Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu November 2005 Newsletter

Aloha, Maylene Enoka, our Editor-in-Chief, is out on sick leave this month. E kalamai for this abbreviated newsletter. Get Well Soon, Maylene.

Calendar of Events:

NOVEMBER:

- 1-25 Nominations for Officers (see article below)
 - 19 Oʻahu Council Makahiki at Hickam AFB (see article below)
 - 20 Nake'u Christmas Faire (see article below)
 - 24 Thanksgiving
 - 27 General Membership Meeting (see article below)

DECEMBER:

- 3 Ko'olaupoko Anniversary/Scholarship Banquet (see article below)
- 11 HCCH Christmas Party (see article below)
- 11 Ali'i Sunday King Kamehameha V 8:15am Kawaiahao
- 18 Ali'i Sunday Bernice Pauahi Bishop 8:15am Kawaiahao
- 19 Founder Day Kamehameha Schools
- 25 Christmas Day

Aloha New Members

Julian Ako – Kamehameha High School Division Principal (Sponsor: Luana Sala) Marisa and Eric Rhode – She is a Loan Officer and he is a Federal Fire Fighter (Sponsor: Leatrice Kauahi)

Club Officers and Board of Directors Elections:

It's election time! Our organization is built on volunteers. Sound leadership is necessary to assist us in continuing our work and in contribution to the enhancement of the Hawaiian community. Nominations for the following offices for the years 2006 and 2007 are now being accepted. President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Board of Directors five (5) positions. The nomination committee members are Lucia Davis (Chair), Roberta Oneha and Clem Aleka-Gorai. Please contact Lucia at 230-2104 if you are interested in running for an officer or director position. The committee will also be contacting the current officers and directors to ascertain their continued interest in serving our club. Please consider running for office as an officer or director. Election will occur at our Christmas Party, December 11, 2005. This is a requirement of our constitution, Article II, Section 1, that election of officers shall take place at a regular meeting of the membership in the last quarter of the year.



2005 AOHCC Annual Convention -- October 23 – 30, 2005: The Fairmont Orchid Hotel – Kohala Coast, Hawai'i Theme: "Ho'ikaika Ka Waiwai Na'Auao O Na 'Oiwi", "Strengthen the Value of Wisdom for the Future". Our club delegates, alternates and members experienced a wonderful time at the 2005 AOHCC Convention in Kohala. Meetings were attended by delegates and alternates and overall we had a wonderful convention and some challenging issues. All resolutions supported by

HCCH were passed. The HCCH Kaiolohiaomamala Choir did a great job in the Aha Mele competition and took second place in the competition. On behalf of President Anita Naone, Mahalo to all for your professionalism, support and sharing of mana'o during convention. Convention 2006 will be at the Waikiki Marriott, October 23-29 2006.

A very special mahalo to Leimomi Khan, Chair, HCCH Government Relations Committee, who worked diligently to prepare our club to address the 30+ resolutions; to Manu Boyd, Choral Director, who enriched us culturally in preparing for 'aha mele; to Anita Naone and her family for their hospitality displayed throughout the convention (really enjoyed all the pupus in their room); to Leatrice Kauahi for arranging the 'aha mele meal; to Likolehua Gerboc, Conventions Chair, for logistical support; to members who served as chairpersons on the AHCC committees or workshops ((Henry Gomes, Pat Brandt, Hailama Farden, Claire Hughes, Bucky Leslie, Leimomi Jones, Claire Pruet, and Kalani Brady); and to members, both those attending and not attending convention, for the wonderful spirit that you bring to our club in supporting this event, from fundraising, to 'aha mele practices, to pre-caucus convention meetings, to the simple courtesies extended to each other. Mahalo, mahalo nui loa.

From Manu Boyd, Choral Director: Aloha kakou e Kaiolohiaomamala:

Just wanted to express my congratulations to each of you for an outstanding job at convention. We had a lot of fun, and your performance was superb. Many, many comments and compliments afterward. You looked and sounded great. Next year's competition mele should be simpler so we can do more dynamics which is what we were able to do in Pu'uwa'awa'a. The divisi in Kimo Hula was a bit much.

Be prepared to perform at Holoku Ball, should the committee or chair want us to sing. Probably just He Lei No Honolulu into Pu'uwa'awa'a. Whoever has the event date — please send to choir members. Also, if you have next year's convention dates, we should get those out as well. Convention will be in Waikiki and I plan to work with you all again. Should be fun! Hope you (and others) are up for another good challenge. Ho'omaika'i nui ia kakou — Congratulations to us all!

Ke aloha nui no.

