



Kāhea

Newsletter of the Mayor's Office of Culture and the Arts

Pu'upu'u lei pali i ka 'ā'i. (An imperfect lei, beautiful by wearing.)

Sew A Lei For Memorial Day

May 25, 11 am - 1 pm (or until the flowers run out), *Honolulu Hale*, 530 S King St

Help honor our fallen veterans by coming down to Honolulu Hale and sew lei for the Mayor's Memorial Day Ceremony at the National Cemetery of the Pacific (Punchbowl) and other cemeteries in Hawai'i. The Royal Hawaiian Band Glee Club will provide entertainment from 11 am - 12:30 pm. The public is also welcome to drop off lei at Honolulu Hale during this time. Lei need to be at least 22" - 24" in length.



*Call for
Ti Leaves!*

Donate ti leaves to make lei lā'i for Memorial Day. Ti leaves may be dropped off from **April 26 to May 21**, between the hours of 7:45 am - 4:30 pm at 550 S King St, 2nd Flr. Lessons on how to make lei lā'i will be given during the *Sew A Lei For Memorial Day* event on **May 25** at Honolulu Hale.

Poster Contest Exhibit **May 1 - 31**, Honolulu Hale, 3rd Flr Gallery
M - F, 8 am - 4:30 pm

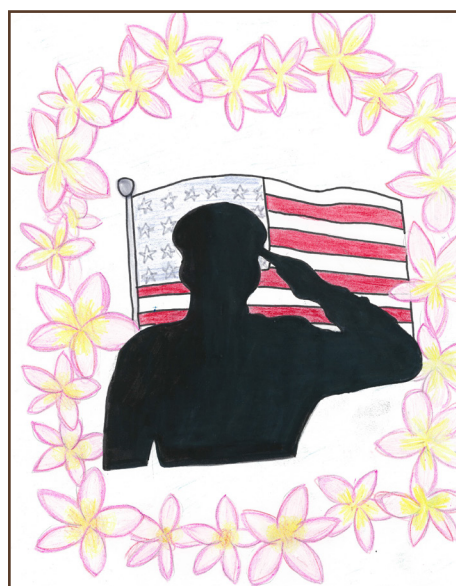
View the original winning artwork from the *Sew a Lei for Memorial Day Poster Contest*, which helps inform the public of the need and importance of sewing a lei for Memorial Day.



Reproductions of the winning artwork will also be on display at
Kapolei Hale, 1000 Ulu'ohi'a St
May 3 - 31, M - F, 8 am - 4:30 pm



*Presented by Honolulu's
Department of Parks and Recreation and MOCA.*



Hawai'i Book & Music Festival

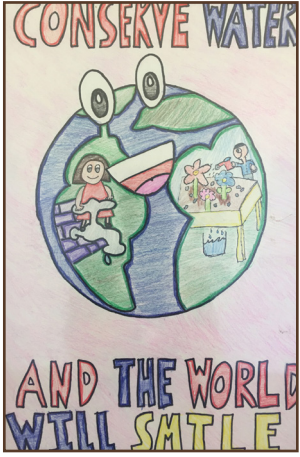
A Celebration of Story and Song

May 5 & 6, 10 am - 5 pm, Frank F. Fasi Civic Center

Featuring: Local & National Best Sellers • Author Signings • Book Sellers & Publishers
• Live Music • Hula Performances • Keiki Entertainment & Activities • Great Food!
• MUCH, MUCH MORE!

For more information visit <http://www.hawaiibookandmusicfestival.org>





Water Conservation Week Art & Poetry Contest

May 9 - 29, Lane Gallery

Winning artwork and poems created by local students for the *Honolulu Board of Water Supply's* annual contest.

Oncology On Canvas

**May 1 - 16, Courtyard
Reception on
May 1, 4 - 6 pm**

A collection of artwork celebrating courage, hope, success, struggle and the daily reality and rituals of those coping with cancer.



Ka 'Ike O Ka Moana: The Knowledge of the Ocean

*Presented by the Waikiki Aquarium,
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
and Mayor's Office of Culture and the Arts*

May 24 - June 14, Courtyard. Reception on May 31, 4:30 - 6 pm.

An educational and artistic journey, this exhibit will feature informational displays and original works of art to bring awareness of the importance of our world's oceans.

Seasons and the Sea AT THE WAIKIKI AQUARIUM

May 2, 5:30 to 7 pm, Ewa side of the Waikiki Aquarium.

The Waikiki Aquarium and MOCA present a sunset cultural observance that only occurs once a year.

This Hawaiian celebration symbolizes the transition from Ho'oilō (wet season) to Kauwela (hot or warm-dry season) as the sun sets into the crown of Pu'u o Kapolei.

Featuring hula, chant and mo'olelo performances explaining the observance of the change, the links between our lives, and responsibility and respect for the ocean world.

Guests are encouraged to bring mats or low chairs and sunglasses.

Kūhiō Beach Hula Show

6:30 - 7:30 pm at the Kūhiō Beach Hula Mound, near the Duke Kahanamoku statue, beachside at Uluniu & Kalākaua Avenue in Waikiki, weather-permitting. Outdoors, casual. Seating on the grass; beach chairs, mats, etc. okay. Cameras are welcome.

Tuesdays

Ainsley Halemanu and
Hula Hālau Ka Liko O Ka Palai

Thursdays

Joan "Aunty Pudgie" Young
and Puamelia

Saturdays

~ **May 5** Kapi'olani Ha'o and
Kawika Mersberg and
Hālau Ke Kia'i O Kalamaku
~ **May 12** Sallie Yoza and
Hālau O Napuala'ikauika'iu

~ **May 19** Lilinoe Lindsey and
Ka Pa Nani O Lilinoe
~ **May 26** Shirley Recca and
Hālau Hula O Namakahulali

Schedule is subject to change without notice. For more info call 808-843-8002

Royal Hawaiian Band

~ **Ala Moana Centerstage**

May 2 & 16, 11 am

~ **Iolani Palace**

May 4, 11, 18 & 25, 12 noon

~ **Kapi'olani Bandstand**

May 6, 13 & 27, 2 pm

~ **May 6, 10 am**

Hawai'i Book and Music Festival

Frank F. Fasi Civic Center

~ **May 19, 6 pm**

Ka Makana Ali'i Center

~ **May 20, 2 pm**

Pearlridge Center-Uptown

~ **May 23, 1 pm**

Moana Hotel

~ **May 28, 8 am**

**Mayor's Annual
Memorial Day Service**

National Memorial Cemetery
of the Pacific (Punchbowl)

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