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- Name
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- e-mail address (if any)

1940s

Auntie **Winona Beamer '41** was spotted attending a September concert at the University of Hawai'i at Hilo along with **Gerry Santos '69**. Auntie Nona is busy these days spending time with family, writing a book and being involved with the Kamehameha Alumni Association, Māmalahoe Chapter in Hilo.

Tentative plans have been made for **KS '44** to celebrate its 60th reunion by touring the Pacific Northwest. For more information contact class representative **Vesta Parker Will** at 941-1231.

KS '48 announces its new slate of officers for the next two years: **Stanley Lum**, president; **Alex (Blackie) Bell**, vice president; **Aletha Goodwin Kaohi**, secretary and **Dolly Manley Phillips**, treasurer. Future class activities include the annual Celebration of Life and other programs for 2004. Contact class representative **Elmer Manley** at 734-7459 or e-mail him at elmerandmary@aol.com.

Ellenmae Parker Selu '49 currently resides in Utah's Valley City, where she serves as president of the Polynesian Association of Utah. She concluded a successful Polynesian Festival this past summer. "Mama Selu," as she is known to her family and friends, served as a member of the 2000 Olympics Committee. An accomplished musician, dancer and entertainer, Mama Selu and husband Wayne were once known as the "Voice of Polynesia" on radio station KRCL in Salt Lake City, Utah. Today, Ellenmae continues as the programmer for the radio

show she first appeared on more than 24 years ago.

1950s

KS '51 celebrated its 52nd class reunion in Las Vegas from Sept. 28 to Oct. 3. **Kiha Kinney** of Seattle, Wash., chaired the event with assistance from **Charles Lono Griswold** and wife Laverne of Henderson, Nev., **Edwina Noelani Kanohe Mahoe** and **Carolyn "Skip" Tomiyama '52**. Highlights of the celebration included daily singing sessions in the hospitality room at Main Street Station Hotel & Casino, shopping trips to malls and factory outlets, cruising the casinos, a slot tournament and a Texas barbeque banquet. (Report submitted by class representative **Roselle Sam Soon**)

At a general membership dinner meeting held in June, **KS '55** welcomed home classmates **Willie Au** of Yorba Linda, Calif., **Daniel Haleamau** of Sacramento, Calif., and **Muriel Morgan Gehrman** of Klamath Falls, Ore. They were joined by Hāna classmate **Peter Konohia**. During the weekend of July 3-6, classmates experienced the beauty and charm of Waimea, Hawai'i. Resident hosts **Eli "Kau'i" Nahulu**, **Joseph Huddy**, **Douglas Akau**, **Gabrielle Lindsey** and **Manuel Kaapana** coordinated the event and made sure everyone had a memorable time. Sightseeing and visitations to historical sites in Hilo and North Kohala were the order of the day. Future events for 2004 include a cruise to Scandinavia or New Zealand. For more details on the cruise or other class concerns, contact class

representative **Patrick Sniffen** at 422-9835.

KS '56 is pleased to report that classmate **Tommy Pruett** recently moved back home to Ka'a'awa on the North Shore of O'ahu. He still manages to divide his time between a home in Martinez, Calif., and Hawai'i. The class was saddened to learn of the death of classmate **Leonard Chow** who passed away on July 3, 2003 in California. A memorial service was held for him there on July 26. He is survived by sisters **M. Lin Chow Chun '61** and **Gail Chow '63** who arranged for a special memorial service in Honolulu. It was held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Kāhala on Sept. 26. The service was conducted by his uncle **George Crabbe Jr. '47**. Leonard's sister Lin delivered a eulogy and classmate **Claudette Kapahua Naauao** offered words of remembrance. Classmates and other Kamehameha school friends sang a beautiful rendition of "Only Remembered." A gathering of classmates followed at the home of **Haliimaile Chu Goo**.

KS '57 experienced its second island-hopping adventure by visiting Maui and connecting with classmates living on the Valley Isle. A Mother's Day weekend welcomed classmates, spouses and their families with golfing (Kamehameha Golf Tournament sponsored by Maui parents of KS students), and touring historical sites in the Lahaina and Kula areas. Making the trip were **Kuulei Apo Reyes**, **Apitai Akau**, **Lyford Chong**, **Henry Foo Sum**, **Earl Harbin**, **Stella Hing Carter**, **Cecilia Kahue Ellertsen**, **Lorna Kim Ah**



Gerry Santos '69 and Winona Beamer '41.



KS '51 at September vist in Las Vegas.



KS '57 members at Kū I Ka Pono march in September.

Yat, **Edwin Lindsey, Gordon Machado, Ransom Piltz, John Uu, Noreen Vares Wales, and Sammy Yong**... A second class gathering took place the weekend of Sept.12-14 at the Wai'anae Army Recreation Center. Participants included **Clara Ahina Cambra, Wilhelm Bailey, Lorraine Ululani Ching Chun, William Cordes, Agnes Kaaialii Pililaau, Yvonne Kaawaloa, William Kauahikaua, Albert Kanahale, Maetan Kaula, Freida Neumann Moser, Wanda Wahineokai, Kuulei Apo Reyes, Earl Harbin, Stella Hing Carter, Lorna Kim Ah Yat, and Sammy Yong.** (Report submitted by class contributor **Melsa Wong Takamatsu**).

