

# PEARL HARBOR HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB

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## MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER



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## ***Aloha, Members!***

Hauoli La Hanau, Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana`ole. Our Beloved Founder's Birthday was on Sunday, March 26, 2023. The Parade was held in Kapolei this year for the first time. There was an evening Parade at 5:00 pm followed by a Ho`ike`ike on the 25<sup>th</sup> of March at Ka Makani Ali`i Shopping Center right after the Parade.

Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club had a Snack Booth. They sold out of everything they prepared to sell. I hope many of you were able to come to Kapolei to see the Parade and to enjoy the Ho`ike`ike. Mahalo nui to those that prepared something to be sold and to those that worked in the Snack Booth.

When you receive this Newsletter many of our Hawaiian Civic Club Members and Ohana will be exhausted. We have been very busy this month working on earning money for our Scholarship Fund so we will be able to give out Scholarships again this year.

Our General Membership Meeting was held in person this month and we had 18 members in attendance. Our membership has decided that our General meetings will be held on the fourth Thursday of every month in person. It was so great seeing and enjoying each other's company. Of course, the kaukau was fabulous. The next one will be held on April 27, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. at Jennifer's place. Meetings are Pot Luck. Make your favorite dish and bring it to share. The address is provided in the article below. I look forward to seeing you all there. Hauoli La Pakoa...Happy Easter!  
Aloha everyone,  
Charles K. Kapua, President

## **PALISADES SNACK BOOTH**

The Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club had no Snack Booth in March due to bad weather. We will have one in April. If you have "ono" surprise snacks to share in the future let us know. We do very well in our booth. We will have a booth on Sunday, April 2, 2023. Call Alberta at (808) 455-9400 or Toni Lee at (808) 222-7853 if you would like to get involved or have an idea of a great snack that

you make. We will come get it from you if you are unable to come to the fair. Mahalo Alberta Low for stepping up to be the Chair.



President Charles Kapua, Past Presidents Toni Lee and Moana Sanders, First Vice President Montie Hess and Chaplain Ka'iulani Hess

## **ALI`I SUNDAYS**

In March we celebrated two Ali`i Birthdays. Ali`i Sundays were honoring Queen Ka`ahumanu, March 12<sup>th</sup> and Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana`ole on March 26, 2023. The Association of Hawaiian Civic Club President, Dre Kalili, Oahu Council President Jacob Aki, Kaua`i Council President, Malia

Nobrega-Olivera and Kaumuali`i Club Member Victor Olivera, 3 members of the PHHCC; President Charles Kapua, Past President Toni Lee and Miu Lan Oman, HCC of Honolulu, Prince Kuhio HCC, Kalihi Palama HCC, Waianae HCC, Makaha HCC, Princess Ruth HCC, Kailua HCC, King Kamehameha HCC, Princess Kahanu HCC, and Waikiki HCC were in attendance. The Ali`i Sundays were held at Kawaiaha`o Church.







PRINCE  
JONAH KŪHIŌ KALANIĀNĀʻŌLEHI  
1871-1922

## MAKE MUSIC HAWAII JAMMZ

Make Music Hawai'i was held in The Royal Room on Saturday, March 21, 2023. Featured were La'amea Paleka and her Trio Kalama. This Trio, La'amea Paleka, Ka'ehu Keawe and Iokepa Waiwaiole shared their nahenahe music for those that attended and those that joined in the live streamed Make Music Hawai'i Jammz. Toni Lee was the MC for the Make Music Hawai'i Jammz & Moana Sanders, Charles Kapua came to enjoy the music. Make Music Hawai'i Jammz in April may be held in a new location. We are still working out the logistics. Stay tuned for the new location. These events have been held at 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. The time may be changing. Come enjoy the music and enjoy the music and some "ono" mea ai.





