



Friends of the Library of Hawai'i

65th Annual Booksale

Saturday, June 23–Sunday, July 1, 2012

Marlene Booth, Editor

Spring 2012

When you walk by McKinley High School on June 23, it might look like just an ordinary day. But step inside the cafeteria, and you'll see something quite extraordinary. Thousands of books—over 150,000, to be exact—dozens of volunteers doing everything from restocking tables, adding purchases, running cash registers, and helping hundreds of people carry boxes and boxes of books signal the beginning of the annual Friends of the Library of Hawai'i booksale, now in its 65th year.



"It's kind of like going to battle together," says **Warren Hamamoto**, one of three co-chairs, along with **Stephanie Rezents** and **Nobu Kiwada** (pictured left), who plan and oversee the booksale. "It takes 5 days to set up, 10 days to run the sale, and months and months of planning."

The booksale helps support the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i which provides funding for Hawai'i's 50 public libraries with special programs, such as the Summer Reading Program, Fall Reading Program, National

Library Week programs, technology upgrades, and continuing education for library staff. As Susan Nakata, head of Library Development Services of the Hawai'i State Public Library says, "Funding from the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i allows Hawai'i's public libraries to carry out their mission of providing informational, enriching, and entertaining programs for patrons at every stage of their lives."



In addition to helping maintain Hawai'i's superb public libraries, the booksale is a place to meet and greet, to see old friends and make new ones, and to spend quality family time communing with books. According to co-chair Rezents, "It has really

turned into a family event where all become members of a family, all generations come together to talk about books. It opens up conversations among strangers where people turn to each other and say, "Look what book I just found!"



With quality used books starting at the bargain price of \$1, the booksale is, in the words of Kiwada, "the best deal in Hawai'i – a bargain and a half." Offerings range from Hawaiiana to cookbooks, mysteries, travel books, biographies, military histories, and the famous rare book, among collectors' items, kept in a glass case.

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State Librarian's Report

I am excited and delighted to announce that the new Manoa Public Library will celebrate its Grand Opening on Saturday, June 9, at 10 a.m.

The original library was built more than 40 years ago and was intended for a small community. In 1980 it was bursting at the seams, and then-State-Senator Neil Abercrombie first introduced legislation to appropriate funds to expand the Library. Twenty-five years of persistence by community leaders led to Senator Brian Taniguchi securing an appropriation for partial funding; and in 2006 and 2007, former Governor Linda Lingle released the total \$10.3 million for the design and construction of the new library.

The new Manoa Public Library is built on the same site as the original building, at 2716 Woodlawn Drive; and it will have double the area available for library materials, public computers, and parking stalls and will include a multi-purpose room. HSPLS will seek Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Certification for the building, which features natural lighting, photovoltaic panels, water-efficient fixtures, recaptured water for irrigation, and landscaping composed entirely of endemic, indigenous, and 'canoe' plants. *Please join us for the Grand Opening of the Manoa Public Library on June 9 at 10 am.*

The 2012 Hawai'i State Public Library System (HSPLS) Summer Reading Programs will be conducted from June 4 through July 7 with the program themes: "Dream Big READ!" (Children); "Own the Night" (Young Adult); and "Between the Covers" (Adult). Registration for the **FREE** five-week programs begins on May 29. Participants who visit their local library and read at least one book per week are eligible to receive a free weekly reading incentive, while supplies last. In addition to reading, the Programs will feature family-friendly activities, such as free professional storytelling and other performances, and chances to win great prizes, such as free DVD rentals, iPod Shuffles, and e-readers. The 2012 HSPLS Summer Reading Programs are sponsored through a generous grant from the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i and more than 20 additional sponsors.

