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**02.01.2k22 ... Kūkaniloko Birth Site** remains **CLOSED** to the public. **Escorted access only...** [kukaniloko.org](http://kukaniloko.org)  
"Contact Us" for wait list. *Stay home. Stay safe. Stop the spread of COVID-19.* Thank you for your patience.

**02.05.2k22 ... O'ahu Council 1st Quarter Meeting of January 8th, 2k22** was rescheduled for February 5th, 2k22.  
HCCW present in attendance: Pelekikena Noelani DeVincent *a me* acting Permanent Member – Pu'ukū Kalimapau.



**02.06.2k22... Escorted access only...**A group of 5 women, who came together here in Hawai'i from various places on the continent, visited with us at Kūkaniloko. Their week of rest and restoration closed with a most beautiful spiritual journey with our *kūpuna mā* of Kūkaniloko. EŌ



*Pohaku mo'olelo is shared and validated through the I-phone compass app. Most are surprised as they learn: the past is always present. EŌ*



*Mahalo for your nā wahine visit with us and your kind sponsorships in support of 1,000 trees for Kūkaniloko TFK. You are appreciated. Thank you for sharing your photos with HCCW in memory of a special and beautiful moment in time. Mahalo nō*

**02.08.2k22... Papa 'Ōlelo** 12 weeks of classes resume on Tuesday evenings until April 26th. We are reminded, *'ōlelo - Ka lama ku o ka no'ea*. Standing torch of wisdom.

**02.08.2k22...A'ole nā meli...**A beehive, buried within a pile of moss rock *pōhaku*, onsite for future use, was finally removed. In mid-December this mysteriously obscured beehive was unknowingly disturbed. Office of Hawaiians Affairs, OHA's, Lori Walker and Taylor Asao took immediate action. The first opportunity for removal of an estimated 40,000 bees was today. Max Towey, of Meli LLC of Kailua, plans to make several visits. The queen has been relocated. He will return a few more times to be sure workers are reunited with their queen. Mahalo for taking care of this hazardous situation so once again our **Piko Listening Journey** *haumāna* and *kumu*; and our 3rd Saturday Kūkaniloko Community Clean-up days can be safe for our volunteers. EŌ



Photo credits na Taylor Asao



Established November 10, 1960

**02.09.2k22...10th Virtual HCCW General Membership Meeting.** Our nonprofit fiscal year is from April 1st - March 31st of the following year. Although we are in the new year of 2k22, HCCW is completing our 4th quarter of this fiscal year. With extremely high soaring Pandemic cases, HCCW Board of Directors elected to revert from hybrid – virtual/plus members present at WPD - to virtual presentation only for our monthly HCCW 2nd Wednesday meeting. Both Pelekikena Noelani DeVincent and Ka Ho'opa'a Mo'olelo *a me* Pu'uku Kalimapau anchored broadcast from the WPD meeting room. Hopefully, normal HCCW meetings will return soon.

**02.09.2k22...Papa Nā Alaka'i.** HCCW Board final quarterly meeting for April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022 fiscal year.

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**02.10.2k22 ...100 lovely Koa Pins for the first 100 (TFK) Sponsors.** Today the first 45 pins were mailed to the first 45 (TFK) Sponsors. Mahalo to member Kehau Jahn for her kind donation to the Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā of these beautiful Koa Pins. Mahalo to you for your many thoughtful emails and messages of gratitude. We of HCCW, appreciate your contributions and dedications for those whom you love and those special and meaningful places to you that you have honored. Your continued support is truly valuable. (TFK) is an ongoing global initiative.



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**02.11.2k22... Native Trees for Kukaniloko featured today in an article in**



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<https://www.hawaii.edu/news/2022/02/11/kukaniloko-birthstones-state-monument/>

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**02.14.2k22 ... Aiea High School History Class Kūkaniloko presentation.** Kumu, Ms. Degrander, received a grant to assist with teaching Hawaiian History and has expanded her program to include guest speakers. The travelling Kūkaniloko Display Boards were shared with her eager and curious *haumāna* by Kalimapau. It is important to learn about our Hawaiian History that the past is always present. *Mahalo nō* Aiea High School. EŌ

**02.17.2k22 ... Kūkaniloko Advisory Hui – KAH #20.** The Office of Hawaiian Affairs, OHA, KAH, met virtually at 5pm. In attendance: Pelekikena Noelani DeVincent and Pu'uku Kalimapau representing HCCW and all that is Kūkaniloko. A brief meeting was held with updates and reviews of project plans. Mahalo.

**02.19.2k22 ... Kūkaniloko 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday Community Clean-up 9-noon.** HCCW hosted our monthly 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday volunteers greeting members from our sister Hawaiian Civic Clubs on O'ahu. Volunteers from the Nānāikapono Hawaiian Civic Club and a member from the Ko'olaupoko Hawaiian Civic Club joined us today. We appreciate your assistance. The first 600 plus koa trees have been planted onsite for the 1,000 Native Trees for Kūkaniloko (TFK) Initiative. The first 5-acre parcel is located to the right of the access road as you enter the gates. There is no running water onsite. We are working on that with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, OHA. In the meantime, trees are hand watered by *Kūka'awe* Tom Lenchanko. If there is anyone who would like to volunteer for the water brigade, please contact HCCW email: [hccwahiawa@gmail.com](mailto:hccwahiawa@gmail.com). Whatever days and time slots that fit into your schedule will work.

