

**George Kahumoku Jr's
Twelfth Annual Maui Guitar & Ukulele Workshop 2009
Information & Registration Form**

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Dates: June 21-28 (Sun-Sun)

Location: **Mauian Hotel (Napili), Maui Arts & Cultural Center (Kahului for festival), Kahumoku Farm (for Sunday day trip).**

Programs:

8-day Slack Key Guitar, Ukulele & Hawaiian Culture Workshop \$1000 Includes instruction in Slack Key Guitar, Ukulele, Hawaiian Culture, Day Trip to farm, a ticket to Wed. evening Concert at the Napili Kai Beach Resort, Hula (men & women), Lei making, dinners & lunches, Thursday afternoon Mauian Manager's party, souvenir T-shirt, nightly jam sessions, song book & handouts, group guitar & hula performance at Maui Slack Key Festival. Instructors include: George & Keoki Kahumoku (guitar & uke), Dennis Kamakahi (guitar & composition), Jeff Peterson (guitar & theory), Herb Ohta Jr (uke), Kevin Brown (guitar) [tentative: Norton Buffalo (harmonica, music elements)], Maile Yepis (lei making), Keoni Manuel (hula)

8-day Spouse/Companion \$500 (only for companion-observers NOT PARTICIPATING in any hands-on instruction classes) Includes dinners & lunches, souvenir T-shirt, songbook, nightly jam sessions, ticket to Concert, Sunday Day Trip, Thursday afternoon Mauian Manager's Party by the pool featuring George Kahumoku and other instructors, enjoying the music and the beach.

Additional dinner guests: \$25 per dinner (dinner & jam session)

Additional T-shirts: \$20 each

Additional Concert Tix: \$40 per person per show (tax included)

Requirements:

Guitar We recommended that Slack Key Guitar Beginning students have at least one year of guitar experience (standard tuning) and can play at least one song. No experience in Slack Key is required, but the more foundation, the more you can absorb. We recommend Ozzie Kotani's book, *Guitar Playing Hawaiian Style*, and George and Keoki Kahumoku's instructional DVDs for getting a good introduction before attending the workshop, if so desired.

Ukulele classes are aimed mainly at beginning & intermediate levels. Memorization of the basic major ukulele chords is a prerequisite for beginners. Our uke classes will move faster or slower according to the predominant levels of the two groups. Advanced students may prefer the theory and performance classes and jam sessions. Herb's books, *Discovering the Ukulele* (beginning) and *Exploring the Ukulele* (inter-adv) are recommended.

Culture Students: No experience is required for Culture students who will dance hula, make lei, join the songs & singing classes, and enjoy the music and ambiance. Norton Buffalo's harmonica class (pending) might be fun to try, and also Bob's rhythm class.

(pending) Harmonica Classes: All students are welcome in Norton Buffalo's Beginner harmonica classes. This will require the purchase of a harmonica, which is NOT included.

T-shirts will be gray this year, representing Kahoolawe. Both hula songs will represent that island. The performance songs will be "Haaheo O Kahoolawe" and one other.

Special Diet: Every effort is made to provide enough variety within the daily menus to accommodate special diets (vegetarian, diabetic). We recommend you bring snack supplements with you if your diet is highly restricted, just in case. Otherwise, the workshop is famous for its delicious and ample food.

What to bring:

Your instrument/s, (guitar, uke, steel guitar, C harmonica (?)), capo, finger picks, pen & notebook, music stand, clothespins or other wind-resistant clips, extra strings, audio recording device recommended to help retain unfamiliar songs. Please ask each teacher about videotaping before you do so and do not allow recording to interfere with instruction. For hula, women can bring a sarong, pa'u skirt, or dress, for men shorts & t-shirt are fine.

Bring swimwear, umbrella or windbreaker for rain, sweater or jacket for evenings, sandals, working shorts/shirt for the taro patch at the farm, aloha wear & lots of sunscreen! The beautiful white sand beach of Napili Bay is just steps away.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS BOOKED SEPARATELY: Please call Wilma for hotel room reservations.

MAUIAN HOTEL: 808-669-6205; 800-367-5034 infom@mauian.com
www.mauian.com

NOTE: The Wednesday concert will be at the Napili Kai Hotel, next door to the Mauian. Featured artists will be George, Jeff, Keoki, Herb, Dennis, Kevin, & Bob [Norton pending] & maybe Uncle Richard too.

The neighboring Napili Village (slightly less \$\$) and the Napili Kai Beach Resort (lots more \$\$) are both excellent housing alternatives to the Mauian, should it become fully booked. Cancellations do occur closer to the event so ask about the Mauian's waiting list. Some students rent cars, some don't. Mauian parking is tight, the concert is right next door, and we carpool to Lahaina and Kahului.

Please contact us right away with your intention to attend so that we can reserve your place until the mailed form & check arrive: fax: 808-249-2124
email: Nancy@Kahumoku.com phone: 808-249-2125

*****Extra Concert preceding the workshop: George Kahumoku & Bob Brozman will perform at the MACC McCoy theatre on Sat, June 20 at 7:30pm to showcase their new duet CD: ***Kani Wai-Sound of Water***. This is NOT part of the workshop & tuition, but we want you to know about it if you want to attend this show. I can reserve tickets for you.

REGISTRATION FORM:

Send registration form with a check made payable to George Kahumoku

Mail to: **George Kahumoku**
ATTN Workshop
1728 AA Place
Lahaina HI 96761

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Mailing address, City, State, Zip: _____

Please indicate your primary interest to help us estimate class size.

My Primary interest is (circle one)

guitar, ukulele, steel guitar, harmonica, dance/culture

My level is (circle one)

Beginner, Beginning-Intermediate, Intermediate, Advanced

My Secondary interest/s is/are (circle any number)

guitar, ukulele, steel guitar, harmonica, singing, lei making, hula,
songwriting/composition, improvisation, jam sessions, solo performance

T-shirt size (S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL) _____

SPOUSE/COMPANION: NOT PARTICIPATING IN ANY HANDS-ON CLASSES

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Mailing address, City, Zip Code: _____

T-shirt size (S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL) _____

TUITION, student (\$1000) tax included	\$1000
TUITION, spouse/companion (\$500)	\$ _____
Extra T-shirt/s (\$20 ea.) Size/s	\$ _____
Extra Concert tickets (\$40 per show)	\$ _____
Extra dinners (\$25)	

TOTAL: \$ _____

Please reserve me _____ tickets for the extra MACC show on Sat, June 20 featuring George Kahumoku & Bob Brozman. I will pay for these when I arrive at the workshop (estimated cost \$20 each ticket)