



The Surf Report

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December 2018 Holiday Party Great Success

Many thanks to KHAA Lifetime Member Sherree McKellar '67, for opening her lovely home to us for a first ever holiday party. Sherree's Kailuana home was part of the Lani-Kailua Outdoor Circle House & Garden Tour and decorated exquisitely for the season so she thought why not offer it as a venue for a get together.

Though the event was very low-key and meant to allow alumni a chance to come together and enjoy some holiday cheer, it was also an opportunity to raise funds for the Alumni Association's Scholarship Fund. According to Elva Higashi, KHAA President, "the party was great fun, in a gorgeous home, and helped the association raise over \$2 thousand for the scholarship that will be awarded to one or more Kailua graduating seniors this May."

Warm mahalos also to fellow alumni Leslie Medeiros Carter '72, Doris Hashimoto Kino '60, Lynne Masuyama '63, and Karen Nishimoto Wilson '63, for their personal donations to the KHAA Scholarship Fund.

Scholarship applications are available through the Kailua High School College Counseling Office and the review and selections will take place in early April with the presentation being made at the Academic Awards night in May.



Class of '63 and friends—Ed, Alexis, Lani, Haunani, Stuart, Lynne, Jan, Glen, Mary Louise, Tia and Roddy-- enjoying the festive evening.

LOOK FOR US AT THE I ♥ KAILUA TOWN PARTY

After a two year hiatus, KHAA will be back on Kailua Road for the I Love Kailua Town Party on Sunday, April 28! KHAA has always been a popular stop for alumni as well as other interested attendees. The most popular display is the collection of yearbooks from different classes. Many of our drop - ins enjoy looking through the yearbooks for pictures of family and friends from high school days. In addition to the annuals, we'll have samples of logo items available to order as well as information about the organization. Don't forget to stop by and say "hi" on the 28th!

FUNDRAISER SET FOR JUNE

Save the date for the next KHAA Surfrider Supper / Moonlight Over Kailua scheduled for Saturday, June 15, 2019. This year's fundraiser will be held at the home of Sherree McKellar, '67, on the beach at Kailuana. The event will begin early enough to be able to enjoy the sunset and moonrise over Kailua Bay. We're planning for wine sampling, Hawaiian fare, a silent auction and entertainment by the ever popular He'e Nalu—featuring Class of '61 musicians Wayne Cabana, Louie Mahoe, Vocalists: Clara Kaimi Richards, Marilei Nichols, Tony Compton, '62, guest guitarist Rodney Nagao and drummer and newest addition to the group Kainoa Borges, fresh back from college and who also happens to be the grandson of Louise Iyoki Matsumoto, '61.

The flyer is attached with information on how to get tickets. Mark your calendar so you don't miss this event! Proceeds from the auction will go directly to the KHAA Endowment Fund which exists to provide assistance to benefit Kailua High School students, alumni, faculty and programs that contribute to excellence in education and student achievement.

We gratefully acknowledge alumni members Lynne Masuyama '63, and Karen Nishimoto Wilson '63, for their generous gifts to kick off the Endowment Fund drive.

We invite one and all to join us for a magical evening filled with ono food, good sounds, a fun time bidding on the silent auction items and the opportunity of sharing some time with old friends. Why not get some of your classmates together and make this a way to have a mini class reunion while supporting your alumni organization.

We absolutely want you to be there, but on the off chance you just can't make it, remember that we're a 501c3 organization so a gift made to KHAA is tax deductible and will be acknowledged for tax purposes and is much appreciated.

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