What takes up most of **Robert Puakea Jr.**'s '58 time these days? He's busy constructing a Hawaiian-designed canoe at He'eia State Park. Working with the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, Bobby and his apprentice Wayne Washburn work on the canoe project funded by a Folk Arts Apprenticeship Award. The project began in December 2002. The apprentice program helps traditional artists further their work while allowing them to pass on their talent to a qualified individual.

1960s

Dr. Dennis Gonsalves '61, formerly with Cornell University in New York, is now the director of the Pacific Basin Agricultural Research Center in Hilo. He was recently

honored as the 2002 recipient of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation Award for Agriculture. A native of North Kohala on the island of Hawai'i, Dennis and wife Carol now call Hilo home.

Newly elected officers for the Ali'i Pauahi Hawaiian Civic Club are KS '64 classmates: **Georgiana Leialoha Wong** Gaines, secretary; **Judith Kahoano-Gersaba**, president; **Louise Kaiona Kaleikini Killibrew**, vice president and; **Harriet Awana O'Sullivan '36** treasurer. (Submitted by class representative **Patti Blake-Silva**.)

Bettygene "BJ" Ocampo

Dudoit '66 was recognized recently in Washington, D.C. as program coordinator for Moloka'i's Ho'oikaika Youth Opportunity Program, which offers educational training and employment services to the youth of Moloka'i. Ho'oikaika serves youth (age 14 to 21) with programs designed to provide employment experiences and opportunities to support their educational goals. Sen. Daniel Inouye and Rep. Ed Case joined others in presenting the award. All KS '66 classmates are encouraged to contact their class representative at ksimua66@hotmail.com with a personal e-mail address to receive class messages and news. (By class representative **Barbara Ann Chang Rico '66**.)

Golf tournament to benefit KS track team/ Henry Lee '46 scholarship

Runners take your mark, get set, and go to the First Kamehameha Warrior Track & Field Golf Tournament Fundraiser, set for Jan. 16, 2004 at the Waikele Golf Course.



Kapālama Campus track coaches Agenhart Ellis '91, Sam Moku, Henry Lee and Jared Kamakaala.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Kapālama Campus boys track team and the Henry Lee Scholarship Fund.

In May 2003, a tribute to longtime Kamehameha track coach Lee was held at the Hale Koa Hotel, where the idea of starting an annual scholarship in his name, honoring a male track athlete, took hold.

This year, the first Noho'ana Henry Lee Perpetual Trophy was awarded to **Jared Kamakaala '03** for achieving excellence in track and field by demonstrating a winning attitude through his dedication, commitment and character – morals Coach Lee preaches through his coaching.

If you're not a golfer and wish to make a donation, please make checks payable to Kamehameha Track & Field and mail to boys head track coach Sam Moku at the address listed below.

Mahalo!

1st Annual Kamehameha Warrior Track & Field Golf Tournament Fundraiser

Entry Form

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Address _____

Contact # _____

Handicap _____
(Handicap max: Kāne 28 / Wahine 36)

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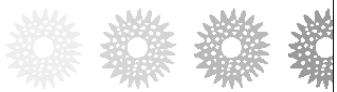
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Rules: Two-man best ball – each golfer must record a score for nine holes. Putt-out on all holes. 10 percent of total team handicap will be used to determine net score. No mulligans!

Make Checks Payable to **Kamehameha Track & Field** and mail payments with application to: **Sam Moku, Head Coach, 45-426 Meakua St., Kāne'ohe, HI 96744**

Contact Phone: 265-4526

Tournament Committee: Sam Moku, Henry Lee, Mark and Stacia Lee Peleholani '73, Joe Kahiapo '71, Llewellyn Biven '72, Harvey McInerney '74, Marshall Marumoto, Agenhart Ellis, Bryan Gusman '91



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Want to learn more about the history of Kamehameha Schools? The Kamehameha Schools Archives primary purpose is to collect relevant information about the schools, organize it, preserve it and then make that information available to the Kamehameha Schools 'ohana and the global Hawaiian community. To learn more about the Kamehameha Schools Archives, visit <http://kapalama.ksbe.edu/archives/>.

Congratulations to **Samuel Kaahanui '67**, who received a doctor of education degree in October from Simon Fraser University, Burnaby Campus, British Columbia, Canada.

Updates from KS '68: **Connie Uale** has moved home after years of living in Redlands, Calif. She left a successful career in banking to spend time with her mom in Hawai'i... **Juanita Chang Arrant** visited Hawai'i recently from her home in Milwaukie, Ore. She visited with family and friends, including classmate **Greecelyn Calles Maluo**, and awaited the arrival of her son who was aboard a naval ship returning from a Persian Gulf deployment...

Wayne Johnson lives in Sedona, Ariz., where he owns and operates the Verdy Springs Resorts... On a recent family visit to California, **Robin-Gay Williams** Makapagal visited the Long Beach aquarium and was able to chat with **Charles Kiaha '67**, who oversees the entertainment at the aquarium. Charles is also a disc jockey on a California radio station... A mini reunion among classmates took place last summer in Hilo with **Denise Melemai-Perry**, **Almira Maile Aki Harris**, **Julia Kaupu** and Robin Makapagal. Denise and her family were visiting from their mainland home in St. Louis... After retiring from the Honolulu Fire Department, **Moke Hauanio** and wife **Debbie Dawe** Hauanio '68 have moved to Kona. Moke works with security at one of the local hotels and Debbie is on Gov. Linda Lingle's Kona staff...Recent

appointees to Hawai'i state boards and commissions are: **Henry Beerman**, HGEA; **George Maioho**, Moloka'i Water Supply, and Robin-Gay Williams Makapagal, Kāne'ohe Bay Regional Council. (Submitted by class representative Robin-Gay Williams Makapagal).