## **KIKA – CONVENTIONS – ALL HANDS ON DECK!!!!**

Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club had a huge Convention coming up on Monday, March 6, 2023. We had to come up with 350 wili style wristlets and head lei made of fresh flowers for the Google Cloud Convention that came to Hawai`i. The Convention will be held at The Four Seasons Hotel from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm. We were looking for as many members that could help with this so we didn't have to put too much stress on a few. We had 15 people able to make these wristlets and head lei each person made 30 of these pieces. Because flowers and fern are hard to get members that don't know how to make these lei gathered what was needed. That was very helpful for those that made these pieces. Those that were able to make these wristlets and head pieces were:

Chrissy Anjo and her daughter, Michael Kapua, Carol Rosa, Shawna Lum , Kealani Makaiwi & her daughter, Uilani Kuie`e, Skylr Wong, Pono and Amanda Estores, Toni Lee, Justine Lafata, Honu Nichols and Rae DeCoito.

Rae DeCoito, Honu Nichols, Kealani Makaiwi and Justine Lafata worked this Convention at

the Four Seasons. Mahalo to Rae DeCoito for taking the pictures. Mahalo nui to all of our members that worked on this project. MISSION ACCOMPLISHED!



Justine Lafata, Kealani and Honu lay out the 378 wristlets and head lei that our members were able to provide.



## **SECOND KIKA CONVENTION**

We also had a second one on Tuesday & Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup> & 22, 2023 for a Convention that was held at the Sheraton Waikiki and we needed to provide 150 wili wristlets. Charles Kapua, Moana Sanders and Toni Lee worked this Convention from 12:00 pm to 7:00 pm. and from 6:30 pm to 8:30 at the Moana Hotel we had to provide a Feather Display which was worked by Moana Sanders and a Ti-Leaf demonstration that was worked by Justine Lafata. Ti-Leaf wristlets and Lei were provided by Justine, Kealani Makaiwi and Toni Lee. The Feather Lei display was provided by Mele Kahalepuna Chun from Na Lima Mili Hulu Noeau. On Wednesday the Convention was held at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel Coconut Grove. That Convention was called Access Advance and we needed a Coconut Weaver to make 85 fishes and 85 Wili wristlets and worked from 6:30 to 9:30 pm for about 130 people . Aldo Kuie`e made 85 coconut leaf fishes and U`ilani Kuie`e and Michael Kapua pre made 85 wili wristlets for this convention. Aldo and U`ilani worked this Convention.









## GREAT ALOHA RUN



President Charles Kapua; 2nd Vice President Karen Alameda, and her friend Reena; Corresponding Secretary, Alberta Low; Treasurer, Justine Lafata; Recording Secretary, U'ilani Kuie'e; Board of Director, Aldo Kuie'e and Members, Michael Kapua and Carol Rosa worked the Great Aloha Run on February 21, 2023.

# PRINCE KUHIO PARADE & HO'IKE'IKE



The Prince Kuhio Parade this year was held in Kapolei for the first time. The Parade was held on Saturday, March 25, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. Pearl Harbor past President Toni Lee was the Parade Marshall. Toni Lee is usually in Charge of the Parade. CNHA volunteered to take on the Kuleana of the Parade this year and selected Toni Lee as the Parade Marshall. President, Charles Kapua drove Toni in the Parade in a Golf Cart. There were 5 stages that read the script for the Parade. The first Stage announcers were our members Brook Mahealani Lee and her brother Brendon Kaleiaina Lee who just happen to be the children of Toni Lee. Pearl Harbor was well represented in the Parade. The Parade ended at Ka Makana Ali`i Shopping Center. The Ho`ike`ike was held in The Ka Makana Ali`i Shopping Center in Kapolei after the Parade. Of course, we had a Snack Booth there. Our Snack Booth did very well. We sold out of everything. We sold, Shrimp Chips, donated by Doreen Rabago, Pani Popo (sweet coconut rolls) donated by Jennifer Gomes, Chex Mix & Fruity Pebbles & Rice Crispy Treats donated by Justine Lafata, Furikake Mix and Magic Bars donated by Karen Alamida, Butter Mochi,

