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RELAX, SHOP & PLAY AT WAIKOLOA BEACH RESORT

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Charity Walk Hawai`i A Tradition of Giving

SUPPORTING THE LOCAL COMMUNITY WAS ONE of the founding tenets of Waikoloa Beach Resort, and one shining example is the annual Visitor Industry Charity Walk. As the largest single-day fundraising event by a non-profit organization in the state, thousands of people participate in the walk each May on Hawai'i Island, Maui, O'ahu and Kaua'i. Funds raised go directly to worthy non-profit organizations on each island.

The Charity Walk began 45 years ago on O`ahu as a way for the Hawai`i Lodging & Tourism Association (HLTA) and its non-profit arm, Hawai`i Hotel Industry Foundation (HHIF), to give back to their community. Since then, the event has continued to grow each year. On Hawai'i Island, more than 12 hotels fundraise year-round for the Charity Walk, and about 30 non-profits play crucial roles in the execution and operation of the event.

"I like to call myself the cheerleader of the Charity Walk," says Bambi Lau, human resources manager at Marriott Hotels, Hawai`i and HLTA's coordinator, who has been running the event since 2017. "My role includes bringing together the hotels/travel industry partners, Hawai`i Island businesses and the non-profits; organizing the logistics







Clockwise from top:

Live entertainment and food booths fill the Waikoloa Bowl during the Charity Walk.

Participants can walk, run or roller skate in the fundraising event.

Hospice of Kona Foundation is one of many Charity Walk beneficiaries. of the event; and getting everyone excited about fundraising for the non-profits."

On May 11, more than 1,000 people will walk, run or roller skate around Waikoloa Beach Drive for their specific causes in the 2024 Visitor Industry Charity Walk at Waikoloa Beach Resort. Participants encourage friends and family to "sponsor" their walk with cash donations. Funds raised will support everything from food banks and schools to Habitat for Humanity, Hawaii Island Humane Society, Aloha Council Boy Scouts of America and Girl Scouts of Hawaii, just to name a few.

Since 1980, more than \$5.7 million has been raised at Charity Walks on Hawai'i Island. Last year \$350,000 was granted to non-profit organizations and this year the fundraising goal is \$450,000.

For some organizations, these dollars fund a large portion of their operation, Lau explains.

All 501(c)3 non-profit organizations in the state of Hawai`i are eligible to apply for Visitor Industry Charity Walk grants. Grants are considered based on an organization's community impact and may vary widely in scope and size.

The family-friendly event includes live entertainment, *keiki* activities, a silent auction and dozens of food booths at the Waikoloa Bowl, adjacent to Queens' Marketplace. Waikoloa Land Company provides use of the resort roadway and common areas, and event activities within the Waikoloa Bowl at no cost.

The majority of the Charity Walk participants will be local, however most hotels put information in their lobbies the week prior to the event, encouraging guests to participate.

To support this worthy cause, each Hawaii Island Charity Walk participant is listed on the Hawai`i Charity Walk fundraising website, where donations can be made online at https://fundraise.givesmart.com/vf/hawaiiisland.



Mother's Day

HILTON WAIKOLOA VILLAGE WATER'S EDGE

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Sunday, May 12 | 11 am - 2 pm Enjoy a delicious Mother's Day brunch overlooking the saltwater lagoon.

KAMUELA PROVISION COMPANY AND NUI ITALIAN

On Mother's Day, dinner menus feature special recipes to honor mom, in addition to standard dinner options.

Call (808) 886-1234 extension 54 to reserve your table.

WAIKOLOA BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA

HAWAII CALLS RESTAURANT

Sunday, May 12 | 10 am – 2:30 pm

Executive Chef Jayson Kanekoa presents an exquisite Mother's Day buffet menu featuring prime rib, succulent crab legs and an array of brunch favorites. Enjoy music by awardwinning local musicians Kapena.

Book your table now on Open Table. Reservations required.



