

### EXPERIENCE THE ART OF SAKE AT HOKU'S



**KAHALA, HAWAII** – July 19, 2017 – Enjoy a delectable five-course meal paired with Sakes from the famed **Hasamaya Brewery** in Japan and French wines from Master Sommelier In-Residence, Roberto Viernes. Caoli Cano, **Hasamaya's** 12<sup>th</sup> generation brewmaster and acclaimed musician and composer brings a special touch to the evening with live music and a discussion on the Art of Sake on Wednesday, August 2 at **Hoku's** at 6 p.m.

***Experience the Art of Sake at Hoku's on August 2<sup>nd</sup> with Caoli Cano.***

Savor Sake and French Wines with Cano paired with a special five-course dinner prepared by **The Kahala's** Executive Chef, Wayne Hirabayashi and **Hoku's** Chef de Cuisine, Eric Oto on Wednesday, August 2 at 6 p.m. The Sake dinner will include the following items with special Sake and wine pairings: *Sauteed Hamakua Mushroom* and *NIJI Junmai Ginjo*, *Hirame Crudo* with *ASAO Junmai Daiginjo*, *Poached Salmon in Herb Broth* & *2015 Chateau Aiguilloux Rose*, *Hawaiian Salt & Herb Crusted Colorado Rack of Lamb* with *Chateau Aiguilloux Aloha Anne-Georges*, *Boutenac 2011* and *Fuji Apple Terrine*. Cost is \$135 per person inclusive of food and beverages (tax and gratuity additional).

#### **About Caoli Cano**

Master Sake Brewmistress Caoli Cano is the 12<sup>th</sup> generation of the *Hasamaya Sake Brewery* and also a renowned singer, song writer and music producer. Since 1991, she has released 18 solo albums from Sony Music and collaborated with a number of world-class artists such as Ryuichi Sakamoto and Stevie Wonder. In 2003, Cano became the 12<sup>th</sup> head of *Hasamaya*, owned by her family for generations. Her creativity in art, music and culture continues to evolve in her sake-making mastery, producing sake with a delicate aroma and perfect body balance.

#### **About Hasamaya Sake Brewery**

*Hasamaya Sake Brewery House* was established in 1757 and has a 250-year history and tradition in Japan. The Brewery is owned, managed and operated by the Cano Family which is now in its 12<sup>th</sup> generation run by Caoli Cano. *Hasamaya Sake Brewery's* philosophy is "*Kansha*," which means appreciation or gratitude. The home of *Hasamaya* is located in the Miyagi Prefecture of Japan and is the sacred place of legendary samurai, Yoshitsune Minamoto.

#### **About The Kahala Hotel & Resort**

The legendary Kahala Hotel & Resort is an oceanfront, destination luxury property known for its gracious Hawaiian hospitality. Located just minutes from Waikiki, The Kahala offers an exclusive ambiance of a neighbor island experience. The Kahala has been Honolulu's social address for weddings and gatherings since its opening in 1964. World leaders, royalty, rock bands and Oscar winners call the 338-room resort their Hawaiian home-away-from-home. The Kahala is a member of The Leading Hotels of the World and Preferred Hotels & Resorts. The resort is home to *The Kahala Spa*, lush tropical gardens and a natural ocean-water lagoon with the hotel's own resident dolphins cared for by *Dolphin Quest*. The Kahala also has five restaurants: *Plumeria Beach House*, *Seaside Grill*, *The Veranda*, *Arancino* and the award-winning *Hoku's* restaurant. Stay connected with The Kahala via [www.kahalaresort.com](http://www.kahalaresort.com), on Instagram at [kahala\\_resort](https://www.instagram.com/kahala_resort) or on Facebook at The Kahala Hotel & Resort and Twitter at [@KahalaResort](https://twitter.com/KahalaResort). Share your Kahala moment #AtTheKahala.

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