



Cooper Center's Volcano Community News



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MAYOR ROTH TO HOST TOWN HALL IN VOLCANO ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

Mayor Mitch Roth is pleased to announce the third town hall of his series, "Sustainable Horizons: Mayor Roth's Community Impact Check-in," aimed at providing updates and fostering engagement with communities across Hawai'i Island. The event will take place at the Cooper Center in Volcano on Thursday, August 24, from 5-7 pm.

"Our administration is committed to listening to the community and incorporating their valuable insights into our actions," Mayor Mitch Roth emphasized. "These town halls serve as a platform for meaningful dialogue, where residents can voice their concerns and provide suggestions for improvement. We truly value the diverse perspectives within our community, as they guide us in better serving our residents and working towards a more inclusive and responsive administration. We encourage everyone in and around the Volcano area to join us on August 24 and actively participate in shaping a community that reflects the needs and aspirations of all of us."

The town hall series aims to establish an open and transparent dialogue where residents can stay informed about local initiatives, express their concerns, and actively contribute to shaping the future of their respective communities.

The event will begin with Mayor Roth and key cabinet members providing updates on the county's progress and direction during the first half-hour. These updates will be tailored to provide site-specific information relevant to the Waikōloa community. The remaining hour and a half will be dedicated to a Q&A session, enabling attendees to directly pose questions to department representatives and receive responses from subject matter experts.

For those unable to attend the in-person event, the town hall will be live-streamed on Mayor Roth's Facebook page (facebook.com/himayormitch) and Nā Leo TV, Channel 55. We encourage all residents to participate and engage in this critical community dialogue.

Are you looking for something to volunteer for to assist your community?

Cooper Center is looking for someone to help manage the Thursday Evening market at the Center. Hours to commit on site would be from approximately 2pm on Thursday to 6pm to supervise set up and clean up and to lock up. **NOTE:** As stated this is a **VOLUNTEER** position. Please contact Linda at 808-936-9705 or kilaueatutu@gmail.com. Or Henrylene Ka'apana at 808-430-8340.



Hawaii County Mayor Mitch Roth

THURSDAY MARKET WILL BE CANCELLED ON AUGUST 24TH, ONE TIME ONLY

There will be a town hall meeting. Na Leo TV will be coming in at 3p, and the meeting with Mayor Roth and his Cabinet will start at 5P

Cooper Center Community Pantry News

The next drive through food pantry is on Wednesday, August 30th from 9:30-11:00am. We could use canned tuna and vegetable donations.

Contact Victoria:
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Volcano Newsletter News Submissions

All submissions must be by email, ads, articles, and unclassifieds to Linda Ugalde kilaueatutu@gmail.com, on or before the 10th of the month prior to month it's being submitted for. All ads must also give us their snail mail address for invoicing. Articles for non regular submissions may not be over 300 words. For additional information email me or call 808-936-9705. No calls after 5pm.

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data collected by JJ Jasinski

Royal Hawn Est. 9.0
data collected by Tom Pico

Fern Forest 9.32
data collected by Drew Kapp

Ohia Estates 7.91
data collected by Phil Haysmer



COUNTY OF HAWAI'I

Community Update Session

August 9, 2023

Cooper Center, 5:00pm to 7:00pm

19-4030 Wright Road, Volcano, HI

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The Department of Research and Development (R&D), in the County of Hawai'i, is pleased to once again connect with communities around Hawai'i Island through community update meetings. These meetings will provide brief, hard-hitting updates on elements of the Mayor's sustainability agenda for Hawai'i Island, to include broadband, renewable energy, destination management, child care, agriculture, and other economic revitalization projects, as well as offer the opportunity for community dialogue. In addition to R&D, other presenters will include Hawaiian Electric, Hawai'i Energy and other County departments.



Volcano Seniors August 2023 Calendar

Aug 3 - Business Mtg,
Games, Potluck

Aug 10 - Outing to
Naalehu club

Aug 17 - Games, potluck

Aug 23- Bon Dance at
Edith Kanakaole Stadium

Aug 24- Games, potluck

Aug 31 - Bingo, Potluck,
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1,000 adults, and 11th in the number of AmeriCorps Volunteers per capita. Rotary Club of Volcano members take their patriotism seriously. We begin each meeting with a pledge of allegiance, help raise the garrison flag at KMC on holidays and put up American flags at homes throughout the Volcano area on important holidays. More than 50 village residents have joined this fund-raising effort in which our members put up and take down American flags on your property on six holidays a year. Want to know how you can join your neighbors showing and show your patriotism? Send us an email at rotaryclubofvolcano@gmail.com and we'll give you the details.



