feminine accent to your look with its round curvy form and gather details. It also has practical features such as a long handle and magnet button snap. It comes in large size for daily bag and small size for use in a variety of scenes. The small size also comes in a gorgeous rabbit fur version!

"Decorotivo" Large (\$477)

Size: W15 x H11.5 in, Color: Nero Opaco(Matt Black) and Melanzana (Dark Purple)

"Decorotivo" Small (\$353)

Size: W14 x H9 in, Color: Nero Opaco(Matt Black) and Argento (Silver)

"Decorotivo Fur" Small (\$373)

Size: W14 x H9 in, Color: Grezzo Opaco (Matt Grayish White) and Nero Opaco(Matt Black)

2. New WIREBAG: "Fiori" (\$343-\$437)

Updated new version of long-selling WIREBAG "Fiori" is now available! Fiori means flowers in Italy. The new version looks remarkably brilliant and sophisticated with newly added rhinestones in center of the flowers! In addition, the color variation has also changed. Silver Gold and Black are both easy to match any of your looks and you will want to carry this bag during party season. It comes in two sizes; large and small.

"Fiori" Large

Size: W12.5 x H10.5 in, Color: Orogento (Silver Gold/\$437) and Nero Opaco (Matt Black/\$403)

"Fiori" Small

Size: W10 x H8 in, Color: Orogento (Silver Gold/\$370) and Nero Opaco(Matt Black/\$343)

3. New WIREBAG: "Golf Collection" (\$269-\$309)

"Motivo" series has launched many WIREBAGs with unique motifs and the newest theme is golf. The new WIREBAGs with attached golf emblem come in a variety of colors; Argento (Silver), Khaki Opaco (Matt Khaki) and Fumo Opaco (Matt Smoky Gray). The Nero (Black) Wirebag comes with golf club case charm. You can enjoy two different looks with removable emblem and charm depending upon your feeling or the scene. Why don't you take this unique bag when you hit the green or take golf lessons? This bag is the perfect gift for women who are golf lovers!

"Golf Collection" with Golf Emblem (\$269)

Size: W10 x H8 in. Color: Argento (Silver), Khaki Opaco (Matt Khaki) and Fumo Opaco (Matt Smoky Gray)

"Golf Collection" with Golf Club Case Charm (\$309)

Size: W10 x H8 in, Color: Nero (Black)

Thanksgiving Holiday Campaign from 11/15

ANTEPRIMA/WIREBAG also offers a special Thanksgiving Holiday Campaign starting from November 15, 2010. Customers will receive a free "Mobile Screen Cleaner" with purchase of \$350 or more at the Waikiki store and the Ala Moana store while supplies last. This ANTEPRIMA special screen cleaner is a useful item as it attaches to your mobile gadget as a nice accessory when not in use.

Royal Hawaiian Center Entertainment and Events Schedule - November 2010

Hawaiian music and hula are alive and well at Royal Hawaiian Center! Our complimentary offerings are perfect for the entire ohana (family), whether kamaaina (locals) or malihini (visitors from afar). Royal Hawaiian Center, owned by Kamehameha Schools and managed by The Festival Companies, is proud to present the best in entertainment, events and Hawaiian programming.

HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS:

TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY:

Wednesday, November 24, 4:30 - 7:30 pm.

Join us in The Royal Grove as we greet the season's five weeks of festivities on "Thanksgiving Eve" with the lighting of Royal Hawaiian Center's magnificent holiday tree and festive trimmings. Music, hula and holiday cheer will be a part of this ohana (family) event.

INSIDE-OUTSIDE THANKSGIVING SIDEWALK SALE:

Thursday, November 25, 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Beat the Black Friday crowd and head down to Royal Hawaiian Center on Thanksgiving Day for the Inside-Outside Sidewalk Sale! Take advantage of exclusive sales and specials from our merchants and enjoy free validated parking with any purchase. Details on participating merchants will be posted on www.RoyalHawaiianCenter.com in mid-November.

WAIKIKI HOLIDAY PARADE:

Friday, November 26, 7-8 p.m.

Royal Hawaiian Centers welcomes parade sponsors and VIPs to this annual event honoring the Military and Veterans. Guest marching bands this year come from Minnesota, Missouri, Tennessee and Georgia. After the parade enjoy dinner at the Paina Lanai Food Court, or any of Royal Hawaiian Center's 10 fabulous restaurants.

