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MALAKI 2010

HOLOKŪ BALL UPDATE

Holokū Ball
March 6, 2010
Royal Hawaiian Hotel
Update as of Feb. 10 – four weeks out

More than 250 seats have sold to-date for the March 6 Holokū Ball, including 9 maile tables at \$2,500, and 4 'ilima tables at \$5,000. Individual tickets are \$150. Our goal is to sell 10 more tables (ten seats each). Spread the word!

This annual event of the Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu benefits the HCCH scholarship fund that provides for the education of Native Hawaiian students through scholarship awards.

Tickets / tables may be purchased by calling event co-chair Tina Haight at 261-4464. Silent auction donations are being gratefully accepted by Macky Shea who reports that more than 30 quality items have been re-



R. Dwayne Nākila Steele



Dee Jay Mailer



Māhealani Wendt

ceived to-date. For contributions, please call Macky at 254-2266 or 381-5873, Luana Sala at 284-0352 or drop item off at Kawaiaha'o Plaza at Luana's office on the second floor.

2010 honorees are the late R. Dwayne Nākila Steele, businessman and Hawaiian language advocate; Dee Jay Mailer, CEO of Kamehameha Schools; and Māhealani Wendt, lifetime HCCH member and recently retired executive director of the Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation.

Kahiau i ke Aloha is our theme meaning "to show kindness without

expectation of return."

Over the remaining four weeks, stand by for information on how you can help with decorations, centerpieces, favors, programs etc. Board member Ululani Parker and floral designer Guy Hiro are coordinating this effort along with event co-chairs Tina Haight and Wanda Camara.

Mahalo piha to our members and community supporters who have generously contributed to our upcoming event.

Prince Kūhiō Festival Events

The Prince Kūhiō Festival, which commemorates our founder in the month of his birthday, extends from March 7 through March 27. HCCH will participate in three festival events. Please mark your calendars for the following festivities and STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS IN THE UPCOMING WEEKS.

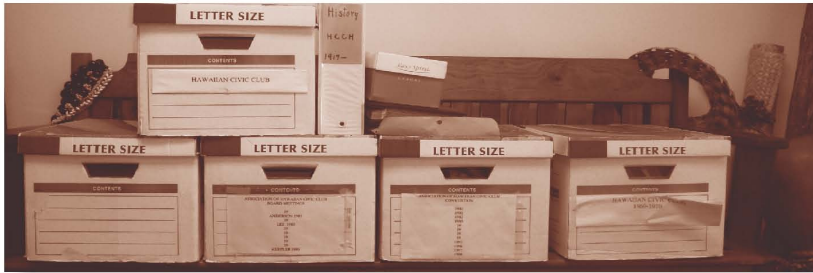
- Ali'i Sunday (Prince Kūhiō)
 March 21, 2010, 8.30am
 Kawaiaha'o Church
- Mauna'ala
 March 26, 2010, 8.30am
 Royal Mausoleum
- Prince Kūhiō Parade
 March 27, 2010, 4pm
 Waikīkī (More details to follow)

Pu'uhonua: safe haven or sanctuary

Pu'uhonua acknowledges the Pu'uhonua Hui or Hawaiian Protective Association established by Prince Kalaniana'ole just prior to the formation of the Hawaiian Civic Club in 1918.

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Nā Pahu 'Elima: *The Five Boxes*

Manu Boyd, pelekikena

Aloha nui kākou e ka 'ohana, nā lālā kūpa'a o kēia 'ahahui kiwila, ka mea i ho'okumu 'ia e Kalaniana'ole no ka pono o kona lāhui aloha. He mea hanohano maoli no'u iho nō e ho'okele i nēia wa'a nei, 'oia'i he huaka'i hoihoi a nanea nō ho'i kō kākou a pau loa. E alu mai a e ho'olōkahi i ka 'īlauhoe i pae aku kākou me ke kāhiko pū 'ia mai i ka lei wehi o ka lanakila.



Aloha to our family, the loyal and steadfast members of this civic club, founded by Kalaniana'ole for the good of his beloved people. It is indeed an honor and privilege lead this club, and navigate this "canoe" on our intriguing and enjoyable journey, that we might reach our collective destination victoriously.

One of my goals for our Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu in the coming months is to help redefine our purpose and function so that our membership will be absolutely clear as to what we're about, be proud and active members, and have a positive impact on our kulāiwi – our homeland. As we move forward, we keep our eyes fixed on the past and bring with us values and insight that our kūpuna intended for us to preserve.