This year, HSPLS and the Department of Education will begin a special collaboration focusing on increasing summer reading program participation by students in Kindergarten through 2nd grade. Multiple studies have proven beyond a doubt that children who continue reading during the summer perform better when they return to school in the fall, are more active and engaged in the classroom, and score higher on standardized tests. To help our students achieve these results, we are encouraging teachers to contact their local public library prior to the summer break to schedule class visits, create and share reading lists, and instill excitement

for reading and for the Summer Reading Program among their students.

I am reading Blue Ocean Strategy by W. Chan Kim and Renee Mauborgne. A "blue ocean" is created when a company achieves value innovation that creates value simultaneously for both the buyer and the company, and the authors cite businesses as varied as Starbucks and Cirque du Soleil as examples. Blue Ocean Strategy highlights six essential principles, including reconstructing market boundaries, focusing on the big picture, reaching beyond existing demand, getting the strategic sequence right, overcoming organizational hurdles and building execution into strategy.

State Librarian, Richard Burns

President's Report

Aloha!

We are in the 5th month of the lunar Dragon Year, and are we IN it or what??? Thank you to Warren "Hama" Hamamoto, Stephanie Rezens, and Nobu Kiwada for chairing our 65th Annual Book Sale!!!

BOOK SALE! BOOK SALE! BOOK SALE coming right up!!! Please plan to set aside time, money, and come down to McKinley High School to fill up boxes of books.

These past five months I have been exceptionally thankful and appreciative for books, libraries, and book stores. In the past two months, I read The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo, The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest, and The Girl Who Played with Fire *three times* because they were so complex.

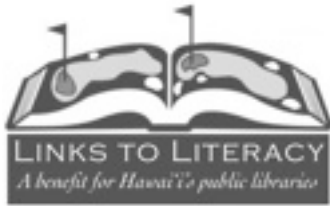
I also had the opportunity in March during a visit to Boston to go to the Harvard Coop. While I was in the Tree Huggers Section, I bought A Story of Bees by Susan Hubbell and Tiger, A True Story of Revenge and Survival by John Vailant. I've now loaned these great books to other readers. So, I am so looking forward to our Booksale in June!!!

Thank you all for attending our Annual Meeting in February. I thought it was a wonderful evening that truly celebrated and honored these great people:

Librarian of the Year–Karen Ikemoto
Excellence in Service Awardees–
Teri King-Agan, Rofina Rivera, and Randy Sotsuda
FLH Volunteer of the Year–Marlise Tellander

Again, thank you for supporting the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i. We appreciate you, your hearty spirit of volunteerism, and your warm, unflagging support. Thank you and see you at the BOOKSALE!!

FLH President, Allene Suemori



Friday, September 21, 2012
 Ko Olina Golf Club
 with Awards banquet and Silent Auction at
 JW Marriott Ihilani Resort & Spa

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 at Ko Olina!”



Alan Yamamoto, Chair
 Links to Literacy



This year's statewide Summer Reading Program is
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2012 Summer Reading Program June 4 through July 7 @ your library

The 2011 Summer Reading Program reached
 25,000+ children, teens, and adults statewide.
 Join a reading program at your local public library
 branch and read your way through summer!



Pictured from left:
 Aloha Clowns Bubble
 Show at Waipahu and
 musician "Uncle Wayne"
 Watkins at Wailuku.

Friends of the Library of Hawai'i 65th Annual Booksale

McKinley High School ❖ 1039 South King Street ❖ Honolulu, Hawai'i 96814

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
June 18 Moving Day 9 a.m.–4 p.m.	June 19 Set-up 9 a.m.–3 p.m.	June 20 Set-up 9 a.m.–3 p.m.	June 21 Set-up 9 a.m.–3 p.m.	June 22 MEMBERS' Preview Sale 5 p.m.–9 p.m.	June 23 OPENING DAY! 9 a.m.–9 p.m. Bake Sale Kevin's Two Boots	June 24 OPEN 9 a.m.–6 p.m. Kevin's Two Boots
June 25 OPEN 11 a.m.–7 p.m. 25% Discount for librarians, teachers, and military Monday–Friday	June 26 OPEN 11 a.m.–7 p.m.	June 27 OPEN 11 a.m.–7 p.m.	June 28 OPEN 11 a.m.–7 p.m.	June 29 OPEN 11 a.m.–7 p.m.	June 30 OPEN 9 a.m.–8 p.m. Everything 50% off Lunch Truck TBA	July 1 OPEN 9 a.m.–2 p.m. Everything 50 cents Lunch Truck TBA