Manu

Congratulations to our Club Members:

Joann Tsark won the Kalaniana'ole Award (Outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club Member for Service to the Community at Large)

Leatrice Kauahi on her nomination for the Ka Po'okela O Kuhio Award (Outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club Member for Service to the Hawaiian Civic Club)

Marlene Exeo - First Certified Elite Cruise Counselor in Hawaii

Pearl City, Hawaii, October 14, 2005

Marlene Ebeo of Getaway Travel & Cruises has been distinguished as the first certified Elite Cruise Counselor in Hawaii since completing the certification requirements as prescribed by the Cruise Lines International Association (CLIA), whose membership includes travel agents across the United States and Canada

Marlene Ebeo has achieved the rank of Elite Cruise Counselor by completing the official CLIA Cruise Academy Training Programs as well as other professional selling programs within the cruise industry, visiting numerous ships, experiencing short and long cruises, and attending professional and product development courses. CLIA's Certification Program graduates are widely recognized as the foremost cruise vacation experts among American travel agents and member cruise lines.

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CLIA's Certified Cruise Counselors are the cruise industry's premiere travel agents and can arrange all of your vacation needs while providing the greatest service and value for your vacation dollar.

Getaway Travel & Cruises is a home-based small business agency which opened in 1998 specializing in worldwide leisure and luxury cruise vacations. Services also include package vacations throughout Hawaii, Las Vegas and Disney vacations.

Kokua: Many of the children who come to Family Court are there because of unhappy, unpleasant and at time painful circumstances. In the chamber of five of the judges is a box of fluffy stuffed animals, story books, small toys that are given to the children. These boxes need to be replenished. To support this effort, HCCH members are asked to provide new or "gently used" stuffed animals, story books, small toys to be donated to the Family Court. Please bring them to our Christmas Party on December 11, 2005.

Club Uniforms and Shirts: We have very few Mamo and Nake'u shirts/uniforms available for members. We also have some Med, 2XL and 3XL royal blue uniform polo shirts. Please call Louise Gerboc 988-4111 (ext 101) for assistance.

Holoku Ball 2006 Scholarship Fundraiser. Mahalo to Reynolds Freitas for accepting the role as Chairperson for the Ball. Everyone is encouraged to volunteer to help make our ball a success. Date March 4, 2006, Hilton Hawaiian Village 5:30-11:00pm. More information to follow.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Nake'u's Christmas Faire Reminder: The following is an update for the Christmas Faire "Dance Ballerina Dance: Nake'u has added an additional show for Christmas Faire this year. He will be hosting a Breakfast and Luncheon Show on Sunday, November 20, 2005, at the Ko'olau Golf Course Ballroom. The entertainment at each show will also be different. Seating arrangements are 8 people per table. <u>Tickets available for Breakfast Show only</u>. Time 8:30am – Cost \$38.00 – Entertainment Paahana and Manulele Clark. Anyone interested in attending should contact Nake'u Awai at 841-1221.

Baked Sale Time!! We will once again participate in Nake'u Awai's Christmas Faire on November 20 at the Ko'olau Ballrooms in lovely Kane'ohe selling baked goods. With the support of the Club in past years, this event has been a very lucrative one and helped to boost our general fund. We once again ask for your kokua. So happy bakers, drag out those cookie sheets and baking pans. We are looking for the following "**Homemade**" baked goods:

All types of Brownies with or w/out nuts All types of mochi (a must!)

cookies

fruit barsMini cake loaves (bread or cake)... and cash donationsCandied ApplesNO PERISHABLES PLEASEAnything special

As before, please wrap your items festively (see through packaging - preferably) and pretty ribbon and describe your item with a label. Presentation is a big plus and baked goods sell quicker. People are quite health conscious today and labeling your goods to show the ingredients are good. If you need help with your labels, please let Momi Jones (521-9353) know no later than Wednesday, November 16. Otherwise, please bag your cookies and bars by the half dozen, which we find is easier to sell. (**We prefer not selling anything in a zip lock bag).** Pricing for the goods will be in denominations of \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and up, depending on size of item, and what the item contains.

Baked items can be dropped off at Katherine Farm's home in Nu'uanu:

Katherine Farm's home or call Momi Jones to make arrangements for pick up

3438 Kaohinani Drive (521-9353 work) Honolulu, Hawaii 96822 ATTN: Baked Sale

Phone: 595-4643 **MAIL \$ DONATIONS** TO: **P.O. BOX 1513**

Honolulu, HI 96806

Drop Off Date: Saturday, November 19 – between 9:00am – 12:00 pm

If you are not a baker but would like to support this fundraiser, we will gladly accept a monetary donation. Checks should be made out to HCCH and mailed to address above. Please call Momi Jones (521-9353) if you have any questions. We appreciate your support for this fundraiser. MAHALO!

cookies ... breads ... fruit bars ... candied apples ... brownies

HCCH Christmas Party-DECEMBER 11TH, 2005

AT: 98-1652 Kiawe Street (ABOVE NEWTON DRIVING RANGE)

Aiea, Hawaii 96701

Phone: 488-2051 Time: 10:30am - ???

