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05.01.2k19 ... Huaka'i to May Day Lei Festival at Kapiolani Park.
Kahu Peter Lonoae'a has for several months been teaching *papa 'ōlelo* in Wahiawā. A few members of HCCW spend mornings once a week for an hour and a half learning *'ōlelo Hawai'i*. A great time to learn, socialize and share. A segment of the class is dedicated to a few minutes of learning our traditional and cultural practices. Songs, chants, rhymes, games and art are shared with each other. When the communities provide opportunities, *huaka'i* often takes place as *haumāna* experience events with Kumu. This year the May Day is Lei Day Festival at Kapiolani Park provided opportunity to do so. Mahalo.

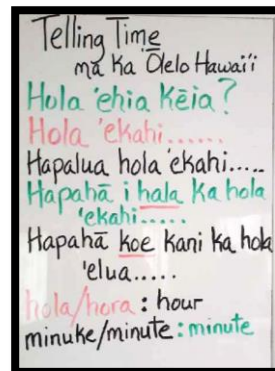


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05.04.2k19 ... "Wahiawa Pineapple Festival 2019", scheduled from 10 am to 6pm today, was cancelled.

Long awaited, it was a difficult decision as it has been a few years since this annual festival has been hosted by our Wahiawā community. A full day and evening of music, crafts, booths, rides, and yummy foods usually entertains and feeds the attending islandwide audience of friends and family. Severe thunder and lightning with heavy, heavy rains covered the entire island chain. HCCW was one of the few vendors who attempted to set up shop. The rains were so intense, our tent collapsed. An executive decision was made to leave. Mahalo to the HCCW Board of Directors and HCCW *lālā 'ōiwi* Jonah Keohokapu for showing up. **Wahiawā in da House! Eō**



05.07.2k19 ... Mililani Mauka Middle School's 50 haumāna shared a two hour *Piko Listening Journey* with Kahuiaio. Following Protocol with Kahu Lonoae'a, Kumu Noelani shared the *mo'olelo* - traditional comprehension - of the solstice *pōhaku* and the navigational *pōhaku*. *Haumāna* experienced the *Science of Semiotics* - communication through signs and symbols - which revealed the guardian *Pueo* along the edge of the navigational *pōhaku*. Using their bodies and voices, they easily mimicked the *Pueo* as she hunts her prey at night. Eō

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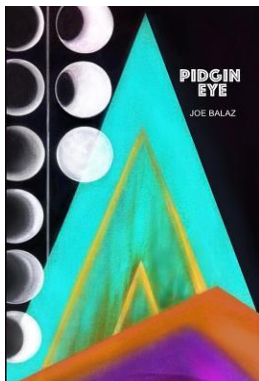
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05.08.2k19 ... "Pidgin Eye" by Joe Balaz... We say Aloha to Joe Balaz. Joe was born and raised in Wahiawā and graduated with the Leilehua High School Class of 1970. Joe is of Hawaiian, Slovakian and Irish descent and now resides in Ohio. His first book, "Drought" was published in 1985. He is a poet, visual artist and editor of "Ho'omānoa: An Anthology of Contemporary Hawaiian Literature." Joe is well known for his writing in both Standard English and "Pidgin English". We grew up and are most familiar with "Pidgin English" that developed as a form of communication between the immigrant plantation workers in the 1800's. This huge mixed population came to Hawai'i to work together in the pineapple and cane fields while attempting to keep their languages and traditions from the old countries alive. "Pidgin English" is a mix of Chinese, Japanese, Filipino, Portuguese, Hawaiian and English languages spoken by these immigrant plantation workers. It is unique to Hawai'i and cherished by all local island people.

In "Pidgin Eye," Joe collects 35 years of his poetry written in Pidgin. His themes feature Hawai'i's history including times of protests as well as the people's love of our land. They are humorous and well written. Best Wishes Joe. Eō

05.10.2k19 ... Kamalani Academy 3rd, 4th, 5th graders 8:30 –10:30 am Piko Listening Journey visit. Mahalo nūnui.



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05.18.2k19 ... May 3rd Saturday 9-12 Kūkaniloko Community Clean-up Day. A great turn out of volunteers for our Kūkaniloko work day. *Mahalo* to all those who took the time to come to assist. Your help is greatly appreciated. *Mahalo nui aloha kākou. Eō*

05.18.2k19 ... Kūkākūkā took place this afternoon at Kūkaniloko regarding the new Koa Ridge Development. The Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā, represented by Kahuiāo Consultants, met with Castle & Cooke developers to be updated on the current progress of this new subdivision located in Central O'ahu. Kahuiāo has been kept informed throughout the continued development. It is very important to identify and respect the history of any 'āina that is being developed, even if 'āina has been previously developed. *Eō*

05.19.2k19 ... Kahuku, Kaananiau Oio... Schofield Archaeologists Laura Gilda and Dave Crowley escorted Kahuiāo Consultants Tom Lenchanko, Noelani DeVincent and Kalimapau to revisit *Kaananiau Oio* located within the grounds of the current Kahuku Training Area. A visit to *Kaananiau Maunauna* and to *Kaananiau Halemano* were rescheduled.



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05.22.2k19 ... Wahiawa Health Blessing. *Mahalo* Kahu Lonoae'a for your services to our Wahiawā community. *Eō*



05.24.2k19 ... Kamalani 6th - 8th graders *Mahalo* for your mālama 'āina following your *Piko Listening Journey* by picking up the debris from a recent wind storm. *Eō mai la*



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05.28.2k19 ... Hakipu'u Learning Center came for a Piko Listening Journey with 30 *haumāna* and 10 chaperones. *Kumu Kahuiaio* began with Protocol. Here below *Kumu Noelani* shares the *pōhaku* used for teaching navigational skills. This is the only *pohaku* that can be sat upon as learning of the Heavens was very important to our ancients. Eō



Mahalo to *haumāna* and chaperones of **Hakipu'u Learning Center** for sharing your morning with us at *kapuahuawa* Kūkaniloko Birthstones State Monument. Your *ho'okupu* is appreciated as well as your assist in picking up debris following your *Piko Listening Journey*. Please come again to our Kūkaniloko Outdoor Classroom.

05.30.2k19 ... Kamalani Academy's First 8th grade Graduation. The Board of Directors of the Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā were invited to attend celebrations this day. *Kahu Lonoae'a* had assisted for a few weeks in preparation by teaching the graduates a special *oli* for and by the 8th graders for their parents and guests. Dinner was served following their ceremonies were *lei* and *makana* were shared. *Mahalo nui* for the invitation. ***Ho'omaika'i kākou. Eō***

05.31.2k19 ... Facebook Fundraisers of 2019... HCCW *Hope Pelekikena* Noelani DeVincent was successful with her Facebook Birthday Fundraiser in February. She raised \$500 for the Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā Nonprofit. *Pu'ukū* Kalimapau was also successful this month and a check for \$800 was sent to HCCW! *Mahalo nūnui nā wahine*

The next Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā Monthly Meeting will be on the second Wednesday, June 12th, 2k19. Our meeting will be held at the Wahiawā Police Department Meeting Room, 330 North Cane Street @ 7 pm.