

“Unfolded by the water are the faces of the flowers.” From *Olelo No'eau* by Mary Pukui

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This September saw the start of our 15th cohort filled with 24 diverse individuals who are embracing the Leadership Challenge. Upon graduation in June of 2019, they will join the 230 alumni, 114 youth, and 188 Rotary Leadership Youth Awards recipients. Committed to integrity, inclusiveness, collaboration, and passion to serve the community~they are the *change agents* of Kaua'i.

“There is no other organization on Kauai that has the pulse of the community the way Leadership Kaua'i does. Through the relationships built in government, education, non-profit, private sector and island organizations, the residuals of this program are far reaching. It is a vital organization that needs to continue on Kauai.” ~ Kumu Hula Puna Kalama Dawson

During this season of giving thanks, we are grateful to have served Kaua'i for the past 15 years. Thank you for your generous donations, which has allowed us to reach this milestone. As we begin planning the next 15 years, your insight is valuable and appreciated. Send us your suggestions and collaborative ideas on innovative ways to improve our programs, better serve our community and our future leaders. Give a call anytime, we would love to hear from you.

Mahalo nui loa for helping to ensure there will be leadership balance in the perpetuation of our rich island way of life for the next 7 generations.

Mahalo nui loa,

Char Ravelo
Executive Director

INVEST TODAY IN KAUA'I'S FUTURE LEADERS...

Leadership Kaua'i has had 15 great years.
Please join us in making a contribution to continue our
work for the next 15 years.

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Leadership Kaua'i is a non-profit 501(c)(3). We would like to encourage you to take advantage of this tax-deductible opportunity before the year ends. Aloha nō.

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**HERE ARE WHAT SOME OF
OUR LK GRADUATES
HAVE TO SAY**

"Going through the Leadership Kaua'i program helped me to realize that being a leader was not about always being in front and taking the lead, but about being in the back supporting and taking care of the team. It is helping each one to develop and reach their fullest potential in their own unique and individual way, making their own impact and difference."



~Ray M. Ho, 2018 LK Graduate
DOH, DDD, CMB Unit 15
Kauai District Health Office

"My time with the Leadership Kaua'i program back in 2009 was challenging and inspiring. I enjoyed the experience and feel I was able to grow both personally and professionally. The Five Leadership Practices that our group learned about during the 10-month program still resonate with me today through my work in promoting affordable housing opportunities for Kaua'i."

~Milani Pimental, 2009 LK Graduate
Promoted to Deputy Direct
Kaua'i Habitat for Humanity



"The Leadership Kaua'i leadership curriculum is second to none. I learned a lot about myself and the actions and qualities of effective leadership. I've been able to implement these strategies in my work and everyday life and have seen great results. What helped me the most was the concept of a shared vision. Good leaders inspire a shared vision and enable others to act towards shared goals. The old saying goes— lead, follow, or get out of the way. Leadership Kaua'i opened my eyes to the fact that really good leaders do all three of those things at the right time."

~Mark Perriello, 2018 LK Graduate
President & CEO Kauai Chamber of Commerce



"As a business owner, wife, mom, and fitness leader here on Kaua'i, Leadership Kaua'i was an amazing opportunity for me to learn and grow both personally and professionally. Being part of the LK class has helped me network and connect with other great community leaders. The leadership principles helped me stretch and grow my leadership skills.

I put them into practice, as much as possible, on a daily basis with my clients and coaching team. Our LK project gave me a much deeper understanding of the needs of our aina-based community projects, and has been a wonderful vehicle for me to give back."

~Stacy Ricciardi, 2018 LK Graduate Owner of Fitness by Stacy
ACE Certified Personal Trainer Diamond Beachbody Coach



- ◆ 45 community projects touching and improving the lives of over 35 % of the island's residents and visitors.
 - ◆ 95 % of our alumni have impacted their community by serving on commissions, boards, councils, and community initiatives.
- Your Participation and Contributions Made These Opportunities Possible!**

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