

The Hāna Cultural Center

Proudly Presents...

"Nā Leo O Ka Hale Waiwai"

(Voices of the Treasure House)

Newsletter 2013

Hāna, Maui

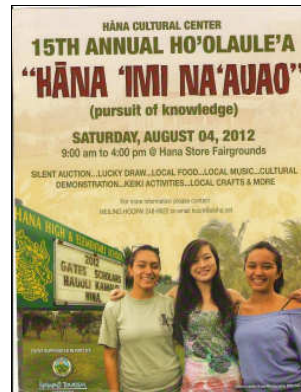
15th ANNUAL HO'OLAULE'A

Our 15th annual Ho'olaule'a was held on Saturday, August 4, 2012 at the Hāna Store Fairgrounds. Our historic theme this year was "Hāna 'Imi Na'auao" (pursuit of knowledge), in conjunction with the Hāna High & Elementary School Centennial Celebration. Our highlight of the day was a display booth that featured Hāna High School alumni photo boards.

The day was filled with complimentary cultural activities such as lauhala weaving, seed lei making, fresh flower leis, kukui tops and more. Local musicians serenaded the crowd throughout the day, while visitors shopped at our local vendor booths. The event was a success.

Our event was supported in part by the County of Maui & the Hawai'i Tourism Authority. Mahalo to all our supporters.

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Keikis learning how to make kukui tops and Hawaiian whistles.



History & information booth. Mahalo Ward & the Diego 'Ohana.



Alana kept busy painting in the keiki corner.



Lei Making is always a hit for the keikis. Lei demonstration by Lucinda Estrella



The Kalalau children performing at our Ho'olaule'a event. All are sisters and attend Hāna High & Elementary School.



Relax by getting a complimentary lomilomi by Walter Hoopai



Visitors concentrating on finishing their lauhala trivets. Mahalo Myrna Costello for your expertise.



After a long fun filled event, we got the best working crew to help us clean up. Mahalo Hoopai & Estrella 'Ohana.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As the year end approaches, I am thankful for the opportunity to have served as the president of the Board of Trustees of the Hāna Cultural Center. As of December 31, 2012, I will step down as president of the Board. It has been a positive learning experience,

especially with the acquisition of Hale Mālamalama. I say thank you to the members of the Board for their support and help in the work they do for HCC, and I am confident that they will continue to move forward with the mission of the cultural center, keeping it a viable and valuable resource for the people of East Maui.

To those who have supported us through your gifts and by volunteering your time to help on yard work, recycling activities, demonstrations and so much more, we thank you. To those who participated in our fundraisers such as the regatta food booth and the annual Ho'olaule'a, please know that we couldn't have done it without you. You keep the doors of HCC open for our visitors, our community and especially for our keiki, and we ask for your continued support in the future. Mahalo!

Mālama Pono,
Patti Eason



Mahalo for your selfless dedication and support without which we could not have continued to operate as we did.

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IN MEMORY OF MURIEL "BABES" HANCHETT

By: Neta Hanchett Ching



Muriel Kauai Haia was born at home on February 05, 1923 where she joined her 2 sisters Elizabeth Kauwila and Thelma Leilani. Her father, William Punihele Haia, was the principal of Hāna High & Elementary School and her mother, Elizabeth Kauwila Kamanoulu Haia, was an elementary teacher at the same school. Muriel married John Ikua Hanchett from Molokai and together had 4 children, John Jr., Milaneta, Peter & Michael. Muriel, affectionately called "Babes" by her family, friends and acquaintances, had a deep love for the town of Hāna and its people. Except for a few years away at Kamehameha Boarding School and University of Hawai'i, she was fortunate in spending her entire life in Hāna.

She founded the singing group, Na Mele O Hāna and brought in renown Martha Hoku to direct it. They traveled throughout the islands and even the mainland to perform concerts. She developed an interest in the history of the area and collected artifacts and historical data and information whenever she could. She talked with people whose families lived in the area for many decades and scoured the Bishop Museum and the Honolulu archives for information about Hāna. She was joined in her love of Hāna and its history by her very dear friend, Coila Eade, and together they created The Hāna Cultural Center Museum. Babes passed away at her home on September 1, 2012.

MAHALO NUI LOA HOOPAIS

By: HCC Board of Trustees



Photo above: Hours of hard labor cleaning out the thick foliage that covered HCC's stonewall and fence. Mahalo Hoopai 'Ohana & Jordan Rost.

