

# HMOP Hālāwai - 11/16/2022

## Nā Lālā:

1. Brandi Cutler
2. Peehi Waho
3. Penny Poutu
4. Jillian Kūkulu Luis
5. Gina Hood
6. Laua'e Judd
7. Kamomi Laimana
8. Liane Durand Quiroga-Verhaaf
9. Kaikaina Kekua
10. Waianuheia Walk
11. Ka'ano'i Walk
12. Kamaehu
13. Ku'ulei
14. Kāhea Faria
15. 'Ohana Coleman
16. Kendall Waters
17. Kēhaulani Custino
18. Kahanu
19. Pahonu Coleman
20. Konrad Heather
21. Keoki Faria
22. Adam Laimana
23. Moana Mirafuentes
24. Lehua Coloma
- 25.

## Tonight's Guest speaker: Penny Poutu

Penny Poutu is a Māori kuia (grandmother) whose two mokopuna (grandchildren) are Puohala students. Penny will talk of her journey as a non-Māori language speaker who made the decision along with her late tāne (kāne) Toni Waho, to raise their two children only speaking to them in the Maori language. She will tell the story of establishing Mana Tamariki - a Kōhanga Reo (Punana Leo) and Kura Kaupapa Maori (Kula Kaiapuni and Kula Ki'eki'e). The trials and joys of 'IT' - Intergeneration Transmission of a threatened native language.

Elders involvement when language is not there  
Involve them. Be sensitive. They have a role to play.

What made her want to learn Māori as a young person  
Being at cultural functions awaiting for the Māori part to be done.

Parental support—

What types of resources

How to develop parents while their keiki are also learning. Commitment from parents was a big part.



## **Drive thru Heleuī**

Great success! Mahalo for the extra help from Mākua! Extra hau'oli to also see Mākua from Malaa. Possible theme for next year? Under the sea? Jelly fish and lots of bubble machines!!

## **Paikau Kāne'ohe Kalikimaka**

Theme: Imagine the Future

Need to add our 'Ōlelo flavor To the theme

5 emcee/announcement spots along the route. American Savings Bank, bankoh, across from St Mark's, windward city bank

60 years ago was first parade but had to skip 2 years because the last one was 2019.

Ke Kula Kaiapuni o Pū 'ōhala has been in this paikau since 1991

**We are #26 in the parade**

## **Hālāwai (wikiwiki) + Pā'ina Kalikimaka = Dec 14th**

Google Form going out for potluck. Hui Makua does provide a main dish. Mess kits are encouraged!

Some Keiki might be performing and for sure is a visit from Kana Kaloka!

Proposed: Opening up our pā'ina to ke kula 'oko'a

## **Ola Ka 'Ī - Jan 28th, 2023**

**10AM-2PM At Windward mall**

**Save the date!**

Booths from Ko'olaupoko like ai 'Ōlelo wale nō space, Eric. Brandi has been attending hālāwai. Sponsored e Kanaeokana.

## **'Imi Pono - Mar 4, 2023**

Tentatives:

Emcee: Waiu'i (paha, inā hiki)

Mea'ai: Kaipo + 'ohana

Donations will be needed. Anyone able to catch he'e? Squid lū'au.

Motion for a close

## **AKL**

Pua + Ka'ano'i are our reps. Kahea is still interim rep until a new one is found.

Amendments to legislation regarding assessment of our 5-year old keiki.

## **SCC**

First meeting of the month. Gave feedback from both last year and this year's surveys. This year was a lot more positive.

Next meeting: Dec14? Might combo with HMOP and start just before HMOP's hālāwai. Main admin exercise involves group discussion of admin expenditures that he presents that meeting.

## **Pā'ani Makahiki**

At Kailua Kapa'a Quarry Road this Saturday

## **Celebrate Lā Kūoko'a At Ulupō in Kailua**

Adjourned at 7:11 PM - 1' Brandi 2' Ku'ulei