Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club

March 2014 Newsletter

Uncle Sam Keli`ia`a's menehune await the 28,000 Great Aloha Run participants. Mahalo to all the Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club members who came out to help at watering station #2.

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MALAKI 2014 Newsletter

Next General Membership Meeting

Thursday, MARCH 27, 2014

6:30 p.m.

Halawa District Park Gym

Theme for this evening's dinner will be St. Patrick's Day so with fresh Corn Beef and Cabbage prepared by Lorna Pacheco. Pupu, salads, and desserts will be welcomed. Please contact Lorna at 781-2488 if you have any questions.

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PEARL HARBOR
HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB

"E Paepae I Luna Loa I Ka Malamalama"
"Hold High the Light of Knowledge"
Chartered: April 16, 1964

President's Message

Aloha Mai O Kou,

We are now in the first quarter of 2014, and the days are moving very fast. It feels like we just celebrated New Years and "wow" it's already the month of March. We began with the first day of this month with the 2014 Prince Kuhio Festival kicking off the Hoʻikeʻike. This month long celebration honors the life and service of our founder of the Hawaiian Civic Club Movement. Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana'ole started the Hawaiian Civic Club Movement to give Hawaiians a venue to freely discuss the issues of the day without any criticism or retribution from anyone.

On March 1, 2014 the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs, OHA and Hawai`i Tourism Authority sponsored the annual Hoʻikeʻike/Hoʻolauleʻa which was held at Kakaʻako Makai Gateway Park. We had many clubs that displayed several Hawaiian Arts & Crafts and did either a snack booth or food booth. The entertainment was great. The Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club displayed our Hawaiian Craft of Lauhala Making with Lorna Pacheco demonstrating and sharing her display of her many interesting beautiful lauhala pieces. We also had a snack booth that sold Samurai Ice Cream, several varieties of Popcorn and Sweet Cotton Candy. Mahalo to Alberta Low for chairing this

event and those that attended were: Chrissy Anjo, Momi Phillips, Miu Lan Oman, Aunty Josie Lum, Toni Lee, Moana Sanders, Lorna Pacheco, Dan and RoseLee Kalili and myself. Mahalo to Ronnie and Donavan Nacapuy, and Cheryl and Nicolas Kapua for helping to take down our tent and taking our things back to storage. Mahalo also to Alicia Maluafiti for the use of her tent and the Keli‘ia‘a Ohana for the use of the ice saw.

On March 8th, Ke Ahe Lau Makani was held at Kawaiaha‘o Church which was a Choral tribute to Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana‘ole. Mahalo to our Club members who participated in this very enjoyable event.

On May 3rd Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club will celebrate its 50th Anniversary. Our club was chartered on April 16, 1964 and was sponsored into the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs by the Kailua Hawaiian Civic Club. We will celebrate our 50th Anniversary at Kamehameha Schools brand new Ka‘iwakiloumoku Hawaiian Cultural Center. Save the day, you are all invited to come and bring your Ohana and friends. There is lots of parking up there right next to the Chapel and the tickets are just $30 per person and $15 for children 4 to 10 years old. Tickets will be sold at the door for $40. We will also have a silent auction and great entertainment.

Ali`i Sundays are the honored traditions of Kawaiaha‘o Church which began in 1914. This month we honor two Ali`i, Queen Ka‘ahumanu and Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana‘ole. There will also be services at Mauna‘ala for them. We will also honor our beloved Prince with the Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana‘ole Floral Parade on March 22nd. I hope you will be able take part in some of these events.

Our club has also been very active sending in testimony to the Legislature supporting the OHA Legislative package,

supporting Aaron Mahi for his appointment to the Land Use Commission, and supporting the OHA Kakaʻako Makai project to name a few. Mahalo to Dre Kalili for her hard work preparing these testimonies.

March 27, 2014 will be our General Meeting that will begin at 6:30 p.m. We will have a very inspiring speaker talking about the NO VOTE NO GRUMBLE Campaign that will kick off at the Prince Kuhio Parade and the first Hawaiian Civic Club presentation will be made to our Club. This year is an election year and it is very important to get all of our Hawaiians out to vote. If you need an absentee ballot come to the meeting we will have them available for you. It is our Kuleana to vote and make a difference. It is important that we play an important part in getting the right people into office.

Our theme this month is St. Patrick's Day so fresh Corn Beef and Cabbage is the main dish being prepared by Lorna Pacheco. If you would like to add to the menu please contact Lorna at 456-1563. See you at the meeting.

Aloha pumehana,

Charles Kapua

DUES - If you haven't already done so, please send in your dues to P. O. Box 66. Aiea, Hawai`i, 96701. The dues are just $20.00 for Adults and $10.00 for the Na Opio.

