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Turtle Bay Foundation Awards \$142,000 in Grants and Scholarships to North Shore Nonprofits and College Students

Total Awardees More than Doubled; 22% increase in Financial Support from 2015

NORTH SHORE, O'AHU, HI – (December 14, 2016) – Turtle Bay Foundation, the nonprofit entity of Turtle Bay Resort, tonight awarded more than \$142,000 in grants and scholarships to 162 North Shore nonprofit organizations and college-bound students.

This year marks the Foundation's largest group of awardees and highest total of financial giving, all of which will help support the future of North Shore communities, families and residents.

Altogether, 96 community organizations and 66 students were recognized during the Foundation's fourth annual awards dinner this evening at Turtle Bay Resort.

Building on its commitment to supporting the North Shore community, the Foundation more than doubled the number of awardees (108%) and increased its financial support by 22% compared to 2015. In the short time since 2013 when the Foundation began awarding grants and scholarships, nearly \$400,000 has been presented to North Shore and Ko'olauloa recipients.

"The future of Ko'olauloa and the North Shore is important to us all at Turtle Bay Resort. We're truly honored to give back to our community and help support these deserving recipients in fulfilling their future goals," said Danna Holck, a Foundation Board Member, and Vice President and General Manager of Turtle Bay Resort.

The 96 nonprofit organizations (see list below) receiving grants and support are making a significant impact in North Shore communities in the following five areas:

- Education or Job Training
- Environmental Stewardship
- Hawaiian Cultural Preservation
- Health Care
- Sports or Recreation

The 66 students earning college scholarships (see list below) were selected based on a combination of criteria, including academic performance, GPA and/or ACT/SAT test scores, extracurricular activities and community involvement.

The Turtle Bay Foundation was established in 2012 to enrich the Ko'olauloa and North Shore communities through environmental, educational and cultural opportunities. The Foundation oversees Turtle Bay Resort's numerous charitable contributions, acting as a partner in the community and supporting its mission of making one of the world's last great places even better.

Turtle Bay Resort is the only destination resort on O'ahu's historic North Shore – Mecca of the surfing world. Situated on 845 acres, it offers outdoor enthusiasts five miles of beach and 12 miles of oceanfront hiking trails to enjoy and explore. This is in addition to 36 holes of championship golf and a wide array of ocean and land activities. All 452 guestrooms and suites offer ocean views and there are seven restaurants and bars to enjoy the cuisine, views and ambience of Hawai'i. www.TurtleBayResort.com

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Turtle Bay Foundation Grant Awardees

Turtle Bay Foundation awarded grants to the following 96 nonprofit organizations to support their programs and good work in directly improving the lives of people in Ko'olauloa and the North Shore.

Education or Job Training

- Clover J's 4-H Livestock Club – 4-H Youth Program
- Friends of Sunset Beach – Art Education Program for Sunset Beach Elementary School
- Friends of the Library, Kahuku – Ko'olauloa Battle of the Books
- Fund 42 – Fund 42 Scholarship Matching Grant
- Junior League of Honolulu – My Story for Kahuku High School Girls
- Ka'a'awa Elementary School – Makahiki Festival
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – KHS Science Club
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – 10th Grade Language Arts
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – 11th Grade Language Arts
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – KHS College & Career Center
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – Student Government Leadership Camp
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – 10th Grade Reading Program
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – 10th Grade Media Lab
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – 11th Grade English Department Media Lab
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – We the People Team 2017
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – Career Mock Interviews
- Kahuku High & Intermediate School – Supplies for Sewing Lab
- Kahuku High School – Social Studies High School Computer Lab
- Keep Laie Cool
- Laie Elementary School – Parent Community Network Center
- Laie Elementary School – 5th Grade Historical Overnight Encampment
- Laie Elementary School – 4th Grade Big Island Trip
- Laie Elementary School – I Can't Hear You! Project
- Laie Elementary School – 2nd Grade Computer Program
- Laie Elementary School – 5th Grade Computer Program
- Laie Elementary School – 2nd Grade Outdoor Learning Program
- Laie Elementary School – 2nd Grade Technology Center
- Laie Elementary School – 2nd Grade Literacy Program
- Laie Elementary School – Kindergarten Children's Reading Library
- LPA Hawaii – LPA Hawaii Chapter Fundraiser
- Partners in Development Foundation – Fundraising Events
- Rainbow School – Rainbow School Kahuku Classroom Carpet Project
- Saint Michael School – Aquaponics
- Saint Michael School – 8th Grade Year-End Activity
- Saint Michael School – Technology
- Saint Michael School – Christmas Extravaganza
- Saint Michael School – Reading Counts
- Saint Michael School – Pre-School
- Saint Michael School – Music Appreciation
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – College & Career Resource Center
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Waialua Robotics Project
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Art and Photography Classes
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Library Learning Center

- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Waialua PRIDE
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Special Education Department
- Waialua High & Intermediate School – Technology Integration for Science Class
- Waialua High School – Graphics Project
- Waialua High School – Computer Science Club
- Waialua High School – Culinary Class' Best of Haleiwa North Shore Cookbook

Stewardship

- Kamaka'ala 'Ohana – Kahana Bay Papio Tournament
- Malama Loko Ea Foundation – Kawaiola Ola
- Malama Pupukea-Waimea – Reducing Sedimentation of the Pupukea Marine Life Conservation District
- Sunset Beach Elementary – Kahuku Point Climate Change Project
- Surfrider Foundation, O'ahu Chapter – Ocean Friendly Restaurants Hawai'i
- West O'ahu Soil & Water Conservation District – Soil and Water Conservation Outreach

Hawaiian Cultural Preservation

- Hui O Hau'ula – Hau'ula Watershed Program
- Ko'olauloa Hawaiian Civic Club – Community Workshops
- Na Leo Kako'o O Ko'olauloa – Papaku Makawalu

Health Care

- Bobby Benson – Extracurricular Activities Program
- Ho'ōla Nā Pua – Pearl Haven Renovation
- The Private Sector Hawai'i – Purple Van Holiday Food Distribution Program

Sports or Recreation

- AYSO Soccer Region 358
- Big Wave Risk Assessment Group – 2016 Big Wave Safety Summit
- Chance 'Em Foundation – O'ahu High School Surf Teams
- Familia de Jiu Jitsu – Equipment
- Kahuku Girls Rugby
- Kahuku High School – Golf Team
- Kahuku High School – Girls Volleyball Team
- Kahuku High School – Football Team
- Kahuku High School – Boys Basketball Team
- Kahuku High School – Girls Swimming Team
- Kahuku High School – Boys Varsity Baseball
- Kahuku High School – Boys Swimming Team
- Kahuku High School – Tennis Team
- Kahuku High School – Athletic Department
- Kahuku High School – Boys Rugby
- Kahuku Youth Rugby
- Ko'olauloa P.A.L. Basketball Team
- Ko'olauloa Pop Warner – Mitey Mites Program
- Ko'olauloa Youth Athletic Club – Pop Warner Football
- Laie Elementary School – Dance Program

- Laie Elementary School – Physical Education Program
- Laie Lightning Swim Association
- North Shore Canoe Club – Haleiwa Outrigger Growth Initiative
- North Shore Softball Club
- Saint Michael School – Physical Education
- Waialua Bullpups – Pop Warner Football
- Waialua Elementary School – Special Olympics Team
- Waialua High and Intermediate School – Scholar Athletes
- Waialua High School – Golf Team
- Waialua High School – Girls Soccer
- Waialua High School – Softball Team
- Waialua High School – Bowling Team
- Waialua High School – Water Polo Team
- Waialua High School – Football Team
- Waialua Little League

Turtle Bay Foundation Scholarship Awardees

Turtle Bay Foundation awarded one-year college scholarships to the following 66 students in recognition of their outstanding academics and service to Ko‘olauloa and the North Shore.