SPRING AND SUMMER PLAYGROUND

This spring and summer, overnight guests and daytime visitors can enjoy an oceanfront playground with new amenities to rent for the day at Hilton Waikoloa Village's saltwater lagoon. The new Hamacland Floating Lounge has a floating platform with four hammocks, ideal for a family or group of friends to enjoy a day on the water.

Reservations available on ResortPass.com Search for Hilton Waikoloa Village.



FREE ENTERTAINMENT & ACTIVITIES

Queens' Marketplace

Check website for details. QueensMarketplace.com.

LEI MAKING

First Fridays Join in and make your own Hawaiian lei ... no experience required!

UKULELE LESSONS

Tuesdays

Strum along with master `ukulele players in this unique offering.

HULA SHOW

Wednesdays Enjoy free performances of Hawai`i's iconic dance.

`OHANA MOVIE NIGHT

Second Saturdays Family friendly fun is on tap at Ohana Movie Night. Bring the gang!

KANIKAPILA MONTHLY CONCERT Third Saturdays

Hawai`i Island is known for its talented musicians, which this concert series spotlights.

Kings' Shops

Check website for details. KingsShops.com

FIRES OF POLYNESIA Wednesdays | 8 pm | Kings' Shops Center Stage

A FREE fire extravaganza, the torches/fire fans of Tahiti, fire poi balls of New Zealand, fires of Hawai`i and the amazing fire knife of Samoa.

Dates and times are subject to change. Check website.

SUPPORT LOCAL Tuesdays | 9 am - 2:30 pm

Hawai`i Island gifts, local produce, food and more.

NIGHT MARKET

2nd & 4th Fridays | **4 – 8 pm** Local businesses and artisans showcase an array of handcrafted goods, food and entertainment.

LAKESIDE PUTTING

Daily | 2 – 8 pm

(808) 897-0423 Operated by Keiki Museum \$10 for adults; \$5 for children/ *kama'aina*. Available for private bookings.

GIVING BRACELETS

Thursdays | 4:30 – 5:30 pm Suite C6

Workshop offered to create your own one-of-a- kind meaningful bracelet.

Hilton Waikoloa Village

DOLPHIN SUNRISE SPLASH Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays | 8 am | Hilton Saltwater Lagoon

Witness the joy of the dolphin ohana frolicking at sunrise in the expansive, open-to-the-ocean saltwater lagoon at Hilton Waikoloa Village. Learn about these spectacular animals while watching them up close and personal with a marine mammal specialist. Bring your camera to capture this unique experience. Sessions typically last for about 10 minutes.

DOLPHIN QUEST

(808) 987-3434

Dolphin Quest Hawaii provides a variety of dolphin encounters which allow guests the opportunity to meet, touch and play with dolphins in a safe and comfortable environment for both guests and dolphins.





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For more information

events, visit

on Queens' Marketplace

QueensMarketplace.com.

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Queens' Marketplace

Open Daily | Store hours vary, please call or visit their websites for hours and more information

ART & JEWELRY

Genesis Galleries (808) 886-1770 Hawaii Fluid Art (808) 344-4878 **Maui Divers** (808) 886-4817 Lava Light Galleries

(808) 756-0778 Mashka Jewelry (808) 731-7310

ENTERTAINMENT

Kozy's Comedy & Magic Show (808) 430-1957

Waikoloa Luxury Cinemas (808) 464-3009

FASHION **Blue Ginger Family**

(808) 886-0022 Cariloha

(808) 886-2608 **Coconut Ave**

(808) 731-4024 Crocs[™] Shoe Store

(808) 886-0213

Kona Surf N' Sandals (808) 886-0898

Mahina (808) 886-4000

Malibu Shirts (808) 886-0003

Olivia Clare Boutique (808) 657-4307

OluKai (coming soon)

Oshima Surf & Skate (808) 339-7305

Quiksilver (808) 886-0900

Reyn Spooner (808) 886-1162 Volcom (808) 886-6888

GROCERY

Island Gourmet Markets (808) 886-3577

REAL ESTATE

Hawai`i Life Real Estate Brokers

SERVICES

Hilton Grand Vacations Club (808) 886-0945

KOR Salon (808) 886-8090

ResorticaHawaii (808) 881-8222

Rider Levett Bucknall (808) 883-3379

Skin Factory Tattoo (808) 661-5511

Vacasa (855) 861-5757

Waikoloa Dental Clinic (808) 886-0891

Zen Dermatology (coming soon)