An article by **Kūnani Nihipali '68** entitled "Stone by Stone, Bone by Bone: Rebuilding the Hawaiian Nation in Illusion of Reality" was published in the Arizona State Law Journal, Volume 34. In the article, Kūnani describes what living in the illusion of reality in Hawai'i is like in these contemporary times. He challenges us to realize that the legal system of the United States creates a reality – but it truly is only an illusion – it is not the reality of native people. Kūnani encourages us to think beyond – outside of the box – about the structures, systems and semantics that may confine our thinking today. For the past 15 years, Kūnani has served as the *po'o* of Hui Mālama I Nā Kūpuna O Hawai'i Nei, a group caring for the ancestors of *ka pae 'āina o Hawai'i* through repatriation and reinternment. Group members are trained in traditional cultural protocols relating to the care of *iwi kūpuna* and *moe'pū*. Through their cultural training and practice, legal standing, and national and international efforts, Hui Mālama has repatriated more than 5,732 *iwi kūpuna* and *moe'pū* from 31 institutions in the United States, Canada, Australia, Switzerland and Scotland. (By **Elizabeth "Liz" Ho'oipo Pa '73**)

The mighty Class of 1969 graciously and superbly hosted the

second annual Papa 'Ekolu Challenge at Hawai'i Prince Golf Course in August. A total of 78 golfers from the classes of '69, '70 and '71 teamed up to compete for the highly coveted Kapālama Kup. The Class of 1970 was victorious for the second year in a row with 264 points. Class of 1969 was second with 247, followed closely by Class of 1971 with 244. The golf was great but the socializing was even better. Organizers of the event were **Walter** and **Edwarda Hasegawa Kaneakua '69**, **Simeon '69** and **Lorraine Haili '70 Alo**, **Alfred "Noa" Chong '69** and **Tommy Downey '71 Chong**, **Kapena Kim '70**, **Sam Mai'i '71**, and **Gabriel Nicholas '71**. Class of 1970 will host the third annual Papa 'Ekolu Challenge in 2004. (By **Marsha Heu Bolson '70**.)

1970s

Kerry K. C. Yen '71 is an inspector with the recently formed U.S. Bureau of Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security at Honolulu International Airport. As a colonel in the U.S. Army Reserve, he is also the commander of the 4960th Multi-Functional Training Brigade at Fort Shafter. **Wendell Davis '71**, *kahu* at Kahikolu Congregational Church in Nāpo'opo'o, South Kona, recently celebrated the tenth year anniversary of the return of the remains of Henry 'Ōpūkaha'ia and participated in the opening blessing of the church after its restoration.

Congratulations to Cmdr.



Kaleikoa Kaeo, Elizabeth Ho'oipo Pa '73, Nahono Haia and Kūnani Nihipali '68 at Arizona State University.



Kahu Wendell Davis '71 with congregation members.

Ho'olaule'a Donations Sought

The KS Class of 2006 parents and students are working diligently to host next year's annual Ho'olaule'a, filled with 'ono-licious food, neighbor island specialties, cultural activities and local entertainment. One of the best ways to raise funds for enrichment grants for our Kapālama Campus students (the purpose of Ho'olaule'a) is to obtain as many donations as possible to defray the costs of the event...and we need lots! We gladly accept any of the following donations: monetary, food, gift certificates (hotels, airfare, all businesses), supplies, and connections to vendors. Please call the Parents & Alumni Relations (PAR) office at 842-8659 or Ho'olaule'a Chairperson Jaque Kelley-Ueoka at 254-3633 or e-mail jaq@halekipa.org for more information. *Mahalo!*

Daniel Kalili '72 on his retirement from the Navy after 27 years of service. A graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Dan served on six ships, and acted as an advisor to the Saudi Arabian minister of defense and aviation and the commander of the Royal Saudi Naval Forces, in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. Dan completed his career as the Readiness and Training Officer for Commander, Naval Surface Group, Middle Pacific at Pearl Harbor. During his last tour, Dan was the command center director for the search and survey operation and, subsequently, the recovery and relocation operation for the Japanese fishing vessel *Ehime Maru*.

KS '72 was fortunate enough to have received matching funds of \$10,000 from the Ke Ali'i Pauahi Foundation (KAPF) toward an endowment for educational scholarships sponsored by the class. When making donations to KAPF, please consider including a contribution to the Class of 1972 endowment fund. Class members who would like to help develop guidelines for fund administration should contact deborah.l.okamura@verizon.com.