<u>Awardee</u>	<u>High School</u>	<u>College</u>
• Leilani Adolpho	N/A	Brigham Young University – Hawai‘i
• Marivic Agustin	Waialua	University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
• Keaunui Ah You	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Emma Albrecht	Waialua	Utah Valley University
• Kathleen Aldrich	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Hawai‘i
• Darcie Allred	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Hawai‘i
• Kamaile Aluli	Kahuku	California State University
• Holly Anami	N/A	Chaminade University
• Alexandra Aplaca	Kahuku	Oregon State University
• Naitia Auelua	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Sophia Aveau	Kahuku	Western Oregon University
• Kaitlin-Natalie Ayonon	Waialua	Washington State University
• Candace Basilio	Waialua	Kapi‘olani Community College
• Lehiwa Benson	Kahuku	University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
• Darcie Burke	Kahuku	Pacific University
• Camryn Butz	Radford	Marian University
• Bre‘en Cabiles-Pa‘akaula	Kahuku	Windward Community College
• Jade Cameron	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Idaho
• Dana delRey	Kahuku	Boston University
• Amanda Estores	Kamehameha	Undecided
• Reginald Eclipse	Waialua	N/A
• Noah Evile	Mililani	University of California, Los Angeles
• Jerilynn Fabro	Waialua	Kapi‘olani Community College
• Marvin Galapia	Waialua	Western Oregon University
• Napuaehaokalani Galletes-Fernandez	Kahuku	Central Washington University
• Phoebe Grace	Kahuku	University of Utah
• Ilihia Herrod	N/A	Whitworth University

• Noah Hull	Waialua	Hawai'i Pacific University
• Paul Hutchinson	N/A	University of Hawai'i at Manoa
• Peter Hyatt	Kahuku	University of the Pacific
• Richmond Jenkins	Leilehua	University of Hawai'i at Manoa
• Leah Kaaua-Acorda	N/A	Leeward Community College
• Lilia Kaka	N/A	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Kekaula Kaniho	Kahuku	Stanford University
• Ofa Kauvaka	Kahuku	University of Utah
• Jackson Lewis	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Kawika Macy	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Onawi Mataira	N/A	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Gideon Miller	Kahuku	Stanford University
• Cody Miyataki	Waialua	University of Hawai'i – West O'ahu
• Terry Moea'i	N/A	Argosy University
• Trace Meyers	Kamehameha	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Sharae Niu	Kahuku	Lewis & Clark College
• Talei Niu	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Draven Ozoa	Waialua	San Diego State University
• Chalseah Pascua	Waialua	Leeward Community College
• TiffanyLee Rabaino	Kahuku	Hawai'i Pacific University
• Jake Riviere	Waialua	San Diego State University
• Puaoolalagi Sao	Kahuku	Salt Lake Community College
• Regina Shumway	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Truman Spring	Kahuku	Stanford University
• Zamic Sullivan	Kahuku	San Jose State University
• Janette Taufa	Kahuku	The University of Utah
• Aolele Taulapapa	Kahuku	Utah Valley University
• Salamasina Te'i	Kahuku	San Jose State University
• Cheyenne Te'o	Kahuku	Southern Utah University
• Aezar Tingco	Waialua	N/A
• Uluakimata Tonga	N/A	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Kanani Uluave	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Provo
• Manulua Vakapuna	N/A	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Michael Vakapuna	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Joseph Waite	Kahuku	Brigham Young University – Hawai'i
• Isabella Walker	Kahuku	University of Hawai'i at Manoa
• Taylor Widner	N/A	University of Hawai'i at Manoa
• Hunter Yamada	Kahuku	Harvard University
• Mycah Yokotake	Waialua	Arizona State University

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