FREE MUSIC & HULA IN THE ROYAL GROVE:

Mondays (November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29)

Hawaiian music and hula by Kawika Trask & Friends in The Royal Grove 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Kawika, a long-time Hawaiian musician and Kamehameha Schools graduate, along with Gigi Kidder, Dwight Kanae and their dancers, performs a traditional "cha-lang-a-lang" style perfect for hula. Dancers clad in colorful attire, ti leaf skirts and fresh flower lei, employ such instruments as the ipu (gourd drum), puili (split bamboo) and uliuli (feathered rattle).

Tuesdays (November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30)

Kawika Trask & Friends are back with a hana hou (encore) performance of Hawaiian music and hula (See Monday's listing).

Wednesdays (November 3, 10, 17, 24)

Hawaiian music and hula by Keoahu in The Royal Grove 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Leilani Vakauta leads this family ensemble, also known in the music community as "The Soundettes."

Thursdays (November 4, 11, 18, 25)

Live Hawaiian music and hula by Puuhonua in The Royal Grove 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Ensemble leader, Puakeala Mann, also teaches hula and ukulele at the Center. This group is associated with Halau Hula o Maiki, the hula school established by the late Kumu Hula (hula master) Maiki Aiu Lake Enjoy music and hula favorites heard typically at Hawaiian parties for generations.

Fridays (November 5, 12, 19, 26)

Hawaiian music and hula by Kuuipo Kumukahi in The Royal Grove 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Kuuipo is a multi-award winning Hawaiian musician, recording artist and composer. She is currently the president of the Hawaii Academy of Recording Arts and is also associated with the Hawaiian Music Hall of Fame. Kuuipo's Aloha Friday performances from 6-7:30 pm include well-known musicians who perform some of the best traditional Hawaiian music you'll hear anywhere.

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Saturdays (November 6, 13, 20, 27)

Hula Kahiko at Helumoa. Royal Hawaiian Center is proud to present this weekly series of traditional hula performances. In November, we feature Kumu Hula (master teacher) Maelia Loebenstein and the ladies in her halau hula (school), Ka P? Hula O Kauanoe o Waahila. 6 - 6:40 pm.

FREE PARKING: offer valid through January 31, 2011

Royal Hawaiian Center has the largest garage in the heart of Waikiki with 10 levels of parking and more than 600 stalls located adjacent to the Sheraton Waikiki Hotel. The Center's free parking promotion offers 3 hours of free parking with any restaurant validation and 2 hours free parking with any food court validation. Five hours of parking is \$5 when validated at Royal Hawaiian Theater. LEVEL 4 validations apply for \$5 parking after 10 p.m. Dining and entertainment validations can be combined with retail validations of \$2 for 2 hours. No minimum purchase is required for validation.

Royal Hawaiian Center, the premier shopping and entertainment destination in Waikiki, consists of more than 310,000 square feet along a three-block stretch of Waikiki's famed Kalakaua Avenue. The Center has more than 100 shops and restaurants to excite every taste. Complimentary music, hula and culture classes are available in The Royal Grove. It is open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. and beyond with late-night rendezvous hot spots. The Center is situated on more than six acres of prime real estate in Waikiki and is owned by Kamehameha Schools. To learn more about the Center, visit www.RoyalHawaiianCenter.com.

Henry Kapono returns to Hilton Hawaiian Village's Super Pool for entire month of November

After brief hiatuses in September and October, music legend Henry Kapono returns to headline the "Wild Hawaiian Experience" each Saturday in November at the Hilton Hawaiian Village Beach Resort & Spa's Super Pool. The show features numbers from the Grammynominated CD of the same name, and is a journey that embraces and celebrates the core essence of Kapono's passion for his Hawaiian roots.

A fusion of culture and contemporary performance art, "The Wild Hawaiian Experience" is presented Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. at the Super Pool stage.

Tickets are \$20 and \$35.

For more information, log onto www.hiltonhawaiianvillage.com/wild, or dial (808) 947-7877.



