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Kai Newsletter

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November 2013

KUMU HUNT IS SUNDAY NOV 24th . . .and its time to get your application completed and returned to Terrence by **NOV 18**. Attached is a form. This is a very popular event, the last meet of the year and limited in number of entrants. Kumu's are 'reportedly' harder to find, but every year we get surprised and one of the good pluses of this meet is that all the kumu's and a few other fish are confiscated, cleaned and enjoyed at the Awards banquet that evening. See you there!

The **Kumu Hunt** is open to AHK Members and past Palo Kai members only. You can dive anywhere on Oahu but should be at Franks house for the Weigh in by 1 pm.

Follow up at **Lamm's Chop Suey** multi course Chinese Dinner Banquet, including fresh caught fish, awards, other prizes, etc. All fish is must be donated for dinner.

Any undersize fish (State Law) presented at the weigh will result in DQ ... be sure of your fish before weigh in. Weigh-masters will not consider excuses or provide crying towels!

Information and Rules:

WHEN/WHERE: SUNDAY - November 24th

Sunrise till weigh-in - All Oahu shores.

ENTRY FEE: \$35.00 per diver to cover awards, pupus and banquet.

WEIGH-IN: Frank Farm's house at 1:00 p.m. - 3446 Pakui St. - ph. 732-1756

SCORING: Weigh masters, Dennis Okada and Frank Farm

1. Only goatfish, 11" minimum, will count towards trophies.
- 2 Only 3 largest goats will score.
3. Scoring by total weight. No points per fish. Tie decided by total length.
4. Ponuhunohu 12" minimum, papio 12" minimum, and toau 8" minimum will be weighed individually.

Prizes awarded.

AWARDS:

1. Total weight - Champion, 2nd and 3rd place.
2. Largest goatfish - Champion, 2nd and 3rd place
3. Special prizes - largest papio (under 10 lbs.), ponuhunohu and toau.
4. No scooping of more than two awards per diver, one for goats and one for special categories.

DIVE RULES:

1. No boats, kayaks, motorized propulsion or scuba.
 2. All entries must be from shorelines of Oahu.
 3. Fish lost due to bad shot is fair game to all other divers.
 4. No mutilated fish will be scored.
 5. All divers must weigh their fish.
 6. Judge's decision is final. (Weigh master)
- DIVE SAFETY ~~~ dive with a buddy ... for his safety and yours!

PRECAUTIONS: Divers required to use a dive flag and knife recommended.
Each diver is responsible for his own safety – and be watchful for safety of others.
Don't dive somewhere you can't handle, respect ocean conditions and your limits.
Weigh - in will not begin until all divers are accounted for. If you are unable to be back in time please call in at Frank's house. (732-1756)
Only a FUN tournament - HAVE A FUN DIVE!!!

Poki Contest: Prior to Weigh In.

1. Must be a contestant.
2. Made of fish or seafood.
3. Judged by members on Presentation, Flavor and Originality
4. One prize only

Aloha and Dive Safely,



Frank



ALII HOLO KAI KUMU HUNT
ENTRY FORM: Sunday Nov. 24, 2013

NAME: _____ **PHONE #** _____

ADDRESS: _____
(street address) (city) (zip)

CLUB AFFILIATION: _____

ENTRY FEE: ____ X \$35.00 = _____

BANQUET GUEST: ____ X \$20.00 = _____

..... 8 years and under ____ X \$ 8.00 = _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED (competitors, immediate family, children): _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: *Alii Holo Kai*

MAIL FORM/Check TO: *Terrence Takahata, 5210 Likini St. #404, Honolulu, HI, 96818*

******* ENTRIES & PAYMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED AND RECEIVED BY:**
MONDAY, November 18, 2013 - FIRST 30 DIVERS ! REGISTER EARLY!

If you have questions, please call Terrence at home 836-5009 - evenings before 10 p.m.

RELEASE AND INDEMNITY

In consideration that I may participate in diving activities beginning on or about **Sunday November 24, 2013** and said consent having been given upon my express request, I hereby assume all risk or injury or damage thereto, howsoever and wheresoever occurring, and however long the said activities may continue: and I do, for myself and for my heirs, successors and assigns, agree that in no case will I present or prosecute against Alii Holo Kai and/or its officers any action for damages or compensation for injury or damages suffered by me or done to my property, arising out of, or incidental to, my participation in or presence during said diving activities, whether the same be occasioned by the negligence of Alii Holo Kai and/or its officers or any persons or persons whosoever, or otherwise, and do agree further for myself, my heirs, successors and agree to hold Alii Holo Kai and/or its officers free and harmless from and against any and all claims by whomsoever made or presented, for damages or compensation for any and every such injury suffered by me, including death, or done to my property.

SIGNATURE (if under 18, Parent/Guardian)

DATE

**OPEN TO ALII HOLO KAI AND PAST PALO KAI MEMBERS
ONLY !**