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3 PRONG MEET

Kaiona Beach Park in Waimanalo was showing her teeth. Blustery with high surf and dirty water made it tough. 2 divers lost their floats in the breakers. 1 diver lost his spear through carelessness. In spite of this the divers performed quite well as the catch was good and provided lots of ono!! fried fish. Following check in, Junior's famous hamburger steak lunch was served along with mac salad and kim chee. It was a fun time had by all. Note: Of the 24 divers that participated, there were 3 new junior members who strutted their stuff.

Results:

Total Weight:

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| 1 st Chris Paglinawan | 10.07 lbs |
| 2 nd Jaren Luke | 6.64 lbs |
| 3 rd Cy Thomas | 3.31 lbs |

Largest Fish:

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| 1 st Marcus Au (junior) | 3.22 lbs |
| 2 nd Roland Miguel | 3.00 lbs |
| 3 rd Jordan Taniyama (got float) | 2.72 lbs |

Invasive Specie (Roi, Toau, Taape):

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| Guy Mikasa | 2.67 lbs |
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Largest Tako:

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| Myles Yoshikawa | 2.80 lbs |
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Top Junior: Reece Mitsuyasu 4.48 lbs

The next outing is **CHOP SUEY MEET Sunday May 13th** at Haleiwa. Traditionally, 2 divers, Uhu and Uku, are paired. The intent is to share knowledge and techniques by combining divers taking into account their experience and abilities. It is hoped that the "OLD - or more experienced" will be providing some benefit to the "NEW - or less experienced" ---however this doesn't always prove correct, and often the 'Old' learns from the 'New', and heck-- everyone benefits. Meet us at the usual spot at Haleiwa Park under the last Big Tree (Waimea end of the Park) starting at 7:30 AM for registration, briefing, pairing of partners and hopefully starting the dive shortly after 8 AM.. We're anticipating favorable diving weather for the area. This is a Swim from Shore open to all meet and you can go anywhere but MUST return and check in by 12 NOON. Safety is everyone's concern and it is the divers responsibility to be accountable and check in with AHK before the deadline. A telephone number will be provided at the briefing.

Here are the general rules, but pay attention for details at the briefing!

FISH: Each Diver may spear only 1 (one) each fish from the list below, and must catch a minimum of 2 (two) or more fish. .

12” minimum: Palani, Pualu, Aawa,, Kumu (all goats) Mu, Enenui,. Roi, Toau

13” minimum: All UHUs:

15 “ minimum: Horn Kala **17”minimum:** Opelu Kala, Awa, Awa awa, Uku, all jacks and blue water species.

Penalties: If more than 1 fish of same species is caught by a diver, the larger fish will be disqualified.

Scoring: 1 point per fish, 1 point per pound, not to exceed 21 points per fish.

Awards: Closest score both team members. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, (minimum 2 fish each diver – or 4 or more for the team. .no sleepers)

Individual total points for UHU and UKU’s 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

Individual categories (1st, 2nd, 3rd) shall be total points closest to, but not exceeding target weight drawn for each place, to be done before Weigh in

Entry Fee: \$15 per diver.

Terrence Takahata, the spokesman and meet chair, will go through and answer any questions during the briefing.

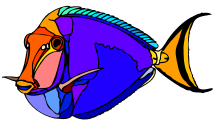
Come and join the fun, this is an ‘open’ meet, includes awards, kau kau, food cooked at the site, (bring your own drinks and beach chairs or something to sit on.),

Call by **May 7** and leave a message to Dennis (677-9010) or Terrence (836-5009) even if you are ‘kinda’ interested in participating and the approximate number of persons that may come. We need this estimate for planning the meals, etc.. Thank You!

DIIVING WITH DAD

Our Father’s Day “Diving with Dad” tournament is coming up on **June 17**. Each year our young divers spend the day diving, picking up trash and enjoying lunch prepared by so many volunteers. At the end of the day, everyone goes home with more than they arrived with. Our sponsors for this event are extremely generous and we appreciate their support. This year, we would like to reach out and help more children.

Families living in the homeless shelter H5 (Hawaii Helping the Hungry Have Hope) in Kakaako struggle to provide the most basic necessities for their children. There are approximately 50 children in grades K-12 living in this homeless shelter. This year we will be holding a raffle (\$5 per ticket) and proceeds will support the children at H5 so they can return to school ready to learn. All divers will receive a “prize.” The raffle will be for larger donated items. If you would like to make a donation towards this outreach project, please let Terrence know. We appreciate your support!