“It’s all about people contact. You see someone walk in and buy your goodies. They feel good because they’re helping the library

system, and you feel good because they like what you baked.”

Wanda Adams

Bake Sale at the Booksale

Want to be part of the fun and good cheer at the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i Booksale? Join us in feeding the hungry hoard of bibliophiles with delectable baked goods!

Here are some guidelines to help you as you help the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i with this worthwhile project.

1. We need baked goods that don't need to be refrigerated.
2. Please package cookies, cupcakes, or other items in plastic bags (sandwich bags are ideal) and wrap breads in clear plastic wrap.
3. Please bag cookies in bags of 1, 3, 6, or a dozen. Label your baked goods and indicate if the items have any type of nuts.
For example: chocolate chip cookies with walnuts.
4. Leave the pricing of the goodies to us!
5. Please drop off your items starting at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 23.

AND, if you're willing to share your recipe, please drop that off, too! We hope to have an FLH Cookbook soon!

Questions? Call the FLH office at 536-4174 or email Mae, mae@friendsofthelibraryofhawaii.org.

Would your company like to be a corporate sponsor for the booksale? Or would you like to volunteer for a booksale shift as a community service or company spirit activity? Please call our office for details, 536-4174.

65th Annual Booksale Job Descriptions

Set-up Crew (June 19–21)

Set up tables, shelves, and books for sale.

Floater and Will Call (June 22–July1)

Jobs include manning the will-call area, relieving any volunteers in need of a break; reshelving books.

Restockers/Table Monitors (June 22–July1)

Hand truck books from restocking area to cafeteria or pavilion. Floor managers will coordinate areas to be restocked. Arrange the books neatly and attractively; help find “holes” and help reshelve books that have been misplaced.

Door Monitors/Greeters (June 22–July1)

Greet customers as they enter sales area and assist security monitors.

Adders (June 22–July1)

Add the prices marked in books selected for purchase. Direct customers to cashiers for payment of purchases.

Clean-up Crew (July1)

On the last day of the sale, help pack remaining inventory, wipe tables, sweep, and return cafeteria and pavilion to original state.

Volunteer Orientation

Saturday, June 2 or June 9, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., 690 Pohukaina Street, Honolulu. Please plan on attending one of these sessions to get instructions for the booksale and pick up your t-shirt.

Booksale Volunteer Response Form

Check date and time preferences.

- Tuesday, June 19
- Wednesday, June 20
- Thursday, June 21
- Friday, June 22
- Saturday, June 23
- Sunday, June 24
- Monday, June 25
- Tuesday, June 26
- Wednesday, June 27
- Thursday, June 28
- Friday, June 29
- Saturday, June 30
- Sunday, July 1

Indicate job preferred: _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:30-5pm (clean up crew) | |

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Librarian of the Year and Excellence in Service Awards 2012

These awards, sponsored by the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i and Native Books/Na Mea Hawai'i, honor a librarian and a library support staff member for their outstanding contributions to the Hawai'i State Public Library System and its patrons. The winners' libraries will also be honored. Deadline for nominations for these awards is July 31, 2012.

The winning librarian and the library support staff members will be honored for their contributions with a public reception at the Hawai'i State Library. The winners will receive personal awards and gift certificates for their library branches.