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Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park Hawai'i Volcanoes Institute Presents

SUNDAY WALK IN THE PARK – EXPLORING KĪLAUEA IKI

Sunday, August 13, 2023 - 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

This monthly program on second Sundays is aimed at bringing together the members of the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park to explore the park's beautiful trails. This month we will hike the Kīlauea Iki Trail.

Descend through a lush rain forest to the floor of the solidified, however still steaming Kīlauea Iki Crater lava lake. Peer into the 1959 vent that erupted to a height of 1900 feet located below the Pu'u Pua'i cinder cone.

Of interest: Walking through a rain forest, viewing native birds, walk on the 1959 lava lake, view steam vents, cinder cones and spatter cones.

Ahu (stacked rocks) mark the trail across the crater floor.

Sturdy footwear, water, raingear, sun protection, and a snack are recommended.

This event is presented by the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Program cost is \$5.00 for Friends members. Non-members are welcome to join the Friends in order to attend. And, of course, additional donations are always accepted. Park entrance fees apply.

Please check https://www.fhvn.org/events/sw_20230813/ for updates and for more information about this event.

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2023 4TH OF JULY PARADE IN VOLCANO

One of the biggest annual events in our Volcano community happens right here on the 4th of July. Sponsored by The Volcano Community Association in partnership with the Cooper Center Council, our 2023 4th of July Parade was a huge success!

The parade featured our very own Grand Marshal, John Verbeske, specialty trikes, and more. There were also food vendors, a keiki games corner hosted by Sher Glass and activities for the whole family to enjoy.

The parade was a great way to celebrate the 4th of July and to show off the community spirit of Volcano.

The VCA would like to thank everyone who participated in the 2023 4th of July Parade and who came out to support it. We look forward to seeing you all next year!



Grand Marshal, John Verbeske

Happy
4th OF
July!



VCA Marketing and Sales Committee

The Marketing and Sales Committee is responsible for promoting the Volcano Community Association and its events to the community and beyond. The Marketing and Sales Committee exists solely to generate funds to bless the Volcano Community through our annual membership dues, our Sunday market merchandise table and other revenue generating projects throughout the year.

Supporting our local Volcano School of Arts and Sciences and their special projects, the Food Basket distribution project at Cooper Center and other charitable organizations and community projects like the

Coqui Coquistadors and VERT are just a few of the local community organizations we have supported in the past to continue serving our Community. Last year, VCA contributed close to \$3,000 and continues to serve our community.

The Marketing and Sales Committee meets with VCA on a monthly basis and volunteers are expected to attend the meetings. Our Sunday market table is also a point of contact for the community to join our efforts and express ideas and suggestions to the board for the community besides the monthly board meeting. We welcome your feedback and ideas!

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT Awafi Cuisine

Middle Eastern food is now available every Thursday from 3-6 PM at the Cooper Center. Tasty falafels cooked to order, chicken shawarma, pita bread with the meal or for a sandwich, hummus and weekly specials are awaiting your dining pleasures. You may eat there or take it home, but don't miss out. Ashorina Black and her family have lived on the Big Island for 4 1/2 years. She has added her own touches to family recipes made with fresh, mostly organic, local ingredients. You can contact Ashorina at awaficuisine.com, awaficuisine@gmail.com, or on Facebook or Instagram. Awafi is an Iraqi word that has multiple meanings like the word, aloha. You might say it after someone does something beneficial to themselves, like eating a good meal. Sandwiches are \$14, and plate dinners are \$18 including an entree, salad, pickled vegetables, pita bread, saffron rice and choice of sauce. Combo plates are \$20. Let's show our support for this wonderful food that we have in Volcano.



The Volcano Community Association represents Volcano Village, Volcano Farm Lots, Cymbidium Acres, Mauna Loa Estates, Ohia Estates, Volcano Golf Course, Royal Hawaiian Estates and Hawai'ian Orchid Isle Estates.

VCA COMMUNITY MARKETING AND SALES COMMITTEE COMMITTEE: Continuing To Serve The Needs Of Our COMMUNITY!