While some of us in '72 will admit that we will reach our half-century milestone next year, others are saying, "I Can't Believe You're 50!" No matter what your outlook, plan to join us for a "grand tour" of birthday celebrations in 2004. So far, we're got a Birthday Bash at the home of **Alapa'i Kealoha** in Kula, Maui from May 19-23; a mainland celebration hosted in early October by **Holly Nishimura** and **Benson Medina**; a Veterans

Weekend on Kaua'i in November spearheaded by **Lei Hashimoto Romas**. If you plan on hosting a celebration and want to put it on our "I Can't Believe You're 50!" calendar, please contact **Suzanne Pierce** "Sue" Peterson at suzanne.peterson@verizon.com. More information will be mailed to class members later this year. (By Sue Peterson, class representative)

Alaska resident **Sharolyn Maunu '72** is revealing her artistic talent. A painting depicting Douglas Island in Alaska entitled "Southeast Surrender #7" was selected from a handful of artist submissions and is displayed on the new fast ferry *Fairweather*. The acrylic painting is done on two 24-by-30 inch canvases.

The 2003 Alumni Lū'au, with the theme "*He huana aloha no ko Pauahi 'ohana*" (a loving gathering of Pauahi's family) was hosted by KS '74. The project was rewarding and successful according to co-chairs **Randall Fukino** and **Coreene Choy Zablan**. Lū'au committee members donated \$10,000 from the proceeds of the lū'au to the Ke Ali'i Pauahi Foundation, taking advantage of one of the last matching endowments available. Says Coreene, "The class has been searching for a way to establish our own legacy, and KAPF enabled us to do just that. Now that the KS of 1974 Scholarship Fund is in place, classmates will be able to donate specifically into the account, receive the tax deduction and feel good all at the same time..." KS '74 will be celebrating its 30th reunion in 2004 and would like to

have a scholarship fund drive as part of the festivities. If any class member is interested in being on the KS '74 Scholarship Fund Criteria Committee, please contact Coreene at 808-523-1073 or e-mail her at coreene.zablan@vacationclub.com.

Robert "Bobby" Lee '74 pulls double duty when it comes to work. A 28-year plus veteran of the Honolulu Fire Department, Bobby entered the department just nine months after graduating from Kamehameha. He was promoted to his present rank of captain in 1989, and is currently assigned to the Waipahu Fire Station. In addition to his work at HFD, for the past 10 years Bobby has been an executive board member of the Hawai'i Fire Fighters Association (HFFA), with the last six years as president. HFFA represents the 2,500 active and retired fire fighters from all counties and all state airports. Bobby and wife, Liberta, are parents of **Robert Lee Jr. '95** and **Dion Lee Cabalce '95**. (Submitted by class representative Coreene Choy Zablan.)

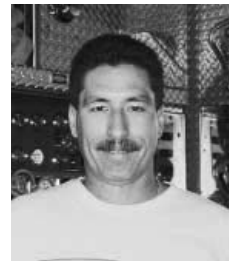
Congratulations to **Cathy Manu Coleman Ka'iama '78** for helping raise \$11 million to educate 300 Hawaiian students in college. Manu is director of the Native Hawaiian Leadership Project at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa where she is dedicated to her work in helping to identify and recruit low-income Hawaiian students to pursue a college education. Manu requires students assisted by her program to give back by way of community service. Says Manu, "If my students get good jobs and buy homes in Kāhala and think only of themselves, I've failed. I want to create professionals who will give back as much or even more than they've gotten." Manu is also an accounting instructor at UH.

Dr. Pauline Yap '78 is a veterinarian at the East Honolulu Pet Hospital. She is a graduate of Washington State University College of Veterinarian Medicine.

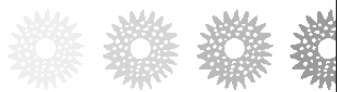
Attention all KS '79ers: the 25th Reunion Planning Committee is busy making plans for our upcoming class reunion and we need your help!

Alumni E-Mail List

Want the latest news and information on Kamehameha Schools? Managed by the Alumni Development Office of the Ke Ali'i Pauahi Foundation, the Alumni E-Mail List provides users breaking news on Kamehameha happenings and events. To be added to the list, e-mail webmaster@ksbealumni.org and provide your name, address, class year and e-mail address.



Capt. Robert "Bobby" Lee '74



Wendell Lee '82

Monthly meetings are being held to finalize our big 25th next year. If you're interested in joining the planning festivities, or just want to get together with your classmates, please contact class representative **Ernette "Kawehi" Bright Yim** at 808-534-3945 or toll free at 1-800-842-4682, ext. 43945 or by e-mail: kawehi@pauahi.org. (Submitted by class representative Kawehi Bright Yim.)

1980s

Classes of '80, '81, '83 and '79 gathered at Kailua Beach Park to enjoy a family picnic in August. Everyone shared in potluck and 150 burgers were cooked to satisfy the hungry group. Free shaved ice was served all day, and *keiki* had their faces painted and personal identification cards processed. The event was such fun for everyone that participating classes plan to make this an annual event. We plan to invite KS '78 and '82 to join us in 2004. *Mahalo* to all who made the event a success...mark your calendars for the second annual multi-picnic scheduled for August 20, 2004 - place and time TBA. Planning for KS '80s silver anniversary has already begun. Addresses need to be updated by e-mailing the Alumni Relations unit of Parents and Alumni Relations at alumnikapalama@ksbe.edu. If interested in being on the planning committee, contact class representative **Ellen "Pohai" Grambusch Ryan** by mail: KS Class of 1980; 305 Hahani Street, #146; Kailua, HI



KS '80 classmates at Kailua Beach Park picnic.