KIKA CONVENTIONS

Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club worked two Kika Conventions in the last month. We did the MC & A Convention that was held on February 26 2014 at the Honolulu Zoo. Our kuleana was to pre make 40 kits to make coconut birds and fish. It was a scavenger hunt held in Waikiki. Mahalo to Anika Borden and Nicolas Kapua who worked this convention teaching them to make fish. The birds were too difficult and time consuming for them to complete the scavenger hunt in a timely manner to they made fish. Mahalo to President, Charles Kapua, for picking the leaves and mahalo to Anika for preparing the kits.

On March 3, 2014 our Club worked a Convention at the Hilton Hawaiian Village South Pacific Room demonstrating the art of Ti-Leaf wristlets and Wili wristlets. Mahalo to Chrissy Anjo, Alberta Low, Aunty Josie Lum and Ilima Dela Cruz for making 70 wristlets for the FHL Bank Atlanta Convention. The Conventioneers were also treated to a lovely hula each performed by Alberta Low and Ilima Dela Cruz. Way to go ladies. Money raised from these conventions go to our Scholarship Fund

KE AHE LAU MAKANI HAWAIIAN CHORAL FESTIVAL'S TRIBUTE TO PRINCE KUHIO

Ke Ahe Lau Makani 2014 paid tribute to our Queen Lili‘uokalani and the legacy she has left with us through her music. We also honored Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana‘ole as we celebrate his Birthday with this musical tribute, E Mele Kakou. This Concert was sponsored by Kawaiolaonapukanileo and hosted by Kawaiaha‘o Church, Ministry of Music, Buddy Nalua‘i – Minister of Music. We have been gifted our festival name by Haunani Bernardino. She felt that there would be many people gathering from many different places and of many different ages.

Therefore,many “winds” would come together to sing and create beautiful music as one. Thus she named the festival “Ke Ahe Lau Makani”! Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club members, Kau‘i Kaleo, Charles Kapua, Toni Lee, Brendon Lee and Moana Sanders sang in this Concert. We all felt very proud to be performing with Kawaiolaonapukanileo, who was the host choir, the University of Hawai`i Manoa’s Hawaiian Chorus, HYOC’s Kuho`okahi Ensemble, El Monte High School from California and people in the Community that love to sing. The special musical guests were the Royal Hawaiian Band and Manoa Strings? Artistic Director and Founder of the event was our very own Nola A. Nahulu. Truly a wonderful way to spend a Saturday Evening. The Concert was held on Saturday, March 8, 2014.

PRINCE KUHIO FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The Prince Kuhio Federal Credit Union held it’s Annual Membership Meeting on Saturday, March 15, 2014 at Camp Smith, Sunset Lanai. Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club had 10 members that attended this Luncheon Meeting, eight of which were members of the Credit Union and two members who joined the Credit Union at this meeting. Our members in attendance were: Kau‘i Kaleo, Cheryl and Nicolas Kapua, Charles Kapua, Toni Lee, Donovan and Ronnie Nacapuy, Miu Lan Oman, Momi Phillips and Moana Sanders. Winning the Top Prizes of the Luncheon were: Moana Sanders with the Third Prize of Movie tickets. Toni Lee, Second Prize of $50.00 and Cheryl Kapua winning the First Prize of $100.00. It was a clean sweep for our Club. The Lunch tickets were just $20.00.

Did you know that the Hawaiian Civic Clubs had their own Credit Union? You are all invited to join. We will have applications available at our General Meeting.

50th ANNIVERSARY

It is so hard to believe that our Club's 50th Anniversary is quickly approaching. Time has gone by so quickly. This is an event that you will not want to miss. I hope you have all marked your calendars. The date is: May 3, 2014 at Kamehameha Schools Kapalama at their brand new Ka'iwakiloumoku Hawaiian Cultural Center located next to the Chapel. The time is from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Price is $30 per person and children $15. Tickets will be sold at the door for $40.

We will have a silent auction so if anyone would like to donate to the silent auction please contact Lorna Pacheco at 456-1563 or Kau'i Kaleo at 341-1296. You may also bring the items to the General Meeting on Thursday evening. Tickets will be available at our General Meeting. If you cannot come to the meeting and want to come to the Anniversary Luncheon, please call me, Toni Lee at 222-7853. We are looking for Coconut Leaves for center pieces. Anika Borden, Ilima Dela Cruz and her Ohana will be making the baskets. We also need members to donate lei that we can use to honor our guests at our Luncheon. We need to find out how many of you will be coming so that we know how many center pieces we

will need to make and how much food we will need to order. We are also asking for any of you that have tropical flowers, ti-leaves and ferns in your gardens and would like to donate some of them to us to decorate the stage call me at 222-7853 and we can come and pick them up from you. The entertainment will be awesome and we promise you a lovely afternoon reminiscing and meeting up with members you haven't seen for a long time and enjoy singing. Come and hear our Club's story.

