



Press Release

DOLE PLANTATION HOSTS ANNUAL FAMILY FUN DAY ON APRIL 26

WAHIAWA, HI – Dole Plantation, located at 64-1550 Kamehameha Highway, will host its annual Family Fun Day on Saturday, April 26 from 10am to 2pm. [K1]The public is invited to this free event filled with music, dance, arts and craft workshops, games for the keiki, food booths and more.

The event, which debuted last year, showcases the talented individuals and businesses in the Wahiawa and North Shore communities. The non-stop entertainment includes performances by Hula 'O Puanaala, Wahiawa Hula Studio, Te Lumanaki O Tokelau I Amelika Dance Troup, and Helemano Elementary School's Ukulele Club. Food booths as well as the plantation's café provide a variety of dining choices for the entire family throughout the day.

In addition, a special performance by Kamele is scheduled at 1:15 pm. The musical group is well known in the islands for its classic and contemporary Hawaiian repertoire as well as popular music.

"Last year, we were thrilled with the large turnout for our first Family Fun Day," said Dole Plantation General Manager Mike Moon. "We expect an even bigger crowd this year as we have great activities planned for the entire family."

There are numerous activities for kids including keiki crafts and games (requires the purchase of script), plus an appearance by Dole Plantation's own Pineapple Pete costume character. Both young and old will enjoy meeting author Richard Dole, grandson of Dole Plantation's founder James Dole, at a book signing of "The Story of James Dole." Exciting prize drawings will be held throughout the day and a special Pineapple Trivia Challenge is planned.

For one day only, Hawaii residents can take advantage of a 2 for 1 admission to the World's Largest Maze and the Plantation Garden Tour. As part of Family Fun Day, the plantation is also offering reduced attraction admission for the Pineapple Express Train. Kama'aina enjoy 15% off most retail merchandise in the Dole Plantation Store during this special event.

All proceeds from the event will be donated to local-area schools. For more information visit www.doleplantation.com or 621-8408.

Dole Plantation, located outside Wahiawa town on the way to the North Shore of O'ahu, is open from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily at 64-1550 Kamehameha Highway. The plantation offers visitors and kama'aina the complete "Pineapple Experience" with the Pineapple Garden Maze, the Pineapple Express Train, the Plantation Garden Tour, and the famous DoleWhip®. The plantation welcomes more than one million visitors annually.