SPECIALTY & GIFTS

Claire's (808) 886-8905

Da Big Bags (808) 989-8709 Lids

(808) 886-1649

SoHa Keki (808) 909-3888 SoHa Living

(808) 464-4268 **Sunglass Hut**

(808) 886-0274

SPORT & ACTIVITY **Bike Works Beach & Sports**

(808) 886-5000 Yoga Barre

(808) 333-5378

Kings' Shops

Open Daily | Store hours vary, please call or visit their websites for hours and more information

ACCESSORIES

Michael Kors (808) 886-2653 Sunglass Hut

(808) 886-0593

APPAREL

Crazy Shirts (808) 886-9303 **Giving Bracelets**

(808) 445-9951 Honolua Surf Co.

(808) 886-6422 **Jams World**

(808) 796-3182 Kona Harley-Davidson

(808) 464-4033 Mary Jane's (808) 886-2707

Noa Noa (808) 886-5449

Rip Curl (808) 886-1952 **Tommy Bahama**

(808) 886-8865 **Tori Richard** (808) 886-8308

TravisMathew (808) 865-2452

ART & JEWELRY

Aesthetic Hawaii by Genesis Galleries (808) 731-6280 Kohala Coast Fine Art

(808) 886-4240

Lavaka Gallery (808) 796-3033 Nā Hōkū (808) 886-7599

Royal Gold (808) 886-7701

Tiffany & Co. (808) 886-1931



SERVICES

Big Island Motorcycle Co. (808) 886-2011

Hawaii Keiki Museum (808) 315-8862

Hawaii Vacation Condos by Outrigger (808) 886-0036

Hilton Grand Vacations (808) 333-5511

Hulakai (808) 731-7945

Kings' Shops Management Office (808) 886-8811

Kohala Coast Properties (808) 886-6600

RE/MAX (808) 756-4285

Shell Gas Station (808) 886-9512

Team Clean (808) 944-8255, ext. 108

SPECIALTY & GIETS CocoNene

(808) 909-9019

Martin & MacArthur (808) 886-0696

Sugar Coast Candy (808) 886-0406

Whalers General Store (808) 886-7057

Skin Factory Tattoo is open daily 10 am – 8 pm (808) 661-5511 or text (702) 768-8578

In Hawai`i, tattoos can be spotted on people of all ages and genders, often carrying cultural significance. Renowned tattoo artist Eddie Lin brings the art of ink craftsmanship to tourists and locals at his new store, Skin Factory Tattoo at Queens' Marketplace. It marks a new chapter for Lin after losing his tattoo studio in Lahaina, Maui, during last August's wildfire.

Lin, who opened his first store in 1995 in Las Vegas, says, "I've been tattooing for 31 years now and was an artist prior to that. I moved to Lahaina in 2017 and fell in love with the Island and the culture." His clientele on the Big Island, especially tourists, often choose manta rays, turtles, waves, hibiscus or plumeria tattoos to memorialize their visits to Hawai`i.

"I think it is such an honor, knowing that people are walking around with my permanent artwork on them." Lin says.

He and his staff of five artists, including two who fly in from Maui weekly, work with clients to bring their vision to life, most often on their ankles, shoulders or forearms. Depending how detailed they are, it can take anywhere from 10 to 30 minutes to create souvenir tattoos, while large-scale tattoos take multiple sessions.

"I've been most proud of my realism work, which captures loved ones or animals that have passed away that I can create memories on them, and they can look at and reflect back." Lin adds.

