

# September Newsletter

KISCA (Kahala Initiative for Sustainability, Culture, and Arts) is our commitment to preserving our 'āina, kai, and nā 'ike a me nā hana (land, ocean, and culture).

We are proud to support many local sustainability efforts and provide guests with opportunities to explore Hawaiian culture on property within our community.

We believe that KISCA is an important program that allows our guests to give back to the community and while experiencing authentic Hawaiian practices and customs.

VISIT OUR  
WEBSITE TO  
LEARN MORE



STAY UP  
TO DATE



Stay-up-to-date with all our exciting events and activities by checking out our updated calendar of events.

There's something for everyone, so don't miss out!

Calendar



## 'KEPAKEMAPA- PAPA MANAWA PULE SEPTEMBER WEEKLY SCHEDULE

LĀPULE SUNDAY	PŌ 'AKAHI MONDAY	PŌ 'ALUA TUESDAY	PŌ 'AKOLU WEDNESDAY	PŌ 'AHĀ THURSDAY	PŌ 'ALIMA FRIDAY	PŌ 'AONO SATURDAY
<b>Lei Making*</b> 10-11 a.m.	<b>Ohe Kapala</b> 10-11:30 a.m.  <b>Talk with Dolphin Quest</b> 1:30-1:45 p.m.	<b>Ocean Education</b> 10 a.m.-noon  <b>Lauhala Weaving</b> 10-11:30 a.m.  <b>Sunset Seminar*</b> (Sept 23 only) 6:30-8:00 p.m.	<b>Ocean Education</b> 10 a.m.-noon  <b>Keiki Art*</b> 3-4:30 p.m.	<b>Haku Kupe'e*</b> 9-10 a.m.  <b>KISCA Concert</b> (Sept 18 only) 6:30p.m.	<b>Storytelling by our Tutus</b> (Sept 12 & 26 only) 9:30-10:30 a.m.  <b>Lei Making*</b> 10-11 a.m.  <b>Ocean Education</b> 10 a.m.-noon	<b>Lei La 'i*</b> 9-10 a.m.  <b>'Ōlelo Hawai'i</b> 10:15-11 a.m.

## KISCA Music Event: Jeff Rasmussen

Plumeria Beach House | Sept 18th 6:30PM – 8:30PM



Join us on Thursday, September 18th for a special musical performance by Jeff Rasmussen. Singer, song writer, producer, Jeff Rasmussen was born, raised and currently resides in Waianae. Multi Nā Hōkū Hanohano award winner, and recipient of this year's Lifetime Achievement Award. Jeff is known for his invigorating guitar and ukulele talents, he is one of Hawaii's finest musicians.

As the sun sets, enjoy delicious Hawaiian dishes from our Pā'ina Buffet as you listen to the beautiful Hawaiian melodies.

## Culture Highlight: Lauhala Weaving

The Veranda | Tuesdays | 10:00AM - 11:30AM

Join us on Tuesday mornings for our Lauhala Weaving Workshop, where you can learn about this traditional Hawaiian art form and craft your own lauhala bracelet. Under the guidance of skilled weaver Keoua Nelsen, discover the preparation and weaving techniques used to create beautiful items from hala leaves—an art passed down through generations.



## Sunset Seminar

Seaside Grill | September 23rd | 6:30PM – 8:00PM \*reservations required

Join us to enjoy the beachside view as local researchers and professionals present how environmental and social research supports Hawai'i's environment and people. Both guests and the kama'āina are invited to engage and learn about Hawai'i's natural resources! The seminar is complimentary with a free cocktail tasting highlighting a local distillery. Explore our new food menu featuring a selection of locally sourced dishes available for purchase.

Additional food & beverages available for purchase



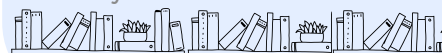
THE KAHALA  
HOTEL & RESORT  
Honolulu, Hawaii



Reserve your spot now!

### Ike Hawai'i Library

Immerse yourself in the rich culture, history, and natural beauty of the Hawaiian islands through our carefully curated collection of books.



Located in main lobby

### WEEKLY TALK WITH DOLPHIN QUEST

MEET AT DOLPHIN LAGOON  
Mondays 1:30-1:45p.m.

Join our Marine Mammal Specialists for a lagoonside chat about our dolphin 'ohana while watching them up close. Learn about critical research support, conservation efforts and innovative training.

### KISCA PARTNER HIGHLIGHT:



Protect & Preserve Hawai'i restores native ecosystems and preserves Hawai'i's cultural heritage through conservation and education. Our 330-acre restoration site in East Honolulu's Pia Valley is a living classroom where volunteers protect endangered species and reconnect with 'āina. Our vision is a Hawai'i with thriving native ecosystems stewarded by a robust conservation community dedicated to living pono and leaving a legacy of sustainability.

<https://www.protectpreservehi.org/>