96734. Our goal is to top the 20th reunion year. Co-chairs for the 25th reunion celebration are Pohai Ryan and **Jamie Kawai Lum**. Other planning committee members include **Mark Crabbe**, **Moya Donahue Kaohi**, **Waipa Parker**, **Pamela "Kauai" Igarta Keola**, **Jay Nishimura**, **Lori Piikea Tomczyk**, **Maureen-Michelle Kaili Chun**, **Jeffrey "Kamea" Simao**, and **Tina Marshman**. (Submitted by class representative Pohai Ryan.)

Derek "Craig" Rose '80 currently lives in Pittsburgh, Pa., where he works full time in paramedicine and part-time for a Home EKG Monitoring Business. When not working, Craig pursues his real passion, which is playing music. He plays for a band called "Shades" which has released two CDs. Any classmates or alumni living in the Pittsburgh area and wanting to

reach Craig or check out his music may reach him at www.shadesmusic.net or at his e-mail: vanceth2@attbi.com.

KS '81 is still raving about its 40th Birthday Bash, held in September in Las Vegas. The non-stop party included classmates from Hawai'i, California, Utah, Illinois and New Jersey. The four-day shindig included a buffet dinner at the Main Street Station, a birthday celebration at a beautiful private residence in Southern Highlands and a tailgate party with Cecilio and Kapono before cheering on Hawai'i in its football game against UNLV.

Wendell Lee '82 was recently named a partner at PricewaterhouseCoopers in Honolulu. Wendell is a tax partner, and will lead a professional staff of 30, oversee the department's daily operations and develop new strategies to help meet client needs. Prior to his recent partner status, Wendell served as a senior tax manager, senior associate and associate. Says Wendell, "As PricewaterhouseCoopers' newest partner, I'll continue to work closely with some of Hawai'i's best companies to help them navigate their way through today's complex tax environment." Wendell is a graduate of the University of Southern California with a bachelor's degree in business administration and a graduate of the University of Denver with a master of taxation degree. He has served his community in leadership roles as president of the

Alumni Glee Club needs male singers

The KS Alumni Men's Glee Club is looking for a few good men with a desire to raise their voices in song...the group meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Choral Room of Ke'elikōlani Auditorium. For more information, call **Redge Roberts '60** at 689-6296.



Kamehameha Alumni Men's Glee Club members, from left, President **Roy Spencer '71**, Vice President Redge Roberts '60, Treasurer **Major Cabral '63** and Secretary James Westlake.



KS '81 enjoys its 40th Birthday Bash in Las Vegas.

Soroptimist International of Honolulu; treasurer of Helping Hands Hawai'i, and executive director for the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. Wendell is the first partner of Hawaiian ancestry in the history of the firm.

Jack Smyth III '85 works as a mortgage consultant for Stanton Mortgage Inc. He was recently promoted to windward regional manager, opening the company's third O'ahu office in Kailua.

On Oct. 4, 2003 the Class of 1986 celebrated its 35th birthdays at 3660 on the Rise. Nearly 60 classmates showed up to celebrate the milestone occasion. Delicious *pūpū* were prepared by award winning chef Russell Siu with a variety of soothing spirits to complement the different food flavors. Entertainment was provided by the Makaha Trio. (Submitted by class representative **Matthew Patterson**)

KS '88 recently gathered for their annual Fourth of July picnic at Wilson Park in Kāhala. Approximately 40 classmates attended with their families. There were games for the children as well as for the adults. The picnic was organized by **Edward Chu**. (Submitted by class correspondent Ed Chu)

Carol K. Glendon Matsuzaki '88 has been appointed executive director of Hale Kū'ai Cooperative and project director of Ko'olauloa Hawaiian Civic Club Native Hawaiian Producer Project. As a Native Hawaiian cooperative, Hale Kū'ai encourages Hawaiian entrepreneurship to develop, produce and market quality products made by Native Hawaiians in Hawai'i. Its purpose is to perpetuate Hawaiian values, self-sufficiency and self-determination for indigenous people. Further, the group

supports the nation building initiatives of Ka Lāhui Hawai'i. President of Hale Kū'ai is **Katrina-Ann Kapānaokaloheola Oliveira '92**.

Kelly Tam Sing '88 is an emergency room physician at Kaiser Permanente Hospital in Moanalua, O'ahu.

1990s

Shawn Kekoa Pimental '90 recently produced his first two albums under his own record label and managing company, KOOPS2 Entertainment. His first album was an island contemporary reggae effort with the group Three Plus, called 3+4U and won the Nā Hōkū Hanohano Award for Reggae Album of the year. His second album was a Hawaiian falsetto undertaking with Na Palapalai called "Makani 'Olu'olu." The album and group won Nā Hōkū awards for Hawaiian Album of the Year, Hawaiian language performance, Haku Mele for "Pili Kāpekepeke," written by **Julian Ako '61**, Group of the Year and Album of the Year/Producer of the Year. ...**Noelani Tam Sing '90** and husband Jason are optometrists working for Kaiser Hospital in Denver, Colo. They reside in Highlands Ranch with their 6-month-old daughter Malia.

Annie Hackbarth Aaron '91 is employed with Castle and Cooke Mortgage where she recently completed training as a mortgage loan officer. If you wish to contact Ann, her e-mail is aaarona@castlecooke.com.