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Mahalo to Nā Lālā o Ka Pū Hala for their monthly care for our trees onsite. Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday they are there at 7am to groom our pū hala, doing whatever it takes to do so! Member Celeste Hanley marvels at the special rare dark hala found here.



Patrice Petrich of Ko'olaupoko HCC



Mahalo e Nānāikapono HCC

Aloha Pelekikena Sanoë Marfil of Nānāikapono Hawaiian Civic Club of West O'ahu for yours and your family's assist for 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday Clean-up for February 2022.



Mahalo to the Nānākuli High School Ambassadors for their valuable support this day. Ke Akua Pū. Eō mai lā, Eō

02.19.2k22...  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday  
 MAHALO NŌ... EŌ



Lokahi Foundation and Change Academy-Vince, Miki, Koji & Yukari helped with the new water system for newly planted koa.

**Ōlelo No'eau...**Hawaiian Proverb #684 MARY KAWENA PUKUI...

*He keiki aloha na mea kanu.* Beloved children are the plants.

It is said of farmers that their plants are like beloved children, receiving much attention and care

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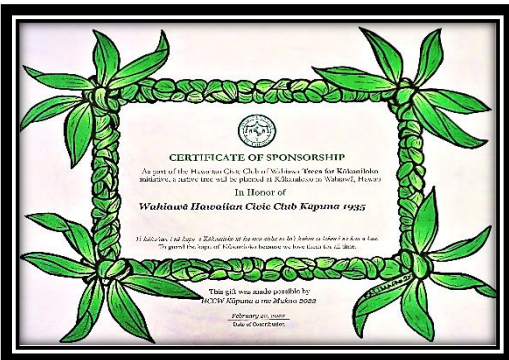
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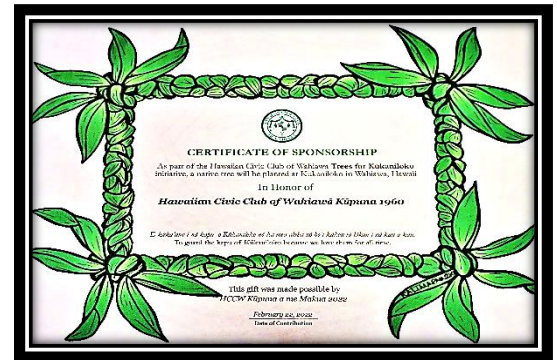
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**02.22.2k22 ... WHCC Kūpuna 1935 a me HCCW Kūpuna 1960 are Honored by HCCW Kūpuna a me Mākua 2022!** On this auspicious day of 2.22.2022, the Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā Nonprofit sponsored two (TFK) Koa Trees honoring our Founding Kūpuna. On June 15, 1935, Wahiawā Hawaiian Civic Club, WHCC, was founded. The Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs was formed in 1959. Re-organization of WHCC established the Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā on November 10, 1960. In 2022, HCCW celebrates 62 years of guarding the *kapu* of Kapu'ahuawa Kūkaniloko and our service to Wahiawā and her surrounding communities. We honor all our *nā lālā 'ōiwi a me nā lālā ho'okama* of the past, the present day, and those yet to come. *EŌ mai lā*



*Me kealoha pumehana e Kūpuna mā*



**02.23.2k22 ... "The 'Āina Afterschool Program" at Wahiawā Middle School Garden.** HCCW *lālā' ho'okama* Ioane Jahn has assumed responsibility for this project offering students the opportunity for a new learning experience. This program will take place every Friday afterschool in the ag lot during the 4th quarter (after spring break) for this year. Plans are to continue with the 'Āina Afterschool Program through the entire coming school year of 2022-2023. If you wish to support this program by volunteering, or by making a donation, please feel free to let us know at [kukaniloko.org](http://kukaniloko.org) "Contact Us"... *Mahalo nō kākou, eŌ*



*Mid- January replanting of huli kalo and 'uala*

**02.24.2k22 ... ALOHA!**

*"Our goal is to provide keiki attending the middle school a safe, intellectual, social, and personal space to learn about this 'āina and themselves while growing alongside traditional Hawai'i food plants. Mahalo for all the support." ... Ioane*



*Erin, Miles and Chris Loken*  
**Escorted Access Only...Mahalo**



*February 2022 land is cleared to build classroom hale under the direction of Kupuna Seneci and his alaka'i. Mahalo for sharing your wisdom and knowledge. EŌ*

*Photo credits na Ioane Jahn*



*The clearing of 50 years of rubbish!*

The next Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawā monthly meeting will be held on March 9, 2022. In compliance with CDC safety guidelines for C - 19, our meeting will be Virtual beginning at 7 pm. Windows open at 6:30 for membership kūkākūkā. Aloha! \*  
 \*The next scheduled 3rd Saturday Kukaniloko Community Clean-up Day is on...March 19, 2022, from 9 am - 12 noon. Mahalo.