(800) 667-5028 **Kona Coast Vacations** (808) 329-2140 INK CRAFTSMANSHIP

Skin Factory Tattoo Opens at Queens' Marketplace

he popularity of tattoos has risen steadily in the U.S. over the last few decades. Nearly 40 percent of Americans born in 1980 or later bear one or more tattoos on their bodies, ranging everywhere from small, often hidden symbolic insignias — like butterflies or angels — to remembrances of life's milestones, such as the birth of a child or the loss of a loved one.





Waikoloa Beach **Resort Golf Shop**

Golf Pro Shop Open Daily | 6:30 am - 5:30 pm (808) 886-7888

Waikoloa Beach **Marriott Resort** & Spa

Travel Traders (808) 886-8146 Daily | 8 am – 10 pm

Mandara Spa (808) 886-8191 Daily | 10 am - 5:30 pm

Hilton Waikoloa Village

Dancing Dolphins and **Big Island Marketplace** (808) 886-1234 ext. 1744, 1746

Dolphin Quest (808) 987-3434

Dolphin Quest Gift Shop (808) 987-3434

Journey (808) 756-0926

Kohala Salon (808) 886-2848

Kohala Spa (808) 886-2828

Kohala Spa Gift Shop (808) 886-2838

Nā Hōkū (808) 886 5019

Things Hawaiian (808) 895-7757





waikoloabeachmarriott.com

SUNSET LŪ`AU Mondays and Wednesdays | 4:45 pm

EXECUTIVE CHEF JAYSON KANEKOA PRESENTS AN AUTHENTIC MENU for the popular Sunset Lū`au with fresh ingredients sourced from Hawai'i Island purveyors. Experience slow roasted kalua pig and savor lū`au favorites including Waipi`o Valley poi, 'ahi tuna poke, ho'i'o fern shoot salad, pulehu steaks and grilled chicken with Hamakua Ali`i mushrooms.

Following dinner take a journey through the South Pacific with song and dance from Tahiti, New Zealand, Hawai'i and Sāmoa. The spellbinding Samoan fire knife dance is a spectacular sight to see!

See our website for more information.

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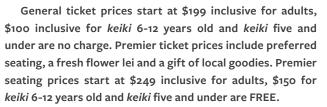
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For reservations visit TheSunsetLuau.com

Cancellations must be received 24 hours before your scheduled Luau. There will be no refund if cancellation is not received 24 hours out.

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(808) 886-1234 | HiltonWaikoloaVillage.com

LEGENDS OF HAWAI`I LŪ`AU - OUR BIG ISLAND STORY

Sundays, Tuesdays, Fridays | 5 pm | Kamehameha Court

TREAT YOURSELF TO THE ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME CULTURAL IMMERSION of our lū`au at Hilton Waikoloa Village. Brought to you by Tihati Productions, the Legends of Hawai`i Lū`au dinner and show brings to life the ancestral songs and dances that retell the epic stories of Hawai'i Island and her remarkable people.

You'll receive a lei greeting upon arrival and have the opportunity to capture memories with photos with our lū`au performers. The meal includes island favorites such as hulihuli chicken, seared island catch-of-the-day, and the traditional imu kālua pig, and fresh daily Hawaiian style desserts. Our signature mai tais are made with fresh pineapple juice.

Make reservations in advance at LegendsLuau.com. Book early to get your spot.



DINING GUIDE

Restaurants open daily unless noted.



GOLF COURSE

Tropics Ale House and Restaurant (808) 886-4287 TropicsAleHouse.com

Lunch and dinner 11 am - 10:30 pm

Mauka Bar and Grill

(808) 886-7600 MaukaBarandGrill.com

Breakfast and lunch 7:30 am – 5 pm

Mauka Steakhouse

(808) 886-7600 MaukaBarandGrill.com Dinner

5 - 9 pm

CLOCKWISE

Beach Club

FROM ABOVE:

Mauka Bar and Grill;

Company; Lava Lava

Kamuela Provision

LAVA LAVA BEACH CLUB

(808) 769-LAVA (5282) LavaLavaBeachClub.com

Breakfast 8 – 10:30 am Lunch and dinner

Noon – 9 pm



HILTON WAIKOLOA VILLAGE

(808) 886-1234 HiltonWaikoloaVillage.com/ dining

Water's Edge A lavish breakfast buffet overlooking the saltwater lagoon. 7 – 10:30 am

Orchid Marketplace Grab-and-go lunch located

at Kona Pool. 10 am – 4 pm

Shaka Cones Locally made ice cream and sorbets at Orchid

Marketplace. 10 am – 4 pm

Nui Italian

Authentic, family-friendly Italian dining including stone-fired pizzas, pastas, salads, and more.