I Mua Submissions

Kamehameha Schools alumni who would like to announce Births, Weddings, Class News or College Close-Up information in an upcoming issue of *I Mua* should please write to:

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Honolulu, Hawai'i
96817-1887

or e-mail:
gejohans@ksbe.edu

Film photos are preferred. Electronic photos should be tiff files, at least 300 dpi and at least 4" by 6" in size. Film photos submitted with a self-addressed stamped envelope will be returned.

All-Hawai'i-Alumni Connection set for January in Virginia

All-Hawai'i-Alumni Connection

Jan. 17, 2004

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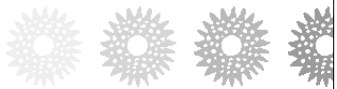
Army/Navy Country Club in Arlington, Va.

Sponsored by O'ahu private high schools: Kamehameha, Punahou, 'Iolani, St. Louis, Maryknoll, Sacred Hearts Academy, Hawai'i Baptist Academy, St. Francis, Mid-Pacific Institute, St. Andrew's Priory.

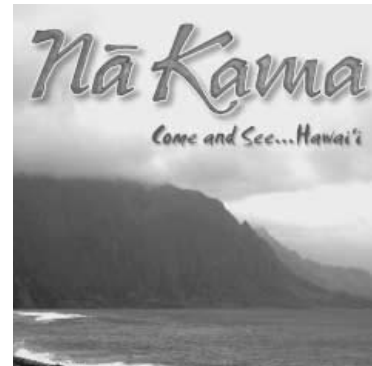
In November, invitations were sent from each sponsoring school to their alumni residing on the East Coast. For more information, call **Gerry Vinta** Johansen at 842-8445 or 1-800-842-4682, extension 8445.



KS '88 at annual Fourth of July picnic at Wilson Park in Kāhala.



KS '86 at 35th Birthday Bash at 3660 on the Rise.



"Come and See...Hawai'i" is the latest Nā Kama release.

The Hawai'i Cultural Foundation kicked off its first Pacifika New York Hawaiian Film Festival in May 2003. The three-day festival, held in Manhattan, New York, featured 14 films and videos from throughout the Pacific and attracted large crowds of transplanted Polynesians. The organizers and volunteers for the event included KS alumni **Allen Hanaïke '85**, **Marla Musick '85**, **Malia Musick '89**, **William Kaipo Schwab '89**, and **Ryan Kala'au '92**. Visiting Hawaiians in attendance included filmmaker **Leah Kihara '92** (representing her film "i scream, floats & Sundays") **Brandi Lau '92**, **Cicely Aoki '92** and **Na'alehu Anthony**

'93. Mary "Tuti" Baker '70 also attended to show "King Kamehameha: A Legacy Renewed" as well as **Lilikalā Dorton Kame'elehiwa '70** who presented a workshop on Hawaiian sexuality.

Kihara served as director/writer/editor/producer for the 10-minute film "i scream, floats & Sundays" and was assisted by producer **Leanne Kang Ferrer '85** and associate producer **Nalani Blane '94**. Funded through a grant from Pacific Islanders in Communications and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, the film features an all-female Hawaiian cast, many of whom are KS graduates. The film

will make its nationwide television debut in January 2004 on the new Public Broadcasting System series "Color Vision," which will showcase works from minority filmmakers. "i scream..." narrated by Dr. **Elizabeth Lindsey Buyers '74**, debuted at the 2002 Hawai'i International Film Festival, where it was awarded the 2002 Aloha Airlines Hawai'i Film & Video Maker Award. Other KS alumni involved with the film include **Andrea Dias '92**, **Emily Wilson Peters '53**, **Mollie Peters Fine '92**, **Sarah Blane '99**, **Tiara Enocencio '99** and **Lehua Kauhane '99**. Leah, Leanne and Nalani are already working on their next film, titled

East Hawai'i alumni leading drive to restore Kamehameha statue

Gifted to the Kamehameha Schools Alumni Association-Māmalahoe Region by the Princeville Resorts Corporation of Kaua'i in 1996, the King Kamehameha the Great statue now stands on Pi'opi'o Street, welcoming visitors and *kama'āina* alike to the Hilo bayfront.

But the statue is in desperate need of renovation. After exposure to the elements, the gold leaf is tarnished and the red undercoating is exposed.

A study and assessment of the deteriorating statue was recently completed by Laura Gorman through the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Gorman's report estimates at least \$40,000 will be needed to repair the statue and its surrounding area.

The Māmalahoe alumni association chapter, under the leadership of president **Terry Plunkett '51** and campaign chair **Marcie Kunz Saquing '72**, is on a mission to raise \$50,000 toward restoration and maintenance of the prestigious and historical statue.

Anyone interested in lending their *kōkua* to the project may send monetary donations to: KSAA-Māmalahoe Region, P.O. Box 5845, Hilo, HI 96720

For more information, call Plunkett at (808) 969-9988.

Mahalo.





In a still photo from the film "i scream, floats & Sundays," Andrea Dias '92 floats in the balance of her existence.



From left, Nalani Blane '94, Leah Kihara '92 and Leanne Kang Ferrer '85 of "i scream, floats & Sundays."

"Kava Kultcha," written by New Zealand playwright Misa Tupou.

