Aloha!

HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB OF HONOLULU
Established December 1918
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Have you visited our website lately? Mahalo Blaine Fergerstrom, HCCH Webmaster!

Liholiho  Alternate lyrics (HCCH Club Song)
Onaona wale ia pua  O beautiful 'ilima
I ka miki'ala mau 'ia  Choice of my heart
Ua hele wale a noheia  O sweet and charming flower
I ka nou i ke kehau  Soft and lovely to behold

NEWSLETTER...
APRIL – MAY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Tuesday, April 24, 2007, 5:30pm
Board Meeting – St. Francis School

Sunday, April 29, 2007, 1:00-4:00pm
General Mbrshp Mtg - St. Francis
Saturday, May 5, 2007, 9:00am
Mauna‘ala Cleanup

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!
Our HCCH Pelekikena Anita Naone has been selected to represent the Hawaiian Organizations on the State of Hawaii Sister State Committee under the International Affairs Committee of the Department of Transportation. “We are proud of you…we are proud of you!”

MAUNA’ALA - CULTURAL SERVICE
Our club is scheduled to clean Mauna‘ala on Saturday May 5, 2007. TIME: 9:00am. We would appreciate everyone’s participation and kokua.
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Aloha Mai,

Our next GENERAL MEMBERSHIP meeting is scheduled for **Sunday April 29, 2007 – 1:00-4:00pm** at St. Francis Alameda Center in Manoa. The planned agenda will include a genealogy presentation on Prince Kuhio by Manu Boyd, information on planning the 100th year celebration of HCCH by Aunty Margaret Boyd, final report of Holoku Ball 2007, information on fundraising and convention 2007 plans in Alaska. **ALL MEMBERS ARE HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND. LOTS OF INFORMATION TO SHARE.** Aloha Anita

MEMBERSHIP

For membership and dues information, please contact Chairperson, Uilani Souza, Phone: 235-4859, email usouza@awlaw.com; Regular Membership: Individual $ 30 / Couple $45. Please mail your annual membership dues to: Attention: Membership Dues, c/o Uilani Souza, P.O. Box 1513, Honolulu, Hawai‘i 96806

CONVENTION PREPARATION!

**Location:** ALASKA, Anchorage
**Hotel:** Hilton Anchorage
**Dates:** 14-21 October 2007
**HCCH Chairperson:** TBA

Fundraising Events Scheduled:

Friday, August 10, 2007, - Golf tournament, Kaneohe Klipper Course, more info to follow.

ASSOCIATION OF HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUBS

Leimomi Khan, President

I am writing to thank all who participated in the Prince Kuhio Celebration parade held this past Saturday. We were blessed with good weather, blue skies, swaying palm trees, blue ocean...picture perfect.

In spite of weeks of planning, there were a few glitches at the start of the parade, but once on the road, everything went well. From the sounds of the Royal Hawaiian and Pacific Fleet Bands, to the hula movements of halau hula, to the beautifully decorated trolleys and cars, the spirit of aloha of Kuhio's people filled the air. We came together--the Royal Societies, the Department of Hawaiian Homes, the State Council of Hawaiian Homesteaders Assn, the Native Hawaiian Legal Corp, the Native Hawaiian Chamber of Commerce, The Office of Hawaiian Affairs, the Hawaiian Affairs Caucus, Chaminade University, Hawai‘i Maoli, the Prince Kuhio Federal Credit Union, the Epilepsy Foundation (w/Queen Emma HCC); and 17 civic clubs. Prince David Kaumualii Kawananakoa led the parade.

Special appreciation to:
- Hailama Farden, Parade starter
- Paul Richards, State Council of Hawaiian Homesteaders Assn, Script Assistant
- Casina Waterman, Lineup coordinator of cars
I am also writing to all of the businesses who supported us, i.e., Royal Hawaiian Shopping Center, Outrigger Hotels, Waikiki Marriott, the City & County of Honolulu, and others.

Three other events preceded the parade, the Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu Scholarship Fundraiser, the Holoku Ball; E Mele Kakou, and Ho'ike'iike. The first opened the month long Prince Kuhio Celebration. It honored Mahi Beamer, Nina Kealiwahamana, and Watters Martin, Jr. Under the chairmanship of Manu Boyd, it was held at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel...a class event that recognized three of Hawai'i's greatest, with excellent food and entertainment. The second featured Kawaiolaonapukanileo, the Hawaii Youth Opera, and the University of Hawai'i School of Music Choir. Under the direction of Nola Nahulu, this was an event that warmed the hearts of all in attendance with the melodious voices of these choral groups. The founder of the Ho'ike'iike, Aunty Elaine Mulaney would have been proud of the O'ahu Council for the many craft demonstrations and lectures at this year's Ho'iike'iike. Great job by Crissy Anjo in organizing and planning Ho'iike'iike.

This year, we tried something new and partnered with Milton Lau of Ka-Hoku Productions in the first annual Great Hawaiian Folk Festival. It was a successful partnership which brought together outstanding musicians and halau hula, and which had thousands in attendance.

These events could not have been possible without the grant of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, thus, we are appreciative of their leaders who have recognized the significance of Prince Kuhio's contributions to the State of Hawaii. They have continually provided funding in support of all activities, and in particular, the parade, one of three signature parades for the State of Hawaii.

As we soon bring to a close the Prince Kuhio Celebration, I wish to solicit your feedback on all of the activities. Your feedback will help us to continue to communicate the benefits of these events to City and State Officials and private businesses who provide us with funding. Share your mana'o about the benefit of these activities. Give us a critique that lauds the good outcome of these activities, as well as constructive criticism with recommendations for improvement. Tell us of any ideas of how we might grow the celebration. Please send me your critique by April 15, so that we may consolidate and consider them in the planning of next year's activities.

A deserving round of applause to all civic club members who volunteered their time to make all of these events happen, most especially the O'ahu Council, Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs. Mahalo, mahalo nui loa! Leimomi

Dr. Brady assists ex-resident on flight who had heart attack

BYU-PROVO professor Alf Pratte, a former Star-Bulletin reporter, was here last month to present a paper at BYU-Hawaii on intercultural marriage. He and his wife, June, took a trip to Kalaupapa, where he began feeling chest pains. On the plane back to Honolulu, Alf was lucky Dr. Kalani Brady was aboard and recognized signs of a heart attack. Besides giving assistance, the doc arranged for an ambulance to take Alf to Hawaii Medical Center, formerly St. Francis, where he was given emergenc y treatment. "It was like working under deadline pressure in the newsroom," Alf said. He was able to fly back to Utah after three days. He wants to thank all who helped him ...
For more information contact HCCH member Marlene Ebeo at 455-1650…