Dinner and bar. 5 – 9 pm

KPC – Kamuela

Provision Company KPC offers Hawai`i Island's most spectacular sunset views. Locally sourced cuisine, from prime steaks to Hawaiian seafood.

Dinner and bar. Closed select days seasonally. Reservations recommended. 5:30 – 9 pm

Lagoon Grill & Bar

Grab a burger, sandwich, salad, or Hawaiian bowl for lunch or early dinner and watch dolphins playing in the lagoon below.

11 am – 5 pm

Lagoon Chill

Dole Whip, sweet treats, souvenirs. Located next to Lagoon Grill. 8 am – 3 pm

Kona Tap Room

A fun gathering place with an array of craft and domestic beers and casual pub fare.

Waikoloa Coffee 6 am – 3 pm MAKAI

4:30 – 11 pm

6 am – noon Ocean Tower



WAIKOLOA BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA

(808) 886-8165 Marriott.com

Hawaii Calls Restaurant & Lounge Breakfast

7 – 11 am Lunch 11 am – 5 pm Happy Hour 2 – 4 pm Dinner

5 – 9 pm

SECOND SATURDAYS **PRIME RIB & CRAB BUFFET** Includes live entertainment by premier local musicians

5 – 9 pm

FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS LIVE ENTERTAINMENT Featuring some of Hawai`i's local musical artists

5:30 – 7:30 pm

Nalu's Pool Bar 10:30 am – 5:30 pm

Aka'ula Lanai Café & Bar

+ Lounge Lobby Level Morning 6:30 - 11 am Evening 3 – 8 pm Happy Hour 4 – 6 pm

KINGS' SHOPS

A-Bav's Island Grill (808) 209-8494 A-Bays.com

Breakfast, lunch and dinner 8 am – midnight

Foster's Kitchen

(808) 657-4500 FostersKitchen.com

Lunch and dinner 11 am – 10 pm

Gypsea Gelato

(808) 886-1540 GypseaGelato.com

11 am – 8 pm

Island Fish & Chips

(808) 886-0005 KingsShops.com/ island-fish-chips

10 am – 8 pm

Roy's Waikoloa

Bar & Grill (808) 886-4321 RoysHawaii.com

Dinner 4:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Island Vintage Coffee (808) 731-5700

Open daily at 6 am

The Original Big Island Shave Ice Company (808) 895-6069

Tuesday – Sunday 11:30 am - 6:30 pm, full menu

6:30 – 7:30 pm, ice cream menu



DINING GUIDE

Please check with individual restaurants on hours of operation.







Waikoloa Shrimp Company

QUEENS' MARKETPLACE Full-service restaurants.

Bistro at the Cinemas (808) 464-3009 HawaiiCinemas.com/ the-bistro

Kuleana Rum Shack (808) 238-0786 KuleanaRum.com

Mauna Kea Tropical Treats (808) 738-6249 Romano's Macaroni Grill (808) 443-5515 MacaroniGrill.com

Sansei Steak & Sushi Bar (808) 886-6286 SanseiHawaii.com

Starbucks Coffee Company (808) 886-1888 Starbucks.com



Waikoloa Pizza

QUEENS' MARKETPLACE FOOD COURT Grab & go and food court eateries.

Dairy Queen/ Orange Julius (808) 886-1029

Island Greens IslandGreensHI.com

L&L Hawaiian Barbecue HawaiianBarbecue.com

Waikoloa Pizza WaikoloaPizza.com

Waikoloa Shrimp Company Waikoloa Shrimp Co.com



WaikoloaBeachResort.com