

EMBER

COFFEE CULTURE **OUTDOORS**

HAPPENING THROUGHOUT THE FESTIVAL

KONA HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S KONA COFFEE LIVING **HISTORY FARM TOUR**

Kona Coffee Living History Farm

82-6199 Mamalahoa Hwy., Captain Cook 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.



"CHARLIE," THE DONKEY, AT THE LIVING HISTORY FARM



KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL ART EXHIBIT

Donkey Mill Art Center

78-6670 Mamalahoa Hwy., Holualoa 10 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Adult and youth art celebrates Kona coffee culture. Taste Kona coffee and browse handmade coffee-themed works. Closed Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

KONA COFFEE FESTIVAL QUILT SHOW

Kona Hawaiian Quilt Museum and **Gallery**

75-5706 Kuakini Hwy., Suite 112, Kailua Kona 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Coffee and island themed quilts from local quilters.



2018 KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

3 Saturday

HOLUALOA VILLAGE COFFEE & ART STROLL

Holualoa Village

9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Visit galleries in this quaint art district and choose samples from 35+ Kona coffee farms.

9 Friday

KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL LANTERN PARADE

Alii Drive, Kailua Pier to Hale Halawai, Kailua-Kona

6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

A glowing procession of light, music and color celebrates the arrival of Japanese immigrants to Hawaii.

10 Saturday

100% PURE KONA COFFEE HALF MARATHON

Coconut Grove Marketplace

75-5809 Alii Dr., Kailua-Kona 6:30 a.m.

Run Kona's scenic coastline. Details and registration at purekonahalf.com.

UCC HAWAII KONA COFFEE PICKING & FARM EXPERIENCE

UCC Hawaii Kona Coffee Estate

75-5568 Mamalahoa Hwy., Holualoa Two farm tours:

10 a.m. - Noon

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Try your hand at picking ripe coffee cherry and witness how the harvest transforms to coffee in your cup.





HANDS-ON HAWAIIAN CRAFTS AND ACTIVITIES

Donkey Mill Art Center

78-6670 Mamalahoa Hwy., Holualoa 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Lauhala Weaving, Lei-Making, Kapa-Stamping and Papermaking with local fibers. RSVP at donkeymillartcenter.org and on-site donation.



UCC HAWAII MISS KONA COFFEE SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION

Courtyard by Marriott King Kamehameha's Kona Beach Hotel 75-5660 Palani Rd., Kailua-Kona Doors Open 5:30 p.m. Starts at 6:00 p.m. Hawaii Island's talented contestants compete for coveted Miss Kona Coffee and Miss Aloha Hawaii titles. Ticket purchase required at door or in advance at The Feeding Leaf.

11 Sunday

KONA HISTORICAL SOCIETY **ANNUAL FARM FEST**

Kona Coffee Living History Farm 82-6066 Mamalahoa Hwy., Captain Cook 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Hear Kona's stories, enjoy celebrity chef Sam Choy, specialty food vendors, community artists and cultural practitioners, hands-on family activities and more. Meet at Kealakekua Ranch Center for free shuttle.



KTA SUPER STORES KONA COFFEE RECIPE CONTEST

Hawaii Community College Palamanui

73-4225 Ane Keohokalole Hwy., Kailua-Kona

10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A tasty showcase of prized original Kona Coffee recipes in two categories: sweet and savory.

12 Monday

INTERCULTURAL CONCERT FEATURING HIROMITSU KAGAWA

Makaeo County Pavilion (Old Airport)

75-5500 Kuakini Hwy., Kailua-Kona 12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Japanese pop star Hiromitsu Kagawa performs with Kealakehe High School Brass Band. Japanese displays, food and cultural activities happen throughout the day.



KONA COFFEE BARISTA TRAINING

Kona Coffee & Tea

74-5588 Palani Rd., Kailua-Kona 5 p.m. – 9 p.m. Brush up on barista techniques and

get ready for Thursday's Barista Throwdown. Details and registration at www.pacificcoffeeresearch.com

13 Tuesday

MEET THE KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL CUPPERS

Pacific Coffee Research

83-5308a Mamalahoa Hwy., Honaunau

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Talk to professional cupping judges about standards and coffee preparations as they share insights on tasting their way through 75+ Kona coffee entries.