HALI'A ALOHA - CHERISHED MEMORY

We're again seeking your kokua with our project in obtaining the names of all or most of the club's former members who have now passed. If you have information and/or pictures, obituaries or announcements, we'd like to recognize them at our 50th Anniversary celebration. So far, we have a list of 60 former members. Please send an email to Kaui Kaleo at titaei@aol.com (be sure to indicate subject line as "Hali'a Aloha") or bring it to our monthly General Membership meeting, on Thursday, March 27th or April 13th . Remember that we only have a few more weeks before the date of our Anniversary luncheon and putting this together takes some effort…Mahalo for your help.

Mitchell Pei Award Nominees Sought

Nominees are now being accepted for the Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club Mitchell Pei Award.

The annual Mitchell Pei Award is awarded to the outstanding member of the Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club. The recipient of the Mitchell Pei Award exemplifies the highest ideals and principles of the Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club.

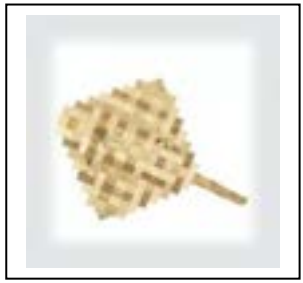
All club members are encouraged to submit names of deserving individuals along with a write-up for this prestigious honor. The Mitchell Pei Award Committee has developed guidelines for the write-up. The write-up should include the following information about the nominee:

- Current club standing (paid up regular, associate, or life member)
- Club participation (committees, meetings, etc.)
- Quality of participation (dedication, chairmanships, etc.)
- Perpetuation of Hawaiiana (ideals of club, etc.)
- Community involvement (other than club activities, etc.)
- Personal qualities (personality, aloha spirit, supporter of club goals and objectives, enthusiasm)

Please submit your nominee write-up to Lorna Pacheco; Awards Committee; Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club; P.O. Box 66; Aiea, Hawai'i, 96701. **Nominations are due (not postmarked) by Tuesday April 15, 2014.** Call her at 781-2488 if you have any questions or need additional information.

The Mitchell Pei Award for the Outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club member will be presented at the 50th Anniversary Celebration on May 3rd.

Lauhala Mini Series - PHHCC is offering a refresher series in ulana lauhala. It will be held on:



04/06/14 - Sunday at 11:00am
FAN

04/11/13 - Friday at 5pm
04/12/14 - Saturday at 3pm
04/13/14 - Sunday at 11am*
WATERBOTTLE

*if time permits also NIHONIHO BOOKMARKER

This series will be free to all club members and will be held at 2488 Auhuhu Street, Pearl City. For more info and registration, please call Lorna May Pacheco at 781-2488.

Activity: ***Malama Loko Ea***

Location: ***62-540 Kamehameha Highway #1***

Haleiwa

Date: ***Saturday, April 19, 2014***

Time: ***7:45 AM (Sign-In At Site)***

Lunch: ***Provided***

Ice water: ***Provided (bring reusable bottle)***

Tabis/gloves: ***Provided***

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Loko Ea, an ancient Hawaiian fishpond that can be dated as far back as the 1600's, is one of Waialua's most valued treasures. It served as a natural resource where the Hawaiian culture was learned and practiced.

Take this opportunity to visit the place and lend a hand to preserve the aina. We'll start at 8:00 a.m. and finish with lunch.

Send me your email address to sign up or to request more information. momiala@yahoo.com

PHHCC LONG RANGE SCHEDULE 2014

March 27 General Membership Meeting
April 13 Board Meeting
April 19 Loko Ea outing
April 24 General Membership Meeting
April 15 Mitchell Pei Award nominations due
May 3 50th Anniversary Celebration
May 12 Board Meeting
May 22 General Membership Meeting
June 8 Ali‘i Sunday King Kamehameha the Great (June 11th)
June 14 Kamehameha Festivals Parade
June 16 Board Meeting
June TBA King Kamehameha Hula Festival
June 26 General Membership Meeting
June 30 PHHCC Scholarship Applications due
July 13 Board Meeting
July 24 General Membership Meeting – Award Scholarships
August 17 Board Meeting – Appoint Nominations Committee Chair
August 28 General Membership Meeting
August 31 Ali‘i Queen Lili‘uokalani (September 2nd)
September 14 Board Meeting
September 25 General Membership Meeting
September 27 Aloha Festivals Parade
October 5 Board Meeting
October TBA Flowers for the Queen at Washington
October 12 Seafood and Fishing Festival
October 16 General Membership Meeting w/elections
October 27 – November 2 Annual AoHCC Convention Waikoloa
November 9 Board Meeting
November 20 General Membership Meeting
December 7 Ali‘i Sunday King Kamehameha V (December 11th)
December 8 Board Meeting
December 14 Ali‘i Princess Bernice Pauahi Bishop (December 19th)
December 18 General Membership Meeting