We would be remiss if we didn't acknowledge the contributions of two humble and most generous volunteers, both Life Members of HCC, Anson & Rocky Hoopai. They are always reliable and willing to help when called upon.

Thanks also to Justice, Janie & Jadelyn who could be seen helping out with yard work, picking up fallen mountain apples, etc.

We are lucky to have such wonderful neighbors who have been expressing their "Aloha" to The Hāna Cultural Center for countless years. We consider ourselves Blessed!



I'M BACK!

By: Coila Eade

Aloha to my friends from the past and our new members. Though I was forced to retire in 2004 because of my health, after eight years of doctor's treatments, I feel well enough to return to the Cultural Center to help where I can. I work in the archives cataloguing photographs and artifacts.

I was the volunteer director for 25 years. My statistics: arrived in Hāna 1954—33 years old attended HCC meetings & volunteered to be Treasurer when Josephine Medeiros became ill. We never found a new Treasurer so I was the Director and Treasurer for 25 years.

It's a pleasure to see the familiar names from the past, and I am pleased that so many of you continue to support us. I hope to hear from you this year, Happy New Year!



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FACES OF HĀNA

When visiting the Hāna Cultural Center, many from the local community find themselves drawn to a rack of black and white photographs of our Kūpuna entitled "Faces of Hāna", taken many years ago by Leslie Eade for the posterity of the future generations of Hāna families.

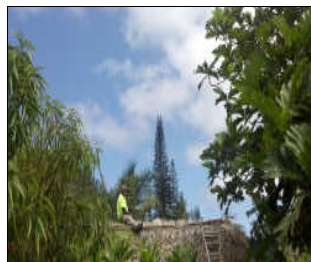
Today the Cultural Center is adding the next generation of Kūpuna to the "Faces of Hāna". Photographer Bart Hrast will take up where Leslie Eade left off preserving "Hāna's past with Hāna's people for Hāna's future".

Currently approximately three hundred photographs have been taken and are ready for archiving. The estimated cost to complete this phase of the project is \$12,000 for archival printing and storage. Donations are being accepted and may be made specifically for the "Faces of Hāna" project. Thank you for your Kōkua.



ALOHA DEMONSTRATIONS

Aloha cultural demonstrations were held once a week from June 2011 through June 2012. Local artisans were able to share their knowledge with visitors from around the world, allowing them to learn and appreciate the Hawaiian heritage and its culture. All activities were supported in part by the County of Maui & the Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts.



(top photo): Kumu Francis Sinenci prepares Hale builders by doing proper protocol. (left top photo): Kumu demonstrates how to thatch a hale. (left bottom photo): Spectators watched the building process of our Hale Mua. (bottom left photo): restored Hale Mua by Kumu Francis Sinenci and visitors. (bottom right photo): Lolu palm which was picked, dried and used to thatch Kauhales.



Ho'olaule'a Continued



*Farmers Market , Mahalo Escabedo Farms
For your donation.*



*Hale Hulu Mamo joins our event by sharing
information on the Hāna senior center.*



Auli'i setting up the silent auction booth.

MAHALO TO OUR SUPPORTERS AND DONORS

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*Jadelyn enjoying her time at
the Keiki face painting booth*



*Mahalo Ward, Yolanda & Mona
for coordinating our history
booth.*



*Mahalo Jolei and Aulia for
registering auction bidders.*



Scott Crawford in our information booth.



*Demonstration booth kept visitors entertained all
day long. Pictured above, lauhala weaving .*



Mahalo to the Lono sisters, proud HCC supporters.



*Photo left:
Arthur Helekahi
was the lucky
winner of this
King sized silk
quilt.*



*Photo left:
manicures
by Nalani's
Da Kine
kept busy
throughout
the day.*

NEIL HASEGAWA EARNS HĀNA'S MALAIKINI PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD



Pictured L-R Sage Malaikini (grandson of the late "Tiny" Malaikini), Mitzi Hasegawa (wife of Neil Hasegawa), Neil Hasegawa & widow Lynette Malaikini.

This year's Tiny Malaikini Mea Kokua Award, the community's highly coveted recognition for public service was awarded to Neil Hasegawa, son of Harry and Nita Hasegawa.

