

INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE

July 29, 2021

International Market Place Celebrates Fifth Anniversary With 'Tiki-versary' Celebration in August

The celebration will recognize the center's history, culture and entertainment through tiki-themed events and free performances by local musicians, including Henry Kapono & Friends

HONOLULU – This August, International Market Place invites kama'āina and visitors to celebrate its fifth anniversary (August 25) and pay homage to Waikīkī's storied entertainment, history and culture. The month-long festivities include fun tiki-themed events and honors influential figures, including Donn the Beachcomber and Don Ho. Guests can enjoy tiki-themed cocktails, live music performances, Don Ho's 91st birthday celebration, special promotions and more. For a full list of events, visit ShopInternationalMarketPlace.com/Anniversary.

"We are so grateful to everyone who has supported International Market Place over the past five years, and we are excited to celebrate our anniversary this August," said Breana Grosz, International Market Place general manager. "Over the past five years, the center has evolved to meet the needs of visitors and the local community, and we look forward to being a part of the community for years to come."

Exclusive \$5 Throwback Tiki Cocktails (August 1-31):

Sip on specially crafted throwback tiki cocktails offered for \$5 at participating restaurants: Eating House 1849, Kūhiō Ave. Food Hall, Moani Waikiki and STRIPSTEAK Waikiki. International Market Place reminds guests to drink responsibly and take advantage of \$5 off any Lyft ride to and from the center throughout the month of August. Use code IMP5Years.

Market Place Mele with Haku Collective (August 1-31):

Each Tuesday and Wednesday, enjoy live music from local musicians. In partnership with Haku Collective, entertainment will be held at participating Grand Lānai restaurants from 5 to 7 p.m.

Welcome Back, O Nā Lani Sunset Stories (August 1-31):

O Nā Lani Sunset Stories is set to return to International Market Place, running three times a week every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Free and open to the public, the show honors the center's rich history and sense of place through Hawaiian and Polynesian song and dance. O Nā Lani Sunset Stories begins at sunset with the ceremonial lighting of the Lamakū Torch Tower on Kalākaua Avenue and leads to the stage at Queen's Court. The show will begin at 7 p.m. through August and 6:30 p.m. from September to February.

Win Big on Social (August 1-31):

Each week, tune into International Market Place's Facebook and Instagram for a chance to win a \$100 gift card to participating International Market Place stores and restaurants. In addition, snap a photo at the ALOHA marquee sign in Queen's Court, Level 1, and tag International Market Place for a chance to win \$500 in gift cards. Full terms and conditions are listed on our website.

ShoreFyre Weekend Concert Series featuring Tavana (August 1-2)

On International Market Place's Grand Lānai from 6 to 8 p.m., ShoreFyre will host a concert series. Limited tickets and seating are available.

Special Performances by the Royal Hawaiian Band and Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra (August 5 and 19):

Stop by the Queen's Court, Level 1, to enjoy a free concert by the Royal Hawaiian Band and the Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra. With a long tradition of sharing Hawai'i's music with the world, the Royal Hawaiian Band was once known as the "King's Band," a group of musicians put together by King Kamehameha III that performed for state occasions, funerals and parades. The Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra provides the people of Hawai'i the joy of orchestral music, as well as access to education programs throughout the year.

August 5

11-11:45 a.m.: Royal Hawaiian Band

August 19

11-11:45 a.m.: Royal Hawaiian Band

6-7:30 p.m.: Hawai'i Symphony Orchestra

Tiki Cup Gift with Purchase (August 8-31):

Spend \$250 in combined purchases at any International Market Place store or restaurant and receive a commemorative anniversary tiki cup. Bring receipts totaling \$250 to customer service on Level 1 to redeem. While supplies last. Full terms and conditions are listed on our website.

Hau'oli La Hānau Don Ho (August 13):

To honor the legendary crooner's legacy and 91st birthday, International Market Place and the Don Ho family will be celebrating with an intimate lei-draping ceremony, special showings of a Don Ho Commemorative film (Banyan Court, Level 2) and a live tribute show.

Schedule of events:

10 a.m.-5 p.m.: Lei-Draping (Don Ho statue, Level 1)

12-5 p.m.: 25-minute Don Ho Commemorative Film Viewings (Banyan Court, Level 2)

12-1 p.m.: Don Ho Tribute Show – Live Music by Henry Kapono & Friends (Queen's Court, Level 1)

5th Anniversary Day (August 25):

Celebrate the fifth anniversary of International Market Place's grand opening! Enjoy complimentary lei-making and live music from noon to 3 p.m., followed by Market Place Mele by Haku Collective Artists from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Queen's Court, Level 1.

Tiki in Waikīkī Festival (August 27 & 29):

Skull and Crown Trading Co. will be hosting a three-day ticketed event celebrating tiki culture. Festivities free to the public include an opening ceremony with live entertainment on August 27 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. and a tiki cocktail-making competition on August 29 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The events will be held at the Queen's Court, Level 1.

For more information about International Market Place's fifth anniversary, visit ShopInternationalMarketPlace.com/Anniversary.

About International Market Place

Located in the heart of Waikīkī, International Market Place is a world-class shopping, dining and entertainment destination featuring a curated mix of upscale and lifestyle brands, and the first Saks Fifth Avenue in Hawai'i. Operating hours for restaurants and department store will vary. For ease of access, the center provides 700 parking spaces and convenient valet parking. For more information, visit shopinternationalmarketplace.com and in Japanese ja.shopinternationalmarketplace.com.

International Market Place continues to comply with all local, state and federal laws and mandates to ensure a safe environment. The center reminds all guests to always wear a facial covering indoors and in large gatherings and practice other public health safe practices such as physical distancing and good hygiene. For more information visit, www.shopinternationalmarketplace.com/pages/covid-19-update.

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