PHOTO BY PAUL H. MARK

Front Row (left to right): **Karen Ikemoto**, 2011 Librarian of the Year, Excellence in Service Awardees **Randy Sotsuda**, **Rofina Rivera**, and **Teri King-Agan** are joined in the celebration by - Second Row (left to right): State Librarian **Richard Burns** and FLH Executive Director **Byrde Cestare**, and **Sally Harper** and **Marcia Gross** of the LOTY-EIS Committee.



2012 Nomination forms are available at your local library, at Native Books/Na Mea Hawai'i in Ward Warehouse, and online at www.friendsofthelibraryofhawaii.org.



Friends of the Library of Hawai'i 2012 Scholarship Announcement

Every student needs a certain amount of money just for the basics, but that amount can change unexpectedly with tuition hikes or cost-of-living increases. The Friends of the Library of Hawai'i scholarship is a 'just in time' boost for the school year.
Barbara Trecker

Supported by bequests and donations to its Scholarship Fund, the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i awards scholarships annually to Hawai'i residents seeking a Master's Degree in Library Science at the University of Hawai'i.

Applications are available online and are due by May 15, 2012. Scholarships are awarded by the end of June.

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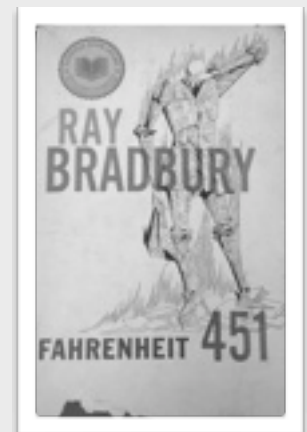
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www.friendsofthelibraryofhawaii.org

This form may be mailed with payment to: FLH, 690 Pohukaina Street, Honolulu, HI 96813

First Editions by Stewart Ono, Veteran FLH Volunteer

One of the most interesting aspects of collecting books is finding first editions or first printings. If you watch those new TV shows like "Pawn Stars" and "Storage Wars," you realize that first editions of various books, especially classics, can be extremely valuable. Hemingway's *The Old Man and the Sea* can fetch prices in the thousands of dollars—depending on condition, of course. Few realize that even more mundane titles can also be very collectible. Frank Herbert's science-fiction classic *Dune* can also demand prices in the thousands, more so if autographed. Even a commonplace title like *The Da Vinci Code* can command a high price (apparently there is a spelling error in the first printing, but it is in Latin, so most of us would never realize it). For the most part, many books which have become "cult" classics also command high prices as first editions.



For the simple joy of reading a book, this is totally superfluous. However, there are many books for which there have been significant changes in text. One example is Ray Bradbury's *Fahrenheit 451*. His publisher edited the text to make it more acceptable for high school reading by eliminating certain events and "swear words" from the original. Bradbury himself was not aware of the edits until just a few years ago, and was extremely upset that such editing had taken place without his knowledge or permission. Changes like this can affect the price of a volume.

As an example: Collodi's *Pinocchio*, in paperback, can be worth \$200. (Yes, this also was the basis for a Walt Disney movie.)

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MEMBERS' PREVIEW SALE

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5:00-9:00 p.m.

McKinley High School

Join at the FLH membership table at the sale
or on-line, by phone, or by mail. See page 7.

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And then, of course, there are children's books. Rezens recounts the excitement of children so eager to read their new books that they start paging through in the check-out line.

But children are not the only people stocking up on children's books. Hamamoto recalls an early experience working at a cash register. He saw all these young "gals" coming up with boxes filled with children's books. He asked one of them, "Are you a teacher?" and she said, "Yes, I am! These books are for my class." And I said, "Do you get reimbursed?" and she said, "No, I'm just buying them so my kids can have these books available to them."

To help teachers and librarians in their work, the Friends of the Library will be offering 25% off all purchases for both public and private librarians and K-12 teachers from Monday, June 25th through Friday, June 29th. This special discount will also be extended to the military.

As co-chair Rezens put it, "There is a book for everybody, and it's affordable. It is the one time you can say to your child, "Go buy anything you want!"