Neil was chosen because of his ten years of service (first as Treasurer and for the last five years as Co-Chair) to the very successful Hāna Festivals of Aloha week-long celebrations. He was also chosen for continuing the family tradition of service to the people of Hāna as the General Manager of the Hasegawa General Store and his many donations to community special events and fundraising efforts. He also supports community businesses such as the "food court" and farmer's market at the location of the old Hasegawa General Store as plans for the reconstruction of the Store move ahead. Neil also served on the Hāna Citizens Advisory Committee that updated the Hāna Community Plan from 1992-94 and he continues to speak before various Boards and Commissions on issues important to Hāna. He is known to give informal advice and assistance to Hāna residents who want to start small businesses, and he is supportive of youth sports such as soccer. For all these contributions, Neil deserves this special recognition.

Established in 1992, the Malaikini Award is given annually for the person who has given most selflessly for the betterment of the Hāna Community. Simultaneously, it honors the memory of Viewed Paniani "Tiny" Malaikini, a much beloved Hawaiian man whose life embodied "Aloha" and "Kōkua".

The award winner was announced by Tiny's daughter, Maydoria Malaikini, and presented by Lynette

Malaikini (Tiny's wife), and Sage Malaikini (Tiny's grandson).

The award consists of a koa framed certificate and the placement of the winner's name on a perpetual trophy which hangs below a painting of Malaikini in the Hāna Cultural Center. The certificate reads as follows:

"For his extraordinary dedication and service to the Hāna community via his leadership over many years of Hāna's week-long Festivals of Aloha and through the generosity and service he provides as General Manager of Hasegawa General Store. The people of Hāna gratefully acknowledge and honor Neil Hasegawa as the recipient of the Tiny Malaikini Mea Kōkua Award"

A Hale Builder's Legacy

By: Myrna Costello



On her way to earning the status of master hale builder, Ulani took it upon herself to create a set of Hawaiian hale models in three stages of the build to be used as a teaching tool. The models are now displayed at the Hāna Cultural Center. She also built the Hale Noa (shown above) located on the property adjacent to the HCC grounds. Though Ulani received her master hale builder status posthumously on February 4, 2012, she was not able to complete the restoration of the Hale Noa. If you would like to participate in completing the restoration of the Hale Noa in honor of Ulani, please contact HCC at 248-8622.

Fundraiser at the Hāna Regatta

By: Myrna Costello



On May 19 and 20 of 2012, the Board of Trustees and friends of the Hāna Cultural Center held a very successful fund raiser at the Sara Joe Regatta at Hāna Bay, selling plate lunches, salads, sandwiches and snacks. A line would form at the booths as exhausted paddlers came out of the water between each five mile race from the Hāna Bay, around 'Ālau island and back to the bay. Day 2 was for the keikis racing in quarter mile sprints in the bay.

This annual event sponsored by the Hāna Canoe Club attracted hundreds of paddlers from canoe clubs all over the state who competed in two days of races. It is a day for families to play together, for tourists and visitors to experience Hāna and its people, and it gave the Hāna Cultural Center and other non-profits an opportunity to participate in a festive event, to raise funds and at the same time to give back to the community.



Septic System Completed



The construction and installation was the final phase to make Hāna Cultural Center compliant with the State of Hawaii Department of Health and the Environmental Protection Agency.

Cabrals Excavation completed the project in the summer of 2012 and Hāna Cultural Center is now in compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act's Underground Injection Control Program which will help to safeguard the health of our groundwater.

Mahalo to our wonderful team who helped during this process:

County of Maui OED, Cheryl Sterling, Tina Silva, Tina Rasmussen, Linda Taylor Engineering, Robert Carroll, Cabrals Excavation & Anson Hoopai.

HĀNA CULTURAL CENTER HELPS FESTIVALS OF ALOHA

The Hāna Cultural Center once again worked as the non-profit umbrella for the Festivals of Aloha Hāna (Aloha Week) celebration, which took place from October 20th through October 27th, 2012. This year's theme, E Kupuohi i ke Aloha -- Flourish with Aloha, is symbolized by the Kamehameha Butterfly..

Our priority for Festivals of Aloha is to strengthen & identify Native Hawaiians to preserve, practice and perpetuate their culture. With the sponsorship from OHA (Office of Hawaiian Affairs) 'Ahahui program, Hāna was able to share that aloha spirit and instill a sense of pride to our visitors and community members during the weeklong festival.