Home of: Leatrice M. Kauahi

Dorothy and John Williams

WEAR SOME "RED" ON YOUR BODY

GAMES AND SINGING WILL BE PART OF THE DAY

BRING A STUFFED ANIMAL FOR THE CHILDREN OF FAMILY COURT.

COST: \$10.00 PER MEMBER/ASSOCIATE

\$10.00 PER GUEST

(10 and below are free)

BYOB (Bring your own bottle) MIMOSA WILL BE SERVED ALONG

WITH JUICE, WATER, SOFT DRINKS, COFFEE

MENU: Steak

Chicken Ham Salads Rice

Deserts

RSVP: Call: Dorothy or John Williams

Phone: 4882051

Provide names of those attending or number of people.

MAKAHIKI CELEBRATION

The O'ahu Council of Hawaiian Civic Clubs humbly requests the honor of your presence at the Third Annual Hickam Air Force Base Makahiki Celebration

It will be a spiritual and cultural event celebrating the arrival of Lono from the sea by canoe. The O'ahu Council in joint sponsorship with Hickam Air Force Base, has once again offered to host this year's event. There will be ten (10) canoes representing the ancient traditional na moku 'o O'ahu and one carrying Lono. They will bring traditional foods and plants as ho'okupu, from their moku. Upon. Lono's arrival, we will form a procession from the shore to the site of the celebration. Our respected Kumu Hula, John Ka'imikaua, has established the protocol for this event and will preside as Kahu. There will be presentations of ho'okupu by the canoes with appropriate chant. Ho'okupu and chant from our guests is encouraged but not required. The Kumu will share his mana'o on the Makahiki and the significance of the event which will include chants, rituals and an exhibition of the ancient traditional games through hula.

It is scheduled for Saturday, November 19, 2005, to start at 11:00 am on the makai lawn of the Sea Breeze Restaurant, on Hickam. The commander encourages all invited guests to carpool as much as possible as it will expedite access at the main Nimitz Gate. Ho'okupu and oli are encouraged but not required. At the end of the Makahiki, all ho'okupu will be taken to the site of an ahu, marking the burial of ninety- two (92) 'Iwi Kupuna.

We would be honored by the attendance of you and your members. We will need to know beforehand the names and dates of births of attendees from your organization to facilitate access to the base. Drivers of vehicles will need their drivers license, no fault card, safety inspection and registration. Please contact

Shad Kane, #672-4765/e-mail: <u>kiha@hawaii.rr.com</u> or Casina Waterman, #373-4190,email: <u>qehcc2@aol.com</u> with info.

R.S.V.P. requested by November 14, 2005

Respectfully,

Shad Kane, Chair Casina Waterman and Bill Correa, Committee Members

"Na Hali'a Aloha" Fond Memories: The Kualoa-Heeia Hawaiian Civic Club and the Ko'olaupoko Hawaiian Civic Club are celebrating their Anniversary and Scholarship Banquet on Saturday, December 3, 2005, 5:00-10:00pm at the Ko'olau Golf Club – Grand Ballroom. Ono Food, Nahenahe music, Raffle, Door prizes and more. Tickets are \$40.00. Seating is limited. Please call early to reserve your seats. Ph: 239-7305 or 239-9334 or mail to PO Box 1625, Kane'ohe, HI 96744. If we have enough club members we should be able to make a table. Call Anita Naone 261-2952 for more information. Mahalo.

The Best Way to Alaska: Experience an unforgettable 274-mile waterway of Alaska's Inside Passage; soaring landscapes around Juneau; Skagway's Gold Rush streets; steep-sided fjords of Glacier Bay; winding waterfront of Ketchikan ---gateway to The Misty Fjords, and the charming seaport of Victoria before returning to Seattle. All these ports of call onboard the Norwegian Star. All inclusive are your meals and in-between snacks on-board; your stateroom; activities, parties and entertainment plus four ports of call and cruising two of Alaska's waterway.

An escorted 7-day Alaska Glacier Bay roundtrip cruise sailing out of Seattle is scheduled for June 11, 2006. Inside cabins start from \$919.00, oceanview start from \$1149, and oceanview with balcony start from \$1489. Rates are per person, based on double occupancy. All bookings are made on a guaranteed basis after deposit is transmitted. This group booking is capacity controlled and subject to availability. All rates are subject to availability. All rates are in US Dollars. Government taxes and fees are additional. Onboard service charges are additional and will be automatically added to your onboard account. Air add-ons, prepost hotel package and transfer hotel-pier/pier-hotel are extra on request only.

You haven't lived until you've cruise! For your reservation call Marlene Ebeo at 808-455-1650 or 866-455-1650.

KAHOOLAWE

The Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu is planning another volunteer work trip to Kaho'olawe January 16 to 19, 2006. Jan. 16 is Martin Luther King Day. 20 people will be permitted. Let me know if you are interested and want to join us. **Contact Susan Malterre-Htun** < <a href="https://http