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KONA COFFEE BEER, WINE AND COFFEE PAIRING

Kona Coffee & Tea

74-5588 Palani Rd., Kailua-Kona 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Sweet and savory small plate tastings are paired with beer, wine and Kona coffee while light, smooth music rounds out the evening event. Ticket purchase required at konacoffeeandtea.com

15 Thursday

KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL CUPPING FINALS

Makaeo County Pavilion (Old Airport)

75-5500 Kuakini Hwy., Kailua-Kona 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Sponsored by UCC Ueshima Coffee Co. and Kamehameha Schools Produced by Pacific Coffee Research Judges cup their way through the finalists to award the winning farm entry. Ongoing coffee action with educational seminars, art booths and Kona coffee tastings.

KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL ART EXHIBIT RECEPTION & AWARDS

Donkey Mill Art Center

78-6670 Mamalahoa Hwy., Holualoa 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Meet and talk story with local artists and enjoy a potluck dinner alongside Kona Brewing Company, serving their Pipeline Porter, made with 100% Kona coffee.

KONA COFFEE LATTE ART THROWDOWN

Kona Coffee & Tea

74-5588 Palani Rd., Kailua-Kona 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Winner takes all as local baristas work magic in their cup of 100% Kona Coffee.

16 Friday

KONA COFFEE 101 SEMINAR Makaeo County Pavilion (Old Airport)

75-5500 Kuakini Hwy., Kailua-Kona 4 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Expert coffee discussion with a focus on Kona's coffee industry.



ALOHA MAKAHIKI CONCERT Makaeo County Pavilion

(Old Airport) 75-5500 Kuakini Hwy., Kailua-Kona

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Presented by Ua Mau Company Makahiki blessing featuring award-





winning Hawaiian traditional slack key music and hula by Kumu Hula Mika Keale-Goto with Halau Keale from Kona and Japan.

SUGAI KONA COFFEE TALENT NIGHT

Aloha Theater

79-7384 Hawaii Belt Rd., Kainaliu 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Kona's talented folks take the stage with spirited multi-cultural musical and dance performances.

17 Saturday

KONA COFFEE CULTURAL FESTIVAL HO'OLAULE'A

Makaeo County Pavilion (Old Airport)

75-5500 Kuakini Hwy., Kailua-Kona 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Sponsored by Hawaii Community Federal Credit Union A day-long celebration of Kona coffee and its cultural heritage.

Cultural Demonstrations

Hands-on crafts including lei making, lauhala weaving, pan roasting coffee, ohe kapala (bamboo stamping), Japanese calligraphy and more.



Entertainment

Featuring Na Hoku Hanohano award winner Mark Yamanaka. Entertainment throughout the day with Kona Daifukuji Taiko, hula with Halau Hula Na Pua o Kumamoto and multi-cultural performances honoring the Kona's multi-heritage coffee history.

Food Booths & Trucks

Variety of ethnic foods.



Arts & Crafts

Enjoy truly one-of-a-kind purchases. Shop for unique products and gifts that showcase local Hawaii artists.

Kona Coffee

Kona farmers will be on hand with fresh brewed coffee available to taste and purchase.

Historical Displays

Featuring a replica of a coffee hoshidana, a traditional method of drying Kona coffee and a photo display of Kona coffee history.

Lei Contest

10 a.m. – 1 p.m. One-of-a-kind beautiful lei with Kona coffee beans, blossoms and leaves as the center of attention are on display.

TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN LASHING AND CORDAGE WORKSHOP

Donkey Mill Art Center

78-6670 Mamalahoa Hwy., Holualoa 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Join master carver and plaiter Beau Jack Key to learn classic Hawaiian plaiting (flat braiding) techniques. Two-day registration and fees at donkeymillartcenter.org

HANDMADE PAPER WORKSHOP

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Make handmade paper using local fibers and plants found on a coffee farm. Two-day registration and fees at donkeymillartcenter.org



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MISS KONA COFFEE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISING BOWLING PARTY

KBXtreme Family Fun Center

75-5591 Palani Rd., Kailua-Kona 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Three hours of unlimited cosmic bowling, no bowling experience necessary and loads of prize giveaways. Details and registration at kbxtreme.com

EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ALL EVENTS REQUIRE A FESTIVAL BUTTON FOR ENTRY





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