Mango Bread, Mango Bread Bars with buttery frosting & Strawberry Guava Mochi donated by Chrissy Anjo, Brownies and Mango Bread with Walnuts donated by Erica Cravalho-Meyers, Almond Cookies & Caramel Cuts (Haole Brownies) donated by Alberta Low. How's that menu? Working in the Booth were Chrissy Anjo, Erica Cravalho-Meyers, Fay Takahashi, Micah Cravalho-Meyers and Alberta Low. Miu Lan visited the Booth. Our Booth made \$479.00 for our Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club Scholarship Fund. Mahalo to all who donated Snacks and worked in the Booth. There was no Official Lei Draping at Prince Kuhio's Statue in Waikiki on the 26<sup>th</sup> which is his Birthday. The Association of Hawaiian Civic Club's President Dre Kalili draped the Statue in Waikiki after the Parade with a beautiful wili lei. Toni Lee made a ku`i yellow plumeria lei on behalf of our Club and presented it to Prince Kuhio's Portrait at Ka Makana Ali`i after the Parade. Mahalo to Skylr Wong and her fiancé Charles Hernandez for picking all the plumeria. That was the only Plumeria lei that was presented. You can see it in the picture below the Portrait. `Ae, March has been a very busy month.



Mahalo to all of you that participated. Mission Accomplished. You all helped to make it happen.



Ho'ike'ike Crew

Pearl Harbor has Ho'ike'ike Snack Booth! Alberta Low, Chrissy Anjo, Erica & Micah Cravalho-Meyers and Fay Takahashi worked the Booth!  
Mahalo Nui!



**HAUOLI LA HANAU!**



Hayden Kahiau Butler

Judith Dill

Catherine Iwalani Dill-Johnson

Abigail Ellis

Charles Kapua

Michael Kapua

Makamae Keli'ia'a-Lee

Benson Lee Jr.

Michael Kilohana Low

Andre Peters

Momi Phillips

Patrick Sniffen

## **PEARL HARBOR HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB MEETS IN PERSON!**

Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club meets in person at Jennifer Gomes place in Pearl City for our General Meetings now. The address is: 98-713 Kuaha`o Place Pearl City 96782. It's right around the corner of the old Buzz's Steak House on Ka`ahumanu Avenue. It's now called Celebraties. Turn right on Kuaha`o and go to the end of the street it's next to the Slipper Factory, drive in the gate and it's on the Left. Board of Directors meetings will continue to meet virtually.

The Board Meeting will be on April 16, 2023. It's a week later because of Easter. The next General Meeting will be Thursday, April 27, 2023. Call Toni Lee if you get lost or confused at (808) 222-7853.

## **INTERESTED IN BECOMING A DOCENT?**

Pearl Harbor Hawaiian Civic Club has been asked to help find interested people who would like to become a Docent at Washington Place. I believe there will be a six week course offered to prepare people to become Docents. They are

looking for interested Men and Women. Call me if you are interested at (808) 222-7853.

## **DUES**

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

**WE KNOW YOU PROBABLY JUST FORGOT. PLEASE SEND IN YOUR DUES. IF YOU'RE NOT SURE IF YOU'VE PAID CALL OUR MEMBERSHIP CHAIR, KAREN ALAMIDA AT (808) 225-7940.**

**\$25, Opio \$12.50**

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### **STAFF:**

Karen Alamida  
Puna Ellis  
Rae DeCoito  
Charles K. Kapua  
Toni Lee

## PHHCC Membership Renewal

**\*Please complete this page and return it with your membership dues to**

**PHHCC, P.O. Box 66, Aiea, Hawaii 96701**

**\*Please provide the below information for everyone renewing their membership with this payment - 2022**

**Member 1:**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Text? Yes** \_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_

**Email address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred method to contact?**

**Text** \_\_\_\_ **Phone call** \_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_

**Birthday** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation (or previous occupation if retired)**

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**Members 2, 3, 4, etc.:**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Text? Yes** \_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_

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