Eric Lee '92 and Brian Mersberg together form the musical group "Nā Kama." Nā Kama's latest release is titled "Come and See...Hawai'i." The CD features six original tunes, including "Ua Nani Nā Pua o Hawai'i Nei," which features the Kamehameha Schools Children's Chorus. "We've become greatly involved with performing for *hālau* and traveling all over the world, from Japan to Hong Kong to Germany!" says Eric. This is Nā Kama's second release, following "Ke Ala Hou," a Nā Hōkū Award nominee. Eric and Brian first met via **Jay Kauka '76**, and they played together for a time as the group "The Kanile'a Collection." Check out Nā Kama's Web site at www.na-kama.com.

Jennifer Nakamoto Garma '92 has been with Pacific Machinery, Inc. since 1999 and is a service documentation coordinator. She graduated from Leeward Community College with an associate degree in office administration and continues to pursue higher education by working on her bachelor's degree. Jennifer and husband Elliott reside in Nānākuli with their four daughters: Janet, age 5, Janelle, 4, Jenna, 2 and baby Jasmine, 5 months.

Ryan K. Frasco '93 is presently a dentist with the Kapahulu Dental Center. Ryan graduated from the University of Southern California's dental school in 2001. He completed a dental residency at Queen's

Medical Center in Honolulu and was an interim dental clinic director at Queen's before his association with Kapahulu Dental.

Chad K. Ashley '94 currently resides in Fremont, Calif., with wife Hi'ilani, daughter Hi'ilawelani, age 9 months and son Chad, 3. Chad works as an air traffic controller out of Oakland, Calif.

Jeffrey Tam Sing '94 is completing a psychiatric residency at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. He is looking at residency programs in neurology.

Marissa "Missy" Furfaro '96 works as a planner with the City and County of Honolulu. She received her master's degree in

urban and regional planning from the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. As a KS '96 class representative, Missy's message to her classmates is: "I'm looking forward to helping our class board plan some fun stuff for us to do in the next couple of years. If class members have any ideas, suggestions or just want to share some news, e-mail me at marissa.furfaro@verizon.net. Other class representatives contact information is available on our class Web site at www.ks96alumni.org. Hope to hear from you soon!"



KS '92 – volunteers and organizers of the Annual Pacifika New York Hawaiian Film Festival.



The Kamehameha Connection

KS alumni working at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard help to quickly repair the S.S. Matsonia

The Kamehameha Schools school song begins with the words “Be strong and ally ye...and nobly stand together hand in hand.”

Well, the more than 100 Kamehameha graduates employed at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard (of a 4,200 member civilian workforce) have taken those words to heart, and the Kamehameha alliance was recently brought to light during emergency repairs to the S.S. *Matsonia*.

At 760 feet, more than 22,000 tons dead weight, and with the ability to carry more than 1,300 shipping containers and 450 automobiles, the *Matsonia* is Hawai‘i’s largest cargo carrier. In June, it found itself dead in the water, roughly 700 miles from Hawai‘i after leaving port in Oakland, Calif.

The ship’s torque tube, which connects the propeller tail shaft and the main engine line shaft outside the hull, had carried away in its entirety, a section roughly 37 feet long weighing approximately 15 tons.



Leighton Tseu ‘67, Matson Navigation Company’s regional port engineer, was facing a major problem, and the decision was made to tow the ship to drydock at Pearl Harbor for emergency repairs.

It was the largest ship to be drydocked at the shipyard since the *USS Yorktown* in May 1942, and repairing the ship in Hawai‘i would enable it to return to service much sooner than had it been towed to a mainland facility.



Kamehameha alumni, shown here next to the *Matsonia*’s 40-ton propeller, are more than 100 strong at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard.

“Leighton was actually blessed by the fact that the two areas where he really needed assistance, our Kamehameha alumni had a strong presence.”

- NEIL TEVES ‘71

At the first meeting between shipyard personnel and Matson, Tseu reacquainted himself with **Neil Teves ‘71**, who’s a business agent with the shipyard’s business and strategic planning office.

“The KS ‘ohana has branched far and wide, finding residence in almost every department throughout the shipyard,” Teves said. “We have graduates who are department heads, superintendents, managers, shop supervisors, design engineers, trade mechanics, apprentices and summer hires.”

Teves said a day after the *Matsonia* arrived in drydock, the shipyard received an urgent request for Crane Services to lift major equipment off the ship. Two days later, another urgent request came in to the Transportation Shop to move equipment to the Machine Shop.

Within hours, each task had been completed.

“Everything was literally flying,” Teves said.

Tseu said he asked Teves, “How is it that you are getting this work done so fast?!”

Teves explained:

“When you asked for Crane Services, I called **Kevin Correa ‘70**, the head of our Crane Division, and told him we needed to rock and roll. When the Machine Shop work was needed, I called **Ed Han ‘72**, production superintendent of our Mechanical Group, and told him a hot job was headed his way and I needed his help.

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As a *mahalo* to KS alumni at the shipyard, Tseu organized a lunch for graduates, which was attended by KS President and Kapālama Campus Headmaster Dr. **Michael Chun**. The group posed for a photo next to the *Matsonia*, and even sang the doxology at the drydock.

“It was just chicken skin,” Teves said. “The oldtimers knew there were a lot of alumni in the yard, but no one knew there were this many. Our oldest graduate is **Maxwell Kamaiopili ‘58**, who works in our radiological controls branch.”