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Volcano School of Arts and Sciences August 2023 News

VSAS Mural: I Ola Hāloa

This past year, high school students at the Volcano School of Arts and Sciences created a mural covering an entire wall on the lunch lanai of the Old Volcano Road campus. The scene, depicts the mo'olelo of Hāloa.

In this mo'olelo, Wākea (sky father) and Papa (earth mother) had a son who died at birth and was buried. Out of his body grew the kalo plant. Papa became pregnant again and gave birth to a healthy baby boy, who they named Hāloa (everlasting breath) in honor of his older brother, the kalo. According to the chant, Hāloa is the first kanaka maoli and all Hawaiians trace their origin back to him and his older brother, the kalo plant.

The subject was chosen because our school theme this past year was I Ola Hāloa, a celebration of the close familial relationship between kanaka and kalo, and an honoring of our connection with 'āina as the land that sustains us.

VSAS resident artist Dena Nakahashi, a painter and VSAS parent, guided high school students from conception to execution of the project. "Our task was to show the significance of the relationship between the people and the land in the culture," she said.

"We wanted to show the heartbreak of what happened and the rebirth of the new," said Cheska Aurelio, a 10th grader who's been at VSAS for her entire school career.

Once the students had settled on a design and blocked it out on a large sheet of paper on the floor, they'd wanted to create a grid pattern and transfer that to make the larger mural on the wall. "But that wasn't working, so we just freestyled," Cheska said.

"I really tried to think about the story and what it symbolizes, and why it's so important to the Hawaiian people," she continued. "During this process I was really thinking about the ancestors and what they mean to us here at school." She remembered a class trip to the Volcano Art Center and how she was really affected by one of the art pieces.

"It made me feel so much. It took my mind into places I didn't expect," she said. "I hope our mural does that. I want this to be more than just a decoration. It should be feeling,

emotion and thoughts—not just colors and paint."

This school year 2023-2024, our school theme is 'O Kīlauea Ka Ipukukui (Kīlauea is the lighthouse). This year will be a year of intensive vision work as we explore more deeply what it means to grow and learn in this place, near Halema'uma'u at the summit of Kīlauea on Hawai'i Island. To get involved or learn more, email Manu Goodhue at mgoodhue@volcanoschool.net or give us a call at 808-985-9800.

We are searching for Adult Workforce Mentors for High School students. If you are interested in working with a high school intern this school-year, email Manu Goodhue, mgoodhue@volcanoschool.net or call 808-985-9800 to learn more.



Top: I Ola Hāloa mural nearly completed!

Bottom: High School students transferring their design onto the wall.

Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park August 2023



HAWAII NATIONAL PARK, Hawai'i – Hawaii Volcanoes National Park August events include a fee-free day, a walk for seniors, Hawaiian cultural events, After Dark in the Park performances, a concert and opportunities to restore the rainforest. Mark your calendar for these special August events:

All events are free, but entrance fees may apply. Some programs are sponsored by Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park and Hawai'i Pacific Parks Association. Programs are subject to change or cancellation without notice. Check the park calendar for more information.

Fee-Free Day for the Great American Outdoors Act Anniversary! The Great American Outdoors Act (GAOA) was established to protect critical resources, expand recreational opportunities and focus on long-term sustainable operations in your national parks. At Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park, GAOA funds will be used to rehabilitate both the aging water system and about 40 miles of perimeter fencing that protects native biodiversity. Entrance fees are waived in all U.S. national parks to commemorate the Act anniversary. **When:** Friday, August 4 all day **Where:** All fee-charging national parks in Hawai'i and the U.S.

How the Mountains Grew: A New Geological History of North America. From the acclaimed author of Earthquake Storms, The Last Volcano and Mask of the Sun, John Dvorak takes us on a geological odyssey in his newest book, How the Mountains Grew. Join us for a special presentation as the author connects the dots to bring us beyond plate tectonics. Whether you're a serious scientist or an armchair geologist you'll enjoy this program. Books will be available for sale through the Hawaii Pacific Parks Association park store the evening of the program. Part of Hawai'i Volcanoes' ongoing After Dark in the Park programs and co-sponsored by the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. Free, but park entrance fees apply. **When:** Tuesday, August 8 at 7 p.m. **Where:** Kīlauea Visitor Center auditorium

