



Kapahulu Center

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NOVEMBER 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

**** HURRICANE SEASON thru Nov. 30 ****

November 5 - Election Day (OPEN)

November 6 - Special SC Matsuri Meeting

November 11 - Veteran's Day (CLOSED)

November 15 - FINAL DUE See's Candies

Nov 22 - RSVP DUE Christmas Party AND

FINAL DUE Kahala Mall Very Merry tickets

November 28-29 - Thanksgiving (CLOSED)

See's CANDIES

A reminder to place orders by **Fri., Nov. 15!**
(pickup from the office the week of Dec. 2)

FINAL DUE: Fri., Nov. 15, 2024

All orders are prepaid (NO LATE ORDERS)

PRICES: 1lb Assorted Chocolates \$27ea

1lb Nuts & Chews \$27ea

1lb can Toffee-ettes \$27ea

1 box Assorted Lollypops \$27ea

\$25 Gift cards also available

Kahala Mall Very Merry Fundraiser

Very Merry tickets to Kahala Mall's holiday shopping event are **NOW available** to purchase (\$5ea) from the Kapahulu Center office until Fri., Nov. 22, 2024. A fundraising opportunity, our center receives 100% of the profit! Ask the office for a copy of the brochure for a full list of this year's participating stores, restaurants, discounts & prizes!

MEMBERS' CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our members' Christmas Party luncheon is returning this year in place of the holiday bento pickup that was organized by the office thru COVID. This year's luncheon is scaled down, and limited to 30 members max. Courtesy of generous donations from our Tai Chi instructor, Tai Chi class (this year's organizing class), and Exec. Dir., the cost to attend is \$36 per person (originally \$46ea). Please RSVP to the office starting Tuesday, Nov. 5, (first-come, first-serve). Payment is required upon RSVP, is non-refundable, and payable via cash, credit card, or check (payable to "Kapahulu Center").

DATE: Friday, Dec. 6, 2024

TIME: 11am-1pm

PLACE: Jade Dynasty Restaurant

COST: \$36ea (KapCntr members only)

RSVP: Start Tue., Nov. 5, end Fri., Nov. 22

Limited space (30ppl max), first-come, first-serve. Payment required upon RSVP & non-refundable.

Friendly check-in:

Dear Kapahulu Center Members,

As follow-up to the email shared with all members on Oct. 18, 2024, we are in need of committed member volunteer leaders, and your input to identify such volunteers, in order for us to hold a future Kapahulu Center Matsuri (formerly known as Annual Bon Dance). A special in-person meeting of the Kapahulu Center's Site Council (which consists of member volunteers) is being held on Wed., Nov. 6, 2024, at 9:30am in the center's Craft Room to review the Matsuri volunteer captain positions, responsibilities, and tasks that will make for a successful Matsuri. Responses to written questions that were received by Mon., Oct. 28, will also be addressed. If you are attending the meeting, please notify the office by Tue., Nov. 5, 2024.

Lastly please continue to help keep everyone healthy by staying home if you're not feeling well. We thank you in advance for your cooperation!

Kapahulu Center Exec. Director, Site Council, and Board of Directors

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Tue/Thu, 9:00am: Yoga
Tue, 10:30am: Kanikapila
*last Tue, 10:30: Japanese Ukulele (Nov 26)
Tue/Fri, 5 & 6pm: Aikido (Kids & Adult)
Wed, 9:00am: Tai Chi
Thu, 10am: Shigin
Wed, 10:45am: Zumba Gold
Thu, 10:30am: Moving for Fun & Fitness
Sat., 11am & 1pm: Japanese Bon Dance (waitlist)
TBA Ukulele (January 2025)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Gail Fujikawa Sonette Muramoto
David Hayes Yuka Nishimoto
Susan Judah Barbara Ota
Diane Kochiyama Frances Shirota
Ardel Lee Patricia Smith
Kyle Yoneshige

NEW MEMBERS:

Celia Baker, Kaethon Chiu,
Wynn Kiyama, Vernon Niau
Puhipau, James Yamada



MAHALO ALL RETURNING MEMBERS!

ACTIVITIES

GENKI BALL PROJECT:

DATE: **Wed., Nov. 20**
NEW DATE!

TIME: **12 - 1PM**

PLACE: **Aliamanu Middle**

COST: **FREE**

Min.: **5ppl (10ppl max)**

We need your help to participate in this fun intergenerational activity! Help make genki balls and learn about their impact in/around the Ala Wai. Also join us for the genki ball toss that's tentatively scheduled for Wed., Dec. 4, 2024.



ANNUAL CENTER CLEAN UP DAY:

Help needed! Volunteer to help us with general cleaning around at our Center! Cleaning supplies will be provided!

DATE **Saturday, December 7**

TIME: **9AM (tentative to 11:45 AM)**

SIGN-UP: Contact the office, or use the sign-up sheet in the hallway.



7-Eleven HI Fundraiser Booklets

Limited supply left! Get these popular coupon booklets before they're gone! Cost is \$6ea, and they're redeemable at all 7-Eleven HI stores on Oahu, Kauai, and Big Island, thru Dec. 31, 2025!



VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED

We're still in need of volunteer help! See how you can help us in any of the following areas.

- **Weeding and Watering:** 1-3 more volunteers to help weed our front grass, our monument areas, and water weekly.
- **Site Council:** Please consider joining our council! We help to listen, communicate and keep in touch with members, and help with decision making concerns. Our goal is to have at least one representative from each class on the council. Highlights from each meeting are also posted to the bulletin board outside the office. Ask the office or one of the current council members for more information and how you can help.
- **KC Matsuri:** For this festival to return, we urgently need volunteer captains by January 2025, who can both lead key areas of our festival plus be involved in helping our Center continue this legacy into the future. If you feel so moved to volunteer, please reach out to our office, and/or join our Site Council.
- **Center Clean Up:** **Sat., Dec. 7, 2024!** Contact the office, or use the sign up sheet!
- **Other:** We're always looking for outstanding volunteers! If you're interested in volunteering in another capacity, please let us know.

Foodland Give Aloha 2024



Thank you again to all who donated! We received \$1,165.14 in designated donations, and a matching gift of \$380.72 for a total of \$1,545.86!

give aloha
Foodland's Annual Community Matching Gifts Program

Bronze
Unknown (6)

Silver
(n/a)

Gold
Diane Kochiyama
Xu Family
Unknown (4)

Platinum
Nugrahanto Family

Thank you also to those who sent in receipt copies for our office to match with the final donations report. Thank you!