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Hula halau offer free cultural connections at Lahaina Cannery Mall

Plus 'ukulele lessons, May Day entertainment and more

Lahaina, Hawaii – Lahaina Cannery Mall celebrates spring with Polynesian dance and free entertainment all month long.

The westside center, known for showcasing Maui's most talented dancers, hosts 18 performances from six of Maui's premier halau in May, including Na Kamali'i Nani O Lahaina, Halau Hula O Keola Ali'iokekai, Te Tiare Patitifa, Na Kamali'i O Ke Akua, Pua Ala Hula Halau and Na Pua Melia.

The free entertainment takes place center stage in the air-conditioned complex at 7 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and at 1 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday. See attached calendar for a full schedule of events.

Also this month at Lahaina Cannery Mall:

May 10

- Lahaina-Honolua Senior Citizens Club May Day Program at 11 a.m.

May 23

- Lahainaluna High School Fashion Show at 6 p.m.

Every Tuesday

- Free 'ukulele lessons at 5:45 p.m.

Every Tuesday and Thursday

- Polynesian Performances Hula Show at 7 p.m.

Every Saturday

- Keiki Hula Show at 1 p.m.
- Maui Toy Works - Yu-Gi-Oh Card Session from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Every Sunday

- Keiki Hula Show at 1 p.m.
- Maui Toy Works: Yo-Yo/skill toys workshop and demonstration 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.
- Line dancing by Maui Paniolo Posse
 - 6:30 p.m. - Lessons

- 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. - Line dancing

Lahaina Cannery Mall is Maui's only fully enclosed, air-conditioned shopping complex. Open daily from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Lahaina Cannery Mall has more than 50 shops and restaurants and is located on the north end of Lahaina Town fronting Honoapi'ilani Highway and Front Street. For more information, please call (808) 661-5304, or visit www.lahainacannery.com.

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