Kapa Kuiki (Hawaiian Quilting) Demonstration. Hawaiians learned the basic method of kuiki (quilting) after the missionaries arrived in the early 1800s. As the art evolved, so did the patterns which were inspired by birds, plants and shadows on the ground. Join Cyndy Martinez as she shares her expertise in the beautiful art known as kapa kuiki, Hawaiian quilting. Part of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park's ongoing 'Ike Hana No'eau (Experience the Skillful Work) Hawaiian cultural programs, and co-sponsored by Hawai'i Pacific Parks Association and the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. Free, but park entrance fees apply. **When:** Wednesday, August 9 from 10 a.m. to noon. **Where:** 'Ōhi'a Wing (across Crater Rim Drive from Kīlauea Visitor Center)

Live Musical Performance by Kilion Young. Kiliona Young is a multi-genre musician and songwriter from 'Ōla'a on Hawai'i Island. His music tells stories of love, hope, struggle and truth by employing a diversity of rhythms and melodies found in traditional Hawaiian music, reggae, blues, hip hop and soul. Kiliona has collaborated with artists like Pō & the 4fathers, the Kuahiwis and Moemoeā to name a few. Part of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park's ongoing Nā Leo Manu Hawaiian cultural programs, and co-sponsored by Hawai'i Pacific Parks Association. Free, but park entrance fees apply. **When:** Wednesday, August 16 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. **Where:** Kīlauea Visitor Center auditorium.

Bee Conscious Coffee Talk. Join Alison Yahna, an organic gardener, permaculturalist and beekeeper. Alison holds a Master's degree in teaching and has been a passionate educator for more than 30 years, with a special focus on bees and environmental issues. Learn from this "bee whisperer" about honeybees, their vital role in life on Earth, threats they face and how to "bee" a buddy! **When:** Saturday, August 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. **Where:** Kahuku Visitor Contact Station

National Senior Day Kīlauea Summit Walk. Former President Ronald Reagan proclaimed August 21 "National Senior Citizens Day" in 1988, and to revitalize this special date, Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park will offer a free ranger-guided summit walk for older adults. The one-and-a-half mile walk will start and finish at Kīlauea Visitor Center, cross Crater Rim Drive to Kūpina'i Pali, and double back to Crater Rim Trail near Volcano House. Be prepared for sun, rain or wind and bring a hat, sunscreen, sunglasses, and a rain jacket. Use a walking stick? Bring it! Limited to the first 40 people. Questions? Call (808) 985-6018. **When:** Monday, August 21 from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. **Where:** Meet rangers at the flag-pole in front of Kīlauea Visitor Center

Nani O Kahuku: A One-Woman Living History Play. Re-live a day on historic Kahuku Ranch through this performance adapted by Jackie Pualani-Johnson directly from the diary of Hannah (Nani) Pi'ilani Jones. Nani, portrayed brilliantly by actress Alya-Joy Kanehailua, was the eleventh and second-to-youngest child of George W.C. Jones, who owned Kahuku Ranch from 1871 to 1887. Part of Hawai'i Volcanoes' ongoing After Dark in the Park programs and co-sponsored by the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. Free, but park entrance fees apply. **When:** Tuesday, August 29 at 7 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. **Where:** Kīlauea Visitor Center auditorium

Interested in Practicing TAI CHI?

Tai chi is a traditional Chinese martial art which stresses slow, coordinated movements, in a sequence or "set" of forms. It is based on the principle of yin-yang. It depends on using the internal force "qi" (chi) rather than physical strength. It provides great exercise, flexing the body's muscles and joints, without straining them. It improves balance, coordination and flexibility, and it can help to reduce high blood pressure. It is "moving meditation", exercise which integrates body and mind.

I have been practicing Yang style tai chi for 20 years. My primary instructors have been masters from China teaching in Hilo. I have traveled to China three times for further tai chi training in Beijing and at the Hebei Medical Qigong Hospital in Beidaihe, China, where I received my certification as an Instructor.

I am currently teaching a tai chi class at Cooper Center in Volcano Village, once a week on Friday mornings from 8:30-10:00 AM. This class started in 2017. Most of the original students have moved on for various reasons, especially since the covid pandemic. The current class is small, and mostly new students. I want to recruit more new students. Classes are limited to 12 students. Classes are open to anyone interested in the Volcano area. Seniors are welcome. (I am a senior.) There is a fee of \$5/class. No fee for the first class, try it to see whether you want to continue.