The timing of Tūtū Sarah Kauka's decision to turn over HCCH archival

files in early February couldn't have been more serendipitous. Just when I thought I had a handle on who and what an why we are, I was immediately humbled and enlightened by voluminous papers, folders, memoirs, copious note, Holokū Ball programs, convention materials and more dating back generations. I was also reminded that we are indeed the "mother club," a designation I've tried to fight off in the past.

In Nov. 1918, Prince Kūhiō organized the Pu'uhonua Hui or Hawaiian Protective Association. From a luncheon meeting at the Young Hotel, the hui – endorsed by Rev. Akaike Akana of Kawaiaha'o Church – became known as the Hawaiian Civic Club. Its purpose: to elevate the social and intellectual status of all Hawaiians. A week before this new movement was born, a headline in *The Pacific Commercial Advertiser* read as follows:

Hawaiians are not doing their part, says Kalaniana'ole. Prince tells them they are losing sight of race pride and standing idly by while haole civic organizations fight their battles (11/27/18).

All this from one small file in one of five boxes of "momi waiwai loa" – priceless gems that define who we are today. *Pehea lā kākou e holomua ai? Me ka nānā pū 'ana i ka wā ma mua.* How shall we move forward? By maintaining focus on our past.



With this mana'o afloat, I offer a name for this column, in honor of Tūtū Kauka and the scores of Hawaiians who have laid for us an honorable foundation: *Nā Pahu 'Elima*.

And for our monthly newsletter in which this column will appear, I think *Pu'uhonua* is a fitting title as it suggests a protected safe haven where we as Hawaiians can be rejuvenated spiritually, culturally, socially and physically.

In each issue of *Pu'uhonua*, look for historical information gleaned from nā pahu 'elima that will help to enrich us all as we move forward, all the while, glancing back.

Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu

Founder: Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole, 1918

Motto: Ua mau ke ea o ka 'āina i ka pono

Flower: 'Ilima

Colors: 'Ilima gold and red

Song: Beautiful 'Ilima (Liholiho)

Choral Group: Kaiolohiaomāmala

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2010 `Alemanaka Kupulau (Spring Calendar)

PKF = Prince Kūhiō Festival; AHCC = Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs; RHC = Royal Hawaiian Center
HCCH events are highlighted in yellow.

Malakī

6	Sa	5.00pm	Holokū Ball	Royal Hawaiian Hotel
7	Su	10am-5pm	PKF - Health Festival	TBA
13	Sa	12-6pm	PKF - Pualeilani Festival of the Arts	RHC
14	Su	8.30am	Ali'i Sunday (Queen Ka'ahumanu)	Kawaiaha'o Church
17	W		AHCC - Kamehameha III Birthday	
18	Th	7-8.30pm	PKF - Choral Concert (Nola Nāhulu)	Kawaiaha'o Church
20	Sa	7-10am	PKF - American Diabetes Assn. Walk	Kapi'olani Park Bandstand
21	Su	8.30am	Ali'i Sunday (Prince Kūhiō)	Kawaiaha'o Church

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26	F	7-8am	PKF- Lei Draping of Prince Kūhiō Statue	Kūhiō Beach
		8.30am	PKF - Mauna'ala	Royal Mausoleum
27	Sa	11am-8pm	PKF - Arts and Crafts	Kapi'olani Park
		4pm	PKF - Parade	Waikīkī
		6-9pm	PKF - Moonlight Concert	Kapi'olani Park

'Apelila

5	M	6.30-8.30pm	AHCC - O'ahu Council Board Meeting	TBA
10	Sa	9am-3pm	AHCC - O'ahu Council General Meeting	TBA
13	T	5.30pm	HCCH Board Meeting	RHC—6th Floor
17-18	Sa-Su		AHCC - Board of Directors Retreat	TBA

Mei

No events to report on at this time.

Waihona Kōkua Ho'ona'auao (Scholarship)

HCCH SCHOLARSHIP

The 2010 HCCH scholarship application process via website will launch on March 1. The new essay question will be included in the website on March 1. Interested applicants should access the website at: <http://hcchonolulu.org/scholarship> to apply. No hard copies of the application will be mailed. Eligibility includes (1) being of Hawaiian de-

scent (the submission of birth certificate showing proof of Hawaiian ancestry [first time applicants only]), (2) being a resident of Hawaii, (3) being a full-time student in an accredited two- or four-year college as either a classified undergraduate or graduate student in or out of the State of Hawaii (including foreign countries); (4) have a minimum cumulative gpa of 2.5 for undergradu-

ates and a minimum 3.0 for graduate students. Transcripts (within last six months) showing your gpa for your most current school year should be submitted no later than June 30, 2010. Priority is given to members of HCCH in good-standing including "directly-related" family members. Committee members are: Henry Gomes (Chair), Momi Clark and Blaine Fergerstrom.