Street activity in / near Waikīkī (courtesy of the City)

November 7, 2010 Sunday 5:30AM Starts 9:00AM Ends VAL NOLASCO MEMORIAL HALF MARATHON sponsored by Mid-Pacific Road Runner Club/808 Hawaii Race. The event is expected to have 900 runners. It will start at Kalākaua Ave., mauka side Queen Kapi'olani Park, to Monsarrat Ave., to Paki Ave., to Diamond Hd. Rd., to 18th Ave., to Kīlauea Ave., to Wai'alae Ave., to Kalaniana'ole Hwy., turnaround near W. Hind Dr., to Kealahou St., to Kahala Ave., to Diamond Hd. Rd., to Kalākaua Ave., to Queen Kapi'olani Park Bandstand/Hon Marathon Finish.

Contact: John Simonds 373-3609 Email: simondsj001@hawaii.rr.com

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Waikīkī Hula Show at the Kūhiō Beach Hula Mound

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Tues-Thurs-Sat-Sun, weather-permitting from 6:00-7:00 p.m. at the Kūhiō Beach Hula Mound, near Duke Kahanamoku statue, beachside at Uluniu & Kalākaua Ave. in Waikīkī.

FREE and open to the public. Outdoors, casual, seating on the grass; beach chairs, mats, etc. okay. Cameras welcome. Presented by the City & County of Honolulu, the Hawai'i Tourism Authority and Waikīkī Improvement Association.

For information, call Marnie Weeks, Producer, Kūhiō Beach Hula Shows, 843-8002.

Week-nights

Every Tuesday – Ainsley Halemanu and Hula Hālau Ka Liko O Ka Palai

Every Thursday – Joan "Aunty Pudgie" Young and Puamelia

Weekends

Sat Nov 6 – Ainsley Halemanu and Hula Halau Ka Liko O Ka Palai

Sun Nov 7 - Sallie Yoza and Halau O Napuala'ikauika'iu





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Schedule of Events NOVEMBER 7-13, 2010



Sunday, 11/7

OUTRIGGER REEF: > 9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110) > 6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grill: Mailani Makainai (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI: >4-6p Duke's: HENRY KAPONO / 9:30p-12a Lawrence Kidder

(info. 922-2268)

▶7-9p Hula Grill: Bruce Spencer & Sonny Kalua with Jaime (info. 923-4852)

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK: ▶5-6p Halau Hula `O Nawahine, Fountain Stage (info. 931-3591)

▶6-6:45p Hula Implements work shop at MANA HI (info. 923-2220)

Monday, 11/8

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: >10a-5p Jimmy Buffett's: Free Surfing Museum Tours (info. 791-1200)

▶10p Kailua Bay Buddies

OUTRIGGER REEF: >9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

▶6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Sean Naauao (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI:
>4-6p Duke's: Haumea Warrington / 9:30p-12a Ellsworth Simeona

(info. 922-2268)

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK: >4-4:45p The Art of Lei Making at MANA Hawaii (info. 923-2220)

Tuesday, 11/9

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: > 10a-5p Free Surfing Museum Tours

≽8:30p Jimmy Buffett's: Kailua Bay Buddies (info. 791-1200)

OUTRIGGER REEF: >9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

>6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Waipuna (info. 924-4990)

➤6:30p Kani Ka Pila Grille: "Call the Coach show w/ Greg McMackin" (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI: >4-6p Duke's: Haumea Warrington / 9:30p-12a Ellsworth Simeona (info. 922-2268)

▶7-9p Hula Grill: David Asing (info. 923-4852)

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK: >10-10:30a Learn Hawaiian Language at MANA Hawaii (info. 923-2220)
>5-7p Ku Ha`aheo & JAL Ho`olaule`a, Fountain Stage (info. 931-3591)

Wednesday, 11/10

OUTRIGGER REEF:

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: >8:30p Jimmy Buffett's: Kailua Bay Buddies (info. 791-1200)

▶9a-1n & 6-9n Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

>6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Cyril Pahinui (info. 924-4990)

➤6p Strolling Hawaiian music by Hemapa`a ➤7-9p Hula Grill: Jeremy Cheng (info. 923-4852)

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK: >4-4:45p Entry to Hula at MANA Hawaii (info. 923-2220)

Thursday, 11/11

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: >9p Jimmy Buffett's: Kailua Bay Buddies (info. 791-1200)

