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**Eighth Annual** Golf Tournament Fundraiser an Overwhelming Success!

Winter 2017



On October 2. 2016 the Museum hosted its eighth Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser on the beautiful grounds of Kohanaiki Golf and Ocean Club in Kailua-Kona. Sixty golfers enjoyed perfect weather for this two-person scramble.

Richard Henderson, Chairman of the Museum's Board of Trustees, remarked that "the Kohanaiki Golf Course was spectacular, the fairways and greens were perfect, and everyone had a great time. As usual, our Golf Tournament Chairman, Warren Lee, did a great job. Our thanks go out to Joe Root and his staff for again facilitating our annual tournament on their great resort course!"

We had amazing support from the community to make this happen: 60 players participated and over 30 companies and individuals donated time, money, and prizes to make this day a winner! This year the tournament raised over \$19,500 to support the development of educational programs and exhibits for the community. Mahalo to all those who made the Golf Tournament so successful!

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Lyman Museum Featured on Hawaii Public Radio



HPR Live Broadcast, Nov. 16, 2016 - L-R Engineer Jason Taglianetti, HPR President and General Manager Jose A. Fajardo, HPR Board Member Barbara Hastings, Hilo Medical Center Foundation Board Member Julie Tulang.

The Museum was featured twice this November on Hawaii Public Radio. Wednesday, November 16, 7:30 AM, brought new HPR President and General Manager José A. Fajardo over from Oahu to do a mini-fund drive. He was joined on air by Museum Trustee Barbara Hastings and by Julie Tulang, Board Member of the Hilo Medical Center.

Two days later, on Friday, November 18, Beth-Ann Kozlovich broadcast the program "The Conversation" live from the Museum and was joined via internet by co-host Chris Vandercook. Chris interviewed Museum Trustee and docent Bruce McClure about the history of the Mission House, the Museum's new outreach program for students, and the planned renovation of the Island Heritage Gallery. Following "The Conversation" Sarah Bauer, HPR's Sustaining Membership Coordinator, and Ryan Finnerty, HPR's engineer for this event, recorded testimonials from HPR fans and members from East Hawai'i, Nina Buchanan, Nancy Davis, and Carol Galper.

Barbara Hastings, who serves on the boards of both the Museum and Hawaii Public Radio, arranged for both live broadcasts and for "The Conversation" to interview the Museum's own Bruce McClure. Bruce's interview can be found at:

http://hpr2.org/post/conversation-friday-november-18th-2016

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# PATRICIA E. SAIGO PUBLIC PROGRAM SERIES Winter 2017

Thursday, January 12, 2017, 3:00-4:30 p.m. AND Monday, January 16, 2017, 7:00-8:30 p.m. *From Hilo to Mauna Kea: A Geologic Tour along the Daniel K. Inouye Highway.* 

Monday, January 30, 2017, 7:00-8:30 p.m. AND Thursday, February 2, 2017, 3:00-4:30 p.m. *What's Happening with Mauna Loa, Hualālai, and Kīlauea?* 

Monday, February 6, 2017, 7:00-8:30 p.m. AND Tuesday, February 7, 2017, 3:00-4:30 p.m. *Peace Corps Training on the Big Island*.

Monday, March 6, 2017, 7:00-8:30 p.m. AND Tuesday, March 7, 2017, 3:00-4:30 p.m. The Making of a Documentary: The Story of Katsu Goto.

Monday, March 27, 2017, 3:00-4:30 p.m. AND AGAIN from 7:00-8:30PM. Living with Earthquakes on Hawaiian Volcanoes.

Museum Archivist Shows Students How to Dig Into History

On October 24, Museum archivist Eric Page showed sixteen fifth graders in Mia Pereira's class at Hilo Union Elementary School how to dig into history-literally and figuratively. Using a slide show



of famous Hilo landmarks and people, Eric demonstrated that historians can dig into the ground to unearth artifacts and ruins, or "dig into" other sources of information, such as libraries and archives. The students were full of questions about their school and community! The slide presentation explored the history of the Lyman Museum, Hilo Union School, Hilo Boarding School, the Lyman family, Haili Church, Queen's Walk, and the Royal Residence or Nialopa, now the site of the old Hilo Hotel. Eric may have tapped into the next generation of history researchers!

#### Collections Workshop Prepares Staff to Handle Disasters

When disaster strikes, museums and related organizations have a special responsibility to protect their collections from damage and loss. Some damage and loss may be unavoidable, but preparation can help museums prevent the ruin and destruction of collections, many of which are irreplaceable.

On November 10 the Museum's Curator of Collections and Exhibits, Jill Maruyama, and Archivist Eric Page attended a collections workshop, "Disaster Planning for Museums, Libraries and Cultural Resources," facilitated by the Kona Historical Society. The presenter, Malia Van Heukelem, is the preservation manager at UH-Mānoa's Hamilton Library.

Among the collections problems discussed were flooding, mold, and damage from termites, paper mites, and beetles. Tips for updating disaster plans, preparing disaster kits, and strategies for managing pests were also shared. There was even a lesson, "Canopy Making 101," on fashioning impromptu canopies to protect collections from roof leaks.

# Museum Shop Holiday Sale!

The Museum Shop's Holiday Sale, which began just after Thanksgiving, continues through Saturday, January 7! We've got all sorts of new items in stock: new designs in tea towels from Cane Haul Road .... keiki tabi socks featuring adorable animals ... a wonderful new series of books from Bess Press, Hawaii Legends for Little Ones ... Pua Angel ornaments by Luka Lyman ... lovely smaller-sized koa boxes from Designs by Kadooka ... and many more! During this sale all CDs are priced at just \$15, and a number of special books and gift ideas are available at 20-



**25% discounts. And we're featuring an assortment of Bargain Books at \$5 and below**! For all non-sale items, Museum Members will receive their usual holiday discount of 15%. Take advantage of these great prices while you support your local artists, local businesses, and your Museum!

# YOU'RE INVITED!

The annual Lyman Museum Membership Meeting. will be held on Friday, January 27, 2017, at 5:30 p.m., here at the Museum.

It will be a brief meeting, <u>followed by the annual Members'</u> <u>Ho'olaulea</u> on the front lānai and Mission House lawn.

Please do come!

Executive Director Barbara Moir says, "This is the Museum's opportunity to thank you in person for all you do to make possible our contributions to the community, tell you a bit about our current and upcoming activities, and share some delicious refreshments with our members." Save the date and time, and we'll hope to see you here! Please RSVP to membership@lymanmuseum.org or 935-5021 by January 20, 2017.

# MAHALO!

The Lyman Museum depends upon the support of donors, including the following individuals and companies who made contributions from September 1-November 30, 2016.

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# Pierce Photograph Collection Identification Project



This is the twenty-third in a series of images from the Pierce Collection that we are sharing with our members in The Journal. This photo was taken on July 1, 1962. The flags read: W. H. Shipman, Keaau; Puu O'o Ranch, and Kahuku Ranch (Maui). If you can identify the people, event, or location of this photo, please contact Eric Page at 935-5021 or e-mail him at <u>archives@lymanmuseum.org</u>. Mahalo!

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Did you know the Lyman Museum can also be found on social media? We've got over 700 followers on <u>Facebook</u> and 180 on our new <u>Twitter</u> account already! Are you following us yet?



The Museum salutes our veterans in the 2016 Veterans Day Parade!

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