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Nā Lālā (Membership)

To submit your membership dues, please contact Chairperson, U'ilani Souza, Phone: 235-4859, or email usouza@awlaw.com and mail your annual membership dues to: Attention: Membership Dues, c/o U'ilani Souza, P.O. Box 1513, Honolulu, Ha-

wai'i 96806. Regular Membership: Individual \$30, Couples \$45 (both Hawaiian) or \$40 (one spouse is non-Hawaiian), and Students \$20. *Note: A fee of \$20 will be assessed for all returned checks.*

A warm welcome to the newest members of the club:

- Christine Hew
- Dawson Kaaua
- Francine Kananionapua Murray
- Michele Pualani Pires
- Jewel K. Scoggins

Continued from 'Ao'ao 4**Chaminade University: Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs Merit Scholarship**

The Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs Award is an institutional scholarship awarded to new first-year students or transfers. This generous award is renewed every year for a maximum of four years provided the student remains in good academic standing. Note: There are Hawaiian Civic Club Chapters in the mainland U.S as well as the Hawaiian Islands. Download an application at: http://www.chaminade.edu/ug/documents/AHCC_MERIT_APPLICATION_2009.pdf

Eligibility:

1. You, your parent or grandparent must be a Hawaiian civic club member.
2. You must be nominated by the respective Hawaiian Civic Club president.
3. You must be of Native Hawaiian ancestry.
4. Academic requirements apply - Please contact your admissions counselor for specifics.
5. Award recipients must complete 20 hours of community service per academic semester (40 hours per year).

Chaminade University: Department of Hawaiian Home Lands Opportunity Scholarship

The Department of Hawaiian Home Lands Opportunity Award is an institutional scholarship awarded to new first-year students or transfers. This generous award is renewable for a maximum of four years provided the student remains in good academic standing. Please contact your admissions counselor for award details. Download an application at: http://www.chaminade.edu/ug/documents/DHHL_OPPORTUNITY_APPLICATION_2009.pdf

Eligibility:

1. You must qualify to live on a Hawaiian Homestead property.
2. You must be nominated by the respective Hawaiian Homestead Association president.
3. You must be of Native Hawaiian ancestry.
4. Academic requirements apply - Please contact your admissions counselor for specifics.
5. Award recipients must complete 20 hours of community service per academic semester (40 hours per year).

Chaminade University: Na Lei Na'auao Charter Schools Merit Scholarship

The Na Lei Na 'auao Charter Schools Scholarship is an institutional scholarship awarded to new first-year students or transfers who graduated from a Na Lei Na'auao Charter School . This generous award is renewable for a maximum of four years provided the student remains in good academic standing. Please contact your admissions counselor for award details. Download an application at: http://www.chaminade.edu/ug/documents/NA_LEI_MERIT_APPLICATION_2009.pdf

Eligibility:

1. You are a graduate of a Na Lei Na 'auao Charter School.
2. You must be nominated by your charter school principal.
3. You must be of Native Hawaiian ancestry.
4. Academic requirements apply - Please contact your admissions counselor for specifics.
5. Award recipients must complete 20 hours of community service per academic semester (40 hours per year).

OHA Kāko'o Ho'ona'auao: K-12 Family Education Assistance Program

This program is sponsored by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) and is designed to provide financial assistance to economically disadvantaged Hawaiian families that have extraordinary educational expenses related to attending private elementary or secondary schools in Hawai'i or participating in programs providing educational services for students with special needs. The program is administered through the Financial Aid Office (FAO) of Chaminade University of Honolulu (CUH). For more details, visit <http://www.chaminade.edu/oha/>. If you have any questions please call Trenton Payne in the Financial Aid Department at (808) 735-4706.

Applicants must:

1. Be residents of the State of Hawai'i
2. Demonstrate economic disadvantage and financial need
3. Be a parent or primary caregiver of a child with extraordinary educational expenses
4. Live or be eligible to live on Hawaiian Homelands (verifiable by genealogical documentation)
5. Register with OHA's Hawaiian Registry Program (for information on registering call 808-594-1914)
6. Have a child attending a K-12 private school other than the Kamehameha Schools or participating in a special-needs academic program, in Hawai'i
7. Submit the required documents.