Amy Yonashiro and Terrence will be co chairing this event and have the support of our sponsors that will reach out to more children by making needed school supplies available and enhance their education.

DADDY’S DAY – June 17, 2012 ---At Kokololio Beach Park, aka CYO’s and ocean side between Haaula Park and Laie. Look for the AHK tent and flag!

AHK and MSG (Maui Sporting Goods) again as primary sponsors, plus others, will again host this very popular family event. As in the past, if you don’t have a child, you can adopt one for this event-including aunties, uncles, and others providing you are responsible and caring. This event always have happy kekis from the families and friends of Alii Holo Kai..

Get your form in Early- the 1st 40 will be accepted. Turnout increases each year!

WHEN: June 17, 2012, Fathers Day, 8 AM Briefing- review rules – questions answered.

PRIZES: Every child participant will WIN a prize and receive a special T-shirt

Other prizes will be awarded - details at briefing.

HOW: Swim from shore with designated “bag boy” (parent, uncle, aunt, or ???)

WHO: Any youngster 5—17 years.

AHK MEMBERS and OTHERS by INVITATION ONLY!

ENTRY FEE: Da Keiki FREE—**Bag boy= \$20 .**

ELIGIBLE FISH: All edible fish of legal size. Keiki participants unable to catch fish must ‘catch a plastic fish” Tags will be located near shore around buoys at an accessible depth. Every keiki will be able to grab one and be eligible for a prize. .

BAG BOYS: 1. Dad or designee (Bag Boy) must swim and be within 20 feet of youngster at all times. Dad must tow an appropriate float and display a diver down flag while in the water.

2. Equipment: Only pole spears are allowed.. no hinge guns, spearguns or powerheads. Dad may assist youngster in locating fish, youngster must spear or grab game.

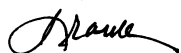
FOOD: Lunch and goodies are included with soft drinks. if you wish, you can bring your own additional specialties.

AHK is accepting “volunteer” help with this Diving with Dad outing. Terrence can use water-safety patrol/ support (at least 3+ support crew – kayaks..) set marker buoys and plastic fish near shore. Also help with tasks on land. Do you have an extra float, dive flag, etc.. give Terrence 836-5009 a call and he can coordinate his needs with you for a successful fun project!

REMINDER- THIS EVENT IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 40 RESPONDENTS!!

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM AND MAIL IT PROMPTLY! MANDATORY!

SPECIAL T SHIRTS & SIZES REQUIRE EXTRA ORDER TIME! AN EARLY RESPONSE IS HELPFUL AND ELIMINATES POSSIBLE DISAPPOINTMENT TO YOU OR THE KEIKI!



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Fathers Day - June 17, 2012 - Kokololilo Beach Park

Diving with Dad REGISTRATION FORM AND LIABILITY WAIVER
PARTICIPANT(YOUNGSTER)_____

AGE _____

BAG-BOY (PARENT/GUARDIAN)_____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____ PHONE _____

YOUNGSTER T-SHIRT SIZE _____ Please indicate type Childrens ___ or
Regular adult _____ (1 Free T Shirt for Youngster-participant)

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED (\$20.) _____

IT IS AGREED THAT, AS THE RESPONSIBLE PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF
_____, WE ARE ENTERING AT OUR OWN
RISK, THE DIVE TOURNAMENT HOSTED BY ALII HOLO KAI et al, ON
_June 17, 2012 Kokololio Beach Park (Between Hauula and Laie) "CYO's"
I DO HEREBY RELEASE THE SPONSORING GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS
FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS OF LIABILITY ARISING BY REASONS OF
INJURY OR OTHER LOSS OCCASIONED BY ME AND _____
AT ANY TIME BEFORE, DURING OR AFTER THE TOURNAMENT.

SIGNATURE: _____

Responsible parent or guardian

Date

Note: EXTRA T shirts. @ \$12. A limited number of *Special Printing Diving with DAD* T shirts will be available. Please order with this form:

Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X Large _____

**** Please respond by June 4, 2012..** Mail to: Terrence Takahata -5210 Likini St.
#404 Honolulu, Hi 96818 Phone 836-5009
***FIRST 40 ENTRANTS---GET THIS FORM IN EARLY OR YOUR KEKI MAY NOT BE
ABLE TO PARTICIPATE! Limited to AHK members & those receiving invitations!***
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