Tseu said he felt a spiritual connection to the project as well.

“Our first meeting with shipyard personnel was held on

Kamehameha Day, and I had good feelings because this was the first Matson container ship with a Hawaiian captain to drydock in Pearl Harbor."

(The *Matsonia* was captained by Norman Piianaia, who attended Kamehameha before graduating from Punahou. Norman is the son of the late **Abraham Piianaia '33** and the brother of **Gordon Piianaia '58**. All three have sailed with the voyaging canoe *Hökūle'a*.)

"In times of old, Hawaiian sailors would pay respect and give *ho'okupu* to the Hawaiian god Kanaloa, asking for guidance, protection and the safe arrival to their port of destination," Tseu said.

Tseu said when he first drove down to the drydock, the street sign perpendicular to the drydock read...Kanaloa Avenue. Then, on his first meeting with Pearl Harbor Adm. Bernard McCullough, the map on his office wall was of Kaho'olawe, another name for... Kanaloa.

Tseu added that the *Matsonia* entered drydock in a light drizzle, with a rainbow present which symbolized the presence of chiefs or gods. Finally, Tseu said with winds above 10 knots all week, the Navy was concerned because they would not dock any vessel with winds at that speed. But the morning the *Matsonia* was to dock, the winds suddenly stopped.



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- LEIGHTON TSEU '67

"The drydock master told me to keep up whatever we were doing!" Tseu said. "I'd just really like to say *mahalo nui loa* to Neil Teves and the Kamehameha alumni at Pearl Harbor for their outstanding support and effort."

"The *Matsonia* project is a great example of how everyone benefits when the public and private sectors work together," Rep. Neil Abercrombie, who helped secure the drydock space at Pearl Harbor for Matson, told the *Hawai'i Navy News*. "This cooperation means jobs, paychecks and business growth for Hawai'i."

Kamehameha's school song also has a verse referring to "bravely serve your own, your fatherland." Seems like the KS alumni at Pearl Harbor have taken those words to heart as well.

KS Alumni at Pearl Harbor Navy Shipyard

George W. Adachi '96	Duane Kuni '94
Peter S. Ahuna '83	Paul G. Lacerdo '75
Kaulana N. Akeo '98	Alan G. Lee '74
Kanoa A. Andrade '93	Donna M. Leu '76
Brian A. Apo '96	Randall K. Lim '87
Edward K. Apo '94	Charles K. Lovell '83
Kent N. Arakaki '79	Dan K. Lorenzo '01
Angelo J. Arecchi Jr. '93	Nathan I Lorenzo '80
Robin Y. Auyong '77	Nicholas I Lorenzo '01
Robert A. Barrett '77	Sean-Zacharry K. Lorenzo '92
Lindsay Mae L. Beimes '02	Van M. Lorenzo '95
Phyllis M. Lau Beimes '66	Allen Mahoe '94
Milton K. Burgess '72	Isaac K. Maielua '01
Jonathan A. Ching '87	Errol L. Marciel '75
Steven K. Ching '70	Ian M. Matsumoto '00
Lenox K. Chock '71	Rusty T. Matsumoto '99
Deacon P. Chun '99	James K. McClellan '75
Kanoa P. Chun '99	Mikela D. Mckeown '83
Kevin A. Correa '70	Albert A. Mendoza '73
Gregory K. Crowell '79	Alika D. Minami '99
Andrea K. Dang '98	Lynnsie-Ann K. Naki '03
Kevin K. Dang '91	Calvin K. Oka '61
Ben T. Dumaran '69	Nathan E. Punahale '92
Paul S. Dunlap '99	Reynold Quon '99
Joel A. Duldulao '94	Cerise R. Richardson '98
Omar J. Faufata '69	Kimo Saiki '73
John R. Fung '63	Anthony Samalino '71
Kasey M. Galariada '02	Sanford N. Sato '79
Natrille Gustaferra '92	Anthony E. Say '73
Edward K. Han '72	LeeAnn K. Shizuma '99
Noah K. Hanchett '67	Lisa M Shizuma '02
Thomas C. Hardy '67	Ronald R. Silva '68
Peter K. Hauanio '79	Glen H. Smith '74
Peter R. Ho '74	Jonathan W. Spencer '72
Wendell Hopkins '73	Gwyn K. Cup Choy
Kapua lao '98	Taliaferro '68
Kyle Ichiberry '94	Antone Tavares '64
Ivy F. Isagawa '99	Neil M. Teves '71
Davilee B. Mahukona	William J. Todd '61
Kahana '63	Grant K. Tom '01
Allen K. Kahawai '63	Robin P. Tsukayama '75
Gary L. Kalilikane '69	Gregory K. Umiamaka '80
Maxwell O. Kamaiopili '58	Kamuela L. Unga '98
David K. Kaniaupio Jr. '73	Jonathon J. Vannatta '01
Tim T. Kawahakui '74	Alika M. Vasper '96
William T. Kay Jr. '68	George P. Wilcox '70
Gregory A. Keanu '99	Wayne G. Wilcox '69
Elzadia M. Navarro	Alfred R. Willing '69
Keawe '74	Sheldon M. Yano '63
Courtney Kim '00	Aaron K Young '83
Shelly Jean K. Kim '96	Chris K Yuh '01
Drew K. Koahou '93	Gary R. Zane '73
Craig C. Kukonu '67	