TRAVAASA HOTEL-HĀNA RECYCLING PROGRAM

Travaasa Hotel-Hāna and related branches (Hāna Service Station, Hāna Store, Hāna Ranch Restaurant) continue to support four nonprofits (Hāna Cultural Center, Hāna Youth Center, Hale Hulu Mamo, and 'Ohana Makamae) through a "Recycling Program" for aluminum cans, glass and plastic bottles.

From January through the end of November 2012, a total of more than 66,000 containers have been kept out of the Hāna Landfill and generated \$3309 for the participating nonprofits. The Hāna Cultural Center alone received approximately \$1105 as its share. Since the program began in 2010, the Hāna Cultural Center received approximately \$2762 and all nonprofits earned \$9419.

We thank Danny Mynar, General Manager of Travaasa Hotel-Hāna, for his and his team's support and leadership in this effort.



THE REBECCA EYSTER SCHOLARSHIP

It is our hope to restore "The Rebecca Eyster Scholarship" to be awarded to Hāna School graduates. Miss Eyster inspired many Hāna students and is still remembered with fondness and respect. We would like very much to continue honoring her memory with pursuits dear to her heart.

Mail your contributions to The Hāna Cultural Center PO BOX 27 Hāna, HI 96713 and note Rebecca Eyster Scholarship in the memo. Mahalo in advance for your donation.

HALE MĀLAMALAMA UPDATE

By: Myrna Costello



Nearly a year has gone by since the blessing of the property known as Hale Mālamalama, gifted to the Hāna Cultural Center by Patricia Steele in January of 2012. The traditional Hawaiian blessing was witnessed by approximately 150 guests and was depicted and narrated in the Spring 2012 issue of the Hānaside News.

With commitment to being good stewards in caring for this gift and with gratitude, the Board of Trustees, with leadership from Manager Meiling Hoopai, worked together in managing the property. Valuable lessons have been learned about property management and about personal relationships, making this past year a huge year of growth for the Center. Today, all five units are rented to long-term tenants, the landscaping is maintained by Ron Hill who has heart for this property, and the fishpond is thriving again after the overflow from the flood.

We owe much thanks to those who stepped up to help before the units could be rented and especially after the storm. Fallen trees were cut and hauled away, leaking skylights were repaired, stonewalls were repaired, an old refrigerator had to be replaced, plumbing and electrical lines needed to be checked, and so much more. At the blessing, Esse, then president of the Board, asked the community for support that we may be good stewards in caring for this gift. You have responded in a big way, and we are grateful, and we ask for your continued support in the new year.



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HĀNA YEARBOOK PROJECT

by Ward Mardfin



Photo above: Hāna School in 1941 "courtesy of Pinky Oliveira"

During the 2011-12 Academic Year, Hāna High & Elementary School celebrated its Centennial. Actually 1912 was when a portion of the old school overlooking Hāna Ballpark was completed but there was an earlier Hāna School at least as far back as 1905 according to a *Maui News* account.

As part of the Centennial, a Steering Committee was formed (headed by Mona Moeai) and it was decided to try to find old Hāna School yearbooks and copy parts of them. I took the lead on this and with the help of MANY people (special thanks to Mary and Ingrid Estrella, Geraldine Carroll, Ipo Kanakaole and the Hāna Library among many others) I was able to borrow the yearbooks and scan portions of them. I generally scanned the Senior Class photos, the class photos for all the other classes, and the Staff and Faculty photos. I did not usually copy clubs and organizations, sports, and candid casual photos.

The earliest yearbooks we could find were for 1948 (1947-48 academic year) and 1949. The 1949 one says it is the third yearbook so if anyone has a 1946-47 yearbook, please contact me. After 1949 there was a gap of ten years before the next one was published in 1959. Also there were no yearbooks published in the springs of 1966, 1971, 1973-76, 2004, and 2006. All told, I scanned 48 yearbooks up through 2012.

The 1940-41 academic year established grade 12 for the first time and there were eleven students in the first full high school graduation class that year including Pinky Oliveira. I have tried to get the names of all the graduates since that time (or at least the names of the Seniors from the yearbooks even if they did not graduate) but I have no information for the classes from 1942-1946, 1951, and 1958. If anyone knows about these graduating classes I would love to hear from you.

We are trying to figure out how to make the yearbook information available to people who want it. There is a possibility we will be able to put it on a Hāna School website some time in the future. If you have an interest in this please contact either Mona Moeai or myself.

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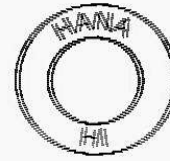
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