You don't need any equipment to practice tai chi. All you need is comfortable, loose-fitting clothes and a good pair of shoes. We will be practicing Yang 24, a short introductory set, widely practiced in China. We will do warm up, stretching and breathing exercises before practicing the set.

CAUTION: If you have injuries or damage to your neck, back, hips, knees or ankles, practicing tai chi would definitely put stress on them, and could possibly result in injury.

If you are interested, please contact me, Mike McKenney, at 985-7232 or 785-7503, or just come to observe or join the class at Cooper Center on Friday morning.

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Exhibition: Wondrous Works in Woods. The exhibit featuring lathe-turned works of art by Aaron Hammer continues through August 20th at VAC gallery in HVNP, open daily from 9am – 5pm.

Exhibition: Conversation: Spirit & Nature with Charlene Asato, Lisa-Louise Adams, Roslyn Moresh, Leslie Laird, Robin Scanlon continues through August 19th, 10am – 4pm, Wednesday through Sunday at VAC Niaulani Campus in Volcano Village.

Exhibition: Changing Oceans: Changing Minds with George Nuku opens August 25th – September 10th at Volcano Art Center's Niaulani Campus in Volcano Village. Reception: Friday, August 25th, 4-6pm.

Exhibition: Hawai'i Nei Invitational opens August 26th through October 1st, featuring Kathy Sprinkle, Carol Treadway, Robert Peck, Saxony Charlot, Aleysia Ray Kaha, Janee Weddell- Hesperheide, Aly Kat, Jillian Marohnic, Dawn Sugar at VAC Gallery in Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park **Reception:** Saturday, August 26th, 2-4pm.

Recycled Sea Creatures Workshop with Julia Williams will be held on August 5th, from 12 – 4pm, at VAC Niaulani Campus in Volcano Village. A free multigenerational program to enjoy with your keiki. This is a wonderful opportunity to construct sea creatures from plastic bottles and introduce your keiki to themes of recycling and ways to be stewards of the lands and oceans of Hawai'i. Limited space - advanced registration is required. Call (808) 967-8222 to reserve your space.

A series of 6 drawing classes with Ken Charon, for children ages 8 to 14 at Volcano Art Center's Niaulani Campus. Tuesdays, 3:30 – 5:00 pm, August 8th – September 12th. Financial scholarship available for those in need. For more information or to register visit www.volcanoartcenter.org.

VOLCANO ART CENTER NEEDS YOUR PLASTIC BOTTLES!

This summer, Volcano Art Center is hosting visiting Maori artist and environmental activist, George Nuku. His fascinating art installations require MANY #1 plastic bottles. Please save yours and bring them to the rear of Niaulani campus on Kalanikoa. Bins will be available adjacent to the white shipping container. Please ensure that your bottles are clean, are not crushed, and have caps on. You can view George's art installations on Youtube.

The Niaulani opening of his installation entitled *Changing Oceans: Changing Minds* is 4-6 on August 25th. Come by in August to volunteer with George Nuku on this community art project. Text questions to Julie Williams at 808 339-1699. Mahalo for your support!

The participating artists from the exhibition *Conversation: Spirit & Nature* are instructing an **Exploration in Book Making Workshop** on Saturday, August 12th from 9:30am - 2:30pm. Join this incredibly talented group of women artists in creating unique art pages utilizing printing, collage and textile techniques and binding them! Two binding styles will be explored: the piano hinge and the slip knot technique. Workshop Fee \$65 (\$55 VAC Members) plus a \$15 supply fee. Register online at www.volcanoartcenter.org or call (808) 967-8222 to reserve your space.

Join Heather Penfield on Saturday, August 19th, from 9am – 11am., for the **Cooking with Canoe Plants Workshop** at Volcano Art Center Niaulani Campus. Call (808) 967-8222 to register or visit www.volcanoartcenter.org.

Volcano Art Center's **Hula Arts at Kīlauea** performance series continues Saturday, August 12th with a presentation by Featuring Kumu hula Moses Kaho'okele Crabbe with Halauolaokalani The performance begins at 10:30am in Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. National Park entrance fees apply.

The Volcano Art Center is a non-profit educational organization created in 1974 to promote, develop, and perpetuate the artistic and cultural heritage of Hawai'i's people and environment through activities in the visual, literary, and performing arts.

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