OUTRIGGER REEF: >9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

≽6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Kawika Kahiapo & Del Beazley (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI: >4-6p Duke's: Haumea Warrington / 9:30p-12a Lawrence Kidder

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK: >4-4:45p `Ukulele at MANA Hawaii (Mana Hawaii info. 923-2220) >9p-12a Giovanni Pastrami: Free Karaoke (info. 923-2100)

Friday, 11/12

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: >9:30p Jimmy Buffett's: Piranha Brothers (info. 791-1200)

OUTRIGGER REEF:

➤ 9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

▶11a Kani Ka Pila Grille: Aloha Friday Luncheon Show (info. 924-4990)

▶6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Kaukahi (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI: >5p Piano by Jeanette Travias, Lobby

>4-6p Duke's: Maunalua / 9:30p-12a Duke's: Lawrence Kidder (info. 922-2268)

≻7-9p Hula Grill: Alika Souza & Kalani Maio with Jaime (info. 923-4852)

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK:
➤10-10:45a Hula at MANA Hawaii (info. 923-2220)

Saturday, 11/13

WAIKIKI BEACH WALK:

OHANA WAIKIKI BEACHCOMBER: >9:30p Jimmy Buffett's: Piranha Brothers (info. 791-1200)

OUTRIGGER REEF:

> 9a-1p & 6-9p Kuloko Arts of Hawaii: Guest Artist (info. 922-5110)

> 6-9p Kani Ka Pila Grille: Manoa DNA (info. 924-4990)

OUTRIGGER WAIKIKI: >4-6p Duke's: LIVE LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT / 9:30p-12a LIVE LOCAL

ENTERTAINMENT (info. 922-2268)

>7-9p Hula Grill: Kaipo Dabin & Kauokalani with Kahanu (info. 923-4852)
>5-7p JAL Ho`olaule`a, Fountain Stage (info. 931-3591)





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TOD'S WILL FEATURE CERAMICS BY ARABELLA ARK WHOSE POTTERY FORMS AN ALLIANCE WITH THE FORCES OF NATURE, WHICH HAS CREATED THE BEAUTIFUL HAWAIIAN ISLANDS WHERE SHE LIVES. ARABELLA HAS DISTINGUISHED HERSELF IN THE ART WORLD BY HER LARGE-SCALE, ARCHITECTURAL CERAMIC FORMS, LENDING THEM A FEELING OF MYSTERY AND ANTIQUITY BY FIRING IN THE RAKU TRADITION. AS A HAND-BUILDER, ARABELLA CONSTRUCTS HER PIECES FROM ROLLING SLABS OF PORCELAIN CLAY OR FROM PAPER-CLAY FIBER. MOST OF HER WORK IS SCULPTURAL, INCLUDING LARGE TWO-DIMENSIONAL TABLETS FOR WALL MOUNTING. HER WORK IS OFTEN SHOWN IN SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS AT THE AMERICAN CRAFT MUSEUM IN NEW YORK, CONTEMPORARY CERAMICS IN LONDON, THE FUMIKI GALLERY IN SAN FRANCISCO, THE DEARING GALLERIES IN TAOS AND CEDAR STREET GALLERIES IN HONOLULU.



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Pō'alua (Tuesdays)

Kawika Trask & Friends "hana hou!" 6-7 pm.

Pōʻakolu (Wednesdays)

Keoahu (pictured above) 6-7 pm. Leilani Vakauta leads this family ensemble, also known as "The Soundettes."

Pō'ahā (Thursdays)

Pu'uhonua 6-7 pm. Trio bassist, Puake'ala Mann, also teaches hula and 'ukulele at Royal Hawaiian Center.

Pō'alima (Fridays)

Aloha Fridays come alive with Ku'uipo Kumukahi 6-7:30 pm. Ku'uipo is a multi-award winning musician, recording artist and composer. She is also the current president of the Hawai'i Academy of Recording Arts.

Pō'aono (Saturdays)

Hula Kahiko at Helumoa, a weekly series of traditional hula performances, features Kumu Hula (master teacher) Maelia Loebenstein and the ladies in her hālau hula (school), Ka Pā Hula O Kauanoe O Waʻahila (November) and Hālau Mōhala ʻllima, Kumu Hula Māpuana de Silva (December), 6 - 6 :40 pm.

